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Your Larger Wants

In house furnishings for this spring are likely supplied, and you are now paying attention to the little things, the finishing touches, small in themselves, yet essential to the "complete appearance of your rooms, so you will be interested in the following.

A floor picture, we mean a rug, may be the one thing you need to give a room that look of "completeness." It would be hard to name a weave, color, or size, our "Rugging" does not contain—and the range in price is even greater, commencing at 40c and reaching to as many dollars.

There is no article in the dining room more conspicuous than the table cover. Don't use a shabby one, when we can supply you with full sizes, heavily fringed, in any color at \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$5 and \$6.

Watch our Window
on
Wednesday
for a surprise in
Cushions,
you'll wonder where
we
got them.

You may not know that we keep a stock of Furniture Coverings, Cords, Gimps and Fringes. If you have a chair or couch which needs recovering, let us know and our upholsterer will call tell you what should be done, and give you an estimate of the cost.

We cannot refrain from boasting of our Vestibule and Sash Curtain stock. There is nothing you can ask for, which we haven't got—Arabian, Southsea, Brussels, Nottingham, Swiss, Saxony, and Bobbin Nets, Swiss Muslins, plain, ruffled, dotted and tamboired, in prices from 8c to 75c per yard.

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It's a steady march, always ahead of the others
in quality and newness yet never ahead in price.

Fresh Beauty in Neckwear Newness

was opened yesterday—this makes two new arrivals in the past week. These handsome goods are for women as well as men. They represent the most beautiful effects recently introduced in New York and direct importations from Paris.

The materials are of rich, soft silk that crushes without wrinkling—that seems indestructible—looking as fresh a year hence as to-day. The colorings range from quietly mild to butterfly gorgeousness. The designs embrace the Orient and Occident—odd, quaint, chic, dignified, swell. Prices 50c to 75c.

The 2 T's Trudell & Tobey
Slater Shoe Agents

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO. "THE BUSY STORE" JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.

New Wash Goods

The past week has seen great selling in our Wash Goods Department. Fresh arrivals are being added right along, among them many new stuffs that you will see nowhere else. We insist upon best values, at the same time we see that the quality end is kept well balanced. We have just the sorts everybody is wanting and our prices are low enough to draw the trade this way.

White Figured P. K's, in new designs, superior quality, at 25c, 30c and 35c	25 pcs. Swiss Spot Muslins, small, medium and large spots and figures, special at 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c and 40c	White P. K's, fine, medium and wide corals and welts, firm weave, choice qualities, at 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c
Colored P. K's, new style stripes, in blue and white and pink and white, special at 20c and 25c	White Organdy Muslin, nearly 2 yds. wide, fine quality, special at 25c	White Lawns, 42 to 45 in. wide, fine makes, at 10c, 12½c, 15c and 20c
10 pcs. New American Muslins and Dimities, new blue, pink, navy and sky, in choice figures and stripe designs, fast colors, special per yd. 10c	Organdy Muslin, 96 in. wide, fine quality, soft finish, in white, pink and sky, extra value at 40c	India Lawns, fine sheer quality, special at 15c, 30c, 50c and 60c
American Printed Lawns, lovely new designs and colorings, fine quality and fast dyes, special per yd. 12½c, 15c	White Dress Muslin, fine qualities, in lace, cord and insertion effects, new styles, at 12½c, 15c, 18c, 22c and 25c	100 pcs. Prints, English, Canadian and American makes, latest patterns, in light and dark grounds, fast colors, at 7c, 10c and 12½c
New Dress Muslins, Batistes and Dimities, latest American styles and colorings, at 17c, 18c, 20c and 25c	25 pcs. New Stripe Prints, for shirt waists, fine quality, extra wide widths, fast colors, special 10c	25 pcs. Duck Suiting, navy and butcher blues, large range of spots, stripes and figured designs, fast colors, special at 12½c
Linen Crash Suiting, choice quality, full yd. wide, for skirts or suits, extra value at per yd. 12½c	Dress Gingham, American and Canadian makes, in checks, plaids and	Khaki Cloth, the correct material for boys' summer suiting, guaranteed in color and wear, special at 20c and 25c

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CASH ONLY AND
ONE PRICE.

END'S NEAR

Troops Already Being Disbanded.

BRITISH STILL IN HOT PURSUIT OF THE RETREATING BOERS.—STEYN'S COUNTER-PROCLAMATION.

London, Monday, June 18, 4.20 a. m.—There are some indications that Lord Roberts considers the end of the struggle in South Africa not far distant. One of these is the fact that the Natal volunteers, who had been hard service were dismissed to their homes by Gen. Buller Saturday. They were cheered as they left. Another indication is the report current in authoritative military circles in London, that a complete division of regulars is to be withdrawn from Gen. Buller's army and embarked at Durban for China. The troops drawn from India will probably go next. Lord Roberts let yesterday go by without telegraphing.

Unofficial intelligence from Macadodorp, via Lorenzo Marques, is to the effect that the British troops are near Middleburg. The Boers' report of the fighting east of Pretoria, posted on a bulletin board outside of President Kruger's car at Macadodorp, ran thus:—"The commando east of Pretoria, in the direction of Brookhurst Spruit, were compelled to retire after a fierce stand of more than two days in a way that won the admiration of the acting commandant-general. The short-range rifle fire was very hot, and for part of the second day, especially late in the afternoon, the enemy fought at a distance of 100 yards. Our loss cannot be given yet. The acting commandant-general only mentions field cornet Jan Van Buren killed. He was one of the pluckiest men in the field. Information is again to hand regarding the miserable condition of the enemy's troops that have penetrated to Johannesburg and Pretoria. They continually complain of the lack of food. Several British soldiers have died in the streets of Pretoria of exhaustion and starvation. Along the roads are the corpses of horses and mules, while the living animals are so weak they are hardly able to carry their loads." Another bulletin at Macadodorp, according to dispatch, dated June 15, says: "Fifteen officers and 500 British soldiers, prisoners, have arrived at Standerton, Free State, bound for Nooit Gedacht. Thirty burghers have been killed and wounded during the last few days' fighting near Pretoria."

Mr. Steyn, in consequence of Lord Roberts' annexation of the Free State by proclamation, has issued a counter proclamation, declaring that the Free State still exists, is independent, and does not acknowledge the authority of Great Britain. The British prisoners at Nooit Gedacht have been having exciting games of football to keep themselves warm. They are, according to a despatch from Lorenzo Marques, without shelter or medical comforts, and are confined between mountains, where the sun does not shine until 8.30 a. m. Delagoa Bay merchants are rushing goods toward Macadodorp, their expectations being that the use of the railway will soon be lost, and the preparations for a final stand in the Lydenburg district must be promptly completed.

The Lorenzo Marques correspondent of the Times says President Kruger has removed his headquarters to Alkmaar, near Nel Spruit.

A rumor is rife that Lord Roberts is negotiating with President Kruger and Gen. Botha, through their wives, regarding terms of surrender.

Slater Shoe Polish in Black and Tan, at The 2 T's.

A man named John Puleze, who was working on the inside of the tower of St. Jean Baptiste Church at Montreal, lost his footing when near the top, and was dashed to pieces on the floor below. He was an employee of the Hamilton Bridge Works.

Gas Ranges are being installed in all parts of the city. People realize that gas is the cheapest and most convenient fuel.

Wear The 2 T's \$10 New Method Suits.

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Wedding Announcements

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TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Heavy rains are reported in the Darjeeling district of India.

Ten lives were lost and six people were badly injured during a fire which destroyed an old five-story tenement in New York.

Avila Bourasson was found guilty at Montreal of the murder of his wife last April, and was sentenced to be hanged on August 21.

The House of Commons will hold morning sittings this week, and the expectation is that Parliament will be prorogued in three weeks.

The Synod of Toronto adopted a motion asking the Government to appoint a Sunday as thanksgiving day, with the Monday following as a public holiday.

Christie Brooks, the young man who shot Joseph Wynn at Trenton a short time ago, was found guilty, with a strong recommendation to mercy. The judge gave him one day in jail.

POLICE BLUNDER.

Well-known Actress Arrested and Jailed in Paris

As a Suspicious Character—Her Protests Went Unheeded—Now There is a Row.

Paris, June 18.—A great stir has been created in Paris by a terrible blunder on the part of the police, whose business it is to enforce the street regulations affecting a certain class of women. They arrested a lady, formerly an actress of reputation—Madame de Sebastiani—as an unregistered unfortunate; and despite her protests and appeals to them to investigate references she gave, she was incarcerated in a cell and detained from that afternoon until the following day in the company of women of low character without food or drink, and was compelled to undergo a degrading medical examination. Finally she was released with scant apologies, and yet, had the proper inquiries been made, she could have been set at liberty in half an hour. She has now brought action against the prefect of police, who is technically responsible, for 30,000 francs damages. The press has taken up the matter, and the police superintendent, who is directly responsible, has been slightly punished by being transferred to another ward. The affair has led to a revival of the outcry against the whole police system, the opponents of which declare that no woman in Paris is safe from a similar outrage if a detective happens to make a mistake. Mme. de Sebastiani recounts that she is informed by a sister of a religious order that a woman recently arrested in the same circumstances as herself had died from shame and chagrin at the same police station to which she was taken. A curious coincidence is that the international federation in favor of the abolition of the state regulation of vice began its meetings this week in Paris.

SALISBURY SCORED

British Liberals Accuse Him of Breaking his Promises to the People

London, June 18.—The resumption of Parliament after the Witsandale recess was not marked by any notable feature. In preparation for the general election, the Liberals have put in circulation a pamphlet entitled, "Five years of Tory government," in which the failure of the Conservatives to fulfill their promises in the introduction of the domestic measures regarding education, old age pensions, temperance and overworking is scathingly put forward. Augustine Birrell, member for the West Division of Fife, in writing the preface, remarks that the claims of forty millions of people here at home to be well governed, fairly taxed, properly housed, and wisely educated are paramount claims, nor will "Lord Salisbury's Swiss policy of putting a rifle range within reach of every poor man's cottage in order that its occupant may learn how to defend his hired and unsanitary home from the combined fury of Europe long survive the political occasion that began it."

First Presbyterian Church Excursion, Friday, June 22nd.

BIG BLACK SNAKE IN RALEIGH.

Last Tuesday night Oscar Horne, of Raleigh, was roused from his slumbers by a robin which had a nest in a tree close to his house. He got up and found one of the little birds on the ground and took it into his house. In the morning Mr. Horne went to replace the bird in the nest, but was somewhat surprised to find a snake four feet long stretched out on a limb near the nest. The farmer lost no time in descending and, calling his son, the latter despatched his reptile with a well directed bullet from his rifle. On opening the snake the nest were found. The slimy creature proved to be an unknown variety, and the oldest residents of the ninth concession were unable to tell what kind it was. In color it was pure black, and its head had a vicious aspect. Mr. Horne, when he first found the bird, intended to climb the tree in the dark and put it back in its nest. He is glad now that he didn't.

Clean and Comfortable Summer Shoes

White canvas shoes in men's wear are becoming more popular every season from the fact that people have begun to solve the problem of comfortable dressing in warm weather, and have found that, with an occasional application of pipe-clay, white shoes will retain their spotless appearance for a long time.

Men's White Oxfords,
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Men's White High Lace, new goods, latest shapes,
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Lamps for Library, Parlor, Hall, or Dining Room, \$1.50 to \$15
A good line Japanese Vases, \$2.50 to \$6
Jardines, in fancy colors, \$5c to \$3
Large Fruit Dishes, \$4c to \$3
Fancy Dishes, in fine China, suitable for raw fruit, nuts, bon bons, etc., at 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1
Silver Knives and Forks, Table Dessert and Tea Spoons at prices away down.

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Richly Spread--
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Of Richards' Bread?
It's Incomplete,
That's what.

THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.

Toronto, June 18, 10 a. m.—Moderate to fresh easterly and northwesterly winds, fine. Tuesday, moderate easterly winds, fine.

G. W. Cornell
Dentist
ap. 6th and King Sts.,
Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

LOCAL BRIEFS

The wife of Albert Perry, of a son. Rev. R. McCosh left this morning for London, to attend the annual meeting of the synod of the Diocese of Huron.

The death is reported at Los Angeles, Texas, of Joseph Spencer, in his 72nd year. The deceased was a relative of Mrs. Richard Chrysler, of this city.

The Annual Lawn Social of St. Joseph's Church will be held on the Church Grounds on Thursday, June 21st, from 4 to 10 p. m. Admission to grounds and supper only 15c. Band in attendance.

THE IDLEWILD ROBBER.
A clever sneak thief is reported from the Idlewild hotel last evening. The thief had evidently reconnoitered in an orthodox manner and, when the inmates of the office and waiting room gathered outside to witness the passing of the lodge parade, crawled through a broken pane of glass in the rear, relieved the till and retreated in orderly manner without loss—except to the proprietor, who is between \$30 and \$35 shy. The police are investigating the occurrence, but there seems to be little information to work upon.

THE LATE MRS. SAYERS.
Mrs. Eliza Thurston Sayers passed away yesterday in her 75th year at the family residence on Taylor avenue. A grown up family survive. They are: Geo. A. Sayer, barrister; J. W. Sayer, florist; Misses Emma and Alice at home, and a married daughter in St. Thomas. The funeral will take place Tuesday at 3.30 p. m. to Maple Leaf cemetery.

DEATH OF WM. FENTON.
There passed away, Sunday morning at the Public General Hospital, a most estimable citizen of Dresden, in the person of Wm. Fenton. Mr. Fenton had been a sufferer for a number of years from stomach trouble, but he bore his affliction with patience and forbearance, which characterized his whole life. The greater part of his life had been spent in Chatham, and he was well known here. For the past few years he has been in the employ of Hamilton Waddell, of Dresden. Mr. Fenton was a son of the late Dr. Fenton, and nephew of Judge Woods. Mrs. Garrett was a half sister and Mrs. Gibb Taylor and Robert Pegley were cousins. The funeral will take place Tuesday at 1.30 from the residence of Mr. Taylor at the corner of Selkirk and Joseph streets.

NEAR SIGHTEDNESS

is caused by the eyeballs being of such a shape that the newspaper or book that you read must be held closer than fourteen inches from the eyes to enable you to see the print clearly.
This condition of the eyeball arises from various causes, but most important for you to remember is that the condition grows all the time unless remedied in time by the proper method.
Examination and consultation free.
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THEY HOLD THE FORTS

Foreign Warships Bombard Taku and Land Marines and Seize the Place.

New York, June 18.—A special from London says the Taku forts have been captured by the united foreign fleets, which were fired on by the Chinese commander when he was invited to surrender. The bombardment was severe.

It is reported that 10,000 of Gen. Buller's troops have been ordered from South Africa to China by the war office. A Simla dispatch says: "In consequence of the gravity of the Chinese situation the Seventh Bengal Infantry has been ordered to Hong Kong."

A special from Rome says reports have reached there that 20 Catholic missionaries and 8 nuns attached to Chinese stations are missing, and it is feared all have been slaughtered by the Boxers.

A despatch from Shanghai says Russia has demanded 50,000,000 taels indemnity for damage done Chinese railroads in which Russians are interested.

TROOPS HOLD THE TAKU FORTS.

London, June 18.—Shanghai is to the front again with the statement that the forts have been occupied by the international troops. According to a Chefoo special, 17 forts opened fire on the warships, whereupon the fleet replied in kind and silenced the Chinese guns and the international forces subsequently landed and seized the forts. The news of this engagement is said to have been brought to Chefoo by a Japanese warship, but the date of the occurrence is not given. According to a despatch, Chinese bombardment followed an ultimatum sent by the commanders of the fleet.

An official despatch from the German Consul at Chefoo received in Berlin confirms the arrival of a Japanese torpedo boat with the following message: "The Japanese torpedo boat 'Rokko' has been taken at Taku. The Japanese have been taken." Whether taken by the Boxers and the Chinese troops or by the mob is not stated. A later despatch from the same consul, received in Berlin this morning, stated that an engagement was proceeding at Taku between the Chinese forts and the foreign warships. Berlin has official notification from Shanghai that lines "no trustworthy news is obtainable of events in Peking."

THE TAKU SURRENDER.

Washington, June 18.—The war department confirms the report that the Ninth Infantry has been ordered from Manila to China. Col. Liscum commands the regiment, which has had its headquarters at Tientsin, about two hours distant by rail from Manila. War department officials say that the regiment probably is already aboard the transport and ready to sail for China.

The navy department has been informed by Rear-Admiral Kempff that the Taku forts yesterday fired on the foreign ships and after a brief engagement, surrendered.

INTERPROVINCIAL REGISTRATION.

Dr. J. L. Bray has returned from the annual meeting of the Ontario Medical Council. An important matter taken up at the meeting, was Dr. Rossie's bill for interprovincial registration. As matters now stand a man who registers in Ontario cannot practice in the other provinces. The purpose of the bill is to give doctors the freedom of the Dominion, and of the Empire in practicing. If it passes, there will be a uniform curriculum throughout the Dominion. At present doctors have been appointed from Manitoba to the military station at Halifax, but they cannot legally practice there. Another thing that the bill is aimed at is the state of affairs now existing in South Africa.

THIS IS

CELEBRATION YEAR IN CANADA AND

Chatham's = Dominion Day =

effort will be up-to-date in every particular.

Some of the Features Offered Are:

A Drill Competition

For \$175 in gold open to the Cadet Corps of the Collegiate Institutes of Western Ontario.

"Daughters of the Regiment"

A cracked military company comprising twenty-four young Windsor ladies, in uniform and with their own bugle and drum band.

The Public School Championships

In athletics, open to all public and separate school children in the County of Kent. A handsome silver cup, a solid gold medal, twelve solid silver medals and a number of special prizes are offered in this series of events.

A Series of Amusing Contests

On King Street, for which over \$100 in prizes will be given.

A Calithumpian Parade

With three prizes—1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10. The terrible effects of the Boer war will be clearly demonstrated in this feature.

Professional Baseball

The kind that's worth looking at—by the Chatham and Grand Rapids International League Teams.

Football

Between the Chatham F. B. C. (champions of the Peninsular Football League and holders of the Walker Trophy) and the Football club of either London, Glencoe or Windsor.

First-Class Music

All day long by the City Band and the Excelsior Band. Over \$600 prizes and yet no charge for entry to any of the contestants. No charge to the general public for admission to anything except the baseball games and the evening performance.

When You Celebrate Do it Right

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A Timely Tip

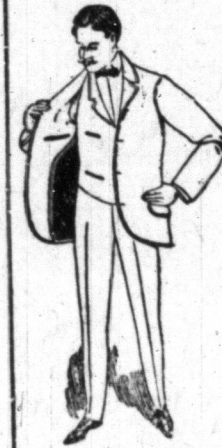
To the Linen Buyers of this city who require special lines and prices for the camping out season, such as bath towels, table linens, napkins, pattern table cloths, etc. We have given special attention to these goods, it will be to your advantage to see the different lines which are mentioned.

- I.—Heavy crepe toweling, red borders, 18x40 size, reg. 12½c value, each..... 10c
- II.—Special purchase, English bath towels, extra heavy qualities, plain or striped centers, 21x46 size, each 20c and..... 25c
- Pure linen bath towels, large size, each 35c and..... 45c
- Special, 19x44, heavy Turkish towels, with fancy stripes, at each..... 12½c
- III.—The best in the trade, is the table damask we sell at 25c and 30c per yd., width 56, 58 inches, patterns, choice quality, heavy and free from dressing.
- IV.—New patterns in bleached table damasks, 60 and 62 in. wide, extra fine satin finish, per yd..... 50c
- V.—Special, full 72 in. unbleached table damask, two patterns only, extra heavy, fine finish, per yard..... 50c
- VI.—Unbleached table napkins, dice patterns, ready hemmed, 17x17 size, at per dozen..... 75c
- See our better qualities in bleached, at per dozen \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50 and..... \$3.00
- VII.—Turkey red and white table covers, all sizes, best quality made, prices each \$1.35, \$1.75, \$1.40 and..... \$2.25
- Unbleached pattern cloth, fringed, with fancy red borders, at each \$1.65, 75c, 90c, \$1.18, \$1.25, \$1.10 and..... \$1.20
- VIII.—17 in. fine checked glass toweling, in fancy checks, this cloth is worth 5½c wholesale, our price per yard is only..... 5c
- Ready to use glass towels, with fancy red borders, at each 10c and..... 12½c
- IX.—Special values in Turkey red and white tablings, at per yd. 40c, 50c and..... 70c
- X.—Rope dish washers, very soft and porous, a great towel to wear, at each..... 5c

GENTS' FURNISHING DEPT.

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SPECIAL NEGLIGEE SHIRTS FOR Boys, 50c and 75c, made from pure English cambric, in neat checks, hair stripes, colors perfect, sizes 12½ to 14½.

See boys' special collar attach shirt, all sizes, at 50c.

AT 75c—MEN'S SPECIAL NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, SILK FRONTS, the prettiest things shown this season, neat checks and stripes, full range sizes, special 75c.

SPECIAL SHIRT VALUE in negligee, solid colors, with cuffs attached, also some with collars attached, pretty colorings, neat checks, plaids, stripes, shirts that sell for 75c all over, we cleared out a big line of them at a price and will put them in at 50c, sizes 14 to 17.

AT 75c—COLORED DRESS SHIRTS, with colored fronts and cuffs attached and detached, white body, neat checks and nobby plaids, sizes 14 to 18.

AT \$1.00—COLORED DRESS SHIRTS, in all solid colors, neat checks and hair stripes, separate cuffs and worn with white collars, handsome goods, all sizes.

SEPARATE COLLAR NEGLIGEE SHIRTS AT 75c and \$1.00, in nobby stripes, separate collar to match, cuffs attached, colors warranted, prettiest line shown, sizes 14 to 17.

AT \$1—NOBBY NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, made from pure English cambric, in new hair stripes and neat checks, separate cuffs, every color warranted, beauties, just in this week.

AT \$1.25—HANDSOME NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, made from pure imported Scotch madras, nobby overplaids, neat checks, separate cuffs, colors warranted, handsome goods ever shown, all sizes.

AT 75c and \$1.00—MEN'S FLANNEL OUTFITTING SHIRTS, nobby silk stripes, full made, nicely cut, full of comfort.

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GENERAL SPORTS.

What is Going on in Baseball and Other Athletic Games.

News, Local and Telegraphic, Gathered from Reliable Sources.

TOMMY BURNS WINS A \$10,000 RACE.

St. Louis, June 18.—Amid the plaudits of 25,000 enthusiastic spectators, Sam Phillips, the gallant son of St. Florian and Reckon, ridden by Tommy Burns, of Chatham, Ont., flashed under the line winner of the St. Louis Derby Saturday afternoon. The day was proclaimed a half holiday by the mayor, and the innovation of a free infield by the fair association attracted an assemblage of race-goers heretofore unrivalled in numbers. The derby has come to be regarded as the classic test of Western 3-year-olds. Florizor and Highland Lad, Wounded Knee and Sam Phillips were installed as equal favorites at 5 to 2. To a good start Wounded Knee was first to show. Passing the judges' stand, Wounded Knee was a neck in front of Highland Lad, who led Dr. Cave by a head, all the others being within striking distance. In the run down the back stretch Florizor resumed command, but only momentarily, for Tommy Burns took up Sam Phillips, and he shot to the front. At the mile and a quarter Phillips was two open lengths in front of Florizor, who had a length the advantage of Star Chamber, whom Davis had brought up from fifth position. Sam Phillips came into the stretch a length before Star Chamber, who was four lengths ahead of Florizor. From this point the race became a procession, Sam Phillips winning in a gallop by three lengths from Star Chamber, who in turn beat Florizor four lengths for the place. Wounded Knee staggered in four lengths behind Florizor. The race is worth \$10,000 to the winner.

PORT HURON'S WINNING STREAK.

Port Huron, Saturday, June 16.—Port Huron played all around Grand Rapids today and won by a score of 12 to 4. The fielding of the visiting team was ragged and there were numerous errors. Lindsay gave Port Huron six bases on balls. Grand Rapids could not hit safely. Score: Port Huron, 3 4 0 0 3 0 0 2—12 12 4. Grand Rapids 2 1 0 0 0 0 1—4 11 6. Batteries—Berry and Lohbeck; Lindsay and Holmes. Umpire—McFadden. Attendance—Light.

SAGINAW 7, LONDON 6.

London, Saturday, June 16.—The visitors defeated London today by superior all around batting and fielding work. The score: Saginaw, 2 0 0 0 1 4 1 1 0—9 14 3. London, 0 2 0 1 2 0 0 0 1—6 10 2. Batteries—Wayne and Kleinow; Kostal, Lohman and Pickard. Umpire—McKeever. Attendance—350.

BATTED OUT OF THE BOX.

Saginaw, Sunday, June 17.—Fourteen hundred people saw Grand Rapids win a fast game from the locals this afternoon. It was won in the first two innings, when Decher, Manager Edley's new find, was batted hard for four runs. Wayne was substituted, and only one run was scored off his delivery. Hagerman pitched for the visitors, and to the eighth made it look like a shut-out. Score: Grand Rapids 2 1 0 0 0 0 0—5 11 3. Saginaw, 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—2 7 1. Batteries—Hagerman and Holmes; Decher, Wayne and Kleinow.

CHATHAM SHUT OUT.

Hamilton, Saturday, June 16.—Freeland pitched a superb game against Chatham today and got perfect support. The only error was one he made himself, and as Chatham only got four hits they had not a chance to score except one. Two of the hits and the error were made in the seventh, filling the bases, but a strike-out, a short fly to right and a splendid catch by McKeeve's infield killed the side. A hit, a base on balls and a three-bagger by Broderick gave Hamilton two in the second, and two hits and an error by Conklin added one in the eighth. Score: Hamilton, 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1—3 9 1. Chatham, 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 2. Batteries—Freeland and Conwell; Hale and Klock.

WON THE SUNDAY GAME.

Port Huron, Sunday, June 17.—After apparently winning the game, Port Huron dropped one to Chatham here this afternoon, when Barrett was pounded for eight runs in the sixth inning. Long had Chatham safe after that, but Port Huron could not overcome the lead. Habel gave way to Thompson in the seventh, as he was being hit hard. Score: Port Huron, 1 0 3 4 1 1 0 0 2—12 15 3. Chatham, 1 0 1 3 1 8 0 0—14 15 9. Batteries—Barrett and London and Lohbeck; Habel, Thompson and Klock. Umpire, McKeeve.

National League.

New York 6, Philadelphia 3.
Boston 6, Brooklyn 7.
Pittsburg 5, Chicago 8.
St. Louis 3, Cincinnati 9.

American League.

Minneapolis 5, Cleveland 1.
Chicago 0, Indianapolis 6.
Kansas City 4, Detroit 3.

Eastern League.

Worcester 9, Toronto 2.
Springfield 10, Syracuse 2.
Springfield 5, Syracuse 4.
Hartford 1, Rochester 2.
Providence 10, Montreal 8.

Sunday Games.

St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 14.
Kansas City 3, Detroit 4.
Chicago 3, Indianapolis 0.
Providence 5, Montreal 1.
Minneapolis 1, Cleveland 7.
Chicago 8, Pittsburg 1.
Milwaukee 6, Buffalo 5.

International League.

London, 19 9 .678
Grand Rapids, 17 14 .548
Saginaw, 16 16 .500
Hamilton, 14 13 .467
Chatham, 14 17 .451
Port Huron, 10 18 .357

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TILBURY.

June 18.—Mrs. C. Johnson, Mrs. H. Johnston, and Miss Brown, spent Saturday in Detroit.

George James, of Chatham, visited friends here yesterday.

Misses Mary and Ella Stewart were in Chatham on Saturday.

A lawn social under the auspices of the English church at Merlin, will be held at the residence of Henry Sales on Wednesday evening next.

Mrs. Westland, of Ridgetown, is the guest of her son here, G. M. Westland.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

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WALLACEBURG.

June 18.—H. Dupuy and family removed to their summer residence at Bellevue Friday.

A football meeting was held in the Tecumseh House on Thursday evening to organize a club for the coming season. The officers elected were acting captain, N. Boulton; captain, N. Talbot; treasurer, G. Mitchell; secretary, J. Harrison.

Isaac Lynch, and wife, of Detroit, are spending a few days at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Noris Macpherson, left for Loring yesterday morning to secure positions in the steel plant there.

Albert Harrison, who has been visiting at home for a few days, returned to Loring Friday.

A baseball game took place Friday afternoon on the school campus between the Walpole Island Indians and the local team. The contest was very exciting up to the fifth innings, each side playing championship ball. After that the playing of the home team became ragged and the visitors piled up 17 runs against 4. The batteries were—For Wallaceburg, McDougall, Doyle and McDonald; for Walpole, Jacobs and Wright.

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One hour on the lake June 22nd.

The Rev. Father Francis Solanus preached in Raleigh last night.

Str. City of Chatham leaves Rankin Dock Friday, June 22nd, at 4.15.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenover, and family, of Allen avenue, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lenover's parents, at Wabash.

St. Andrew's S. S. excursion to Belle Isle, Tuesday, 19th inst. via City of Chatham. Tickets, 50c, 25c.

Next Sunday some seventy boys and girls will receive their first communion at 8.30 in St. Joseph's church.

This is one of the features of the year in the church.

A choice lot of Lawn Mowers and Refrigerators at Morton's Hardware Store.

Bishop MacEay will arrive in the city to-day, and he will attend the convent closing exercises to-morrow.

A large number of clergy are also expected to be present from the States and Canada.

Yesterday morning, after solemn high mass by Father Solanus, Father de Paul and Father Herman, the procession of the blessed sacrament took place. Some 200 little girls, all robed in white, preceded the blessed sacrament.

You can save the cost of a Gas Range, almost, this season by putting one in NOW.

The annual lawn social of St. Joseph's church will be held on the church grounds on Thursday, June 21st, from 4 to 10 p.m. Admission to ground and supper only 15c. Band in attendance.

The majority of the wheat fields in Raleigh look very thin and only half a crop and even much less, will be harvested in many cases.

Mr. Joyce, of the city, is one of those reported to have a really good field of grain.

Messdames Jno. Richardson and M. Houston, of Chatham, and Messdames D. K. Houston and J. Houston, of Hartwich, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Houston, of the 9th con., Chatham township, last week.

Arthur Howay, a builder who during the late street car-strike in London, fired stones at cars, has been convicted after two trials, and sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment.

J. Murray Dewey, who has lately returned to this city after an absence of eighteen years, and who is representing the Nordheimer Piano & Music Co. of Toronto, has placed a beautiful and artistic Nordheimer Cabinet Grand and also a magnificent Decker Bros. Parlor Grand in the Ursuline Academy for the closing exercises Tuesday afternoon.

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Orville Dolsen says that from 9 to 10.30 boys made such a noise in front of his store that he couldn't sleep. The offenders were aged from 12 to 14 years and they were dancing and generally cutting up. He says that the next time the boys make his corner the scene of a Sunday night dance that he will get up and phone the police.

A certain individual with a certain glass and a certain nose may run, jump, ride, sneeze, stoop, laugh—still his glasses cling as though a part of his physiognomy; while another with the same identical glass cannot move without them slipping. In eye glass fitting the many different noses require as a great variety of guards as well as a fund of practical noseological knowledge. I have both. Pleased to convince you—E. J. MacIntyre, leading optician, opposite Grand Opera House, Chatham.

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BAD PIECE OF WALK.

To the Planet—About a year ago

side of Charteris street was torn up

and replaced by some planks placed

lengthwise. These the sun has warped

until it is almost impossible to walk

on them. On the 13th inst., a lady

was walking on this walk, wheeling a

baby carriage, when, on account of

the defective state of the walk, the

carriage was overturned, injuring the

child. If the council does not attend

to it at once the city is liable to have

a damage suit on its hands.

Yours, etc.,

RESIDENT.

NOTICE.

The members of the K. O. T. M.

will meet in the lodge room to-morrow

(Tuesday) at one o'clock, sharp, to at-

tend the funeral of their late brother

Sir Knight, William Fenton, who died

yesterday morning at five o'clock.

Service will be held at the residence

of G. J. Taylor, Joseph street, at 1.30

o'clock.

By order,

G. W. SULMAN,

Record Keeper.

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LOVE'S TRIUMPH.

A STORY OF LOVE AND WAR.

BY MARY J. HOLMES,

Author of "Lena Rivers," "Edna Browning,"

"Tempest and Sunshine," Etc., Etc.

"They tried to keep me out," she said, "but I was a cook of your and that silver waiting-maid, but I would come up, and here I am."

Then, sitting down by Rose, she told her Annie had sent her there. "She's sorry for you," the widow said, "and she sent this to tell you so," and the widow handed Rose a tiny note, written by Annie Graham. Once Rose would have resented the act as implying too much familiarity, but her heart was greatly softened, while, had she read her best, she could not have denied Annie Graham in the light of an inferior. Tearing open the envelope she read:

"My Dear Mrs. Mather—I am sure you will pardon the liberty I am taking. My apology is that I feel so deeply for you, for I understand just what you are suffering, understand how wearily the hours drag on, knowing as you do that, with the waning daylight, life's step will not be heard just by the door, making in your heart little throbs of joy, such as no other step can make. I am so sorry for you, and I had hoped you, at least, might be spared; but God in His wisdom has seen fit to order it otherwise, and we know that what He does is right. Still, it is hard to hear—harder for you than for me, perhaps, when this morning I heard the car signal given. I knelt just where I did when my own husband went away, and asked our Heavenly Father to bring your Willie back in safety, and, Mrs. Mather, I am sure He will, for I felt, even then, an answer to my prayer—something which said, 'It shall be as you ask.'"

"Dear Mrs. Mather, try to be comforted; try to see the brighter side; try to pray, and be sure the darkness now enveloping you so like a pall will pass away, and the sunshine be the brighter for the cloud. Come and see me when you feel like it, and remember you have at least two friends who pray for you, one at the Father's right hand in Heaven, and one in her cottage in the Hollow."

"ANNIE GRAHAM."

Rose had not wept more passionately than she did now, and she kissed the note, and wished she were one-half as good as Annie Graham.

"But I am not," she said "and never shall be. Tell her to keep praying until Willie comes home again."

"I will tell her," returned the widow, "but wouldn't it be well enough to try what you can do at it yourself, and not leave it all for her?"

"Try what I can do at praying?" Rose exclaimed. "I can't do anything, only the few words I always say at night, and they have nothing in them about Willie."

"Brought up like a heathen!" muttered the widow, feeling within herself that, to the names of her own sons and Captain Carleton, William Mather's must now be added, when, as was her daily custom, she took her troubles to One who has said, "Cast your burden upon the Lord, for He will carry for you."

"We'll both remember your husband, Miss Graham, and I so don't forget yourself to death," she said soothingly, as Rose broke into a fresh burst of tears.

"It isn't him so much," Rose sobbed, "though that is terrible and will kill me. I must know, but there's something else that ails me a great deal worse than that; at least mother has made me think it is, though I can't quite see how having one's brother join the rebel army is so very bad."

Rose forgot her promise of secrecy, just as her mother might have known she would. The story of the Carleton disgrace was told, and perfectly against the horrified widow listened to it.

"Your brother a rebel!" she almost shrieked, "a good-for-nothing, ill-begotten rebel? I thought you said he was captain of a company," and mentally the widow struck from her list of names that of poor, scandalized Tom, that very moment perspiring at every pore as he went through with his evening drill within the Federal camp.

"No, no," Rose cried, vehemently, "not Tom; I have another brother, a younger one—Jimmie we call him. Did you never hear of Jimmie, who ran away more than a year ago?"

"Never!" and the staunch patriot of a widow pursed up her thin lips with an expression which plainly said the Carleton family had fallen greatly in her estimation, in spite of all Tom had said of Isaac.

Rose, however, was not good at reading expressions, and, taking it for granted the widow wanted to hear all about it, she told her what she knew, marveling much at the rigid silence her auditor maintained.

"Isn't it shameful?" she asked, when she had finished.

"Shameful? Yes. I hope he'll be caught and hung higher than Haman. I'll furnish rope to hang him!" was the indignant widow's reply, and ere Rose could quite make out what ailed her, she had said good afternoon, and, banging the door behind her, was hurrying off, muttering to herself, "Something wrong in their bringin' up. Needsn't tell me. I'd like to see my boys turnin' traitors! The rascals!" and as by this time the widow reached the shop where she was to stop for burning fluid, she turned into the little store, and, catching up the can with a jerk, split a part of its contents upon her clean gingham dress, and then hurried off again with rapid strides toward the cottage in the Hollow.

The Carletons, Tom and all, were below her in her opinion, and kept sinking lower and lower, until she reached the cottage, where she gave vent to her

frustrated feelings.

"A pretty how d'ye do up to Miss Mather's. Her brother Jim has joined the cowardly, scoundrel, low-lived, contemptible rebels, and as comin' on to take Washington! The scallwag! If things go on at this rate, I'll fine the army myself, and tar and feather every one on 'em! Needsn't tell me!"

Annie was no lover of gossip, and, knowing that the widow was terribly excited, she made no reply except to pass her a letter bearing the Washington postmark. This had the desired effect, and, utterly oblivious of Jimmie, the widow tore open Isaac's letter, in which he spoke of Captain Carleton as being very kind to him, and very popular with the soldiers.

"I would fight for him till the very last," Isaac wrote: "he has been so good to me, always noticing me with a bow when he comes into our regiment, as he sometimes does, and when he can, speaking to me a pleasant word. He knows I saved his sister's wood, for I told him so. It seemed so mean-like to be passing myself off for better than I am, and you know a soldier's dress does improve a chap mightily, giving him kind of a dandy air. Why, even Harry Baker and Bill look like gentlemen, though Harry does drink awfully, and has been in the guardhouse twice. But, as I was saying, Captain Carleton didn't appear to think a bit less of me, though he struck me on the shoulder, and laughed kind of queer when I said why I told him I saved Mrs. Mather's wood, and the next day I saw him talkin' with our Colonel, and heard something about sergeant, and Isaac Simms, and too young to be expedient. Then, when I met him again, he asked me—"

"in such a way that I knew he wanted me to tell him yes; but, neither, I thought of that prayer we said together, the morning I came away. I couldn't tell a lie, though the answer stuck in my throat and choked me so, but I out with it at last. I said, 'No sir, I was only eighteen last Thanksgiving,' and then his face had the same look it wore when I told him I was a wood-sawyer. 'And so I suppose you'll be nineteen next Thanksgiving,' he said, adding, 'You don't know what you lost by telling the truth so frankly, but the moral gain is much greater than the loss. You are a brave boy, Isaac Simms, and worthy of being a second George Washington. I do like him so much! Can't you send him something, mother? If it's nothing more than the nice cough-candy you used to make, or some of that poke-o'-blunt? I notice he coughs occasionally, and I heard him say his feet were sore. I'd like to give him something, just to see his hand—some white-teeth when he laughed, and said 'Thank you, my boy.' Oh, I would almost die for Captain Carleton."

Surely, after reading this the widow could feel no more animosity against the Carletons, on account of Jimmie's sin.

"Every family must have a black sheep," she said to Annie, though where hers was she could not tell. It was not John, nor Eli, nor Isaac, she guessed it must have been the girl-baby that died before 'twas born, and for whom she shed so many tears. She shouldn't do it again, she'd bet for, if it had lived, it would most likely have cut up some rusty or other, just as Jim Carleton had, married Bill Baker, like the widow took up Isaac's letter for a second time, resolving in her own mind that she would send that Captain Carleton something, if she sat up nights to make it.

"I'm glad my boy didn't tell a lie," she whispered, softly to herself, as she came again to that part of the letter, poor, weak, human nature creeping in with the same thought, and suggesting how grand it would be to have him "Sergeant Simms, with the increased wages per month it would have brought." This was the old Adam.

CHAPTER VI.

The next morning the Mather carriage, containing both Mrs. Carleton and Rose, drove down the Hollow and stopped in front of Annie's gate. Mrs. Carleton's business was with Widow Simms, who was mixing bread in the kitchen, and who experienced considerable trepidation when told "the grand Boston lady" had asked for her.

"I'm pesky glad I ain't tattled about Jim," she thought, as, washing the flour from her hands and hooking her sleeves at the wrist, she entered the sitting-room, and, with a low courtesy, waited to hear the lady's errand.

Mrs. Carleton had come with a request that the widow should not repeat what Rose had so heedlessly told her the previous night.

"You may think it strange that I care so much," Mrs. Carleton said, "and until you are placed in similar circumstances you cannot understand how I shrink from having it known that my son could fall so low, or do so great injustice to his early training."

If the widow had possessed one particle of prejudice against the Carletons, this would have disarmed her entirely, but she did not. Isaac's letter had swept that all away, and she replied that "Jimmie's secret was as safe with her as if locked up in an iron chest."

"I did feel blazin' mad at you, though, for a spell," she said. "For I thought you might have brung him up better; but this cured me entirely," and she handed Isaac's letter to Rose, bidding her read it aloud.

"Noble boy. You must be proud of him," Mrs. Carleton's comment, while Rose, ever impulsive, seized upon a new idea.

It would be so nice for the Rockland Ladies to fit up a box of things and send to Company R, reserving a corner for Tom and Willie. She should do it, any way, on her own responsibility, if no body chose to help her, and she whispered to Annie that George should have a large share of the delicacies she would provide.

"You may send that candy to Tom, if you choose," she said to the widow, "though I think and liver oil would be better. And the ointment, too—only it mustn't sit near my preserves, for fear the two will get mixed."

Rose had found something to do, and so absorbed was she in a plan which everyone approved, that she forgot to cry all the time for Willie, as she had fully intended doing. Up the streets and down she went, sometimes walking, sometimes riding, but always in a hurry, always excited, now tumbling over dry-goods boxes in the street, or large enough to hold the many articles requiring in Rockland for the then ill-fated, suffering soldiers of the 13th Regiment, now up to the express office, bargaining about the expense, which she meant to bear herself, and now down to the hotel, admiringly smoothing over the

beckerings frequently arising among the ladies assembled there, concerning the articles sent in, some declaring the fried apple pies brought by Mrs. Baker should not go, nor yet the round balls of Dutch cheese she had saved sour milk two weeks to make, just because "Billy" relished it so much, "long with apple turnovers."

Poor old Mrs. Baker! It was the best she could do, and when Rose saw how the tears came at the prospect of Billy's losing the feast she had prepared with so much care, she decided the cheese should go if she had to send it in a separate box.

It was just so with the widow's poke-o'-blunt, some of the ladies wondering what next would be brought in and what it could be for. Rose knew exactly what 'twas for; Tom had corns, and the despised salve was for him, so that should go, if nothing else. But when Susan Ruggles Simms, her thoughts intent on John, brought in a round of roasted veal, which her mother-in-law said would be in a most lively condition by the time that it reached Washington, Rose, after suggesting that it be packed in ice and put in a refrigerator, yielded for once, and permitted the girl-wife to carry home her veal, which would most surely be spoiled ere John came to see it.

"You can write him a nice long letter," she said, when she saw how disappointed Susan looked. "You can tell him your intentions were good until we old experienced married ladies persuaded you out of them."

So Susan, with a sigh, carried back her rice stuffed roast, the widow muttering in an aside tone, "That's all them shiftless Ruggleses know! Might as well send mazzies and done with it!" To be Continued.

Gadabout—I witnessed a performance of "Hamlet" by village amateurs out at Slocum-in-the-Mud the other night.

Nearly—That must have been disastrous.

Gadabout—On the contrary, it was highly amusing. Not one of the actors forgot to say "exit" every time he left the stage.

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Geo. Stephens & Co. have reduced the price of their Binder Twine one cent per pound on all grades that they sell. This applies on all orders taken this season from the farmers up to date. So if you have taken your twine home ask for your rebate. If you have not taken your twine yet then do so at once and get your reduction.

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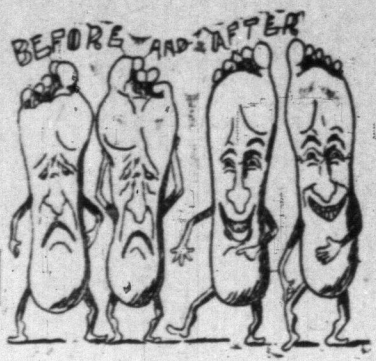
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From 7 o'clock Saturday morning till 11.30 in the evening. Special sale at McConnell's.

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Good Ginger Snaps, 5c. per lb.
Strawberry Crisps, 3 lbs. for 25c.
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Pickles, 10c. per bottle.
Baking Powder, 1-lb. cans, 12c. each.
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Try our Blend Tea, it is great value at 25c. per lb.

We have a large quantity of Crockery, China and Glassware. If you want an agreeable surprise, just ask the price we are selling these goods at during the day. You will never regret the money you left with us.

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BUILDING FOR SALE.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to June 25th for the purchase of a double house south of Sea Office. Purchaser to remove building. Good chance for person having lot suitable for building. Terms easy.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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BAPTIST CONVENTION.

The Western Association Meets at Wheatley—Officers Elect.

The annual session of the Western association of Baptist churches was held at Wheatley during the past week and proved very instructive and interesting. The convention was largely attended and the proceedings were of a very bright and inspiring character. The papers and addresses delivered during the sessions were of an apt and appropriate nature and were followed by excellent discussions.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:
Moderator—Rev. C. N. Dewey, Wheatley.
Clerk—A. McNeen, Windsor.
Treasurer—Alexander Minto, Windsor.
Program committee—Bro. H. Macaulay, Rev. G. B. Brown, Rev. W. W. Brown and Rev. Mr. Buckborough.

Resolutions—Rev. T. Shields, Bro. Houston, Bro. Fanjoy.
Sermon—Rev. W. H. Stevens, Kingsville, alternate Rev. Mr. Yorton.
Home mission board—Rev. Wm. Posner, W. H. Stevens, C. N. Dewey and Deacons Macaulay and McNeen.
Secretary Manitoba and N. W.—Rev. J. H. Best.

Foreign missions—Rev. J. J. Ross.
Grand League—Bro. E. W. Brown.
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AT THE ACADEMY

Of the Pines Commencement Exercises Will be Held

To-morrow Afternoon, Tuesday, June 19th, at 4 p. m.—A Very Fine Program.

The following is the program of the Commencement exercises at the Ursuline Academy, which will be held to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock:

PART I.

Opening Chorus—Choral Class.

Inst. Duo, Belisario A. Goria—1st piano, Misses Marentette and McEvoy; 2nd piano, Misses Sullivan and Edmondson.

Song, Selected—Junior Choral Class, Misses Cradock, Post, L'Esperanza, St. Amour, Cartier, J. & M. O'Brien, O'Rourke, Blodde, F. Martin, Kinsella, C. McGregor and Blanche Taylor.

Solos—Misses David, Morrison, Crotty and Collins. Acc., St. Angela's Mandolin Club.

Inst. Solo—Grand Revolutionary Etude—Choppin.

Mazurka—Chortwanka.

Crowning of Graduates, Conferring of Medals and Diplomas by Rt. Rev. Fergus P. McEvoy, D. D., Bishop of London.

Valedictorian—Miss McEvoy. Ethics of Education.

Essay, Ethique du Devoir—Miss Aubin.

Essay, Ethics of Music—Miss Marentette.

PART II.

Inst. Quartette, Papa's Waltz, Arr. by S. M. E.—Misses Crotty, D. Deziel, R. Martin and O. Mathers.

Cantata.

"The Graduates' Farewell"—Class of 1900.

Fides—Misses Sullivan, Case, E. Deziel, Steichen, Dunlop and Goggin.

Spas—Misses David, Morrison, McVean, Faubert, A. Finn and Horan.

Carites—Misses Dertinger, Elliott, O'Leary and O'Gorman.

Inst. duet—Galop—Misses L. De-Morville, McEvoy, Faucher and J. Gordon.

Vocal solo—Selected, Miss Faucher.

Harp accompaniment, Miss McEvoy.

Inst. duet—Galop—Misses L. De-Morville, McEvoy, Faucher and J. Gordon.

Closing chorus, Choral Class.

LIST OF SUPERIOR PRIZES.

Gold medal for Christian doctrine—Presented by Rev. Fergus P. McEvoy, D. D., Bishop of London, awarded to Miss Frances O'Gorman, Competitors, Misses Steichen, Somers, Finn.

Silver medal for Christian doctrine, senior department—Presented by Very Rev. F. Solanus, O. F. M., awarded to Miss Jessie McVean. Competitors, Misses J. Morrison, N. Paddock, Chevalier.

Gold medal for progress in instrumental music—Presented by Rev. A. McKean, P. P., Strathroy, awarded to Miss Mary Sullivan, Competitors, Misses Deziel and Faucher.

Silver medal for progress in instrumental music, junior grade—Presented by Rev. A. McKean, P. P., Strathroy, awarded to Miss K. Taylor, Competitors, Misses Steichen, Somers, Torrini and Goggin.

Gold medal for mathematics—Presented by Rev. P. McCabe, P. P., of Seaford, awarded to Miss K. Taylor, Competitors, Misses Taylor, Steichen.

Gold medal for order and needlework—Presented by Rev. Father Parent, P. P., St. Peter's, awarded to Miss Martha Case, Competitors, Miss M. Angus and Miss A. Faubert.

Gold medal for progress in French—Presented by Mr. Y. Aubin, McGregor, awarded to Miss E. Deziel.

Gold Cross of Fidelity to St. Cecilia's Choir—Presented by Miss Mary Crotty, Strathroy, awarded to Miss Nellie Faucher, Competitors, Misses Sullivan and Agnes Goggin.

Closing chorus.

WATCHING FOR BURGLARS.

Saturday evening the managers of the Standard and Commerce Banks received despatches from their head offices, asking them to take special precautions in guarding the banks. The information of course was acted upon. The cause of the despatches was in connection with the Pinkerton Detective Agency of Chicago. The Pinkertons have been tracing a gang of bank burglars who are heading east and believed to be coming to Canada. There is another rumor abroad that the bank burglars who escaped from Sherbrooke jail are now in this vicinity.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

By W. J. Strong's Private Wire.	Opn.	High	Low	Close.
Wheat—July...	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Aug...	76 1/2	77 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
Corn—July....	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
Aug....	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
Oats—July....	22 1/2	23 1/2	22 1/2	23 1/2
Aug....	22 1/2	23 1/2	22 1/2	23 1/2
Pork—July...	11 00	11 05	11 00	11 05
Sept...	11 75	11 80	11 75	11 80
Lard—July...	6 70	6 72	6 67	6 67
Sept...	6 82	6 82	6 80	6 80
Ribs July...	6 75	6 77	6 72	6 72
Sept...	6 80	6 85	6 80	6 80

CANOE FOR SALE.

For sale, or exchange for row boat, canoe, in first class condition; 18 feet long, three feet wide, five foot air-tight compartment in bow, 4-1/2 feet stern; will float two men when full of water; fitted for two sails, price \$20.00.
C. W. WATSON,
Ridgeway, Ont.

Lodges, churches and other bodies contemplating excursions or summer entertainments will do well to get their printing done at The Planet office, thus securing a local notice gratis in the reading columns of the paper. Finest of work, and lowest prices guaranteed.

The 7th Annual Lawn Social of St. Joseph's Church, will be held on the church grounds on Thursday afternoon and evening, June 21st, 1900.

It's a Good Thing For You to Remember

And it's pretty well known when it comes to buying shoes of every description, people can do better here than anywhere else.

We ask you to compare our values with the closest prices you have been offered

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED.

FENTON.—At the Public General Hospital, at 5 a. m., Sunday, June 17, William, son of the late Thomas Fenton, aged 44 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, Tuesday, at 1.30 p. m., from the residence of G. J. Taylor, corner of Joseph and Selkirk streets, to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Friday, the 29th inst., has been set as the date of the annual picnic of McKenough school.

The property committee have awarded the contract for the firemen's suits to The T. H. Taylor Co.

One cyclist, who appreciated the good sidewalks sufficiently well to ride thereon, was assessed \$2 this morning.

The first band concert of the year will be given at Rond Eau on July 3. The company are putting up a new dancing pavilion, which it is expected will be done by that time.

The assault case of Jos. Kime, Sr., vs. David Merriam was further adjourned till Wednesday at this morning's police court. O. L. Lewis represented the defendant.

Some young miscreants took the horse of Geo. Wilson from Chast Church last night and proceeded to drive around the city. They will be asked to explain their excursion to the police.

Negligee Shirts in selections and varieties that simply cannot be beat. Every one new. We are being compelled continually on our assortment of them. 50c. to \$1.50. The 2 T's.

Next Sunday will be children's day in the William St. Baptist Church. A good rally of the children, parents and friends is expected at the 11 a. m. and the 3 p. m. services.

No. 1 drain in Tilbury East, which crosses the Middle road just east of Smith Bros' mill at Stewart, is one of the oldest drains in the county. About 1870 the drainage act was passed, and this was the first drain put down under that act.

Thursday next is the last day for entering cases for trial for the non-jury sittings of the H. C. J., which opens on Monday, the 25th inst., before Mr. Justice Meredith. Nine cases have already been set down for trial, which is the largest docket for a non-jury court scheduled for many years.

Rev. Mr. McCrossan preached yesterday morning in the William St. Baptist Church, and in the evening Rev. Mr. Buckborough, of Louisville, occupied the pulpit. Mr. Ross preached the anniversary services in the Baptist churches at Louisville and Bethlehem.

Court Pride of Dover, A. O. F., attended divine services in their hall, Bear Line, yesterday. Delegations from Court Hope and Juveniles, of this city, Court Northwood, of Northwood, and other courts, also the Canadian Order of Foresters, of Mitchell's Bay. The orders were led by Mitchell's Bay band, and marshalled by Brother A. Brown, from the church to the hall, where Rev. Mr. McClintock preached a good sermon from Heb. 6, 10-17. After services the band gave a few choice selections, ending with God Save the Queen.

STILL SIGNATURES COME.

This morning the signatures of Mrs. Lucy Ryan and the Ryan estate, Dr. Charles Mears, Taylor & Williamson, Joseph Oldershaw and J. L. Oldershaw were attached to the petition for the new King street pavement. About three more names yet are required, and the four banks have still to be heard from.

WANTS MORE UNIFORMS.

"I would suggest," said ex-Ald. Warren Lambert, "that the council dress the city scavengers in uniform. The citizens would know who they were hiring and there would be no mix-ups. The city dresses the firemen and policemen and I don't see why she shouldn't dress the city scavengers. I would also like to give the celebration committee a pointer and that is that they get the government to appoint a regiment of honorary colonels selected from the city and the County of Kent. Then the committee could utilize the colonels instead of bringing in regiments of soldiers."

Buying and Selling Underwear

Has it occurred to you that you gain large advantages through our long years of buying and selling before we brought all our accumulated experience here to Chatham.

In nothing incident to our business as makers of clothing is that kind of experience more needed than in the buying and selling of underwear and we use every ounce of it in the buying and pass it along to you in the selling, saving you money and doubts and furnishing you comfort and satisfaction.

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Men's Double-thread Balbriggan Underwear, French neck and ribbed bands, sizes 34 to 42, extra value, per garment—	37 1-2c.	Men's Fine Fancy Striped Silkine Underwear, very cool and comfortable, extra fine facings, all sizes, special per garment—	75c.
Men's Extra Quality Balbriggan Underwear, fine saten facings, French neck, ribbed bands, sizes 34 to 46, per garment, special—	50c.	Men's Natural Wool Underwear, very light weight, saten facings, sizes 36 to 42, special value, per garment—	75c.
Men's Merino Underwear, in plain and fancy colors, extra well finished, shirts and drawers, all sizes—	50c.	Men's Extra Fine Natural Wool Underwear, special quality, very best facings and finish, special per garment—	\$1.00
		Boys' Balbriggan Underwear, from 4 to 16 years, sizes from 25 to 37 1-2, per garment, according to size.	

Lots of underwear is clumsily made; a great deal badly designed, sometimes the entire output of a careless maker doesn't contain a valuable or worthy garment. It is only by handling the product of the oldest and best makers that we avoid the bad features of most underwear stocks.

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The season's newest Millinery goods. A stock as big and varied as ours affords customers all kinds of chance to see a good hat or bonnet and but a trifle to pay for them. Bargains all over the store on Saturday.

Trimmed Hats from.....	\$1.00
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See our Sailors for.....	40c
(With more than double the money)	

C. A. COOKSLEY, Opp. Market

The Lake Erie's big engine brought a freight in from Walkerville to-day.

The A. M. E. and First Baptist churches will run an excursion to Paradise Grove, Kingsville, via the Lake Erie.

The Annual Lawn Social of St. Joseph's Church will be held on the Church Grounds on Thursday, June 21st, from 4 to 10 p. m. Admission to grounds and supper only 15c. Band in attendance.

John Bannister, Caleb Montgomery and Peter Lee, alias Thom, Smith, were charged at this morning's police court with causing a nuisance by leaving a load of garbage on Pine street. The case was enlarged for a week. C. J. O'Neill represented the defence. Ex-Mayor Carpenter says that half a dozen others and himself were counting on people that they personally knew had left Chatham owing to scarcity of work since the list numbered 253. Mr. Carpenter says he knows also of 11 more who will leave in a few days. The only way to keep these people in Chatham says Mr. Carpenter is to give them employment.

The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green Houses is sufficient proof of the excellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Telephone 161.

A new department in high class optics is now open for public inspection, no charge for testing the eyes, spectacles and all other optical appliances. A certificate of the Detroit Optical College, a privilege to call and see this department and if you or your friends need anything in opticianry you will be convinced that you can properly fitted here.

SIGN OF THE BIG CLOCK

A. A. JORDAN

PREACHED VACANT.

Rev. Mr. McGregor, of Walkerville, occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church on both occasions yesterday, and, as representative of the Presbytery, made the formal announcement of the vacancy of the pulpit. The reverend gentleman preached two able and earnest discourses. In the evening he took as his subject Paul Before Agrippa and his address was largely to young men.

St. Andrew's S. S. excursion to Belle Isle, Tuesday, 19th inst, via City of Chatham. Bring the children for an outing in June, while Belle Isle is at its best and before the weather is too hot. Refreshments on board. Bicycles carried free.