

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

BOTTRILL.—In this city, on Aug. 21, 1901, Charlotte Bottrill, relict of the late John Bottrill, aged 63 years.

Services will be held on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and funeral will take place on Saturday morning at 8:30, to G. T. R. station. Interment at McGillivray. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 56u

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

LONDON OPERA HOUSE.

Monday and Tuesday, 25, 27; matinee, Tuesday, 25, 27; 2c, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00.

"A BREEZY TIME."

Bubbling over with mirth and music. Every minute a laugh. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00. Plan open now. Watch for Golf Street. 53d

BASEBALL—TUCUMSEH PARK—SATURDAY, AUG. 24, London vs. Rockets.

Game, 2:30. Admission, 50c; ladies, 10c. 59u

SPECIAL—NEW STEAMSHIP LAKE.

Shimoda, of Beaver Line, sails Monday to Liverpool, Wednesday, Sept. 4. For rates and other particulars apply F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. 50u

SULPHUR SPRING BATHS—OPEN 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Plunge bath open from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Five tickets, \$1. Cole & Edmonds. 52u

EXCURSION, LONDON TO DETROIT and return, Saturday, Aug. 24.

Sunday, Aug. 25; boat and Sarnia, P. E. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. 52u

DANCING—BEGINNERS' CLASSES.

New term opens Sept. 23. Register early. Private tuition and private dancing parties arranged for. Baynes & Mc Cormick. 50u

MEETINGS.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE ACT—PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the Board of License Commissioners for the City of London will meet at the inspector's office, 62 Talbot street, on Friday, Sept. 6, at 8 o'clock in the evening, to consider an application from Mrs. Margaret Ayer & Son to have the license held by them for the Metropolitan Hotel, transferred to John Lewis, Jun. R. Henderson, Inspector. 50u

LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 23, ROYAL ARCADE.

Meeting will be held on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffell Block. 50u

DOMESTICS WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 5c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. 50u

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL ABOUT 15, TO assist with general housework and the care of two children; high wages paid. Apply in evening, 425 William street. 50u

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT.

Wages, \$12 month. Apply 400 York street. 50u

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSE WORK.

Apply 400 Dufferin avenue. 50u

GENERAL SERVANT AND NURSE.

212 Ridgeway, South London. 50u

WANTED TODAY—50 GIRLS, ALL branches housework.

Mrs. Lockhart, 412 Park avenue, corner Queen's avenue. 50u

SIX DINING ROOM GIRLS WANTED.

Go to Stag Island, \$12 a month. Apply Dwyer's agency, 501 Richmond street. 50u

MALE HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 5c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. 50u

BOYS WANTED FOR SATURDAY.

Good pay. Apply Red Star News Company, 50 Dundas street. 40u

BOY WANTED—ABOUT 15 YEARS OF AGE.

Apply at this office. 50u

BOY WANTED FOR CUTTING AND trimming department.

Greene, Swift & Co., 137 Carlton street. 50u

WANTED—GOOD BOY, ABOUT 16 years of age.

To learn printing. Must be good scholar. Send application in own handwriting, giving name and address, to Box 101, Advertiser office. 50u

WANTED—TWO GENERAL MACHINE hands.

Bennet Printing Company. 50u

YOUNG MEN—OUR ILLUSTRATED catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in eight weeks, mailed free.

Moler Barber College, Buffalo, N. Y. 52u

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

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GIRLS WANTED—THE PARISIEN Steam Laundry Company of Ontario, Limited.

50u

GIRL WANTED—FOR OFFICE—APPLY Box 53, Advertiser.

50u

HELP WANTED.

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ENERGETIC LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, for pleasant occupation.

Apply at once, A. E. Adams, 521 Richmond street, upstairs. 50u

BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED—APPLY D. S. Perrin & Co.

52u

BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED—APPLY McCormick Manufacturing Company.

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PARCEL DELIVERY.

C. P. E.—CITY PARCEL EXPRESS—Trunks, valises and parcels called for and promptly delivered. Phone 1,256. Office, 2 Masonic Temple, C. H. Anderson. 50u

WANTED—OFFICE DESK (SECOND-HAND) in good condition.

Box 91, Advertiser. 50u

WANTER TO PURCHASE—RAGS, OLD rubbers, metals, copper, brass, lead, zinc, etc. Orders promptly attended to.

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BREEDING and grace of manner mark the ideal woman.

Superior leather and clever shoemaking distinguish "ASTORIA"—the ideal boot for women.

Fall styles are now in. All the new curlicues—every size and width.

Price \$4 a pair. Sold exclusively by

J. P. COOK,
167 Dundas Street.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENT WANTED—CITY, TOWNS ON railroad, or township; salary or commission. Tea, coffee, spices, etc. Apply Box 74, Advertiser. 50u

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—THOROUGHbred JERSEY cow.

Shorthorn and harness, bargain. Apply S. Salton, Edith street, city. 50u

PRIVATE SALE OF FURNITURE.

Oxford street, on Aug. 23, 24, consisting of 8-piece parlor suite, center and fancy table, sideboard and extension table, arm and rocking chairs, also walnut cradle, baby carriage, etc. 50u

SAFE FOR SALE—CHAMP, D. MCKEN.

212 & CO., 25 Richmond street. 50u

FOR SALE—A FIRST-CLASS COMBINATION (modern) cash price, \$15.

Apply at once, Hines' Bicycle Shop, 553 Richmond street. 50u

FOR SALE—SERVICEABLE DAY mare.

Price low, \$35, for quick sale. London Soap Company. 40u

FOR SALE—OFFICE COUNTER AND RAILING.

LEADED GLASS WINDOWS, ETC. APPLY CITY GAS COMPANY'S OFFICE, 401 CLARENCE STREET. 40u

FOR THIS WEEK WE WILL SELL 25 lbs of choice raisins for 25c; 20 lbs of choice raisins for 20c; 10 lbs of choice raisins for 10c.

Apply at once, Hines' Bicycle Shop, 553 Richmond street. 50u

BUTTER, BUTTER, BUTTER.

It is on the advance, but for the next few days we will sell dairy for 10c and 12c per lb. Butter, 10c per lb. Apply at once, Hines' Bicycle Shop, 553 Richmond street. 50u

CHEAP COAL—OUR WEST VIRGINIA River smokeless egg coal gives more heat and less ash than any other coal; no clinkers; will burn in any grate, and soft coal, and go further; costs far less than ordered. Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. Station. Phone 1,191. 50u

FOR SALE—ONE LARGE FANCY pair of Walnut piano, 7 feet octaves, carved panels, 3 pedals; only 5 months in use. Will sell for \$100 now on easy terms. Heinemann & Co., corner Dundas and Clarence. 50u

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Half-phoenix buggy and cutter, good condition. Weatherford, 922 1/2 feet; also 2 pianos and 2 organs, will be sold cheap. Furniture and stoves taken in exchange for new. 357 Talbot street, 2 doors south of King street. 50u

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BUFFALO BOARDING HOUSES.

ROOMS FOR EXPOSITION VISITORS—Elmwood district. Can give London references. Apply Miss Boulton, 106 Ashland avenue, Buffalo, N. Y. 50u

LONDONERS VISITING PAN-AMERICAN CAN secure good private accommodation at 357 Plymouth avenue. Room, breakfast, 25c. West avenue and Grant street cars pass door on way to exposition. Write and secure rooms in advance. Mrs. Walter, 537 Plymouth avenue. 50u

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\$15 To Your Measure.

Choice of blue or black serge— and in qualities that we will warrant not to fade in the hottest sun. Other and finer grades of serge at \$20 and \$25. Order now before the rush begins.

Deeks & Munson,
Tailors and Drapers, 393 Richmond St.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

TO LET—8-ROOM BRICK HOUSE: modern conveniences; stable. Apply 57 Colborne street. 50u

TO LET—277 WOLFE STREET—NEW brick, complete, furnished or unfurnished. Apply on premises. 41u

RENTS MODERN EIGHT-ROOMED house, 445 Central avenue. 50u

TO LET—TWO STORY BRICK, 519 Piccadilly street; new, modern, 10 rooms. Also good stable. Apply 548 Piccadilly. 50u

ATTRACTIVE HOME—MODERATE rent, all new and clean; furnace, bath, four bedrooms, mantel, grate; splendid location. 125 St. James street. 50u

LARGE DOUBLE OFFICE, WITH vault, also stove, with vault, 11 Albion Buildings, to let; immediate possession. Apply to T. H. Carling, or H. C. Colclough, in building. 50u

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—Furniture, carriages, and horse-drawn. Biggs, Cathart and Bruce, South London. Phone 102. London Furniture Company. 50u

LOST AND FOUND.

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WILL THE LADY WHO PICKED UP A parcel as it dropped off a street car in London South last night kindly return to Yeo's China Hall, Duff. 50u

LOST—POCKET ACCOUNT BOOKS; initials, C. S. T. Reward if returned to this office. 50u

LOST—A MAN'S BLUE OVERCOAT; near Thamesford. Reward at this office. 50u

REAL ESTATE.

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PINE MODERN COTTAGE, NEAR River, 4 acres of land, with large house, 10 rooms, modern conveniences, large frame kitchen, pantry and cellar, woodshed, stable and barn; 35 trees bearing fruit; good water for all purposes. Electric cars will soon pass the place. To be placed. Apply to T. Tomlinson, on premises. 50u

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UMPIRE KILLED!

An Enraged Player Cracks His Skull With a Baseball Bat.

Indianapolis, Aug. 23.—Farmersburg, Sullivan county, is in a state of great excitement over a murder that resulted from differences during a game of baseball between the umpire and the players. Ora Jennings, a young man of the neighborhood, had been selected to umpire the game, and one of his rulings gave offense to Marcus Forbes and the members of the side with which Forbes was playing.

A quarrel ensued, and Forbes knocked Jennings down with a bat, and then continued his attack upon him, beating him over the head and face, and finally laying open his skull.

Jennings was carried from the grounds unconscious and died shortly after. Jennings was popular. Forbes is an ex-convict, who served two years in the Northern Prison for attempted murder. He is under arrest and closely guarded.

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Saturday Extraordinary



THE BIGGEST SALE WE HAVE YET ATTEMPTED ON THE MAIN FLOOR. The cost has not been considered. We wish to find out what prices can be accomplished. Saturday will bring us one of the biggest days of business we have had. Every one of these items rings with true economy. We cannot possibly tell you of one-half of the bargains we have prepared for you. But extra help has been secured, and your wants will be attended to promptly.

VELVET RIBBON BARGAINS.—Velvet Ribbons are very scarce now. Wednesday our direct importation of 5,000 pieces arrived. Saturday they go on sale. Now is your opportunity.

COTTON BACK.
Narrow Velvet Ribbon, 1 1/2 yards for 35c
Wider Velvet Ribbon, 2 yards for 35c
No. 10 Velvet Ribbon, per yard 35c
No. 16 Velvet Ribbon, per yard 45c
Wider widths at 5, 7, 8, 12, 15 and 20c yard

SATIN BACK.

Narrow, per yard 50c
Wider, per yard 50c
No. 3 width, per yard 50c
Wider at, per yard, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 40c

Picture Bargains.

Thursday we opened two cases of Mat and Pictures, and they are the best assortment we have yet had. We put them on sale on Saturday mornings. These are Genuine Bargains:
1 Panel Portraits of King and Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, set in ovals, on heavy gray or black matting, Saturday morning, each 15c
5 Panel Portraits of the late Queen, King Edward, Queen Alexandra, and Duke and Duchess of York, Saturday's price 20c
3 Panel Frames for pictures, very heavy matting, for 15c
800 Pictures of Landscapes, Animals and Flowers, colored, mounted on all the latest colored mattings, size of matting 19 1/2 x 14 1/2, regular 25c value, Saturday for 15c
Do not miss this grand chance to secure some of these beautiful pictures.

Stationery Department Specials.

We have a complete stock of Hurd's & Crane's Fashionable Stationery at per quire 25c
SATURDAY SPECIALS.
24 Sheets Note Paper for 3c
10c Boxes of Stationery for 5c
40-page Writing Book for 5c
6 Rolls of Packages of Toilet Paper for 25c
Shelf Paper, very wide, lace edge, 5c
13 yards for 5c

P. N. CORSETS. In styles 510, 493 and 441, made of fine satin jeans, steel fitted, capped, cork protected clasps, lace and ribbon trimmed, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50, Saturday 75c
Corsets made of good jeans, steel fitted, double clasps, sizes 18-25, Saturday 30c
Infants' Long Cashmere Cloaks, embroidered skirt, deep cape, rolling collar, trimmed with silk braid, special at 25c

SALE OF SUNDRIES--CENTER COUNTER, MAIN FLOOR.

SOAPS.
We are headquarters in this line:
Sweet Home Soap, 6 bars for 25c
Electric Laundry, 11 bars for 25c
Judd Laundry Soap, 2 bars for 5c
Gold Dust, per bar 10c
Family Bar, 3 for 25c
TOILET.
Castile Soap, 3 for 5c
Little Gem, 3 for 5c
Old Brown, 6 for 5c
Olive Oil and Cucumber, 2 for 5c

A Big Sale of China and Glassware in the Basement for Saturday.

Almost every day brings us cases and crates of China and Glassware arriving from Europe and the States, and in order to make room for fall goods we inaugurate a CHINA AND GLASSWARE SALE FOR SATURDAY. The knife has been laid to PRICES in such a manner that many lines will be cleared out early in the day. WE ARE READY FOR BUSINESS AT 8 A. M.

A new shipment of ENGLISH CLOVER LEAF CHINA just to hand, pure white, with gold-lined border and clover leaf center.
TEA CUPS AND SAUCERS, Saturday, 4 for 25c
TEA PLATES, 6-INCH SIZE, Saturday, 4 for 25c
DINNER PLATES, 8-INCH SIZE, Saturday, 2 for 25c
113 ROUND AND SQUARE VEG-ETABLE DISHES, white iron-ware, regular 20c, Saturday 13c

Extra Special.

32 German Plaques or Pictures, with lithographed home scenes, for decorating, three sizes:
Large size, regular 40c, Saturday 25c
Medium size, regular 35c, Saturday 19c
Small size, regular 25c, Saturday 15c

THREE BIG 5c, 10c AND 15c GLASSWARE TABLES.

5c TABLE.
5c Table includes 6-inch Berry Bowls, Cream Pitchers, Spoon Holders, Lemon Squeezers and many others, regular 5c, 9c and 12 1/2c, all one price, Saturday 5c

10c TABLE.

10c Table includes Covered Butter Dishes, Sugar Bowls, Cream Pitchers, 9-inch Berry Bowls, Breakfast Cruets, with Salt and Pepper Shaker and Oval Bread Plates, etc.; regular 15c and 20c, all one price Saturday 10c

15c TABLE.

15c Table includes Cake Stands, Berry Bowls, Butter Dishes, Measuring Glasses, Flower Vases, Vinegar Bottles, Large Water Jugs, etc.; regular 20c, 25c and 30c, all one price Saturday 15c

GRADUATING MEASURING GLASSES, very handy when cooking, quart size, marked in 1/2 and 1/4 pints, also in pounds and 3/4 pounds, regular 35c, Saturday 25c

GLASS STAND LAMP, medium size, burner, chimney and wick; regular 25c, Saturday 19c
Paper Lamp Shades to fit on chimney, Saturday 50c

A Collection of Flower Vases for 10c.
212 Glass Flower Vases, in a variety of shades and colors, some are tall and others low shaped; regular 15c and 20c, Saturday 10c

TINWARE, HARDWARE AND GRANITWARE.

A Wash Boiler for 89c

17 Wash Boilers, made of heavy tin, pit copper bottom, 8 stove, regular \$1.15, Saturday 89c

WOMEN RULED OUT.

Denver, Col., Aug. 23.—It has been decided by the general council of the American Bar Association that women are ineligible for membership in the association under the present constitution. The council was almost evenly divided on the question. It was decided finally to let the matter go over a year, and then take up the question of appointing a committee to draft an amendment to the constitution, which will make women eligible.

DECIDEDLY UNNEIGHBORLY.

Montreal, Aug. 23.—As the result of a quarrel T. A. Costello, of Griffin town, threw a neighbor, over a gallery to the ground, 30 feet below. Costello was sentenced to one year in jail for the deed.

LAXA-LIVER PILLS regulate the bowels, cure constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness, sick headache, and all affections of the organs of digestion.

YACHTING.

Constance—I hear you have been cruising with your husband on his yacht this summer. Isn't yachting very dangerous?
Mrs. Chatterton (confidentially)—Oh, we didn't do much sailing. We were being hauled out on marine railways, getting repaired, most of the time.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The chap who eats club sandwiches shouldn't complain about his board.

PROGRESS OF ROYAL PARTY.

Duke of Cornwall's Yacht Sails From Cape Town.

His Highness to Visit Hull—Arrangements at Ottawa and Montreal.

Cape Town, Aug. 23.—The royal yacht Ophir, with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York on board, sailed today for the Island of Ascension.

WILL VISIT HULL.

Ottawa, Aug. 23.—The Duke of Cornwall and York and his party will visit Hull. No lengthy stay, however, can be made, as the programme as drawn up only permits of a drive through the business portion of the city. Mayor Fallaureau has received a communication from Major Maude that the royal visitors will drive through Hull to the Rideau Falls. After viewing the falls, the Duke and party will proceed to Parliament Hill, where the statue of Queen Victoria will be unveiled. A holiday is to be proclaimed in Hull. Arches are to be erected in the end, and another at the Quebec side of the Suspension bridge. Other arches will be erected in the city streets. Hon. Mr. Tarte has been approached and an effort will be made to have Bridge street and the bridges decorated by the Government. The Interprovincial bridge will also be gay with bunting. It has been suggested that the Duke of York be asked to lay the corner stone of the new Hull city hall. This, however, can hardly be arranged, as his stay in the city will be limited to a slow drive through the principal streets.

WORKINGMEN'S ARCH OF WEL-COME.

The trades unionists of Ottawa are talking of building an arch of welcome for the royal party, opposite the allied trades and labor headquarters. One of the novel features of the Duke of Cornwall's trip to Ottawa may be an historical spectacle given by French-Canadians. It has been suggested that on the route of the Duke's march, a historic spectacle should be erected, representing some event in Canada's early history. The costumes necessary are in existence. It is believed the spectacle would be of great interest to the Duke, and something out of the ordinary.

AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Aug. 22.—Mayor Prefontaine has issued a proclamation, declaring Sept. 18 and 19 public holidays. These are the dates on which the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York are expected here.

EDITOR RESIGNS.

Mr. R. C. Lehmann Severs Connection With Daily News.

London, Aug. 22.—R. C. Lehmann has severed his connection with the Daily News. It is said that this step is not connected with the pro-Boer policy of the paper, but is due to differences with the directors regarding matters of management. Mr. Lehmann, who was formerly a member of the staff of Punch, and who was at one time captain of the Leander Rowing Club, was appointed editor of the Daily News in January last, succeeding Mr. Edward T. Cook. The Daily Express of London announced on April 5 that Mr. Lehmann was to resign the editorship of the Daily News in favor of Mr. Henry W. Massingham, retaining, however, his large financial interest in the paper.

A NEW DEPARTURE.

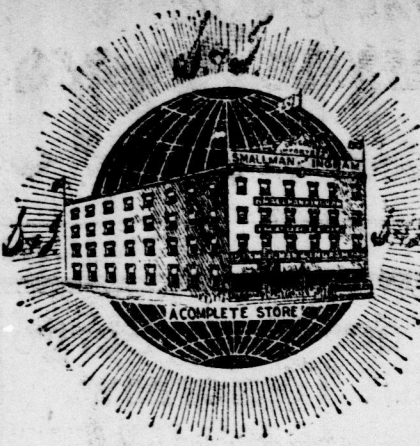
Alabama Lynchers Fired On By State Authorities and Forced to Retreat.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 23.—A correspondence at Adenville wired at 12:50 p.m. that Sheriff North and deputies had fired on a mob seeking to lynch James Brown (colored) who was tried and sentenced to death. Some weeks ago the members of the mob named Blankenship were fatally wounded. One hundred shots were fired. The mob retreated, but it was to be reorganized for another attack. Sheriff North is trying to get in communication with the governor to secure militia. Another mob, under the name of the mob numbered 40 men, and that three men were wounded, two fatally. The mob dispersed. Brown was tried at a special term of court, and sentenced to hang on Sept. 20. The trial lasted two hours, and the jury was out eleven minutes.

When it became noised abroad that the court had directed the sheriff to take the prisoner back to Birmingham for safe keeping, the mob surrounded the court house where Brown was being guarded by Sheriff North and 28 deputies. The mob demanded the prisoner, and the sheriff informed them that he would shoot the first man that put his foot on the court house steps. A few minutes later a member of the mob dashed up the steps firing a revolver. A general fusillade followed.

The sheriff's force fired through the windows and doors, and the mob retreated, firing as they went. Walter Blankenship was shot through the head. Arthur Blankenship was shot through the head and shoulders with buckshot. Both will die. A boy named Hanky was shot in the head. Owing to a heavy rain the mob sought shelter in near-by stores. Another attack on the court house is feared.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over FIFTY YEARS BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Beware of cheap imitations. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.



THE WEATHER TODAY—Showers; cooler.

Bargains invariably go on our counters early in the day. The early buyer has the advantage of first selection. This is one reason why everyone should shop early. Store closes at 6 every night.

LAST BARGAIN CALL FOR COTTON SHIRT WAISTS.

We don't expect to have a Cotton Shirt Waist left after this piece of money-saving information gets thoroughly around the city. We have not very many left, and we know what we have will sell readily at the low marked prices. Only two tables of colored ones.

1 table Ladies' Shirt Waists, in prints, muslins, etc., some with insertion trimming, others plain, all with stock or laundered collars, actually worth from 75c to \$1.25 each. Will give you your choice of any waist on this table for 39c
1 table of Percelle, Linen and Striped Batiste Waists; some with insertion trimming, some with tucks, some plain, all neatly finished; actually worth from \$1 to \$1.75 each. Your choice of any waist on this table for 75c

THERE'S BOUND TO BE A RUSH FOR THESE BARGAINS—SO COME EARLY.

Just a limited number of White Waists. One very small table of Waists, slightly soiled with handling, will be very attractive. The prices are low enough to more than compensate for the only slightly soiled state of these splendid blouses.

Of Fine White Lawn, embroidery and hemstitched tucks front and back, laundered collars, worth \$1 each, now 68c
Of White Lawn, embroidery and insertion trim on front and cuffs, laundered collar, tucked back, worth \$1.75 each, now 95c

EARLY FALL COSTUMES.

Just received, a number of early Fall Costumes. Styles correct. Prices \$7.75 to \$20.00

Special Dress Goods Announcement.

Several fine qualities and beautiful patterns in plain, check and Broche goods have reached us earlier than expected. We are glad of this, and advise waiting customers to take a look through this lot while the assortment is full.

At 85c per yard we are showing a very choice range of the newest colors in Broche—black grounds with the following colored patterns: old rose, cardinal, reseda green, helio, light navy. Come and see the quality for yourself. We've told you the price, only 85c
Special line of Barred Checked Silks, five colors, in brown, cardinal, castor, pink, and light brown. Marked to sell at per yard only 50c
A Pure Silk Taffeta, with very bright and crisp finish. We can recommend this silk, at \$1.00
This season we are showing the famous Louisiana Silk, in black, at the low price per yard \$1.00
Another lot of Black Jap Taffeta Silks, with Lyons finish, 27 inches wide, selling at per yard \$1.00
Our special 36-inch Black Taffeta, for skirts and linings, "Can't be beat," at per yard \$1.25

NOTICE—Bona-fide dressmakers can secure a copy of Autumn and Winter, 1901-2 Handy Catalogue of Standard Patterns, free of charge, by calling at our pattern counter in person.

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149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

Western Ontario.

Live Items Cuffed for Busy People's Information.

Mr. R. L. Borden, M.P., Conservative leader of the Opposition House, will open the Mosa and Ekrid Fair at Glencoe on Sept. 26.
The legal firm of Cowan, McCarthy & Towers, of Sarnia, will dissolve partnership on Sept. 1. Mr. McCarthy withdrawing from the firm. On the same date Mr. McCarthy will enter into partnership with W. J. Hanna, the firm being Hanna & McCarthy.
The Petrolia pork packing institution is now a sure thing. Enough money has been subscribed to commence operations, and extensive buildings will be erected at once. The new oil refinery has also commenced building, and inside of six weeks oil will be put on the market by this new Canadian company.
West Elgin Sun: Mrs. Mary Ann Tracey, beloved wife of John Tracey, Dunwich, passed to her rest a few days since, in the 32nd year of her age, at the family residence. Some weeks ago she underwent an operation at St. Joseph's Hospital, London, which, while giving temporary respite to her suffering, averted the final termination of the disease.
A most unfortunate accident occurred at the home of Mr. Elgie, on the seventh of August, when a young son, a few days ago, Willie, a 10-year-old son of Mr. Elgie, and some other boys were playing with a "jack" used for transmitting power from a horse-power to a driving belt. In some manner Willie got his hand caught between the cogwheels, and the third finger of his right hand was crushed off to the hand. The patient is doing well.

The two-masted schooner Laney Sims, of Detroit, is ashore above Point Edward and slowly going to pieces. The schooner was close in shore on Monday afternoon, when a squall from the north came up suddenly. Capt. Burns and his crew made an effort to get the boat out, but could not do so. She went ashore about opposite the Quarantine, and has been so badly damaged by the heavy sea that it is not expected she will be worth taking off. The Sims was loading gravel for Marine City, Mich., and is owned in Detroit.

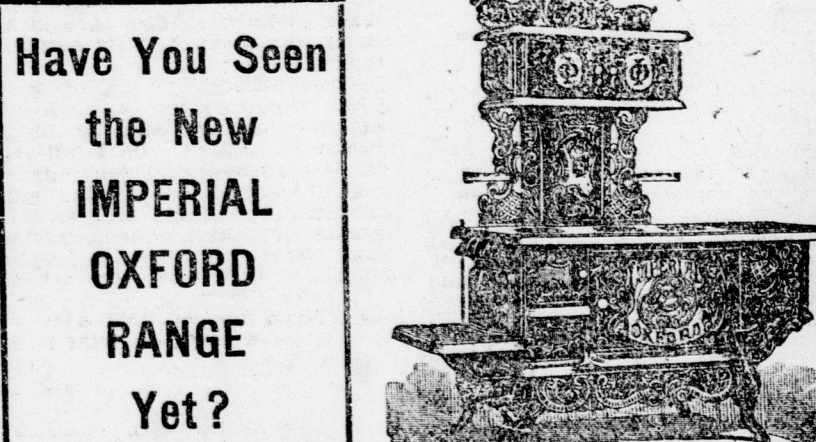
Alvinston Free Press: A special communication of Alvinston Lodge, No. 323, A. F. and A. M. G. R. C., was held last Friday evening for the purpose of doing honor to W. Bro. Dr. Mackinnon, who is soon to depart for California. In response to the invitation a large number of the brethren turned out. After opening the lodge, W. Bro. Mackinnon was escorted to the chair, where R. W. Bro. Alex. Saunders, on behalf of the lodge, read the doctor an address and W. Bro. John Werra presented him with a beautifully finished certificate of honorary membership.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Aug. 22. Reported at. From.
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Shake a Little British Army Foot Powder into your stockings. A soothing and healing powder that cures and prevents blistering and chafing feet.
It is a cheap remedy; a liberal-sized can for 25 cents, and if it fails we refund your money. Sold by Cairncross & Lawrence.

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Have You Seen the New IMPERIAL OXFORD RANGE Yet?

Even if you are not thinking of buying a range just now you will be interested in seeing its patented improvements. NOT MERELY TALKING POINTS, but good, practical features that are a great benefit to a stove.

Every Stove Fully Guaranteed. Highest price paid for old stoves taken in exchange.

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HIS ESTATE.

Towns—Didn't Goodman leave anything at all?
Brown—O, yes, but it was dissipated immediately.
Towns—The idea! What was it?
Brown—An exemplary reputation. Two widows appeared to claim it.—Philadelphia Press.

The Little Brown Tablet, Hutch.

It's the safest thing a mother can give her boy or girl for stomach, pain in the head, indigestion or sour stomach. Please remember this, mothers, and always have a bottle of Hutch in the house. It will cure the pains and uncomfortable feelings of the entire family, and relieve a great amount of suffering every year.
It's a doctor for 10c. 200 for \$1. "The Hutch people," Buffalo and Toronto.

The fellow who has a perpetual skate on doesn't cut much ice.

A CLEAR, HEALTHY SKIN.—Eruptions of the skin and the blotches which mar the beauty of the face are the result of impure blood caused by unhealthy action of the liver and kidneys. In correcting this unhealthy action and restoring the organs to their normal condition, Farme's Vegetable Pills will at the same time cleanse the blood, and the blotches and eruptions will disappear without leaving any trace.

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THREE BUSY STORES,
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Winning a Battle Depends on the Officers.

The men, the guns, the ammunition—all must be the right kind, for weakness in any one point may result in defeat. It's the same in business. Liking the proprietor to the commanding officer, the clerk to the soldiers, the goods to the ammunition, it can truthfully be said every element in store organization must be right to win success. We believe you will find the "Three Busy Stores," in every particular, superior to the usual run of stores, and able to serve you better. That's why it wins. Low prices prevail in all departments.

Special Purchase of Lace Ties.

30 dozen Ladies' White Lace Ties, pearl edge finish; regular 50c tie. We cleared the lot, and now sell them to you at 15c each.

New Fall Dress Goods.

Columbia Cloth, for suits and skirts, in navy, black, brown, gray, fawn; all the newest shades, at 25c yard, special at 20c yard.
Ladies' Cloth Suiting, in all shades; regular \$1.25. Our price 95c yard.
Twined Suitings, for fall wear, at 60c and 65c yard.
Heavy Suiting Serge; regular 75c, for 60c yard.
Faded Serges, in navy, brown, blue, black, fawn, green, at 25c yard.
Navy Blue and Black Serges, with width, special at 20c yard.
Melton Cloth in Navy and brown; regular 25c, for 19c yard.
New Plaids, for fall, all new patterns, at 25c yard.

Oil Cloth and Carpet Department.

Oil Cloth, 1 yard wide, at 25c and 29c yard.
Oil Cloth, 2 yards wide, new patterns, 50c yard.
Stair Oil Cloth, at 12 1/2c, 15c yard.
Tapestry Carpet, nice patterns, at 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00, 1.10, 1.20, 1.30, 1.40, 1.50, 1.60, 1.70, 1.80, 1.90, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30, 2.40, 2.50, 2.60, 2.70, 2.80, 2.90, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 3.60, 3.70, 3.80, 3.90, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 4.60, 4.70, 4.80, 4.90, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 5.60, 5.70, 5.80, 5.90, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 6.60, 6.70, 6.80, 6.90, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 7.50, 7.60, 7.70, 7.80, 7.90, 8.00, 8.10, 8.20, 8.30, 8.40, 8.50, 8.60, 8.70, 8.80, 8.90, 9.00, 9.10, 9.20, 9.30, 9.40, 9.50, 9.60, 9.70, 9.80, 9.90, 10.00, 10.10, 10.20, 10.30, 10.40, 10.50, 10.60, 10.70, 10.80, 10.90, 11.00, 11.10, 11.20, 11.30, 11.40, 11.50, 11.60, 11.70, 11.80, 11.90, 12.00, 12.10, 12.20, 12.30, 12.40, 12.50, 12.60, 12.70, 12.80, 12.90, 13.00, 13.10, 13.20, 13.30, 13.40, 13.50, 13.60, 13.70, 13.80, 13.90, 14.00, 14.10, 14.20, 14.30, 14.40, 14.50, 14.60, 14.70, 14.80, 14.90, 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"A LOT OF SALOONS!"

What Carrie Nation Saw in New York—
Left Her Hatchet in Her Trunk.

New York, Aug. 23.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, whose crusade among the saloons of Wichita, Kan., put the price of intoxicants far above the price of the city on her way from Atlantic City to Rochester. Her hatchet was locked up in one of her trunks. The Kansas "Jolt smasher" arrived at the Twenty-third street ferry of the Pennsylvania Railroad at 8 o'clock in the company of the manager of her lecturing tour. From the ferry house she glanced about her and her eyes fell on numerous gilt signs, which indicate the presence of barrooms. Straightway she evinced much interest, but made no hostile demonstration. Instead, she consoled herself by exclaiming to her manager, "My, but there's a lot of saloons in this city!" As she crossed the city in an electric car, she glanced at every saloon sign she saw, but made no comment.

WIMAN'S MISFORTUNE!

Mutual Mercantile Agency, headed by the
Aged Invalid, is Forced to Suspend.

New York Aug. 23.—The Herald says: Erastus Wiman, an almost helpless paralytic, and in a position of financial collapse of his latest business enterprise, the Mutual Mercantile Agency, the principal office of which was at No. 307 Broadway. The corporation was put in bankruptcy by a petition filed in the United States circuit court by creditors whose claims amounted to \$500,000, and who could not be paid when demand on the company was made. These were the claims of three creditors not identified with the company, but the liabilities of the agency will amount at least to \$250,000. The Mutual Mercantile Agency, which is due to some of the agency's directors, while between four and five hundred employees have not been paid their salaries from July 1 up to the present time, and are therefore creditors whose claims cannot at present be met. There was some talk yesterday of a reorganization, but the prospect is very remote. The assets are put at about \$300,000. Erastus Wiman is a director and draws a salary in a position as an advisory director. He has not been at the office since he was stricken with paralysis, several months ago, and is now at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jacob Cramm, near Cayuga Lake. His son, Harry Wiman, is the secretary of the Mutual Mercantile Agency.

DEADLY LIVE WIRES.

New York, Aug. 23.—Rosa Sherry, 23 years old, and Annie Faltzmann, aged 18 years, cloakmakers, were caught under a fallen electric light pole on the corner of Forsyth and East 10th streets last night. It is thought they are fatally injured. The accident was witnessed by a large number of people, but the two girls were not hedged around with live wires that no one dared to go to their relief for some time. They are now at Gouverneur Hospital.

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Meteorological.

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Thunderstorms have occurred locally today in Ontario and as far as Montreal, and there have been some scattered showers in the Northwest Territories. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 52—68; Kamloops, 62—78; Prince Albert, 48—62; Qu'Appelle, 66—78; Winnipeg, 54—70; Port Arthur, 62—74; Pelly Sound, 68—82; Toronto, 68—87; Montreal, 60—84; Quebec, 58—84; Halifax, 52—72.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Saml. Observer: Miss Isabel Love, contralto, of London, Ont., a guest of Mrs. James Symington, will take part in a brilliant trio at the Rose-Maiden concert, Friday evening, Aug. 30.

—George Robinson, of London (township), was arrested yesterday by County Constable Pritchett, charged with assaulting and threatening to kill his wife. He was taken before Judge R. F. Lacey and remanded for one week.

—By the kind permission of Lieut.-Col. Smith, the 7th Regiment Band will give an open air concert at Wolsley Barracks this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A special programme has been selected, and a splendid concert is assured. The public are cordially invited to attend.

—Mr. John Gilson, London township, has received a telegram announcing the death of his mother, in the township of Marlboro, on Sunday last. She was one of the old residents of that place. Deceased was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Eliza Gilson, 628 Lorne avenue.

—Mr. Robert Angus, of William street, has resigned his position as a salary in a position as an advisory director. He has not been at the office since he was stricken with paralysis, several months ago, and is now at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jacob Cramm, near Cayuga Lake. His son, Harry Wiman, is the secretary of the Mutual Mercantile Agency.

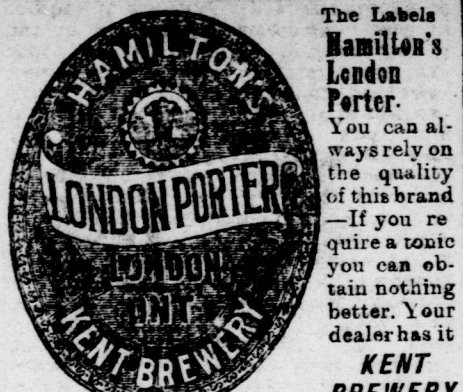
A HUGE MASKINONGE.
Mr. and Mrs. Bunch, of Arkansas, who are taking a holiday at the Kenosha in Bobcaygeon, on the Kawartha Lakes, captured the largest maskinonge of the season while out trolling together Monday. It measured, from tip to tip, four feet two inches; length over the head fourteen inches; mouth open, seven inches; around body, twenty-two inches; weight, 27½ pounds. Mrs. Bunch had to play the fish, while Mr. Bunch rowed the canoe three-quarters of a mile to a suitable landing, and the lady then pulled the monster on the beach.—Globe.

A PLEASANT OUTING.

The non-commissioned officers of No. 1 Company, R. C. R. L., in company with their families and friends, enjoyed a very pleasant outing yesterday. The party, sixty strong, was taken over the entire street railway system in a special car with trailer attached, and from thence to Springbank, where a half-hour stop was made. The party included the following non-commissioned officers: Mr. Munro, Sergt.-Major Copeman, Drill-Sergt. Price, Drill-Sergt. Legy, Color-Sergt. Cranston, Sergt. Kibbler, Sergt. Farnsworth, Sergt. Cockburn, Corp. Taylor, Corp. Walsh, Corp. McPadden and Corp.-Bugler Walsh.

VETERAN FIREMEN MEET.

The veteran firemen met last night at the city hall and wound up the affairs of the London Firemen's Association. Incident to their part in the Old Boys' reunion. The executive committee of the Old Boys' Association wrote, communicating to them their appreciation of the firemen's efforts to make the reunion a success, and in this connection



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The secretary was instructed to convey a vote of thanks to Mr. Trevelyan and Chief Roe for the assistance they gave. When the next meeting is held on the 12th Tuesday in October, the possibility of organizing a veteran firemen's association will be considered. Those present at the meeting were: Messrs. R. McBride (chairman), S. H. Craig, Wm. Chittick, H. Vincent, Wm. Beitz, Harry Pratt, R. Watson, W. D. Benson, Wm. Stinson, J. Dawson, John Hyslop, James Dunn, W. Wonnacott, Chief Roe, Wm. Tackaberry, John F. Hicks, Loughlin Mockler, Albert Clark, John White, and Thomas Richards.

**BUFFALO BUG
IS PLENTIFUL
IN THE CITY.**

**Householders Alarmed at Its
Depredations.**

**Insect Is Particularly Fond of
Expensive Carpets.**

**Some Simple Means That May Be
Taken to Exterminate the
Strange Little Pest.**

Have you seen the Buffalo bug? If you are a housekeeper and have not, you will be taking a very wise precaution if you examine your silk wedding dress, inspect your carvets and generally overhaul your wardrobe. For the Buffalo bug, which is one of the most destructive insects known, has firmly established itself in London.

The Buffalo bug delights in the musical name of Antrenus Schrophulariae, although it is more often known as the Buffalo "moth." Why it should be termed a moth is not clear, for the insect is really a beetle. It is less than a fifth of an inch in length, and is black, ornamented generally with white and red spots. The beetle itself is harmless, but its larvae, once they have become established in a house, are extremely destructive. Last year many complaints were heard from different parts of the city about its depredations, and this year it has multiplied greatly. One South London gentleman who takes a justifiable pride in his beautifully furnished residence, has been driven to despair by the wholesale destruction of carpets and curtains. In the home of a wealthy Queen's avenue resident the same condition of affairs exists. In these instances the Buffalo bug is credited with destroying not only wooden goods, but linen as well. This, however, cannot be true according to Prof. Moffat, the well-known entomologist, who, in reply to questions put by The Advertiser, asserted that the larvae of the insect could not attack linen or cotton goods.

Prof. Moffat has had unusual opportunities of observing Antrenus Schrophulariae, and among other things he has discovered that the beetle is, apparently, particularly fond of the beautiful blossoms of the spruce. Now, if this is really the case, to have a particularly fine spruce plant near your house, don't destroy it on this account; for, remember, it has not been proved that the Buffalo bug has a fondness for it alone, is, as a matter of fact, a flower bug, and is known as such in Europe from whence, like most other pests, it came here. It is really a very annoying fact that it has been found in great numbers on spruce bushes in the city.

A South London gentleman who had a very beautiful spruce in bloom in his garden, determined to watch it for the Buffalo bug. He reported to Prof. Moffat that in three days it removed from the plant over 100 of the beetles. Whether this may be taken as conclusive evidence of the spruce's guilt, or whether merely as an indication that the insect chooses the spruce as being the most desirable flower within reach, is a point yet to be definitely settled.

The larvae of the Buffalo bug is a diminutive furry little thing, about a fifth of an inch in length, but its appetite is in inverse ratio to its size. It is no respecter of quality in the goods it attacks; in fact a \$5 the yard carpet is, apparently, more to its taste than the sixty cent kind. It is this fact that is so annoying to Prof. Moffat, in a paper included in the 31st annual report of the Entomological Society of Ontario, says: "It is a European insect, but it was on this continent that it first obtained its notoriety as a carpet pest; the habit here of tacking down carpets for a year giving it a splendid opportunity to propagate undisturbed. With this, as with other of its kind, frequent stirring up is an excellent means of deterring them from indulging in their destructive propensities. And now that it is here to stay, as it is not entirely depending on importation for its sustenance, it is not to be exterminated except locally, there is nothing for it but to give it due attention; and to combat it successfully a knowledge of

its nature and habits must be acquired. Having learned to recognize the beetles they may be seen upon the windows in not allowing a light to be destroyed before they have an opportunity to deposit their eggs, and thus prevent future trouble from them. In nature it takes a full year to complete the round of its existence, but with the artificial warmth of houses, it matures in shorter time, and beetles may be found on windows before the end of winter.

"When once a dwelling has become infested, not only should the carpets be thoroughly beaten and disinfected, but narrow strips of thin muslin should be fastened over the joints of the floors with varnish before relaying, so as to prevent them secreting themselves there. A strip of tar paper laid under the outer edge of the carpet is an excellent preventive.

"When they are known to be at work, and it is inconvenient to lift the carpet, benzine will kill any living insect that it is brought in contact with, but great care must be exercised before the use of any deodorant upon whom they are applied. Steam or benzine may also be used to advantage to get rid of their presence throughout the house, but such means can their operations be restrained and rendered comparatively harmless. But constant watchfulness against their presence is required, for even if a dwelling has been freed from their presence during one season, the beetles may enter at the open windows next summer and start a colony again."

"There are conflicting stories as to how the Buffalo bug received its name. One is to the effect that it was first observed in Buffalo, N. Y. A more probable story is that it was first observed in California, where, owing to its furry appearance, it was given the name of the Buffalo bug."

**PICKED UP
IN THE PARK.**

"Curious thing," said the Park Lounger, pulling at his cigar until the tip of it was a fiery-red eye in the darkness; "curious thing that people will flock in thousands to an evening band concert to which they never think of listening. Excepting a very small percentage of the crowd, nobody pays any attention to the band, which for two hours manfully tries to make itself heard above the hum of gossiping women, the screeching of small boys and the giggling of school girls, who chew gum and walk arm in arm in long rows. Last night, after swallowing goodness knows how many cubic yards of dust raised by thousands of shuffling feet around the band stand, I wriggled into the inner circle of the stand, where the few dozen seats Victoria Park boasts are placed. It looked queer in there, and I thought I might be able to pick out here and

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Ladies' Patent Kid Bals, heavy soles.....4 50
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Round Top, Galvanized Iron.....3 50
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Canvas Steamer Trunk.....4 00
Actress' Strong Trunk.....6 50
Continental Traveling Trunk.....7 50
14-inch Satchel, Leather (olive).....1 65
16-inch Satchel, Leather (brown).....1 85
18-inch Gladstone, Brown Leather.....3 25
22-inch Telescopes.....1 00
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Suit Cases, 22 inches.....2 40
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there a note of what I believed to be a waltz band was playing. In front of me was a quartet of sweet young things in bicycle costumes. This is the music I listened to: "O Neil, don't you just love band music?" "It's too lovely for anything, dear."

"O girls, what do you think Willie Noodles says?" "Chorus: 'No; what? O do tell us, Gladys!'" "He says that every woman ought to be compelled by law to take off her hat in theaters and churches."

"Chorus of shrieks and giggles made the bass horn sound like a whistle."

"Silence of three seconds, during which I distinctly heard several notes of the waltz band."

"Clara breaks in: 'Girls, you should have seen that Mamie Highnose at church Sunday night. Of all the frights, she was the scariest!'" "Clara, in a gurgling soprano described minutely the costume of The Fright, her description being liberally punctuated by 'Ohs,' 'Reahs' and similar exclamations."

"Before Clara had finished Gladys interrupted: 'Mamma says I can't have a new hat this fall, and I know I'm going to be a perfect sight!'" "Chorus of protesting voices: 'Oh, no, dear; you know you always look too sweet for anything!'"

"Well, I don't care," Gladys persisted. "I think it's just too mean of mamma! There are those vulgar Up-town girls who have so many dresses and hats they don't know which to wear, and they never look decent. I don't think," she added, with a truly feminine disregard of the fact that two negatives make an affirmative.

"There goes Jack," suddenly sang out Mae, in a tone so loud that Jack, a thin-chested youth, with \$2 patent leather shoes and a flaring red tie, looked around, grinned, and lifted his hat with the grace of a sea-lion. This brought forth more giggling, Gladys exclaiming: "Isn't he cute," to which everyone assented.

"Suddenly there came a blare of horns and a roll of drums that partially drowned the din about me, and I knew that the waltz was finished."

"Girls, wasn't that a lovely two-step?" chirped Clara.

"Awfully," gurgled the chorus.

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