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## THOS. STONE & SON—THOS. STONE & SON

# New Dress Goods.

Plenty of New Goods to show you now. If you are anxious to make early selection for your Spring Costumes, come in and look through our stock. New Styles of Materials and New Shades are here in plenty.

42 in. wide all wool twill satin Cloth, a new weave and in every desirable shade for a dressy costume, very special value at a yd, **50c**  
 New Crepe-de-Chines, silk and wool, in very sweet shades of pink, sky, pearl, old rose and sada, special value at **\$1.00**

### New Prints

On Saturday we will have hundreds of pieces of new prints to show you. Dark, medium and light shades, spots, stripes, floral and wrapper designs. Prices are 6c., 8c., 10c. and..... 12c

### New Gingham

Excellent wash goods in very pretty checks and stripes in designs and colors suitable for children's dresses, aprons, ladies' dresses and shirt waists and men's shirts, extra fine finish, good value at a yd..... 12c

### New Shirtings

Heavy Mackinaw Twills, one of the best and most satisfactory wash materials made in America, black grounds with white spots, stripes and small figures, excellent value at..... 12c

Best quality heavy Indigo Shirtings in immense variety of designs, good value at a yd..... 12c

Good Indigo Shirting Checks and Stripes, good colors, and gives satisfactory wear, extra value at..... 10c

### Ladies Cloth Jackets on Saturday at One-Half-Price.

On Saturday we offer you choice of our entire stock of Ladies' Cloth Jackets at half-price. The stock includes lengths 26 in., 35 in., 42 in., 45 in., and 56 in., in semi-fitting, tight fitting and box backs, the colors are Oxford Grey, Black and Fawn, the prices regular are \$5 to \$16, the prices on Saturday will be **\$2.50 to \$8.00.**

### Reduced Prices on Ladies Astrachan Jackets on Saturday.

Our entire stock of Fur Jackets go on sale Saturday at these reductions:—

\$50.00 Jackets for.....	\$44.00
45.00 " " " " " "	39.00
37.50 " " " " " "	31.00
25.00 " " " " " "	23.00

The lengths are 26, 30 and 34 ins., the bust measures are from 32 to 42 inches, inclusive.

## THOMAS STONE & SON



# Boys.

There's nothing that the same amount of money will buy that will give a boy more pleasure than a pair of

# ...RUBBER BOOTS...

A boy without a pair of Rubber Boots these days is in no shape to enjoy winter sports. We carry all styles, all sizes, all prices

# TURRILL

THE SHOE MAN  
PHONE 248

### Cut Your Fuel Bill By Using a Gas Cooking Stove

You will save the cost of the stove in a short time. Hundreds of users in this city have proved it. No unnecessary labor or discomfort.

Stoves of all sizes for Sale on Easy Terms.

THE CHATHAM GAS CO Limited.  
King St. Phone 81

### JUST THE TIME TO VISIT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Two Special Excursions, via Lehigh Valley Railroad, February 14 and March 18. Tickets only \$10.00 from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo to Washington and return. Tickets are good 10 days; good for stop-over at Philadelphia on return trip. For tickets and further particulars call on or address Robt. S. Lewis, Passenger Agent L. V. R. R., 33 Yonge St., Toronto.

### CREMATED HIS CAT

J. C. Northwood, Park St., is quite fond of cats and has a few around his place. They don't seem to like the cold weather very much, but one of them found a cozy spot in an oven of the kitchen stove. When Mr. Northwood was going to bed he closed the oven door, not knowing the cat was there. The unfortunate feline was cremated during the night. Mr. Northwood believes that he has perfect proof that cremated cats have not nine lives and that this popular theory is a fallacy.

## TO RECOGNIZE LABOR UNION?

### Question Debated by the Civic Board of Works at Meeting held Last Evening.

### Engineer Jones will Investigate—Asphalt Paving Projects Discussed.

The civic Board of Works met last evening. Richard Bangham, of Windsor, was present at the meeting in the interests of the Ontario Asphalt Block Paving Co. The asphalt block is made in different sizes. The blocks are made from the hardest stone to be found. It is secured at the copper mines and comes from a mile below the surface. The blocks are heavier than a solid piece of granite of the same size.

Mr. Bangham stated that Windsor had put in this asphalt pavement and it was wearing splendidly. Windsor, however, had made a mistake in not putting in a concrete foundation. In places where the soil was such as it was in Windsor or Chatham, no pavement should be put down without a concrete foundation. Mr. Bangham has had several years' experience as a pavement contractor and over fourteen years' experience on the Windsor Board of Works.

The beauty of the asphalt block pavement is that it improves with age and it is practically noiseless. It has been laid in both Windsor and Detroit, and has proved very satisfactory. It stands both the winter and the heavy traffic. Mr. Bangham quoted the price of asphalt blocks at \$1.50 per square yard, just for the block, to be measured when laid. The company stands all waste. The pavement complete would cost about \$2.50 per yard.

Mr. Bangham invited the Board of Works and City Engineer to go to Windsor and inspect the pavement. The account of Light & Fielder, \$5.00 was left with the City Engineer to investigate.

The City Engineer said that the sewer in front of J. M. Gardiner's residence, Queen St., was of porous tile and the roots of trees had grown and filled up the tiles.

Mr. Mounteer stated that the people living out there deserve consideration, as they have no fire protection.

Mr. Gardiner's communication was referred to the City Engineer to look into. Mr. Gardiner's cellar is full of water and he wants the sewer, which is blocked, opened up.

The communication from James LeBarre, secretary of the Laborers' Union, in regard to shortening the hours of labor and paying the laborers \$1.50 per day of nine hours, was considered.

City Engineer Jones thought that the men should be paid by the hour in accordance with the Union scale, but it was often vitally important that work should be continued for 11 and 12 hours. The city was already paying the wages asked for. The only difference was in the number of hours.

Ald. Piggott said that he felt that a man should be paid what he was worth.

Ald. Mounteer thought that if this communication was a request to recognize the Union, it was well worth consideration before any action was taken.

The matter was left with Mr. Jones to look into.

The specifications for tenders for supplies, as prepared by the City Engineer, were received.

The specifications for the granolithic walks were also read, as prepared by the City Engineer.

The City Engineer said that in the specifications he had done away with the four or five inches of gravel filling in the old specifications and ordered an inch of gravel instead. By saving five inches in this gravel filling, the City Engineer thought that better material could be put in the granolithic part of the walks. Thus, for the same price, a better walk would be secured. Point Edward gravel was all right, but it couldn't be secured. The Ridge gravel was no good for walks. It was too dirty.

Ald. Mounteer said that the specifications had called for Point Edward gravel had never been used and the substitute had never been used equally as good.

Ald. Piggott said that in Wallaceburg they used Point Edward gravel. There it was claimed that Point Edward gravel was better than any other gravel.

## COURT OF APPEAL

Before Mess. C. J. O. Osler, MacLaren, J. J. A.—Township of Camden vs. Town of Dresden and Township of Chatham—M. Wilson, K. C., for plaintiff. D. L. McCarthy, for defendants. Argument concluded from Tuesday. Judgment reserved.

A former allusion to this case was erroneously headed "Appeal Dismissed." It will be seen from the foregoing that the judgment on the appeal has not yet been given.

## GOVERNMENT CLERK.

### A. MARTINEAU CHARGED WITH STEALING MILITIA FUNDS.

Sum May Exceed \$30,000—Had Several Thousand Dollars When Arrested—Startling Affair at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—A. Martineau, junior clerk in the accountants' branch of the Militia Department, was arrested yesterday, charged with theft. No particulars were given in the police blotter, but it is alleged that the prisoner has misappropriated a considerable sum of money belonging to the Government, and it is stated that the total may exceed thirty thousand dollars. Martineau's duties in the Militia Department required him to check the vouchers for expenditures made by the department. The authorities will furnish no explanation as to the alleged method of procedure, but it is said that Martineau made out checks in his own favor, and got them cashed at the Sovereign Bank. For some time past Mr. Borden, the accountant of the department, suspected that something was going wrong, and secretly made inquiries. The result was to establish the fact that serious irregularities had been in progress. Mr. Borden had an interview with his Minister, Sir Frederick Borden, and laid the whole matter before him. The latter authorized Lieut.-Col. Sherwood, Commissioner of Dominion Police, to conduct an investigation. The Commissioner of Police, accordingly, sent for Martineau, and catechized the latter, with respect to the alleged irregularities. Martineau is said to have made statements tending to throw responsibility on the bank. Colonel Sherwood then said that Martineau had better come along to the bank and clear the thing up. The two walked down from the eastern block to the Sovereign Bank in the Russell House block on Sparks street. On reaching the entrance of the bank Col. Sherwood turned to go in, when Martineau darted away. Instantly the commissioner jumped into a sleigh, and pursued the fugitive, who was overtaken before he had gone far, hustled into the conveyance, and brought to the eastern block. There he remained until about 6.45, when he was removed to the city police station, and a charge of theft registered against him. Martineau has been in the Government's service about twelve or eighteen months. Previous to that he is said to have worked with a commercial agency at Montreal. He was passionately fond of speeding on the bicycle and motorcycle, and is said to have won a championship match at Manhattan Gardens. There are also rumors that he has been speculating in stocks. He has always been well thought of, and his friends are loth to believe that he has been guilty. Martineau is said to have had \$11,000 or \$15,000 in his possession when arrested.

### IN CENTRE BRUCE.

Prohibitionists Will Support Dr. Stewart, Liberal.

Chepstow, Ont., Feb. 20.—Dr. J. M. Stewart, Liberal, and Major Hugh Clark, Conservative, were nominated here to contest Centre Bruce for the Ontario Legislature. The election will take place on Feb. 26.

The temperance delegation submitted a number of questions to the candidates. To these Dr. Stewart answered yes. Mr. Clark refused to give a definite answer, and in accordance with these resolutions the Prohibitionists of Centre Bruce promised their support to Dr. Stewart.

Mr. G. P. Graham, M.P.P., was present, and delivered a strong address upon the public questions of the day.

## ANOTHER ACCIDENT.

### Young Man Loses Both Legs Watching the Wreck.

Oshawa, Feb. 20.—The nineteen-year-old son of Mr. J. Brown of Cedarvale, while viewing the Grand Trunk wreck at Whitby Junction yesterday had both legs cut off by a freight train.

## Walked Into a Driving-wheel.

Brandon, Feb. 19.—(Special.)—While at the Brandon electric light station last night R. B. Currie of Souris, in turning to come out, walked head first into the great driving wheel, which was revolving at a rapid rate. The engineer saw his danger, and shouted, but was too late. Mr. Currie received a serious injury to his head and a compound fracture of his leg. His condition is critical.

## CHATHAM TO TRY NATURAL GAS

### The Proposition of Carmen & Fairbanks Accepted by the Industrial Committee.

### Matter of Location of the Lake Erie Car Shops Will be Dealt With at Once.

Whether or not Chatham will have the Lake Erie car shops here will likely be decided to-day or to-morrow, as Mr. Coburn, solicitor for the Railroad Company, will meet the Industrial committee to discuss the matter.

A meeting of the Industrial committee was held yesterday afternoon in the City Clerk's office with chairman W. T. Piggott, Mayor W. E. McKeough, and Aldermen Henry Robinson, Thos. Scullard, G. G. Martin and John Edmondson present.

A proposition was read from C. E. Lister, of the Maple City Creamery, for a cold storage plant. Mr. Lister's proposition states that the plant will have a storage capacity of 30,000 cubic feet, to be erected at the corner of Adelaide and King streets, with latest cooling apparatus; 20,000 cubic feet will be set aside for public use at rates no greater than charged by other cities of the same size and in proportion to business. Mr. Lister asked for a loan of \$8,000 for 20 years at a rate of four per cent. interest, free water, light and freedom from taxes with exception of school, the city to have first mortgage on his present creamery and the new cold storage plant, to aggregate \$16,000.

All present seemed most favorably impressed with the proposition and expressed themselves as such, but favor of it, but am sure that it would not pass at the present time.

It was decided to recommend the acceptance of Mr. Lister's proposition to the City Council, and the by-law to be put to the people any time Mr. Lister requests without expense to the city.

A proposition was read from W. W. Brown re the matter of boring for natural gas.

The proposition of Carmen and Fairbanks was thought better than that of Mr. Brown, so it was decided to accept their proposition on condition that a satisfactory contract with the city could be made.

A communication from a Lockport, N. Y., paint company was left over. They asked a bonus.

Several other matters regarding the location of several big firms here brought up by Chairman Piggott were discussed, including the matter of the Lake Erie car shops, when word was brought in by Mr. Gundy, of the firm of Wilson, Pike & Gundy, that Mr. Coburn, of the Railroad Company, would be here to-morrow or Saturday to adjust the matter.

An Orillia Board of Trade communication against the granting of bonuses was set aside.

## LOOKING BACKWARDS

"It seems funny now when I look at the Victoria Block," said Capt. Geo. Stringer, to the Planet this morning, "to be able to remember when a large boat was built on that same spot."

"It was away back in the forties that Wm. Eberts built his first boat there. I remember it distinctly. She was called the 'Square Toes,' named after the peculiar style of shoes the Governor-General of that time wore. It was taken down to the river on rollers and was quite a job. I captained her for several years and had some exciting experiences."

"Before the bridges were built here we had these ferries running across. They used to be the cause of many drowning accidents. Old Capt. Harvey used to have a ferry and kept a nice little cabin with a tavern aboard."

## GOOD CONCERT

The concert given by the members of the Peninsular Band in Northwood's Hall last night was a huge success. There was a good crowd present and everything passed off in grand style. It is expected that when the returns are all made a neat little sum will be put to the credit of the band. The following is the program which was given:

Part I.  
 Overture—Orchestra.  
 Chorus—Old Kentucky Home, led by Mrs. Bell.  
 Solo—Nancy Brown, Miss Annie Johnston.  
 Male quartette—Sweet Sixteen—Messrs. Chas. Lynn, Geo. E. Gant, H. Bird, Walter Hall.  
 Violin solo—Dr. L. C. DeCov.  
 Chorus—King O'er Land and Sea—Club.  
 Baritone solo—The Sea the Home for Me—H. Bird.  
 Solo—Beyond the Gates of Paradise—C. M. Cooper.

Part II.  
 Duet—Miss M. Howell and Mrs. B. Bell.  
 Bass solo—Down in the Deep Let Me Sleep When I Die—Geo. E. Gant.  
 Male quartette—(Special).  
 Cornet solo—Dr. L. C. DeCov.  
 Solo—L'Estas—Miss Emma Lawrence.  
 Solo—Annie, Let Me Hear From You—Miss Belle Perry.  
 Comic Reading—Mr. Walter Hall.  
 Chorus—Club.

The committee in charge of the entertainment were R. A. Murphy, Chas. Lynn, Wm. Powell and Geo. E. Gant.

## PLEASING INCIDENT AT A GALT MEETING

A pleasing incident took place at Galt last week. At the Annual Meeting of the Gore Fire Insurance Co., a handsome oil portrait of the Manager, Mr. R. S. Strong, painted by Mr. J. W. L. Forster, A. R. C. A., was unveiled, and the meeting instructed the Directors to get similar portraits of the President, the Hon. James Young, and of Adam Warnock, Esq., the late Vice-President. For a quarter of a century these gentlemen seldom ever failed to attend the weekly meeting to transact the executive business of the company, which meetings were not interrupted till Mr. Warnock's death last summer, and the members of the company felt that the remarkable success of the Gore during that long period deserved to be signalled in some special way. Mr. Strong became a Director in 1863, Mr. Warnock in 1866, Mr. Young in 1868, and they were appointed together as President, Vice-President and Manager in 1877.

# Boys' Shoes

for this wet, changeable weather.  
 Solid leather throughout.  
 All sizes  
**FROM \$1.00 UP**  
 ALL STYLES OF RUBBERS TOO

## PEACE & CO.

SOLE AGENTS

## Feb. Special Sale Enamelled Ware,

COMMENCING AT 9 O'CLOCK Saturday Morning, 21st.

Continuing during next week. We quote a few prices of a few of the many lines we offer you in order to make things interesting for you at **THE ARK** for the balance of this month.

1	Quart Milk Pans, reg. price 15c. now.....	10c
2	" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	20c. now.....
6	" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	35c. now.....
8	" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	40c. now.....

9 inch Pie Plates, regular price 10c. now 4 for 25c  
 10 inch Pie Plates, regular price 12c., 3 for 25c

Medium size Wash Bowl, regular price 25c. now..... 25c  
 Large Size Wash Bowl, regular price 30c. for..... 25c  
 Tipped Sauce Pans, regular prices 15c., 18c., 25c., 30c., now 10c., 12c., 18c., 20c  
 Watch for fresh items as the sale progresses. Samples of goods in Window

## THE 'ARK'

H. MACAULAY  
89 KING STREET



The Planet
S. STEPHENSON - Proprietor.
Business Office No. 53A,
Editorial rooms No. 53B
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COMPLIMENTARY TO CANADA.

Disgraced comment by ourselves and others on the new two-cent stamp has inspired one of our readers to send us for comparison a United States and a Canadian postal card, with a request for an expression of opinion as to their respective merits.

THE SAW-OFF IN ENGLAND.

The Montreal Star points out that the "Saw-off is a criminal offense in England. The Star says:

The corrupt and illegal practices prevention act, 1883, of the imperial parliament, affords a good model for imitation by those Canadian statesmen who desire to see some legislation enacted to minimize corrupt and illegal practices in our federal and provincial elections.

"If any person makes an agreement or terms, or enters into any undertaking in relation to the withdrawal of an election petition, and such agreement, terms or undertaking, is or are for the withdrawal of the election petition in consideration of any payment, or in consideration that the seat shall at any time be vacated, or in consideration of the withdrawal of any other election petition, or is or are (whether lawful or unlawful) not mentioned in the aforesaid affidavits, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be liable on conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months and to a fine not exceeding two hundred pounds."

A GOOD DEFINITION.
New Denver (B. C.) Ledger.
A knocker is an individual who condemns what you approve.

THEY WANT THE EARTH.
Halifax Chronicle.
They have the Sun, the Moon, the Star, the Globe, the World, in the Toronto journalistic sky. All that they want to complete their contentment and add truly a Torontoesque touch to the whole is—"the Earth."

CANADA'S GRAND OLD MEN.
London Chronicle.
Canada is the country of grand old men. Besides Senator Wark, who will be a centenarian a few days hence, there is Senator R. B. Dickey, K. C., who is ninety-two. He was called to the bar in 1834—a date at which very few judges and barristers of to-day were born.

Assumed at the Altar.
Tess—She's travelling under an assumed name now.
Jess—You don't say! What is it?
Tess—Her husband's. She was married yesterday.—Exchange.
For the Good of the Service.
Clara—He gave me an army and navy kiss.
Maud—What kind is that?
Clara—Oh, rapid fire! Sixty a minute!—Smart Set.

A LINGERING COUGH

The cough that holds on in spite of all remedies needs energetic, and, above all, thorough treatment. A mere cough mixture won't do. Root out the cold that causes the cough.

How? Scott's Emulsion.
Why? Because Scott's Emulsion stops the irritation, soothes the tissues and heals the affected membranes.

When? Right away. Scott's Emulsion begins to help with the first dose. Its action is quick and effective.

In a word, Scott's Emulsion cures a cough because it cures the cold.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 55 Front St., W., Toronto.

CREATES NO SURPRISE.
Stratford Herald.
This last British army scandal is another illustration of the fact that British regiments are in many cases dominated by cadts. Returned Canadians from South Africa related so many instances of the same kind, that the outrage inflicted on Admiral Cochrane's nephew, culminating in compelling his resignation, creates little surprise in this country.

BATH MONEY.
New York Tribune.
The wives of the Turks enjoy certain prerogatives. Here is one of the rights of the proud beauties: Bath money forms an item in every marriage contract, the husband engaging to allow his wife a certain sum for bathing purposes. Should it be withheld, she has only to go before the cad and turn her slipper upside down, and if the complaint be not then redressed it is a ground of divorce.

THE CANADIAN GIRL.
Ottawa Citizen.
There is something mysterious about the Canadian girl who used the now celebrated words, "You lie!" in the United States Congress. How is it that she has not been interviewed, and her picture put in the papers?—Toronto Star.

The chances are that an American girl would have been pleased with the notoriety which such an incident would have afforded, while in the case of the Canadian girl her interruption of the senatorial misrepresenter was the result of an "irresistible impulse" to resent on behalf of her country what she regarded as a slander, and, having yielded to it, both the girl and her relatives probably shrank instinctively from the publicity it involved.

Some people only look for work through a telescope.
His Occupation.
"What have you ever done for your country?" asked the indignant citizen.
"Never started to count up," answered the practical politician. "Too busy finding out what my country can do for me."

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It doesn't follow that the man who boasts of his rural origin will enjoy being told that he looks like a farmer.—Ohio State Journal

A new baby in a home soon makes the rest of the furniture look shabby.

200 Overcoats

To be sold in the Next Two Weeks.
Prices 3.75 to \$10.
Regular Prices \$5 up to \$16

We must turn Overcoats into dollars; we have marked prices to do this; we have some coats, size 44.

See Our Window for Quality and Prices.
\$3.75 to \$10.00.

MEYNELL

3 doors west from Market King Street, CHATHAM

PAROLES NOT REVOKED.

General Grant Laid Down the Law to President Johnson.

Daniel R. Goodloe, for many years a distinguished resident of Washington and chairman of the commission to free the slaves of the District, once told this story:

"One morning soon after the surrender at Appomattox I was one of a group of gentlemen standing on Pennsylvania avenue, discussing the momentous questions of the day. As we talked General Grant rode toward us, smoking his usual cigar. Recognizing several of us, he dismounted and joined us."

"What's the news?" he asked.
"I answered, 'We are discussing a piece of news which comes to us directly from the White House and which gives me no little concern.'
"What is it?" asked the general.

"I understand that President Andrew Johnson intends to revoke the parole of General Lee and other generals of the late Southern Confederacy."
"Who was your informant?" asked General Grant.

"I gave him the name of the gentleman who had given the information."
"General Grant quietly said, 'Thank you, gentlemen,' remounted his horse and rode rapidly away toward the White House."

"We leisurely turned our steps in the same direction, and as we entered the portico we saw Grant coming down the steps looking more excited than I had ever seen him before. I went upstairs and met a friend who had been in conference that morning with Mr. Johnson on the subject above mentioned. He said to me: 'If you have any request to make of the president this morning, keep it until some other time. He is angrier than I have ever seen him. A moment ago General Grant strode into his presence and peremptorily demanded, 'Do you intend to revoke the parole of General Robert E. Lee and other officers of the late Confederacy?'"

"I am considering the subject," Johnson replied. "You need not consider it. Those paroles were signed by me as general commanding the army of the United States. My promise to them shall be kept in good faith if it takes the army of the United States, plus the army of the late Confederacy, to enforce it."

"Saying this, Grant retired and left Johnson white with rage."
"We never heard any more of the revocation of the paroles."

The Northway Co., Ltd The Busy Cash Store The Northway Co., Ltd

BUSY REAPERS Our Customers Have Been This Month

This store has proven a fertile field for buyers who have taken us at our word. Have you been a reaper? Have you shared in this harvest of HONEY DRYGOODS VALUES? Here is another opportunity. This Great February Clearing Sale lasts for one week longer. This is but a partial list of what we have in store for you. Read it carefully. Tell your friends about it. Come and see the goods and share in the saving.

Table with columns for Dress Goods, Ribbon Bargain, Cashmere hose, 322 pairs children's cashmere hose, Men's underwear bargains, Table linens, Three pieces bleached table damask, 1,000 yards Canadian and American prints, Crum's prints, 9c shaker flannels, Ladies' coats, and Ladies' heavy all wool frieze dress skirts.

STRICTLY THE NORTHWAY COMPANY Limited ONE LOWEST PRICE

A Monster Laundry.
The biggest laundry in London has seven miles of drying lines, all under cover. Eighty thousand pieces can be dried at once in the space of half an hour.

A Miser's Hoard.
Four thousand pounds in gold, silver and bronze has been found in the hut of an old beggar woman at Chab-el-Amem, Algeria.

Work For Prisoners.
Prisoners in England awaiting trial can elect to work during the period and receive payment accordingly.

Honest Chinamen.
Honesty is a prevailing virtue among most Chinamen. Some of them, in their native towns and cities, often leave their places of business unguarded while they go off for half an hour or more. Should customers arrive in the meantime they find the prices of goods plainly marked, select what they want and leave the money for them.

The Cradle of the Race.
Dr. Moritz Asberg in his work on the descent of man accepts as plausible Schotensack's idea that Australia was the cradle of the human race.

Some people think that they work for the poor by going to charity balls.

The Victorian Nugget.
Not the most valuable, but one of the most beautiful in appearance of Australian gold nuggets was the Victorian, found in White Horse gully, Bendigo. It was purchased by the parliament of Victoria for \$8,250 and presented to the late Queen Victoria.

Warm Feet.
Warm feet have much to do with white hands. When feet are habitually cold, the hands are always red or blue.

Arrested a Fox.
Observing a young fox chasing cats in a densely populated part of Halifax, England, one of the local constables seized reward and took him to the police station.

Big Gas Company.
The largest gas company in the world is that of Paris. It uses 1,200,000 tons of coal a year.

Migratory Birds.
The principal routes taken by migratory birds, as registered in books of natural history, show a wonderful geographical instinct on the part of the feathered bipeds, as they take, for the most part, the seas and oceans at their narrowest and the river valleys at their longest.

Marauding Baboons.
In some parts of South Africa much damage is done by baboons, which go in large marauding parties to rob gardens.

Paris Green.
The fatal effect of paris green, the insecticide which is so often taken with suicidal intent, depends upon the fact that it is more than half oxide of arsenic. The formula is: Copper oxide, 81 per cent; arsenious oxide, 59 per cent; acetic acid, 10 per cent.

A Kaffir Tax.
Every Kaffir in Cape Colony must pay a labor tax of 10 shillings a year unless he can prove that he has worked for three months of the year.

MASONS' SUPPLIES

We have a complete stock of Lime, Cement, Plaster, Sewer Pipe, Fire Brick, Cut Stone, Sand, Hair, Etc., of the best quality and at the lowest possible prices—give us a call.

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Horses Wanted.

Until further notice, HAROLD W. SMITH, of Toronto, will be at Wm. Gray & Co. Factory

EVERY SATURDAY to purchase horses. The highest cash prices will be paid.

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ESTABLISHED 1817.
Capital (all paid up) \$12,000,000
Reserve Fund 8,000,000
Drafts bought and sold. Collections made on favorable terms. Interest allowed on deposits at current rates in Savings Bank department, or on deposit receipts.

STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

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Branches and agents at all principal points in Canada, U. S. and Great Britain. Drafts issued and notes discounted. Savings Bank Department deposits (which may be withdrawn without delay) received and interest allowed thereon at the highest current rates.

What were you about to remark? she asked.
Oh! Why, it's of no consequence, he returned.
I know that, she quickly retorted, but what was it?

FLOUR For Family Use

Scientifically milled from the best wheat for an exclusive and high-class trade. It contains a higher percentage of digestible nutrients than any other flour of the same grade. As a result it makes a light white loaf, pure sweet and wholesome. Don't take our word for it, but try it and become a

BEAVER FLOUR

convert. It is the one flour that always measures up to standard of the best, backed with our guarantee. Try it and see.

The T. H. Taylor Co. - Limited PHONE NO. 1

Lime, Cement AND Cut Stone.

We keep the best in stock at right prices.

JOHN H. OLDERSHAW, Thames Street, Opposite Police Station...

For Sale
Three bulls, coming two-year-old, of the Crookshank Shorthorn. Evergreen Stock Farm. McFADDEN BROS., Fletcher E. O., Ont.



DISTRICT DOINGS. TILBURY

Feb. 19.—Bert Wilson, of Wallaceburg, was in town yesterday. The ladies of St. Francis church will give a euchre party in the Separate school hall to-morrow evening. Miss Fanny Stinson, who has been visiting her sister here, Miss N. Stinson, returned to her home in Croton to-day. Married.—In Wallaceburg, on Wednesday, 18th inst., Miss J. Macdonald, of Wallaceburg, and Sandy McGregor, of Tilbury East. A grand fancy dress carnival will be held at the rink to-night, for which an interesting program of sports has been prepared. First class music will be furnished. Mrs. H. Johnston, Mrs. F. M. Scarff and Miss Belle Wilson were in Chatham last evening to hear the Pittsburg orchestra. Miss Mary Adair is spending to-day in Detroit. A successful meeting of the West Kent Farmers' Union was held on Monday evening in Palmer's Hall. The attendance was small, however. In the afternoon C. G. Gaston, of Craig-hurst, spoke on "Our bacon trade and how to increase and maintain it," and W. F. Kidd, of Simcoe, on "horse raising." In the evening the former spoke on "cold storage" and the latter on "fairs."

WALLACEBURG

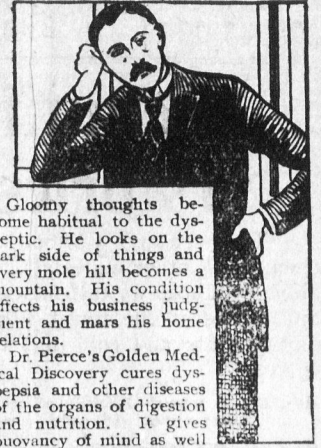
Feb. 19.—Miss Jessie McLean and Miss Maggie Stewart left this week to spend a few months in Detroit. Miss Rose Hayward, of Detroit, is a Wallaceburg visitor. A fancy dress carnival is being held in the Beatty skating rink this evening. The costumes promise to be very unique and pretty. A wedding ceremony was performed yesterday morning in the R. C. church by the Rev. Father Brady. Miss Jennie Bell McDonald and Mr. A. J. McGregor were the contracting parties. After the service a reception was given at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McDonald, Maple Leaf Farm, Chatham Township, to which a large number of friends were invited. Miss McDonald returned a short time ago from Mitchell, where she made her home with Father Roman, formerly of this place. The young couple were the recipients of many handsome gifts, showing in what esteem they are held. Mr. A. McKibbin is being congratulated to-day on the birth of a son. A number of the boys of the Chatham Collegiate Institute were in Wallaceburg last evening and met our H. S. boys in a friendly game of hockey. The game was an exciting one and resulted in a score of 9 to 1 in favor of Wallaceburg.

BLENHEIM

Feb. 18.—Greenwood Bros. have dissolved partnership. Chalmers Greenwood leaves in the near future for Stratford, where he is going into the furniture business. Mrs. Irwin, Sr., died to-day at her son's home, Talbot St., after a lingering illness. We shall lose another of our respected townsmen shortly in the person of Mr. Geo. Vester, Jr., who is going to return to his farm on the Base Line. Mr. Cuthbertson, of Detroit, who is operating drilling machines in Raleigh for an American firm, was in town to-day. Wm. Robertson, our popular tailor, met with a painful accident last evening. When coming out of W. E. Hall's office he stepped on a loose board, tripped and fell on his arm, causing a bad fracture above the wrist. Mrs. W. H. Stephenson entertains this evening. A sleighload of young people drove out from Chatham last evening and were entertained at the Sheldon Hotel. A number from here attended the dance in the Foresters' Hall at Chatham Cross last evening. Jas. Sterling is confined to the house with a severe attack of rheumatism. Mr. McRae, of Petrolia, spent the day in town. E. J. Taylor, of the Taylor, Scott & Co., Hamilton, is in town. Mr. Andrews, of Glenora, is making a couple of drums for A. B. Vester, of the Vester House. The following is the score of the semi-weekly shoot of the Blenheim Gun Club, which was held yesterday:—Hall, 23 out of 25; O'Brien, 12; A. McIntyre, 8; B. Ramsden, 17; Jim Burke, 15; Sam Burke, 11; Ed. Ramsden, 17; Moon Face, 19; J. Rouse, 9; I. H. Rode, 8; Cant. DeClue, 20; Sam Burke, 15; Tom Taylor, 13; Mar. Burke, 9; H. Bates, 18; H. Burke, 9.

AN OLD WILL

The following is a copy of a will made by one named Alexander Sterling in the year 1831. Mr. Sterling was one of the early settlers down the river and Chas. Williams has the original document:— In the name of God Amen, I, Alexander Sterling, of the County of Kent, Western District and Province of Upper Canada, although laboring at present under some indisposition of body yet being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding through the mercy of God, do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following: First and principally, I resign my soul with the utmost humility into the hands of Almighty God, my creator, humbly hoping for a blessed immortality through the merits and mediation of my blessed Saviour and Redeemer, Jesus Christ, and my body I desire may be decently buried at the discretion of my executors and as for such temporal estate as the Lord in his good goodness has instructed me to be stew-



THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

The A. O. U. W. concert at the Grand last night was very successful, the house being fairly well-crowded and the entertainment delightful. Miss E. Pauline Johnson, the Iroquois Indian poet reciter, and J. Walter McRae made excellent entertainers. Their selections were continuously enjoyed and heartily applauded. Mr. McRae was especially good in his Dr. Drummond "Habitant" sketches.

The playlet, "At the Ball," in which Miss Johnson, as Clara Manners, and Mr. McRae, as Capt. Geo. Fielding, are guests of Dr. Adams, at the Kensington Asylum, who is giving a ball to the patients who are not very violent, was very laughable and well done. Addresses were delivered by G. M. W. Gibson, of Ingersoll, and Thomas Scullard, of this city.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—"The Auctioneers," matinee night, Feb. 21st. March 2—City Football Club Minstrels, local production under the musical direction of Wm. H. Bracklin.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents)

THE GLICK STOCK CO.

The Glick Stock Company will be at the Grand all next week. Monday night "North Carolina Folks" will be put on, and is a play that is bound to attract and hold the attention of all classes of theatre-goers, both young and old. The story told is a natural recital of the doings of the simple-minded, quaint people of the South, which is well acted by the entire cast, and combines clean comedy, pretty love scenes and striking situations. Prices 10, 20 and 30c. Don't forget that anyone buying a 30c. seat Monday before 6 p. m. will get a lady's ticket free. Up-to-date specialties between each act.

Ivan the Terrible.

Ivan IV. of Russia, called Ivan the Terrible, was not a pleasant person. Even at his meals he was rather testy. On one occasion he threw over Prince Gorskoff, who had failed to be witty, a tureen of scalding soup, and as the prince endeavored to escape the czar plunged a knife into his side. The unhappy noble fell dead, and Ivan, remarking that he had carried the joke far enough, bade his physician attend to him. "It is only God and your majesty, replied the medical man, that can restore the prince to life. He is quite gone." The czar, somewhat disconcerted, took a pleasant way of forgetting it. It chanced that a favorite noble came at this moment, whereupon His Majesty took hold of the corpse by the ear, and using his knife he cut the ear off and flung it into the face of his old friend. The noble received the blow with many acknowledgments of his master's condescension.

Tennyson's Birthplace.

Few places in England are more freely visited than Somersby, the birthplace of the late poet-laureate, and scarcely any so little cared for. It is true, an admirer has placed a memorial brass within the church, but since ill-luck came on the squire's family neglect has been very busy. The rectory itself is in the hands of a prosy, grumpy, frugal farm people, who have let the lawn where Arthur Hallam read "the Tuscan poets" and the girls sang "a ballad to the brightening moon," go largely into wilderness, while some of its is turned into a cabbage garden. The dining-hall, built by the poet's father is in tolerable preservation, and would make an ideal home for a Tennyson museum. The walls, like those of many other houses in the neighborhood, are built of a kind of mud, and already show symptoms of decay. Could the nation not acquire the place before it is too late? No very great cost would be involved, and even that could be met by making a slight charge for admission.—The King.

An Irish Paradox.

"Paralysis?" said an Irishman. "It's the disease that makes ye so that every time ye move ye can't stir."—Sydney Town and Country Journal.

In the little disputes of life don't put all the blame on the other fellow. Women often make the mistake of thinking man affected by their tears.

Advertisement for Surprise Soap. Text: "You Can Buy BEST FOR WASH DAY. SURPRISE SOAP. BEST FOR EVERY DAY. of any Grocer"

It is easy to imitate the advertisements of Blue Ribbon Tea, but the tea itself can be neither imitated nor equalled.

Put up Black Mixed & Ceylon Green

Advertisement for Westman Bros. Sweepings Bargain Sale. Text: "Sweeping Bargain Sale At WESTMAN BROS. 20 per cent. Discount Off all JEWEL BASE BURNERS AIR TIGHT and other HEATERS Also off HORSE BLANKETS of all kinds, ROBES, GRAIN BAGS, STOVE BOARDS, LANTERNS. Don't forget the place for Bargains. WESTMAN BROS. Big Hardware and Implement House, CHATHAM"

Advertisement for Scott & Co. Chatham's Leading Clothiers & Outfitters. Text: "Scott & Co. Chatham's Leading Clothiers & Outfitters. Having purchased a large up-to-date stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishings at St. Thomas, at an exceedingly low rate on the \$, we will, for the next few days, sell Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, Hats and Caps At prices regardless of cost, to enable us to make room for our St. Thomas Stock. SCOTT & CO."

Advertisement for Good News for Farmers. Text: "GOOD NEWS FOR FARMERS The most perfect chopping mill in Canada. All kinds of grain ground fine as flour at the rate of a bag a minute. We ask you to bring your chopping and get satisfaction The Canada Flour Mills Co., Limited Subscribe Now"

Table with train schedules: GOING EAST, GOING WEST, GRAND TRUNK, T. E. WABASH RAILROAD CO.

Table with train schedules: Lake Erie & Detroit River R.R. Effective June 15, 1902

Advertisement for Grand Trunk Railway System. Text: "GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM Special Colonist One Way Excursion Tickets from CHATHAM to Billings, Montana, \$32.75; Colorado Springs, Denver, Helena, Butte, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Pueblo, \$37.75; Spokane, Wash., \$38.25; North Pacific Coast and Kootenay Points, \$40.75; San Francisco, Cal., \$40.75. Tickets, Folders, Illustrated Literature, and information from agents. W. E. RISPIN, C. P. A. J. C. PRITCHARD, Chatham, Depot Agent."

Advertisement for Canadian Opportunities. Text: "CANADIAN OPPORTUNITIES 100,000,000 Bushels Grain Crop in Manitoba in 1902. 7 proportionate yield in Alberta, Assiniboia and Saskatchewan. Millions of Acres of good land for sale on easy terms in the North-West. Immense timber and mineral resources in British Columbia. Opening for Ranchers, Farmers, Dairymen Fruit Growers, Millers, Mechanics, Prospectors Miners. Write your nearest Canadian Pacific agent for free illustrated booklets on "Western Canada" and "British Columbia." A. H. NOTMAN, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, King St. East, Toronto. W. H. HARRPER, City Pass. Agent."

Advertisement for Wabash. Text: "WABASH Will make sweeping reductions in the one-way colonist rates to California, Washington, Oregon, Montana, Arizona, and other West and Northwest points. Tickets on sale Feb. 15th to April 30th, 1903, good to stop over en route. All tickets should read via Detroit and over the Wabash, the short and true route from Canada to all Pacific Coast points. All travellers will tell you the Wabash is the most comfortable route to travel: everything is up-to-date and first class in every respect; every comfort is provided, equal to any first class hotel. For information as to rates, routes, etc., address J. A. Richardson, District Passenger Agent, Toronto or St. Thomas. J. C. PRITCHARD, Agent Depot. W. E. RISPIN, City Passenger Agent."

Advertisement for The Nimmo & Harrison Business and Short-Hand College. Text: "THE NIMMO & HARRISON BUSINESS AND SHORT-HAND COLLEGE, OF TORONTO is a progressive, reliable school. The most up-to-date courses of study and equipment. Its record of good results is unrivalled. ITS GRADUATES ARE ALWAYS SUCCESSFUL IN SECURING THE BEST POSITIONS. Tuition and rooming mailed to your address free. Write for it now. NIMMO & HARRISON PRINCIPALS"



# OVERCOAT SALE.

New Method Overcoats worth \$12.50 and \$15.00 for **\$9.99**

New Method Overcoats worth \$10.00 for **\$7.49**

New Method Overcoats worth \$7.50 for **\$5.49**

**THE 2 T'S, = Slaton Shoe Agents GARNER BLOOK.**

## G. W. CORNELL DENTIST

Corner Sixth and King Street  
Over the Bee Hive.  
Phone 317.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET.

Miss Ada Barthe is indisposed.  
Judge Woods went to London this morning.

M. Wilson, K. C., returned from Toronto last night.  
Wesley Ward, of Highgate, was a Chatham visitor to-day.

The civic pay sheets for the past week amounted to \$44.54.  
The College boys hold an assembly in the Auditorium to-night.

Ex-Mayor Geo. W. Sulman is in London to-day on business.

Ex-Mayor Hugh Malcolmson left this morning for Hamilton, Ont.

The Dr. Hanks well was pumped yesterday but the water interfered with the pumping.

The Wabash train due here at 6.45 a. m. and 1.25 p. m. yesterday were both over eight hours late.

Mrs. John Turner, Lacroix street, is seriously ill. Mrs. Turner is 86 years of age and is not expected to recover.

Quite a number here received invitations to an assembly in Dresden this evening given by the Coronation Club of that place.

The Leamington Gun Club intends purchasing 500 bushels of grain with which to feed the ducks that have wintered in the marshes around Rondeau.

Last, this afternoon, over the river, a purse containing a sum of money; also a photograph and street car tickets. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office. 21d

John, the young son of Sebastian Kaufman, River Road, Harwich, died last night. Deceased was one of the most popular young men in Harwich. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

Miss Hill, of Cleveland, who is to take charge of Park St. Methodist Choir, will meet the members of the choir to-morrow evening, when a rehearsal of Sunday's music will be held.

Fred. Thompson, of the firm of Wilson, Pike & Gundy, leaves on Monday for Owen Sound, having secured a position with the International Correspondence Schools. Mr. Thompson is president of the Victoria Avenue Epworth League and his co-workers will meet to-night to bid him farewell.

Landlady—What portion of the chicken would you like?  
Mr. Newcomer—Oh, half of it will be sufficient, thank you.

## LOOK!

2 story BRICK HOUSE FOR SALE—Hall, double parlors, large dining room with arch and sliding doors between each, library or bedroom. Upstairs—Hall, 3 bedrooms, large bathroom with all fittings in. Small cellar, woodshed, city water, sink, etc. House finished throughout in hardwood (oiled). Lot 100x200, planted with all kinds of fruit.

**DUNN & MERRITT,**  
BOX 52 PHONE 295  
Fifth St., 1st Door from King.

## NATURAL GAS

City Engineer E. B. Jones says that ever since he was a boy natural gas has been bubbling up out of McGregor's Creek at one point. The flow of gas is so strong as to prevent the water, at this point, freezing. The spot where this gas bubbles up from the bowels of the earth is near where McGregor's Creek crosses the 3rd concession in the vicinity of the old Tobin farm, Harwich. When Mr. Jones was a boy he and James Baxter used to skate up the Creek but they always had to avoid the spot where the gas bubbled up. The gas still comes up at this place and can be ignited.

## ON ACTIVE SERVICE

Fireman Frank Ryall has received a letter from his brother, Charles Ryall, who is with the Baden-Powell Mounted Police in South Africa. Charlie is now stationed at Dewet's Dorp and is having an easy time. Matters are very quiet in South Africa and the police are engaged in chasing up stock thieves. Charlie described the capturing of one thief. The men were forced to shoot his horse from under him in order to catch him. Charlie still likes the life in South Africa and does not intend to come home until his time is finished, a year from next July. He sent home a number of photographs of himself.

## BINDER TWINE

A meeting of the shareholders of the Chatham Binder Twine Company is called for March 4. This meeting is called to amend by-laws to consider ways and means for running the company's factory and to consider other matters relating to the company's affairs.

The Directors have arranged for a loan of \$10,000 for one year, which pays off the lien due Mr. Geo. McGarvin, to be repaid \$1,000 in three months, \$500 in six months and the balance within one year. As the interest is payable in advance the proceeds of the loan will be sufficient to cover the lien, the company having the privilege of paying the whole principal sum at any time within the year, when interest will be allowed for all but one month.

The Directors consider this arrangement very satisfactory, and urge the Shareholders to at once take preference stock to provide the necessary funds to enable them to start the factory running. This is the only source from which funds can be obtained. Already \$2,000 preference stock has been subscribed and paid in. If all other Shareholders will do likewise there is yet time to do good business for the coming harvest. The hemp market is at present most favorable for purchasing; prices are lower than at any time during the past eighteen months. An upward tendency is liable to occur at any time.

Prompt action now may save the company a large amount of money. The Director of 300 tons of Binder Twine and only require sufficient means in sight to warrant them in accepting.

A youngster had been to the theatre, and upon his return his uncle asked him how he liked the play.  
Oh, he replied, the play was all right, but I didn't see nearly all of it.  
Why, how did that happen? asked his uncle.  
Because, answered the youngster, the roller must have been broke, for the window blind fell down two or three times.

The union of energy and wisdom makes the completest character and the most powerful life.

## WORLD OF SPORT

### BASEBALL

**AN ENVIABLE RECORD.**  
Congalton, the clever Chicago National League player, formerly of the Hamilton Canadian League team, holds an enviable record. He played through all last season without an error, and heads the fielding average of the league with a percentage of 1,000.

### CURLING

Tilbury, Feb. 20.—The Tilbury Curling Club played two closely contested games with two rinks of Windsor curlers here on Thursday, with the result that Tilbury lost the afternoon game and won the evening one.

The local curlers went to Wallaceburg to-day to play the team of that town.

Two rinks of Chatham curlers went to Wallaceburg to-day. The following gentlemen composed the party, Messrs. J. L. Bray, W. E. Merritt, J. McCoig, A. B. McCoig, Wm. Gordon, S. Perrin, Mac. Gardiner, Mr. Bethune and Mr. Archer.

### HOCKEY.

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.**  
O. H. A. Intermediate.  
Marlborough ..... 9 Belleville ..... 4  
New York Northern League ..... 4  
Kincardine ..... 1 Mount Forest ..... 2  
Niagara District League.  
Thorold ..... 12 Port Dalhousie ..... 2

### Leading Wheat Markets.

Closing previous day.	Closing to-day.	
	Cash.	May.
Chicago	77 1/2	77 1/2
New York	80 1/2	80 1/2
Toledo	77 1/2	77 1/2
Minneapolis	76 1/2	76 1/2
Duluth, 1st hand	77 1/2	77 1/2
do No. 1 nor.	78 1/2	78 1/2
Milwaukee, 2nd nor.	77 1/2	77 1/2
Detroit, 2nd red	75 1/2	75 1/2
St. Louis	72 1/2	72 1/2

### TRAVELLING ART EXHIBIT OF GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

Arrangements have been completed by the passenger department of the Grand Trunk Railway System whereby its annual travelling picture exhibit, that has created such favorable comment throughout the United States, will start out on a three months' tour commencing February 1. The itinerary of the trip covers some of the principal Southern and Middle States, and includes the following cities:—Atlanta, Ga.; Birmingham, Montgomery and Mobile, Ala.; New Orleans, La.; Houston, San Antonio and Dallas, Texas; Memphis, Nashville, Chattanooga and Knoxville, Tenn.; Richmond, Va.; Harrisburg, Reading and Williamsport, Pa.; Elmira, Binghamton and Utica, N. Y. The tour is so arranged that the exhibit will be on view at New Orleans, La., during the "Mardi Gras" festival, which will take place February 22-4. The exhibition will be composed of more than 100 of the large advertising pictures, illustrating the several summer resort districts located on the line of the railway, and including the regions in the "Highlands of Ontario," the several resorts in the White Mountains of New England, and the bathing beaches on the coast of Maine. In addition to these there will be a series of mounted fish native to the waters of Canada, including black bass, maskinonge, wall-eyed pike (dore), brook trout, and other varieties. A representative of the Grand Trunk will accompany the exhibit, and handsome illustrated descriptive publications will be distributed gratuitously at each point.

### EASTWARD FROM CHATHAM.

The route for the person travelling East to New York, Boston and other points in the New England States is by the Wabash and West Shore Railroads. Through coaches and sleeping cars from Chatham without change. Mr. Rispien, King St., Chatham, is the agent. 9-25

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

## THE MINSTRELS

If you want to enjoy a few hours of amusement do not fail to take in the Football Boys' Minstrel Show on March 2. For good, clean humor, male chorus singing and solo work, it promises to eclipse all productions heretofore put on in Chatham. Over sixty young men of the city will occupy seats on the platform, and a full orchestra from the 24th Regiment Band will play the accompaniments. One of the best features of the evening will be the famous anvil chorus, which will be sung as a finale to the show. No one in Chatham should miss it.

A full practice of the chorus is called for to-night. It is urgently requested that every member be present, as the positions will be assigned to the different singers.

### DID CARLISLE PERSONATE?

**Gave a Wrong Name But Did Not Get the Ballot.**

Toronto, Feb. 20.—F. B. Carlisle of 340 Victoria street was tried before Judge McCrimmon yesterday afternoon at the court house on a charge of having personated Peter Gallagher of 90 Jarvis street, a dead man, on Dec. 4, and judgment was reserved until this morning. The question in doubt is, did Carlisle request a ballot? If he did, he is guilty of personation, so the Judge considered. Messrs. T. C. Robinette, K.C., and Jas. Haverson, for the defence, contended that Carlisle merely gave the name of the dead man to make a practical joke. Both the Crown and the defence agreed as to Carlisle's actions directly bearing upon the charge. The accused went into poll 24, 128 Church street, on Dec. 4, gave the name of Peter Gallagher, and just as the deputy returning officer, J. P. Pamphilon, was reaching for a ballot, the scrutineer in the temperance interests, Mr. C. G. Mills, challenged the applicant. The oath was about to be administered when the would-be voter quit the room.

The claims of the defence were that he did not ask for a ballot, and that, as it was a practical joke, if he had been allowed to proceed he would have refused the ballot upon presentation by the officer, that there is no offence of attempting to personate, and that there can be no conviction of personation, because the very most that the Crown established was a prima facie case of attempt.

### SMALLPOX RAGED FIERCELY.

**There Were Thirty-one Cases in Wilmot Township.**

Toronto, Feb. 20.—Dr. Bryce received the monthly bulletin of the Michigan State Board of Health yesterday, from which it appears that the epidemic of smallpox has not yet been stamped out. No less than 100 new outbreaks have been reported during the month of January. From 60 final reports of original cases received during the month it appears that there were 308 cases and three deaths from those centres of infection covered by the reports. Great difficulty is still experienced in checking the spread of the disease.

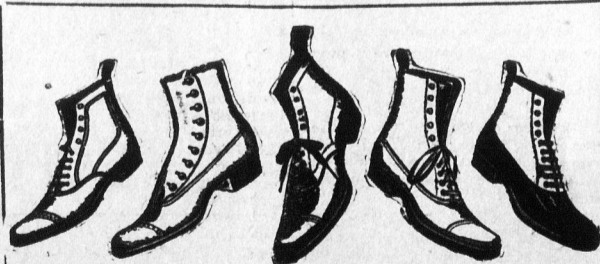
There have been 32 cases of smallpox in Wilmot Township, Waterloo County, since the first of the year, and one of the patients died. One new case is reported from Portland Township, Frontenac. The cases in Galt and Brantford are reported to be convalescent, and with prospects of no further outbreak.

### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

### "USED BY ROYALTY."

Mr. T. H. Estabrooks secured an excellent advertisement for Red Rose Tea when it was selected for the use of E. B. H., the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York during their recent visit. Its selection is a guarantee of its very superior quality. Red Rose Tea is sold by a number of our leading grocers.



## BOYS WILL BE BOYS

And shoes must be sturdy to stand the racket—the romping play incident to the trips to and from school.

## OUR SCHOOL SHOES

Are made to withstand the hardest knocks, strong and staunch, full of wear and yet not clumsy. Goodness—they have more than others, but the price is no higher. See them before you fit the boy out.

**\$1.00 to \$1.50**

...The Prices Range...

**GEO. W. COWAN, CHATHAM.**

**BU-JU**

Restores to Health the Kidneys

50 Cents a Box

**A. I. McCALL & CO., Limited**

# Beautiful Cotton Fabrics for 1903

This season's Cottons are exquisite. You will prefer them to all other materials. Every weave will wash admirably. Those we call mercerized have all the sheen, softness and grace of the finest silks. All the new cottons are in dainty tints and colorings that cannot be obtained in other weaves

**At 28c. a yard**—Beautiful effects in extra fine white P. K. with fancy mercerized raised stripes, wide width, correct style.

**At 20c. a Yard**—Extra wide Box Cloth Suiting and waist material, pure white, soft make, correct for fancy waists.

**At 30c. a Yard**—Fine lace effect Scotch Zephyrs, white ground work with raised mercerized stripes in cardinal, Nile, pink and light blue colors. Special for evening wear.

**At 20c, 25c. and 30c. a Yard**—A beautiful collection of choice patterns of the new waist cloth, Mercerized Brillantine, a soft silk material, warranted to retain the same finish after being laundered.

**At 30c. a Yard**—32 inch fancy striped Cotton Mesh Suiting and Waist Cloth soft make, open work weave, correct style.

### At 12-20. and 15c. a Yard

24 pieces extra fine quality fancy striped Scotch Zephyrs, in wide or narrow stripes, in pinks, blues, Nile, grey, ox-blood and linen shades. warranted fast colors, special price 12 1/2c. yard.

9 pieces very choice quality French Cambric, for fancy waists and street costumes, extra fine soft make, a beautiful assortment of patterns and colorings, wide widths, fast colors, special 15c. yard.

## Pretty Embroideries

Embroidered Edgings and Insertions of Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Muslin. Mostly hand-loom work. Women who are beginning their spring sewing, and dressmakers, will seize this offering with eagerness.

A special lot of Embroideries and Insertions in very pretty patterns, worth 6c. and 7c. per yard, on our bargain counter for **50c.** per yard.

Extra good quality in Embroideries and Insertions from 2 to 4 inches wide, worth 12 1/2c, 14c. and 15c. your choice for **100c.** per yard.

One hundred pieces of very fine Embroidery, from 2 to 8 inches wide, in cambric and muslin, price from **50c** to **400c.** per yard.

50 pieces of Insertions, Beading and Applique, designs are very pretty trimming for shirt waist, price from **50c.** to **400c.** per yard.

## Ladies' Collars

Ladies' Stock Collars in pink, blue, black and white, price..... **25c**  
Ladies' fancy silk Stock Collars, made with tab and nicely trimmed, price..... **35c**  
Ladies' fancy silk and satin Collar, very pretty design, in all the leading shades, price..... **50c**

## Dress Goods Department

Three Special Lines that Save You Money

**HARRIS HOMESPUNS**—56 inches wide, guaranteed pure Scotch wool, will not spot or shrink, black, navy and fine shades or grey, a perfect material for suits or skirts, at a yard..... **\$1.00**

**BLACK BROADLOTH**—54 inches wide, Ripley's celebrated finish, beautiful black, rich bright finish, regular dollar value, black only at a yard..... **75c**

**AMAZON OLOTH**—In black and all street shades, all pure wool, popular finish, nice weight for spring suits, 42 inches wide at 50c. per yard, and 46 inch extra heavy, at a yard..... **75c**

Saturday at Austin's Clothing Dep.--SPECIAL

## One More Whirl

This cold snap reminds us that we have about 200 pairs of Men's Pants that we must sell, so we start a

## CLEAN-UP SALE of MEN'S PANTS

See Samples in EAST SHOW WINDOW Saturday

**At 98c. and \$1.29 a Pair**

Pants that are worth from \$1.25 to \$2.00 regular made from honest wearing tweed, heavy all wool full cloths, heavy all wool black and blue serges

All ready for easy selling displayed on tables in Clothing Department.

## The GREAT FEBRUARY OVERCOAT EVENT

IN FULL SWING

The greatest opportunity to buy Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Reefers ever offered in Chatham. Come and take a look round and see for your own satisfaction. It will cost you nothing to look.



## C. Austin & Co.

The Leading and Reliable Clothiers



# Chicken.

Nice tender chicken with all the bones taken out, then jellied in cans. Perfectly clean and good. Cans are handy, too, have a key to open them, no trouble with can openers.

25c. a Can . . .

- CRISP LETTUCE, 25c. a pound.
- SALAD DRESSING, 15c., 25c. and 50c.
- MARMALADE, 10c. a jar.
- HOME-MADE MARMALADE, 15c. a jar.
- SELF-RISING BUCK WHEAT FLOUR, 15c. a package
- QUEBEC MAPLE SYRUP, 30c. a quart.
- QUAKER OATS, 10c. a package.

H. Malcolmson

## DR. A. W. THORNTON

DENTIST,  
has removed to his New Office  
corner King and Fifth Streets,  
over A. L. McCall's Drug Store.  
TELEPHONE OFFICE 164.  
RESIDENCE 285.

### TO-NIGHT.

B. Y. P. U. 8:00 o'clock.  
Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccabees' Hall, at 8.  
C. B. C. Assembly, Oddfellows' Auditorium, at 8.  
St. Andrew's Church Y. E. Society, lecture hall, at 8.  
First Presbyterian Young People's Literary Society at 8.  
Meeting of the City Football Club Minstrels, for practice, Old Town Hall at 8, sharp.  
Penitentiary Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their rooms over Public Library, at 8 o'clock.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will hold a re-union of all its old members at 8.

### PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.  
Toronto, Feb. 20.—10 a. m.—Fresh southeasterly winds, fair weather, moderating. Saturday, strong south-westerly and west winds, fair to cloudy, with temperature just below freezing point.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:  
Thermometer 7.  
Highest yesterday 17.  
Lowest last night 6.  
Direction of wind, west.

### Local Briefs

Buy the Cable at Bates Bros. Stephen Dyer, Grey street, is seriously ill.

Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Bogart returned from Chicago Saturday evening.

Park Bros. installed the heating in the Blonde mills yesterday morning. The Cable at Bates Bros. is 5c. straight. It must be good.

George Eisey, Jr., manager of the Dresden Sugar Co., was in the city to-day.

Mrs. M. Munro, Wardsville, and Miss Rachel Smith, Newbury, are visiting Miss Ward, Head street.

Miss Flossie Butler, Head street, leaves to-morrow on an extended visit to Toronto.

Smoke the Cable. You buy them at Bates Bros.

Park Bros. shipped the large pumps to Skinner Drainage Works, north of Wallaceburg yesterday.

Grover Grigg had his hand badly lacerated by a circular saw at the Blonde Co.'s mill Wednesday afternoon.

The Cable is the best. Bates Bros. keep them.

The annual meeting of the Leamington Electric Light Company was held yesterday in Lawyer G. B. Douglas' office.

S. Davis & Sons, of Montreal, have made Bates Bros. sole agents for the Cable, the best 5c. cigar in Canada.

Joseph Thomas, Jr., River Road, Dover, is smiling over the birth of his first daughter. He is already the father of several sons.

Fred. Thompson, formerly clerk in the offices of Wilson, Pike & Gundy, will leave shortly for Owen Sound, where he will in future reside.

Mrs. Thomson Reanne and daughter Gladys left on the 16th for their home in Seattle, Wash., after several months visit with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Kelly.

Emergent meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., will be held in Masonic Hall, Fifth St., next Monday evening at 7:30 for the purpose of conferring degrees.

C. Bechard, proprietor of the Aberdeen House, is making some extensive improvements to his hotel. New metallic ceilings are being put in, also a system of electric lighting.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Assisting Society will be held Monday afternoon next at 3:30, in the Council Chamber, Harrison Hall, when every member is requested to be present.

W. A. Switzer, piano tuner for Heintzman & Co., Toronto, is now in the city, and is prepared to tune pianos. All tuning guaranteed by Heintzman & Co., Toronto. Address communications to Box 219, or call at Rankin House. tf28

There was no meeting of the Board of Trade last evening as a quorum was not present. Those who did put in appearance were Secretary Landon, S. Stephenson, W. A. Hadley, D. McLachlan, C. E. Lister, J. Fleming and A. C. Woodward.

### SPECIAL SALE CHILDREN'S

## Woolen Bonnets and Toggles

25c. Bonnets reduced to 19c  
50c. Bonnets reduced to 38c  
75c. Bonnets reduced to 50c

## WELDON'S KING ST.

### Chatham Millinery Store!

## Your Choice of Trimmed Hats 99c

QUILLS, 3 for 10c

## COOKSLEY'S

Opposite the Market Square,

### STONED THE GENDARMES.

Religious Disturbances in Brittany Village.

Paris, Feb. 20.—There was a revival of the religious disturbances which characterized the closing of the Congregationist schools in Brittany last summer. The nuns having reopened their school at the village of Saint Meen, near Lesnevan, a police commissary accompanied by gendarmes proceeded to serve the order to close the school. When he arrived the church bell sounded the tocsin, and 300 peasants gathered, shouting "Death to the commissary." Showers of stones greeted the gendarmes, who, however, forced their way through the crowd and into the school. The commissary read the order to the lady superior, who promised to depart within a week.

### A NOTED CRIMINAL.

Posed as a Member of the English Nobility.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 20.—The man serving a six months' term in the city work house, who lived here for some time as "Lieut.-Col. F. Seymour Barrington, a member of the British nobility," and married a woman of Kansas City, who believed his story of wealth and title, was positively identified as George Barton, a noted English criminal. A picture of Barton, received from Scotland Yard, completed the identification, and finally the prisoner himself admitted it.

### A PALACE OF PEACE.

Carnegie Proposes to Build One at The Hague.

The Hague, Feb. 20.—It is reported that negotiations have been opened between a financial syndicate of The Hague and Mr. Andrew Carnegie for the sale of an estate here, which formerly belonged to the grand ducal family of Saxe-Weimar, upon which Mr. Carnegie proposes to erect a "palace of peace."

### TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Quehph has decided to close the bar-rooms at 9 o'clock.

A woman named Cunningham was found frozen to death near Ingersoll.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Pope's election will be celebrated to-day.

At Ottawa a milkman's horse ran away and ran into a glass door. The animal had to be quartered to clear the door.

The washing plant of the Dominion Iron & Coal Company at Sydney, N.S., was destroyed by fire. Loss about \$150,000.

The New York Theatrical Review records an improvement which it is claimed makes secrecy in wireless telegraphy possible, and transatlantic transmission easy.

Hon. E. J. Davis and Mr. T. Herbert Lennox were nominated for the Legislative Assembly for North York. Mr. Munns, Prohibitionist, is out of the field.

The Minister of Finance has received a letter from Signor Marconi in which he expresses confidence in the early consummation of commercial wireless telegraphy.

A St. Petersburg despatch says that the result of a fire at Pultova, in the Government of Podolia, twelve persons lost their lives two hundred houses were destroyed.

Lord Strathcona has issued a public warning to intending British emigrants to Canada against a number of swindling schemes operated by pretended emigration agencies.

A cross-petition has been filed by Holman, Drayton & Slaght, on behalf of A. M. Little, M.P.P., whose election in North Norfolk has been protested by the defeated candidate, Dr. Snider.

Premier Balfour's promise of legislation against future similar cases saved the British Government from defeat on a motion regarding non-prosecution in the London & Globe Finance Corporation's case.

Brantford manufacturers banqueted members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association from the chief centres of the Province last night. A feature of the affair was the decorations, in which the city's industries were represented, and the reading of an original poem, written by Miss Pauline Johnson.

# The GORDON STORE

## SPECIALS FOR SATUR., FEB. 21

We place on sale Saturday and Saturday night the goods for that day only.

26 pairs E. T. Corsets, straight front, French Contille, regular price \$1.75, all sizes, Saturday **59c.** pair.

16 dozen children's and ladies' heavy ribbed wool Hose, sizes 6 to 10 inch, regular price 25c, Saturday only **17c.** or 3 pairs for 50c.

1 piece unbleached Table Linen, 66 in., regular price 62c. yard, Saturday **42c.** yard.

10 pieces Shaker Flannels to clear **3c.** yard.

5 Electric Seal Collarettes, regular price \$12.00, Saturday **\$6.98** each.

## MARCH FASHION SHEETS

# WILLIAM GORDON

## BLENHHEIM

Feb. 19.—Mrs. G. N. Babcock, of Hensall, is visiting Mrs. J. K. Morris. Mr. Babcock has sold his business at Hensall, and he and his family will move to Toronto in the near future.

The town presented quite an animated appearance this afternoon at five o'clock, when the fire-bell rang to summon the firemen to the home of Mr. Doby in the west end. The fire was caused by a bed catching fire, which had been placed too near the stovepipe. The bed was badly burnt, but no further damage was done.

Peter Caughell, of Guids, gave a birthday party to a large number of his friends last night.

Alex. Hockey, who has been living on George Vester's farm at Mull, has purchased a farm of his own.

The program of services to be held during Lent in Trinity Church is the best which Blenheim has had for years. The ministers of the neighboring parishes will assist the rector in these services, and their texts will be the different sayings of our Saviour during Lent. The following ministers will assist:—Rev. F. M. Holmes, Leamington; Rev. C. A. Anderson, Kingsville; Rev. H. Wheeler, Colchester; Rev. T. Dobson, Tilbury; Rev. W. Sharpe, Chatham.

Rev. B. Smith, Rev. W. Sharpe, Chatham. The services will be held on Ash Wednesday, every Thursday during Lent, and Good Friday.

## HOW TO BE

### Cured of Piles Without Pain.

First: Change from sedentary occupation to wisely chosen, more active work.

Second: From indoor to outdoor life.

Third: From wrong to right clothing.

Fourth: From unhealthy, rich living, to a mild hygienic diet.

Fifth, sixth and last, use Pyramid Pile Cure regularly, and according to directions, for it is the right cure for the trouble, and will cure you as it has hundreds of others.

Don't wait until you are a helpless invalid, for a seemingly simple case of hemorrhoids, or piles, may, if neglected, rapidly lead to worse. The unnatural formations become tumorous and permanent, and the inflammation grows until abscesses form; the disease burrows into the tissues, forming tubular growths which discharge pus; cancerous conditions, and gangrenous degeneration appear.

What is needed at the start, or at any stage, is something to soothe the inflammation, reduce the swelling and disfigurement, and at the same time restore the diseased parts to normal condition. These three things are accomplished perfectly by the Pyramid Pile Cure. It checks all progress of the disease, and rapidly returns the affected parts to health, besides relieving at once the pain and fearful irritation.

It began using Pyramid Pile Cure, and in order to make sure of a cure bought five packages; for the past six weeks I have not been troubled in the least, and I had been bothered for thirty-five years, and had spent more than fifty dollars for different remedies; this is the first permanent help I have had, and no one could feel more grateful than I do." L. M. Williams, Conneaut, Ohio.

Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by druggists generally for fifty cents a package, and we urge all sufferers to write Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., for their valuable little book describing the cause and cure of piles.

## WALLACEBURG

Feb. 20.—A carnival was given in the Beattie skating rink last evening, which was a great success. A large number attended and the costumes were very unique and pretty. The ice was in excellent shape; the band was also in attendance. The following were prize winners: Miss Jeanne Fraser, Miss Myrtle Scott and Mr. Geo. McLean.

The invitations are out for a social dance which is being given by the

## ONE-WAY RATES

Every day from February 15 to April 30, 1903, the Union Pacific will sell One-way Colonist Tickets at the following rates from Missouri River: \$20.00 to Ogden and Salt Lake City. \$20.00 to Butte, Anaconda and Helena.

\$22.50 to Spokane and Wanatchee, Wash.

\$25.00 to Everett, Fairhaven and New Whatcom, via Huntington and Spokane.

\$25.00 to Portland, Tacoma and Seattle.

\$25.00 to Ashland, Roseburg, Eugene, Albany and Salem, via Portland.

\$25.00 to San Francisco, Los Angeles, and many other California points.

From Chicago and St. Louis proportionately low rates are in effect by lines connecting with the Union Pacific to all above points.

For full information call on or address H. F. CARTER, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada.

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Some men find satisfaction in keeping another man from success.

## UNIMPEACHABLE

If you were to see the unequalled volume of unimpeachable testimony in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla, you would upbraid yourself for so long delaying to take this effective alternative and tonic medicine for that blood disease from which you are suffering.

It eradicates scrofula and all other humors and cures all their inward and outward effects.

Take Hood's.

Never give your confidence to the man who speaks ill of all other men.

## WANTED.

GIRLS WANTED—Apply Grand Central Hotel. 10c

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. Frank Kniveton, Third St. 19

WANTED—Competent men to appoint agents whole or spare time. Commission paid. Apply John Doyle, Drawer 531, London. 10c

## FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

TO RENT—House on Grant street. Apply to Thomas Scullard, Victoria Block. 11

SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria avenue, and six on Maple street. For full particulars apply to S. Steinhenson, Planet Office. 11

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., and six lots on Maple St. Apply to Mrs. Bessman, Victoria Block, or The Planet. 11

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—House, formerly occupied by Mrs. Wemp, Wellington St. West. Suitable for boarding house or for any family requiring house with plenty of rooms. Modern conveniences. Apply to W. E. Rispin, 115 King St. 11

FARM TO RENT—100 acres, Lot 16, Con. 12, Dover, good farm house, barns, stables and plenty of water. Also 50 acres, Lot 15, Con. 13, Dover. Small house and good water. Will be rented on reasonable terms, possession in spring. For full particulars apply to or address John Doyle, Mitchell's Bay, or on Lot 16, 11

## A WISE IDEA

To get your old carpet manufactured into beautiful, durable rugs at prices that are right. Call and see samples. Factory opposite Piggott & Son's lumber office in J. & J. Oldershaw's block.

THE CHATHAM RUG FACTORY, Phone 85.

## CHEST PROTECTORS

People with weak lungs or those prone to taking cold often make two mistakes. First, neglect to use a chest protector or chamois vest in winter; second, fail to get one that really protects. The best chest protectors are designed scientifically. They keep in warmth and vitality. They keep out cold and dampness. These we sell are rightly made; are real chest protectors. Cost too little to go without—have them from 75c. up to \$2.00.

## W. W. TURNER

28 King St. Phone 221

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show the touch of the expert. And there's no better goods anywhere than those we present for inspection.

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HARWICH COUNCIL.

The municipal council of the township of Harwich met on Feb. 9th with the members all present.

The following communications were read: Mrs. Etches, re Mr. Wood for whom she was asking aid for support—No action.

A. E. Robinson, clerk of Raleigh, with cheque for \$167.18, amount refund of surplus on Mud and Indian Creek drain due ratepayers in Harwich.

Owen McKay, for L. E. & D.R. Ry., that Robert Sewell's drainage grievance would receive attention.

A. S. Code re township engineering. B. Rothwell, re extra expense re audit.

A. Cable, re a pair of artificial limbs—Laid over.

R. L. Gosnell, re A. Hunter grievance on Bisset & Bell drain.

Moved by Bentley—Buchanan that the clerk be authorized to write the secretary of the West Kent Agricultural society in regard to the dates fixed for their annual fall fair, as the dates now fixed conflict with our township fall fair, and ask that they arrange their dates one day earlier.

The Harwich Agriculture Directors have strongly protested to this board against the actions of the West Kent Agricultural society. We certainly cannot make them a grant unless they change their dates—Carried.

Buchanan—Bentley—That the clerk be instructed to write the manager of the L.E. & D. R. Ry and ask what they intend to do about the McGregor Ditch. The contractor claiming the ditch is completed and demanding the balance due for the work. We feel that we cannot pay this balance without the engineer passing the drain, as the contractor and commissioner disagree—Carried.

Buchanan—Campbell—That the communication from R. L. Gosnell re the complaint of Arch. Hunter be placed on file for future reference—Carried.

McCormick—Campbell—That the collector be instructed to accept Annie Glasser's taxes less \$1 for dog which is in an error in assessment for a dog which she never owned—Carried.

Campbell—McCormick—That as B. Rothwell, one of the auditors attended at the clerk's office to commence the audit, and on account of a misunderstanding was put to an expense of \$2, resolved that Mr. Rothwell be paid an extra fee of \$2. On the year and days being called the motion was lost. Yeas, McCormick, Campbell; Nays, Morrison, Buchanan, Bentley.

Cormick—Buchanan—That the trustee be instructed to lay before our solicitor the matter of lodging an appeal with the referee against McDonnell's report and assessment on the Doyle drain—Carried.

Buchanan—Campbell—That the clerk prepare a bylaw for refunding to the ratepayers on the Mud and Indian Creek drain of the surplus refunded to Harwich by Raleigh—Carried.

Also that this council consider the report of the engineer on the Liddy Johnson drain at its next regular meeting to be held on Monday, March 9th at 1.30 p.m. and the parties thereto to be notified accordingly—Carried.

Bentley—Campbell—That the Reeve and Mr. McCormick be a committee to meet at Mrs. McMahon's at one o'clock on Wednesday, 11th inst. in regard to the township's interest in the hall at Bridge End—Carried.

A petition was presented by Thomas Knott and others asking us to have lot 17, con. 4 W. C. R. transferred from U. S. S. 2 1/2 to U. S. S. 4, Harwich and Raleigh.

Moved by Buchanan—Campbell—That the petition of Thomas Knott be accepted and W. J. Huffman be appointed as Harwich arbitrator—Carried.

The following accounts were ordered paid: Wm. Neil, draining sewer pipe, \$9; W. D. Samson, stove and pipe and oil, \$14.65; S. H. Bacon, coal for office, \$18.09; P. D. McKellar, list of lands at Erieau, \$5; John G. Read, rep. Read's Bridge, \$7.50; W. T. McEachran, refund error on roll, to be charged, Jos. James, N. pt. lot 22, 11 L. E., \$2.59; George M. Baird, rep. births deaths and marriages, 1922, \$35.80; George M. Baird, express and sundries, \$4.45; George M. Baird, postage, \$4.30; George M. Baird, salary, \$80; S. Stephenson, minute, drainage and cash book, \$27.75; G. W. Mack, dating stamp for treasurer, and pad, \$3.22; Alex. Lucas, rep. W. C. and Hall, \$7.48; Alex. Neil, land for drain, \$15; Wm. Drury, land for drain, \$25; Wm. McFadden, delivering ballot boxes for election, \$4; R. & N. McGuigan, refund S.L. being returned in error, \$2; Newsome & Gilbert, stationery per account, \$4.70; Municipal World, assessment supplies, assessment and collector's rolls, \$14.40; B. Rothwell, auditing accounts, \$18; J. Whittington, auditing accounts, \$18; J. Cornhill, tile \$2; E. McEachran, repairing washout at Taft creek, \$5; Wm. Gardner, tile, \$4.07; John Green, tile, \$1.02; F. Alexander, balance forge raveling, \$3; P. McKellar, wood for A. D. Peck, \$6; John G. Read, sheep killed, \$6.66; John G. Read, reward for killing two dogs found at sheep, \$6; W. Sloan, refund dog tax, error, \$1.

The by-law for the Laird Drain was read a third time and finally passed. Council adjourned until Monday, March 9th.

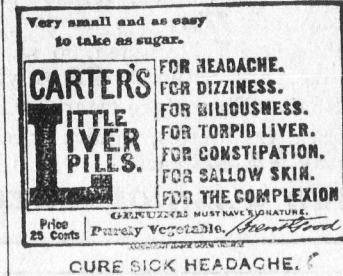
THE COAL HEAVER.

His clothes may be tattered and torn; His hat may be battered and worn; His face all begrimed And his language ill-timed, But no one shall use him with scorn. Receive him with garlands and songs; Salute him with shovel and tongs; Let the populace shout While the bells peal out With "dings," not omitting the "dongs." His coming brings joy to the soul, Though he claims a most liberal toll. The town will be seen In a rivalry keen For the man who is putting in coal. —Washington Star.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of Dr. J. C. Wood. See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.



CURE SICK HEADACHE. Angelo's Last Words. "My soul I resign to God, my body to the earth and my worldly possessions to my relatives," are said to be the last words of Michael Angelo.

A Quick Cake. For a quick cake beat until thick four eggs; add four tablespoonfuls of sugar, half a cupful of flour, a little cinnamon and lemon rind; beat well and spread on a baking pan. Bake in quick oven and cut at once.

Moths and Blankets. To prevent moths in blankets sprinkle shavings of yellow soap among their folds before storing them away. The soap can easily be shaken out when the blankets are to be used, and in the meantime it will save you much worry and anxiety, for moths will not go near it.

The Pearl. The pearl is the only precious stone that can be skinned. To skin it is often the only way to restore its milky color.

A Stony Mucilage. It is said that the gum found on peach, plum and cherry trees if dissolved in vinegar will make a mucilage that will keep indefinitely and mend anything for which glue is used.

EAT'S BREAKFAST NOW

Mrs. A. Waddell used Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, has Lost Her Dyspepsia and Found an Appetite.

Some people have Dyspepsia and do not know it. They know they have headaches, and they are nervous and irritable, troubled with sleeplessness and generally run down. But they think of charging up their troubles to where they spring from—the stomach.

If the stomach does not do its work properly—digest the food properly—the necessary nourishment is not supplied to the different organs and the latter become overtaxed and worn and unable to supply the demands of the day's work makes on them. The remedy is to have the food properly digested. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets digest the food and the body supplied with the nourishment it requires. Does its work readily and easily. The headaches disappear and the tired, restless feeling with them, and Mrs. A. Waddell, 34 Simcoe Street, Hamilton, has proved this. She says: "I had been troubled for four years with heavy headache and heartburn. I doctored with the best doctors, but they failed to help me. I commenced using Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets and soon found I was cured."

"I can now eat breakfast in the mornings; before I could not touch a bite."

Same Thing.

"Encore! Encore!" persistently yelled the group of college students in the audience after little Eva had died her stage death and the curtain had fallen. "Encore! Encore!"

The Uncle Tom. One of the kind that needed no burned cork to emphasize the blackness of his face, stepped before the curtain in some perplexity. "Gen'l men," he said, "dere ain' gwine be no core!"

Larger Quantities.

Miss Gabbie—And she accused me of retelling gossip about the neighborhood. Miss Sharpe—The Ideal. Miss Gabbie—Positively insulting, isn't she? Miss Sharpe—Yes, for you're really a wholesaler.

Sunlight Soap will not burn the nap off woollens nor the surface off linens.

SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE

Ask for the Octagon Bar.

THE STAY-AT-HOMES

IMPERIAL MINISTERS WHO HAVE NOT SEEN THE WIDE WORLD.

The Untraveled Cabinet—Small Number of Members of British Ministry Have Ever Been in America—Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Chamberlain the Most Traveled Men in Administration—Many Ministers Have Not Made Grand Tour.

Constitutional pedants have sought for a precedent for Mr. Chamberlain's tour. They have found none in this country, says The London Daily Mail, and only one abroad, the latter being that of a French minister who also visited the French West African colonies.

It is curious how few Cabinet Ministers have really traveled extensively, and how still fewer Ministers have visited the lands which they represent in Parliament. This is not Mr. Chamberlain's first tour abroad. He has visited Malta to study the Maltese question, the Bahamas (privately), and America on two or three occasions. In fact, he and Lord Lansdowne are the only two whom Americans seem at all to know as visitors to their shores. Quite recently Major-General Corbin said to a representative of The Daily Mail: "Nothing has struck us more during our visit to this country than the small number of Ministers who have ever visited America."

Other Cabinet Ministers have, however, traveled considerably. The Duke of Devonshire went to the Crimea in 1857, and there is an impression he went to America in his youth. Mr. St. John Brodrick traveled in India, Australia and other British possessions in the early nineties. Mr. A. J. Balfour went on a special mission to Berlin in 1878. Mr. George Wyndham served in the Sunkin campaign in 1885, and has visited Rhodesia and Matabeleland. Lord George Hamilton has served abroad in the Rifle Brigade (1864-1868), but has never been to India, which he represents in the Commons. Lord George Hamilton was however, in Canada during a stormy period in the history of the Dominion. Lord Selborne knows Malta and Gibraltar, as does Mr. Arnold-Forster. Lord Dudley has yachted abroad.

The traveled man of the Cabinet is Lord Lansdowne, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. He has been Viscount of India and Governor-General of Canada. He has been in Egypt and knows Europe well.

Viscount Cranborne, the Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, took part in the late campaign in South Africa as a yeomanry officer. Lord Stanley, the Financial Secretary to the War Office, acted as press censor on the same occasion. He is now going to India for the durbar as the guest of Lord Kitchener.

Lord Valentia, Controller of the Household, and the Duke of Marlborough served in South Africa, which Lord Hardwicke, the Under Secretary of War, has also visited. Earl Percy, the Under Secretary of India, has visited India as well as Persia, and has traveled through Asia Minor.

But the Prime Minister, his brother the President of the Board of Trade, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and the Home Secretary are in the long-distance sense untraveled. Of ex-Ministers Lord Salisbury spent some of his earlier life in the goldfields of Australia. As Minister for Foreign Affairs, he accompanied Mr. Disraeli, Prime Minister, to Berlin at the time of the Russia-Turkish war, and returned bringing, in the popular phrase of the time, "Peace with honor."

Lord Goschen administered the affairs of Turkey as British Envoy Extraordinary to Constantinople. Sir James Ferguson served in the Crimea, and has been Governor of Bombay, as well as a considerable traveler in Australia and America and Canada.

Sir John Gorst visited India before he was Under Secretary of State for that country, and was a schoolmaster in New Zealand prior to serving as Minister of Education in England.

The travelers of the ex-Government are Lord Rosebery, who has done the grand tour; Lord Ripon, who was Governor-General of India, and Sir Walter Foster, who has been to America, Canada and Tunis.

On the whole, it is curious that in these days of immense railway developments men are less traveled than they were 50 years ago. In those days no man ever thought himself equipped for any public life unless he had made the so-called grand tour, which included at any rate every European country.

Doctors' Income in England.

The British Medical Journal ventures an estimate of the average income that might be expected by the general practitioner in England and part of it at £100 to £500. The estimate was copied into several daily papers and has produced a large crop of correspondence teeming with ridicule and indignation. The general practitioners who ought to know, declare that only a small proportion of their number earn so much, even after years of arduous work. The competition brought about by the overcrowded state of the profession, they declare, so great that it is a cruelty to induce men by inflated estimates to enter it.

Long Distance Fruits.

Dr. A. A. Brown of the Agricultural department of Victoria, has been experimenting with soft fruits with a view to their preservation during a long journey, such as that from Australia to Southampton. In January last he selected some fine peaches, halved the sample, and packed each set in a separate case. One case was subjected to fumigation with formaldehyde gas and the other to methane. In both instances the fruit remained perfectly sound and showed no traces of decay, even after many weeks.

LOSS OF APPETITE

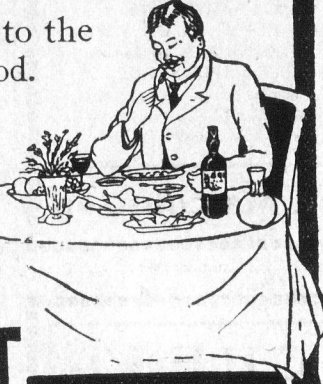


If your stomach is upset or in any way out of order—if food seems distasteful to you—if acidity, burning or fullness of the stomach prevents you from having an appetite—if you wish to eat and eat well—take, before each meal, a wine glassful of

VIN ST MICHEL

(ST. MICHAEL'S WINE)

It will create an appetite and restore to the palate that lost relishing taste for food. It will make the digestive organs act naturally and properly digest the food eaten, whether your stomach is in good order or not. No matter if you are young or old, sick or healthy



MAKES YOU EAT

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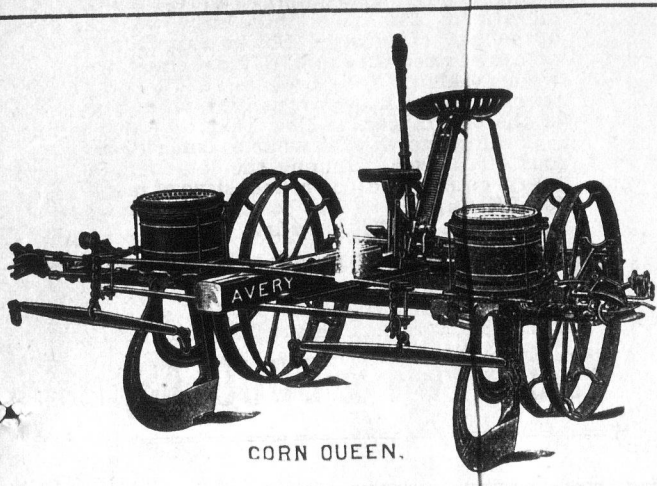
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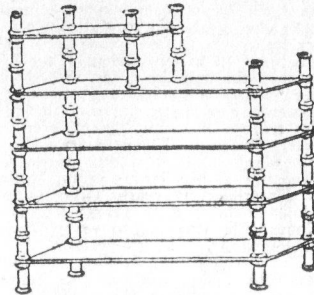


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A DOLL'S BOOKCASE.

spools are a dark wood nearly the shade of the shelves, and the whole case is varnished over.

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Air and Water Test.

Fill a glass with water and, without removing it from the vessel in which you filled it, stand it upside down under the water until you are ready to use it. Now take an empty glass and turn this directly mouth downward into the same vessel of water, and no matter how hard you press it downward no water will flow into it, for it is not really empty, as you at first supposed. It is filled with air, which takes up room, and this must flow out before water can enter it. Now, keeping the first glass, which is filled with water, mouth downward, raise it near the surface, though not above the water. Now carefully turn the glass of air under the water so that its mouth communicates with the mouth of the water filled glass. Since air is lighter than water, the air from the lower vessel will flow up into the water filled glass, and the water which was in the glass will flow down into the glass which had contained air. If the glass which contained air had contained oil, which is lighter than water, the same experiment could have been performed, and the upper glass would have received the oil.

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A Rude Lake.

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When I grow into a great big man And buy what I want to wear, I'm going to have trousers a mile or two long And never will brush my hair.

I'll buy a silk hat, with a very tall crown, And carry a gold headed cane. I'll not wear a necktie; it takes so much time To untie it and tie it again.

I'm going to eat candy whenever I please And play on the street till it's dark. With peanuts my pockets will always be stuffed. Oh, say, won't I just have a lark!

I'll hitch on the ice wagons all that I please, With no one to make me get off. I won't be polite to a nurse or a girl, And my hat I never will doff.

And never, oh, never, will I go to bed Before it's at least half past eight! Ah, a jolly good time I'll have when a man. You'll see if you only just wait. —New York Tribune.

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SINGS COL. SAU'S PRAISES.

Boer Commandant Once Captured by the Redoubtable Canadian.

"If Col. Sam Hughes will come to Graqualand I'll guarantee him a reputation to which his Lindsay reputation on returning from the war won't be a patch," said Commandant De Jongh, one of the Boer officers of the late war, as he sat in Inspector Hughes' office, Toronto, one morning in January last, with Lindsay's redoubtable warrior bold beside him. The two had met before in South Africa, and a sudden attachment had been formed between them. In fact, De Jongh, along with 300 men under him, had been taken into custody by Col. Hughes, who had followed them for 125 miles with only 18 men. The Commandant has a frank admiration for the clever dexterity of a colonel who could perform such a feat. The two of them had also been mixed up in other interesting encounters in South Africa, in which they would have taken each other's lives with the greatest zest. Now they lunch together, and on the friendliest possible terms. They fought their battles over again and victor and vanquished accepted the issue with the greatest mutual good will. Commandant De Jongh says this spirit is quite typical of the present feeling among the great majority of the Boer. He came to Toronto largely because of Colonel Sam Hughes' influence, and he expects to make his home here. He says that probably more men of his compatriots, attracted by reports of Canadian prosperity and Canadian liberty, will emigrate soon to this country.

In the early part of the war De Jongh was in Kruger's secret service in Cape Colony. After that he led a commando in Graqualand until captured by Colonel Hughes. He was one of the party of Boers who surprised the British under General Warren at Father's Post. Col. Hughes was in charge of one of the guns which fought off the attack. The Boer warrior told how they crept through the British ranks and opened up on the surprised British troops at dawn, and Col. Hughes gave the version of the fight from his point of view. The British lost some 25 men killed and a number wounded. The Boer loss, according to Commandant De Jongh, was not more than 20 killed and wounded. Both soldiers apparently greatly enjoyed the fight.

"The Boers of Graqualand," said the commandant, "would be glad to follow Col. Hughes anywhere. They would have been only too glad to have taken service under him if he were not fighting for their enemies." Col. Hughes looked happy, and changed the subject to a trial of marksmanship he once had with some of De Jongh's friends in South Africa.

The visiting Boer officer is a comparatively young man, of pleasant address, who speaks English perfectly. Apparently he was a worthy foe for Colonel Hughes, and he now accepts defeat gracefully, and has shaken hands with the victors.

INVASION OF CANADA.

An Interesting Paper Read Before the Colonial Institute.

In his paper, "The Canadian West and Northwest," which was read recently at the meeting of the Royal Colonial Institute, London, Mr. W. Albert Hickman said he did not believe that the American invasion involved the slightest danger to British interests. He had the pleasure of going north in the Saskatchewan country with a special train containing 166 American capitalists to buy Canadian land. The train was placarded "Special Train of the Saskatchewan Valley Land Company," which company bought no less than one million acres of land. He had studied the invading army carefully and it impressed him that the majority of them appreciated British institutions, and became good Canadian citizens with great rapidity. He looked upon this investment of many millions of American money in Canadian lands as but the forging of one more chain in the already existing informal alliance—the Anglo-American confederation. Figures led him to the inference that in 15 years the United States would not be exporting one bushel of wheat. All would be required for home consumption, and her wheat lands would all be under cultivation. The United Kingdom might then look to getting her wheat supply from the Canadian plains—and much of her supply of meat and dairy produce also. Some of them who were in that room would eat bread made from flour of wheat grown in the valley of the Peace River as sure as day was day. Last year the Hudson Bay Company sent a \$10,000 roller flour mill into Fort Vermillion on the Peace River, and for all he knew some of them might have eaten bread from there already.

Problem of Immunity.

Prof. J. J. McKenzie of the University of Toronto lectured at the Canadian Institute on Saturday night on "Recent theories in regard to the causes of immunity to infectious disease." He sketched the history of our knowledge of immunity and said that the conditions which determine the death of a microbe introduced into the blood depend upon the presence of two substances, the first of which is specific and acts only upon the specific microbe, the other of which is common to the blood of most animals. The practical endeavor of bacteriologists has been to increase the amount of specific substances which has proved difficult, but also to increase the amount of the non-specific substance which so far has proved difficult. These observations have shown also that the question of immunity is of much broader bearing than the mere question of prevention or cure of infectious disease, because it is evident from the results so far obtained that it has a bearing upon the whole question of the nutrition of the animal body.

FAMILIAR PHRASES.

Many Used in Our Daily Conversation Have Unknown Sources for the Most of Us.

How few of the phrases that we introduce into our daily conversation have we ever traced to their source? Take, for instance, the expression "As good as a play." Which among us have realized that its parent was none other than Charles II., who used it whilst attending the House of Lords during the passing of the Divorce bill? "Defend me from my friends!" Again, how rarely it is remembered that this was the witty request of Marshal Villars to Louis XIV.; or that "Eureka" was the exclamation of Archimedes when he had solved an anxious problem. It was Villard who said "Surtout, point de zèle," and Chateaubriand's were those, "I have wept and believed," so often misquoted. The words, "Let the cobbler stick to his last," have been attributed to many a wrong man, instead of to the right person, the painter Apelles, who really uttered them, and also those "No day without its line."

Drougham's "The pursuit of knowledge under difficulties" and "The Schoolmaster is abroad" are familiar indeed, but not always credited to him. About Wellington's "The Government of the Queen must be carried on" there is rarely a mistake. "Rich beyond the dreams of avarice" was bequeathed to us by Dr. Johnson, who tacked the phrase on to Messrs. Barclay and Perkins at the sale of their brewery. Lamb claims the oft-quoted "Brilliant flashes of silence," and Warburton, "Orthodoxy is another man's doxy."

The French phrase-makers are masters of their art. L'homme absurde est celui qui ne change jamais, an aphorism of Barthelemy, will be quoted for centuries to come, so, too, "God favors the heaviest battalions" which, first vaguely introduced by Tacitus was put into crystallized form by Voltaire. "Twas Voltaire also who exclaimed, Si Dieu n'existe pas, il faudrait l'inventer! To the fervent Saint-Simon we owe the assertion "The Golden Age is before, and not behind us." "Let him who loves me follow me" was spoken by Napoleon, and that other brilliant soldier, Comte de Larochelle-Jaquin, addressed to his men the well-known words, "If I advance, follow me; if I withdraw, slay me; if I fall, avenge me." The French Revolution brought forth many memorable phrases. "Do you think revolutions are made with rose-water?" was asked by Chamfort. An unforgettable felicity of Napoleon's is that "There is only one step from the sublime to the ridiculous." "Another such victory and we are undone," sometimes attributed to Napoleon, was in reality said by Pyrrhus of Epirus. That a person is "indebted to his memory for his facts," is due to Sheridan, who of happy phrases has left his country a peculiarly rich legacy.

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Sick and Discouraged. "He used to be so optimistic—always smiling and full of hope." "I know it. But that was before he found out that he was getting \$3 a week less than the man at the next desk."

The Bliss of Ignorance. "Were you ever unconscious?" asked the wise guy of the cheerful chump. "Not," replied the cheerful chump airily, "that was ever conscious of."

Perhaps You've Met Him. There a little boy I know Who ever seems to go Downstairs just the regulation way: He will roll or slide or crawl, Go backward, jump or fall, But walk? Oh, no! Not once on the livelong day.

The Sleep Doesn't Come. "He suffers from insomnia, doesn't he?" "Yes, so much so that he never says 'Now I lie me down to sleep' any more."

What Women Like. He—I love you, darling, more than words can utter. She—Utter them just the same, Harry. I like hear as much as I can.

The Season. There once is a fullback who hunted For trouble got all he wanted, "Fore started to fool With government mule; His tombstone reads simply, "Outpunted."

Separation Needed. "Hamfattedeclares that he is wedded to his wife." "Well, it's wonder a long suffering public doest appeal to the divorce court."

Time Required. First Door—Have many died of that new disease of yours? Second Door—No, but then it isn't generally known yet.

Chided His Luck. Then there's Zephaniah Ware, Who wisps he'd never been born. He made fortune in liquid air, And sped it for liquid corn.

Tough. Chauncey does she return your love? Algernon—No. Neither will she return the pants I gave her.

Secret of His Success. "Has he any natural gifts?" "Well, if I could hear the artistic way he flairs the boss you'd surely think so."

The Fall Trade. Pretty bits, with golden looks, May anyone be a winner And brim when the returns are in, Expect scribbles a-dinner!

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Whitby, Feb. 20.—The frost caused a rail to break in the main line of the Grand Trunk Railway half a mile east of Whitby. The first train to pass over the track, the Chicago express from Montreal, tumbled thirty feet into the field below. Six cars followed each other over the steep embankment just east of the junction, and rolled down the hill, all but one overturning. The following were the more seriously hurt:

Michael Cusack, brakeman, 72 Bathurst street, Toronto, left leg, left shoulder and three ribs broken, suffering from shock; at St. Michael's.

Geo. H. Heleur of Montreal, traveller for Laury, Watson & Bond, John street, seriously injured about the chest; at 32 John street.

George Langgag, baggage man, 6 Arthur street, Toronto, cut and bruised about head, face and left hand; at St. Michael's Hospital.

Conductor C. Stuart, 47 Robert street, Toronto, cuts in the head; street, Toronto, cuts in the head, and badly shaken up.

L. E. Dunlop of Westford, Vermont, cuts and bruises on the head; at the Emergency.

Archibald Mains, 528 Adelaide street west, Toronto, cuts on the head.

David L. Carver of Bangor, Maine, foot cut; at the Emergency.

Lathan Speck, Chelsey, Maine, ears torn and hand cut.

Henry Lindsay of Fox Lake, Wisconsin, forehead slightly cut and knee injured.

John M. Spencer, Manager of Evans & Sons, Toronto, leg injured, and shaken up.

Victor Ross, Globe reporter, Toronto, cut on the head.

G. Gwynn, Los Angeles, injured to spine.

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Newark, N.J., Feb. 20.—A fast express on the Lackawanna Railroad cut through a trolley car crowded with school children at the Clinton avenue crossing. Eight of the children were killed, and a score or more of them injured, some fatally. The motor-man of the car, who stuck to his post, will die, and the engineer of the express was so badly hurt that there is little hope of his recovery. Both the express and the trolley were on a steep grade, going at right angles. The express was signalled, and the crossing gates were lowered, while the trolley car was yet half way down the hill. The motor-man shut off the power and applied the brakes, but almost immediately the car began to slip along the icy rails. It gained tremendous momentum, and at the bottom of the hill crashed through the gates, directly in the track of the on-coming train. The locomotive ploughed its way through the trolley, throwing the children in every direction. The dead are: Viola Ill, 17 years; Maude Baker, 16 years; Ernestine P. Mueller, 15 years; Mabel E. Karschner, 17 years, Tiffin, Ohio; Alma Loehner, 16 years; Rosebud Kott; Ella Werupp, 19 years; Evan L. Eastwood, jun., 16 years.

The wreck of the trolley car was complete. The pilot of the engine struck it almost in the centre, and turned it partly around, and then the ponderous engine cut it in two. The upper part of the trolley was reduced to fragments under the drivers of the locomotive. One-half of the car was thrown to one side and lay on the tracks. The other section was hurled some distance away. In every direction lay the dead and injured. The engine was brought to a standstill, and from the train and from near-by houses men rushed to the rescue. The spectacle was appalling, and many who started to work had to give up, un-nerved. From the High School, where the crash had been heard, a shriek ran up to a fire box and ran in an alarm. Within five minutes as many dead bodies had been laid side by side in the snow alongside the track. One of the bodies, that of a girl, was found a block beyond. It had been carried there on the pilot of the engine. Load after load of the injured was sent away in patrol wagons and ambulances.

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David L. Carver of Bangor, Maine, foot cut; at the Emergency.

Lathan Speck, Chelsey, Maine, ears torn and hand cut.

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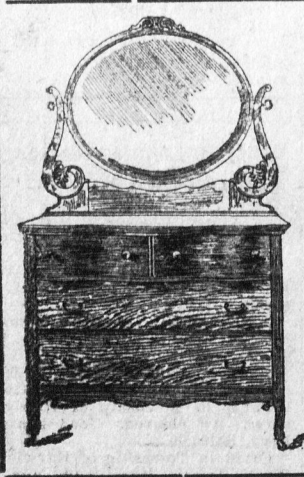
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