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Dressmaking....

Our Dressmaking Department under the management of Madam Skirving is now open. Orders are given attention as received, so if you want your fall suit early better leave your order at once.

Skirt, Waist and Sleeve Makers wanted. Apply to Madame Skirving on Wednesday morning.

DRESS GOODS...

Our showing of New Autumn Dress Goods surpasses any effort we have ever made. Every coloring that is wanted, every style that is new, and quantities of them are here for your inspection, and being bought direct from the manufacturers are better values for the prices than we have heretofore offered.

Dress Goods,

42 in. wide flaked cloths in excellent shades of brown, green, Oxford and navy, elegant and bright finish, correct weight for tailor suits, made to sell at 70c. a yard, our very special quick-selling price is 50c

52 in. wide beautifully finished Zibline Cloths in good shades of brown, navy, Oxford Tan, etc., in correct weight for suits and for children's dresses, you have bought no better for 75c. a yard, our very special quick-selling price is 50c

44 in. wide satin serge suiting, handsome bright smooth satin finish, in every wanted Autumn shade, one of the best values ever offered in Chatham, at a yard

Dress Goods.

44 in. wide Tweed Suitings in the new color combinations, especially adapted for tailor suits and separate skirts, English make, wear guaranteed, very special value at 75c

44 in. wide Knicker Tweeds in dark color combinations of navy, brown, green, crimson, etc., very stylish and effective, special value at a yard, 85c

46 in. wide, all wool "Hop-sack" Cloth in fine bright finish, thoroughly strunk and non-spottable, in shades of navy, brown, green, black, castor, and crimson, very extra value, at per yd, 85c

56 in. wide all wool heavy fringes for skirts in all wanted dark shades, extra value at \$1.00

Thos. Stone & Son.

Rondeau

And other beaches will soon be deserted. The children to retain their good health must now have their daily swim in the bath tub instead of the lake. In our window we are showing a complete and very neat line of bathroom fittings: Towel Racks, Tub Seats, Spray Rings, Soap and Sponge Glass Holders, etc. The are nichelled on solid brass and are unusually attractive.

GEO. STEPHENS & CO.,
CHATHAM.

...IT PAYS TO USE...

Beaver Flour

(Blended Winter and Spring Wheat.)

It is absolutely uniform and reliable and is a triumph in up-to-date milling. It is a trade getter and a trade holder. Its high and uniform quality speaks for itself, and every order sold means another to follow. Chop stuffs, Mill Feeds, Cereals, &c., all at reasonably low price. Highest prices paid for wool, wheat, &c.

The T. H. TAYLOR CO., Limited

THE LOUISE LOST.

SHE LEFT SANDUSKY, O., FOR LEAMINGTON, ONT.

Had One Hundred and Twenty-five Persons on Board—No Word of Her Arrival.

Sandusky, O., Sept. 8.—The steamer Louise, with 125 persons aboard, which left Sandusky at 6 a.m. for Leamington, Ont., has not yet landed there, and it is thought the boat is lost. The trip usually requires but a few hours.

Sandusky, O., Sept. 8.—The anxiety among relatives and friends of those aboard the missing steamer Louise is very great and is becoming acute as the hours drag along with no news of the vessel. The treacherous nature of Lake Erie is well known to the people here and it is feared that the boat is not so seaworthy as in her younger days.

The Louise was well known to summer residents at Erieau, at which port she called regularly during the summer. The Louise and City of Detroit were both used for carrying fish from Capt. Post's various fishing grounds along Lake Erie to Sandusky. After the nets were blown out last July, the Louise alone was large enough to carry all the fish and she was in at Erieau about once a week for the past month.

LOUISE SAFE.

Special To The Planet.
Cleveland, O., Sept. 8.—The little fishing tug Louise had the roughest experience of her career Monday, when she carried a terrific storm and back in a terrific storm just outside the harbor, but Capt. Hugh Deulte decided not to turn back. The boat plowed through seas that had her decks awash half the time, and everybody on board was sick.

Leamington was reached at noon and the baseball nine given a chance to rest before the game.

About 6 o'clock the party started on the return trip, in even a rougher sea than was encountered on the way over. After a terrific struggle with the waves, the Louise got into the lee of Pelee Island, where she lay several hours. Then she started across the lake for Sandusky in a more moderate wind, but still a heavy sea. She arrived there at 4 o'clock this morning, with everybody safe, but sick.

"It was the worst blow in my experience," said Capt. Deulte, "and I have been a rough weather sailor for the past 20 years."

LOST BOTH LEGS.

Walkerville Grocer Knocked Down by Detroit Car.

Detroit, Sept. 8.—Renie Bastien, a grocer of Walkerville, is now at St. Mary's Hospital, Detroit, in a very dangerous condition. Both of his legs have been cut off, and he may not live. Mr. Bastien, with his small son, spent yesterday afternoon at Belle Isle. Shortly after 3 o'clock they started for home. At Campbell avenue they alighted, intending to take the boat for Walkerville from the foot of that street. They failed to notice the east-bound Jefferson car approaching, and it was on them before they could do anything. Bastien was thrown to the pavement and both legs were knocked off one side and was not hurt. The injured man was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate both legs.

JOHN MILLER'S THREAT.

Alleged to Have Said He Would Shoot President Roosevelt.

Syracuse, N.Y., Sept. 8.—The police charge John Miller, a German, who was arrested here yesterday at his home, with having threatened to shoot President Roosevelt during his stay in this city. Sunday evening the police learned that a man named Miller, living in the southwestern part of the city, had said he would shoot the President while the latter carried a parade was being reviewed here to-day. They bent every effort in efforts to locate Miller, but no trace of him could be found until 4 o'clock this afternoon, when he was placed under arrest. He denies that he made any threats against the President's life, and claims that the woman through whom the police learned of it is lying. When questioned at police headquarters he was unable to give a clear explanation of his whereabouts since 3 o'clock Sunday morning. Once he said he had gone to Auburn, his former home, in search of work, but he could not tell who he returned, but he could not give any incidents of his visit.

MAPLE CITY LABOR UNIONS HOLD SUCCESSFUL CELEBRATION

In Spite of Inclement Weather the Demonstration Was a Pronounced Success—The Day's Proceedings—Splendid Addresses—Some Good Sports.

Yesterday was indeed the working man's day in Chatham, and in spite of the very disagreeable weather the elaborate celebration which has been looked forward to for some time was by no means a failure. Although the rain to a great extent marred the proceedings everything was carried out according to schedule, and the day on the whole was a success.

The parade in the morning was especially large in spite of the fact that the rain was coming down in a light shower during the entire route. It was formed at the athletic grounds and followed a line of route down William to Wellington to Fifth St. to Thames to Victoria Ave. to Head to Third St. bridge, up King to Weld and finally rounded up at the drill shed.

There were over 300 men in the procession, all union men. The procession was headed by the Bugle Band of the 24th Regiment, followed by a man carrying the Union Jack, who was immediately followed by cabs carrying the Mayor, Ald. Martin, Mr. Draper and J. Frey, of Cleveland. The wine clerks of the city, about 10 in number, followed in cabs and all rigged out in stylish silk hats and Prince Albert coats. They made a very flashy appearance and looked more like capitalists than members of a labor union.

The Laborers' Union had the largest turnout. They had 76 members in the parade. The Journeyman Tailors were led by Sam Webber. They also carried a banner, which was a very attractive one, and retail clerks.

The tailors were followed by the Peninsular Band, who were there in full force and producing music for the whole procession. The band serves great credit for their music. The ex-Regimental Band was supposed to have been in the parade, but they got no further than their rooms, deciding to protect their uniforms from the rain.

The tinmiths, about eleven in number, came next, and were followed by the painters, numbering 20. The painters' uniforms were duck trousers and white caps.

The carpenters and joiners had a very natty turnout. Besides a banner they carried a large design of all the tools they use in their trade. It was a very clever piece of workmanship and added another feature to the procession. They numbered 26 in the parade.

The wheel makers, who came next, also had a good looking turnout. They also wore white duck trousers and carried a large wheel decorated with the national colors. They were 43 strong.

The members of the Typographical Union marched behind the wheel makers. They were conspicuous for their canes and each wore a white straw hat and a badge. They added 18 to the number of the parade. They were followed by the brick masons. The retail clerks, numbering 21, brought up the rear of the procession.

It was intended to have the speaking on the park from the band-stand, but this was found impossible owing to the heavy downpour of rain. However, the speeches were made in the drill shed, to as many of the men as could crowd their way into the shelter. Mayor McKeough acted as chairman, and in his opening address he greeted the men on behalf of the city. He said he was pleased that a great movement had been inaugurated for the welfare and benefit of the working men of the city. The work-ing men and their cause are now considered a great force in the politics of the country.

"I am pleased," said he, "that the best minds on both sides of the line, both by word and pen, are recognizing the justice and equity due to the toilers of the human race. In Chatham we have a grand band of organized labor—men of intelligence and earnest thinking—and so long as I am mayor of Chatham I shall do all in my power to forward the cause and the interests of the working men. I am sorry the weather is so inclement, and in consequence the grand demonstration that the working men have carefully and amply prepared will of necessity have to turn out a comparative failure, but from the large turnout of the different unions of working men and the long and splendid parade, it is shown that neither difficulties nor rain will stop the enthusiastic ambition of our working men."

Mr. Carey, one of the speakers from Toronto, was unfortunately unable to be present, but John Frey, of Cleveland, an international officer of the executive board, was present and addressed the gathering. He made a very short speech and dwelt upon the conditions of the working man gener-

BIG GATHERING ON SATURDAY

West Kent Liberal-Conservatives will Hold Convention in Chatham.

Election of Officers and Other Matters of Importance will be Transacted.

A general convention of the West Kent Liberal-Conservatives will be held in the Oddfellows' Auditorium in this city on Saturday afternoon next, commencing at 1:30 o'clock. Delegates from all parts of the constituency will be present and important addresses will be delivered.

The election of officers for the ensuing term will take place and other business of importance will be transacted.

ALLIES, NOT ENEMIES.

Sir Wm. Mulock on Capital and Labor.

Port Colborne, Sept. 8.—Labor Day was duly celebrated here. Fully five thousand people assembled in the Lakewood Grove, where speeches, games and dancing formed part of the day's programme. Argyle Lodge, No. 10,883, of the American Federation of Labor, formed and proceeded to the station to meet a special train from Niagara Falls, Thorold and other points on the Welland Canal, bringing in thousands of members of the Federation, who marched to the Grove, where brief speeches were made by Sir William Mulock, Postmaster-General and Minister of Labor; W. M. Gorman, M.P.; J. L. Weller, superintendent of the Welland Canal; J. P. Gross, M.P.; Leslie McMahon, James Battle and Smith Macdonell. A steady downpour of rain somewhat marred the day's enjoyment.

Sir Wm. Mulock's speech was a plea that employer and employee unite for the best interests of Canada. In opening he returned thanks for the honor of being present, and after congratulating the union on its progress and general advancement, pointed out that the success of the cause of labor depended on its being guided by moderation and justice. He counselled the men to think well for themselves on all questions concerning their welfare.

It was a mistake to suppose that either capital or labor should be the enemy of the other. Lengthy and frequently followed from lockouts and strikes. Extreme steps ought to be avoided until peaceful methods had failed.

Sir William referred to the great future in store for Canada if her people upon which he had no doubt, were true to their best interest. The development of Canada depended on the industrial classes, and their well being was a subject of deep concern to all who wished well to the country.

THE NEW

DOROTHY DODDS ARE HERE

Are here in all their brightness.

Many new lasts and styles have been added to our stock.

We can fit any ladies' foot with a Dorothy Dodd Shoe.

Prices \$3.75. \$4.00

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Good vinegar for pickling purposes. We have it and are convinced of its keeping quality. Our spices are fresh and good. A quantity of fruit jars at the usual low prices.

3 cans Mackerel, 35c
Clothes Pins, per doz. 1c
Large Box Magic Stove Polish, 8c
Tapioca, per lb. 5c
Fresh Ground Coffee, per lb. 15c
10 bars Soap, 25c

Our 25c teas are excellent flavor. We are giving great value in Crockery, Chinaware and Glassware. A fine lot of goods for wedding presents. Come and see us.

John McConnell,
Phone 190, - Park St.

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The Planet.

S. STEPHENSON - Proprietor.
Business Office 53A
Editorial Rooms 53B

Local Briefs

"The Buffalo Mystery" to-night. Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. Miss Olive Webster, of Florence, is visiting her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Char-teris.

Wanted, good boy for trimming department. Apply Wm. Gray & Sons Company.

Mrs. Ben C. Burgess, Battle Creek, Mich., is the guest of Miss Margaret Barassin, Duluth street.

Girls wanted to learn weaving. Apply at the T. H. Taylor Co. Woolen Mills.

Miss Sadie McLeod, of Detroit, spent Labor Day in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pritchard.

Mrs. John Bedford, Park avenue east, left last Tuesday for a two weeks' visit in Toronto.

Wanted—Skirt, Waist, and Sleeve Makers, also Millinery Apprentices. Apply to Thos. Stone & Son, 2d.

"The Buffalo Mystery" played last night to a packed house in Port Huron. To-day's papers are high in their praise.

Miss May Webster and Miss Nellie Unsworth have returned from a pleasant trip to St. Mary's, Platts-ville and London.

"What about that flower show of the Horticultural Society?" asks the papa of a child who is getting anx-ious.

Miss Ora Grandbois and Miss Helen Tibbitts returned to Detroit Monday morning. Miss Tibbitts being the guest of Miss Grandbois over Sunday.

Refrigerators, screen doors, ice cream freezers, lawn mowers, hose, hammocks and bicycles. Full and fresh assortment at low prices. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Thomas Rankin, Sr., of Dover, who has been seriously ill for some time, is much better and was in the city yesterday. He recently took a trip up the lakes and since his return he is much better in health.

Tom Rankin, Jr., of Dover, is in the city to-day. Mr. Rankin, who has until recently been a resident of Detroit, has accepted a position in Toronto and will move there. Tom's many Maple City friends will join in wishing him every success.

Mr. Riddle, manager of the Commercial Bank, Dalbetta, Scotland, who, with his wife, was the guest of R. J. Brown, West street, left for Toronto on Saturday. Before returning they will visit the Georgian Bay District.

For the great Toronto Fair, which is better this year than any other, last and 7th at \$3.80, all tickets good to return until Sept. 15th.

Ruben Miller, Marysville, Mich., is spending a few days with Mr. John H. Oldershaw, Raleigh street, and is a large land owner in Michigan. In this issue he is advertising for sale five hundred and sixty acres of farm land, of which over three hundred is cleared, and he resides on one of the best farms on the banks of the St. Clair River, three miles from Port Huron. Mr. Miller was born at Wardsville and over forty years ago was in the employ of Adam Arnold at Louisville.

A RIOT IN TITLES.

Elaborate Classification of Rank That Rules in Denmark.

The Danish classification of rank is a very elaborate one, built up of offices, orders, birth and titles, writes J. Brochner in "Danish Life in Town and Country." There are nine classes, which are divided into as many as a dozen subsections, each of which may again comprise a score or two of different titles and offices, yet there was a complaint in one of the Danish papers the other day that it was anything but complete.

Holders of titles have to pay an annual tax ranging from \$44.50 in the first class to a miserly \$3.33 in the ninth. There are about a score of different titles, several of which are divided into "real" and "others," the "real" being several shades better than the "others."

These titles are always used in conversation, as, for example, "Will not the chamberlain have a cigar?" or "Mr. Chamberlain, will you not have a cigar?" And it requires a fairly clear head and a good memory to give everybody his due in a large party, especially as some of them are decorously long, as, for instance, geheime-conferentsraad.

Then there are ladies, who generally have "inde" (the English "ess") added to their husbands' title or office. A colonel's wife, for instance, is called oberstinde, and the wife of the chamberlain to the king kammerherreinde, and so forth.

But the subtleties of the additional titular address in writing even excel the verbal form. That persons of the first rank are "excellencies" is only natural, but gentlemen of the second class have on documents addressed to them a "high well born" prefixed to their title and name, and those of the third class a "high and well born." I much regret that I cannot explain why the addition of this "and" should somewhat detract from the value of the same words.

Gentlemen of the ninth class are addressed as "well honorable and well bred," which is, I think, almost more than they could expect for their \$3.33.

A pint of water weighs one pound.

TRY
Kidney-Wort Tablets.

The Only Medicine That Can Revitalize the Kidneys and Restore Health

If you have a pain in the small of the back of a dragging nature, a disordered state of the urine, sometimes pale in color and very copious, at other times high colored and scanty, often with brick colored sediment or with settling, of mucous, offensive and smelling, a feeling of lassitude and general weakness, be assured you are suffering from some form of kidney disease.

Dr. Fettingill's Kidney-Wort Tablets will always banish any of the above mentioned symptoms and restore the weak kidneys to a perfect condition of health. Thousands have been cured and you may share the same blessings. All druggists guarantee Kidney-Wort Tablets. Price 50 cents a bottle or six bottles for \$2.50.

A Matter of Time.
"The reason why I quit shaving," said Rivers, "was that I figured up one day the amount of time that it took. I used to spend a little over fifteen minutes every day of my life shaving myself. I found that this used up ten or twelve working days every year, and I decided I simply couldn't afford the time."

"Well," responded Brooks, "you spend at least half an hour three times a day eating your meals. That makes ten and a half hours a week. There are fifty-two weeks in a year. Ten and a half times fifty-two—let me see—is 546. Allowing eight hours to a working day you spend sixty-eight days, or over two months, every year at your meals. Why don't you quit eating?"

How Iron-ox Tablets Cured a Well-Known Guelph Man of Catarrh of the Stomach.

The Guelph Waterproof Clothing Co., Guelph, Ont.

December 12, 1902.

Through your Iron-ox Tablets I have received a great blessing. For years I was troubled with my stomach. I doctored with several good doctors and they told me I had dyspepsia, but I was sure it was not that which ailed me. I could not be cured. It got so bad at last that my stomach had ulcers, and I suffered something awful. Being a commercial traveler I received a box of your Iron-ox Tablets free last winter. I took them right along and I noticed, when away from home and staying at hotels, eating different food, it did not hurt me as it always did before; so when that box was empty I bought two more, and have since had two more, and I must say my stomach is fully restored to its old-time work. I never leave home without a box of Iron-ox Tablets with me, as I believe them to be the best thing for the stomach ever made. I have recommended them to a very great number of people. As I travel from one end of the country to the other I am well known. I am a member of the above firm and do the travelling for them, and everyone that knows how I suffered with my stomach knows the difference now. I would have written sooner, but waited to make sure it was lasting, and I feel sure it is. I must say it is the best remedy I have ever used, and I would not be without it. Hoping your Iron-ox may cure many as it has me, I am yours sincerely,

W. F. PAYNE.

Fifty Iron-ox Tablets, in an attractive aluminum pocket case, 25 cents at druggists, or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price. The Iron-ox Remedy Co., Limited, Walkerville, Ont.

Some people seem to think that the sin of gambling is in losing.

SPECIAL FARES

On the occasion of the visit of the Coldstream Guards Band to Chatham on the 14th inst. the Lake Erie Railroad will issue fare and one-third return tickets from all points within and including Port Lambton, Mer-lin and Rodney. Train No. 70 (Special) will leave Walkerville at 11 a. m., arriving in Chatham at 12 noon on that date.

Great Mushroom Garden in France. The strangest of underground worlds in France which I visited was one devoted to the raising of mushrooms. Its limits seemed unbounded, as indeed they were, for it pierced the hillsides in every direction. We entered through an opening under an orchard of cherry trees. During "harvest time" a crop is gathered every twenty-four hours. Three men, with their great baskets, make the rounds of this underground farm every morning, and every day in the year can count on an immense crop, which they ship to the large cities near by and even several miles away. The discolored and inferior mushrooms are sent to the canneries, but for his best growth the producer receives only 20 cents a pound. Scribner's Magazine.

Flamingoes' Tongues. The beastly Vitellius, as Gibbon calls him, spent at least six millions of money on table in as many months. He invented, or his cook invented for him, a dish which he designated "the Shield of Minerva." One of its principal ingredients was flamingoes' tongues, of which both Pilny and Martial speak in encomiastic terms. Dampier says that the flamingoes have "large tongues, and near the root is a piece of fat which is accounted a great dainty." When Captain Owen was surveying the east coast of Africa his sailors shot down hundreds of these beautiful birds in order, with an extravagance worthy of Vitellius, to make a dish of the tongues alone.

KEEP AN EYE

—ON—

Meynell's Store

for his first display of

Fall Clothing

(High Grade)

Our first shipment of 15 cases arrived yesterday

MEYNELL'S

3 Doors West from Market, King St., - Chatham.

There are no Sufferers

From Rheumatic, Stomach, Liver or Urinary troubles who have tried the

Magi Caledonia Springs

Love in Lapland.

In Lapland the crime which, after murder, is punished with the greatest severity is that of marrying a girl against the wishes of her parents. When a suitor makes his appearance he says nothing to the maiden, who often does not know who he is, but her parents inform her that she is sought in marriage. Shortly afterward, on a day appointed, the girl, her parents, friends and suitor all meet together at a feast, and the young man and maiden are placed opposite, so that they can look at each other freely and can talk with comfort. After the meal is over the company repair to an open space, where "the race for a wife" is run. The usual distance is about a quarter of a mile, and the girl is placed a third of the distance from the starting-point. The suitor who may never trouble her again. If, however, he has found favor in her eyes, all she has to do is to lag somewhat in her flight, so that he may overtake her. If she desires to intimate to him that his love for her is returned she may run a little way and then turn with open arms to accept him.

English For French Tongues.

Persons who have worried through a "French Manual" may get some satisfaction from the thought that with their own language they are revenged upon the Parisian. "Methods Avec Prononciation" is a little book which makes straight the way of the English language for French tongues. Does one wish to say, "How is it, miss; one so charming and pretty walking alone?" (which, of course, would be one of the first remarks a French traveler would have occasion to make) it is only necessary to consult the "Non-vettes Methods": "Aou isite, miss; ouenne so tcharrminque annde pretti ouakkingue alaune?" If the traveler goes to the theater the man at the box office may say, "Oul have onli orchestre stails laifte, beute allow me tou rimarque sat se are se best sitce for singeule dgenteleme." Evidently "th" is given up as a bad job, and "y" is as difficult for the Frenchman as for the German, though a German manual gives John Bull as "Dschonn Bool."

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The Northway Co., Ltd.

{The Busy Cash Store}

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Staple Bargains for Wednesday.

"A WORD TO THE WISE."

You may wonder why, in the face of a steady advancing cotton market we are prepared to offer you these "staple" lines at such marvelously low prices. However, months ago, before the rise in prices, we were looking after your interests, and now the wise buyers will reap the benefits. Better lay in your fall supplies at once, for we cannot duplicate these values.

10c Flannelettes for 8c. — 32 in flannelette worth 10c yd now, later you will pay 12c for the same quality, nice range of patterns, selling 8c yd.

7c Flannelette 5c. — Good width, nice firm quality, will cost you at least 7c yd, while they last yours for 5c yd.

Factory Cotton 5c yd. — One of the hard-est lines for you to find for you was a real good factory cotton to sell at 5c. We have it now, but cannot promise you one later at 5 cents.

10c Wrapperettes 8c yd. — Nice, soft, fleecy wrapperettes, extra good value any time at 10c, special offer just now at 8c yd.

Kimona Flannels 22c yard. — New designs for dressing sacques, waists, etc., just passed into stock, firm, even twill, or splendid cloth to wear and guaranteed to wash perfectly, good value at 22c yd.

Special in Towelling. — As good values as were ever offered to you in pure linen towelling, just now we have them at the old prices, they will not be the same prices long, better get your share of them now, 12c, 10c, 8c to 5c yard.

Black Satin at 12c yard. — A particularly good cloth for the money, bright silky finish, full width, guaranteed absolutely fast black, special at 12c yd.

Two Specials in Linens. —

1 piece only 70 in grass bleached linen, splendid quality, excellent value at 55c yd, Wednesday for 50c yd.

1 piece 72 in warranted pure Irish linen, beautiful finish, snowy white, we never had a better one for 1.00 yd, Wednesday we offer it as an extra special at 75c yd.

Honeycomb Bed Spreads. — Note these lines well, they will save you money. If you need some nice new spreads do not miss this splendid opportunity, Wednesday our 1.75 quality for 1.25, our 1.50 quality for 1.12, our 1.25 quality for 95c.

Remember our rule. — Your money cheerfully refunded if goods not satisfactory.

Strictly Cash... THE NORTHWAY COMPANY, Limited. One Lowest Price.

The Whole Thing.

"Then you've been to Niagara?"
"Yes. I was quietly married last Tuesday week, and the next day we reached Niagara. Soon as we got there I started out to see the falls with my wife."

"Magnificent, eh?"
"You bet! You should have seen all the other men turning around to look at her as she passed."

SUFFERED HALF A LIFE TIME

One More Splendid Cure Credit- ed to Dodd's Kidney Pills

Doctors Said Nicholas Becker Had Gravel or Bright's Disease, or Something Else — Dodd's Kidney Pills Gave Him the Vigor of Early Manhood.

Nicholas Becker, Ont., Sept. 7. (Special) — Nicholas Becker, St. John's, P. O., on the dividing line of Pelham and Thorold Townships, who has been restored to health after twenty-nine years suffering from Kidney Disease has given a statement for publication. It reads:

"I had been a sufferer from Kidney Complaint for twenty-nine years. I had the most distressing Backache, Irritation of the Spine, and Head-aches, coupled at times with an excruciating circular pain about the lower part of the body. What I suffered no pen can describe. I was in a dangerous condition. I was greatly reduced in flesh."

"Three different doctors attended me. One said I had Gravel, another called it Bright's Disease, while the third said I was in a dangerous condition. None of them gave me any permanent help and my friends thought I could not live much longer. At this stage I gave up other treatments and started using Dodd's Kidney Pills. After taking two boxes I found they were helping me and I continued till I had taken sixteen boxes, when I was again enjoying the splendid vigor of earlier manhood."

A woman with an overpowering ambition usually is oblivious to all sense of proportion.

The first knives were used in England, and the first four-wheeled carriage in France in 11559.

THE GUARDS ARE COMING!

The Finest Band belonging to the Oldest Regiment in the Army.

By gracious permission of His Majesty King Edward VII., and by kind consent of the Officer commanding, the complete regimental

BAND of H. M. COLDSTREAM GUARDS.

Forty-Six Splendid Musicians

Bandmaster—J. Mackenzie Rogan. Contralto—Miss Kathleen Howard. Date, MONDAY AFTERNOON, SEPT. 14. Place, Grand Opera House, Chatham. Sale of seats begins Wednesday, Sept. 9, at 10 a. m. PRICES—50c., 75c., \$1.00.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

TUESDAY, SEPT. 8th.

Jule and Elmer Walters' wonderful play...

The Buffalo Mystery

By Lawrence Russell.

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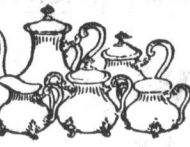
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LLOYD'S PATRIOTIC FUND.

British Naval and Military Fund Which Was Founded in 1803.

It is just 100 years ago that the Patriotic Fund, the oldest naval and military fund of the kind in existence in Great Britain, now known as Lloyd's Patriotic Fund, was founded by the subscribers to Lloyd's. On July 20, 1803, a meeting was held of the merchants and underwriters for the purpose of raising a fund for the benefit of the sufferers by the war which was then raging between this country and Napoleon Bonaparte. The meeting was presided over by Mr. Brook Watson, and the intention of the founders is best explained by the following resolution which was passed on that occasion: "Resolved, that to animate the efforts of our defenders by sea and land, it is expedient to raise by the patriotism of the community at large a suitable fund for their comfort and relief; for the purpose of assuaging the anguish of their wounds, or palliating in some degree the more weighty misfortune of the loss of limbs; of alleviating the distresses of the widow and orphan, of soothing the sorrow for the fall of dearest relatives, the pangs of unhappy indigence or helplessness; the granting of pecuniary rewards or honorable badges of distinction for successful exertions of valor or merit."

An interesting little history of the fund published by Lloyd's it is recorded that by March, 1805, £158,343 had been subscribed, and by 1825, when the subscriptions practically ceased, the total amounted to £430,509. This sum, by judicious management in the way of investment, and by the operation of long annuities, and sale of securities at greatly enhanced prices, was eventually increased in value to £883,602. The list was headed by Lloyd's with £20,000 consols, to be supplemented later by £15,000, while the subscribers to Lloyd's contributed over £70,000 within a fortnight. The Lord Mayor and Corporation of London, the Bank of England, the East India Company, the City Companies, the bankers and the Archbishops, Bishops, Judges, ministers and other public men subscribed, as did also numerous humble contributors, who sent half-crowns and shillings. Even a Quaker gave thirty guineas for blankets.

It will be noticed that the fund was not only for the relief of those in distress, but also for the granting of rewards; and the first occasion on which the fund was used was when, in February, 1804, a squadron of French ships of war was repulsed by some East India merchantmen. Swords of honor were presented to the commodore and his captains, while the families of those who had fallen were granted assistance. After Trafalgar a vase with £500 was presented to Lady Nelson and £61,000 consols were given to the Royal Naval Asylum. The trustees have still on their books £1,000,000 of consols, which took place after the great struggle with Napoleon was concluded, and particulars are given in the little history, but it must be sufficient to say here that the general work of the fund was continued throughout the remainder of the last century. In the year 1875 the committee decided to place the balance of the capital funds, about £78,000, under the Charity Commissioners, in whose name they are now invested, and under a scheme approved by whom the trustees are elected and the funds administered. In recent years, the fund has administered one officer from the army and one from the navy has been elected, much to the satisfaction of their colleagues.

But it should not be imagined that there is no more need for help on the part of the public. The payments from the fund are very large, and the resources extremely limited, so that the trustees will always welcome further subscriptions to this excellent and patriotic institution.—London Globe.

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THE STAGE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—
"The Buffalo Mystery"—Sept. 8.
The Gidding Comedy Co.—Sept. 14 and 19.
The Coldstream Guards, Matinee—Sept. 14.
Perry O'Dell & Dee—Sept. 22, 23 and 24.
Quincy Adams Sawyer—Sept. 29.
(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

Julie & Elmer Walters will present a new sensational play, entitled "The Buffalo Mystery," at the Grand Opera House to-night. This piece is from the ambitious pen of Lawrence Russell, whose plays are meeting with favor.

COLDSTREAM GUARDS

The glories of English Army history are intimately bound up with the annals of its oldest regiment, the Coldstream Guards, whose splendid band will soon be thrilling the hearts of the Canadian public. Of all the achievements of the Guards Inkerman is perhaps the most heroic. "The conduct of the Coldstream Guards at Inkerman," says the Times of November, 1854, "should immortalize their name. The battalion went into action with 17 officers and 400 men; of that number eight officers were killed, five wounded, and upwards of 200 rank and file were killed and wounded." These few hundred men held the redoubt all through that grey but glorious day against as many thousands of Russians. Thrice did the hordes of Russians—their natural courage inflamed by fanaticism and drink—rush up the hill on the top of which calm and determined stood the small force of Her Majesty's Guards. Three times were the Russians driven back only with strong reinforcements to hurl themselves again upon the diminished band. The ground was slippery with a hideous crimson slime; found and recovering them—ammunition became exhausted and in place of leaden bullets the assailants were now met only by heavy stones. The struggle soon became hand to hand, the group of Coldstreams fought back to back with clubbed muskets, and succeeded in forcing back the foe sufficiently to form line. Then came a companion wonder to that charge of the Coldstreams at Fuentes d'Onoro. The surging crowd of Russians were seen to waver and give way and cleaving through the mass came the remnant of the Coldstream band with bayonets at the charge and having the mien of men who have worsted death itself.

The Coldstream Band of a later day come now to delight our hearts with their music which will arouse the memories of their brave deeds of yore.

A Self-Possessed Witness.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle told at the literary dinner recently given to him in London of his experience as a juror in his youth.

"I once served on a jury out of curiosity," he said, "and what most impressed me in that business was the high-handed manner of the cross-examinations. There was one witness, though, a dentist, whom no browbeating cross-examiner could disturb."

"This dentist was being questioned about a certain woman. 'Did you ever have any difference with the lady?' the opposing lawyer asked. 'No, sir,' replied the dentist. 'Now, attend. Didn't you make her a set of teeth once?' 'Yes, sir.' 'Didn't she return them?' 'No, sir.' 'The lawyer glared. Then he resumed: 'But you admit, don't you, that later on she had another set made by another dentist?' 'Oh, yes, I admit that,' said the witness. 'Ah! you admit that. And the lady is wearing that other set now, is she not?' 'Yes, she is wearing it.' 'And she has discarded your set?' 'No.' 'What? Do you mean to tell me she is wearing both sets at the same time?' 'Yes, I do.' 'That's Nonsense! How can that possibly be?' 'Why, one is a lower and the other is an upper set,' said the dentist."

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When the Duke was Prime Minister, he once visited Windsor Castle to consult with the Queen on an important state matter. The day was damp, following a heavy rain, and as the Duke left the castle Her Majesty remarked, "I hope Your Grace is well shod."

"Oh," said the Duke, "I have on a pair of Wellingtons, and am proof against dampness."

The Queen retorted, "Your Grace must be mistaken. There could not be a pair of Wellingtons."

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only twenty-five feet deep, the shallowest part and only five feet in its eastern side.

It has eighty islands, some barren, others only pasture land and some covered with forests and millet plantations and having a total population of about 50,000.

Storms arise with surprising quickness on the lake, and the shallowness of the water forces up big waves at short notice, while treacherous gusts and puffs of wind about the islands make navigation dangerous.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Sept. 8.—11 a. m.—Fresh to strong, southerly and south-westerly winds, unsettled, with occasional showers. Wednesday, south-westerly winds, warmer, and for the most part fair.

A Meeting of the Liberal-Conservatives of the City of Chatham for the selection of delegates to the forthcoming convention will be held at Ward Stanworth's Office on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

MR. KNOWLES RESIGNED

Pastor of First Presbyterian Church Surprised his Congregation

Going as a Missionary to the Yukon—The Decision of a Popular Preacher

The congregation of the First Presbyterian church had a very unpleasant surprise last Sunday morning, when their pastor, Rev. W. E. Knowles, announced from the pulpit his intention to resign his pastorate. This was the first intimation the church had of this unexpected action on the part of their beloved pastor, and they were naturally much astonished and grieved to hear of his sudden leaving. Mr. Knowles in addressing his congregation gave no reasons for his action and said that the causes were entirely of a personal character. He spoke very feelingly of the pleasant and enjoyable conditions that had always existed between himself and the congregation and intimated that he was much grieved in taking this step. He hoped that none in the congregation would in any way discuss with him his reasons for resigning his charge, as he had firmly made up his mind to leave Chatham. Mr. Knowles leaves in two weeks for the Yukon, where he is going as a missionary.

The matter came up at the meeting of the Presbytery in St. Andrew's church this morning. Mr. Knowles addressed the Presbytery. "I have decided to enter upon missionary work in the Yukon," said he, "and I desire to leave Chatham as soon as possible. I have given the congregation the usual two weeks' notice. I would ask the Presbytery to hold their special meeting next week in order that preparations can be made for my departure at once, as navigation closes early and it will be necessary for me to get in at an early date."

Mr. Tolmie moved that the resignation be accepted and that the congregation of First church be notified of a meeting next Tuesday morning at ten o'clock to deal with the matter. "It is with deep regret," said he, "that I make this motion; I am exceedingly sorry to see Mr. Knowles take this step. While they admire his action in going to the Home Mission field, the congregation are sorry to see him go, and highly appreciate the splendid work he has done here."

Dr. Battisby—I would second that motion, but it would come with very poor taste from me. Mr. Knowles and I have always got along admirably, which is more than I can say for previous pastors of the First Presbyterian Church. I sincerely regret his departure and earnestly wish that success may attend his efforts in the Yukon. The vigorous climate there may also suit his health better than the climate here. I hope he may be long spared in the country where he is going. We have never had an angry word. When he came here he gave me a warm handshake and the friendship which sprang up between

us has never ceased to exist. Mr. Knowles made a brief reply. He said,—"I appreciate the kind words of the brethren and I regret to leave. It is easier for me to go with these kind words, as it gets rid of any idea of being hurried off. Dr. Battisby and I have always been friendly and I shall regret to say good-bye when the time comes to do so." The moderator, Rev. Mr. Ross, then on behalf of the Presbytery spoke a few kind words of Mr. Knowles' work here, and expressed the regret of the Presbytery in his departure.

THE CAR SHOPS

Ald. Walter Piggett, chairman of the civic industrial committee, is in receipt of an interesting communication from General Manager Carpenter, of the Pere Marquette Railroad. Mr. Carpenter writes concerning the establishment and building of the car shops and says that, all things even, Chatham has the preference.

WHAT SHALL WE FEED BABY ON?—Many mothers upon perceiving that their little ones are not growing as healthy babies should, ask the question, "What shall we feed baby on?" We answer without hesitation "Lactated Food," the only nourishment perfectly adapted for infantile growth and expansion. Lactated Food is relished by every baby; it favors digestive strength, it prevents dysentery and diarrhoea, it enables the child to rest and sleep well, and mother is relieved of all care and anxiety. Lactated Food makes strong babies. All Druggists recommend it.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, Sept. 7, 1903.

Wheat	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
Sept.	80 1/2	80 3/4	80	80
Dec.	82 1/2	82 3/4	81 1/2	81 1/2
May.	84 1/2	84 3/4	84	84
Corn				
Sept.	52	52 1/2	51	51
Dec.	51 1/2	52	50 1/2	51
May.	54 1/2	55	52	51
Oats				
Sept.	36	36	35 1/2	35 1/2
Dec.	37 1/2	37 3/4	37	37
May.	39 1/2	39 3/4	38 1/2	38 1/2
Pork				
Sept.	1265	1270	1265	1270
Oct.	1285	1287	1280	1287
Lard				
Sept.	880	895	880	895
Oct.	882	895	882	895
Ribs				
Sept.	822	830	822	827
Oct.	817	850	817	837

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Hon. J. A. Davidson of Manitoba is in a critical condition.

Mr. Daniel Churchill of South Norwich died while sitting in church.

The differences among the leaders of the German Socialist party have ceased to be a serious matter.

St. Andrew's Church, Beaverton, founded seventy-one years ago, celebrated a number of interesting anniversaries.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be asked by a deputation to use his influence to secure the Jubilee presents for the Ottawa Fair.

Rain interfered with the celebration of Labor Day throughout the Province. Five thousand people gathered at Port Colborne, and Sir William Mulock spoke.

Tenders Wanted

Sealed, bulk or separate tenders addressed to Church Committee will be received at the office of the undersigned until Wednesday, September 16th, for the various trades, including slate roofing and art required in the erection and completion of a brick parsonage at Baldoon.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Two story frame house on Lorne Ave., containing parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, one bedroom downstairs, and three bedrooms, bathroom and clothes closets, upstairs. Brick cellar and brick foundation. Large coal and wood shed. Everything in first-class repair. Price, \$1,500.

Two story frame house, double parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, fine bedrooms, cellar, large veranda, stable. Price \$1,300.

Money to Loan at 4 1/2 per cent.

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C. P. R. ANNUAL REPORT.

LAND SALES AMOUNTED TO NEARLY \$10,000,000.

To Improve Terminals—An Expenditure of \$4,500,000 Proposed—Stock and Debentures Sold—New Lines Building.

Montreal, Sept. 8.—The C. P. R. Company to-day will issue to the shareholders their 22nd annual report, being a statement for the year ended June 30, 1903. The details of the financial statement, which show net earnings of \$15,836,845, and a surplus after payment of all fixed charges and dividends of \$3,973,960, have already been published. The working expenses for the year amounted to 63.57 per cent. of the gross earnings, and the net earnings to 36.03 per cent., as compared with 64.44 and 37.56 per cent. respectively in 1902.

Reference is made to the acquisition of new branch lines, and the report continues:—The residue of the issue of preference stock previously authorized by you for the purpose of the company, amounting to £273,082, was created and sold during the year. Four per cent. consolidated debentures stock to the amount of £764,350 was also created and sold, and the proceeds were used to cover the cost of the Pacific coast steamships and for the acquisition of the bonds of other companies, whose lines constitute a portion of your system, the interest on which had with your authority been guaranteed by your company.

The land sales for the year amounted to 4,639,517 acres, for the price of \$9,695,973, being an average of \$3.67 per acre.

During the year the guarantee of your company as to interest was endorsed on consolidated bonds of the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company to the amount of \$2,454,000, representing the cost of 122.7 miles of additional railway constructed by that company.

Under the authority of the resolution passed at the last annual meeting your directors purchased from the Elder Dempster Company fifteen steamships, constituting that company's Canadian Atlantic fleet, the purchase price of the vessels and of the goodwill of the sellers being £1,417,500 sterling. This amount has been temporarily advanced from your surplus earnings, pending the issue and sale of 4 per cent. consolidated debenture stock to a like amount, which you will be asked to authorize at this meeting.

An unfortunate accident resulted in the loss of one of the freight steamers. The amount required in excess of the insurance to replace this vessel will, of course, be charged against revenue.

Many of the new works on which capital has been expended are being carried out on a more comprehensive scale than was originally contemplated, and the increase of nearly 50 per cent. of the public and your own financial advantage, provide forthwith many additional facilities calculated to assist in promoting promptness and economy in the handling of your traffic, that under ordinary conditions might have been spread over a number of years.

Notwithstanding your large outlay in the past for lands, tracks, buildings, and other works on your more important terminals like St. John, Montreal, Toronto, Ottawa and Winnipeg, the facilities at most of these points are quite inadequate for present demands, and as a result there is frequent congestion, resulting in inconvenience and expense to everybody concerned.

With a view to remedying these conditions, and in order that the work of bringing your property to a high standard of efficiency may be continued without cessation, you will be asked to authorize the directors to expend capital for these general purposes to an amount not exceeding \$4,500,000.

SAM PARKS WAS THERE.

Headed a Labor Day Parade in New York City.

New York, Sept. 8.—The central feature of the Labor Day celebration was the parade of union workmen, which took place yesterday, representatives of unions in the building trades and of some outside unions marching under the leadership of Sam J. Parks, walking delegate of the Housecarpenter and Bridgemen's Union (who was recently convicted on charges of extortion, and allowed out on bail pending an appeal). The parade proceeded down Fifth avenue from the plaza.

Sam Parks, mounted on a white horse, at his head. Behind him and his associate walking delegates came an open carriage, containing William S. Devery, former Chief of Police, bondsmen, and Assemblyman Butler, this carriage being flanked by one containing Mrs. Samuel Parks. After the carriages containing the walking delegates of the various organizations in the parade, Parks' progress from 59th street to Washington arch was attended with cheering remarks and plaudits. At eight or ten different points women standing at the curb hissed while Parks was passing, and then turned to cheering the rest of the parade. On several occasions there was hissing on the other. The parade was reviewed by no city official, and the only approach to a formal review was made near the end of the route, where Parks and those in the carriages halted while the paraders drilled before them. The parade then broke up and the organizations scattered.

SENSATION IN COREA.

Purchase by Japan of Strategically Important Island the Cause.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.—The following despatch has been received here from Port Arthur:—The purchase by the Japanese of the small island of Sambak, near Mokho, which is strategically important, has caused a considerable sensation in Corea.

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EMPRESS
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Are the best goods ever offered to the trade.

Our Empress, \$2.00.
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Our Empress, \$3.00.
Our Empress, \$3.50.
Our Empress, \$4.00.

We will defy all other competitors to beat these goods at these prices.

TURRILL,
THE SHOE MAN.

CHOIR CHANGES

The session of the First Presbyterian church met on Friday night to consider matters pertaining to the choir and its organization. There were present at the meeting the Moderator, Rev. W. E. Knowles, K. Urquhart, James Birch, Andrew Thomson, Sr., D. R. Farquharson, William Robertson and Colonel J. B. Rankin.

It was moved by William Robertson, seconded by Kenneth Urquhart, that the resignations of the choir leader, H. C. Philp, and his organist, Miss Mary Brackin, be accepted, and that they be retired from their duties after the following Sunday. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Philp explained that as he had so many duties to attend to already that it was impossible for him to give the required attention to the choir.

It was moved by Col. J. B. Rankin, seconded by James Birch, that Fred Stone, William Robertson and the mover be a committee to wait on Mrs. John Cooper and report to the session.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BOGART—On Saturday, Sept. 5th, the wife of Milton R. Bogart, of a daughter.

plain cooking, for family, adults. Good wages \$3 per week. Write to Mrs. F. S. North, 100 Elm street, Detroit, Mich.

MUSICAL.

Voice Culture and Concert Engagements.

Mrs. S. C. Walker, Soprano, will receive pupils for instruction in Voice Culture at her home, 111 Elizabeth St. Mrs. Walker has had good training from the best of teachers; will also accept concert engagements.

Miss Ada F. Ross

Contralto Soloist, St. Andrew's Church, Chatham, Ont.

TEACHER OF SINGING.
Studio over O'Keefe's. Concert engagements accepted.

Miss Flossie Bogart

Organist of Christ Church, pupil of Mr. Julius V. Seyler, Detroit, will resume her classes Monday, Sept. 7th. Pupils will kindly call and arrange lesson hours at once. For terms, etc., apply at residence 36 Cross Street.

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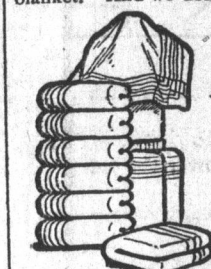
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The best advantage is here. Every blanket we sell is a dependable blanket. And we don't hesitate to tell you what it is made of, either. If all wool, we say so. If half wool, half cotton, we tell you, and if it's all cotton, we are just as frank about it. Our stock is now complete with all new and BETTER BLANKETS than we have ever had the pleasure of showing you. THIS IS A SAFE PLACE TO BUY BLANKETS.



At \$2.50 per Pair—Our leader, strictly pure wool White Blanket, finished with pink or blue borders, clean yarns, soft make, evenly woven, size, 60 in. by 80 in. Per pair, \$2.50.

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At \$2.25 a Pair—Velo Brand—Union Blanket, choice quality, clean yarns, soft make, blue border, unshrinkable, size, 64x84 in., special per pair, \$2.25.

GREY BLANKETS—Special values in Grey Blankets, for common use, the pure wool kind, large size, 7 lb. weight, at \$3.25 pair.

Union makes, heavy soft finish, at \$2 and \$2.75 pair.

WHITE WOOL BLANKETS—THE BAYFORD BRAND. This blanket is made of fine pure wool yarns, fancy pink and blue borders, large sizes, warranted unshrinkable, 5 lb. weight, \$2.50 pair; 8 lb. weight \$4 pair; 10 lb weight \$5.00 pair.

COTTON BLANKETS—Our Fall stock now at hand in cream or grey shades, 10-4 size, 75c a pair; 11-4 size, 95c. pair; 12-4 size, \$1.25 pair

The Smart New Suits for Women.

The immediate desire is for walking suits, with short skirts that just touch the ground. Women are apparently through carrying a heavy load of train in the streets. Good sense—and infinitely looking to see the skirt hanging in the graceful lines the tailor designed than mussed up and carried in a bunch, tiresome and ugly.

The long coats and graceful skirts are wonderfully stylish, and so different. Made of Tweeds and Novelty Cloths. Jackets are silk lined, with collar or collarless. Some are trimmed with straps of stitched broadcloth. Skirts are gored flare, finished with lapped seams and stitching. Prices \$15, \$16.50 and \$18.00. Please call on C. Austin & Co. for more details.

Clothing Department.

September Ushers in the New.

All over the store the new Fall Goods are appearing. Summer is behind us. All eyes are looking forward to the delightful days of autumn. New apparel, new things for the autumn days are wanted by all. We're getting ready as fast as we can meet the demands that are coming earlier than ever this season. See what is ready even now.



Men's Fancy Suits.—In Plain Botany and Novelty Patterns. Just a few of the many groups of fall clothes that we have ready for men who dress well. Pure botany worsted blue serge, stylish, practical, a happy medium, not too dressy for business wear, yet will do in a pinch for afternoon dress occasions. The blue serge sack suits are double and single breasted as you choose. Double-breasted coats are 3-button, a loose but sharply tucked. Single-breasted coats have 3 to 4 buttons, are slightly cut away and have a neat collar and lapel. Suits are full of style and swing, and as to tailoring—collars and button holes are perfectly made. Shoulders are carefully padded. Canvas linings are carefully shrunk. Prices are \$10, \$12, \$13.50, \$15.

New Rain Coats for Men.—These rainy September days suggest rain coats and we are showing a big range of the popular Rain Proof Cloth Coats, light in weight, porous, best still thoroughly waterproof, no overheating like the paramatta waterproof, handsome shadings, grey, olive and fawn, full range of sizes, prices range at 7.50, 9, 10, 12. This coat makes a swell overgarment for fall as well as a rain coat.

Waterproof Coats.—For the man who drives, a full range in plain, grey, fawn and olive shades, made single and double breasted, Chesterfield styles, prices \$2.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00.



New Suits for School Boys.—The Austin Special. Better than ever, made for real boys, of all things don't tell a boy he must be careful of his clothes. Who would give a snap for a boy that couldn't whoop and holler and tear around generally. That's his life. "Austin Special" Suits are made for such boys.

Best and stoutest all wool materials we can find. All seams well sewn, strong durable linings, double breasted jackets, knee trousers, made of neat genteel pattern tweeds and plain worsted serges, sizes 5 to 15 years, suits matched nowhere at the prices,

\$2.50 to \$4.50.

C. Austin & Company

Good Values Please People

This week we show a good new assortment of WHISKY at right prices—10c., 15c., 20c., 25c. and 35c., all good values.

A. J. McCall & CO., LIMITED
CHATHAM, DRUGGISTS AND OPTICIANS DRESDEN

It's Fresh.

The oatmeal that we sell is strictly fresh. It is ground specially for us from carefully selected oats. No poor oats and no hulls are left in. We are particular to have our oatmeal ground this way all the time, and you can depend on getting it good always.

7 lbs. for 25c.

Fine Cleaned Currants, 3 lbs for 25c
Selected Raisins, 3 pounds for 25c
Our Pure Baking Powder, per lb 25c
Our Best Extra, 2 bottles for 25c
Pure Ground Spices, per 1 lb 10c

H. Malcolmson.

COMPLEXION BRUSHES!!!

Nature and a complexion brush can undo most of the havoc that time and the weather works. Nature renews a complexion when you take pains to stimulate the circulation and to brush off the worn out tissues.

Complexion brushes do make good complexion and sooner or later you will use one. We make it easy for you to use one now.

Our prices are very low and we carry the sort of brushes that have received the highest approval.

The Red Cross Drug Store,

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Horses Wanted



The undersigned will be in Chatham

On Saturday Next

to buy first-class Heavy Draft and General Purpose Horses.

Highest prices paid.

Walter Harland Smith.

Early Closing.....

You have, no doubt, noticed that we now close at 7 every evening instead of staying open until 9 or 9.30 as heretofore. We appreciate the fact that our hours were entirely too long, and in order to give our clerks some chance for recreation we have decided on the shorter hours. We will, of course, on Saturdays and evenings preceding holidays be open until 10.30.

Might we ask for your co-operation in making early closing a success?

J. C. WANLESS,

4 Doors East of Market, Phone 65, Chatham, Ont.

Any irregularity on the part of The Planet's carrier boys will be immediately remedied by calling at the office or phoning 56a.

DR. A. W. THORNTON
DENTIST.

has removed to his New Office
Corner King and Fifth Streets,
over A. I. McCall's Drug Store.
Telephone Office 164.

TO-NIGHT.

Senior Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh Park, at 5.

Junior Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh park at 6.15.

Band Concert Excursion to the Eau, C. P. R. station, at 7.20.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Last band concert of the season at Rondau to-night

Our American rubbers will fit French and Military heels—The Urban Store.

Mrs. Wright, Port Huron, Mich., is visiting with Mrs. Alex. McDougall, Cross St.

Our stock of American rubbers to fit our shoes have just arrived. Call and see them—The Urban.

Miss Agnes Wright, head milliner for Thibodeau & Jacques, and Miss Minnie Hersey, her able assistant, will be attending the millinery openings at New York and Toronto have returned to the city.

Rondeau Service—On and after Wednesday, Sept. 9th, train leaves Chatham 1 p.m. Blenheim 1.25 p.m. Leave Rondeau 3 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays until Oct. 31st.

Dancing parties will be held every Thursday night at eight o'clock at Oliver Brown's hotel, Mitchell's Bay.

Good floor management. Barri's orchestra in attendance. All are invited.

We notice that the Urban Store started out right in observing Labor Day by closing up all day.

NEW HOTEL AT THE FALLS.

Arrangements to Rebuild the Old Clifton House About Completed.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Sept. 8.—A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Clifton Hotel Company, Limited, of this place, was held this afternoon.

The following gentlemen were represented: Messrs. William B. Rankine of Niagara Falls, N.Y.; A. J. Wright and James R. Smith of Buffalo, T. G. Blackstock, K.C.; Frederic Nicholls, Albert E. Gooderham, W. H. Brouse of Toronto; Charles Crosby of Pittsburgh, Pa., and A. Munro Grier, K.C., of this town.

The directors elected the following officers:—President, Mr. Rankine; Vice-Presidents, Mr. Blackstock and Mr. Nicholls; Secretary, Treasurer, Mr. Grier; The Executive Committee will consist of the officers, together with Mr. Smith and Mr. Wright.

The company was formed, with a capital stock of \$325,000, to build a first-class resort hotel upon the site of the former Clifton House. The site has been secured, and the Executive Committee has been authorized to go ahead and make plans and enter upon contracts at an early date. The hotel will be in the colonial style, with two hundred rooms, and will be ready to open in 1905.

HORSEMEN SUSPENDED.

Charged With Misrepresentation at the Fair.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—A sharp lesson was read exhibitors in the horse section of the Exhibition yesterday. For a long time there have been complaints of technical evasion of the rules, but of irregularities which embarrassed the genuine horse breeder and injured the reputation of the Exhibition. These irregularities reached such a pitch that it was hardly possible to have the usual parade of horses in the morning, and it became a question whether the Exhibition ran the horse buyers or the horse exhibitors.

The Executive Committee of the Exhibition resolved to suspend Messrs. Crow & Murray from exhibiting and to order the removal of all their horses from the grounds.

That is as far as the committee will go at present. The offences charged by the directors are, first, that Messrs. Crow & Murray exhibited a horse and removed it from the grounds without permission, and second, that they showed a horse which was not entered. These are the accusations on which the committee stand.

The committee believe that other exhibitors were guilty of similar offences, but were not detected.

Chatham's Millinery Store!

Children's School Hats

Trimmed and Untrimmed

25 CENTS

C.A. Cooksley's,

KING STREET.

DIED FROM MEASLES.

Large Numbers of Esquimaux Carried Off.

Winnipeg, Sept. 8.—Steamboat Inspector Phillips, who has just returned from an official trip to all points on the Mackenzie River and tributaries, where steamboats are in commission, going as far north as the Pelly River, 300 miles within the arctic circle, stated that during the past two years the Esquimaux tribes of the Mackenzie region have suffered from an epidemic of measles, the deaths from the disease having exceeded some bands to such an extent that there are very few left. At Fort Resolution, on the Pelly River, where usually a large number of Esquimaux meet the Hudson Bay boats, there was not one this year. The disease was contracted by these people through a visit to Dawson, and, as they had absolutely no care, the disease spread, and they left the dead all along the trail on the way home. Among one tribe at the north end of Great Slave Lake about eighty of these poor people died from the disease.

Mr. Phillips' trip occupied three and a half months, and the distance travelled exceeded 8,000 miles.

THRESHING RECORDS.

Favorable Reports From the Northwest.

Winnipeg, Sept. 8.—Reports coming in from the district where threshing is going on are to the effect that the work is being cleaned up rapidly. The straw is light and can be handled easily, the product of one hundred acres in some cases being put through in a day. A report comes from Emerson that one machine working in that locality thrashed 2,300 bushels in a day, and a thrasher in the Carman district reports 3,000 as a day's record for his machine. The yield is heavier than usual.

A gentleman writing to a business friend in this city says that although the wheat crops in the Indian Head district in 1902-03 were considered "bummers" the yield this season will be fully ten per cent. heavier.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Canadian Cable News Service Bill Passed.

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—There was a slim attendance at the House, and, in view of the desire of many members to participate in the Labor Day celebration, the Premier acquiesced in Mr. Monk's suggestion for an adjournment at 1 o'clock. A lengthy discussion took place on the subsidy to the Canadian cable news service, the bill being eventually passed. The only other bill taken up was a minor amendment to the Mounted Police act.

The Committee on Banking and Commerce reported the bill authorizing the Western Assurance Company to establish a transfer office in London, England.

Seven Bodies Washed Ashore.

Port Jefferson, L.I., N.Y., Sept. 7.—Seven bodies have been washed ashore between Port Jefferson and Wading River. It is supposed that they are those of sailors who were lost from a schooner that capsized in the storm of August 25. Coroner Gibson has been notified and will hold an inquest.

New Railway Line Opened.

Newtownville, Sept. 7.—The G. T. R. officials on board passenger train No. 4 made the first run over the new track from Newtownville Station to Port Hope this morning.

—The Master Mechanic's Pure Tar Soap heals and softens the skin, while promptly cleansing it of grease, oil, rust, etc. Invaluable for mechanics, farmers, sportsmen. Free sample on Toilet Soap Co. Mfrs., Montreal. If

A solid foot contains 1,728 solid inches.

You Taught Me Something.

Said this young man to one of our salesmen last Saturday.

I wanted a patent laced shoe last fall and could not find them to fit me anywhere else but here. I expected to pay five dollars and you advised me to try your Universal patent leather line at 64 and so I did. I have worn nothing ever since.

"They'll please you too."

Geo. W. Cowan.



Sept.

Gordon's Fall Programme

1903.

We open the Fall campaign with pleasant anticipations of the future, from experiences of the past. We shall again furnish thousands of customers with their Fall and Winter supplies in

Dress Goods, Furs, Ladies' Coats, Jackets, Capes and Ready-to-Wear Garments.

Our purpose is to attract the shy, please the extremely fastidious, and we know the great majority of sensible people are sure to secure here with proper polite attention what they want.

IN DRESS GOODS.

Buy now, you have the best choice and dressmakers are not rushed. We place in stock a large English importation of the latest dress weaves, and everything desirable in Fall Dress Goods gathered for you to select from. Miss Collinson has returned and we are ready to receive your orders in our dressmaking parlors, assuring you perfection of fit and fashion at reasonable prices every time. We shall announce the opening of our Fall Millinery later on.

FINE FURS—SEE WINDOWS—Nothing has been left undone to make us leaders. Our reputation has been attained and we shall offer critical buyers the latest styles and finest qualities from a perfectly assorted fur stock confident that Mr. Andrew, with a 20 year's fur experience, will please and profit every purchaser. Consider The Gordon Store your headquarters. Prompt attention to repairing. A full stock of Pelts, Heads, Tails, Claws, and Fur Trimmings.

Ladies' Silk Suits, Silk Skirts, Silk Waists—In these beautiful garments we show the most choice goods imported. Our selections of New York Silk Suits are just what Chatham ladies needed all along. Here they are.

WILLIAM GORDON

LANDSDOWNE MAY RESIGN.

Storm Aroused by Report of the War Commission.

London, Sept. 8.—As an outcome of the disclosures made in the report of the South African War Commission, it is rumored in well-informed quarters here that the resignation of Lord Lansdowne, the former Secretary for War and the present Secretary of Foreign Affairs, may be expected shortly. It is added that he will be succeeded as Foreign Secretary by Mr. Brodick, the present Secretary for War, and that Mr. Wyndham, the Irish Secretary, will be head of the War Office.

A meeting of the Cabinet will be held shortly for the purpose of discussing the fiscal questions now before the country, but it is generally believed that the attitude of the people with respect to the findings of the War Commission, as shown by the proposal to send a monster petition to King Edward for Lord Lansdowne's dismissal, and by the publication of cartoons illustrating his incompetency, will be considered, and that something will be determined upon as necessary to stem the tide of indignation now setting in against the Ministry.

What shrunk your woollens? Why did holes wear so soon? You used common soap.

SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE

Ask for the Octagon Bar.

CHAMBERLAIN'S SCHEME.

Will be Found Milder Than at First Supposed.

London, Sept. 8.—A meeting of the Cabinet has been definitely fixed for the 14th, and it is believed that Macedonian affairs will occupy the attention of the Ministers more than fiscal matters. I am told on excellent authority that when Mr. Chamberlain's scheme is definitely before the country it will be found to be much milder and more tentative in character than is generally supposed. Mr. Chamberlain's idea is a gradual development of the scheme, subject, of course, to what support it obtains during the Parliamentary recess.

CAMP MEETING BATTLE.

Three Men Killed and Several Others Wounded.

Somerset, Ky., Sept. 8.—Three Men were killed and several wounded in a battle at a camp meeting twelve miles east of Somerset last night. Services were in progress when William Bolton, a constable, attempted to arrest two brothers, J. and G. Richmond. A fight followed, in which Bolton, though wounded, killed both the Richmonds, and was himself killed by Columbus Garrison. Several persons were wounded by stray shots. Officers are searching for Garrison.

Hotel Rates Reduced

The Queen's Hotel, Toronto, American plan, from \$2.50 per day, with bath from \$3.00, per day.

People seldom improve when they have no other model but themselves to copy after.

TO-NIGHT

THE BUFFALO MYSTERY

—AT—

Grand Opera House.

PRICES: 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

Binder Twine!

We are offering Twine for the corn harvest at the following prices, payable Oct. 1st, or 1 1/2 per cent. off for cash:—

600 feet pure Manila at 11c. per lb.

550 " " 11c. "

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All twine guaranteed satisfactory or money refunded.

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THE QUESTION OF THE HOUR

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Plain Suitings in all weights and new colors of Blues, Brown, Greens, Greys, Fawns, Black and Reds, at 75c. to \$2.00.

Scotch Suitings in all the new colorings of Grey, Blue, Brown, Green, etc., 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$2.00.

A fine assortment of High Class Black Dress Goods.

New Wire Suitings, Mohairs, New New Crepe de Chine, Granite Suitings, Satin Cloths, Fine Broadcloths, New Zebeline, Basket Cloths, New Cheviots from 50c. to \$2.00.

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Liberal Terms and privileges to Borrowers. Apply to LEWIS & RICHARDS

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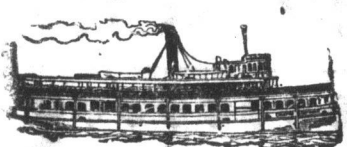
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S. F. GARDINER, Manager.

Change of Time.



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Will make her regular round trip from CHATHAM to DETROIT every Monday and Wednesday.

Leaving Rankin dock, South Chatham, at 7:30 a. m., and returning leaves Detroit (foot of Randolph St.) at 3:30 p. m. Detroit time, or 4 o'clock Chatham time.

Will also make round trips from Detroit to Chatham every Friday and Saturday.

Leaving Detroit, foot of Randolph St., at 8:30 p. m., Detroit time, or 9 a. m., Chatham time, returning will leave Chatham at 3:30 p. m., Detroit time, or 4 p. m., Chatham time, arriving in Detroit about 8:30 p. m.

FARES.

ROUND TRIP, 60c

SINGLE TRIP, 30c

Agents—Stringer & Co., Chatham, Ontario & Wherry, Windsor; John Stevenson, Detroit.

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Money to Loan on Mortgages at 4 1/2 and 5 per Cent.

FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 feet front by 208 feet deep, \$1100.00.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 ft., good stable, \$1100.00.

House and lot, 9 rooms, \$1050.00.

House and lot, 5 rooms, \$400.00.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 60 acres. All cleared. Good house and barn, \$3000.00.

Farm in Township of Harwich, 200 acres. Large house, barn and out-buildings, \$12,000.00.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 40 acres. Good house, new stable and granary, \$2250.00.

Ten acres in suburbs of Chatham, \$1500.00.

Valuable suburban residence, 11 rooms; with seven acres of land. Good stable, \$8000.00.

Apply to

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EYE SIGHT IS PRICELESS.

Don't neglect any little trouble with your eyes—it may be a great big trouble before long.

Our examination by a skilled Optician is both FREE and FAIR—if there is nothing wrong, we'll tell you. All kinds of Optical Goods on hand.

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SIGN OF BIG CLOCK, CHATHAM.

Mind's Liniment Cures Garget in

Township Councils.

CAMDEN.

The council of Camden met Aug. 10th and 11th, all members present. Last minutes were read and adopted. Accounts and communications were read.

Account from M. Thompson of \$12.60 for five sheep killed by dogs—Ordered paid.

At 10:30 o'clock the court of revision on the Helmsome drain was opened with the reeve in the chair. The appeals were read and on motion of Brown-McCutcheon the court adjourned until the eighth day of September at ten o'clock a. m.

Council resumed general business.

Brown-McCutcheon, that the notice of Josiah Hughson to repair the Cryderman drain be entertained and the clerk notify J. W. Shackleton to take the levels, prepare plans and estimates and assess all lands benefited or using said drain as amounted and report as soon as possible.—Carried.

Stewart-Hughson, that in the matter of appeal of Chatham township re Bear creek assessment against Dover and Camden township, the reeve and clerk be empowered to look after the interest of Camden.—Carried.

Stewart-Hughson, that the communication from county clerk re co-operation of township councils with county council in the matter of arrears of taxes be received and placed on file.—Carried.

Court of revision on Vance drain was opened and there being no appeals the engineer's assessment was confirmed and the court closed.

The report on Runciman drain was read and adopted and the clerk instructed to prepare a by-law.

The by-law on the Dixon drain was received and adopted.

The engineer's report on the south branch of Pike's creek was read and adopted and the clerk was instructed to prepare by-law.

At 10 o'clock the court of revision on Logan drain was opened with reeve in the chair.

The appeals were read and the evidence taken and the following resolution passed:

McCutcheon-Hughson, that after hearing the evidence or appeals on the Logan drain the following changes be made:

W 1/2 s 1/2 lot 4, con. 4, be reduced \$4 for outlet.

E 1/2 s 1/2 lot 3, con. 3 be raised \$1 \$3.00 for benefit.

N. ten acres, w 1/2 s 1/2 lot 8, con. 3, reduced \$7.00 for benefit.

E 1/2 s 1/2 lot 8, con. 3, reduced \$3 for benefit.

N.E. pt. lot 9, con. 3, reduced \$3 for benefit.

E 1/2 s 1/2 lot 5, con. 4 be raised \$1 for outlet.

W 1/2 s 1/2 lot 5, con. 4 be raised \$2.00 for outlet.

N 1/2 lot 4, con. 3, be raised \$1.00 for outlet.

S 1/2 lot 5, con. 3 be raised \$2.00 for outlet.

E 1/2 s 1/2 lot 6, con. 3, be raised \$1.00 for benefit.

N 1/2 s 1/2 lot 8, con. 3, be raised \$2; pt. lot 13, con. 1, be assessed \$2; and the n.e. pt. s.w. 1/2 lot 12, con. 1, assessed to E. Graves, be assessed to Philip Benjamin and the engineer's assessment as amended be confirmed and the court now close.—Carried.

At three o'clock p. m. the court of revision on the McDonald-Bader drain was opened with J. W. Stewart in the chair. The appeals were read and the evidence taken and the following resolution passed:

Brown-Elgie, that after hearing the evidence on the McDonald-Bader drain amendment the following changes be made: W 1/2 of n.w. pt. lot 5, con. 10, be reduced \$10; n. pt. w 1/2 lot 4, con. 10 be raised \$5; n.e. pt. w 1/2 lot 6, con. 10, be assessed \$2; n.p. e. 1/2 lot 4, con. 10, be raised \$2; n. 1/2 e 1/2 lot 5, con. 11, be raised \$1, and the engineer's assessment as amended be confirmed and the court now close.—Carried.

Council resumed general business.

Stewart-McCutcheon, that the engineer's report on Scott drain be adopted and the clerk prepare a by-law in accordance therewith.—Carried.

Hughson-Stewart, that the engineer's report on the McBrien drain as read be adopted and the clerk prepare a by-law in accordance therewith.—Carried.

Engineer-Stewart, that J. W. Smith, C.E. be paid the sum of \$82 and the reeve give his order for same and charge as per account rendered.—Carried.

Shackleton-Brown, that J. W. Stewart, C.E. be paid the sum of \$96 and the reeve give his order for same and charge as per account rendered.—Carried.

Council adjourned to meet on Tuesday, August 11th, ten o'clock a. m. council met pursuant to adjournment, all members present.

The court on the Cragg-Tiffin drain was opened with reeve in the chair.

The appeals were read and the evidence taken and the following resolution passed:

Hughson-Stewart, that after hearing the appeals on the Cragg-Tiffin drain amendment, the following change be made:

That \$2 be taken off n. pt. s.e. 1/4 of lot 10, con. 13, and added to assessment on River road and the

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engineer's assessment as amended be confirmed and the court now close.—Carried.

The court on the McKinly drain was opened at eleven o'clock with reeve in the chair. There were no appeals and the following resolution was passed:

Stewart-Brown, that as there are no appeals on the McKinly drain assessment the engineer's assessment be confirmed and the court now close.—Carried.

The court on the Benjamin drain was opened at one o'clock p. m. with reeve in the chair. The appeals were read and the evidence taken and the following resolution passed:

McCutcheon-Brown, that the following changes be made in the assessment on the Benjamin drain: The s.w. pt. n.w. 1/4 lot 13, con. 1, be reduced \$4; middle pt. n.w. 1/4 at two-thirty o'clock the court on the Traxler-Pavey drain was opened with the reeve in the chair.

The appeals were read and the evidence taken and the following resolution was passed:

Hughson-McCutcheon, that after hearing the evidence on appeal on Traxler-Pavey drain, the engineer's assessment be confirmed and the court now close.—Carried.

Council resumed general business.

Brown-Hughson, that as notice has been served on this council of intention to appeal to drainage referee to set aside proceedings in the matter of Helmsome drain, the reeve proceed to file our objections and defences in the case as necessary.—Carried.

McCutcheon-Hughson, that the commissioner of Div. No. 5 be instructed to give an order on the treasurer for \$3 to Mr. R. Langford for planting stones at stakes set by surveyor on side road 6 and 7.—Carried.

Stewart-Hughson, that the assessment of \$5 on Little Bear creek made by township of Dover against the township of Camden be paid and the reeve give his order on the treasurer for the same.—Carried.

McCutcheon-Hughson, that the reeve give J. W. Stewart an order on treasurer for \$7.33, being two-thirds value of three sheep killed by dogs.—Carried.

Stewart-McCutcheon, that the necessary steps to drain and put in a proper state of repair the Ave and six side road in w 1/2 con. 7, Gore.—Carried.

Account of W. H. Willson of \$3.80 for medicine supplied Chas. Hart ordered and paid, charged to board of health.

Account of Dr. J. Recket of \$7.50 for medicine for Wm. Loughren ordered paid and charged to charity.

Council adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, August 25th, 1903.

Council met pursuant to adjournment, all members present. Last minutes read and adopted. Accounts and communications read.

The report on the Harris drain was read and adopted.

By-law on Harris drain read necessary number of times and adopted.

By-law on McBrien drain read necessary number of times and adopted.

The by-law on S. Branch Pileas creek was read and provisionally adopted and clerk instructed to serve the copies.

The by-law on Scott-Bedford-Ellis drain was read the necessary number of times and provisionally adopted and the clerk instructed to serve the required copies.

The clerk was instructed to serve the township of Chatham with reports on the following drains: Renciman, S. Branch Pileas creek, Scott-Bedford-Ellis, and Hazlett drains.

John Webster was appointed collector of taxes for year 1903.

The following accounts were ordered paid: Geo. W. Brown, assistance on Logan drain, \$6; Geo. W. Brown, assistance on Scott-Bedford-Ellis drain, \$12; John McCutcheon, assistance on McBrien drain, \$8; T. N. Wilson, on printing contract and envelope, \$27; Municipal World, collector's roll, etc., \$6.27.

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Valuable Special Knowledge.

The unique botanical knowledge of Sir George Birdwood, one of the most erudite men in the India service, once enabled him to perform almost unconsciously a neat bit of detective work.

He was in Bombay when he was asked to investigate the case of a young nobleman who in applying to the governor for an appointment represented that he was just out from England and that his letters of introduction had been lost on the voyage.

A few days after Dr. Birdwood, as he then was, had undertaken the investigation he met the young nobleman at dinner at the governor's house. The table decorations of orchids suggested a conversational opening, and Dr. Birdwood's praise drew from the young nobleman standing opposite:

"You should see the Amherstia nobilis in its native woods, sir."

It was a fatal remark.

"You come from Rangoon, then?" instantly exclaimed Dr. Birdwood.

The pale face, the silence that could be felt, the request of the young man that he might leave the table, all prepared the governor and the company for the subsequent discovery that he had absconded from Rangoon with some public funds.

How Roses Came to Be Red.

More than with any other flower does the color of the rose have special significance. Red is love, white is silence, yellow speaks jealousy, says N. Hudson Moore in the Delineator. One of the legends connected with the rose tells that it became white through being bathed with the tears of mourners who sought the sweetest flower to lay in the hands of their dead. A prettier conceit declares that all roses were white until one day young Cupid, dancing among them, upset in his merry sport a glass of wine, which dyed the roses upon which it fell red, its own color. Another legend tells the story of a holy little maid of Bethlehem who was doomed to death. When the stakes were heaped around her the fire would not burn, but the brands which had been flaming turned to red roses and those which had not caught to white. From this time forth roses, red and white, were married flowers. The Turks say that red roses spring from the blood of Mohammed.

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THE CHILD MIND.

Play and Its Significance—Prof. Murray, of Halifax, Lectures.

At the recent Presbyterian Summer School at Knox College, Toronto, Prof. Murray of Halifax delivered an address on "Child Mind and Teaching." He pointed out that the human being had certain instincts, but not the special instincts that he requires to meet civilized conditions. The aim of the teacher should be to enlarge the religious knowledge of the child, to utilize his instincts to interest him in religious things. It had been charged against such story writers as Seton-Thompson and Long that in dealing with animals they read too much of the man into their observations. What the teacher must avoid was reading too much of the adult into the child.

Prof. Murray entered into a long discourse with racy illustrations on the play of children. Spencer, he pointed out, had held child's play to be merely imitation of their elders. This was not the whole truth; little girls and little boys sought wholly different amusements; the real definition of play was that it was the expression of instincts. Many of those who had recently attended the General Assembly at Vancouver had visited Chinatown, and at least five different men had pointed out to him that Chinese children play just as Caucasian little ones do. But the customs of Chinese adults were entirely different from our own. Accepting the traditional view of the various periods in the life of the young, he pointed out that the first period was spent in acquiring sensations, or knowledge of the capabilities of the senses, touch, taste and smell. The second period was spent in competitive sports. Tag, hopscotch and the like were but tests of growing strength. Then, with adolescence of the social faculty.

Following up his subject, Prof. Murray showed that the ordinary human being acquired his knowledge of the world, first by a general impression, and then by a grasp of the details, taking the very apt illustration of how one recognizes a friend approaching from the distance. The general deduction he drew was that the teacher should avoid burdening a child's mind with the details of knowledge, and should rather pick out the salient features of his theme and appeal to the child through his imagination.

The Battle of Tecumseh.

On the 8th of July, 1758, was fought the battle of Tecumseh, by which a small force of Canadian volunteers, a few Indians and a small number of French soldiers under Montcalm defeated an army of British and American troops, far superior in numbers and discipline, commanded by Abercrombie. Montcalm, who was born in France, had been in the French service from the time he was fourteen years of age and had served his apprenticeship with the French army in Italy and Germany. In 1750 he was sent to take command of the French troops in Canada. France and England were at war at the time. Soon after Fort Ontario, arrival he had a small army of 8,000 Canadians he had suffered from lack of provisions, but by taking Fort William Henry, at the head of Lake George, he not only caused the garrison of 2,500 men to surrender, but he became possessed of 42 guns and large stores of ammunition and provisions. Word was received that Abercrombie was marching north with an immense army to invade Canada, and Montcalm entrenched himself at Fort Carillon (Ticonderoga) to await his coming. When the two forces met a fierce battle took place, which, however, lasted only four hours. At the end of that time the small Canadian force made the enemy, numbering 15,000, retreat in disorder.

Fish Journey Overland.

The two officers of the Provincial Fisheries Department, Mr. W. W. Ellis and Mr. W. R. Wood, who conducted the recent shipment of 400 parent bass to Rat Portage, where they were deposited in the vicinity of Lake of the Woods, have returned to Toronto. They report that the fish safely withstood their Lake Erie journey to the land, or rather the water, of their adoption. The citizens of Rat Portage were delighted with the prospect of better fishing which this gave promise of, and tendered the visitors the freedom of the town. Mr. Ellis reports that the trout fishing on the Nepigon River, by which he passed on the way home, is said to be excellent this year. A Chicago man who had been there every year for fifteen years, said he never saw it so good.

The Canada Fish Company, who have a fishing lease for Lake Nepigon, are expending large sums of money in the erection of buildings, etc., but have done little fishing as yet.

A carload of bass has also been deposited in the lakes in the County of Renfrew. They were conducted to Scotia Junction over the Grand Trunk and thence east over the Canada Atlantic.

Many Dangers.

Drink water and get typhoid. Drink milk and get tuberculosis. Drink whiskey and get the jimmies. Eat soup and get Bright's disease. Eat meat and encourage apoplexy. Eat oysters and acquire tinea. Eat vegetables and weaken the system. Eat dessert and take to pareisis. Smoke cigarettes and die early. Drink coffee and obtain nervous prostration. Drink wine and get the goit. In order to be entirely healthy, one must eat nothing, drink nothing, smoke nothing, and even be fore-breathing one should see that the air is properly sterilized.

Feeble Fear of the Opal.

Many people to this day have a superstitious dread of wearing opals, because they really believe stone. Three centuries ago the opal was an exceedingly fashionable gem, and the Italian goldsmiths particularly favored its use for their most exquisite settings.

The opal was at the height of its popularity when the plague broke out in Venice. Some especially observant individual discovered that when a plague stricken sufferer was at the point of death the opal, if he wore one, would grow brighter, and after his death it would grow dull. The reason for this appears to have been that the burning fever warmed the stone and that after death the damp and chill of the body dulled it. But many deduced from this a belief that it was the opal that had brought death and misfortune, and with the spread of this superstition the opal declined in popular favor.

Many persons would on no account whatever even accept one as a gift, much less wear what they foolishly deem the unlucky opal.

Courage of Wild Dogs.

The whole tribe of wild dogs, which in closely allied forms are to be found in the wildest jungles and woods of Asia, from the Himalayas to Ceylon and from China to the Taurus—unless the "golden wolves" of the Roman Empire are now extinct in the forests of Asia Minor—show an individual and corporate courage which entitles them to a high place among the most daring of wild creatures. The "red dogs," to give them their most characteristic name, are neither large in size nor do they assemble in large packs. Those which have been from time to time measured and described seem to average some three feet in length from the nose to the root of the tail.

The pack seldom numbers more than nine or ten, yet there is sufficient evidence that they are willing and able to destroy any creature that inhabits the jungle, except the adult elephant and perhaps the rhinoceros, creatures whose great size and leathery hide make them almost invulnerable to such enemies as dogs.—London Spectator.

A Custom of the Balkans.

He or she who enters a house for the first time is supposed in the Balkan countries to bring it good or bad luck for the whole twelvemonth. This belief gives rise to a curious observance. The visitor before crossing the threshold picks up a stone (token of strength) or a green twig (emblem of health and fruitfulness) and lays it on the hearth. He also brings with him some grains of salt, which he casts into the flames, and then, squatting by the fireside, wishes his hosts "a prosperous year, a plentiful crop and many blessings." Then as the grains of salt burst and crackle in the fire he utters the following quaint formula: "As I am sitting even so may sit the hen and warm the eggs. As this salt splits even so may split the eggs of the clucking hen and the chickens come forth."

Why Men Eat Too Much.

Eating is the greatest of all our standard amusements. A great number of people obviously eat a great deal more than they need, and it is entirely credible that a large proportion of the moderate eaters might thrive as well and look as handsome and work as hard and live as long on a very much restricted diet. But would the joy of life continue unimpaired for them? The native born might raise plenty of children if they could subsist for 11 cents a day, but would they think life was worth living on 11 cents worth of food a day? No, they wouldn't. That is one thing that all them.—Harper's.

Chairs in the Dark Ages.

The chairs of the dark ages, modeled partly on those of the Romans, were in keeping with the comfortable dwellings in which the people of the north of Europe then passed their lives. The Saxon kings of England are represented as seated on thrones in the form of a box, the ends slightly raised, the bottom advanced to form a sort of footstool. There is always a cushion to add a degree of comfort, and sometimes a rock in the form of a cross-piece or remotely resembling the backs of modern chairs.

Courage Begets Courage.

One brave step makes the next one easier. True, the road seems more piled up with obstacles as one goes along; but, then, one is made stronger and more capable with every step, so that relatively we have an easy road always before us. At least if not exactly easy it becomes more interesting—one feels less inclined to grumble.—Cosmopolitan.

Turned Out.

"Our colleges turn out some pretty good men nowadays," remarked the elderly gentleman.

"Yes," replied the son gloomily, "our college turned out the man who was sure to have won the hundred yard dash for us next year just because he didn't pass any of his examinations."

Comes Natural to Him.

"Upon is a good fellow, but his conversational abilities are remarkably limited. He has a few stock phrases, and that's all."


"Well, what else can you expect? He's a stockbroker."

Just the Other Way.

Hobson—I understand your daughter is taking great pains with her singing! The Poor Father—"Talking" is not the word; "giving" is more like it.

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WORLD OF SPORT

BASEBALL

Buffalo	000002100-3
Toronto	020100011-3
Summary	Batted—Buffalo 1, Toronto 2. First base on balls—Hardy 2, Mills 1. Struck out—Hardy 3, Mills 1. Three-base hits—Fulmer, McIntyre. Two-base hits—Bruce. Sacrifice hits—Hartman, Thayer, Massey. Bases on errors—Buffalo 3, Toronto 5. Stolen bases—Nattress, Carey. Double plays—Atherton to Carey, Kinnings, Massey to Downey. Hit by pitcher—Mills 1, by Hardy 1. Umpire—Swartwood. Time—1:55. Attendance—2,340.
Providence	.....	021000000-3 8 1
Montreal	.....	100100000-3 8 1
Batteries	.....	McParlan and Duggan; Hemming and Brennan. Umpire—Kelly. Attendance—400.
Providence	.....	021000000-3 14 0
Montreal	.....	000000001-1 6 6
Batteries	.....	Amole and Westlake; Washburn and Brennan. Umpire—Kelly. Attendance—1,400.
Morning game—		
Jersey City	.....	000010100-2 7 3
Newark	.....	000000000-0 3 0
Batteries	.....	Thielman and McManus; Walsh and Shea.
Afternoon game—		
Jersey City	.....	074030011-16 19 0
Newark	.....	000000000-0 5 5
Batteries	.....	McMan and McManus; Far-see, Moriarty and Spiesman.
First game—		
Baltimore	.....	001220112-14 1
Boston	.....	010000000-3 4 3
Batteries	.....	Robinson and Anderson and Willis; Becker and Steelman.
Second game—		
Baltimore	.....	004000001-11 11 5
Boston	.....	002000000-8 11 1
Batteries	.....	Wills, Rutherford and Hearn; Leary and Steelman.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Jersey City	81	.725
Buffalo	80	.669
Toronto	95	.606
Baltimore	68	.582
Newark	67	.550
Providence	74	.306
Montreal	32	.288
Rochester	81	.211

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BAKING POWDER

All the Leading Teachers of Cookery use it. Why?

Does better work and goes further than any other.
MARION HANLON, author Common Sense in the Household.

MAPLE CITY LABOR UNIONS

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are bad things, indeed dangerous. Well, let us see. In heaven there is the union of the Trinity. In England there is union in the King. Commons House of Lords. In the United States the President, Congress and Senate; in Ottawa, Laurier, the \$125,000,000 Grand Trunk Pacific and Senator Cox, and in our own very dear Ontario have we not the union of Ross, Captain Sullivan and Stratton? Then there is the union of man and wife, and yet people will say the working men should not unite for their own benefit and protection. Some fools think that liberty means only being out of goal. The working man has suddenly discovered that it means this and much more. To limit now means liberty to eat good grub and good food for his family, too; good clothes, a holiday just when he feels like it and a few silver cartwheels gingham in his breeches pocket.

The wind from heaven's every point. Even the waves of the sea. Proclaim in accents loud and sweet. We are free! We are free! Now, ladies and gentlemen, I could talk upon this great subject for two weeks at a stretch, but I will now give the next speaker a chance. Thanks for your kind attention. Needless to say that Ald. Martin was loudly cheered at short intervals during his entire address.

The committee of management of the sports had taken the contract to entertain the crowds during the afternoon, and a little bit of rain and wet grounds wasn't going to stop Tom Stanton and Wm. Draper. Just like any other contract taken by them, they were in to stay. The Peninsular Band was sent down King street to bring a crowd over to the drill shed and it performed its mission with great success. The drill was executed to the door. A tag of war was the first on the program and was pulled off between the brickmasons together with the wheelmakers and the laborers. The latter won after a hard struggle amid the cheers of the throngs.

The next was a boxing contest between two red men, each in a barrel. The contest was keen and exciting, and some of the blows received by each before the decisive one were heavy, and the "red ink" flowed quite freely.

The Bugle Band boys next put on an exhibition game of basket ball, a game new to almost all the spectators who seemed to take as an exciting interest in it as the players themselves. The boys worked hard, as they always do, and made the game most interesting.

Arthur Cochran and Alfred Wrigley were opposing captains, the former's side winning by the score of 24 points to 9. The line-up—

Centre—A. Cochran.
Forward—M. McCormick.
Forward—B. Symes.
Back—W. Farby.
Back—C. Humphrey.
Back—M. Taylor.
Back—W. Tucker.
Centre—A. Wrigley.
Forward—W. Head.
Forward—E. Smith.
Forward—J. LaFrancis.
Back—S. Anquetil.
Back—B. Johns.
Back—A. Morris.
Referee—W. Plummeridge.

As a result of a little hot air communication between "Bud" Gibson and "Big" Jack Foster, these gentlemen were given the gloves and a hot two rounds decided things in favor of "Bud," who seemed to be the better man throughout.

A number of the running sports were pulled off outside until rain again intervened. The watermelon contest came off in the evening.

THE BALL GAME.

Notwithstanding the sloppy condition of the diamond, seven innings of the ball game were pulled off between the Ben Hurs of Detroit and the Chatham Mfg. Co.'s team, resulting in a victory for the locals by a score of 5 to 2. The game was a very good one, considering conditions. All playing was done at a disadvantage. Finnan, a Canadian boy, who pitched for the Ben Hurs, pitched a great game and struck out fourteen men, and his opponent, Chauncey Depew, while pitching a good steady game, struck out four men. The support of each was splendid, only two errors being made by each side.

By bunching hits and securing a couple of passes in the third, the locals secured four runs, which won the game. There was no scoring by either side after the third innings.

The score—
Chatham..... R.H.E.
J. Robert..... 1 0 0
Bowers..... 1 0 0
Hicks..... 2 2 0
Depew..... 1 1 0
Cottingham..... 0 0 1
Avichouser..... 0 0 0
Smith..... 0 0 0
Cartier..... 0 0 0
Douglas..... 0 1 1

Total..... 5 4 2
Ben Hurs..... R.H.E.
Olden..... 1 0 0
Irwin..... 0 1 1
Tucker..... 0 1 1
Cameron..... 0 1 0
McEwan..... 0 1 0
Wilshaw..... 1 2 0
Dunn..... 0 1 0
Finnah..... 0 0 0
Harms..... 0 1 0

Total..... 2 8 2
Umpire—W. Draper.
The management of the day deserve the greatest possible credit for the way in which everything pertaining to the day's recreation was carried out, notwithstanding the many handicaps.

The last feature of the big labor demonstration was a Cook's Parade. Unfortunately the wet had a bad effect on the numerical strength of the parade, but what there was was good.

The following were the persons who made entries, with John Bruce, the secretary, and the ideas they represented:

James Anderson, Detroit and city sports at a cock fight.
G. Everitt, Union Brick Masons.
Ernest Lamon and Harry Campbell, When Reuben comes to town.
A. Macintosh and George Archer, Hooligan's Kids.
H. Budding, Barber Shop.
The prizes were awarded as follows:—Jas. Anderson 1, G. Everitt 2, Ernest Lamon 3.

When presenting the prizes Mr. Draper took occasion to express the feelings of the unions in reference to the treatment they had received at the hands of the ex-Regimental Band. They were engaged to play in the parade in the morning, he said, but never put in an appearance. They did show up in the afternoon, but he had told them that their services would not be required. Mr. Draper promised that unions of the city would not forget the manner in which they had been ignored and the shabby treatment they had received at the hands of the ex-Regimental Band.

The great feature of the evening was a water-melon eating contest in the drill shed. Frank Cady was the winner, and W. H. Hencher second, they finishing their halves of water-melon in the order named. The also eaters were Henry Bequille, W. Bogie, Geo. Macleod, C. Shaw, F. Burgess, F. Milburn, C. Wright, Fred Cornett, Clinton Peaker and Fred Legue. The contestants were given half a water-melon and had to dig it out and eat it as best they could. The judges were John Bruce, Will Draper, Andrew Riddell and Tom Stanton.

RUSSIA PROMISES.

NEUCHWANG AND MUKDEN TO BE EVACUATED.

Diplomatic Dispute Between Corea and Japan—Russian Revolution—Party Showing Great Activity.

Pekin, Sept. 8.—In a note sent to the Waiwupu, the official board having supreme control of foreign affairs, yesterday, M. Lessar, the Russian representative, engaged that Neuchwang and the Mukden province should be evacuated on October 8. He also confirmed the Chinese agreement to open the ports of Mukden and Tatungku to foreign trade.

Tokio, Sept. 8.—The Korean Government seeks to make the closure of Phenyang a condition for the opening of Wiju. Japan objects to this because 200 Japanese are settled at Phenyang. Rumor attributes the Korean proposal to Russian suggestion, but Corea has long shown a desire to exclude foreigners from Phenyang, the Emperor wishing to build a palace there.

London, Sept. 8.—Russian correspondents of The Times say that large quantities of inflammatory proclamations have recently been distributed among the workmen in the factories and the harbor of Odessa. Proclamations have also been scattered broadcast in Kieff, Baku, Vladikavkas and other working class centres. Each copy bears the stamp of the Social Democratic Revolutionary party. So far as Odessa is concerned the workmen do not appear to be inclined to join the more advanced revolutionary movement. The commission summoned to discuss measures to prevent the introduction of revolutionary literature from abroad recommends the strengthening of the police force, and the application of several thousand roubles annually for the employment of secret agents on either side of the German frontier.

WINCHESTER ROBBERY.

Two Safes Opened Early on Monday Morning.

Winchester, Sept. 7.—A daring robbery was committed about 2 o'clock this morning. The offices of M. F. Beach & Co. and the Eager, Sanderson & Co. were broken into and the combinations of both safes were worked successfully. From M. F. Beach & Co.'s safe there was taken in cash \$25 and papers, including checks to the value of \$500.

From the Eager, Sanderson Co.'s safe only a few dollars were taken. No clue as yet has been obtained.

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Blue and White Stripes, Checks and Figured Shirts, 50c and 65c	Heavy Moleskin and Jean Pants, \$1.00.
Fancy Flannelette Shirts, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.	Blue Denim Smocks, plain and striped, 50c.
Navy Blue and Gray Flannel Shirts at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.	Heavy Blue Denim and Gray Jean Smocks, 75c.
Fancy and plain Knit Shirts, 50c and 75c.	Men's Tweed Working Pants, all sizes, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

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A heavy foam is no indication of good quality, in fact in many localities they demand less foam and more solid beer. Brewers of weak beer often try to tempt the consumer by furnishing a beer charged with Kreusen (beer 24 hours old) and having a beautiful cream, but if used to any extent is sure to produce sickness.

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