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THOMAS STONE & SON

The Reliable Store

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## GENUINENESS!!

The fact that this great Dissolution Sale is so absolutely genuine is what is contributing to its great success. The hundreds of customers who have been daily visiting this store in such increasing numbers can surely testify to the genuineness of this great sale and to the savings made in their purchases.

Stop a moment and consider the business side of the proposition. A partner withdraws from the business and naturally wants to take his money with him. In the ordinary course of business it would take considerable time to pay him off. We agree to pay him in thirty days and are in consequence compelled to take extraordinary means to do it. That's the reason in a nut shell for this GREAT SACRIFICE SALE.

### Dress Goods 69c

45 pieces of dress goods, 44 to 56 inches wide, including such popular weaves as plain cloth wittings, plain panamas, embroidered Venetians and tweeds, in weights correct for dresses, suits and children's coats, regular prices \$1.00 to \$1.50 a yard, on sale very special at

69c

### Plaid Taffetas 67½c

10 pieces plaid taffeta silks in very elegant color combinations, new, stylish and serviceable, on sale very special at

67½c

### Embroideries 8c

Fine white Swiss cambric embroideries with insertion to match, in widths 2-12 to 4 inches, on sale very special at a yard

8c

### Corsets 43c

Ladies' long hip corsets, latest model, made of fine white jean, well steamed and boned, perfect fitting, hose supporters attached, all sizes from 19 to 27, regular price 65c pair, on sale very special at

43c

### Ladies' Belts 15c

Ladies' embroidered wash belts and gold belts, all sizes, worth regular 25c to 29c each, on sale for

15c

### Cottonade at 22c

6 pieces of cottonade in the good standard stripes, extra heavy weight, on sale very special at a yard

22c

### Remnants Wash Goods

Dozens of good lengths of prints, ginghams, shakers, etc., that have rapidly accumulated during the sale, are all measured up and ready for you, and marked at very low clearing prices.

### Ready Sheets \$1.15

Ready to use sheets, 2 yards wide, 21-2 yards long, beautifully and neatly hemstitched, made of extra quality bleached sheeting, on sale, very special, at

\$1.15

### Pillow Cases 21c

Ready to use pillow cases, 34 in. long, 42 in. wide, neatly hemstitched, made of fine linen finished cambric, on sale, special, at

21c

### Tabling 46c

Unbleached table linen, 2 yards wide, handsome floral designs, good, heavy, serviceable linen, on sale, special, at

46c

### Towelling 8½c

Obbedged towel towelling, 12 in. wide, extra fine weave, good value at 12½c, on sale, special, at

8½c

### Lawn 10c

White Victoria Lawn, 40 in. wide, good weight, fine weave, a lawn that you would consider good value at 12½c, on sale, special, at

10c

### Ladies' Vests 21c

Ladies' white ribbed vests, button front, neatly trimmed, long sleeves, fleecy lined, good weight for early fall wear, on sale, special, at

21c

### Cashmere Hose 27c

Fine black, all wool, ribbed, cashmere hose, 2-1 rib, sizes 8 to 10 in., for ladies, boys' and girls' wear, regular 35c. value, on sale, special, at

27c

### Handkerchiefs 2 for 25c

Ladies' fine Swiss, cambric embroidered handkerchiefs, hemstitched and scalloped, on sale, special, at

2 for 25c

### Hair Pins 3c

100 smooth, velvet finish hair pins, assorted sizes, put up in neat cardboard box, on sale, special, at

3c

### Wrappers \$1.48

Ladies' Wrappers, made of extra quality Wrapperette, in black and white and good dark shades, all sizes up to 44 in. fancy braided yoke, deep frill, reg. value \$1.75. On sale very special at

\$1.48

### Fur Coats

Ladies' Astrachan Jackets, with Columbia sable collar and revers, 24 in. long, tight fitting, blouse front, reg. price \$50. On sale for

\$42.50

Ladies' Persian L. m. J. c. etc., made of choice selected bright close curl skins, with choice quality Canadian mink collars and revers, blouse front, reg. price \$150. On sale very special at

\$125.00

### Fur Ruffs

Isabella Coon Ruffs, rich brown shade, 7½ in. long, 6 tails, reg. price \$11. On sale special at

\$9.50

### Furled Net 16c

Furled Curtain Net, 30 in. wide, trimmed with lace and insertion. On sale very special at

16c

### Bonne Femmes 89c

Furled Door Bonne Femme Curtains, 29 in. wide, 88 in. long, with deep scalloped frill, trimmed with lace and insertion, pretty designs, pure white. On sale special at each

89c

### Chenille Curtains \$2.75

Chenille Curtains, 3 1/4 yds. long, with deep fringe at both ends, pretty double dado, in good shades of red, green and blue, reg. value \$4 and \$4.50. On sale special at

\$2.75

## THOMAS STONE & SON

## BOARD OF TRADE WILL GET DOWN TO BUSINESS

Meeting Held Last Evening—Arrangements Started for The Fall Season—Full Meeting Will be Held Next Friday Night When Big Attendance is Expected

Now that the summer months are over, the Chatham Board of Trade is arranging to once more get down to active business, and judging from the enthusiasm of the members present at the meeting last evening, the people of this enterprising city will hear something good from them in the near future.

In spite of the very inclement weather, there was a meeting of a few of the members last evening. President Robert Gray occupied the chair and in a few opening remarks stated the purpose of the meeting. It is the intention to get down to business immediately, and regular meetings will be held every month. At these meetings it will be arranged to have some prominent and capable man to give an address on some helpful subject. This will be added as a feature of each meeting, besides the regular routine business which will come up for discussion.

It was decided to call a full meeting of the council of the Board, together with any member of the Board who may wish to attend, next Friday evening, when more definite plans will be discussed. In the meantime the Secretary was instructed to write to different men with the object of securing their services as speakers. It is expected

that answers will be received from at least some of these before the meeting next Friday evening, when it will be decided who will be brought for the first meeting.

It is hoped that this meeting will be a large and representative one, as much depends upon the start made at the beginning of the season. The men of the executive who are especially invited to be present at this meeting are, Robert Gray, Manson Campbell, James Simon, W. A. Hadley, W. E. Shannon, W. B. London, A. C. Woodward, W. E. Gundy, P. S. Costa, Archie Park, S. Stephenson, J. S. Black, W. H. Taylor, B. Blomde, Geo. W. Cowan, F. Malcolmson, J. Fleming, W. E. Rispin, Mayor Stone, Ald. Westman, Ald. C. Austin, T. A. Smith and Geo. Massey. Besides these, a general invitation is extended to every member of the Board.

Mr. Robert Gray, the president, is very enthusiastic over the work of the Board, and this enthusiasm is shared by every member. There is much work before the Board this year, and if the members will only take the same interest as has been shown ever since the Board was organized—and there is every reason to believe that they will—the benefits will be great for the Maple city.

## FATHER IS DOWNCAST

Geo. H. Rawson Makes Piteous Appeal For the Release of His Son

Boy Went to the Bad Shortly After The Death of His Mother

In a long and heart-rending letter to Chief of Police John Holmes, George H. Rawson, of 10 River St., Orange, N. J., makes a piteous appeal for leniency towards his son, the young man who claims that his name is F. E. Brown, of New York City, and who is to be tried on Monday for pilfering Mrs. Snell's boarding house.

"Frank is not a bad boy," states the letter in part. "He was brought up under the influence of a good Christian mother, who is now with angels, and I feel sure that she grieves for him in his trouble. 'Give the lad another chance,' I plead the heart-broken father. 'I would send him means, but I am heavily in debt, which was accrued through my darling wife's sickness and death. 'May the God who watches over us all put it into your heart to release my son.'"

Chief of Police Michael Cosbett, of Newark, N. J., writes that the young man's name is Rawson and not Brown, as he gave it to the police when arrested here. His father is George Rawson, senior, and is an employee of Crocker & Wheeler, of Amper, N. J. Chief Cosbett states that the boy has a good record in his home town, but after the death of his mother he became a wanderer, and fell in with evil companions.

Great credit is due Chief of Police Holmes for the thorough manner in which he has investigated this case. Since Rawson's arrest he has been successful in finding out the young man's history, almost from the day when he left New Jersey.

## NEWBURY CENTENARIA

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McConnell, a quaint old Irish couple living near the village of Newbury, are in a class all by themselves as far as longevity is concerned.

Both are genuine Irish people and are exceedingly interesting personages to meet. Some weeks ago an old boys' reunion was held in the village of Newbury and the old lady donned her best clothes and walked in to enjoy the celebration, a distance of two and a half miles. While there she had her photograph taken.

Mrs. McConnell is the older of the two, she being 102 and her husband just nicely over 100. The couple have been married 78 years, 68 of which they spent in the Township of Moss. Thus they could tell of pioneer life on this continent as very few others living to-day.

To them were born seven children, if our correspondent was correctly informed, the eldest, a son living at Melrose station, now in his seventieth year.

It is said that their progeny has now reached the sixth generation. It would be a rather difficult matter to name all their descendants.

## DROUGHT IN THE EAST

Ald. W. H. Westman Says Crops are a Failure In Central Ontario

During Two Weeks Trip Saw No City That Could Equal Chatham

Ald. W. H. Westman has returned from a two weeks business trip in Eastern Ontario and Quebec. He was seen by a Planet reporter on his return, and on request gave the following interview:

"Kent County is a great deal better off than any of the districts I passed through on my trip, and the farmers here have every reason to feel thankful for the good crops this year."

"In Central Ontario, around the Bay of Quinte district, I was informed that the hay crop, on which the farmers of that section depend for fodder for their stock, is a failure this year, and the stock men are selling off their cattle at \$5 and \$10 per head. This because they have no feed."

"Along the Ottawa Valley and in the Montreal district they had more rain and consequently better crops, and many of the cattle from Central Ontario are being bought up by dealers in this latter district. They can all talk as much as they like about Central Ontario and Quebec, but in my estimation these places cannot be compared to Western Ontario, and in no part of that country did I find a city that equals Chatham as a business and residential city."

Ald. Westman stated that after his two weeks trip, he was glad to get back to old Chatham once more.

## VISITS RONDEAU PARK

Mr. Thomas W. Gibson, Deputy Minister of Mines and Director of Provincial Parks, arrived here on Monday from Toronto and was accompanied by P. H. Bowyer, M. P. P., to Rond Eau Park, where Mr. Gibson remained until yesterday. The object of Mr. Gibson's visit was to inspect the work on the new dock and arrange for its completion. Many minor necessary improvements to the Park were discussed with the Ranger, and next season will see them carried out. Mr. Gibson expressed himself greatly pleased with the appearance of the Park, which he had not visited for several years. He says it is the most delightful place he knows of in Ontario and is quite sympathetic with any reasonable suggestions towards its further improvement. He noted many things needed, and in conjunction with the local member will take them up with Hon. Mr. Cochrane,—Ridgeway Dominion.

## WHO WAS TO BLAME?

I want to complain of the flour you sent me the other day, said Mrs. Newlywed, severely.

What was the matter with it, ma'am? asked the grocer. It was dough. My husband simply would not eat the biscuits I made with it.

## "BOOZING WOMEN"

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Rev. Frederick E. Hopkins, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational church, went home last night both convinced and "tuckered out." All afternoon he had led a party of several men on a tour through many of the leading downtown restaurants, obtaining statistics on which he terms "boozing women."

The preacher placed in the balance his position on the question as against that of his critics, who declared that he is wrong. Following are the net results: Women seen in restaurants, 463; number of women drinking liquor, 269; number not drinking, 194.

## WESLEY BINGHAM DIES

Toronto, Sept. 27.—Mr. Wesley Bingham, one of the pioneers of Ontario, died yesterday at his home, 472 Manning avenue, aged 72. The deceased was born at Glanville, Ont., in 1835, and from 1862 to 1878 he carried on a hardware business in Orillia, during part of which time he acted as postmaster. Subsequently he was in business in Wallaceburg and Lindsay, and up to the commencement of the illness, which resulted in his death, he was a director and travelling representative of the Western Foundry Company. The late Mr. Bingham was a member of the Masonic, Oddfellows and the Orange societies. Interment will take place at Orillia.

## ESCAPES FROST

Blenheim, Sept. 27.—Farmers in this vicinity are breathing more easily now that the severe weather has passed and there is no immediate prospect of frost. Corn, beans and tobacco all had narrow escapes from destruction by frost during the past two nights, and farmers generally were on the anxious seat. Wednesday night the temperature went down so low that slight touches of frost were reported, but not sufficient to do damage. The milder weather that now prevails will see the crops put into barns in pretty quick order.

Most of the bouquets thrown are at dead people.

## MODEL SCHOOL LITERARY

The Model School Literary Society held an interesting entertainment yesterday afternoon, over which Pliny Nethercote presided. The program was as follows:

Address—Pliny Nethercote.  
Song—Members of the Glee Club.  
Recitation—Miss MacGregor.  
Instrumental—Miss Craft.  
Reading from the Model School Journal Echo—C. Rowe.  
Instrumental—Miss G. Tassie.  
Recitation—Miss Bowyer.  
Address—Douglas Campbell.

It may be possible to have two girls at the same time, but not if they know it.







## Famous Lawyers and Cases

For close on fifty years the Rev. Evelyn Henry Vignoles Burnaby, brother of the famous Col. Fred Burnaby, has been an attendant at important trials. In his "Memories of Famous Trials" we have a very interesting medley of personal recollections in which—for almost the whole period—Sir George Lewis plays a very important part. To be exact, it is forty years since the author first met the distinguished solicitor, whom he accompanied the same evening to a ball at a Scarborough hotel. "During the maze of the dance he got very much involved with the skirts of the many grass widows, who, bedizened with diamonds, were disporting themselves with their cavaliers." With a desperate effort he managed to get disentangled from the mazes. The grass widows, who recognized what they were, "A corps, he had recently formed," replied Erskine, "made up of lawyers." Then call them the Devil's Own, was the witty remark of the king. To pass on to more modern personalities, we have many references to Mr. Justice Hawkins in these pages. He was, of course, about as familiar a figure at Epson as in the Law Courts, and this little anecdote about his love of racing is in place. His old friend, Lord Falmouth, was once running two horses in the same race, and as his colors were magpie he wished to run his second horse with a jockey in black. "At the last moment a cap was wanting," but as Mr. Justice Hawkins emerged from the "bird cage," poor Fred Archer, catching sight of the familiar features of the judge, called out to Fordham, "We are all right now. Here comes Harry Hawkins, and he is sure to have a black cap in his pocket."

### THE DEVIL'S OWN.

Among the anecdotes of famous lawyers in this book is one of Lord Erskine, to whom the corps of the Devil's Own owes its origin. "Shortly after the formation of the corps Erskine was riding with George IV. in the park, and as a regiment passed by the king inquired what they were. 'A corps, he had recently formed,' replied Erskine, 'made up of lawyers.' Then call them the Devil's Own," was the witty remark of the king. To pass on to more modern personalities, we have many references to Mr. Justice Hawkins in these pages. He was, of course, about as familiar a figure at Epson as in the Law Courts, and this little anecdote about his love of racing is in place. His old friend, Lord Falmouth, was once running two horses in the same race, and as his colors were magpie he wished to run his second horse with a jockey in black. "At the last moment a cap was wanting," but as Mr. Justice Hawkins emerged from the "bird cage," poor Fred Archer, catching sight of the familiar features of the judge, called out to Fordham, "We are all right now. Here comes Harry Hawkins, and he is sure to have a black cap in his pocket."

### THE JUDGE AND THE MAN.

A very interesting note on the inner feelings of judges is given in regard to Mr. Justice Dyles, whom the author tells us he had always regarded as a severe judge, without much feeling of any kind. "It happened," he continues, "that I mentioned the opinion to my old friend, the late Dr. Henry Bullock, my father's physician, of Great Cumberland Place. He was surprised, and observed, 'How little you can judge a man by appearances. I am Mr.

Justice Dyles' doctor, and as sure as I read that he had passed the capital sentence at the Old Bailey, so sure was I to receive a telegram from Lady Byles asking me to come down to sea the judge and give him a narcotic.' But the judge really does differ from the man, as the author goes on to show in reference to a case at the Old Bailey in which Lord Salton gave evidence before Mr. Justice Grantham. In the course of conversation the same day the judge happened to refer to the case. "But I never saw you in court," said Lord Salton. "Oh, yes, you did," rejoined Mr. Justice Grantham; "you spoke to me for some time."

### THE LAMSON CASE.

A special chapter is devoted to the trials of Dr. Lamson and Percy Mackenzie, known to the whole world as LeRoy. In the former case that brilliant advocate, Mr. Montague Williams, had used these words: "Probably no man ever enjoyed a greater reputation as an advocate at the bar—and deservedly so—than the learned judge who is about to address you. It is hard for the lion to change his skin; it is hard for the leopard to change his spots; it is hard for the right hand to lose her cunning." Mr. Justice Hawkins alluded to this at the opening of his address in these memorable words:

"It is a matter of great satisfaction to all of us that the prisoner at the bar, who is charged with an offense involving death, has had the benefit of the advocacy of one of the greatest counsel who have ever defended prisoners in this court. He has thought proper, and I appreciate what he has said, to allude to my skill as an advocate. I hope the day is not far distant when an English judge will not so far forget himself as to remember that he had been an advocate when he is trying a case for wilful murder. Facts are one thing, and eloquence is another, and however much our feelings may have been wrung by the impassioned address in regard to the unfortunate prisoner's wife, justice would never be administered if we allowed our feelings to go out to those who, innocent themselves, have, I am sorry to say, to suffer for the crimes of the guilty."

"The commencement of the speech," comments the author, "was fatal, and I could see Monty now trying up the great bundle of depositions and looking at Douglas Straight, showing by his face that

### "The Blood is The Life."

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning over broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgement are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. Foul, impure blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures and cures the blood, thereby curing, pimples, blotches, eruptions and other cutaneous affections, as eczema, tetter, or salt-rheum, hives and other manifestations of impure blood.

In the cure of scrofulous swellings, enlarged glands, open eating ulcers, or old sores, the "Golden Medical Discovery" has performed the most marvelous cures. In cases of old sores, or open eating ulcers, it is well to apply to the open sores Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve, which possesses wonderful healing potency when used as an application to the sores in conjunction with the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" as a blood cleansing constitutional treatment. If your druggist don't happen to have the "All-Healing Salve" in stock, you can easily procure it by enclosing fifty-four cents in postage stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post. Most druggists keep it as well as the "Golden Medical Discovery."

You can't afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," which is a medicine of known composition, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottle-wrapper, the same being attested as correct under oath. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels.

It was all up. Two hours later Dr. Lamson signed his will in the dock while the jury were considering the verdict which was to condemn him to death. "Had he delayed it," observes Mr. Burnaby, "until after the conviction, I believe his property would have been expropriated to the crown." In the chapter entitled "Early Recollections and Giant Judges of the Past," we have this little reminiscence of a meeting in Prince's Gardens with the famous Sir W. Erle: "My father asked him if there was any chance of his going the Midland circuit that summer, as, being chaplain to my uncle, who was high sheriff of Leicestershire that year, he would have the pleasure of preaching the assize sermon at Leicester. No," answered Sir W. Erle, "you will have the lord chief justice of England to preach before. Go to Rivington's, and ask for a sermon on morals, and give Cookburn five minutes, short and snappy."

### SIR FRANK LOCKWOOD.

No book of this kind would be complete without stories of Sir Frank Lockwood, and this volume of "Memories of Famous Trials" contains several. Here is one of them: "While attending a reception in London, he with Mrs. Lockwood was asked by the groom of the chambers, 'What name, sir?' Hearing that functionary call out in advance, 'The Macintoshes and Mrs. Macintosh,' according to Scotch custom, Mr. Lockwood quickly replied, 'Well, 45 Lennox Gardens and Mrs. Lockwood.'"

Another Lockwood anecdote sprang into life during the hearing of the Parnell commission: "During the trial Mr. Justice Day never made a remark, although Sir James Hannan kept conversing with his colleague, Sir A. L. Smith, afterwards master of the rolls. Lockwood, noticing the circumstance, was quick to exclaim, sotto voce, 'K-nigh-t t-e-l-l-e-h K-nigh-t and Day commeth with Day.'"

### Mr. Keir Hardie, M.P.

Mr. Keir Hardie, M.P., who has just publicly celebrated his jubilee, has had a harder life than most of his Parliamentary confreres. His wage-earning career commenced just after his seventh birthday, says M. A. P., when for the weekly salary of three shillings he became errand boy to the Glasgow branch of the Anchor Line Shipping Co. At eight years of age he assisted a lithographer at a weekly remuneration of four shillings, and at nine he became a "trapper" in a coal mine, working his way gradually until he became a full-fledged miner at fifteen shillings a week. He worked in the mines, scarcely seeing daylight, save on Sunday, until his twenty-fourth year, when he was elected Secretary to the Miners' Union. With this appointment began his political birth, and his progress is now modern history. His unconventional views have earned for him the nicknames of "Queer Hardie" and "Don't Keir Hardie." His unparliamentary garb occasionally gets him into amusing situations. It is only a few weeks since a constable in the House took him for a plumber, and in Belgium not many years ago, despite his particularly Scottish face, he was arrested as a confederate of Rubini, the Anarchist, and all the King's horses and all the King's men had to be moved before his release was secured. Quite recently he surprised the House by invading its sacred precincts in sandals. Such a thing had never been known, and many of the constables on duty were uncertain whether they ought to have barred his entrance.

## Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

### UNCERTAINTY.

When for a pleasant drive he goes forth in his family hack  
The czar of Russia never knows  
How soon he will be back.  
He has a few uneasy qualms,  
But can you blame him, pray?  
For goodness knows how many  
He'll meet along the way.

The czar must go about the place  
As softly as a sprite,  
For in the walls may be a case  
Of noisy dynamite.  
He cannot keep his voice at par;  
He hardly dares to cough,  
For any little easy jar  
Like that might set it off.

He cannot in his intercourse  
Distinguish friend from foe.  
The trusted servant in his force  
May have a bomb to throw.  
The guards must search the butcher's  
boy  
Before he brings the roast.  
Or he might take a quiet joy  
In muzzling up the host.

I wouldn't care to be his ribs,  
Although the peck is good.  
I'd rather get my stuff in drabs  
For work like sawing wood.  
What are the honors that attend  
The glory and the rest?  
If any day a former friend  
May stick him in the breast?

### Well Qualified.

A tall, awkward boy, with large, sun-burned hands and the general air of a farm laborer, stepped into the office of an electrical contracting firm and applied for a job as lineman.

"Know anything about electricity?" asked the boss after sizing him up.

"I guess I ought to. I was struck by lightning once."

"But did you ever handle a live wire?"

"Well, I have curried mules for years."

The boss thought he would do and set him at work.

### Just For Experience.

"YES, MR. WRIGHT, IT IS AN ABSOLUTELY NEW ASSESSOR."  
"ON! DOCTOR—NOW PERFECTLY RIGHT! I MUST GET IT!"

"Is this a healthy community?"  
"Last two doctors we had here starved to death."

"But Dr. Phillips seems to be doing well."  
"Yes; he brought in a lot of new-fangled diseases the people never heard of before, and the first thing we knew all of the women folks were just dying to try them."

### The Good Time Coming.

Most wonderful efforts are made by machines  
To lessen the stress of our toil  
In making the goods that we find in the stores.  
In filling the unwilling soil.  
Inventions rob labor of much of the curse,  
But will the glad day ever come  
When there will be nothing but resting to do,  
When science puts work on the bum?

"NOBODY I KNOW WOULD BE THERE."

Proof.  
"How would you know when you got to heaven?"  
"By the people that weren't there."

If You Can Find Him.  
A friend in need's a friend indeed,  
Appreciated when  
Because your scheme does not succeed,  
You want to borrow ten.

From Headquarters.  
"Is your new cook intelligent?"  
"She ought to be. I got her at the intelligence office."

### PERT PARAGRAPHS.

It is easy to predict, but to make events come true—there's the rub.

It takes a lot of judicious advertising to make a fool look like a philosopher.

It is much more sensible to let things go than to try to detain them—and a whole lot easier.

If it requires age to attain wisdom, some people will out-Methuse Methusalem.

A promising young man isn't always a paying one.

Liberality is a delightful quality, and we all feel that too many people can't acquire it.

Hot air may be necessary, but it is a thing that most of us would rather give than receive.

If some men were to find work, they would likely call for the police.

Gratitude and independence haven't a great deal in common.

Lots of men aren't nearly so harmful as they think they are.

## Don't Drop it.

After you have tantalized your appetite with a promise of

## Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas

don't disappoint it.  
There never was anything so tempting, that came out of a biscuit box, as these dainty, crisp squares of cracker goodness.



## DISTRICT

### BEAR LINE.

Mrs. Eddie French and son Harry and daughter Bertha, visited at her cousin's, Mrs. McGregor, last Sunday.

Miss Rankin and Miss Clara Wright assisted the Hind's choir last Sunday.

A. Turner has rented Angus Glassford's farm.

L. Carey visited his parents here last Sunday.

Anniversary services will be held at Hind's church next Sunday. Tea meeting on Monday evening.

Mrs. E. Fleming has returned from visiting friends down east.

S. Chapple has purchased a new Deering corn binder.

Mrs. James Payne visited friends at London and attended the Fair last week.

Mr. Higgins visited at Mr. Careyson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bishop visited their cousin, Mr. L. Bishop, at Wallaceburg last week, prior to his departure for Indiana.

Mr. Conroy has rented Geo. Smith's farm on the Baldoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Watson visited friends at Sombra Sunday.  
James Turner purchased a Massey-Harris corn binder.

### GUILDS.

W. R. Mallory has moved back to Blenheim.

Miss Ella Bittner, of Berlin, is the guest of her uncle, Mr. W. H. Newell.

Revival services are being continued this week.

Mrs. Geo. Attridge is improving nicely from her recent accident.

The Misses Pegg and Miss Grace Landon, were the guests of Mrs. D. Jenner on Sunday.

A few from here attended the Fair at Chatham last week.

Rev. Robt. Forbes, of Philadelphia, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. Springsteen, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McGuigan, of Cedar Springs, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Attridge on Sunday.

Do not change a friend hastily.

## PANDORA RANGE

Just a Minute or Two to Remove Grates

When the Pandora grates require removing don't send for the plumber. His kit of tools are not needed to take the stove to pieces in order to get out the grates, as was the case with your former ranges.

The Pandora is not constructed in the usual manner. The removal of a button with a hammer (many just use their fingers) allows the Pandora grates to be easily drawn out, as shown.

Just a minute or two to do

the trick.

No plumber's mess to clean up. No bill to pay.

Notice too, that the Pandora grates are stronger, will last longer, and are much heavier, longer than the ordinary double grate, and pay out for renewals.

the Pandora triple grates are narrower than between ordinary double grates, which prevents good fuel slipping down with the ashes. Sifting Pandora ashes is wasted effort.

And that simple gearing arrangement on the Pandora makes the "rocking down" of the ashes just play compared to the heavy "shaking" necessary with ordinary ranges.

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# The Daily Planet

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## THE MAIL SERVICE.

Some time ago the complaint of the bankers and merchants of the city in reference to the unsatisfactory local mail service was mentioned in The Planet. It was shown at the time that there are reasonable grounds for complaint, at least as far as the morning mails are concerned. There is not a business man on King street who is able to get his morning mail before half past nine o'clock. This means a great loss of time in the matter of correspondence, and therefore a loss of money.

Investigation will show that it is not the fault of the local post office authorities. Every effort is made by them to get the mail up in the shortest possible time, but the fault lies in the fact that the mails do not arrive in this city soon enough. The lateness of trains is a serious drawback, and often causes even greater delay.

Now that the Board of Trade is getting down to business after the summer months, this is a matter which they might take up as soon as possible. The Government at Ottawa should be petitioned, and if the facts of the case were clearly laid before them, they would have no reasonable excuse for avoiding action in the matter.

## DOG POISONING.

The poisoner is again at work. This time he has appeared in the north part of the city, thus fulfilling a prediction made by The Planet when the first case was reported.

When the Queen street poisoning was at its height, this Great Home Journal advocated immediate action by the authorities, in a determined effort to locate and punish the offender. At that time it was pointed out that if the Queen street cases were allowed to go uninvestigated, and the villain, whoever he is, were allowed to get away with his nefarious business, there would be no telling where it all would end.

Others in different parts of the city would note his success, and would be encouraged into action on their own account.

What has happened? The Queen street cases were not properly pushed. The dog poisoner was allowed to kill off dogs, almost at will. He made good use of the opportunities given him, and for a time there was a general massacre of the dogs in that neighborhood. Recently he has either grown tired of fooling the authorities, or else he has found no more dogs to poison, for the canine death rate in that district has once more descended to its normal condition. The people of the city who own pets were happy in the belief that the whole matter had blown over, when they are once more aroused by the news of more poisoning—this time in North Chatham.

Where will it all end? Will the present poisoner be allowed the same freedom as the Queen street scoundrel?

If this is to be the attitude of the people in authority it might be well to warn dog-owners in every part of the city that their canines are in danger, and the only way that they can receive protection at present is by setting a special guard over them all the time to see that they are not poisoned.

## CHATHAM STILL LEADS.

"Berlin is to be the first town in Canada to put in a Central Heating Plant. A company has been formed, and has already got its pipes down, and will be supplying heat to customers next winter. Berlin is a live town."—Sarnia Canadian.

There is no doubt about the fact that Berlin is a live town. When remarks are made, however, which would give the impression that it is the "livest town," that is another matter. There are a few others which should be considered in this connection, and the first on the list is the Maple City.

If Steam Heating Plants are drawn into the matter as the supreme test, then Chatham will be entitled to universal recognition as THE live town, as a steam heating plant has been in operation here for the past two years. This may be a matter of surprise to the Sarnia Canadian, but it is nevertheless true. Chatham's plant was the first of its kind to be established in Canada, and it has from the start been a paying investment to both company and patrons. It has gained such a foothold that the most of the heat used in the business places and public buildings is secured from this plant. It is growing, and it seems to be but a matter of time when the most of the residences will also be heated by the Chatham Heating Company's steam.

Now that the scheme has been thoroughly tested and proved in Chatham, there are, no doubt, many other, less progressive cities who will fall in line, and reap the benefits to be derived from such a plant. Berlin is to be congratulated upon being the first to follow Chatham's example. We are in a position to assure the good people of that town that if they take a few more pointers from Chatham in the matter of the business methods used in the management of such a plant, they will be worthy of still further congratulation.

## W. T. R. PRESTON IN IT.

The Winnipeg Telegram handles the question of Japanese immigration without gloves, and makes the remarkable charge that the recent flood of Asiatics was brought about by W. T. R. Preston, acting under instructions from the Laurier Government. After reviewing Mr. Preston's connection with the North Atlantic Trading Company and his connection with the Leppold agency, which was so roundly denounced by the labor unions throughout the Dominion, the Telegram states the case as follows:

"In this capacity he went to Asia, and lo and behold! we have almost immediately a great incursion of Japanese laborers. There are some astonishingly significant facts about this incursion, which shows a pretty clear connection between the Dominion Government and Mr. W. T. R. Preston, and somebody else who wanted the labor in the country."

"In the first place an amendment to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway bill, moved by W. H. Bennett, a Conservative, at the last session of the Dominion Parliament, which forbade the employment of Asiatic labor on the railway, was voted down."

"In the second place, at the last session of Parliament, a ratification of the British treaty with Japan was slipped through. The treaty had been in existence for thirteen years, and Canada had never bothered about it. That opened the Canadian door and abrogated Canada's arrangement with the Mikado."

"In the third place Mr. Dunsinuir was instructed to withhold his assent from British Columbia's anti-Asiatic legislation, and did withhold it."

"In the fourth place, Mr. Preston, with all his experience in circumventing European governments, was despatched to Japan, presumably to open the Japanese door, failing in which, he made a side exit by way of Honolulu."

"In the fifth place, boat loads of Japanese arrived in Vancouver, and a serious and difficult question was thrust upon the country."

"All these things form a chain of evidence quite irresistible."

## NOT AN INCENDIARY.

Thomas Tutt Acquitted; Nothing Proved Against Him.

Brampton, Sept. 27.—A serious charge was investigated here yesterday. Thomas Tutt, a young blacksmith, living in Bolton, appeared before Judge McRobb on a charge of arson. Tutt's house, which he rented in that village, was burned to the ground one night in July, 1906, together with the whole of his furniture, which he had insured some weeks previously. The claim was not paid by the company, which ordered an investigation, and the young man was arrested. After hearing a number of witnesses he was acquitted, nothing having been proven against him and the very best evidence as to his character being forthcoming.

## Villages Swept Away.

Madrid, Sept. 27.—Unprecedented rains in Andalusia caused immense destruction of life and property. The Guadalquivir River has been converted into a raging torrent three miles wide, and bridges, houses and even entire villages have been swept away. Thirty persons were drowned at Malaga, 23 at Val de Benamargosa, 15 at Colmar, and about 100 in other places in the valley.

## Will Lose His Sight.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—William Lewis of Winchester will lose the sight of both eyes. He was helping to move a threshing engine. He turned open one of the valves and the steam and water rushed out, striking him in the eyes. Lewis is a one-armed man.

## Lusitania's Voyage.

Queensdown, Sept. 27.—The Cunard Line steamer Lusitania, from New York, Sept. 21, communicated by wireless telegraphy with Brow Head, 70 miles from here, at 3.55 p. m. yesterday, when approximately 215 miles from Brow Head.

# AULD LANG SYNE

FROM PLANET FILES OF HALF A CENTURY AGO

From The Planet files from July 23, 1868, to July 30, 1868.

A colored man in the employ of Henry Eberts, Esq., died in bed this morning about two o'clock in a very sudden manner. He was heard to cry out that he was dying, and before anyone reached him he had ceased to breathe. Heart failure was the cause of his death.

We have heard of several sudden deaths during the last few days, and amongst others were those of Thos. Ridley, Esq., lately of Clearville, but who latterly resided near Wardsville, and of Mrs. Pickering, of Bionheim, both of whom died on Tuesday last, and we have ascertained that their deaths were caused by sunstroke. A man named McGregor was struck down in a hay field on McGregor's Creek on Tuesday, but is recovering.

During the intense heat of last week David Wilson, Esq., Harwich, narrowly escaped what might have been attended with fatal results. While at work in the field he experienced a sensation described as like a bright shaft, one end of which seemed to penetrate the forehead like a hot iron, producing a blindness and momentary unconsciousness. Mr. Wilson, upon reaching the house, gradually recovered, and now, we are happy to say, he is as well as ever, though extreme caution hereafter when exposed to extreme heat of the sun will be advisable.

Queen Isabella of Spain weighs 264 pounds.

Goldwin Smith, who is coming to America, has selected Providence, R. I., as his home.

Harry Lealie, the acrobat who crossed Niagara Falls, performed at Chicago on the 4th of July. He ascended in a balloon with a horse.

Warwick, of Springfield, Ohio, who invented a plow that runs between two wheels and furnishes the driver with a seat, has sold a one-half interest in his invention for \$11,000.

One of the editors of a New York paper, soon after beginning to learn the printing business, went to court a preacher's daughter. The next time he attended meeting he was

## HOW IT HAPPENED.

Prisoner, said the Magistrate severely, you are charged with being a millionaire. How did you happen to fall?

Your Honor, responded the trembling man at the bar, in a moment of weakness I made a book on the races.

You're not incorrigible, rejoined the Magistrate, who at heart was not unkind. Go and reform by playing the book on some other fellow.

## MONTHS OF AGONY

A Severe Case of Rheumatism Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"For many weary months I suffered untold agony. I could not walk. I could scarcely raise myself to a sitting posture. I was under medical care, but in vain. Finally I tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and they have restored me to my former healthy condition."

This strong statement was made to a reporter recently by Mr. Charles S. Keddy, formerly of Kingston, N. S., but now residing at Port Maitland. Mr. Keddy is a carpenter by trade, and is now able to work every day. He adds, "I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as they cured me after other medicine failed. While I was living at Kingston, N. S., I was seized with rheumatism in its most violent form. I was compelled to take to my bed and for months that it was difficult for me to raise myself to a sitting posture. It was impossible to tell how much I suffered day and night, week in and week out. The pains were like piercing swords. I had medical attending, but it failed. Then I tried medicines advertised to cure rheumatism, but with the same result—money wasted. One day when hope had almost gone a friend advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I told him my experience with other medicines, but he assured me that these pills would cure rheumatism, so I sent for a supply. After using a few boxes I was able to leave my bed, and from that on my restoration to health was rapid. I am now as well as ever I was, and have not had the slightest touch of rheumatism since. The change they have wrought in my case is simply miraculous, and I can strongly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to any one suffering from any form of rheumatism."

Rheumatism is rooted in the blood. Rubbing the aching limbs with liniments and outward remedies cannot possibly cure it. You must get the rheumatic acid out of the blood and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the one sure medicine to do this, because they actually make new blood. That is why these pills cure anaemia, headaches and backaches, neuralgia, indigestion and the secret ailments that make miserable the lives of so many women and growing girls. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail for \$2.50 a box or six boxes for \$15.00 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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## Husband Should Tell His Wife He Loves Her

There can be no more bitter moment in a woman's life than that in which she realizes that her marriage has been a mistake, that—  
"She has plighted her woman's affection,  
She has given her all in all"—  
to a man who is unworthy of her, perhaps, what is worse, who does not value the gift.  
It is said with much truth that a woman will condone any offence which she is convinced has been committed for love to herself. It is an old proverb that "Love pardons all to love," and the charity which "sovereigns a multitude of sins" unquestionably is love of the genuine, permanent variety. The woman who loves, and who feels certain that she is truly loved, never acknowledges that her marriage is a mistake; indeed, from her point of view, it is not, whatever may be the opinion of her disapproving friends.

No matter what trials may be the portion of her married lot, she can meet them bravely—nay, gladly—hand in hand with her husband, feeling that they are borne for his sake. The man whom a woman loves can always retain her affection by loving her and telling her from time to time, not too seldom, that he is hers, hers only and alone.  
The modern husband generally really is in love with his wife, but he has a way of forgetting to tell her so. It is a perennial source of wonder to him that his wife consented to marry him at all. The fact is that, immersed in what he considers the bigger things of life, the strenuous fight for a career and for financial independence, he sometimes is neglectful, even unconsciously selfish. He has his eyes fixed upon the material welfare of his wife and children. It is the most important thing in the world to him. Every day of his life he learns more and more of the cruelties and hardships inflicted upon the weak and unprotected, and as a result of this knowledge he flings himself with a stronger determination into the fight for competence, too often thrusting aside, for the sake of the greater end, all the little attentions and thoughtful courtesies which mean so much to women.

"My husband hardly ever has time to talk to me now," John seldom takes me to the theatre nowadays," "Girls must expect to stay at home after they marry!" How often we hear these and kindred accusations, perhaps not so baldly uttered, but flung with veiled sarcasm at the tired man who has been toiling all day for the sake of the woman who reproaches him. The pity is that so few women are able to understand and appreciate the true inwardness of the case; it is only when true love gives thorough sympathy that the much vaunted intuition of woman comes to the rescue and makes all plain. It is often said that the great rival of American women with their husbands is business. Yet "is not the life more than meat, and the body than raiment?" An English journal tells a mythical story of a husband who when first married offered to give his wife a dollar for every kiss she gave him. It was a bargain. Years afterward the man failed in business, whereupon his wife brought him the proceeds of her kisses, which she had saved and invested, and which

amounted to enough to enable him to retrieve his fortunes.  
It is a good thing for married people to be demonstrative of their affection to each other. Those who have read Gogol's "Dead Souls" will remember the chapter in which the hero visits a married couple with an unpronounceable name. This couple were neither young nor beautiful, nor were they eminent in excellence of moral character. They were ordinary sinners, lazy, careless, inefficient, and selfish. They were not over-rich; their house was badly managed, even dirty after the manner of many Russian houses, and they had been married for many years. In fact, both of them were despicable rather than otherwise. But they had a way of breaking off suddenly in the midst of their occupations and diversions and exchanging an affectionate kiss. They did not know why they did this; something mysterious moved them to it. And, old and uncouth as they were, they called each other pet names. "In short," says Gogol, "they were what is called happy." In other words, they were genuinely in love with one another—the love which "many waters cannot quench."

People sometimes fancy that the mere act of going through the marriage ceremony will give them domestic felicity, but no happiness is to be had upon such easy terms. Those who would be happy in married life must acquire and practice the habit of patient continuance in well doing, of giving and taking, of bearing and forbearing. Of course, the more truly they love one another the easier this is. It is not true that love makes all things easy, but it does make one able and willing to do that which is difficult.  
Much depends upon the way in which people begin their married life. Newly married couples should burn up in the fire of their ardent affection all little ways which are disagreeable to each other, and avoid everything like dispute. The first quarrel between husband and wife is greatly to be deprecated, and may usually be prevented by a little patience and the soft answer which turneth away wrath. Married people too often forget that they were gentleman and lady before they were man and wife. The necessary familiarity of their relationship may easily produce a disregard for the feelings of each other, which is the essence of bad manners, unless caution is observed during the first year, and it is chiefly because of this that the question whether or not marriage is a failure is so frequently practically determined during that period. Why should not a man be as tactful and as little inclined to find fault with his wife as with his business partner? Why should not a woman take the same pains to be agreeable to her husband as to any stranger whom she desires to please?

A woman once asked Dr. Johnson how it was that in his dictionary he came to define pater as the knee of a horse. "Ignorance, madam, pure ignorance," was the doctor's answer. This is the simple explanation of many an accident which takes place at the beginning of the matrimonial journey.

## CHURCHES

### HOURS OF SERVICE

The services in all the churches in the city are held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., except the following:—  
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.  
Campbell A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.  
St. Joseph's R. C.—7.30, 9.00, 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.  
First Baptist—11 and 7.30.  
Union A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.

### NOTICE TO PASTORS.

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p. m. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

### INTERNATIONAL S. S. LESSON FOR TO-MORROW.

Sunday School Review Lesson—by Dr. Torrey.

Golden Text—The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and plentiful in mercy.

The lessons for this quarter cover a period of forty years. Though they are from the Law, they are full of the Gospel—they are full of Christ. In reviewing the lessons it is well to follow some connected line of thought. In reviewing these lessons it would be well to make everything centre in Christ—Luke 24, 27. Details along this line may be found in the notes in each lesson.

In lesson 1 we have the manna, a deeply significant type of Christ.

In lessons 2 and 3 we have the Law, which none of us have kept, and therefore the need of Christ.

Rom. 3, 20-28; Gal. 3, 10-13 and 22-24.

In lesson 4 we have Moses' promise to wander from God, and his consequent need of an intercessor; and in Moses, Exod. 32, V. 30 and 35, a wonderful type of our atoning Saviour and Intercessor.—Heb. 7, 25.

In lesson 5 we have in everything about the Tabernacle suggestive types of Christ.

In lesson 6 we see Christ's shed blood as the only ground of approach to God.

In lesson 7 we have Christ in the sin offering, in the two goats, in the mercy seat and in the High Priest, Aaron.

In lesson 8 we have types of Christ full of the meaning in the Ark and in the cloud.

In lesson 9 we have typically man about but of the fullness there is in Christ by unbelief.—Heb. 3, 7-4, 3.

In lesson 10 we have in the brazen serpent the marvellous truth about Christ set forth and the whole way of life made plain.

In lesson 11 we have a type of Christ in Moses as a law-giver or prophet, and in the Word.

In lesson 12, we have Christ—in the prophet like unto Moses—who had not yet come.

### CHURCH NOTES

#### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, pastor. The pastor will conduct the services on both occasions to-morrow. Mr. John Smith will preside at the organ.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 8 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

ST. ANDREW'S.

Rev. Dr. J. R. Battisby, pastor.

Anniversary services will be held to-morrow, when Rev. Mr. Patterson, of Sumner, will occupy the pulpit.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 8 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

LATTER DAY SAINTS.

Services to-morrow at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Elder R. C. Russell will conduct special missionary services to-morrow and continue all week. Subject for Sunday evening, "Polygamy at Home and Abroad Among the Churches."

Sunday School at 2 p. m.

Prayer service at 3 p. m.

Weekly prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Religious Society Friday at 8 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

There will be service to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, second floor of the Oddfellows' Block.

WILLIAM ST. BAPTIST.

Rev. W. E. Matthews, B. A., B. Th., pastor.

Public Worship 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Sunday School and Men's Bible Class at 3 p. m.

B. Y. P. U. on Monday at 8 p. m.

Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Boys' Union on Friday at 7.30 p. m.

THE CENTRAL BAPTISTS.

Rev. W. A. Ganton, minister; residence Hilliard St.; phone 544.

Regular services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. A special sermon in the evening to the employees of Gray's Factory. Special music.

Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Mid-week meeting.

Minard's Liniment cures Colds, etc.

## Why Do You Go to Church?

"Why do men go to church?" That is the question Rev. Dr. Cobo, of Ethelburga's church, Bishopsgate, London, has raised, and to which many pastors in Great Britain and America have given varied answers. The reverend gentleman has been forced to the conclusion that but few attend to hear the sermon. He thinks conventional, habit, has much to do with the church-going of many. Others go because of dread of public opinion. Many go to show their neighbors what they are, and to criticize their taste. Some go for what attendance is worth in a business or professional way, and make hardly any pretence of other motive. But, on the whole, Dr. Cobo is pleased to believe that the majority of regular church-goers are honestly in search of spiritual consolation.

One can hardly read over this list of motives for church attendance, remarks the Hamilton Times, without being constrained to acknowledge that there is abundant cause for the classification. Few of us are able to pick out among our friends—may be ourselves—some case of church habit without any obvious or discoverable motive in benefit to be had, or in practical devotion to religion. Perhaps, like Dr. Cobo, we may even suspect that Mr. or Mrs. or Prof. or Dr. so-and-so has business or professional gain as his spur to external religious form. A Sunday or two before the municipal or parliamentary elections the unwonted presence of certain worshippers in the pews of the church might almost lead us to conclude that the Rev. Mr. Cobo's contention is proven. Perhaps it is unchristian and uncharitable to suppose that the Easter gowns and millinery, and the modistes' novelties at other seasons, have any influence church-compelling on the fair sex, but there are many people who entertain such notions.

Rev. Dr. R. Keene Ryan, of Garfield Boulevard Presbyterian church, Chicago, has devoted some effort to obtaining among his people specific answers to the why of church-going. He interrogated 100 men, and thus classifies the answers:

Fifteen said they attended church in order to hear the music.

Fifteen because they wanted to set a good example to their children.

Fifteen through force of habit.

Fifteen because they wanted to please their wives.

Fifteen because it helped their business.

Ten because they had promised dying parents to do so.

Ten because they were not sure as to the future and did not want to run any risk of going to hell, although they did not believe in such a place.

Five because they believed in the teachings of the Bible and enjoyed the sermons.

Dr. Ryan does not regard this as a fair criterion, but he thinks that "it proves that many of the faithful church-goers are actuated by far different motives and sentiments than they get credit for."

Rev. Dr. Quayle, of Chicago, thinks that Dr. Cobo's conclusion, that desire for spiritual consolation is a strong factor, is correct. He says that deep down in the heart there is a yearning after spiritual things, which transcends public opinion, and even overlooks the repellent in many sermons. Men, he thinks, go to church or stay away more according to the satisfying of that yearning than for any or all other causes. He regrets that the church-going habit is not stronger, and he wishes that the rule of attendance enforced in Roman Catholic churches were observed generally.

Now, why do you go to church? How are you to be classed? Have you ever considered it?

### SNUBBED BY KING EDWARD.

His Majesty Disapproves Leopold's Policy in the Congo.

King Edward and his Government, as well as the Royal Society have just administered a very severe snub to King Leopold by declining to take any part whatsoever in the International Polar Congress, which the Belgian monarch has endeavored to organize at Brussels, and for which he had addressed invitation to the various foreign Governments, and geographical societies. This being the project will come to grief, the more so as several other foreign Governments are certain to follow the lead of King Edward in the matter.

King Edward and his subjects are prompted in this affair not only by their strong disapproval of the policy of King Leopold, with regard to the Congo problem, which is becoming more and more acute, but also because they do not see why he should have any voice in an international polar congress.

Belgium is not, strictly speaking, a maritime power. But if the congress were held in his capital, and needed, he would be difficult to exclude him from participating in the deliberations or from the advantages accruing to the nations represented at the convention.

What these advantages are may be gathered from the fact that the object of the congress is nominally for the organization of a system of international expeditions of discovery to the Arctic and Antarctic regions, but in reality to determine the ownership of Spitzbergen and other no-man's lands in the polar regions, participating them among the powers most chiefly concerned—such as Great Britain, the United States, Norway, Denmark and Russia.

King Leopold with his insatiable greed for land, would, if the polar congress were held at Brussels, find some means, through intrigue, of establishing a foothold in the Arctic and Antarctic, and after the experiences of Great Britain and the other signatories of the Berlin treaty of 1884 with Leopold in regard to the Congo with him to entrust him with the administration of land, even in the frozen wilds of the Arctic and Antarctic circles.

Judicial Flogging in India. Let me draw the attention of the public to a shocking state of affairs which exists under the criminal law of India.

In 1902, the last year for which figures are available, no fewer than 25,136 judicial floggings were inflicted upon adult male and female offenders for petty theft and the like. According to Sir Henry Cotton, M. P., K. C. S. I., who has published a pamphlet on this subject, these degrading floggings are administered publicly over the bare body.

The triangles are an unpleasant feature outside every criminal court in India. Sir Henry says: "I have known of floggings so severe that the victims have died on the triangles to which they were tied."

And this horrible torture is inflicted on the slightest offences.—Humanitarian in Reynolds' Newspaper.

A Fight Impossible. "I don't know whether my janitor is a plain idiot or just too smart for anything," declared the flat dweller. "This morning when I said to him, 'Did you hear those people above me fighting last night?' he turned and looked hard at me and said: 'You must be mistaken. Those people above you? Why, there are only two of them, and they are husband and wife.'"

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Royal Irish Constabulary and Acts of Indiscipline.

The following article, which is of particular interest at the present time in view of the recent Belfast riots, is taken from The London Express:

To read about disaffection and acts of indiscipline among the members of the Royal Irish Constabulary such as those which are now occurring at Belfast is like experiencing one of the disillusionments of youth. It is hard to believe that the "impeccable" have sinned, or that an organization which has been compared to Napoleon's Old Guard for loyalty and devotion has shown that it is not above the mere sordid consideration of an extra shilling a day in wages.

The "R. I. C." is by common consent the finest police force the world has seen. Whether on the parade ground or on active duty, it has never failed to gain the highest praise, and its bitterest enemies, like the Fenians and the irreconcilable Irish Leaguers, are as ready to pay tribute to its abilities as the Lord Lieutenant himself.

All told, the Royal Irish Constabulary numbers about 8,000 men and officers. These latter are men of birth and education, who pass through a preliminary course of training—some what like Sandhurst. Many celebrated Government officials have begun life as district inspectors of the "R. I. C." Sir Henry Blake, who is just returning after holding the governorship of Ceylon—one of the best posts under the Colonial Office—is one, and Sir Ralph Moor, the administrator of Southern Nigeria, is another. Both these distinguished men gained their first experience of administrative work in the stormy days of the Land League.

Curious Combination.

The men are a curious combination. They are nearly all the sons of peasant farmers, and are brought up as devoted adherents of the Nationalist cause. Yet they will charge a disorderly meeting of the United Irish League, and smash the heads of their friends with a delightful impartiality that is only possible to an Irishman. Keen politicians though they are—and their easy life in the quiet country districts gives them ample time for the study of politics—they will carry out the orders of the Government, and assist in checking intimidation with the most scrupulous carefulness.

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### PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.  
Toronto, Sept. 28.—11 a. m.—To-day and on Sunday—Strong winds and gales, easterly to northeasterly, cool with rain.

### LOCAL

S. B. Arnold was a Blenheim visitor yesterday.

Neil Ruthven spent the past few days visiting friends at Clearville.

Mrs. Wesley Martin and her sister, Miss Morrison, of Tupperville, are visiting friends in the Maple City.

C. Banister, Forest street, returned yesterday, after spending a few weeks in Detroit.

Mrs. C. McLaughlin and Miss Margaret McLaughlin, Dufferin avenue, are visiting friends in Grand Rapids.

A song service will be given in the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow evening. The male quartet will sing.

Mrs. D. E. Russell, who for the past two months has been visiting friends in Cayuga, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Bruce Macaulay, of Brantford, is expected in the city to-night, and will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wrigley, Selkirk street.

Officer Tom Groves, who has been touring the British Isles, is expected to arrive back in the city via G. T. R. at 9.45 this evening.

Mrs. Thomas McIntyre, of Selkirk street, entertained a number of friends last evening in honor of her guest, Miss McIntyre, of St. Mary's.

Miss Belle Paxton, of Lacrosse, Wis., who for the past few weeks has been visiting her mother on Low street, left yesterday for Detroit, where she will visit her sister.

A meeting of the Park St. League was held last night and was largely attended. A very interesting address of "Flowers" was given by Rev. Dr. Daniel, after which a solo was sung by D. Wrightman.

Everard Gordon, accountant at the Sovereign Bank, who for the past week has been relieving the manager of the branch at Aylmer, returned to this city last night to resume his position here.

Alfred Whaley, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Whaley, Colborne street, died this morning, after a week's illness. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Jack Trux, an employee at Pig-gott's mill, met with a painful accident yesterday afternoon while working at the mill. A large timber fell on him, alighting across his legs. They were badly bruised, but it is expected that he will be able to be around in a short time.

Bordeau, the man who was accused of stealing Carron's watch in Pain Court, came up before Judge Houston in County Police Court yesterday. He was dismissed on suspended sentence. A large petition, signed by many influential residents of Dover, was presented, asking for Bordeaux's release.

Murray Alexander, the 15-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Smythe, died on Thursday, after a short illness. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of his parents, Communication road, Harwich township. Interment was made in Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Dr. W. R. Hall leaves to-night for Atlantic City, where he will attend the American Public Health Association meeting, which will convene for five days next week. The doctor attends as Public Health representative for Western Ontario, he being one of the two Medical Health Officers selected by the Provincial Health Board to represent this Province at the convention.

Mrs. George Hayward returned from Montreal last evening. City Tax Collector Wm. Rennie will receive the new tax rolls for 1907 on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Myland have returned from their wedding trip, and have taken up their residence on Park street west.

J. M. Pike will give an address at the Sunday School rally to be held in Christ Church to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

There will be an emergent meeting of Wellington Masonic Lodge on Monday evening, for the purpose of conferring the M. M. degree.

Mrs. James T. Richards, of New Scotland, and Mrs. Francis Conway, of Morpeth, who have been visiting friends in this city, are spending the day in Wallaceburg.

At the meeting of the Victoria Avenue Epworth League last evening, Rev. Mr. Graham gave an address on Methodist mission work in China.

T. A. Smith has returned from Grand Rapids, where he spent the past two weeks visiting friends. On his return trip, Mr. Smith paid an official visit to the Sons of England lodge in Windsor.

Jacob Stewart, of Wilson, Pike & Company's offices, left this morning for Toronto, where he will enter Osgoode Hall for a course in law. Mr. Stewart is a bright, clever young man, who has many friends in this city who are anxious to see him succeed in his chosen profession.

Robert Gardiner, of Hamilton, and a proprietor of one of the largest hotels in the Ambitious City, is taking a course of baths at Hotel Sanita. Mr. Gardiner states that he is more than pleased with the accommodation at the San. and he is greatly taken up with Chatham's fine, up-to-date appearance.

## CRUDE OIL EXPLOSION

A Big Tank Containing 20,000 Gallons, Blown Up

Three Men Instantly Killed—One Blown 100 Feet Away

New York, Sept. 28.—Twenty thousand gallons of crude oil stored in a tank in the Borough of the Bronx exploded with terrific force while three men were drawing oil from it early yesterday, killing the men almost instantly. The dead are James Cooper Unionport, James Bay of Westchester, and Richard Smith of Van Nest, all of which villages are in Westchester County.

Cooper was employed by the officials of the Morris Park racetrack to sprinkle the track with oil in preparation for an automobile race. Bay and Smith were his assistants. Early yesterday they went to the tank, on Protective avenue, and began to fill a sprinkling cart with the oil. Reilly and Smith were sent to the top of the tank, while Cooper remained by the wagon.

It is supposed that a lantern carried by one of the men ignited some loose oil under the tank. The explosion which followed tore off the top of the tank, and sent it flying into the yard of the Catholic Protectors near by, shattering many of the windows of the protectors.

Policemen who were nearby found Cooper lying near the blazing tank with his clothing afire. He died in a few minutes. A body, believed to be that of Reilly, was found badly burned in a swamp a hundred feet from the tank, and another believed to be that of Richard Smith was found in the tank after it had been flooded with water.

## AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Mr. Andrew Thomson, auctioneer, has received instructions from Miss Frederick, to sell all her household effects on Tuesday, October 8, 1907, commencing at one o'clock p. m., at her residence on Forest street, west of McKeough school, comprising one organ, nearly new; one parlor suite, three parlor tables, one elegant hall hat rack, a Brussels carpet, a wool carpet, one large arm chair, several rockers, one large oval, one walnut dining table, one black walnut sideboard, six dining chairs, six walnut cane seated chairs, four pairs parlor curtains, four pairs bedroom curtains, two pairs chenille curtains, 20 yards linoleum, one oak bedroom suite, one iron bed, one walnut bed, mattresses and springs, one solid mahogany dresser, one Klondike stove, one base burner coal stove, with oven, one gas stove, kitchen store and kitchen furniture of all kinds, one new refrigerator, one sewing machine, one lawn mower, pictures, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Remember the day and place, Tuesday, October 8, 1907, Forest street. ANDREW THOMSON, Auctioneer.

## FIRE!

Is your property well protected by Fire Insurance? I am agent for several of the strongest and best companies and would be pleased to quote rates at any time.

Arthur J. Dunn,  
Next to Harrison Hall  
Phone 108 Fifth Street

## MERCHANTS ARE ANXIOUS

They Are Wondering When Gas Purifiers Will be Installed

Several of them are Losing Money—Talk of Taking Gas Out

Several inquiries as to when the gas purifiers are to be installed have been made within the past few days. Since the cold weather came on it has been necessary for the merchants etc., to keep their doors closed. They claim that they are suffering greatly from the strong odor of the gas, and state that it will be necessary for them to have it removed.

A local shoe dealer, in conversation with a reporter this morning, said:

"It will be necessary for us to change our lights if purifiers are not installed at once. It is no doubt cheap light, but the trouble is, we can't stand the smell of the gas."

The reporter, upon entering a King street furniture store, was greeted with the query:

"When are the gas purifiers going to be installed?"

The speaker continued by showing the reporter through his store to see how several valuable pictures had been destroyed. The gilt frames have turned black and it will be necessary to send them to the manufacturers to be done over again. The wires holding pictures have been destroyed by the gas, and in many cases have been eaten completely off.

The gas has been an expense instead of an economy to this man, and he states that it will be necessary for him to have the gas taken out.

The jewelers are daily shining silverware, etc., which has been tarnished by the gas. They also speak of the unhealthiness of the unpurified gas and are anxiously waiting for the installation of the purifiers.

The Planet understands that the delay in having the gas purified arises through the fact that the Chatham Gas Company have been unable to get certain valves necessary to connect the purifiers with their mains.

The Volcanic Company had the purifiers installed and ready for use over a month ago, and the Chatham Gas Company had their pipes all ready, but could not connect them on account of the above-mentioned cause.

Inquiry at the Chatham Gas Company's office to-day brought out the information that the valves had arrived this morning.

William Chinnick, of Alabama, is the guest of James Chinnick, of Chatham township, and was in the city this morning calling on old friends.

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Special Values to Show You at \$1 and \$1.25 Per Yard.

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There is a wonderful difference in the finish between the ordinary way and when sponged by our

## Duplex Steam Sponger Process

The cost is only 5c. per yard, but it pays you to have it, as you will get so much better results.

## ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF LADIES' JACKETS.

This week we received a very fine range of Ladies' Jackets, including some particularly fine styles and qualities in black.

## OUR JACKETS ARE BETTER THAN THE AMERICAN.

This week we visited Detroit and closely inspected the leading styles being shown there at their openings, and we can assure you we can show you in our Show Rooms similar styles to those shown there in the better qualities and at very much lower prices.

## OUR JACKETS ARE THE NEW YORK [STYLES BUT MADE IN CANADA.]

You will find them equal in fit and finish to any shown by the Americans, and at very much lower prices, owing to the fact that all wool cloths are very much cheaper here as our Canadian Tariff is only about half that of the American.

## CHILDREN'S JACKETS.

Our complete stock is now ready for you to see. We buy these in Germany, as the Germans excel in making children's goods.

## ALWAYS A PLEASURE TO SHOW GOODS

## IN THE AUSTIN MEN'S STORE SATURDAY A Man's Middle Weight Underwear



## Now's the Time For It

It's better for health and it is far more comfortable than to jump from thin to very heavy underwear at one bound.

Medium weight underwear in wool, merino or fine mercerized cotton.

50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$1.50 per Garment.

We have all sizes and can fit men of every shape. Make your selections now and be ready for cold weather.

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## BOYS' FANCY

## OVERCOATS

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The newest American novelties in Military, Russian and Buster Brown overcoats and suits.

Fancy Overcoats Price Range \$3.95 to \$6.50  
Fancy Suit Price Range \$2.50 to \$6.00  
Extra Special Boys' Suit Sale, \$3.50 and \$4.00 lines Saturday \$2.50

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A 25c. Tooth Brush for 13c.

Any of the regular 25c. Tooth Brushes now on display in our window for 13c., 2 for 25c.

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JELLIED VEAL, 25c. a pound.  
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ENGLISH CURED BACON, Sliced.  
SUGAR CURED HAMS, 10 to 12 lbs. each.  
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## THE STYLE OF HAIR WORN

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The promoters of the proposal to reorganize the Tilbury brass band are in receipt of subscriptions for \$5 each from A. H. Clark and H. S. Clements, M. P.'s, and J. A. Auld, M. P. P. Tilbury Times.

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## TO-NIGHT

Baseball game at 4, on Tecumseh Park.  
Baseball game on Tecumseh Park at 2.30.  
The Choir of Holy Trinity Church will meet for practice at 8.  
Park St. Choir will meet for practice at 8.  
Choir practice, First Presbyterian Church, at 8.

## LOCAL

Briscoe's bicycle livery and repairs.  
The Great Passion Play at Wonderland next week.  
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John Waller left yesterday for New York, where in the future he will reside.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Simpson, of Merlin, were in the city yesterday visiting friends.  
Mr. Garfield Northway, of Toronto, is in the city to-day on business.—St. Thomas Journal.

Henry O'Keefe, who has been in the Northwest during the summer, has returned home.

Use Maple City Creamery Clarified Milk and see the cream in our large neck commensurate bottles.

Don't fail to see the famous Passion Play at Wonderland next week. Admission 10 cents.

Cheap lumber—Two cars pine and hemlock sheeting for sale below cost. Fleming, Tillson & Co., Chatham.

Thirty women wanted Monday morning to pare apples at Mahler's Evaporating Factory, Park Avenue West.

Evening classes at Business College open Monday, October 8. Call or write for terms. D. McLachlan & Co., city.

Mr. John Trampess and daughter, of Chatham, were fair visitors, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Spence.—Ridgeway Dominion.

Bird's Bull's Eye bolting does not stretch nor shrink and is unaffected by dampness. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas, Phone 6.

Prof. Stacey will deliver a lecture on the Life of Christ, which will be accompanied by Passion Play moving pictures at Wonderland next week.

Rev. W. A. Guntton will preach a special sermon next Sunday in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium to the men of Gray's Factory. Special music by a mixed quartet.

William Davis, of this town, exhibited black mince pies at the Chatham fair last week, securing three first and three second prizes.—Ridgeway Dominion.

The Monthly Meeting — Ladies' Assisting Society will meet at Mrs. W. J. Bennett's, Thames St., Tuesday, Oct. 1st, instead of Monday, at 3.30 p. m.

Mr. Fennell C. J. Moore has returned from a most enjoyable two months' trip in England, Ireland, Scotland and the Continent, and is returning to Pittsburg on Monday.

Miss Evelyn Parker will be "At Home" to the ladies of Chatham on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 7th, from four to six, and afterwards on the first and third Wednesdays, Residence, St. Clair street.

Woodstock's magnificent shade trees are threatened with destruction unless immediate and concerted action is taken to prevent further ravages and spread of the borers, which have already killed some fine maples and attacked many others.

Capt. Chaytor, who has been spending the summer months at the Hotel Santa, leaves for his home in North Carolina on Oct. 4th. He states that he recently received a letter from his home, which tells him that the weather is unbearably hot and sultry. The dust is very deep and no rain has fallen for several weeks.

Bruce Reddick has returned, after spending a few days in Detroit. Mr. Reddick is in receipt of a card from Frank Grace, a former Chatham lacrosse player, who is at present touring Australia with a Canadian lacrosse team. The card gives a picture of the team, Mr. Grace being seated in the front row. He was in Brisbane when he wrote and stated that they had won every game they had played during the year. A crowd of 20,000 people were in attendance at one of the games played at Brisbane.

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If you want to find out what really fine Shoes are you should come in and see us.  
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Dr. D. E. Russell spent yesterday at Blenheim.

A good, honest boy for a Store. Apply, own handwriting, to Box 12, Planet.

Mr. Gallagher will sing a number of sacred selections during the production of the Passion Play at Wonderland next week.

I want two good strong boys, one to learn plumbing, the other tin-smithing. Apply at once, J. C. Wanless, the up-to-date hardware man.

Great excitement prevailed at Detroit over the Passion Play. The same production will be given at Wonderland on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Hop Lee, a leader in the Chinese colony at Agassiz, B. C., has been brought down to serve six months in jail in default of paying a fine of \$100 on conviction of supplying liquor to Indians.

The Bell Telephone Co. have completed connections at Sompra with a private telephone to Wilkesport and other points in the townships of Sompra, Dawn and Moore.—Wallaceburg Cor.

Messrs. Wilson & Son, architects, are preparing plans for a new block on Fifth street for W. E. Merritt. The new block will be built where Webb's tailoring establishment is now located.

Samuel Taylor, our popular liveryman, has been taken to Chatham General Hospital to undergo an operation. His many friends will be pleased to learn of his recovery.—Wallaceburg Cor.

In voting on the by-law to grant a bonus of \$10,000 to the Battleford Mill and Elevator Company it received the endorsement of the ratepayers, thirty-one being for the bonus and eight against.

A feature of this year's crop in Prince Albert, Sask., is that the straw is much shorter than usual, while the wheat heads are much heavier. In most fields the grain heads have six rows instead of four.

Yesterday a highly respected lady of the Maple City stated that 24 years ago yesterday, ice formed one inch thick. The lady in question remembers the occurrence distinctly, as it was the occasion of her wedding day, and the ceremony was performed in this city.

From eight cents a quart to nine cents may be the change in the price of milk in Toronto on and after November 1. This is a probable result of the decision of the producers to advance the price. A meeting of the retailers will be held to consider the situation.

The Canadian Courier in a recent number mentions a number of manufacturing concerns in the Dominion. The "Lords of Industry," The William Gray & Sons Company, Limited, of this city, figures conspicuously in the list. A cut of the Chatham factory is reproduced in the Courier.

Illustrating the growth of the place, it is said that no fewer than eighteen stores are being erected on one street in North Vancouver, B. C., the west side of Lonsdale avenue. They are all small, but are required to meet the demand from the rapidly growing residential portion of the city. This is shown by the fact that tenants are ready for the stores before the stores are ready for them.

The Ontario Government is going to extend the provisions of the succession duty act to provide for a reciprocal arrangement with other provinces. As the law stands the estate of a person dying in Ontario and possessing property also in another province, pays a tax in this province on what is owned here, and also on personal property owned in the other province, and also pays the succession duty in the other province as well, thus being under contribution for the same property twice. An arrangement has already been entered into with New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, allowing the succession to be taxed in three provinces on property held there by an Ontario resident.

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French import, of the very best finish and weight for suits, popular shades and black, another great leader at \$1.35.

#### LADIES' COATS

Ladies' and Misses' Dark tweed Coats, full length with plain broadcloth or velvet collars and cuffs, well tailored, stylish and serviceable, \$5.75 to \$13.50.  
Fine Black All-wool Broadcloth or Kersey Coats, lined and trimmed with silk braiding a superior tailored coat, from \$12.00 to \$15.00.

### GORDON'S MILLINERY

Is increasingly popular with the ladies, rich or otherwise, who know how to appreciate nice Headwear. Nothing can surpass the artistic Parisian and New York styles we are showing for Children, Maidens, Matrons and Grandmothers. Prices always satisfactory.

October Standard Fashion Sheets FREE.

**WILLIAM GORDON**

Standard Designers 10c. Catalogues FREE.

Mrs. Jones, Taylor avenue, is visiting friends in Detroit.

\$3.00 buys any \$3.50 to \$5.50 odd pant at The Two T's to-night.

Thomas Wangerheim was in Wallaceburg yesterday on business.

Wanted, 40 apple pickers, \$1.50 a day and board. E. B. Northwood.

F. D. Laurie spent yesterday in Highgate and Muirkirk on business.

Any \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 or \$5.50 odd pant for \$3.00 at The Two T's to-night.

Wanted, all kinds of help, Glenn Block, William street, opposite C. P. R. Webb the tailor.

Fred Cowan returned home last night after a week's visit in Owen Sound and other western points.

Weisbach mantles, burners and complete lights are the most satisfactory. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas, Phone 6.

R. E. Miller has returned to his home in San Francisco after spending a few days with relatives in this city.

**St. Andrew's Church Tea Meeting, Monday, Sept. 30th, 6 to 8 p. m.**

Dr. Hodgetts, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, says that if Toronto wants pure water it must have it filtered.

Rev. W. E. Matthews will preach to-morrow evening in the William street Baptist church from the text "And I beheld Satan fall as lightning from Heaven."

Messrs. T. O'Hara, J. W. Cooper and A. Cameron, of London, were at the Merrill House yesterday. They are C. P. R. officials, looking after the interlocking of switches.

For the accommodation of those who cannot make it convenient to call during the day, The Planet counting room will be open from 7 to 9 o'clock this evening to receive payment of accounts.

The Chatham Maleable Iron and Steel Company this week shipped a carload of children's hand-sleighs and cutlery to Winnipeg, and are at present very busy getting out other large orders for the winter trade.

There has been an increase in the number of typhoid fever cases in Toronto as a result of the bad water. The Health Inspector refuses to give out the number of cases to the newspapers.

The Hamilton Herald of yesterday publishes a double column cut of Mr. Fred Trudell, of the firm of The 2 P's. This firm has recently opened up a branch store in Hamilton, which is making a great hit in that city.

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Farmers report that the heavy windstorm of Wednesday night caused a great destruction to many of the apple orchards throughout the country. The apple crop is not a large one this year, thus the loss is considerable. Many trees were broken and a large amount of apples blown to the ground.

Mrs. Willis, of this city, has received from her son, Mr. Maunders, of England, the Nottinghamshire Guardian, which gives a full account of the victory won by his home team in the County League series. Mr. Maunders is the caretaker of the Park where all of the big games were played.

Harvest thanksgiving services will be held in Holy Trinity church to-morrow. The rector will preach in the morning, and the Rev. E. G. Dymond, of Glencoe, in the evening. The Ladies Guild will give a social evening on Tuesday at eight o'clock in the school room. Vocal and instrumental music, addresses, refreshments, Silver collection. Everybody welcome!

H. A. West is to be congratulated on his appointment of Indian Agent for the Eastern District of Algoma by the Dominion Government. His headquarters will be in Ottawa.

### LIMERICK COMPETITION.

Cash for Mail and Empire Readers.

The success of the Limerick Competition, which has been running for the past few weeks in the Toronto Mail and Empire, has been so phenomenal that they have decided to raise the amount of prize money in the contest, which commenced Friday, Sept. 27, to \$100.00. The person who sends in the best suggestion for the last line of the incomplete Limerick will receive \$30.00. The other prizes are as follows: the second, \$20.00; the third and fourth, \$10.00 each; the fifth and sixth, \$5.00 and ten consolation prizes at \$2.00 each. It is probable that these contests will be continued from week to week, and the conditions governing them will be found in both The Daily and Weekly Mail and Empire.

### TO-DAYS NEWS AT BRADLEY'S

## TO-NIGHT IS NOT TOO LATE

To Leave Your Order For Flour at This Week's Price.

We Will Deliver It Monday

#### BEAVER BRAND,

65c. per sack; per half barrel, \$2.55.  
Our price advances Monday.

#### OLIVES.

Bradley's have a splendid assortment of Olives, both in size and price.  
We would like you to come to Bradley's for your next bottle of Olives.  
We have them priced from 10c. up.

#### SPANISH ONIONS, 3 lbs. for 10c.

The finest quality for table use. These are exceptionally fine.  
Very specially priced for To-night's selling. Try three pounds.

We Deliver to All Parts of the City

**Bradley & Son**  
CORNER KING AND THIRD STREETS.

Phone 350.

Other Stores—St. Catharines &

## New Market For the Maple City . . .

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Call and see us at the Corner of Gray and West. Phone 482.

**L. A. CUMMINGS,**  
West End Grocery.

### Houses For Sale

\$1,250 House, Wellington Street West.  
\$2,200 Modern Two-story Brick Cottage, Centrally located.

**W. W. SNIDER,**  
The Real Estate Man, General Insurance.  
Office: MARKET BUILDING, CHATHAM  
OPEN SATURDAY EVENING.

### APPLES WANTED

Mahler Bros. are open to BUY APPLES on Saturday, September 28th, and any time after the above date at their Evaporating Factory, Park Avenue West. Parties having Apples to sell will do well to call and see us, as good prices will be paid. Also 30 Women Wanted to peel apples.

**Mahler Bros.**  
CHATHAM, ONT.

## MAC'S CAFE

Just opened in Alexandra Block, Opp. Rankin House.  
For a Good Meal Any Hour Day or Night.  
Business Men's Lunch 20c Ready to a.m. to 2 p.m.  
Neat, Clean and Wholesome Food.  
Short Orders a Specialty.  
ALL HOME COOKING.

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(J. L. Scott's Old Stand)

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Coal Yards at Grand Trunk.  
Terms Cash Phone 509



## CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

Rev. Mr. Gunton Writes a  
Letter on The Work of  
The Society

He Thinks The Work De-  
serves More Public  
Thought—The Motto

Our work deserves more of the  
public thought, sympathy and  
financial support that it at present re-  
ceives.

Our Motto: "It is better to put up the guard  
line than to throw out the life  
line."

A Few Facts.  
Our Society is incorporated under  
The Children's Protection Act of  
Ontario.

It assumes the guardianship of  
all dependent and neglected chil-  
dren.

All churches, both Protestant and  
Roman Catholic, are represented on  
our board.

Our officers inquire into all cases  
of juvenile depravity and endeavor  
to find a remedy.

Our officers have statutory au-  
thority to remove all children from  
surroundings likely to lead them to  
follow idle, vicious or dissolute  
lives.

The Society is supported by vol-  
untary contributions. Gifts of mon-  
ey will be received by Mr. Stone,  
or by the writer at any time. If  
you can not spare us much during  
life, do not forget us in your will.

We expect many cases of need dur-  
ing the coming winter; may we not  
receive liberal treatment at the  
hands of Chatham's citizens?

The Society endeavors to find suit-  
able foster homes for all children  
taken under its care. The time to  
adopt a child is in infancy. Apply  
at once to the writer if you think  
of adopting a child.

Some Cases.  
Not to go further back than Sept.  
last, we find the following:

Four Boys.  
Ranging from five to eight years of  
age, deserted by the father, who  
lives. These four bright Chatham  
first sold all the household goods,  
and left his wife and children help-  
less. They were sent to London, and  
two were placed in foster homes  
within a week.

Eight Boys and Girls.  
The writer found these on the  
street seeking employment, and  
sent them to school. One boy had  
not been to school since last Christ-  
mas.

A Boy Tramp.  
At Coatsworth a boy only twelve  
years of age was found, poorly clad,  
barefooted, footsore and hungry. He  
had tramped for six weeks, slept un-  
der hand, and in Wheatley and  
nearby parishes, slept in barns along  
the way. He was picked up by the  
kind-hearted Reeve of Romney, Mr.  
E. Robinson, provided with boots  
and clothing and brought to Chat-  
ham and placed in care of our So-  
ciety.

A Girl.  
A five-year old colored girl, whose  
unhappy mother is only about 14  
years of age, and whose grandmo-  
ther seems mentally deranged, will  
be taken as soon as we can find  
a foster home for her.

A Young Drunk.  
A boy eight years of age, in Wal-  
laceburg, was found dead drunk on  
the street and frothing at the  
mouth. His parents gave him whis-  
key first for medicine, then a little  
later he got possession of his drunk-  
en father's bottle and helped him-  
self. His mother's pleading and his  
father's pledge before witnesses, never  
again to get drunk, persuaded us to  
give them another chance.

Two Girls.  
were reported to us by the Detroit  
officers as being residents of a  
house of ill-repute in that city. They  
were only 11 and 13 years of age,  
and belong to one of our Kent Coun-  
ty villages. The case is being in-  
vestigated now and the girls are in  
Canada again.

Many cases where parents are re-  
strained from cruelty, where cloth-  
ing is supplied, where sympathy is  
given, where positions are found for  
the unemployed, where drunkenness  
is suppressed, and where work of all  
kinds is being done by our officers  
and the noble band of ladies who  
assist us.

Better save a child than punish  
a criminal.  
Better spend a dollar now in pre-  
venting than a hundred dollars in  
ten years seeking and punishing the  
accomplished outlaw.

Don't forget the Children's Aid So-  
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W. A. GUNTON,  
Executive Officer.

A Sample of What V.S.O. does—  
Mr. Merrifield, I was so severely  
stricken with Joint Rheumatism  
that I was confined to bed for a long  
time with swollen and stiff joints;  
it even affected my stomach. I gave  
up all hope of ever being cured. The  
doctor finally told me he could "ease  
my pain but could not cure me." My  
sister heard of your Veteran's Sure  
Cure, and sent for a bottle. I took  
half of a \$1 bottle. This enabled  
me to walk about as usual. This was  
about six years ago, and I have had  
no return of Rheumatism. Mrs. H.  
Merrifield, Williamsford, Ont., Sept. 11th,

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## Historical Events are Linked Together

History is studied with examples  
of great events being linked together  
through the accidental similarity and  
co-ordination of dates.

Thus the Free Church of Scotland  
appeal in the House of Lords em-  
phasized a curious circumstance that  
the two chief points in the case, namely, the Westminster Confession of Faith in 1643, and the Disruption of 1843, were separated by an exact interval of two centuries. Two of the greatest epochs of the modern world are associated with the years 1492 and 1792 respectively, for in the first of these Columbus discovered America, and the second was adopted as inaugurating the new era created by the French Revolution.

The foundation of the British Constitution was laid at Runnymede in 1215, the climax of our medieval era was reached at Agincourt in 1415 and latter-day high-water mark was attained at Waterloo in 1815.

A sort of romantic privacy at-  
tached to the battle of Otterbourne in 1388, which inspired the immortal ballad of Chevy Chase, but a more solid title of remembrance is con-  
nected with 1588 on account of the defeat of the Armada, and with 1688 as the year of the Revolution.

The empire of India came into  
existence potentially when the East India Company sent out its first ex-  
pedition in 1601; the Kingdom of Prussia was formed from the elec-  
torate of Brandenburg in 1701; the union between Great Britain and Ireland was consummated in 1801; and the English line of the House of Hanover ceased on the death of Queen Victoria in 1901.

The forty-five is the familiar re-  
ference to the period of the last Jacobite rising in the eighteenth century, but two hundred years pre-  
viously an incident of much greater historical importance identified the year of 1545 with the opening ses-  
sion of the Council of Trent.

The English House of Commons be-  
gins its record in 1205, and in 1705 it perpetrated a blunder pregnant with consequences of world-wide im-  
port in the passing of the American Stamp Act. In 1648 the treaty of Westphalia brought to an end the long-drawn horrors of the thirty years war; in 1748 the shorter but hardly less destructive war of the Austrian Succession came to con-  
clusion with the peace of Aix-la-Chapelle.

Oliver's great triumph at Plassey was gained in 1757, and in 1857 the British Empire was convulsed by the outbreak of the Indian Mutiny.

The year 1805 saw two crowning triumphs, that of Nelson at Trafalgar, and of Napoleon at Austerlitz. The names of the last named even broke the heart of Pitt, who died in the following year, as did also his life-long rival Fox, antagonists "whom fate made brothers in the tomb."

But even more striking and dra-  
matic than the summoning with a year of Pitt and Fox was the de-  
cease of Jefferson and John Adams, both as Presidents of the United States, dying on the same day, and that day the 4th of July, this anni-  
versary of the great occasion when exactly fifty years ago they had both signed the Declaration of Independ-  
ence.

J. WIGNALL.

## DISTRICT

FLORENCE.  
Miss Sangster will hold her mil-  
linery openings Sept. 27th and 28th.

Miss Hamilton, of Sombra, has  
been the guest of the Misses Scar-  
lett during the past two weeks.

Miss Edna Law, who has been in  
Chatham and vicinity for some time,  
has returned home. She is accom-  
panied by Miss Woods.

Mrs. A. Davidson has gone to  
Ridgetown for a few days' visit.

Mrs. John B. Webster has been  
with her son, H. J. Webster, and  
wife, Chatham, during the illness of  
their twin baby daughters. We un-  
derstand that they are improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, of  
Calgary, are visiting her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dob-  
byn.

Miss N. Mills, who has been spend-  
ing some weeks in town is now the  
guest of her brother, Wm. Mills,  
and family, in Detroit.

Mr. J. F. Clugstone preached in  
Thamesville and Turin on Sunday.

Communion service was held in the  
Presbyterian Church on the 22nd.  
Rev. John McInnis, of Thamesville,  
conducted the service. Eight new  
members were added to the church  
rolls.

The death of Mr. Samuel Phillips,  
of Sarnia, formerly a resident of  
this place, occurred on the 15th inst.,  
of typhoid fever. The deceased was  
unmarried, and leaves a large num-  
ber of brothers and sisters. The re-  
mains were brought here on Fri-  
day last and interred at Fanshew's  
Cemetery.

CROTON.  
Rev. Bert Johnston has been home

Don't lose time finding fault.

Is the MOST HANDSOME  
and UP-TO-DATE MOTOR  
CAR BUILT IN CANADA.

Light weight construction, very  
best material, at the same time  
substantial strength, simplicity,  
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will be WORTH WHILE. WE MEAN IT. Catalogue telling all about it cheerfully  
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## TRIFLES FOR WEE FOLK

Simple Toys So Constructed as  
Not to Be Dangerous.

CUTE CROCHETED POODLES.

The Prettiest Thing For Baby's Ham-  
per Is a Miniature Coat Hanger.  
Kimono's Are Always Attractive and  
Useful Articles.

When King Baby comes all his ad-  
miring friends and relatives wish to  
present him with gifts which, if his  
royal highness is too young to appre-  
ciate, his fond mother is not. Almost  
from the start a baby loves some sim-  
ple little toys which are so constructed  
as not to be dangerous, either from  
hardness or from coming apart when  
investigated. Toys to which bells or  
whistles are attached should always be  
carefully watched, for baby likes to  
put everything into his mouth, and  
stray buttons or bells are difficult to

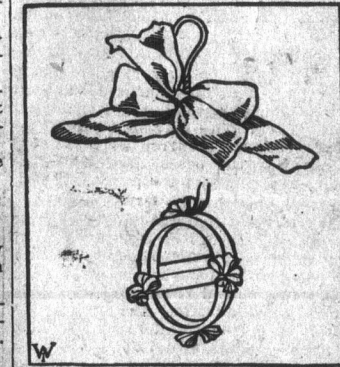


CROCHETED POODLES.  
dislodge from the delicate little throat,  
if indeed they do not cause incalculable  
mischiefs.

Of all the toys to delight baby eyes  
is anything more fascinating than cro-  
cheted poodles? These poodles are filled  
with cotton wadding, over which the  
cover is apparently built while being  
crocheted. The mane of the dog is  
composed of loops, the whole being of  
snowy white.

Toys made out of embroidery rings  
are always pretty and attract the baby  
at once. Here is one made of double  
rings wound with satin ribbon and  
hung with bells.

If one wishes to give something use-  
ful as well as ornamental the variety  
is large. One of the sweetest things



MINIATURE HANGER AND A MUSICAL TOY.  
for the baby hamper is a miniature  
coat hanger of white silk, delicately  
scented and embroidered with rose-  
buds. In sacks the kimono is much  
appreciated. A white French flannel  
sack, hand embroidered in white silk  
eyelet work and scalloped, is a useful  
addition to baby's wardrobe.

Sunflower Luncheon.  
Gather sunflowers from neighboring  
fields or lots and literally line your  
rooms with them. Pin to the portieres,  
fill jardiniere or books or jars cov-  
ered with dark green crepe paper. In  
the dining room select the small sun-  
flowers for table decoration, using can-  
dles with yellow shades, and let yellow  
and green predominate in the food  
served. After luncheon give each guest  
a book of yellow art paper, containing  
sentences, the answers of which may  
be made from the letters found in "the  
sunflower."

What does the river do? Flow.  
When do roses bloom? Now.  
Where will you find a circle of nice la-  
dies? Here.

A bird? Green.  
Is home? Nest.  
A broad place of cloth? Sheet.  
Equal in value to? Worth.

A wild animal? Wolf.  
Learned? Wise.  
To twist? Wrist.  
Sharp to the taste? Sour.

Money paid periodically? Rent.  
Underside of the foot? Sole.  
A place of abode? Home.

One of the four points? West.  
To avoid? Shun.  
To clothe? Suit.

An animal? Horse.  
A cavity? Hole.  
Merriment? Fun.

A rubber pipe? Hose.  
An entire thing? Whole.

Another flower could be used the  
same way.

Wee Brushes For Babies.  
The luxurious outfits of the babies  
who are born with gold spoons in their  
mouths would have made the young  
mothers of a generation ago open  
their eyes with wonder, but in this gen-  
eration, when there are only one or  
two children in each fashionable fam-  
ily, as a rule, the relatives and friends  
of the little ones are ready to shower  
the newcomer with beautiful gifts.

There has been a sad lack of variety  
in the articles that can be given to  
a baby, and the latest novelty which  
has come out in that line has become  
popular with purchasers.

The little son of the Clarence Mac-  
kays received five sets of these new  
toilet articles, which consist of two  
tiny military brushes with plain silver  
backs on which the monogram is en-  
graved, and a tiny comb with silver  
back to match. It causes a smile to  
come to every face when persons first  
see these miniature copies of men's  
toilet articles.

## SKIN SORE 8 YEARS CURED IN A WEEK

Spent \$300 on Doctors and Rem-  
edies Which Gave No Relief—Skin  
on Limbs and Feet Rough and  
Sore—Work Often Impossible.

TRIES CUTICURA,  
WELL IN SEVEN DAYS

"Cuticura Remedies have entirely  
cured me after all other remedies had  
failed. Up to a week or so ago I had  
tried many other remedies and several  
doctors, and spent about three hundred  
dollars, without any success, but this  
is to-day the seventh day that I have  
been using the Cuticura Remedies (cost-  
ing a dollar and a half), which have  
cured me completely, so that I can  
again attend to my business. I want  
to work again to-night. My trouble  
was as follows: Upon the limbs and  
between the toes my skin was rough  
and sore, and also sore under the arms.  
I am a chef for a large cafe on Broadway,  
and I had to stay at home several times  
because of this affection. I had been  
suffering for eight years and have now  
been cured by the Cuticura Remedies  
within a week. I am much indebted to  
Cuticura, and shall certainly recom-  
mend it to all my friends and colleagues  
in the kitchen. Fritz Hirschfeld, 24  
Columbus Ave., New York, N. Y.,  
March 29 and April 6, 1906."

HAIR FALLING OUT  
Very Bad Dandruff on Scalp,  
Pimples Cover Face,  
Cuticura Cures.

"I used the Cuticura Remedies with  
great success. My face was a mass of  
pimples and the dandruff was so bad  
on my scalp that my hair all began to  
fall out, and a friend of mine told me  
of Cuticura and I began to use Cuticura  
Soap and Ointment. Before a month  
I saw a great change for the better,  
and now I am entirely cured. I had  
no physician in charge. My little girl  
is now four years of age, and knows the  
use of no other than Cuticura Soap.  
Her skin is perfect and her hair remain-  
able for her age. Mrs. W. C. Howard,  
132 N. Tenn. Ave., Atlantic City, N. J.,  
Jan. 22, 1906."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for  
Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults con-  
sists of Cuticura Soap to cleanse the skin, Cuti-  
cra Ointment to heal the skin, and Cuticura  
Resolvent or in the form of Chocolate Coat Pills,  
as a blood purifier to remove the cause of the  
disease. Write for the full particulars. Sole  
U. S. Agents, J. C. Foster & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Mail Free, Cuticura Book on the Skin.

CUT THEM ALL OUT.

The Enemies One Is Likely to Meet  
in His Vocabulary.

"In the dictionary of fools we find 'I  
can't' very often, plenty of 'ifs' and  
lots of words like 'luck' and 'destiny,'  
and phrases like 'I'll only have time or  
a chance like other people'."

Did you ever think that many of the  
words and phrases which you constantly  
use are your real enemies, that they  
leave their hideous pictures and black  
shadows in your mind?

How many times have you been kept  
from doing a good deed by such  
phrases as "Oh, I can't do that," "I am  
afraid that that will not turn out well,"  
"Oh, I know I can't do that," "Some-  
body else can do that a great deal bet-  
ter," "I am afraid to try," "I haven't  
the courage," "I fear I shall take cold  
or catch some disease if I do this or  
that?"

I believe that those two words, "I  
can't," have ruined more prospects and  
have kept more ability doing the work  
of mediocrity than any other two words  
in our language.

"I am afraid of this or that" is a ter-  
rible hinderer, a terrible blighter of  
ambition, a cooler of enthusiasm.

All achievement and all efficiency de-  
pend upon initiative, and that is easily  
killed by the fear words, the words  
which express doubt and uncertainty.

"By thy words thou shalt be justified,  
and by thy words thou shalt be con-  
demned."—Success.

Club For Sweethearts.

"Eligible" clubs are booming, for  
despite the criticism that the original  
club at Hampstead has aroused, the  
"eligibles" of Brixton are to have a  
club in which they will be well look-  
ed after in the Brixton Parish Insti-  
tute.

"One of my principal objects in  
starting the club," said its founder,  
the Rev. A. J. Waldron, the Vicar of  
Brixton, "is to give the younger  
men a comfortable place where they  
can bring their girl friends."

"Now there is over an acre of beau-  
tiful laid-out garden attached to the  
club where they can walk and sit in  
the summer, and where we shall or-  
ganize garden-parties, and every Sun-  
day evening the recreation rooms of  
the club will be at the disposal of  
the members and their sweethearts."

The entrance fee is half a crown,  
and the annual subscription, payable  
quarterly or yearly, fifteen shillings.

The Real Boss.

"Do you mind the motion of the ship  
much?"

"No, I don't, but I haven't heard  
from the inner man yet."

He Knew.

A married woman owned a pet dog  
of a particularly vicious temper. It  
had even bitten her husband on more  
than one occasion. At last, however,  
the dog disappeared.

The husband offered a reward of  
£25 for the dog's return. His friends  
were amazed.

"I thought," said a friend to him,  
"that you hated that dog?"

"I do," the man admitted.

"Why, then, do you offer such a  
large reward for his return?"

"To please my wife."

"But you're foolish," said the other.

"Such a large reward will be sure to  
bring it back."

"No," said the man with a knowing  
smile. "You see, I happen to have  
learned that it's dead."—Cardiff  
Times.

## THE MARKETS

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Low-  
er, Chicago Higher—Live Stock  
—Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Sept. 26.  
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day  
½d lower. Corn ¼d to ½d higher.  
At Chicago Sept. wheat closed ½c high-  
er than yesterday. Sept. corn ¼c lower,  
and Sept. oats ¼c higher.

Winnipeg Options.  
Following are the closing quotations on  
Winnipeg grain futures to-day: Wheat—  
Sept. 1.04½ bid, Oct. 1.04 bid, Dec.  
1.04 bid. Oats—Sept. 49½ bid, Oct. 49½ bid, Dec.  
49½ bid.

Toronto Grain Markets.

Wheat, spring, bush, 20 35 to 3 50  
Wheat, fall, bush, 20 35 to 3 50  
Wheat, goose, bush, 20 35 to 3 50  
Wheat, red, bush, 20 35 to 3 50  
Rye, bush, 20 35 to 3 50  
Barley, bush, 20 35 to 3 50  
Oats—new, bush, 20 35 to 3 50

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, dairy, lb. rolls, 20 35 to 3 50  
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls, 20 35 to 3 50  
Eggs, new-laid, dozen, 20 35 to 3 50  
Cheese, large, lb., 20 35 to 3 50  
Honey, extracted, lb., 20 35 to 3 50  
Honey, comb, lb., 20 35 to 3 50  
Cheese, twin, lb., 20 35 to 3 50

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 26.—Closing—Wheat,  
Sept. 1.04½ bid, Oct. 1.04 bid, Dec. 1.04  
bid. Corn, 20 35 to 3 50. Beans, 20 35 to  
3 50. Lard, 20 35 to 3 50. American  
refined, in casks, firm, 46s 6d. Corn  
Spot, steady; prime mixed, American,  
2s 6d. Futures, steady; Oct., 2s 6d; Jan.  
(new), 2s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Butter, strong;  
receipts, 718. Creamery, specials, 24½c;  
extras, 25c; thirds, 25c; 25c to 25½c;  
state, dairy common to finest, 21c to 22c;  
process, common to specials, 19c to 20c;  
western factory, common to first, 20c to  
21c. Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts,  
27½c. Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 13-  
14.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Advance Fur-  
ther at Chicago.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Sept. 26.—Receipts of  
live stock at the City Market, since  
Tuesday, as reported, by the railways  
were 125 car loads, composed of 1815  
cattle, 1155 h







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Manufacturers' Views on the Asiatic Problem.

Would Be Unpatriotic to Imperil the Empire—Canada's Interest Should Be Subordinated—Support Imperial Policy—Mother Country to Be Considered—Excessive Cost of Power—Laurier's Assurance.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—One of the most important and significant discussions of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association centred around a resolution made at yesterday morning's session expressive of the attitude of the association on the Japanese question.

The preamble set forth that it is the desire of all intelligent Canadians that this country should build up a trans-Pacific trade with Asia; that the Anglo-Japanese treaty has already done a great deal toward the development of trade with Japan and that its abrogation would be disastrous to existing relations which have to be abandoned. In view of these considerations the association resolved to "recommend that the Dominion Government, while giving due consideration to all interests in Canada, should take no hurried action towards the abrogation of the treaty which stands today as a basis of the friendly alliance between Great Britain and Japan."

The resolution was carried by a very large majority.

In the discussion P. W. Ellis suggested that the resolution was an unwise one, and other members were of opinion that it was not politic to discuss the subject at this juncture. W. K. George, however, saw no advantage in dodging the issue, and he thought it perfectly right, and proper for the association to suggest to the Government that it should certainly go slow and fully consider its demands before it acceded to any demands to abrogate the treaty between Great Britain and Japan.

"If the Mother Country has seen fit to conclude a treaty with Japan, it becomes any section of the Empire to do anything to disturb the arrangement. Canadians should be prepared to subordinate their particular interests to those of the Empire at large," said W. Robins of Walkerville. "It becomes a section of the Anglo-Saxon race to refuse admission to any well-behaved man simply because he is of a different color. If I do not think that a small trade interest should keep us from supporting an important Imperial arrangement."

Two papers were read. One by Jas. A. Emery, the United States economist, dealt with industrial education, and was a plea for the training of the child along the lines of the greatest utility to himself and to the state.

"Is not the Government's present policy making you dependent on immigration for skilled artisans?" he asked.

"The Cost of Power" was the subject of a paper by L. G. Read, C. E., of Montreal. He pointed out to the association that this was a matter that was relatively being neglected, and this, despite the fact that out of every dollar expended on power, at least ninety cents was lost. He advised the purchase of power through a meter, as was done in the case of water or gas. He severely criticized the action of companies in charging for power not actually utilized.

**New Officers.**

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Hon. J. D. Roland, Montreal; vice-president, John Hendry, Vancouver; Ontario vice-president, R. E. Hobson, Hamilton; Quebec vice-president, D. L. McGibbon, Montreal; Nova Scotia vice-president, T. M. Outler, Halifax; New Brunswick vice-president, Charles McDonald, St. John; P. E. I. vice-president, F. E. Hassard, Charlottetown; Alberta and Saskatchewan vice-president, A. E. Orr, Calgary; treasury, George Booth; secretary, G. M. Murray.

When Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived at the station yesterday morning he was met by Hon. J. D. Roland, and Messrs. Cockshutt and Ballantyne. In the afternoon the Premier attended the manufacturers' garden party, held on the lawn at Government House. Sir Mortimer Clarke and Lady Clarke received the guests.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, amid cheers and shouts of applause, assured the C. M. A. at their annual banquet at the King Edward last night that he was not to be stampeded into denouncing the treaty with Japan. The treaty was not yet two years old; it had proved largely beneficial to the farmers and manufacturers of Canada. He would do nothing in a panic, he would investigate and perhaps appoint a commission.

**IS THIS THE SECRET?**

Deputy Minister of Labor and the Hospitality to Orientals.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 27.—W. M. King, Deputy Minister of Labor, after studying the Oriental labor question here, makes the surprising announcement that Orientals are not employed because they are cheap, but he declares they have superseded the whites in sawmills and like work because of their sobriety and efficiency. He found some Chinese employed in sawmills at wages of \$4 a day.

**Cows Maliciously Killed.**

Brockville, Sept. 27.—A dastardly act was committed on the farm of C. H. Hasleton of St. Lawrence County, near Sylvia Lake. Four cows were found in the pasture badly cut and bruised and one dead, with a gash several inches long on its back. The wounds seemed to have been inflicted with an axe.

**Heads as Trophies.**

Melilla, Morocco, Sept. 27.—Moorish rebels, numbering about 3,000 men, have defeated a force of Imperial troops in a battle which lasted a day and a half.

Te rebels cut off the heads of twenty-eight of the Sultan's soldiers as trophies.

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Help the Editor.

An Oklahoma editor puts forth this plea: "My friend, help the editor in his wide-eyed search for news. When your friends come to you, if you are not ashamed of it, tell him; when your wife gives a tea party, if you will have recovered from the effects of the gossip, drop in with the news; when a baby arrives fill your pockets with cigars and call; if you go to a party, steal some of the good things and leave 'em with the item in our sanctum. If your wife lets you, come in and let us see your scars and tender sympathy through the paper. If your mother-in-law has died, don't be bashful about it; give in all the common-place news. In short, whatever makes you feel proud, sad, lonesome or glad submit it to our twenty-four cent wisdom and see our matted lock part and stand up on end with gratitude, which will pour from every pore with moisture from a dew besprinkled earth."

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**Young at Eighty.**

People are no longer assumed to be about and doing their work at eighty. They no longer feel compelled to apologize to the young descendants for aging in the way. They have discovered that old age is a relative term and that unless serious physical disabilities or crippling disease come at eighty one may be active without being disrespectful to the younger generation or lacking in respect for one's own contemporaries.—New York Outlook.

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Comment on the Anglo-Russian Convention—Good Diplomatic Move.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 27.—The comment here on the Anglo-Russian convention is marked by an underlying conviction that the most dangerous antagonist of Russia, as well as Great Britain, is Germany, with which country a decisive struggle is alleged to be impending.

Writers characterize the treaty as a guarantee of the safety of Russia and Great Britain's rear. Russia renouncing the far east and middle east in favor of an active policy in the near east, from which Germany had been skillfully deflecting her, and Great Britain reassuring the safety of her frontiers in India in order to be able to use her full strength in opposing Germany's aggressions.

**Tolerably Cheerful.**

Berlin, Sept. 27.—The German Government accepts the Anglo-Russian convention with tolerable cheerfulness. An apparently authoritative statement is made to the effect that Germany, upon the premises of the convention as being directed against her interests, since she has no interests in Persia, except economic interests, and these appear to be secured under the terms guaranteeing the equal treatment of all nations. Great Britain is looked upon as having made a good diplomatic move.

**Paris Satisfied.**

Paris, Sept. 27.—The Anglo-Russian agreement, naturally, is hailed with satisfaction here, as it is considered that it will strengthen France's international position.

**NEW PRESIDENT INSTALLED.**

Dr. Falconer Formally Placed at Head of Toronto University.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—The formal inauguration of Dr. Robert Alexander Falconer as president of the University of Toronto took place yesterday in Convocation Hall, which was suitably decorated for the occasion. The imposing ceremony was witnessed by a brilliant assemblage of invited guests, which included among its number many of the most renowned educationalists on the continent, representing practically every prominent college in the United States and Canada, upon many of whom was afterwards conferred the honorary degree of LL.D., honoris causa. In addition to the learned men the number of invited guests included the names of many other prominent in political, legal, ministerial, and financial circles, and the presence of many beautiful young ladies lent color to the occasion, which was one of the most notable in the history of the University of Toronto.

The invited guests gathered in the East Hall at 2.30, and marched in procession to the Convocation Hall, where, shortly after three o'clock, the inauguration took place. The chancellor, Sir William Meredith, conducted the formal installation, which was of a most impressive character.

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**DISTRICT**

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Mr. Walter Hazlett is having a cement cellar put under his house and is adding to the front.

Mrs. H. Ellis returned home on Thursday, after spending a short time with her friends here.

Clifford Shaw, of London, spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Shaw, before going to the coast.

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No. 3-1:04 p.m., solid train for St.  
Louis.  
No. 15-1:20 p.m., for Detroit and  
Chicago.  
No. 5-9:38 p.m., solid train for  
Detroit and Chicago.  
No. 9-1:10 a.m., fast mail for St.  
Louis and Kansas City.  
No. 2-1:05 p.m., for St. Thomas,  
Tillamook, Simcoe, Buffalo, New  
York and Boston.  
No. 4-11:57 p.m., fast train for St.  
Thomas, Buffalo, New York and Bos-  
ton.  
No. 6-2:02 a.m., for St. Thomas,  
Niagara Falls and Buffalo.  
No. 8-3:07 p.m., fast mail for St.  
Thomas, Buffalo and New York.

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**SPECIAL RATES**  
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Second-class one-way, on sale only un-  
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Tickets and full information at Chat-  
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Any **NECKBAND** Shirt is more comfortable than any ordinary shirt.  
One reason is the care we take to fit the neckband properly.  
Shaped to support the collar with-  
out riding on the throat or  
shoulder muscles—true to size  
exactly—buttonholes accurately  
placed—doubly sewn to stand  
wear and laundry-racking.  
Every **NECKBAND** Shirt is made  
throughout with the same idea—to  
give you most for the money when  
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**NECKBAND**  
(In red script below the neckband.)  
**NECKBAND**  
**MAKERS**  
**BERLIN**

CANNOT BLAME BOND.

London Globe Defends Newfoundland Premier.

London, Sept. 27.—Concluding an editorial on the Newfoundland fish-  
ery question, The Manchester Guardian  
says: By compelling the Imperial  
Government to exercise its full  
powers, and now by appealing in the  
name of constitutional liberty to the  
other self-governing colonies, New-  
foundland is rendering the working  
of an Imperial constitution easier.  
The London Globe says it is pos-  
sible that if the fisheries question is  
allowed to drift much longer, Bond  
may be betrayed into some action  
which he himself is less agitated  
times would not defend, but the fault  
will be with the Government which  
first neglected and then denied him,  
and not with the Newfoundland Pre-  
mier himself.

RESIGN FROM THE WORRY CLUB.

Life is a rush, but we can't all get  
there together. In consequence, we  
worry—can't help it because nerves  
are weak, vitality is burnt up and  
there's no staying power left. Out  
out the worry part, and Build Up!  
Let Ferrozone help you. It's a most  
strengthening, nutritive tonic. Fills  
the blood with iron, supplies building  
material for worn out organs, gen-  
erates the sort of vitality that makes  
you want to do things. No medicine  
more helpful for men, women and  
children who need strength and  
staying power. Try Ferrozone, 50c.  
per box at all dealers.

Attempt to Wreck Train.

Burlington, Sept. 27.—An attempt  
was made to wreck a G. T. R. train  
just east of the station by placing  
several fish plants in the frog of one  
of the switches. Fortunately, a freight  
train was the first to pass over the  
place, and the weight of the Mogul  
engines crushed the plates into the  
sand.

No Allurement For Foot.

Richmond, Ind., Sept. 27.—United  
States Secretary of State Root, while  
in Richmond yesterday, stated em-  
phatically that he has no Presidential  
aspirations, and that the Presidency  
has no allurements.

EVER HAVE CRAMPS?

Kind of fierce to be tied up in a  
knot at midnight with cramps. Keep  
Nerviline handy. Ten drops quiets  
cramps instantly. Used occasionally  
Nerviline prevents this trouble en-  
tirely. From Stratford, Ont., Wm.  
Dea writes: "Nothing I know of  
will give such quick relief to cramps,  
colic or pain in the stomach as Ner-  
viline. If you feel squeamish or sick  
just ten drops of Nerviline in water  
and you're well next minute." Think  
of the protection and comfort con-  
tained in a 25c. bottle of Nerviline,  
and set it to-day.

Assistance given in a cheerful  
spirit carries a kindly remembrance  
into the future.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the  
Signature of **Dr. J. C. Peck**

An impressive appearance forms  
the strong part of an otherwise fu-  
tile argument.

PERE MARQUETTE

Leaves Chatham for—  
South and P. M. West, 8:25 a.m.  
M. C. R. West, 9:00 a.m.  
South and P. M. West, 4:10, and  
to Rouleau.  
South and P. M. East, 6:15.  
Arrive at Chatham from—  
East, 9:40 a.m.  
West, 10:30 a.m.  
East, 6:30 p.m.  
Waukegan, 7:35 p.m.  
From the North—  
Arrive from Sarnia 9:00 a.m.; 6:15  
p.m.  
For Sarnia, 9:40 a.m.; 6:30 p.m.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the  
House.

GIVING BABY CASTOR OIL.

It's Very Easy if You Only Know How  
to Do It Properly.

Castor oil should never be given  
without first heating it a little. This  
does not mean getting it hot or putting  
a burning spoon into the little mouth.  
The object of heating is merely to thin  
a little the consistency of the heavy  
oil, and the most gentle warmth will  
do this. This change alone makes the  
liquid go down more easily.

When the dose is to be given it is  
well to call in a member of the family  
to act as assistant. Put baby down  
on the bed on his back and have ready  
a small napkin or other bit of linen  
wring out in cold water. Fold this  
flat, just large enough to go under  
baby's chin up to the ears. Give this  
to the assistant and instruct her in  
her duty, which is merely that of hold-  
ing the wet compress against the chin  
at the psychological moment. This  
second is when you gently hold the in-  
fant's nose, which you are to do just  
as you put the oil well back into his  
mouth, but not in the throat, which  
would then cause him to choke.

Holding the nose destroys the sense  
of taste, and the wet compress causes  
a flow of saliva that helps to send the  
medicine down. The thing necessary  
to success is that all shall be done to-  
gether and that the oil shall fall on  
the precise spot on the tongue—that is  
to say, it should drop as close to the  
throat as it can without going into the  
throat. To put it too near the front of  
the mouth gets it all over baby's gums  
and gives him full benefit of the nasty  
flavor. If an infant fights at taking  
any kind of liquid medicine, it may be  
given in this way, but as a rule the  
little one swallows it unconsciously.

If medicine in a powdered form is to  
be given, the simplest and, for a  
young child, the best way is to give  
it dry. Open his mouth and have the  
dose ready on the point of a spoon.  
Drop this quickly well back on the  
tongue and then nurse or give him a  
bottle at once.

WOMEN AS PHOTOGRAPHERS.

Why They Do Not Succeed in Their  
Profession.

It seems strange that so few women  
succeed as photographers, for women  
prefer to go to their own sex to be  
photographed rather than to an obvi-  
ously "professional" man whose atten-  
tions remind them uncomfortably of  
those of a dentist.

The trouble with the feminine pho-  
tographer is that she endeavors to be  
too artistic, at the expense of the  
wishes of her patrons. People get  
their pictures taken because they de-  
sire a likeness, and they do not relish  
an impressionistic portrait vanishing  
into the shadow. Furthermore, she  
disregards her subjects' individuality.  
She should first of all try to find out  
how they imagine they look—a very  
different thing from their actual ap-  
pearance—and then strive to attain  
that ideal. She must somehow make  
a nervous, disheveled, unattractive  
woman a miracle of charm, and all  
without such gross flattery as to cause  
suspicion.

None of the other feminine arts will  
come amiss in her makeup. She must  
know just what clothes and what al-  
terations in the dress will work the  
transformation, and she must in a way  
play the hostess and put her subject  
at her ease.

It is difficult art, but those who  
do succeed find that in every way they  
are repaid for the trouble it took them  
to reach their present status. And the  
best of all is that the over-esthetic  
photographer will find that by sup-  
pressing her early "artistic" tenden-  
cies she has arrived at that true art  
which is only expressed in simplicity  
and naturalness.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

To shine boots quickly do not black-  
en, but rub with a piece of an orange.  
Let the juice dry, then polish with a  
soft brush, when they will shine like  
a mirror.

A good method of washing windows  
is to take two or three pieces of lump  
starch, dissolve in the water and wash  
windows with the same. Let it dry  
and polish with a dry cloth.

Common tray cloths may be made  
from worn-out tablecloths by cutting  
the desired size from the strongest  
parts and folding a hem one and one-  
half inches wide with miter corners.

One of the best remedies for remov-  
ing corns is turpentine. Touch the corn  
every night before retiring with a little  
turpentine. It will come out in a very  
short time. Apply the turpentine with  
a toothpick.

Best Ways to Wind Wool.  
Wool for knitting or crocheting should  
never be wound very tightly into a  
hard ball, as this makes it thin and  
poor. Some good knitters merely un-  
wind the skein into a soft heap, but  
this method is only possible where  
there is no fear of entanglement, as if  
the heap of wool be disturbed it soon  
gets into a hopeless tangle. A better  
plan is to wind the wool over three or  
four fingers of the left hand held out-  
side the ball. These fingers should be  
gently withdrawn at frequent inter-  
vals to change the position of the ball.  
Wool thus wound is always soft and  
full of thread.

A Fashionable Gem.  
Of the minor gems of which the  
smartly gowned woman now makes  
much there is a translucent green stone  
known as amazonite. It is of vivid  
and yet a soft green and purposely is  
worn on a platinum chain to look as  
if detached and to make a bright cen-  
ter of color on a white blouse. Rose  
quartz is another of the same kind  
used for necklace ornaments and hal-  
pins.

**PATERSON'S**  
**COUGH DROPS**  
Quick relief and certain cure for coughs,  
colds, sore throat and all irritations  
of the mucous membrane.  
Delicious flavor. Physicians recommend  
them. Ask for the three-colored kind in  
the red and yellow box.  
**THEY WILL CURE**

HAD CONFIDENCE IN BUILDER.

Royal Commission on Quebec Disaster  
at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—Before the Royal  
Commission, yesterday, investigating  
the Quebec bridge disaster, Colling-  
wood Schreiber, consulting engineer  
for the Government, was closely ques-  
tioned. He told of the plans for the  
bridge, being approved and dealt with  
the steps in connection with the de-  
velopment of the project and the sub-  
mission of new plans and specifica-  
tions drawn by Mr. Cooper, the cele-  
brated bridge engineer of New York.  
This was in 1900. These specifica-  
tions were approved by order in coun-  
cil and by himself after they had  
been referred to and reported on by  
Mr. B. C. Douglas, the Departmental  
bridge engineer.

At this point Mr. Schreiber ex-  
plained that owing to the reputation  
of Mr. Cooper as a constructor of  
bridges, the Department relied upon  
his judgment largely as to the gen-  
eral plans of the bridge. Details were  
sent to Mr. Douglas to be reported on.

In response to a question by Prof.  
Kerry, Collingwood Schreiber explained  
that in 1903 he had asked to be  
authorized to employ a competent  
bridge engineer to watch the work for  
him. He corresponded with Mr.  
Nichols, a well-known bridge en-  
gineer of New York, and also wrote  
to Mr. Cooper about the matter. Mr.  
Cooper did not favor the idea. He  
took the ground that if this were done  
it would take the responsibility of his  
shoulders. As a result, and in view of  
Mr. Cooper's great reputation and the  
fact that the interests of the Dominion  
Government and the Phoenix Bridge  
Co. were identical, it was finally de-  
cided that it would be better to rely  
on him. The net result was that in  
the making of the general designs Mr.  
Cooper was given a rather free hand.

When Rheumatism Doubles a Man  
Up, physicians and sufferers alike  
lose heart and often despair of a  
cure, but here's the exception. Wm.  
Pegg, of Norwood, Ont., says: "I  
was nearly doubled up with rheuma-  
tism. I got three bottles of South  
American Rheumatic Cure and they  
cured me. It's the quickest acting  
medicine I ever saw." 15  
Sold by C. H. Gann & Co., and  
W. W. Turner.

Ferry Capsized; 14 Drown.

Mobile, Ala., Sept. 27.—A ferryboat  
crossing the Tombigbee River at the  
McDrew, was capsized near Jackson,  
Ala., last yesterday, and capsized,  
drowning one white boy and 13 ne-  
groes.

The scene of the accidents has long  
been regarded as a very dangerous  
place by navigators of the river, on  
account of the rapid and treacherous  
current and the rocky shoals there.

QUESTION OF MARRIAGE

During the last thirty-five years  
the marriage rate in England and the  
basis of population has declined 22  
per cent.

A decided change has also taken  
place in England in an age at which  
marriages are made. Thirty-five  
years ago 77 out of 1,000 males in  
England that were married were under  
21. At the present time out of  
every 1,000 males married, only 43  
were under 21.

In other days out of nearly every  
1,000 women married, 217 were under  
21, while now in every 1,000 the  
males number only 146.

This is numerical evidence of the  
fact that early marriages are becom-  
ing unpopular in the British-speaking  
world.

The marriage age of those of ripe  
years is also rising, according to  
statistics. Thirty years ago  
the average of bachelors in England  
who marry was 23, while it now is  
27. The average of spinsters who  
marry has risen from 21 to 25.

These English statistics are indica-  
tive of somewhat similar matrimo-  
nial conditions existing in Canada.  
There is no reason to suppose that  
men do not love and desire to wed  
as ardently as they did a third of a  
century ago, and the reason of the  
change in the matrimonial point of  
view is not difficult to discover. The  
reason is largely economic.

For this altered condition women  
are largely responsible through their  
increasing competition with men in  
industrial and business life whereby  
the opportunities of young men for  
remuneration sufficient to marry up-  
on are lessened, and the opportuni-  
ties of young women to become in-  
dependent of or indifferent to matrimo-  
ny are increased.



Household Linens | **WM. FOREMAN & CO.** | See the Tab's Markings at \$1

Do you want a new hat for Sunday? You'll find a becoming hat here that will suit you in every respect. You'll find one that will suit your purse on Saturday and Saturday evening.

## Dress Fabrics

AT

# 50c.

Never before have we had such good values in fashionable cloths at this popular price.

You'll find every wanted color in plain cloths, and in Tweeds the assortment would be hard to equal. Come Saturday for these.

New plaids in the following clan tartans: McIntosh, Menzie, McKinnon, Black Watch, Ross, Royal Stuart, McLaren, Murray, Gordon, Forbes, Douglas, Farquharson, Robertson and shepherds' plaids. Extra good values, per yard 50c.

Nobby Tweeds in stylish patterns, per yard 50c.

All wool Venetians in two shades of brown, two shades of navy and two shades of cardinal. Very special, at per yard 50c.

\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.65 plaid, all wool cloths in colors, grey, light blue, navy, cardinal and greens. Not this season's purchase. At per yard 50c.

## WILLIAM FOREMAN

### LEAVES FOR MONTREAL

Mr. David Crombie has left London for Montreal to take up his duties as assistant master of transportation of the Grand Trunk.

Master of Transportation Brownlee was in the city yesterday and to The Free Press spoke of his appointment: "Yes, Crombie was altogether too good a man to leave in London for long and we needed him in Montreal, so to Montreal he went."

Mr. Brownlee said that Mr. Crombie's successor had not yet been named, but will probably be a local man.

Mr. Crombie's appointment to his new position was altogether a surprise, as he had only moved his family to the city from Chatham three weeks ago, and things had just nicely been adjusted when the process of moving had to be begun all over again.

Mr. Crombie is a former resident of Chatham, having just recently severed his connection with the firm of Geo. Stephens & Co., hardware merchants. His many friends here will be interested and pleased to hear of his success.

### SEEN AT THE FAIR

The Model Drawing Room of the T. Eaton Company.

One of the delights of the recent Toronto Exhibition was the display of the T. Eaton Company. The furnished home, set forth as a model by this firm attracted a great deal of attention and favorable comment. There seemed to be no desire to crowd the rooms unduly, and the decorative scheme was always tasteful and artistic. Particularly beautiful was the drawing room, with its wall paneling in soft tints, its delicate hangings, and its elegant and graceful furniture. It is not surprising that in order to complete the beauty of the room, the firm selected a magnificent Goulay piano of Sheraton design. The rich beauty of this splendid instrument seemed to harmonize perfectly with the surroundings. It is understood that a similar exhibit, even more elaborate, will be made by the Eaton Company at the Ottawa Exhibition. For this also a Goulay piano has been selected, so that the design as prepared by the expert of the company will be complete in every detail. Certainly a drawing room in these days is scarcely complete without the finest piano manufactured in Canada, and it is plain that the Eaton Company is seized of this undoubted fact.



### The Hardest

Lesson of all a child has to learn is the desirability of saving shoe-leather—it seems as if no amount of "telling" does any good; which is perhaps only natural after all.

To meet this parental worry, we have among our new Fall shoes two lines of "Boys' and Girls' Shoes that come as near solving the difficulty as possible.

STRAIGHTBILT SHOE for Boys \$1.75

Sizes 11 to 13 1/2 \$2.25

ROMPER SHOE for Girls \$1.75

Size 11 to 2

Nice fitting, splendidly finished, good wearing shoes—every pair warranted. These are cheaper than too low-priced shoes in the end.

## GEO. W. COWAN

## SULMAN'S YARNS

Are known by all his customers as being the best that money can buy. Are you getting your yarn from him? If not it will pay you to do so! Give him a trial this Fall and find out, as others have done, that they are the best.

SULMAN makes a specialty of good yarns and wools.

BEEHIVE FINGERING, in 11 shades, at 10c. per skein.

SCOTCH FINGERING, at 60 and 80 cents. per lb.

CANADIAN YARNS, the best grade, clean and pure, at 55 cents. per lb.

BERLIN ZEPHYR AND ANDELUSIAN GOBLIN, at 10 cents. per oz.

ICE WOOL, at 30 cents. per Ball.

ANGORA, at 16 cents. per Ball.

SHEPHERD FLOSS, 7 cents. per skein.

You can get any kind of Yarn at

## SULMAN'S BEEHIVE,

"The Store with the Stock"

KING & 6th STREETS

## SOCIETY

Mrs. James Fleming entertained a number of friends to tea on Monday.

Mrs. Conte entertained Tuesday in honor of her guest, Miss Eberts, of Little Rock.

Mrs. J. B. Rankin gave a tea Friday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Short, of Kingston.

The Misses Massey entertained a number of young lady friends to a point euchre party Tuesday afternoon, from six to ten. The progressive prize was carried off by Mrs. Mason, and in the lone hands, five had to cut, Miss Nora Stephenson winning on the cut.

Miss Maud Banning, Victoria avenue, spent yesterday with friends in Detroit.

Miss Ella Stephens, King street west, spent Thursday in Detroit.

Mr. Percy Chinnick, of the Standard Bank staff, spent Friday in the City of the Straits.

Miss Aggie Phillimore gave a bridge party on Wednesday evening for Miss Vaughan, of Boston, who is the guest of Miss Mary McKeough.

Mrs. Innes gave a household shower for Miss Nan Battisby this afternoon. There was a large attendance and the gifts were many and useful. Each gift was accompanied by a witty line, and these added much to the pleasantness of the occasion.

## SPORT

### BASEBALL

#### STANDING OF LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING				
	Won	Lost	P. C.	
Detroit	87	56	.608	
Philadelphia	83	55	.601	
Chicago	85	60	.586	
Cleveland	83	62	.572	
New York	66	75	.468	
St. Louis	62	84	.424	
Boston	58	88	.397	
Washington	46	95	.326	

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING				
	Won	Lost	P. C.	
Chicago	102	41	.713	
Pittsburgh	87	55	.613	
New York	81	62	.562	
Philadelphia	74	63	.540	
Brooklyn	60	78	.437	
Cincinnati	60	83	.417	
Boston	54	86	.386	
St. Louis	45	98	.315	

CHATHAM LEAGUE STANDING				
	Won	Lost	To Play	
C. F. M.	9	6	1	
Tammany Healers	9	6	1	
Wagon Works	8	6	2	
Motor Car	3	11	2	

#### BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American League Scores.				
	R.H.E.		R.H.E.	
Detroit	000020300-5 3 1	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
Chicago	000100021-4 8 3	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
Boston	001001000-2 5 2	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
St. Louis	010101013-7 14 1	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
New York	000101003-2 5 2	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
Philadelphia	000000000-0 0 0	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
Washington	000000000-0 0 0	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
Cleveland	000000000-0 0 0	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
Batteries—Hughes and Warner; Thumma and Clarke. Umpire—Hurst and Brown.				
Second game—				
Washington	200101002-3 7 0	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
Cleveland	000000000-0 0 0	Batteries—White and Sullivan; Youngs, Morgan and Shaw. Umpire—Sheridan.		
Batteries—Leever, Camnitz, Oty and Gibson; Bouites, Frock, Demau and Ball. Umpire—Ruderman.				

#### COST OF LIVING

The employees of the post office, customs and other branches of the public service, who are appearing before a commission on behalf of securing more pay, have submitted this table as the cost of living for a family of six:

Rent per month	\$15.00
Fuel, per month	4.50
Food per month	48.00
Furnishings	3.00
Clothing	12.00
Schooling	3.00
Medical expenses	2.00
Church	3.00
Recreation	4.50
Insurance	2.80
Retiring and guarantee fund	2.00
Light and gas	2.00
Help	4.00
Total, \$100.80 per month, \$1,209.60 per year.	

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## THE FIFTH DAY OF GREATEST SHOPPING EVENT

Our HARVEST HOME SALE is a great success. We intend giving greater Bargains Monday, that you will find irresistible.

### Monday's Bargains Have Seldom Been Equalled

Either in quality or reduction, these prices speak for themselves. Come as Early as you can if only to see.

#### Women's Skirts, Coats and Waists

25 only Walking Skirts for Ladies' and Misses, not a great quantity, so much more reason for haste, every skirt is worth \$3.50, some of them more, a good assortment of patterns, Monday \$1.75.

36 only White Waists, they are made of medium weight duck, mercerized finish, they are specially made for fall wear, for those who wear white waists, neatly made and have embroidered fronts, a regular \$2 line, Monday 95c.

#### New Fall Coats \$6.50

We have prepared for the biggest business in Coats, we have the stock all carefully cut and well tailored. We can and will give you Ten dollars worth Monday for \$6.50.

#### Scotch Plaid Dress Goods

You would almost think you were in the Highlands of Scotland if you would visit New York now, judging from the craze for Scotch plaids. We have a special all wool line 42 inches wide, in Campbell, Black Watch or 42nd Forbes, Argyle, King Edward, McKinnon, Fraser and others. The price for Monday is 45c.

#### Kid Gloves, Laces and Veiling

Only a limited quantity of the kid gloves, about 50 pairs they are the odds and ends of our Spring and early Fall stock, the gloves were \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 and are in black and colors, to the first customer, they will get a good bargain, Monday 50c a pair.

The balance of that lovely Guipure Allover Lace, 18 in. wide, lovely patterns, used now for lace waists and worth \$1.25, we can afford to sell it Monday at 75c yard.

Silk Veiling, just the correct lengths for a veil 1 1/4 yds. and 1 1/2 yds., all colors, regular 25c and 35c yard, Monday 19c a veil.

#### Corsets at 25c a pair

Worth much more, but odd sizes and we want to make a quick clearance of them, besides we want a busy day at the corset counter, Monday 25c pair.

#### Children's Hose, 3 pair 50c

All sizes in the lot from 5 1/2 to 10, best quality, every pair is worth 25c and good for that, Monday 3 pair for 50c.

#### Staples for Monday

5 pieces only of a specially fine cotton soft finish suitable for underwear and children's wear, it has all the appearance and feel of fine nainsook, and is worth 12 1/2c a yd., Monday 8c yd.

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Just cool enough to want a comfortable waists, we have a large selection of the new designs with dots and fancy designs, reg. 12 1/2c, Monday 10c yd.

#### Mill Ends of Flannelette

White, pink and blue saxony flannelette and fancy striped flannelette direct from the mills, pcs. that had been damaged by the machinery are cut off and cast aside. We buy it by the large bale and sell it at 50 per cent. less than regular price, length from 1 to 10 yds., special Monday at 5c, 6c, 7c and 8c per yard.

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10 pcs. Victoria Lawn, 37 in. wide, extra heavy make, all the better for that, for now it's a 20c lawn regular, we bought it to sell Monday at 11c.

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## DISTRICT

### BLENHEIM

Blenheim, Sept. 28.—Mr. Neil Finley, of Blenheim, spent Thursday at Chatham this week.

Mr. Mort Bunnell has secured the position of baggage man at the Blenheim station.

Miss Jean McDonald, of Ridgetown, will take part in the program at the Methodist festival on Monday night.

Mrs. Watlin, of the station restaurant, who has been visiting her daughter in London for a few days, returned home to Blenheim Thursday night.

Last night was band practice night for the Fair, and those living in the vicinity of the Town Hall enjoyed their playing very much.

The millinery shops did not have a very nice day yesterday for the first day of their millinery openings.

Mr. Peter Davidson, who has been spending his holidays in Toronto, returned to Blenheim last night and will resume his position at the Blenheim Junction next week.

Miss Ella Ward, who has been a highly respected citizen of Blenheim for a number of years, left yesterday morning for her new home at Wardville.

The Methodist church, Blenheim, will hold its harvest home services to-morrow, Sept. 29, morning and evening, and the festival on Monday following promises to be a treat in every sense of the word.

A school concert, to be given by the Blenheim Public school, will be held in the Opera House on Friday evening, October 4, and promises to be very interesting. A good program is being prepared, consisting of songs, choruses, recitations and speeches; also a short drama or play by a number from the school.

The certificates of merit obtained by the scholars at their different examinations will be awarded to those entitled to them during the course of the evening. A large crowd is expected to be present.

Messrs. J. W. Fleming and son have offered to donate a new ball to which ever comes out victorious in the next game played between the Ridley and South Harwich baseball teams. These teams have already played two games and stand even so far.

The directors of the Harwich Agricultural Society, who are holding their annual fall fair at Blenheim on Oct. 9 and 10, are doing everything in their power to make the fair a success. They have quite a lengthy program of special attractions, races, etc., and on the evening of the second day, Oct. 10, the "Blen-

heim Dramatic Club" will present the comedy drama, "The Turn of the Tide," in the Opera House.

### PARISH WILL PAY THIS PRIEST'S DEBTS

Detroit, Sept. 26.—If the plans of leading parishioners of St. Mary's church work out, every penny of the losses incurred by Rev. Fr. Charles L. Gruenewald will be taken care of. Full restitution will be made to all within and without the parish who loaned sums of varying amount to the priest on his notes.

If this proposal receives the approval of the members of the parish, then Fr. Gruenewald will escape all prosecution. For many weeks past the condition of financial affairs in the parish has been no secret among the members, who are strongly in favor of restitution and against prosecution of the priest. Had the situation been otherwise, Fr. Gruenewald might have been accused long since.

In order to facilitate the settlement, as well as to prevent the undesirable comment which publicity could not fail to bring upon all who had been concerned in the priest's dealings with the financiers whose alluring schemes in Tilbury oil wells, Cobalt mines and Windsor & London electric railway schemes furnished a resolute bottomless pit for approximately \$60,000 of the parishioners' savings and contributions, it was agreed by all who had to do with the rehabilitation of affairs that secrecy was necessary. They consider it a church affair, just as much as though they were setting about to raise \$60,000 to build a new church.

Father Gruenewald's scheme was to exploit the Tilbury oil district to raise funds to establish a great free school with free tuition, free books, and a curriculum second to none in America. This was perhaps the chiefest aim of Fr. Gruenewald. It was likewise sought by the members of the parish.

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