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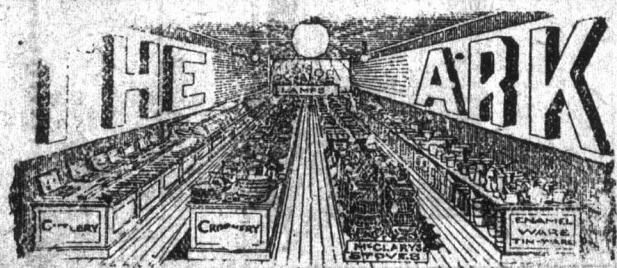
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DUNDONALD WAS RIGHT

A Resolution Condemning Fisher's Conduct—Mr. Borden Pays Tribute to Scottish Hero.

Sir F. Borden's Fierce Personal Attack on the G.O.C.—The Debate Not Concluded.

Ottawa, June 23.—The debate on the Dundonald-Fisher episode drew to the House this afternoon the largest crowd that has thronged the precincts of Parliament for years. All the galleries were filled to overflowing. There was a full attendance of members.

On motion to go into supply, Mr. R. L. Borden arose, amidst cheers, and spoke to the following amendment:

THE RESOLUTION.

"That the selection and appointment of officers in the militia should be made without regard to party political considerations, which if permitted to exercise an influence, will prove disastrous to the efficiency of the force."

"That while the Minister of Militia is charged with and responsible for the administration of militia affairs, the General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, law charged under the orders of His Majesty with the military command and discipline of the militia, and with the duty of recommending to the Minister of Militia fit and proper persons for appointment to commissions therein."

"That the conduct of the Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, in interfering with the commanding officer of the Thirteenth Scottish Light Dragoons while that officer was engaged in the duty of selecting his subordinate officers for the approval of and for recommendation by the General Officer Commanding, and the action of that minister in interposing party political influence between the General Officer Commanding and his officers, and in requiring recommendations and appointments to be made or disallowed from party considerations, deserves and should receive the censure of this House."

"The House regrets that this unwarrantable interference has been approved by the Government, and that it not only has unduly delayed the organization of the regiment, but has culminated in depriving the militia of Canada of an experienced and distinguished commanding officer."

MR. BORDEN'S SPEECH.

Mr. Borden, on opening up the discussion, said the question was whether we were to have in Canada a non-partisan militia force or partisan politics introduced into the appointment of officers. It would be certainly regrettable, he said, if partisan political considerations should be allowed to interfere between the General Officer Commanding and those who are subordinate to him. To permit that to be done would be to permit the interference by politicians with men who are engaged in the performance of their duty, and to interfere with an officer in that regard would likely result in the most disastrous effects upon the militia force of this country.

Dealing with the organization of the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons, Mr. Borden said there was nothing to indicate that political influence governed Col. Smart or Col. Whitley. They were simply endeavoring to find the best available men, qualified men, or, failing these, the most efficient men for commissions. Col. Smart had no politics whatever. Col. Whitley was Liberal; and what reason was there to suppose that either of them would endeavor to favor the Conservative party in making appointments. Mr. Fisher had stated in the House that the only grounds on which he made any suggestions in regard to the establishment of the corps were the immense importance of the appointment of leading officers with military qualifications, who knew the country and the people of the Eastern Townships. Had Mr. Fisher stopped there, his interference could only be regarded as meddling, but not absolutely vicious. He would only be meddling with what other men were much better qualified to do. But, if this was the case, it was necessary for Mr. Fisher to enquire into or state the political opinions of Senator Baker and his relations. Senator Baker seemed to be the bete noir of Mr. Fisher now. Yet the Minister of Agriculture had stated in the House and said that his interference in the affairs of that regiment was concerned solely and absolutely with the military qualifications of the officers.

Mr. Borden quoted from Mr. Fisher the latter's further remark that "putting aside many questions of military qualifications, which I went into afterwards, such a list of officers for that squadron in that neighborhood which he held to be an instance of political preference, and that it would be held to be, turning the whole regiment into a political Tory organization." "Now," said Mr. Borden, "I venture to say, that if an enquiry is granted by this Government, and if Col. Whitley and Col. Smart are examined on oath, they

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RIGHT ROYAL GOOD TIME

Pupils and Friends Had it at the McKeough School Picnic Yesterday.

Capital Program of Out-Door Sports—Dainty Decorations, Delightful Refreshments and Splendid Fireworks.

McKeough school picnic—that long-looked-for event is a thing of the past for 1904, and the scholars of that enterprising and up-to-date school have already begun to look forward to the picnic of 1905.

For many years past McKeough school picnic has been to the scholars—the feature of the school work. The boys—and girls, too—go into training and, long ere the picnic is due to come off, all are in first class shape. Almost any scholar can pick the medallist who will win the most races.

Each succeeding year sees almost double the number of girls in the races that entered the year before.



MISS ESTHER ABRAM

They now enter nearly all the different races, and it is surprising to see the wonderful speed, skill and endurance they display.

The kind Weather Man did his best, the teachers did their best, the people did their best in patronizing the affair, and, needless to say, the scholars did their best. In consequence—as many who always attend the McKeough school picnic were heard to say—the big event was never before so well systematized and never before a greater success. Everything went off splendidly.

The races began shortly after six in the evening with the relay race, which creates such intense interest and is watched so closely by not only



McKEOUGH SCHOOL.

the pupils but also all who know of it.

Quite a number of the Public School Board and others were present and aided the principal, Miss Abram, and the teachers, in carrying out the program. The starters were Trustees Wm. N. Morley, Dr. McKeough, Geo. Hayward, Dr. R. V. Bray, Ald. John Edmondson and J. Brackin.

The races concluded—after a short wait—the ex-Regimental Band arrived and an open air concert was much enjoyed.

As soon as darkness came on the fireworks display was inaugurated. It was in charge of Daniel Clements, assisted by J. Brackin. The fireworks were exceedingly beautiful and were certainly enjoyed by old and young.

In the meantime the band had adjourned to the play shed, where dancing was in vogue, until about half past ten.

The interior of the school was lively all this time. Ice cream was being served in the band room, which was prettily decorated with flowers, foliage, etc. A number of the little girls were acting as waitresses. This part of the entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed and was well patronized.

The principal, Miss Esther Abram, and her able staff of assistants, deserve great credit and praise for carrying such a heavy undertaking to such a successful issue. The ladies did all the work themselves with the exception of the gentlemen who assisted on the grounds. The prepara-

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FINE FESTIVAL IN HARWICH

Immense Reunion Gathering at S. S. No. 1—Growing Tables and Splendid Program.

Capital Addresses by Col. Rankin, Judge Houston, Ald. McColg, Nell Watson and the Coming Member for Kent.

The Strawberry Festival and Old Boys' Re-union, of School Section, No. 1, Harwich, was held at the school house last evening under the management of the Literary Society of No. 1. It was a grand success in every particular. The strawberries were excellent, the crowd was exceedingly large and merry, the program was enjoyable, and the proceeds were most satisfactory.

The grounds were decorated with flags and lanterns and presented a very gay appearance. The social was held out of doors and the weather was everything that could be desired.

The object of the entertainment was to raise enough money to purchase a piano and the young people have every reason to be satisfied as they succeeded in getting better than the required amount. The 24th Regiment Band was in attendance and gave excellent music during the festivities and everything together made it a very enjoyable evening.

After ample justice had been done the strawberries and cream and cake, Lindsay Parrott, president of the Debating Society, called the meeting to order and asked Harry W. Anderson to assume the responsibilities of chairperson. An excellent program was provided, including selections from a fine string orchestra, highland dancing, pipes by the Camerons, songs by Sam Mains and R. W. Angus, a recitation by Mrs. J. S. Turner, and admirable speeches by Lt.-Col. Rankin, Judge M. Houston, Nell Watson, Herbert S. Clements, Dr. Jamieson, Ald. Archibald McColg and others. Each one of these gentlemen made excellent addresses and all were enthusiastically received by the audience.

Geo. Stephens, M. P., had promised to speak, but sent word that he could not be present. It was arranged that he and Mr. Clements would meet on the public platform for the first time at No. 1. Mr. Clements was there, however, and he gave an excellent speech. As he stepped on the platform he was greeted with rounds and rounds of applause. It was anticipated that both campaigns, Mr. Clements and Mr. Stephens, would be present to address the gathering. Mr. Stephens, however, failed to put in an appearance.



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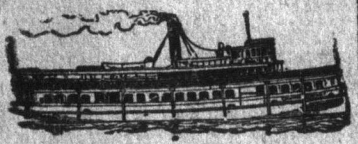
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Dr. Johnson's Weeping.

Dr. Samuel Johnson married a Mrs. Porter of Birmingham. That lady's daughter thus described the doctor's weeping: "His appearance was very forbidding. He was then lean and lank, so that his immense structure of bones was hideously striking to the eye, and the scars of the scrofula were deeply visible. He also wore his hair, which was straight and stiff, and separated behind, and he often had, seemingly, convulsive starts and odd gesticulations, which tended to excite at once surprise and ridicule. Mrs. Porter was so much engaged by his conversation that she overlooked all these external disadvantages and said to her daughter, 'This is the most sensible man that I ever saw in my life.'"

Mrs. Porter, who was twice Johnson's age, was not easily won. Urged by her learned lover to say why she still refused him, she said an uncle of hers had been hung and she did not wish to bring disgrace on him. "Is that all?" said Johnson. "Why, though I have never had an uncle hung, I have two or three uncles who deserve it. So let's get married and say no more about that."

Can Ducks Smell?

It has been often asked whether or not ducks can smell. Some hunters cite from their experiences instances that seem to show ducks can smell; others say that ducks cannot. Now the naturalist would say that ducks, owing to their habit, have no need to smell and hence cannot. This rule is not infallible, but generally holds good. Any wild thing with such eyes as ducks have does not need to smell. Nature seems to have given birds a discerning eye and animals a discerning nose. A fox will look straight at a man and not see him, even when only a few feet away, provided he does not smell him or the man does not move. A duck will not only see a man standing perfectly still at a long distance regardless of the wind, but will notice any change in the landmarks of its haunts or feeding grounds—Ousting.

It was announced in the House of Commons that Sir Percy Girouard's resignation had been accepted by Lord Milner.

Turn Time Backward. Be Young Again.

At last there is hope for the army of young, old, middle-aged men who either through early misadventure, later exposure or exposure find themselves lacking in vital power. How many of you are now reaping the harvest of your folly? At last you are face to face with the realization that nature cannot be deceived, neither does it forget the wrong done it. Men, women and children are suffering, but the punishment always corresponds with the amount of abuse committed. It is not, however, too late as there is a cure. Thanks to Dr. Bellamy, the noted specialist, who can give you the best remedy for your various troubles. Let us not wait until you are old, if you have stricture, prostatic trouble, neuralgia, rheumatism, loss of sleep, nervous debility, etc., write at once to Dr. Bellamy, and he will send you his method of curing these diseases free of charge.

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English Ignorance of Indians.

An Indian who has just returned from England expresses surprise at the ignorance he found there. He went to London to take part in a wild western melodrama. He ran across a newspaper man in Philadelphia and the latter says it was amusing to hear him describe the ignorance regarding his race that exists abroad. "An Englishman," he said, "thinks that a red man can run from 200 to 225 miles a day without effort. He thinks an Apache can overtake a deer. In fact, I read in London a short story describing how in fifteen miles run an Apache caught a deer, choked it to death and ate its heart raw. The English believe that an Indian is so generous he would give away the clothes on his back. I was accosted by hosts of beggars in London, and they couldn't understand why I didn't hand out a half crown to each of them. They also think an Indian will endure the severest pain without flinching, out of pride. A young English girl stuck a pin in my leg at a restaurant one night and was surprised when I said 'Ouch' and swore."

Mrs. Farnell in Distress.

Mrs. Charles Stewart Farnell has appeared in the London Bankruptcy Court with evidence that she is not only penniless, but in practical destitution. The family to which she belongs are well-to-do, and Field Marshal Sir Evelyn Wood, who is her brother, is more than that. If she had not deserted her husband, been divorced, and then married Mr. Farnell, she might have retained a good place, but it is rather absurd to blame the Irish Nationalists, as is done, since it was "Kitty's" charms that through his infatuation brought about the ruin of Farnell when he was in the heights of his power as the Irish leader.

Twenty Old Fishes.

The Fishmongers' Livery Company of London owns a remarkable painting by Spiridon Roma, which contains portraits of twenty wholesome sea and river fishes, most of which are almost unknown by the general public—viz., weaver, dubs, green, grading or humber, colefish, willis, succorials, ruff, carp, homelings, lumps, ails, coney fish, bass, popes, fireflaw, pouting, grigs, shad and blenks.

MEN GROWING TALLER.

Our Ancestors of Mediaeval Times Fung Compared With To-day—Average Height in Many Places.

A walk through the Tower of London will convince any person that the armor-clad knights of mediaeval days were puny men compared with the athlete of to-day.

The experiment of getting into suits of old armor in country houses has often proved that the "legs" are far too short for the average man of the present generation.

A well known anthropologist at the British Museum says that undoubtedly the British race is taller than it was several hundred years ago.

"I think, however, that the mediaeval man was deeper-chested and broader in the shoulders," he said.

"The old armor, if a man of good average height could squeeze into it today, would be found loose-fitting in the shoulders and at the chest."

"The tallest men in the world come from Galloway and Perthshire, and Yorkshire's average is a fine one. Even that of Southwest England and South Wales—5 feet 6 inches—is far higher than that of many of the Continental nations."

"The tallest men after the men of Galloway, who have an average of nearly six feet, are the Fulahs of the French Soudan, and the Patagonians are believed to hold a very good average."

In London the average is as low as in South Wales, and the little man frequently asks why he should have to pay the same price for a suit of clothes as a country-bred giant!

This question was answered by a West End tailor. "What we make for the little man is a loss of business," he said, "for we pay our men extra when they are working on a giant's suit."

"We have been compelled on one or two occasions, however, to charge more when a man is exceptionally tall or stout. One of our customers, who is over six feet high, and is forty-four inches round the waist, takes five and a half double width for a lounge suit. We ask another guinea, and he pays it readily."

The Countess of Warwick.

The Countess of Warwick, who recently gave birth to a daughter at Warwick House, London, is one of the best-known figures in society. Her ladyship is distinguished for her practical philanthropy, which has taken forms that have brought her much devoted love, though she has been abundantly justified by results. Her hotel at Reading for the training of the daughters of professional men in horticulture, dairy, bee and poultry keeping, has been a conspicuous success. At the Earl's Essex estate the Countess established a science and technical school for boys and girls, whilst she presides over the needlework school and institutions of various educational kinds. At Warwick she established a home for 18 crippled children, admitted free for an unlimited length of time, whilst both at Warwick Castle and at Eaton Lodge she has a complete organization for the welfare of the poor and the nursing of the sick. She is an expert horsewoman; she hunts with both the Warwickshire and the Essex hounds; she is an omnivorous reader; and she makes an effort, notwithstanding the time she devotes to outdoor pursuits, to read every new book of importance. Lady Warwick has contributed largely to periodical literature, but as a writer her name will go down to posterity as the author of "Warwick Castle and its Earls," a book well conceived, admirably written and of some historical value. At the beginning of the year her daughter, Lady Marjorie Greville, married Viscount Helmshay, grandson and heir of the Earl of Faversham.

Wanted His Money's Worth.

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A Mechanical Answer.

Magistrate—And what did the prisoner say when you told him that you would have him arrested? Complainant—He answered mechanically, your honor. Magistrate—Explain. Complainant—He hit me on the head with a hammer.

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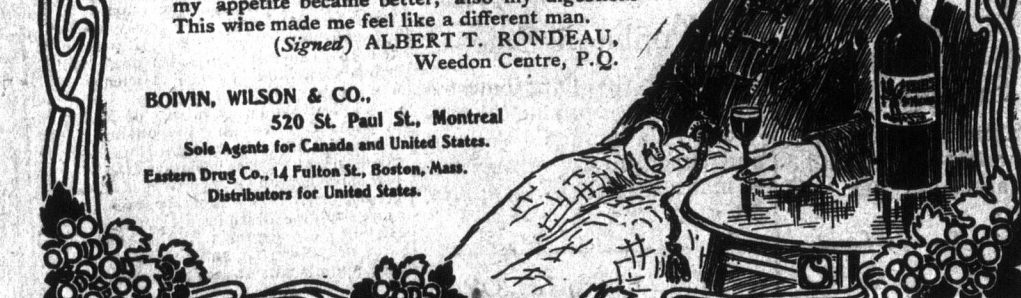
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Man the Slave.
It has taken ages of repression to
bring the husband and father to his
present condition of abject slavery to
the wife and mother. He is the victim
of a process that began in the garden
of Eden and gives no promise of end-
ing until he is called to the reward
that awaits the humble on the other
and brighter shore.

**Beware of Ointments for Cat-
arrh that contain**
MERCURY.

as mercury will surely destroy the
sense of smell and completely de-
range the whole system when enter-
ing it through the mucous surfaces.
Such articles should never be used
except on prescriptions from repa-
table physicians, as the damage they
will do is ten fold to the good you
can possibly derive from them. Hall's
Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J.
Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no
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ing directly upon the blood and mu-
cous surfaces of the system. In buy-
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Sold by druggists. Price 75c. per
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Take Hall's Family Pills for consti-
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"I see that some New York girl nearly
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"Is that so? What's her intention,
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— Chicago Record-Herald.

AN AGGRAVATED COUGH CURED.

A customer of ours who had been
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months, bought two bottles of Cham-
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was entirely cured by one and a half
bottles of it. It gives perfect satis-
faction with our trade. — Haynes,
Parker & Co., Laneville, Ala. For sale
by all druggists.

Early Translations of the Bible.
In 170 years after the death of Christ
the whole Bible had been translated
into Latin by some unknown writer
into what is now known as the old
Italic version. By the year 200 it was
written in Greek, Syriac and Latin, and
by the sixth century in thirteen lan-
guages.

NOTHING LIKE EXPERIENCE.

"One truth learned by actual expe-
rience does more good than ten expe-
riences one hears about." Tell a man
that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and
Diarrhoea Remedy will cure cholera
morbus, and he will most likely for-
get it before the end of the day. Let
him have a severe attack of that dis-
ease, feel that he is about to die, use
this remedy, and learn from his own
experience how quickly it gives re-
lief, and he will remember it all his
life. For sale by all druggists.

Thirty-seven additional bodies of
victims of the General Slocum dis-
aster, at New York, were recovered,
bringing the total up to 883.

A WORD TO WOMEN.

Any sick woman is invited to con-
sult by letter with Dr. R. V. Pierce,
chief consulting physician of the In-
valids' Hotel and Surgical Institute,
Buffalo, N. Y. In an active practice
of more than thirty years, assisted by
a staff of nearly a score of associate
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cured over half a million women. All
diseases peculiar to women are treated
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mailed promptly giving the best of
medical advice. All answers are sent
in plain envelopes bearing on them
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without fear and without fee to Dr.
R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The plain man is often the one the
women fancy.

At the Yarmouth Y. M. C. A. Boys'
Camp held at Tusket Falls in Aug-
ust, I found MINARD'S LINIMENT
most beneficial for sun burn, an im-
mediate relief for colic and tooth-
ache.

ALFRED STOKES,
General Secretary.

Men of ability are conscious how
far they are from being what they
should be.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

Bicycle Sale, Saturday, June 25th—
New 1904 Model Antelope Bicycles,
Dunlop Tires, strictly high grade,
regular price forty-five dollars; on
Saturday only eighteen dollars and
eighty-five cents. Biggest snap ever
known. Briscoe's, Chatham.

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WALLACEBURG

June 24.—Miss Maria Forhan has re-
turned from L. Villa Marie Convent,
Montreal, to spend the holidays at
her home here.

Mrs. Charles Hansen and Miss Mar-
jorie have returned from Galt, where
they spent a few weeks at Mrs. Han-
sen's home.

Miss Martin, of Asalie, Mich., is the
guest of her son, Rueben Martin, and
other relatives.

The Masonic Lodge will attend ser-
vice in Knox Church on Sunday next.
The pastor, Rev. J. M. Nicol, will ad-
dress the brethren.

The Knights and Lady Maccabees
will attend service in the St. James
Church on Sunday evening next. Rev.
Mr. Farr, the rector, will preach a
special sermon.

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GLENWOOD

Enoch Mifflin spent Tuesday and
Wednesday with relatives in Wheat-
ley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown, of De-
troit, are the guests of the former's
mother, Mrs. E. Brown.

Miss Agnes Shepley pleasantly en-
tertained a number of friends from
Marlin on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Theodore Bennett, of Fargo,
spent a few days last week with her
sister, Mrs. P. J. McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Schwemler, of Chi-
cago, spent Saturday last at W. C.
Estabrook's.

Miss Alice Estabrook, of Tilbury,
was a visitor at the home of her
parents over Sunday.

On Sunday morning the Rev. A. E.
M. Thompson conducted the memorial
services of the late Enoch Newham.

The R. T. of T. initiated eight new
members on Friday evening. This in-
itself speaks well for the growth of
temperance sentiment in the country.

FLORENCE

Mr. and Mrs. David Corbett were
Chatham visitors a few days this
week.

Dr. Kelly attended the wedding of
his sister in Chatham on the 10th
inst.

W. Dumbor, of Winnipeg, is the
guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and
Mrs. Gordon.

Mrs. E. Miller, Dresden, and Miss
Miller, are spending a couple of
weeks in town.

Rev. John Russell, of London, oc-
cupied the Methodist pulpit Sunday
evening. He was a former pastor
of this church.

A large number from town and
vicinity attended Ringling Brothers'
circus in Chatham on Saturday last.
They report a splendid show.

A meeting of the Florence brass
band was held Wednesday evening
for the purpose of re-organization.

Miss Bita Farmer, who has been
in Chatham for a few months, has
returned home.

Mrs. Martin Gordier, of London,
spent last week with friends in town.

The fifteenth annual garden party
will be held on the rectory grounds
the last Friday in June.

The Methodist congregation have
decided to hold a grand concert and
lawn social on Monday evening, June
27th. A choice musical program of
foreign and local talent will be ren-
dered. Proceeds in aid of church im-
provements.

Monkey Brand Soap cleans kitchen uten-
sils, steel, iron and tinware, knives and
forks, and all kinds of cutlery.

8 CON. RALEIGH

At the anniversary services next
Sunday, Mr. Kerr, of Beaufort, will
occupy the pulpit. The annual tea
meeting and concert will be given
on Monday evening and an unusually
good program will be furnished.
Some of Chatham's best talent will
be present.

Miss Jean Alden, of Chicago, is ex-
pected home for a month's holidays
next Monday.

Mrs. Morrison, of Detroit, has re-
turned home after a short visit with
her mother here.

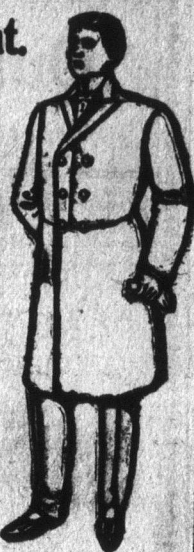
Mrs. White, of Chatham, was the
guest of Mrs. Jordan last Sunday.
A number of our young people en-
joyed a mid-summer's nap last Wed-
nesday evening in L. Doyle's new barn
on the school road.

James Dowd, of Kilmock, is vis-
iting his sister, Mrs. Stover, of the
Eight.

Barney Wiley met with an un-
fortunate accident last Tuesday even-
ing, while shooting rats, his finger
being accidentally discharged, the bul-
let lodging in his wrist. Mr. Wiley
will be laid up for some time.
Harriet Alden attended court last
week.
Mrs. Richard Dale has returned
home from a month's visit with re-
latives in Ohio, accompanied by her
niece, Miss Matheson.
Some women are more afraid of a
mouse than they are of a dentist.
Griefs fatten and grow big on a
diet of words.

The Gentleman's Coat.

"If clothes make the man," the Frock
Coat makes the gentleman. Here in Can-
ada, where the customs of Old England
prevail, this coat is imperative for correct
dress.



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BRAND**

Frock Coats are made by artists for gentle-
men. Every fable of fashion—every new
idea of fine tailoring—is embodied in these
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Sold only by Leading Clothiers
Throughout Canada.

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We will sell at your own offer the follow-
ing goods:—

5000 lbs. Nails, all sizes.
\$1,000 worth of damaged Binder Twine.
2 Gasoline Engines.

Wagons, Stoves and other articles will
all be sold for what we can get for them
within one week of this date.

Call and get Bargains.

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Sam's army to sell full line of articles of
Cooper, Draper & Co., London.

WANTED—A good servant girl,
family of three. Apply to Mrs. S.
F. Gardiner, William street.

WANTED—Dining room girls, must
be first-class waitresses. Good
wages. Railway fare paid. Apply
Walker House, Toronto.

WANTED—Men wanted to learn
barber trade; only eight weeks re-
quired by our system of constant
practice; tools furnished; diploma
given. Full tuition 60c. Call on
write. Detroit Barber College, 227
Jefferson avenue, Detroit, Mich.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—By a
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in the 12th con. Dover. One accus-
tomed to farm life preferred. Ad-
dress Housekeeper, care of Chas.
Jackson, postmaster, Baldon P. O.,
or call at The Planet office, Chatham,
on Saturday, July 2nd, about
three o'clock.

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FENCE FOR SALE—In good state of
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Scollard, Victoria Avenue.

FOR SALE—Hubber tired buggy,
square box, and as good as new.
Apply to W. S. Richards, Chatham,
King Street.

TO RENT—Furnished cottage, with
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R. Catheart at Geo. Stephens &
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TO RENT—Round Barn furnished cot-
tage, by the month or season. In-
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TO RENT—Desirable two story frame
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with modern conveniences, to suit
Splendid fruit garden. Apply to
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Dover, with good frame house,
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SALE—On Poplar and Baldon Sts.,
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P. O.

FARM FOR SALE—NORTH east half
of lot 16, Front concession, Town-
ship of Hawkeby, 133 acres. All
cleared, clay loam, two good stone
fence houses. Large frame shed
and cattle shed; stable and drive;
barn combined; granary and
poultry house. Building all in
good repair; about five acres of
orchard; artesian well, windmill
and pump; three other wells.
Price \$8,000.00. Apply on the pre-
mises to Mrs. John F. Wainthorpe
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Furnished cottage at Erie Beach in
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gain call upon Smith & Smith, Real
Estate Agents. They also have a
good house and lot on Murray Street
for \$500. Also two houses on Gray
Street, \$800 each. Terms easy.

SMITH & SMITH,
Real Estate Agents.

STRAYED—Thursday, 16th, from
Morreth, believed to be near Chatham,
a sorrel mare, white star
in face. Finder will be suitably re-
warded by communicating with
John Ferris, River Road, Hawkeby.

**High Grade Wheeler and
Wilson Sewing Machines**

Madame West wishes to inform the public
that she is the agent for this well known
machine for the County of Kent. It is one-third
easier, one-third faster, in fact the only machine
that does not fail in any part. Anyone wishing
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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, June 24.—11 a. m.—Fresh easterly and southwesterly winds, fair, a few local thunderstorms at night. Saturday, fresh southwesterly winds, fair and warmer, with a few scattered thunderstorms.

Detroit, June 24.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday:

Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy Friday, probably showers in northwest portions, cooler in west portions; Saturday, showers and cooler; fresh to brisk south winds, shifting to northwest Saturday.

Upper Michigan—Showers Friday, cooler in northwest portion; Saturday showers, cooler in east portion; fresh to brisk south winds, shifting to northwest.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

6 hours in Detroit, July 1st.

Lawn mowers sharpened, Brisco's.

6 hours in Detroit, July 1st.

Brisco's bicycle repairs and livery.

Mac-ca-bee line for Detroit, June 28th.

Mrs. Joe. Tilt is spending the day in Detroit.

Wm. Dummer, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

A. K. Mead, of Detroit, is spending a couple of days in town.

Mrs. Frank Phelps has returned from visiting friends in St. Thomas.

\$45.00 new Antelope bicycles for \$18.85, Brisco's.

Wait and go with the Macca-bee to Detroit, June 28.

D. A. Hickey, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

Chas. R. Atkinson, Jr., of New Ontario, is visiting in the city.

Wm. Cameron, of Blenheim, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

D. J. Thompson, of Dutton, is spending the day with his Chatham friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hay, of Montana, were registered at the C. P. R. Hotel yesterday.

Mrs. Hugh McKerrall, of Detroit, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jos. Tilt, Wellington street.

Miss Florence Stephenson returned this afternoon from a couple of days visit with friends in Detroit.

The civic pay sheets for the past week were as follows—Board of Works, \$173.20; Local Improvements, \$225.18.

R. A. Harrington leaves to-day for Kincardine, where a big celebration will be held by the Independent Foresters to-morrow.

Roy Benson, son of School Trustee W. H. Benson, spoke at the William street Baptist church revival services last evening.

Alva J., the only son of Jay W. Carpenter, formerly of this city, died at his home in London on the 22nd. The remains will be brought to this city and the funeral will take place from the C. P. R. station Saturday afternoon at 1.05 to the Maple Leaf cemetery. Deceased formerly lived on Elizabeth street and is an old McKeough school boy. His parents left Chatham about four years ago.

6 hours in Detroit, July 1st.

FOUND GUILTY

The Waterworths Fined \$300 With a Week in Jail Each.

The Waterworths were found guilty by Judge Dowlin to-day at the County Court, on two charges of conspiracy to defraud, under section 394 of the Criminal Code and they come up at three o'clock for sentence.

The prisoners found guilty were James C. Waterworth, Percy Waterworth and Geo. Waterworth. J. C. Waterworth was acquitted on the false pretense charge.

Yesterday afternoon the three prisoners went into the box and gave a general denial of all which it was

SYRINGES

We are showing in our King St. Window a new stock of Rubber Goods and want to call attention to a special value in Fountain Syringes and Hot Water Bottles.

FOUNTAIN SYRINGE, 85c.

SYRINGE & HOT WATER BOTTLE, combined, \$1.25.

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PEACE'S

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claimed they had said, on the indictment and by the witnesses for the prosecution.

This morning the argument was taken up and the three prisoners were found guilty of conspiracy to defraud on two charges.

This is by far the most important case that has been tried in this county for some time and will serve as a strong example to all agents who do business with the farmers and a warning to them that their dealings will have to be honest and fair or they will be liable to the same treatment as that received by the Waterworths.

The case has caused considerable interest through the county. Crown Attorney H. D. Smith, has worked hard on it, as a conviction in this case will save the farmers from future fakirs. Mr. Smith deserves great credit for the manner in which he has handled the case.

The Waterworths were sentenced by Judge Dowlin this afternoon and were fined \$300 (\$100 each) with a week in jail each. In default of payment of the fine they will be given three months in jail each.

6 hours in Detroit, July 1st.

Decow's orchestra will furnish music on Macca-bee Excursion to Detroit, June 28th.

Fashionable women require ambition, the others just get fat.

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CHINA,
CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE,
DINNER,
TEA, TOILET and
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LAMPS of all kinds.

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At 35c a yd.

36 inch, pure linen suiting, light weight, watered effect, extra fine weave, in solid colors. Cade Blue and Linen. This cloth makes up very stylish in Ladies Shirtwaist Suits and fancy waists. Reg. 50c value, Red Tag Price 35c.

At 25c a yd.

Fancy Tweed effect, linen suiting, Blue and White, Red and Linen Mixtures, open mesh weave, correct for street costumes, fast colors. Reg. 35c value, Red Tag Price 25c a yd.

20c. a yd.

Linen Suiting, pure flax, fast colors, in navy and white, linen and white, light blue and white mixtures, summer weight, also red and white, open weave, reg. 25c and 30c value, Red Tag Price, 20c

At 30c. a Yd.

Choice quality Linen Suiting, medium weight, for suits, separate skirts or waists, light blue green, lin n and white mixtures, fast colors, reg. 40c. value, Red Tag Price, 30c

At 16c Yd.—Knicker Suiting, linen effect, heavy quality, in light green, blue, fawn and white mixtures, reg. 25c value, Red Tag Price, 16c

Plain Suitings

36 in. Plain Crash Suiting, pure linen, reg. 25c value, Red Tag Price 18c 34 in. extra pure Linen Crash Suiting, watered effect, reg. 35c value, Red Tag Price, 28c yd.

36 in. Pure Bleached Irish Linen Suiting, medium weight, fine weave, special finish, reg. 60c. value, Red Tag Price, 50c yd

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42 inch Black Lustre, Red Tag Sale Price, 18c

44 " " " " " " " " 20c

40 inch Colored Lustre in Fawn, Garnet, Light Blue, Pink, Old Rose and Navy Blue, Red Tag Price, 25c per yd.

42 and 44 inch Black Lustre, Red Tag Sale, 33c

44 inch Black Lustre, Red Tag Price, 65c

44 " " " " " " " " 75c

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98c—Shirtwaists of Fine Lawn, trimmed, with insertion and hemstitched tucks, forming pointed yoke front and back 98c

\$1.48—Of fine Lawn and Sheer Muslin, with fronts of all-over embroidery or trimmed with cluny or embroidery insertion with tucks and pleats. \$2.00

\$2.00—Of Fine Linen with embroidered fronts, back and sleeves tucked. \$2.00

\$2.00—Of fine White Lawn with fine tucked, yoke trimmed below yoke and down back and sleeves with muslin insertion. \$2.00

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These Sideboards are from our regular stock. All are of the best construction and finish, and are splendid values. Note the prices.

Genuine Quarter Cut Golden Oak Sideboard, hand carved and highly polished, 24x50 inch top, height 6 ft. 3 inches, shaped British Beveled Mirror 18x36 inches, one drawer lined. Regular price \$34.00, Sale Price \$27.00.

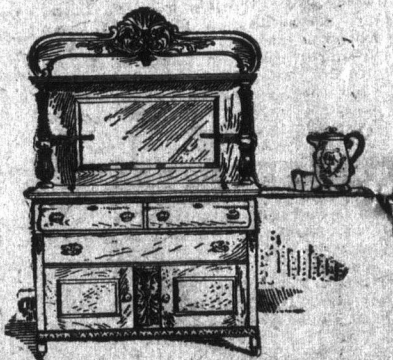
Solid Oak, golden finish Sideboard, Elder Extension Top—(See Cut)—top 21x44 and 6 ft. 2 inches high, bevelled mirror 15x26 inches, 3 drawers, Very Special Value at \$20.00.

Sideboard, hardwood, golden finish 2 drawers and 2 cubboards under

Reduced to \$9.50.

Have you seen the special values in Go-Carts at \$1.25, \$2.70, \$3.15 and up to \$4.75.

THEY ARE MONEY SAVERS.



Ladies' Neckwear Our Neckwear Trade has been the best of any season yet, and to make it still better we are bound to clear the balance out before Saturday Night. PRICES:—

At 15c—Ladies white collar and cuff sets, nicely hemstitched, regular 25c value, Saturday 15c.

At 30c—Ladies Silk Neckwear in all the new designs, plain colors, Oriental, Blue, etc., regular price 50c, Red Tag price 30c.

At 35c—Ladies Wash Stocks in all the new styles for summer wear, all colorings, regular 50c neckwear, Red Tag Sale 35c.

At 35c—Ladies collar and cuff sets in oriental design and in plain linen, all nicely finished, regular price 50c, Red Tag Sale 35c.

At 50c—Ladies Silk Neck wear, very pretty colorings and designs, regular 75c line, Red Tag price 50c.

At 60c—Ladies New York Buster Brown Tie, a very pretty shape and entirely new, regular price 75c, Red Tag price 60c.

Ladies Belts

At 20c—Ladies Crush Leather Belts, 2 in. wide, with harness buckle, regular 25c belts, Red Tag price 20c.

At 10c—Ladies Girdles, made of twisted wire and elastic, regular 25c value, Red Tag price 10c.

At 50c—Ladies pleated leather and elastic Belts, regular 75c value, Red Tag price 50c.

At 75c—Ladies silk Belts with coin and chain trimming, very special, regular price 90c and \$1.25, Red Tag price 75c.

Red Tag Sale Specials in Our Clothing Dept. on Saturday

Men run no risk on these \$9.99 HIGH CLASS MEN'S SUITS. Safe economy is too rigid a test to apply to most suit sales. Garments, notably the lower priced sorts, are merely thrown together to sell at prices to make loud advertising. And the natural result is a speedy extinction—a "Petering Out" of those shoddy unsubstantial sales. You can begin with the \$5 suit, the \$1 trouser, the \$2.48 Boys Suit, in the Austin Red Tag Sale, and you can be as certain of getting as good value for your money proportionately, at the lowest price as at the topmost figures. SEE EAST SHOW WINDOW SATURDAY.

BOYS' \$3 and \$3.50 2 Po. Suits, Red Tag Sale Price, \$2.48. Norfolk, Midd, Russian and Novelty Styles for ages 3 to 13 years, a big variety to choose from. On display in East Show Window Saturday. \$3 and \$3.50 Suits at \$2.48.

BOYS' \$5.00 3-Po. SUITS, Red Tag Sale Price, \$3.95. In the new army cut coat, high cut vest, nobby chalk lines, new pattern tweeds, serges, etc. This seasons most popular garments, well lined and made, every garment worth \$5 a suit, Red Tag Sale Price \$3.95

HIGH GRADE IMPORTED OASHMERE SOX SALE—25c, 35c, and 50c. Sox, Saturday 5 Pairs for \$1.00. The lot consists of Manufacturer's No. 1 Seconds—Men's Fine Cashmere and Natural Wool Sox. Not a sox worth less than 25c and 50c a pair.

MEN'S PEARL FEDORAS FINE FUR HATS—Sold by hatters up to \$2.50, Saturday Red Tag Sale Price, \$1.48. Extra value.



C. AUSTIN & COMPANY

The Freshness OF OUR Biscuits

You can depend on.

We not only get them very often, but we also get them in tins, so you are sure of getting them at their best. Many different kinds, different prices, but all good.

- MIXED BISCUITS, 20c a lb.
- MIXED BISCUITS, 15c a lb.
- MIXED BISCUITS, 2 lbs. for 25c
- MIXED BISCUITS, 10c a lb.
- PLAIN BISCUITS, 15c a lb.

H. Malcolmson

IT IS SURPRISING

what a large amount of goods we can supply in the erection of a house. We can supply your nails, locks, hinges, door hangers, well, every kind of builders hardware. Then we come to glass, putty, paints, oils, varnishes and brushes. You will also need an eavetrough put on and some plumbing done and probably a furnace put in. We can supply them all.

We shall be glad to talk the matter over with you.

J. C. Wanless,

4 Doors East of
Market, King St.

Canned Goods

Make light work in hot weather

- We have them all—
- Gallon Apples, 25c.
 - Finest Peaches, 25c.
 - Delicious Pineapples, 25c.
 - Blue Berries, 10c.
 - Peas and Beans, 10c.
 - Corn and Tomatoes, 10c.
 - Pumpkin and Squash, 10c.
 - Maple Leaf Salmon, 15c.
 - Swan Brand Salmon, 12c.
 - Corned Beef, 15 and 25c.
 - Large Tin Sardines, 5c.
 - Fresh Mackerel, 10c.
 - Finnan Haddie, 10c.
 - Lobster, 20c.

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If you want to know more of the facts of Clear Brain, Firm Muscle, Easy Digestion, Deep Breathing, Clear Skin, Self-Knowledge, a Freedom from Sickness, Call or write
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King St. 2 Doors East of Collart & Wilson

The Straw Hat Season

is short-lived in the best of years, and our advice is to get right into yours and get the most there is in it—comfort for you.

We Need Hardly Tell You

that we've nothing to show but the newest blocks—any man can buy to his taste between \$1.00 and \$5. Popular Prices in Sennit and Split Braids—popular straws—\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

The 2 T's, TRUDELL & TOBEY,

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED.

CARPENTER—At London, June 22nd, 1904, Alva Jay, only son of Jay and Carrie Carpenter, aged 15 years and 5 months.

Funeral from the C. P. R. Station, Chatham, at 1:05 p. m., Saturday, 25th inst., to Maple Leaf Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

TO-NIGHT.

Football Moonlight Excursion, St. City of Chatham, at 8.

The 24th Regiment will parade at drill shed at 7.30.

K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, 1 O. O. F. Temple, at 8.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will meet in the S. S. Hall at 8.

McMaster University students, at William St. Baptist Church, at 8.

Young People's Society, lecture hall of William St. Baptist Church at 8.

Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., will meet in their hall opposite the Hotel Rankin.

Regular meeting Parthenon Lodge, No. 267, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C. Masonic Temple, at 7.30.

The Maccabees will give you six hours in Detroit, June 28.

Wait and go to Detroit, July 1st, with Victoria Ave. League.

Mrs. T. Beverley Smith and children returned from Toronto last night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Saint, of Wallaceburg, were Chatham guests yesterday.

Mrs. John Turner and daughters, Elsie and Mildred, return to-night from Toronto.

Straw hat time.—We received yesterday our third shipment of hats for summer wear.—The Two T's.

Howard and Lenore Stevens are entertaining a number of their young friends this evening.

Your choice of 200 colored shirts, cuffs detached, fifty cents each to clear, at Stone, the Hatter's.

If the boy who found the gold watch and chain on the Rankin Dock will leave them at this office he will be suitably rewarded.

A great chance to buy some goods cheap on Saturday and following June days at Gray's China Hall. \$3.00 dinner sets, \$5.75; \$15 dinner sets, for \$12.50; \$12.50 sets, for \$10.

Thirty-five new 1904 Antelope bicycles, Dunlop tires and strictly high grade, regular price forty-five dollars, selling fast at only eighteen dollars and eighty-five cents at Brisco's.

Attend the sale at Gray's China Hall on Saturday and for balance of June. Clearing sale of dinner sets and toilet sets, at 10 to 20 per cent. discount.

ST. LOUIS FAIR IS ON FIRE

(Via Proctor's wire.)

The Hoo Hoo building at the World's Fair is in flames, the fire is spreading to the neighboring buildings.

6 hours in Detroit, July 1st.

DR. A. A. HICKS, DENTIST.

Office: 26 King St. East, over Turner's Drug Store. Phone 357

WORLD OF SPORT

LACROSSE

THE TEAM AT WORK.

Capt. Chaplin had his lacrosse players out on the new lacrosse oval at the exhibition grounds and the boys put in a good practice last evening. This was the best work-out that the players have had this season and the boys are beginning to show form. Old horse Elliott will be one of the best defense men in Canada before the season is over. A lacrosse enthusiast who knows, furnished that piece of information. Walter's admirers should cut this out, paste it in their hats and see it come true. As an evidence of the enthusiasm shown in the game several persons walked out after supper to see the boys work-out on their own grounds and all were well pleased with the form shown. After practice, all had a stiff run to the Park House where trainer Chas. Lynn put them down the line.

Manager Babcock has received a request from the Buffalo Courier for a photograph of the lacrosse team for that paper. The Maple City club plays in Buffalo at an early date.

FOOTBALL

HAVE WON THE CUP!

The junior football team—the C. C. I's—went to Windsor yesterday and brought back with them the Fleming trophy. They won it from the Windsor juniors, whom they defeated here by a score of 5-0. Yesterday's score was 3-0.

The game yesterday undoubtedly belonged to the Chatham players. Butler, the field captain of the Windsor team, said afterwards: "It was the fastest game of football I have seen in Windsor for years, seniors not excepted."

Wm. McDonald refereed the game and gave complete satisfaction. C. B. Sissons field captained the Chatham boys and Joe Butler captained the Windsor boys.

Mr. Sissons certainly deserves great credit for the way he has trained his boys. This is the first time the cup has ever been held by a team in this district, and it has been owing only to Mr. Sissons' continual coaching of his team that they were able to win out.

The following was the Chatham line-up:

Goal—Campbell.
Backs—Williston, McQuarrie.
Half backs—Coulter, Parrott (captain), Law.
Forwards—Oliver, Martin, Dennis, Humphrey, Brady.

NOTES OF THE GAME!
Hurrah for the Juniors!

They are all C. C. I. boys with the exception of Brady.

Oliver scored the three goals. His work was effective.

Campbell didn't have much to do in goal but he was always there.

Brady's rushes up the outside left were a feature of the game.

The C. C. I. players are a steady lot of players. The lack of scoring on the Windsor side showed the steady work of the defense.

Coulter's head and feet were always in the way. He is a good man.

Parrott, the captain did hard and effective work at centre half.

Law never played in a match before but he will again. He held his man well.

Will Collart was there to cheer the boys on to victory. He acted as goal referee and held the lemons.

Chatham has Windsor distanced on pretty combination work.

The record of the C. C. I. team this year in this schedule is three wins and one draw, with one goal against them and ten to their credit. Campbell would have stopped the one, too, had not the ball been wet and slipped through. This is a record to be proud of.

THE GORDON STORE

AN ASSURED FACT.

"You can fool some people some time, but you can't fool all the people all the time." Our customers tell us "We have been all over town but your bargains are the best yet." Facts are stubborn things. Read a few below.

Crum's Prints

54 pieces of the Celebrated Crum's English Prints, dark and light colors—wrapper and waist patterns, beautiful new goods, perfect, sold everywhere at 12½c yd, for 8c

New York Suitings

Just received New York's Latest White Goods for Shirtwaist Suits, a splendid special in Fancy Canvas Suitings, at per 20c yard,

Wool Summer Suitings

In Voiles, Etamines, Lustres, Nun's Veiling and Vestings, wide double fold goods, Cream, Blue, Green, Black, Brown, 39c at per yd,

Variegated Voile Suitings

The latest New York Novelties for Ladies Shirtwaist Suits, warranted washable Voiles, in dark and medium colorings, fit for 12½c a Sunday dress, at per yard,

Lace for Trimmings

Thousands of yards of Fine Lace—Black, White, Grey, Fawn, Cream, from ½ to 4 in. wide, value up to 25c. on the Bargain 5c Table, everything goes at per yd,

Midsummer Millinery

Children's Hats, clearing sale at \$1.00 up. Ladies' Midsummer Pokes, beauties, for \$3. Black Chiffon Hats, nothing prettier. The favorite Shepherd Hats for women, at \$3.

Hearing and Reading is one thing, but seeing and buying is a sure thing.

WILLIAM GORDON

New 1904 Model, High Grade Antelope Bicycles

\$18.85

Regular price \$45.00, strictly High Grade, Dunlop tires, choice of saddles, gears, pedals, etc., only thirty-five will be sold at this price. Biggest snap ever known.

BRISCO'S' OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

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DENTIST,
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Drug Store, Cor. King and Fifth Sts.
Telephone,
Office 164, Residence 285.

ADVICE FOR HOT WEATHER

The dog days will soon be with us, and that is the time to use electric fans in your home or office. The Chatham Gas Company will soon start their summer power service for electric fans. You can choose from a large consignment of latest style fan motors which the Gas Company have now on hand. Call up 81 on phone, and your requirements will have prompt attention.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker North

Wood Block, Chatham, June 24, 1904—

Wheat	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July (new...)	84½	85½	84½	85½
Sept ... (new 80)	80½	80½	79½	79½
Dec.....	80½	80½	80	80½

Corn	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July.....	48½	48½	48	48½
Sept.....	48½	48½	48½	48½
Dec.....	44½	44½	44	44½

Oats	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July.....	39½	39½	38½	38½
Sept.....	32	32	31½	32½
Dec.....	32½	32½	32½	32½

Pork	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July.....	1300	1310	1297	1310
Sept.....	1300	1300	1327	1340

Lard	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July.....	705	707	705	707
Sept.....	725	727	722	727

Ribs	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July.....	752	752	752	752
Sept.....	775	782	772	782

A PRESENT FOR THE OLD FOLKS.

FOR THE STOMACH'S SAKE.

An eminent physician says, "human life should last five times the years it takes to mature"—thus if twenty-one is maturity we should live over a hundred years, but there are not many reach the century mark. A great deal more longevity would exist if the stomach did not get crippled and played out. That organ gets plenty of abuse, and is deserving of attention. It is the starting point of most ailments, and it needs the first attention when symptoms of sickness appear. If an elderly stomach can be kept working right, you may be sure of a ripe and contented old age, comparatively free from physical burdens. The great new discovery, ANTI-PILL, the Great System Treatment, has a grand effect in helping old and deranged stomachs. Any aged person who will address a Postal to Wilson-Fyle Co., Niagara Falls, Ont., will get a free trial bottle by return mail.

He who is always borrowing trouble has no storage room for happiness when it does come.

The devoted wife will suffer hardships without seeming to realize their extent.

CANADIAN HOLIDAY EXCURSION

Via Pere Marquette

For Dominion Day, Friday, July 1, ticket agents of the Pere Marquette (Buffalo Division lines and London & Port Stanley Railway) will sell tickets to all points on the Pere Marquette in Canada, and to all points on connecting lines at a rate of ONE FARE for the ROUND TRIP. Ask agents for particulars. Tickets on sale June 30 and July 1, good to return up to and including July 4. H. F. MOELLER, G. P. A.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received up till noon the 29th instant for the various trades required in the erection of a Bank Building in the town of Blenheim, Ont., for the Canadian Bank of Commerce. Plans and specifications may be seen at the offices of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Blenheim and Chatham, also at the office of Darling & Pearson, architects, Toronto.

The lowest tender or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HOME-MADE BREAD.

Do you know that you can get delicious PIES and HOME-MADE BREAD at E. COOKE'S HOME BAKERY and AMERICAN RESTAURANT, on FIFTH ST., (successor to Mrs. Wyld).

LEMON PIES and HOME-MADE BREAD a specialty.

Quick order! Restaurant, clean and up-to-date, in connection. European plan. Real Home Cooking.

HOME BAKERY,

Fifth St., Chatham.

The uses of adversity are something most people have no use for.

Even close friends should accommodate each other with a loan.

Meynell's Great Clothing Sale....

will commence

**SATURDAY,
June 25th**

Look out for great bargains in

**Clothing and
Furnishings**

MEYNELL?

King St.,

CHATHAM.

3 Doors West of Market

You'll Have to Hurry!

If you get this Two-Story House on Lacroix St., at the price we now offer it for. The house has parlor, dining-room, kitchen, pantry and four bedrooms, and is in first-class location.

DUNN & MERRITT,

Fifth St., Phone 205.

Fire Insurance

Great Bargains IN

Whitewear

Ladies Skirts trimmed with Lace and Tucks, also embroidery and tuckings, made in the latest styles of good Lonsdale Cottons, regular values 1.25 and 1.35, sale price 98c.

Ladies Night Gowns of fine Lonsdale Cotton in Empress styles and also embroidery and lace insertions, finely finished, regular 1.25 and 1.35, sale price 98c.

All other lines greatly reduced.

The largest and best assorted stock of Fancy and Lace Hose in Chatham.

Thibodeau & Jacques

Noticeable Features

Character is what you want in your new Suit, features that can't help being noticed, and say that an expert tailor made your clothes.

Gentlemen fully appreciate the noticeable style touches a **Master Tailor** can put on a suit.

Prices Moderate

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FRIDAY, JUNE 24.

AND HE GOT HUTTON.

From a far-off lead, says the Toronto News, has floated into Canada the story of General Gascoigne's farewell interview with Sir Frederick Borden. The General was leaving and he made his parting call upon the Minister. The conversation was amicable. Finally General Gascoigne positively proffered his services to aid Sir Frederick to procure a successor to himself. Sir Frederick was delighted.

"I presume that you wish to get a fairly senior man?" General Gascoigne continued.

"Of course," said the Minister.

"Must at least have commanded a battalion?"

"Oh, yes."

"And he must have had staff experience?"

"Yes, Sir Frederick thought that would be essential."

"Must also be a man of energy and executive ability?" the General went on.

"Undoubtedly."

"And have tact and discretion in dealing with men?"

"Oh, assuredly."

"And he must be able to get on with you, Sir Frederick?"

"Yes—yes, sir, certainly."

"I know your man," exclaimed General Gascoigne earnestly. "I know the very man you need. It's the angel Gabriel. I hope you get him."

LORD DUNDONALD.

The most deplorable result of the partisan mediocrity of Hon. Sydney Fisher in military affairs will likely be the loss to Canada of the services of one of the most capable commanding officers in the Imperial army. It would be idle to contend that Lord Dundonald has allowed political interests to influence his conduct since he assumed command of the Canadian Militia. He is too big a man and devoted too sincerely to the promotion of the interests of our citizen soldiery to concern himself about the petty squabbles and jealousies of political wire pullers. Because of his reputation, gloriously won on the field of battle, his manly but modest bearing, his thorough appreciation of the requirements of the service and his determination to make of our colonial army a more effective fighting machine, Lord Dundonald has won the esteem of the people of Canada.

The interference of Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, in military affairs sounds like a joke. The weakest sister in a Cabinet of weaklings, he has more than he can do to attend to the business of his own department. That such a man should be allowed to stick his nose into military affairs and cancel an appointment made by Lord Dundonald, because the gentleman appointed was a Conservative, is absolutely intolerable. The Toronto Evening News, commenting on the situation, says:

"Lord Dundonald has the Government in an awkward position in the present squabble. Talk of his impropriety cannot obliterate the fact that Mr. Fisher, who is not concerned with the militia, refused to allow a highly respected man to be an officer simply because he was a Conservative. It is idle to set up the plea that Dr. Pickell is not qualified. Lord Dundonald's opinion on so purely a military matter is worth far more than that of the Minister to whom it is understood Dr. Pickell, long has been personally obnoxious. Every officer in a rural regiment in Canada knows how eagerly the services of leading men in the country are accepted. The organization of a new corps was hampered to suit Mr. Fisher's political prejudices. The exposure is awkward for the Government."

THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION.

The quadrennial battle for political supremacy in the United States begins to-day and will end in triumph for one or the other of the great parties on the first Monday in November next. The Republican party meets in national convention to-day in Chicago, and the Democrats will hold their national convention early in July in the city of St. Louis. The tariff will be the main question on which both parties will appeal to the country, the money question being settled with the defeat of Bryan four years ago. President Roosevelt will be nominated by acclamation, there being no opposition to him in the Republican party. While the president may not be the unanimous choice of the would-be political lead-

ers, the great backing of the party, the men who have no axes to grind but are devoted to Republican principles, long ago served notice that "Teddy" must be his own successor. Since 1861 the Republican party has had control almost continuously, the exception being eight years of President Cleveland's administration. The Republican party began its existence with the protective policy, when Senator Morrill, of Maine, introduced his tariff bill in 1861. By closely following in the line of protection the Americans have become the greatest manufacturing nation in the world, and grown from a population of 25,000,000 in substantially free trade days till it now has a population of 70,000,000. By its protection of American labor workmen have enjoyed high wages and unlimited prosperity. Now and then in the history of the past 44 years there have been depressions in business, but they can be laid mainly to the charge of over speculation rather than to over production. Because it has stood loyally to the protective principle the Republican party has been kept almost continuously in power. The Wilson tariff in President Cleveland's administration was a warning to labor what might be expected if the Democratic party came into power. That there will be no tampering with the tariff in the Chicago convention is settled, nor will that twin fallacy of free trade, reciprocity, have even a corporal's guard to endorse it. So long as the Republican party maintains its high standards in tariff and finance will it deserve and win the confidence of the intelligent men who are the mainstay of the country. That President Roosevelt will be his own successor as head of the great American Government for the next four years is substantially admitted by many of the leaders of the Democratic party.—Hamilton Spectator.

A LITTLE SHY.

Somerville Journal.

Of course there are fewer marriages than usual this year. The girls don't want everybody to think that they did the proposing.

DOC BORDEN MUST GO.

Williston's Paper.

Sir Frederick Borden has made a bad start with his defense. To say that Lord Dundonald's statement is "beneath contempt" is inept as well as abusive. He must clear himself of the charge of untruthfulness or retire from public life.

COME ON, DOC.

Montreal Gazette.

Lord Dundonald is still honorary colonel of the newly formed Ninety-first Highlanders of Hamilton, and as such is expected to shortly present the regiment with its new colors. If Dr. Borden desires to find out how the people of Canada feel he might arrange to be present.

MORE EVIDENCE FROM MONTREAL

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Always Cure Dropsy.

It is a Kidney Disease and is Cured by Curing the Kidneys—Dodd's Kidney Pills Never Fail to Cure the Kidneys.

Montreal, Que., June 20.—(Special)—That Dropsy is caused by diseased kidneys and that the one sure way to cure it is to make the kidneys strong and healthy by using Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Geo. Robertson, 392 St. James street, this city, is one of those who has proved this beyond doubt says:

"My feet were so much swollen from Dropsy that when I got out of bed in the mornings I could hardly put them on the floor. My arms could not put on my coat."

"I had to be tapped to relieve me of the terrible pains."

"On the advice of a friend I began to take Dodd's Kidney Pills, and before I had used the second box I began to feel better. Seven boxes cured me completely."

Rheumatism, Diabetes, Bright's Disease, are some of the many forms of Kidney Disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to cure promptly and permanently.

The platform adopted by the U. S. Republican convention at Chicago contains a harmless clause regarding reciprocity.

CONSUMPTION BEGINS WITH A COUGH.

The cough rakes and tears the tender tissues of the throat. Inflammation supervenes and then serious ed. The important time is at the beginning. Stay the progress of the tuberculosis, which reaches every part of the bronchial tubes, throat and lungs. Catarrh destroys disease germs, stops the cough, heals sore spots, clears the nose and throat, never irritates. Guaranteed for every form of catarrh. For lasting cure use Catarrhose. For lasting cure treatment \$1.00; trial size 25c.

Contentment is a condition with in the reach of the most humble.

SACHEL OF THE SATELLITE

Keep your eye on the Tecumsehs. I am perfectly satisfied with this June weather and I hope that the man who makes it can't change it.

The Rev. Archibald McCoig delivered an address at the strawberry festival at No. 1, Harwich, last evening.

There must be an election on. The government are sending their officials to look at Public Works required by the county. We'll get the election for the sure, but, well that's all.

"MILLIONS IN IT." Fortune-tellers in Chicago reap \$1,000,000 a year from gullibles in Chicago.—Detroit News.

FOOLISHNESS. Foodiest thing I ever see, At home or anywhere— A rascal standin' on one leg When her come a pair. —Joe Come in New York Sun.

BIBLICAL. "Yes, sir," said Rev. Dr. Pounder, "the bible can be read through in less than two months, easily."

"But it takes some people a lifetime to do it," said Deacon Peas, sadly. —Detroit News.

LOVELY! To think I wrote them makes me blush. But men are foolish when they woo. And I was usually, that is true. "Oo's little girlie is so!" It's these I know, in black and white.

I saw that query looking through The letters that I used to write. —Chicago News.

HERE'S A CURDLER! Here is a Woo-Sung milk "ad" from the Shanghai Times—"We open at Woo-Sung in the south of the telegraph company for sale the foreign milk, the taste are sweet, the milk pure and the price are just. We haven't put any water in it, if you want to buy a single can, the foreign cows chop Gen. Sung Kee." Wouldn't that curdle you?

A NOTED HORSEMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

Mr. Antoine Wendling, owner of the Clifton House, Brockville, says no general use around the stable. For pains, and especially for affections of the whirl bone, Wendling's is unequalled. It is indispensable as a horse liniment; it has strength, penetrating power and works thoroughly. Every horse and stock owner should use Wendling's. Sold in large 25c. bottles.

Local Briefs

Wait and go with the Macabees to Detroit, June 28.

Good boy wanted to carry papers. One living on Park St. East preferred. Apply at this office.

M. Wilson, K. C., was yesterday at London, chosen as delegate to the general and provincial Anglican Synods.

Decora's orchestra will furnish music on Macabees Excursion to Detroit, June 28th.

Mr. Jacob Sparks, Sandys street, is renovating his residence, and when finished will be the finest on the street.

The Str. City of Chatham will not make the usual one way trip on Thursday, June 30th, or Friday, July 1st.

Ms. Barlett, of Lorne avenue, is visiting her granddaughter, Miss E. Cassidy, Sandys Nole Cottage, Sandys street, Dover Township.

Phone us for screen doors and screen windows; we will fit them just in; see our baby ones with gauze covers. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson, Loui Kenyon and Miss Nola Johnson have returned to their home in London, after attending the wedding of Mr. J. Johnson, brother of P. P. Johnson.

15 Dinner sets, new goods, pretty decorations, heavy gold-trimmed, green and blue, regular \$15.00 for \$12.50, Gray's China Hall.

For Dominion Day, W. E. Rispien, City Agent of Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways, will issue tickets to all points in Canada at single fare; tickets good going June 30th and July 1st, and good returning up to and including Monday July 4th.

When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Ave. Green House. Phone 181.

The following appeared in the San Francisco Examiner of June 17.—Dagmeau, in this city, June 15, Anrize Adel, beloved daughter of Hilare and Josephine Dagmeau, a native of Michigan, aged 7 years and 6 days, was specifically invited to attend the funeral to-day (Friday) at 1.30 o'clock p.m., from the house of her parents, 1622 Mission Street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth. Interment, Holy Cross Cemetery by carriage.

Many a fellow sidesteps a banana skin only to be tripped up on a lie.

Audiences that applaud an actor not tell and then swear at themselves afterwards.

Exceptional Buying Opportunities

Bring many lines of goods to our counter at less than the cost of production. We turn the enormous buying powers of this SEVEN STORE ORGANIZATION to the BENEFIT OF OUR CUSTOMERS at every opportunity. We are often accused of selling goods at a loss when it's only a case of good buying. Than Regular cost of production. Here are but a few of them. Come to the store and you will find hundreds of others equally as good.

LADIES' TAILOR MADE SUITS AT \$4.95—

Saturday we will sell 14 only ladies' homespun tweed, cheviot and covert cloth suits, all sample suits, made for this spring's trade, black and colors, regular \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00 suits, come Saturday and have your pick at

\$1.25 AND \$1.50 BLACK UNDER-SKIRTS AT 98c.—

Nine dozen ladies' black satana underskirts, rich, silky quality, made with deep flounce, ruffled, knife pleated, tucks, hemstitchings, etc., cut full width, assorted lengths, regular \$1.25 to \$1.50 each, Saturday price 98c.

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Beautiful trimmed hats, in latest styles, clearing Saturday at each 98c, \$1.35, \$1.89, \$2.45, \$2.89, \$3.65 and

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EXAMINED BY THE ENGINEER

Government Official Visits and Inspects the Faulty River Embankments

Party Visit Scene in Scane's Launch Yesterday—The Engineer's Opinion

The embankment—or, as the farmers call it, the dump—along the river from near Jeannette's Creek to the Tibbury-Raleigh townline, was erected the year after the Dauphin Drainage Scheme was completed. Deben-tures were issued for the work and they are not yet paid, but unfortunately, the embankment has started to wash away and, in some places, is nearly washed through. The residents along this section of the country have observed this with alarm and they have repeatedly appealed the Government for assistance in repairing the water guard. Reeve Clayton, of Raleigh; Reeve Campbell, of Tibbury East; County Commissioner James Chinnick and James Ross interviewed the Government some months ago. Yesterday Government Engineer Sing arrived in the city and went down to inspect the work. In the party were Geo. Stephens, M. P., Capt. Fred Stone, Will Hadley, Walter Scane, James Trotter and Engineer Sing.

The party left Chatham shortly after eleven o'clock and had a pleasant run down, luncheon being enjoyed en route. The places where the artificial bank had been washed out were inspected. Mr. Sing pointed out that where the willows had been planted the bank was protected and had not been affected by the water. This was also true of the bank all along the river. The best manner in which this embankment can be permanently fixed would be to sink stone masonry to protect the embankment from the waves and then

build up the embankment to its original form. When the present embankment was made the earth was taken from the river near the shore line. The result was that the earth just slipped back into the river again.

Nelson Dauphin and Paul Trudell, two of the farmers who own land in this section, were seen. Mr. Dauphin said that there was about 2,200 acres in the Dauphin Drainage Scheme and protected by the embankments. He also pointed out that it wasn't the freights and high water which were cutting into the bank, but that the waves from the City of Chatham were causing all the trouble. The waves washed into the embankment and each day did a little damage. The dyke had been paid for under the Municipal Drainage Act and was not yet paid for. The taxes for this work were a little over a dollar an acre. Mr. Dauphin said that the farmers in this scheme could seed a little quicker than the others because they didn't have to depend on the water going down.

The Engineer completed his inspection but when he was ready to go the boat wasn't ready. The supply of fuel ran out and the farmers were all too busy to take the party to the city. They were a jolly crew, however, and made the best of it. Finally about seven o'clock relief in the form of another boat came in sight and home the party came, reaching the city about nine o'clock. There is a rumor current that the Government intend to dredge the river and put buoys all the way up so that large freight boats could run into Chatham. The skeptical ones, however, consider that there is some doubt about this ever being done.

PRAISES OUR CADETS

In his comments at the inspection of the St. Thomas C. I. Cadets the St. Thomas Journal quotes the Inspecting Officer as saying: "I am surprised at the absence of any of the school authorities or members of your School Board at the inspection. Why at Chatham and Guelph, the two cadets I have so far inspected, the greatest enthusiasm prevailed. It must be very discouraging in face of such excellent work by the boys."

Though a general way the Inspecting Officer's surprise is justified, it is only right to say had he arrived at this time expected he would have found Trustees W. R. Martin and Dr. K. McKenzie and Dr. Silcox, Inspector of Public Schools, present.

KENT BRIDGE.

Miss Ethel Bogart, of Chatham, was a guest of Miss B. Langford, the first of the week.

Frank Bone was united in marriage on Wednesday last by Rev. J. J. Noble, Louisville, to Eliza, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Campbell, of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Bone will live on their farm on Smoke St. Their many friends extend to them their best wishes for happiness and long life.

Wm. Gregory, of London, Eng., is moving into Noah Shaw's house, over the bake shop. Mr. Gregory is a brother-in-law of Rev. Frank Bone. Dr. Brooke made a quick trip to London last Wednesday.

The crown work of Mr. Boliver's oven fell in last Tuesday afternoon. This will delay Mr. Boliver's baking for a few days, although he can supply his customers with Thames-ville bread.

There will be an ice cream social on the lawn of Mrs. John Langford, on Friday evening of this week, 24th inst. Luncheon from 7 to 8, followed by good program. French's orchestra will be on hand. Admission only 15 and 10 cents.

Mrs. E. J. C. Shaw is spending the week with friends in Ridgeway.

Thelma Carson Shaw is under the doctor's care.

LITTLE GIRL WAS DROWNED

Sad Fatality at Wallaceburg—Child Fell in the River and Was Not Missed.

Dragging Resulted in the Finding of the Body—Little one Was Interested in Band Excursion.

From The Planet Correspondent.

Wallaceburg, June 24.—A very sad drowning accident occurred on Wednesday evening last, when little Miss Funie, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Murdock, South Side, was drowned.

It is supposed that the little girl had been interested in the Band excursion on the Winona, and while playing alone on the opposite bank had fallen into the river. Upon dragging the river the parents' and friends' worst fears were realized, as the body was soon found.

The funeral took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the service being conducted by Rev. Mr. Farr, of the St. James Church, the little girl having been a member of that Sunday school.



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44 in. Shepherds, Checks Suitings in two sizes of checks, very special at per yard,

45 in. Fleeced Voiles, in gown lengths, extra values at per yard, \$1.50, sale price,

45 in. High Class Twine Suitings in gown lengths, this season's highest style, former price per yd, \$1.60, sale price,

\$1.00 Louisiana Silks, splendid assortment of shades, on sale, per yd,

75c. quality in Taffetta Silks, for per yd,

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CHOICE LOTS FOR SALE

The lots still left in the Athletic Ground Survey are undoubtedly the best value offered in the city at the present time. Why is it that you can buy certain properties in the city to-day for about one-half of the original cost? Simply because some person was foolish enough to select a lot in an undesirable locality because it was cheap, and then build a good house on it. Such properties must be sacrificed when put on the market in order to affect a sale. Be Wise, Get a Good Location. The best residence property is always the cheapest. When you want to sell you will have scores of purchasers. The man who would build a good house on this property worth from \$1,500 to \$2,500 could readily dispose of it before it would be ready for occupancy, at an advance of \$500 to \$800, and still give the purchaser good value, as the actual value of these lots is certainly double what is asked for them. Call at the Business College to see the plans and get prices.—D. McCLACHLAN.

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2 Packages of Force, 25c.
Ginger Snaps, 6c. per lb.
7 Pound Pail of Jam, 50c.
Smoked Shoulder, 12c. per lb.
3 Pounds Lemon Biscuits, 25c.
Quaker Oats, 90c. per Package.
8 Pound Can Sunlight Baking Powder
15c. a can.
Cucumber Pickles, ready for use, 15c. per dozen.

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Boys' sack race—D. 3, 1 F. Van Dusen, 2 C. Sager; D. 4, C. Johnston, 2 M. Tickner; D. 5, 1 M. Tickner, 2 W. Hoig.

Boys' leap frog—D. 3, 1 C. Sager, P. Conbeare, 2 T. Wilson and F. Van Dusen; D. 4, 1 J. McLean, H. Felder, 2 W. Hoig, A. Coleman; D. 5, 1 O. H. Burns, M. McAuley, 2 R. can, S. Head.

Auto race—1 J. Prichard, 2 S. Rathven.
Trotting dogs—1 W. Shaw.
Tug o' War, boys—1 Freeman Burgess' team.

Tug o' War, girls—1 Bonnie McKeough team.

The lacrosse match between the Central and McKeough school teams resulted in a tie, three goals to three.

Geo. Conbeare won the J. Brokin silver medal for championship with Willie Hoig a very close second. Some of the other boys too, were well up.

DUNDONALD WAS RIGHT

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will be able to depose that the first man and the only man who brought any political question into that regiment was the Minister of Agriculture.

After quoting further from Mr. Fisher's statement to the effect that there had been political intriguing, Mr. Borden said that Senator Baker and Col. Smart had never exchanged a word in their lives and are not personally acquainted with each other.

Quoting from Lord Dundonald's memorandum, regarding the order given by the Minister of Militia to stop the organization of the regiment, Mr. Borden said no explanation had yet been given to the House as to how the Minister of Militia was induced to issue that order. It appeared, however, that the order was issued, stopping the organization of that regiment.

Mr. Borden then referred to certain extracts in Col. Smart's letters, showing the extent of Mr. Fisher's interference with the appointment of officers. Chief of these extracts was Colonel Smart's assertion that the Minister of Agriculture objected to the appointment of Dr. Pickell for no other reason than that the latter was a Tory.

STRONG POLITICAL OPPONENT—Mr. Borden was ready to block the whole organization, unless Dr. Pickell's name was withdrawn.

"Yet this is the man," said Mr. Borden, "in his first statement, at least declared that his interference was solely for the purpose of securing the appointment of properly qualified officers."

Mr. Borden showed also how Mr. Fisher had prevented the appointment of Capt. Converse, who had served in the militia for 15 years, and for a long time served as sergeant-major in the Duke of York's Hussars. Mr. Fisher asked that Capt. Converse, who was described as the best cavalry officer in Canada, be dropped, and substitute A. S. Adams, of the 6th Hussars, a man who is very deaf, and, in Col. Smart's opinion, wholly unfit for the position.

The Minister of Agriculture," said Mr. Borden, "seems to have regarded his own judgment as absolutely superior to that of experienced officers. He thought himself much more competent and much more qualified to select officers, having regard to military qualification, than were the experienced military men whom this country paid to discharge that duty."

Mr. Borden explained the nature of the duties conferred on the General Officer Commanding by statute. His duty was not only the military command and discipline of the militia, but the recommending to the Minister of Militia of fit and proper persons for appointment to commissions in the militia. Was the G. O. C. in the discharge of his duties to be interfered with by the Minister of Agriculture? asked Mr. Borden.

Mr. Borden referred to certain documents related to the Dundonald matter that the Government had suppressed, and made particular mention of two letters written by Col. Whitley to the Minister of Agriculture on May 14th and 15th last.

"Col. Whitley requests that these letters should not be brought down," Mr. Fisher answered. "They were marked 'private' by him, and he has requested that they be kept private."

"Has Col. Whitley made that request by letter or orally?" asked Mr. Borden.

"By telephone to-day," replied Mr. Fisher.

Mr. Borden commented on the extraordinary circumstances that important letters relating to the organization of the regiments should be withheld from Parliament.

simply because Col. Whitley, an officer paid by the country for his services, thinks they should not be brought down.

"From what I have heard of Col. Whitley," said Mr. Borden, "I would not believe that he would write letters which he was not willing to have placed before the House, unless he was led into some specious intrigue by the Minister of Agriculture, which he might not be willing to disclose."

Mr. Borden asked the Minister of Militia to explain why he stopped the organization of the regiment after it was begun. Was it not the Minister of Agriculture who caused the delay? He showed how Mr. Fisher had taken an active part in suppressing the appointments, and that the organization of the regiment having been stopped, was not resumed. Still the Minister of Agriculture so fixed matters that no recommendations could be made without his consent. Col. Smart had finally come to Ottawa in despair, prepared to accede to the demands of the Minister of Agriculture.

Mr. Borden recited some passages from letters written by Col. Smart to Mr. Fisher, after the latter had in-

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sisted on supervising the appointments. Notable among these was the following:—

"Agreeable to your request at our interview last Friday I now enclose herein, memo. showing my establishment."

Another passage read:—

"The only available veterinary surgeon I know is Dr. Dyer, of Sutton. Would he be acceptable to you? I would be glad to hear from you as soon as possible about this matter to enable me to complete my staff."

At the reading of these extracts the Opposition laughed uproariously.

The order-in-council of May 19th striking out the name of Dr. Pickell, bore these significant words in pencil: "Minister is to fix this."

"He has been fixing it all along," commented Dr. Sprule.

TRIBUTE TO DUNDONALD.

Mr. Borden closed with an earnest tribute to the work of Lord Dundonald. Lord Dundonald had had a distinguished career. He had come to Canada with an honorable record, and he would leave the country with that honorable record. — Conservative cheers. Lord Dundonald had necessarily taken strong measures, and he did not shrink from the consequences. He had been hampered, impeded, thwarted and misrepresented. Finding his usefulness gone, Lord Dundonald had made the speech in Montreal so as to arouse public opinion.

"Lord Dundonald can afford to treat with disdain the gibes and sneers of those who, during the past two years, have been willing to accord him the praise which his services demand," said Mr. Borden. "He has the respect of the men who served under him."

Mr. Borden spoke highly of the Canadian militia. When called upon they had proved themselves equal to the best, from the repulse of the American army at Chateaugay, down to the South African war. Lord Dundonald would leave Canada with the respect of the Canadian people and honored by all who desire the welfare of the Canadian militia.

Mr. Borden then proposed the resolution above referred to.

DEBATE CONTINUED.

Mr. Fisher's reply was spread over a couple of hours. It is not a definite but a bold justification of his course in interfering with the organization of the 13th Dragoons, because, as he held, it was being organized as a Tory preserve.

Mr. Monk paid a high tribute to Lord Dundonald's record and ability, and quoted Sir Frederick Borden's public testimonial to that effect, delivered only a few months ago. He cited constitutional authority to show that Mr. Fisher was not legally acting as Minister of Militia when he undertook to interfere with Lord Dundonald's recommended list of officers.

Sir Frederick Borden's speech of nearly three hours' duration was largely a fierce attack upon Lord Dundonald, whom he accused of having hired a reporter to take down his speech at the Montreal banquet—an assertion which was greeted by a loud demonstration of dissent from the Opposition. Sir Frederick then went on to refer to Lord Dundonald's speech at Montreal, which he spoke of as having been contemplated for weeks and months before it was delivered. He spoke of Lord Dundonald as acting a double part, and said the people of Canada did not want public servants of that kind. He then ridiculed Lord Dundonald's manifesto as a more concentrated exhibition of egotism than can be found in the English language. The minister, in the course of his further remarks, spoke of Lord Dundonald as acting a double part and as not considerate of the absolute literal truth of the statements he made. Sir Frederick declared that Lord Dundonald had gone to the London camp in defiance of his public suggestion that it was inadvisable for him to leave Ottawa. Lord Dundonald, he said, had replied that as he hadn't been ordered not to go he would go, and he went.

Col. Hughes moved the adjournment of the debate, and the House rose at 12.30 a. m.

FINE FESTIVAL IN HARWICH

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few words to them. There is no doubt about the fact that we have class legislation in Canada. The professional and business men are protected, but I claim that there are three classes of men who are neglected. They are farmers, mechanics and laborers. I expect to, at some other time, be able to discuss these questions with you. I claim that if you farmers expect to get what you deserve you will get a tariff on United States goods the same as they have on ours.

"I was raised a farmer and I am farming at the present time and so am in a position to know the needs of this great class. I am sorry to say that Mr. Stephens was not taken up the fight of the farmers and I am sorry he did not see fit to attend this meeting to-night for I would like to hear what he has to say."

Mr. Clements then closed his speech by thanking his hearers and appealing to them for their assistance. He was warmly applauded as he took his seat.

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