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A Complete Success!

The commencement of our Great Alteration Sale was a grand success. From early morning until late at night the store was thronged with eager buyers. The enthusiastic way in which they bought and their exclamations of approval shows to us that they appreciate this great money saving opportunity. Please remember that this store always has the goods advertised, and sells them at the prices quoted. To-day we mention:

To-Day We Mention:

Lace Curtains

50 pairs of Lace Curtains imported direct from the mills in Nottingham, regular price \$1, alteration sale price 80c.
20 pairs Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yds long, elegant patterns, reg price \$1.25, alteration sale, per pair \$1.00
And reduced prices on all Lace Curtains up to \$15.00 per pair. This is a wonderful chance to buy lace curtains at less than manufacturer's prices.

Drapery Curtains.

15 pairs drapery curtains in all the popular shades—reds, greens, blue, lavas, etc., 3 1/2 yards long, reg. price \$4.50 and \$5, alteration sale price, your choice at \$3.60
Reg 6, 6.50 and 7.50 drapery curtains, alteration sale price, \$5.00
Reg. 8 and 8.50 drapery curtains, alteration sale price, \$6.75
Reg \$10 and 12 drapery curtains, your choice at alteration sale price, \$9.50

Tapestry and Chenille Table Covers.

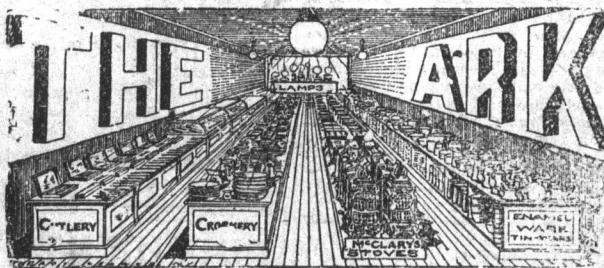
Reg \$1.75, \$1.88 and \$2 Tapestry and Chenille Table Covers, your choice at \$1.45.
Reg. 3, 3.50 and \$3.75 Table Covers \$2.75
Reg \$9, \$10 and \$12 Table Covers \$7.75

Carpets.

4 patterns best English 4 frame Brussels, in splendid designs and colorings, regular price \$1, alteration sale price, 87c.
3 patterns extra 5-frame Brussels, regular price \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.40, alteration sale price, your choice at per yd. \$1.00
2 patterns John Crossley & Son's Orient Velvet Carpet, reg. price \$1.25, alteration sale price, 90c.
6 patterns Hemp Carpet at alteration sale price:—
Regular 12 1/2 quality at 10c
" 18c and 20c quality at 16c
" 22c and 25c " 20c
5 patterns John Crossley & Son's best C. X. Tapestry Brussels Carpet, with border to match, regular price 85c., alteration sale price, 73c.
Best English 8 wire Tapestry Carpet, in a large range of patterns, reg. price 75c, alteration sale price, 68c.
15 patterns English Tapestry Carpet, worth reg 58c., 60c. and 65c., any coloring you want in the lot, alteration sale price at 49c.
Union Carpets, best Union Carpets, full yard wide and extra heavy:—
Regular 25c quality at 22c
" 35c., 38c and 40c. at 33c
All wool carpets, full yard wide, in an elegant range of patterns, warp and filling guaranteed pure wool.
Regular 55c quality at 50c
" 75c " 69c
" 85c " 75c

See Saturday's PLANET for complete list of bargains.

Thos. Stone & Son.



10 PER CENT OFF The following goods DURING THIS WEEK...

Lawn Mowers, Refrigerators, Ice Cream Freezers, Children's Go Carts, Oil and Gasoline Stoves, Hammocks, Fishing Tackle, Children's Garden Sets.

These lines must go quick to make room for stoves and other fall goods. Make your selections while the assortment is complete.

H. MACAULAY. SPOT CASH TELEPHONE 159

SWEEPING SALE.

20% Reduction

—ON ALL—

Refrigerators, Blue Flame Oil Stoves, Ice Cream Freezers, Hammocks, -i- Screen Doors,

and other lines of summer goods. Object is to clean out these lines.

These bargains are at

WESTMAN BROS.

Big Hardware and Implement House.

THE PONTIFF'S FUNERAL.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES IN ST. PETER'S.

The Fisherman's Ring—No Excitement Was Caused by its Disappearance—About One Thousand Persons Witness Funeral Ceremonies.

Rome, July 27.—The body of Pope Leo was interred in St. Peter's Saturday. The strokes of the hammer which resounded through the immense dome of the cathedral announced to the earnest gathering in the nave that the body of Leo XIII. had been laid to rest. At sundown the most important and most solemn of all the obsequies took place. About one thousand persons had received invitations to attend the ceremonies. Cardinal Rampolla, as arch-priest of the Basilica, was waiting outside the gates in violet robes, surrounded by the chapter of the cathedral, which was led by Mr. Ceppatelli, who conducted the services. Mrs. Lappont and Mazzoni directed the work of the removal of the bier, which was executed by eight sedari, or Pope's carriers, attired in their brilliant red brocade costumes. They at first tried to raise the bier, but finding it too heavy, they slowly slid it into a low car with noiseless wheels. Then, to the strains of the "Miserere," which waivered through the lofty church, and preceded by a glittering cross held aloft, the procession, carrying candles and torches, slowly left the chapel and went up the church, passing the bronze statue and the shrine of St. Peter.

After slow progress around the church, the cortege arrived at the chapel choir, the bier being carried that the dead Pope entered head first, according to the ceremonial. Here all those who had received invitations were stopped, remaining in the main part of the Basilica, behind a double line of the Swiss Guards. In the chapel the music changed to notes of joy and triumph, and "In Paradisum" rang out with telling effect. From the outside the five bells of St. Peter's rang their accustomed salute to the coming night, mingling harmoniously with the music of the choir. In the chapel the bier bearing the body of the dead Pope, was received by Cardinal Oreglia. It was placed in the centre, backed by an altar with a beautiful image of the Madonna, before which were burning four immense candles in silver stands. Around two sides of the chapel, in the choir seats, were thirty-six Cardinals.

The body was sprinkled with holy water, absolution was given, and the foot of Leo XIII. was kissed for the last time by Mordomo Cagiano, master of the chamber; Bisleti, and Count Camille Pecci. The majordomo then covered the venerable features and hands with a white silk veil bordered with gold. Over this the prefect of ceremonies spread a large red silk veil, which covered the whole person. Fire was lighted in a brazier and blown by a bellows, the smoke rising almost to the ceiling, while Mgr. Bartolini read the oratio brevis, and Notary Poponi, 84 years old, read the burial record, a service which he performed at the deaths of Pope Gregory XVI. and Pope Pius IX. The mourners of the Basilica, aided by the Noble Guard, then laid that was mortal of Leo XIII. in a cypress coffin lined with red satin and was placed on the cover an inlaid cross. The majordomo, beside the body of the dead Pope two silk purses containing coins of silver and a bronze medal struck during Leo's pontificate. A eulogy enclosed in a metal tube was also interred with the body. When all had been arranged the supreme prayer was said and the benediction given, all present joining. Half-suppressed sobs were heard on all sides.

KILLED AT JORDAN.

Body of an Indian Found on the Track.

Jordan, July 27.—The body of an Indian was found on the G.T.R. tracks one mile east of Jordan Station, supposed to have been struck by a train. The body is very badly cut up, almost unrecognizable. His name is David Laform of Hagersville, aged about 26 years, unmarried. The body will be taken to Hagersville for burial.

WOMAN STABBING CASE.

Result of a Neighbors' Feud in Essex.

Windsor, July 27.—Edward Passingham and David Cooney live on adjoining farms near Essex, and for some time there has been a feud between the families. On Thursday afternoon matters reached a climax, when Mrs. Passingham went to the Cooney home, and, it is alleged, stabbed Mrs. Cooney in the arm, and her married daughter, Mrs. Mary McCoy, in the breast and wrist. On Friday David Cooney, his wife and daughter came to Windsor and laid a complaint against Mrs. Passingham, and Magistrate Bartlett issued a summons for her to appear before him on Wednesday.

Fire at Guelph.

Guelph, July 27.—About 5:30 a.m. Saturday fire was observed in the long stone building on Huskisson street, formerly owned by the McCrae Woolen Company and now by the Guelph Waterproof Clothing Company. The

fire started in the roof, and the night watchman knew nothing about it until after the alarm was given. The building is two and a half stories. The roof is pretty well burned off, and considerable damage was done to stock on the lower floors. The loss may amount to \$8,000 or \$10,000, but it is fairly well covered by insurance, as follows:—London Mutual, \$2,000 on building and \$1,700 on stock; Economical, \$2,000 on building and \$1,800 on stock; Anglo-American, \$3,000 on stock.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Terrible End of a Number of Female Laborers.

London, July 27.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Mail sends a report to the effect that, near the village of Schalajilka, in the district of the Don, 32 female field laborers were burned to death in a barn, where they had locked themselves to escape molestation by male laborers, who, in revenge, fired the barn, and callously watched the burning, without heeding the shrieks of the victims.

LABOR MAN ELECTED.

THE RESULT OF AN ENGLISH BY-ELECTION.

Strong Unionist Supporter of Mr. Chamberlain's Fiscal Policy is Defeated—Result a Surprise.

London, July 27.—The election yesterday, in the Barnard Castle division of Durham county, of a successor to Sir Joseph W. Pease, Liberal, resulted as follows:—

A. Henderson (Labor) 3,370
W. L. Vane (Unionist) 3,323
Mr. Beaumont (Liberal) 2,809

The result was a complete surprise, for since 1886 the division had returned a Liberal. It is another of a succession of labor victories in recent by-elections, and is regarded as significant, because Major Vane, who was also an unsuccessful candidate in the riding at the last election, is a strong supporter of Mr. Chamberlain's fiscal policy. While personally popular, he received fewer votes than when he ran in the same division in 1900. On the other hand, it is asserted, that the contest was more influenced by the education act, the division being strongly Nonconformist. Mr. Henderson until recently was the official Liberal agent in the constituency.

FAREWELL TO DUBLIN.

Their Majesties Accorded a Hearty Send-off.

New York, July 27.—The Sun has the following special from London:—King Edward and Queen Alexandra left Dublin at noon to-day to visit the Marquis and Marchioness of Londonderry at Mount Stewart, Newtownards, County Down. They halted on their way to the railway station to review thousands of children who had assembled in Phoenix Park. Although it was raining at the time, their Majesties used an open carriage. The streets were lined six deep with spectators. The enthusiasm which has heretofore been displayed was fully maintained. Before leaving here King Edward gave £1,000, which is to be distributed among the poor of Dublin. The following royal message has been issued in the form of a letter from Mr. Geo. Wyndham, Chief Secretary for Ireland, to Earl Dudley, the Lord-Lieutenant:—

"The King, before leaving, commands me to beg you to convey to all his people in Dublin his deep appreciation of the loyalty and affection with which he and the Queen were surrounded during their stay. Their Majesties forever will cherish the memory of these days, during which every incident but confirmed their belief that the inhabitants of this illustrious city may, under God's providential guidance, confidently look forward to blessings commensurate with the keenness of their intelligence and the warmth of their hearts."

The King and Queen had a rousing welcome at Newtownards. Later they took an automobile to Portaferry, where they crossed Strangford Lough aboard the gunboat Hebe and visited Lord De Ros, the oldest Peer in the realm. Although the district is strongly Nonconformist, the people gave their Majesties a most hearty reception.

CAUGHT AT QUEBEC.

Woman Accused of Stealing £200 in Cardiff, Wales.

Quebec, July 27.—Gertrude Durant, age 35 years, who came out as a passenger on the steamship Dominion, was arrested Saturday on the charge of stealing £200 sterling from her employers at Cardiff, Wales. She will be sent back.

DEATH OF MR. GEO. HYSLOP.

Head of the Firm of Hyslop Brothers Dies in London.

Toronto, Toronto, July 27.—A cable message received Saturday from London announces the death there of Mr. George Hyslop, senior member of the firm of Hyslop Bros.

MANY DROWNINGS.

THEIR BOAT UPSET IN LAKE ROUSSEAU.

Miss Farley Drowned, Miss Mahon Rescued—Adam Birney Loses His Life While Bathing at Hanover—Double Drowning at Montreal.

Lake Rousseau, July 27.—A sad drowning accident has occurred here in which one life was lost. Miss Agnes Farley of Brooklyn, N.Y., captain of the waitresses at the Royal Muskoka, and another waitress named Miss Annie Mahon left the hotel in a rowboat for Rousseau and were returning about 5 o'clock. When about a mile from Rousseau the boat was accidentally upset. Miss Mahon clung to the boat and was rescued, but Miss Farley sank immediately. The body lies in one hundred feet of water, and has not yet been recovered.

Hanover, July 27.—Last evening a young man named Adam Birney, with two other young men, went in bathing. Birney jumped into the water and swam out to about the middle of the stream. It is thought he took cramps, for in a moment he sank. His body was recovered about two hours after. He was a turner in the Knechtel Furniture Company's factory, and took a lively interest in lacrosse and football. He was about 21 years of age, and unmarried. His parents live near Enniskillen.

Port Colborne, July 27.—A young Italian laborer, aged nineteen, was drowned at Humberstone last evening. He had just arrived in town, and did not notice that the swing bridge was open, and walked into the canal. Winnipeg, July 27.—(Special.)—The body of Donald Graham of Stony Mountain was found floating in the Assiniboine River here to-day. He is supposed to have thrown himself into the river.

Windsor, July 27.—Norman Price, a fourteen-year-old colored newsboy, drowned while swimming off a dock in the river here last night. The body was recovered.

Montreal, July 27.—(Special.)—Two men, Lea Rozier and Thomas Harte, were drowned while out boating on the St. Lawrence to-day.

RUSSIA WOULD FIGHT.

Prepared to Combat With Five of the Powers.

St. Petersburg, July 27.—Director Hartwig of the Asiatic department of the Russian Foreign Office talked long, earnestly and frankly to a representative of the Associated Press to-day regarding Manchuria. He began by making the statement that the Russo-Chinese situation was likely to remain unchanged until the return to the Russian capital of War Minister Kuropatkin.

Passing to the statement of American opinion regarding Manchuria, he made a remarkably outspoken attack upon England. He said:—"I do not comprehend how Russia, whose foreign policy is the most straightforward, can be accused of duplicity, when England's double-dealing is a question that should be apparent to everybody. Here are two telegrams received from England to-day. One relates to Lord Cranborne's statement in the House of Commons, July 23, saying that England desires an Anglo-Russian arrangement covering the entire situation and that England recognized Russia's peculiar situation and special interests in Manchuria. The other reports the London Standard's despatch from Tientsin, of July 24, regarding Russian reinforcements at Port Arthur. This is for American consumption; it is false, but I shall permit its publication here in order to prove that we do not fear war, even with five powers. England never addressed to us inquiries, complaints or protests regarding Manchuria. She recognizes our special interests, but continually incites Japan and America against Russia. The English despatches from the far east are for American consumption. Why does not America see through the track? Why swallow the bait so poorly disguised? Does America want war? If so, why does not anybody stop to consider how much the American-Manchurian trade amounted to before 1899. Who ever heard Newchwang mentioned before we brought order there? Who is building Dalny as a free port? Russia has 10,000 miles of Chinese frontier; shall we place ourselves on the same footing as others? When we saved Admiral Seymour from destruction why did not somebody protest against Kiau Chou? What is the outcry for? Does anybody suppose we are going to be compelled to relinquish the railway to Honghonghones or other marauders?"

"I repeat that we do not fear war even with five powers. Our defeat in the Crimea is a glorious chapter in our history, and I do not believe that any five powers desire to gather new laurels like those of the Crimea. What can Japan do? Suppose Japan defeated the Russian army, we would crush Japan to sand. Japan exists upon Russian fish. It is your duty to expose England's duplicity. It is not a recent phenomenon now; it is a chronic affair."

London, July 27.—The Standard prints a Tientsin despatch which says that the Newchwang trains are crowded with Russian troops going in the direction of Port Arthur, that these trains are taking precedence over normal traffic, and that heavy guns and other artillery are also being sent.

MRS. McKEE RECAPTURED.

On the Verge of Collapse—Badly Mosquito Bitten.

Windsor, July 27.—Mrs. Ellen McKee, the woman who escaped from Sandwich jail, where she was confined awaiting extradition on a charge of embezzling \$2,500 from the Irish postal authorities, was recaptured by Chief Masters of Sandwich on Saturday. The poor woman has been wandering at large since 6 o'clock Thursday night. She has been terribly bitten about the face and hands by mosquitoes and is on the verge of collapse.

Lumber Burned at St. Kitts.

St. Catharines, July 27.—George Wilson & Co.'s large lumber yards, situated on the north side of Niagara street, were again visited by fire at an early hour yesterday. The fire started in the eastern end, and soon spread westward, covering the entire yard, which was heavily stocked with choice lumber. Two large sheds, each 300 feet long, went up like paper. A large amount of stock was manufactured and ready to go out, and is a total loss. The firemen, with the help of a west wind, saved the main mill, box factory and offices. A small house on the Page street side caught fire, and was completely destroyed. The Warren Electric Co.'s plant was in great danger, and was saved only by hard work. The firemen worked heroically, and saved a number of frame houses situated all around the yard. The origin of the fire is a mystery, the night watchman having passed the spot where the fire originated about fifteen minutes before, and everything was apparently all right. The firm have been very unlucky, it being only two years ago that their entire plant was destroyed. Mr. F. W. Wilson estimates the loss at between \$45,000 and \$50,000, partly covered by insurance.

\$30,000 Blaze at Souris.

Winnipeg, July 27.—The most serious fire in the history of Souris visited that town on Sunday. It broke out in the feed stables of Wm. Watt, and spread to the stock barns of McCulloch & Herriot. Wm. Watt's residence and T. H. Patrick's lumber yard, in which was piled 100,000 feet of lumber, 10,000 shingles and a large quantity of cordwood, were also destroyed. The total loss is \$30,000; small insurance.

Escaped From Central Prison.

Toronto, July 27.—James McLaughlin is missing from his place at the Central Prison. He made a daring escape on Saturday.

Home was not built in a day.

20 Per Cent. DISCOUNT

If you contemplate travelling and need a good serviceable trunk. Take advantage of our 20 per cent. discount sale.

All trunks now in stock are offered at a big cut price to clear them out as we do not intend to handle any more after those we have are sold.

PEACE & CO.

"Have you a sweet tooth?"

Let us prescribe for it. We have just received a fresh shipment of

McGregor's Delicious CHOCOLATES.

We guarantee these goods to be superior to any other chocolates heretofore sold in Chatham. We have them in straight chocolates and assorted flavors.

1-5 lb packages, 10 cents.
1/2 lb packages, 25 cents.
1 lb packages, 50 cents.
Chocolate Burnt Almonds, 10c.
Chocolate Caramels, 10c.
Try a box—next time you'll ask for them. If our name is on the package it's all right.

...THE...

Crystal Pharmacy,
ED. T. JONES, Prop.

The Planet

G. STEPHENSON - Proprietor.

MONDAY, JULY 27.

STOCK GAMBLING

There once was a bald-headed man, and, as is the fate of such afflicted, every time he got into a barber's chair the shaver poured into his ear an account of the wonderful properties of the hair restorer he had for sale which would "make hair grow on a chip." To which the philosophic bald-head had an invariable reply. "Young man," he said, "you have a fortune, if what you say is true. Send a few bottles over to Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, address, London. As soon as he blossoms out with a football pompadour, I'll give you fifty dollars for half a dozen bottles." He's still got the fifty dollars unclaimed, but the proposition never failed to conclude the conversation on the merits of the hair restorer.

The same philosophic idea applies to stock gambling, if the amateur dabblers in the market would only recognize it. There are several thousand bright young and old men employed in connection with the Wall street stock market. Some of them have been in the business since they were boys and know it from A to Z as far as it is possible to know the market, and yet they do not make their fortunes. The most of them who know the market best are content to act as brokers and help foolish people a thousand miles out of touch with the market to lose their money on long range shots, but they never risk their own. Yet the man in Wall street has a hundred chances of making money to the one that the amateur dabbler in stocks has in trying to play the market with limited information and "shine" tips in some small city or town hundreds of miles from the centre of operations. The chief danger and allurements of the stock market is that the amateur declines to recognize it as a pure gamble with the dealer and banker against him. He gets it into his head that he can "call the market" from certain information, when the fact is that he has about as much chance as rustic in a shell game. If it was possible to learn the market so as to be able to call the turn there are a thousand people working in Wall street on salary or commission to-day who would be millionaires. But that phase of it never seems to strike the lamb until he has been shorn.—Ottawa Citizen.

WHERE CAP IS.

Hamilton Spectator.

The Spectator has learned from a correspondent of the present whereabouts of Cap Sullivan. On Monday of this week a gorgeous private yacht sailed into Little Current (Manitowish Island) and disembarked a distinguished looking company of ladies and gentlemen. After a middle-aged gentleman with a massive jaw and prominent nose had finished making entries in the register of the Mansion House, the page contained these names and addresses:

John Sullivan, Toronto.
Frank J. Sullivan, Toronto.
Mrs. F. J. Sullivan, Toronto.
Miss Irene Sullivan, Toronto.
Miss Camilla Sullivan, Toronto.
Miss Angel Sullivan, Toronto.
J. J. Sullivan, D. D. S., New York.

WANTED NO BETTER PLACE.

New York Tribune.

Sir Thomas Lipton's friend, William Fife, the designer of Shamrock III, loves his country profoundly, and he never tires of singing the praises of Great Britain.

On his recent voyage over a number of Americans endeavored, in a humorous way to prove to him America's superiority over all other countries. Mr. Fife, however, was not to be convinced.

"I love my land," he said. "I love it so well that I suppose, when I come to die, I'll be like old Peregrine Dagnas, the shiphandler. Old Peregrine, as he lay on his deathbed, hated to depart. He bemoaned his hard lot. He seemed to want to live forever.

"But, Peregrine," his wife said, "you are going to a better place."

"Ah," he answered, "there's no place like old England."

THE KING TRUSTS IRELAND.

London News.

King Edward's absolute faith in the Irish is demonstrated by the answer he gave the Scotland Yard men who wanted to send detectives with him on his trip through Ireland. "All the protection I want," said His Majesty, "I shall receive from the Irish. Of that I am quite satisfied." The tribute is a pretty and a noble one, but a tribute which is deserved. The Irish are impetuous, warm-hearted and brave, and the King will find himself as safe in the centre of a Nationalist constituency as in his own gardens at Buckingham. But a weaker man than Edward might not act as Edward acted, in view of the years of agitation for home rule in Ireland. A weaker man might have travelled

The Itch Fiend

That is Salt Rheum or Eczema, one of the outward manifestations of scrofula. It comes in itching, burning, oozing, drying, and scaling patches, on the face, head, hands, legs or body.

It cannot be cured by outward applications, the blood must be rid of the impurity to which it is due.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Has cured the most persistent and difficult cases. Accept no substitute for Hood's; no substitute acts like it.

through Ireland in a fortified state and thereby done himself more harm than good, by wounding the pride and honor of the Irish. But not so with Edward. He goes through Ireland with his heart on his sleeve and with a hand-shake for everybody, and he will find that Ireland's sons would, if necessary, shed their last drop of blood to protect Ireland's honor should an attempt be made on the life of the royal visitor, who has used his mighty influence to ameliorate the condition of the Irish people. The Irish are not murderous anarchists and cut-throats. The King is safe in Ireland.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. If Warden Robinson was in the city Saturday.

Miss Hazel J. Fielder has returned from visiting in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heyward have returned from a week's vacation.

J. A. Wilson was in Wallaceburg and Dresden Friday on business.

A gang of 65 men arrived in the city at noon Saturday to unload steel for the north track.

Mrs. T. N. Colgan and daughter, of North Bay, are spending a few days with friends in town.

Mrs. Golt has returned from a three weeks' visit in Amherstburg.

Miss Golt, her niece, returned with her.

The gas main being put down on Queen street was finished Saturday with the exception of the C. P. R. part.

Robert McGarry is sick in bed with pleurisy and pneumonia. He got up Friday to go to the baseball match but fainted.

Sons of England excursion to Niagara Falls on Civic Holiday, August 10th. Fare \$2.45. Tickets good for three days. Comm. 1m

Chas. Lucas, employed in the putting down the gas main on Queen street, had a finger badly ripped on Saturday.

Miss Louise Sherlock, daughter of Dr. C. Sherlock, Toronto, is visiting her cousin, Miss Margaret Ward, Head street.

The firemen made a record breaking run to Drader's fire Friday. Exactly 65 seconds after the alarm box was pulled they were at the fire.

J. L. Wilson reports that the recent rains have greatly helped the best crops throughout the country. The crop promises to be a good one this year.

A team of horses got stuck in the mud on Lorne avenue the other day in front of ex-Ald. Fleming's residence. The ex-alderman helped the horses out of the difficulty.

The petition against the initiative on the Wellington street pavement was not sufficiently signed and the pavement will be built. Wellington street will be paved from Fifth street to Lacroix street.

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

The board of arbitrators in regard to the Tupperville school will meet in that village to-day. The arbitrators are Judge Bell, A. M. Mason and Robert Park. J. B. Rankin will appear for the petitioners and M. Wilson K. C. contra.

Why suffer from Dyspepsia, Catarrh of the stomach, or any other stomach trouble when Maclean's Dyspepsia Remedy that has never been known to fail for over 15 years extensive use. Can be had at A. I. McCall's & Co., Limited. Price 50 cents a bottle. Try it.

John Burkby has sold his crop of wheat, consisting of about 800 bushels, to the T. H. Taylor Co. The wheat averaged 30 bushels to the acre and weighed 63 pounds to the bushel. Mr. Burkby hauled the wheat to the mill as he threshed.

"There is an electric light on Edgar street—or rather a post and an electric lamp," said a citizen this morning. "I contradict myself because it is only once in a long while that there's a light there. The other night when it wasn't lit an old lady fell and hurt herself. I don't think the lamp is attended to at all."

McKeough & Trotter have finished a new gasoline marine engine for W. W. Scane's boat. The engine is a two cycle, nine horsepower, and is expected to propel the Scane boat at nine miles to twelve miles an hour. The engine is a dandy and is complete in every respect.

The hot weather is now here, and the wise people are looking around for cheap tourist rates to cool summer results. W. E. Rispin, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, 115 King St., can give you reliable information and lowest tourist rates to all the favorite resorts reached by rail or boat. Give him a call.

Art Martin, who has been in W. H. Harper's C. P. R. ticket office for the past eight months, left Thursday night for Toronto, where he has received a more lucrative position on the C. P. R. Art has been deservedly popular in Chatham, and his many friends will regret his going away but will join in wishing him success.

Scratching makes an itchy skin worse. Weaver's Cerate allays the pain, takes out the inflammation, cleans the skin of eruptions and sores. Why not buy a bottle to-day?

You can buy Summer Goods at Half-Price and Less at MEYNELL'S

You know the reason, we want the room for Fall Goods which are arriving daily.

9 doz Men's and Boys' Fancy Straws—75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 kind for 25 cents.

Boys' Summer Knickers, 25c, and 35c.

Children's Sailors, 50c kind for 15c.

A lot of Boys' and Men's Straws 50c. kind for 10c.

Summer Underclothing, 75c kind for 50c.

See our extra fine Underclothing at 25c, worth 35c.

75c and \$1.00 Shirts, soft and stiff fronts, now 50c. Some with separate collars.

2 doz. Soft Front Shirts, Men's 50c kind now 25c.

White Vests and Summer Clothing at prices that is bound to make quick sales.

See our Window.

MEYNELL

3 doors west from Market King St. - Chatham.

As a place where the wearied can rest and recuperate with happiest surroundings the

Magi Caledonia Springs

is unique.

House to Rent on Cross St. Apply to O'Brien Bros., Cigar Factory. 1w.

Full range of fine wool bathing suits in all colors at The 2 T's.

The adjourned meeting of Sunday schools will be held, D. V., first Sunday in August at Mr. Ronald's grove, 5th road, Raleigh, at 2.30. All welcome.

The Claxton Oil & Gas Company have let the contract for five wells to James Peate & Son, Petrolia, to commence operations at once on Edward Chianick's farm in Chatham Township.

The annual G. T. R. employees excursion from London went through the city in five trains Saturday morning, the trains averaging 1,000 people.

One train of 14 coaches had 1,125 people on it. The fare for this excursion was 70 cents return from London, good over Sunday.

Argument in Skinner drainage appeal was heard Saturday before his honor Judge Bell. Mr. Skinner is appealing against his assessment for repairs to the Skinner drain. John Fraser, of Wallaceburg, for Chatham Township, O. L. Lewis for Skinner and W. E. Gundy for the other appellants.

Only Dodd's Kidney Pills are Doing Similar Things Daily

Reuben Draper's Gravel was Cured Three Years Ago—It Has Never Come Back.

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ABE'S LITTLE FLIER

By GRANT THORBURN

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For years he'd been a power in the
Flatbrook meeting house—not during
church time, to be sure, nor yet at
Sunday school, nor week night meet-
ings, nor Epworth League. It was at
other times he shone—at the fairs, and
candy sales, and donation parties, and
school commencements, for he was a
prestidigitator, and he was the regu-
lar thing at the village entertainments.

But lately his popularity had begun
to wane. The Flatbrooks became tired
of the same old card and coin tricks,
though Abe Hinchman, through long
and careful practice, was an adept at
them. They longed for the Indian box
trick and the juggler's sword tricks of
the metropolis. They did not know that
down in the cities the base members
of society, if they ever did attend a
sleight of hand performance, always
came in when the card and coin tricks
commenced and yawned and went out
when the Indian box trick came on.

Abe realized that his popularity was
on the wane. Even old Doc Clarkson's
daughter had grown a bit distrustful
and cold. So Abe made up his mind.
He drew about two-thirds of his bank
deposit and started for New York. He
was determined to learn a few new
tricks, buy some new paraphernalia
and come back and astonish the natives
and old Doc Clarkson's daughter. It
was early winter and there was no
farming to be done, so there was no
better time or opportunity, and he
went.

He occupied a seat in the smoker.
At a station near the metropolis a well
dressed young man boarded the train,
looked around for a seat and finally
took the one next to Hinchman. He
was a sociable sort of fellow and en-
tered into conversation at once. Abe
told him all he knew and many things
that he didn't. The stranger was not
so communicative and confined him-
self strictly to fiction, although Abe
couldn't know that, of course.

"Now, look a-here," remarked this
man. "Don't you go to any hotel. You
go to a private boarding house. They
won't skin you. I know a good one
where they'll treat you right. You
come with me." Abe went.

The place was situated in a rather
obscure street, but the rates were
cheap. Abe's companion, by a singular
coincidence, boarded there himself.

After supper they went upstairs into
the parlor. A caller was announced, a
rather seedy personage. He wanted to
see Abe's new companion. They talked
together in one corner while Abe sat in
another. Then his friend came over to
him.

"Say, Hinchman," he began, "do you
know anything about diamonds? Any
judge of them?" Abe glanced at the
other man out of the corner of his eye.

"Somepin," he replied. "Was in a
jewelry store up home f'r awhile. Why?
What's up?"

"Why, say," continued the other,
"here's a friend of mine in a fix. He's
got some good diamonds and wants
me to loan about \$200 on 'em. They're
worth \$800 anyway. I've seen 'em. Now,
I ain't got \$200 or I'd lend it to him.
S'pose you do it. How much have you got?" This was a superfluous
question, for he had discovered on the
train that Hinchman had just \$250.

"Well, now, here," went on the other,
"he says if he don't pay up in a
week you can keep the stones, see? He
can't pay up, and the stones are the
real thing, see? And you'll be in the
difference between a couple of hundred
and most a thousand, see?"

Hinchman saw. He thought it over
and concluded that it was a sound

proposition, provided the gems were
genuine. He excused himself a mo-
ment, went to his room and put \$200 in
one envelope and something else in an-
other envelope of similar appearance.

They had to go to the friend's room,
a few blocks distant up a dark, dingy
staircase. The friend produced the
jewels. Abe wouldn't touch them un-
less they went over to some Broadway
jeweler and determined their worth
and genuine character. This was fair,
and they went. It was really super-
stuous, for Abe could tell by the merest
examination that the stones were the
real things. There were four of them.
The Broadway jeweler looked at them,
said they might sell for a couple of
hundred apiece, but that he would give
\$150 spot cash for each of them. Then
the three went back.

"Well, what do you think of it?"
asked Hinchman's friend of Hinchman.
"They ain't worth as much as we
thought, but there's a good clear profit
in it for you in case my friend here
don't pay, and if he does you get your
money back, with good big interest and
a bonus besides at the end of a week."

The diamonds were again produced
and once more examined. From that
time on Abe Hinchman kept his eyes
not on the faces of his friends, but on
the diamonds.

"I'll do it," he finally announced. He
slowly withdrew from his pocket the
envelope containing the \$250 and a
small bag. He counted the money in
front of the two men, and they put
the diamonds in the bag at his re-
quest. After he had counted the
money and replaced it in the envelope
and once more examined the diamonds
and replaced them in the bag, which he
did more or less carelessly, keeping up
a steady conversation all the time, he
laid both upon the table.

"Now, gentles," he concluded, "I'm a
stranger here, and I rely on your honor
not to do me. This here is a fair and
square deal on my part, and I s'pose it
is on yours. Now, there's your money,
and here's—"

There was a loud rap on the door,
and a man broke in. He was not in
uniform, but he wore some kind of
shield, which he exhibited. Behind
him were two other men.

"Don't move!" he yelled to the three
men around the table. "I arrest the
whole gang for robbery!"

Hinchman's two companions sprang
to the table, shoved Hinchman aside,
grabbed the bag containing the jewels
and the envelope containing the money
and made for the door.

"Run for your life!" they yelled to
Hinchman. "It's the cops! These
stones is stolen!" They waited not,
but burst through the men at the door
and leaped down the stairs. Hinchman
was left to face the three men.

"Well, sir," said the leader severely,
"we got you anyways. What you got
to say for yourself?"

Hinchman told the whole story from
beginning to end. The three men evi-
dently didn't believe it, but neverthe-
less they marched him to the corner of
the street and there told him they
would let him go provided he would
appear at the police station in the
morning to prosecute the others. He
promised, and they left him. He took
to his heels and sprinted for his board-
ing house. Once there, he gathered up
his grip, paid his reckoning and jumped
on the nearest trolley car. Eventu-
ally he fetched up at the Astor House.
There he took a room.

Once in his room, he slung his grip
in a corner, took off his hat and wiped
his brow with a handkerchief. Then
he drew carefully from his in-
side pocket first an envelope and then
a small bag. In the envelope was Abe
Hinchman's \$200, and in the bag were
four genuine stones. The other men,
wherever they were, also had an en-
velope and a little bag, but in the one
was simply a roll of green paper and
in the other a few dried beans.

Abe Hinchman had merely played it
as low down on 'em as he could; that's
all. Leggerdains comes in handy once
in awhile. He shopped around and



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left me with heart trouble, and also a very weak
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what to do with myself. My children advised
me to take your 'Favorite Prescription,' but I
had been taking so much medicine from the doc-
tor that I was discouraged with everything. I
came to Philadelphia two years ago, and pick-
ing up one of your little books one day began to
read what your medicine had done for others. I
determined to try it myself. I took seven bot-
tles, and to-day I am a strong, well woman,
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some two or three months. And other time
he kept.

A week later Abe Hinchman stepped
off the train at Flatbrook and sauntered
down the street. A diamond stud
shone in his shirt bosom. He smoked a
twenty cent cigar.

"Pretty flip, Abe," remarked a town-
sman—the jeweler, in fact—as he in-
spected the pin. "Where'd you get
the dough?"

"Just been taking a little flier in Wall
street with the boys," remarked Abe
carelessly. Another hailed him.

"Well, Abe," said this one, "you look
first rate. What you been doin' down
there?"

"Well," returned Abe, "you can just
bet that I stood on the steps in front
of the Astor House along with the best
of them; yes, sir, I did."

"Here's a little thing for you, Mil-
lie," suggested Abe to Doc Clarkson's
girl that day—"that is, if you'll say
'Yes.' It was a magnificent solitaire
ring. "Oh, Abe!" sighed the young lady
in assent.

A week later Abe Hinchman enter-
tained a select audience with the In-
dian box trick, the sword trick, the
clothes basket trick, the cabinet trick
and every trick in the business. It was
simply great.

Napoleon's Character.

In character Napoleon may be said
to have been not so much wicked as de-
void of moral sense. The first princi-
ples of morality seem to have had no
place in his mind, and it is difficult to
see how they could have found en-
terance there. He had really no coun-
try, and consequently no patriotism.

Born a Corsican and setting out with
bitter hatred of France as the destroy-
er of Corsican liberties, he never really
became a Frenchman. He never learn-
ed to write the language, hardly to pro-
nounce it. France was the seat and
fulcrum of his power, his throne and
the recruiting ground of his armies.
Whatever he might say in proclama-
tions, in his moments of sincerity he
spoke of the French contemptuously as
people who were to be governed
through their vanity, which it was ne-
cessary to feed with a perpetual course
of victories. Domiciled in France, he
had consorted with a set of adventur-
ers as profligate as any that the world
has seen. The only sort of public mor-
ality with which he had ever been im-
pressed was the fidelity of the soldier
to military duty.—Goldwin Smith in
Atlantic.

Conjuring a Tooth.

Among the negroes the most striking
remedies are to be found. Witness the
combination of cure and spell de-
scribed under the name of "conjuring
a tooth" in Alabama. Go into a lonely
part of the woods with one of the op-
posite sex, who is to carry an ax. The
bearer of the ax chops around the roots
of a white oak, cuts off with a jack-
knife nine splinters from the roots of
the tree, then cuts around the roots of
the aching tooth with the knife, dips
each of the nine splinters in the blood
flowing from the cuts and finally buries
the splinters at the root of the tree
from which they came. While doing
this the operator repeats something
you don't understand, which is the
charm.—Kansas City Journal.

A Fable on the King.

Even Kings are not exempt from
the foibles of ordinary mankind, and
here is an interesting sidelight of a
little weakness of our own good
King Edward VII., writes the Lon-
don correspondent of The New York
Commercial. A certain royal lady
was at an afternoon tea-party, and
one of the guests told a decidedly
amusing story.

"Oh!" cried the lady in question,
clapping her hands, "that is capiti-
lized. I must tell it to the King."

"No," she added, after a mo-
ment's reflection, "I won't, for it
tells the King a good story, he for-
gets in a day or two that it was
told to him, and goes about repeat-
ing it to everyone as his own."

Magie of London.

All those who love life know some-
thing of the magic of a great city.
Paris, Rome, St. Petersburg, Lon-
don—these are the names to set the
heart beating. Low though we pro-
fess to rate it in deference to cosmop-
olitan opinion, we have, all of us,
a shame-faced pride in our grimy
British capital. Yes, it is a glorious
thing to be a cuckoo; there is no
harmony like the roar of Piccadilly,
no melody like the chiming of Big
Ben. The Englishman returning from
his travels alights at Victoria with a
long sigh of contentment.—The
Speaker.

Dr. Holmes' Table Talk.

At table Dr. Holmes was unflin-
glingly vivacious, ready at repartee, as
witty as Lowell without Lowell's audacity
at punning and for the immediate mo-
ment as wise as Emerson. Underwood,
in his monograph on "Lowell, the Poet
and the Man," has by some lapse of
memory misquoted a passage of words
that took place between Emerson and
Holmes at one of the early Atlantic
dinners. The conversation was upon
the orders of architecture. It was Em-
erson, not Holmes, who had been say-
ing that the Egyptian was character-
ized by breadth of base, the Grecian
by its skyward soaring. Then it was
Holmes, not Emerson, who dashed out
instantly, "One is for death, one is for
life, and one is for immortality." I did
not hear this, but it was repeated to
me at the time by one who did.—J. T.
Trowbridge in Atlantic.

Cuckoos.

Regarding cuckoos, it is said that the
long tail of these birds so interfered
with their balancing that they have
necessarily developed strong feet, with
two toes pointing backward and two
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TO-NIGHT.

City Council, Harrison Hall at 8 o'clock.

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

Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh Park at 6.45.

Bagle Band meets for practice in the Drill Shed at 8.

Junior Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh park at 6.15.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, July 27.—10 a. m.—Light to moderate winds, gradually at first, becoming variable; fine and comparatively cool.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

Thermometer 58.
Highest yesterday 75.
Lowest yesterday 52.
Direction of wind, east.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Mrs. Fred. Maynard is quite ill. John Gott went to Windsor this morning.

J. Brown, of Thamesville, spent Saturday in town.

N. M. Campbell, of Blenheim, spent Saturday in town.

Mrs. A. I. McCall is seriously ill at her home on LaCroix St.

The 28th the Baptist people go to Walpole. Everybody come.

James Churchill, of Highgate, was a Chatham visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Joseph Tilt, Wellington St., is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Clements and youngest son, of Joseph St., left for Detroit to-day.

A bunch of young fellows went to Tashmo Park in the Marion yesterday.

Will Birmingham, of Chicago, is visiting Harry Raynor, St. Clair street.

Charlie Blackburn, of Windsor, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bogart, Cross St.

Ed. Marshall has returned to his home in Chicago, after a pleasant visit in the city.

Teddy Bogart returned to Detroit this morning, after spending Sunday at his home here.

A. C. Barton and Miss Ruth Barton, of Petrolia, were guests at the Rankin House yesterday.

Mrs. Noah Pritchard and daughter Annie left to-day on a month's visit with relatives in Hamilton.

George Gordon, of Louisville, left to-day for the Canadian Northwest, for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. A. Snell, Wellington St., and her guest, Miss Windsor, of London, are spending the day in Detroit.

Mr. Armitage, of London, a layman of the Church of England, preached at both services in Christ Church yesterday.

Miss Ellnor Dauphin, Detroit, who has been visiting with Mrs. H. A. Wilcox, Bloomfield, has returned home.

Miss Ella Groves, Joseph St., has returned home, after a couple of weeks' vacation in Blenheim and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Putnam, of Adrian, Mich., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Putnam, Queen St., for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McEwen returned to Stratford this morning, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore, Raleigh street.

Lost! A set of beads, on Thursday, near Harvey St. and Lorne Ave., with gold chain and cross. A reward will be given by leaving them at this office.

Mrs. Andrew Dittmar, Detroit, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Wilcox, Bloomfield, returned home this morning.

The William street Baptist Sunday school excursion to Walpole Island, July 28th. Come along and have a good time.

Mrs. Side and daughters, Joseph street, left to-day for Walkerville to visit Mr. Side, who is employed in the Walkerville Wagon Works.

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Elijah Maine is spending the day in Detroit.

Mrs. G. G. Taylor's condition remains about the same.

Misses Mary and Agnes McPaul, Dresden, spent Sunday in the city.

The pleasure yacht Goriana from Detroit arrived in Chatham this a.m.

Colonel Rankin, K. C., and M. Wilson, K. C., were in Tupperville to-day.

The Dominion Paving Company will begin to lay the bricks on Cross street to-morrow.

The Cataract came into port last evening from Sarnia with lumber for Wm. Drader.

J. G. Kerr, J. W. Aitken, George Clark and A. E. Pilkey spent Sunday at the lighthouse.

The managers of the Central school are having a metallic ceiling put in the kindergarten.

Sydney Northwood was too ill to attend to his duties in the Canada Flour Mills to-day.

Mrs. Arthur Slade and daughter, of Wisconsin, who have been visiting friends here, left this a. m. for home.

Mrs. Austin, Centre St., has returned from a six weeks' visit in New York state. Mrs. Austin was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Seelye.

Mrs. W. W. Thornton, of Dresden, who has been visiting Mrs. W. W. Thornton, of this city, left this morning for Dutton, where she will visit her uncle, John Dowdley.

Miss Edith Dolsen rendered very acceptably "Saviour, Lead me all the way" at Park street Methodist church last evening. Miss Dolsen was accompanied by a quartette consisting of Messrs. Gilliland, Doherty, Wilson and Miller.

James Ross, County Commissioner, of Tilbury, is in the city to-day shipping a couple of cars of export cattle.

Mr. Ross purchased the cattle from John Simington, in Harwich, back of the Peninsular Fair grounds, for the sum of \$2,820.

Miss Mildred Broadbent, who won honors at the recent kindergarten examination, is to be congratulated on her success, as well as Miss Lily Green, her director. Although in attendance but six months she was the first and only candidate from Chatham to receive honor standing.

A special meeting of the Scotchmen of Chatham and vicinity will be held in the Sons of Scotland lodge room to-night at eight p. m. to consider the advisability of bringing the annual Scotch Picnic to Chatham this year, instead of the Eau. All Scotchmen are earnestly urged to be present.

Frank Martin was assessed \$57 for selling liquor without a license. It is reported that the daughter of a county constable and her best young man went over to Martin's on the Sun and the best young man purchased a bottle of ale. When the young lady returned home, she told about the good time, and her father had a case.

It was impossible to get the crack in the boiler of the City of Chatham repaired in either Detroit or Windsor, owing to their being a strike on the Captain, therefore ordered the fires to be re-started, and the City came to Chatham Friday night, and the crack was repaired Saturday.

She left this morning, as usual, for Detroit, with a large crowd on board.

David A. Hutchison, William St., met with a very painful and quite serious accident on Saturday night, which will lay him up for some time.

He fell part way down stairs and struck his side against the stairs' post. Dr. Rutherford was called and, besides many bruises, it was found that two ribs were broken. Mr. Hutchison was resting easily yesterday.

At the last meeting of St. Joseph's Court, No. 241, Catholic Order of Foresters, five new candidates were proposed for membership; the present membership is 209. It was decided to run the annual excursion to Marine City on August 25th. Bro. Nelson Emery was chosen chairman of the excursion committee and under his energetic leadership success is assured. Bro. F. A. Tschirhart was appointed secretary and John Brennan treasurer.

"The only clock that visitors to this city can see is the one in front of Jordan's Jewelry Store," remarked Fred Ward this morning. "People coming up on the 'City' go by the clock and they miss the boat, as the clock is generally about five minutes slow." Just then W. H. Rensen, the school trustee, stopped as he heard the Canada Flour Mills Co.'s whistle blow, looked up at the clock again, then turned to retrace his steps. "I thought I had five minutes to the gooc," remarked he as he made his right-about.

Coming in from Erieau, E. B. Jones, A. F. Falls, James E. Oldershaw and a number of others were riding in the baggage car owing to a scarcity of seats. Among the baggage Mr. Jones discovered a relic that recalled one of Chatham's old grocery merchants. The relic was in the form of a white earthenware jug, a familiar feature of a few years ago, but now seldom seen. The jug had the following inscription on it: "A. G. Mess, New York Store, Chatham, Ont." Mr. Mess kept a grocery store about the year 1860, where Hugh Malcolmson now has his establishment. The jug belongs to C. D. Williamson.

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Some large black bass have already been caught and entered for the \$15 prize rod offered by the Toronto Star for the best small-mouth black bass caught with rod and line in Ontario before Sept. 15. It is a good season for bass, and it is probable that a lot of good fish will be taken during the next six weeks. The following entries have so far been received, and are given in the order in which they reached us:

Chas. E. Siddle, Stratford, black bass, caught July 1st.

Alex. Purser, Bensport, a black bass, caught in Rice Lake, July 3.

A. J. Wilcox, Byng Inlet, a black bass, caught July 12th.

C. Swain, Buffalo, N. Y., a black bass, caught in Silver Lake, Port Carling, July 23.

Mr. William Saker, of the Peninsular Park Hotel, Lake Simcoe, writes to say that with some guests he caught five bass, totalling 18 lbs. in weight, but did not take proper weights and measurements, not knowing of the prize rod at the time. He says Lake Simcoe will be heard from later.

Another angler writes to say that he had a seven-pound bass on his line, but it got away. It must have been big fish to escape after being weighed.—Toronto Star.

No Chatham people are mentioned because Chathamites capture such large bass at Erieau that the other fellows wouldn't have a chance.

MAN AND HORSES BURNED.

Bad Fire in a Winnipeg Livery Stable.

Winnipeg, July 27.—The livery and sale stable of H. Griffin, on Higgins avenue, was destroyed by fire at an early hour on Sunday. John Walker, stable-boy, who was sleeping in the building, was cremated, together with several valuable horses. Six other horses were so badly injured that they will have to be shot.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Home comers' receptions were inaugurated at Kingston and Peterboro'.

David Laform, Indian, of Hagersville, was killed on the railway at Jordan.

Specialists say that the eldest son of King Peter of Servia is a degenerate.

Sir John Rigby, formerly Lord Justice of Appeal, is dead at London, aged 62.

Norway threatens retaliatory duties in return for the high tariff adopted by Cuba.

Several Korean Ministers and officials are accused of plotting to kill the Emperor.

The remains of the late Judge Armour arrived at Cobourg, where the funeral takes place to-day.

Complaint is made that "fishermen" destroyed bass by dynamite in the Thames at Fullarton Corners.

The Prussian Ministry has decided to devote \$2,500,000 to the relief of the sufferers from the Silesian floods.

United States officials believe that as a result of the Kishineff riots a large number of undesirable Jewish immigrants will flock to the United States and Canada.

There still being one or two minor points to settle, it is not expected that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will make an announcement regarding the Grand Trunk Pacific contract in Parliament before Thursday.

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Among the most famous gospel hymns written by Miss Crosby are those beginning "Safe In the Arms of Jesus," "Pass Me Not, Oh, Gentle Saviour," "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me" and "I Am Thine, O Lord; I Have Heard Thy Voice."

Save for the heavy green glasses she is compelled to wear there is little in Miss Crosby's manner while lecturing to indicate her sightlessness. "Hymn writing is my life work," says Miss Crosby, "and I cannot tell you what pleasure I derive from it. I believe I would not live a year if my work were



MISS FRANCES JANE CROSBY.

taken from me. A great many people sympathize with me, but although I am grateful to them, I really don't need their sympathy. What would I do with it?"

Miss Crosby has never learned to read the raised letters which most blind persons learn nowadays, nor can she write at all except when her hand is guided. The marvelous hymns which have echoed from one end of the country to the other wherever Methodist lifted their banners have been written down by any one who happened to be at hand, and consequently her original manuscripts are in many varieties of handwriting.

But to compensate her for what she has missed in life Miss Crosby has two remarkable faculties. She can make admirable verses at any time without a moment's hesitation. She has also a wonderful memory. The Bible, which has been read to her from childhood, she knows as few persons do now, and can recite passages appropriate to any occasion, giving verse and chapter.

Miss Crosby possesses a keen mind, a fine sense of humor and an acute appreciation of human nature. She says that she judges most persons by the voice rather than by the touch of their hands.

"Beware of the too smooth voice," says Miss Crosby, "but beware also of those which have no tenderness at all."

Useful Asbestos. Nearly all householders have several tin edged asbestos mats, which are designed purposely for use in the range beneath saucers and other cooking utensils, but perhaps there are many people who do not realize to how many other uses in the household asbestos may be subjected. It comes in sheets a yard or more in width and of any desired length. When bought by the quantity, it is very cheap, so cheap that 10 cents will buy several square feet of the material, which may be easily cut to fit the place it is needed to fill.

In place of the ready made pads for protecting polished tables a strip of asbestos bought by the yard and cut the proper length makes a good covering. When no lining or pad is used on a table, a small square of the material placed beneath the cloth where the coffee-pot and teapot stand will save the table from white marks that a tile is usually unable to prevent.

All dollies used on a polished table without a cloth should have inner linings, so that an asbestos mat can be slipped in between.

A square of asbestos kept for a rest and also to rub off the flint when in use prevents all scorching of the ironing sheet. When the range or any other heating apparatus comes too close to the wall and there is danger from fire, a strip of the material placed between will remove all cause of anxiety. In houses without hot and cold water fixtures it is a good plan to slip a piece beneath the washstand cover for the hot water pitcher.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Five o'clock Tea.

The serving of 5 o'clock tea is simply offering an afternoon caller a cup of tea, generally brewed by the hostess as they chat. For this purpose have a small round table covered with the daintiest and prettiest cloth you possess. On it have your small china tea-

pot, cream and sugar bowl, a saucer or cut glass dish for slices of lemon, your collection of dainty teacups and saucers and prettiest silver spoons and sugar tongs. Have a tea caddy filled with your choicest mixture of tea and a steaming kettle of highly polished silver, copper or brass. These tiny kettles with alcohol burners underneath are called 5 o'clock tea kettles. A silver tea ball is a great convenience for 5 o'clock tea where one or two cups are made for friends who drop in. The ball holding the tea is placed in the cup and the boiling water poured over it, the ball being removed when the tea is of the right color. If you cannot provide these conveniences, you can have your tea brought in fresh from the kitchen and poured from the small table. Some guests prefer to drink their tea Russian style—that is, with lemon instead of cream; hence it is best to provide lemon.

Baby Culture.

Never trot baby about, coming down sharply on your heels. Never make sudden and sharp noises to amuse him. Never swing him rapidly either in his cot or in your arms. Never forget that what baby puts in his mouth must be absolutely clean, or it may endanger his health. So keep his india rubber "pipe," if he has one, as scrupulously clean as you keep his feeding bottle. Never needlessly put your finger in his mouth. Never encourage him to eat by taking little portions from his spoon. Never give him an empty feeding bottle to keep him quiet or a meal before the time for it has come. Never forget that baby sometimes cries from thirst and that a teaspoonful of cold water will then make him happy and do him good.

Home Atmosphere.

Cultivate "the sweet flower of courtesy," as George Eliot terms it. Whatever other plant you may have indoors or out to beautify the home and delight the eye, cultivate at all seasons the sweet flower of courtesy. In her story of "Silas Marner," where she describes the old squire and his breakfast hour, she wrote, "There was no pleasant morning greeting between them, not because of any unfriendliness, but because the sweet flower of courtesy is not a growth of such homes as the Red House." Courtesy and cheerfulness are two primary elements necessary to the making of a bright and sweet atmosphere in our homes.

Let the Child Help.

Never should the mother through that foolish desire to keep her child as long as possible dependent upon her or that worse pride which would show itself to be self sufficient refuse the proffered help of her child. If she is doing something in which from the nature of things he cannot share, let her be careful to substitute some other loving service while declining the one proffered, remembering that love turned away nourishes selfishness and proffered help refused begets idleness. She may have to say, "No, dear, you cannot sweep the floor," but she can add, "You may hand mamma the broom."—Household.

Fencing For Women.

Those who have seen women who are expert fencers recognize that it is an extremely graceful amusement. Many ladies are taking fencing lessons. Strength of leg is necessary as well as of wrist and much activity. But it is a most admirable exercise, improving the figure and developing the muscles. It is not only physical strength that is required for this amusement, but keenness of the eye and dexterity of the wrist, and these are quite womanly. Quickness of perception and action are necessary.

The Reading Lamp.

A good reading lamp is one of the necessities of life. An artistic and only moderately expensive lamp may be made by slipping a plain metal lamp into a terra cotta jar such as are used by florists to display carnations, tulips or hyacinths. A knotted covering of uncolored raffia improves the jar and harmonizes well with the Japanese lamp shade, green and white, with a touch of scarlet which crowns the whole.

Using an Oil Stove.

If you want an oil stove to burn without giving out an unpleasant odor, clean and refill it every time after using. If you allow dirt and oil to accumulate on it, it is sure to smell unpleasant. Always turn the wick down before putting it out and leave it turned down till the stove is again needed. If the wick is turned high, it draws the oil up, and so it spreads over the outside.

Shell Portiere.

An exceptionally pretty portiere is made by stringing the pearl shells, such as lamp shades are made of, and letting the strings hang loose. The effect is that of thousands of fluttering rose leaves, and the rustle made as the breeze passes through the strands is pleasingly suggestive.

Hot water will take out every kind of fruit stain if used soon. But the stained place must not be wet or washed prior to the use of the hot water.

The nurses of a woman's beauty are seven—fresh air, sunshine, warmth, rest, sleep, food and whatever stirs the blood, be it exercise or enthusiasm.

When poaching eggs for a sick person, use milk instead of water, as the milk gives them a more delicate flavor.

The greatest art of a true housekeeper is to conceal her art—to make her home an abiding place of peace.

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I guarantee my Latest Method Treatment to be a permanent and positive cure for Varicocele and Spermatorrhea, without cutting, strutting or loss of time. In Varicocele it absorbs the bagging, or wormy condition, equalizes circulation, stops pain in the groin, also all drains, thereby giving the organs their proper nutrition, vitalizes the parts and restores lost potency in Spermatorrhea it absorbs the Spermatorrhea, stops malarial emanations, nervousness, weakness, back-ache, etc., while in all prostatic troubles it is the treatment par excellence. So positive am I that my treatment will cure you, you can

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Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 feet front by 208 feet deep, \$1100.00.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 ft., good stable, \$1100.00.

House and lot, 9 rooms, \$1050.00.

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WORLD OF SPORT

LAOLOSSE

GOOD PRACTICE.

There will be a full practice of all intermediate lacrosse players this evening. There is to be a game with the Wallaceburg intermediates this evening and a good practice is called for. Only the players who turn out to the practices each night will receive a place on the team.

BASEBALL

C. M. C. 18, CHAPLIN 0.

Chauncey Depew was the greatest kind of a puzzle to the Chaplin Wheel Works aggregation on Saturday last, and on two occasions only did the Wheel Works boys make second base. The Wheel Works pitcher, Roy Besant, although but a boy, pitched fine, but was poorly supported. Of course he is no match for his opponent, Chauncey, but in another year will be a good one.

For the Chaplin Works it was just case, two, three order up to the seventh. The C. M. C.'s batted well and did some good fielding. The score by innings:—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	T
C. M. C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chaplin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Umpire—Pont Taylor.

Fouls.

Wheel Works team looked very neatly in new black and white uniforms.

Chauncey was there with the goods Saturday.

Both teams had a bunch of game supporters, and Friday was pay day and both factories.

Don't be discouraged, Chaplins; only one loss.

The Keystones want a game with the Chaplins.

Why did the game stop for that few minutes, eh?

Sporting Editor.—Say, does the W.

W. on the Chaplin boys' shirts mean Weak Willie.

Ask Mr. Mac. in the W. W. office.

The Ben Hurs, of Detroit, have written Max Fraser, of the Maple Leaf club, for a game of ball. The London Old Boys' club, of Cleveland, too, have written for a game. They will likely both be accommodated in the near future. The London Old Boys' club intends making a tour of Ontario, and wants Chatham to be one of its stopping places.

Buffalo 02120340X-12
Toronto 000001000-1
Summary:—Earned runs—Buffalo 5, Toronto 1. First base on balls—Milligan 2, Wolfe 3 (Nattress 2, Atherton 2). Struck out—Milligan 2 (Brode, Wolfe, White). Three-base hit—McIntyre. Two-base hits—Hartman, White, Massey, McIntyre. Sacrifice hits—White, Downey, Shearon. Bases on errors—Buffalo 5, Toronto 2. Slown bases—Gettman, Hartman. Left on bases—Buffalo 7, Toronto 9. Double plays—Miller, Downey to Massey; Atherton (unassisted). Hit by pitcher—Wolfe 2 (Nattress, Gettman). Umpire—Ned Swartwood. Time of game—1:50. Attendance (paid)—5,523.

Newark 400000000-4 4 3
Montreal 002001000-3 8 2
Batteries—Morality and Spelman; Falkenberg and McCauley. Umpire, Kelly. Attendance, 5,500.

Baltimore 20100011X-5 13 1
Rochester 001200000-3 8 2
Batteries—Atkinson and Robinson; Mills and Steelman. Umpire, Brown. Attendance, 2,185.

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And leave your order with us at these prices:

3 cans Mackerel.....	25c
2 lbs best Lard.....	25c
Fruit Jars, pints, per doz.....	67c
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Sweet Pickles, best quality per qt 25c	
Sugar, Cured Ham, Shoulder	
and Breakfast Bacon.....	

Crockery.

Our Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets are moving out—the prices sell them. We have reduced the prices on China and Glassware.

John McConnell,

Park St. East. Phone 190.

Jersey City 10020003X-3 7 0
Providence 020000000-3 7 0
Batteries—Thielman and Dillon; Yerkes and Higgins. Umpire, Shannon. Attendance, 300.

Newark 100000000-3 7 0
Chicago 000000000-3 7 0
Batteries—Hester and Spelman; Wilham and McCauley. Umpire—Kelly. Attendance—3,500.

Jersey City 000002001-3 7 0
Providence 100001000-2 7 0
Batteries—Barnett and Dillon; Viaw and Higgins. Umpire, Shannon. Attendance, 1,700.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.
At Boston (first game)—R.H.E.
Brooklyn 101100000-3 3 3
Boston 000121000-4 8 1
Batteries—Dineen, Criger and Young; Platt, Moran and Pittinger. Umpire—Johnstone.

Second game—R.H.E.
Brooklyn 012113020-10 15 3
Boston 210050000-13 14 4
Batteries—Reidy, Ritter and Dorchester; Platt, Moran and Pittinger. Umpire—Johnstone.

At Chicago (first game)—R.H.E.
Cincinnati 000000000-3 4 1
Chicago 113200010-3 1 3
Batteries—Flood and Bergen; Menefee and Ladd. Umpire—Weimer.

Second game—R.H.E.
Cincinnati 005210000-3 14 0
Chicago 000000000-3 8 4
Batteries—Harper and Bergen; Menefee and Ladd. Umpire—O'Day.

At Philadelphia—R.H.E.
New York 000000001-3 7 1
Philadelphia 000011200-15 10 1
Batteries—Newman and Warner; Fraser and Doolin. Umpire—Emslie.

At Pittsburgh—R.H.E.
St. Louis 215021003-14 6 4
Pittsburgh 020001210-6 2 4
At Cincinnati (Sunday)—R.H.E.
Cincinnati 002000000-7 5 2
Pittsburgh 000002300-5 9 1
Batteries—Ewing and Peitz; Doherty and Smith. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance—3,400.

At Chicago (Sunday)—R.H.E.
Chicago 200132120-3 8 0
St. Louis 011000200-3 7 2
Batteries—Wicker and Kling; Rhoades and O'Neill. Umpire—Moran. Attendance—7,800.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

At New York—R.H.E.
Boston 001014010-7 12 1
New York 005100000-0 5 1
Batteries—Coutler and Young; Tannehill, O'Connor and Chesbro. Umpire—Sheridan.

At Washington—R.H.E.
Philadelphia 000000010-1 6 0
Washington 000000020-0 5 0
Batteries—Schmidt and Schreck; Dunkle and Kitzbridge. Umpire—Hassett.

At Cleveland—R.H.E.
St. Louis 011002000-9 8 0
Cleveland 301021000-7 10 3
Batteries—Powell and Kahoe; Pearson and Abbott. Umpire—Lousville.

At Detroit—R.H.E.
Chicago 110001200-5 12 2
Detroit 000000000-0 5 2
Batteries—White, Flaherty and Slatery; Kitzon and Buelow.

At Chicago (Sunday)—R.H.E.
Chicago 000000000-0 5 2
Detroit 000000000-0 5 2
Batteries—Owen and McFarland; Donovan and Buelow.

Second game—R.H.E.
Chicago 000100003-4 7 2
Detroit 000010010-2 3 2
Batteries—Slatery and Slatery; Kitzon and Buelow. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance—3,320.

At St. Louis (Sunday)—R.H.E.
St. Louis 00100810-5 11 1
Cleveland 000001020-3 10 2
Batteries—Slatery and Slatery; Kitzon and Buelow. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance—5,500.

WON THE KING'S PRIZE.

Welshman Carries Off the Coveted Trophy.

Bisley, England, July 27.—Color-Sergeant Davis of the 3rd Glamorgan Volunteers won the King's Prize at the National Rifle Association meet, which just closed, with a score of 311. This is the second time Davis has won the King's Prize, a feat which has been accomplished only once before in the history of the competition. Pte. McCallum of the 1st Stirling Volunteers was second, with a score of 310, and Sergeant Galloway of the 2nd Ayrshire was third, with 303. The weather was bright, but the wind was very strong and variable.

The following members of the Canadian team, with the scores mentioned, were placed in the first hundred competitors in the King's Prize contest:—Lieut. Vroom, 293, 24th; Major Spearling, 292, 25th; Sergeant Bayles, 283, 63rd; Pte. McNaughton, 282, 68th; Corp. McGregor, 279, 79th; Capt. Crowe, 274, 84th.

An official notice was posted that Corp. J. W. Garvie of the 1st Northumberland Fusiliers and Pte. E. Watson of the same regiment were barred from the King's Prize and the St. George's Vase, and from all subsequent competitions of the National Rifle Association's ranges, and that they would forfeit all prizes won during the present meeting. Both men had qualified for the St. George's final stage, but Garvie had qualified for the King's Hundred. The official charges against these men are tampering with the scores at a provincial meeting. Both denied the charges, and threaten to sue the National Rifle Association.

The St. George's Vase was won by Captain Johnson of the London Rifle Brigade, with a score of 135.

BRUTALITY TO SOLDIERS.

Had to March Until They Were Prostrated.

Vienna, July 27.—Details received from Budapest regarding the suffering of an infantry regiment from the extraordinary heat on a manoeuvre march from Trebinye to Bilek last Monday, when 450 men were prostrated, indicate that had handling of the regiment was largely responsible for the men being overcome. The troops are alleged to have been burdened with extra equipment, in addition to the usual heavy marching order, and engaged for two hours in a sharp fight. The Colonel commanding the regiment refused to grant the request of some of the officers that the soldiers be allowed to rest, though he himself was obliged to finish the march in a carriage. Before reaching Bilek the men fell out of the ranks by scores. Nine died immediately and 22 were carried off insensible, six of whom died soon after reaching the hospital. Seventy others are in a serious condition. The thermometer registered 125 degrees in the sun.

To the seafaring passenger any landing is the land of promise and heart's desire.

ECHOES

—FROM—

ERIEAU

Master James Boyd has been appointed as agent of The Planet at Erieau. Subscribers of this paper who fail to receive it regularly at their cottages will please report the matter to him and he will receive and forward any orders from those who desire The Planet sent to their cottages.

J. S. Black spent Sunday with C. C. Greening.

Harry Shillington is a guest at Drumtochty Lodge.

Wm. Robertson spent Sunday with his family at Glendale.

Fred. Guttridge and James Riddle spent Sunday at Erieau.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nichol opened up their cottage for Sunday.

Capt. F. B. Stevens and family are the guests of Walt. H. Scane.

Miss Neta Bounsell is slowly recovering after a serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. James Oldershaw spent Sunday at Mushroom cottage.

F. W. Bechard was the guest of J. W. Young at Sandy Knowe over Sunday.

Newton Wall, of Cleveland, was enjoying the breezes of the bar yesterday.

A trim two-stick yacht from Cleveland was anchored at Erieau yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Moore, of Erieau grocery, spent Sunday at Government Park.

Stanley Merritt and another lad upset Saturday while sailing the yacht Stanley.

Jack Bray, of the Bank of Montreal staff, spent Sunday with his brother, Dr. R. V. Bray.

Miss Isabel Butterworth and Mrs. (Dr.) James Labelle, of Windsor, are guests at Bungalow for ten days.

Miss Maude Samson returned to Chatham this morning after spending Sunday with Mrs. W. D. Samson.

Dr. Musson and Herb. McPherson brought out their canoe for a day's sport. They were guests at Lakeview House.

Miss Margaret McCormack, of Chatham and Miss Mary McCully, of Cedar Springs, are Erieau guests over Sunday.

Miss Cora Merritt, of Chatham, and Miss Anna Blackburn, of Madison, Wis., are to spend this week with friends at Kent Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Woodward and daughter and Mr. James Scott Gray were the guests of Mrs. (Dr.) Geo. McKeough at Clearview cottage.

Found—Down on the lake shore, on Saturday night, a black Cocker Spaniel tied to a chair. Owner may have same by hunting along the beach.

Mrs. T. K. Ruley has returned from visiting her daughter, Mrs. Brownstein, of Cincinnati, and will spend the remainder of the summer at Thursville, Erieau.

Bonnie Belle took the guests at Clearview out for a short cruise on Saturday night. The Louise had the guests of Hazeldeane and Sandy Knowe. Centreville was aboard the Baden-Powell.

The cottagers had another delightful dance Saturday night. Claude Eberis and E. B. Jones furnished the music, which was excellent. Everybody was thanking Capt. Stevens for the long he didn't sing. It was very considerate of the captain.

ENTERTAINING ANGELS UN-AWARES.

A party from Erieau visited Government Park yesterday. They found the north door of Dr. McKittrick's summer residence open and, on entering, located everything as it had been left. The inquisitive member of the party was delighted and surprised to find in this well known prohibition advocate's summer residence a large bottle with the Seagram label on it. His inquisitiveness smiled serenely when it saw the bottle was more than half full. His smile vanished when he pulled the cork and found the bottle contained turpentine. He at once became sad because he couldn't smile in more ways than one. After registering with charcoal on the door, one of the young ladies deftly affixed her signature to the work.

THAT BASEBALL GAME.

Ed. B. Northwood was pacing the beach perusing the great morning journal. Indignation was manifest on his usually smiling countenance and he ever and anon gesticulated angrily. A party of the faithful hastened to meet him and found him diligently re-reading George Perrin's baseball def and punctuating it with pronounced exclamations.

"Erieau boys have nerve, indeed," quoth the genial Ed. "Well, they'll have to rise at four a. m. to touch the colossal exhibition of it established by Manager Perrin and his dubs. The public apologies are coming from him, I fancy. I'd like to remind Mr. Perrin that the Erieau boys challenged the winners, not the losers. It's Archie McColig's team we're after, not the dubs they beat. Let Mr. Bull-in-sky Perrin and his misfits go and get a reputation before they come talking to us. Let them go and whip somebody first."

DUCK IN THE EAU.

The Bonnie Belle upset yesterday afternoon. Capt. E. B. Jones and A. C. Woodward were on board. The latter was getting the anchor ready and made the foresail fast. It was trimmed down too tight and, when a puff struck the Bonnie, carried her head off and the blow keeled the boat over. E. B. Jones and A. C. clung to the craft while Dr. R. V. Bray strolled up and down the shore applauding. He thought the two were doing a specialty. Will Tackaberry and Jack Bray rowed out to the shipwrecks, so did several others from Centreville. Three rowboats at-

SEMI-ANNUAL STOCK-TAKING

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tempted to tow the Bonnie Belle in but were unable to. The weight of the shipwrecked mariners was too big a load. Then the Louise with Thomas J. Ruley and Will Ruley aboard came along and tried to tow the Bonnie in. Finally she was got ashore, righted and sailed to her moorings.

While the work of rescuing the wreck was going on Jack Bray fell overboard. W. R. Phillimore got a duck and Will Tackaberry lost his cigarette case.

After it was all over A. C. Woodward was found sitting disconsolately on the verandah of E. B. Jones' cottage, clad only in the clinging tatters of a thin bathing suit and the strong north winds elapsed the chills up and down his spinal column.

Mr. Woodward only had one suit, having only come out for Sunday. Judge Houston pitied the unfortunate and gave him a suit of underclothes and an old suit. As A. C. is a little long in the legs and stouter than the Judge, it was hard to tell whether the newspaper man was wearing a golf suit or long pants. A lady also fell overboard yesterday. She had to go to bed. The Judge said his clothes wouldn't fit her.

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Archie tells of the finale in his own inimitable style. "When I turned the last buoy and the race was won," said he, "I couldn't see Phillimore even through the field glasses. Then I became anxious. I knew what a dub he was in handling a boat and thought something must have happened him. So I came about and went back over the course to hunt him up. I found him still endeavoring to get over the first leg of the course and took compassion on him, giving him a tow and taking him home safely. You know it's a great mistake to trust these unfortunate green landlubbers with the handling of a boat."

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TILBURY

July 27.—Joseph Peltier has green corn ready to eat from his garden on Canal street. This certainly beats the record for this section.

Miss Stinson spent Sunday at her home in Croton.

Tilbury junior baseball club was defeated by Dresden at that place on Friday last by a score of 3 to 4.

T. Pook, of London, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. W. A. Shaw is visiting relatives at Merlin.

Mrs. J. McGregor returned on Saturday from a week's visit with friends in Windsor.

Mrs. Shantz and daughter Miss Edith, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. George Richardson.

Mrs. Jacques, Sr., died on Saturday night. The funeral service will be held this morning at nine o'clock in St. Francis church, after which the remains will be taken to St. Peter's for interment.

Miss Minnie Dusty, of Windsor, spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Sahlan, of London, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. Buchanan.

A. V. Spencer, manager of the Merchants' Bank, spent Sunday in Kingsville.

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