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The Big Cheap Plan.

## FINE MUSIC IS PROMISED

Services of Praise in City Sanctuaries Throughout To-Morrow

Special Arrangements for Good Singing on Easter Sunday

Through the courtesy of the choir directors of the churches here represented, The Planet is enabled to publish the Easter services of song for to-morrow.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Morning.

Organ—Fantasia on Church Chimes.

Hymn—615.

Invocation.

Hymn—58.

Scripture Lesson.

Antiphon—The Risen Lord.

Organ—Eurydice.

Soprano Solo, The Shepherd King—Mrs. John Cooper.

Hymn—62.

Sermon—The Difference that Christ has made.

Hymn—67.

Organ—Festival March.

Evening.

Organ—Jerusalem the Golden.

Hymn—615.

Invocation.

Hymn—210.

Antiphon—The Lord is King.

Contralto Solo, The Lord is Risen—Miss Edna M. Martin.

Hymn—61.

Sermon.

Organ—Hallelujah.

VICTORIA AVE. METHODIST.

Morning.

Opening—Doxology.

Hymn 121—Great Prophet of my God.

Easter Anthem—Hail Thou Glorious.

Scripture Reading.

Offertory Solo, Immortality—Mrs. L. Jackson.

Sermon.

Hymn 170—Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus.

Evening.

Opening—Doxology.

Hymn 110—Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee.

Antiphon—I will Magnify Thee, O Lord.

Scripture Reading.

Duet, He Liveth For Ever—Miss L. Jackson, H. Horstead.

Hymn 262—With Broken Heart and Contrite Soul.

Sermon.

Offertory Solo, Jerusalem—Harry Horstead.

Hymn 270—Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies.

HOLY TRINITY.

Morning.

Hymn—The Happy Morn is Come.

Venite Exultemus Domino—Dr. E. G. Monk.

Gloria Patri—Edward Bennett.

Te Deum Laudamus—T. R. Matthews.

Jubilate Deo—E. W. Phillips.

Hymn—Welcome Happy Morning.

Kyrie Eleison—W. Jackson.

Gloria Tibi—E. W. Phillips.

Hymn—Jesus Lives Thy Terrors.

Sermon—T. Beverley Smith.

Offertory Anthem—Christ is Risen.

Evening.

Hymn—The Strife is Over.

Gloria Patri—P. A. Schaecker.

Cantata Domino—F. E. Fitts.

Nunc Dimittis—P. A. Schaecker.

Antiphon—This is the Day Which the Lord has Made.

Hymn—Hallelujah, Hallelujah.

Sermon—T. Beverley Smith.

Offertory Quartette—God So Loved the World.

Hymn—Hark! Hark, My Soul!

PARK ST. METHODIST.

Morning.

Doxology.

Invocation.

Hymn—174.

Prayer.

Antiphon—As it Began to Dawn.

Lesson.

Hymn—773.

Easter Object Sermon.

Prayer.

Solo—Consider the Lilies.

Offertory.

Solo—The Resurrection Morn.

Hymn—777.

Benediction.

Afternoon.

Opening Hymn.

Prayer.

Instrumental—R. Philp.

Passion Week—Miss Mabel Sanderson.

Solo—Jack Barfoot.

Easter—Miss M. Lapp.

Hymn.

Jesus the Young Man—Fred Sheldrick.

Solo—Miss Grace Gammage.

Solo—H. Philp.

Address—Rev. Mr. MacGillivray.

Closing Hymn.

Evening.

Doxology.

Invocation.

Hymn—779.

Invocation.

Anthem—The Strife is Over.  
Hymn—173.  
Sermon—The Unrecognized Presence of Christ.  
Prayer.  
Solo—The Lord is Risen.  
Offertory.  
Quartette—Crossing the Bar.  
Hymn—181.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Morning.

Hymn—207.

Anthem, Christ Our Passover—Soprano by Miss Eva Dege, Miss F. G. Stephenson and R. W. Angus.

Gloria—Deane.

Te Deum, Quartette—Miss L. McKellar and Miss J. Martin, Messrs. Angus and Wilson.

Jubilate—Cranby.

Gloria Tibi—D. Kane.

Louis Tibi—D. Kane.

Solo, Resurrection Morn—Miss F. G. Stephenson.

Anthem—Easter Anthem.

Sermon—Rev. Rural Dean McCosh.

Offertory—Holy Offerings.

Hymn—590.

Evening.

Hymn—2209.

Gloria—D. Kane.

Magnificat—Cranby.

Nunc Dimittis—Roe.

Hymn—590.

Duet, The Homeland Shore—Miss Stephenson and Mr. Wilson.

Sermon—Rev. Rural Dean McCosh.

Anthem, Consider the Lilies—Soprano by Miss Eva Dege and Miss McKellar.

Offertory—Holy Offering.

Hymn—210.

## WAS SETTLED

City and County Arrive at an Arrangement in Administration of Justice Accounts

The joint committee that was appointed from the City and County Councils to consider the matter of adjusting the proportions of the Administration of Justice to be paid by the city and County for the next five years, met in Harrison Hall Thursday afternoon.

F. H. Macpherson, Government Auditor, in his report on the city and county books made recommendations as to the payments and allotted the city's share as \$2,500 per year. He was present at the meeting Thursday afternoon and explained his figures to the committee.

Warden Sifton objected to the small amount and, according to his figures, thought that the city should pay \$2,250 per year. The item he objected to was the expense of transferring prisoners to the penitentiary. He thought the city should pay for their own and the county for theirs. Mr. Macpherson distributed it according to a uniform assessed valuation.

After considerable discussion the following motion was passed:

Moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mr. Grant, that this joint committee of the county and city met this afternoon for the consideration of the Administration of Justice accounts agreement for five years from January 1, 1904, agree that the basis of settlement shall be that the corporation of Chatham shall pay to the county the sum of \$2,151 per annum, payable quarterly, the county and city respectively to pay their own costs as to conveyance of prisoners and lunatics, care and maintenance of lunatics while confined in jail, on per diem basis, and that any expenditure of capital account during the term of five years shall be paid on the basis of one-fifth by the city, the Mayor to be a member of the Building committee on capital expenditure by the county.

This motion carried.

The following were present: Messrs. Mayor, Macpherson and Alds. Southwell, Marshall and Tye, Warden Sifton and Councilors Grant, Haggart and County Treasurer Fleming.

This is considered a good agreement, as St. Thomas pays \$900 and Windsor \$800 more than the amount stipulated as the city of Chatham's share.

## DEATH'S CALL

There passed away this morning at one o'clock, on Stanley Ave., an old and highly respected colored resident in the person of Rev. John Thomas, at the age of 72.

Mr. Thomas had resided in the city for the past 15 years and originally came from Maryland, in 1857, settling in South Buxton, where he was pastor of the M. E. Church there. He was also pastor of the Union M. E. Church in Chatham Township for some years, but for the past five years has not been actively engaged in the ministry there.

The deceased passed away quietly as if he was simply sleeping. The deceased had been a wife, one daughter, Mrs. Dora Paine, Indianapolis, Ind., and three sons, Wm. of Detroit; George, of Sandusky, Ohio; and John, of Winslow, Arizona, to mourn his loss. With the exception of John, of Arizona, all will be here for the funeral.

The funeral takes place from Stanley Ave., on Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, to St. John's A. U. M. P. Church, King St., Rev. A. Selvey, pastor, being the officiating minister. The deceased had led an exemplary life and certainly lived the life of a Christian under all circumstances.

## SACRED STORY TOLD IN SONG

Magnificent Presentation of Stainer's "Crucifixion" in Maple City Last Night

Splendid Services of Praise Under Direction E. E. Arthur—Choir Entertained After Presentation

The presentation of Stainer's beautiful sacred cantata, "The Crucifixion," supplemented by a series of exquisite musical program numbers, provided the inspiration for the delightful service of praise held in the First Presbyterian Church last evening.

Long before the opening of the service the people thronged the sanctuary. Chairs were requisitioned for the aisles and lobbies, but unfortunately, even then it was necessary to turn nearly three hundred away, and the immense audience greeted the magnificent presentation with profound appreciation.

Prefacing the service the young pastor, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, on behalf of the church and choir, extended a cordial welcome to the vast congregation and expressed the appreciation of the choir and those assisting upon such a magnificent attendance and regretted exceedingly that the accommodation of the church was inadequate to provide seats for all.

Mr. MacGillivray requested the congregation to refrain from applause. "The Crucifixion," he said, "is the great story of the Saviour's death told in sacred song. We are all here to witness it."

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The presentation was a revelation to admirers of exquisite and artistic sacred music. It was, throughout, under the direction of Organist and Choirmaster E. E. Arthur, and demonstrated that this gentleman is without a peer in the district. From the moment that Mr. Arthur inaugurated the project of presenting in the Maple City this beautiful sacred masterpiece, until its successful consummation last evening, he has worked earnestly and energetically. He gathered around him one of the largest and finest choirs ever organized in the west and trained them with the skill of a maestro.

The result was a revelation in choral singing—the delicate and artistic shading, the brilliant forte passages, the precision and perfection of detail presaged a new era of Maple City musical achievement.

The unaccompanied portions of the work particularly gave evidence of the artistic conception and splendid training of the director. In his organ solos also Mr. Arthur demonstrated his exceptional taste and ability.

The soloists of the evening were

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SATURDAY, APRIL 2

## TO-DAY'S PLANET

Owing to the somewhat strenuous times that The Planet experienced this week in common with other Maple City industries, we are unable to turn out The Planet Junior and the regulation Big Saturday Planet today.

Next week, however, we expect to be in ship-shape again—and the paper will be better and newer than ever.

## THE SOO BRIBERY.

The independent Toronto News, edited by Mr. J. S. Willson, for years editor of the Globe, says—

The details of the bribery at Sault Ste. Marie are coming out before the Public Accounts Committee. They fairly take the breath away. Lawyers and contractors' names were inserted on the payroll after the crash had taken place. Salaries were "raised" after the company had closed its works. This was shameless public robbery. No other name can be given to such doings. No amount of apologetic explanation can make anything else of the payment of these salaries.

At the moment in which these facts are coming to light, the Legislature is being pressed to pledge the credit of the Province to finance yet further this private enterprise. The Consolidated Lake Superior Company has no greater claim to public aid than has any other private business concern. It already has been the medium of a scandalous misuse of public funds. Some of its officials have been privy to a rapacious and dishonest swelling of the income of well-paid business men. There are forty-seven Liberal members of the House. Will every man of them vote for this audacious departure from every principle which made the Mowat Government sound and respected? Has every man of the forty-seven persuaded himself that it was right to pad the payroll when the Government supplied the money? Is every man of them convinced that it is right to pledge public credit to a private concern which has been mixed up in such transactions? The scruples of one man could hold up this iniquitous proposal.

## IT IS TO LAUGH.

The spectacle of a Government talking all night and reading extracts from essays and blue books in order to keep itself from being defeated is one of the most ridiculous ever presented to the people of this country. It is a fitting climax to the low trickery and undignified tactics by which it has kept itself alive so long. The farces are nearing their finish. If there was naught but the comic element to claim the public attention it might be enjoyed with a certain amount of equanimity. But the serious phrase of it is that here is this band of unscrupulous adventurers, every one of whom, as has been illustrated again and again, is ready to vote for anything their leaders bring forward irrespective of the public weal or their own sense of duty, in control of the provincial treasury and ready to vote away millions of dollars of the public money, not only for doubtful purposes but for enterprises in which their own colleagues are interested. Nothing much worse than that vote of a quarter of a million dollars of public money to pay the fees of horny-handed lawyers, "despatch mechanics," drawing \$3,500 a month and political ward-heedless disguised as mason contractors has been known in Canada. Now we have the proposition to vote \$2,000,000 to practically the same source, though Premier Ross has such a superficial knowledge of where or to whom the money is going that he had to confess in the House on Monday night that he did not know, but would give the information "later on!" When the question was reached as to the connection of Conmee and Bowman with the Soo scheme, these two members slunk out of the Chamber and remained beyond reach until the query had been laid over.

In the face of these facts there is good ground for the allegation that this desperate and hopeless aggregation with its precarious majority of three proposes to raid the Ontario treasury and take all the money possible out of it on this, that or the other pretext before giving up office. If that two million dollars is voted, does any one doubt that it will share the fate of the \$200,000 that went before it into the same large rat-hole and that a large share of it will find its way by circuitous channels back into the pockets of some of the men who are engaged in voting it? And

## Fatherhood

Much it owes to blood that's good.

Good blood is healthy

blood, blood that is free

from impurities,

inherited or ac-

quired, and full

of vitality and

vigor. It's the

kind of blood that is made by



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Which cures more Blood-diseases and Functional Weaknesses than any other medicine in the world.

If there is biliousness or constipation, take HOOD'S PILLS.

ALSO.

Accept No Substitutes for Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills. No substitutes act like them.

those who, knowing the facts, are accomplices in transferring the money will be just as guilty as the receivers. It is a startling situation and is illustrative of the public danger of a Government held in power by the votes of two or three individuals. If Premier Ross were an honest man he would resign to head off this raid on the country. But instead of having any thought of doing that Mr. Ross is the leading spirit in the raid—Ottawa Citizen.

## IN SLEEPY HOLLOW.

The Thames is a lazy stream the greater part of the year, and West Londoners wish it would always keep its bed.

## A SET-OFF.

Toronto Telegram.

Maddened by the presentation of a gold-headed cane to R. R. Gamay, M. P. P., the Globe is going to subscribe for a brass-headed umbrella to keep the showers of calumny off Hon. J. R. Stratton.

## PLAIN TALK BY A PLAIN MAN

Postmaster at Esserton Has Proved that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Are a Safeguard Against Discomfort After Eating.

"I have given Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets a fair trial and can, with every confidence, recommend them." This one is made by Mr. R. Janowski, Postmaster at Esserton, Ont. He is well known in Esserton and surrounding country, and wherever he is known he is noted for his honest, straight-forward dealing. He speaks of persons and things as he finds them, without fear or favor. He says Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are good because he has tried them and found them good.

"I generally use only half a Tablet after eating," Mr. Janowski says further, "and it has always given me relief." And that's what Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets do for all who are in distress after eating. One or two carried in the pocket and taken after a hearty meal is an insurance policy against discomfort.

There should be no such word as can't to the man who is in the canning business.

Court Etiquette Illustrated. Ambassador Choate, at a dinner given by an American resident in London, illustrated the intricacies of court etiquette with a little story about King Edward.

"On the day of the birth of the present king," he said, "a certain marquis approached a lady in waiting anxiously. 'Is it a boy or a girl?' he whispered. 'The lady in waiting, with a reproachful look, whispered back: 'It's a prince.'—New York Tribune."

## "Putting on a Bold Front."



—Harvard Lampoon.

## Juvenile Reverence.

Two little children of Rochester were sitting in a room one evening after dark, with their faces pressed to the window and their eyes fixed on the stars. For some time they contemplated the firmament in silence, then suddenly one of the little fellows turned to the other and said, "Wasn't God for a nice man to give us stars for a light?" "Oh, Teddy, how can you say such a thing?" said the other boy, much shocked. "You shouldn't call God a man. If ever there was a gentleman, he's one."

## Of Course She Was Jealous.

Tess—George told me how much he paid for my ring. How much do you think it was?

Jess—I don't know, but it doesn't look to be worth it.

Tess—Worth what?

Jess—What he told you he paid for it.—Philadelphia Press.

Women cherish the idea of some day being addressed as mother.

A woman's saddest hour is when her son announces his engagement to marriage.

## The Two Gladstones.

Writing on "The Two Gladstones" in T. P. S. Weekly, T. P. O'Connor says: I dare say I will surprise most of my readers and the readers of Mr. Morley's biography when I say that the thing which used most to strike me in the many years I carefully watched the face of Gladstone across the floor of the House of Commons was his constant appearance of abstraction and isolation from all that surrounded him. The ordinary observation about Mr. Gladstone was that he was the life and soul, the living mirror of the House of Commons.

It has been written often—among others by myself—that if a deal man were to enter the Strangers' Gallery he could nevertheless have a fair idea of what was going on in the House of Commons below him by carefully regarding the face of Mr. Gladstone—that wondrous face which, with all its mobility, reflected not only his own emotions, but the emotions of those around him, as faithfully as though it were an inland lake under an April sky. If Mr. Gladstone were pleased he showed it; if he were angry he showed it; if he were unhappy he showed it.

The typical Gladstone of the House of Commons is a man leaning forward in his seat, with his hand to his ear, a look of fire in his eye, and eagerness, activity, strain, marked on feature, figure and pose. And that was what Gladstone looked like when he was interested in anything that was going on. Indeed, the curious thing about this man was that he gave one the impression, whenever he was interested in anything, of an energy so abounding that it seemed to burst through his every fibre.

I have occasionally happened to be standing behind the Speaker's chair when he was leader of the House; and in this way I saw him very close. And one of the things which struck me was the strange change that came over him when he intended to get up and speak. He leaned forward; he put his hands on to his knees; every muscle, so to speak, seemed to stand out, every nerve to be taut; above all, there was a strange look in the eyes.

They seemed to protrude more than ever; then a strange light came into them, and he looked toward the Speaker—who, of course, had to call him—with a look so intense as seemed half a menace and half a wild appeal. There was no necessity, it needs scarcely be said, for this frightened anticipation; for whoever else rose at the same time, Mr. Gladstone was always certain of being heard. It was simply a manifestation of that extraordinary energy of body and vehemence of soul which made Mr. Gladstone the man he was.

## Paralyzed by Radium.

Mr. Hammer, who was formerly a coadjutor of Edison, has produced with radium a partial paralysis of the fish known as the electric ray so that it could give no further shock. He has with the radium paralyzed small fish so that they have been drowned or at least died. In talking of this Mr. Hammer called attention to the experiments of Professor Curie and others recently in Paris in which guinea pigs, mice and rabbits were paralyzed and later killed by placing radium near the spinal column.

Man's worth is measured by the way he waits as well as by the way he works.

## DANGER IN THE AIR.

When Your Heart Gives Warning of Distress, Don't Neglect It.

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For the Heart is guaranteed to give relief in thirty minutes, and in a short period so strengthen and restore the heart to perfect action that the entire body feels rejuvenated. An ideal remedy for Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Neuritis, Hot Flashes, Sick Headache, Mental Despondency and all other ailments resulting from impoverished nerves through lack of blood. The Rev. Father Lord St. of Montreal, Canada, says: "I had been a sufferer for 20 years with organic heart disease, and used a number of remedies, both in France and America, but could not even obtain temporary relief. I tried Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, and was indeed surprised at the immediate relief I obtained. I am firmly convinced that there is no case of heart disease that it will not cure."

Humiliating, Disfiguring Eruptions? If so, use Dr. Agnew's Ointment. No better remedy to restore the skin to a healthy condition. Not a grease, but a pure medicinal salve that cures like magic. Once you use it, you will use no other. 35 cents. No. 22

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## RIBBONS LESS THAN HALF PRICE

Eight hundred yards silk satin and fancy ribbons, rich heavy pure silk taffetas, 4 to 6 inches wide, soft satin ribbons 3 to 6 inches wide, rich fancy silk ribbons, 3 to 7 inches wide, in large range of desirable colors, regular 25c, 35c and 50c ribbons, Saturday a yard

## GIRL'S SPRING COATS—

Smart styles in seers, plain cloths and mixtures, prettily trimmed, assorted colors, special each \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50

## LADIES' SUITS—

In chevots, tweed mixtures, homespuns and plain cloths, at each \$6.00, \$5.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00

## NEW SKIRTS—

An immense range of ladies' skirts in all the newest spring styles and materials, the best values you money can buy, at each \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$3.90, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$7.50 and \$10.00

## LADIES' AND GIRL'S RAINCOATS—

Ladies' cravenette rain coats, medium and long length, in latest spring styles and colorings, at each \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$13.00 and \$15.00

## GIRL'S RAINCOATS—

Pretty styles in fawn and navy, assorted lengths, special each \$2.75

## 15c LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS AT 8c EACH—

25 dozen ladies' fine pure Irish linen handkerchiefs, sheer quality, with narrow hemstitched hems, regular 15c value, Saturday each

## HEAVY RIBB ROSE—

Best grade cotton, elast's rib, double knees, heels and toes, fast black dye, guaranteed in wear, sizes 5 1/2 to 10 inches, the best boys' hose in Canada, at a pair 15c, 17c, 18c, 20c and 25c

## LADIES' CASHMERE HOSE AT 25c PAIR—

35 dozen ladies' pure wool plain and rib cashmere hose, excellent quality, fast dye, seamless applied heels and toes, good value at 35c a pair, special

## WHITE VESTINGS—

20 pieces fine imported vestings, lovely styles in basket, floral, dice and damask weaves, rich, silky finish, extraordinary values at a yard 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c

## MER. CREPE DE CHENE—

10 pieces fancy flaked suitings, fine sheer quality, in range of new colors, special a yard

## PRINTS—

Eight thousand yards new print in new patterns and colorings, fast dyes, selling at old prices, per yard 5c, 6c, 8 1/2c, 10c and 12 1/2c

## ENGLISH BLEACHED COTTONS—

Ten pieces fine English cotton, long cloth finish, fine grass bleached, even weaves, full and wide, regular 12 1/2c value, special a yard

## LOVELY NEW BE TS—

French Taffeta, fine de Soie Silk, black, white and med. at each \$2.90 and \$3.00

## SILK WAISTS—

Latest New York styles in rich French Taffeta and Peau de Soie Silk, beautifully made and trimmed, perfect fitting in black, white, cream, and all wanted colors, special at \$4, \$5, \$8 and \$7.00

## LADIES' SPRING COATS—

Smart, jaunty styles, in tweeds, mixtures and fine cloths, colors grey, fawn, black and mixed effects, special each \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$9.00 and \$10.00

## GIRL'S SPRING COATS—

In range of pretty styles, in plaid cloths and fancy mixtures, ages 4 to 15 years, in good range of colors, special at each \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50

## KID GLOVES—

From the best French skins, latest styles, in black, white and all fashionable shades, every pair guaranteed, special a pair

## KID GLOVES—

Trofouasse's "Greylock," the best French kid glove your money can buy, blacks and all shades, every pair guaranteed, special at a pair \$1.25

## LADIES' TIES AND COLLARS—

The largest range and best styles you will find in the city, all the latest New York novelties, at each 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

## LADIES' BELTS—

New crash styles, in leather and silk, at each 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c up to

## MILLINERY—

at the

## RIBBONS LESS

800 yards Silk, Satin and fancy ribbons, wide, soft satin ribbons, 3 to 6 in. wide of desirable colors, reg. 25c, 35c and 50c, Saturday a yard, 15c

## SHORE

High Southern Dry

## SEVEN STORES The NORTHWAY COMPANY, Limited TWO FACTO

## \$50.00 to California and Return

Via The Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line, from Chicago, April 23 to May 1. Choice of routes going and returning. Corresponding low rates from all points. Two trains a day from Chicago through without change. Daily and personally conducted tourist car excursions. Write for itinerary and full particulars regarding special train leaving Chicago April 26. E. H. Bennett, 2 East King St. Toronto, Ont.

## GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

## Easter Holidays, 1904.

Return tickets will be issued at single first class fare, good going Thursday, March 31st, to Monday, April 4th, valid returning on or before Tuesday, April 5th.

## WORLD'S FAIR, ST. LOUIS, APR. 30-DEC. 1, 1904.

Return rates from Chatham \$16.05 good going 15 days \$18.75 good going 30 days \$23.70 good until Dec. 15. On sale April 25th to Dec. 1st. Good to stop over in Canada, also at Detroit and Chicago.

Pullman Sleeper to Ottawa daily, leaves Toronto on "Eastern Flyer" at 10 p.m.

One way special tickets on sale daily to points in Colorado, British Columbia, California, etc., Rates \$32.75 to \$40.75.

For tickets, illustrated literature regarding World's Fair, and all information, apply to W. E. RISPIN, C. P. & T. A., 115 King St. Chatham, J. C. PRITCHARD, Depot Ticket Agent.

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S. F. GARDINER, Manager.

Chatham, November 30, 1903.

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World's Fair, St. Louis, April 30 to Dec. 1, 1904

## Easter Rates, 1904.

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Going March 31st and April 1, 2, 3, 4, valid for return up to and including April 5th, 1904.

Between all Stations in Canada, Port Arthur, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Detroit, Mich., and East, and to, BUT NOT FROM Buffalo, N.Y.

A. H. NOTMAN, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt., Toronto.

W. H. HARPER, City Pass. Agt.

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Over the Wabash to the Great World's Fair, St. Louis, April 30th, to December 1st, 1904. Single fare for the round trip, on sale daily from 25th. The Wabash is the only line that has its own rails direct to the World's Fair gates.

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Even the baggage smasher may have some difficulty in breaking up his own grip.

## LODGES.

WELLINGTON L. No. 45, A. F. & A. G. R. C. meets on first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

ALBERT GREGORY, Sec'y.

GEORGE MASON, W. M.

## DENTAL.

A. A. HICKS, D. D. S.—Honor graduate of Philadelphia Dental College and Hospital of Oral Surgery, Philadelphia, Pa., also honor graduate of Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Toronto. Office, over Turners' drug store, 22 Rutherford Block.

## LEGAL.

SMITH, HERBERT D.—County Crown Attorney, Barrister, Solicitor, etc., Harrison Hall, Chatham.

THOMAS SCULLARD—Barrister and Solicitor, Victoria Block, Chatham, Ont. Thomas-Scullard.

J. R. O'FLYNN—Barrister, Solicitor, etc., Conveyancer, Notary Public, Office, King Street, opposite Merchants' Bank, Chatham, Ont.

HOUSTON, STONE & SCANE—Barristers, Solicitors, Conveyancers, Notaries Public, etc. Private funds to loan at lowest current rates. Office, upstairs in Sheldrick Block, opposite St. Malcolms's store, Chatham, Ont. Fred Stone, W. W. Scane.

WILSON, PIKE & GUNDY—Barristers, Solicitors of the Supreme Court, Notaries Public, etc. Money to loan on Mortgages, at lowest rates. Offices, Fifth Street, Matthew Wilson, K. C. W. E. Gundy, J. M. Pike.

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Buff Plymouth Rock, the Overbaugh Strain, a few young stock for sale. Also eggs in passage \$1.50 and \$1.00 per setting.

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Why do WE have such GREAT demand for Women's Patent Leather Shoes? That's easy. Ours are far superior to any others, \$3 and \$3.50

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## GOING OUT OF THE SHOE BUSINESS.

Our Clearing sale of High Grade American shoes is still on. Sizes and lasts to fit anybody and latest styles.

Every pair must be sold quick as we are holding off our Spring and Summer Opening for want of that space.

Cost cuts no figure and they are going fast.

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Phone 217.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Schofield left for Toronto on Friday.

Salesman Wanted.—The Northwood Co., wholesale.

The city paymasters for the past week amounted to \$191.80.

Frank W. Pettit, of the Thamesville Hotel, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Miss Maude Banning and Margaret Fleming are visiting at the residence of Adam Henry, Blenheim.

Miss Ruby Gordon, of Wallaceburg, attended the presentation of Crucifixion in First Church last evening.

Arthur Hughes, of Windsor, and Miss Bert Cassidy, of this city, were married here on Thursday evening.

Letters of administration have been granted to Arabella Jackson for the estate of the late William Dennis of this city.

Mrs. E. M. Tyhurst entertained a few friends on Wednesday evening, in honor of her granddaughter, Miss Armstrong.

W. Brophy and family arrived in this city on Thursday from Florida. They like Chatham the best and will reside here in future.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, of Windsor, are spending a few days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Collins, Wellington Street. Mr. Marshall is on the Collegiate Institute staff, of Windsor.

John W. Powers, of the O. B. C., was married to-day to Miss Harland, a stenographer, of Detroit. They were married at the bride's home in Louisville.

Remember that Allen's Lung Balm does not merely put the nerves to sleep. It gets to the root of the trouble and so cures even deep-seated afflictions of the throat and lungs.

The County Board of Examiners met in Harrison Hall to-day. Chairman Robert Park, Secretary W. H. G. Oakes and G. A. Miller were present. They revised the entrance examination papers and also considered matters pertaining to the Public School Leaving examination for this year. A large number of candidates will write this year.

County Councillor James Chinick was in the city to-day. He said he thought that his farm was pretty high but this high water made him change his mind. The water backed up in the Chinick drain and he had to go from the house to the barn on a tramway 130 feet long. The high water didn't leave a bridge on his place.

## DISEASE GERMS

By a little care and forethought and a small expense many dollars may be saved and much sickness prevented.

In your basement are a bottle of our FENOL Disinfectant—a tin of OEBLORIDE OF LIME or a few pounds of COPPERAS.

Fenol, large bottle, 25c; Chloride of Lime in 5c, 10c, and 15c; tin of Copperas, any quantity. We have it in bulk.

The happy young couple left on the nine o'clock train for eastern points, amid showers of rice and best wishes of their Maple City friends.

On their return they will reside in Chatham Township.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

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CHATHAM AND DRESDEN.

## LOCAL TALENT TO ORGANIZE

Philharmonic and Dramatic Association Formed in the Maple City

Will Present Oratorio in the Fall—Committee to Prepare for Formal Organization

Chatham is to have a Philharmonic and Dramatic Association.

This was definitely decided upon at the pleasant social gathering at the residence of Dr. McKough last evening at the conclusion of the presentation of The Crucifixion, and a committee was appointed, consisting of Col. J. B. Rankin, Dr. Geo. T. McKough, E. B. Arthur, Mrs. John Cooper, Mrs. Sydney Stephenson and Mrs. Spencer Stone, to take preliminary steps in the matter, interview the Mayor and ask his worship to call a meeting of those interested for formal organization.

The suggestion for the formation of such an association was made in a happy address by Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, in Toronto, Hamilton and other cities these organizations were in existence and met with distinct success, and, possessing the exceptional talent which Chatham does, one should be a valuable acquisition in the Maple City. Such an association would be un denominational and universal in its membership. The musical director would have the co-operation and support, he felt assured, of all the musical citizens.

Dr. McKough spoke very happily in support of the suggestion. He had been called an eternal philharmonic society and he thought it a very pleasant view of paradise.

Director E. B. Arthur said the formation of such an association would be a grand thing. He had thought of the matter himself, more particularly as it was his hope to present an oratorio in Chatham before very long, but the difficulty in securing a building for an oratorio work could not well or appropriately be presented in the Opera House. In Hamilton and Detroit the Light Guard Armories were used, and he hoped Chatham would soon have such accommodation.

Colonel J. B. Rankin said that the work of erecting the new armory would be proceeded with at once. The building would include a large hall just suitable for the purpose of the proposed association and he was assured the Regiment would be willing to grant its use for such purpose free of charge.—Applause.

J. W. Wilson, director of Christ Church choir, also spoke enthusiastically in support of the project, and was followed by Frank D. Laurie, S. Stephenson, S. Stone, E. W. Anderson, R. W. Angus and others, all of whom heartily favored the proposition. Messrs. Slade and Pease, of Detroit, both advocated the formation and expressed their intention of becoming members.

It was finally moved by Colonel Rankin and seconded by Mr. Stephenson, that a Philharmonic Association be formed in Chatham. The resolution carried amid applause.

On motion of Frank D. Laurie the committee aforementioned was then appointed to take initial steps.

Among the proposals of the association will be the formation of a concert orchestra, in which the ladies will be asked to enroll. Mr. Arthur is convinced an excellent ladies' and gentlemen's concert orchestra can be organized in the city. If the new armory hall is completed this summer the oratorio will be presented by the association there next fall, in addition to the work of another splendid DeKoven opera.

Many joined the Church

A large congregation assembled in Holy Trinity Church on Tuesday evening last, when Bishop Baldwin confirmed eighteen candidates presented by the rector. His lordship appeared much improved in health since his last visit to Chatham and delivered a searching address, which, although one hour long, was listened to with wrapt attention to the close. The following were the candidates presented: Sarah Caroline Brunker, Maude Beatrice Kerr, Mary Helen Kerr, Katharine Louise Knight, Frances Mary Baldwin, Emma Anne Cockrane, Mary Martin, Daisy Cecilia Sly, Margaret Martin, Leona Rose Russell, Sarah Jane Jones, Ada Leah Wilson, Henry Joseph Campbell, Charles Baker Knight, William Arnot Stevens, Henry William Green, Alexander Barclay Wilson, Arthur Richardson.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, North-west Block, Chatham, April 2nd 1904.

Wheat—open high low close

May (old).... 96 96 96 96

July (new).... 88 88 87 87

Sept.... (new 81 81 81 81

Corn—

May..... 56 57 56 57

July..... 53 54 53 53

Sept..... 52 52 52 52

Oats—

May..... 41 42 41 41

July..... 39 40 39 39

Sept..... 33 34 33 33

Pork—

May..... 1320 1347 1320 1330

July..... 1340 1370 1340 1352

Lard—

May..... 702 707 700 700

July..... 720 725 717 717

Ribs—

May..... 692 700 692 695

July..... 710 715 707 710

A BARGAIN.

Two houses and lots for sale at \$50.00 each, small payment down.

We also have several Building Lots in the best part of the city, on paved streets, for \$3.00 and \$5.00 per foot frontage. If you want a bargain call at once at SMITH & SMITH'S Office, King St.

WORLD OF SPORT

LACROSSE

FRANK CHOSEN.

Frank Babcock, of the local lacrosse club, has been appointed on the council of the C. L. A. The following is a telegram received this afternoon:—

The Planet, Chatham:—

Congratulate Babcock on his election for council Canadian Lacrosse Association.

BRANTFORD LACROSSE CLUB.

Farm to Rent.

The South-Half of Lot Number Six in the Tenth Concession of the Township of Chatham for rent for a term of years—possession immediately. Apply to

J. A. WALKER, Chatham, Ont.

A SNAP.

Two story frame house of brick foundation, for sale—parlor, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, one bed-room, and clothes-closet, downstairs; and two bed-rooms, hall, two clothes-closets and bath-rooms, upstairs; also brick cellar, price \$1100.00.

Two story frame house on brick foundation—parlor, dining-room, kitchen, and one bed-room, downstairs; three bed-rooms and one clothes-closet, upstairs; brick cellar, summer kitchen, woodshed, etc., price \$950.

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Residence 245.

## TO TORONTO

Mr. Schofield Assumes His New Duties in the Queen City—Mr. Turner Appointed Assistant Manager

Major G. P. and Mrs. Schofield left yesterday afternoon for their new home in Toronto, where Mr. Schofield will assume his well earned position of manager of the head office of the Standard Bank.

Mr. Schofield was surprised when he reached the G. T. R. station to take the eastern flyer, to find the Bugle Band, in charge of Bugle-Major Plumridge of the 24th Regiment, waiting for him.

The band played several selections and in reply the popular Major made a short farewell address to the boys, at the conclusion of which he was greeted with three hearty cheers and a shower of flowers.

The select party was crowded with many prominent citizens to say good-bye to one of the most, most enterprising and popular men the city has ever known.

Mr. Schofield's successor at the Bank is W. D. Shanahan, who has already assumed charge. J. S. Turner, formerly accountant, has received the appointment of assistant manager of the local Bank, a well deserved promotion.

FOR SALE—The House and Lot at present occupied by the undersigned on Stanley Ave. The house has all the modern improvements, and the lot is 52x208 feet. Apply on the premises or to T. K. MacKeand, Registry Office.

HOUSE AND THREE LOTS FOR SALE—On Poplar and Beldoon St. house composed of lots No. 2, 3, 24. The house has a brick foundation, good cellar and is within a short distance of Head street; will be sold cheap and on easy terms of payment. Apply to Chas. Terry, Head street, or address Chatham, P. O.

FARM FOR SALE—North east half of lot 16, front concession, Township of Harwich, 133 acres. All cleared, clay loam, two good sized frame houses. Large frame barn and cattle shed; stable and drive-barn combined; granary and implement house. Buildings all in good repair; about five acres of orchard; artesian well, windmill and pump; three other wells. Price \$20,000.00. Apply on the premises to Mr. John J. Walrath, or to W. F. Smith, barrister and solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

200 yards red cheviot towel, fine quality, 12 inches wide, edge on hem of regular 70 value, special 50 yd.

44 inch circular low cotton, English manufacture, finish, fine even yarns, with a regular way 25c, special 20 yd.

42 in width, kamlety as above, regular 20c value, yd.

200 yards choice quality prints, light or dark, washable or fancy designs, also cherries, fast dyes, regular 10c value, at 8 1/2c yd.

Special white cotton Queen's Cambric quality and texture, stitching brand, used especially fine undergarments, soft in snow white color, full 36 inches, worth in a regular way 12 1/2c at 10c yd.

Black satcen, fine bright mercerized finish, superior quality cloth, suitable for wrappers, dresses, and fancy waists guaranteed fast color, special 20c yard.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed, bulk and separate tenders will be received by the Proprietor at Tilbury, up till and including the fifth day of April, at 7.30 p. m., for all trades required in the erection of a hotel at Tilbury.

Plans to be had at the office of Jas. L. Wilson & Son, architects.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily to be accepted.

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WANTED—A lady with tailoring experience, capable of doing some of fine work—Thornton & Douglas, Limited, Chatham.

WANTED—A steady man for general work; my stable, garden and house. Good wages by the year. Address Box 3, Blenheim, Ont.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm; home free; also a housekeeper; good home for right party. Address Box 3, Blenheim, Ont.

WANTED—Men wanted to learn barber trade; only eight weeks required by our system of constant practice; tools furnished; diploma given. Full tuition \$25. Call or write. Detroit Barber College, 49 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

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

## Special Dress Goods Offering.

Our regular dress goods news is frequently punctuated with timely offerings at special prices. This week, for instance, 200 yards of new fancy flannel goods in Browns, Grey, Green and Navy Blue, etc., 36 in. wide, special per yard, 50c.

The above it is not large, but while they last they're a particular snap at the price.

Every year's sphere of the useful walking skirt has broadened. The severely tailored skirt of several seasons ago has little part nowadays with the handsomely designed walking skirts that are most as varied as the dress skirts themselves. Here are some suggestions of a few:—

Of Black or Oxford Grey Cheviot, full flare, welted seams inch facing of solid stitching \$2.75

Of heavy Cheviotack or Grey trimmed with straps, broadcloth around the flare and torn yoke \$3.75

Of Black or Navy serge, smooth hard finish tried with folds of taffeta, \$4.00.

Of Blue and white Canvas weave, 7 gore flare, trimmed with stitching, strapping and large buttons, \$4.50

Of all wool Cheviot Black or Navy 7, 9 or 11 gores pleated or strapped and neatly stitched, \$5.00.

Of black broadcloth, 11 gore, with pleat at the bottom of each seam. Seams finished with stitched fold of taffeta, \$5.00.

Staple Section.

Bargains for Saturday and Monday Buyers.

200 yards red cheviot towel, fine quality, 12 inches wide, edge on hem of regular 70 value, special 50 yd.

44 inch circular low cotton, English manufacture, finish, fine even yarns, with a regular way 25c, special 20 yd.

42 in width, kamlety as above, regular 20c value, yd.

200 yards choice quality prints, light or dark, washable or fancy designs, also cherries, fast dyes, regular 10c value, at 8 1/2c yd.

Special white cotton Queen's Cambric quality and texture, stitching brand, used especially fine undergarments, soft in snow white color, full 36 inches, worth in a regular way 12 1/2c at 10c yd.

Black satcen, fine bright mercerized finish, superior quality cloth, suitable for wrappers, dresses, and fancy waists guaranteed fast color, special 20c yard.

Suiting tweeds, 3 pieces, dark tweed, English manufacture, suitable for boys' school clothes, dark colors with fine light cord stripes, regular 35c, special 25c yd.

Towels—5 dozen half-bleached damask towels, wide red borders, fringed ends, special 12 1/2c each.

Underskirting—2 pieces English Bedford cord skirting, black ground with a narrow stripe, regular 35c value, Saturday and Monday 15c



## WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR.

Makes delicious brown bread. It is sweeter, more tasty and more nourishing than ordinary flour.

**3c. a Pound.**

GRAHAM FLOUR, 3c. a pound

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, 3c. a pound

MAPLE SYRUP, 30c. a Quart.

MAPLELINE, 25c. a Quart.

PANCAKE FLOUR, 15c. a Pkg.

BAKED BEANS, 3 cans for 25c

"KENT" CORN, 10c. a can.

AXLMEYER PEAS, 10c. a can.

"KENT" PUMPKIN, 10c. a can

**H. Malcomson**

## KITCHEN HELPS

You will find a great many helpful articles in our stock. The majority of them do not cost very much but are exceedingly useful. Examine our stock.

Meat Saws, Bake Boards, Flour Sifters, Jelly Moulds, Toasters, Tea Strainers, Sink Strainers, Egg Turners, Broilers, Gravy Strainers, Asbestos Mats, Skimmers, Potato Mashers, Skewers, Pot Scrapers, Ladies' Kitchen Knives, Cake Tins, Rolling Pins, Soup Holders, etc.

**J.C. WANLESS**

4 Doors East of Market, King Street, Chatham.

## TO-DAY

We will give with every two dollar cash purchase a Dust Pan or a pair of Parrot Tongs. Quality of goods at A. 1. Prices away down.

Quaker Oats, 3c. per package. Corn Starch, 7c. per lb. Tapioca only, 5c. per lb. Good pickles 10c. per bottle. Dates, 6c. per lb. 3 package Jelly Powder, any flavor for 25c. 3 tablets Complexion Soap, 7c. usual price 10c. Cooking Raisins, 6c. per lb. Soda Biscuits 5c. per lb.

## Crockery.

Fine assortment of dinner, tea and chamber sets, newest patterns to choose from, a large quantity of china lamps and glass goods at money saving prices that will astonish you.

**John McConnell,**

PHONE 190, PARK ST.

## DIAMONDS!

If you wish to wear them see **DUNN & CHARTERIS**, and become a Lease Holder in The Preferred Mercantile Company.

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N. Y. Stocks, Grains, Provisions, Cotton...

No better service anywhere. Why don't you trade at home? Information free.

Telephone 240.

## TO-NIGHT.

Tom Moe, Grand Opera House, at 8.15.

## RECAPITULATES.

Spent per G. N. W. Toronto, p. 2-11 a. m.—Fresh to strong at northwest winds; a few showers or snowflakes, by fair and cool. Sunday, fair & cool.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Geo. Allen spending a few days in Detroit.

Charlie Bess, Santa, is the guest of Chas. Ayl.

Albert Tom Pontiac, is visiting at his home.

Boy Want to learn boiler making. Apply to Bros.

Mr. D. Bro of the Gas Company, is spending with his parents at Oakdale.

Mrs. Rose, for a Avenue, left today for Wabash, where she will visit until May.

Mrs. Thon Blackburn, Windsor, is visiting Mr. H. Bogart, Cross Street.

Mrs. Olive, of the Ball Telephone office, is spending the Easter vacation at home in Toronto.

Wanted—A young man or girl able to feed printers, at this office.

T. K. McR, of the Registry office, was Wallaceburg Thursday attending.

Miss Belle, of Richmond St., is visiting Miss Cameron, 570 Jarvis St. Toronto.

A. G. Camp, popular licensee, is at home here, on his way to Toronto.

E. C. Seyth, Toronto, formerly of this city, is spending a couple of days in town.

Will James, who, is spending a few days in town, is at the local Bank of Commerce.

Wanted, man or woman, to accept an engagement. Good house and good wages. For full particulars, see the press.

Miss Jennie Houston, teacher in Port Perry High School, is spending Easter with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Houston, Victoria Ave. Miss Houston is accompanied by her friend, Miss Ada Campbell, London.

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Casey's Troubles at the Grand tonight. Com. E. Shea spent Good Friday in Detroit.

Miss Burton spent Thursday in Detroit.

Nelson Emery spent Good Friday in Detroit.

John Draper, Detroit, spent Good Friday in the city.

Judge Houston was in Sandwich yesterday, on business.

Miss Eva Wilson is visiting friends and relatives in London.

Walter Dronfield, of Windsor, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Stewart, of Tabery, is the guest of Mrs. Dyer, Lorne Avenue.

Rheta Bodkin, of Dresden, is the guest of Winnie Colville, Selkirk St.

Miss Lillie Blackburn, Windsor, is visiting Miss Dot Smith, Raleigh St.

The pupils of Miss A. McLean will give an assembly Monday evening, April 4th.

Miss Nash, of St. Thomas, is spending the Easter holidays with Mrs. Dyer, Lorne Avenue.

Tom Marks' Stock Co. will remain at the Grand all next week. Monday night ladies free again.

Found, on Adelaide street, a railway ticket. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this ad. Apply to Snook, greener.

The river here has risen about two feet since 8 o'clock last night. It was 12-3-4 feet above low water mark at noon today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Shaw, of Dresden, were in the city today, enroute for Detroit, to spend the holidays with Mrs. Shaw's parents.

Pure, fresh ready mixed paints, guaranteed to stand the test with pure oils at A. H. Patterson's, three doors east of the market. 3tdlv.

Lost, last night, between Bayne street and Grand Trunk station, gold chain and locket. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

Two Thousand (\$2000.00) dollars worth of Hand Made Harness on special sale at A. H. Patterson's, guaranteed superior to any harness sold. Call and secure a bargain. 3tdlv.

Edouard P. Beau, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday. He sold his property on Richmond street to Hugh Ken, of the Gray Carriage Co. The price paid was \$700.

Chatham City Hospital for Sick Shoes, attended by Doctor Walter Penny. Poor shoes cause large doctor's bills. My shoes save you this money. Remember the place. Next to Chatham Loan Office.

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## RESULT ALL THAT COULD BE ASKED

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Strain Caused by Heavy Lifting

William Sharam Tells of His Precarious Condition, and His Happy Release From It.

Murray Harbor South, P. E. I., Mar. 28. (Special).—William Sharam, who keeps a general store here, is one of many hundreds to be freed from chronic sickness, and made sound and well by Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Sharam, who is always glad to say a word for the remedy that did so much for him, relates his experience as follows:—

"I spread my back with heavy lifting, and the result was urinary and kidney trouble that left me in a very weak state, and at times I got so weak that I almost fainted, and could scarcely hold up."

"After trying several other medicines without relief, I concluded that it was a Kidney Disease I had, and would find the cure in a Kidney remedy, and decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"I used ten boxes all told, and now I am as well as ever, and my old troubles are banished."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all Kidney ills from Backache to Bright's Disease.

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If you want to buy Real Estate of any kind and send for our printed list of farm, city, town, village and suburban property, mailed free to any Great Britain.

If you want to sell your business or Real Estate of any kind send for our terms and full particulars of our method of advertising, selling and exchanging property.

For Sale.—Store and dwelling in good business part of the city, built nearly new, on brick foundation, with cellar, on easy terms, price \$1600.

For Sale.—New brick house, modern conveniences, in good locality, price \$1850.00, or exchange for good 50 acres close to city.

For Sale.—House and lot on Selkirk St., \$1200.00.

Call and get our lists of city property for sale.

For Sale.—50 acres near Tupperville, good buildings, all cleared, price \$2500.

For Sale.—23 acres near Kent Bridge, with farm buildings, price \$1000.00.

For Sale.—100 acres, all tile drained, 5 acres cleared, two barns, natural gas for fuel and light, good house with eastern, spring water, close to gravel road, convenient to churches, school and market, 4 miles to Ridgeway, price \$2500.00.

For Sale.—100 acres on Lake Erie, good buildings, good state of cultivation, price \$3000.00.

The Western Real Estate Exchange reports the following sold off their lists for the past two weeks:—

No. 475-50 acres, being lot 5, concession 5, township of Morris, county of Essex, owned by Robert Bacon, No. 415-20 acres, N. E. part lot 7, concession 4, township of Delaware, county of Middlesex, owned by Mr. F. Fenwick, sold to Mr. J. A. Purvis, of London, township No. 898-19 acres, being east half lot 24, concession 6 and 7, township of Wainfleet, county of Welland, owned by Mr. C. T. Travers, No. 1435-107 acres, being west half lot 23, concession 14, township of Enniskillen, Co. Lambton, owned by Mr. J. Kerr, No. 424-50 acres, being S. W. quarter lot 16, concession 3, township Caradoc, Co. Middlesex, owned by Thos. Ball, No. 1710-9 acres, being the N. W. corner of lot 10, concession 1, township Euphrasia, Co. Lambton, owned by Mrs. M. A. Sterling, No. 1770-50 acres, being S. half of lot 19, concession 3, Tp. London, Co. Middlesex, owned by Joseph Patterson, sold to Walter Needham, of London, Tp. No. 142—House and 10 acres near village of Port Lambton, Co. Lambton, owned by Chas. Mann, No. 157—Hotel in village of Tupperville, Co. Kent, owned by Thos. Burdett, No. 843-100 acres, being east half lot 14, concession 6, N. E. R. township of Warwick, Co. of Lambton, owned by W. Groch, sold to Mr. Lane, of Almyer, No. 595-100 acres west half lot 25, concession 7, Township Moore, Co. Lambton, owned by T. Marshall, sold to Robt. Baxter, No. 1515-100 acres, being east half lot 16, concession 12, Tp. Dawn owned by H. T. Paddock, exchanged with W. B. Carey, No. 1365-115 acres, part lot 14, con. 14, Tp. Dawn, Co. Lambton, owned by W. B. Carey, exchanged, No. 927-108 acres, being lot 18, concession 4, Tp. Westminster, Co. Middlesex, owned by Mrs. J. C. William, sold to Robert McCullough, of Roland, Man. toba.

Wanted!—A young man or girl able to feed printing presses, at this office.

I Cured a Horse of the mange with MINARD'S LINIMENT. CHRISTOPHER SAUNDERS, Dalhousie.

I Cured a Horse badly torn by a pitch-fork, with MINARD'S LINIMENT. EDWARD LINLIE, St. Peter's, C. B.

I Cured a Horse of a bad swelling with MINARD'S LINIMENT. THOS. W. PAYNE, Bathurst, N. B.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

## THOUSANDS OF HOUSEKEEPERS WILL WANT

## LACE CURTAINS

## THE GORDON STORE

Makes the Lace Curtain season an annual event and a Spring Star Attraction. We seek to excel and out sell all our former records, our business policy is to sell THE BEST GOODS FOR THE LEAST MONEY.

IRISH POINT—fresh as a daisy and just as sweet. Materials the very best of Net patterns. The most chaste. Prices most modest up from \$3.75.

BATTENBURGH—Lace Curtains, are the latest weaves, the designs are really rich and beautiful, full lengths, ranging in price upward from \$5.00.

RENAISSANCE—These French Fairy Weaves in Curtains are very dainty and desirable universally admired. Our prices range upward from per pair, \$4.50.

NOTTINGHAM—Lace Curtains are old staple favorites. We offer some very special styles and values at \$1.25 and \$1.00. Our prices range from 25c to \$4.00.

FRILLED BOBINET—Curtainings, by the yard cut any length you like. Prime values at 16, 18, 20, 22, 24 to 38c.

MADRAS MUSLIN—Diapings, white or colored, airy and lacy, splendid to Laundry, only per yd. 20 and 25c.

BRUSSELS NET—For Curtains and other purposes 2 yards wide, does up splendidly and sells readily, at per yd. 50c. and 36c.

DOOR PANELS—In Lace, Net, Battenburgh and a fine line of newest designs, from 25c to 15c.

CURTAIN GOODS—In variety colored or white of many styles. Prices ranging upward from per yd. 6c.

TAPESTRY CURTAINS—In all the leading colors, the best assortment, best qualities and best values shown up from \$3.75.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of Mary Carroll, late of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, Widow, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Mary Carroll, who died on or about the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1904, are to present or deliver to Messrs. Houston, Stone & Scame, of the City of Chatham, solicitors for James Taff, executor under the last will and testament of the said Mary Carroll, deceased, their claims and surrenders, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after the said twenty-eighth day of April, 1904, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him, and all persons whose claims shall not have been received by said date will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said estate at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Chatham this twenty-fourth day of March, A. D. 1904.

For Easter Holidays, W. E. Rogers will issue tickets at single fare to all points in Canada, good going March 31st, April 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th, returning April 5th.

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

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