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## Daily Events FOR JULY

For the balance of July we are going to make shopping more interesting to you than ever.

EVERY DAY we are going to give you a great big bargain—every day you will see it duly announced in this space what the bargain for the next day will be. Of one thing you may be sure it will be a bargain well worth coming after.

Whatever the bargain is we announce, we guarantee it to be at a lower price than you can buy it elsewhere—at a lower price than it was the day before or than it will be the day after.

## We Commence To-morrow (Thursday) on Hose for Boys.

35 dozen of them in Fast Black and Tans, extra heavy ribb, the kind that wear well, wash well and look well, all sizes from 6 in. to 9½ in., good value at the regular price, 25c. a pair, very special, on Thursday only,

13c.

## Thos. Stone & Son

Carpets and Wall Papers

### "Sterling Puritan"

Is the name of the Best

## Oil Gas Stoves

The Economical Summer Stove.

### WESTMAN BROS.

Are Sole Agents. Call and See Them.

WIRE SCREEN WINDOWS AND DOORS  
AT RIGHT PRICES.

## TWINE!

Our Well-known Brand of

### OUR SUPERIOR TWINE,

"Made Exclusively for Geo. Stephens & Co."

11c. a lb.

SPOT CASH and 11½ booked. You all know this Twine is of Superior Quality, a smooth, well-finished Twine Always

RUNNING OVER LENGTH.

## Geo. Stephens & Co.

Mason & Risch Pianos, White Sewing Machines.

### DR. A. A. HICKS ...DENTIST...

OFFICE: 26 KING STREET WEST  
OVER TURNER'S DRUG STORE  
PHONE 337

### TALKING PARROTS.

From \$5 up. Shipped safely to any point by express. Write for price list. We make specially low prices to get these birds in all parts of Canada to advertise.

### COTTAM BIRD SEED

19 BATHURST ST., LONDON, ONTARIO.

There is no greater delight than to be conscious of sincerity on self-examination.

Printer wanted—A good ad. setter. Apply at this office.

## VOTE EARLY ON THIS ONE

More Reasons Why Citizens  
Should Support Elec-  
trical By-Law

### FEW POINTS EXPLAINED

There are only two days now before the day on which the Electrical by-law will be voted upon, and it cannot be impressed too forcibly upon the electors that they will be called upon to decide on a proposition which means a lot to Chatham. It is felt that if the men who have expressed themselves in favor of the measure will only turn out in a body and vote for it, and do all they can to induce others to do the same, there will be no doubt as to the ultimate outcome. It should also be remembered that a man who stays at home, through neglect, votes against the by-law even though he may be in favor of the proposition.

To those who have not made a study of the conditions of the by-law the following information may be of value in assisting him to arrive at a conclusion in the matter:—

The City loans the Company the sum of \$20,000 to be repaid in twenty annual instalments with interest at three per cent. per annum.

The Company receives exemption except from School Taxes and Local Improvements, and free water to the extent of 3,500 gallons per day for the first ten years.

The Company gives a first mortgage on Factory and Plant, which must be worth not less than \$30,000, and pays 3 per cent. interest on the loan.

The Factory and Plant must be worth not less than \$30,000, and give employment continuously to not less than 40 employees exclusive of officials, and pay out yearly in wages not less than \$20,000.

The average yearly cost to the City of the interest in the loan will be \$157.50.

The cost to furnish free water should not exceed, and possibly be much less, than \$75.00.

Total—\$232.50.

To offset this amount the City will receive in School Taxes on an assessment of \$20,000 the sum of \$150.00.

Net Cost—\$82.50.

Four men moving into town to work for the Factory and assessed for \$1,000 will pay the entire cost to the City.

It will require two-thirds of all the votes of property owners in the cannot afford to miss one vote in City to carry this By-law, and we order to make sure, as many are out of town at this season, and a vote not cast is a vote against the By-law.

Every property owner can vote in each Ward in which he owns property.

The following testimonial from a former resident and manufacturer of this city, which is given additional to the others previously published, adds to the splendid reputation earned by this Company:—

Petrolia, Ont., Canada, Jan. 7, '04. Messrs. Wm. Gray & Sons Co., Chatham, Ont.

Dear Sirs:—Replying to yours of the 6th, we are using an Electric Plant put in for us by the Electrical Construction Co. of London. The engine is direct connected with the dynamo. We used the plant a short time last Spring and also during this Fall and Winter, and up to the present it has given us entire satisfaction.

Yours truly,  
MILNER-PETROLIA WAGON CO. LIMITED.

Wm. English, President.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson, Dufferin Ave., and Miss Lottie E. Thomson, Edgar St., returned this morning from a visit to Mrs. A. Park, Beverly Lodge, Erieau.

## The Ark.

The Only  
Housefurnishing  
Store in Chatham

Why go running around to half a dozen stores for things, when you can get everything you require here, and much cheaper than from the ordinary dealer, we always give our customers the benefit of our close buying for spot cash.

Is it a STOVE for any purpose you need? We have it.

Dinner or Tea Set,

we carry the best stock in the city.

Table Cutlery

we can please you.

Glassware and Lamps

we have everything right.

Graniteware, Tinware

we are headquarters in these lines. It will surprise you how much your dollar will buy at this store. Bring your visiting friends to THE ARK.

H. MACAULAY,  
Phone 159,  
ROSETTE IRONS soc.

## SOME OF THE REASONS WHY THE SUGAR BY-LAW SHOULD BE DEFEATED

TO THE PLANET:

In response to your request that I would furnish you with some of the objections against granting a loan of \$75,000 to the Keystone Beet Sugar Co. I submit the following, which to my mind are so potent and conclusive that the by-law should suffer a more decisive defeat than before.

1. The proposition has already been turned down by a decisive vote of the electors.

2. The evening before the vote was taken there was published in the "News" an article favoring the passage of the by-law, and was intended to deceive and mislead the ratepayers into voting for the by-law. The News afterwards apologized for its act and stated that the matter was an advertisement and paid for as such. Amongst other statements we were assured the security was perfectly good as "it was to be a first mortgage on the lands and plant of the Company." This was such a glaring palpable malignant falsehood that it shocked the moral sense of every decent citizen and after the vote had been taken a fusillade of calumny was kept up for several days. Through the columns of the News we were informed that the by-law had been defeated by a profuse expenditure of money supplied from Wallaceburg. This was an insult to every one who opposed the by-law. It is quite true money was spent but not by the opponents of the by-law, nor did the money come from Wallaceburg. Promoter Fowler could probably throw a calcium light illumination on the question of "where did the money come from?"

The conduct of the Keystone Company or rather those acting on their behalf was so reprehensible and disgraceful that it should have prevented the City from entertaining any further proposals from such a discredited concern, but Promoter Fowler seems to have obtained a malign influence over the Industrial Committee and they accept his statements of facts and pass them on to the electors as gospel truths.

3. The Warton plant is second hand and defectively constructed. This is admitted by Promoter Fowler.

4. The present proposition is worse than the former one in as much as we are presenting them a gift of five years interest, at 4½ per cent. this amounts to \$13,800. For whom is this rake off intended?

5. We are assured that the loan is perfectly safe as it is to be guaranteed by a Trust Company. Why was the Company not named in the by-law? The name of the Bank with which they are to keep their account is included in the By-law. Why not the name of the Trust Company? No sound Trust Company will furnish such a guarantee except upon the deposit of an equal amount of cash or gilt edged security to that amount which can be realized upon at once. It will naturally be asked of what benefit the loan of \$75,000 will be to the Keystone Co. if they are obliged to deposit that amount of cash or gilt edged security to obtain it. None whatever. Promoter Fowler is an astute gentleman who has discovered many ways of licking the devil around a stump and he is not likely to fail in profiting by the object lesson taught him by the City Council when they decided to accept the bonds of the Chatham, Wallaceburg & L. E. Co. instead of the bonds of a trust company as required by the By-law. Is it not possible that another council may be found equally pliable. In fact how much of the \$13,800 donated by the city would be required at the next municipal elections to return a council ready to carry out the will of the Keystone Co.?

6. The Beet Sugar Industry is not by any means a stable industry here, nor in the United States where it is protected by a high tariff. I am informed the Mount Clements factory was built three years ago at a cost of \$1,000,000. After its failure Captain Davidson built it for ten cents on the dollar.

7. It would be of no benefit to the owners of those neat homes (particularly to lady owners) on the side street away from business centre. Yet the tax collector will not pass them by when he is making his rounds. Our rate this year will be 28 mills on the dollar or \$28.00 on every \$1,000 of assessment. Are they willing to increase it?

8. It is well to remember that all financial corporations are not sound, for instance, the recent investigation into the affairs of the York County Loan Co. showed that financial corporation to be so rotten that it was putrid.

Is it the guarantee of such a company that the city is to receive? Why should men who have no interest in the city come here from Toronto and spend time and money in an effort to persuade or cajole the electors into supporting a rotten proposition.

The Warton Plant has been hawked over Ontario without finding a resting place. It smelled too strong for Dresden but it is the opinion of Promoter Fowler that the rejected of Dresden and other places is good enough for Chatham. Why not mount the Warton factory on wheels and exhibit it as a curiosity. You have once escaped the "Snare of the Fowler" remember that in vain is the net spread in sight of the bird.

RATEPAYER.

The above letter was prepared by one of the most reputable property owners in the city with the request that it should appear in the columns of The Planet and be issued in this form.

PUBLISHER PLANET.

### OFFICERS INSTALLED

At the last regular meeting of Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., D. D. E. M. P. J. McGee, assisted by E. G. S. A. McCornock, Harry Smith, W. J. Eaton, C. Bowers and Hugh Gallegier, installed the following officers:

N. G.—Matthew Side.  
V. G.—James E. Oldershaw.  
D. S.—Milton Johnson.  
Treasurer—H. W. Smith.  
Warden—John A. Ball.  
Com.—E. W. Moorehouse.  
R. S. N. G.—W. E. Ryan.  
L. S. N. G.—Wm. Goudon.  
R. S. V. G.—Geo. Delane.  
L. S. V. G.—Edward Neil.  
R. S. S.—Frank Newcomb.  
L. S. S.—Alex. Glenn.  
I. G.—Geo. A. Duffy.  
O. G.—Harry Webster.  
Chaplain—Casper Schrammer.  
J. P. G.—John W. Bedford.  
Representatives to Grand Lodge at Peterborough, Aug. 6—Hugh Carr, W. W. Solder, H. V. Cameron.

### THE FIRST WHEAT

Mr. G. T. Crow, Prairieiding, is taking in the first carload of New wheat to-day from David Bros., of Dover. The sample is good and yields about 35 bushels to the acre.

### IS ON EXHIBITION

The International Electrical Co. have installed over at their new electrical cabinets in the Garner House, where the public can see it and estimate its value as a commercial product. The cabinet is a sample of the company's latest features and they intend to manufacture them extensively if the by-law is decided in favor of them locating in Chatham.

Too many people are interested in business that is none of their business.

To make a long story short—the editorial "blue pencil."

## COMPLAINTS ON AUTO DRIVING

A Man With a Carriage Has  
a Very Unpleasant  
Experience

### OFFERS LITTLE ADVICE

An indignant resident from the country was a visitor at The Planet office this morning, and left the following manuscript, which he wished published. The letter, which refers to the actions of automobile drivers, is self explanatory.

To those whom it may concern:—

Last evening a carriage containing four adults, and four children, was driving north along the line between the Townships of Harwich and Howard. In a place in the road where there was a ditch about two and one-half feet deep on either side, they were approached from behind by auto No. 1017, which gave no warning of its approach, but was observed and signalled to pass slowly, but, in the opinion of the writer, passed at a speed of not less than ten miles an hour, and in passing one of the occupants threw up his hands and shouted. Further along the road the auto stopped till the carriage came up, the writer going forward asked the occupants if they had courtesy enough to pass a carriage without hollering one man said, "yes," while another said "you go back and get in your carriage." The auto then moved on.

Passing on still further we came to a buggy without a horse; those with the buggy told us an auto had gone by without slackening, causing the horse to jump a fence and run through an oat field, leaving the buggy on the road.

Believing that persons travelling with autos should be courteous, and respect the rights of other people, I remain,

Yours truly,  
AN OCCUPANT OF THE CARRIAGE  
Chatham, July 18, 1906.

### ENJOYABLE EXCURSION

Christ Church Sunday school excursion to Belle Isle yesterday was a many ways the most successful excursion to that popular resort from this city this season. Beautiful outing weather prevailed and a very large crowd attended.

A very enjoyable time was spent at the island and both the outgoing and return trips were very pleasant. The proceeds from the excursion, it is expected, will exceed \$50. All the booths did a splendid business, and were completely sold out before their return to Chatham.

### GOSPEL GROVE MEETINGS

By New England church, assisted by the Evangelistic Union and the Salvation Army brass band of Chatham, in Mr. Laribee's Grove, Drake Road, and 14th concession, South Buxton, Sunday, July 22nd, at 11 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. Silver collection for the Army. Come early and bring your lunch.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative brings lasting relief in Stomach, Kidney and Heart troubles through the inside nerves. No matter how the nerves became impaired this remedy will rebuild their strength, will restore their vigor. Remember it does no good to treat the ailing organ—the irregular heart, rebellious stomach, diseased kidneys. They are not to blame. Go back to the nerves that control them—treat the cause—use a remedy that cures through the inside nerves.

Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

Don't pass up the certainty of today for the uncertainty of tomorrow.

## DON'T GO MARKETING ANY MORE

with an old basket  
when new ones are  
so cheap.

Lunch Baskets,  
covered, white  
wicker.

Waste Paper Baskets,  
the best.

Clothes Baskets,  
better than the  
best.

Work and Kinder-  
garten Baskets,  
largest assortment  
ever in the  
city.

## SULMAN'S

## BEEHIVE, King and Sixth Streets...

PHONE 96

P.S.—All of these are imported goods, so you may look for bargains.

## IT'S EASY

To sell goods if the quality and prices are right. The amount of business we do proves this to be a fact.

Fresh Ginger Snaps, 6c. a pound.  
3 lbs. Mixed Biscuits, 25c.  
6 Bars Comfort Soap, 25c.  
6 Richard's Pure Soap, 25c.  
2 lbs. Coarse Jap Soap, 25c.  
Wash Boards, 15c. each.  
3 Packages Jelly Powder, 25c.  
Fruit Jars—Pints 60c, quarts 70c., half-gallons 90c. per dozen.  
1 lb. Cans Sunlight Baking Powder, 10c.  
Prunes, 8c. per lb.  
Good Corn Starch, 8c. a packet.

and save dollars by purchasing your Dinner, Tea, or Chamber Sets, at our Clearing Sale. China lots left for wedding presents, birthday presents, or you can buy yourself a present for little money. The goods must go.

COME QUICK

JOHN McCONNELL  
PARK ST. PHONE 130

## BATHING SHOES!

Children's (sizes 6 to 10) - 30c

Misses' (size 11 to 2) - 35c

Women's (size 3 to 7) - 40c

Tennis, Bowling, Lacrosse and all sorts of outing and summer footwear

## GEO. W. COWAN



**THE**  
**Reliance Loan & Savings Co**  
**OF ONTARIO.**  
(SUCCESSORS TO THE CHATHAM LOAN AND SAVINGS CO.)  
**ASSETS OVER \$2,000,000**  
3-1-2 Per Cent. per annum interest allowed on deposits.  
4 Per Cent. interest per annum allowed on deposits.  
4-1-2 Per Cent. paid on Debentures.  
S. F. GARDINER—Branch Manager.

**The Daily Planet**  
S. STEPHENSON, PROPRIETOR.  
Business Office 11. 22nd Street Room 101.

## MR. CLEMENTS ACTIVE.

In the House of Commons during discussion of the vote of \$4,000 for improvement at the mouth of the Thames, Mr. Clements, of Kent, urged the building of a wharf in the vicinity of Tecumseh Park, also a wharf at Rond Eau, on the inner harbor. Further, he advocated the establishment of proper life-saving equipment at the Rond Eau piers.

Mr. Hyman was not impressed with the importance of the wharf asked for at Rond Eau Village. But Mr. Clements insisted his plea for that structure by observing that it was more important than the wharf at Shrewsbury, although he acknowledged that the usefulness of the latter had been enhanced by the light which the Public Works Department had placed there at his (Mr. Clements) suggestion.—Ridgeway Dominion.

## POSITION OF TEACHERS.

Mr. Calvin N. Kendall, Superintendent of Schools for Indianapolis, said recently before the American Institute of Instruction, that the wages for women teachers in half the cities of the United States were less than those of servant girls, when it was considered that the latter paid nothing for board, room and laundry. Moreover, they had no social position to maintain, as did the teachers, and the requirements of dress were far less expensive. In many cities the minimum wages of teachers were less than those of the laborers on the streets. The wages of skilled labor were from 25 to 100 per cent. higher than teachers' wages. It seemed incredible, he said, that the pay should be so inadequate for those in whose hands rested the training for citizenship. Mr. Kendall deprecated any attempt to systematically organize teachers for higher pay. There should be discussion, however, publicity of the facts, and agitation. Teachers should use their efforts to secure necessary legislation which might bring about better conditions. It must be remembered that country teachers look forward to a city position as a betterment in standing and in salary. When the city salaries are so low it can be readily imagined to what plane the rural ones have descended.—Toronto News.

The waters are again claiming a deplorable list of victims. Careless habits acquired on Toronto Bay, where every accident brings a score of rescuers, are carried to the remote waters of the Province, where the capsizing of a canoe means death. The old cautions cannot be repeated too often.—Toronto Globe.

## DISTRICT

## BEAR LINE.

Mrs. Shem Hinds is recovering from an attack of pneumonia. Lightning struck the tower of our new church last Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Chapple visited her daughter last week. Some binders are going now.

New men are on the dredge now. They have brought some music with them.

Mr. White, our popular teacher, deserves credit, for two out of three of his entrance candidates passed the exams.

Mr. Mason will soon have his barn completed.

## GUILDS.

Mr. J. Guilds, who has spent the last two months with his brothers here, left a few days ago for Michigan to visit some friends.

Miss Ethel Laird, who has resided in Detroit during the last year, arrived home on Saturday.

The Misses Freda and Gertrude Spackman, of Blenheim, spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of Miss Irene Cumming.

Mr. Lorne Bentley, of Detroit, visited his parents for a few days last week.

Mrs. E. R. VanVelsor, of Blenheim, is visiting Mrs. Henry Lampman.

George Mallory, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Matthews, of Manitoba, visited for a few days last week with Mrs. J. B. Guilds.

Quite a few from here took a trip to Detroit last Tuesday and Wednesday.

## 2 in 1 Shoe Polish

Black, Tan and White  
"2 in 1" instantly cleans and polishes. Preserves, unlike the daintiest kid and the roughest leather. Particular people give nothing but praise.



## JUST A LITTLE BIT OFF THE TOP

Who kidnapped the electric company's books?

A Belleville farmer was swindled out of \$13 by a fakir. Thirteen may be a Jonah as some people claim, but the farmer would not doubt consider it a piece of good luck if he could get it back.

Great weather for the straw hat crop.

The czar is thinking of granting another constitution. If one of the bomb-throwing bunch can get a proper bend on him they may destroy the only constitution in which he is vitally interested.

## SENSE AND NONSENSE.

Illinois claims to have a school-girl who for twelve years has never missed a day at school, never failed in her lessons, never talked back to the teacher, and never fell short of high mark in her examinations. If she maintains that perfection till she reaches womanhood, her husband is to be pitted.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

## The Secret Is Out

Formula of Mi-o-na Made Public. A Cure For Stomach Troubles.

Our leading druggists are very anxious to have Mi-o-na, a remedy which they sell as a cure for stomach troubles, tested rigidly in every case of heart-burn, acute dyspepsia, wind on the stomach, loss of appetite, annoying dreams, sleeplessness, general weakness and debility, or where the digestive organs do not act as they should.

Mi-o-na is composed of bismuth subgallate, by all odds the very best medicine known for intestinal diseases. It combines with the free sulphur compounds in the bowels forming a black substance which is passed off from the body without harm. It also has a soothing effect upon the nerve endings in the stomach.

With this combined cerium oxalate, a standard remedy in the treatment of all irritations of the stomach, and digestive organs. Sodium bicarbonate is then added to overcome the excessive acidity usually present in stomach troubles, and a vomica for its general tonic and nerve-strengthening powers.

This combination of reliable remedies makes Mi-o-na a positive cure for all stomach troubles, and perhaps the only one that can be sold under a guarantee that it costs nothing unless it cures.

A large box of Mi-o-na tablets is sold for 50 cents. If you cannot obtain Mi-o-na from your druggist, it will be sent by mail, post paid, on receipt of price. Write us for advice on your stomach troubles. We will send you a booklet which will be sent free. The R. T. Booth Company, Ithaca, N. Y.

It is the things that we want the least that we cry for the most.

It invigorates, strengthens and builds up. It keeps you in condition physically, mentally and morally. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

A. I. McCall & Co.

Many women follow the dictates of fashion only after much persuasion.

You will not find beauty in rouge pot or complexion-whitewash. True beauty comes to them only that take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's a wonderful tonic and beautifier. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

A. I. McCall & Co.

## LOW SUMMER TOURIST RATES WEST.

During the entire summer the Chicago and North Western Railway will have in effect very low round trip tourist rates to Colorado, Utah, California, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia points. Choice of routes going and returning with favorable stopovers and time limits. Especially low excursion rates to the Pacific Coast from June 25th to July 7th. For further particulars, illustrated folders, etc., write or call on B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 East King Street, Toronto, Ont.

## Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, July 16.  
Liverpool wheat futures closed today 1/4 to 1/2 higher than Saturday and corn futures unchanged.

At Chicago July wheat closed 1/2 higher than Saturday. July corn 1/4 lower and July oats 1/4 lower.

## WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

At the Winnipeg option market to-day the following were the closing wheat quotations: July 81c, Aug. 81c, Oct. 78 1/2c bid.

## THE VISIBLE SUPPLY.

July 16, '06. July 9, '06. July 17, '05.  
Wheat, large, 2,315,000 2,145,000 12,320,000  
Corn, large, 5,191,000 5,575,000 4,388,000  
Oats, large, 6,105,000 6,368,000 6,550,000  
During the week wheat decreased 1,700,000 bush; corn decreased 412,000 bush, and oats decreased 285,000 bush.

## LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

	July	Sept.	Dec.
New York	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Detroit	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Minneapolis	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Toledo	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Duluth	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2

## TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

	July	Sept.	Dec.
Wheat, spring, bush	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Wheat, fall, bush	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Wheat, red, bush	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Wheat, goose, bush	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Barley, bush	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Oats, bush	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Rye, bush	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Peas, bush	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2

## LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, July 16.—Wheat—Spot nominal; futures steady; July, 84 1/2c; Sept., 84 1/2c; Dec., 84 1/2c.  
Corn—Spot quiet; American quiet, old; futures quiet; July, 48 1/2c; Sept., 48 1/2c; Dec., 48 1/2c.  
Hulls—Short cut strong, 63c.  
Bacon—Short rib strong, 50c; clear bellies strong, 56c.

## NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, July 16.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 8114; street prices extra creamery, 20 1/2c to 21c; official prices creamery, common to extra, 18 1/2c to 20c; western common to extra, 12c to 13 1/2c; western factory, common to extra, 12c to 17c; western imitation creamery, extras, 18 1/2c; Dec. 16 1/2c to 17 1/2c.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 2016; new state, cream, large, 11 1/2c to 12c; good, 10 1/2c to 11c; small fancy, 11 1/2c; fair to good, 10 1/2c to 10 3/4c; inferior, 8 1/2c to 9 1/2c; full to better, 12c to 13 1/2c.  
Pasta—Firm; receipts, 1245; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected, white, 24c; do. choice, 22c to 23c; do. mixed extra, 21c to 22c; western extra, 17 1/2c to 17 3/4c; do. lower grades, 15c to 16 1/4c; southern, 15c to 16c.

## CATTLE MARKETS.

Cattle are stronger—All classes of stock are stronger.

London, July 16.—Cattle are quoted at 10 1/2c to 12c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8c per lb.; sheep, dressed, 14c to 15 1/2c per lb.  
Toronto Junction Live Stock.  
Toronto, July 16.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards, Toronto to Junction, were 70 car loads, composed of 1510 cattle, 39 sheep, 21 calves and 17 horses.

## Exporters.

Shipping cattle sold at \$4.40 to \$5.05, with one or two picked lots at a little more money, comparatively few, but the bulk selling at \$4.00 to \$4.85; export bulls sold at \$3.50 to \$4.25 per cwt.

## Butchers.

Best butchers sold at \$4.40 to \$4.65; medium to fair, \$3.85 to \$4.25; cows at \$2 to \$4, with some small cows, good number for export, at \$4.25, but there were few of them.

## Milk Cows.

About half a dozen cows sold at \$30 to \$45 each.  
The calves offered sold at \$8 each.  
Sheep sold at \$4 per cwt. for export purposes.

## Hogs.

William Leveck bought 25 car loads of fat cattle at prices given above, which are his quotations of the market.

## MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, July 16.—(Special.)—Cattle advanced 1c to 1 1/2c and London 1/2c to 1 1/2c, while Glasgow quoted at 11c to 11 1/2c. Exports for last week over \$5. Cattle receipts were 900 cattle, 50 milk cows, 200 calves, 500 sheep and lambs and 600 hogs.

A feature of the trade was the stronger feeling in the market for live hogs and prices advanced 10c to 25c, with sales of selected lots at \$8 to \$8.10 per 100 lb. weighed off cars and in a few cases \$8.25 was paid. Another feature of the market was the weakness in cattle and prices declined 1/2c to 3/4c per lb., owing to the limited demand and extreme heat. Choice calves sold at \$4.75 to \$5; good at \$4.25 to \$4.50; fair, \$3.75 to \$4; common, \$3 to \$3.50; inferior, \$2 to \$2.75 per lb.

Calves sold at \$4.75 to \$5; good at \$4.25 to \$4.50; fair, \$3.75 to \$4; common, \$3 to \$3.50; inferior, \$2 to \$2.75 per lb.  
Sheep sold at \$3 1/2c to 4 1/4c per lb. Lambs at \$2.75 to \$3 each.

## EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, July 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 400 head; active and strong to 10c higher; prime steers, \$5.50 to \$5.85; a few 6c; shipping, \$5 to \$5.50; butchers, \$4.50 to \$5.35; heifers, \$4 to \$5.25; calves, \$3.25 to \$4.50; bulls, \$3 to \$4.25; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4; stock heifers, \$2.75 to \$3.25; fresh cows, \$3 to \$4; springers, \$2 to \$3 lower; \$18 to \$20.

Veals—Receipts, 1300 head; active and strong to 10c higher; heavy, mixed and Yorkers, \$7.15 to \$7.50; pigs, \$2.20 to \$2.75; calves, \$2.10 to \$2.30; pigs, \$4.50 to \$5; dairies, \$7 to \$7.15.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5000 head; yearlings and lambs 20c higher; others steady; lambs, \$6 to \$6.75; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6.25; weathers, \$5 to \$6.25; ewes, \$5 to \$6.25; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$3.75.

## NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, July 16.—Beef—Receipts, 4482; steers opened steady; closed weak for medium grades; fat bulls about steady; heifers 15c to 16c lower; cows steady; steers, \$5.10 to \$6; bulls, \$3 to \$4.40; fat fancy, \$4.50 to \$4.75; cows, \$1.50 to \$4.40. Exports to-morrow, 888 cattle and 3500 quarters of beef.

Cattle—Receipts, 6991; veals steady for top grades; closed slow and a trifle easy for others; buttermilk calves slow to 25c lower; veals, \$5 to \$5.20; cows, \$4.50 to \$5.50; grassfed, \$3.50 to \$4.25; few choice, \$4.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 16,478; choice heavy sheep firm; others steady; lambs active; market closed steady; sheep, \$3.50 to \$5.50; culs, \$2 to \$3; lambs, \$8 to \$9; choice, \$6.25; culs, \$4.50 to \$6.

Hogs—Receipts, 8667; market about steady; state and Pennsylvania hogs quoted at \$7.25 to \$7.40.

## CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, July 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 27,000; best steady, others 10c lower; common to prime steers, \$4.25 to \$5.30; cows, \$3.75 to \$4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.25; heifers, \$2.75 to \$5.25; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4.25; calves, \$3.75 to \$5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; 10c lower; choice to prime heavy, \$6.50 to \$6.85; medium to good heavy, \$6.00 to \$6.75; butchers' weights, \$4.75 to \$6.55; good to choice heavy mixed, \$5.00 to \$6.15; packing, \$4.50 to \$6.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 21,000; slow; sheep, \$4.25 to \$6.25; yearlings, \$3.40 to \$6.50; lambs, \$3.40 to \$5.



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## ATTITUDES IN SLEEP.

The Odd Postures in Which Animals and Fish Seek Repose—Hedgehog Like Chestnut Bur.

Fish have a density so nearly that of water that they can rest quietly on sand or gravel without apparent effort. Are they asleep? Probably, though they do not shut their eyes. At the beginning of evening, for instance, the gudgeon chooses a sandy spot, between stones and remains there, facing the current, its body resting on the lower lobe of the tail and on its pectoral and ventral fins. It is possible that it assumes the same position in winter and remains in it until spring, hibernating. The barbel and bream sleep in companies, like the gudgeon, but on a muddy bottom. The pike sleeps in summer near the bank, at the surface, where the sunlight can reach it. The carp keeps near the bottom. The eel hides in holes that it makes nearer the bank.

The observation of sea fish is more difficult, as may be imagined. It is now agreed that herrings, mackerel and other so-called migratory fish pass the winter at the bottom in the kind of lethargy. Do they adopt the gudgeon's position? Perhaps, though Fleville Je Peley has seen thousands of mackerel half buried in the mud, holding their tails vertically above it. Barchans sleep sitting with the head in the air. The toad sleeps by day in holes or under rocks and retires underground for the winter. He burrows backward, his hind feet and the end of his body serving to dig the hole, while he pushes with his fore feet. The marsupials are generally forced by the shape of their bodies to sleep sitting. The phalanger fox sleeps in a crouching posture, the head between the fore feet. The lemur also crouch, with the long, bushy tail around the hind feet. With the chimpanzees and other apes the hair on the upper arm and the forearm grows in opposite directions. This serves to protect the animal more effectively from the rain when he sleeps crouching in the thick woods or in the brush with his arms folded and pressed against the body. The orang takes his siesta with bent back, head hanging on his chest and sometimes holding to a branch by one of his extended arms, but generally with both arms hanging by his sides.

Penguins and pelicans also rest in a sitting posture. A whole flock takes refuge under a protective rock. The

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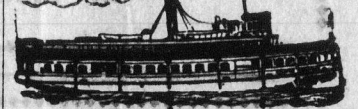
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**YESTERDAY.**  
Seven a. m. 62  
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Maximum 66  
Minimum 59

### TO-DAY.

Lowest during the night 60  
Seven a. m. 62  
Barometer 29.45

## LOCAL

George M. Baird, of Blenheim, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Miss Lorraine Oleschewski is spending a few days with friends at the Lighthouse.

John M. Park left Walkerville this morning with the steam yacht Ripple, for Erieau. He expects to complete the long journey by to-night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson are visiting in Kingsville. Mr. Anderson will return in a day or two but Mrs. Anderson will remain some time.

John Mays, of Dover, delivered his first load of wheat to the T. H. Taylor Co., this morning. His crop averaged 35 bushels to the acre, weighing 62 pounds to the bushel.

Van G. Gossell, a former pupil of the C. E. C., left today for Edmonton, Alta., where he has secured a good situation. Van's many friends wish him success in his new western home.

Miss Rice, Patterson Ave., is spending a few days at the Bau, the guest of Miss Evelyn Park, Beverly Lodge. The schooner Azov came into the river this morning with a cargo of lumber for W. M. Drader.

Chatham cricketers are promised an interesting exhibition of the sport for July 25th, when St. Thomas will send a strong team here to oppose the locals. Both teams are in good condition and are well matched. A close and entertaining contest is expected.

It is understood that an investigation into the small-pox trouble reported in the vicinity of the Township of Dawn will be instituted by the Provincial Board of Health. Provincial Inspector Bell will personally look into the matter, as soon as he has concluded some important business he has at present on hand up north. It might also be stated that the authorities of Florence have promptly denied the reports about that town. They claim that all cases have been rigidly attended to in that neighborhood.

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The two offices of memory are motion and distribution.

## LETTERS

ALD. AUSTIN EXPLAINS.

To the Editor of The Planet.

The article on your first page, headed "Is Investigation Needed into the Methods used by the Beet Sugar Promoters," is a base fabrication, such as we expect others will be during the course of the next two days in the endeavor to discredit those working for the carrying of the Sugar Beet By-law, and divert attention from the real issues of the campaign.

As your reporter was not present, I am assuming you published the article on the strength of what some person at the meeting told you, and whoever he was he has no regard for truth or honor or other men's reputations, but is evidently a man opposed to the Sugar Beet By-law and will stoop to anything in order to defeat the by-law. The facts in connection with the incident are too lengthy to be explained on a letter of this kind, but should you or your informant repeat the insinuations you made last night I will give the public an opportunity to judge of the facts by having them recited before a judge and jury.

I will simply say there was no attempt made and no understanding, directly or indirectly, to give the workers for the Sugar Beet By-law any advantage over the others.

There was simply a misunderstanding on my part as to the number of books finished when I distributed the first lot and on the mistake being discovered we did our best to rectify it.

Mr. R. L. Brackin has only been working in the interest of the Electrical By-law, has never attended any meetings or taken part in any way in the campaign for the Sugar Beet By-law. Mr. Jas. Brackin has been working whatever to do with the question, and the dragging of his name into the matter simply goes to show how persons actuated by petty personal spite will seize an opportunity to besmirch the object of their attack.

In conclusion, I trust that no friend of the Sugar Beet By-law will allow this to influence them into opposing the Electrical By-law. We want both by-laws to carry, and the Electrical By-law will require every available vote in order to carry it. In all fairness, I shall expect you to give this communication the same prominence on your first page that you gave to the article yesterday.

Yours sincerely,

CHAS. AUSTIN.

### EX-ALD. DUNN'S EXPLANATION.

To the Editor of The Planet.

Replying to your article in last evening's issue of The Planet, headed "Is investigation needed into methods used by the beet sugar promoters," in which my name is mentioned in an unfavorable light, I would like to make a short explanation of my connection with the affair.

The facts are these: Ald. Austin came into my office on Friday afternoon last, and placing some small division books upon my desk, said: "Here are some of the books for use in the beet sugar by-law campaign." The books with few exceptions remained there until Monday night, when I heard at the electrical by-law meeting that there had been a mistake made, and the books I had were claimed to be for the electrical by-law and not the beet sugar. I immediately, without being asked by anyone to do so, sent down stairs to my office and got them, and gave them to those present. The books were not and never had been at my residence, with the exception of the book for polling sub-division No. 2, where I was appointed to work for the electrical and also the beet sugar by-law. It is most unfortunate that one has to defend himself against such an unfair attack as this, especially where one minute's time spent over the 'phone would have put the whole matter right.

I may say, as secretary of the Beet Sugar committee, that some of the best and most influential men in the city are connected with it, and they are also all doing what they can to help carry the electrical by-law.

Yours truly,

A. J. DUNN.

Chatham, July 18, 1906.

Both Ald. Austin and Mr. Dunn have made personal explanations to The Planet concerning the unfortunate misunderstanding which gave rise to the report complained of. A perusal of their letters will satisfy any citizen that no wrong was intended by either of these two gentlemen in this matter. Misunderstandings of this kind might very easily arise, and no impressions of dishonesty or unfairness should be taken from the report of yesterday.

The Planet was not notified that the meeting above referred to was to take place and was left to depend wholly upon the information given by those who were present in publishing the report alluded to by Ald. Austin and Mr. Dunn. If one of our reporters had been present we would have been in a position to assume the full responsibility of the report. In the matter of public meetings it should be the duty of some one to notify the press. Nothing is lost through publicity in a matter of this kind and fair minded citizens look with ill-favor upon public meetings where the press is not given an opportunity to be represented.—Ed. Planet.

### MORE EXPLANATIONS.

Editor Planet:  
I can only take time to answer in a short form your editorial in Tuesday's issue.  
We reintroduced the by-law at the request of many citizens who de-

sired the industry, but on a different basis as regards security to the first one, amongst others Mr. Stephenson, proprietor of The Planet, expressed himself as favorable to the industry if the city was secured.

2. We accept your denial re any pecuniary influence and would simply say "People who live in glass houses should never throw stones; give the citizens who are working for the by-law credit for being as loyal to the city from their view of the question as you are for yours."

3. If you had not the courage of your convictions, the last time, what has since bolstered your courage up? An editor after advocating a question such as the sugar industry for the past five years should not require bolstering or much meditation either.

4. Your assertion that The Planet would support the project if the enterprise was in the hands of parties familiar with it is a lame one to me, as I know that the proprietor has had information from men who have a personal dislike to Mr. Fowler, stating that he (Mr. Fowler) understood the sugar question thoroughly.

You surely do not expect us to take seriously your statement because certain gentlemen who are successful clothiers, vinegar merchants, etc., take stock in it, you have no faith in it.

How many men connected with industrial enterprises are practical men? Is the proprietor of The Planet a practical printer? Yet he has made a special success of it. He has made a special success of it. He has made a special success of it.

5. He the expression of opinion by the citizens, no intention to deceive was attempted, and only about ten per cent. of the names attached are not ratepayers. We secured the opinion of all the bank managers for example, although most people know they do not own property here, but their opinion is particularly valuable in regard to financial conditions such as are involved in this, and they are gentlemen who cannot afford to countenance anything of a doubtful financial character, but again that adage about "glass houses" applies, only ten days ago The Planet published in heavy type "The ratepayers are against the sugar proposition, then follow the interviews with ten citizens, three of whom are not ratepayers, and four of them are supporters of the by-law and were not aware they were speaking for publication but simply jollying the reporter."

Five of the directors visited Chatham and addressed a public meeting and the president, Mr. Fleet, stated Mr. Fowler was the managing director and had full authority to represent the company here. I think this covers all the points advanced in your editorial, and I shall expect you to make the amende honorable by supporting the proposition on Thursday and with your vote Friday.

Yours for building up Chatham,

C. AUSTIN.

### A FEW QUERIES.

To the Editor of The Planet:

A few queries re the sugar beet factory by-law before the voting comes on Friday.

1. Does the city have to pay for the submitting of both by-laws, and if so the plea of cheapness in ringing them in both together fails?

2. If Mr. Austin's estimate of benefits to the city, if we get the sugar factory, be on a 22 mill rate of taxation and be not misleading, why can we not have a 22 mill rate this year by vote some man's inventive powers?

3. If the school boards cry "Down with kindergarten luxuries" because another \$25 a month teacher be needed, are we able to bonus everything asking a bonus of the city?

4. Did we not use reason in the first vote, that we are impudently asked to do our work over rationally?

Many other questions could be asked, and would plainly show the fallacy in the making of such an undertaking, but space requires me only to say in conclusion that I passed judgment on this matter once, and will again vote the same way, believing the matter to be properly weighed and found wanting.

RATEPAYER.

### THE COMPANY WINS

Ontario Government Withdraws Its Claim Against the Nipissing.

Toronto, July 18.—The following statement was handed out yesterday by Attorney-General Foy:

"The Nipissing Mining Co. (of Cobalt), having satisfied the Government by evidence under oath, taken in the suit, that they were bona-fide purchasers, for value, without notice of any defect in the title, and having paid \$250,000 to the vendors, and having taken out a certificate under the Lands Title Act, the Government has withdrawn all claims against the company, so far as the matters at present in dispute are concerned."

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paid before August 1, 1906, will be  
placed in Court for collection.

Signed:  
JOHN GILBERT,  
MARY L. BURKE.  
Witness:  
WM. H. BENSON.

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## The GOLDEN EGG

By M. J. Phillips

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When Buckley asked the sanction of his employer, Professor Rudolph Kinfeln, to the marriage of that young man and Kinfeln's niece, Donna, he expected that there would be extraordinary conditions attached to Kinfeln's approval. Kinfeln was a wealthy and eccentric scientist, metallurgist and physician, who dabbled in various strange matters for his amusement. Buckley, his assistant, had grown in time to understand the old man's oddities and to have a profound respect for the intellect which had already made several valuable scientific discoveries. Kinfeln smiled benevolently and combed his long white beard with his fingers when the younger man spoke. "Well, John," he began, "Donna is twenty-two, and of course she will marry some time. I suppose you are no worse than other men. Now, if I impose a task upon you before I give my consent you will agree to perform it?"

"If I can," replied Buckley cautiously.

The old gentleman chuckled. "It won't be very hard, John. From a private compartment beneath the laboratory shelf he drew out a box and handed it to Buckley. 'Open it,' he said.

"Now, John, there's your golden egg," went on the scientist. "I fixed it up for you in my leisure moments. If you open it inside of a month you get Donna and a wedding present too. If not, you'll have to wait awhile."

"What tools may I use in opening it?"

"That's the point, John. You may use your own two good hands and any instrument which does not weigh over fifty grains."

"Fifty grains!" repeated John, amazed. "Why, that's less than a quarter of an ounce."

"Exactly."

John stared first at the egg and then at the scientist. "But, professor," he expostulated, "an instrument weighing fifty grains will be practically useless. Why, the blade of a small penknife weighs that much. A thin latchkey weighs more."

"But an instrument much less in weight will open that egg."

John looked dubious. "But supposing I use something which weighs more?"

"You wouldn't do it, John, if you agreed not to," responded the professor comfortably, "and I'd catch you at it if you did."

John was young, in love, and energetic. His three years' work in the various hobbies which the scientist affected had given him an unusual technical education, great confidence in himself, and a certain delicate manual dexterity which almost surpassed that of his employer, clever as the older man was. It was very natural that he should accept the challenge and bear away the egg.

He found Miss Donna in the parlor and explained the situation. It is hardly germane to mention that when the girl placed her elbows on the table and settled her chin in her pink palms to listen she looked distressingly pretty—so pretty, in fact, that John was compelled to interrupt his narrative while he gazed at her.

When he had finished his account of the conditions, she rose. "You are to go right to your room, John. I'm commanded, 'and open that egg. I'm dying to see what's in it. No; you can't stay here with me and work on it; I would disturb you.' With the wariness of long experience she dodged around the table at this moment, anticipating by the fraction of a second a lunge on the part of John. From a place of safety behind a chair, she pointed to the door. 'Au revoir! And tell me tomorrow morning what you found.' John reluctantly gave up a chase which promised to be fruitless, and obeyed.

Settled in the easy chair in his own room, he paid the professor the compliment of examining the egg very carefully before beginning operations. He went over it with his fingers, but could feel no joints beneath the yellow paint which covered the metal. There was no depression on the surface. It was his theory that a hidden spring would open the sphere, and he spent the balance of the evening in searching for it. At midnight the secret was still undiscovered, and he gave it up for the time being.

Donna was inclined to poke fun at his failure the next morning. As the chuckling professor readily allowed her to try her hand, she spent an hour and broke two halpins in an equally fruitless effort.

The egg was rather light than otherwise for its size, but John felt certain that machinery of some description, hidden within it, controlled the situation. By shaking it persistently he was finally rewarded by the sound of a very faint clicking. That evening he made a sort of cat's cradle of string and placed the egg therein. With the contrivance he was able to whirl the egg over and over, in this way hoping to start the machinery. Occasionally he reversed the motion, but he tired his arms with the monotonous labor to no purpose.

Next he essayed to saw his way through the metal. He secured a burglar's saw of the finest steel, but was compelled to discontinue with the handle, as it brought the weight of

the little instrument up to nearly 100 grains.

Intermittent labor for the next three evenings with the saw, a bit of cloth service as a handle, resulted in some badly blistered fingers and the scratching of the paint in several places. That was all, if the fact that the egg was proved to be steel as fine and hard as the saw is excepted. In desperation Buckley attempted to crush the obstinate oval between his hands and failed again.

"I've made up my mind to get the paint off," he announced to Donna. "Then I can tell where we're at."

"We're at sea," she replied dolefully, tenderly kissing one of the blistered fingers.

Buckley secretly agreed with her, but his pride had been aroused by repeated failures and the whole sordid chuckling of the professor, whose sides seemed to be shaking constantly with merriment over his assistant's predicament. He would open the egg now or die.

The young man took his penknife apart, sharpened the lightest blade to a razor edge and attacked the paint.

Although it clung exasperatingly, in time he had cleared it from the surface. This revealed the presence of thousands of little holes in the metal, each closed by a minute fleck of the paint which the blade would not dislodge.

It was well into the fourth week when this was done. "Just look at those confounded needle holes!" he exclaimed in disgust.

Under the stress of a brilliant inspiration Donna jumped up and clapped her hands delightedly. "That's it, John—a needle!"

One was brought, and John set himself to the task of thrusting it carefully as far as it would go into each of the little holes. This removed the fleck of paint, and as the absence of paint showed that a hole had been tested no time was lost in subsequent explorations.

"Poxy old gentleman, your uncle," smiled John, "but he overlooked that point. If he'd thought about it, I know he'd fixed it to keep the paint out of these wretched holes."

It was the evening of the last day of the allotted month that the busy needle, penetrating farther than usual, produced the hoped-for result. There was a whirl of clockwork, and a heavy spring, the pressure upon it suddenly removed, thrust itself through the side of the egg.

John fished a metal cylinder from the broken shell, opened it out, and, with his arm around Donna's neck, read the paper which it contained. It was a check for \$5,000 signed by Professor Kinfeln and payable to "Mr. and Mrs. John Buckley."

The Coughing Stopped.

At a certain army post there was a sentry on duty near the hospital. The surgeon was preparing to go to bed in a room when he was annoyed and alarmed at the sentry's coughing. His experienced ear told him that the man had a severe bronchial affliction, needing a strong remedy. He debated awhile with himself and then, going into the dispensing room, compounded a powerful mixture. This he took outside to the sentry, with instructions to swallow it immediately. The man refused.

The surgeon insisted and finally commanded the soldier to take the medicine, which he did, with much grumbling. Then the worthy surgeon went to bed, pleased to hear no more coughing.

Next morning to his surprise the commanding officer sent for him and said that the sentry had complained, declaring that the surgeon had forced him to swallow something he thought was poison. An investigation followed and revealed the fact that while the surgeon was mixing the medicine the coughing sentry had been relieved and consequently the remedy had been given to the wrong man.—London Tit-Bits.

Singular Foods.

In this country the large octopus, or squid, common on many a coast, offends the palate, but the Italian, Frenchman and Portuguese eats it with avidity and considers it a delicacy. The meat is clear and white, like chicken, and has the flavor of crab. We find the Chinaman selling eggs of unknown age, especially duck eggs containing ducklings ready to be hatched. Shark fins, a tough, disagreeable food, are in demand, while deer horns in the velvet and lizards of various kinds are eaten. The nest of the swallow, with its embedded secretion of the mouth glands of the bird, is nearly worth its weight in gold. Trepan, the tough, impossible holothurian, is eaten, and its collection is an important industry along the Malay coast, amounting to at least \$100,000 per annum. In France the sea anemone is used as food; stuffed and boiled it calls to mind crab or crayfish. The sea urchins of various species are also used, cooked in their covering, like an egg, and eaten with a spoon.

Recognized by His Lang.

An eminent Scotch surgeon and professor in the University of Edinburgh was entirely devoted to his profession. A quaint incident in his practice will show this. The poet Tennyson had at one time consulted him about some affection of the lungs. Years afterward he returned on the same errand. On being announced he was nettled to observe that Mr. Syme had neither any recollection of his face nor, still more galling, acquaintance with his name. Tennyson thereupon mentioned the fact of his former visit. Still Syme failed to remember him. But when the professor put his ear to the poet's chest and heard the peculiar sound which the old patient had made chronically at once exclaimed: "Ah, I remember you now! I know you by your lung." Can you imagine a greater humiliation for a poet than to be known, not by his lyre, but by his lung?

THE WHALE'S SENSES.

Ability of the Ponderous Animal to Hear Under Water.

It seems perfectly evident that whales must hear when in the water, says the London Field. This inference is confirmed by the comparatively small development of the other sense organs. A number of years ago it was taken down and sent to Vienna for exhibition at the world's fair held there as a rare specimen of ancient Japanese art. The vessel on which it was being returned sank, and it lay at the bottom of the sea for several years in spite of every attempt to raise it. Persistence was rewarded at last, for it was finally recovered and placed again in its old position.

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Again, the sense of smell, judging by the rudimentary conditions of the olfactory organs, must be in abeyance, and whales have no sense organs comparable to the lateral line system of fishes. Consequently it would seem that when below the surface of the water they must depend chiefly upon the sense of hearing. Probably this sense is so highly developed as to enable the animals in the midst of the vibrations made by the screwlike movements of the tail or flukes to distinguish the sound (or vibrations) made by the impact of the water against the rocks even in a dead calm, and in the case of piscivorous species, to recognize by the pulse in the water the presence of shoals of fish.

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15 Toilet Sets, green and blue print, \$1.35.

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## RESULTS OF EXAMINATIONS

The Successful Students in  
the Public School Leav-  
ing Exams.

### THE LIST IS COMPLETE

The following are the names of the successful candidates at the recent Public School Leaving examinations in the County of Kent. Out of a possible total mark of 500, 375 were required for honors. For pass, 250 marks were required:

#### BLENNHEIM.

Honors—Hattie H. Wm. McMillan, Edgar Mallory, Katie Newcomb, Ross Robertson, Wilfred Rutherford, Wilfred Samson.

Pass—Myrtle Ball, Willie Ball, Geo. Broadwood, Edna Buchanan, Blanche Burke, Everton Burke, Jack Clarke, Louise Clarke, Lola Clark, William Cleveland, Lucy Cookson, Kenneth Denholm, Grace Gibb, Willie Gill, Del. user Hewitt, Annie Huffman, Lizzie Huffman, Percy Huffman, Gladys Kell, Eva Lenentine, Gladys Lowe, Mildred McDonald, Ada McDougall, Edward McPherson, Gertrude Nevill, Aggie Park, Whilmina Rhodes, Gertie Rose, Mary Rowe, Flossie Russell, Margaret Smith, Yvonne Snodden, Mabel Steele, Lillian Stenton, Carl von Gunten, Norman Woods.

#### BOTHWELL.

Honors—Kathleen Betcone, Gladys Sussex.

Pass—Kelsey Carson, Fern Cartier, Agnes Duncan, Ernest Everingham, Mary Hill, William Johnston, Mabel Mahler, John Marcus, Edna Moore, Mabel Randall, Albert Rash, Mildred Scott, Fern Sussex, Earl Tinney, Beulah Trotter, George Warren.

#### THAMESVILLE.

Honors—Mary Bobier, Artie E. Gillespie.

Pass—Robert Albertson, Nellie Arnold, Ada Cameron, Margaret Campbell, Ada Cameron, Myrtle Dowdell, Arthur Gillespie, Edith Herbert, Daisy Irwin, Thelma Lowe, Margaret McMillan, Mabel Monteith, Walter Murphy, Beatrice O'Neil, May Orton, Victor Smith, Edna Unsworth.

#### HIGHGATE.

Honors—Raymond Crosby.

Pass—Margaret Bishop, Edith Driver, Ruby Eberle, Shirlee Hornal, Annie Long, Sara McDougall, Belle Scott, Edna Ship, Gordon Shipp, Frank Smale, Clara Tetzl, Stanley Tolson, Morden Watson.

#### RIDGETOWN.

Pass—Fred Cornwall, Irene Cornwall, John Dick, Melvin Dick, Mabel Flewellyn, Del. Gardner, Ada Holmes, Hattie Smith, Guy Taylor.

#### WALLACEBURG.

Honors—Marshall Clark.

Pass—Stella Innis, Leigh Johnston, Anthony LaCourse, Laura McDougall, Annie Payne, Elsie Richardson, R. George Stear.

#### TILBURY.

Honors—Ruth Funston.

Pass—Cori Atkinson, Bert Clark, Gaynet Horne, Myrtle Keith, Albert Kett, Homer McMahon, Caven McQuarrie, Peter Nichol, Maurice Richards, Mabel Richardson, Mabel Ritchie, Mauriel Smith.

#### WHEATLEY.

Honors—Blanche Dawson, Dora Lane.

Pass—Florence Coulter, Jessie Dobbin, Flossie Hatt, Arno Martin.

#### CHATHAM.

Honors—Jessie Stewart, Robert Warnock, Grace Wright.

Pass—Emma Bell, John Bloude, Edith Brown, Clara Budd, Edith Carson, Dorothy Chinick, Hazel Chryse, Alfred Downey, Dolan Emery, Gordon Finlay, Annie Gamble, Tom Geo. Anna Langan, Gladys Lenover, Geo. McAlmon, Cecil McCreary, Clara Masterson, Nellie Merritt, Ida Moir, Fred Taylor, Earl Tiffin, Albert Rice.

#### DRESDEN.

Honors—Laura Boylan, Jean Cutbert, Mark Daniels, Clare Dever, Annie Watson, Vera.

Pass—John Colman, Sarah Ewing, Lorne French, Belle George, Irene Glasgow, Pearl Harrett, Frank Hicks, Fred Houston, Pearl Huff, Harold Johnston, Ella Latimer, Beattie McNaughton, Alex. McVern, Virtue Pray, Marion Radcliffe, Harold Shaw, Ada Sudds, Gordon Watson, Walter Wees, Elmer White.

#### MERLIN.

Honors—Mabel Lowry, Mildred Middleton, Lela Ulich.

Pass—Leo Barry, Grace Broadbent, Lottie Broadbent, Sylvester Coutts, Nina Davis, Grace Dyke, Margaret Estabrook, Ada Farquharson, David Fletcher, Watson Guy, Clarence Haliday, Alice McNamara, Bertha Mason, Carl Pardo, Ruth Penfold, Ella Pratt, Harry Smith, Victor Smith, Margaret Tasker.

Those who made the highest marks in the county were—

Ross Robertson, a pupil of S. S. No. 4, Harwich; Miss Lydia Broadbent, teacher, Total 456.  
Robert Warnock, a pupil of S. S. No. 1, Chatham; Robert E. Park, teacher, Total 456.

#### DRESDEN

July 17.—Miss Hattie McDonald spent Sunday in Wallaceburg. Miss Edna Neely, who has been visiting Miss Eva McDonald, left Mrs. (Dr.) Webster has returned to her home in Chicago.

Mr. Ern Wells spent yesterday in the Maple City.

Mrs. (Dr.) Ling, of Dutton, is visiting at the home of Mr. Jamin Lawrence.

A horse belonging to Mr. Wicks ran away this morning. There was no damage done.

A lawyer may be color blind, but he knows red tape.

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## SMALL-POX INVESTIGATION

Authorities in Florence Say  
That Cases are  
Chicken-Pox

### THE LOCAL COMPLAINT

The following letter published in the London Free Press refers to a matter in which this city is particularly interested:

"Editor Free Press: Allow me to contradict a statement which appeared in your paper to-day, one which was written either in haste or while the writer was laboring under the influence of most extreme imagination. The statement I refer to is that which accuses the Board of Health negligence in not properly looking after certain supposed small-pox cases which are supposed to have existed near Dresden and Florence. I, as Medical Health Officer for the Township of Dawn (where all such cases, as far as I can find out, have existed), was notified of such cases about three weeks ago by Dr. Kelly, of Florence, who diagnosed them as chicken-pox. I saw some of them myself and again in consultation with Dr. Kelly, and agree with him that it is only chicken-pox, some of them showing serious, and none of them showing any symptoms of small-pox. Hoping you will contradict this erroneous statement.—A. P. Chalmers, M. D.

"Ed. Note.—The statement appearing in these columns, to which Dr. Chalmers refers, was a complaint on the part of Chatham against the municipalities referred to. This complaint was lodged with the Provincial Health Officers, and alleged that small-pox patients were not being properly quarantined. Dr. Chalmers gives another side to the story."

## A MOST LIBERAL OFFER FOR A HOME

The one guessing the nearest to the number of votes cast against the Sugar Factory By-law will receive a receipt of \$15, or purchase price of a lot on Inches Avenue, and the one guessing the nearest to the number of votes cast in favor of the Electric By-law will receive a similar receipt for \$10. These are the best building lots in the city and will be sold on terms to suit purchaser. See advertisement, "For Sale" in this issue. Apply W. M. Murdoch, Grocery, Cor. Gray and West.

### THAMESVILLE

July 17.—Fred. Bambridge, of London, is in town to-day.

Eisworth Fraser left this afternoon for Jarvis.

John Howat is a Detroit visitor to-day.

Miss Best and Miss Perry spent yesterday in Chatham.

Miss Kate Mayhew left to-day for a two weeks visit in Detroit and Toledo.

Miss Mayhew will be the guest of her brothers, Messrs. Chas. and Geo. Mayhew, of Detroit.

Miss Sarah Ferguson, who has been visiting in Ridgetown for some time, will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ferguson to Muskoka this week.

A very interesting baseball match was held last evening between the Moraviantown team and our local players. The game resulted in a score of 8 to 10 in favor of Thamesville.

A woman's idea of man usually is based on the way he takes her opinions.

Sentimental utterances pass when they come in large doses.

People seldom improve when they have no other model but themselves to copy after.

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