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## THE BRITISH BOWLERS WON

The Chatham Rinks Made An Excellent Showing However

### A GREAT TOURNAMENT

The British bowlers have come and gone, but their visit to this city will long be pleasantly remembered by the Chatham knights of the bowling green, who one and all express themselves as more than delighted with their visitors, whom they entertained in a manner highly fitting the reputation the local men have always held for their hospitality towards their guests.

Yesterday's Planet gave an account of the arrival of the Britishers and the outing on the City of Chatham, which the visitors spoke of as one of the most enjoyable events during their colonial tour.

"It was one of the pleasantest days I ever put in," was the way Dr. J. L. Bray expressed himself this morning. "Everything went along so nicely, and I believe I enjoyed yesterday afternoon's game more than I ever enjoyed any game in my life. The Britishers are all gentlemen and true sports. They know how to play the game and at the same time make things pleasant and congenial for their opponents."



N. H. Stevens, whose rink was one point down.

John McCorvie also made remarks much along the same line. "I never put in a more enjoyable day in my life," he said. "This day had long been looked forward to by the local bowlers. And it was evident that the men from across the seas know how to appreciate the pains taken for their entertainment. They were enthusiastic over the beauty of this city and vicinity, and though they have been royally entertained wherever they have gone, they were not slow in telling their hosts how greatly they enjoyed the day."

"We did everything we could to make their visit an enjoyable one," said Mr. R. G. Fleming, "and we feel amply repaid for our pains." The visit of the Britishers was from start to finish a unique success.

The scene on Tecumseh Park yesterday afternoon was one long to be remembered. The green had been profusely decorated with British flags and colors, and the grounds were in the finest shape. Intense, but suppressed, excitement prevailed. The locals were out to win, and the



L. E. TILLSON, Whose Rink was 1 Point Up.

Britishers were just as anxious to retain their laurels, but through it all the most friendly spirit prevailed. Quite a large crowd of interested spectators gathered to witness the contest which commenced early in the afternoon and was continued till 6.30 in the evening. All afternoon white-shirted, coolly-attired men might be seen moving about the green, wholly wrapped up in the excitement of the game, while the broad dialect of the visitors gave the Old Country touch to proceedings. Since coming to this country the Britishers have picked up considerable of the sporting slang in vogue.

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## A POOR, DEMENTED WOMAN JUMPS INTO THE RIVER AT THE REAR OF ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL

Miss Mary Limberger of Duart, a patient at the Hospital was Drowned this Afternoon--Was Found Floating on the water--Was Seen Going Down the Bank--An Inquest will be Held.

Mrs. Limberger, a maiden lady, incarcerated at St. Joseph's Hospital, committed suicide this afternoon by drowning herself in the river at the rear of the institution. The woman, when afterwards found floating on the river, was discovered to be stone dead. A peculiar feature of the case was that the body floated on the water, while persons drowned usually sink to the bottom. The discovery was made shortly after the woman had committed the deed.

The deceased woman was brought here from Duart on July 25th last, and incarcerated in the institution. Her father and mother are said to be deceased, but she has brothers and sisters living in the town of Duart.

She was subject to fits of despondency and melancholy, and from what can be learned her mind was deranged when she was first taken to the hospital.

She had often made threats to take her own life, and her mental condition appeared to become worse every day. A careful watch was kept on her, but with the cunning of the demented, she managed to steal away from her nurse to-day, and she was only missed a short time when the news of her body being found in the river was brought to the hospital.

A Planet reporter arrived at the hospital before either the police or the coroner had arrived. The good ladies of the institution were in a state of great excitement. The news of the drowning came as a distinct shock to them.

The Mother Superior when interviewed said that Mary Limberger, the deceased woman, had been incarcerated at the hospital last July. She was slightly demented, and the nurses had to keep a close watch on her. The last seen of her was this afternoon shortly before she was drowned. She was at that time walking over near Mr. Massey's property. Nothing was apprehended at the time, as she did not appear to be acting strangely.

When she was brought to the hospital she was suffering from some illness, and it was afterwards that it was discovered that she was slightly insane.

The theory is advanced that the woman must have thrown herself some distance into the stream, al-

though as far as is at present known no one saw her commit the deed. The body had floated some distance down the river before it was found.

The deceased was 45 years of age, and, though mentally deranged, she was considered harmless, and none of those who knew her dreamed that she would make an attempt on her life.

Coroner Bray and Officer Darr, of the Police Force, arrived on the scene a short time after The Planet.

"When was she found?" asked Dr. Bray.

"Just a few moments ago," replied one of the sisters.

"Was the body floating?"

"Yes."

The coroner remarked that this was peculiar, as drowned persons usually sink to the bottom, rising to the surface some time after.

One of the nurses saw her walking over near Mr. Massey's place this afternoon just a short time before her body was found," continued the sister. "She did not appear to be acting strangely at that time. She got down to the river unnoticed by anyone."

The relatives of the deceased woman in Duart have been notified of her death, and it is likely that a coroner's inquest will be held.

## EXCELLENT EXHIBITION

Corinthian Football Team Gave the Spectators Their Money's worth

### THANKS TO MR. PIGGOTT

Possibly the finest exhibition of football that has ever been put up in Chatham was witnessed by the local enthusiasts at Agricultural Park yesterday afternoon when the Corinthian team of England played the All-Kent aggregation, and defeated them by a score of 5-2.

The game was a good one from the spectators' standpoint, and at times it was quite exciting. The play, of course, was very much one-sided, as the Corinthians had things all their own way from the start. The All-Kents, however, were in the game long enough to keep things interesting, and although the score was against them, they have no reason to feel discouraged. The two goals they scored were got after good hard work.

One thing which was quite noticeable was the slowness of the local boys in comparison with their expert opponents. They were also weak in their kicking, and did not place the ball well enough. When they did brighten up and make a rush on the goal they were generally successful in at least getting a shot, but the big Corinthian was always in the right place. Aitken, the Chatham goal keeper had his day off yesterday, and allowed some very easy ones to go through. He partially made up for it by stopping some swift ones later on. The Chatham backs were also weak in clearing their goal, many times kicking the ball behind when if they had been surer of the kick, they would have made a far better showing.

The Corinthian team on the other hand, are all sure kicks, and they place the ball beautifully. They are quick on their feet, and very seldom made a false pass. It seemed to the spectators that wherever the ball went, there was an Englishman waiting for it. They play together, with no fancy grand stand manoeuvres which so often mar the local games. As one man remarked, they pass the ball much the same as the Chatham boys do in lacrosse. The forwards go down the field in a straight line passing the ball along as they go, and the shots go in like lightning. Each man has his place and he keeps there, and his companions can pass to him without looking to see where he is. The special feature of the game was the excellent head work of the Corinthians. They pass to each other with their heads, as well as they do with their feet. It was a treat well worth seeing, to witness the play of the visitors.

At the start of the game, the local boys seemed to be afraid of their opponents. The visitors were all big men, while the Kents were much smaller. Notwithstanding this, there

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### WEATHER FOR SEPTEMBER

Rev. Irl R. Hicks, in Word and Works, predicts for September a storm period from the first to the fourth, with cool, weather, and frosts "10" high, barometer, and westerly gales follow these storms; but high temperature and threatening electrical storms may not subside entirely. From the first to the fourth is also a seismic period, the prophet says. Then there is a storm period on the 7th and 8th, another on the 12th and 13th, and still another on the 17th, 18th and 19th, which will affect land and sea, and there may be seismic throes and volcanic outbreaks. There will be a storm period from the 22nd to the 26th, and a reactionary disturbance on the 29th and 30th.

### WALL CONDEMNED

The new front built to the Reliance Loan Co's banking building on King street was recently examined by the Company's architect from Toronto, who has since condemned it as not being according to what the specifications required.

The result will be that the new wall will have to be torn down and rebuilt.

### OIL NOTES

Nearly half of Dover has been leased. The trend of the field is towards Petrolia. American oil men and others are offering to buy at good figures the freehold of oil-producing farms. They want to control the royalties and the real estate market is considerably affected in the oil region. Prices of farm property have stiffened correspondingly.

Church, Norton, Bowby & G. W. Benson are starting a well on lot 14, Con. 7, Raleigh. This is a pure wild cat and will be a test for a vast scope of territory. The location is about midway between Charing Cross and Tilbury fields.

E. J. Maize of Lima, secured a lease on the Williams farm near the village of Fletcher, the past week, the consideration being \$1,800 and one-eighth of the oil. Mr. Maize has already shipped a carload of tools and materials from Lima, O., to the new fields and expects it to arrive within the next few days, when he will get busy.

Roth, Barnard & Co. have purchased the material and equipment formerly owned by the Alexander Oil & Development Co. on the Whaley farm, Mersea, and will remove the same to the Tilbury fields.

Miss Eva Dunlop, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her uncle, Dr. J. P. Rutherford, Wellington street.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Rutherford spent Tuesday at the Eau, the guests of Mrs. (Dr.) J. W. Rutherford.

### MORE DIFFICULT

I'm told he broke his father's heart. He may have, responded the family lawyer, grimly, but I don't think he'll succeed in breaking the old gentleman's will.

## BIG SMASH-UP AT ST. THOMAS

C. P. R. And Wabash Expresses Figure In A Serious Wreck

### TWO MEN ARE KILLED

(Special to The Planet.)

St. Thomas, Aug. 24.—A serious railway wreck occurred at the C. P. R. and Wabash diamond near here at 11.30 this morning, resulting in one man being killed and two others probably fatally injured.

A C. P. R. passenger train which had the right of way, was crossing the diamond, when it was pitched into by a Wabash train, the pilot of the latter striking the C. P. R. train between the engine and the first coach. Both engines were badly wrecked.

Those seriously injured belong to the C. P. R. crew. The Wabash crew as far as is at present known, escaped without serious injury. The following is a partial list of those killed and injured.

Engineer McKay, of the C. P. R. crew, of Toronto Junction, killed.

Fireman Patterson, of the C. P. R. crew, of Toronto Junction, injured, perhaps fatally.

Baggageman Wiley, of the C. P. R. crew, of St. Thomas, seriously and perhaps fatally injured.

Several of the passengers of the C. P. R. train were also injured.



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## ALCOHOL NOW NO DRUG

Impressive Testimony of Sir Victor Horsley and Others.

An Evolution of Knowledge Rather Than a Mere Change of Opinion—Surgeons and Doctors Have Alike Found That Its Use Is Detrimental to Patients—Medical Profession as an Agent in Reform.

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Addresses from two of the most eminent men in attendance at the British Medical Association were the leading features in yesterday's proceedings. Sir James Barr delivered his address in the section of medicine on "The Circulation Viewed From the Periphery," and Sir Victor Horsley in the surgery section spoke "On the Technique of Operations on the Central Nervous System." The sectional work of the day was of great interest, including papers from Prof. Chittenden on his proteid experiments; Dr. Barker's essay "Amino Acids and Metabolism"; Dr. Blackadder's contribution on "Rheumatism in Children"; papers on cancer research by Dr. E. F. Basiford, London; Prof. Gaylord, Buffalo; Dr. Clowes, Buffalo; Prof. Gayler, New York, while the state medicine section afforded a valuable discussion on water and milk supplies.

The senate of the Toronto University has determined to confer the degree of LL.D. honoris causa on thirteen members of the association.

**MEDICAL VIEW CHANGES.**

Value of Alcohol as a Drug Practically Nil.

Yesterday's work of the British Association had no more interesting feature than the Dominion Alliance luncheon in the gymnasium at 1 o'clock. The temperance question has, of course, long passed the fad stage, but yesterday's proceedings placed the authoritative stamp of medical science upon the movement. Sir Victor Horsley, F.R.S., surgeon of University College Hospital, London; Prof. G. Sims Woodhead, professor of pathology, Cambridge University, and Dr. Murdoch Cameron, professor of medicine, Glasgow University, to mention no others, were sufficient by their presence to indicate this.

Sir Victor was received with prolonged applause by the crowded audience. Canadians were probably aware of the attitude of his countrymen. The French-speaking practitioners had recently passed a strong resolution, and the profession as a whole had indicated a hostile rather than a friendly attitude towards the drug called alcohol. He was there to give them some views of the views of B. M. A. formed a majority. Years ago the association had urged the Government to take more active steps to advance temperance in the nation, and on the whole, the profession in England was hostile to alcohol. It was not only a true in regard to alcohol as a beverage, but as a drug.

No Use as a Drug.

"As a drug—in my opinion—its value is practically nil," he said, and there was loud applause. It had been a diagram in blood-poisoning, in post-surgical conditions, and in other cases to administer alcohol, but on all these points it was no longer used.

Twenty years ago Dr. Hare began a table which Sir Victor had been able to bring up to-date. He displayed a diagram showing the consumption of milk and alcohol in seven London hospitals since 1867. At that time \$40,000 a year was spent on alcohol in these institutions, and the amount remained about level till 1872. In 1882 milk cost for the same amount \$15,000. In 1882, when Sir Victor was a student, the values of the two commodities used in these hospitals was equal, and two years ago they had changed their relative positions, milk having cost \$40,000 and alcohol only \$15,000. In 1882 the salary of a salaried 25 years ago \$300 had been spent annually on alcohol. Last year the cost was \$7. This was due to no mere change of opinion, but to an evolution of knowledge. The change began with surgery, and as a surgeon he was not prejudiced in its favor. "But the credit was really due to the great man to whom we owe everything—Lord Lister." (Applause.)

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the magistrate he had no recollection of the affair. "Then you must have been very drunk," said the magistrate. "A man should keep sober who is liable to act like that when drunk, and we must try and correct you. A few days in jail will do you good. The police pleaded cognation, coarctation, but the magistrate imposed sentence."

**SYMBOLIZES OUR LOYALTY.**

Brilliant Plate Presentation Ceremony On Board Battleship Dominion.

Quebec, Aug. 23.—Representatives were in attendance here from most cities in Canada at the presentation ceremony on board H. M. S. Dominion of the plate symbolic of the expression of the popular sentiment of the Canadian people, their loyalty to the Empire, and their appreciation of the compliment paid Canada by the Admiralty in naming one of the newest and most powerful battleships after this Dominion.

The battleship was gallily bedecked in red and white bunting, flags, etc. The two French cruisers now in this harbor also honored the occasion by flying the British ensign.

His Excellency the Governor-General, Lady Grey, Lord Howick, Lieut. Governor Jettie, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Right Hon. Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, C. M. G., British ambassador at Washington; Mayor Garnett, the French admiral, members of the committees of Toronto, Montreal and Halifax, etc., were on board from 1 p. m. when they partook of luncheon, and when the hour for the presentation arrived, the vessel was crowded.

The Ontario flag which is chiefly responsible for the Canadian trophy, was represented by J. K. Osborne, Lieut.-Col. J. J. Davidson and W. B. McMurrich, K. C. The treasurer, D. R. Wilkie, and secretary, Capt. Des Voeux, were unable to get here, as was also Lieut.-Governor Clarke of Ontario.

Acting Mayor Johnson of Halifax presented a silver punch bowl from the citizens of Halifax.

The trophies presented by the Governor-General consist of a silver shield, a massive silver cup, and a silver vase. The total amount of each subscription having been limited to 25 cents.

His Excellency made a fitting speech in making the presentation, and called on J. Kerr Osborne, who presented the presentation speech, which the latter did.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said jokingly that he was a man of peace, strong on railways and waterways, etc., but not on battleships. He alluded eloquently to the entire absence of which existed now between France and England and said that the presence of the French admiral was evident and living proof of this good understanding.

A grand concert by the sailors of the Dominion, assisted by the band of the French flag ship, was given.

**SAN LUIS CAPTURED.**

Cuban Insurgents, After Sharp Engagement, Get Important Base.

Havana, Aug. 23.—The insurgents in the Province of Pinar del Rio captured the first city there yesterday.

At 9 o'clock yesterday morning the forces led by Pino Guerra, who is an ex-congressman and an influential man, and who was thought to be many miles eastward, and sundry other insurgent bands attacked San Luis, which is situated on the railroad, about 10 miles west of Pinar del Rio.

A sharp and decisive engagement followed, during which a number of men were killed or wounded. The town was defended by less than one hundred rural guards, fifty of whom surrendered to the insurgents and are now held as prisoners.

The insurgent forces are now in possession of the railroad station and of the town, which is resuming its normal condition.

In the capture of San Luis, which has about 10,000 inhabitants, the insurgents have obtained an important base for their operations.

Luis Perez, the last Liberal governor of the Province of Pinar del Rio, has joined the insurgent forces in that province.

Practically all the inhabitants of the Town of Aguacate, a few miles north of San Luis, have declared themselves in insurrection against the Government.

**Reverse For the Rebels.**

A telegram to the Government late last night stated that Major Laurent, with his detachment of rural guards, fought a battle in its favor. "But the credit was really due to the great man to whom we owe everything—Lord Lister." (Applause.)

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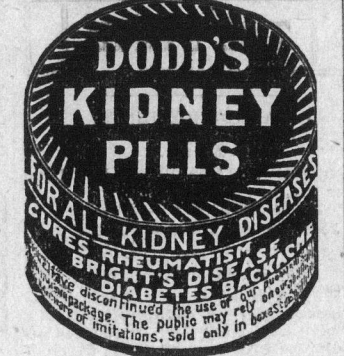
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**SAILOR KILLS PRIEST'S NIECE.**

Cuts Throat, Robs House and Flees While Victim's Uncle Is Away.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 23.—News was received yesterday of a terrible murder at New Ireland, a remote village of Albert County. The victim was Miss Mary McCaulay, about 45 years of age, niece and housekeeper to Rev. Father McCaulay, parish priest.

Father McCaulay had given a home to Thomas Collins, a sailor, who appeared in the village three days ago. On Sunday, while the priest was away, Collins borrowed a razor from a neighbor and cut her throat from ear to ear, threw her body in a wood shed, robbed the house of considerable money and fled.

Monday McCaulay did not return until Tuesday. Collins is believed to be making his way to the States, and may be captured, but that is doubtful. There was no attempt at assault.

**Bail For Mrs. Miller.**

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Mrs. William Miller, who was committed for trial by Magistrate Kingsford, on the charge of selling medicines to Mrs. Agnes Brindant, which caused her death, was yesterday admitted to bail. Mrs. Miller furnished \$2,500, and Henry Bedell became security for a like amount.

**Letter Carrier Trapped.**

Montreal, Aug. 23.—Pierre Comeau, a Montreal letter carrier, suspected of stealing money from letters, was trapped yesterday by means of decoy letters.

**Must Stand Trial.**

Toronto, Aug. 23.—George Finlayson of Montreal must stand trial before a jury on a charge of assaulting Charlie Querrie of the Tecumseh during the civic holiday game. Querrie on the stand yesterday said the blow had knocked his teeth out. He did not know how many stitches were required to sew up his injured scalp, nor did he know who struck him. Thomas Carless, manager of the Montreal lacrosse team, furnished bail in \$200.

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**Berlin Wins.**

Toronto, Aug. 23.—Berlin can go on with its plans for the expropriation on Sept. 6 of the Berlin Waterworks Electric Railway. Justice MacMahon, who heard argument of counsel on a technicality as to jurisdiction, yesterday announced his decision in favor of Berlin. The railway is to pay the costs of the application to the Town of Berlin.

**The Insurance Enquiry.**

Ottawa, Aug. 23.—The Insurance Commission will resume at Toronto Sept. 6. A ten days' session will likely be held, followed by a similar sitting in Montreal, after which the closing sitting will be held in Ottawa. The report will be ready for the autumn session of the Commons.

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**Earl of Leven Is Dead.**

London, Aug. 23.—The Earl of Leven and Melville (Ronald Ruthven Leslie-Melville), Lord High Commissioner of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland and keeper of the Privy Seal of Scotland, died yesterday. He was born in 1835.

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**Found Dead In Room.**

St. Thomas, Aug. 23.—Mrs. Jennie Lake, wife of Colburn Lake, Chicago, formerly of this city, was found dead in her room with her pet dog lying beside her, by her husband on his return from his usual trip, being an engineer on N. Y. C. R. Asphyxiation from a defective gas pipe was the cause of death. The deceased was born in Port Dover 24 years ago, and married only two years. The body was brought to Canada for burial.

**Mina's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.**

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**LONDON'S PARKS.**

\$228,000 Expended Annually In Looking After the Big City's Parks and Gardens—Showy Effects.

The lungs of London are controlled in part by the County Council and in part by the Office of Works. In the last official year Spring Gardens was responsible for 103 open spaces, having a total extent of nearly 5,000 acres, and a permanent outdoor staff of 900 men. Upon this department the annual expenditure has reached about £128,000, and since the County Council was formed, fifteen years ago, it has spent rather more than a million sterling upon this public service. In addition to this there is the city's contribution of £100,000 a year towards the maintenance of Epping Forest, Burnham Beeches, and elsewhere. It will thus be seen that the maintenance of London's open spaces means an aggregate expense every year of at least a quarter of a million, while employment is given to nearly three thousand men.

Some of the showiest effects are produced at a trifling cost. Thus the London County Council spends £500 on bulbs, and for the sum obtains no fewer than 320,000 spring flowers. The bulbs are delivered by the contractors at the end of September, and the task of planting them is at once proceeded with. They represent 155 varieties, of which one-half comprise hyacinths, tulips, crocuses, and the seedlings and cuttings are carefully tended during the winter months, in readiness for bedding out in the spring.

The days when the geranium and the calceolaria represented the extent of the imagination of the public gardeners are over, and an enormous variety of plants is now raised, with the result that London's gardens may compare with any in Europe. For many a year the wonderful show seen along Park Lane and round the Serpentine has been raised to a large extent under the shadow of Kensington Palace. In the greenhouses, of which the chief was planned out by Sir Christopher Wren. But Lord Windsor is now spending £12,000 upon new frame grounds near the Magazine, where the coaching clubs meet in the season.

An interesting feature of the Kensington frame-ground is the hospital. In the early winter this is crowded with bananas, plantains, palm-trees, fan palms, and other sub-tropical plants, which, in the early summer, are brought out into the open and give distinction to certain corners of Hyde Park, or to the forecourt of the National Gallery.

Another important department consists of the conveniences for boating. Since the beginning of the century the London County Council have taken over this section from the contractors, and have made an additional profit of £500 a year, although they have reduced the hourly charge to the nimble skippers, and have put a couple of motor boats into commission, with a charge of a penny for each voyage. That much credit is to be undertaken in repainting and re-painting the row-boats will be understood when it is added that in Finsbury Park and Victoria Park alone more than £200 is spent upon this service during the winter.

The care of the waterfowl also occupies the attention of special keepers, and is paid for that duty. The breeding grounds have to be made ready, the due proportion of widgeon and cormorants, swans, and crested grebe, is maintained by a system of exchange and purchase, and the ducklings receive special attention during their weeks of growth. The result being that the lake life of the parks is brought up to a pitch of perfection.

Many scores of attendants devote themselves to the task of preparing the cricket pitches, which naturally require a good deal of attention after the hard work of the football season. This is another story; suffice it to say that Spring Gardens provides more than 300 reserved pitches, upon which 14,000 matches are played during the summer.

Still another branch of activity comprises the arrangements for the bands of music, which cost the London Council upwards of £10,000 every season. The first duty of the musical director as the spring comes round is to listen to the bands who offer themselves to emulate the work of the Council's own bands. The selected ones must submit their repertoires, to his experienced judgment, and the program for each of the 1,200 performers has to pass the scrutiny of the authorities before it is printed.

A dull razor is full of the old nick.

The faint heart never won fair lady.

Things are apt to go a-miss even after a woman is married.

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10—Full Phon

and cures Dandruff

**WOODEN CHECKS.**

Tallies Were Used in England Until the Year 1834.

Wooden checks are the sort of thing one would expect to find used in China or Tibet, but, as a matter of fact, they were used in England from the earliest times down to as late as 1834.

Tallies, as they were called, were made out of a curved piece of hazel, notches being cut along the edges to stand for a certain sum of money. The tally was then sawed half through below the lowest notch and the notched part split into two pieces, on both of which the notches appeared.

These pieces served as check and counterfoil, the latter being always the larger piece with the unnotched end as a kind of handle. The smaller piece was then taken by the payee, the larger sent to the person on whom the check was drawn, generally a collector of customs or other revenues, public or private. He would honor the check on finding that the two pieces fitted and had the amount credited to him by the drawer on returning them together to him. Thus were the great danger and expense of transporting large sums of coin avoided.

Forgery of a tally was obviously impossible unless a new counterfoil could be substituted, and if stolen in the ordinary way it would be of little use to the thief, for, unlike our checks, there was nothing to show on whom it was drawn.

There are still a good many tallies in existence, but the majority were burned in the great fire which destroyed the old houses of parliament. The remainder are chiefly to be found in the public record office and no doubt also in the muniment rooms of great landowners.

**THE DIVINE NAME.**

Ineffable Word That Is Never Used by Many Israelites.

An eminent rabbi has given his view of the ancient Jewish rendering of the name of the Deity. He says that the term "Jehovah," the ineffable tetragrammaton, is never pronounced by many Israelites. They use the word "Adonai," which signifies "the Lord." The translators of the Bible followed this custom, rendering the word "Jehovah" as "Lord." In ancient times the Pharisees replaced the tetragrammaton by Shem. They used "Shemo," which is also Biblical, as the sacred name, and this name is yet retained to some extent among the Jews. But it would appear from passages in the Psalms that Adonai, or Lord, for Jehovah was more ancient even than the times of the Pharisees. It thus occurs eight times in Psalm lxxviii. It also appears in the book of Exodus, where "Jehovah" had been used in the original Hebrew. This substitution would seem to be older than any other, and it is yet common among all Jews.

The rabbi says he has found that the ancient translations testify in favor of "Adonai."



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### PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.  
Toronto, Aug. 24.—11 a. m.—Fresh  
to strong easterly winds, fair and  
comparatively cool to-day and Sat-  
urday.

Supplied by W. W. Turner,  
YESTERDAY.  
Seven a. m. . . . . 78  
Nine a. m. . . . . 71  
Maximum . . . . . 92  
Minimum . . . . . 69

TO-DAY.  
Lowest during the night . . . . . 51  
Seven a. m. . . . . 68  
Barometer . . . . . 29.43

## LOCAL

Dr. and Mrs. Fisher have returned  
from the East.

Ald. Charles Austin is in Dresden  
on business to-day.

J. U. Thibodeau has returned from  
a business trip to Montreal.

Mrs. E. Clancy, of Wallaceburg, is  
the guest of Mrs. John Walsh, Head  
street.

Arthur Carter was fined \$5 in the  
Police Court for being drunk and  
disorderly.

Mrs. Fred. Deloge has returned  
from visiting friends at Benton Har-  
bor and Chicago.

Mrs. Sam. Barnes, Forest street,  
left yesterday for Muskoka on a two  
weeks' vacation.

Mrs. K. Dreyer, of Edgar St., is  
spending a few weeks' holidays at  
her home in Orillia.

The highest registered by the of-  
ficial thermometer yesterday was 92  
degrees in the shade.

Mrs. G. Watts and children, Selkirk  
street, leave on Monday on a three  
weeks' visit to friends in Brantford.

Miss Bella Leith, Richmond St.,  
left yesterday for Fern Valley, Lake  
of Bays, Muskoka, for a two weeks' visit.

Mrs. Geo. D. Watson and daughter  
Isabel, of Bay City, and Mrs. T. W.  
Moore, of Mt. Clemens, are visiting  
Mrs. Ed. T. Jones, Adelaide street.

The funeral of the late Edward  
Prevost, who choked to death while  
at his dinner yesterday, took place  
this afternoon in Pain Court to the  
village cemetery.

H. D. Cowan, brother of ex-Mayor  
G. W. Cowan, of this city, who has  
been visiting his mother, Mrs. Sam-  
uel Cowan, Richmond St., left for  
his home in Springfield, Ill., to-day.

The Board of Works paysheets for  
the past week amounted to \$48.13.  
The Local Improvement list amount-  
ed to \$196.42.

A. L. Sutherland, Woodstock, was  
in city yesterday taking orders  
as Zorra Laddie, the Tug & Me-  
morial and cigars.

cupant Harris, of the C. C. I.  
to cut deceived a card from W.  
the said noise with his wife and  
the period mentioning a trip up the  
made in the act Fort Francis.

tering on the late days Humane  
or destroying them, been kept  
fining of the owner horses with  
refuses or neglects to "th some  
destroy such noxious wee is past  
ices as aforesaid.

That the city authorities have  
cognized their obligations in the  
rection does not appear in any  
degree. There are landlords and  
tenants who treat the statute as a  
deadletter, who ought to be  
shocked into activity by a visit from  
a policeman or some officer of the  
law. Perhaps a general notice pub-  
lished in the city press would have  
a good effect, and, if necessary, a sub-  
sequent prosecution or two would be  
sure to remedy the evil.

It will be noticed that the Ontario  
statute holds the occupant responsi-  
ble for the destruction of the weeds  
growing on the highway adjoining his  
land from his line to the centre line  
of the roadway.

Minard's Liniment — Lumberman's  
Friend.

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## THE STAGE

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Supplied to The Planet by Press  
Agents.)

At the Brisco Opera House—  
Just Struck Town—Aug. 25.

### JUST STRUCK TOWN.

The combination of a Swedish im-  
migrant girl, a country constable,  
a man of leisure and various other  
individuals in that cleverly devel-  
oped mixture "Just Struck Town,"  
which comes to the Brisco Opera  
House to-morrow night, is likely to  
prove a pretty congenial sort of  
play. The author is said to have de-  
veloped a play containing scenes  
that draw frequent laughter, sand-  
wiched with scenes of emotional  
quality. The childlike innocence of  
the immigrant girl devoid of mys-  
tery, the constable in his effort to  
win a wife, who is almost unable to  
comprehend him, Eli Jones, the  
country grocer, 40 years married to  
an inquisitive creature and the ir-  
regular plan of the spend-thrift vil-  
lain, who is feared even by his own  
offspring, form the story of this in-  
diana romance. The show promises  
to be picturequely staged, and the  
acting parts are said to be in cap-  
able hands.

### TWO GOOD GAMES

The Chatham Baseball team is fast  
acquiring a name for itself for fast  
interesting ball. The boys were  
again successful in winning out at  
Highgate on Wednesday when they  
scored two victories, one in the  
morning and one in the afternoon.  
The score for the morning game  
was 11 to 3, and for the afternoon  
game 11 to 5.

Davis, who pitched both games for  
the locals, worked wonders, striking  
out 22 men during the day. This  
young man is proving a veritable  
find, and he has all kinds of steam.  
The catching of Joker Hicks was also  
a feature.

Tom Woods, of Detroit, proved an  
impartial umpire.  
The locals contemplated playing a  
game with the Bothwell team on the  
Athletic grounds here some day next  
week. Full particulars of this game  
will be given later when the arrange-  
ments have been completed.

### METHODIST DISCIPLINE

That a certain element in the  
Methodist Church will, at the ap-  
proaching General Conference in  
Montreal, effort to make a  
strong effort to have eliminated  
from the Discipline the famous  
"testimony," which condemns dance,  
ing, card-playing and theatre-going,  
but whose force some think only  
advisory, while others regard it  
as mandatory, is generally known  
to be among the certainties. There  
is a large proportion of the min-  
isters who would prefer to leave  
such amusements to the individual  
conscience of the members, thinking  
that as other and more serious of-  
fences are covered by the general  
rules, these three should not be  
singled out for special prohibition.

### MORE HARVEST HELP WANTED

—MANITOBA AND SASKATCHE-  
WAN.

Although all the provinces in East-  
ern Canada have contributed large  
number of laborers to assist in har-  
vesting the tremendous wheat crop  
of Canada's Western Provinces there  
is a great demand for more laborers.  
With the improved machinery and  
the men already sent, the crop will  
be cut, but the demand is for laborers  
to assist in the threshing and the  
movement of the grain to the eleva-  
tors.

Between 15,000 and 20,000 laborers  
have gone west, 5,000 to 10,000 more  
are required.  
There will be a low rate laborers' ex-  
cursion from Southwestern Ontario  
on September 5th, from the north-  
western section on September  
7th, and from the northern and east-  
ern sections on September 8.

Through second class tickets are  
sold at \$12.00 to Winnipeg, and on  
arrival there the laborer is met by  
a Government representative of the  
farmers, and when he has contracted  
to work, he is furnished by the rail-  
way with a free ticket to the near-  
est station to the farmer he is to  
work with. On arrival at that sta-  
tion he deposits his certificate with  
the agent, and when he is ready to  
return after he has been working 30  
days, the farmer he has been engaged  
with makes a verification to that  
effect on his certificate, and the  
agent issues a ticket from that sta-  
tion back to the starting point at  
rate of \$18.00.

It is expected a very large number  
will take advantage of this excur-  
sion, and spend a few weeks in the  
West, and acquaint themselves with  
the conditions in that country. This  
is an opportunity to have an outing  
and make something besides expen-  
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Anyone wanting further infor-  
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MONDAY, AUG. 27.

## A BARGAIN!

2 story frame house containing  
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closets, good size lot with stable  
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## EXCELLENT EXHIBITION

Continued from Page 1.

was no rough play, and no hard  
checking. According to the English  
rules there is no heavy checking,  
and it was quite humorous to see  
one of the small Chatham players  
bunt one of the visitors off his feet,  
the latter not expecting to be  
charged. The result of the locals' timidity on the start, was that the  
visitors scored four goals before the  
Kents realized that the game had  
commenced. Later on, however, the  
Chatham team rallied, and did some  
good work, expending the best  
began to tell on the visitors. The  
game will show the locals how good,  
fast football is played, and their ex-  
perience of yesterday should prove  
of benefit to them in their future  
contests. The exhibition was wit-  
nessed by about 300 enthusiastic  
spectators.

The credit for bringing the Corin-  
thians to Chatham belongs to Mr.  
Perry Piggott, of this city, and Wm.  
McDonald, of Detroit. The personal  
bonds of these two gentlemen guar-  
anteed the expense. Owing to the  
rain during the early part of the  
afternoon the crowd was not as  
large as it otherwise would have  
been. It is thought, however, that  
expenses will be made.

The following was the line-up of  
the teams:—

**CORINTHIANS.**

Goal—Ronaldson.  
Backs—Timmins and Page.  
H. Backs—Craig, Worsford-Brown  
and Willett.

Right Wing—Corbett and Vassal.  
Centre—Cornelius.

Left Wing—Foster and Wright.  
**ALL-KENTS.**

Goal—Aitkin.  
Backs—McKenzie and Pugh.  
H. Backs—Fox, Bennie and Coulter.  
Right Wing—Riesborough and  
Peck.

Centre—Langford.  
Left Wing—Martin and Parrott.  
The Corinthians go from here to  
Chicago.

The Chatham goals were scored by  
Martin and Langford.  
The Corinthians were sent on their  
Canadian tour by the People's Paper,  
of London, England.

**NOTICE**

A meeting is called by the Fish &  
Game Protection Association, for  
Monday, Aug. 27th, at the office of  
Chief of Police, at 7 p. m.  
Very important business.

**CALDER WHEELER,**  
Secretary.

## BRISCOS' OPERA HOUSE

Saturday, Aug. 25

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\$12 for \$8.48.

40 Tea Sets, regular \$5 for  
\$3.48.

10 Toilet Sets, regular \$5 for  
\$3.74.

10 Toilet Sets, regular \$4 for  
\$2.99.

10 Toilet Sets, regular \$6 for  
\$3.98.

10 Toilet Sets, regular \$4.50  
for \$2.63.

We have just quoted a few prices  
to convince you that these goods  
must sell as we wish to clear our  
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Fall stock. We have Toilet Sets  
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25c.

3 Tins of 2 in 1 Shoe Polish, 25c.  
20 lbs. Granulated Sugar, \$1.00.

22 lbs. Bright Yellow Sugar, \$1.00.  
A good, strong, Cider Vinegar, 25c.  
per gal.

Ginger Snaps, 6c. per lb.  
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with border to match in Greens and Blues, \$1.50 value,  
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## VELVET CARPETS

\$1.15 and \$1.25 value, border to match, dependable and  
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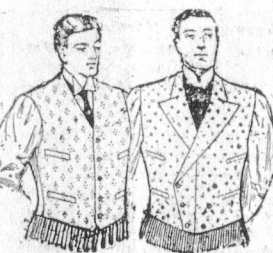
Full 4-frame body Brussell Carpet with border to match  
—\$1.10 value, made and laid at only **89c. a Yard.**

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Large variety of designs with borders to match, 85c  
value, made and laid at only **68c. a Yard.**

## ALL RUG CARPETS

During this month will be sold at 10 per cent. off the  
regular prices.



Special Sale Saturday  
in the Austin Men's  
Store. A Saturday  
Clean Up of Men's  
Wash Vests. See  
King St. Window

We place on sale Saturday Morning 6 dozen of Men's  
Wash Vests, in the season's popular sellers, in plain White  
Duck, fancy figures with white grounds, and fancy Tans and  
Grays, single and double breasted styles, all made in proper  
cut and style, with detachable buttons.

\$1.50 Wash Vests Saturday at 98c.

\$2 and \$2.50 Wash Vests Saturday at \$1.48.

# Special Sale of Men's Sox.....

10 dozen of Men's Plain Black and Plain  
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For the past two weeks we have been marking New  
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New York authorities are predicting a big trade in Plain  
Goods.

Chiffon, Venetians, Broadcloths, Satin Duchess, Pan-  
neau Cloth, French Cheviots, Black and Colored Satin  
Cloths, Cream, Navy and Black Serges, the better qualities  
being the favorites.

Shadow Plaids and Plain weaves in Tweed will be very  
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This season we are showing a splendid assortment of the  
Celebrated Harris Dress Tweed. Dark Mixtures the strong-  
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## PRESERVE YOUR FRUIT IS WITH PRETT'S PREPARED SUGAR.

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The person who falls asleep in church is in danger of falling into dispute.

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**W. T. SHANNON,** Manager Chatham Branch

## TO-NIGHT

Victoria Ave. Epworth League, 8. S. Hall at 8.  
Prayer meeting, Victoria Avenue Methodist Church, at 8.  
K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, I. O. F. Temple, at 8.  
Electric Road Excursion to Electric Park, first car at 7.  
Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their hall, opposite the Rankin House, at 8.

## LOCAL

Smoke Quail on Toast Cigar—5c. Miss Verna Sheldon is spending a week at Botany.

Mr. Macaulay, of the Ark, left today for a trip to Muskoka.

Mrs. Wm. Martin, Dover St., is confined to her bed seriously ill.

Col. Sam Holmes, of this city, is spending a few days at the Joy Club.

Two Hamilton men were heavily fined for working horses with sore shoulders.

Miss Helen Unsworth, of Florence, and Moran Cragg, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. (Dr.) Charistia.

Machinists Wanted, vice hands, must be accustomed to steam engine work and general repair work. Highest wages paid. Park Bros.

Miss Irene Muckle, of Bayview, who has been visiting relatives in the city, returned home last evening.

Lost—Between Standard Bank and Planet Office, a tobacco pouch. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

Mrs. Joseph Watson, who is in the Chatham hospital, is progressing favorably after the operation.—Leamington Post.

For Sale.—A Standard Edison Phonograph, with large horn and records. A snap. Be quick. Apply to R. Couzens, Dover St.

Dr. Rutherford, of Chatham, and Dr. Fraser, of Thamesville, were called in attendance to Gerald Kelly on Friday, who was very ill.—Florence Quill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornell and son, of Chatham, and Mr. and Mrs. Colter and daughter, of Toronto, were the guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams.—Florence Quill.

Dr. Garnet Holmes, eye, ear, and throat specialist, Chatham, was in town Sunday, operating on Lemuel Russell's child. He assisted Dr. Jenner in an operation on Mrs. Russell at the same time. Both are doing well.—Leamington Post.

## CHATHAM'S ONLY MILLINERY STORE

Only a Few Weeks More for Summer Selling. Our Hats and Trimmings are down to the Lowest.  
Boys' Sailors 1/2 for 25c.

**C. A. Cooksley,**  
KING STREET

"East Struck Town," a comedy drama, plays the Brisco Opera House tomorrow night.

A good time, past game and cool ride all for 50c. Tuesday, Aug. 28.—Bugle Band outing to Marine City.

All design work gotten up in the most artistic manner at one-third off usual prices at Victoria Avenue Green Houses, phone 181.

Cy. Hancock, who got his leg crushed some time ago, is getting along nicely. Fortunately no bones were broken.

Wanted—A good lady typewriter and stenographer. State experience and salary. Steady employment. Apply by letter, Box 21, Planet Office.

Mrs. R. Pope, accompanied by her little daughter Evelyn, left Thursday evening for Muskoka to visit her daughter Pansy, who has been at the Gravenhurst Sanatorium for the past year.

Get away from your worry and heat by taking a cool trip across the lake and up the St. Clair River, Tuesday, on the Bugle Band outing. Boat leaves Rankin dock at 8 a. m. Fare 50c.

Mr. Worsford Brown, captain of the Corinthian British Football Club, is visiting his brother in Petrolia.

Mr. Brown stands high in English athletic circles, being at one time captain of the Oxford University eleven.

Mayor Tilt, of Goderich, has resigned rather than sign the by-law guaranteeing the bonds of the Matland River Power Company to the extent of \$150,000. The by-law was adopted by the electors by a large majority, and subsequently passed by the Council.

W. N. Werburton, who has achieved much success with suburban railways, has been appointed manager of the Windsor, Essex & Lake Shore Rapid Railway. The directors were fortunate in securing his services and have reason to congratulate themselves.—Windsor Record.

Galt's population last year was placed at \$558, which showed a substantial increase over the preceding year. There will be no increase this year. Although there was over a million dollars' increase in the assessment figures last year over the preceding year, a further increase will be recorded this year.

The Misses Helen and Marion Thomas of Chatham, are here for a few days' visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Geo. McPhillips, 149 Sandwich St. West. After bidding farewell to their friends here they sail next week from New York for Dresden, Germany, where they will take up the study of music and languages.—Windsor Record.

Henry Stokes, of Wallaceburg, was a city visitor yesterday.

E. A. David, of Merlin, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Boards Wanted—Apply Mrs. A. Roy, Thames St., next new terrace.

Frank Edgar, of Tilbury, was in the city calling on friends yesterday.

Wm. Johnson, King St., left yesterday for Cleveland on a visit to his son Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Morley will return this evening from Muskoka, where they spent the past month.

Art Drury has left for Toronto, where he will superintend the Chatham Wagon Co's exhibit at the Exposition.

George Lyons, of Toronto, who is visiting friends in the city, has returned from a short visit to Wallaceburg.

Charles M. Medary, travelling auditor for the United States Express Co., was in the city today calling on the local agents, Brisco Bros.

You could not spend a cooler and better day than on the Bugle Band outing to Marine City on Tuesday, Aug. 28. Fare 50c.

H. Dennis left yesterday for Muskoka, where he will spend a vacation. He was accompanied by his nephew, Frank Lowe.

There was a heavy rain at the Eau last night and this morning. It started to pour at 11 o'clock last night and kept it up till an early hour this morning.

Our big annual shirt sale is on. We offer you a choice of 500 shirts, both soft and stiff fronts, former prices 75c, \$1.00, and \$1.25; your pick while they last for 69c. Stone the Hatter.

Miss Kitty May Mills left yesterday for Bracebridge to visit her aunt, Mrs. Denham, and some of the summer resorts on Lake Huron and Lake Joseph, Muskoka.

For dry, cracked lips, or rough skin, use Dr. Snow's Green Salve. It positively makes lips and skin like velvet.

Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

The firm of Thomas Stone & Son are making some changes and improvements to their store. The millinery department is being moved upstairs and the mantle department is being moved to the ground floor.

Get a 5 cent box of Lax-o-ta at our store, please. We think they are great. Just test these toothsome, candy-like Laxative Tablets for constipation, sour stomach, biliousness, bad breath, mummy complexion, etc. Risk 5 cents as see.

Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

Her many friends will be pleased to learn that Mrs. A. C. Trudell was sufficiently recovered to leave the hospital yesterday, and return to her home on King St. West. Mrs. Trudell has been ill for the past six weeks, and for a times her condition was considered quite critical.

"That was a very sensible article I saw in The Planet the other day in reference to the loafers waiting to see the boat come in," remarked a citizen this morning. "Sometimes it is necessary to have two policemen at the dock to keep the crowd back. It is all right for people who have relatives or friends coming in on the boat, but the vast majority of those who make a practice of meeting the boat, are not in this class."

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Impossible to escape being cured if you apply Putnam's Corn Extractor to the worst corn on record. Painless, safe and costs only a quarter in any drug store.

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2 Cans for 25c

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**The King Edward Grocery.**

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## WEAR PROOF GOODS FOR SCHOOL BOY ROMPERS

**School Boy Hose**  
Fast Black, ribbed, double knees, regular 25c. hose for 15c

**Huckaback Towelling**  
Regular 10c. goods, two pieces only, August Sale, 8c.

**Linen Huck Towels**  
White Hemstitched Linen Huck Towels, 18 x 36, at 15c.  
And size 20 x 40, hemstitched, August Sale 19c.

**Linen Bedroom Towels**  
A superior 15c. Towel, size 20 by 40, August Sale 12 1-2c.

**Dish Towels**  
Pure Linen Squares, plain and twilled, reg. 12c. Towels for 10c

**Shaker Flannels**  
Both Fancy Stripes and Plain, August Sale per yard, 5c.

**School Boy Panting**  
Corduroy, Moleskin and Ducks for school pants, all prices from 12 1/2c up. 50c Corduroy for 25c

**Summer Bedspreads**  
American goods, \$1.00 value, soft finished spreads for 79c.

**Summer Blankets**  
The most refreshing summer bed covering, per pair 75c. Colors white, cream and grey.

**Men's Shirts**  
Unlaundred summer 50c. Regatta Shirts, August Sale 40c. 75c. Fancy Percals for 59c. A superior Shirt at 69c.

**Check Shirts**  
6 pcs. Indigo Checks and Oxford Shirts, up to 15c, August Sale 10c.

**Girl's School Hose**  
A regular 25c. quality, in fancy tan and black, Aug. Sale 15c.

**Ladies Hose**  
Tan, Brown or Black, reg. 25c, August Sale 15c.

**Handkerchiefs**  
Chatham Souvenir Hemstitched Silk Handkerchiefs, for visitors specially, 50c

**Ladies' Lace Collars**  
Just the thing for a hot spell, Aug. Sale 15c. or 2 for 25c

**Black Silk Belts**  
Another lot received and going like the wind, each, 25c.

**Check Ribbons**  
4 in. wide, for belts, Sashes or Neck Ties, 25c. value for 18c. AM colors.

We Are Pushing Out Special Lines on Our Bargain Tables at Special Aug. Sale Prices

**William Gordon.**

## BUSINESS MEN SPEAK OUT

What a few of the leading business men of Chatham say of the Elms subdivision as a home site or as an investment.

James Simon, Banker—I consider the Elms subdivision that you are handling the choicest of Chatham residential property.

H. S. Northwood—I cannot but think otherwise that all who purchase lots in the Elms subdivision at from \$3 to \$10 per foot will make a handsome profit on their investment.

George Massey, Banker—The Elms subdivision is certainly in the growing part of our city.

Smith & Smith—As a saving bank for a young man or woman earning moderate salary, I could not imagine of a better plan to save than investing \$10 in a lot in the Elms subdivision and taking advantage of your easy terms of \$5.00 per month.

It encourages the young to be saving. Real estate cannot "bust up" or run away. It's a safe investment when properly selected in a growing locality, such as the Elms.

Fred. H. Brisco—The restrictions as to the erecting of houses, uniform building line, etc., is all in the interest of the lot buyer and will keep your subdivision a choice residential section.

Jno. Figgott & Sons—No one can lose any money and will make handsome profit by investing at present prices in your Elms subdivision; at least it looks so to me. Houses are needed in that section of the city and would rent as fast as built.

James Fleming—If the city keeps on growing west on King street, as it has been doing for the past two years, the people must buy in the Elms subdivision as there is no other place to go.

W. Pringle, Banker—The prices you have put on the Elms subdivision, makes the property appear to me a good investment for immediate improvement or to hold as an investment. That part of the city is growing and growing fast. It is the best residential section of Chatham.

J. Richards, Gunner House—I was surprised that such desirable property as your Elms subdivision is located in should have stood idle so long now that it is subdivided into lots. Many of the knowing ones will say "How foolish I was not to have bought it."

Mr. Rothwell will be at the subdivision every evening this week from 6.30 to 8.00 p. m., and invites everyone to come out and whether you buy or not. Lots at \$120 and up. Some choice ones left.

## NATURAL GAS FRANCHISE

Applications for a franchise to supply the city with natural gas will be received up to the 31st day of August, instant.

The terms and conditions on which applications will be considered may be learned of the City Clerk.

Dated 23rd August, 1906.

**THOMAS SCULLARD,**  
Chairman of Committee.

## Sunday Wagonette Parties

Arrangements can be made for going to the lake every Sunday during July and August. The wagonette will leave every Sunday morning at about seven o'clock, and any person desiring to take the trip should call up phone No. 470. Calls will be made in any part of the city and upon the return in the evening passengers will be taken to their residence. Fare for the round trip 50 cents.

New York excursion \$10. For full particulars call or phone (Main 3547) A. Leadley, Canadian Agent, 75 Yonge street, Toronto.

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# WHAT!

Why simply this. We have the most complete and varied collection of

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to be found anywhere. It is made of good well-seasoned material, all of it. We don't believe in selling any other kind. It does not pay in the long run. Call around and see us. Find what you want and inquire its cost. The price will be a pleasant surprise.

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Dress Goods  
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Ginghams  
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Furnishings.

We do not quote prices here, but come and see our offerings; it will pay you.

**THIBODEAU & CO.**

Go with the crowd to New York via the Lackawanna Railroad on Aug. 29th; round trip from Buffalo \$10. For full information call or phone A. Leadley, Canadian Agent, 75 Yonge street, Toronto, or F. P. Fox, D. P. A., Buffalo.

## ONE BETTER

When I began life, said the self-made man, I didn't even have a shirt to sew a button on. Huh! rejoined the man who was posing as his audience, when I began life I didn't have even a button.

Minard's Liniment cures Dandruff







**EDWARD WRIGHT,** Architect F.I.A.S., of London, Eng. Building and Quantity Surveyor. I have pleasure in announcing to the inhabitants of Chatham and surrounding districts that I am opening an office in above building, and trust by doing the highest class work, and strict attention to business, to obtain a share of the patronage. I shall be pleased to submit sketch plans and estimates for any class of building whether of a private or public character free of cost to clients.

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**DR. DECOU** is prepared, as usual, to furnish first-class orchestra for concert and other entertainments at reasonable rates, any number of pieces furnished, also violin and cornet soloists. Pupils taken on violin and all orchestral and band instruments. Studio: Centre St.

**LODGES**  
**PARTHENON LODGE, NO. 47, A. F. & A. M. G. R. C.** meets first Wednesday of every month in Masonic Temple, King Street. Visiting brethren always welcome.  
**J. M. PIKE, W. M.**  
**J. W. FLEWES, Sec'y**

**WELLINGTON LODGE, NO. 46, A. F. & A. M. G. R. C.** meets on the first Monday of every month in the Masonic Hall, Seaside Block, King St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren warmly welcomed.  
**W. A. HADLEY, W. M.**  
**ALEX. GREGORY, Sec'y**

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**TIME TABLE**  
**THE STEAMER CITY OF CHATHAM**  
Will make her regular round trip from Chatham to Detroit every MONDAY and WEDNESDAY, leaving Rankin Dock, South Chatham, at 7:30 a.m., and returning, leaving Detroit foot of Randolph Street, at 3:00 p.m. Detroit time, or 4 p.m. Chatham time. Will also make round trips from Detroit to Chatham every FRIDAY and SATURDAY, leaving Detroit, foot of Randolph Street, at 8 a.m. Detroit time or 9 a.m. Chatham time, returning will leave Chatham 3 p.m. Detroit time or 4 p.m. Chatham time, arriving in Detroit about 8 p.m.

**SINGLE TRIPS—Thursday** leaving Chatham at 9:30 a.m., Sunday leaving Detroit at 8 o'clock (Detroit time) or 9 a.m. Chatham time.  
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**SUMMER SUTINGS...**  
**MADE TO ORDER....**  
From the best imported English, Scotch, Irish and French Worsted at from \$16.00 and upwards.

**Pants**  
From \$4.25 and upwards. Come and see stock before purchasing elsewhere.  
Latest Cut and Perfect Fit or No Sale.  
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## A ZULU BEAU BRUMMEL

A Type of the People England is Trying to Control in Africa—Not All of Them in Revolt.

The Zulus, who are now giving the British trouble in South Africa, are noted as warriors and they are as strong as the brave Zulus of the past. The Zulus are a part of the South African colony of Natal, and it is in this part of the dark continent that the battles with the rebellious natives have taken place. Not all the Zulus are in insurrection, however. Many are loyal to the British authorities, and among these education and civilization have progressed to a considerable extent. Young men



A ZULU BEAU IN GALL ATTIRE.  
of the Zulu race have graduated from British colleges, and one, Pixley Ka Isaka Seme, is now a student at Columbia university, where he recently won a prize for oratory. In an essay on "The Regeneration of Africa" he declared his belief that British control of the Government was best for the progress of his race.

The wilder and more ignorant of the Zulus are, like most savage or semi-savage peoples, of a childlike simplicity of character in many respects. They are fond of displaying themselves in garb borrowed from civilization, but they do not always wear their attire in the fashion customary among whites. The accompanying picture of a Zulu Beau Brummel shows him with bare legs, but with other articles of apparel or decoration, which in his estimation evidently make up for this lack of covering. For instance, he wears a silk hat and a monocle, carries a cane and smokes a cigarette. He has done his best to carry out the white man's idea of being in style.

## AIR OF LIVING ROOMS.

Coughing Caused By Decomposition of Dust on Heated Bodies.

In heated rooms we often perceive an unpleasant tickling odor, which irritates the mucous membrane of the larynx and causes coughing, says Scientific American. It comes from burnt and decomposed dust, from which ammonia and other harmful substances arise. This decomposition, which occurs only when the dust is damp, is most frequently found with the usual iron stoves, whose sides easily become red hot, in consequence of which the particles of dust lodging on the stove burn and vitiate the air. But the hot fires of furnaces, especially those overheated, in consequence of which dust lodging burns and the products of the burning mingle with the air.

The Freie Deutsche Presse says that Professor Emsbach of Hanover "found in his investigations that on small heated bodies not above 70 degrees in temperature the dust is always decomposed. On ground floors, indeed, where the air rushing in directly from the street is mingled with the dust from the horses' evolutions, the bad odor already begins to be perceptible when the surfaces are heated to 65 degrees. Notable is the observation made by Nussbaum that dust which proceeds from air artificially saturated with steam evolves vapors more evil smelling and irritating than the dust from ordinary air.

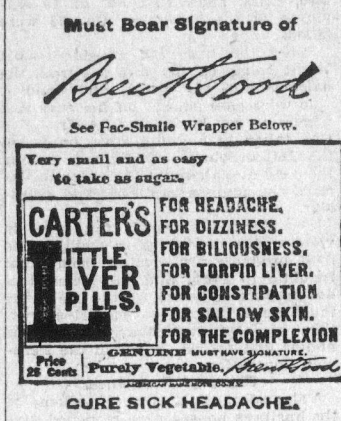
In order to prevent the vitiation of the air in a room, heated surfaces must not be heated over 65 degrees to 70 degrees, and every further addition of moisture to the air is to be avoided. Of course the heated bodies themselves are to be kept scrupulously clean and are to be frequently washed off. But this cleansing does not fully protect from the decomposition of dust, because the air sweeping past the heated bodies always brings dust upon the heated surfaces again. In furnace heating the air must be carefully kept free of dust, i. e., be filtered."

**Lapland's Big Ants.**  
The ants in Lapland are three times as large as our common ant. Their nests are hillocks of fir sprigs and rubbish, often four feet high, the inside a mass of eggs and ants. Well beaten roads diverge from them in every direction like the lines of a railway. These ants cross the little streams and brooks by means of natural bridges. One day a naturalist was jumping over a brook and brushed with his head and shoulders two willow branches which were to be frequently reached off. But this cleansing does not fully protect from the decomposition of dust, because the air sweeping past the heated bodies always brings dust upon the heated surfaces again. In furnace heating the air must be carefully kept free of dust, i. e., be filtered."

**Whom the Gods Love.**  
"Whom the gods love 'le young' is an adage which has come down to us from the stories, who believed the lengthening years invariably meant increase of sorrow and misery. There is a story told of a mother in Athens who, having rendered the gods some service, was assured that any petition she offered would be heard and answered. She prayed for her three sons to be the best gift the gods could bestow. The next morning they were all found dead.

## ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

**Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.**  
Must Bear Signature of  
*Dr. J. C. Carter*  
See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.



FOR HEADACHE, FOR DIZZINESS, FOR BILIOUSNESS, FOR TORPID LIVER, FOR CONSTIPATION, FOR SALLOW SKIN, FOR THE COMPLEXION.  
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.  
Price 25 Cents. Purely Vegetable. Fac-Simile Signature. CURE SICK HEADACHE.

## THE WATCHDOG OF WOMEN.

Modesty is woman's watchdog. Whatever threatens her delicate sense of modesty, frightens her. For this reason many women permit diseases of the delicate womanly organs to become aggravated because she cannot bring herself to submit to the ordeal of unpleasant questioning, offensive examinations, and obnoxious local treatments, which some physicians find necessary. Doubtless thousands of the women who have taken advantage of Dr. Pierce's offer of free consultation by letter, have been led to do so by the escape thus offered from a treatment repugnant to modesty. Any sick woman may write to Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., in perfect confidence; all letters being treated as strictly private and sacredly confidential, and all answers being sent in plain envelopes with no advertising or other printing upon them. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been long hailed as "a God-send to women." It makes weak women strong and sick women well. "Favorite Prescription" contains no alcohol, neither opium, cocaine or other narcotic.

## THE ADVICE OF EXPERIENCE.

It has sometimes been remarked by the student of child life that the only child learned to read sooner than the child belonging to a large family. There may or may not be psychological reasons for this, but the story of the small boy of five who was struggling with his alphabet blocks for the first time may be enlightening to those who wish for reasons. The small boy was really rather interested than otherwise in the large A that fulfilled its usual function of standing for an apple tree, but he had a brother who was nearly eight. "You leave 'em alone," advised the brother; "if you once begin to read you can never leave off."—London Chronicle.

## THE ORIGIN OF GALL STONES.

They are simply dried bile, made up of crystalline constituents of that fluid. Very common is this disease among merchants, clerical men, housewives and those of sedentary habits. Prevention consists in maintaining correct action of the liver and bowels, which is best accomplished by Dr. Hamilton's Pills. No person using this medicine need fear gallstones, as it will never be bilious. Some indigestion, good appetite, a clear color will evidence the health-giving properties of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are the safest and best for general family use. Insist on having only Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. 25c. per box at all dealers.

## To Prevent a Strike.

Hamilton, Aug. 23.—The dispute between the Street Railway Employees' Union and the Cataract Power Co. assumed a new phase yesterday. The Ontario Municipal and Railway Board has stepped in, and will endeavor to prevent a strike.

## STOMACH MEDICINE IS USELESS.

Impossible to cure catarrh of the nose by dosing the stomach. Send the healing vapor of Catarrhine after the germs and you at once accomplish good. Any case of catarrh is curable—all that's necessary is to inhale Catarrhine—you stop hawking, nostrils are cleared, throat is healed and freed of phlegm; every vestige of the trouble is forever driven from the system. If you want permanent cure for catarrh, throat trouble or bronchitis, Catarrhine is a stand-by. Two sizes, 25c. and \$1.00, at all dealers.

The baby isn't always rebellious when it's up in arms.  
Scrub yourself daily, you're not clean inside. This means clean stomach, bowels, blood, liver, clean healthy tissue in every organ. Moral: Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.  
**A. I. McCall & Co.**

## A PROCESSION OF TYPES

LONDON AS SEEN THROUGH CANADIAN SPECTACLES.

All Sorts and Conditions of Men and Women to Be Observed in World's Metropolis—The Official and the Layman, the Neat and Spry and the Tawdry and the Homely—An Ally Sloper Crowd That Surged.

I have not yet decided who is the greatest man in England: King Edward or the Man-in-Brass-Buttons who stands guard at the portals of London offices. The policeman well will be entered in the competition for greatness, for who can measure the power and authority of this stern controller of the metropolis? British law and order are indeed personified by his uplifted hand, and the traffic of London is here regulated. But even this pillar of the empire must fall back before the "commissioner." Though not born to be a prince or a lord, he is satisfied with the proud position of porter at the door. An imposing figure is this gentleman in his blue uniform and brass buttons, with the carriage of an Iron Duke, the strength of face of a Napoleon, and the penetrating eye of a Sherlock Holmes. The ordeal commences when the Buttoned Dignity opens a small sliding door on the first landing demand, in icy tones, your name, address, business, religious belief, political tendencies and length of time last served in prison. His unsympathetic eyes say: "Are you a burglar, a murderer, or a mere company promoter? You certainly look like a ticket-of-leave man, or possibly a shoemaker. The strongest man will flinch before his penetrating gaze and grow smaller than ever in his own estimation, apologizing at last for living, and only asking that the sentry will allow him to escape unscathed. If sublimative enough, the audience in the hallway may consider your application to see the editor or the manager, the Minister of War or the railway magistrate, securely fastened in his den up many stairs. In course of time—long time, it seems—word comes from the unknown that the interview is granted. A shock-headed boy is summoned to act as guide, the fateful door is knocked upon—and one is ushered into the presence! Then the unexpected happens. The great man shakes hands in a human way, he smiles, and by the gods, he invites you to his dinner! He listens to the visitor's tale, and at the conclusion starts him with a cordial farewell. The heart is uplifted by the experience until, descending the stair, the final necessity comes of passing the terror in blue serge, who is cross-examining another poor victim.

If the stranger in London wants to see an aggregation of homeliness, tawdriness and all untidiness, he only needs to travel with a London crowd to the Crystal Palace on a bank holiday and view the stamp of pleasure-seekers pouring into that great British institution. A gathering of foreigners, whether they be short and broad Hollanders, slow-witted Germans, homely Swiss or swarthy Italians, possesses certain elements of the picturesque, but the bank holiday crowd did well to make way for the Anglo-Saxon race. They neither do they exhibit good teeth, good taste or good manners.

There were exactly 57,864 of us, according to the turnstile record, forming a distinctively Ally Sloper crowd that surged in human waves over the terraces and sward. And weren't we all bloomin' happy? Such hugging, that must have called for strong ribs and stronger lungs to stand the pressure. The Tommy to two "Arriets" was the rule. No tedious ante and post-lunch gloaming to arrive, so that love-making might be carried on privately, but when Tommy, in a delirium of bank holiday delight—and beer—had both arms occupied in encircling two big-haired and tousel-haired damsels, the lonely lady might as well have been for their untended progress. And such kissing! Making a day of it, indeed; such a day as can only be had in that popular family resort of London town, with its bewildering array of attractions—breads abundance, jugglers and acrobats, trained animals, and leaping monkeys, the organ music, the fireworks, the pop, the sandwiches. Oh, the unspeakable glory of it all—the indescribable aroma, the never-to-be-forgotten masses of submerged tenders; and, finally, the struggle for life on the homeward journey!

Then there was the little mad Frenchman who wandered into the British Museum. Faded coat, buttoned close and tight around his thin little frame, a high collar about his original gobs, a dangling eye-glass, striving to be as fat as if in a panic on its own account. A Frenchman, when well-groomed, is not to be despised, but when he ignominiously collapses between two stalwart London policemen, a little Frenchman cuts a very sorry figure. Poor undone creature, who had strayed from the other side of the Channel into this untidy Frenchy structure. Struggling, kicking, gesticulating with as much of his arms as were free—crazy as the worst Bedlamite on the Surrey side of the river! After asking many incoherent questions of the officers the remarkable man was heard: "Es these Hawkins' sausage shop? I want Hawkins' sausage shop!" Poor, insane, starving straggler from the land of Liberty, Equality and Fraternity! The idea of asking such a question in the staid, sanctified and funereal British Museum, of all places, and as the undignified figure was placed out of sight the stillness of death again took possession of the corridors and galleries of London's curio shop.

The dirty, noisy little penny steamer was crowded to the uttermost inch of space. Passengers hugged the smoke stack and blocked the gangways; fellow-travelers were compelled to take their stand on their fellow-travelers' toes, and the captain was the only man on the deck whose face was able to swing his arms around without touching a human being into the river. Two men stood in the one spot all the way from Waterloo Bridge to Kew, and they took up the smallest possible amount of deck space because of their attenuated figures. One was tall, the other short, but both were thin to the point of transparency if their frame had been freed from the rusty clothes that hung limply from their bony framework. The short man was as insignificant in looks as in size, and so I pass him by. But his companion was the most remarkable specimen of the race that I had seen in London. For verily here was a green man, by way of a change. After all the varied tints observable on the human countenance, from the bronze of an Indian to the pallor of a sea-sick woman, this picture in green was a fascinating horror. All the other passengers were forgotten; the green one mesmerized me. True, the hat was as pitifully faded as his long frock coat, on which you could see the indentation made by years of brushing in the effort to rub respectability into its threads. The nose was a very striking one, and as for the anatomy of the wretched creature, it caved in as if empty for all its years of anything in the nature of food. But that green face, the green eyes, shading off into a colored marble brow! And I speak the truth, this nightmare in color laughed—repeatedly laughed, a noiseless, shivering process that spread over the whole wrinkled surface of the green visage, disclosing teeth so discolored as to take the shade of green as well. They both laughed at the short one tossed a remark on to the green one, and the long one, and when that smile would fade away into the green again the tall one would drop a jest down to the short one. Thus, in spite of one's doubts, there was occasional evidence that the green passenger was alive.

The inmates of East London as a rule keep to their own world of sordid streets. Two, however, strayed up Fleet street one night, looking like starving animals. I was wrestling with a disconcerting British chop in a dingy restaurant—the only customer, it so happened, waited on by a surly brute who looked as tough as the meat he served. Even the pangs of a deep-seated hunger failed before the unappetizing meal, the last mouthful had been taken, the napkin flung aside and the bill picked up, when my eye caught sight of a wild-looking face at the window. A moment afterward a tall, gaunt woman with disheveled hair and an apology for a dress opened the door, rushed to the table and fairly blazed in my ear. "Please, sir, won't you give me what's left over?" and she flung the question at me her long thin fingers grasped the remnants of the meal. As the apparition hurried from the room the waiter rushed after her with a torrent of abuse. It only took up the briefest moment of time, but like a flash the waiter had been produced a picture of the underworld life in old London. Old, ragged, bent, shriveled, the woman was starving! Passing out a moment afterward, the wretched creature was dividing her poor spoils with a derelict of a man who had been waiting on the curb—Frank Yeigh in Toronto Globe.

## THE PRO-TIGER.

Man-Eater's Friend Pleads Before British House of Commons.

To the long list of pro-Zulus, pro-Boers, pro-Mahdists, and pro-Leopolds must be added the pro-tiger, says London Express.  
Mr. Rees has appeared in the House of Commons in the role of "the tiger's friend." He caused some amusement by asking the Secretary for India to refer to the Government of India the question of the indiscriminate offer of rewards to gain which professional slaughterers destroyed these animals. Mr. Rees mentioned that man-eaters were rare exceptions among tigers, and that others of the species caused no loss and danger to human life.  
"Pity the poor tiger," is the cry which it is feared will never be properly appreciated by the natives of India. Even Mr. Morley could not decide to champion the tiger. "I cannot imagine," he said, "to address the Government of India in the sense suggested by Mr. Rees, nor do I expect that they would share his views as to the preservation of the tiger."  
Mr. Rees, however, explained to a representative of The Express that "no well-conducted tiger ever thinks of attacking a man."  
"The natives just shoot them off," he continued with the air of a man who had frequently taken part in the "shooting."  
"Man-eaters are comparatively very rare, and their habits, their lairs, and all their movements are known to every villager. As I have more than once insisted, the tiger in India is the agriculturist's friend. The tiger slays the deer and wild pigs that destroy the crops. Providence balances all these things."  
"What I wish to see put down is the slaying of tigers for rewards. The system of paying thirty rupees for an ordinary dead tiger and 100 for a man-eater has resulted in the slaughtering of a class of professional slaughterers. One ordinary dead tiger will keep a whole family for a year."  
Mr. Rees did not mention the possibility that an ordinary live tiger might also possibly wipe out the cattle of a whole family in a single night.

## Tragedy of a Lost Shell.

The Natal Mercury (South Africa) tells the story of a Boer farmer named Moolman, who found a 4.7 naval shell lying on the veldt unexploded and took it home to his sister. He wanted the shell for decoration purposes and began to dig out the lyddite, and to soften it poured cold water upon it. The lyddite and water began to effervesce, and the girl went indoors and from the end of the passage watched the shell, which lay upon the doorstep. Suddenly there was a terrific explosion, and Miss Moolman fell dead, struck in the breast by a piece of shell. The whole house was wrecked, every pane of glass, every window frame and every door being cast to the ground and most of the furniture being upset and smashed.

## The First Pins.

Thorns were originally used in fastening garments together. Pins did not immediately succeed thorns as fasteners, but different appliances were used, such as hooks, buckles and laces. It was the latter half of the fifteenth century before pins were used in Great Britain. When first manufactured in England the iron wire, of the proper length, was filed to a point and the other extremity twisted into a head. This was a slow process, and 400 or 500 pins was a good day's work for an expert hand.

## SAMARCAND IN A PANIC

Artillery Called Out to Subdue Mutinous Cossack Regiment.

Officers Have Been Replaced With Men From the Ranks, and the Immediate Surrender of the Mutineers Has Been Demanded by the Governor—General Railway Strike Voted as Feasible at Near Date.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 23.—According to private advices, the 24th Ural (Cossack) Regiment has mutinied at Samarcand, Asiatic Russia; arrested its officers, and replaced them with men from the ranks.

The commander of the garrison of Samarcand, it is said, has demanded the immediate surrender of the mutineers, the artillery has been called out, and the city is in a state of panic. At a meeting of one hundred and forty-two delegates, representing all the Russian railways, just concluded in Finland, it was resolved that a general strike will be feasible at a near date, and to issue instructions to prepare for it.

A committee was appointed to draw up a strike appeal or any other manifesto which may be found necessary.

## CRIME IN RUSSIA.

Police Seem Utterly Unable to Cope With the Outbreak.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 23.—In spite of the wholesale arrests and deportation of revolutionists, the big centres' daily chronicle of murder and robbery is not appreciably diminishing. The police seem to be utterly powerless to capture criminals. They do not make an arrest in one case out of twenty-five.

While the revolutionary opposition to the Government has thus degenerated into a campaign of crime the three political parties, the Constitutional Democrats, Octoberists and Regenerationists, are drifting. The efforts to affect an amalgamation have failed and all the leaders seem to be greatly at sea as to what tactics to pursue.

## Attempt to Poison Treppoff.

A story is in circulation here that an attempt has been made to poison Gen. Treppoff, commandant of the Imperial Palace, whose illness has just been announced. It is added that the general's cook, and three other servants have been arrested.

## STRATEGIC RAILWAYS.

Russia Officially Announces Plans as to the Frontier.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 23.—Official announcement of the Government's intention to construct the strategic railway from the Chinese and Indian frontiers is made in the official Gazette Tuesday evening, in which it is stated that the Ministry of Railroads has dispatched two parties of engineers to survey lines from Uralsk through the Pamirs to India, from Kuldud through Orenburg through the Province of Turgia to the Yakland boundary of China, south of Lake Balkash.

These railway enterprises have especial importance in view of the Russian aims in Northern China, as it is but a step from Yakland to Kuldud, where Russia already has installed a military detachment, as a "consular guard."

## RAINS QUENCH FOREST FIRES.

Conflagration Is at Its Worst Between Bathurst and Redpine, N. B.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 23.—Heavy thunder showers are reported Tuesday evening from different sections of the province, and these drowned out or checked several of the forest fires.

At present the fire is worst between Bathurst and Redpine, although fires are burning at intervals all along the north shore.  
At Harcourt the barns of Jabez McArthur were burned Monday afternoon, and Neil McDonald's house, and the Kent Junction station were saved with difficulty. A counter fire had to be set to save Wm. Boyce's building.  
Monday a special train was run from Campbellton to Redpine to save the water tank, and fires are raging far back from the line.

The school house and mills at Humphrey's Mills were in danger all ways on the Henry Morton and Upper Ridge, had his home and belongings reduced to ashes on Sunday. Hicks settlement is in great danger, as are Springhill and the Caanan road.

## HALF THE CITY GONE.

Estimate of Valparaiso Branch of New York House—2,000 Killed.

New York, Aug. 23.—Weasel, Duval & Co. yesterday received from their branch in Valparaiso the following cablegram, which had been delayed in transmission:  
"About one-half of the City of Valparaiso is destroyed, and the balance damaged. Our offices apparently quite safe. More than 2,000 killed or injured. Populace camping out. Our steamers safe."  
Adolfo Ortugera, consul-general for Chili, said yesterday that he believed Valparaiso would be rebuilt within six months.

## Premier Whitney Returning.

London, Aug. 23.—(C. A. P.)—Among the passengers on the Empress of Ireland are Premier Whitney, Allan Baker, M. P., Sir Stamford Fleming, Senator Donville and Archer Baker.

## Subsidy on Road Alone.

Ottawa, Aug. 23.—Hereafter railroads will only be paid subsidy on the cost of road construction. In the past the rolling stock equipment of the line has been included.

## Constitution For China.

Peking, Aug. 23.—The Dowager Empress of China plans to summon a conference of high officials including several viceroys, to discuss the adoption of a constitution.

Free Education in New South Wales. Sydney, N. S. W., Aug. 23.—The Legislative Assembly yesterday passed the Free Education Bill.

## TEACHERS WANTED

TEACHER WANTED—For S. S. No. 18, Township of Chatham; duties to commence Aug. 20th, 1906. Apply, stating qualifications and salary expected, to Fred Chapple, Dresden P. O.

WANTED—Teacher for S. S. No. 12, Dover; must hold second class certificate; duties to commence the 1st of September. For particulars apply to Wm. H. Iqbaluk, Secretary, Chatham P. O., Ont.

## WANTED

GIRL WANTED—Apply to Idlewild Hotel.

GIRL WANTED—Good girl wanted for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Wm. Foreman, Adelaide St.

WANTED—A girl at the Bugalo at once to wash dishes; either colored or white. Mrs. E. J. Buzzard.

WANTED—15 laborers, handy with hatchet; good wages; boarding cheap. Apply Bollinger-Andrew Construction Co., Walkerville, Ont.

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## FOR SALE OR TO RENT

HOUSE TO RENT—With all modern conveniences, on King street west, formerly occupied by Mr. J. E. Thomas. Apply Westman Bros.

ROOMS TO RENT—Suite of rooms in the Glenn Block, William St., with all modern conveniences. Apply to S. Glenn & Son.

FOR SALE—Oliver's one Bockett engine and boiler, suitable for drilling purposes, in good condition; also draw works. Apply to A. Harrington, Bothwell, Ont.

TO RENT—Store on St. Clair Street, recently fitted up; has large show window with plate glass. Also new house on Poplar St., with bath and gas for fuel and light. Apply The Hlonde Lumber & Manuf'g Co., Limited.

FOR SALE—Desirable lot on Victoria Ave., for sale, next to the residence of W. R. Landon. Apply to Thos. Scullard or The Planet Office.

FOR SALE—Moderate sized house with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria Ave., at a bargain. Apply to Thos. Scullard or The Planet Office.

FARM TO RENT—Lot 19, 9th con., Raeligh, 100 acres, good barns and house, good drilled well and windmill, and fruit orchard. Everything in first class condition. Apply to Frank Doyle, Chatham P. O., West street.

FOR SALE OR RENT—That fine property known as Mrs. Jarvis's residence on west side Victoria avenue, corner of Barthe street, Chatham; also for sale, the Eberts lot, southwest corner of Victoria avenue and Forest street. Apply to James Soutar.

FOR SALE—A nice brick house and drive barn and two acres of land, for just what the buildings cost. A beautiful residence adjoining the city limits and one acre of land. Apply to M. L. McGarvin, at Neil Rathburn's office, or at residence, Baidoun street.

FARM FOR SALE IN RALEIGH—75 acres, N. E. hf. of S. W. hf. and S. E. hf. of S. W. hf. of S. W. hf. Lot 9, Concession 7, Raleigh. Good land; almost all ready for cultivation; immediate possession. Apply to J. Frank Mount or to Houslow & Stone, Chatham, Ont.

FARMS FOR SALE—I have for sale 50 acres of land, part of lot 17, concession 5, Dover Township, owned by Albert Laprise; 40 acres, River Road, Dover, owned by John David; 50 acres, concession 5, Dover, owned by Julius Bechard. I have money to loan at very lowest rate of interest on land mortgages. Henry Dagnieu.

## FALL FAIRS

Amherstburg—Oct. 2, 3.  
Burlington—Oct. 3, 4.  
Bothwell's Corners—Sept. 20, 21.  
Chatham—Sept. 25, 26, 27.  
Comber—Sept. 28, 29.  
Dresden—Oct. 4, 5.  
Essex—Sept. 25, 26, 27.  
Florence—Oct. 8, 9.  
Glencoe—Sept. 25, 26.  
Highgate—Oct. 5, 6.  
Merlin—Oct. 1, 2.  
Thamesville—Oct. 2, 3.  
Wheatley—Oct. 10, 11.  
Wallaceburg—Oct. 2, 3.



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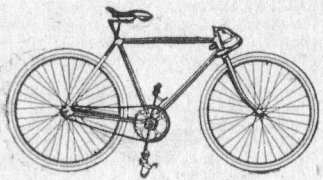
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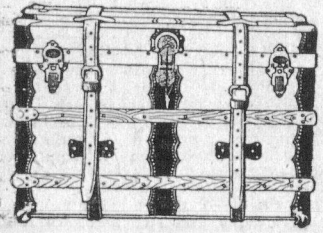
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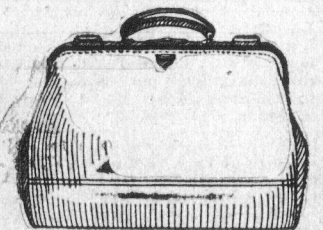
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## CUBA IS IN A FERMENT

Impossible To Predict The Results But May Lead To Annexation

### GEN. BANDERA HACKED

New Orleans, La., Aug. 24.—The Pi-cayune's special cable from Havana says:

In spite of Government denials the revolutionary movement in Cuba has assumed formidable proportions. The whole island is in a ferment over the uprising and it is impossible to predict at this time what the final result will be.

The Government claims that it will be able to suppress the revolt within two or three weeks, but conservative people do not believe that the revolution can be crushed so easily.

The revolutionists have been preparing for the struggle ever since the presidential election, and the Palma administration has underestimated their strength.

Arms From United States. It is known that several cargoes of arms and ammunition have been landed in Cuba from the Florida coast during the past two months, and the insurgents are abundantly supplied with war material.

It is believed by many Havana business men that it will be necessary for the United States to intervene and annex the island before the revolution will be crushed. Annexation is openly favored by the commercial interests in all of the larger cities and towns in Cuba. The revolutionary leaders even prefer annexation to the United States to a continuation of the present conditions.

The American residents on the Isle of Pines have taken sides with the revolutionists against the Palma Government, and they are giving the insurgents all the aid possible. The Isle of Pines will be an important base of operations for the revolutionists.

Asks U. S. For Guns. Havana, Aug. 24.—The Cuban Government has asked the United States that eight rapid-fire guns, manned by American artillerists, be sent to this island to assist in subduing the insurrection.

It is not admitted that this is equivalent to a call for intervention, under the terms of the Platt amendment, and indeed intervention is regarded by the press and public as a remote possibility. Public opinion seems to vary according to locality, from enthusiastic adherence to the Government to open rebellion. In this city the general attitude is one of loyalty, but there has been nothing which could be fairly described as a general rising of the people in defence of the Government.

Bandera Hacked With Machetes. Havana, Aug. 24.—The body of the negro, Gen. Quintin Bandera, the most daring insurgent in Havana, was found in the morgue at Havana to-day, flanked by those of two mulatto comrades, all frightfully gashed by the long, heavy machetes of the mounted rural guards, who ended their career. Across the street, in Memphero Park, a great crowd, mostly negroes, frantically were watching the morgue with silent interest.

The arrival of Bandera's body here was the first news of the fight in which he met his death. The conflict occurred at the Silvera farm, near Punta Arenas, 15 miles from Havana. Thirty mounted rural guards, under Capt. Ignacio Del Gado and Lieut. Martinez, were searching throughout the night for Bandera's party.

At 2 a. m. the rural guards were breaking through a wire fence at the edge of the Silvera farm, when they were suddenly fired upon by Bandera's 20 followers.

The guards rushed upon the insurgents, but with the exception of their chief and his two leading comrades, they all escaped. The guards made the chief and his companions a special target and all three received several bullet wounds and were horribly mutilated. Not one of the guards was wounded.

The bodies of Bandera and his companions were placed in a wagon and brought to Havana.

Threatens to Blow Up British Road. Havana, Aug. 24.—General Manager Lively of the Western Railway, yesterday afternoon received a personal message from Pino Guerra, forwarded from San Juan de Martinez saying:

"I am in possession of your station. If any more troops are sent over the Western Railway, I will blow up the bridge and destroy your property."

Later, Guerra again wired to Mr. Lively, saying:

"If you send any more troops over the Western Railway, I will blow up the bridges and burn your stations and property, irrespective of any international complications or any other consideration."

Mr. Lively carried the message directly to the Secretary of the Interior, with whom he held a consultation. The Western Railway is a British corporation.

Another trainload of troops was sent from Havana westward yesterday afternoon.

Probably Drowned. Belleville, Aug. 24.—From the published description of clothing found in a derelict ship, picked up by the steamer Picton on Tuesday, it is believed that they were worn by Henry Assestine of this city, who disappeared some days ago.

Knocked Out of Cab Window. Bradford, Aug. 24.—While leaning out of the cab window of his new car yesterday morning, William Newton, a freeman on a freight train, was hit by a post and knocked out of his seat. He died before reaching the hospital. He lives at Harrington.

In Spain Again. San Sebastian, Spain, Aug. 24.—King Alfonso and Queen Victoria arrived here from England yesterday and proceeded without incident to the Miramar Palace.

Miner's Lintment cures Burns, etc.

## DISTRICT

### TILBURY

August 24.—Miss Beatrice Campbell, Wheatley, is the guest of Miss Florence Ball, at the Methodist parsonage.

Married.—At Windsor, August 8th, 1906, by Rev. W. H. Snelgrove, John N. Warnock, to Laura Pearl Reynolds, both of this place.

Thomas Nocer, of Tilbury East, has purchased the brick dwelling on Queen street, and five acres of land adjoining the James Struthers estate for \$2,300.

E. R. Bromgole, Nelson Emery, Fred. MacLean and J. H. Dennis have pitched a tent at Willow Beach, where they will camp for a time.

A. F. Nelson has sold his house and lot on Canal St. to Chas. J. Reame for \$550.

Service will be held in St. Andrew's English church next Sunday morning.

### THAM ESVILLE

Aug. 22.—Mrs. C. W. Mayhew and children returned to their home in Detroit today, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. F. Mayhew.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Cornwall are visiting in Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hubbell and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson left this morning for a trip to Muskoka and other eastern points.

Dr. S. Stewart has gone to Toronto to attend the British Medical Convention.

Mr. Walter Ferguson and Mr. D. Wallace have left for Cobalt. Mrs. Wallace will visit in Chatham during Mr. Wallace's absence.

Mrs. Mooney has returned from London.

The Thamesville Canning Factory is running day and night.

The proprietors of the Evaporating Factory are busy getting their plant in order for this season's work.

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### TILURY

Aug. 23.—Drs. Ferguson and McColl are attending a medical convention in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jewett and children, of Chatham, have been the guests of Mrs. Hugh Johnston, River Road, Chatham, during their visit.

Miss Louise Gahan, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Buchanan, has returned to her home in London.

Miss Shantz of Chicago, is visiting her brother, Mr. George Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Parsner returned yesterday to their home in Detroit after a visit with relatives here and at Stewart.

Mrs. Burris, who has been visiting Mrs. S. Mather, has returned to her home in Detroit.

Mrs. Frank Hays and her guest, Mrs. Meek, spent yesterday in Detroit.

Miss Brady of Detroit, is visiting her cousin, Miss Millie Wellwood.

Mrs. Pearson visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. Comsky, in Detroit this week.

W. E. Rispin, City Ticket Agent Grand Trunk Railway, will issue special excursion tickets to Toronto for Canada's Great Fair, Aug. 27th to Sept. 8th, at \$5.30 each, and on Aug. 28th and Sept. 3rd, return tickets at \$3.80 each, all good to return until Sept. 11th.

Miss Nellie Baird, of F. R. Webb's office, 115 King street.

### BLENHEIM

Aug. 23.—Two rinks of bowlers took part in the contest with the British bowlers at Ridgeway yesterday. The visitors won out. So far the Britishers have been very successful in their tour, having lost but three games.

Fred Clements is visiting friends at Stratford this week.

Messrs. L. H. Edmonds and Delbert Peters are attending the races at Bay City, Mich., this week. On Tuesday, L. H. Peters, Darkey Boy, won first money.

Ted Bunnell, of Winnipeg, is here in attendance on his wife, who is very ill.

Mrs. Joshua Mead still continues on a very low state of health.

T. H. Jones, of T. B. Shillington & Co's staff, on his vacation.

Rev. Fulton Irwin, of Thamesville, will conduct the services in the Methodist Church on Sunday next.

J. C. Markie, of Sarnia, and Mr. Pankhart, of London, were in town on business yesterday.

Miss Nellie Baird, of F. R. Webb's staff, has returned from her visit to Manitoba.

The Planet—for your ad.

## BANDITS AT VALPARAISO

Cut Ears And Fingers Off Wife Of President Montt

### BUSINESS IS RE-OPENING

Lima, Peru, Aug. 24.—Further details received here yesterday from Valparaiso, Chili, show that out of 40 employees of the Telephone Co., 38 were killed.

When the house of President-elect Montt collapsed, his wife fell from the balcony into the street, and bandits, who were passing, cut off her ears and fingers to rob her of her jewelry. She was taken in a dying state on board the Chilean warship O'Higgins. Among the dead at Valparaiso is Frederico Varella, the famous capitalist and politician.

Considerable alarm is felt here, in view of the conditions in Chili, as no food products are coming from that republic to Peru, and the latter does not produce sufficient for the use of her inhabitants. Therefore, partial starvation, at least, is feared, faces the middle and poorer classes of the Peruvian population.

Fears of Pestilence. Valparaiso, Chili, Aug. 24.—Some of the business houses here reopened yesterday for the first time since the earthquake. Telephone and telegraph communication with Santiago has been re-established, but the lines are almost exclusively used by the Government officials.

The city is still under martial law; traffic ceases at 6 o'clock in the evening, and everybody is compelled to take some part in the work of restoration.

At a first instalment, the Government has appropriated \$4,000,000 for the relief of the destitute. The custom house was reopened yesterday, and traffic by water and by rail has been resumed. The post service is also in operation.

Can't Bury the Dead. One of the greatest difficulties encountered by the authorities is the burial of the bodies recovered from the ruins, as all the cemeteries were destroyed. At the temporary morgues, heaps of coffins have accumulated. The work of recovering the bodies is being pushed to the utmost in order to avoid this epidemic, in fear of which many families are leaving the city.

Survivors of the earthquake say that during the shocks it was impossible to stand erect without support.

All the provinces of the north and south which have not suffered from the earthquake are sending supplies of food and money to the stricken cities and towns.

Valparaiso is still without street lights at night, but order is maintained, thanks to the severity of the authorities, who continue shooting all persons who are caught committing robberies.

3,000 Houses Condemned. Santiago, Chili, Aug. 24.—It was announced yesterday that the Ministry of Public Works has been advised that it will be necessary to abolish more than 3,000 houses here, as the result of damages from earthquake shocks.

Measures have been taken to suppress all overcharging for the necessities of life by merchants. The municipality is selling fresh meat to the inhabitants.

Third Report: Soon Ready. Toronto, Aug. 24.—There was a council meeting yesterday afternoon, but Acting-Premier Foy stated that only routine business was transacted. Hon. Adam Beck stated that the Hydro-Electric Commission had approved, and would soon file their third interim report, dealing with the Lake Huron and Georgian Bay district, from Goderich up to French River, including Sudbury. The Commission has also about completed its report respecting the St. Lawrence and Ottawa rivers district.

Bad Cuts In His Head. Toronto, Aug. 24.—Thomas Gooderham, a bricklayer, 45 years of age, is laid up in his house, 11 Garnet avenue, with a couple of bad cuts on his head. Tony Ross and his brother, Sam, of 175 Centre street, Italians, are locked up in No. 7 station on a charge of wounding. The Italians say that Gooderham insisted upon their buying a drink, when the mix-up followed.

Mob Shoots Negro Dead. Columbia, S. C., Aug. 24.—Willie Spain, a negro, 23 years of age, was shot to death by a mob near St. George, Dorchester County, yesterday. He admitted having gone to the residence of S. L. Comer with the intention of entering it. He was frightened away. The mob strung him to a tree and shot 500 bullets into his body.

Rain Puts Out Fires. Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Aug. 24.—Heavy rain fell for several hours yesterday morning, putting out fires which have been running over this end of the upper peninsula, Manitoulin Island and Northern Ontario.

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