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Millinery Opening Display

To-morrow (**TUESDAY**) and following days.
We extend to you an invitation to come in and see our showing of importest millinery.

Dress Goods.

A showing of dress Goods that has never been equalled in this store for values and styles. Newness of style is stamped right on the face of them, and the values are apparent even to the most indifferent buyer.

In **BLACK DRESS GOODS** we are especially strong, and give you a variety such as you will see nowhere else in the city.

Our styles right through are confined exclusively to this store, so that if we wish to secure a dress dress different from others you can be satisfied here.

Lace Collars.

The new deep lace collars with and without stole fronts are here in abundance—some styles particularly suitable for Children's Cloaks. Prices, \$1.25 to \$3.50

Cloaks.

Two more large cases of cloaks have just been opened to-day direct from the manufacturers in Berlin, Germany.

Our stock is now very complete in Ladies', Misses and Children's Jackets, and we invite your inspection of them to-morrow when in to the

Millinery Opening.

The styles are exclusively our own, and can be seen in no other store. It will be interesting for you to see the very latest developments in European and New York styles for ladies and children.

Furs.

We make a special showing of Furs to-morrow. We have a Fur reputation of over 50 year's standing to maintain, and are careful in the selection of every piece that comes into this store.

THOS. STONE & SON...

Pandora Range

—AND THE—

Famous Base Burner.

Two of our leading stoves.



THE 'FAMOUS' BASE BURNER has the advantage over all other base burners, having three base flues, making it the most powerful heater and most economical of all base burners.
We still handle the "Famous" Active and Kitchener Range. They are old favorites. Klondike, air-tight and everything in heating and cooking stoves for wood and coal at prices to suit your purse and taste.
Visitors to the fair are invited to visit "THE ARK" and inspect our stock of Lamps, Fancy China, Dinnerware in Limoges and Semi-Porcelain, Toilet Sets, Crockery, Cutlery, etc., etc. Everything required in housekeeping you will find at this store. Come in and look around, you will not be urged to buy.

"PANDORA RANGE" has triple triangular grates, something entirely new, steel, enameled reservoir, removable, can be used as a preserving kettle. The oven is large and well ventilated. The Pandora is the most perfect and handsome range in the market.



H. MACAULAY,

Phone 159, 89 King St.

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

Minard's Liniment — Lumberman's Friend.

Port William, Sept. 20.—(Special.)—The special train with members of the Manufacturers' Association passed through Port William to-night, en route to Winnipeg. They were welcomed here by members of the local Board of Trade, and bade to visit the town on their return trip.

FAREWELL OF MR. KNOWLES

Impressive Sermon to Crowded Church by the Earnest Young Minister.

The Church and Its Mission was His Subject—Parting Words with His People.

Rev. W. E. Knowles occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church for the last time yesterday and delivered his farewell sermon in the evening. The church was crowded and many were the handkerchiefs in evidence when the minister was saying good-bye to his congregation. The members of the church showed that they felt the separation as keenly as did the pastor. The Rev. Mr. Knowles took as his subject unity in the church and preached an eloquent sermon from the text "Christ is the head of the body in the church." He said that the time for his preaching here was nearly done and he thought that to-night was a good time to consider the real purpose of the church. The main thought of the text was that Christ was still the head of the church. He was still the head of it. The church was not alone on this earth and when anything is done by the church, it should not be forgotten that Christ is the head of the church. The text also signified the unity of the church. It meant that members of the body that made up the church were not separated but were one. He was considering the church as including all denominations. In unity there was strength, and as the drops of water made up the mighty ocean so did the different members make up the powerful church. He said it to his sorrow that members repeated the words and observed the sacrament together then went forth into the world strangers and having no more thought of the one who had sat next at the sacred function. On the west-



REV. WILLIAM EWART KNOWLES, B.A., B.D., who leaves the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church to take up mission work in the far-away Yukon.

ern slope of the Rockies he had seen great pines rearing their tall height to the skies. They had stood firm because shoulder to shoulder the huge trees were able to defy the fierce storms that swept up the mountain slope. The trees that stood alone looked sickly and were dying. If only the members of a church stood shoulder to shoulder with locked arms they would be strong enough to withstand temptation. The highest work any member of a church could perform was in ministering to others.

The nature of the church was essentially spiritual and there was great difficulty in keeping it from being material. It differed from all other organizations because it opened up into heaven.

Too often the members were proud of the greatness of the building, were pleased with the size or magnificence of the organ, or the excellence of the music. The church of Christ was something rising high above such things. These were but instruments, the means to an end. The church was a spiritual church and it mattered not where it was so long as the heart of man was brought near to God. So many people were saying that the church was losing its grasp. If that were so the church had fallen too much in love with the world. The church could win only when it put the spiritual things first. The world can find the natural things in the music halls, lodge rooms and other places.

The church was worldly in this sense that it was composed of individuals, and as the individual members approached near to God, only in that proportion could the church be near to Christ, and until the individual members were brought close to Christ there could be no real church. This was the message Mr. Knowles desired to draw from the text.

Having completed his sermon, Mr. Knowles bade farewell to his congregation. He said that he disliked the introduction of the personal into addresses, but to omit it might savor of affectation. He thanked the congregation for their exceeding loyalty during his pastorate extending over two years and eight months. If ministers could only live up to their ideals there would be such different

ministers. The real minister of Christ cared not for the current of thought that surrounded him and had no fear before his eyes, other than the fear of God. No man living had had such temptations to neglect his high calling as the minister had. He had such a temptation to say the words that would please and would bring back pleasing compliments.

In conclusion, Mr. Knowles said good-bye to old and young, to the members and adherents and to the visitors, and laid stress on the fact that there had never come between the congregation and himself the shadow of a difference. He closed with the couplet—
Sunset and evening star,
And after that the "light,"

He asked permission to make the change in Tennyson's words and "When we enter beyond the reach of earthly voices that there may be peace for us all."

Special music was rendered by the choir. Claire Monteith sang in exquisite voice "The Lost Sheep." This was perhaps one of the finest first-toned solos ever heard in the First Presbyterian church. Mr. Monteith has a natural voice of wonderful sweetness and power.

Miss Edna Martin and C. H. Gunn sang the duet, "Though your sins be as scarlet." Miss Martin also gave an exceptionally fine rendition of the solo, "Abide with Me."

Fred Stone, on behalf of the ladies, requested the congregation to meet Monday night in the church and school room to say good-bye to Mr. Knowles.

FALLING TO PIECES.

MORE RESIGNATIONS FROM THE BRITISH CABINET.

Lord Balfour of Burleigh and Hon. Arthur R. Elliott have Resigned—The Premier Criticized For Selling His Pamphlets.

London, Sept. 21.—Lord Balfour of Burleigh, Secretary for Scotland, and the Hon. Arthur Ralph Douglas Elliott, Financial Secretary of the Treasury, have resigned, and their resignations have been accepted by the King. Mr. Elliott was not in the Cabinet. These two resignations make a total of four vacant Cabinet posts and one Secretaryship at Premier Balfour's disposal.

London, Sept. 21.—In the innermost circles of the Conservative party it is considered certain that dissolution will be postponed as long as possible. Time makes for the protectionists, and Mr. Chamberlain will utilize it for his propaganda. The indignation against the Government occasioned by the South African War Commission's report will "subside," hostile parties as far as possible will be conciliated, and the country, familiarized with protectionist ideas, and no longer frightened at the prospect of the new proposals, will, it is hoped, come round to the policy advocated by Mr. Chamberlain, which, when the moment appears to be propitious, will be fully embraced by Premier Balfour.

With the resignation of Lord Balfour and Financial Secretary Elliott, both strong free traders, it is understood that the Ministerial resignations are completed, and apparently the Duke of Devonshire has decided to remain in the Cabinet. It is practically certain that Mr. Austen Chamberlain, Lord Milner and Mr. Brodick will take the Exchequer, Colonies and India portfolios, respectively, and the only surprise in the new appointments is likely to be the nomination of a strong man to the War Office to determine how far the recommendation of the South African War Commission can be carried out.

The Home Secretary, the Right Hon. Akers-Douglas, started for Balmoral to-night, and he will probably be involved in the reconstruction of the Cabinet.

New York, Sept. 21.—The Sun has the following special from London: The Sun correspondent is informed that the Duke of Devonshire, Lord President of the Council, and the Marquis of Londonderry, President of the Board of Education, tendered their resignations from the Cabinet concurrently with those of Messrs. Chamberlain and Ritchie and Lord George Hamilton, but that Mr. Balfour refused to accept them.

It is not known whether they will press the matter until the successors of their late colleagues are appointed, but if the appointments are pronounced advocates of a preferential tariff it is believed that the Duke and the Marquis will resign.

Birmingham, Sept. 21.—A conference of 330 delegates, representing 240,000 workmen, members of unions and co-operative societies, was held here yesterday. The conference adopted a resolution expressing belief in the advantage of free trade, and condemning preferential tariffs.

London, Sept. 21.—A curious phase of the situation is the severe criticism regardless of party lines bestowed on Mr. Balfour's action in publishing his views and selling them in pamphlet form. By Mr. Balfour's own admission he is a "mere child in such matters," and his inexperience in business affairs now appears to have put him at the mercy of the publishers of the pamphlet, who are coining money over the vital issue in national affairs. The Outlook, which is a warm supporter of the Premier, declares Mr. Balfour's indiscretion "strikes a rude blow at one's reverence for the traditions of English public life when a public servant's position seems to be used for private gain, no matter whose."

42nd. MILESTONE OF THE CHURCH

Special Anniversary Services at Christ Church by Rev. Canon Richardson

Splendid Musical Service by the Full Choir Under Direction of J. W. Wilson

The anniversary services of Christ Church were held yesterday. Canon Richardson, of London, preached both morning and evening, and the church was well filled on both occasions. This is the 42nd anniversary of the opening of Christ Church, and at the conclusion of his morning's sermon Canon Richardson took occasion to pay a very high tribute to the rector and the church on the excellent work they are doing.

Canon Richardson's morning sermon was based upon the subject of glorifying God. Upon this text he gave a most able discourse which was highly appreciated by the congregation.

"You cannot glorify God by adding to His glory," said the preacher, but you can live in a way that will make Him glorious in the eyes of other people. You cannot add light to the sun, but you can allow the light to come into the room by raising the blind. So you may glorify God that men may know Him as He is.

"The glory of God is revealed by the Church of God through our lives and if we have been living for the glory of God we can die for His glory and show that He who can help a poor sinner to live can help a Christian to die."

In the evening the Canon's sermon was especially good. His subject was based upon the two prayers—the Pharisee's and the Publican's—and went on to enquire how many people to-day are like the Pharisee in their attitude and demeanor in the Church of God, and how many like the Publican. He dwelt chiefly on the reverence which should be felt in the House of God and how all worldly ambitions should be laid aside in anything pertaining to church work.

"We come not to the Church of God to hear a musical performance," said he, "and we are not here socially gathered, but we do come here for prayer and to worship God."

"There are some people who come to church merely to listen to the sermon. They wait listlessly until the text is announced and then they give their undivided attention to the words of the preacher, and when the sermon is over they either troop out or wait impatiently until the church is dismissed."

"Others come merely to hear the music and are carried away by the vocal and instrumental part of the service. They wait for the great anthem and when it is over their interest in the service is gone. We all love the music very dearly, but there is a higher and more sacred motive for church attendance."

"There are still others who make the church services nothing but social gatherings. They come, see, and speak to their friends, and in so called fashionable churches women appear in church on Sundays so that their friends will call upon them during the following week. They come merely for worldly gratification and they wonder why the church is so cold."

"Pharisees are to be found in the church to-day flourishing as they did in olden times."

The music by the choir was of a special nature and was very much enjoyed at both services. The choir, under the direction of their capable leader, J. W. Wilson, gave the following program:—

Morning.
Hymn 357.
Venite—Deane.
Gloria—Deane.
Te Deum, quartette, Thieskum—Misses McKellar and Stephenson and Messrs. Angus and Wilson.
Jubilate Deo—Lorenz.
Hymn 100.
Sermon.
Anthem—I will Extol Thee.
Hymn 123.

Evening.
Hymn 22.
Gloria—Deane.
Magnificat—Howard.
Nunc Dimittis—Shelby.
Hymn 54.
Solo—Miss Lucy McKellar.
Sermon.
Anthem—The Voice of Praise—solos by Miss E. Deane.

Male Quartette—The Christian's Good-night. Messrs. Angus, Ross, Smith and Wilson.

WANTS DIVORCE

Ex-Chathamite Entered Suit Against His Wife in Detroit—Will be Vigorously Fought.

Detroit, Sept. 21.—Attorney Orville B. Cragg, on Thursday last, began suppressed divorce proceedings against Ida A. Cragg, charging extreme cruelty. The defendant, through her solicitors, Dwyer & Dwyer, yesterday filed her appearance and incidentally a petition for

solicitor's fee and alimony, in which she represents that Cragg earns \$150 a month in the pursuit of his profession, and that she is without means to support herself and her infant daughter during the pendency of the suit. Defendant intends to contest the suit and her solicitors have prepared an answer and cross bill denying Cragg's allegations and making others against him, which are said to be of a like nature.

Mr. Cragg is a native of Dresden and resided for some years in the Maple City. Last spring he assisted in staging the presentation of the Merchant of Venice for the Macaulay Club.

LEFT GURNEY FOUNDRY.

Four Moulders Charged With Desertion.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—Charged with deserting their employers, the Gurney Foundry Company, while they were under agreement to work, John Campbell, John Watson, John Dowie and Alfred Blackburn were arrested yesterday in Montreal. Detectives Davis and Cuddy are going to bring them back to-day. All the prisoners are moulders, and had their passage paid, it is claimed, from the old country to Canada by the company.

GHASTLY FIND NEAR BLENHEIM

Decomposed Body of Missing Workman Found in the Woods.

Was in the Habit of Disappearing for Weeks at a Time—Enquiry will be Made.

From The Planet's Correspondent.

Blenheim, Sept. 21.—A ghastly discovery was made on Saturday at Mr. John Cameron's farm, fourth concession, Harwich, when Jas. Wellwood was found dead in the woods, the body being in a terrible state of decomposition.

The deceased worked on Mr. Cameron's farm till about two weeks ago, when he disappeared. As he has been in the habit of going away and staying for weeks at a time, nothing was thought of it, until the body was found Saturday.

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DOROTHY DODDS ARE HERE

Are here in all their brightness.

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

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

Prices { \$3.75. \$4.00

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SOLE AGENTS

GREEN GINGER ROOT...

We have just received a shipment of a splendid quality of fine Jamaica Ginger—firm and juicy—just right for ginger peeps or preserved ginger. This quality is rare and the supply limited, so we can advise an early purchase.

Corks, Rubber Rings, Wax, Pure Spices, and everything for preserving or pickling.

...THE...

Crystal Pharmacy,
ED. T. JONES, Prop.

The Planet.

S. STEPHENSON - Proprietor.

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21.

REV W. E. KNOWLES

In the departure of Rev. W. E. Knowles, whose pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church terminated yesterday, Chatham loses an esteemed young citizen.

While Mr. Knowles is, perhaps, a man of exceptional reserve, he has proved a vigorous exponent of right, a pointed and fearless pulpiteer, a large-hearted friend and an earnest citizen of undeniable worth. His ministrations have been characterized by energy, sincerity and ability and his departure is not alone a source of regret to the congregation over whom he presided, but also to the people at large.

The good wishes of the entire community will follow Rev. Mr. Knowles in his new work in the far-away Yukon.

NORTH RENFREW.

This is the 468th day of the North Renfrew vacancy. The Administration for merely partizan purposes is defying the spirit of the Constitution, and is deliberately keeping a constituency unrepresented. For nearly seventy weeks North Renfrew has had no member. No one denies that this is wrong. The outrage simply points to the fact that British institutions tacitly assume that they will be worked by straightforward publicists, not by machine politicians. But as Ontario is now governed it is evident that it is becoming more and more necessary to have recourse to the American system of formal legislative clerks and guards. The next step must be to make it statutory to hold bye-elections within a certain period after the occurrence of the vacancy. The rigidity which now governs election petitions must be carried further.—Toronto News, Independent, Sept. 10.

Let us again forget, this is the 479th day of the North Renfrew vacancy.

"Rep. by Pop." evidently doesn't go with the Laurier Government in Kent.

Now for the Fair of fairs — the Great Peninsular Exposition, the exhibit of the Garden of Canada.

School teachers may be scarce now, but reports from the Normal schools at London, Ottawa and Toronto, lead us to believe that the famine has just commenced. At the three Normal schools there are not half the number of teachers in training this term that there was last term, owing no doubt to the fact that the terms are now one year instead of six months as formerly. The result of the famine will be that salaries will go up, up, up. In this County of Kent at the present time there are five or six schools that can not secure a teacher.—Tilbury News.

ABOUT GHOSTS

The following telegram speaks for itself:—

Woodstock, Ont., Sept. 18.—F. H. Brisco, Mgr. Grand Opera House.—"Ghosts" is good. C. A. Pyre.

MAYOR'S PRIZES

Judge Houston and City Clerk Merritt were discussing this morning as to who would win the prizes offered by Mayor McKee for the best kept lawns in the city. The City Clerk said that if the judges drove they would be barred from inspecting the residences on Victoria avenue, as it would be impossible for a carriage to go up that street.

Judge Houston retorted that perhaps the residences on Victoria avenue had been barred all right, but that was only to give the residences in the other parts of the city a chance. The judges are Will Ross, T. R. Harris and J. E. Thomas, and they are now ready for entries. All those desirous of entering the contest should post their entry without delay, and the Judge will then appoint a day for visiting and examining the places.

AFTER QUALITY

"I would like you to mention the fact that the Board of Works do not complain against the quality of all the curb and gutter which has been laid on King St. West," said Ald. Mounteer, chairman of that board, this morning. "It is just a piece of it near Inches avenue, which is poor-constructed. This was put down before an Inspector was appointed for the work. The Engineer is investigating the matter this morning and if it is not up to the specifications it will have to be torn up."

"As far as I am concerned," added Mr. Mounteer, "I am going to see that the work put down on that street is of first class quality and if any of the work done now is not of the best it will have to be made so."

Liver and Kidneys

It is highly important that these organs should properly perform their functions. When they don't, what lameness of the side and back, what yellowness of the skin, what constipation, bad taste in the mouth, sick headache, pimples and blotches, and loss of courage, tell the story. The great alternative and tonic

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Gives these organs vigor and tone for the proper performance of their functions, and cures all their ordinary ailments. Take it.

Local Briefs

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. If Byron Holmes, of Tupperville, was a Chatham visitor Saturday.

Good smart men are wanted at the Beaver Flour Mills.

Henry Primeau, of the Urban, spent Sunday in the City of the Straits.

Boy wanted at The Planet Press Rooms—at once!

F. E. Baker, of the "Ghosts" Company, left Saturday morning for Port Huron.

Mrs. A. G. Peate has gone to Dresden, where she will visit for a few days.

E. L. Wedge and James Sterling, of Blenheim, were Chatham visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Gordon, of New York, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Patterson, Lorne Ave.

Earl Sheldrick, of the Wm. Gray & Sons Co., Limited, left Saturday for Pittsburgh.

Miss Taylor and Mrs. Williams, Dufferin avenue, have gone to Toledo, where they will spend a few days.

Harry Moffatt, of Woodstock, well known to Chatham manufacturers, spent a couple of days in the city.

Henry Wildgen and daughter, Miss Agnes, and Mrs. Petz, of Buffalo, are visiting Mrs. Charles LaFrance in this city.

J. M. Pike will deliver an address on his trip to California at the Victoria avenue Epworth League next Friday evening.

Miss May Peate and her guest, Miss Mabel Sager, of Dresden, left Saturday morning for Toledo, where they will visit her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Albright.

The days are getting short, and if you must get up early, E. J. MacIntyre has a line of those 75c alarm clocks that are sure to wake you up.

Mrs. Lugsdin, of Toronto, who has been visiting Mrs. Barfoot, Dufferin avenue, for the last three months, has returned home.

An emergent meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M. G. R. C., will be held this evening at 7.30 for the purpose of conferring degrees.

Refrigerators, screen doors, ice cream freezers, lawn mowers, hose, hammocks and bicycles. Full and fresh assortment at low prices. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Mrs. John Hildreth was baptized in the Thames back of Tecumseh Park last evening by the All Saints. A large number of the members of the All Saints church and others witnessed the baptism.

Miss Kate Wemp, of Cleveland, has returned home after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Wemp, Barthe street. Miss Wemp is head nurse in the surgical department at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland.

Mrs. Herbert Fisher, China Decorator and Teacher, Studio in the Sheldrick building. For terms, etc., apply at Room 75, Garner Hotel, any afternoon or evening from September 23rd. Classes open Oct. 12th.

Wm. Hopper, of Elkhorn, Neb., has been spending a few days with his brother Andrew Hopper, Wabash, who is seriously ill. Mr. Hopper returns to Nebraska this week.

Chief Pritchard, of the fire department, is rapidly improving from his recent illness. He was able to be down town Saturday, but he will not resume his duties at the hall until the first of the month.

A skin that burns with eczema is not only unsightly, but a weariness of the flesh. In such cases faithfully use Weaver's Syrup internally and Weaver's Cerate externally. They always cure.

John McCorvie, executor of his brother's estate, has sold the farm of New China for presents, the Corvie to Archie McCorvie, of Mull. The farm lies right at Mull and consists of 100 acres. The sale netted about \$65 an acre.

Wanted, good boy for trimming department. Apply Wm. Gray & Sons Company.

Don't You Make a Mistake

and purchase a Dinner, Tea or Chamber

Set until you have seen and learned our prices. We have a quantity of New China for presents, the latest goods out. The quality and price will certainly please you. Call and be convinced.

Groceries—The business we are doing is positive proof of the satisfaction we give in quality and prices, this also insures fresh goods all the time.

7 lbs. Rolled Oats 25c; Ginger Snaps 6c lb; 2 lbs. Pure Lard 25c, Corn Starch 7c package, Pickles, 10c bottle; 3 Large Cans Mustard Sardines, 25c; 5 lbs. Tapioca 25c; 1 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c; Vinegar and Spices—A 1 quality at lowest prices.

John McConnell,

Phone 190, - Park St.

WE SEND GREETING!

LANDING UPON THE THRESHOLD OF A NEW SEASON WE SEND GREETING.

Autumn with its whistling winds will soon admonish us that a new season is nigh.

The Fall Clothing question is now an all important matter for consideration, and we take great pleasure in cordially inviting every Man, Boy or Parent who will have clothing to buy during the coming season to call on us for the purpose of looking at and examining

THE NEW CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS..

we are now showing. To show our new styles affords us great satisfaction. All things are ready, COME!

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

City Engineer Jones is preparing plans for a triangular park at the corner of Wellington and Lacroix Sts. Mrs. McLean has given a corner off her lot and the street will be altered so as to allow for a small triangular park 60 feet on a side in the centre of the road.

Rondeau Service—Sun and after Wednesday, Sept. 9th, train leaves Chatham at 1 p. m., Blenheim 1.25 p. m. Leaves Rondeau at 3 p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays until Oct. 31st.

S. Glenn & Son shipped a car of beans to the eastern market Friday. The bean crop this year will be the greatest Kent has ever known if the weather holds out good. This is the largest crop the County has ever had and the sample so far is good. So say some farmers.

Instead of holding a ball the firemen intend to put on an attraction at the Grand this year as a means of raising funds for their accident insurance premiums. They will put on the Colonial moving pictures on October 23.

The ladies of St. Joseph's church will hold a bazaar and serve meals on Cross street in the Young Men's Hall on Saturday, 19th, and the following Wednesday and Thursday and following Saturday. Supper will be served every day during Fair week. All are invited.

Gilbert McClintock, the young son of the Rev. Mr. McClintock, Harvey street, had the misfortune to again break his arm. About a month ago he broke his right arm and the splints were only removed last Thursday. Saturday he had the misfortune to fall and break his arm again in the same place.

Hotel Rates Reduced

The Queen's Hotel, Toronto, American plan, from \$2.50 per day, with bath from \$3.00 per day.

DOING WELL

Physician Gives Good Report on Condition of Victims of Blenheim Accident.

Dr. J. L. Bray, head surgeon of the Lake Erie Railroad, left this morning for Blenheim and Ridgeway on a visit to the injured in the recent wreck at Blenheim. Dr. Bray has accorded them every attention and his professional ministrations have been attended with most satisfactory results.

"The patients are all doing splendidly," said the doctor when interviewed by The Planet concerning their condition, "and no serious results are now feared."

"There is no truth in the more or less alarming reports that have appeared and I think it is unfortunate that such are put in circulation."

LIGHT QUESTION

You might call attention to the fact that we have two electric lights on Queen street, and the street is in darkness nearly every night," said a resident on that street to The Planet this morning.

The lights have been lit for five nights since the 30th of August, and that is since the Moore Bros. were warned by the City Council. Considerable road work has been done on that part of the street lately and the roads are bad enough to drive over even when the lights are burning.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

OUR Millinery Opening

—WILL TAKE PLACE—

To-morrow

(Tuesday) and following days of this week. The Northway Store long since established an enviable reputation for trimmed and untrimmed millinery, constantly showing the latest and newest effects. This season's showing relegates the best efforts of preceding years to honorable obscurity.

In Trimmed Hats we show the latest ideas of Paris, London and New York, while the designs of our own staff of expert trimmers vie with them in their dainty beauty and general excellence. In fact The Northway Opening of Fall Millinery means an authentic showing of foreign and New York styles, excelling in novelty, quality and extent anything that has ever been attempted in this city.

You are Cordially Invited

to attend this unrivalled display of fashion creations. After viewing the millinery see our magnificent display of New Dress Goods, Silks, Dress Trimmings, New Capes, Coats, Furs, Silk Waists, Flannel Waists, Lustré Waists, Wrappers, Dressing Gowns, Fine Table Linens, Gloves, Underwear, etc., etc. In fact every department in our large store will greet you with a wealth of newness, that will well repay your visit. Come and bring your friends along. Everybody will be made welcome.

The Northway Company, Ltd.

Stores at Chatham, St. Thomas, Toronto, Ridgeway, Simcoe, Tillsonburg and Orillia. Factories at Toronto and St. Thomas.

Bazaar and Meals

The Ladies of St. Joseph's Church will hold a Bazaar and Serve Meals in St. Joseph's Hall, Cross street, on Saturday at noon and from five to eight o'clock each day during the following week. Each purchaser of a ticket will be entitled to a drawing for a barrel of flour on Saturday, 26th inst.

AN EMPEROR'S STAND.

Creates Excitement in Austria-Hungary.

Vienna, Sept. 18.—Emperor Francis Joseph, who returned here after the army manoeuvres, has issued an army order emphatically declaring that he will never consent to the demands of the Hungarian party, who insist on the use of their own language by officers in giving commands to the Hungarian section of the forces. Dealing with the question, which precipitated the political crisis, the Emperor, after praising the harmonious co-operation of all the troops which took part in the manoeuvres, says:—"I am bound and determined to uphold the army's present well-tried regulations. Certain one-sided efforts, calculated to undermine the sterling structure of the army, demand that it be borne home that I will never give up the rights and prerogatives which are guaranteed to me as the supreme commander. United and undivided as it is, so shall my army remain."

The army order has caused an immense sensation in Austria and Hungary. The Emperor's pathetic assurance that he will never give up his rights and prerogatives as Chief Commander sounds like a war proclamation against the Hungarian National demands. The impression caused by the imperial order is almost indescribable. Hitherto the Emperor has been regarded as the most silent monarch in Europe. Never before, even in the gravest constitutional conflicts, has he used such language as contained in today's army order. It is taken as being the beginning of a conflict between the throne and the Hungarian Parliament, the end of which cannot be foreseen.

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New Capital of the Australian Commonwealth is Also Picturesque.

Tumut, the new capital of the Australian Commonwealth, half-way between Sydney and Melbourne, is at the present moment so remote from the outer world that it is fully twenty miles distant from the nearest line of railroad, with which it keeps in touch by means of a daily coach service. But what it lacks in prosperity and in accessibility it makes up in salubrity and in the picturesque beauty of its surroundings.

The town as now constituted has a population of about thirteen hundred, with four banks, four churches, curiously placed, as if they were the reflection of the painter's eye of the Southern Cross; a few schools, a lecture hall and three inns. The principle buildings are of red brick, while the others are of the weatherboard verandah fronted, corrugated iron roof variety, as common in the small western towns of this country as in Australia, and are protected on the slope of the hills, along the banks of the River Tumut, from which the town takes its name, and which, unlike most Australian rivers, does not become infinitesimally small during the hot weather, but remains at the high water mark always, thanks, perhaps, to the melting snows of the neighboring mountains, the loftiest of which is Mount Kosciusko, the culminating point of the entire continent.

This abundance of water all the year round—so rare in Australia—contributes to render the Town of Tumut and its vicinity a perfect garden from January to December. The river is overhung by closely set willows, while the roads are bordered by hedgerows of sweet briar, intermingled with wattle, the golden blossom of which is the floral emblem of Australia. Long lines of poplars are dwarfed here and there by huge gum trees, while the valley is green with Indian corn, Tumut maize commanding the top prices in the markets of Sydney and Melbourne. In fact, the vegetation of Tumut never becomes the withered, bone dry spectacle, so familiar during the heated season in other parts of Australia; and situated as it is in a sheltered mountain valley, its climatic conditions are those of a sanatorium as compared with those of Sydney and Melbourne. Indeed, it is difficult to conceive of political strife taking any acute form at Tumut, where the mountain air, cooled by the snows of towering Kosciusko, will always be at hand to soothe the heated passions and to calm the fevered brow of the Australian legislator.

Tumut has the rare advantage of being able to have its name spelled forward or backward, according to the wishes of its inhabitants, and, moreover, it is originally and therefore characteristically Australian.

Art Schools in Britain.
According to the Cornhill Magazine the youth of Britain who has a liking for art has a choice of 250 schools and 1,600 art classes conducted at the expense of the State. His next step in the Royal College of Art at South Kensington, which is also under the Board of Education. Art teachers are formed here, but other students can enter on payment of \$65 a term if they pass the tests. There is the State school in London at University College. The Royal Academy schools have a five-year course. The last report of the examiners at the Victoria and Albert Museum (South Kensington) shows that 5,722 works were entered for competition out of 41,510 sent up to London for examination. Birmingham took seventy-four prizes, of which nineteen are for jewelry and metalwork. The report takes a shot at a modern fashion by the remark: "We regret to notice the pernicious influence in some of the designs of that modern phase of work which has been called 'L'Art Nouveau.' The rebuke has struck very close home for the Victoria and Albert Museum has been acquiring of late a good many specimens of the modern art to which the examiners attribute a 'pernicious influence.'"

Phoenix Park, Dublin.
Phoenix Park at Dublin, in which the Vice-regal Lodge is situated and which in the old duelling days was the place where gallant Irish gentlemen were accustomed to settle their little differences, says the Magazine de Pontenay, derived its name, not from Phoenix, the mythological hero, brother of Europa and companion of Achilles to the Trojan war, but from the old Irish word "Fionn-Uisce" (pronounced "Fin-uisk"), which may be translated as "a spring of running water," and many will doubtless be interested to know that it is from this same word in the combination "Uiscebeogh" that is derived the modern word of whiskey.

Phoenix Park, or the "Phaynix," as the natives call it, is the most extensive and beautiful in all Ireland, measuring some seven miles around its boundary. It formerly belonged to the Knights Hospitallars, who surrendered it to King Henry VIII., and it was enclosed as a royal deer park until the famous Lord Chesterfield, in the middle of the eighteenth century, while Viceroy of Ireland, opened it as a public park for the citizens of Dublin.

Unlucky Day, Friday.
It was Monday morning, and the rent collector was busy pursuing his fell task. His bag was getting heavier, but his heart was light till he reached the house of Mrs. Sandish. Master Sandish opened the door here, and with the air of one who had learned his message well, he said: "Mither and father's out. Will you please to call on Friday?"

"H'm!" said the collector. He would have said more, but it did not seem of much use. Then a thought struck him. "And why on Friday, my little man?"

"That's what I dinna ken," said the little man, "unless it's because we be gain the fit on Thursday."

London Tit-Bits.

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SECOND LETTER.

This Time Mr. Chamberlain Writes to Tariff Reform League.

London, Sept. 18.—Writing from his home at Highbury, Birmingham, Mr. Chamberlain made his first public statement since his resignation. His letter is in reply to Mr. C. A. Pearson, Chairman of the Executive Council of the Tariff Reform League, who asked if Mr. Chamberlain coincides with his view, that the examination of the tariff may be considered as sufficiently advanced, and that the league should now use its resources to advocate the employment of a tariff for the purpose of consolidating and developing the resources of the empire and defending the industries of the United Kingdom.

Mr. Chamberlain says:—"I agree with your views, that we have sufficient material in the way of facts and figures. We have now to state our conclusions and endeavor to get the people to adopt them."

Mr. Chamberlain then gives his understanding of the position of the Tariff Reform League under two heads as coinciding with his position. Their objects, he says, are:—"First, a closer union with the colonies by means of preferential tariffs, in order to endeavor to make the empire self-sufficient as regards its food supply."

Secondly, the employment of a tariff as a weapon to secure greater reciprocity with foreign nations; or, failing such arrangement, to prevent loss to the home industrial markets, under the competition of protected countries, by retaliating upon them the treatment they mete out to us.

"On this understanding," Mr. Chamberlain concludes, "with the league success and the support of everyone desiring the union of the empire and the continued prosperity of British commerce."

The Associated Press is informed that Lord Lansdowne will remain Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

The persistency with which it is rumored that Austen Chamberlain, the Postmaster-General, will succeed Mr. Ritchie as Chancellor of the Exchequer, emphasizes the extraordinary nature of the relations which Mr. Balfour still maintains towards his colleagues. The Liberal organs point out the futility of any supposed change of heart on the part of a Government which includes Mr. Chamberlain's son, who has been almost as active as his father in organizing the preferential tariff agitation.

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Perry O'Dell & Dee—Sept. 22, 23 and 24.
"Quincy Adams Sawyer,"—Sept. 29.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agency.)

"GHOSTS" TO-NIGHT.

"Ghosts" will be seen at the Grand Opera House this Monday night with Edith Ellis-Baker in the role of Mrs. Alving and Donald Robertson in the part of Pastor Manders. This extraordinary play may safely be rated the sensation of the season. The critics have pronounced Ibsen to be more subtle than Tolstoi, Sudermann or Maeterlinck, and all agree that he is the master of stage literature.

"Ghosts" is the craze of the period and has electrified London, Paris, Berlin and New York. The first performance in America was given at Carnegie Hall, New York, the admission being five dollars, since which it has had successful runs at two of the most fashionable play houses in the city. The cast must necessarily be made up of high-class players, as the quality of the play makes unusual demands upon the actors. The performances everywhere are patronized by the elite of the city.

COMEDIANS COMING.

Perry, O'Dell & Dee's Comedians and Vaudeville Company will appear here on Fair Night. This company enjoys the reputation of a splendid evening's entertainment. Speaking of their appearance in Guelph the Daily Herald says:—"Perry, O'Dell & Dee's Comedians opened a four nights' engagement at the Royal Opera House, and by the applause the artists received, went to show that the audience was more than pleased with the performance. Among those taking part was Baby Bonnie Dee, the cleverest young actress on the stage to-day. W. H. Abel who is without doubt unequalled as a performer on the slack wire; and several new and excellent views on the kinetograph. Also some beautifully illustrated songs. The Three Dees have a singing and dancing sketch which is intensely interesting and very clever. The balance of the company goes up to a very high standard, and all the acts brought forth loud applause. This entertainment is one of the best and cleanest of the kind that has ever visited this city, and should draw large houses." The press all over the country seem to have nothing but praise for the performance given by the Perry, O'Dell & Dee Company, and a most satisfactory engagement is looked forward to upon their appearance here.

They will appear at the Grand Opera House September 22, 23 and 24.

Stole a Ship.

It is the fashion when a famous judge or detective retires to give a list of his most remarkable cases. Sir Hartley Williams, the retiring senior puisne judge of Victoria, has been the subject of such a retrospect.

One of the first cases he had to try was a very rare offence indeed—stealing a steamship. A couple of audacious scoundrels named Henderson and Wallace stole a steamer from the Clyde, disguised her very skillfully and went on a pleasure cruise around the world. At Melbourne, where they posed as scions of English nobility and received much social attention, the fraud was detected. They were arrested, convicted and sentenced to long terms of imprisonment. Stealing a ship is like stealing an elephant, a very unprofitable form of crime. The risks are enormous, and it is difficult to get rid of the stolen property or convert it into cash.—London Chronicle.

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The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:
 Barometer 29.20.
 Thermometer 55.
 Highest yesterday 73.
 Lowest yesterday 47.
 Direction of wind, west.

Local Briefs

F. W. Scott, of Highgate, spent Saturday in town.

Two girls wanted at The Planet office to feed presses.

H. M. Carscallen, of Dresden, called on his many Chatham friends on Saturday.

Mr. McMichael, of St. Thomas, spent yesterday with his brother in this city.

The Blonde Lumber Co. have the contract for a large addition to the Chatham Wagon Works.

Miss Lottie E. Hulin is spending a week in the city of Detroit and in Windsor visiting friends.

On exhibition in E. J. MacIntyre's window are some of the cases that were on exhibition at Toronto Fair, by the American Watch Case Co.

Rev. Mr. Ross, of Rutherford, moderator of the Chatham Presbytery, is in the city and will attend the farewell banquet to Mr. Knowles to-night.

Chief Holmes received a telephone message from Sarnia last night to the effect that a rubber tired rig, with a wine colored gear and a gray horse 14 hands high had been stolen in the tunnel town. The rig was last seen coming towards Chatham.

Albert Faubert and Chris. Farrell were tried this morning before Judge Houston, at the Police Court, on the charge of attempting to break into a house during the night. Faubert was convicted and decision was reserved as to Farrell. The evidence showed that he had stood on the doorstep while Faubert attempted to break in, and the enlargement was made to decide whether the law held him equally guilty or not. Crown Attorney H. D. Smith prosecuted and W. G. Richards defended.

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NO AID FOR MACEDONIA.

Insurgents Besieging the Turkish Garrison of Menlik.

London, Sept. 21.—The Associated Press learn that war between Turkey and Bulgaria is not regarded as imminent by the Foreign Office and other diplomatic centres in London. It is stated that in no circumstance will the powers permit Turkey to occupy Bulgarian territory; hence Turkey has nothing to gain by hostilities.

Regarding the renewed rumors that a British fleet is going to Turkish waters, the Associated Press is officially informed that as the Balkan matters have been left in the hands of Russia and Austria, such action is not contemplated by Great Britain, or, so far as known, by any other power. In the meantime the powers are daily exchanging communications, with the view of determining on some possible means of restoring order in European Turkey, but so far they have devised no plan that would not be likely to increase rather than diminish the gravity of the situation.

Vienna, Sept. 21.—The Neue Freie Presse says Chancellor Von Buelow and the Austrian-Hungarian Foreign Minister, Count Goluchowski, conferred to-day with the view of granting Turkey greater freedom of action in suppressing the insurrection.

Sofia, Sept. 21.—The Government's position is rendered increasingly difficult by the attitude of the Macedonian population of Bulgaria, which, vigorously backed up by the revolutionary committees, is persistently endeavoring to force the Government's hand and provoke hostilities with Turkey.

A special despatch from the Ministry of Rila, Bulgaria, says the condition of the Turkish garrison of Menlik, an important strategic point sixty-five miles northeast of Salonica, is believed to be extremely critical. It is besieged by bands of insurgents, said to number 15,000. The Turks have withdrawn nearly all their forces from the districts of Danoumaia and Razlog, to send them to the relief of Menlik. As a consequence, unusual tranquility prevails throughout the district of Razlog. A company of Turkish soldiers and Bashibazouks recently found the hiding place of a hundred families of refugees from the villages of Dupeni and Echna, near Resen. They captured the party, violated the women, and committed other atrocities. The united bands of Monastir and Michailof have had an encounter with the troops near Demi-Kapu, sixty-two miles northwest of Salonica. The Turks had many killed, including two officers.

STATE SENATOR ARRESTED.

Charged With Conspiracy Growing Out of U.S. Postal Scandals.

Binghamton, N. Y., Sept. 21.—State Senator George E. Green of this city was placed under arrest by United States Marshal Black. The charge was conspiracy and bribery growing out of the postal investigation. He was arraigned, pleaded not guilty and was released on bail. The arrest was made on two warrants, the first charging him with conspiracy to defraud the Government by bribing George W. Beavers to purchase new International Time Company's recorders for the Government at \$100 each; the second warrant being for offering Beavers a bribe of 10 per cent. on clock sales to the Government. Senator Green is President of the company mentioned.

A BUFFALO TRAGEDY

An Old Man Wounds Son-in-law and Kills Himself.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 21.—James Mears, 70 years old, has shot and fatally wounded his son-in-law, Michael Crotty, 33 years old, and then sent a bullet through his own brain, dying instantly. Family quarrels were the cause of the crime.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

A white frost is reported at London.

Hon. Dr. Landerkin, who was reported ill, is improving.

Mr. W. Dawby, aged 79 years, dropped dead at Port Arthur.

Mr. F. T. Harrison, Government Analyst at London, died on Sunday.

Premier Ross denied any knowledge of an offer of a Judgeship to L. J. J. Foy.

Ralph Prickal, an Italian laborer, was crowded to death by the caving in of a sewer at Port William.

The Board of Control has recommended Mr. Robert McCallum for the position of city architect of Toronto.

The King unveiled a memorial to the late Queen Victoria at the parish church of Crathie, near Balmoral.

Mrs. Boyce, the victim of the acid-throwing at Owen Sound, gave evidence against William Roy, who is charged with conspiring to spirit her away.

Mr. E. J. Lovelace, editor of The St. Catharines Journal, was nominated for the Commons by the Liberals of Lincoln.

Lord Halsbury telegraphed to London saying that the report that he intended to resign the Lord High Chancellorship was not true.

The Dutch Government will open a competition in designs for Andrew Carnegie's Palace of Peace, for the erection of which he donated the sum of \$1,000,000.

Replying to an invitation to address the annual meeting of the Manufacturers' Association at Illinois, Hon. Mr. Chamberlain said he could not leave England this year.

A number of brass workers of St. Louis and elsewhere met at St. Louis and organized a union, the principles of which are opposition to all strikes and settlement of disputes by arbitration.

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

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Union Made Shoes.

Our shoes are union made shoes. We want the trade of union men, and we want them to know that we sell union made shoes. The best manufacturers employ union labor and the best shoes are union made. They are made honest and upon honor by skilled workmen.

Union made footwear is here and it is the best footwear in the land. We invite the union workmen of Chatham to this union shoe store.

TURRILL
 THE SHOE MAN.
 Repairing done at the store.

WHEAT FOR BRITAIN

Canada Far Short of Supplying the Demand.

London, Sept. 21.—Thomas Thom, of the Liverpool Corn Exchange, has estimated this year's shortage at 35,000,000 bushels, in the world's wheat supply, available for British needs. Canada's average export of wheat to Britain during the past six years was only 6,000,000 bushels. Mr. Thom contends that any deficiency can scarcely be supplied from Canada. The natural outlet of Manitoba and Alberta, he says, is the Pacific Ocean, and they will meet the increasing bread wants of China and the Philippines. He thinks that those who expect sufficient supplies for Britain from the Canadian northwest are doomed to disappointment.

MYSTERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Young Charles McKenny Killed at Aylmer.

Aylmer, Sept. 21.—Mr. Oscar McKenny was driving a team of colts attached to a wagon with a rack on it. His son, Charles, aged twelve, was sitting behind his father. After driving some distance Mr. McKenny noticed the boy was not on the wagon, and went to see what was the matter. When he found him he was holding on to the side of the fence, dragging himself off the road. The boy tried to explain, but immediately dropped dead.

ATTACKED BY A LION.

Angry Beast Bit Off a Circus Man's Right Hand.

East St. Louis, Ill., Sept. 21.—During the performance of a street carnival company an angry lion sprang upon keeper Ricardo, who was in the cage, and tore off his right hand. Only the prompt work of attendants, who beat off the lion and dragged Ricardo from the cage, saved the keeper's life. The lion has killed three keepers.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, Sept. 21, 1903.

| Wheat— | OPEN. | HIGH. | LOW. | CLOSE. |
|--------|-------|-------|------|--------|
| Sept. | 77½ | 77½ | 77 | 77 |
| Dec. | 78½ | 78½ | 78½ | 78½ |
| May | 80½ | 81 | 80½ | 80½ |
| Corn— | | | | |
| Sept. | 48½ | 49 | 47½ | 47½ |
| Dec. | 48 | 48½ | 46½ | 46½ |
| May | 47½ | 48½ | 47 | 47 |
| Oats— | | | | |
| Sept. | 36 | 37½ | 36½ | 36½ |
| Dec. | 37½ | 37½ | 37½ | 37½ |
| May | 38½ | 38½ | 38½ | 38½ |
| Pork— | | | | |
| Sept. | 1275 | 1275 | 1275 | 1275 |
| Oct. | 1325 | 1335 | 1280 | 1280 |
| Lard— | | | | |
| Sept. | 960 | 960 | 950 | 950 |
| Oct. | 815 | 815 | 790 | 795 |
| Ribs— | | | | |
| Sept. | 920 | 920 | 920 | 920 |
| Oct. | 930 | 947 | 930 | 935 |

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—Within five minutes' walk to King St. Apply to Mrs. Sheldon, on premises, corner of Murray and Adelaide Sts.

SALE OF Household Furniture!

The undersigned has received instructions from

MRS. J. B. REID, Stanley Avenue,
 to sell by Auction on the

29th Day of September,
 commencing at one o'clock p.m., all and every piece of furniture, consisting of Bedroom Suits, Parlor and Dining Room Furniture, Stoves, etc., including one New York Decker Piano.

ANDREW THOMSON,
 Auctioneer

FALL

Millinery Opening,

TUESDAY NEXT,

September 22nd,

and the following days.



We cordially invite the ladies of Chatham and all the fair visitors to visit our spacious showrooms on any of the above days, when we will be pleased to show them a complete showing of Fashion ideas, as shown in FRENCH, AMERICAN and CANADIAN MARKETS.

The styles in both the hats and trimmings are entirely different to last years, and in fact impress one as being of a much richer and more elaborate character than for some time past.

We have made extra efforts to have more than the usual number of Trimmed Hats so as to accommodate visitors to the fair with immediate delivery. We would draw your attention to the fact that we never duplicate any hat so that every customer can be fully assured when selecting here that no one else will have a hat exactly the same as the one she decides on. Our immense stocks all over the store will all be specially displayed.

Special display

of Fall Styles in.....

German and American and Canadian Jackets, Ladies' Costumes, Silk Waists and Separate Skirts



Draperies and Carpets.—The new novelties in rugs will all be displayed on the second floor.

FIRST FLOOR DISPLAYS.

Imported and Canadian Dress Goods and Trimmings.—Here you will see one of the largest and most carefully selected stocks shown in Western Ontario.

Scotch and English Suitings.—One dress to pattern only. We want you to take time Tuesday to inspect this stock as we know the variety will please you and the values will surpass those you will find in the majority of stores.

Linens.—A visit to this section will repay the thrifty housewife. Linens as you know have advanced in price in common with many other goods, but fortunately we placed our orders months ago for our fall supply and can consequently give as fine values as we did last season.

Our Boys and Men's Clothing.—All the mothers will want to see what a fine line we have ready for the boys for fall. Our clothing staff will be pleased to show you through their special display.

Furniture.—This is the last department on the ground floor, but by no means the least. Take a walk back and see the new store and the new stock. You will find many attractive new prices and many attractive pieces as well.

Our Motto: No trouble to show goods.

C. Austin & Co.,

The Bargain Centre.

The Strictly One Price Store.

CANNED PINEAPPLE

Direct from Lingapore. As is well known, the finest flavored Pineapple that is canned comes from Lingapore. It was so successful last year that this season we imported a quantity direct. You get this fine pineapple at its very best. You can depend on it being the finest that is put up.

In chunks, per can **20c**
Per dozen cans, **\$2.00**

H. Malcolmson

Shoulder Braces

—FOR—

Round Shoulders

One doesn't have to worry much about children getting round shoulders as long as they are out doors all the while. It is when they are inside, exercising less and bending over desks that the injury is done. For this reason this is an especially timely season to put shoulder braces on the child that shows signs of stooping. We have the kind you should use, the ones universally conceded to be the best.

The Red Cross Drug Store,

W. W. TURNER,
Prop.

28 King St., Phone 221.

We'll Be There!

At our exhibit in the north wing of the main building at the Peninsular Fair, we'll be on hand to welcome you. Beside extending a welcome to you we will make it worth your while to visit us. We'll give you a neat souvenir to remember us by. We'll give a free guess on the **\$25.00 Stove** we are giving away, and we will show you the finest and best line of stoves and ranges made. We shall expect a visit from you.

J. C. WANLESS,

4 Doors East of Market,

Phone 65, Chatham, Ont.

ANNUAL WESTERN EXCURSIONS,
September 24th, 25th and 26th. The Grand Trunk is the most convenient and up-to-date service to the west. Tickets will be on sale good going Sept. 24th, 25th and 26th at single fare for round trip to Port Huron, Detroit, Saginaw, Bay City, Grand Rapids, Chicago, Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati, Dayton, Indianapolis, St. Paul or Minneapolis. Valid returning on or before October 12th. For tickets and all information call at Grand Trunk city ticket office, 115 King street, or depot ticket office.

Keep Miska's apartment in the House.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED.

ROBINSON—On Sunday, 20th inst., at his residence, 56 Stanley Ave., Frederick Robinson, aged 65 years, 11 mos. and 13 days.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2 p. m., to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

TO-NIGHT.

"Ghosts," Grand Opera House, at 8.15.
Bazaar, St. Joseph's Hall, Cross St., at 7.

Football practice, Tecumseh Park, at 5.

City Council, Harrison Hall at 8 o'clock.

Park St. Methodist League, S. S. hall, at 8.

Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8 o'clock.

Bugle Band will meet for practice in the room in the drill shed at 7.30.

Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7.30, sharp.

Congregation of the First Presbyterian Church meet to-night at 8, in the church. Farewell social to Rev. Mr. Knowles.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Oysters by the can or dish at Wigzell's.

Wanted! — Four or five laborers. Apply Chatham Mfg. Co., Ltd.

Slater Shoes are all union made. The 2 T's sole agents.

Two girls wanted at The Planet office to feed presses.

Wanted! — Four or five laborers. Apply Chatham Mfg. Co., Ltd.

A meeting of the Christ Church Guild will be held to-morrow night, when plans will be discussed for enlarging and improving Christ Church.

Rev. James Thompson, M. A., rector of St. James' Church, Ingersoll, will preach at the Annual Harvest Thanksgiving Services in Holy Trinity Church on Sunday, Oct. 4th.

Rev. and Mrs. Hill drove to Louisville and Eberts Sunday, where Mr. Hill is supplying the Baptist churches in the absence of Rev. Mr. Huchbrough, who is away on his vacation and to regain his health.

Will Davies, who has had charge of the bath department of the sanitarium, left to-day for Cleveland, where he has secured a very lucrative position. His many friends will wish him every success.

FURNITURE SALE

By private sale, a large assortment of splendid household furniture. Apply at once third house from Mrs. Everest's grocery, Head street, below the Convent.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Wesleyan bi-centenary services were held by the Park street Methodist congregation in the Opera House yesterday both morning and evening.

The services were well attended and the plea for money for the mission field was heartily and liberally responded to.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland, of Toronto, who conducted the services, proved a most able speaker and both his sermons were greatly appreciated.

In the morning, in the course of his remarks, based on Exodus 14, 10 and 15, he compared the ancient church of Israel with the modern church. "The church of to-day," said he, "is on a very low level. The evils of this modern world are sapping the spiritual life right out of the church. The attendance may be better but there is not the spirit in the work there used to be."

Rev. Dr. Sutherland's address of the evening was a masterly one and one which could be best enjoyed by hearing it. At this service the speaker took his text from Daniel 2, 44.

The singing of the choir at both morning and evening services was excellent under the leadership of Miss H. Elythe Hill. In the evening Misses Hill and Sandison and Messrs. Wilson and Gilliland sang a quartette selection, "I Love to Tell the Story," and E. Noble Gardiner rendered "Thy Will Be Done" most acceptably.

TO SPEND THIRTY MILLIONS.

Reports as to John D. Rockefeller's Plans For Cleveland.

Cleveland, Sept. 21. — It is stated that John D. Rockefeller has decided to put up no less than fifteen large office buildings and business blocks in the downtown districts of this city, at a cost aggregating more than \$30,000,000.

Mr. Rockefeller recently secured possession of the Weddell House, one of the oldest and largest hotels here. The hotel is now being demolished, and a sixteen-story office structure will be built on the site, at a cost of more than \$1,000,000. It is stated that Mr. Rockefeller has secured a number of other sites for similar buildings.

Mr. Rockefeller and his agents will neither confirm nor deny the report, which was widely discussed in real estate circles here to-day.

THE LASH FOR BRIGANDS.

A Couple of Stiff Sentences Imposed at Victoria, B.C.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 21.—In the Police Court Saturday James Leonard, alias Billy Dunn, alias J. H. Burnett, and Wm. Lorenzo, pleaded guilty to the charge of robbery with violence at the Western Hotel last Monday night. The former, the man who had the gun, was sentenced to seven years' imprisonment and twenty strokes, and Lorenzo to six years and an equal number of strokes. The whipping will be administered at the New Westminster Penitentiary, where the pair are to serve their terms.

Chatham's Millinery Store!

C. A. Cooksley

Extends to you a cordial invitation to attend her

Millinery Opening Tuesday,

and following days

C. A. Cooksley's,

Next to Big Clock.

DEATH'S CALL

Demise of Frederick Robinson an old and Esteemed Resident of the Maple City.

The death occurred yesterday of Frederick Robinson, one of the oldest residents of the Maple City. Deceased, who is well known and highly respected here, was in the 66th year of his age. He was taken ill about 30 years ago and has been retired ever since, as he has been practically unable to work at all. A few weeks ago his condition became worse and his death resulted yesterday morning.

The deceased was born in Epperstone, Nottinghamshire, England, and came here in '56. He was married in 1858 to Anne Taylor, daughter of Capt. Taylor. His widow survives him. The deceased was an earnest member of the Park street Methodist church.

The late Fred Robinson came to Chatham when a young man and lived with his step-mother, Mrs. James Freeman, who resided where Albert Sheldrick's new block stands. He was first employed as engineer in the mill of the late Thos. Holmes, which was the frame building that still stands on the south bank of McGregor's Creek at William street.

Afterwards he was employed in the old city mill belonging to Baxter and Brown. Later the late Thos. Taylor and deceased rented the mill from Baxter and Brown and ran the mill in partnership with Mr. Taylor bought Mr. Robinson's interest out. The latter then built a frame mill on Adelaide street which he operated for several years. He sold out to George Dolson and he moved the machinery to Manitoba. G. G. Taylor now occupies this property as a hide warehouse.

Miss Mary Robinson, of Detroit, is a sister.

Besides his widow three sons survive him. They are William H., Ald. Henry and James A., all of this city.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock from the late residence of deceased, Stanley avenue, to the Maple Leaf cemetery. Rev. G. H. Cobbleick, B. A., B. D., will conduct the obsequies.

WE WELCOME YOU TO Gordon's Fall Millinery Opening And Autumnal Display SEPTEMBER, 22, 23, 24. TUESDAY, WED'Y, THURSDAY.

When we shall have the pleasure of showing you the latest Ready-to-wear Hats, in exclusive shapes and modes of trimmings in all the new combinations.

Pretty styles in ready-to-trim Chiffon, Silk and Chenille Hats and Toques.

Nobby Beaver and Napped Felt Hats in all the new shapes and colors.

Fashionable shapes and shades in Children's School Hats.

Every novelty in Flowers, Feathers and materials for making and trimming hats.

WILLIAM GORDON.

DR. A. W. THORNTON

DENTIST,
has Removed to his New Office,
Corner King and Fifth Streets,
over A. L. McCall's Drug Store.
TELEPHONE OFFICE 154.
RESIDENCE 285.

EMINENT VISITOR

M. Wilson, K. C., has returned from Toronto. While in the Queen City he had the pleasure of luncheon with Sir Frederick Pollock, the most eminent jurist in Great Britain, who was entertained by the Law Society.

Sir Frederick will deliver a lecture to the legal profession at Osgoode Hall on Monday. He is also to deliver lectures in the leading legal universities of the United States. At home he is chairman of the Unionist committee for London but, nevertheless, he was entirely taken by surprise at Chamberlain's resigning. He thinks, however, that Mr. Chamberlain is merely cutting loose from the Government in order to work more effectively in the interests of preferential tariff for the Empire. The eminent jurist feels confident that the interests of Canada in the Alaskan boundary commission are safe in the hands of Lord Alvington, chief justice of England. He thinks that under the terms of the arbitration that the arbitrators will have nothing to do with fixing the boundary. They should merely interpret the documents and lay down where, according to the documents, the boundary line has been fixed. He thinks that it is a matter for the subsequent action of the engineers to lay out the boundary. In other words, the commissioners sit as judges, on the documents, to determine where the boundary is and do not sit as arbitrators to arbitrate, compromise and fix a boundary between the two countries.

FOOTBALLS!

12 Different Styles and Prices.

GUNS FOR RENT.

AMMUNITION . . .

BRISCO'S, OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

Henry Primeau.

Eugene J. Peltier

Have a Look

NOTICE OF ADVICE—Do not wait till you have made a mistake for using poor judgment. Do not wait till you need to buy, but come in and see what is going on in the way of stylish **Furs, Neckwear, Electric and Persian Jackets, Cloth Jackets, Rainproof Coats, Ready-to-Wear Skirts, Gloves, Neckwear, American Shoes and Rubbers, etc.**

THE URBAN STORE.

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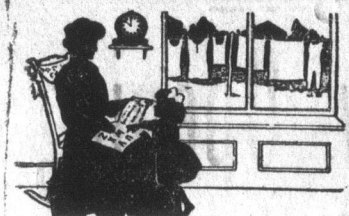


If you buy children's shoes from **COWAN** the cobbler wont be needed nearly so soon. And if you buy them elsewhere and want them mended, Cowan's man will do a heap neater job.

Still selling those Misses' Kid, Spring Heel, Lace Shoes, patent leather tips, extension double sole, sizes 11 to 2.

GEO. W. COWAN.

THIBODEAU & JACQUES
FALL MILLINERY Opening
...ON...
Tuesday, Sept. 22,
And following days. Our Millinery Opening one of the chief events each season.
The contributions of Mme. Pouyenne Camille Roger, Paul Virot et Berthe, and other noted Parisian Artists, as well as the productions of our own experts, are here for your inspection and pleasure.
Dress Goods
TOGETHER with our Autumn display of Millinery, we show an unusually large range of Dress Materials. **You know our reputation for Dress Goods.** Nothing more need be said. Tuesday and following days are reception days. **YOU ARE MOST CORDIALLY INVITED.**
THIBODEAU & JACQUES...



The satisfaction of having the washing done early in the day, and well done, belongs to every user of Sunlight Soap.

EYE SIGHT IS PRICELESS.

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

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SIGN OF BIG CLOCK,
CHATHAM.

THE GIBSON PICTURES
AT THE—
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Cor. King and Fifth Sts
CHATHAM.

Lime, Cement AND Cut Stone.

We keep this best in stock at right prices.

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

The Hot Wash Tub.

For a lady to stand and drudge over a wash tub hot clothes this weather is both disagreeable and unhealthy. Call up phone 189, and we will call for your washing and deliver it back in as good order as we receive it, and cleaned as cheaply as you can do it yourself.

CHATHAM STEAM LAUNDRY.



BEST SCRANTON COAL
AT LOWEST PRICES.

Prompt delivery can be made now. Telephone 54.
Office—Opposite G. T. Ry. Hotel, Queen Street.

J. G. STEEN.

FIRE PROTECTION!

This is a dry time. Beware of fire! See that you are provided with a good long ladder. It may save you many dollars! The Wagoner Extension ladder is the strongest and lightest ladder made. Just what you want during the fruit season. Also on hand a good stock of the best step-ladders. Call and inspect them.

Office King St. T. G. O'ROURKE
Opp. P.O. Chatham

Mainly About People.

As the coffin containing the affectionate wife of a sorrowing husband was being conveyed to the churchyard in a certain country parish in the South of Scotland it accidentally struck against the corner of a wall, in consequence of which circumstance the deceased was aroused from a trance and lived for several years. When the poor woman really died a few years afterward, in the act of passing the same spot the husband anxiously exclaimed to the bearers of the coffin, "Take care of the corner this time."

Labouchere and King Edward (as Prince of Wales) were for years fast friends. Apropos of this friendship, Labouchere was once asked what he called the Prince when he dined at Marlborough House. "Well," said the famous radical, "when the soup comes on I address him as 'Your Royal Highness.' The fish comes the reserve and I get a little chum-mur and often as not call him 'Wales,' while during the entrees and joints I get quite familiar and he becomes 'Eddie,' while he sleeps me on the back and dubs me 'Labby.'"

An Englishman was traveling not long ago in a compartment of a London train. At one of the stations a German entered the carriage and took the seat opposite the Englishman. When the train had started, the German, seeing the other's cigar, boldly asked for one. Although astonished at the request, the Englishman nevertheless pulled out his case and handed it to the stranger. The German lighted the cigar, took a few puffs, and, beaming affably through his spectacles, said: "I could not help doubting you, but I had a match in mine boggit, and I did not know vat to do mit him."

In a mining town in the mountains of Virginia lived two little chaps aged eight and nine years, neighbors and good friends, who passed most of their leisure time together in boyish sports, but, like all healthy boys, they sometimes "scrapped." On one of these occasions the younger one, who was built on the lines of the proverbial man who could not stop a pig in an alley, was being twitted by his companion on his bow legs. He stood it manfully for a while, but finally, losing patience, he blurted out: "Well, I may be bow-legged, but when the Lord made you He made you as ugly as He could and then hit you in the face."

At a Scottish town, the other day, a Londoner on his way to a hotel addressed the porter who led the way: "Not a large place this?" "Na verra," was the answer. "Has it a corporation?" "A what, sir?" enquired the baggage-bearer. "I mean, who rules it?" "Rules it? Jist the provost." "Ah, the provost. Like our lord mayor? Has he got any insignia?" remarked the cockney. "Insignia! What d'ye mean?" asked the puzzled Scot. "Yes, insignia; that is to say, has he a chain?" the polite visitor hinted. Whereupon the almost dumbfounded native gasped out: "A chain, sir? The provost chain? Na, na! He gangs loose; but dinna be feared, he's quite harmless."

Dr. Daniel M. Stimson, the family physician and life-long friend of the late poet, Richard Henry Stoddard, relates an anecdote to the effect that the poet, while endeavoring to procure an impromptu luncheon for a number of friends after Mrs. Stoddard and the servants had retired, found a box of sardines. His somewhat vigorous remarks, inspired by a sardine-can's objections to the "open sesame" of a dull jack-knife, attracted the attention of Mrs. Stoddard on the floor above. "What are you doing?" she called down. "Opening a can of sardines." "With what?" "A dashed old jack-knife," cried the exasperated poet. "What did you think I was opening it with?" "Well, dear," she said, dryly, "I didn't exactly think you were opening it with prayer!"

Salvatore Cortesi, in a very readable article in the "World's Work" on King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, says that after the assassination of his father, Queen Margherita was very anxious that King Humbert should be buried at the Superga at Turin, where all the rest of the House of Savoy lie, with the exception of the great Victor Emmanuel. Moreover, her Majesty did not wish to wound the susceptibilities of the papal party by a state funeral in Rome. King Victor, pale and tired, entered the room where the Queen was, exclaiming: "Well, that is arranged—my father will have a fitting burial in the Pantheon." "Victor," cried his mother, "I see you want to break my heart. You offend my religion as well as my affections." "I am sorry, mother," he said gently, and then added sternly: "The religion which is offended at a martyr being buried in his own capital and lying beside his own father needs radical changes."

A story is told of Labouchere at the very beginning of his editorial career. A friend came in one day, and, seeing a quantity of books around, which had been sent in for review, offered to bet that he had not got in the office. Labouchere enquired the name of the book, and his friend promptly answered, "A Bible." With a laugh, Labouchere offered to bet ten pounds that he had even that book. Turning the conversation in another direction, he furtively sent a note out into the clerk's office, telling the boy to go downstairs and ask the book-sellers underneath for the loan of a Bible. Presently he returned to the subject of the bet, and, calling his assistant in, asked him whether he had a Bible in the office. The clerk produced the book, which Labouchere handed over to his friend, giving himself away, however, as he did so by saying sotto voce to the clerk: "I hope to goodness you didn't forget to cut the leaves!" Of course the English Bible does not require its leaves to be cut.

"The missus can't see you, sir; she's expecting company." "Go back and say that I have a valuable present for her—something brand-new. And by the way, mention my name again—Stork." "Oh, Stork, is it? Sure you're the very party she's expecting."—Town Topics.

Raillette—You'd be surprised if you knew the amount of time spent on that canvas. Pelletie—Yes; I understand men have stood in front of it for hours trying to make out what it is.—Yonkers "Statesman."

"I understand your son has decided to go in for literature." "Yes, and he's made a splendid start already." "You don't say!" "Yes; he went to auction this morning and bought a second-hand writing-desk for only four dollars and ninety-eight cents."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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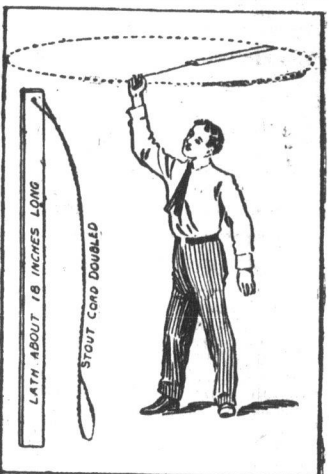
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A Noise-Maker.
Most boys like noise and like to make it, too, and if you will promise to use it where it will not annoy your parents or the neighbors we will tell you how to make a toy that will make all the noise you want. Take a lath about



WORKING THE NOISE MAKER.
eighteen inches long and make a hole in it about one inch from the end large enough to allow a heavy piece of string to go through it. The string should be doubled and about the same length as the lath. Twist the string so that it is bound together. By taking the string at the end and swinging the lath at a good clip over the head it will produce a sound that will make you shiver.

A woman doesn't preserve her youth by being in a pickle.

Consult Dr. Goldberg
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Because he is the longest established specialist in Detroit who has office his entire attention.
Because you pay Dr. Goldberg for his services and each time you call you see him personally and not some assistant.
Because each time you write it receives his personal attention.
Because he is the only specialist who is willing to wait for his pay until you are cured.
Because he accepts no incurable cases for treatment.
Because he discovered the Latest Method Treatment, which is recognized as superior to any discovered within the past 25 years.
Because he has 14 diplomas, certificates and licenses which testify to his standing.
Because he received four special diplomas from the New York Post Graduate School.
Because he does business on his own reputation, and not on the reputation of his predecessor.
Because his records show more actual cures than any of the other specialists.
Because Detroit's only specialist who has stood the test of time, thousands of patients testify to his abilities.
Because if you cannot call write for question blank for home treatment.
Medicine for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Ont. All daily and transportation charges prepaid.
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Having the tug "Vick" and a san scow, I am prepared to enter into contracts for the supply of sand and gravel at lowest prices. Apply to,

Capt. V. Robinson

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

Mainly About People.

It is related that the Dowager Empress of Russia once saw on her husband's table a document regarding a political prisoner. On the margin Alexander III. had written: "Pardon impossible; to be sent to Siberia." The Czarina took up the pen, and striking out the semi-colon after "impossible," put it before the word. Then the endorsement read: "Pardon; impossible to be sent to Siberia." The Czar let it stand.

The late James McNeill Whistler upon a certain occasion appeared at a dinner party with no tie on. A friend of his remonstrated. "For heaven's sake, Whistler, you've forgotten your tie!" "Not at all," he returned, "not at all, all I wear a tie? My white collar rises from my white shirt, which is fastened by a gold stud. Everything simple, excellent. Why put another white on top of that? I'm much better dressed than you!"

The Rev. Sanford Olmsted, the new Episcopal Bishop of Colorado, is noted for the skill with which he can collect money for charity. He once called on a man who was well-to-do, but somewhat close. He asked for money for a worthy charity, and the man said: "I'd give something gladly, but the fact is I've only \$800 by me in cash—\$800 that I've put aside for my funeral." "You trust God with your soul," said Bishop Olmsted, "but you're afraid to trust Him with your funeral, eh?" This comment gained the bishop a generous contribution.

The late J. H. Shorthouse was afflicted with a terrible stammer, which he used to say was a blessing in disguise, having led him to use the pen as his great instrument of expression. There were times, however, when the stammer almost ceased, and he could talk on uninterruptedly. One very striking and touching habit grew up out of the stammer. At "family prayers" he and his wife read all the prayers together; because, if an attack of stammering came on, her gentle voice would carry on the thread till he recovered, and the knowledge of this prevented all nervousness on his part.

Here is a favorite anecdote which Abraham Lincoln was in the habit of relating: James Quarles, a distinguished lawyer of Tennessee, was one day trying a case, and after producing his evidence rested, whereupon the defence produced a witness who swore Quarles completely out of court, and a verdict was rendered accordingly. After the trial one of his friends came to him and said: "Why didn't you get that fellow to swear on your side?" "I didn't know anything about him," replied Quarles. "I might have told you about your test as hard as he'd swear for the other side. That's his business. Judge, that fellow takes in swarrrin' for a living."

Professor William Clark, D.C.L., in his very entertaining papers on "People and Places I Have Known" in the "Westminster," recalls many amusing stories of celebrities. Of Charles Kingsley, Professor Clark writes in spite of a slight stammer, which he nearly overcame, he was popular in the pulpit and on the platform. He once lectured in Toronto, but with no great success. In seeking to stimulate the Toronto youth, he recommended every young man to make it his ambition to "be a bust in Westminster Abbey." The young gentlemen had their own notion of a "bust," and broke into fits of laughter, which were redoubled when Mr. Kingsley repeated with still greater emphasis—"I say a bust in Westminster Abbey."

Soon after J. M. Barrie leaped into fame, the editors of three London journals for which he had done a good deal of work determined to give a dinner in his honor. Mr. Barrie accepted the invitation, and in due course the three knights of the pen and scissors and their distinguished guest sat down together. The hosts, knowing their contributor only by his work fully anticipated a "feast of reason and a flow of soul." However, the soup and fish were consumed without a word from Mr. Barrie, or at least, with nothing beyond non-committal grunts. Despite efforts to lure him into conversation, it was not until he rose to put on his coat that he made the first and last remark that he uttered during the evening: "Well, this is the first time I've ever had dinner with three editors."

James Lane Allen, the Kentucky novelist, is a man of more than average size, and, what is not common to all Kentuckians, is always apparelled in the best form. One evening he stopped in a small shop just around the corner from the quarters into which he had moved only a few days before, and made a few purchases amounting to a dollar or so. When he came to pay, he discovered that he had left his purse at home. He explained to the shopkeeper, and asked that he be trusted for the goods until the next morning, as he was in a hurry and could not wait. The shopkeeper declined to let the goods go without the money. Mr. Allen was nettled. "Do I look like a man who would try to 'beat' you?" he asked with indignant dignity. "Of course you don't," replied the shopkeeper, admiringly. "If you did I wouldn't have bothered with you in the first place. It isn't that kind I have to be on the everlasting lookout for."

In his reminiscences in the "Century Magazine" Andrew Dickson White, late United States Ambassador to Germany, repeats an anecdote told him by Hon. Otto Russell, the British plenipotentiary at Berlin. Russell was on one occasion making a call on Prince Bismarck, and the conversation turned on the subject of bores, and how to get rid of them. Bismarck said that he and his wife had hit upon an expedient, and whenever an unwelcome caller was wasting his time it was arranged the princess should come in and say "Prince, isn't it time for you to take your medicine?" thus furnishing an excuse to politely dismiss the intruder. Russell expressed his approval of this plan, and had no sooner done so than Princess Bismarck appeared at the door and, addressing her husband, asked him if it was not time for him to take his medicine. Bismarck and Russell looked at each other a moment in silence and then both burst into hearty laughter.

All passes. Art alone Enduring stays to us; The bust outlasts the throne—The coin, Tiberius.—Austin-Dobson.

Stock Note.

Miss Feiry Titmarsh has a pair of calves that cannot be beat in this section of our glorious republic.—Toledo "Blade."



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If he does not return Johannesburg will sigh regretfully but thankfully, as the man sighs who has sent his loved ones over sea before the first shot is fired. If he returns—but that, as somebody else would say, is another story.—Edgar Wallace in London Mail.

Room lately occupied by Edwin
Bell, Victoria Block.

California points. Proportionate rates to other points. \$38.00 to \$40.00 to points in Manitoba, Alberta, Assinaboia and Saskatchewan. Good going Sept. 29th, valid returning on or before Nov. 30th.
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PROFESSORS COMMIT SUICIDE.

One Worried Over a Book, the Other
Lost Money.

Berlin, Sept. 21.—Prof. Franz Von
Brotter, chief of the German Archaeo-
logical Institute, according to a tele-
gram from Athens, killed himself
by firing two bullets through his
head. His suicide was the result of
despair at not being able to complete
a mythological work on which he had
long been engaged.

Columbus, O., Sept. 21.—Prof. Fred-
erick committed suicide by shooting.
It is supposed that the reason for the
deed was because of unfortunate in-
vestments in mining companies. Prof.
Clarke was a graduate of the Univer-
sity of Michigan.

STRUCK WITH A STONE.

A Hamilton Girl May Be Fatally In-
jured.

Hamilton, Sept. 21.—What may
turn out to be a fatality occurred on
Saturday evening about 6 o'clock, at
the home of Mrs. Marcey, 167 Bold
street. Fanny Capes and two of Mrs.
Marcey's children had been teasing
John Mulholland, 239 Bold street, and
spilling his pail of beer. When he
chase, then they ran for protection to
Mrs. Marcey, who chased Mulholland
out of the yard. As she was closing
the gate behind him it is alleged that
he threw a stone at her. She dodged,
but the missile hit Miss Capes on the
side of the head, almost tearing her
ear off, and making a deep cut in her
skull. She was picked up unconscious,
but a doctor was not called for almost
two hours. She was hurried away to
the City Hospital. She did not recog-
nize anyone till this afternoon, when
her father visited her, after the doc-
tors had performed an operation on
the skull. They have little hopes of
her recovery. Mulholland was placed
under arrest about 10 o'clock.

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Keeley Drug using
Cure
OVER 300,000
Cures
Keeley Institute
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TORONTO, Ont.

A FREE TRADE VICTORY.

Result of the Bye-Election at St. An-
drew's.

London, Sept. 21.—The bye-election
in St. Andrew's, Scotland, rendered
necessary by the appointment of H. T.
Anstruther as a Government director
in the Suez Canal Company, resulted in
a Liberal victory, the vote being: Cap-
tain Ellice (Liberal) 1,324, Major
Thomson (Unionist) 1,288. The con-
test was fought on the fiscal and edu-
cational questions.

BRUTAL MURDERS.

A Parisian Music Hall Singer and
Her Servant Killed.

Paris, Sept. 21.—Eugenie Fougere,
a well-known music hall singer, was
murdered during Friday night in her
villa at Aix Les Bains. A female ser-
vant was also murdered, and another
was so maltreated that she has lost
her reason. Robbery was the motive
for the crime.

British Columbia Nominations.

Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 19.—Nomi-
nations were made to-day for the forty-
two seats in the British Columbia Leg-
islature created by the new redistribu-
tion act, the first election
under which will be held on October 3.

Millinery!

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MY
Fall Millinery

MRS. J. B. KELLY,

King St., Chatham,
Opp. Grand Opera.

AFFAIRS AT THE SOO.

PREMIER ROSS SAYS WORK
WILL BE RESUMED.

Official Statement That All Em-
ployees Will be Paid in Full on
the 28th—Feeling of Citizens.

Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 21.—The
Algoma Central Railway authori-
ties are gathering in the men from the
lumber camps of the consolidated com-
panies. Saturday 300 men were brought
down and given temporary shelter
in the jail. Over a thousand are still
out, but will be brought to town as
soon as possible. It is officially
stated that every one on the pay roll
will be settled with on the 28th in-
stant. The prospect of 2,000 unem-
ployed men around the town with no
money in their pockets, though with
some disquiet, and as a measure of pre-
caution a number of special constables
have been sworn in. It is hoped that
the men will be paid off at the earliest
possible moment. Except for a day or
two, there has been no trouble in the
past in this particular. It may not
be possible to say when operations
will be resumed, but an authoritative
announcement should be made at once
if there is no likelihood of work re-
starting (as now seems likely) for at
least two or three months. There is
plenty of work to be had elsewhere and
the men should have an opportunity of
taking it. This can be done by paying
them off promptly and by a candid
statement of the situation. No one
here has lost faith in the different en-
terprises. The present result has, how-
ever, been anticipated for some time,
and now that the crash has come there
is something of a relief that the
situation is not complicated. The
whole undertaking has been laid out
on the most lavish and costly scale,
probably not more than the means at
the disposal of the companies justified.
As is usual in similar enterprises, much
money was lost in experimental work.
Buildings were built that had to be re-
constructed. Capital was raised on ex-
pensive terms and the stocks extensive-
ly watered. Ready money was urgent-
ly needed and was borrowed, and the
companies and the lenders are practi-
cally in the position of mortgagors and
mortgagees.

Meanwhile the Speyer Syndicate are
mortgagors in possession. A consid-
erable time must elapse before they
can finally foreclose or sell. There
will be keen competition for owner-
ship of the undertakings. They have
been making great profits over and
above operating expenses and are full
of orders. Even on the day the direc-
tors arrived to close down an order
was received for all the charcoal and
wood alcohol that could be produced
for six months. Steel rail-making on
a profitable basis can also be resumed
at an early date, the discovery of
fine Bessemer ore in the nearby Loon
Lake mine in limited quantities get-
ting rid of the greatest difficulty in the
way of successful steel rail making.
Meanwhile the withdrawal from cir-
culation of the \$150,000 paid out in
wages every month is a very serious
matter for the merchants of the town,
most of whom are filled up with their
winter stocks of goods. There is every
reason for believing that reasonable
forbearance and consideration will be
shown by the banks and wholesale
houses. The next few months may be
a period of depression, but the spring
should see the town in a renewed
period of bounding prosperity. The
town's future rests on a solid foun-
dation to be permanently affected by
the troubles now temporarily af-
fecting its chief industries.

Premier Ross was seen by a Globe
reporter, on Saturday in regard
to the closing down of the works at
the Soo. He declined to say much re-
garding the suspension of the works, he
said, but expressed the utmost confi-
dence that it was merely temporary. The
amount of capital invested was too
large to admit of a permanent closing
of the works, and the enterprise was
happily so situated that it could not
fail ultimately to be a success. "The
Helen mine and the other mines under
the control of the syndicate have
been thoroughly tested, and the quality
of the ore which they produce is so
well known that there could be no fail-
ure ultimately on that score."

The action of the Dominion Govern-
ment in proposing a duty on steel rails,
together with a bounty for the manu-
facture of steel, would indicate that
under ordinary conditions the steel works
would be very profitable. All the
other enterprises depending upon the
supply of pulpwood or of hard-
wood produce the materials greatly
in demand in local and foreign
markets, and were it not for the
stringency in the money market in the
United States there is no doubt the
works would have gone on without any
interruption. The reports of the ex-
perts have shown, with one exception,
perhaps, of the railway, that they are
really revenue-producing, and probably
the loan made by Speyer & Company
of New York has been one of the
causes for the suspension.

Mr. Ross hopes that the people of
the Soo, who are more immediately
affected, will not be discouraged by
this temporary interruption of one of
the greatest enterprises ever under-
taken in Canada.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 21.—The
Evening News of this city an-
nounces from sources it is
pledged not to divulge that Thursday
night Speyer & Company of New York
foreclosed its mortgage on Consolidat-
ed Lake Superior Company, and that
at the present time the company is en-
tirely in the hands of the Speyer syn-
dicate. The Speyer syndicate held a
chattel mortgage on all the assets of
the Consolidated as security for a five
million fifty thousand dollars loan given
last January. The time for payment
was up last July, but Speyer & Com-
pany extended it until Thursday night.

Dr. Carnegie, attached to the Allan liner
Bavarian, died on board that vessel at
Montreal.

ST. JOHN RIVER TRAGEDY.

THE STEAMER DAVID WESTON
BURNED.

Three People Drowned—Fire Caught
in the Hay and Spread Like the
Wind—Vessel Beached and the
People Rescued in Boats.

St. John, N. B., Sept. 21.—The Star
Line Steamship Co.'s steamer David
Weston, Capt. Edward W. Day, caught
fire off Craig's Point, about twenty
miles up the river, on Saturday
afternoon, and was totally destroyed.
Three people were drowned and seven
or eight injured. The dead were:
Ella Moorell, aged 27, of St. John,
waitress on the steamer.
Fred Downey, aged 21, of St. John,
deck hand.

Stephen Hood Rowan, aged 11, of
Manchester, England, passenger.
None of the injured are seriously
hurt. The David Weston was on her
regular trip from Fredericton to this
city, and carried about forty passen-
gers, eighteen officers and crew, and
had a large freight cargo and up-river
mails. All went as usual until about
3 o'clock, when, off Craig's Point, fire
was discovered among some bales of
hay on the lower deck. It is supposed
a careless smoker was the cause of the
fire.

Quick as was its discovery, and quick
as the action to put it out was taken,
nothing could be done. The engineer
had connected with the pumps at once,
but almost before the steam could be
raised he was driven from his post by
the flames. Feeding on the hay and
on the dry and oil-soaked woodwork
of the steamer, the fire spread with the
rapidity almost of lightning, and in
five minutes the hull was ablaze. Capt.
Day had, on learning of the fire, placed
Mate William Whelpley in charge of
the wheel, with orders to beach the
steamer, while the captain took com-
mand of the ship's boat. The flames
prevented the launching of one, but the
second was soon in the water, and a
load of passengers hurried ashore.
Two or three trips were made, aided
by boats from the shore, and, mean-
while, the flaming vessel was pointing,
bow on, for the beach, where she was
grounded, but Whelpley did not get
her there without a display of heroism.
The flames had reached the wheel-
house, and it looked as if he would
have to leave the post, but he stuck
to it until the steamer's nose was on
the shore. The vessel was then all
afire amidships, and the flames were
eating their way fore and aft. The
boats were plying from the after part
to the shore, and men and women alike
had to clamber from the upper deck
over the rail to the boats. Many were
saved in this way.

Miss Moorell, the waitress, had be-
come badly frightened and jumped
overboard. Her body was recovered
shortly afterwards as it was floating
down the river. Fred Downey, the
deck hand who lost his life, had become
penned in the flames, as he reached the
deck rail. He was driven down to-
ward the peddler's box, and a boat put
out to rescue him. Those who saved him
say he was badly burned and that his
sufferings made him miscalculate the
jump to the boat, for he struck the
water and sank.

The English lad, Stephen Hood
Rowan, was in care of his aunt, Miss
Rowan of St. John, and was on a plea-
sure trip. He climbed over the rail
to reach a boat, but either fell or jump-
ed boldly, for he, too, was drowned.
He had come out here from Manchester,
where his parents reside, for a visit,
and also to go to school. No word
of the recovery of the bodies of
Downey or the boy has reached the
city yet.

Robert Friers, the kitchen boy, had
a remarkable escape. He was asleep
below when the fire broke out, and
everybody forgot him. He was aroused
by the cracking of the fire, and
rushed out, to find his way to the deck
cut off by the flames. He returned to
his room and got out of the window
into the water and swam ashore.

BASEBALL.

Toronto 3 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 3
Jersey City 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 3

Summary:—First base by errors—Jersey
City 3, Toronto 3. First base on balls—
City 10, Toronto 6. First base on strikes—
City 10, Toronto 6. Struck out—By Briggs 10,
by McCann 6. Two-base hits—Cassidy, Sac-
rifice hits—Dillon, Bruce. Stolen bases—
Bean 2, Clement, McCormick, Dillon, Mc-
Cann, Woudensaul, Murray, Fuller. Hit
by pitcher—By Briggs 1. Wild pitch—Mc-
Cann. Passed ball—Fuller. Umpire
Ewartwood. Time—2:36. Attendance—
4,000.

First game—R.H.E.
Buffalo 2 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 3 0 3
Newark 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 6 2

Batteries—Milligan and Luskey; Mori-
arity and Shea. Umpire, Browne.

Second game—R.H.E.
Buffalo 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 6 2
Newark 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 6 2

Batteries—Laroy, Harby and Luskey;
Burke and Thomas. Umpire, Browne.

First game—R.H.E.
Providence 0 0 0 2 2 3 1 1 4 17 1
Rochester 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 4 8 1

Batteries—Yerkes and Duggan; Becker
and Spiesman.

Second game—R.H.E.
Providence 1 0 6 1 0 0 1 1 2 10 15 3
Rochester 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2 5 9

Batteries—McPartlin and Westlake;
Fertich and Steelman. Umpire, Kelly. At-
tendance, 1,200.

First game—R.H.E.
Montreal 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 6 0
Baltimore 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 11 1

Batteries—Fappala and Brennan; Bur-
obell and Hearn. Umpire, Cauliflower.

Second game—R.H.E.
Montreal 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 11 0
Baltimore 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 10 1

Batteries—Luyster and Brennan; Hand
and Hearn. Umpire, Cauliflower.

First game—R.H.E.
Newark 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 7
Buffalo 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 2 0

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neat effects, cuffs attached or sepa-
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Our tanks are like a bottle inside, clean, no mold, no slime, no chance for rot.
Which is better, beer made in a closed, glass lined, steel tank, or in an old
mouldy wooden one?

Color is no indication of strength as producers of thin, watery beer resort to
coloring matter and other materials to conceal its weakness. A good beer gives a
"full mouth" feeling when drunk.

A heavy foam is no indication of good quality, in fact in many localities they
demand less foam and more solid beer. Brewers of weak beer often try to tempt
the consumer by furnishing a beer charged with Kreusen (beer 24 hours old) and
having a beautiful cream, but if used to any extent is sure to produce sickness.

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A pure beer is a pleasant beverage and very healthful and should always give
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gest manufacturers in Canada will be represented
in the Peninsular in our exhibit. Come and
see some really choice goods.

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Subpoenas have been issued in
the adjourned proceedings against
Homer Mills and Eli P. Smith, of Na-
panee, accused, on the information of
Samuel Mally, of bribery in the last
Provincial election in Lennox. The
proceedings are taken on behalf of the
Conservative Association of Lennox.
The hearing is set for October 12.

Two girls wanted at The Planet
office to feed presses.

Any irregularity on the part of
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