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SOME STATISTICS

When the census was taken in 1881 and then there was a population in Kent County of 54,310 persons. Of these 3,707 belonged to the colored race. In 1901, 20 years later, the census showed that Kent County had a population of 57,422 persons, but while the population had increased, the number of colored people had decreased. In 1901 there were only 2,460 colored people in Kent, a decrease of 247 in 20 years. The census of 1901 showed a decrease in the whole population of East Kent, of 1,508 persons in 20 years. West Kent, on the other hand, showed an increase of 879 persons.

INCREASE WAS DEFEATED.

GRAND LODGE, A.O.U.W., CONSIDERING VOTES.

Report of Special Committee Voted Down—The Subject to be Reconsidered This Morning.

Toronto, March 19. — Yesterday's session of the Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W. was devoted in the afternoon and evening to a discussion of the report of the special committee on the subject of an increase. In the result the proposal was defeated, but a motion was carried for a reconsideration of the question, and it will be taken up again this morning.

The morning session was opened at 9 o'clock in Association Hall, with prayer by Rev. James Skeene of Hillside. The Grand Master, William Joseph Gibson of Ingersoll, delivered an address of welcome. Mr. A. James of the Bowmanville Statesman, who has attended Grand Lodge for twenty years, was appointed to furnish reports to the press. The time for payment of the special assessment levied this month was extended to April 30.

At the afternoon session the Chairman of the special committee, F. G. Inwood, Grand Treasurer, introduced the discussion in a vigorous speech, supporting the report, and recommending that the increase be carried. Mr. J. M. Perigrine, Grand Foreman, seconded it. C. E. Cameron, Grand Overseer, supported the motion, as did also J. M. Perigrine, Grand Foreman, Rodney, the old S. B. Morris, banker, Rodney. The other speakers who took the fifteen minutes allotted each speaker were: Mr. M. Sayer, Thamesville; P. M. Pattison, Toronto; James B. Nixon, Toronto; E. B. Burt, Hillside; William Dickie, Oshawa; Thomas Lee, Toronto; W. W. Burgess, Ingersoll; George Cowan, Pickering; A. C. Ross, Toronto; Rev. A. M. Rutherford, Thamesville; Thomas Riley, Toronto; James C. Bennett, Deseronto; F. Mason, Perth; Thomas A. Hastings, Toronto; James H. Jamieson, Morrisburg; J. A. Doyon, who made the minority report, which is higher than the one suggested by the committee, also supported the motion. The subject was then referred to the committee, and the Grand Lodge adjourned.

The six amendments were then put and voted down. On the original motion for the adoption of the report of the special committee being put to an open vote, the delegates appeared so evenly divided that the yeas and nays were called for and recorded. The result was 18 yeas and 17 nays. A two-thirds vote was necessary to carry. During the address by the Grand Master, or Urquhart was introduced by T. C. Irving, P.G.M.W. His Worship addressed the Grand Lodge, and the Grand Master of a member, York Lodge, No. 57, being his mother lodge, George P. Graham, P.G.W.M., responded. The proposal of the special committee was that the monthly assessment should range from 60 cents at 18 years of age to \$1.50 at 45.

REDISTRIBUTION BILL.

Constituencies in Ontario to be Wiped Out.

Ottawa, March 19. — Among the changes proposed by the redistribution bill will probably be the disappearance of the constituencies of Bothwell and Cardwell, and one of the Middlesexes. The latter county, exclusive of London, will, in all likelihood, be divided into two constituencies, North and South Middlesex. Muskoka will get a member, and so also will Parry Sound. At present these two are united. Algonia, which has a population of 63,000, and at present only has one member, will be given an additional representative. So far as can be learned, there will be no interference with Toronto's representation.

West Ontario is regarded as another constituency, which is bound to disappear, in which event the Township of Uxbridge would revert to North Ontario, the Township of Whitechurch to York, and the Township of Pickering to South Ontario. The County of Ontario would then consist of the constituencies of North and South Ontario.

A \$20,000 BLAZE.

Three Stores at Leamington Damaged by Fire.

Leamington, March 19. — Between 2 and 3 o'clock yesterday fire broke out in rear of Cronk's shoe store between the floors. The fire had gained quite a start before the alarm was given. There was no solid wall between Cronk's and Currie's dry goods store, and the flames broke through into the millinery department. The goods' furniture store owned by W. D. Cox also suffered much from smoke. The total loss is roughly estimated at \$20,000. All parties carry heavy insurance.

Robert Patterson, an employee of the Chaplin Wheel Works, met with a very painful accident yesterday morning. He was putting on a belt when his hand became caught in the pulley, tearing the little finger on his left hand. He was taken to Dr. James W. Rutherford, who dressed the injured member. The wound required ten stitches.

H. M. Carswell, of Dresden, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

DEFINITE PROJECT TO BUILD CLUB HOUSE ON THE PARK

Football Club Will Devote Half of its Surplus to that End—One Hundred Dollars to be Deposited with his Worship Mayor McKeough—Co-operation of Cricket and Bowling Clubs to be Solicited—A Commendable Enterprise which will Extend from Year to Year.

Moved by Frank D. Laurie, seconded by Harry W. Anderson, that the Chatham Football Club donate the sum of One Hundred Dollars to be deducted from the proceeds of the recent minstrel production) as the nucleus of a fund to be devoted to the erection of a suitable athletic bungalow, with dressing rooms, etc., on Tedanish Park, providing such co-operation and support from the other athletic associations and the citizens can be secured, as will warrant the success of the project; said sum to be placed in the Bank for this purpose to the order of his worship, Mayor McKeough.

The above motion was submitted by F. D. Laurie at the semi-annual meeting of the Chatham Football Club in the Old Town Hall last evening. It was entered in the minutes under the heading of notices of motion, and will come up for a vote at the next meeting of the club, to be held in a week's time.

In presenting it, Mr. Laurie said:— "This is a matter of great importance. In going over to our grounds to practice we find that there is one great drawback. We have no place to put on our suits, and the players are accustomed to running around to different places to dress or else play in their street clothes. This is very disagreeable indeed, and we should have some building on the park where we can dress for games and practices. We could have connected with it a club room, where we could discuss club affairs, lockers, and possibly a shower bath. It has occurred to me that if we had such a building on the park, say on the bank of the river, it would prove a great benefit to the club. It would also afford visiting teams a place to dress. We have now some \$200 in the treasury—more than we ever had before. Besides this, we have fees yet to collect, outside of the money we have always collected on the field. I feel sure that we will be able to pull through the season with less than half this amount. I would like to see the other \$100 put aside for this building. The bowlers and cricketers are also in need of such a building as this, and I think we can induce them to join with us in putting up this building.

"In reference to the recent minstrel show, I feel that we owe a debt of gratitude to those boys who undertook it and carried it through so successfully. I was, in truth, only an honorary member of this committee and, through sickness, was unable to do any of the work, but I am in a position to know the amount of hard work which has been done. It has done a lot towards encouraging athletic sport in Chatham. I have no doubt but that the several members who have worked so enthusiastically for the football club will work on. It is our intention next year to put on another attraction at the Grand, which, through its own merit, will command one of the largest houses ever given to any production. I am told by prominent men that the people of Chatham have every confidence in the football boys. The erection of a neat little bungalow would be an ornament to the park, and I believe the consent of the authorities could readily be secured. And there is little doubt that the project, once definitely started, would extend and be enlarged until a splendid young men's athletic building would finally be secured. We suggest that the money be placed in the hands of our esteemed mayor, Mr. McKeough, whose interest and efforts in causes of this kind are well known and highly appreciated. With the co-operation of the sister clubs and public-spirited citizens this enterprise can be carried through. We are working in the interest of athletic sport in general and we intend every day to forward the interests of every manly game.

"So far as Mr. VonGuten is concerned, he has explained that his intention in writing to the papers was not to criticize the action of the committee, but he wrote, as a member and supporter of the club, out of personal interest in its welfare in order that the committee might take steps to contradict certain wild and unwarranted remarks which were issuing from places which we will not now mention."

H. W. Anderson seconded the motion and spoke a few words along the lines which Mr. Laurie had taken with reference to the building on the park.

C. B. Sissons, W. Coltart, W. McK. Messer, P. B. Fetterly and others also spoke in endorsement of the suggestion.

The matter was then left as a notice of motion and will come up for vote at the next meeting of the club. In the meantime, permission will be asked of Colonel Rankin to use one of the rooms in the drill shed for dressing purposes.

There were present at the meeting last evening, Messrs. Sissons, Anderson, Courtney, Carver, Fraser, Laurie, Coltart, Angus, Goodall, Sowerby, Messer, Bates and others.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following were the officers elected:—
Hon. President—Robt. Gray.
Hon. Vice-President—J. Piggott, Sr.
President—F. D. Laurie.
Vice-President—Rev. H. E. Kelling.

Manager—W. McK. Messer.
Captain—C. B. Sissons, B. A.
Secretary—P. G. Piggott.
Treasurer—W. A. Coltart.
Executive Committee—Max D. Fraser, J. W. Plewes and J. W. Wilson.
Team Committee—Captain Sissons, Manager Messer and McNaughton.
Auditors—M. D. Fraser and P. B. Fetterly.

The fee for membership was fixed at 50 cents.
The matter of selecting sweaters and colors was left with the President, Captain, Manager and Secretary to report to the club.

Moved by Anderson and Coltart, pointed delegates to the League meeting in Windsor, and that they be instructed to vote for the affiliation of the Peninsula League with the W. F. A.—Carried.

The matter of allowing other small country teams, outside of Darrell, to enter the League was left with the delegates to consider.

CLUB REGULATIONS.
Moved by Laurie and Fetterly, that no money for any special expenditure exceeding \$10 can be voted by the club without one week's notice of motion.—Carried.

On motion of Anderson and Laurie, the following were adopted:—
That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized and instructed to procure such books as are necessary to the performance of the duties of his office, that he open an account with a chartered bank, in which all club monies shall be kept, and that he also procure a book in which a full list of the paid-up members of the club shall be recorded, treasurer to enter names therein immediately upon the payment of full fees and acceptance of the applicant by the executive committee. That in the matter of all future purchases and expenditures incurred by this club, an order in writing shall be required, certified by the president and secretary, on every occasion, and that the treasurer be and is hereby instructed to pay out of the club's monies only upon the presentation of such certified order. That the secretary be and is hereby authorized and instructed to procure a minute book, in which shall be entered regularly the minutes of all meetings of the club and executive and managing committee, and that the proceedings recorded therein shall be at all times open to any paid-up member of the club.

CONCERT REPORT.
C. B. Sissons, the treasurer, then read his annual report, also the financial report of the recent Football Minstrel Managing committee, both in detail. It was found that in the regular treasurer's report for last season there was a small deficit, while on the recent minstrel show the club was in over \$200 net. Much satisfaction was evidenced by the different members present, at the splendid results of the show.

Football for this season was then discussed, and it was decided to commence practice in the drill shed as soon as permission to do so can be gained from Colonel Rankin. The boys are very hopeful this year and are fully determined to do all in their power to land the Walker Cup.

THE OPERATOR TO BLAME.

Responsibility for the Wreck on the Canadian Pacific.

Toronto, March 19. — The responsibility for the head-on collision between two Canadian Pacific freight trains near Irlington on Tuesday morning is apparently placed by a statement made yesterday by the Canadian Pacific operator at Cooksville to Mr. George Spencer, chief train despatcher of the road in Toronto. Mr. Pennell came to Toronto yesterday and stated that he had failed to deliver an order sent from the chief despatcher's office here to hold the eastbound freight at Cooksville. The order was addressed to Conductor Pitt of the eastbound train, but he, not receiving it, naturally started his train through to Toronto.

Pennell is a young man, who had been with the Canadian Pacific for only two weeks, and had been stationed at Cooksville for but three days. He is under suspension. The railway investigation has not yet been commenced. Mr. A. Price, the Superintendent of the division on which the accident occurred, being confined to the house through illness. The loss through the accident to the Canadian Pacific is estimated at about \$5,000.

The report is current that Mr. Ralph Smith, the Labor member for Nanaimo, will resign his seat in order to become leader of the Opposition in the British Columbia Legislature.

MOTHERS' MEETINGS

A series of Mothers' Meetings are being held in McKeough Kindergarten this year. Their object is threefold, viz., to strengthen the bond of sympathy between home and school life, to show the place of the kindergarten in a thorough system of education, and to strengthen the interest in child training and nurture. The third of this series will be held in the school at three o'clock on Friday, the 20th inst. Subject, "Childish Productions." All interested friends are cordially invited.

NEW FACTORY

Civic Industrial Committee well Pleased with new Chaplin Wheel Works.

The Industrial committee met yesterday and those who were present, namely, Mayor McKeough, and Alds. Piggott and Scullard, visited the Chaplin Wheel Works to see if the agreement the company made with the city had been carried out.

R. McKinley, the genial superintendent of the factory, very kindly took to show the representatives of the city through the factory, and in so doing explained each machine and its work and how it worked. Any machines that were not running at the time of going through he started, so their uses could be seen. The factory was a regular hive of industry. A very thorough inspection followed, in which the mayor and two aldermen evidenced great interest, Supt. McKinley receiving many inquiries on different points.

The office was visited and the pay roll showed that about 80 hands were in continuous employment at a fairly good wage. The daily and weekly output of the factory were gone into and proved very satisfactory. Wm. Chaplin, the owner of the factory, was present and was introduced to the visitors.

Both the mayor and aldermen were high in their praise of the concern, and a few more factories as good would soon do a great deal for Chatham. They will recommend to the rest of the committee that the industry is fully up to the contract. The city gave the company \$25,000 payable back at the rate of \$1,000 per year.

On the way to the factory Mayor McKeough pointed out where Patterson avenue was going to extend and where Miss Bennett was going to build six houses.

As there was no quorum at the meeting nothing was done, but the chairman, Ald. Piggott, said he had been corresponding with an American firm capitalized at \$150,000, which is going to locate a branch in Canada.

The Chairman also said that he thought if he could procure the backing of the committee he would be able to secure two more trains on the C. P. R. for the city, making a better train service.
C. E. Lister, proprietor of the creamery, applied asking if he could make proposed improvements and additions to his plant and not have to pay more taxes.

COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision on local improvements met yesterday morning. There were present G. O. Scott, Sheriff Gemmill and Ward Stanworth. Wilson Taylor's frontage was reduced from 126 feet to 104 feet and the difference charged to the city. The appeals re the Delaware avenue sewer and other local improvements were referred to an adjourned meeting to be held on March 30th at 7.30 p. m. The Court of Revision was so adjourned that the appellants might have a chance to attend. This was the first meeting of the year. Sheriff Gemmill was elected chairman.

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THE NAMES.

Messrs. Reaume and Sutherland would have stood in a much stronger position before the country if they had refrained from stating that they were approached to support the Government, unless they were prepared to give the names of the parties who approached them, or submit charges which it was possible to meet. — Stratford Examiner.

Mr. Gamey gave the names and the details. It is to be hoped our contemporary is satisfied with the strength of Mr. Gamey's position before the country. The Liberal press is quite generally demanding that Dr. Reaume and Mr. Sutherland shall give the names of the Government agents who sought to bribe them. But the Government is making no such demand in the Legislature. The ministers know.

There doesn't seem to be any wild rush on the part of the Rossites to accept Dr. Reaume's offer to name the man who tried to bribe him with the Speakership.

PORTRAITS OF MAYORS.

A movement begun by The Chatham Planet to have the portraits of the mayors of that city collected to adorn the council chamber reminds us in that that very creditable idea was in process of execution by the Stratford City Council prior to the fire which destroyed the old City Hall building and which destroyed with it a good beginning which had been made toward the collection of a series of pictures of Stratford's mayors. We trust that the good work will be taken up again by the City Council. Nothing could be more fitting than such a collection encircling the handsome Council Chamber. It would certainly add much to the attractiveness and historical association of the chamber were the walls adorned with the pictures of Stratford's chief magistrates since incorporation as a town. We believe that many of the ex-mayors, if asked by resolution of the Council, would willingly supply their pictures, suitably framed, for the purpose, not for any motives of vanity but for their local historical value. Let the Council take the matter up.—Stratford Herald.

IN THE HOUSE.

In the Legislature Mr. Ross made a cheeky demand when he sought to have the House secure Mr. Gamey's papers. That gentleman wishing to show the documents to his solicitor, had them publicly handed to him by Mr. Whitney and then it was that Mr. Ross tried to stop the transfer, the Globe giving this report of the incident: "Mr. Ross—There is a motion before the chair and it is a motion of privilege, and it is somewhat embarrassing to move another resolution in the House, yet I move that the papers be impounded and put in the possession of the speaker of the House, in order that they may be put to any purpose required. Mr. Whitney—Do I understand my hon. friend to make such a motion? Mr. Ross—If my hon. friend objects I will not press the motion. It is a proper motion to make except that there is a question before the chair."

It will be noticed that Mr. Ross made a very quick backdown when he was asked if he wished to divide the House on the subject. As a matter of fact, as contended by Mr. Foy, Mr. Gamey is the man who has the right to these papers in order to help establish his case, when he appears as a witness in support of his charges.

THE GAMEY CHARGES.

St. John, N. B., Sun.

The shocking statement made by Mr. Gamey on the floor of the Ontario Legislature has caused a great sensation. This particular exposure was a great surprise, because no one supposed that Mr. Gamey was engaged in the praiseworthy duty of bringing to justice a group of public criminals. But there is no sign of popular surprise over the crime itself. It has been generally understood that such things were going on. For the last seven years the reputation of the Liberal party management in Ontario has been growing worse and worse. Of late no Conservative candidate could go into a contest in that province with any certainty that the election would not be stolen by the Federal or Provincial Government party, even though he should get a majority of votes. Every Conservative leader has known that if he had a supporter in Parliament who could be influenced by a cash bribe, or by any less vulgar but equally corrupt payment, that member would move over to the Government side. This is the reign of terror that has been introduced into Ontario. Unfortunately it is not confined to that Province. The penalty paid by the Ontario Government is the general belief that Mr. Gamey is telling the truth.

PROOF SPELLS DESTRUCTION.

Winnipeg Free Press (Liberal). As for Mr. Gamey's extraordinary narrative, it has plot enough for a

historical novel. It begins in the lunch room at Allandale junction on Aug. 7, and ends in the office of the Crossin Piano Manufacturing Company on the evening of Tuesday last, March 10, with three young men from Gore Bay lying concealed behind three pianos, armed with sharpened pencils and shorthand note books. Until the whole story told by Mr. Gamey, with the proofs submitted by him in the shape of money, letters, telegrams and other documents, including the notes of the three young stenographers from Gore Bay, are gone into by a committee of the Ontario Legislature or a judicial body, and all the necessary witnesses examined and cross-examined under oath, it is only just that judgment upon Mr. Stratton should be suspended in the public mind. It is permissible, however, to say that the whole matter has a decidedly ugly look. If Mr. Gamey's story, when it is judicially investigated, can be proved to be founded in fact, the result will be, so far as Mr. Stratton is concerned, a very serious one, and justly so; while to the Ross Government the substantiation of Mr. Gamey's tale will simply spell destruction.

PURGE THE PARTY.

St. Thomas Journal (Lib.)

The Journal has been urged to cease its opposition to the transfer of the Branton license, on the ground that our course will injure the Liberal party. We don't believe it. The men who are most active in working for the transfer are the very ones, who like carrion, have fattened on the prostrate carcasses of the Liberal party of Elgin county for three years past. It was thought by some that when they were gorged they would have the body, and the work of resuscitation would begin. But there appears to be no intention to loose their talons, which are apparently sunk as deep as ever. They will not be frightened away by subdued threats, nor can they be coaxed to leave as long as there is a pound of flesh left. Nothing but guns will make them move—guns loaded with ball cartridge and accurately aimed. No better service can be rendered to the Liberal party than to drive away the carrion politicians who are picking up their bones and then stand it up in the semblance of power that distinguished it before the advent of the political riff-raff of London, whose actions have dragged the name of West Elgin in the mud.

A HOG'S MOUTH.

The Way It Enables the Animal to Eat Hickory Nuts.

"People often wonder how it is that a hog can get all the kernel out of a hickory nut, or any other kind of nut for that matter, without swallowing any of the shell," said a man from the country, "but as a matter of fact there is nothing mysterious about the process. Mind you, hogs don't swallow any of these harder substances. They get rid of them, and then it is just as easy for them to get rid of the shell of a nut as it is for a man or a squirrel. You might think because a hog crushes the nut into small fragments that he would necessarily swallow a good portion of the hull. But he doesn't do any such thing."

"It is a conceded fact among men who know anything about the subject that the horse is the most perfectly constructed animal in the world, considering the purposes for which the horse is used and its method and habits in life. But I want to put in a good word for the hog when it comes to the thing of cracking and eating nuts without getting any of the harder substances into the stomach. The horse has very fine teeth. The back teeth particularly are finely constructed with a view of enabling the horse to crush its food well before passing it into the stomach. These heavy grinders, heavily set in the horse's jaw, are looked upon as marvels. So they are."

"But what's the matter with the teeth of the hog? What's the matter with that marvelous process by which they separate the kernel of the nut from the hull? It has occurred to me that this is no small achievement, and nature is at least entitled to some sort of tribute for her skill in making this result possible. In the first place the hog's tongue is more sensitive than would be supposed, and it can easily detect the harder from the softer substances. By some sort of process the hog is able to work the bits of a hickory nut hull over to the sides of its mouth, the tongue being used for the purpose, and here they are thrown out at the corners. Probably you have noticed that the corners of a hog's mouth are somewhat different from the corners of the mouths of other animals. The lines of the mouth do not end so pointedly, and hence it is a much easier thing for the hog to work the harder substances which he does not care to swallow out through these little openings."

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Max Beerbohm Reveals Some of the Secrets of His Calling.

I asked Mr. Max Beerbohm to tell me some of his methods, writes Mr. Raymond Bithway in "Casell's Magazine." "My first rule is to have the whole thing as absolutely simple as I can," was the reply, "the more you elaborate a caricature the feebler is the result. It is the casual attitude, the unstudied expression that best conveys the whole man. It is these things that I seek to reproduce in my caricatures. Look at this Kitchener. Do you note the across at his face? That is the straight line of his eyes ruled right main thing about Kitchener. That line indicates the man of action. Then look at Chamberlain. The flat back to his head and the way it curves up from the back. That is where Mr. Chamberlain exists for me—that and the long sharp nose."

"Are people often offended with your idea of them?"
"No," he replied. "Very rarely. They say they are too ridiculous." I asked him if he minded being caricatured himself. He laughed. "Why, of course, I hate it. I am very sensitive about it myself. I always think it is such bad taste, and it never seems to be like me."

We continued with the portfolio of sketches.
"There's Hall Caine," said he. "Well, of course, what appeals to me in him is the earnest intentness of his eye and his hair. However, that is only an accessory, for if he cut it he would still look practically the same."
I took up an impression of Kipling.
"And what was it appealed to you most in Kipling?"
"The back of his neck, the thick, back, the pointed beard, receding forehead, the regular, pushing face, like a battering ram of the man who means to succeed."

"I'm sorry, his extraordinary distinction of appearance. Sir William Vernon Harcourt—well, the smallness of his head as contrasted with his very big body. He took the smallest hat on the Treasury Bench, though, of course, he was far and away the biggest man there."
"Are you fond of caricaturing?"
"Yes, I am very fond of it. It is a recreation to me. To sit down to write is a business requiring thought and conscience. Caricaturing, on the other hand, is pure, natural, instinct without any trouble at all."



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There has never been prepared at any feast a bigger bowl of punch than that which was brewed by the Right Hon. Edward Russell when he was captain general and commander in chief of the forces in the Mediterranean seas. It was made in a fountain in a garden in the middle of four walks, all covered overhead with lemon and orange trees. In every walk there was a table the whole length of it, and on every table was a cold collation. In the huge fountains were the following ingredients: Four hogheads of brandy, eight hogheads of water, 25,000 lemons, twenty gallons of lime juice, 1,800 pounds of fine Lisbon sugar, five pounds of grated nutmegs, 800 toasted biscuits and a pipe of dry mountain Malaga.

Over the fountain was placed a great canopy, while in the midst of this lake of liquor there sailed a little sailor boy who filled the cups and replenished the glasses of all those who had a desire to drink. More than 4,000 men put in an appearance at this feast—London Tit-Bits.

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Russia's First Newspaper.

The Russian press has just celebrated the 200th anniversary of its existence. The first Russian newspaper was The Moscow Wiedomosti, or, to give it full title, "the newspaper of military and other noteworthy matters which occur in the dominion of Moscow and the neighboring countries."

The Czar issued a ukase authorizing the foundation of the paper in the middle of December, 1702; the first number appeared on Jan. 15, 1703, and 1,000 copies were printed. The paper was practically the creation of Peter the Great, who occasionally contributed to it.

The number dated Aug. 15, 1703, contains the earliest news about the new buildings of St. Petersburg.

The second oldest paper in Russia is The German St. Petersburg Zeitung, of which the first number appeared in January, 1727.

For the current year licenses are in existence for the publication of 1,076 newspapers. Of these 868 are in Russian, 109 in Polish, 47 in German, 8 in French, 1 in English, and the rest in various provincial dialects.

Nearly all of these papers are of very recent date. Three-fifths of them are not ten years old. In St. Petersburg 40 have not reached their fifth year. The mortality among Russian newspapers is very high.

Actor in Terrible Marine Disaster.

Staff-Captain Hawkins-Smith, who has just gone on the retired list, was one of the principal actors in the terrible drama of H.M.S. Victoria, says a London exchange. When the Victoria turned over and sank after the Camperdown had struck her, Staff-Captain Hawkins-Smith was with the Commander-in-Chief, Sir Geo. Tryon, on the top of the chart-house. The Staff-Captain was drawn into the awful vortex, and it was only by wonderful courage and presence of mind that he saved his life. When he rose he was so utterly exhausted that he must have perished if he had not found an oar and a small spar which he placed under each arm. These supports enabled him to keep afloat in the turmoil caused by the foundered battleships. It was to Staff-Captain Hawkins-Smith that Sir George Tryon spoke a few of the last words he ever uttered. Seeing that all was lost, the Admiral turned and said, "I think she is going," and the Staff-Captain answered, "Yes, sir, I think she is." That was about ten minutes before the collision.

The Early Bird.

The report from Washington County, Me., of a bird's nest with eggs in incubation, the first week in January, is pretty good evidence of the presence of the Canada Jay rather further south than usual. The nesting in this instance seems to have been about six to ten weeks earlier than usual, though December and January instances are not rare enough to be surprising. Newly hatched young of the Canada Jay have been seen on March 8, and that is about their ordinary season. The Canada Jay is variously known as wiskajou Whiskey Jack, moose bird, robber bird. It is a pretty hardy bird to nest and bring forth its young in such winters as Maine has.

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Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

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CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials.

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Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as implement agents in the city of Chatham, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Frank E. Gerber, at city of Chatham, aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Frank E. Gerber, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Chatham this 8th day of October, 1902.

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Township Councils.

CHATHAM TOWNSHIP.

The Township of Chatham Municipal Council held their regular monthly meeting at the Township Hall, on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1903.

The members were all present and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved of and signed by the reeve.

A communication was read from J. S. Fraser, stating that at a special meeting of the ratepayers of the Skinner drainage and pumping scheme held February 28th, 1903, notice of the said meeting having been given by delivering to, or leaving a printed circular at the house of each resident ratepayer; it was decided to appoint Michael O'Neill as commissioner of the said drainage works in place of Alexander Williston, and requesting that the council would pass a by-law confirming the said change, a copy of the minutes of the said meeting and circular notice was also received.

A petition was received and read from Thomas Harper and other ratepayers requesting that a drain be constructed in the bed of Running Creek, beginning at the Erie & Huron Railway, and extending westward to the 9th and 6th sideroad, and also that pumping works be constructed at the outlet of the said proposed drain.

A petition was presented by Joseph Fisher asking that no action be taken in regard to changing the commissioner of the Skinner drainage scheme. Mr. Fisher also addressed the council in reference to the same matter.

A petition was presented by Richard Wood and Finlay Reid, asking that an arbitrator be appointed under the provisions of section 3 of the Public Schools Act for the purpose of forming a union school section of parts of section 18, Township of Chatham, and section 1, Township of Camden.

Mr. George Peters and Thomas Peters made application to have the south halves of lots 13 and 14 in the 9th concession transferred from school section No. 2 to section No. 6.

Mr. Chas. Agar requested the use of the Township Hall for a concert to be given by the Darrell football team.

The report of W. G. McGeorge on the repair of drains in the Skinner drainage works and the construction of new pumps for the same was received and read.

Moved by Templeton and George, that the accounts for Dr. Charteris for attendance on small-pox patients and for attending an indigent, young James Goodin, be referred to Councilor Tompkins with power.—Carried.

Moved by Abraham and Tompkins, that the clerk notify the trustees of school sections 8 and 6 that application has been made to transfer the south one halves of lots 13 and 14 in the 9th concession, Township of Chatham, from school section No. 8 to section No. 6 and that the council intend to pass a by-law at their next meeting to that effect.—Carried.

Moved by Templeton and Abraham, that the petition of Thomas Harper and others, for a new drain in Running Creek, and the construction of pumping works in connection, be entertained, and if the Clerk find a majority of the names of the ratepayers in the area described to be on the said petition, to notify W. G. McGeorge, C. E., to make an examination and survey of the proposed drainage work and of the lands to be drained, and to report thereon as soon as possible.—Carried.

Moved by Abraham and Templeton, that as a petition has been received from C. Hobson and thirteen others, praying that an arbitrator be appointed for the purpose of forming a Union School Section from a portion of P. S. S. No. 18 in the Township of Chatham and S. S. No. 1 in the Township of Camden; be it resolved, That J. W. Simpson is hereby appointed arbitrator to represent the Township of Chatham, pursuant to the Public Schools Act, for the purpose prayed for in said petition.—Carried.

Moved by Templeton and George, that the Darrell Football Club be granted a free use of the Township Hall for the purpose of holding a concert, as requested by Mr. Agar.—Carried.

Moved by Abraham and George, that the application of G. B. J. Golchatz and John Glasco, to cut and remove some shade trees on Taylor avenue, be referred to the commissioner of the First Division, with power.—Carried.

Moved by George and Tompkins, that Councilor Templeton is hereby empowered to cut and remove trees from off the diverted road in the 18th concession.—Carried.

Moved by Templeton and George, that the by-law appointing Alexander Williston as commissioner on Skinner Drainage Works, be amended by substituting Michael O'Neill in place of Mr. Williston, as asked for by a majority of the ratepayers on said drainage works, present at a meeting duly advertised; and that the by-law confirming the said change of commissioner be taken as read the third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Moved by George and Tompkins, that William Abraham is hereby appointed commissioner on the Bolton drain in place of G. W. Wickens.—Carried.

J. W. Simpson and Gordon Stewart submitted their audit of the treasurer's receipts and expenditures for 1902. On motion of Messrs. Tompkins and Templeton, the same was accepted by the Council, and the Clerk instructed to order two hundred copies printed and that the auditors be paid \$30 each for such services.

A number of accounts were ordered paid.

Meeting adjourned.

A. McArthur, Clerk.

Busy Merchant—Well, sir, what do you want?

Timid Youth—Why, your daughter's hand.

Busy Merchant—Can't give it to you, sir. Either take her entire or leave her. We are not doing an installment business.

Ignorance

Blows out the gas and furnishes the newspapers with a jest and an obituary notice. "Didn't know it was loaded," may be an honest plea, but it never brought a victim back to life.

Those who take a cough run on in ignorance of the danger, and no escape from the consequences when the cough develops into lung trouble.

The best time to kill a snake is in the egg. The best time to cure a cough is when it starts. Ordinarily, a few doses of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure a cough at the beginning. But even when the cough is deep-seated, the lungs bleed and the body is wasted by emaciation, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will in ninety-eight cases out of every hundred effect a perfect and permanent cure.

"My husband had been coughing for years and people frankly told me that he would go into consumption," writes Mrs. John Shiman, of No. 265 4th Place, Chicago, Ill. "He had such terrible coughing spells we not only grew much alarmed but looked for the bursting of a blood vessel or a hemorrhage at most any time. After three days' coughing he was too weak to cross the room. The doctor did him no good. I stated the case to a druggist, who handed me a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. My husband's cough was remarkable. In three days after he began using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery he was up and around, and in two more days he went to work. Two bottles cured him."

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STATEMENT PRESENTED.

Consolidated Lake Superior Company's Position.

Philadelphia, March 18.—After a two hours' session the committee of stockholders of the Consolidated Lake Superior Co. agreed that the reply of the Board of Directors, which they received on Monday, but which had been withheld from the public overnight, was satisfactory, and could be given out. Most of those present thought that the anxiety of the great body of stockholders would be allayed when they were shown in black and white what had become of twenty-seven million dollars of the capital, how it had been invested, and what the assets consisted of. These expenditures, summarized, are as follows:—

Iron and steel plants and their accessories, \$4,438,300.
Mining properties, \$1,082,000.
Copper nickel reduction works at Sault Ste. Marie, \$999,700.
Transportation interests, \$9,482,200.
Two pulp mills, \$1,024,000.
Water-power development, Michigan side, \$6,423,600.
Water-power development, Canadian side, \$953,800.
Sawmills and lumber operations, \$268,700.
Tagona water and light plant, \$321,000.
Office, buildings and other real estate, \$296,900.
Materials and supplies on hand, \$3,000,000.
Total, \$27,790,200.

After the adjournment Chairman Moffy said: "The statement is satisfactory. We did not ask for anything else. We did not look for a financial report, as the examiners of Speyer & Co. are still at work on the books."

HAVE HAD THEIR DAY

Old Fashioned Medicines For Catarrh No Longer in Vogue

For many years past the usual treatment for catarrh diseases, by local douches, sprays, inhalers and liquid medicines composed principally of alcohol, all of which never cured but simply give the temporary relief and stimulation.

A thorough cure can be made only by the treatment which removes the catarrhal poisons from the blood.

A new remedy which meets the requirements and which so far has been remarkably successful in curing catarrh is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

These tablets act upon the blood and mucous membrane only. They can hardly be classed as a secret patent medicine as they are composed of such valuable remedies as blood root, Hydrastis, red gum of Eucalyptus tree and similar antiseptics combined in tablet form, which cure by eliminating from the blood and mucous membrane the poisons of catarrh.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are large, pleasant tasting lozengers to be taken internally, allowing them to dissolve in the mouth, thus reaching the throat, trachea and finally the stomach.

If desired they may also be dissolved in water and used as a douche, in addition to the internal use, but it is not at all necessary to use a douche; a few of them dissolved in the mouth daily will be sufficient.

However, when there is much stoppage of the nose, a douche made from these tablets will give immediate relief, but the regular daily use internally will cure the whole catarrhal trouble without resorting to the inconvenience of a douche.

Dr. Bennett stated "that the internal treatment of catarrh by means of pleasant medicated tablets is rapidly taking the place of douches and local applications," and further says that "probably the best and certainly the safest remedy at present on the market is the Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, as no secret is made of their composition and all the really efficient catarrh remedies are concentrated in this tablet."

Druggists sell Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at 50 cents for full sized package, and he will tell you there is no safer, more palatable, efficient and convenient catarrh cure known to the trade.

THE STAGE

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

Lights of Gotham at the Grand tonight.

This is distinctly an American play with characters strongly drawn. The plot is a complete one, filled with strong dramatic situations, scenes of life in Gotham, and is strictly true to life. It is a comedy drama, fresh, strong and delightful. The character of Jim Breen, a breeze from the West, is a new one. The comedy element is extra good and the players first class. New and first class specialties will be introduced.

To-night is ladies night, as ladies complimentary tickets are being distributed. A first class performance is guaranteed.

The prices are far below those Messrs. Culhane, Chase & Weston, who are the owners of the company, usually play to, but for their Chatham engagement they have decided to play at 10, 20 and 25 cents, and at these prices with the caliber of show they have to produce, the Opera House should be packed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—

Culhane, Chase & Weston—three nights.—

Thursday, March 19, "The Lights of Gotham."

Friday, March 20, "A Fight for a Million."

Saturday, March 21, "In the Rockies."

The Letter-Box

Dear Sir,—There has been much discussion through the press and otherwise on the subject of Race Equality, and in which I noticed that the London Free Press and Senator Tilman were much concerned about the social equality of the black and white races.

Please permit me to say, and I believe that I speak the sentiments of the majority of my race, that we are not asking social equality for we believe that everyone has a right to choose their own social friends. But we do not demand religious and political equality. First on the authority of the Christian Bible, and second on the authority of the British Government.

JOS. M. GAREL, South Buxton.

March 17, 1903.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

GLENWOOD.

Misses Smith and Howe, of Merlin, spent a few days this week at W. C. Estabrook's.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Ainslie left on Monday for Waskada, Man., where Mr. Ainslie has purchased a farm. Their many friends in this vicinity wish them every success in their new home. W. Foxton and G. Honey accompanied them.

Messrs. Walker and Trafford, of Vicker, who have been visiting at J. Charlton's, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. W. Blake, who has been visiting relatives in Chatham, returned on Saturday.

Wm. Blake has purchased Wm. McNairland's 50-acre farm.

John Charlton has secured a fine flow of gas on his farm, there being about 45 pounds pressure.

Monkey Brand Soap makes copper like gold, tin like silver, crockery like marble, and windows like crystal.

EBERTS.

Miss M. Rowe spent last Saturday at her home near Blenheim.

A farewell dancing party was given at Allan McNeillage's last Thursday evening in honor of Miss French, who was presented with a beautiful gold chain and locket.

The Darrell football team will hold a concert in the town hall here in the near future.

Mr. Henderson and family, who are about to move to Charing Cross, gave a farewell party to friends on Wednesday evening.

Wm. Robertson has purchased Miss Mori's house and lot on Centre street, where he will reside in the future.

Wm. McNeillage and Gray brothers sold a number of export cattle this week.

WABASH.

Willie Irwin from North Thamesville, spent Sunday evening in this vicinity.

There was service in the Methodist Church here on Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Snell officiated.

The revival meetings last week were quite well attended, notwithstanding the state of the roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Bilton Leeson of Croton, spent Sunday in this vicinity.

Robert Arnold commenced spring plowing in his garden last week.

S. Liberty intends going to Wallaceburg on Monday to begin work.

Miss Stella Bedford is on the sick list, but is some better.

Mrs. David Outlier is very ill, but is said to be improving.

That's a handsome office clock of yours. Aren't you afraid it'll be stolen?

Never. Why, every clerk in my employ has one eye on it all day.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

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Wallaceburg	7:45 a. m.	4:15 p. m.			
Sarnia	7:45 a. m.	4:15 p. m.			

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One Way Excursion Tickets from CHATHAM to

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Special Settlers' Train

to Canadian Northwest will leave Toronto every Tuesday during March and April, 1903, at 9 p. m., and the "Pacific Express" will leave Toronto at 1.45 p. m.

Passengers travelling without Live Stock should take the train leaving Toronto at 1.45 p. m.

Passengers travelling with Live Stock should take the train leaving Toronto at 9.00 p. m.

Colonist Sleepers will be attached to each train.

For full particulars and copy of "Settlers' Guide," "Western Canada" or "British Columbia," apply to your nearest Canadian Pacific Agent, or to A. E. NOTMAN, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, 1 King St. East, Toronto.

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Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED.

RAYMOND—On Wednesday, March 18th, 1903, Eliza, beloved wife of C. M. Raymond, aged 63 years, one month and eight days.
Funeral will take place from her late residence, on Saturday, at 9 o'clock a. m., to the Big Point Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Wm. Gordon left yesterday for New York.

Robert Tait, of London, is in the city to-day.

Messrs. Sutherland and Innes went to Detroit yesterday.

J. A. Wilson is unloading a car of crocks from Crooksville, Ohio.

Mrs. J. Simpson, Colborne street, entertained friends last evening.

Arthur Haines, of Hamilton, visited friends in the city yesterday.

Rev. Robert McCosh and Judge Woods went to London this morning.

The Wine, Woman and Song troupe left this afternoon for Dunkirk, New York.

Wm. Gray & Sons ship 18 cars of carriages to different parts of Canada this week.

The plan for the Bugle Band benefit, the Wilson-Eyre Co., will open on Friday morning at ten o'clock.

Parties living in the vicinity of the Chapin Wheel Works are objecting to the whistle on that factory being blown at six o'clock a. m.

B. Hal. Brown, representing the London & Lancashire Life Insurance Co., was in the city to-day. He said that there was no country in the world except Chatham where you could find a warm spring day like to-day on the 19th of March.

HOW HE KNEW

"Spring is here for a certainty now," remarked Health Inspector Mounter. "The boys and girls have begun to occupy the seats in Tecumseh Park. I noticed a brace of the youthful generation enjoying a sun bath on the Park benches this morning."

NEW HOTEL

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Chatham Mineral Water Company was held this afternoon at two o'clock. There was a very small attendance.

The meeting was called chiefly to consider the plans for the building of a new hotel in connection with the Mineral Bath House. The Board of Directors some time ago advertised for competitive plans and two architects responded—J. L. Wilson & Son, of this city, and Mr. Whitton, of Hamilton. The directors brought in a report that they have received these plans and the estimates for the building are from \$38,250 to \$40,000. Either of the two plans would be satisfactory with a few changes. They thought it wise to appoint a committee to act with the board in selecting the plan to be used. The names of W. Bull, W. Drader and A. Crow were suggested as fit men for this committee.

The report was received and opened for discussion.

A woman usually disposes of a troublesome question by exclaiming "Oh, goshaw!"

Minard's Liniment — Lumberman's Friend.

Land For Sale

400 acres of the best land in Romney Township for sale, either in bulk or in parcels of 25 acres up, within 1-3 of a mile of Coatsworth station, on the L. E. & D. R. R. Very easy terms of payment.

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Fifth St., 1st Door from King.
Open till 9 o'clock on Wednesday and Saturday evenings.
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BAD ACCIDENT

Mrs. Frank Charteris Struck by Lake Erie Express and Rendered Unconscious

Mrs. Frank Charteris, River Road, Chatham Township, had a very narrow escape from losing her life about noon to-day. Mrs. Charteris was walking into the city from her home about twelve o'clock, when she was struck in the back by an incoming L. E. and D. R. R. train.

The accident happened near Colborne street on the C. P. R. tracks. The unfortunate lady thought she had got out of the way of the train, but had not stepped enough and the buff beam struck her in the back. The train stopped and the lady was picked up unconscious. Dr. Bray had been in the meantime notified and, when the train arrived at the station, he was there. At the doctor's request the train proceeded down to Lacroix street and Mrs. Charteris was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital on a stretcher.

Dr. Bray says that the injury is not serious. The back is slightly injured, but Mrs. Charteris is resting quite easily.

GLAD SPRINGTIDE

There are abundance evidences that spring is here in reality. Mayor McKeeough was noticed to-day taking his lawn mower down to get sharpened. Then, last evening, the frogs were heard on every side and the mosquitoes were friendly visitors. Many a mosquito made its appearance in civilized Chatham last night and paid a few friendly calls. The frogs were very much in evidence also. The melodious notes of this amphibious animal, whose husky voice is heard in the spring, permeated the atmosphere all night. P. C. Dezela found a frog trying to break into Mr. Sheldrick's tailor shop at an early hour this morning. Perhaps the frog thought winter might be coming and it wanted a little covering as protection against the cold.

RAMO CAUGHT

William Ramo, who has been long wanted in Chatham by the police, completed a two years sentence in the work house, Detroit, recently. Campau and Mahoney, when they learned of his release, managed to get him over to Windsor, where they put him under arrest. The Windsor police, when they got him in the police station, claimed the prisoner and refused to give him up to the Chatham police.

Ramo is wanted here on three or four charges. The last time the police had him Ramo scaled the jail wall and slipped away. The police never had the pleasure of meeting him again until now. Ramo had been here several times since. He and Buck Grandbois robbed Robert Hoig's shop and Gus Taylor's cigar store. Grandbois was caught and served time, but Ramo eluded the police.

An effort is being made to secure Ramo from the Windsor police.

LAWN TENNIS CLUB

The Chatham Lawn Tennis Club held their annual meeting in the Garner House yesterday afternoon at half past four o'clock. There were about 15 of the members present. The following are the new officers: Hon. President—Mrs. Rispin. President—C. H. Gunn. Vice-Pres.—James Fleming. Sec.-Treas.—Dr. Geo. Muesen. Executive committee—F. A. Harrison, M. D. Fraser, J. S. Turner, and F. S. Beattie.

Ground committee—P. S. Coate and W. E. Rispin.

Ladies' committee—Miss P. Rose, Mrs. Geo. Heyward, Miss Helen Atkinson and Miss A. Phillimore.

The fees were reduced for men from \$5 to \$3, and for ladies from \$2.00 to \$1.50. This was done with the intention of getting in more members.

W. E. Rispin has donated a gold medal to be given to the winner in a tournament which will be held early in the season.

An opening tea will be given soon on the grounds and the members will commence to play about the first week in May.

The average man doesn't care what you think of him as long as you don't say it.

The man of pronounced ideas never cares to acknowledge he has made a mistake.

NEW PAVEMENT

A petition is being circulated for a vitrified brick pavement on King street west. The petition is in the hands of Harry Westman and, judging by the expressed wishes of the residents of that street, it will secure sufficient signatures. This is a step in the right direction and it is expected that the residents of other streets will soon follow suit. The people who live on Victoria avenue are expected to be the next who will begin to circulate a petition for a pavement.

The property owners living on King street west would have preferred asphalt block, but as vitrified brick is 88 cents cheaper, they are asking for the latter pavement.

FOUR BOYS DROWNED.

They Were Tobogganing at the Lachine Canal.

Montreal, March 19.—Four boys—Willie Neville, 32 Richmond street, seven years old; Pat Curtis, 35 Centre street, eleven years; Adelard Pecteau, 82 Richmond street, nine years, and John Hayes, 51 Centre street, fifteen years—were drowned in the Lachine Canal yesterday. They had made a toboggan slide of a huge cake of ice, but when all four went down together the soft ice at the bottom gave way and the lads sank. The bodies were recovered later.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Balliff Burns of London is dead.

I. Morley, M.C.R. section man at Montreal, was run over and killed.

The petition against the election of Dr. Routledge, Liberal, East Middlesex, has been dismissed.

Mr. James Dunsmuir proposes Chief Justice Hunter as arbitrator in the British Columbia labor disputes.

Applications made by Americans for traction franchises at St. Petersburg and Moscow have been rejected.

Owing to the indisposition of the District Attorney the Burdick inquest was not continued at Buffalo.

The bye-election in the Rye division of Sussex, resulted in a victory for the Liberals for the first time since 1885.

The British Government will appoint a commission to consider the advisability of reforming the marriage laws.

Sir Alexander Mackenzie, who is to conduct a series of thirty-four concerts in Canada, sails from England to-day.

The New York Independent publishes a translation of a poem written by the Pope, which he entitles "Leo's Last Prayer."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Robinson were committed for trial at Hamilton for passing Mexican money with intent to defraud.

John D. Sauve of St. Thomas, a Wash-bash brakeman, jumped from a train and fell 45 feet into a ravine. He was badly hurt.

It is announced that the decision of the Anthracite Coal Strike Commission will be made public at Washington on Saturday.

The German Crown Prince, Frederick William, who is suffering from measles at Luxora, Upper Egypt, is much improved.

President Estés, the strike leader in British Columbia, was arrested at Vancouver on a charge of inciting C.P.R. steamship crews to desert.

HUMORS

Come to the surface in the spring as in no other season. It's a pity they don't run themselves all off that way; but in spite of pimples and other eruptions, they mostly remain in the system. That's bad.

Hood's Sarsaparilla removes them and cures all the painful and disfiguring troubles they cause. Nothing else cleanses the system and clears the complexion like Hood's.

Some men can't help showing their contempt for other men's opinions.

The man who does the little things well is always ready to do the big things better.



WORKING MEN'S SHOES

Have been the old reliable hard-wear shoes for years. This spring's stock has opened up better than ever. Low priced, \$1.50 TO \$2.75 big value shoes, Sizes 6 to 12. You need them. Let's show them to you.

Geo. W. Cowan

Wonderful Resources of the West

If you are looking for a home and want to visit the West you can do so with very little expense as the Union Pacific will sell one-way colonist tickets every day at the following rates from Missouri river terminals:

UNTIL JUNE 15TH
\$25.00 to San Francisco, Los Angeles and many other California points.

UNTIL APRIL 30TH
\$20.00 to Ogden, Salt Lake City, Butte, Anaconda and Helena.
\$22.50 to Spokane and Waukegan.
\$25.00 to Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, and many other Oregon and Washington points.

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

The Union Pacific has also extended territory to which round trip Homeseekers' excursions tickets will be sold as follows:

From Missouri river terminals to many points in Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado.

To many points in Wyoming, Utah, Montana and Idaho.

To many points in Oregon and Washington.

One fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip.

Tickets on sale March 17, April 7 and 21, May 15 and 19, June 2 and 16, 1903.

For full information call on or address H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada; F. B. Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue, Detroit, Mich.

KENT BRIDGE.

G. S. Langford has opened a new grocery store.

J. Irons, who has been sick for the past two months, was out for the first time on Monday.

F. Arnold sent a shipment of eggs to Toronto Monday.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Wescott is troubled with muscular rheumatism.

Dr. Buch's cousin is visiting him this week.

F. Fleming is likely to lose a valuable horse by inflammation.

The Chief is putting up a wire fence in front of his residence.

Fred Arnold lost a valuable cow last week.

Coughs, colds, mumps, measles and mud are the principal productions of Kent Bridge these days.

SETTLERS LOW RATES WEST.

Via Chicago and North-Western R'y. every day from Feb. 15th to April 30th, colonist one way second class tickets at extremely low rates from stations in Ontario and Quebec to points in Colorado, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and California; also to Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Nelson, Rossland, etc., etc. Full particulars, rates and folders can be obtained from B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 East King street, Toronto, Can.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by L. J. Atwater, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, Mar. 19, 1903

	OPEN	HIGHEST	CLOSE	LOWEST
Wheat.....	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
May.....	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
July.....	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
May.....	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
July.....	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Oats.....	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
May.....	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
July.....	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Port. July.....	992	992	992	1000
May.....	977	977	977	987
July.....	972	970	970	980
July.....	950	950	945	953

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Staunch Solid Shoe that can stand the hard wear you give it. Our

Dressmakers
Apprentices—Apply
to Miss Morrison.

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Chatham's
Greatest
Store

NEW SHIRT WAIST GOODS

Our supplies of beautiful Shirt Waist Materials keep pace with the daily increasing demand. New styles, charming designs, are arriving continually, and the price range offers the broadest possible leeway.

Flake Waistings, a very fine Scotch Zephyr Gingham, broad Pink and Blue Stripe with a cluster of small white and colored cords, with flake effect, extra fine material, per yard, 25c

French and Irish Cambrics, for Costumes, Fancy Waists, etc., 34 in. wide, Fancy Pink and Blue Stripes with small dot effect, also Black and White Stripes, superior finished cloth, per yd, 25c

New White Vestings in P.K. effect, with fancy wide lace stripe, extra weight, at per yd, 35c

Special Basket Weave Vesting, extra heavy, wide widths, uniform weave, soft make, at per yd, 35c

Choice Shirt Waist Gingham in Pinks, Blues and Linen effects, Plain or Lace Stripes, also a very fine range of Dress Plaid Zephyrs, per yard, 12 1-2c

New White Basket Cloth Vesting, extra fine soft make, with fancy narrow Black Stripe, special per yd, 50c

WHITEWEAR.

As an illustration of the way we are selling underwear this season, we mention a few special bargain lines. We have many new styles in gowns made of the finest materials, in Low, Square, Empire and Bishop effects.

C. COVERS—

A special full front corset cover, neck and sleeves trimmed with embroidered edging, 25c.

Tight fitting of full front corset covers nicely trimmed with embroidery or lace insertion and edging, 50c.

GOWNS—

Of fine cotton, with tucked or plain yoke trimmed with frills, very special at 50c.

Empire or high neck styles; some have tucked yokes and are trimmed with frills of embroidery, empire styles are trimmed with lace or embroidery, insertion and edgings, \$1.00

DRAWERS—

Of good quality cotton, umbrella style, deep ruffle with hemstitched tucks, 25c.

Of fine cambric with deep ruffles of fine lawn, tucked or with frills of wide insertion, 50c.

SKIRTS—

Underskirts, finished with hem and tucks, 35c and 45c.

White petticoats with lawn ruffle, 50c.

Fine white petticoats, with deep frill of embroidery, finished at top with cluster of tucks, \$1.00

Petticoat of fine cotton, with very deep muslin ruffle, finished with clusters of hemstitched tucks, \$1.25

FINE HIGH CLASS SUITINGS

Ladies' Cloth.

New season's weave, soft, fine suiting materials; a dressy and excellent wearing cloth, suitable for all kinds of tailored gowns; all the best lines in medium and dark gowns, 54 in. wide, at per yard, \$1.00

Canvas Suiting.

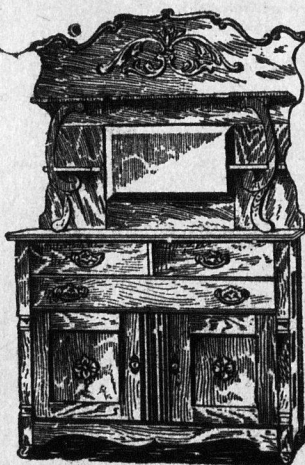
A fancy woven fabric with elegant rich finish, good weight, and popular for travelling and street wear, pure wool, 56 in. wide, at per yd. \$1.00

Box Cloth Suiting.

A plain woven dress fabric with very rich finish, medium weight for tailored costumes, all new shades for early spring, 42 in. wide, special at per yard, 40c

Harris' Homespun.

For natty walking skirts and tailored costumes, all good shades of Grey, Brown and Navy, 56 in. wide, and guaranteed, all pure wool, at per yard, 75c



Selling Superior Furniture at Low Prices

is a question purely of selling expense. With equal facilities for buying, the store with the lowest selling expense is able to give the greatest values. AUSTIN'S is such a store, with unequalled buying facilities, with lower selling expense, we always undersell for similar qualities any other furniture store in the city. Here are a few prices illustrative of the values throughout the department.

Solid Oak, Golden Finish Sideboard.

4 ft. wide by 6 ft. 10 in. high, fitted with 28 x16 in. bevelled mirror, has 3 drawers, the 2 top drawers shaped, hand carved and with solid brass fittings, and castored complete for \$13.50.

EXTENSION DINING TABLE, solid Oak, golden finish, top 44x44 in., upon five heavy turned legs, well finished and castored, complete, 8 ft. long, for \$10.



Dining Chairs, a Large Assortment from 35c. to \$5.00 each.

We call your especial attention to our set of Solid Quarter Cut Golden Finish Oak Chairs at per set, \$13.50.

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BLOODROOT COUGH CURE

25c. per Bottle.

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Our Biscuit Department.

Is an uncommon one. Just telling you how many kinds (60) we have would not impress you. You need to see the number of tins we have, and each tin contains a different biscuit.

15c. 20c. up to 40c. a Pound

- NINE CHOCOLATES, 25c. a pound.
- MAPLE CREAM, 20c. a pound.
- FRESH MARSHMALLOWS, 25c. a pound.
- MOLASSES KISSES, 15c. a pound.
- BUTTER SCOTCH, 25c. a pound.

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WHERE IRON HELPS.

When the system is disordered and vitality is lacking, the blood is found to be deficient in iron. Iron is needful, but it is hard to get. The ordinary forms of it injure the teeth and derange indigestion. In our

Beef, Iron and Wine
You get iron at its best. The form used is perfectly soluble and absolutely harmless. It is acceptable to the stomach and passes at once into the circulation.

Price, \$1.00 Per Bottle.

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Doesn't quarrel with his tools. Not if they come from our store. Everything purchased here can be relied upon. Full lines of Mechanic's Tools and Hardware at lowest prices. Best value for the money to be had anywhere. Decided bargains in every department at this store. And nothing is misrepresented. Try us.

J. C. WANLESS,
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Telephone 65.

SETTLERS TRAINS TO CANADIAN NORTHWEST.

For the convenience of settlers who desire to travel with their effects, the Grand Trunk will run special trains which will leave the Union Station, Toronto, every Tuesday during March and April, at 9:00 p. m. These trains, leaving without live stock, should take the train leaving Toronto at 1:45 p. m. See your nearest Grand Trunk agent for particulars and tickets. W. E. Rispin, C. P. & T. A., 115 King St.

W. E. Rispin, city passenger and ticket agent, is advertising specially low rates to Manitoba, the Canadian Northwest, British Columbia, California, and all coast points, with special train arrangements. Passengers desiring to go to any of these points would do well to write or call on Mr. W. E. Rispin, 115 King street, Chatham.

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Telephone Office 154.
Residence 285.

TO-NIGHT.

Divine service, Christ Church, at 8 o'clock.
Catholic Order Foresters, in their hall at 8.
Meeting of Directors of Mineral Bath Co. at 8.
Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., Temple, at 8.
Sergeants and Corporals play indoor baseball at drill shed at 8.
Meeting of the Aberdeen Baseball Club at Merrill Hotel, at 8.

Local Briefs

Miss Weeks, of Botany, visited Maple City friends yesterday.
Geo. Miller, of Blenheim, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.
Tilt's Art Store has new wall papers. Call and see them.
The Coopers' Union of this city received its charter Tuesday evening.
Wanted!—A coat and skirt maker, at once. Apply to Mrs. Johnston, King St.
E. B. West and A. Wright, of Charing Cross, were Chatham visitors yesterday.
Mrs. Charles Watt, of Thamesville, was a guest in the city yesterday.

Now is the time to secure a Dinner or Bedroom Set at Snell's Bar—20 per cent. off.

John Anderson, of the Wallaceburg Glass Works, called on his many Chatham friends yesterday.

Chas. Bodger has opened a butcher shop in the stand opposite McConnell's, on Park street, with the choicest meats. 1w

Mrs. Thos. Wright, Charing Cross, has returned from Pt. Hope, where she has been visiting her parents.

Wanted—Bright active woman for pleasant position; salary \$20.00 per month to right party. Address Box N., Planet. 3td

You will say its the funniest and best concert you ever saw when you come from the Wilson-Frye Bugle Band benefit concert at the Grand on Monday night.

Two hundred feet of the Maltese Cross brand of hose, which was purchased by the City Council from the Gutta Percha Rubber Co., of Toronto, has arrived at the Fire Hall.

Wanted—Bright young man to learn business; \$40 per month as a start to right party. Address Box T., Planet. 3td

Mrs. James Jenkins, Harvey street, entertained a number of friends last evening. Cards and other games were the amusements of the evening.

The William St. Baptist Ladies' Aid At Home, which was to have been given on Friday, March 20th, at Mrs. Cameron's, Elizabeth St., has been postponed till further notice.

What! you haven't got your ticket for the Bugle Band benefit at the Grand on Monday night. Well, you want to get a move on; the tickets are going fast and the plan opens to-morrow morning.

Chief of Police Holmes, of this city, has received a card from Cleveland, seeking the whereabouts of a fourteen-year-old lad, named Lycaryus Wilkinson, who has strayed from that city.

Mrs. McMillan, of Toronto, visited her niece, Mrs. Richard Birchard, Tuesday. She left last night for Wallaceburg, where she will spend a couple of weeks with relatives.

In Austin & Co.'s ad. yesterday the type made us say that that firm was offering a solid oak sideboard for \$10.00, which should have read \$13.50.

The Royal Templars of the city gave an evening to a number of their friends in the lodge room over the Public Library, Tuesday evening. A very interesting program was given, including songs by Messrs. Miller and Williston, and addresses by Rev. T. T. George and Select Companion A. D. Westman.

Miss Doty, of London, has arrived in the city and has commenced to drill the children of the Park Street Methodist Sunday School for their annual concert, which will be given a week from next Monday night. Rev. S. Salton, of London, will address the school a week from next Sunday.

Get your tickets at once for the Bugle Band benefit concert at the Grand on Monday evening next. The Wilson-Frye Co., consisting of artists of the best ability in fun-making lines, will give you double your money's worth.

LACE HOSE,

We have a very fine assortment of
Drop Stitch and Embroidered in Plain and Polka Dot, for Ladies and Children, 25c., 50c. and 75c. per pair.

MRS. J. E. WELDON

Chatham's Millinery Store!

SPRING GOODS

Are coming in fast, and we have a few Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats left that will be sold at a great reduction to clear.

COOKSLEY'S

Opposite the Market Square,

See Tilt's wall paper. 1f

D. A. Johnston, of Ridgeway, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

W. F. Graham, who has been spending a few days in the city, has returned to London.

Another shipment of embroideries and insertions received at Thibodeau & Jacques, 2 to 7 inches wide, extra value at 5c and 12 1-2c. 1w

TO BE SURE

Citizen writes to enquire why the Queen St. pavement is not being cleaned. The mud is so thick on the pavement that there is some doubt as to whether the frost is all out of it yet, and Citizen supposes that the Chairman of the Board of Works is waiting to be sure.

TO IRELAND'S PATRON SAINT

(Written for The Planet.)

I. Some say that our good Patrick was a saint of Scotch descent, And that to dear old Ireland, his ready help he lent; I'll not dispute the statement, for it surely may be true, But I hate to give to Scotland, the credit that is due.

II. 'Tis said that he was stolen by a sturdy Irish chief, Who tried his level best to bring St. Patrick up a thief; But when he failed in this, he hired him to a lord, Who taught him how to fight with a shillelagh for a sword.

III. At length from his stern master, our Patrick ran away, And swam the foaming Libby, at the dawning of the day. He reached his youthful home, after many a weary fight, And woke his "father" up in the middle of the night.

IV. Around his strong and stalwart frame, a father's arms were cast, And with "Stevens' Breakfast Food" he broke a long day's fast. Then to his anxious parents his adventures he did tell, Who, as they gazed upon him, felt their hearts begin to swell.

V. "Father thought that Patrick would settle down, the fields to plough and till, But of ploughing fields in Erin, Pat had surely had his fill. He went away to college to learn to be a preacher, That he might return to Ireland as a famous Christian teacher.

VI. He spent some days at college and then returned to Erin, To find the Irish people, a-rarin' and a-tearin'. Their land was over-run by mews and toads and snakes and frogs, But Patrick drove them all away and drowned them in the bogs.

VII. And then the Irish people, with joy did almost faint, And promptly turned the Scottish Pat to an Irish saint. Now when our Patrick died, they reared to him an arch, And this is why we celebrate the seventeenth of March. Chatham, March 17th, 1903.

..Clothes..

That give comfort, make you feel right and look right. We supply them.

Spring goods and Spring fashions are in. Better select a suit now.

Rain Coats Made to Order..



MORLEY & CO., FINE TAILORING

SOME Saturday Spring Snaps

—AT THE— GORDON STORE

The best values in Factory Cottons at 5c, 7c, 8c. per yard. Bleached Cottons 5c. 6c, 8c., 10c., 12 1/2 c.

Best values in Ginghams, 5c, 10c, 12 1/2 c. up to 18c. Prints, light and dark, 5c, 6c, 8c, 10c, 12 1/2 c.

10 doz. Brown 50c. Duck Overalls, warranted not to rip, Saturday for 39c.

Rolling Crash, 4c. Cotton Crashes, 5c. Russian hand wave Crash, 8c., 10c., 12 1/2 c.

All Wool Venetians, 5 pcs. 42 in. 60c. spring dress goods, Saturday snap, 36c. 5 pcs. New Canvas Cloths, Saturday, 42c.

Apron Lawns, 45 in. wide, 10c., 12 1/2 c. and 15c. Fine India Linens, 10c., 12 1/2 c., 15c. and 20c.

25 dozen Ladies' Fine Cambric Drawers, tucked and hemstitched, Saturday sale, per pair, 25c.

5,553 yds. Cochecho Mercer-silk, warranted fast colors, 12 1/2 c. goods for 6 1/4 c. yd.

Turkey Red Table Damask 2 pcs., Polka Dot patterns, 35c. Turkey Red Table Napkins, per dozen, 65c.

Shirt Waists, spring arrivals, new styles, 50c. 16 Black Sateen Waists 50c.

See Embroidery Table, filled with bargains from 5c. to 10c. per yard.

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JINGO DIED AT SEA.

The World's Largest Elephant Fretted to Death.

New York, March 19. —The elephant, Jingo, said to have been larger than Jumbo, died at sea on the steamer Georgic, which has arrived from Liverpool. Jingo was purchased in London. It had not travelled since infancy, and from the time of sailing from Liverpool the animal fretted.



Its death occurred March 12. Dericks had to be erected to hoist the body over the side. Jingo was 22 years old and weighed six tons. He was twelve feet high, valued at \$50,000, at which figure he was insured for sea risk.

THE RAILWAY COMMISSION.

Features of Mr. Blair's Proposed Bill Explained.

Ottawa, March 19. — Hon. A. G. Blair did not introduce the railway commission bill on Tuesday, as expected, owing to the measure not having been printed, but he will probably do so on Friday. As already announced, the bill will provide for the appointment of a board of three commissioners, who are to hold office for ten years, but will be eligible for re-appointment until the age limit of 75 years is reached. The board is given extensive general powers to deal with all questions affecting the public safety and respecting the public interest in matters of tolls and freight. Following the English practice, the board is made, with two exceptions, absolute judge of questions of both law and fact, arising under the act, the sole question left to the courts being that of jurisdiction. One of these exceptions permits the board to state a case to the Supreme Court of Canada for opinion on any legal points raised. The second exception gives the right of appeal from the board to the Governor in Council. The experience of the Interstate Commission has been that frequent appeals to the courts on questions of law and fact greatly hampered the commission in effectively prosecuting its work. An endeavor has been made in the bill to avoid these results, by limiting as far as possible the interference of the courts.

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MINISTERIAL EXPLANATIONS.

Reasons for Mr. Tarte's Retirement Announced.

Ottawa, March 19.—The Ministerial explanations were made in the House yesterday, and gave rise to a debate which lasted until 10 o'clock. Owing to the publication of the correspondence between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Tarte at the time of Mr. Tarte's resignation, the nature of the statements to be made was generally understood, but still the greatest interest was taken in the debate. Sir Wilfrid Laurier made a plain presentation of the constitutional questions involved, and enlarged upon the facts set forth in his letter to Mr. Tarte. Mr. Tarte, in his reply, defended himself along the lines of his Orillia speech, and insisted that he had resigned before Sir Wilfrid Laurier asked him to do so. Sir Wilfrid Laurier pointed out that even if Mr. Tarte's construction of Mr. Fielding's budget speech were correct, it should be by constitutional practice wait the formal announcement by the Finance Minister of the intention of the Government to revise the tariff. Mr. Tarte in his rejoinder insisted that the Finance Minister had given a pledge by inference, and incidentally intimated that the personal friendship between himself and the Premier had not been broken by the incident, which, so far as he was concerned, was closed. Mr. Borden, the Conservative leader, commenced upon the explanation of the Premier as unsatisfactory, and not disclosing the real cause of the changes. He also asked for a statement of the tariff policy of the Government, a request which the Premier pointed out was not at all germane to the discussion. Mr. Jabel Robinson presented the petition of 800 farmers, asking that the railway companies be required by law to provide efficient cattle guards. Mr. Monk reintroduced a bill which only reached its second reading last session, and which makes railway companies subject to the civil laws of the Provinces where they do or cause damage to private property.

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THE MAJOR'S OPINION

Major Coogan remarked this morning that the Scotch were no better than other nationalities.

"How do you account for the fact that jail statistics show that fewer Scotchmen are convicted than any other nationality?" the High Constable of Kent County was asked.

"That's because all the high officials are Scotch and they are good to those of their own race who come before them," replied the Major; and thereby he unconsciously paid a big compliment to the Scotch race, showing that men from the land of hills and heather have the ability to secure and hold positions of honor.

BOARD OF WORKS

The regular meeting of the Civic Board of Works was held last night, with the Engineer and Ald. Mounteer and Pigott present.

A petition from a number of the ratepayers on Colborne street was received. They asked that the Board of Works insist upon the Lake Erie spur on Colborne street being taken up. A number of these ratepayers addressed the meeting. The matter will be fully looked into before any action is taken.

The account of E. B. Jones, 75 cents, was ordered paid.

The following tenders for supplies were accepted:—

Lumber—The Blonde Lumber Co.

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Cuttings—McKeough & Trotter.

Cement—J. H. Oldershaw.

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Hardware—Geo. Stephens & Co.

The tenders for sprinkling were not at all satisfactory and they will be returned. Engineer Jones will draw out a form which will be filled in with prices, by those who wish to tender.

Ald. Mounteer suggested the advisability of fitting up a shed, at the rear of the market shed, for storing supplies, which will be kept on hand. The suggestion will no doubt be acted upon, as it is a good one.

A deputation from the Trades and Labor Council waited on the Board and asked that the corporation employees be given \$1.50 for nine hours' work, which shall constitute a day's pay. The matter will be given the closest consideration by the members of the Board and the Engineer, and will come up for discussion in the near future.

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SIGNALS NOT OBSERVED.

Inquest on the Death of Brakeman Maguire.

Oakville, March 18.—The inquest before Coroner Williams to find the responsibility for the G.T.R. wreck on Saturday night last, was held yesterday. Evidence was submitted stating that Operator Albertson had the semaphore against the second train, also that he went out and waved his lantern to stop the train after it had passed the semaphore. Engineer McLaughlin swore that the semaphore was not up, and said he had been on duty fourteen hours; before that he had five hours' sleep after a former fourteen hours' run, so that he and his fireman had five hours' sleep out of thirty-three. Detective Day represented the Grand Trunk, and Crown Attorney Matheson conducted the case. The jury, after being out half an hour, gave a verdict exonerating Agent Albertson and the crew of the standing train, and found that Brakeman Maguire met his death by the crew of the second train not observing the proper signals.

IMPRISONED IN A WELL.

Experience of Mr. James Morgan of Galt.

Galt, March 18.—The Joshua Sanford episode almost found a parallel yesterday afternoon, when J. Morgan, an old man of seventy, was buried half way down a fifteen-foot well. The accident occurred at 3 o'clock, and it was 5.30 before he was released. Morgan was cleaning out the quicksand in the well on Robert Brydon's farm, a mile northwest of the town. While working he loosened the stone curbing of the well, and it caved in. He noticed it in time to get into the bucket, in which he was lowered. He called to the man at the windlass to haul up, but he was not raised a foot before the cave-in occurred. As in the Sanford accident, an arch was formed over his head. The workmen on corporation jobs were called into requisition, and he was hauled in a cage. Morgan was in a sitting position, his knees up against his chin. Morgan describes his imprisonment as terrible. He said it seemed like a lifetime to him.

Bathing at Manhattan Beach.

"Been in bathing?" asked the Republican politician of his friend the Democrat, as the latter took a seat on the sand of Manhattan Beach. The Democrat's bathing suit was dripping with brine, and he shivered a little when the sea breeze struck him.

"Bathing!" exclaimed the Democrat.

"I was swimming. Women and children bathe."

"Well, swimming, then," said the Republican. "I have not been in this year, for the reason that I became thoroughly disgusted with this kind of sport last year. Why, I would dive off the raft out there only to go head first into a heap of banana skins. I would be swimming out some way from shore, and getting tired, would grasp what I thought was a life-buoy, only to find myself entangled in a lot of old barrel staves coated with grease. Finally, on coming out of the water, I'd step on a tomato can and nearly cut my foot off. Oh, no! I've had enough of this sport."

"But your Tammany gang was running the city then," continued the Republican. "Now things are different. Commissioner Woodbury is street cleaning commissioner, and dumping refuse at sea has stopped. The water along the Coney Island coast is clean now. That man Woodbury is a wonder, I tell you. Why, instead of dumping refuse in the sea he is selling it wholesale, to be converted into commercial products. So much for reform."

"You always make politics out of everything," said the Democrat as he shivered again. "You would make politics out of a funeral, you Republicans would."

"If he were put up for Mayor I'd vote for him. I believe that if you gave the man time he would stop sewers emptying into the North and East rivers, so the poor could bathe all along the shore of Manhattan."

"Clean water and clean government naturally go together," said the Republican.

And the Democrat shivered again.—N. Y. Tribune.

Do Tobacco and Cheese Cause Cancer?

Of all the ills that flesh is heir to there is none more justly dreaded than cancer, a painful and lingering disease for which no adequate remedy has yet been found. It will be remembered that in an address before a medical congress a year or so ago, King Edward of England expressed the hope that a diligent effort would be made to discover some means of checking this dreadful malady. Recent investigations point to the conclusion that one of the causes of cancer is improper food and drink. That cancers of the lips and mouth are caused by excessive smoking is now a fact established by the case of General Grant and others, and it has been intimated that cancer microbes have been found in certain fish-smelling foreign cheeses for which some fashionable people profess to have a great liking. So far as the malady is traceable to causes like these the remedy to be applied is simple and easy, viz., to smoke moderately, if at all, and to let all mouldy and decayed articles of food alone, no matter if gourmets pretend to like them.

The fascinating legend, which has led to many speculative theories and fantastical stories, of the existence of a great and populous continent in the Atlantic ocean occasionally occupies the attention of men of science. Such an occasion took place at a meeting of the Royal Irish Academy in November, when the Atlantis problem was discussed by Dr. R. F. Scharff, who contended that the evidence showed that the fauna of the Atlantic islands was mainly derived from a former land connection with Portugal and Morocco. Dr. Scharff also defended the theory of a land bridge, in the same latitudes, connecting Europe and America and persisting until miocene times.



Another club woman, Mrs. Haulle, of Edgerton, Wis., tells how she was cured of irregularities and uterine trouble, terrible pains and backache by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"A while ago my health began to fail because of female troubles. The doctor did not help me. I remembered that my mother had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound on many occasions for irregularities and uterine troubles, and I felt sure that it could not harm me at any rate to give it a trial.

"I was certainly glad to find that within a week I felt much better, the terrible pains in my back and side were beginning to cease, and at the time of menstruation I did not have nearly as serious a time as heretofore, so I continued its use for two months, and at the end of that time I was like a new woman. I really have never felt better in my life, have not had a sick headache since, and weigh 20 pounds more than I ever did, so I unhesitatingly recommend Vegetable Compound."—MRS. MAY HAULLE, Edgerton, Wis., President Household Economics Club.—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

Women should remember there is one tried and true remedy for all female ills, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It fuses to buy any other medicine, you need the best.

FOUND A TRUE BILL.

Three Counts Against the Bell Telephone Company.

Toronto, March 18.—Yesterday afternoon the Grand Jury in Judge Morgan's Court of General Sessions returned a true bill against the Bell Telephone Company on three counts. The presentment sets forth that "the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, Limited, within the limits of the County of York, in the month of February, in the year of our Lord, 1933, unlawfully did conspire, agree and arrange with a certain company, to wit, with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, to unduly limit the facilities for transporting articles and commodities, which are the subjects of trade or commerce, to wit, ordinary farm and other produce, by refusing telephone communication and privileges to one Harrison Johnston and others, thereby committing an indictable offence, contrary to the criminal code, section 520."

The second count says that the Bell Company agreed and arranged with the C.P.R. Company to "unduly limit the facilities for supplying and dealing in certain articles or commodities which are the subjects of trade or commerce, to wit, in telephone instruments, apparatus and wires."

The last count accuses the company of conspiring to lessen competition in the sale, transportation and supply of certain commodities, namely, telephones, telephone apparatus and wires. It is understood that the case will not come to trial at the present sitting of the court.

A Unique Incident.

At the emergency meeting of Doric Lodge, No. 314, at Toronto, held on Feb. 14, an incident unique occurred. One of the candidates for initiation on the occasion was Bro. Harry E. Smallpiece, one of the best-known newspaper men in the Province, and the present advertising manager of "The World." His son, Bro. C. F. Smallpiece, of Georgian Lodge, acted as J. D., and his father, Bro. H. W. Smallpiece, of St. John's, acted as the sponsor. In the East was his brother, W. Smallpiece, P. M. of St. John's. The ceremony was very impressive, and the incident unique in Masonic records.—The Freeman.

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Invaders of the Sanctum.

A United States newspaper once announced that a notorious thief, well known locally, had been lynched for horse-stealing. The man called at the office, sound in mind and limb, and demanded a withdrawal of the unfounded statement. "We cannot retract," said the editor; "we never do." "But the 'Mail,' which published a similar report, has withdrawn it," said the man. "That may be," replied the editor. "The report appearing in the 'Mail' was no doubt without foundation; but our news is always true. However, we don't mind saying in the next issue that the rope broke, and that you escaped with a slight contusion."

If a story told in journalistic circles be well founded, a somewhat similar incident occurred in London. One day a gentleman called at the office of a well-known newspaper and said to the editor, a famous man in his time: "Sir, it is announced in your paper that I am dead." "Well," replied the editor, "it is in our paper it is correct." "It is not correct, for here I am alive," rejoined the other. "Well, it can't be helped," said the editor. "But I expect you to contradict it." "No, I cannot do that," said the editor, "as we never contradict anything that appears in our paper. I will do the only thing I can do to bring you to life again. To-morrow I will put you in the list of births."

Sometimes the editor gets the better of these unpleasant invaders into his sanctum. A friend of ours was seated in his editorial chair in a Yorkshire town, quietly snipping paragraphs from contemporary journals, when in walked, unannounced, a big, ferocious-looking man with a heavy stick in his hand. "Is the editor in?" he asked. The menacing tone in which the question was asked showed that he had not come to make a friendly call, to insert an advertisement, or to pay a subscription to the journal. "No, sir," replied the editor, with admirable presence of mind—"he has just gone out. Take a seat and read the paper; he will return in a minute." Down sat the invader, crossing his legs, with his club between them, and commenced reading a paper. In the meantime the editor quietly vanished downstairs, and at the landing he met another excited man, with a cudgel in his hand, who also asked if the editor was in. "Yes, sir," was the prompt response, "you will find him seated upstairs, reading a newspaper." The second visitor, on entering the room, commenced a violent assault upon the first, which was resisted with equal ferocity. The fight was continued till they both rolled to the foot of the stairs and had cudgelled each other to their hearts' content.

New Round Dances.

Three new round dances have just been approved and adopted by the Normal Association of Masters of Dancing of the United States and Canada, which recently met in New York. They are the Military Dip Waltz, the Olympia Schottische, and the Antler's Gavotte. The Military Dip Waltz is said to be the simplest and most graceful of the three. It has been predicted that this dance will sweep the country, and may take the place of the two-step in the matter of popularity. The movements are thus described: Take a position facing your partner, as if for waltzing. The left foot of both lady and gentleman should be in the fourth position, front; that is, about the length of one step in front of the right foot. At the beginning of the strain the gentleman dips forward upon his left and the lady backward upon her right; then both reverse the movement. The gentleman next makes a quick change, stepping forward on the left and then on the right. The balance is repeated in this position, the two dip movements having occupied just four measures in all. From this point glide into the second measure, the two facing one another. The lady starts with the right foot, the gentleman with the left. Dip backward with a graceful bend of knee, then bring the rear foot forward and rise on the toes. Repeat the movement with the other foot; glide four times to the right, repeat both movements, face forward, and hop on left foot, kicking right with toe touching the floor; then hop on right, kicking left. Next assume the closed position and take four glides, a half turn, finishing with four more glides in the same direction. The Antler's Gavotte is made up entirely of familiar steps. This is begun in the closed position. March two measures, two-step four, take three glides to the left, finishing on the right foot, and wait to the close of the strain. This is a new combination of the two old favorites, two-step and waltz, with the march step for variety.

A Valuable Clue.

"Please, sergeant," exclaimed a lady, as she rushed into the police station, half out of breath. Then she hesitated. "What is it, ma'am?" "I don't like to tell you." "Proceed. Have you been robbed, or—?" "Robbed, sir; cruelly robbed. Last night someone stole a lot of clothes from off my line." "Let me give you a list of the articles stolen." "I couldn't do that, for they took two pairs of—"

"Oh, no; I really couldn't say; but, Mr. Policeman, if you see anybody wearing them, arrest them." With this brief explanation she departed, and now she is telling all the neighbors that the police force of this country are too stupid to detect crime, even when they get a clue at first hand.

I AM A NEW MAN

Angus McMillan, Over Eighty Years of Age, Pays His Respects to Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets—They Cured His Dyspepsia.

Nothing tells more forcibly the benefits aged people receive from the use of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets than the story of one of those old people themselves. Hear then the story of Angus McMillan, of Laggan P. O., Glengary Co., Ont. Long past the three score and ten mark is Mr. McMillan, for he is over eighty years of age, and though for twenty years he suffered the pains and discomforts that only the Dyspeptic knows he is to-day as bright and strong and cheerful as many a man of sixty. He has shaken off his old tormentors. He is a new man. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets did it.

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THE FOUR D'S.

Charles Spurgeon once said that there were three great enemies to man—"dirt, debt and the devil." He might have added one more "d" and included dyspepsia. The evil results this disease could hardly be exaggerated. Its effects are felt in mind and body, and are as far reaching as the effects of the curse that was laid on the Jackdaw of Rheims which was cursed in "eating and drinking and sleeping, in standing and sitting and lying." The good effects of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are most marked in aggravated and chronic dyspepsia. It enables the stomach glands to secrete the necessary quantity of digestive fluids, and this at once removes that craving or gnawing sensation so common to certain forms of indigestion. It tones and regulates the stomach, invigorates the torpid liver and gives the blood-making glands keen assimilative power. "Golden Medical Discovery" cures ninety-eight per cent. of those who use it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are superior to all other laxative medicines when the bowels are obstructed.

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HUMORS

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A. B. SELVEY

The Breakfast State of Mind.

Why is breakfast "the most trying meal of the day?" asks a writer in the "Spectator." Why are people irritable at breakfast and disinclined to talk? Is it possible, perhaps, that there exists a particular breakfast bacillus, which thrives in the presence of bacon, coffee and buttered toast, and which attacks everybody who comes into the room where it lives, with a varying effect upon different constitutions? For the breakfast state of mind varies with different persons. There are several distinct classes into which the prevalent symptoms seem to fall. People do not behave in the same way at breakfast as at other meals, and though at dinner their moods may be practically indistinguishable — the states of mind of diners, that is, do not greatly vary — at breakfast they conduct themselves as differently as possible. There are some people, for instance, who are in an offensively high spirits early in the morning; in a state of health, in short, which is really described as rude. You can hear them coming downstairs, no matter how far the stairs are away from the dining-room, after slamming their bed-room doors with a resounding bang. They open the dining-room door as if they were pursued by a policeman, and probably slap their male friends on the back in an extremely provocative manner. During breakfast itself, while consuming great quantities of all kinds of food, they comment loudly on the small appetites of others, and insist upon drawing the attention of those who clearly wish to eat very little to the presence of everything which is edible in the room. They appear to be perfectly unconscious of the amount of suffering which their splendidly healthy habits inflict upon other persons of less robust constitutions, and are only able to suggest, in answer to possible complaints of a headache, that the complainant should resort to the partition dish of which they have themselves eaten, and which they invariably describe as "quite excellent."

If the frame of mind of the rude and boisterous breakfaster is one extreme, the other extreme is the mental state of the man who goes through the meal in a condition of profound depression. He gazes vaguely and unconprehendingly at a succession of dishes, eventually taking the smallest possible amount of the dish that is easiest to get on with. He does not speak unless someone speaks to him, when he either answers shortly and sadly, or, more often, with obviously forced merriment and inconsequent laughter. Or — and perhaps this is the worst of the breakfast state of mind — a more striking antithesis to the rudely boisterous — his unbalanced mental attitude may be one of suppressed fury. Men have been known who every morning of their lives hold a kind of review of their acquaintances and friends, and in some cases of their enemies. They go through the breakfast hour in passing, so to speak, down the front and rear ranks, and in trenchantly summing up the habits and qualifications of every man reviewed, ending in each case with the verdict that "he is an ass."

Probably he is nothing of the kind; later in the day, indeed, he may come down with all the virtues, but from eight o'clock in the morning until he possesses for the furious breakfaster no characteristics except those of the idiot, or, in exceptional cases, of the professional robber. Of course, between the extremes of the rudely boisterous and the profoundly depressed or treacherous, there are a great number of degrees, but the fact is that the breakfast state of mind is a more striking antithesis to the rudely boisterous — his unbalanced mental attitude may be one of suppressed fury. Men have been known who every morning of their lives hold a kind of review of their acquaintances and friends, and in some cases of their enemies. They go through the breakfast hour in passing, so to speak, down the front and rear ranks, and in trenchantly summing up the habits and qualifications of every man reviewed, ending in each case with the verdict that "he is an ass."

There are other and more or less comprehensible states of mind; as, for instance, the dislike which some persons have of watching other people eat porridge; the unhappiness which possesses some breakfasters, who walk alone, unless they are allowed to walk up and down the room in silence; the extreme difficulty which some men find in breakfasting in a room in which there is a looking-glass; and the strange mental condition which, at whatever time they may happen to come down to the dining-room, impresses some persons to but one desire — namely, to get the thing over as soon as possible. "Early or late, winter or summer, work or holidays, two damns and a cup of coffee — that's my breakfast," was the succinct comment of one who invariably began the day in a quite unnecessary hurry.

Ideal.

Mrs. Van Antler — She is a fine nurse, isn't she?

Mrs. Giltspee — Splendid. Why, I never have to see the baby from one week's end to the other.

The Kind That Get Away.

"That little minnow" said the first fish, "seems to have got a big opinion of himself all of a sudden." "Yes," replied the other, "he managed to wriggle off a hook this morning, and then heard the fisherman bragging about his size." Philadelphia "Press."

"Yo say Mistah Johnsing am industrious?" "Yes, sah. Why, he spent two whole days tryin' to get his wife a job." Chicago "Daily News."

Israel Zangwill has been one of the wisest witnesses in the "Truth" libel case in London. Asked whether his paper, "Ariel," was still in existence, he replied: "No. It was too good to live. I can't, however, say that it is dead, for its jokes still appear."

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