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SALE OF Linen Table Cloths

SATURDAY—Bleached Linen Table Cloths, 24 yards wide, bordered all around, in elegant floral designs, good serviceable weight, pure bleached, fine glossy finish, on sale Saturday each, \$1.43

SALE OF MEN'S UNDERWEAR

SATURDAY—20 Dozen Men's Undershirts and Drawers, made by the Galt Knitting Company—their famous "Elastic Rib" and "Guaranteed Unshrinkable"—an overmake of the mill and a little off color. See our display in East Window. Pure wool goods, regular value \$1.25 a garment, on sale for 75c

SPECIAL SALE OF DRESS GOODS

SATURDAY—12 pieces Canadian made all wool Homespuns and Friezes, suitable for jackets, skirts and suits, in shades of green, brown and light grey, regular prices 75c, 85c, and \$1.00 a yard, all 1 1/2 yards wide, on sale Saturday only for 50c

SALE OF DENIMS

SATURDAY—4 pieces of Blue Art Denims in navy and bluette shades, 36 in. wide, suitable for floor covering, furniture covering, etc., regular price 25c. a yard, on sale Sat'day only, very special at a yard, 12 1-2c

SALE of ART SATEEN and ART DENIMS

SATURDAY—20 pieces of fine figured Art Sateens and Denims, 34 in. and 36 in. wide, in Oriental, Conventional and Floral Designs in every desirable combination of colorings, 20 designs from which to select, suitable for hangings and coverings and cushion tops, regular price 25c. a yd, your choice on Sat'day only at 14c

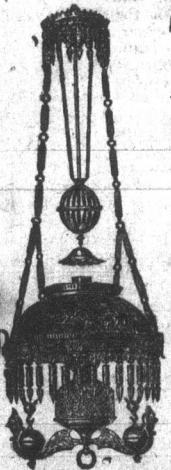
SALE OF CURTAIN NETS

SATURDAY—Swiss Tambour Curtain Net, correct for sash and door curtains, in white only, very dainty design, regularly sold at 45c. a yard, Saturday 25c

VELVET CARPET FOR \$1.00 A YARD.

Extraordinary offering in English Velvet Carpets, with borders to match, in excellent designs in brown and green effects, made and laid on your floor, very special at a yard, \$1.00

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We have not said much lately about LAMPS as STOVES and RANGES have claimed our attention. Now a word about

LAMPS...

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import direct the finest Ceylon, Assam and China Tea, Black Gunpowder and Young Hyson, Best English Breakfast Tea, 35c. and 40c.
A trial only required.

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Did you ever examine your windows. You will likely find them loose. So much so, they will rattle with the least wind. Windows in this condition will let a lot of cold and wind through.

Stop all this and make your house comfortable by having the Chamberlain Metal Weather Strip attached. See window equipped at my office, opposite the Post Office.

Thos. G. O'Rourke

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in extreme low prices and excellent qualities in our Ready to wear Hats.

C.A. Cooksley's,
Next to Big Clock.

THE ARMENIAN MURDERS.

Police Are Confident that Gorgio Yangie Committed All Three.

London, Nov. 6.—The police have located the lodging place of Gorgio Yangie, the murderer of the two Armenians delegates to the revolutionary convention here, and who afterwards killed himself, and they are satisfied that he was identical with the murderer of Sagatel Sagouni. All the members of the Henschakian Society are in a state of great alarm. They are satisfied that their enemies, the Alarists, will appoint a successor to carry on the work of extermination of the Henschakist leaders.

HE IS AN IMPERIALIST.

SIR MICHAEL HICKS-BEACH ON THE FISCAL PLANS.

Lord Goschen Writes Stating His Acceptance of Premier Balfour's Policy—Morning Post's Advice.

London, Nov. 6.—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, in his speech at Manchester yesterday, in reply to Mr. Chamberlain, said the immense prosperity of the country from 1848 to 1872 was due in part to other causes than free trade. The trade of the country was enormously increased, the condition of the working classes enormously improved, and the wealth of the country grew. This growth was largely due to the development of steam and electricity, to great discoveries in science, and the production of gold. He asked if the preferential proposal was to be so beneficial even to the colonies as was represented, why were there rival interests in those great States? Canada was not composed wholly of farmers, and Canadian lumber would receive no advantage under the proposed tariff. He said he was a wider Imperialist than Mr. Chamberlain, and he believed that the interests of 40,000,000 of people were more important than the mistaken policy of 11,000,000 colonialists. The duty he had imposed upon corn had, contrary to his opinion, increased the price of bread.

The Morning Post says: We strongly urge Sir Michael to study the reciprocal movement between the United States and Canada before making another speech.

The News is glad that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, in his speech at Manchester yesterday, in reply to Mr. Chamberlain's attack, has shown that he cares for the 30,000,000 of Indians who are not white, but are still God's creatures.

Lord Goschen, who recently joined the Free Food League, has written to his constituents, stating his acceptance of Premier Balfour's policy, and his constituents have carried a resolution that the time has arrived for reconsidering the fiscal policy with a view to protecting the home market and the colonies without making life harder for the poorer home consumers.

WINNIPEG'S DEATH ROLL.

Boy Beheaded on the Railway—Three Other Tragedies.

Winnipeg, Nov. 6.—Four tragic deaths were reported in the city. While on his way to school, little Willie Struthard, aged 13, was killed by a train in the C. P. R. yards. It is supposed he was crossing the yards to save going across the overhead bridge, and found a train in his way. He evidently crawled under the cars, because his body was found between the rails, and his head, which had been severed from his trunk, outside the rails.

James Little, a Stonewall farmer, while ill, took a dose of poison in mistake for medicine. He died from the effects.

A. H. Fulmore dropped dead at his boarding house. The deceased, who was 66 years of age, has a wife and family living near Minneapolis.

John Aspley, an aged employee of the Works Department of the city, was found dead in an old stable this morning. Death was caused by drink and exposure.

THE NEW ELIJAH.

London Truth's Fling at Mr. Chamberlain.

London, Nov. 6.—Truth has raised laughter in London by dubbing Mr. Chamberlain Elijah III. It says more can be said in favor of Dowd's than of Joseph's pretensions. That Elijah III. is more successful than Elijah II. proves that Englishmen are more gullible than Americans.

THE M'BRIDE CABINET.

British Columbia Ministry Now Complete.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 6.—Premier McBride completed his Cabinet last evening after a long Executive meeting. Mr. McPhillips resigned the position of Attorney-General, being succeeded by Mr. Charles Wilson, who has been President of the Council. Mr. Wilson is succeeded in the latter office by Mr. F. J. Fulton of Yale. Both were sworn in late this afternoon. Mr. Wilson will go back for re-election, the bye-election being pulled off in two weeks. Mr. Fulton does not have to be returned. There will also be another shuffle of portfolios. Mr. McBride will leave the Department of Lands and Works, taking that of mines, and combining with it the Provincial Secretaryship, while Mr. Green goes to the Lands and Works.

COULD NOT AGREE.

TANGLE IN ACCOUNTS OF AMES AND ATLAS LOAN.

Examination Adjourned—Accounts Will Try to Reconcile Statements—Some Mistakes in Book-keeping.

Toronto, Nov. 6.—The impossibility of reconciling the statement of Mr. A. E. Ames in regard to the losses of the Atlas Loan with the figures prepared by Mr. W. H. Hunter for the liquidator led to an adjournment of the examination of Mr. Ames yesterday after two hours' wrangling between these two gentlemen as to the meaning of certain accounts. The examination will be continued on Tuesday next, and in the meantime accountants representing Mr. Ames and the liquidator will go over the accounts and endeavor to bring order out of confusion.

Mr. Hunter showed Mr. Ames the first balance sheet of profit and loss on American securities and pointed out that a line had been erased which showed a net loss of \$41,121.34.

Mr. Ames: "That is an ordinary error of a clerk in the course of preparation of the statement."

"And this net loss was turned into a profit of \$24,341.46 by interjecting a Twin City syndicate profit account of \$65,463.30."

"That was done by the insertion of a perfectly proper item, and it is a small lawyer that endeavors to bring out any other interpretation."

The Master desired that there should be no personalities.

Mr. Ames stated that it had been pointed out to the liquidator that the account had not been included owing to a lapse of memory on a part of the clerk. This was why it had not appeared in the account rendered to the liquidator.

A statement of August 25, 1903, was shown Mr. Ames, an item in which read, "August 1, 1901, to loan to A. E. Ames & Co. on 501 shares Twin City." "You have credited this account in error, reducing it from \$100,000 to \$87,000."

Mr. Ames endeavored to explain that this was a mistake, and desired to look at his books to refresh his memory. Mr. Hunter objected to this, but the Master decided that Mr. Ames was entitled to look at his books.

The latter then explained that they had received \$100,000 from the Atlas Loan and by a mistake of the bookkeeper it appeared to have been credited to the Atlas Loan, whereas \$67,000 should have gone to the Atlas and \$33,000 to the Ames & Co. as a loan under an agreement between the Atlas Loan and his firm, this being 67-100 of a payment of \$300,000 which, under the terms of their agreement with the Twin City syndicate, they had to make. Mr. Ames said that the bookkeeper's mistake was distinctly pointed out in the account.

In the statement handed in by Mr. Ames to the liquidator of the Atlas as showing the stocks handed in to Ames & Co. by the Atlas these items appeared October 1:

200 Shares Metropolitan Bank, \$40,000
400 Shares Metropolitan Bank, 75 per cent. paid, 60,000
400 Shares Metropolitan Bank, 50 per cent. paid, 40,000

"You have before said that the Atlas Loan had paid \$150,000 on its stock, Mr. Ames?"

"Yes, that is a mistake of \$10,000." Mr. Ames showed where the mistake had been made in the books, and said that it was a proof of the sincerity of the accounts. Had there been anything to conceal they would have been more careful of these small items.

Mr. Hunter questioned Mr. Ames about an item of 200 shares of Metropolitan Bank received from the Atlas Loan on October 24.

Mr. Ames replied that on December 1 an institution from which they had arranged a loan paid the instalment of \$100,000 on these 200 shares, and on December 24 the institution which had previously paid the third instalment paid the fourth instalment on the same number of shares, \$10,000.

"Yet you received a check from the Atlas Loan for \$50,000 as the third instalment on its shares?"

"Yes."

MR. FIELDING AT MONCTON.

Conferences Regarding Intercolonial Railway Employees' Pay.

Moncton, N.B., Nov. 6.—The situation in regard to the proposed increase of pay to I. C. R. conductors and brakemen remains unchanged. Hon. W. S. Fielding, acting Minister of Railways, arrived here, and is to remain two or three days looking into railway matters generally. This morning the Minister was engaged with Hon. Mr. Emmerson and D. A. MacKinnon, M.P., Charlottetown, and in the afternoon he was engaged with General Manager Pottinger in the latter's office. Last evening the R. C. and B. of R. T. Committee had a conference with the Minister and General Manager. Committees are very reticent as to what took place. In outside circles it is stated the men have been offered within a small amount of what they are asking. The committee are hopeful that they will get what they are asking for, but so far no definite answer has been given.

FELL TO HIS DEATH.

William McKillop Found Dead on Sidewalk at Barrie.

Barrie, Nov. 6.—Wm. McKillop, a carpenter, whose home was in Vespra, a short distance out of town, was found lying dead on the sidewalk near the Simcoe Hotel, with his head badly crushed early yesterday. Last night he went to the hotel after 11 o'clock and was shown to a room in the third story. It is thought that during the night he looked out of the window, and, losing his balance, fell. He was 45 years of age and unmarried.

NOW FOR HUDSON BAY.

ANOTHER DISPUTE WITH THE U.S. IS IN SIGHT.

London Times Has an Article Figuring Out What Americans May Claim This Time.

London, Nov. 6.—The Times prints a two-column article, headed "Hudson Bay, an Ocean Route." It says that in the face of the Alaskan boundary dispute it will not be too extravagant a pretension on the part of the United States to hold that Canada can only assert her jurisdiction over a three-mile limit from the coast. It believes that the bay will offset the Atlantic outlets possessed by the Americans, and relieve Canada of her present almost absolute dependence upon the United States for the transportation of grain, paper, mineral, timber and fur wealth. It says that Low, who commands the Canadian expedition to Hudson Bay, enjoys an enviable reputation among the scientists of the world.

RECOGNITION BY U. S. I.

Request from Panama May be Complied With.

Washington, Nov. 6.—The Associated Press is informed that the President probably will make a statement to-day regarding the provisional government of the Republic of Panama, of the establishment of which the United States Government was officially informed to-day. In view of the latest advice from Colon to the effect that the junta has succeeded in gaining control of the situation, it is currently expected that this announcement will recognize the newly-established Government, but it was impossible to secure official information on this point. The Associated Press is enabled to state that the United States Government will conduct affairs with a firm hand in the execution of the treaty of 1846. Orders have been sent to the various naval commanders in the Caribbean that the isthmus is to be policed, the transit kept open, and also that bloodshed must be prevented at any cost. This is further than the United States ever has gone heretofore, and indicates that the establishment of the new Government at Panama will have the ultimate recognition of the United States. Advocates of the construction of the Panama Canal say this assures the execution of that project.

MAY BE MURDER.

Woman Pours Sulphuric Acid on Her Husband.

Belleville, Nov. 5.—The report comes from Deseronto that a Belleville woman, who had for some time been living there unhappily with her husband, poured a quantity of sulphuric acid upon him while he was in bed. The injuries inflicted were so serious that his recovery is doubtful.

JOINS IN THE FIGHT.

International Will Assist the Toronto Moulders.

Toronto, Nov. 6.—At last night's meeting of the Iron Moulders' Union the Secretary read a letter stating that the International Iron Moulders' Union of America had decided to fight the injunction pending between the local union and the Gurney and Canada Foundry Companies. It was also stated that Thos. Atkinson and Edward Elliott, two iron moulders, have been served with notices to the effect that on November 12 a motion will be made at Osgoode Hall for their commitment to jail for breach of the injunction obtained by the Canada Foundry Company. The charge is that they attempted to induce Frank Hodapp, George Fisher, Alexander Coventry and James Wallace, four Scotch iron moulders, to break their contract with the company.

Smallpox in New Brunswick.

St. John, N.B., Nov. 5.—Smallpox has broken out in Madawaska county, New Brunswick, on the border of Maine. There are eight cases in the town of St. Leonard's, and six are reported from the surrounding country. Premier Tweedie, who is here attending a meeting of the Provincial Government, received a despatch from Dr. E. B. Fisher, Madawaska, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, this afternoon, informing him of the outbreak of smallpox in Madawaska county. The Premier wired that all precautions be taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

WABASH SHOPS

Maple City Making a Strong Bid for Their Location at this Point

Committee of Citizens and Industrial Committee in Communication With General Manager

Ald. Pigott and the members of the civic industrial committee, who have been energetically working with a view to the location of the shops of the Wabash Railway in Chatham, met a committee of citizens last evening and submitted a proposition to President Ramsey, of the road.

The proposition was outlined by Major Schofield and Ald. Pigott at once forwarded it to headquarters. The chairman of the industrial committee has been working on the matter for some time. Last week General Manager A. E. Robins and Superintendent L. J. Ferrior, of the Wabash, visited the Maple City and looked over the proposed sites. The buildings would cover fifteen acres of ground, would cost \$100,000, exclusive of machinery, and 250 men would be employed from the start. These shops would, no doubt, develop into construction shops as well, which would mean further extensions. The company have now 45 locomotives on this division and expect ten more right away.

The choice of the site lies among Chatham, St. Thomas and Aylmer, and earnest efforts are being made by our representatives to win the big prize for the Maple City.

THE CHORLEY ELECTION.

Lord Balcarras Re-elected—He is Not a Chamberlain Supporter.

London, Nov. 6.—The Standard says of the Chorley election that the return of Lord Balcarras, one of the recently-appointed junior Lords of the Treasury, is not a triumph for the preferential policy. The re-elected Minister has explicitly disclaimed any belief in representation and has announced that he is not a supporter of Mr. Chamberlain.

PARIS BOY KILLED.

Little Albert Holworthy Run Over by a Train.

Paris, Ont., Nov. 6.—Albert, the ten-year-old son of Mrs. Holworthy of Paris Station, met with an accident on his way from school yesterday which resulted fatally at 9 o'clock. As the little fellow, with three other schoolmates, came to the railway crossing on River street a freight train was moving along slowly, which they attempted to board. The other three succeeded in getting on the train for a ride to the station, but Albert slipped and fell under the wheels, which passed over his legs, severing them completely near the hips. The little fellow was carried to Dr. Duntton's surgery, but nothing could be done to save him.

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GAMEY IN MUSKOKA.

Mr. O. M. Arnold, Bracebridge, president of the Conservative Association of Muskoka, has sent to the Toronto News the copy of a letter addressed to the Toronto Star, with a request to publish. The letter states:

"Mr. Gamey, M. P. P. for Manitoulin, came on the invitation of Mr. Mahaffey, with the consent of the officers and Executive of the Liberal-Conservative Association of Muskoka. He did not come as a leader of the Conservative party. Mr. Gamey makes no such pretensions. We did not and do not now doubt the right of Sir John Boyd and Mr. Justice Falconbridge to make the report they did on the Gamey charges against Mr. Stratton in particular, and the Government in general. We knew many of their judgments had been reversed in appeal, and we thought, and still think, Mr. Gamey had the legal right to appeal against that report and prove to the electors that he could, that the finding of the learned judges was erroneous in fact, and contrary to the evidence. Surely, nobody will now deny that in Muskoka, at least, Mr. Gamey sustained his appeal, and proved the general charge he made that the Government had, by their breaches of faith with the electors, forfeited the right to govern the province."

"Nobody here says Mr. Gamey was morally right in accepting the bribe, but considering the great immoral pressure that was brought to bear upon him, and the net good that has resulted to the country, people are willing to give him some credit for getting rid of his protest in that way."

"One thing we do not understand, however, is why the \$2,000 paid into court by Mr. Gamey during the hearing, if it did not come from Mr. Stratton, is not at once ordered by the judges to be returned to Mr. Gamey. Will you please answer that question?"

"During the campaign, the Conservatives accorded to Dr. Hart, the Liberal candidate, all the honor due to him, as a good citizen, and this letter is written as a protest against the accusations you make concerning the Conservative party in this district. We call upon you to either prove the charges or retract the statements in as prominent a manner as you have given it out to the public."

North Renfrew elected a supporter of Hon. G. W. Ross by 500 of a majority at the last general election. It is a solid Grit riding. Yet so strong is the current of public opinion running against the Government that Mr. Ross is afraid to appeal to his one-time friends.

Mr. Ross may moralize and Mr. Stratton explain, but probably Dr. Hart, the Liberal candidate in Muskoka, is in a position to know what caused his defeat. The doctor says:

"Men told me that they would do anything for me, but that it was the Government they were after. They said it had been in power too long, and there were the Gamey and other charges, and they could not 'go it.'"

Could not "go it!" That is the reasonable explanation of the slump in Muskoka. And there are thousands of good Liberals throughout the province who will refuse to "go it" when next the Ross-Stratton outfit appeals for support.

SELF-APPOINTED.

London Advertiser.

Lord Alverstone has met the usual fate of the umpire, but he has himself to blame. He wasn't appointed to umpire the game.

DOWIE'S DEFEAT.

Philadelphia American.

The hosts of Satan as incarnate in the inhabitants of New York have proved too much for John Alexander Dowie, Diehearted and woo-beyone, "Elijah II." has issued orders for his much-heralded army of restoration to be ready to take the back track next Monday. How complete the failure of the "Overseer of Zion" is, is shown by his own statement, wherein, while abandoning proselyting in the east, he resorts to prophecy. "I predict," he says, "that ten years from now Zion will hold the balance of political power in New York city." There is something pathetic in this descent from his confident claims of a few weeks ago. He came toward the rising sun, mighty in the unanimous submission and support of thousands, and optimistic in the anticipation of the allegiance of thousands more. What he had done gave weight to what he promised to do, and the greeting he received, though characterized by the inevitable American humor, was not unkind with awe. Now he stands over the shriveling seed, fallen upon the rock of indifference, and makes pitiful fore-

cast of a harvest in the distant future. Perhaps he has not been treated too charitably by the chroniclers of his actions since he has been in New York, but, allowing for a not unnatural antagonism, it is clearly evidenced that he has been a peevish prophet—a most undignified apostle of reform. He came into a community prepared to ridicule and seemed to court opportunities to make himself ridiculous.

SHOT HIMSELF DEAD.

A Rosenbank Farmer Carried a Gun on His Plough.

Winnipeg, Nov. 5. — Thomas Garnet, a young Rosenbank farmer, was ploughing with a gun on the plough. He pulled the gun towards him, muzzle first, when the trigger caught. The charge entered his heart, causing instant death.

A TEST EXPERIMENT.

Peculiar Power Possessed by a New Medicine

Of new discoveries there is no end, but one of the most recent, most remarkable and one which will prove invaluable to thousands of people, is a discovery which it is believed will take the place of all other remedies for the cure of those common and obstinate diseases, dyspepsia and stomach troubles. This discovery is not a loudly advertised, secret patent medicine, but is a scientific combination of wholesome, perfectly harmless vegetable essences, fruit salts, pure pepsin and bismuth.

These remedies are combined in lozenge form, pleasant to take, and will preserve their good qualities indefinitely, whereas all liquid medicines rapidly lose whatever good qualities they have had as soon as uncorked and exposed to the air. This preparation is called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and it is claimed that one of these Tablets or lozenges will digest from 300 to 3,000 times its own weight of meat, eggs and other wholesome food. And this claim has been proven by actual experiments in the following manner: A hard boiled egg cut into small pieces was placed in a bottle containing warm water heated to ninety-eight degrees (or blood heat); one of these Tablets was then placed in the bottle and the proper temperature maintained for three hours and a half, at the end of which time the egg was as completely digested as it would have been in a healthy stomach. This experiment was undertaken to demonstrate that what it would do in the bottle it would also do in the stomach, hence its unquestionable value in the cure of dyspepsia and weak digestion. Very few people are free from some form of indigestion but scarcely two will suffer from the same symptoms. Some will suffer from flatulence after eating bloating from gas in the stomach and bowels, others have acid dyspepsia or heartburn, others palpitation or headaches, sleeplessness, pains in chest and under shoulder blades, extreme nervousness as in nervous dyspepsia, but they all have the same cause, failure to properly digest what is eaten. The stomach must have rest and assistance, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give it both, by digesting the food for it and in a short time it is restored to its normal action and vigor. At the same time the Tablets are so harmless that a child can take them with benefit. This new preparation has already made many astonishing cures, as for instance, the following: After using only one package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets I have received such great relief from the benefit that I wish to express my sincere gratitude. In fact, it has been six months since I took the package and I have not had one particle of distress or difficulty since. And all this in the face of the fact that the best doctors I consulted told me my case was Chronic Dyspepsia and absolutely incurable as I had suffered twenty-five years. I distributed half a dozen packages among my friends here who are very anxious to try this remedy.

Mrs. Sarah A. Skeel, Lynnville, Jasper Co. Mo. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents for full sized packages. A little book on Stomach Diseases mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

Nov. 6.—John Irvine, of Colwell, Iowa, is the guest of J. Wiley, Sr., Captain Davidson, of Bay City, is in town.

ARE YOU AGEING?

Dr. Holmes used to say he was "seventy years young." Some men are old at half that figure.

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town looking after his Sugar factory interests.

Miss E. Sharpe entertained a number of her lady friends last night.

W. S. and Miss Whillans, of Forest, are visiting Mrs. J. I. Wiley and Mrs. J. A. Taylor.

Levi Hauck has removed to Oil Springs.

A petition was circulated among the ratepayers yesterday morning, asking that the town council hold to the verbal agreement with the Sugar Co. and cut down the assessment as desired by Captain Davidson. A meeting was held last night to discuss the matter, and it is to be hoped satisfactory arrangements will be mutually agreed upon.

BLENHEIM

Nov. 6.—Married, Monday, Oct. 26, at the home of the bride's parents, Manitoulin Island, Lillian, eldest daughter of Mr. Edward Collar, to Mr. Isaac Cullen. Both of the contracting parties are well known in Blenheim. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. B. Brown, of this place, and the happy couple accompanied him home and are visiting relatives and friends here.

This evening Rev. and Mrs. George Gilroy will entertain the members of the congregation of the Methodist Church of the Ridge Road, east and west of Blenheim, and those on the north side of Talbot street, in town.

Mrs. John Laird is in Windsor attending the Woman's Foreign Mission Society convention.

Mrs. William Gilroy has returned home after visiting friends in Eastern Ontario.

A very sad death occurred at Sombra last Tuesday when Mrs. Wm. Stewart succumbed after a short illness with scarlet fever. Mr. Stewart has been suffering for some time from typhoid fever, but had so far recovered as to discontinue the services of the nurse. Shortly afterwards his wife was taken ill and died Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were married just a short time ago and moved to Sombra from Blenheim last Easter.

Invitations have been issued by the Mull Social Club for a series of dances in the Mull Hall, the first to be held next Tuesday evening, Nov. 10th.

The property owned by Mrs. James Bell, which we stated in a former issue had been sold to Mr. A. Giffin, has been sold to Mr. Alvin Russell, as Mr. Giffin for some reason did not close the bargain.

H. M. Winters has purchased Mrs. Hammond's property on McGeorge street.

Dead, Wednesday, Nov. 4th, Sarah, beloved wife of Wm. Stewart, Har- far, recovered as to discontinue the services of the nurse. Shortly afterwards his wife was taken ill and died Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were married just a short time ago and moved to Sombra from Blenheim last Easter.

Funeral services will be held at two o'clock from the late residence of 4th concession and Ridge Road, by the late Mr. Mc- theodist church, where the services will be conducted by Rev. J. B. Kennedy, and from thence to Evergreen cemetery.

Mr. Stanley Wilkie, of Toronto, is visiting friends and relatives in town. The Young Men's Pleasure outfit held an assembly in the Opera House last evening.

Mrs. Chas. Vivian is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. O. Case, of Ann Arbor, Mich.

Harry Devlin, an old Blenheim boy, visited friends here during the past week.

Mr. Sam. Mercer, of the Chatham Banner News, was in town on business yesterday.

Miss Lela Crookshank is steadily recovering from an attack of pleurisy.

Arthur Kipp, of Chatham, was a Blenheim visitor yesterday.

Dr. McTavish has purchased Mr. John Sheldon's house on Talbot street and is moving into it.

While playing in the barn Wednesday little Laid Storey, son of Dr. S. G. Storey, fell from the haymow and broke his arm at the elbow.

Married, at the Baptist parsonage, Wednesday, Mr. Walter McLarty to Miss Jeannette Dease, of Raleigh. The happy couple will reside in Mrs. Jos. Clark's house, corner of Hall and Church streets.

Mr. John German met with a painful accident last Tuesday, when he fell from the roof of Messrs. Arch and Colin Sinclair's barn, breaking his leg. He has been removed to his home, Park street, Chatham.

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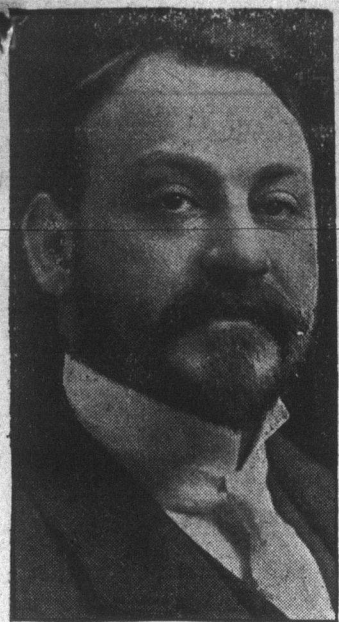
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On Tral's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

Chief Inspector Melville, who has received an M.V.O. decoration, following his services during the King's tour in Europe, is an Irishman, says The London Daily Chronicle. He has been long connected with Scotland Yard, and he has traveled far and wide, but he still retains a touch of the Kerry brogue. He is rather over the average height, is stoutly built, and his hair is thinner and grayer than it once was. He has been in attendance upon most of the royalties who have visited this country during recent years. For instance, he was at Balmoral when the Tsar and Tsaritsa were the guests there of Queen Victoria. It rained beautifully for days on end, and Chief Inspector Melville did not miss his share of this Highland baptism. If he ever thinks of writing a book of reminiscences it would certainly be very interesting.

Great Loss in English Strikes.
Over twenty-eight and a half million working days have been lost in the United Kingdom during the past five years owing to strikes and lock-outs. The figures for the past three years are as under:

Days.	1902	1903	1904
1902	3,578,890	4,142,287	3,152,094

The figures are very moderate, however, compared with the "black year"—1898—when the lost days numbered fifteen and a quarter millions.

Of 442 disputes last year, 202 were settled in favor of the masters, 197 in favor of the men, and 123 were compromised, the remaining ten being left indefinite. The boards of conciliation and arbitration averted 669 disputes last year.

The Speed of Racing Camels.

The racing camel is very carefully bred, and valuable prizes are offered by a racing society at Biskra for the fastest racer, writes a correspondent, and it reminded me, in a far-off sort of way, of a horse race. The camels were all arranged in line, and they sniffed the air in their anxiety to get off. A flag was waved, and they set off at a terrible pace, as if they were only racing for a short distance. They kept together until they were almost out of sight. Then they seemed to settle down to their habitual pace, and the race proceeded with long intervals between the competitors. I have also seen the finish of a camel race. The camels came in at intervals of several hours, and great patience was necessary to watch them arrive.—London Opinion.

Suicide in European Armies.
Statistics of suicide in the Austro-Hungarian Army tell a dark story. Even among the civilian population of that Empire, the percentage of suicides is high—1.63 per 10,000 inhabitants, as against 0.76 in Great Britain, though still lower than Germany, whose percentage is 2.71. Austrian army suicides, however, are equal to those of any three other European armies put together. Great Britain's army of free men does not weary of its own existence. The percentage is 2.06 per 10,000, while in the Austrian army it rises to 12.58, even double that of the German army, which may be described as a bad second, with a rate of 6.33.

A Parish of 23 Souls.
Attention has been called to one of the smallest parishes in England by the appointment to the rectory of Michaelchurch, Somerset, of the Rev. L. H. King, who will hold the benefice in conjunction with his present living of North Newton. The parish of Michaelchurch contains only five houses, and a population of twenty-three people. The church has sittings for twice that number, and the net income of the living is stated to be £50 per annum. The former rector of Michaelchurch at one time held the living of North Newton as well, hence the present arrangement is not without precedent.

How long will it take the man to fill the sack if he does not stop the leak? To attempt to nourish the body when the stomach is diseased is like trying to fill a sack with a hole in it. When the stomach and other digestive organs are diseased, there is a constant loss of nutrition. Enough is eaten but the body loses flesh, plain proof that the food eaten is largely wasted because it is not digested and assimilated.
Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It stops the leaks by which nutrition is lost, and enables the building up of the body by the nutrition derived from food. The gain in weight proves the cure.
"Three years ago I was taken sick with what the doctor called nervousness and indigestion," writes Mrs. Warren E. Parker, of Orange Street, Nantucket, Mass. "He gave me medicine for the trouble, but I could not eat even a little food, or obtain without suffering severely. In a few months I began to have distressing pains right in the pit of my stomach. I called the doctor again and he said I had catarrh of stomach; gave me medicine but it did not do any good. I lost 25 pounds in three months. I then commenced taking Dr. Pierce's medicine and soon began to feel better. I have taken six bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' two of 'Favorite Prescription' and six vials of Dr. Pierce's Peppermint Cure. I have gained ten pounds. Can eat everything."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.
Nell—The idea of your being engaged to him! What do you want to be married for?
Belle—I don't but I want to show that I can be if I want to.

A Kind heart is a fountain of gladness, making everything in its vicinity fresher into smiles.

ROMANCE OF THE SOO.

Study in Material Evolution That Is Very Interesting at the Present Time—How One Thing Led to Another.

The story of the development of the water power at Sault Ste. Marie and the building up of the many industries that now surround the St. Mary's River, presents a study in evolution that is as interesting as many a romance. The central figure, of course, is Francis H. Clergue, who was despatched by a company of financiers looking for investment to ascertain what opportunities existed along the basin of the St. Lawrence for hydraulic development. Mr. Clergue, in prosecuting his search, traversed the entire country between Cape Breton and Port Arthur and found various important water powers, but until the Soo was reached no point was located where hydraulic power could be economically and advantageously developed. With Lake Superior for a millpond and a fall of 20 feet, conditions appeared most favorable for the establishment of a plant that would supply power to an unlimited number of factories.

After the water power was developed, there was no rush of applications from manufacturers, and the company were forced to consider how they would utilize the power. From an examination of the forests, it was found that spruce was the only wood that could be brought to the works at a reasonable cost. It was, accordingly, decided to build a mill of manufacture of pulp, and two hundred and fifty thousand dollars was set aside for the construction of a mill. This was for works with an output of twenty tons of pulp a day, but it was soon found that it would cost as much to run a mill that size as one much more extensive—except for the labor charges and increased cost of raw materials—and the works were accordingly enlarged until they had a capacity of one hundred cords of wood.

How Dry Pulp Was Secured.

The next step was the endeavor to obtain a machine by which the water could be extracted from the liquid pulp, so that the freight charges on over half of the product of the mills might be saved. This liquid pulp contains from 50 to 65 per cent. of water, and on account of the great cost of transportation it would be impossible to ship it to the European markets. In addition to this, a great deal of the resinous matter remains in the fibre and when exposed to a changeable climate become decomposed and gives the green stain which is seen in pine boards that have not been properly seasoned.

It was impossible to find a paper machine maker who would undertake to construct the required mill to produce dry pulp. Mr. Clergue himself finally designed the machine, and to build it found it necessary to construct a machine shop, and then decided that they should have a foundry. So that with the object of obtaining dry pulp, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars more were expended in the erection of subsidiary works.

West Sulphite Mill Led to.

The next step in the evolution was a sulphite pulp mill. It was found that with a slight increase in the cost, the ground wood pulp which sold at a very low price could be greatly enhanced in value by making it into chemical pulp. For this, sulphur was required, and a mine was purchased at Sudbury, for which \$100,000 was paid. Then the sulphite paper mill was built, with about the same capacity as the first.

It was then found that the residue of the product of the mine after the sulphur had been extracted left an alloy of nickel and steel superior to anything that had ever been used. It was shown to Krupp, the German gun manufacturer, who at once made a contract for a supply for five years. This necessitated the erection of reduction works and a ferro-nickel plant. For these processes of manufacture were required certain chemicals, certain alkalies. So it was necessary to establish an alkali plant. The salt was easily obtainable at Windsor or Goderich on the lakes. What was needed out of it for refining purposes was the sodium, but the chlorine was not allowed to go to waste. Chlorine is universally made into bleaching powder, principally in England, which is over fifty per cent. lime. The company at once went to work and pumped the chlorine gas through a glass pump into lime water, which was then utilized to bleach the sulphite pulp. It was then found that the sulphite pulp mill was not using all the sulphurous acid generated at the refining works, and as no by-product was allowed to escape, means were devised to utilize the surplus. A process was found by which the gas could be compressed into liquid sulphurous acid for the use of ore refiners and in the arts. With this purpose in view, the sulphurous acid plant was built and its product was shipped in iron tanks at about one-half of the former price of sulphur.

Transportation Facilities Followed.

The construction of these mighty industries required additional means of transportation, both by lake and rail, and the Algoma Central & Hudson Bay Railway was built with over one hundred miles of track. There were also purchased, built and chartered a fleet of sixteen steamers, of which two have been carrying passengers and freight between Toledo, Ohio, and Georgian Bay points and the Soo.

In addition to these industries there have been erected the Bessemer Steel Works, blooming mill and rail mill, the saw, lath and shingle mills, at various points, the water, electric light and power services in the towns on both sides of the river, as well as the street railway systems.—G. C. Porter, in The Toronto Sunday World.

Not Serious.

Nell—The idea of your being engaged to him! What do you want to be married for?
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You hear of many people having kidney disease and gradually becoming victims of Bright's disease, but do you ever stop to think of what your pains and aches indicate.

Kidney Disease

It may be worth while for you to ask yourself a few questions. If you are falling prey to kidney disease you want to know about it in time to prevent serious results.

Does your back ache? Is your back weak and lame, and do you find it difficult to straighten up? Do you experience pain or scalding when passing water? Is there a sediment in the urine after it stands for twenty-four hours? Is it scanty and highly colored?

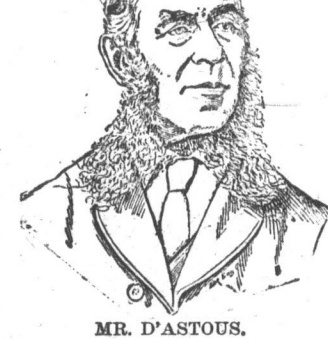
These are indications of kidney disease which you cannot afford to neglect.

They suggest the advisability of immediately beginning the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, because there is no treatment obtainable which will bring such prompt relief and so certainly start you on the road to health.

Kidney derangements are almost invariably accompanied by disorders of the liver and irregularity of the bowels and it is because of their direct and combined action on the kidneys, liver and bowels that these pills are so successful in affecting thorough and lasting cures.

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The experience of Mr. D'Astous, as quoted below, is similar to that of thousands of others who are being cured by this great prescription of Dr. A. W. Chase.



MR. D'ASTOUS.

Mr. Pierre D'Astous, Farmer, St. Flavie, Rimouski Co., Que., writes:—"I was a great sufferer from kidney disease, backache and pains in the arms and legs before using Dr. Chase's excellent Kidney-Liver Pills. I had no appetite, was weak and slept poorly, and in the morning felt tired and unrefreshed. It was only with the greatest difficulty that I did a little work about the farm, and as I was 67 years of age I concluded that my time had come and I would have to give up. About that time (two years ago) I received a book about Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and began to use them. From the very first they were of benefit to me, and after having used three boxes I was real well.

"For the last two years I have not been the same man, I feel well, have no pain, my appetite is good and I do any kind of work. All this is due to the use of these excellent pills. I always keep them in the house and when I go away take some with me. Since using this medicine I have no use for doctors. To-day I am writing without glasses, and before being cured of kidney disease my sight bothered me considerably. You are at liberty to use this letter, and I shall always recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills whenever I have an opportunity. I have already given samples to friends who have proven their merit."

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Real Widow Brown—Nov. 17.
Liquid Air and Wireless Telegraph, Lecture—Nov. 20.
The Burglar—Nov. 27.
Lyceum Course No. 2—Nov. 30.

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System was Run Down.

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BUILT UP THE SYSTEM AND ADDED TEN POUNDS IN WEIGHT.

Mr. Ed. J. Harris, Newbridge, Ont., was in poor health, but has now been restored to full health and vigor. Here is what he writes us: "Last spring I was in a very critical condition, my system was all run down. I felt drowsy and miserable, and thought I would surely die if I did not get something to build me up. After reading one of your almanacs I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and before I had taken two bottles I had gained ten pounds in weight, and am now in perfect health, and I can certainly recommend Burdock Blood Bitters to build up the system."

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Is the best Spring medicine on the market to-day. You may need one this Spring, if so, get B.B.B.

Minnard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

The Cowardly Leopard.
The leopard is the most cowardly of animals. This may account for his being almost exclusively used by female animal trainers.

For Scurkiness.
Homeopaths are said to have a certain remedy for scurkiness in apoplexy, a very small dose of which taken once an hour in water will remove the quality.

Peas and Beans.
Superior to any other vegetable food—even the cereals—as sources of protein are dried beans and peas. They rank among the most economical of all foods and compare favorably with most meats in point of nutrition.

Vaccination in France.
Vaccination is compulsory in France during the first year of life and revaccination during the eleventh and twenty-first years.

Funeral Collections.
In the course of a trial at Carnarvon it was stated that in north Wales the custom prevails of making a collection from those present at funerals; the money being handed to the clergy or ministers instead of burial fees.

Australian Forests.
The forests of Australia generally have a monotonous appearance. This is caused by the presence everywhere of the eucalyptus tree.

Nosebleed.
Nosebleed can be stopped in a short time by placing a small wad of paper or muslin between the upper teeth and the lip. The pressure exerted at the base of the nose will arrest the bleeding.

Seasoned Wood.
An average stick of wood when green contains 33 per cent of water and loses 22 per cent of it in seasoning, during which process its strength is nearly doubled.

New York's Shipping.
Ten to twelve ships a day arrive in the port of New York.

A Tip in Photography.
The value of many a photograph is greatly lessened or entirely lost through the failure to place some object in the picture the size of which is readily understood by the observer. This difficulty can be obviated by placing a foot-rule against one of the objects while the picture is being made.

A Flash of Lightning.
Lightning entered a house in Springfield, Mass., one day, and by a curious freak it moved a heavy bed which was pushed against the wall well out into the middle of the room, but did not injure it in the least.

Heat and Averseness.
Hot weather is no more dangerous to fat people than to lean.

Only a small man will blame his circumstances for his size.

Risky Imports.
One wishing to import a hippopotamus must have a government permit to buy and another to land one. The landing permit is likely to be useless, for but one in every hundred shipped reaches New York alive.

Niagara's Visitors.
The number of visitors to Niagara falls averages three-fourths of a million a year.

YOU MUST HAVE GOOD DIGESTION

To be a Business Success—Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will give it to you—What they have done for Others.

Good health is better than great riches, for good health means energy, force, cheerfulness, and all those other essentials of the successful business man. And the first essential of good health is good digestion. Without good digestion the different parts of the body must be weak and starved. And with a weak, starved body good health and good spirits are out of the question. And in those days indigestion is everywhere. The hurried methods of living are to blame for this. Scarcely a stomach but needs help. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are the help they need. They help others; they will help you. Edward Rousseau, of Bruce Mines, Ont., says: "I have taken two boxes of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, and words cannot express the great good they have done me. I now feel like a new man, and this after suffering for two years from Dyspepsia, for which I tried in vain to find a cure."

Eyes and Study.
Examinations of over 200,000 pairs of eyes and careful tabulation of the results in the Boston public schools show that nearly all children enter the primary schools with normal eyes. In the higher grades one-fourth of the pupils are myopic, and in universities this increases until from 60 to 70 per cent of the students are myopic.

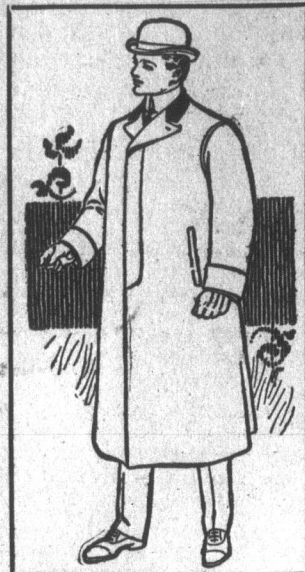
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Three New Lines of Hawes Hats. Your name stamped on every hat you buy from us.

Men's New Fall Gloves,

Gloves are more than ornamental now-a-days. Every good sort here, including Fowne Bros., Perrin & Freres, etc. Price

\$1.00 to \$5.00.

The 2 T's., Slater Shoe Agents.

G. W. CORNELL
DENTIST
Corner Sixth and King Street,
Over the Bee Hive.
Phone 317.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Nov. 6.—11 a. m.—North-
erly winds, fresh to strong winds
during day. Saturday, fine and cold,
winds becoming easterly, but not
much change in temperature.

Local Briefs

Oysters by express daily at Wig-
wells.

Rubbers to fit all styles of shoes
90c. pair at The 2 T's.

See the large assortment of wait-
ers at 19c. at Thibodeau & Jacques.

Tom P. Allen, of London, a popu-
lar commercial man, is in the city to-
day.

The civic pay sheets for the past
week amounted to \$435.26, as follows:
—Board of Works \$183.73, local im-
provements \$251.53.

"The winter is coming on and we
will have a fierce kind of sidewalk on
the east side of Queen street," re-
marked a citizen this morning.

County Commissioner Sifton was
somewhat surprised to see the snow
on the ground when he reached this
city this morning. The sun was shin-
ing all day in Ridgeway yesterday
and it was a fine day, there being
no sign of snow or rain.

The weather didn't effect the pav-
ing company on Queen street this
morning and they expect to finish up
by to-morrow noon. Work on the
Wellington street paving was contin-
ued yesterday and bricks are being un-
loaded along the street.

Poultry Breeders.

We have always in stock a good supply of foods, in-
secticides, etc., which are always in demand with those
who keep their poultry in the best condition.

Pratt's Poultry Food, 30c.
Hess' Poultry Panacea, 35c.
Instant Louse Killer, 35c.
Louse Kicker, 35c.
West's Fluid, 35c.

A. I. McCall & Co., Ltd.

Chatham and Dresden. DRUGGISTS AND OPTICIANS.

Try Wigwell's chocolate dainties.
J. S. Hickey, of Merina, was in the
city yesterday.

S. Waggoner, of Blenheim, spent yester-
day in town.

Marconi Conway, of Tilbury, was a
visitor in the city yesterday.

Judge Bell has received a letter
from his son, Dr. George Bell, who
lately left for Australia.

S. L. Wellwood, of Merina, spent
yesterday with his many Chatham
friends.

J. Hinchey, 2nd concession, Chat-
ham Township, is very sick and is
in great need of assistance.

November number Four-Track
News—an interesting magazine. Only
5 cents any news dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fletcher, of
Hamilton, were guests in the city yester-
day.

Roadmaster Harry Morris, of the
Lake Erie, was in the city yesterday
on business.

Miss Flora Ripley, of Dresden, is
spending a few days in the city and is
the guest of Mrs. A. M. Ripley.

A. M. Ripley, caretaker of the House
of Refuge, has returned from Dresden,
where he has been spending a few
days. He says there are now 40 in-
mates in the house and all of them
are well and in the best of spirits.

Charles Barrett, King St. East, met
with a very painful accident this
morning. He was splitting wood
when the axe caught on a clothes line
and struck his head, inflicting a nasty
wound, which bled profusely.

Frank Cartier, 11th concession, ar-
rested in connection with the robbery
of the Joy Club, has been re-
leased on bail. The trial will take
place on Tuesday, Nov. 10th.

"It's peculiar about this snow busi-
ness," remarked a traveller from the
east this morning to a Planet re-
porter. "A week ago last Monday
in London, and so far west as Both-
well, quite a fall of snow occurred.
Now to-day coming through from the
east you don't see any snow east of
Bothwell at all. It's a hard thing to
understand," concluded the speak-
er.

Dr. Joaquin Stevens and Will
Stevens went to Wallaceburg Wed-
nesday night. In company with Will
O'Leary they drove to Beecher yester-
day and spent the day quail shoot-
ing. They report quail and parti-
ridge plentiful and say they had a
good day's sport, but are giving no
figures as to the number of birds
they captured. It is understood that
the party do not want to make the
local hunters who went shooting on
Monday, Nov. 2nd, jealous.

The full moon on Wednesday even-
ing next will see big doings by the
Orientals. They will meet up over
the smoke room in the assembly cave
for the moon feast. The desert, as is
the case of such occasions, will be
crossed, the chief, executioner, will
lead the bunch. The Orientals' band
will be present in full costume to
cheer the unhappy and beleaguered
prisoners as they footsore, weary
the blazing sun, weary looking
for an oasis. Tribesmen must bring
lunch keys. The officers will hold
their palaver at eight o'clock sharp
and the journey will start at 9.30.

RADIAL ROAD

Mayor McKenough and N. H. Stev-
ens have been notified that the pro-
moters of the Chatham, Wallaceburg
and Lake Erie Electric Railroad will
be here on Friday, Nov. 13th to dis-
cuss the matter with the councils of
the municipalities interested. The
promoters desire to ascertain the as-
sistance which the different munici-
palities will give. N. H. Stevens will
call a meeting of the councils of Chat-
ham and Dover townships in his of-
fice to discuss the matter a week
from to-day. Mayor McKenough will
call a special meeting of the City
Council next Friday night for the same
purpose. The amount of bonus de-
cided will be submitted to the ratepay-
ers for endorsement at the next Janu-
ary elections.

BRIDGE REPAIRED

The steam traction engine belong-
ing to Robert Weaver, Chatham
Township, was removed from the
creek of the Dover-Chatham town-
line. The engine went through the
bridge in front of William Paxton's
place on Wednesday morning. It was
removed yesterday by means of a
derrick which was improvised for
the purpose and the bridge was at
once repaired. Teams were able to
cross the bridge to-day. When the
engine went through Mr. Weaver
jumped to safety. The engine kept
running at the bottom of the ditch.
Mr. Weaver got at the wreck, pulled
the fire and turned off the steam.
He had his arm bruised and his leg
and arm scalded in this undertaking.
Mr. Weaver, as soon as he got his
engine out of the creek, proceeded to
Mr. Jordan's on the 8th concession,
Raleigh, where he was due
Wednesday to shred corn. It is said
that the bridge is an old one and
has been condemned for some time.
Mr. Paxton put in one new sleeper
himself last winter.

A POPULAR HEALTH RESORT.

A Grand Trunk official stated to-
day that the mineral waters of St.
Catharines, Ontario, are becoming re-
nowned throughout the country, as is
demonstrated by the large influx of
people to that city during the past
year. The water is like that of the
great Kreutzsch springs of Prussia,
and is claimed, if anything, to be even
more effective in cases in which it is
used. The business at the resort at
St. Catharines has increased about 100
percent.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE—Road Wagon, nearly new,
cheap. T. C. O'Rourke.

WANTED—Girl for general house
work; small family. Apply at The
Planet Office.

WE THE SELL
EMPRESS
SHOE



Our stock of Empress Shoes for
Women at the popular prices—\$2.00,
\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.
These goods are the best fitting and best
wearing goods in the trade, made on
the most up-to-date lasts.

TURRILL, The Shoe Man

AGAINST PAVEMENT

The initiative has been taken for an
asphalt block pavement on Victoria
Avenue. The pavement is to be 27 ft.
wide. Ex-Mayor T. A. Smith is cir-
culating a petition against the pave-
ment. Some of the signers of Mayor
Smith's petition have attached their
names to it with a proviso that they
will accept a pavement 22 ft. wide.
If these signatures should prove good
against the initiative and if this pe-
tition has a majority of the signa-
tures, it will mean that there will be
no pavement on Victoria Ave.

SHOOTING ACCIDENT

Just another is added to the already
long list of accidental shooting af-
fairs. This one comes from Wallace-
burg and is of quite a serious nature.
John McTaggart, gunsmith, of Wal-
laceburg, was the victim, and he lies
in the Public General Hospital of this
city in a very precarious condition.
Wm. Aunells brought in a gun to
be repaired and Mr. McTaggart was
showing him a revolver. McTaggart's
pistol went off in Aunells' hands
and the bullet entered McTaggart's
abdomen.

SECOND BIG HOUSE

The plan for the Monday night
Repeat of the Central School concert
opened with another rush that night.
A list of 48 names of waiting
purchasers was taken on the open-
ing hour and a steady sale was kept
up all morning. By noon over 250
tickets had gone in the plan and
this afternoon the sale is continuing.
To-night the first presentation
takes place. All the participants will
assemble at the school and march
over to the Opera House in a body,
thus preserving order and eliminat-
ing all danger.

The Use of Gas Coke for Fuel

A great many people do not know
the advantage of using gas coke as
fuel in furnaces, ranges, coal stoves,
or, in fact, in any apparatus that will
use coal as fuel. The following let-
ter will give the experience of one of
Chatham's prominent business men,
who has made a test of the value of
Coke as compared with Coal. This
letter will explain itself and will be
followed by others of a similar na-
ture from other customers. Coke
will be delivered by the Gas Company
in any quantity, promptly. Let us
have your order for a trial load.

Chatham, Oct. 31, 1903.

The Chatham Gas Company, Limited,
City.

Gentlemen,—I have much pleasure in
testifying to the advantages of using
Gas Coke as a heating fuel. I have
used it for the past two seasons in
my hot water furnace at the house,
and find it very economical, and at
the same time easy to regulate.

I may say that last winter I made
a test of one ton of coal at \$7.00 per
ton and the same money's worth of
coke, and found that the \$7 worth of
coke lasted fully one-third longer.
May say that the weather conditions
were fully as severe, if not more so,
during the time I used the coke.

Yours sincerely,
(Signed) C. AUSTIN.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, North
Wood Block, Chatham, Nov. 6, 1903.

Wheat—OPEN. HIGH. LOW. CLOSE

Dec. 78 78 77 78

May 78 78 78 78

Corn—

Dec. 44 44 43 44

May 43 43 43 43

Oats—

Dec. 35 35 35 34

May 36 36 36 36

Pork

Jan. 1215 1215 1205 1205

May 1227 1225 1217 1215

Lard

Jan. 692 692 675 675

May 690 690 675 675

Ribs

Jan. 630 630 627 627

May 640 640 637 637

Mrs. A. E. Noble, of Detroit, a for-
mer resident of this city, is spending
a few days in the city visiting her
many friends.

Up-to-date
Millinery. C. AUSTIN & CO. Fashionable
Dressmaking.

SPECIAL SALE OF

Waisting for Saturday

In order to clear up all odds and ends in our waistings we
have decided to put them on our bargain counter for Saturday
at greatly reduced prices.

4 pieces of fancy stripe waisting, 27 ins wide, all wool, in blue, fawn, brown
and grey, worth 50c per yd, to clear at 40c.

6 pieces of fancy stripe waistings, 27 inches wide, all wool; in two shades
of cardinal, oxblood, fawn, pale blue and pink, worth 65c and 75c, to clear at
50 cents.

5 pieces of fancy stripe double fold waistings, 36 ins wide, in blue, fawn
and oxblood, worth 90c per yd, to clear at 70c.

Dainty New Wrist Bags.

Here's news that will tempt many a woman to discard
the pocketbook or wrist bag that may have grown grey in service
in favor of a handsome new one, when she can make the ex-
change as cheaply as she can to-day—thanks to these remark-
able offerings.

At 25c.—Worth 35c, wrist bags, in black only, two sizes, with or without in-
side pocket, oxidized finished mountings, two distinct styles.

At 40c.—Wrist bags, in black only, made of grain leather, inside pocket, brass
finished mountings, good large size.

At 65c.—Wrist bags, in black only, made of grain walrus, satin lined, brass
finished mountings, inside pocket.

At 75c.—The automobile bag, made of grain leather, inside pocket, extra small
purse inside, metal finished trimmings.

At \$1.—The newest thing in wrist bags, all the rage in New York, made with
strap handles, colors are tan and grey.

Furs.

The qualities we guarantee. You have no need for con-
cern on that score. We know the need for particularness in
buying furs. We also know the folly of paying the prices
asked by exclusive furriers. Here are prices of interest.

Choice quality black opossum neck
scarf with large head, tail and claws,
\$3.75.

Natural opossum neck scarf, shaped,
with six tails, \$4.00.

Very choice quality sable neck scarfs,
shaped, light, very large sable tails,
\$8.75.

Russian grey squirrel neck scarf, flat
model, stole effect, white squirrel fur
lining, \$15.00.

Handsome silky black fox neck scarf
with head, large brush tail and 4 paws,
\$15.00.

Choice quality Alaska sable double neck
scarf with eight Alaska sable tails, \$10.

Very choice quality Alaska sable neck
scarf, stole effect, six Alaska sable tails
and silk cord fastener, \$25.00.

Natural or blended stone marten neck
scarf, long stole front, trimmed with head,
claws, tails and silk cord fastener, \$35.

CLOTHING DEPT.

WATCH FOR

Austin & Co's.
Great Suit Chance
Saturday, Nov. 7.
Men's Suits of the Austin Type



are standards of excellence, quality, styles and fit at full prices.
Hence this offering of \$12 and \$15 suits at **\$10.00**.
We'll command instant attention among all men who appreci-
ate getting such splendid up-to-the-minute clothing, at a sharp
price reduction. These suits are made in best Austin & Co.
manner, in handsome pattern novelty tweeds, fancy worsteds,
plain black and blue West of England worsteds, in the fall
and winter season's most desirable styles, single and double
breasted coat with high cut vest—a swell garment. If you
don't know how excellent that is, you will never have a better
chance to get acquainted. All sizes. Furthermore, they are
about one hundred and fifty pairs of

**\$8.00 and \$3.50 Eine Wor-
sted Trousers at \$2.48**

Very dressy hair line stripes,
solid worsteds. We cleared a
quantity causing the decided
shrinkage in price.

C. Austin & Company

OUR FRESH VEGETABLES

Are strictly good. We use the same care and watchfulness in buying these as we do in buying our regular groceries. You can depend on getting what you want here, and getting them at their best.

PARSNIPS, 15c. a peck.

TURNIPS, 15c. a peck.

CARROTS, 15c. a peck.

SQUASH, 10c. and 15c. each.

CABBAGE, 5c. each.

CELERY, 3 heads for 10c.

LETTUCE, 15c. a pound.

ONIONS, 25c. a peck.

COOKING APPLES, 15c. a peck.

OUR POTATOES

Are dry and mealy. You will be more than pleased with them. Just try a peck and see.

H. Malcolmson

A Hot Water Cure.

We all know what pain is—and yet we don't. We know what its sensations are, and that it can be cured by two agents—drugs and heat. If heat will answer it is the better, of course. Drugging pain may be temporary relief only. If heat helps at all it is also curing.

HOT WATER BAGS

Are a potent aid in a hundred ills. Emergencies and pain will come where nothing will answer so well. Can be applied anywhere. We have all sizes of the best kinds at prices just as comfortable as the bag.

The Peed Cross Drug Store
W. W. Turner.
28 King St., Phone 221.

"QUEEN" SHEET STEEL HEATERS.

If you intend burning wood they are just what you need. No other stove made will give such an immense amount of heat as the "Queen." Durable, attractive, economical and a great heater. Prices range from

...\$5.00 to \$9.50...

Sheet Iron Heaters, Plain and not quite so lasting as the "Queen," but with very powerful heaters at
...\$2.50 and \$3.25...

J. C. WANLESS
KING STREET, CHATHAM.

Only 5 cents a copy—The Four-Track News for November. On sale

DR. A. W. THORNTON
DENTIST.
Has removed to his New Office,
Corner King and Fifth Streets,
over A. I. McCall's Drug Store.
Telephone Office 164.
Residence 285.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED.

McROBB—Nov. 5th, at General Hospital, Mary, beloved wife of Wm. McRobb, Chatham Township, aged 43 years, two months, 17 days. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at two o'clock from late residence to Maple Leaf cemetery.

TO-NIGHT.

Football practice, Tecumseh Park, at 5.
Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccabees' Hall, at 8.
Park St. Methodist League, S. S. hall, at 8.
St. Andrew's Church Y. P. Society, lecture hall, at 8.
The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will meet in the S. S. Hall at 8.
Young People's Society, lecture hall William St. Baptist Church, at 8.
Central School Concert, Grand Opera House, curtain at 8.15 precisely.
Penitentiary Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their rooms, opposite the Rankin House, at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Charles Hadley is up north on a business trip.

Some good second hand stoves at Geo. Stephens & Co.

D. McLean, of Dutton, spent yesterday in town.

T. A. White, of Leamington, spent yesterday in the city.

See the Wearwell Brand of Hosiery at Thibodeau & Jacques.

T. L. Pardo, M. P. P., of Cedar Springs, is spending the day in town.

Fred Bodkin, of Dresden, called on his many Chatham friends yesterday.

Lost, yesterday, a bunch of keys. Finder will kindly leave at this office.

County Commissioner W. C. Sifton, of Palmyra, is a visitor in the city to-day.

County Commissioner S. Somers, of Wallaceburg, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Boy wanted, by the Northway Co., at once; a bright boy for parcel delivery.

Bert Wilson, of Wallaceburg, spent yesterday in town. He returned home this morning.

County Commissioner Peter Haggert, of Blenheim, is registered at the Garner House to-day.

Will Miller, a former well known Chatham young man, was in the city yesterday calling on his many Chatham friends.

Judge Woods is holding Division Court in Blenheim to-day. Barristers Fred Stone and G. A. Sayer are attending.

Thomas Loeve had his foot badly jammed while unloading a load of wood at the corner of Grey and Raleigh streets.

The Rev. J. J. Ross, formerly pastor of the William street Baptist church, preached in the Talbot street church, London, last Sunday.

The Northwood Co. shipped two carloads of apples to the Northwest yesterday. This was their last consignment and finishes the season.

All reading notices of local announcements must be received at this office not later than noon of the day on which it is desired that they appear in The Planet.

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Best Selling Books of the Month.

Life of Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone, by Rt. Hon. John Morley, \$10.00

The Grey Cloak, by McGroth.
The Sherbrooke, by McCutcheon.
The Mettle of the Pasture, by Allen.
The Wings of the Morning, by Tracy.
The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come, by Fox.
Horses Nine, by Ford.
The Banner of Blue, Crockett.

KENNY, The Book Seller.

Everything new and up-to-date, if not on hand can secure on a day's notice.

The best to buy, the washable kid gloves, at Thibodeau & Jacques.

The old tank at the G. T. R. station, no longer used, is being torn down.

Mrs. J. E. Thomas and Miss Helen Thomas left yesterday for Asheville, South Carolina, for a month's visit after which they will spend the winter at San Antonio, Texas.

Frank Hallinan, the Head street butcher, was presented with a handsome briar pipe by the local Maccabees Lodge as an expression of their appreciation of the good work he has done for the local lodge. Mr. Hallinan is very popular both with the members of the lodge and all others who know him.

Fred Farley, Princess street, picked a number of roses in his flower garden this morning. Unfortunately, he had not protected them sufficiently from the weather and the blooms were frozen stiff.

T. W. Smythe, Wellington street, picked roses in bloom in his garden last night before the frost touched them and he had a fine bouquet to show his friends this morning. It is seldom, indeed, even in the glorious climate of this County, that roses can be picked out doors on Nov. 6th.

Wm. McGeorge, civil engineer, met with a nasty accident Wednesday. He came up from Shrewsbury on the "plug" and at Blenheim the coupling on the passenger coach parted and the rest of the train backed into the coach with some force. Mr. McGeorge was standing in the aisle and the force of the concussion knocked him down. He struck the arm of one of the seats and received nasty bruises about his face and his body.

J. M. Jones, the veteran gunsmith, has a rather remarkable apple tree at his residence, Head street. The apple tree raises early harvest apples, snow apples and sheep noses. Mr. Jones says that the sheep noses are the only ones that always maintain their flavor no matter what the weather. These apples can be frozen all winter and in the spring thawed out. They are then just as fit to eat as ever. Mr. Jones says that these apples have laid out all winter in the grass. In the spring he has found them and also found that they had retained all their desirable qualities for eating purposes.

CALL OF DEATH

A very sad death occurred yesterday when Mrs. McRobb, of Chatham Township, passed away in the Public General Hospital. Deceased was 43 years of age and has been ill for a short time with typhoid fever.

She leaves a family of three boys and two girls to mourn her untimely end. They are Alex. of Chicago; James and George, at home; Mrs. Joseph Tucker, of Chatham, and Miss Mary, at home.

The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock from her late residence, 5th concession, Chatham Township, to the Maple Leaf cemetery.

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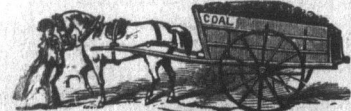
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EXPLOSION ON A DREDGE.

One Man Killed and Several Seriously Hurt.

Sorel, Nov. 5.—An explosion took place here about 9 o'clock on board the powerful dredge J. Israel Tarte, which was at work deepening the channel in Lake St. Peter. As a result a young man named Paul, son of Mr. Olivier Paul of Ste. Annis, Sorel, was instantly killed and several others injured. Two of the latter are seriously hurt. One of them, Louis Brien, of Ste. Helen, Bagot, is burned from head to foot and has lost the sight of one eye. He is 23 years of age and single. It is thought he will die. Theo. Brunelle of Champlain had one leg broken, and received serious injuries about the head and shoulders, but will probably survive. He is 26 years of age and married a few months. Both wounded men are at the hospital in Sorel, under the care of Drs. Latraverse and Chapdelaine. Paul, the dead man, was about 26 years old, and lately married. The dredge is being brought here to be repaired in the Government yards.

PREMIER'S STEPMOTHER.

Death of Madame Adeline Laurier at St. Lin.

Montreal, Nov. 5.—Madame Adeline Ethier Laurier, widow of Carolus Laurier, father of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Premier of Canada, died at St. Lin Tuesday afternoon. She was eighty-one years of age.

Miss Ethier became the second wife of Mr. C. Laurier when the Prime Minister was a boy under seven years of age, and watched over his training with a solicitude and affection which made their relations those of mother and son.

The funeral will take place at St. Lin at 9 o'clock on Friday morning, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier will leave Montreal at 5:45 p.m. to-morrow to pay the last tribute of respect to his stepmother.

If a man is a jay a white vest won't save him.

LORD'S DAY OBSERVANCE.

Deputation Urge Premier to Take Important Steps.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—A deputation from the Legislation Committee of the Lord's Day Alliance had an interview with Premier Ross yesterday afternoon. The deputation consisted of Rev. Dr. Caven; Rev. T. Albert Moore, Secretary of the Alliance; Rev. J. G. Shearer, A. E. O'Meara, John A. Paterson and Rev. Dr. Carman. They declined to inform the press as to the object of the interview, but it is known that they discussed with the Premier the state of affairs resulting from the Privy Council's decision that the Lord's Day act is ultra vires. The question of railway eating houses being operated on Sunday is one of the principal matters still undecided. One result of the Privy Council's decision is that hunting and shooting are legal on Sunday. The Northwest Legislature has decided to introduce a bill to make Sunday a close season for all game, and it is the intention of the Lord's Day Alliance to ask the Provincial Governments generally to enact a similar law.

The result of the conference with Mr. Ross will probably be laid before the convention of the Alliance to-morrow.

The annual convention of the Ontario Alliance will meet to-morrow in Guild Hall, McGill street. The sessions will commence at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. The general Executive will meet in the board room of the Confederation Life Association this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. This evening a public meeting will be held in Central Presbyterian Church, St. Vincent and Grosvenor streets, at 8 o'clock. Rev. W. F. Wilson, D.D., of Hamilton, and other distinguished speakers will deliver addresses.

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My forest cabin half-way up the glen Is solitary, save for one wise thrush. The sound of falling water, and the wind Mysteriously conversing with the leaves. Here I abide unvisited by doubt, Dreaming of far-off turmoil and despair, The race of men and love and fleeting time, What life may be, or beauty, caught and held.

For a brief moment at eternal poise. What impulse now shall quicken and make live This outward semblance and this inward self? One crest of being fills the hubble world, Colored and frail, with fleeting change on change.

Surely some God contrived so fair a thing In the vast leisure of uncounted days, And touched it with the breath of living joy. Woodrums and fair and wise! It must be so.

—Bliss Carman.

OUTSIDE VIEW OF CANADA.

We Really Know Nothing of Empire Problems From British Standpoint.

There are people who would regulate our British politics in some respects by what is supposed to be Canadian opinion, says The Sheffield (Eng.) Daily Independent. Let there be no mistake about this—the average intelligent interested Canadian politician knows next to nothing about British politics, has never conceived what the problems of Empire really are from the British standpoint, or realized the essential features of the commerce of the Mother Country. The most obvious and striking features of practically the whole Canadian press is its complete absorption in Canadian affairs. The great daily newspapers of the Dominion appear day after day with no word of comment on any matter that is not strictly Canadian. A young, enthusiastic, and hopeful country is naturally interested in itself intensely. To the Canadians, loyal and hearty though they be, Canada is eleven-twelfths of the world, and it comes as a revelation to them that England has a point of view they have never attempted to realize. The responsibility for this ignorance of the Mother Country does not lie wholly with Canada by any means, for we allow the Dominion to be largely shut off from British thought, and freely Americanized, by leaving in the hands of the press agencies of the States all the dissemination of news. The alienation from English thought, and the absence of the most elementary knowledge of home affairs, is striking. Experienced Canadian newspaper men will tell you in one breath that they have never heard of a London daily newspaper which you read in almost any hotel on the Continent of Europe; and in the next breath they will remark that their parents were born in Yorkshire, in a place called Durum. Before we begin to attach weight to Canadian opinion on British politics or commerce we must ask whether there is any appreciable amount of such opinion founded on knowledge and fair thought. The Associations of British Chambers of Commerce met in Montreal some weeks ago, and left the city before more than a fraction of the press men of the city were aware that such an association is not a great political agency, but is a commercial organization, firstly, secondly, and all the way through. The fact is that Canada is at present intensely parochial in politics. She is pivoted on herself. Her aim where politics and commerce mingle is to sell all her own products—agricultural or manufacturing—at specially high prices, and she would like England to help her; but as to the English point of view—well, it is outside the range of the average Canadian's thoughts.

A Canadian Prize Poem.

Miss Josephine Potter Davis, of 67 Pembroke street, Toronto, won the gold badge given by the St. Nicholas League in the October competition. The competition is one carried on month by month in connection with the St. Nicholas Magazine. Miss Davis' badge was for some verses which we reprint below. A gold badge is also given for the best prose composition in addition to silver badges and a large number of Honor Roll awards to deserving competitors. The published list shows that this Toronto girl's success was won from a very large number of competitors. Miss Davis' age is 15, but this is said not in any way in a spirit of apology for the verses, because they would do credit to a maturer writer.

Long shadows lie across the sea,
And in the western sky afar
There hangs a single lovely star.
The promise of the night to be.

The cool wind stirs among the trees,
And deeper in the darkening wood
The birds pour out a silvery flood
Of clear and joyous melodies.

And in the twilight stillness here,
And in low-laden trees we read
The full fruition of the seed,
The fulfilled promise of the year.

How It Happened.

You see, it happened this way. The father of the kid kidnapped the kid from the kid's mother. He caught the mother of the kid napping and kidnapped the kid. When the kid's mother found out that the kid had been kidnapped by the kidnapper, she saw that her friends would kid her for letting them kidnap the kid. Then the brother of the mother of the kid took a kid and kidnapped the kid from the kidnapper. Thus the kidnapper who had caught the mother of the kid napping was himself caught by the uncle of the kid napping, and the uncle of the kid kidnapped the kid and kidded the kidnapper.—St. John Telegraph.

To God's child the heaviest sorrow is lighter than the least sin.



Mrs. Weisslitz, president of the German Women's Club of Buffalo, N. Y., after doctoring for two years, was finally cured of her kidney trouble by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Of all the diseases known with which the female organism is afflicted, kidney disease is the most fatal. In fact, unless prompt and correct treatment is applied, the weary patient seldom survives.

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"I doctored with several good doctors, but they did not help me any. I took, in all, twelve bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, five boxes of Liver Pills, and used three packages of Sanative Wash, and feel like a new woman, can eat and sleep well, do all my own work, and can walk two miles without feeling over tired. The doctors tell me that my kidneys are all right now. I am so happy to be well, and I feel that I owe it all to your medicine."—Mrs. ORAL STRONG, Dalton, Mass.

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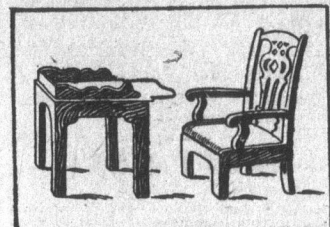
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The combination chair and table shown in the accompanying illustration is a handy arrangement in a home where there is a child and is a source of amusement as well as a piece of furniture of considerable utility. Placed one upon the other, the combination makes an ideal high chair, and the il-



NURSERY CHAIR AND TABLE.

Illustration shows how the chair and its stand, which together measure a little more than three feet in height, can be taken apart to form a perfect little table and chair, just such a pair as would delight any child. To make the high chair the chair is placed upon the stand, and the projection which forms the tray of the table, which works on hinges, is raised and hooked fast to the border on the table, thus holding the chair fast in place and preventing tipping. This combination can be made of an old chair cut down and a small stand of the right size. Be sure that the raised border on the table and the tray when hooked up fit snugly to the feet of the chair.

Marking Table Linen.

The marking of table linen is an operation that often bothers the average housekeeper. If she be well to do, she can hire other women to embroider the initials or monogram in the solid white embroidery that is so handsome and so expensive or she may simply stamp her table napkins and towels with a stencil and India ink. This looks cheap, as it is. Spool embroidery, which is novel, easy and pretty when done, offers a happy medium between the two. One woman who does a good deal of it says the first step is to select a spool and draw a circle faintly around it on the article to be marked. Start at the bottom of the circle and brier stitch around nearly half way. Then start again at the bottom and stitch around the other half. At the top leave a tiny space, and the effect will be that of a dainty laurel wreath. If the wreath is extended at the bottom in two small straight lines crossing each other the wreath effect is heightened. A small bowknot at the base is also pretty. In the center draw the desired initial with a pencil, working it finely and closely in over and over.

A Cure For Superfluous Hairs.

There is a very simple remedy for superfluous hairs which, if persisted in, cannot fail to bring the desired results. The simple remedy is hydrozone. Hydrozone applied to the hairs will bleach them and in time cause them to fall out. An equal proportion of ammonia should be used with the hydrozone. If the skin cannot stand the ammonia the hydrozone should be used alone. Another equally effective remedy is a pair of tweezers, by which the hairs can be pulled out by the roots. After the hairs have been pulled apply a little glycerine to the inflamed surface. The hydrozone treatment is absolutely effective when used constantly. The only absolute cure for superfluous hairs is the electric needle. This needle pierces the roots and destroys them. It is a painful, tedious and expensive process, while the hydrozone applied as above directed will do the work quite as effectively. — American Queen.

Some Good Advice.

Don't sleep with the hand under the cheek. It will numb and wrinkle the skin.

Don't let the jaw drop just at the moment of falling asleep. It tends to make lines on either side of the mouth.

Don't use powder on the face. It works its way into every line and digs it deeper and deeper.

Don't be afraid of friction for the face. Freshness is prolonged by the tepid bath in which bran has been stirred, followed by light friction. This keeps the blood at the surface.

Don't indulge in the essentially feminine habit of "knitting the brow." Take life less strenuously.

Don't always be thinking of something. Sometimes think of nothing.

Attention to Details of Dress.
It is attention to the small details of her costume that makes a woman well dressed. Her dress may be beautiful, but if her gloves are not appropriate the effect is ruined. Her hat may be suitable and becoming, but if it is covered by the wrong veil all is lost. If her shoes are not in keeping she will not appear as a well dressed woman. The reason that the French woman is one of the best dressed women in the world is that she pays strict attention to even the smallest details. She has no glaring contrasts, and no one part of her costume is conspicuous. All is harmony and the tout ensemble restful and pleasing.

Ironing With the Clothes Wringer.

An authority on domestic economy advises the housekeeper of limited means to save her fire and strength and to do as much ironing with the clothes wringer as possible. Plain pieces, like towels, pillowcases, sheets, merinos and stockings, put through the wringer will be smooth enough for all practical purposes if the roller is tight. Life is too short and flesh and blood too precious to be wasted sprinkling, folding, unfolding, ironing, re-folding and airing a lot of white goods.

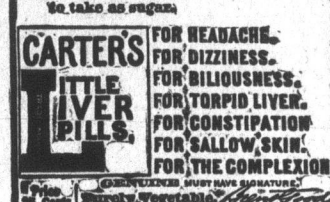
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of John Josiah Walrath, late of the Township of Harwich, in the County of Kent, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897," Chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the said John Josiah Walrath, who died on or about the tenth day of October, 1903, are requested on or before the 21st day of November, 1903, to send by post prepaid or deliver to W. F. Smith, of the City of Chatham, Solicitor for the Executors and Codicils thereto of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further, take notice, that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Chatham this 28th day of October, 1903.
W. F. SMITH,
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Who Owns The Liberty Bell?

Quite a controversy is raging around one of the most precious relics of American history—the "Liberty Bell," that rang out the proclamation of national independence. This bell, as all the world knows, is hung in the belfry of Independence Hall, Philadelphia; but lately it has been taken from its place and exhibited in Boston, Charleston and other cities. Increased by what is regarded as the undignified exposure of the relic to the dangers of these "junketing trips," three ladies, members of an old Philadelphia family, now make the claim that the bell is their private property. Their announcement, says the Philadelphia "Evening Telegraph," "comes with a sudden shock to the people of Philadelphia." The same paper continues:

"It is doubtful if the claim which has been put forth could be sustained in a court of law, and certainly the city would resist it to the uttermost, if it should be so seriously advanced as to take the shape of a demand for the custody of the relic of the bell. That, however, the claimants declare, is not their purpose; all that they desire is that the sacred relic and emblem of our national independence shall not again be exposed to the vicissitudes attending the carrying of it around the country for exhibition purposes, even when the cultivation of patriotic sentiment is the underlying motive. If the alleged owners of the bell should succeed in establishing their claim so far as to prevent it from being taken on another junketing tour, they would deserve and receive the hearty thanks of the vast majority of Philadelphians."

"The basis of the claim to private ownership of the relic is at least a plausible one. It is declared by the claimants that the councils which bargained with their ancestor for the casting of the Liberty Bell's successor purchased a light valuation on the relic that they agreed to let it go to the bell-founder as old metal, in consideration of an abatement of his bill to the amount of \$400. The person who thereby became its lawful owner might have treated it as junk by breaking it up and throwing the fragments into the melting-pot; but he was more patriotic than the City Fathers of that day, and permitted the bell to remain in the custody of the city, confident that it would in due time be appreciated at its true value."

"From that day to this the claim to private ownership has been in abeyance, and City Solicitor Kinney expresses the opinion that, even if the foundation of the original claim should be recognized, the Bell has become the absolute property of the city of Philadelphia by prescription. Whether or not this view would be upheld by the courts can only be ascertained by the test of litigation. An appeal to the courts may possibly be made, if councils should grant the request of the St. Louis Fair managers to have the Liberty Bell carted across the country to become one of the side attractions of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition next year."

Wasted Moments.

Next to his prayers, the most regular and unfeeling duty that old Mr. Snipes performed was the winding-up of his clock.

As he explained to his chums, "That clock is the pride of my life. For thirty-five years, man and boy, have I wound him up every night right upon ten o'clock, and always before eleven. I couldn't sleep without doing it; I'd as soon, or sooner, go without my food than miss doing of it."

It was quite a comical thing with him, and his wife, sharing his pride in the timepiece, naturally aided his madness on the one theme.

One evening they had a new acquaintance to supper, who happened to be a watchmaker.

"Excuse me a minute," said Mr. Snipes, at ten-thirty, "while I wind up the clock."

The jeweler looked at it. "That's a rather nice clock," he said.

"I should think it is," cried Mr. Snipes. "It's the pride of my heart. So it is of yours, ain't it, wife?"

"That it is," said his complacent spouse.

"Man and boy," went on Mr. Snipes, commencing his usual story, "man and boy for thirty-five years have I wound up that clock every night regular between ten and eleven—"

"Every night!" struck in the jeweler. "Ay, man, every night!" echoed Mr. Snipes.

"Well, of all the born idiots!" returned the other. "Why, how many weeks of your life have you wasted? It's an eight-day clock!"

His Forte.

The seven-year-old pride of the family had concluded his recitation of "The Boy Who Went on the Burning Deck," and the fond mother, turning with dignified complacency to the unmoved visitor, remarked:

"And I have been assured by really eminent judges, Mr. Marterdum, that he closely approaches Sir Henry Irving in dramatic style, without, however, that great actor's offensive mannerisms."

"I am not surprised to hear it!" assented the victimized one, with a strained smile.

"Mabel, also," continued the matron, blandly indicating a six-year-old mite of flaxen-haired precocity, "plays exquisitely. Her rendering of 'In My Cottage Near a Wood,' with variations, is not dissimilar in touch and feeling to Paderewski at his best—as you shall presently determine; while Egbert, yonder (get your slate and pencil ready, darling), though barely turned four, draws engines and railway lines in a manner suggestive of Academy honors at no very distant future. They all have their fortes, you see! In fact, most people have, when you come to think of it. What is your forte, Mr. Marterdum?"

"Mine, madam?" gasped the wretched listener. "Mine? Oh, I—I run!"

And he suited the action to the word.

A Question of Gender.

While he was being shown about Chicago by the Mayor of the city, a French visitor expressed his thanks, and added, "But I am sorry so to cockroach on your time." "Oh," answered the Mayor, "do not think of that. But you do not mean cockroach, Monsieur; you mean 'gender.' 'Oh, is it? I see a difference in gender' (the visitor supposing he ought to have said 'gender')."

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