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## "The Ark"



## The Planet.

DAILY AND WEEKLY  
Chatham, Ont.PUSH ON THE PEAT FUEL ENTER-  
PRISE.

The Peat Fuel Company should push their enterprise at Eriau under high pressure. The continued advance in the price of coal is causing an outcry for peat. There is now in Western Ontario an unlimited unoccupied field for the manufacture of this product. If the Kent company put themselves in a position to come forward this fall and even partially supplied the demand they will secure to themselves the market for the future. If, on the other hand, they are slow in occupying the territory new companies will undoubtedly spring up like mushrooms, and the result may be over-competition and over-supply. Speaking about peat fuel the London Free Press says:

"It is no wonder, with the taxes running up so terrifically and food going up toward famine prices, that the outlook for the winter looks blacker and blacker every day. How to furnish the London coal is the question which is absorbing the public mind. A very determined effort is already on foot to put on the market a good, cheap substitute for household coal—the humble peat. Now people are asking why this was never thought of before. The answer is, because people never asked for it."

## WANT TO FIGHT IN CHINA.

Applications are fairly pouring into the militia department from all parts of the Dominion for service in China. It is evident that events in South Africa, far from satisfying the fighting blood of Canada, have simply whetted the appetite. The pressure on the department from men who want to be selected for the front is said to be even greater than at the outbreak of hostilities in South Africa, when the numbers offering were probably a hundred to every one who succeeded in getting on the rolls of the first contingent.

There is a stereotyped form of reply to every letter: "The department is not enrolling men for service in China." In the meantime reports continue to be circulated everywhere that at any moment arrangements may be completed with the imperial authorities under which a force of all arms for China would be raised in from two to four days.

New Zealand's scheme of raising an imperial force of 10,000 men of all arms, for service in the colony, or with the imperial army, as events might require, with certain definite limits, in its main features resembles the scheme endorsed by some leading officers in Canada. Instead of 10,000 men, however, there might be either 15,000 or 20,000.

The New Zealand force is to include twelve new batteries of the most up-to-date modern artillery, with camp of instruction and new rifle ranges suitable for the modern long-distance weapons. In connection with this scheme it is noted that the Australian colonies are considering a proposition to add seven modern cruisers to the existing squadron.

## FLEETS IN CHINESE WATERS.

The international fleet in Chinese waters has not yet come into conflict with the navy of the empire. The former, since the battering of the Taku forts, has had little to do other than as a supporting force for the allied army on land. China's fleet has not been heard from at all. Though it contains several high-class cruisers of modern construction and equipment, they have discreetly refrained from participating in the fracas, having learned a few lessons on the value of caution in the contest with Japan. Doubtless, if formal war comes as a result of present operations, there will come a repetition of the naval battles of Manila and Santiago.

Rear-Admiral Philip Hiebhorn, chief constructor of the United States navy, writing in Collier's Weekly on the relative strength of the fleets in Chinese waters, gives the following statistics:

Nation.	Armored Ships—Draft
Great Britain	8 42
Japan	7 29
Russia	7 41
United States	3 10
France	1 13
Germany	1 8
Austria, Italy and Portugal	0 8

No such naval force was ever before brought together in foreign waters.

The Chinese navy of to-day does not include any armored vessels all of their ships of this class having been destroyed or captured during the China-Japanese war. The two most important ships in the list are the Hai-Tien and Hai-Chi, launched in England in 1897 and 1898 respectively. They are ships of 4,300 tons, designed for extreme high speed, being rated at twenty-four knots, with 17,000 horsepower, but having a very limited radius of action. The two 8-inch guns are protected by six inches of armor and they have a 5-inch armored deck. Their remaining battery consists of ten 4.7-inch guns, twelve 3-pounders and five above water torpedo tubes. Next to these come the Hai-Shew, Hai-Yung and Hai-Shen, launched

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ed in Germany in 1897 and 1898, cruisers of 2,950 tons displacement, with a rated speed of 20.7-10 knots per hour. They are fitted with a 3-inch armored deck and 2-inch gun shields. The battery consists of three 6-inch, eight 4-inch and six machine guns, and three submerged torpedo tubes. Besides these five ships, the only vessels which they have had built since the war with Japan is the Hai-Ying of 2,200 tons and 2,400 horse-power, carrying two 8-inch and eight 4.7-inch guns and one torpedo tube. An enormous battery for her size. She was launched in England in 1896. The older ships of China's navy include eight small cruisers and one torpedo gunboat.

Li Hung Chang doesn't care who commands the allied forces so long as he can manipulate their movements.

"Smash the Machine," is the Montreal Star's battle cry. That is suggestive but not euphonious. What is the matter with "Punish the Pledge-develop it?"

Although Lord Roberts has been very lenient with the belligerent burghers, he will no doubt now give those captured plotters still more rope. They deserve it.

It will now be in order to assure all those who did not get the county clerkship that they are next in line for the first vacancy. Our old friend, ex-Ald. Jas. Dillon, can give disappointed applicants an inkling as to the value of that kind of a promise.

There is a floating report that the operators in the match combine are required to make every third match so that the flaming head will snap off before it can be used or that the wood will break and require another draft on the match safe. Anyone willing to rely on circumstantial evidence will readily accept the report as true.

The observing editor of one of our exchanges remarks: "If delinquent subscribers would only pay their bills, as they do almost any of their other expenses, there would be better papers and more prosperous and happy editors." If all newspapers would insist on payment in advance or no paper, newspaper proprietors would not have to worry about overdue subscriptions. The course of Canadian journals is the credit system.

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## A CHANCE FOR SIR HENRI.

Hamilton Herald.

They are now talking of making Li Hung Chang emperor of China. If that is done we may expect to see Sir Henri Joly resign his governorship and his him away to the friend whom he has sworn never to desert.

## THIS HAT BET WAS COSTLY.

Kansas City Journal.

A hotel man in Portland, Me., made a bet of a hat with a friend and lost. The loser telephoned to the winner: "Get just as good a hat as you want; in fact, buy any kind of a hat that suits you and have them send the bill to me." In a day or two a bill for \$33 from a well-known Congress street milliner for a woman's hat was received by the loser. The winner calmly informed him that he was pretty well fixed for hats himself and so he thought he'd turn the thing over to his wife. It was a hat and the hotel-man paid.

## A FEAT BEYOND HIM.

The King.

A Scottish prison chaplain, recently appointed, entered one of the cells on his first round of inspection, and with much pomposity thus addressed the prisoner who occupied it: "Well, my man, do you know who I am?" "No, nor I dinnae care," was the nonchalant reply. "Well, I'm your new chaplain," he returned. "Oh, ye are? Then I have heard o' ye before." "And what did ye hear?" returned the chaplain, his curiosity getting the better of his dignity. "Well, I heard that the last two kirks ye were in ye preached them both empty; but ye will na find it such an easy matter to do the same with this one."

## DEVELOPING THE IDEA.

Windsor Record.

The Chatham Planet says: "The number of excursions to Belle Isle reminds us of the fact that this is an American resort, which could be duplicated on a smaller scale at the Light-house, where we could spend our own money in our own lands. The site is there, and the people to patronize it are here and elsewhere in Kent and Essex, but where is the enterprise to develop it?"

This is a good suggestion and there should be enterprise enough in the people of Chatham, together with the owners of the City of Chatham, to do something along this line.

A few days ago a resident of Belle River mentioned Stover's grove, near that village, as a beautiful place for pleasure grounds. Either place would be a convenient distance from Windsor, Chatham and Detroit, as well as the towns and villages of the counties of Essex and Kent.

People get tired going to the same place every year, and so a nicely arranged picnic ground at the mouth of the Thames, or Stover's grove, would undoubtedly share in the patronage of picnickers and others.

What is the matter with establishing a summer school at either of these places? If that were done possibly we would see our electric car system extended to Belle River, as has already been suggested.

Keep up the agitation, Mr. Planet.

## WOULD YOU HAVE SUPPORTED THIS?

Toronto Mail.

Suppose that in 1896 Laurier had made a speech like this to the electorate, would you have voted for his candidates:

"Gentlemen.—We propose to make great reforms. Your taxes are too light; we shall increase them by \$12,500,000."

"The Tupper government have spent but \$22,000,000 this year; we shall gradually add to the expenditures until they reach \$65,000,000 in 1900."

"The debt is altogether too small; we shall add \$5,000,000 to it."

"We have too many markets; we shall refuse a preference in the British market; we shall give the Yankees all they want in our market, so that their tariff against us may be kept up, and we shall induce the Germans to put a discriminating tariff upon Canadian products, that the United States may have that market exclusively."

"You are paying far too little for your coal oil; we shall sell out our oil industry to the Standard Oil monopoly, and will thus raise the price by from six to ten cents a gallon."

"The idea of standing by Great Britain in periods of crisis is absurd; if trouble arises, and the Empire is threatened, we shall refuse to help in Imperial defence until we are forced to act, and if we do act, we shall notify the Queen not to look upon our action as a precedent."

"The Tories give too little to railway corporations; we shall double the bonuses, and shall subsidize parallel lines all over the country."

"Too small are the amounts paid for public works; we shall introduce 'go-betweens' to make contracts and pocket the difference between the contractors' charges and the larger amount that we shall pay."

"The elections give too much anxiety to the people; we shall see that the ballot-boxes are duly stuffed, thus relieving you of the necessity of forming a judgment on public affairs."

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If this had been the announced program, would you have supported it?

## The Great Fair of the West.

The Western Fair of this year beginning on the 26th of September, and continuing till the 15th, will be without a doubt far ahead of its predecessors.

Many changes are being made to the buildings and grounds, which will be much appreciated by the patrons of this truly great agricultural show.

It is difficult now-a-days to find a great deal of novelty, but the Special Attraction Committee of the Western Fair Board have certainly done so. In addition to a full corps of competent artists in their various lines, the pyrotechnic display will be on a scale never before attempted. The main effort will be a representation of an armoured train leaving Mafeking during the siege, wherein Col. Baden-Powell gained undying glory, its attack, and the repulse of the Boers, with the guns that formed the battery at Kimberley. Another patriotic feature will be gorgeous grating, wheels, wherein will be displayed the national colors of England, Ireland and Scotland, also the "Crest of Kimberley Gems." This promises to be the best pyrotechnical display ever given in Canada, and a special train arrangements have been made so that all visitors may remain for the evening.

But this is not all by any means. The artists who give the performance during the intermission in the trials of speed include Cadieux, a slack wire performer, whose feats have made him famous the world over. The "Rozzi" have a veritable novelty, now performed in the principal vaudeville theatres. They carry special scenery. The act consists of marvellous, daring and difficult acrobatic feats on a bounding billiard table, and one of the greatest as well as the most amusing comedy acts now before the public.

"The Rozzi" are skit artists, eclipsing all others who have ever appeared on roller skates, while no one can see "Picard and Bowen" on the horizontal bar without laughing at their funny antics, and at the same time admiring their physical skill and gracefulness.

A decided novelty will be presented by F. H. B. B. B. who is a lighting artist in modelling from clay and drawing in smoke and sand. This performance is not only original but also very pleasing to the eye. All who have heard Soule's band will recollect Bessie Gilbert, the cornet virtuoso. This young lady will appear every afternoon and evening during the Fair. The Carl Dammann family of acrobats (five in number) who have a world-wide reputation, will positively appear this year. Two other families, the Ross Bros., with their "Mysterious Sweetheart" are very funny, at the same time proving themselves expert acrobats. The Ross Bros. will prove a surprise to all who have never seen the act. But perhaps the most novel feature of all will be Marryatt's Grey Hounds, who do chariot races with boy jockeys and give a very fine performance.

The celebrated Prof. Hutchison and Miss Reita Danzell, the queen of the clouds, will do a double parachute drop from one balloon each afternoon. Taken all in all the special attractions for the Western Fair of 1900 have never been excelled, and it would be very difficult to engage a stronger aggregation than will appear.

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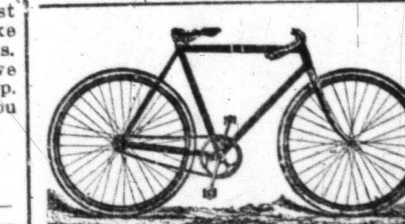
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New Barrington Derby—One case of new fall Barrington Derby still felt hats arrived this morning at the 21's.

The report from the representatives to the Grand Lodge will be read at the meeting of I O O F, No. 29, to-night.

It is said that some of the Sons of England excursionists looked so long at Niagara Falls that they got cataract on the eye.

Miss T. Olive Norton, who has been visiting at 102 St. George street, Toronto, and with friends at Rossin House, returned home to-day by way of Niagara Falls.

Around the States of Michigan and Ohio in ten days is a holiday trip that Gray Mitchell and Dan Robertson are endeavoring to enjoy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker left for Sault Ste. Marie to-day, and before returning will spend several days in the Muskoka district.

The writer of anonymous letter to Dr. R. V. Bray in which complaint is made of the ill-treatment of a child will confer a favor by sending privately to the executive officer of the society his or her name.

Miss Emma Burke, of London, who has been visiting Mrs. E. J. Foray, returned home to-day. Miss Burke rendered several enjoyable solos at Christ Church during her sojourn here, which were very much appreciated.

Thibodeau & Jacques have received the largest shipment of dry goods of the season consisting of 21 cases and packages. They are showing beautiful fall dress goods, all the latest English and French suitings and fancy dress goods.

Dr. VanBuskirk, medical health officer, has received notice from the Island Revenue Department that the next collection of samples of baking powder would be made in December, and all found selling baking powder containing alum would be prosecuted.

Owing to a new system which has been put into force, the customs returns will not be made up at the local ports, but at Ottawa. Only a cash book is to be kept at local ports, so that exports and imports will not be kept track of. These, however, will be made up at Ottawa, and monthly reports will be issued.

There will (D. V.) be a second open air service on Sunday next, the 19th, directly opposite where the last was held on the Fifth Con., Raleigh on the lawn of Mr. Taber, commencing at 2.30. The public and the Sunday school and its friends are invited to attend. Mr. J. P. Maine and others will give the addresses.

Dr. J. B. Newman, 55 years of age, who was prostrated by the heat Friday evening, near the corner of Michigan avenue and Second street, Detroit, (formerly of this city and for many years a resident of Wallaceburg) and who revived after being taken to Emergency hospital, was found dead in his boarding house at 139 Michigan avenue. It is believed that the heat was responsible for his death.

TO SPOT RENT DODGERS.—The alleged existence of a large number of people in Windsor who pin their faith to the popular and times honored theory that it's cheaper to move than pay rent, is responsible for a movement to resuscitate the Landlord's Protective Association.

A meeting of landlords for the purpose of reorganizing, will be held in a few days. It is the intention to draw up a "black list" of rent dodgers, with an agreement that none of them shall be allowed to rent a house from any member of the Landlord's Association.

DEATH OF S. C. HARVEY.—Our Charing Cross correspondent writes: Another of the old settlers of this section passed away in the 60th year of his age, on the 10th inst., after a lingering illness, in the person of Solomon Chessel Harvey. He was the second son, one of twelve children, of the late Geo. and Mary Harvey, Middle Road, Raleigh, Ont. only now remaining out of the numerous family. Solomon liked work and was full of vigor, muscle and endurance. Before the time of the mower and binder he thought nothing of taking his scythe and cutting his two acres of grass or carting four acres of grain in a day, and in fact he was a hustler at all kinds of work on the farm. The deceased was Reform in politics and always recorded his vote. The table and good looks were his chief study for he was a good Methodist and follower of John Wesley. Before his hearing got so bad he was a prominent and useful man in his place Sabbath morning until unable to attend, the minister generally giving him an outline of what was going to be said. He leaves a wife and three children (two others having preceded him) to mourn his loss. They are all provided for. His remains were followed to the church, thence to the cemetery, by a large number of relatives and friends.

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Chatham Gas Company, Limited, will be held at the offices of the company, King St., Chatham, on Tuesday, Aug. 28th, 1900, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers, and transaction of general business.

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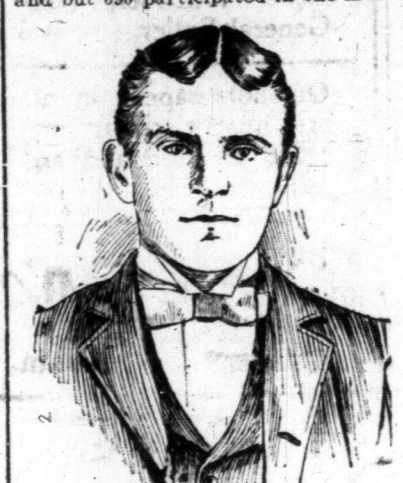
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To Save Her Child.—From frightful disfigurement Mrs. Nannie Gallagher, of LaGrange, Ga., applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve to great sores on her head and face, and writes: "It works wonders in Sores, Bruises, Skin Eruptions, Cuts, Burns, Scalds, Piles, etc. Cure guaranteed by A. I. McCall & Co's Drug Store."

## And Many Marches Private Wilson has Participated.

Still He Says He Is Fatter and Healthier Than Ever—Private Gorrie Also Well.

Thomas Walters has received a very entertaining and well written letter from Private A. R. Wilson, who is now situated at Springs, a place about thirty miles east of Johannesburg, between the latter city and Pretoria. Private Wilson says that although he has been through seven battles and marched 360 miles he is fatter and healthier than ever. There are now only 160 of the regiment fit for duty and but 390 participated in the march.



past before Lord Roberts at the capture of Johannesburg. The writer thinks that although both are pretty hard he would rather fight than march. One of the hottest scraps in which the boys have yet taken part was at Zand River. However, both Wilson and Gorrie came through O. K. Private Wilson thanks Tom for the papers and boxes which he sent out. He states that Corporal Henry Burrell was left behind, ill at Winburg, and as the other boys have heard nothing of him since, Wilson presumes he has been sent to the Cape for transportation home. Both the writer and Private Gorrie were then in the best of health and enjoying life as far as possible. Private Wilson enclosed in a Boer envelope a piece of hard-tack, such as the soldiers are served with in their daily rations. The biscuit is rather tough, but is not at all unpalatable.

## NOW AT EDENBURG

Dick Skirving's Battery Following up the Boers.

He Writes Home Telling Some of the Boys' Experiences—An Expensive Meal.

Detective Archie Skirving has received a letter from his son Victor dated Edenburg, Orange River Colony, July 6th. Dick says that his battery left De Aar for Kroonstad on June 20th. From thence they marched to Bloemfontein and then to Edenburg. This town he describes as a very healthy place and says that all the boys intended to fasten up well. While in Bloemfontein Dick walked into a restaurant and ordered a meal. When served it was a miserable excuse for one and the Chatham boy devoured it in ten minutes. That meal cost just \$4.25.

At Edenburg the camp was situated on a kopje from which a good view of the surrounding country could be obtained so there was small possibility of a surprise by the Boers. However, the boys were hoping that the enemy would give them one more chance for fun before the close of the war.

A train load of Irish-American prisoners passed through Edenburg a few days previous to the writing of the letter and Victor says he got the impression that the boys "didn't do a thing" to the renegades. The guards had to keep the battery men back with fixed bayonets. All the boys were well at the time of writing.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Chatham Gas Company, Limited, will be held at the offices of the company, King St., Chatham, on Tuesday, Aug. 28th, 1900, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers, and transaction of general business.

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## MEAN BUSINESS.

The Baden-Powell Issues a Definite Challenge to the Outlaw.

Erieau, Aug. 14, 1900.

The crew of the Baden-Powell hereby challenge the crew of the Outlaw to a yacht race on Friday next at 6 p. m. sharp, the loser to donate to the winners a silk flag, oyster supper, or string of fifteen bass to be caught at one fishing before leaving the Eau for the season.

E. R. SMITH, Secretary Baden-Powell.

## DRESDEN.

Aug. 14.—Miss Reba Tassie has returned home from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. (Rev.) Howard, of Thorndale.

More over, every time she loses control of her temper she unhinges a moral brain-cell and weakens by several degrees her capacity for self-control. The oftener she permits herself to indulge in what she believes to be righteous indignation the more frequently she finds such occasions presenting themselves, for life is full of such irritating opportunities.

It is these bursts of passion that prevent women from growing old so beautifully that they seem to retain their youth and like a tree, becoming more attractive with age. A mouth that learns how to set itself in an aggrieved or hard line soon settles in a grim curve that writes years of age upon a woman's face and deep lines an accusing and disfiguring wrinkle. There is no use attempting to reason with a woman about the evil effects of ill-temper while she is in an ugly mood. She knows perfectly well that it is bad for her, that it sours the face and bettles and immoral, and that it hurts her cause to lose her temper. But she does not stop at just that time to think about it, and to remind her of the fact only adds fuel to the flames.

## CLOSE TO PEKIN.

The Allies Reported Within 20 Miles of China's Capital.

Sir Claude Macdonald Wires That the Situation There Is Desperate.

London, Aug. 14.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Express wiring yesterday says: "The allies at noon yesterday were within 20 miles of Pekin. General Chaffee's report, which is the only authentic news received here regarding the advance, located the international forces about 40 miles from Pekin on Friday. It seems probable that this Shanghai report is optimistic. It is scarcely likely that the allies could advance 30 miles in as many hours."

The following message dated Aug. 6 has been received from Sir Claude Macdonald, British minister in Pekin: "Our situation here is desperate. In ten days our food supplies will be at an end. Unless we are relieved a general massacre is probable. The Chinese offer to escort us to Tien Tsin; but remembering Capowure, we refuse the offer. There are over 200 women and children in this legation."

POPULAR PAVEMENT

In the Far West is Vitrified Brick Says J. J. Couzens.

James J. Couzens, who has been spending three weeks with relatives in Des Moines, Iowa, and other western cities, returned home yesterday. Mrs. Couzens will remain in Des Moines for about three months yet. Mr. Couzens brought back with him a sample of the vitrified brick used in the cities of Iowa, and surrounding states. This brick is smaller than the Massillon sample, weighing only 6 1/2 lbs., but it is so tough that it cuts glass. It is also considerably darker than the kind which will be used for the King street pavement. In Des Moines alone there are 100 miles of this brick on the streets. Five big manufacturing concerns are kept busy making it, and so popular has the brick become that the company has received an order from Council Bluffs for 13,000,000 recently. Mr. Couzens further states that in the west the concrete kerbing is used everywhere, as it is found to give the best satisfaction.

He was greatly interested in the asbestos stone works in Iowa, which are on a very large scale and gained some valuable pointers regarding the manufacture of this coming paving material.

Minard's Liniment is used by Physicians.

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## KEEP YOUR TEMPER.

Bursts of Passion and Worry Do Make Women Prematurely Old.

Bad temper and worry make more wrinkles in one night than hot and cold bathing and massage and complexion brushes and creams and lotions can wash out.

Physicians assert that an immense amount of nerve force is expended in every fit of bad temper; that when one little part of the nervous system gets wrong, the face first records it. The eyes begin losing the lustre of youth, muscles become flabby, the skin refuses to contract accordingly, and the inevitable result is wrinkles, femininity's fiercest and most insidious foe.

Indulging in a fit of temper not only makes a woman old and ugly before her time, but actually shortens life. More over, every time she loses control of her temper she unhinges a moral brain-cell and weakens by several degrees her capacity for self-control. The oftener she permits herself to indulge in what she believes to be righteous indignation the more frequently she finds such occasions presenting themselves, for life is full of such irritating opportunities.

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Teakettle Improvement. A drop spout tea kettle has been invented. By its use it is possible to draw any quantity of water from the boiling kettle without disturbing it, simply by turning the spout down to a

point below the level of the water in the kettle. The spout is fed at the bottom by two asbestos packed tubes, which makes the joint perfectly tight. At the upper end of the spout is a heat proof knob for manipulating it as desired, and a hook by which it is fastened in an upright position.

The Cat Resisted Deep-Water Baptism. "A little boy I knew of in the West," writes Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, in the Ladies' Home Journal, "belonged to a family who had trained him to believe in the deep-water form of baptism, and was experimenting with the household cat and a bucket of water. The animal evidently did not believe in immersion, for she resisted, bit and scratched and used bad language—in the cat tongue, of course. Finally, the little boy, with his hands covered with scratches and with tears in his eyes, gave up the effort to effect the regeneration of the cat. 'Dog-gone you!' he cried—notice the choice of epithets in the use for the word dog—'go and be an Episcopal cat if you want to!'

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## THE MOB OF BLOTS.

"I wish you'd be more careful, dear,"  
Euphemia heard her mother say.  
"I put a nice clean blotter here  
Day before yesterday."

Euphemia was a naughty child.  
She saw the blots, she tossed her  
head.  
And then she actually smiled.  
And this is what she said:

"The blotter's there for folks to blot;  
I haven't stained the desk at all  
And each one's very little spot—  
You see they're very small!"

That night Euphemia dreamed a  
dream:  
She wandered through secluded  
spots,  
And then (her mother heard her  
scream).  
She met a Mob of Blots.

They grinned, they leered, they winked,  
they smiled.  
The fattest of them wagged his ears.  
And said: "Just look at that small  
child!  
She made you all, my dears!"

This was too much, and with a scream  
She woke. For days she never  
smiled.  
And since the dream of that dream,  
She is the neatest child.  
—Margaret Vandegrift, in St. Nicholas.

## UNDER FALSE COLORS.

In the little tea garden before the  
Thames hotel two men were enjoying  
a smoke after a more substantial re-  
past.

"You are a lucky dog, Perry," the  
elder was saying. "Here have I been  
trying all kinds of tricks for the past  
week to bring about an acquaintance  
with Lamia Broughton, all to no pur-  
pose, and you find no difficulty appar-  
ently, in hobnobbing with her on the  
day of your arrival in London."

"Nothing simpler, Fenwick," said  
Perry, warming up to a subject that  
interested him. "I had taken a boat  
through Boulter's lock and was pulling  
up along Cliveden woods when I saw  
the beautiful Lamia (dressed pretty,  
name Lamia) standing in her punt,  
looking somewhat distressed. Her  
little pole had stuck fast in the clay  
bottom, and the punt was drifting  
down stream. Of course, I put on  
steam and went to the rescue. She  
was very grateful and I was very much  
smitten; so we talked till we became  
quite chummy. On parting I asked her  
if I might meet her again on the river  
and she has agreed. She is a pearl,  
Fenwick; and I'm madly in love with  
her. Of course, you know, she's an  
heiress—something over a million, so  
I'm told."

"The other laughed. "Did you sup-  
pose it was her personal charms only  
that made me so anxious to know her?  
Frankly, I, like yourself, am madly in  
love with that million of hers."

"For all that, Fenwick," said Perry,  
"she's a lovely creature, and if I were  
rich I'd want to marry her though she  
hadn't a penny."

"I quite agree with you, Perry.  
But since I don't happen to be rich  
and she does not happen to be pen-  
iless, I can assure you I am still very  
anxious to marry her. However, I  
think my chances are very slim, for  
I'm told that Lord Langford has been  
paying her some attentions. She will  
like a little most of her sex, will like  
a title for the coping stone of her  
fortune and Geoffrey Langford, if he  
keeps on at the pace he is making at  
present, will soon need an addition to  
his funds. I hear that his exchequer  
is already in a bad way. By the way,  
I wonder what has become of young  
Rex Langford?"

"The two brothers quarreled after  
the death of the old lord, and Rex only  
waited to see his father buried. He  
then disappeared and no one seems to  
know anything more about him. It's  
generally understood that Rex was not  
treated fairly by his brother. But,  
beating them all, I'm only interested in  
Lamia Broughton just now. Did I tell  
you that I am to meet her in the back  
stream to-morrow afternoon? She will  
not allow me to fetch her in my punt,  
but—"

"I saw Giffey this morning, and he,  
too, has an appointment with the hei-  
ress to-morrow afternoon in the back  
stream."

"What!" gasped Perry. "Do you  
really think she is a flirt?"

"It certainly looked like it, for even  
while Perry was asking the question  
Lamia Broughton, on the other side  
of the river, was just taking leave of  
Lord Langford."

"Very well, Lord Langford, since  
you insist upon it," said she. "To-  
morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the  
back stream. Good-by."

"Au revoir, dear Miss Broughton. I  
shall be happy even in anticipation."

With a sweeping bow Lord Langford  
turned away and Lamia Broughton  
stood watching the retreating figure  
with a contemptuous smile hardening  
her naturally sweet and tender mouth.  
"The idiot!" she exclaimed. "Cads  
and idiots all of them, and this the ar-  
ch of all! He thinks to catch my mil-  
lion with his peevish bait, but I shall  
show him that he is but a clumsy  
angler. What a lark to see the meet-  
ing of cads in the back stream to-  
morrow afternoon staring foolishly at  
one another, while the heiress is on  
her way to America! How sick and  
disgusted with life they make me!  
But I am determined that the man  
who marries me will marry me for  
myself and not for my money. I shall  
change my name and none shall know  
that a million pounds is at my dispos-  
al. My trustees may call me foolish if

they wish, but I am my own mistress  
and have no wish to sell myself to a  
cad for a title. When I marry I shall  
marry a man!"

Behind the scenes in "The Bride of  
New York" there had been much ex-  
citement for some days back. It had  
leaked out that one of the company,  
Reginald Langley, playing a subordi-  
nate part, was a "real live lord." The  
company, after a great success in Am-  
erica, had recently arrived in London,  
and some one who had got access to  
the stage door had recognized the  
brother of Geoffrey Langford in the  
self-styled Reginald Langley.

Of course the obscure young actor,  
with his paltry \$10 a week, became at  
once bound the hero of the cast. The  
ladies suddenly discovered how hand-  
some he was, and for the first time  
began to envy the pretty chorus girl  
who seemed to have won the heart of  
the demi-god on the very day of join-  
ing the company six months ago. She  
was known as Lamia Laurence and  
was liked in a patronizing kind of way  
by the other ladies behind the scenes.  
Every one said it was "a clear case  
between young Langley and that pretty  
chorus girl."

As a matter of fact, "Young Lan-  
gley" had in America asked Lamia  
Laurence to be his wife at some fu-  
ture time so he could afford to of-  
fer her a home. He had pointed out  
to her that he was poor, but would  
study hard to make a name for him-  
self and for her. And Lamia had  
promised to wait, had even offered to  
marry him at once if he wished it.  
But her lover would not hear of it. He  
must be able to support his wife or he  
would not marry.

When the news reached Lamia that  
her promised husband was really Lord  
Langford, brother to Geoffrey Lang-  
ford, she was very thoughtful and  
smiled often to herself. She had heard  
how shamefully the younger brother  
had been treated, and had always ad-  
mired the conduct of the young noble-  
man whom she had not seen. Rex  
apologized to her for "sailing under  
false colors," as he called it, but Lamia  
had nothing to reproach him with.  
"But Rex," she said, "why do you  
not marry a rich girl? There are  
many girls with fortunes who would  
be glad of your title."

"I know that as well as you, dear,"  
he answered, "but I prefer you to all  
the money in the world."

Next evening Rex came to Lamia. "I  
can offer you a home now, darling," he  
said. "I have just received news that  
my brother was killed two weeks  
ago in a duel at Paris. Of course, the  
estate reverts to me—what is left of it,  
at least, for Geoffrey was a reckless  
spendthrift. I am sorry to say. Will  
you marry me to-morrow, dear?"

"Now, if you wish, Rex."  
Boulter's lock was crowded with all  
kinds of river craft—stea launches,  
row boats, canoes and punts—all grad-  
ually rising as the water piled in  
through the upper gates. On the bridge,  
attired in the inevitable flannels, but  
with an expression on his face quite  
out of keeping with his happy summer  
costume, Perry stood gazing down into  
the crowded lock.

"What's gone wrong with the works,  
Perry?" cried Fenwick, touching his  
friend on the shoulder with his cane.  
"What's gone wrong? Look!"

He pointed to a punt that was just  
passing out of the upper gates, in  
which a graceful and familiar figure  
was manipulating the pole, while a  
man was sitting on some cushions in  
the bow.

"As I live," cried Fenwick, "it's Lamia  
Broughton and Rex Langford!"

"Wrong," answered Perry, "it's  
"It's Lord and Lady Langford."

"What!"

"Fact. They turned up in a very  
mysterious fashion yesterday, after  
disappearing quietly in London. But let's  
go down to the 'Thames' for a dash  
of brandy and I'll tell you all about it.  
I'm a bit upset."

When the little punt reached the lit-  
tle back stream Rex moved it to the  
overhanging shrubbery of the bank and  
Lamia came over and sat beside him.

"Rex, dear," she said, "you seem so  
quiet and sad. Do you begin to regret  
your haste in marrying me?"

"Frankly, Lamia, for your sake I  
do," he replied. "My brother has fair-  
ly ruined the estate and where I ex-  
pected to get at least an income of  
\$2,500 out of it I don't see how it is  
going to pay at all. Without some  
capital, I fear—"

"Rex, darling," said Lamia, care-  
ssing his brow with her hand, "would  
\$5,000,000 help you to set things  
right?"

Then for the first time Lord Lan-

ford heard that he had married not  
only the chorus girl Lamia Laurence  
but the heiress of the Broughton mil-  
lions.

"But why did you not tell me of this  
immediately after I first asked you to  
marry me?" asked Rex, when he had  
grasped the situation.  
Lamia blushed.

"I was afraid, dear," she said slowly,  
"that you might have some conscientious  
scruples and might think it was  
not right to marry me while you were  
so poor. So—"

Her confusion was cut short as his  
lips pressed her own.

## HERE AND THERE

Every stranger who enters the  
White House is counted by an auto-  
matic register. The instrument is  
held in the hand of one of the watch-  
men stationed at the door and for ev-  
ery visitor he pushes the button. Rep-  
resentatives, senators, members of  
the cabinet and newspaper men are  
not counted.

Buffalo county, Neb., boasts the  
largest alfalfa field in the world. It  
is under the management of H. D.  
Watson, and is from one-half to two  
miles wide and eight miles of such  
matter long. It yields three cuttings  
a season, and the total yield per acre  
for the three cuttings averages close  
to eight tons.

Half of the 22 dukes who sit in the  
British House of Lords have no sons  
to succeed them. The dukes who are  
without heirs apparent are the present  
Duke of Argyll, and the Dukes of  
Beaufort, Hamilton, Devonshire, Leeds,  
Manchester, Newcastle, St. Albans,  
Somerset, Wellington and Westmin-  
ster.

The crusade against tuberculosis is  
now being pushed with determined  
zeal in almost every province of Can-  
ada. The two leading cities, Montreal  
and Toronto, have organizations for  
the propagation of information regard-  
ing the prevention and treatment of  
the disease.

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ever made have been ordered in this  
country for a foreign government, and  
will give an electric spark 45 inches in  
length, expending energy amounting to  
three or four horse power, and hav-  
ing a potential of half a million volts.

The seaport town of Great Yarmouth  
on the eastern coast of England, con-  
tains a street that is perhaps the nar-  
rowest built up street in the world.  
It is known as "Kitty Witches Row,"  
and measurement gives its greatest  
width as 56 in. ches.

At the time of the census of 1850,  
three years after the Mormons estab-  
lished their community in that locality,  
Utah contained 11,000 inhabitants. It  
had 40,000 in 1860, 143,000 in 1880, 207,  
000 in 1890, while the figures this year  
will probably be 275,000.

Health specialists say a pound of  
lean beef and a quart of whole milk  
contain about the same amount of  
nourishment, but the meat, although  
its cost is more, is more valuable for  
food, as it contains the nutrient in  
more suitable proportion.

By the laws of 1888 and of the 1893,  
foreigners living in Paris are obliged  
to make a declaration of residence.  
Since this law went into effect, 281,763  
foreigners have been registered, of  
whom 171,570 were men, 118,794 wo-  
men, and 68,399 children.

The British war office has given or-  
ders for the purchase of a number of  
small steel shields to cover the vital  
parts about the hearts of the soldiers.  
The shields weigh about seven pounds,  
and in tests have turned bullets at 700  
yards.

An engineer employed by an Ameri-  
can company, who recently visited the  
Corro del Mercado in Durango, says  
that this mountain is sufficient to fur-  
nish the smelters of England with ore  
for a period of 320 years.

When Women Voted for President.  
Women voted in New Jersey in the  
Presidential election of 1894, when  
Thomas Jefferson was re-elected for a  
second term. In 1892 the women  
of the new State of Wyoming partici-  
pated in a Presidential election which  
resulted in the choice of Grover Cleve-  
land, who was the first President since  
Jefferson to be elected by the aid of  
women's vote.—The Forum.

Lions Not "Domestic Animals."  
Justices Cave and Wright, London,  
recently dismissed an appeal against  
the magisterial decision in the case of  
the Aquarian lions. The keeper of  
these lions was prosecuted for cruelty  
to the animals, but the magistrates  
dismissed the case on the ground that  
the lions were not domestic animals.  
The court upheld this view and dismissed the appeal.

New Use for Women.  
Yet another occupation has been  
found for women—that of acting as  
barometers. Weather Prophet Dunn  
is quoted as saying that one of the  
ways of telling whether the tempera-  
ture was rising was to watch a girl's  
front hair. When it began to lose its  
curl and grow straight, it would be a  
sure sign of a change of temperature.

It is a great deal better for a man  
to wear boots too big for him than  
that he should be too big for his boots.  
It's a good sign when her sex thinks  
well of a woman.

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refused to keep it, but was compelled to do so, as we threatened to sue him if he did  
not settle. Rather than have a law suit he paid for it and in consequence we lost his  
custom. This is what the opposition is saying, now read what Mr. John Little says  
and after reading it the farmer can form some estimate of what to think of such dis-  
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phatically deny. We were quite will-  
ing to settle and pay for it after it had  
been tried and do not now never did re-  
gret buying it.

Yours truly,  
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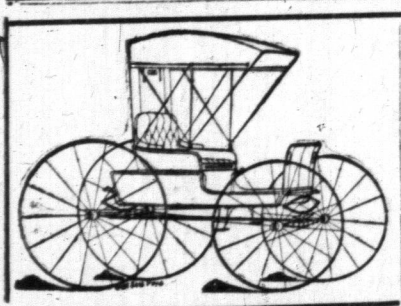
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Oh, for a pleasant trip up to the pole!  
Oh, for a little one-story thermometer,  
With nothing but zeros all ranged in a row!  
Oh, for a big double-barrelled hymenaeus,  
To measure the moisture which falls from my brow;  
Oh, that this world were twenty times colder,  
That's irony red hot, it seemeth to me,  
Oh, for a turn of its dreaded cold shoulder,  
Oh, what a comfort an ague would be!  
Oh, for a grotto to typify Heaven,  
Scooped in a rock under cataract vast;  
Oh, for a winter of discontent even,  
Oh, for wet blankets, judiciously cast;  
Oh, for a soda fount spouting up boldly  
From every hot lamp-post against the hot sky!  
Oh, for proud maidens to look on me coldly,  
Freezing my soul with a glance of her eye!  
Oh, for a draught of a cup of "cold pizen,"  
And oh, for a resting place in the cold grave,  
With a bath in the styx where the thick shroud malden,  
And deepens the chill of its dark running wave.

### THE DISTRICT

**TUPPERVILLE.**  
Miss Johnston and Miss Simpson spent Sunday at Chatham Mills. We are glad to hear that Mrs. Wm. Smith is on the mend. Thomas Allen, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday here. Glad to see our grain merchant busy. Mr. Logan spent Sunday at Erieau. Miss Conley returned home to Merlin, after spending her holidays here. Several from here took in the excursion to Port Lambton Monday night. The fire at Mr. Watson's residence was caused by the explosion of a lamp. No damage was done.

### EIGHTH CON., RALEIGH.

John Cameron had one of his young cattle killed with lightning. Miss J. Jordan, of Chatham spent a few days with Miss Brown. Mrs. Fred. Towel is on the sick list. The train stop on Wednesday evening put a stop to the League meeting on that night. A number of our people went on the Niagara Falls excursion. Rev. R. Redmond returns this week to resume his work here. Miss Flossie Ritchie has returned after visiting friends in Dresden. Although rather late, we wish to congratulate Master Tommy Brown on having passed the recent entrance examination. Mrs. Jas. Hea returned home from Canada last Monday. Miss Carrie Noack is spending a week with friends in London. Miss Flossie Thompson has been holidaying with Miss Lida Mammery, returned home last week. Mrs. George Towel left Friday to visit her son, Mr. A. Towel, of Cleveland. Miss Carrie Mammery returns next Thursday to her school in Pembroke. We understand she will stop off at Woodstock to visit her friend Miss Stella Clark.

### BOTHWELL.

Aug. 14—Frank Fleming and W. Trott have just returned from a visit to relatives in Dresden. While there they took in the Methodist Sunday excursion to Walpole. The boat touched at Tupperville, Wallaceburg and Algonquin. Rev. R. J. Warner, of Alma College, St. Thomas, will preach in the M. E. church here next Sunday morning and evening. Mrs. Alex. Gatto was in Detroit last week. Mrs. Davey, of Windsor, is the guest of friends in town. T. McGarrity, Windsor, is renewing old acquaintances here. Mrs. Melvin Tyrell and Herbert Tyrell are visiting at J. Tyrell. Albert Trott is spending a few days with his brother, George Trott, of this place. Miss Bella Boon, of London, is spending her holidays with her parents here.

### IRWIN.

A number from here went on the excursions to Niagara Falls and Cleveland last Thursday. Rev. Mr. Brigen, from Walpole, preached here last Sunday. Misses Clara and Eva Bennett returned home after two weeks' visit with friends here. Chas. Lenover lost a valuable horse on Wednesday last. Miss Anna Chinnick has gone to Walkerville for a week's vacation. Miss Mabel Lane is visiting friends in Detroit. The Ladies' Auxiliary will meet at the residence of Mrs. Jas. Chinnick, Thursday, Aug. 16. Farmers are busy threshing.

### How to Dress.

Not one woman in ten knows how to properly dress a room. Feather dusters are the only implements some women use, and they are worse than useless, because the dust is merely disturbed, not removed. The best duster is a piece of cheese cloth, for it is soft, will take up the dust and can be easily washed. The polished case of a piano should be treated to a soft silk duster, and for pieces of furniture a soft, thick paint brush which will go into all the crevices is necessary. It is well to have dusters for each room, and they should be shaken out of the window frequently during the operation of dusting. Some careful housekeepers hem these pieces of cheese cloth and provide soft bags to hold them when they are not in use.

### HISTORICAL LOVE STORY.

#### JOHN AND PHILIPPA.

The Romance of a King.  
In the middle of the fourteenth century John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, the famous son of King Edward III. of England, married the Infanta Blanche, heir to the throne of Castile. Unfortunately the lady had been supplanted by her cousin, who had seized and held the throne. Twenty-five years after this marriage war broke out between Portugal and Castile. England was the ally of Portugal. The Duke of Lancaster headed the English forces. He fought with a will. Victory meant that his wife, the Duchess, would be Queen of Castile. The King of Portugal, too, interested him. He was a fine young man of twenty-six. He was tall and handsome and had wavy black hair and large dark eyes. He was a brave soldier and a good horseman. In some ways he was unlike most kings. He cared nothing for the drunken bouts and coarse pleasures in which his companions indulged. He was noted for the remarkable purity of his life. His people called him John the Perfect. They were devoted to him. Three years before an English knight, on a visit to the King of Portugal, had died suddenly. At the last moment he placed in the hand of the King a miniature painting. He attempted to say something in explanation. It was too late. The picture was of a beautiful, but unknown, maiden. Rippling fair hair shaded her round pink cheeks. Her blue eyes gazed steadily into the King's dark ones. Days, weeks, months passed, and the King still studied the miniature. He was entranced by the fair unknown.



"Had I but learned her name before my good friend died!" he sighed a thousand times. "Who can she be?" he wondered. There was no response. Several years passed. To cement his alliance with the English he proposed to the Duke of Lancaster that he give him one of his daughters. The Duke was pleased. It would advance his plans. "I have two daughters," he said. "Philipa, who is twenty, and Catharine, who is seventeen. Your Majesty can have which you choose." "In these affairs of state it matters little," said the King, sadly. "Let it be the older, to more nearly match my own age."

The Duke returned at once to England to prepare his daughter for this royal marriage. He carried with him a portrait of the King. There was no choice for Philipa. Fortunately, the fair English maid was pleased with the dark beauty of the King. She wondered if he would admire her. "At least he shall not know that I care at all for him," she thought, for she was a high-spirited girl. The marriage was by proxy. This was not uncommon in royal families long ago. The dignity of a king forbade him to go from his own land to seek his bride. Yet the Lady Philipa of Lancaster was grand-daughter of the King of England. She must be married in her own country. The King sent as his proxy a great Archbishop. He travelled in royal state, attended by many nobles. After the ceremony Philipa, as Queen of Portugal, went in care of the Archbishop and all his train, to the husband whom in her heart she loved, and whom she knew cared not for her.

On her arrival in Portugal she was taken to a grand castle where the marriage ceremony was to be performed on the following day with the King instead of his proxy. After Philipa had rested from the fatigues of the journey she prepared to give audience to the King in the great drawing room of the castle. She was attired in a magnificent robe of white satin embroidered with gold. It had a court train of royal purple velvet bordered with pearls. Her golden hair was dressed very high and in its coils were set a tiara of anasthysts. Her ladies withdrew that the young people might have no witness to their meeting. She was alone. From a window the girl watched the approach of the King. She noted how handsome he was with a suit of fine green velvet, with silver-gray satin trimmings. Yet she was angry with herself that she admired him. "Nothing does he care for me!" she thought, bitterly. She drew herself up with great dignity as he entered the room. He bowed low before her and commenced some formal speech. Then the words died upon his lips. The shock of a great surprise kept him silent. Before him stood the lady of the miniature. His joy may be imagined. He told the story to Philipa. He in turn confessed her love. The marriage next day was no formal affair of state, but a union of two fondly loving hearts. And all his life long the people wondered how the King who had been so cold a suitor had been transformed into such a loving and devoted husband—Lydia Kingsmill Commander, in New York Evening Journal.

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### A Modern Wedding.

Everything was in readiness. The church was a beautifully decorated, thousands of dollars having been spent on flowers alone. The magnificent costumes of the wedding party dazzled the eyes of on-lookers and made the hearts of the less fortunate burst with envy. The ushers appeared, each wearing a diamond scarf-pin, the gift of the bride's father. Then was seen the bridesmaids, beautifully gowned and carrying huge bouquets of roses. Last came the bride, gorgeously graceful, beatifically beaming, lovely luscious, leaning on the arm of her proud father. The peals of the organ burst out in the grand notes of the "Wedding March." But, stay. Where was the bridegroom? Oh, yes that's so! He's so plaguesome insignificant and unimportant on such occasions nowadays that you must pardon us for forgetting to mention him. He showed up all right, however.

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Toronto, Aug. 14, 10 a. m.—Moderate to fresh southwesterly winds, fair and warmer. Wednesday, fair and warmer with some local thunderstorms.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

William Taylor, Tibbury, is in the city.

Miss Hayward will return to Chicago on Sunday next.

The cost of the improvements to the Harrison Hall office up to date, is \$166.43.

Printer Wanted!—Accustomed to setting ads. or job work. Apply at Planet Office, immediately.

Mrs. J. B. Ballantyne, of Bracebridge, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Moore, Head street.

Mrs. Jennie Frazer, of Toledo, who has been visiting her brother, T. H. Walters, Raleigh street, returned home this morning.

The City of Chatham was crowded to her utmost capacity this morning to accommodate the large number of excursionists who took in the annual Baptist-S. S. outing to Belle Isle.

The train which leaves Eriena at 8:10, was over an hour late this morning, arriving in the city at 10 o'clock. The Scotch picnic at the Eau caused the delay.

John Campbell, writing home from Manila says that he is still sick in the hospital and is too weak to start for home, even if he could get the necessary leave.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cowett, of Parry Sound, who have been visiting Mrs. Cowett's sister, Mrs. Ephraim Smith, Head street, for the past two months, have returned home.

James J. Couzens left this morning for Windsor, where he will represent the local Sons of England at the Grand Lodge. A large number of members will attend during the week.

E. J. MacIntyre, the jeweler and optician is attending the convention of the American Opticians' Association, which is being held at the Hotel Cadillac, Detroit.

The board of works will hold a meeting shortly to discuss some improvements which have been neglected by reason of the board devoting all its attention to the King street pavement.

Headaches CURED WITH GLASSES

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Opticians and Druggists.

Mrs. J. B. Stringer is quite seriously ill.

Will Richardson is in the city spending a few days with his parents, Victoria Ave.

Frank Laurandean, of Montana, a graduate of the C. C. I., is visiting the city of his birth, renewing acquaintances and enjoying himself generally.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tobey have returned from a ten days' trip. They spent a week in the vicinity of Brockville and Kingston.

Robert Bartlett, of the Lake Erie offices here, is at Blenheim Junction. In charge of the telegraph instrument placed there for giving orders to the Scotch picnic trains.

A Lake Erie train struck an 18 months old daughter of M. C. R. Sectionman McConkey, near Pelton, yesterday and pitched her 35 feet away to one side. She was not seriously hurt.

Mrs. Hicks, an aged colored woman residing on Harvey street, was driven over to the police court in a cab this morning, where she laid an information against a couple of her feminine neighbors, charging them with theft of household goods.

William Brancchia, the Wallaceburg glassblower who was arrested in Minneapolis, on a charge of theft, by Chief Murray, has elected to be tried before the judge and jury.

He will be arraigned before Judge Woods next Tuesday morning at ten o'clock.

Quite a large number attended the band concert at Port Lambton last evening. The Excelsior Band, as here, tofore, furnished splendid music for dancing. These band concert excursions to Port Lambton take place every Monday night and prove delightful trips.

Don Tiptop, of Chicago, treasurer of the Sexton estate, is visiting at the residence of P. C. Dezella. Mr. Upton is a nephew of Mrs. Dezella.

The Scotch picnic at Eriena today is being largely attended from Blenheim, Ridgeway and South Kent generally.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.  
The Sons of England held their regular weekly meeting last night. President Thomas E. Fielder, were duly installed by Past President Longley. All the members of the lodge are requested to turn out next Monday night, when the excursion committee will present their report, which is an excellent one.

Bro. J. J. Couzens will also be able to give his report on the Grand Lodge at Windsor this week.

DEATH ACCIDENTAL.  
Coroner Bray, of Chatham, held an inquest yesterday afternoon at Bothwell regarding the death of William Coulter, the C. P. R. brakeman, who was killed on Friday by falling from a freight train. The evidence of the conductor, David Myers, of London, was first taken. He was near Coulter when he fell. The air brakes when applied didn't work right and brought the train up with a shock throwing Coulter off George Dowling, the engineer, Edward White, brakeman, and Joseph Watson, fireman, also gave evidence. Dr. McMurrian, Bothwell, stated that Coulter's neck had been broken. The jury returned the following verdict: That Mr. Coulter came to his death by falling from the caboose of train No. 55, C. P. R., at Bothwell, the 10th day of August, and the blame is attached to the engineer or any of the trainmen.

The jury were: Foreman, Edward Drummond, Colin Reid, Thos. Haller, William Duncan, John Colhurst, Harry Cross, Richard Drew, J. W. Allen, A. G. Campbell, David Tait, Chas. Simpkins and George Davis.

Seven Years in Bed  
"Will wonders ever cease?" inquire the friends of Mrs. S. Peas, of Lawrence, Kan. They knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years on account of kidney and liver troubles, nervous prostration and general debility; but "Three bottles of Electric Bitters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three months I felt like a new person." Women suffering from Headache, Backache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells will find it priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction is guaranteed. Only 50c. at A. I. McCall & Co.'s Drug Store.

BEAUTIFUL SUMMER RESORTS.  
M. C. Dickson, district passenger agent of the G. T. R., has just issued four handsome new folders descriptive of the summer resorts of Ontario, access to which may be gained by the G. T. R. lines. Each of the folders is profusely illustrated in half-tone colored engravings, and this, with the reading matter, gives the reader the best possible information as to the beauties of the Highlands of Ontario. One of the pamphlets deals with the Kawartha lakes, another with the Lake of Huron, a third with the Georgian Bay, and the fourth with the Muskoka lakes.

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## A LIVELY CHASE.

Dewet Sacrificing Guns, Wagons and Horses to Escape.

London, Aug. 14. — Roberts reports to the War Office under date of Pretoria, Aug. 13:

Kitchener reports from School plaats, eight miles east of Ventersdorp, that Dewet blew up three of his wagons. Six British prisoners who escaped from Dewet's camp say Steyn is confined to the camp say Steyn is confined in the camp under surveillance; and that Dewet was forced to abandon his ammunition and 30 horses. They also confirm the report that Methuen captured one of Dewet's guns and shelled the main camp effectively.

Ian Hamilton telegraphs that he hopes to be at Blauwbank to-day with his main body. Major's mounted troops are pushing on to the westward.

Methuen and Kitchener yesterday reached Middelfontein, 10 miles east of Ventersdorp. Methuen is in touch with Dewet's rear guard.

A field cornet and 182 burghers of the Standerton commando, surrendered yesterday to the British.

Some Boers described the terrible effect of British shells at Utopia just before Gen. French's advance. Nine burghers were gathered for shelter beneath a tree, when a British five-inch gun fired a shell which pierced the trunk and exploded a few yards beyond, blowing four of the Boers to pieces and wounding the rest. The uncle of Botha was one of the killed.

Kruger has removed his seat of government from Mafeking to Harburg.

C. P. Huntington, the millionaire railway president, died suddenly at his summer home in the Blue Mountains.

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200 yds. American Zephyrs in stripes and checks, good washing colors, worth 10c yd., to clear at 9c

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## FIRST SPRING IN THE WORLD.

East Indian Legend of the Garden of Para-  
dise.

It was the first spring in the world.  
The winter had been long; aeons of  
darkness when that which was slept in  
the cavern of the universe before  
Brahma had quickened or Vishnu  
warmed, or Shiva, who is Mahadeva,  
had looked upon the earth.

The garden lay on an island that  
was called Eden in the place of the  
ocean where now begins the river of  
the Ganges. On the horizon to the  
west there was a rim of blue peaks  
which are the Himalayas, and beneath  
them was a thin line of shore visible  
from the island. The idea that ebbed  
and flowed from mainland to island  
brought voices of the shore and inton-  
ings from the black linga caves that  
are the temples of Shiva, even to this  
day. And when the tide was out there  
was a path of a sennet that rippled  
and beckoned from island to shore,  
through which none had passed.

There were two in the Garden  
when it was the first spring in the  
world, the Man and the Woman that  
he had found in the forest and who  
was like to him. And they were cre-  
ated as the beasts, the birds and all  
that had life in the Garden, full-sta-  
tured and of perfect growth with no  
blemish; but more goodly than the  
beasts, for they were fitted to stand  
upright so that they might look to-  
ward the great eye of Vishnu, and  
within them the senses and the spirit  
were so mingled that they could per-  
ceive more than the instincts in them  
or the elements about them.

The Earth Spirit that was over the  
Garden had placed there all things  
that were good for them; fruits to fill  
their hunger; springs to quench their  
thirst; caves for their shelter from  
storms; trees to shade them from the  
moon heat; and no beast, bird or  
thing that had life would do harm to  
them.

For a full moon's length the Man  
and the Woman wandered in the for-  
est by day and slept in the mosses or  
the caves by night as two children  
who wonder up to the sky. They had  
conversed with the mild-eyed ante-  
lope and the shaggy bear, with the  
striped tiger and the stealthy jackal,  
with the parrot, the hammer-smith  
and the gray crow; and by cries and  
laughter and sounds made into primi-  
tive speech they held converse with  
each other, so that each knew the  
thought of the other by sign and sound.

Then Shiva, ruler of the currents of  
heart and brain, looked upon them,  
and strange forces of the spring world  
stirred in the soul of the Man and  
troubled the eyes of the Woman as  
they sat beside the stream in the for-  
est by day; and when the stars came  
out their pulses rose to the throbbing  
of the spheres, as rise the tides of the  
waters, and they sang and cried aloud  
in the night silences for what they  
knew not; and when the wind was in  
the forest and the storm came in from  
the sea they covered in the caves and  
felt the beating of Shiva's heart, in  
time to their own.

Then said the Man, when the morn-  
ing laughed in the forest and the flow-  
ers whispered together: "The stream  
calls me to follow it from the forest;  
come with me for we know not  
what lies beyond."

"But it is well here," answered the  
Woman, reluctantly. "I know the  
trees that bear the best fruit and the  
caves that can shelter us when the  
rain comes. The place of storms may  
lie beyond."

"The stream calls to me," said the  
Man, "and I hear the deep voice of  
the waters shaking the earth when I  
lie in the night on the ground of the  
cave. I would find from whence come  
the sounds and I would see the world  
that encompasses this garden."

And he went forward while she stood  
in the forest. But when he had trav-  
eled with the stream for a day and  
could almost define the line of waters,  
a mighty loneliness overtook him; and  
the restlessness that had seemed to him  
the calling of the waters when he had  
wandered in the forest, he knew now  
had left behind in his journeyings,  
and he turned backward in his path  
by the stream and went calling her.

Lo! but a short length and she came  
running toward him, her long hair  
tangled with thorns of the cactus by  
her feet, and on her beautiful body  
the bruise of sharp stones where she  
had fallen by the way.

"Let us make haste," she cried. "I  
too, have heard the voices of the  
stream and I followed it." Then he  
was silent, for he had thought she fol-  
lowed him.

They hurried onward until the last  
tree was passed and the stream swept  
into the ocean, where the sand was  
white with shells and glittering peb-  
bles, where the blue peaks rose in the  
distance and the thin line of shore be-  
yond was visible.

The Woman cried aloud in fear, for  
she heard in the voice of waters the  
cry of the Earth Spirit that change  
had come upon the world; she  
saw in the brazen skies the faces of  
Shiva who is the life giver and father  
of death.

"Let us go back into the Garden,"  
she besought the Man. "I have seen  
the faces of Shiva and the scourge of  
his great eye, and the Earth Spirit  
has cried to me. What avails it that  
we leave our beautiful garden? I will  
return, I will return!"

But the Man withheld her, for he  
would not that she should leave him,  
and his eyes were on the path of shal-  
lows that rippled and beckoned from  
island to shore line, and trembling as  
she was he lifted her against his heart  
and went forward across the shallows  
to the mainland. "Shiva giving him  
strength against the waves."

Next morning when they had awak-  
ened in each others' arms in the black  
linga caves on the shore, the island of  
Eden where had been the Garden, was  
no longer in the place of waters and  
there was no pathway to return.

The Woman wept, but the Man com-  
forted her and so they went onward in  
the world. And once again every  
twelve times of the moon comes the  
spring, and Shiva looks in the world as  
on the first spring in Eden.—East In-  
dian Legend.

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best Detroit affords, late in the after-  
noon, says the Free Press. The man,  
who could have passed for thirty,  
fifty or any other point between, step-  
ped briskly to the register, promptly  
registered his name "and wife," con-  
fided to the clerk that they were just  
taking a little wedding tour and plain-  
ly indicated that the best the house  
afforded would not be a particle too  
rich for their blood.

"Pretty old brace of birds," the clerk  
soon confided to one of the hotel "see-  
ers," "but he's a jolly chap and feels  
like a two-year-old. Strong way of  
moving he has. They've got the brid-  
al chamber and I told the head wait-  
er to make it pleasant for them."

Inside of eighteen hours they were  
the delight of the hotel. She had big  
black eyes that had a way of smiling  
in advance of her lips and bubbled  
over with good feeling. And she  
seemed to have him hypnotized. At  
the table she would whisper to him and  
he would chuckle and tell her that  
she was just as big a d'ell as ever  
and then spread mustard on his bread  
or use cayenne pepper instead of  
black. She would leave the dining  
room hanging on his arm with both  
hands, those great eyes looking adora-  
tion at the side of his head.

"You're running it, Kit," the waiter  
heard him say at the table, "and they  
think we're the spoonsteal that ever  
came down the line."

"We are. Don't you dare say we're  
not," and then she'd present him to  
some act that delighted the younger  
guests and caused the older one to pre-  
dict that things would be very different  
in six months. There was a week of  
this and then he made everyone sorry  
by serving notice and paying his bill.  
The hotel had never entertained a  
more enjoyable couple.

"Don't say a word," the wedding trip  
husband to the clerk, "wedding trip  
all right, but silver wedding. Yep,  
married in April, '75. Wife gets  
younger every year. You gave us a  
great time."

**INTERESTING NOTES**

A great doctor has studied the fingers  
and toes of 4,500 criminals, and  
finds a deficiency in the size or num-  
ber of toes quite frequent among them,  
although very rare among ordinary  
men. He has also observed that pre-  
hensile toes, marked by a wide space  
between the great toe and the second  
toe, is a condition quite common  
among criminals.

There are some gold-fish in Wash-  
ington which have belonged to the  
same family for the last fifty years,  
and they seem no bigger and no less  
vivacious to-day than they did when  
they first came into the owner's pos-  
session. A few of the fish in the  
Imperial Aquarium at St. Petersburg  
are known to be 150 years old, and the  
age of the sacred fish in some of the  
ponds attached to the Buddhist tem-  
ples in China is to be counted by cen-  
turies, if we are to believe the priests.

The most charming little ring in the  
world is the property of Mr. Temple,  
of London. This gentleman is a neph-  
ew of Sir Richard Temple, and the  
ring in question is a highly-prized  
family heirloom. Inside of this tiny  
piece of little metal, box, you touch a  
spring and hold the ring close to  
your ear. Then you hear the  
sweetest, wildest, tiniest little tune,  
which seems like a voice from spirit  
land.

The weights of classes of students  
before and after examination have  
been made the subject of recent in-  
vestigations. In high classes, where nat-  
urally the examination was most felt,  
several pounds were lost, showing how  
the mental strain was felt. In lower  
classes the loss was not so great.

How Old Scrooge Ought Smoking.  
In the corridor of a prominent Broadway  
hotel sat a feeble old man. The fit  
and texture of his clothing betokened  
that he was at least well to do, if not  
wealthy.

In strange contrast there sat in the  
chair adjoining him a young fellow  
looking like a large arm chieftain, and  
wearing a big gold looking watch-chain,  
and an elaborate pin. In his tie he  
seemed a little out of place in such  
luxurious surroundings.

He was smoking a large, fat cigar.  
He was smoking it vigorously, too.

With each exhalation he took pains  
to turn his head a little, so as to puff  
the smoke directly into the face of his  
elderly neighbor. The old man bore it  
in silence.

Indignant comments were made on  
the young man's conduct by the vari-  
ous groups scattered through the corri-  
dor, but no one seemed to think it his  
place to interfere.

At last, however, one man walked up  
to the desk and remonstrated to the  
clerk.

"See here," he said, "there's a great  
boor of a young fellow over there who  
persists in blowing his tobacco smoke  
into a feeble old man's face."

"That so?" said the clerk, auren-  
tly not in the least excited.

"It's an outrage; it ought to be  
stopped," continued the indignant pa-  
tron, apparently made more indignant  
by the calmness with which his com-  
plaint was received.

"Oh, I don't know," replied the  
clerk; "that's what he's paid for."

"What do you mean?"

"Why that old Scrooge, the mil-  
lionaire. His doctor told him he had  
to quit smoking and he did. But ever  
since he has hired that young fellow  
to go around with him, and all the  
time he has to do all day long is  
to smoke the best cigars and keep  
blowing the smoke in his boss's face."

The narrow soul knows not the good.

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\$31.50, round trip to Denver, Color-  
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We hand folks over to God's mercy,  
and show none ourselves. — George  
Eliot.

To Save Her Child.  
From frightful disfigurement Mrs.  
Nannie Gallagher, of LaGrange, Ga., ap-  
plied Bucklen's Arnica Salve to great  
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It works wonders in Sores, Bruises,  
Skin Eruptions, Cuts, Burns, Scalds  
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McCall & Co.'s Drug Store.

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give, than for the offender to ask for-  
giveness. — Thomson.

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Receives a setback, if she has offe-  
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Change of Time

Steamer City of Chatham will make  
her round trip every Monday and  
Wednesday from Chatham to Detroit,  
leaving Rankin dock at 7:30 a. m., re-  
turning leaves foot of Randolph St.,  
at 3:30 p. m., Detroit time, or 4 p. m.,  
Chatham time.

Will also make round trips from De-  
troit to Chatham every Friday and  
Saturday, leaving Detroit, foot of  
Randolph street, at 8:30 a. m., Detroit  
time, or 9 a. m., Chatham time, re-  
turning will leave Chatham at 3:30 p.  
m., Detroit time, or 4 p. m., Chatham  
time, arriving in Detroit about 8:30 p.  
m.

Fare—Round trip, 60c.  
One way trip, 30c. Boat leaves Chat-  
ham Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock  
for Detroit, and leaves Detroit  
for Chatham Sunday morning at 8:30,  
Detroit time, or 9 o'clock Chatham  
time.

Fare—One way, 50 cents.  
Stringer & Waddell, agents, Chat-  
ham; John Stevenson, agent, Detroit;  
Odette & Wherry, agents, Windsor.  
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Two lots on S. side of Cornhill St.,  
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13	8:15 a.m.	21	8:15 a.m.
14	9:00 a.m.	22	9:00 a.m.
15	9:45 a.m.	23	9:45 a.m.
16	10:30 a.m.	24	10:30 a.m.
17	11:15 a.m.	25	11:15 a.m.
18	12:00 p.m.	26	12:00 p.m.
19	12:45 p.m.	27	12:45 p.m.
20	1:30 p.m.	28	1:30 p.m.
21	2:15 p.m.	29	2:15 p.m.
22	3:00 p.m.	30	3:00 p.m.
23	3:45 p.m.	31	3:45 p.m.
24	4:30 p.m.	32	4:30 p.m.
25	5:15 p.m.	33	5:15 p.m.
26	6:00 p.m.	34	6:00 p.m.
27	6:45 p.m.	35	6:45 p.m.
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State salary and certificate, and enclose testimonials.  
Address: Thomas Richardson, Sec. 79,  
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WANTED—For balance of year 1900, in  
8000 Section No. 15, Tp. Chatham, applica-  
tions received till August 15th 1900—please state  
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WANTED—RELIABLE MEN—in every  
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LOTS FOR SALE—\$1.00 per lot for 3 lots on  
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WILL BUY ONE and a half acres on Victoria  
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FOR SALE—A fine work horse, weight about 1500,  
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HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—71 Louis Avenue,  
Apply to W. H. NICHOL.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT—A 7 room cottage  
on Park Ave., with all modern improvements,  
good well, etc., etc., with either one or two acres  
of land. Terms more etc. Apply J. A. Brown,  
Dresden, P.O.

FOR SALE—A house and 2 lots, on Joseph St.  
The house contains 7 rooms, city and well water  
good garden attached. The house and one lot will  
be sold separately if preferred. For further particulars  
apply at Planet Office or address James Bishop,  
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FOR SALE OR TO RENT—100 acres in Howard  
Lot 14, Con. 7, 95, 96, 3 miles North of  
Chatham, good large frame dwelling house, large  
barn with concrete wall and stabling, plenty of water  
—concrete box pens, good orchard and one of the most  
desirable properties in the Township—W. H. Elwell,  
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FARM TO RENT—150 acres Lot 1, Con. 7, Tp. of  
Barnes, good house, stables, graining and well.  
For further particulars apply to Wm. King,  
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SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria Avenue  
and six on Maple Street. For full particulars  
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TWO HOUSES FOR SALE—One on Harvey and  
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FARM TO RENT—20 acres more or less, on Lot  
15, Con. 7, 15th Street, Dover East, containing  
100 acres—50 acres tillable land, about 60 acres  
wooded, 15 acres in what. Well drained and fenced.  
Good frame house, barn 36x72, stable, graining shed  
and cow stable and other out buildings. Three  
acres well power mill on barn. For terms, etc.,  
apply to WM. TROTTER.

On Friday evening, between the Tenth  
Court, King St. and Victoria Ave. Methodist  
Church, a Silver Watch, with a ring. Finder will  
be rewarded by returning to this office.

### Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership existing between Drs.  
Hall and Tye has this day been dissolved  
by mutual consent. All accounts due this  
firm may be paid at Dr. Hall's office, Victoria  
block, or Dr. Tye's office, King street.  
Chatham, Aug. 1st, 1900.

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

### MERCANTILE ENGLISH

Amusing Example of How She is Written in  
English.

A store in 125th street, with a laud-  
able desire to satisfy its customers,  
had the following signs painted and  
hung in several conspicuous places:

Money refunded, or you can ex-  
change for anything in the store.

The regular customers nodded ap-  
provingly when they saw this, as the  
rule of the house had been previously  
set which goods could be exchanged.

The first day the signs were up sev-  
eral sums of money were refunded.

When the store opened the next morn-  
ing the signs were gone, and a literary  
man was engaged to write on less  
ambiguous. There was a reason for  
this. Late in the afternoon of the day  
the signs were used a young man  
from down town bought a pair of fifty  
cent suspenders in the store and a  
few minutes afterward approached a  
floorwalker and said that they were  
unsatisfactory.

"Very well," said the floorwalker,  
affably, "do you wish your money  
back?"

"No," replied the purchaser, "I be-  
lieve I'll exchange."

"Just as you please," said the smil-  
ing floorwalker, "will you have another  
pair of suspenders?"

"I think not—I'll just look around  
and let you know when I find some-  
thing that suits me."

In less than half an hour the down-  
town young man called the floorwalker  
to a counter and said, "That's what I  
want; those, with the silver buckle."

And he pointed to an expensive toilet  
set which comprised military hair  
brushes, silver mug and shaving brush,  
razors, manicure set, soap box, and a  
fine leather case to keep them in.

"But you're joking," said the floor-  
walker. They are worth twenty pairs  
of suspenders.

"I can't help that," replied the other.  
"I'm taking you at your word. There's  
your sign. Money refunded; or you  
can exchange for anything in the  
store." It's optional with me, and I  
wish to exchange for 'anything in the  
store.' This is the 'anything' that  
suits me."

The floorwalker, with a white, and the  
purchaser was called. He read the  
sign several times, and then said,  
"You are a very bright young man.  
It's on us this time." Turning to the  
clerk, he said, "Make the ex-  
change as he desires, and hand down  
those signs. Before he has time to buy  
anything else."

Merchants cannot be too careful in  
the use of this wonderful and complex  
language of ours.

### HUMILIATION

He Hadn't Even Addressed the Letter of  
Importance.

"See here, young fellow," shouted  
an angry-visaged business man with  
his head up close to the lamp window  
in the Post Office, "You are a pretty  
lot of impostors that the Govern-  
ment hires to transact the nation's  
mail business."

"What's the matter, sir?" asked the  
clerk, calm by long familiarity with  
such outbursts.

"Why, I mailed a letter to Cleveland  
last week that was of the utmost im-  
portance, and it has not reached its  
destination yet. I have come here to  
kick and to kick right hard."

You're in the wrong pew, my dear  
sir. Go to the superintendent of mails  
and he will fix you up."

The indignant business man was  
passed on from department to depart-  
ment until he finally ran up against  
the authority competent to handle the  
matter.

"Such things do sometimes happen,"  
he was informed in the conciliatory  
words of the superintendent. "We'll  
send out a tracer after your letter. To  
whom was it addressed? Tell us when  
and where you mailed it."

Obtaining the desired information  
the superintendent then asked for a  
description of the envelope in which  
the letter was enclosed.

"It was a plain envelope," explained  
the still angry customer. "I usually  
use a 'return' envelope but in this instance,  
for using a plain one in this instance,  
here is one (fumbling in his pocket)  
like it. By George let me look at that  
very letter. I'll be — if that isn't the  
very letter. I haven't even addressed  
it yet."

As he vanished down the corridor  
there was no suggestion of apology  
left behind.—Detroit Free Press.

What Children Can Learn in Vacation.

In the summer months there is every  
opportunity for bright girls and boys to add  
to their pocket money, or even by  
something toward their winter clothing  
in the country near a railway  
junction or along a highway much fre-  
quented by bicyclists is this especially  
easy. A summer boarding-house or  
hotel in one's vicinity also affords ma-  
terial for lucrative employment.

Fresh flowers or home-made candies,  
peddled on certain days of the week,  
are always saleable. They must be  
fresh and daintily put up. Chocolate  
fudge is always a good-selling candy,  
and should be made as follows:

One-half a cake of bitter chocolate,  
two and a half cups of fine granu-  
lated sugar, a scant cup of milk and  
a small piece of butter. Scrape the  
chocolate and mix it with the milk and  
sugar. Set over the fire and add the  
butter. Allow it to come to a boil and  
boil hard for nearly five minutes. Stir  
and beat it hard while cooking, and  
the beating after taking from the  
fire until the fudge is cold and heavy.  
Add a teaspoonful of vanilla after tak-  
ing from the fire. Pour the fudge on a  
buttered plate about three-quarters  
of an inch in depth and mark in  
squares.

A little stand by the side of the road  
where bicyclists can buy cold lemon-  
ade will earn many a stray penny for  
the youngster who keeps it.

Raising vegetables, picking berries  
and catching fish supply big hotels  
are other enterprises worth mention-  
ing.

Keeping bicycles in order is remun-  
erative, and a bright boy can find plen-  
ty of this work in the summer time.

## Fall is Coming!

That is

If shoes are a sign. Case upon case  
of the new lasts and shapes in shoes  
are making their appearance.

If you are going to  
judge shoe value by  
price

you must take into consideration that  
we buy direct from the factories and  
that we are not controlled by no one  
maker—fact that concerns you more  
than you think—a saving to  
you of from twenty five cents to a  
dollar on the price of any shoe.

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### A HANDSOME CANE

Presented to Bro. Wm. Potter  
by His Brethren

Of Western City Lodge, No. 93, I. O.  
O. F.—Complimentary Address  
Also Read.

Western City Lodge, No. 93, I. O.  
O. F., held its regular meeting last ev-  
ening, and the occasion was taken ad-  
vantage of to present Bro. William  
Potter, P. G., P. G. P. G. R. I. O.  
O. F., with a beautiful solid gold-head-  
ed cane. At the conclusion of the regu-  
lar routine business, Mr. Potter,  
much to his surprise, was taken posses-  
sion of by his brethren and made the  
centre of an admiring circle. Before  
he could recover from his surprise A.  
M. Lafferty, P. G., stepped forward and  
read the complimentary address and, at the  
appropriate moment, W. E. Merritt,  
N. G., presented Mr. Potter with a  
fine ebony cane with a gold head, hav-  
ing the following inscription:

"William Potter, P. G. P. G. P. G. R.  
of Western City Lodge, No. 93, I.  
O. O. F., Chatham, August 13, 1900."

Mr. Potter had not the slightest ink-  
ling of what was in store for him and  
was most agreeably surprised. He  
made a spirited reply, however, thank-  
ing the members for their exceeding  
kindness and thoughtfulness. Speeches  
were also made by members of Chat-  
ham Lodge, Western City Lodge and  
visiting brethren.

Important Auction Sale of House-  
hold Furniture.

Wm. Clements, Esq., has instructed An-  
drew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, to sell with-  
out reserve all his household furniture and  
effects on Tuesday, Aug. 21st, commencing  
at 1 o'clock sharp. House is situated on  
the corner of King and First streets, west  
of Piggott Mill.

One piano, Boston make, parlor suite—7  
pieces, drawing room, moquette carpet,  
marble top centre table, pictures, 3 pair  
fine lace curtains, 1 fancy stand lamp, 3  
pair fine lace curtains and poles, chinnelle  
curtain, carpet and border, moquette, mar-  
ble top centre table, 3 pieces parlor set,  
body Brussels hall carpet, hall rack, coal  
and wood stove, nearly new, hall settee,  
dining carpet, body Brussels, 1 walnut din-  
ing table 18 feet, one massive side-  
board cost \$175, dining room chairs, pictures,  
silverware, 1 coal or wood range with re-  
servoir, nearly new, 1 extension table, 14  
feet, 1 sideboard, 1 linoleum, 1 side table,  
blinds, clock, dishes, glassware, 1 gas stove,  
1 cook stove and furniture, 1 kitchen table,  
1 dinner set, stair and hall carpet, 1 beau-  
tiful walnut suite, 1 hair mattress, 1 spring,  
1 feather, body Brussels carpet, 3 pair of lace  
housings, 1 oak suite, 1 tapestry carpet,  
mattress and spring, 3 pair of lace  
curtains and poles, 1 toilet set, 1  
bedstead, 1 sick chair, 1 mattress, 1  
spring, bureau, 1 centre table and set,  
1 washing machine, tubs, crocks, gar-  
den tools, fruit, also, fruit jars and  
other articles too numerous to men-  
tion.

Remember the day and date, Tues-  
day, Aug. 21st, at one o'clock sharp.

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WM. CLEMENTS, Auctioneer.

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R. I. O. O. F., Chatham, Ont."

Dear Sir and Brother,—The officers  
and members of Western City Lodge,  
No. 93, I. O. O. F., welcome you, a  
member of the same, on your return  
from presiding over and conducting  
the business of the Grand Encampment  
of Ontario at its session just  
closed in Hamilton, at which you were  
also elected one of the Grand Repre-  
sentatives of the Grand Encampment  
of Ontario, Delegated to the Sovereign  
Grand Lodge, the highest tribunal of  
the Independent Order of Odd-  
fellows.

As members of Western City Lodge  
we rejoice in the success you have  
achieved and in your elevation to the  
highest dignity ever attained in our  
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