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Dress Goods Selling.

One of the busiest sections in this store just now is the dress goods counter. Here you will see the most comprehensive showing of new stylish goods ever attempted by us. Tweeds predominate, but there is for quieter tastes every wanted color in plain cloths at all prices.

56 in wide Mohair Zebiline, correct weight for the new tailor suits and skirts, in navy, green and Oxford, 5 1/2 yds makes the suit, very special at 50c.

42 in wide fancy flaked Zebiline cloth suiting, heavy weight for fall and winter wear, in shades of navy, green, brown and Oxford grey, has all the appearance of 1.00 value, very special at a yd 50c.

44 ins wide English tweed suiting, very stylish and serviceable for suits and skirts, in color effects of brown, green and grey, special at 75c.

44 in wide French tweed suiting, in dark mixed color effects, very rich in appearance and stylish, special value at a yd 85c.

56 in wide Boucle and plain tweed suitings, in every new and desirable shades of tan, brown, green and navy, extra value at \$1.75 and \$1.50.

Toweling

For whatever purpose you want toweling we have them here to suit here and in immense variety. Here are some specials which it will pay you to see when you make your next toweling purchase.

14 ins wide all linen rolling crash, very special at a yard 5c.

19 ins wide, extra heavy oatmeal rolling, extra durable and easy to wash, pure linen, special value at a yd 12 1/2c.

20 ins wide, linen glass toweling, in red and blue checks, extra value at 10c.

18 in wide, Hygerian crash toweling, all linen, special value at 8c.

Kid Gloves

Our new autumn showing has just arrived in underwear and Dressed Kid Gloves, one dome, two dome and three dome fasteners, all colors and black and white, lined and unlined.

Every pair of kid gloves that leaves this store is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. You could not ask for more. Special values at per pair \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Furs

We have been selling furs to the people in Chatham and Kent County for over 50 years, and every year our fur business has been increasing until it has reached its present eminence of being one of the largest in Western Ontario.

When you buy your furs here you are safe. We stand behind every piece of fur we sell and guarantee it to be exactly as represented.

Sable Ruffs, 40 ins long, made from first choice selected sable, trimmed with eight tails, very round and full, extra value at \$12.00.

Stone Martin and Mink Stoles, wide, flat and long, reaching almost to the ground, very stylish, handsomely lined and trimmed, special value at \$38.50.

Girl's genuine fine grey lamb, storm collar and capeline, in very neat, appropriate styles, very special values at 4.50, 6.50 and 10.00.

THOS. STONE & SON.



The Ark.

We are strictly in the stove business with the

Pandora Range

as the leader in all kitchen range. The newest, the easiest operated, the most economical and handsomest on the market. Step in and see it.

THE "FAMOUS" BASE BURNER is the leading parlor stove on the market. Took the gold medal at the World's and other fairs. Made in three sizes. All double heaters.

For everything in housefurnishings you will save money by buying at "THE ARK."

All sizes of Flower Pots just received.

H. MACAULAY,

Phone 159, 89 King St.

Come in and see our stock of . . .

Oil Heaters, Air Tight Heaters.....

Very nice for cool weather, and all prices. We have an immense stock.

WESTMAN BROS...

ORDER ESTABLISHED.

TROOPS FROM TORONTO ARRIVE AT SAULT STE. MARIE.

Legal Battle for Possession of the Plant Opens—The Sale Postponed—Algo Central Men Abandoned by Engineer About Twenty-four Miles Out—Alleged Ringleaders Arrested—Demand for Labor.

New York, Sept. 30.—P. F. Rothermel and S. M. Clement, jun., of Philadelphia, and John R. Dospassos of New York, representing the committee of Philadelphia stockholders in the Consolidated Lake Superior Company, had a conference with Messrs. Guthrie & Henderson, counsel for Speyer & Co., and arranged to have the sale of the property, postponed to October 8th. On Tuesday, the town is unusually quiet, although the feeling of uneasiness which exists among the citizens is intensified by reports that between five and six hundred men from the camps along the line of the Algoma Central are marching on the Soo, and threaten to make trouble when they reach here. The number of men is probably exaggerated, but a large body is moving this way. On their arrival here, however, they will be faced by troops from the 97th King's Rangers and from Stanley Barracks at Toronto. From the latter place a force of fifty infantry and mounted men arrived last night, under command of Colonel Buchanan, and the latter will be in charge of the military arrangements. The presence of these troops should be a sufficient guarantee against any further violence.

The first step in the legal struggle that is to take place for the possession of the great works of the Consolidated Lake Superior was made yesterday, when Mr. Bicknell of Toronto, acting for the Central Trust Co. and Speyer & Co., moved before Judge Fred W. Johnston, senior judge of the district of Algoma, for an order to compel the officials of the company to give up possession of the property. The judge made an order giving the officials five days in which to appear and reply to the motion. The papers in the case were handed to Sheriff W. H. Carney, to serve on Mr. A. H. Chitty, Treasurer of the subsidiary companies. The hearing of the motion will take place before Judge Johnston at 10 a.m. on Saturday morning. Mr. Bicknell has been steadily refused possession of the works, and is now taking the necessary legal measures to secure possession. Mr. D. F. Fackenthal of East Pennsylvania, who was appointed receiver of the subsidiary companies on the Canadian side, has also been appointed receiver of the Michigan Lake Superior Power Company, under an order of Judge Mante of Grand Rapids, Mich. Mr. Bicknell is representing Mr. Fackenthal in the meantime, but the presence of the latter will not be required until the outcome of the legal proceedings on Saturday.

Two companies in Sault Ste. Marie of the 97th King's Rangers are now on duty, and nine men and forty rifles were sent from Thessalon, and these, with the additional forces from Toronto, are guarding the town. The works of the Consolidated company are closely picketed, soldiers guard the jail, where seven prisoners charged with rioting are confined, and the broad verandahs of the International Hotel, one of the Clergue properties, are paced by soldiers. No one is permitted through the lines without a military pass. There was a bad scare at the International Hotel. One of the workmen called early in the evening at the International and informed the manager, Mr. Charles L. Skinner, that the rioters proposed to blow up the hotel with dynamite during the night. There was a hasty exodus of guests, who sought rest and safety in some of the other hotels in the Soo, but a number of the guests are back now. A man, whose name the authorities refused to give, has been arrested on suspicion of being the man who threatened to blow up the hotel, and he is held awaiting identification.

This afternoon an advance guard of men from the line of the Algoma Central walked into the Soo and told lurid stories of what was going to happen when the main body of the men who are marching in arrived. It appears that the company yesterday sent out a coach and four cars to bring these men in. When they reached Wilde Station, about twenty-four miles out on the line, they stopped for a luncheon, which is said to have consisted of bread and tomato catsup. While engaged on this the engineer cut loose from the train and ran his engine into the Soo. The company did not desire to have this crowd added to the rioters at the Soo till there was sufficient police protection, and this was the method taken to get over the difficulty. The men this morning sent a message in to Mr. William Coyne, Manager of the works, stating that if an engine was not sent out at once they would wreck the train and walk into the Soo. They are supposed to be on their way here, but had not arrived up to midnight. It is very improbable, however, that there are six hundred of them—probably a couple of hundred would be nearer the mark. About 75 men came in on foot this afternoon and to-night.

The arrest of the man who is supposed to have been the chief instigator in the riots yesterday was effected this morning. He is Andrew Dean, fireman at the sawmill, who came here from Dundalk. It was reported this morning that Dean was attempting to incite a crowd of the dissatisfied workmen to attack the jail and rescue the prisoners there, and he was immediately arrested by a file of soldiers and lodged in the jail, where the guards were strengthened. No attempt at rescue was made, however. Dean was brought before Police Magistrate Quibbell and remanded till October 5th. Besides the charge of inciting to riot and disorder, Dean is also charged with having during the attack on the buildings yesterday shot at Richard Pringle, one of the firemen.

Beault, one of the men shot by the police yesterday, is in a rather serious condition, the bullet having lodged in his neck. He has also a charge of inciting to riot to face when he recovers.

A meeting of the Citizens' Committee will be held to-morrow to consider how long the town will supply food to these workmen. Every man coming in, and more, too, could be immediately given work if they would take it, but they do not want to leave the Soo without their money, and no doubt the stories in circulation that Mr. Clergue is practically assured of the money to pay off all indebtedness are a factor in keeping them here. The Canadian Pacific Railway, MacKenzie & Mann, the Sturgeon Falls Pulp Company and the Canadian Copper Company are only some of the big firms who are represented here in the hope of securing workmen, and on to night's train Mr. B. A. Craig of the Canadian Corporation Co. arrived looking for between seventy-five and one hundred men. There is, then, no lack of work for those who want to take it.

PELLETIER SPEAKS.

Loyalty and Tolerance the Key-notes of an Eloquent Address to Quebec Electors.

Montreal, Sept. 28.—At La Prairie yesterday, Hon. L. P. Pelletier denounced in unmeasured terms the anti-British campaign of Mr. Henri Bourassa and his fellows, before an audience of nearly three thousand persons, drawn from different points of La Prairie and Napierville and from the city of Montreal.

In a stirring burst of eloquence, the former Attorney-General of Quebec arraigned those responsible for race appeals and for endeavoring to raise hard feelings between the different races in this country. "As a French-Canadian," he said, "I protest against the attempt being made to rouse French-Canadian sentiment against England. I am a French-Canadian, and I am proud of it. I am proud of the old country from which my father and yours came. I am proud of my French blood. I love my French-Canadian heritage and my nationality. But do not let French-Canadians hearken to those who would rouse among them a sentiment of hostility to the country which has every right to our love and affection for the way we have been treated in this Canada of ours. We speak our own language, we worship at our own altars, in our own temples, with the greatest freedom on earth, beneath the protecting folds of the British flag. Certain people, and men with eloquent voices, too, speak sneeringly to us of 'Our England.'"

"For my part, I am ready to accept the term. Yes, she is 'Our England,' and we are proud of her splendid record. We are proud of the free institutions and the just and equitable law which she has given us. When the unworthy Government that to-day misrules our former mother country expelled the communities; when they put on the street saintly women who had consecrated their lives to God, where did these persecuted communities take refuge? Where did the men who had consecrated their lives to the education of youth and the service of God take refuge when they were not allowed liberty of conscience in the land of their birth? They found a refuge and a haven of protection beneath the broad folds of the grand old flag which protects our own rights and our liberties.—Tremendous cheers.

OUR FREE INSTITUTIONS. "I deny to the demagogues of yesterday and the demagogues of to-morrow, whether they come as the emissaries of Sir Wilfrid Laurier or otherwise, the right to attempt to arouse race against race and creed against creed in this happy land, where English, Irish, Scotch and French live together, worshipping each at his own altar and working all together for the upbuilding of our grand new country, under the freest institutions the world has ever seen.—Renewed cheering.

"I tell you, gentlemen, that the men who do such work must fail. The more the different races learn of each other the better will they agree together. I here and now tell Mr. Henri Bourassa, and others of his fellows who follow in his footsteps, that they will meet their own punishment in the reprobation of their own French-Canadian fellow-citizens for their attempt to light the fierce fires of race hatred for base political purposes."

This outburst was received by the immense throng with every sign of approval; in fact, as he continued on that line, Mr. Pelletier was given an ovation, which lasted for several minutes after he ceased speaking.

A PLAIN WARNING.

THE TIMES' ANSWER TO THREATS OF U.S. PAPERS.

Britain Has Two Weapons of Deadly Power With Which to Meet Rivals.

London, Sept. 30.—Discussing the fiscal question, and the threats from New York and elsewhere of foreign tonnage dues on British ships by way of reprisals against a preference to the colonies, The Times, which of late has shown itself to be in Mr. Chamberlain's confidence, utters most significant warnings, and says:—"In the struggle of reprisals Great Britain has two weapons of deadly power, namely, the possibility of roping off the empire's shipping trade for the empire's ships, and the destruction by dues of foreign tonnage at empire ports. With these weapons in hand, Great Britain could negotiate most effectively with any foreign States not bent on a desperate and ruinous course. "Of course," adds The Times, "such a policy would demand unflinching courage from British statesmen, and cordial, continuous support from the colonies."

THE ENDEAVORERS.

Annual Gathering of the Ontario Union at Stratford.

Stratford, Sept. 30.—The fifteenth annual convention of the Ontario Christian Endeavor Union commenced here, with a large attendance of delegates from all parts of the Province. It is expected that by to-morrow there will be 500 enthusiastic Endeavorers present. The convention will continue until Thursday night. One of the most important features of the meeting will be the presence of Rev. Dr. F. F. Clark of Boston, President of the United Society, and the originator of the Christian Endeavor movement. The meeting commenced this afternoon by a preparation service in the City Hall, where the majority of the sessions will be held. Rev. G. A. MacKenzie of Stratford Congregational Church led in praise and prayer, after which the President, Dr. V. H. Lyon of Ottawa, made an address of welcome, and declared the convention open. Rev. A. Egler, Toronto, also addressed a few words of exhortation and advice to the meeting, and an adjournment was made until the evening session, at which Dr. V. H. Lyon of Ottawa, President of the association, presided.

LORD MAYOR OF LONDON.

Alderman Sir James Thomson Ritchie Elected To-day.

London, Sept. 30.—At a meeting of the Aldermen in the Guildhall, Alderman Sir James Thomson Ritchie, brother of the late Chancellor of the Exchequer, was elected Lord Mayor of London for the ensuing year, in succession to Sir Marcus Samuel.

CANADIAN IMPUDENCE.

A Writer to The Liverpool Post Expresses Strange Opinions.

London, Sept. 30.—A letter in The Liverpool Daily Post says: "The only result of the publication of Mr. A. W. Black's correspondence with Mr. Chamberlain is to make more prominent the impudent attitude of the Canadians towards their best friends, their best customers and their most generous, because free, defenders."

LYNCHERS NEED NOT FEAR.

No Charge Against Men Who Burned Negro at Stake.

Wilmington, Del., Sept. 30.—The Grand Jury to-day announced it had decided to ignore the bill against those charged with being concerned with the burning at the stake of Geo. White, the negro who assaulted and murdered Miss Helen Bishop.

White was taken from jail and burned in the public square of Wilmington, after being subjected to brutal treatment. A minister who preached an impassioned sermon relative to the charge against White afterwards condoned the action of the mob from his pulpit, on the ground that the demand for an immediate trial of White should have been assented to.

CANNOT BROWBEAT HIM.

Roosevelt Will Not Dismiss a Non-union Foreman Printer.

Washington, Sept. 30.—President Roosevelt to-night informed the labor leaders that his decision not to dismiss Foreman Miller of the Printing Department because he was a non-union man was final, and that the question of his personal fitness must be settled in the regular routine of administration.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

British consuls touched \$7, the lowest point reached since 1896.

General Sir Ian Hamilton was warmly greeted by South Africa veterans at Montreal and Ottawa.

THE SOO TROUBLE

Toronto, Sept. 30.—A deputation, consisting of Mr. John A. McKay of Sault Ste. Marie, Mr. Hugh Blain, Mr. F. J. Dunbar, and Mr. Gunn of Messrs. Gunn, Limited, representing creditors at the Soo, appeared before the Premier yesterday to secure some guarantee that Messrs. Speyer & Co. should not be allowed to secure such control of the assets of the Consolidated Lake Superior Co. as to render worthless the claims of the general creditors. It was stated that the creditors had been advised that in addition to all the stocks of the subsidiary companies of the Consolidated, Messrs. Speyer & Co. were alleged to hold \$15,000,000 of the bonds of these subsidiary companies. The general creditors expressed the fear that these securities would be sold on Thursday for \$5,000,000, and that the purchaser would demand payment of the full amount of \$15,000,000.

The Premier, after hearing the deputation, handed out the following statement:—

"The Government are most desirous that wage earners and general creditors, including those of subsidiary companies, shall be protected, and reserve the right to use any powers the Government possess by way of forfeiture or otherwise, the exercise of which may revert to the creditors' advantage."

This statement appeared to be eminently satisfactory to the members of the deputation.

THE ALLEGED LIBEL

His Honor Judge Bell this morning gave judgment on the motion for security for costs in the action of Harry C. Philp vs. The Planet for alleged libel. He held that, in view of the interpretation of the Chief Justice in the case of Smyth vs. Stephenson, any wording that "might" be interpreted to involve a criminal charge enabled the plaintiff to escape the giving of security. Such an interpretation of The Planet's report which the plaintiff complained of, would not be his judgment nor necessarily that of the jury—but, taking the meaning of the broad interpretation of the court in the case quoted, he held that the plaintiff could escape the giving of the security for costs. Costs of motion to be costs to the plaintiff in the cause in any event.

O. L. Lewis, counsel for The Planet, has given notice of appeal.

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DOROTHY DODDS ARE HERE

Are here in all their brightness.

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

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

Prices { \$3.75. \$4.00

Peace & Co.

SOLE AGENTS

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CHOCOLATES

We have just opened a fresh consignment of these delicious chocolates.

Burnt Almonds, Chocolate Ginger Chocolate Caramels, Fruit Chocolates, Mint Chocolates, Cream Chocolates, Peanut Crisp, Cocomat Crisp.

McGregor's Butter Scotch, all fresh, Every Price, Per-foot in Packages, 5c. to 50 Cents

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OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,
SPECIALIST IN CHRONIC
DISEASES;
Examination Free. Office, Sixth street
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a.m., 1 to 5 p.m., 7 to 8 p.m.

DR. OVENS
OF LONDON
Surgeon, Oculist and Specialist Eye,
Ear, Nose and Throat
Will be at Chatham on SATUR-
DAY, Sept. 26, Oct. 24, Nov. 28,
Dec. 26. Glasses properly fitted.
Office at Radley's drug store

MUSICAL.

Miss Flossie Bogart,
Organist of Christ Church, pupil of Mr.
Julius V. Seyler, Detroit, will resume her
classes Monday, Sept. 27th. Pupils will
call and arrange lesson hours at
once. For terms, etc., apply at residence
56 Cross Street.

Miss Ada F. Ross
Contralto Soloist, St.
Andrew's Church.....
TEACHER OF SINGING,
Studio over O'Keefe & Co. Concert engage-
ments accepted.

EDNA M. MARTIN,
MEZZO-CONTRALTO,
Soloist First Presbyterian Church,
pupil of Madame Julie Wyman,
New York, and for past two years
pupil of A. B. Cheney, Boston, will
accept a limited number of pupils
in Voice Culture. Studio over Mc-
Call's Drug Store, King Street.
Residence, Lacroix St., Chatham.
Concert engagements accepted.

MISS EDDY THE HILL,
Leader and Soloist of Park St.
Methodist Church,
Gold Medalist, Ontario Ladies'
College, Honor Graduate Toron-
to Conservatory of Music, and
who studied singing for a year
and a half abroad, will begin her
term Monday, Sept. 14th, in her
new studio over Sheddick's.

THIS SPACE IS
RESERVED FOR
Union Made Cigars
Lord Lake, 10c.
Quail on Toast,
5c.
Sugar Beef, 5c
O'Brien Bros.,
MANUFACTURERS,
CHATHAM, - ONT

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GIBSON
STUDIO.
Cor. King and Fifth Sts
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EYE SIGHT IS PRICELESS.
Don't neglect any little trouble
with your eyes—it may be a
great big trouble before long.
Our examination by a skilled
Optician is both FREE and
FAIR—if there is nothing
wrong we'll tell you. All kinds
of Optical Goods on hand.

A. A. JORDAN
SIGN OF BIG CLOCK,
CHATHAM.

SOUTH AFRICA'S AUTOCRAT.

Lord Milner's Holle y Trip to Europe—
His Position Does Not Bear An-
alytical Contemplation.

In a few weeks Lord Milner starts
from Johannesburg on his holiday
trip to Europe. The people do not
know upon what date, and, strangely
enough, the people do not seem to
care.

Lord Milner's position is one which
does not seem to bear analytical
contemplation. It has become a hab-
it almost of the loyalists of other
days to shrink from any attempt at
analysis of Lord Milner's policy. The
men who a few years ago shouted
themselves hoarse in their praises of
the great Pro-Consul, the men whose
support it was that strengthened the
High Commissioner's hand in the
troubled times when it needed sup-
port most—these men, representing
the great political and financial
forces of South Africa, show a nat-
ural hesitation in bringing forward
either argument or influence against
the retention of His Excellency any
longer in the sphere in which he has
worked so much good for the Empire.

A Keen Opportunist.
That Lord Milner has accomplished
much; that he has shown himself in
the best sense a keen opportunist;
that he has displayed to a remark-
able degree the power to assimilate
immediately the conditions which to
former Ministers were merely vague
and shadowy; and to grasp at once
popular feeling—particularly when
that feeling was one of aggression to-
ward an ancient enemy—there can be
no question.

Now Lord Milner is regarded by a
section of the Colonists—and a sec-
tion largely composed of our Rule
Britannia-Underland-Colonists of pre-
war days—in very much the same
manner as Mr. Chamberlain is re-
garded by the ultra-Tory set at St.
Stephen's. They were with him—up
to a certain point. Up to that point
their interests coincided. They had
one cause and a common shibboleth
—if anything they shouted loudest.
But that point has been reached and
passed. Lord Milner's brilliant com-
pany of encouraging loyalists recover-
ing from their delirious recognition—
as they might have done before—
that their officers, the men who had
shouted loudest with them, who had
led the cheering, and who had told
them through recognized media what
they thought and how, thinking as
they did, they should act—these men
were men of money.

So a large section repudiated their
officers and stepped aside, confident
that the Governor would follow suit.
Lord Milner probably finds the same
difficulty confronting him as his sup-
porters of other days find. You can-
not repudiate the capitalists of to-
day who were the reformers of yester-
day any more than you can brand
as "autocratic" the qualities you
were once pleased to applaud as
"unswerving firmness." The malcon-
tents note the change of condition
and fail to appreciate the absence of
change in men and qualities—and of
their failure is born a grievance
which promises to make Lord Milner
a most unpopular Governor and in-
cidentally a cause belli in the threat-
ened revolt of the democracy against
the power of the omnipotent cap-
italist.

The fact that a great man's pre-
vious good works must go for noth-
ing; that the wearing labors which
rescued South Africa for the Empire
should be lost sight of in a bitter
controversy which has its origin in
the question of Asiatic immigration;
that popularity gained by firmness
in advocating "pro" should be ex-
tinguished by an equally firm advo-
cacy of "con," all this is very pitia-
ble—and very natural.

Public opinion is a "fickle beast-
ie," and such is Lord Milner's posi-
tion that I can see no way by which
he can regain the confidence of erst-
while supporters without forfeiting
the trust reposed in him by an influ-
ential minority—and unfortunately in
the country it is the moneyed minor-
ity that counts. If in the years to
come, when I am a dithering old
man, I am asked by my great-grand-
children who was the most honorable
public man I have ever met I shall, I
am sure, answer without hesitation,
"Lord Milner, some time High Com-
missioner of South Africa."

The Strong Man.
I do not think I have ever met a
man whose absolute integrity, whose
fine logical mind and noble principles
have appealed to me as do Lord Mil-
ner's. He is a strong man, rather
than a safe man, for in his strength
lies the weakness that renders him
less safe than sure. He is an auto-
crat. His best lovers must allow
that. He is amenable to argument,
but not in essentials. He is an
architect of Empire, who will, on ad-
vice, after the front elevation of his
edifice, but whom the very gods
would not persuade to deviate from
the ground plan he has decided upon.
Personally a man of charming
manners, suggesting the aristocratic
public servant or the dilettante lit-
térateur rather than the statesman,
the High Commissioner, while accessi-
ble to anybody who has reasonable
excuse for interviewing him, is at
the same time unapproachable to
those with whom his convictions
clash.

And now he goes home on his holi-
day, and Johannesburg, unstirred
but respectful, stands hat in hand
watching with curious eyes the man
they all but worshipped a few years
ago.
Do they wish him to return?
I half think not.
There is no open rupture between
the Governor and the people; crowds
still cheer him in the street, for I
think they love the man even as they
are suspicious of the master. They do
not want to fight him; they would
rather fight another man carrying
out his policy.
If he does not return Johannesburg
will sigh regretfully but thankfully,
as the man signs who has sent his
loved ones over sea before the first
shot is fired. If he returns—but that,
as somebody else would say, is an-
other story—Edgar Wallace in Lon-
don Mail.

TEARFUL OR CHEERFUL?

Whether a woman is tearful or cheer-
ful depends not on what she has materi-
ally, but what she is physically. Many
an indulgent husband is driven almost
to despair by the tearful outburst of a
wife who has "everything she
wants." He
wants to
know
what's the
matter. But
the wife
can't tell.
She only
knows that
she is de-
pressed and
despondent.
Such a
condition is
usually re-
lated to
some form
of womanly
disease. The mental depression has its
corresponding womanly weakness.

Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription
changes tearful women to cheerful women
by curing the diseases which cause phys-
ical weakness and depression of spirits.
It establishes regularity, dries unhealthy
drains, heals inflammation and ulceration,
and cures female weakness.

Mrs. Alice Adams, of Laboratory, Wash-
ington Co., Pa., says: "With many thanks I
write to let you know how I am. I can say by God's
help and your help I am well. I have taken six
bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and
two of his 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and I
can do all my work. I can't praise your medi-
cine too highly. I will recommend your medi-
cine as long as I live. If any one doubts this
give them my address."

"Favorite Prescription" makes weak
women strong and sick women well.
Accept no substitute for the medicine
which works wonders for weak
women.

Keep the bowels healthy by the
timely use of Doctor Pierce's Pleasant
Pellets.

PROVERBS UP TO DATE.
Better swallow your good jests than
lose your good friend.
Sweet are the uses of adversity; bitter
are the uses of prosperity.
The rising generation owes much to
the inventor of the alarm clock.
If vanity were a deadly disease every
undertaker would buy fast horses.
The dead march is not necessarily the
one that the musicians have murdered.
When the last trumpet sounds, some
woman will ask Gabriel to wait a min-
ute.
The oil of insincerity is more to be
dreaded than the vinegar of vituperation.
A good field of corn is one thing a
farmer doesn't care to have crowed
over.
A walk may improve your appetite,
but a tramp will eat you out of house
and home.
The man who cannot be beaten is he
who holds his head up when he has
been beaten.

Mary Had to "Nail" Her Man.
Mary was a domestic treasure, and
when she gave her mistress a month's
notice on the plea that she was going
to be married there was weeping and
wailing in the household.
"Oh, Mary, wouldn't you be willing
to oblige me by putting off your mar-
riage for a week if I am not suited when
your notice expires?" asked her dis-
tressed employer.
"Well, ma'am, I wouldn't mind wait-
ing myself," was the reply, "but men are
different. If you don't nail 'em when
they're ready for it you can't nail 'em
at all."

Their Rewards.
"Who lives in that little cottage down
there by the lane?"
"There dwells the man who wrote
the poem that made Beasley's shaving
soap famous."
"And who resides in the splendid
mansion on yonder hill?"
"Beasley."

Cure Eczema
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cer's. Ask
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The Dangerous Trades.
Speaking in a general way, the dan-
gerous trades are the dust producing
industries.

Slim Bananas.
Do not buy slim bananas. They have
been picked green and kept till they
turned yellow. They will always be
found sour and pucky, no matter
how yellow they may have become.

THE STAGE

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

The presentation of "Quincy Adams
Sawyer" was thoroughly enjoyed by
a large house last evening. It is
a splendid production and is in the
hands of a capital company. The
production is one of the best that
have visited the Maple City in some
time.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.
At the Chatham Grand:—
Side Tracked,—Oct. 6.
General Hospital Benefit—Oct. 9.
Pauline & Co.—Oct. 12-19.
Lycium Course—Oct. 26.
Sadie Martineau—Oct. 27.
Firemen's Benefit—Oct. 29.
Over Niagara Falls—Oct. 30.

FASHION IN SPEECH.

Some Words Go Out of Favor and
Win Their Way Back.
The history of the race is written in
the words it uses. As we grow and
change, so our language grows and
changes. Mr. Leon Mead in his book
"Word Coinage" points out that some
words go out of fashion and come
back, like tan shoes and wide rimmed
hats, although the change in words is
much slower than the change in dress.

In Spenser's day "forestall," "fain,"
"scatches," "assance," "embellish" and
"dapper" were not considered good, but
they have since gained respectability
and won their place in the language.
The seventeenth century regarded as
obsolete a number of Chaucer's words
—"transcend," "bland," "sphere,"
"blithe," "franchise," "carve," "an-
them." One by one these words came
to life again and walk the pages of our
literature in full vitality. Other words
now indispensable which the seven-
teenth century rejected are "plumage,"
"tapestry," "tissue," "ledge," "trench-
ant," "resource," "villainy," "thrill,"
"yelp," "dovetail."

Bacon did not have the good word
"encyclopedia," but used the heavy
equivalent, "circle learning."
Fulke, the sixteenth century author
who wrote "A Defense of the Sincere
and True Translations of the Holie
Scriptures Into the English Tong," did
not admit "neophyte," "homicide,"
"scandal," "destruction," "tunic," "des-
picable," "rational." Another book
published in 1658 puts the stamp of
censure on "oblique," "radiant," "adop-
tion," "caress," "amphibious," "hor-
izontal," "concede," "articulate," "des-
tination," "compensate," "complicated"
and "adventitious."
It is hard to trace the history of a
fashion in words. Seldom do we have
the precise record that Chesterfield fur-
nishes us in a letter in which he says
that he was present at the birth of the
word "flirtation" on the lips of a beau-
tiful woman. Even with that record
we cannot tell why "flirtation" remain-
ed in the language and was not drop-
ped like hundreds of other new coin-
ages.

QUEER SUPERSTITIONS.

The following are some curious su-
perstitions that are still extant among
English speaking people:
If you kill frogs your cows will "go
dry."
Tickling a baby will cause the child
to stutter.
To thank a person for combing your
hair will bring bad luck.
To kill a ghost it must be shot with a
bullet made of a silver coin.
To dream of unbroken eggs signifies
trouble to come; if the eggs are broken
the trouble is past.
If you boast of your good health
strike wood immediately with your fist
or you will become ill.
To dream of a live snake means
enemies at large, of a dead snake
enemies dead or powerless.
To allow a child to look into a mir-
ror before it is a month old will cause
it to have trouble in teething.
A child will have a nature and dis-
position similar to those of the person
who first takes it out of doors.

Swearing to Excess.
A cricket club in the south of Scot-
land, which has evidently found that
the use of lurid language doesn't add
to the amenities of play, has passed
the following bylaw:
"Any member swearing to excess
may be expelled."
I have not heard whether the club
committee has yet arrived at a defini-
tion of "moderate swearing." The at-
tempt to find one to meet all cases is
likely to result in language both "pain-
ful and free."

Curiosity Conquered.
"I thought Jane had such a dread-
fully stiff neck."
"She has."
"Nonsense. There was a man paint-
ing the steeple of the brick church and
she watched him for half an hour."



The amenities of social intercourse reflect their settings.
If these are elegant the affair will be elegant—the result
depending on the setting in exact proportion.
The background of an afternoon function is the tea—
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MAKE NERVOUS, WEAK, DISEASED MEN.
THE RESULT of ignorance and folly in youth, overexertion of mind and body
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and future happiness of thousands of promising young men. Some fade and wither
at an early age, at the blossom of manhood, while others are forced to drag out a
weary, fruitless and melancholy existence. Others reach matu-
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Prayer meeting, city churches, at 8 o'clock.
Band Concert on Tecumseh Park at 8.
Senior Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh Park at 8.30.
Court House, No. 624, A. O. F., Odd Fellows' Temple, at 8.
Address by Dr. McKeough, on his trip abroad, A. O. F. Hall, at 8.
Court Companion, No. 521, I. O. F., will hold their regular meeting at 8.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Sept. 30.—11 a. m.—Moderate southerly and southeasterly winds, fine. Thursday, southerly winds, partly cloudy and moderately warm.
The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:
Barometer 29.73.
Thermometer 55.
Highest yesterday 65.
Lowest yesterday 41.
Direction of wind south.

Local Briefs

Col. Peter D. O. C., will inspect the Regiment Friday night.
Geo. McDonald, of the Canadian Soo, a former Chathamite, is visiting in town.
Wanted!—Apple pickers and packers. Apply to Northwood & Co., opposite The Planet office.
The attention of the Board of Works is called to a bad crossing from Head St. to Louise. The planks are loose and the crossing is dangerous to pedestrians.

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Alexander Wilson, of Galt, who has been visiting his brother, Architect J. L. Wilson, has returned home.
O. L. Lewis has returned from attending a meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., in Baltimore.

The first assembly of the dancing class of Miss A. McLean will be held on Thursday evening, Oct. 1st, in Northwood's Hall at 8.30.
Ross Hood is another lad captured in connection with the robbery of a Wabash freight car last July. The lad was remanded till Monday.

A young lad had a suspended sentence renewed. He was released on suspended sentence on the 21st of March after conviction on the charge of theft. Judge Houston gave the boy six hours in the cells.

John Mullen, Taylor Avenue, met with a nasty accident yesterday. He was repairing the roof of his house when he slipped and fell to the ground, a distance of some height. The aged man was injured quite seriously, besides being shaken up.

Re McMaster, a lunatic, deceased, the accounts of the committee were partially passed to-day before His Honor Judge Bell. W. E. Gundy appeared for the committee, L. J. Reynolds for the administration, and J. B. Rankin for the Inspector of Asylums.

William Potter, of this city, has always devoted a good deal of his time and ability to the I. O. O. F. Lodge. A form suggested by Mr. Potter for use of sub-encampments was adopted by the Sovereign Grand Lodge at their session held in Baltimore last week.

Alonso Noah, the Indian charged with assaulting D. Howell, a sailor on the Erie Stewart, was arraigned this morning. He had elected to be tried by a jury but now asked that the charge be reduced to common assault, to which he was willing to plead guilty. As Judge Houston claimed that he was unable to accede to the request for a reduction, the prisoner was taken over to Judge Bell for him to attend to. George G. Martin appeared for the prisoner.

FINED \$20.00

The girl who did the screaming, on Saturday night, that got Dave Grant, of Raleigh, into difficulties, appeared as a witness against Albert Trato this morning at the Police Court. The girl accused Mr. Trato of striking her because she had not gone to stay with her friend, Dutch Annie, as he had ordered. She said that she and her friend, Mr. Primeau, were sitting on the verandah when Mr. Trato came to the house. He ordered them both away, and when Clara wasn't going fast enough to suit him, he hurried her along. This hurrying frightened the maiden and she screamed. The Mr. Primeau proved to be warm and friendly. He was a witness, and when asked what he was doing while Mr. Trato was interfering with Clara, he said that he was getting away as fast as he could. The gallant youth was saving his own hide no matter what happened to the girl.

Joe testified that the girl was in a feeble condition, having just recovered from an attack of typhoid fever.

Judge Houston found Trato guilty of common assault and fined him \$20 and costs, \$34.75 in all. He also warned him to stay away from the Trato mansion in future. Mr. Trato paid the fine. W. D. Stanworth appeared for the defendant.

ANNUAL INSPECTION

Lieut.-Col. J. B. Rankin, Commander of the 24th Kent Regiment, is in receipt of a letter from District Officer Commanding Col. Peters, stating that the D. O. C. will visit Chatham on Friday evening next for the purpose of inspecting the 24th Kent Regiment.

Every man of the Regiment is expected to appear on parade on Friday night for the annual inspection, after which a muster for the purposes of paying the men will be held. The Captains of Companies desire full turnouts of men, non coms. and officers.

BINDER TWINE INSPECTION.

Work of Mr. Joseph Haycock in the Northwest.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—Mr. J. L. Haycock of Kingston, Dominion Inspector of Binder Twine, has been in the city, having returned from a successful trip to the northwest, where his experiences amply justified the appointment of an officer. He condemned twelve lots of twine for short weight or measure, and collected fines aggregating more than \$500, confiscated a quantity that was under grade, and, in addition, his activity caused the withdrawal from Canada of more than 250,000 pounds of American twine of a dishonest measurement. The farmers of Canada, Mr. Haycock says, spent this year \$3,500,000 on binder twine. On that amount even a 5 per cent. saving would mean \$175,000 to them.

WILLIAM GILL'S DEATH.

His Body Found in Sherman's Park, Hamilton.

Hamilton, Sept. 30.—Caretaker William Milligan of Sherman's Park yesterday discovered the dead body of a man in the park. Beside the dead body was a pair of shears, stamped with the name of Burrow, Stewart & Milne, the well-known founders, and in a pocket was a brass check numbered 21. The remains were identified some time afterwards as those of William Gill, 212 Woodstreet east, a laborer, who had recently been employed at Messrs. Burrow, & Milne's foundry. He was unmarried, and was about 35 or 40 years of age. There was evidence that the deceased had been cutting wires which had supplied the park with light in the summer, and two coils of cut wire were rolled up on the ground. It was evident that the deceased had come to his death by contact with a live wire, for the current had not been turned off when the show season ended. The caretaker had gone to the park about the time Gill was there, cutting the wires and removing them, and he was startled on seeing the dead body. Coroner McNichol was notified, and he opened an inquest this afternoon. The official inquiry was adjourned till Thursday night, and in the meantime the police will try to locate the person who is supposed to have driven a wagon into the park about the time Gill was there. A wagon track was clearly seen this morning, and it is thought whoever was in the rig became frightened when he saw his companion's death and drove hurriedly away. Coroner McNichol thinks the deceased must have met his death about midnight, judging by the condition of the body.

Any irregularity on the part of The Planet's carrier boys will be immediately remedied by calling at the office or phoning 53a.

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Two story frame house nearly new, in good location, house contains hall, double parlors, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, pantry, three bedrooms, bath room, clothes closets, lot 56 ft. x 128 ft., brick foundation, coal and wood shed. An excellent home for some one.

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SCARED 'EM

Ald. Archie McColg, R. A. Harrington, Geo. Wands, C. D. Colby and Robert McEachran have a new indoor game, in which there is a spirited rivalry, and at which all of these gentlemen are becoming experts. It is played somewhat on the same principle as quoits, only silver dollars are used in the pitching and the pitcher aims at a ring on the floor, much the same as a curling rink.

They were enjoying a sociable game this morning when Officer Tom Groves walked in, glanced at them throwing money around, and then walked up to McEachran, who was shaking at the knees and elbows, and said:

"Do you live in town?"

McEachran was under the impression that Groves thought they were gambling. His fit of trembling commenced to show in his face and he answered faintly:

"What's your name?"

"Robert McEachran."

"Where do you live?"

"On Raleigh street."

"Do you rent there?"

"Yes sir."

Groves was evidently satisfied with him, and turned to Geo. Wands, who was aiding towards the door, saying:

"Hold on there! Don't try to get away. Do you rent a house in town, too?"

Wands returned from the door and answered "Yes, sir."

"Well, I guess there is no money for me here, if you all rent houses," said the genial officer, reflectively, as he scratched his head, and then added, "I'm after poll tax."

WILL NOT RESIGN.

Mr. Tarte's Reply to the St. Mary's Electors.

Montreal, Sept. 30.—Mr. Tarte says that it was not a representative meeting at which a resolution was passed asking for his resignation as a member for St. Mary's division in the House of Commons. In La Patrie he deals with each speaker, belittling them all, and referring to some with particular irony. Then he sums up as follows:

"Such are the men and such is the foolishness presented to the citizens of St. Mary's division. There were at the meeting a large number of respectable and well-disposed people. Mr. Tarte will have an occasion to meet them and discuss with them the present political situation. The eloquence of Mr. Dan Gallery, of Senator Cloutier, of Lawyer Philippe Demers, of Mr. Lafontaine, of Mr. Henri Mercier, will not increase the wages of the working people of St. Mary's division. Neither will it prevent the factories from closing. The woolen mills are already half closed. At Saint Ste. Marie four thousand five hundred men are out of work."

In an interview to-day Mr. Tarte said: "Surely you would not have a man pay any attention to such a meeting as that of last night. It could hardly be expected of a busy man, and I have nothing to say of such attacks. I do not consider that the meeting in any way represented the opinion of the majority of the electors of the division."

THE JURY DISAGREES.

In Strike Picket Case—Stood Six Each Way.

Toronto, Sept. 30.—The jury in the case of Robert Harg and Edward O'Donnell, the strike pickets accused of besetting the Canada Foundry Works and following officials, after deliberating on the evidence yesterday for four and a half hours, returned to court and informed Judge Winchester that they could not come to an agreement. "I don't believe we'll reach a verdict if we stayed until midnight," declared the foreman. "We were as near agreeing half an hour after we retired as we are now." The jury stood six for conviction and six for acquittal. Probably a score of ballots were taken and they were always the same, six each way. "We had some mighty hot arguments," remarked one of the jurors. Judge Winchester allowed Harg and O'Donnell out of the same jail, and informed them that they would have to stand their trial at the next court.

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At 7c. a Yard, worth 9c.—1 bale representing about 1200 yards full 36 inch factory sheeting, Montgomery make, free from black specks, even soft yarns, until sold out, 7c yard.

At 12 1/2c. Yard, worth 15c.—15 pieces New Kimonos and Wrapper Flannelettes, extra heavy quality, smooth or elderdown finish, in fancy stripes and floral effects, representing greens, pinks, reseda, blues, greys and cream shades special, 12 1/2c yard.

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At \$2.00 Each, worth \$2.50—10 only pure grass bleached pattern Table Cloth, bordered all round, handsome designs, bright satin finish, heavy quality, fine weave, special \$2 each.

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The Clothing of a Gentleman.

To properly clothe a gentleman is an undertaking at once, artistic, scientific and mechanical. Our clothing store exists to clothe gentlemen. How well we succeed in doing it you can judge by personal inspection of the clothes. No better single test of a man's clothing stock can be found than in garments for morning dress. At that point our clothing exerts. We know it, because we sell so much of it to highly intelligent men. Moderate expenditure only is needed for morning dress in good form. Time was when the difference between ready-made and custom-made men's clothing was easily apparent. That time is past. Some ready-to-wear clothing is now so well made that a trained tailor cannot distinguish it from custom-tailoring. Ours is that sort. Please note the following:



Men's Black Cheviot Suits,

The new cut sack style, \$12.50.

Men's Black West of England Clay Worsted, sack and skirt suits, \$13.50.

Men's very special imported black worsted sack suits, \$10.

Men's Fancy Pattern Tweed business Suits, serviceable, \$7.50 to \$12.

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For between seasons, fall weights, very good sort in ample variety, \$6 to \$12.

New Stripe Worsted Trousers,

Neat and elegant, \$2.48 to \$3.50.

Overcoats for the Little Men,

The new swell Russian Style of coats for boys, 4 to 9 yrs, in grey, blue and blacks, very special values, \$4 to \$6.50.

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Always dressy, handsome little garments, for ages 5 to 16 yrs, \$3 to \$6.50.

The Millinery Display Continues.

On every side we hear the universal comment of approval and delight that the hats are more beautiful than ever before is only the law of progress. That they are more beautiful than any our public has yet seen, is because of the taste, skill and energy of our experts, and the resources and prestige of the house of AUSTIN in finding and securing the choicest models from the proudest and most exclusive Paris designers. But we are proud to note that the largest enthusiasm surrounds the collection of HATS from our own workrooms. The value of our outing hats are particularly noted:—

\$2.00 "OADET"—A long narrow Turban trimmed with fancy cord caught with steel ornaments.

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Richness in Black Dress Goods for Autumn Wear.

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Cheviots and Zibelines,		Smooth Weaves—	
54 inch. Cheviot,	\$1.00	54 inch. Broadcloth,	75c
54 " Cheviot,	1.25	54 " Venetians,	\$1.00
52 " Cheviot,	1.25	58 " Venetian,	1.25
54 " Zibeline,	2.00	58 " Venetian,	1.75
Zibeline Suiting, 7 yds for \$14.50.		54 " Broadcloth,	1.50

Poplins and Mohairs—		Fancy Weaves—	
Silk Mohairs,	1.25	44 inch. Crepoline,	.50
Silk Mohairs,	1.75	Etamine Suiting,	.75
42 in. Poplin,	.75	Fancy Stripe Effect,	\$1.35
42 in. Poplin,	\$1.00	44 in. Canvas Cloth,	1.00

Women's Underwear for Fall.

Comfort, elasticity, care in finish, excellence of proportion—these are some of the characteristics of our Women's Underwear for fall.

Women's heavy ribbed cotton undervest, long sleeves, fashioned, lace trim med. special value, 25c.

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Women's natural wool vests, Penman's unshrinkable, at \$1.00.

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Women's plain cashmere hose, full fashioned, seamless, Hermsdorf dyes, sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, at 25c.

Women's plain cashmere hose, full fashioned, spliced heels and toes, Hermsdorf dyes, all sizes, at 35c.

Women's fine Llama hose, full fashioned, spliced heels and toes, seamless, all sizes at 50c.

Women's 2 1/2 ribbed cashmere hose, double knees, spliced heels and toes, seamless, all sizes, at 50c.

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- NEW MARMALADE, 20c. a jar.
- GILLARD'S PICKLES, 35c. a bottle.
- TOMATO CATSUP, 15c. a bottle.
- BUTTER CRACKERS, 10c. a pound.
- SALTED BISCUITS, 15c. a pound.
- CHEESE BISCUITS, 15c. a pound.

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Corner King and Fifth Streets,
over A. L. McCall's Drug Store.
Telephone Office 114.
Residence 285.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

BUY BEFORE SIX.
Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. 11
Bulk oysters fresh daily at Wigzell's.

Mrs. J. Smith is visiting in Dresden.

Thibodeau & Jacques' Sale of Silks to-morrow.

School Seats for Sale. Apply at McKeough School.

W. Hickey, of Portland, Maine, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Oysters served in any style at Wigzell's.

W. F. Jamieson, of Dresden, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Sam Wellwood, of Merlin, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Keep to-morrow in mind for the Silk Sale at Thibodeau & Jacques'.

Five smart young men wanted at the Dowsley Spring and Axle Co. 2

The Blonde Co. have begun work on the addition to the Wagon Works.

"Algettas," the finest of chocolates, try them; at McKay's only.

Miss Eva Dyer and Miss Pearl Dickenson spent to-day in Detroit.

Mrs. T. T. Guttridge, of this city, is spending the day with friends in Detroit.

S. F. Gardiner, of the Chatham Loan and Savings Co., is in Detroit to-day.

Don't miss the tea meeting in the school room of Victoria avenue Methodist church Monday, Oct. 5.

Barney Dame, of Preston, is spending the day with his Chatham friends.

Miss Mills and Walter Mills, of Ridgeway, were visitors in the city yesterday.

For 32c. you will get 65c., 75c. and \$1.00 Silks at Thibodeau & Jacques' to-morrow.

R. A. Hughes, inspector of weights and measures, Windsor, is in the city on business.

Park Bros. received a large shipment of steel plates direct from Glasgow, Scotland, to-day.

Miss Maggie McMahon won second prize at the St. Joseph's bazaar for selling tickets. She made \$51.20.

Wanted, at the Gordon Store, a tailor on coats; and apprentices to learn dress making. Apply Miss Collinson.

Robert Russell, F. W. De Laurier and Sol Wilkinson, of Leamington, were registered at the Merrill House yesterday.

John H. Barnes, of Harwich, purchased the John Hendershot livery yesterday. The purchase price was three thousand dollars.

Gosh! those Rochester chocolates of yours are good, Mr. McKay. Give me a pound. What! only 10c. You should charge 20c.

The dedication of the A. O. U. W. hall will take place on Friday evening, October 2, when a free concert will be given. All are welcome.

Joseph X. Robert, who has spent the summer vacation at his home here, leaves this evening for Toronto to resume his studies in Toronto University.

Rev. James Livingstone, the eloquent ex-president of the London Conference, will conduct anniversary services in the Victoria avenue Methodist church next Sunday, Oct. 4.

Rondeau Service—on and after Wednesday, Sept. 30th, train leaves Chatham at 1 p. m., Blenheim 1.25 p. m., Leaves Rondeau at 3 p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays until Oct. 31st.

The annual meeting of the ladies of the Home of the Friendless will be held in Council Chamber, Harrison Hall, on Monday, October 5, at 3 p. m. The ladies of the city are cordially invited to be present.

Lost—On September 23rd, between the Fair Ground, Chatham, and St. Joseph's Hall, Cross street, a lady's Gold Watch, medium size, chased Hunting Case, short, heavy, silver chain with friendship heart attached, initials J. H. O. B. The finder will be rewarded by returning to Miss Alice Doyle, Chatham, or to The Planet Office.

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C. A. Cooksley's
in extreme low
prices and excellent
qualities in
our Ready-to wear
Hats.

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

The White Oak is in with a cargo of lumber for the Blonde Lumber Co. Court Hope will have music and refreshments in their lodge room to-night.

The Quincy Adams Sawyer Company left this morning for Port Huron.

Just enough, that's new in our fall styles of Haves Hats to satisfy the man with the critical eye. The 2 T's.

Secretary Robinson of the West Kent Agricultural Society, has at his office a purse which was lost by some little child at the Fair.

The Wallaceburg lacrosse team will come here on a special train next Friday. The game with the local boys will be called at two o'clock.

Live hogs have decreased in price to \$5.25, and prospects point to \$5.00 for next week. Nathaniel Massey shipped a carload to the eastern market to-day.

George Ray, arrested on the charge of attempting to commit suicide, was committed for trial to-day. The evidence showed that Ray's nerves were unsettled through over-indulgence.

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.

"Now is the time to scrape and put Harvey street in passable condition," said Wm. Potter to The Planet this morning. "It's been in bad shape all along and it's nearly time something was done to it."

Mrs. R. H. Jarvis, who has been visiting Mrs. Fred Robinson, of this city, has gone to Walkerville, where she will spend a couple of days with her sister, Mrs. Knechtel. She will return to the Maple City on Saturday.

"Farmers are very busy at the present time and can't get help," said Ald. Robinson this morning. "Oat threshing is the order of the day now. I was at McDougall's in Harwich yesterday and he was busy out threshing. His sample of oats was very fair in yield but rather light. Beans are going to be a good crop and in a few days they will all be under cover."

"I was out through Dover Township the other day," said Registrar P. D. McKellar to The Planet this morning, "and I was surprised to see the corn crops looking so well. The farmers there are going to have as good corn as they ever had. The crop in Chatham Township is also in first class condition, and all we need now is a few more days like to-day so that the corn will have a chance to ripen."

Workmen are engaged tearing down the one-storey brick buildings of William Gray & Sons Co. on William St., with a frontage of about 180 feet. It is the purpose of this enterprising firm to give the William St. front of the factory a uniform appearance by having the whole block from Wellington to Park St. three stories high. This move will necessitate the re-arrangement of the different departments used in the manufacture of vehicles.

EXTEND CONDOLENCE

Chief Holmes has received the following copy of a resolution passed by the Ancient Order of United Workmen:

Chatham, Ont., Sept. 25, 1903.
John Holmes, Esq.,
Dear Sir and Brother:
I am instructed by the members of Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., to say that a resolution of condolence was passed at the meeting held on the 25th inst. The brethren wish to express their sympathy with you on the death of your son who has passed away in early manhood. We cannot understand the dealings of the Almighty with His children in such cases, but we hope this dispensation of Providence will in some way be alleviated to his sorrowing parents. We trust that you will live in the hope that you will one day meet with the loved one who has gone before in that better land where there will be no more deaths or parting from friends and where no sorrow or sighing will ever enter.

Signed on behalf of the members of Peninsular Lodge No. 2, A. O. U. W.
JOHN R. SNELL,
Recorder.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Orders have been given for the mobilization of sixty-four additional battalions of Turkish troops.

William Vaux, a well-known horseman of Montreal, was thrown while riding at Cote des Neiges and killed.

While Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burt and their family were driving near Listowel the horses ran away. Mrs. Burt was thrown out and killed. Mr. Burt received painful injuries.

THE MARKETS

There was the usual Wednesday market this morning. Produce sold at the same prices as on Saturday, and the supply was good.

Following is the full price list:—

IN THE SHEEDS.
Eggs, per doz., 18c.
Butter, per lb., 19c. to 20c.
Chickens, each, 35c.
Ducks, each, 35c. to 45c.

FRUITS.
Plums, per basket, 20 to 35c.
Peaches, per basket, 15c. to 35c.
Pears, per basket, 15 to 20c.
Musk melons, each, 6c.
Grapes, 15c.
Tomatoes, per pk., 20c.

VEGETABLES.
Apples, per peck, 15c. to 20c.
Potatoes, per peck, 20c. to 25c.
Cabbages, each, 3c. to 5c.
Green corn, per dozen, 8c.
Squash, 3c. to 5c.
Pumpkins, 10c.
Onions, 5c. bunch, 25c. peck.
Savory, 5c. bunch.
Peppers, 25c. doz.
Celery, three bunches for 10c.
Beets, 2 pks. for 5c.
Carrots, 2 pks. for 5c.
Parsnips, peck, 5c.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, Sept. 30, 1903.

Wheat—	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
Sept.....	77 1/2	78	76 1/2	77
Dec.....	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Corn—				
Sept.....	45 1/2	46	44 1/2	44 1/2
Dec.....	46 1/2	46 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Oats—				
Sept.....	36 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Dec.....	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Pork—				
May.....	1267	1267	1255	1255
Oct.....	1175	1175	1110	1180
Lard—				
Oct.....	782	782	757	757
Dec.....	702	705	697	697
Ribs—				
Oct.....	925	925	925	925
Sept.....	925	925	925	925

The Gordon Store

For Fall Novelties and Specialties in Dress Goods, Fine Furs, Mantles, Millinery, &c.

This time it is Coats, Mantles and Suits from \$5.00 up.
Women's Coat of Black Zibeline, new collar and cuffs, trimmed with fancy cloth, fly front, lined throughout, only \$8.00.
Frieze Cloth Coats, mercerized lined throughout, fancy braided, double cape, only \$9.00.
Women's Coat of Heavy Black Cheviot, with double cape, and collars, the new cuff, lined throughout, only \$9.75.
Women's Coat of Black Kersey Cloth, collarless, stitched silk facings, new sleeve and cuff, only \$10.00.
A swell \$20.00 coat of Fine Black or Fawn Kersey Cloth, 27 ins. long, military collar, silk lined, applique trimmed, very special, only \$13.50.
Girl's and Misses' Coats—A Fawn Brown Kersey Coat, collarless, cloth piped, treble collars and cuffs, from \$4.90.
Girl's Coat, heavy new Navy Cloth, trimmed with white stitching, from \$3.95.
A heavy Red Box Cloth Coat, fancy linings and braiding, from \$3.40.
Girl's Coat of Black, Grey, Brown Zibeline, fancy lining, applique trimming on collar and cuffs, from \$5.00.

TAILOR-MADE SUITS FROM \$3.90 UP.
Ladies' Tailored Suit, Navy or Black Cloth, stole effect, satin piped, long hip, only \$9.75.
Tailored Suit of Black Cheviot, double cape, stole front, long hip, black and white piped, only \$14.00.
Stylish Tailored Suits of Black and White Coronation Cloth, stole effect, \$16.00.
Peau de Soie and Taffeta Suits, beautifully trimmed. Ladies' Silk Coats, blouse effect, stole front, double Capes. These are a few fine Fall Offerings that sell and excel.

WILLIAM GORDON.

THE LARGEST

**SPORTING
GOODS HOUSE**
In Western Ontario.

B-R-I-S-C-O'S, { Opera House Block.

AMENDMENTS DEFEATED.

Further Debate on the Grand Trunk Pacific Scheme.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—The unfortunate state of affairs at the Soo was brought to the attention of the House yesterday by Colonel Sam Hughes. The Premier informed the House of the applications he had received for military aid; that he had replied that the Government was powerless, and pointed out the method prescribed by law for calling the military forces to the assistance of the civil power. Incidentally, he suggested that there was sometimes a tendency to panic on the part of the civil power. The final stage of the Government's national transportation railway bill was entered upon when Sir Wilfrid Laurier moved the third reading. The leader of the Opposition, in a speech of nearly three hours' duration, presented the chief amendment, of which notice had been given. The Premier made an exceedingly vigorous reply, and declared the proposition of the Opposition leader impracticable, and added that the Government supporters ought to be thankful to their opponents for having presented the scheme, mad as it was, inasmuch as it proved by contrast the superiority of the Government's proposition. The House divided four times upon amendments offered by the Opposition, and the Government obtained majorities, commencing with 38 and increasing to 40. As had a dozen amendments yet remain to be disposed of, the debate was adjourned until to-day.

THE LATEST AND BEST

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SOAP CHIPS**

Easy to wash with Tip Top Soap Chips. Made from the purest and best materials that can be produced. Absolutely free from chemicals injurious to garments. It will not make the clothes hard, nor injure the finest fabrics. No rubbing required. Saves time and money, as it is the most economical soap made. One pound will do more washing and go farther than two pounds of any other soap. Makes the clothes clean and white.

Get a trial package at either of the following grocers: J. H. Massey, Chatham Table Supply Company, Knight & Co., Bon Marche Grocery, Taylor & Williamson, Fred Wood, W. A. Wilson, W. H. Marshall, W. Sharp, H. Pellett, E. C. Gammage, J. H. Bogart, A. D. Patterson.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

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THURSDAY, OCT. 1. An accumulation of 200 ends of silks, 1 to 15 yards in length, Taffetas, Satin de Chine, Crystal Cords, Japan Taffetas, Corded Silks, Foulards, &c., and a regular value 50c., 65c., 75c. and \$1.00.

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We buy our rubber goods at frequent intervals direct from the manufacturers.

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We have in our West Window a full line of "Christy's" famous cutlery, comprising Bread and Cake Sets, Paring Knives, Spatulas, etc., and the prices are lower than they ever were before. For a Special we're offering a complete set of corrugated blade knives, either wood or iron handles, comprising Bread, Cake and Paring Knives for only 25c. Best knives made for the purpose, and the price a decided snap.

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 Because you pay Dr. Goldberg for his services and each time you call you see him personally and not some assistant.
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 Because he has 14 diplomas, certificates and licenses which testify to his standing.
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 Because his records show more actual cures than any of the other specialists.
 Because Detroit's only specialist who has stood the test of time, thousands of patients testify to his abilities.
 Because if you cannot call write for question blank for home treatment.
 Because medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Ont. All duty and transportation charges prepaid.

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Tribute From the New York Sun.
 Mr. Goldwin Smith, who recently completed his eightieth year, is undoubtedly entitled to rank among the foremost intellects of his time. As a master of English literary style there are few writers of his generation who can be called his peers.
 For more than fifty years Mr. Goldwin Smith has been engaged in the exercise of the highest and most strenuous of intellectual activities. A "Double First" at Oxford, he has demonstrated throughout his subsequent life his inherent right to that primacy, by continuous contributions to the literature of his period most deserving of scholarly consideration and most illuminated with philosophical enlightenment. He was the companion, the adviser, the coadjutor of the men who were most powerful in shaping history and directing English thought during the period in the nineteenth century when England rose to its highest intellectual elevation.
 His eightieth birthday comes to Mr. Goldwin Smith in a home far away from the theatre in which his abilities were displayed so impressively during more than a generation of his life after leaving Oxford, but it finds him still assiduous in the studies and clear and philosophical in the interpretation of history, past and current, by which his enduring fame in England and on the Continent was won in his earlier years. He is a resident of Toronto, and is the man of letters of whom the Canada of to-day has most reason to be proud.—New York Sun.

Is There a Canadian Summer?
 What is becoming of our Canadian summers? One or two days of blazing heat, and now a chill which suggests all sorts of wandering refrigerators. Has that hazy-looking comet anything to do with the absorption of our mid-summer heat supply? Will scientists in communication with the sun and moon please tell us?

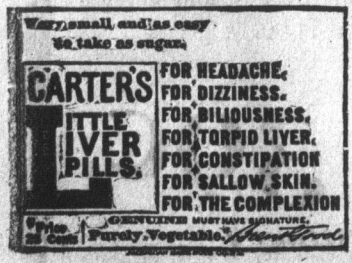
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THE TONGUE.

"The boneless tongue," so small and weak, Can crush and kill," declared the Greek.
 "The tongue destroys a greater horde," The Turk asserts, "than does the sword."
 The Persian proverb wisely saith, "A lengthy tongue, an early death."
 Or sometimes takes this form instead: "Don't let your tongue cut off your head."
 Says the Chinese, "outstrips the steed."
 While Arab sage doth impart: "The tongue's great storehouse is the heart."
 From Hebrew with the maxim sprung: "Though feet should slip, ne'er let the tongue."
 The sacred writer crowns the whole: "Who keeps his tongue doth keep his soul."
 —Rev. Philip Burrows Strong.

LIGNITE IN THE NORTH.

Outcrops Found on the Sowska River by Mrs. T. M. Bell.

A letter has been received by Mr. Thos. W. Gibson, Director of the Bureau of Mines, dated at Moose Factory, 7th July, from Mr. J. M. Bell, who is in charge of the expedition sent into northern Ontario to May last in search of workable beds of lignite. Mr. Bell writes: "The work done on the Sowska was most encouraging. By means of the numerous test pits along the bank, the lignite was found to outcrop as a seam 2 feet 6 inches to 5 feet thick, continuously, for over one-quarter of a mile, on both sides of the stream (100 feet wide). By means of drill-holes, etc., the basin was found to have at least the same width, and the coal had not died out at the limiting points, but, instead, retained a fair width, so that the coal bed is probably many times greater than this trial area of one-quarter mile square. This bed is at the lowest appearance of coal on the Sowska, and there are other points at which lignite appears, but at none of these is the quality as good as at the lowest. These beds all occur within a distance of four miles. Besides the Sowska, the beds on the Wabiskagami were examined, but, although many of them are of considerable thickness, none are very pure, and they are not of equal importance with the Sowska, which, I think, is really an important and valuable prospect. On the Wabiskagami we found a thick bed of very fine light-grade clay, at least equal, if not superior, to that which Mr. Borron mentions on the Missanable.
 "On our way here I stopped for a while and made careful examination of the gypsum beds of the Moose. The gypsum occurs much more extensively than I had previously realized, and is certainly of great value. Careful measurement showed that the beds extend along the north side for two and three-quarter miles, and on the opposite side for two miles and a half, besides which there is a bed half a mile long on the southeast side at three miles below the extremity of the other bed on the same side. The beds are in places at least 16 feet thick, and a careful study of the topography away from the streams shows that they extend back long distances on either side. Of course this gypsum is not of equal importance with the lignite, but is of future value.
 The lignite found by Mr. Bell's party is of a fair quality, but, like the lignite of the district where it is found, unless manufactured into briquettes. This is a feasible plan, however, and the discovery is considered to be one of much importance.

Translations I am the Bird.
 As we listen to the song of the birds in the springtime we very often find ourselves trying to translate their notes into corresponding words and phrases in our own familiar Anglo-Saxon. Perhaps in most cases our imagination leads us to fancy certain resemblances to English words; but, at all events, bird-lovers have always found it difficult to agree in their interpretation of the various songs. In some few cases, however, translations have been so apt that they have at once obtained a general acceptance and have become almost inseparably associated with the name of the bird. Who that thinks of the ovenbird, for example, does not at the same time call to mind the vigorous crescendo, "Teacher, Teacher, Teacher," which so aptly describes his song? The song sparrow will repeat for a whole summer morning long his sole and single article of faith, "Pres, pres, pres-by-ter-ian, ian." As you sit, on an early June morning, under an elm close to the nest of the wood thrush you feel that his message is meant for you and you only. "Dear me!" he says, "Really! Ha, ha, you're a tease! Dear me!" In the meanwhile the little "preacher," the red-eyed vireo, is earnestly exhorting from a tall tree near by, "You see it! You know it! Do you hear it? Do you believe it?" To Thoreau planting corn, the brown thrasher from the tree-top near by, cried "Drop it, drop it! Cover it up, cover it up! Pull it up, pull it up, pull it up!" Translations of a similar nature might be multiplied; but, after all, the comment must be the same in the end—that, however apt the interpretation, it must, in the majority of cases, fail to convey an adequate idea of the quality and character of the bird's song.—Orlando J. Stevenson, St. Thomas, Canada, in Literary World.

Silks Must Not Rustle.
 The silk of the season must not rustle, not even if it be a taffeta; and heroic efforts have been made to keep the inevitable taffetas in the foreground by producing them in a soft variety. Some of the rustles are beautifully favored.
 Entirely Self-Made.
 Maude—What an awful figure Mrs. Dashaway has!
 Madge—Evidently she is a self-made woman.

UP TO DATE STYLES.

Costumes For Traveling—Retorts of Fiances and Ruchings.
 At this time of the year one sees all sorts of charming traveling costumes. Scotch plaids are very popular for the purpose. A charming example in green and blue has a skirt which touches the ground all around and is plaited from the hips downward, the top being composed of strappings of the plaid piped with red and trimmed with little buttons to match. The bodice is made bolero, finished with a red turnover collar and cuffs and a red leather waist-band. With this is worn a soft batiste skirt and a perfectly flat hat, the only trimming being a few blue and green wings.
 The French stage is largely responsible for the return to fiances, and ruches are seen on many smart frocks.



LINEN DRESS.

There is no doubt that the bodice or blouse of the 1830 period, as well as the mantle and coat of that era, is in accordance with the ruched flounced skirt, for the tremendous fullness around the feet necessitates a fair amount around the shoulders.
 Mantles are of really beautiful shapes and lovely models can be picked up at this season at small cost.
 Birds and wings will appear on early fall fashions.
 The illustration shows a linen costume with a long shouldered yoke having strappings of darker linen. The belt and collar are of spotted silk.
JUDIC CHOLLET.

A Tartar Proverb.
 A Turko-Tartar proverb throws light on the question of the amount of veracity to be looked for in official documents by orientals. The proverb runs as follows: "He who speaks the truth will be expelled from nine villages."

Comment.
 "I thought I could get along without glasses awhile longer, but I find I can't."
 "Yes? It was an optical illusion."

However numerous may be the opportunities of life they are never discovered by those who keep their eyes shut and their hands idle.—Maxwell's Talmian.

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



Start Right To-day

and you will find the world very much brighter to-morrow. A good complexion—the bloom of perfect health—bright eyes, clear brain—these are within the reach of all who take care of their digestive organs. Take a teaspoonful of

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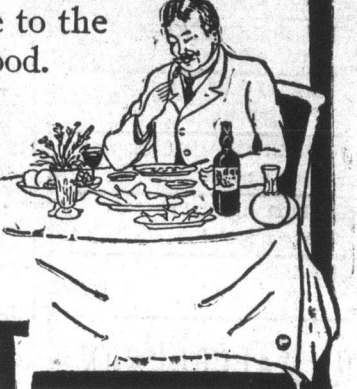


If your stomach is upset or in any way out of order—if food seems distasteful to you—if acidity, burning or fullness of the stomach prevents you from having an appetite—if you wish to eat and eat well—take, before each meal, a wine glassful of

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For a lady to stand and drudge over a wash tub hot clothes this weather is both disagreeable and unhealthy. Call up **phone 100**, and we will call for your washing and deliver it back in as good order as we receive it, and cleaned as cheaply as you can do it yourself.

CHATHAM STEAM LAUNDRY.

Any irregularity on the part of The Planet carrier boys will be immediately remedied by calling a office or phoning 53a.

WM. FOREMAN & CO., IMPORTERS.

A Store with a
Destiny....A Business on a
Sound Basis..

This store is to be an important factor in the history of store-keeping in this the most modern city of its size in America.

A BACKWARD GLANCE.

You have grown to expect nothing but the best here, and you have got nothing but the best. "You can depend on what you get at FOREMAN'S" has been a proverbial phrase for years. Goods that you can depend upon and honest dealing is a policy that is bound to win out, and it's the policy that FOREMAN has stuck to most rigidly since first he opened his doors to the people of Chatham.

THE PRESENT.

We planned to make this the most successful season in our history. Nothing has been left undone that would make it a successful season. We have added fresh beauty to our premises since last you visited us and the beauty of the new Fall Goods is beyond description.

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Designed
Foot-
wearFor the Fall Season we
are showing to-day...

Shoes that will please the most exacting buyer because they contain style, character, comfort and lasting service at prices to suit all purses. Every Shoe fitted to the foot perfectly before they leave the store. See this first showing of fall footwear at the Boston Shoe Store

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Boston Shoe Store, - North Side King St.

This is what Ayer's Hair Vigor does:
Restores color to gray hair, makes the hair
grow, stops falling, cures dandruff.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN.

Sept. 30.—Harry Wallace left this morning for Red Deer, Alberta, to take up his work as dry goods manager, with Smith & Gately, general merchants of that town.

Mrs. S. M. Sager and family removed to Tilbury to-day.

Earl McKay left yesterday for Wallaceburg to work in the sugar factory.

Chas. Gatzke, station agent at Tupperville, has resigned his position, and will leave this week for Wyandotte, Mich.

Mr. Snyder, of Cayuga, entered upon his duties as Junior of the Dresden branch of the Bank of Commerce, yesterday morning.

Mrs. Ripley held her millinery opening yesterday. Miss Whitehead has hers to-day.

Geo. Meynell, of Chatham, was a Dresden visitor yesterday.

Mrs. H. N. Smith and infant daughter Beatrice, of Arkona, and Miss Trixie Gray, of Coldwater, are the guests of Mrs. Arthur Smith.

Mrs. Wm. McVean and children, Ernest and Marion, are visiting Mrs. McVean's parents at Sparta, Ont.

Mrs. L. J. Ritchie was in Chatham yesterday.

Sam. Lynn, of Chatham, is visiting in town.

His Honor Judge Bell, of Chatham, held court in town yesterday for the purpose of revising the voters' list.

Captain Davidson, of Bay City, Mich., was in town yesterday.

Dresden Fair started to-day.

WALLACEBURG.

Miss Daniels, of Dover, is the guest of the Misses Barry.

The funeral of Joseph J. Dunderdale, aged 19 years and 8 months, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dunderdale, took place from their residence, Chatham Township, on

Monday, Sept. 28th. Rev. Mr. Guntton conducted the funeral services, which were held at the residence.

Mr. Simmons, of Citronville, Ala., is the guest of Capt. J. W. Steinhoff.

The death of Josie A., wife of E. D. Duckett, aged 26 years and seven months, took place in St. Joseph's Hospital, Chatham, on Monday, Sept. 28th.

Mr. Heath brought the remains from Chatham yesterday for interment in the Wallaceburg cemetery.

Mrs. Duckett's death was very sudden and came as a shock to all. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Duckett and the motherless little boy of about three years.

John Jenner, an old resident of this district, passed away on Saturday, Sept. 26th, at Moosejaw, N. W. T., while on his return trip from a visit to his son, who is a resident of the Northwest. The remains were conveyed to Wallaceburg, and the funeral took place from his late residence at 10.30 to-day.

Rev. Mr. Guntton held the funeral services at the house. The late Mr. Jenner retired from farming a few years ago, and up to the time of his death was a resident of the 'Burg. He was an earnest and faithful member of the Baptist Church. Mrs. Jenner survives him.

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THOUSANDS MASSACRED.

Report That Turks Have Slaughtered Residents of Razlog.

Salonica, Sept. 30.—A band of insurgents, September 27, attacked with bombs the Turkish quarter at Razlog but were repulsed with loss.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Sept. 30.—A despatch from Rilo Monastery says the town of Razlog has been in flames since Sunday night.

A later despatch from Rilo reports continuous fighting all along the lines across the Turkish frontier. It is stated that the town of Razlog has been destroyed by the Turks, and the Christian population of 4,700 persons massacred. Fugitives are arriving in hundreds. All the wires have been cut. The Turkish troops are flying in disorder from Butchevo.

Burgas, Bulgaria, Sept. 30.—Despatches received here from the insurgent chief, Gordjioff, who has been conducting operations in the Kirklisse district, announce that the Turkish troops have been withdrawn from Zebornovo, Karlovo and Galaticovo, three points on the Turkish frontier. It is understood that this movement was in accordance with the request of the Bulgarian government that Turkey withdraw her troops from the frontier, as a sign of the sincerity of her pacific declarations.

The positions vacated by the Turks are now occupied by insurgents.

London, Sept. 30.—The Constantinople correspondent of The Times telegraphs that Great Britain, through her Ambassador, has made vigorous and constant protests against the excesses committed by the Turkish troops, but that she apparently does not feel herself strong enough to break down the opposition of Germany, Russia and Austria, to insist upon real, instead of paper, reforms in Macedonia.

FIGHTING REVOLUTIONISTS

Uprising in Eastern Macedonia Has Commenced.

Sofia, Sept. 30.—The revolutionary decision to proclaim an insurrection in north and eastern Macedonia on Sunday night has apparently been carried out. The movement takes the character of organized guerilla warfare in the mountainous districts. Zontcheff, the well-known commander of the insurgents, has ordered some twenty bands to resume the offensive.

Another conflict has occurred near Perin village, the insurgents claiming the victory. It is stated that insurrection broke out Sunday night in the whole of the Perin district. The telegraph lines were everywhere cut and determined conflicts took place. At Butchevo and Melonia great numbers of peasants, including women and children, have been slaughtered by the Turks who are inflicting and committing atrocities. The insurgents who are advancing against Butchevo have surrounded Predel, a fortified station of considerable strategic value.

STRATHCONA'S VIEWS.

Opinions on Mr. Chamberlain's Fiscal Plans.

London, Sept. 30.—Lord Strathcona, when interviewed on Canada's attitude in regard to Mr. Chamberlain's proposals, said that free trade within the empire was not possible, so far as the colonies were concerned. A two shilling duty on wheat and the same on flour would not, he said, raise the price of bread here one farthing. Referring to the Canadian manufacturers' resentment in regard to foodstuffs only, Lord Strathcona was sure that traders and manufacturers alike will show themselves reasonable, rational and fair people. They will consider, he had not the slightest doubt, the interests of Canada as a whole. Some people think that profits will decrease with a preference. On the contrary, Lord Strathcona believes that profits will be increased with the greater volume of trade.

Regarding a Canadian mail service, Lord Strathcona looks forward to the proposal being carried out at no distant date. The question of the fast steamship service could not be considered until it would be better to delay the scheme a few months for this purpose than to appreciate the importance of the invention when it was too late.

SELLING SENTINEL-REVIEW.

Mr. Andrew Pattullo, M.P.P. Will Take a Few Months' Rest

Toronto, Sept. 30.—Rumors have been current for the past day or so as to a change in the ownership of The Woodstock Sentinel-Review, one of the leading journals of the Province. The Sentinel-Review is owned by The Sentinel-Review Company, Limited, of which company Mr. Andrew Pattullo, M.P.P. for North Oxford, and Mr. J. F. MacKay are practically the only shareholders. The Globe is informed that while nothing absolutely definite had occurred in the matter of a transfer of the property, an offer had been received, which is likely to be accepted, the property to change hands on the first of October.

Atlas Loan Assets Sold.

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The Master asked if the liquidator could recommend the acceptance of any other offers for the whole or part of the assets, and Mr. Smith said he could not. The liquidator was authorized to continue his efforts to secure better prices for the assets.

An order was made that all contributions should be called upon on October 20th to show cause why they should not be called on to pay the balance due on their stock.

WORLD OF SPORT

LAOROSSE

Captain Frank Babcock, of the Chatham Lacrosse team, has received a letter from Captain Wilson, of the Wallaceburg team, to the effect that the 'Burg team will be here on Friday to play the last game for the Gray Cup. The game will be called at two o'clock, sharp.

This letter has come as a surprise to the local boys, who thought that Wallaceburg had no intention of coming and gave up practicing long ago. The Wallaceburg team, however, are in good shape, as they have been playing off the finals in the Junior C. L. A. series. The Chatham team will get out to practice at once and will do the best they can to win Friday's game.

Results at Woodbine.

Toronto, Sept. 30.—There was good sport and good weather at the Woodbine yesterday.

First Race—5 1-2 furlongs—Purse \$400; 3-year-olds and over; maidens—Alhol 1, Georgia Pine 2; Cartoon 3. Time, 1:09.

Second Race—3/4 mile; purse \$400; 2-year-old Dominion-breds—Loupanga 1, Gold Stick 2, Sleeping 3. Time, 2:25.

Third Race—1 1-16 miles; purse \$500; Strathcona Plate; 3-year-olds and over; penalties and allowances—Sambo 1, Dramatist 2, Merriment 3. Time, 2:51-2.

Fourth Race—3/4 mile; purse \$1,000; Michaelmas Handicap; 2-year-olds—Play Ball 1, Austrafina 2, Spring 3. Time, 1:15 1-4.

Fifth Race—1 1-4 miles; \$400; Ringwood Handicap; Canadian hunters—Enghurst 1, Pillardist 2, Golden Way 3. Time, 2:20.

Sixth Race—3/4 mile; \$400; 4-year-olds and over; selling—Plum Tart 1, Premus 2, Aminte 3. Time, 1:10.

Seventh Race—5 1-2 furlongs; \$400; maidens 3-year-olds and over—Fustian 1, Cloverland 2, Gypland 3. Time, 1:12 1-2.

AN ABSOLUTE NECESSITY

So Thinks At Least One Traveling Man

I would as soon think of starting out without my mileage book and grip as to start out on a trip without a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in my valise, said a traveling man who represents a St. Louis hardware house. Why? Because I have to put up at all kinds of hotels and boarding houses. I have to eat good, bad and indifferent food at all hours of the day and night and I don't believe any man's stomach will stand that sort of thing without protest, anyway I know mine won't. I had to have something to break it the fall and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the crutch I fall back on.

My friends often "josh" me about it, tell me I'm an easy mark for patent medicine fakers, that advertised medicines are humbugs, etc., but I notice that they are nearly always complaining of their aches and pains and poor digestion, while I can stand most any kind of fare and feel good and ready for my work when it needs me, and I believe I owe my good digestion and sound health to the daily, regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, year in and year out, and all the "joshing" in the world will never convince me to the contrary.

I used to have heartburn about three times a day and a headache about three or four times a week and after standing for this for four or five years I began to look around for a crutch and found it when my doctor told me the best in the market. I could make would be a fifty cent box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and I have invested about fifty cents a month for them ever since and when I stop to think that that is what I spend every day for cigars, I feel like shaking hands with myself for I can keep my stomach and digestion in first class order for fifty cents a month. I don't care for any better life insurance.

My druggist tells me they are the most popular of all stomach medicines and that they have maintained their popularity and success because they do as advertised. They bring results, and results are what count in patent medicine as much as in selling barbwire.

When you pay the standard price of five cents for a glass of beer you have a right to receive, and should demand the best, and if you do not have it furnished you should refuse to accept it.

FALSE AND MALICIOUS

Ottawa, Sept. 29.—The Free Press, Liberal organ, publishes the following letter:

"Toronto, Sept. 25.—To the publishers of the Free Press, Ottawa—My attention has been drawn to an untrue and offensive paragraph about myself in your issue of Wednesday, 23rd September. It is false and malicious, and I ask you to withdraw it. (Signed) J. J. Foy."

The offensive item had to do with the offer of a judgeship to Mr. Foy. In reply the Free Press accepts Mr. Foy's statements and withdraws the statement, but states that it first appeared in Conservative papers, and that his own party organs were guilty of libelling him. The opinion is expressed that Mr. Foy's letter had not to do with the news item as interpreted by the Free Press, but as an editorial hinting that the story of the offer of a judgeship was merely a hint from Mr. Foy as to his "price."

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The only time a boy isn't hard on his clothes is when he is in bed.

You may read about some other kind of boy, but did you ever see one?

The suits we make, and the suits we sell for boys' wear are made for the boys we know and not the boys we read about. Special in make and price.

Boys' Navy Blue Serge 2-pc suit, made plain or pleated, extra heavy and well made 5 to 12 year sizes, \$2.00

Boys' Dark Tweed 3-pc suits, neat patterns, well lined, sizes 28 to 33 \$3.50

Boys' 2-pc Norfolk suits, Brown effects durable and well made, sizes 25 to 30, special value \$2.75

Boys' 3-pc suits, heavy tweed, neat dark effects, cut in newest Fall styles, sizes 28 to 33, special, 4.50

Boys' Navy Blue hard finished serge, single or double breasted, smart, dressy and a good wearer, 5 to 12 year sizes, \$3.50

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We use only the best grade of barley, which is malted under our direct supervision, and the choicest Pacific, Bavarian and Kent Hops, and will gladly contribute \$1,000 to charity if any one can show that any Brewer in Canada uses better brewing material.

In brewing, after the beer has been boiled in the kettle, it is pumped in to a surface cooler (an enormous pan) and then allowed to run slowly over pipes, through which cold water and cold brine is circulating, and at the same time exposed to strong drafts of pure air, to bring the beer down to proper temperature. During this process the beer will absorb bad odors or impurities in the air, and a brewery located in a neighborhood where there are impurities in the air is certain to produce beer that is more or less charged with impurities. Our plant is located in a section free from dirt, dust and "bad smells," and the coolers are 80 ft. from the ground.

We employ only competent men whose wages run from 25 per cent. to 40 per cent. above that paid by most of our competitors.

All of our apparatus is strictly first-class and up-to-date. POOR BREWING MATERIAL, ANTIQUATED APPLIANCES and CHEAP LABOR MEANS FILTH AND BEER THAT IS UNHEALTHFUL.

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