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FINAL EASTER OFFERINGS...

To assist you in making your final preparations for Easter Sunday, we place on sale to-night many useful articles, novelties of the season, at prices surprisingly low.

Chenille Ties

Ladies' New Chenille String Ties in colors pink, sky, yellow, cream, black and helle, reg. price 25c, on sale to-night only for.....

14c

Gilt Spikes

Gold Gilt Spikes, the novel season's trimming, made plain and fancy, on sale to-night only at each.....

1c

Embroidery Collars

Ladies' new style Embroidery collars, made in very neat Swiss designs, reg. price 10c and 12c each, on sale to-night only at each.....

7c and 8c

Ladies' Collars

Ladies' Novelty Collars in white, black, sky, pink and cardinal satin with band of gold, reg. price 50c each, on sale to-night for.....

32c

Gold Buttons

Small dull gold Punk Buttons, the new pretty trimming, on sale to-night special at per dozen.....

3c

Stick Pins

Neat gilt and enamel headed Stick Pins, on sale to-night for.....

3c

Kid Gloves

Our stock of Kid Gloves is thoroughly complete, inquiry for almost any shade in any size can now be satisfied.

At \$1.00—In black, white and all shades, a guaranteed real French Kid Glove.

At \$1.25—In black, white and all shades, an elegant, perfect-fitting, real French Kid Glove, fully warranted.

To-night we place on sale Colored Kid Gloves in these standard makes:—"Alexandre's Engage," reg. price \$1.50 pair; "Jammie's Julia," reg. price \$1.50 pair; all the best shades of tan, brown and grays are represented, and all sizes from 5 1/2 to 7 1/2 about 20 doz in all. To-night we place the entire lot on sale for.....

Per pair 73c

Ribbons

Taffeta Neck Ribbons, 4 1/2 in. wide, in shades cream, sky, pink and olive, reg. 50c yard, on sale to-night special at per yd.....

18c

To be among the lucky ones for the balance of the year you must wear something new on Easter Sunday. Provide yourself with something from amongst these bargain offerings.

Butterick Patterns

THOMAS STONE & SON

Fashion Sheets Free

The Woolen Mills Ordered Clothing Department

NOW is the opportune time to place your order for a SPRING SUIT. Do not leave it until the Rush.

Be The First

We are now in a better position to serve you in every way. You will have FIRST CHOICE of our NEW SPRING GOODS of which we carry the LARGEST and BEST selected stock of any in the City. OUR CUTTER, Mr. Williston, is a thorough mechanic and has now but first-class Men Coat-Makers under his direction. We guarantee to SAVE YOU money on Ordered Clothing and make them First-class and Up-to-date. We also carry a small stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING. We have the best \$1.50 and \$2.00 Ready-made Pants in Canada. Try US FOR A PAIR and at the same time LEAVE YOUR MEASURE FOR A SPRING SUIT.

The T. H. Taylor Co. Limited

Phone 1. Beaver Flour the B. st.

INCREASING ITS FACILITIES.

The announcement that an additional car is to be attached to the Empire State Express is based upon experiments made, which have demonstrated that the addition can be made without lessening the speed of the famous train, which still remains the fastest long distance train in the world. During the Pan-American Exposition the Empire State Express will undoubtedly be taxed to its utmost capacity to accommodate the people of the East who make the trip to Buffalo, and the addition of one car to this fast train will materially increase its accommodation.

This train, it has been practically demonstrated, is the best money making train, according to its capacity, on the New York Central road. The people like to ride upon it because of its speed and its excellent accommodations. It makes fewer stops for the long distance than any train in America, and hence its great popularity. The fast mail, another popular train on the Central, is but a little slower than the Empire, however, and the Central has many other fast trains which are popular with the public and justify the oft repeated assertion that the New York Central is the pride of the people of New York state as well as well as the admiration of the travelling public generally.—Editorial from the Syracuse Evening Telegram.

The Indian and the Northwest. A handsomely illustrated book just issued, bound in cloth and containing 115 pages of interesting historical data, relating to the settlement of the great Northwest, with fine half-tone engravings of Black Hawk, Sitting Bull, Red Cloud and other noted chiefs; Custer's battle-ground, and ten colored map plates showing location of the various tribes dating back to 1600. A careful review of the book impresses one that it is a valued contribution to the history of these early pioneers, and a copy should be in every library. Price, 50 cents per copy. Mailed postage prepaid upon receipt of this amount by W. H. Kniskern, 22 Fifth Avenue, Chicago, Ill. ad 13 20 27.

More Grand and More Central.

The New York Times, in a leading editorial last month, discussing the hotels, the clubs and some public buildings in relation to their propinquity to the city's centre, said: "The Grand Central Station has come, in the process of the years, to be both more 'Grand' and more 'Central' than when it was originally built. Yes, Commodore Vanderbilt, the founder of the famous house, had a long head. When he projected the 'Grand Central Station' he did not plan for a day, but for a long time ahead, for a century more or less, and his worthy successors, by enlarging and remodeling the building, have kept the station 'Grand' and up-to-date. The Times knows a good thing when it sees it.—From the Home Journal, New York.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

A Booklet About Pianos

We have printed an instructive little booklet about Pianos and our 20th Century Method of selling them. The booklet is free to anybody interested in buying a Piano.

If you are about to buy a Piano or if you have been THINKING about buying one, or if you want to exchange an old Piano or Organ in part-payment for a new one, our booklet will give you more real information than any thing else we know of.

Our 20th Century Method is something new in selling Pianos. You'll like it because it's the fairest, most business-like method there is.

Call and get a copy of the booklet. If you can't call, send a postal request and we'll mail you one.

B. J. WALKER

Piano and Organ Dealer
62 Odette Avenue Windsor

Now is the time to Subscribe

INAUGURAL TOURNAMENT OF MAPLE CITY GUN CLUB

Large Number of Local Marksmen Take Part in the Successful Shoot Yesterday.

The members of the Maple City Gun Club enjoyed a splendid afternoon's amusement yesterday. The Fair Grounds have been secured and the inaugural shoot took place. There was about 200 present, including both spectators and shooters. Owing to the high wind, and the dull day, the scores were not very large. Another factor that deserves consideration in a study of the score, is that none of those shooting yesterday have had an opportunity of breaking clay pigeons at the traps for several years, and taken on the whole the work done yesterday was excellent. Quite a number underwent their baptism in the firing line at the traps. The scores:—

Sweep No. 1, 10 targets—A. C. McKay 8, Thomas Gutteridge 6, W. Tristram 8, J. Moore 7, I. Oldershaw 6, H. Dagnieu 7, J. Kime 6, C. Aitkins 5, P. Taylor 5, Thos. Stegman 5, J. Oldershaw 4, W. Stonehouse 3, R. J. Gardiner 3, G. P. Taylor 3, W. Paulucci 3, D. Martin 3, W. S. Richards 3, J. Kerr 3, Dr. Tye 3, W. Merritt 3, J. Piggott 3, J. McCole 3, H. Fisher 3, D. Hartick 3, D. Smith 3, C. A. Nee 3, W. Richards 3, J. Johnston 3, Fred. Dolsen 3.

GENERAL PLUMER IS NOW PUSHING RAPIDLY ONWARD

Once Again the Boers Shift Their "Capital"—Oom Paul Still Continues to Talk.

London, April 6.—Lord Kitchener reports as follows to the War Office:—"Colonel Plumer has advanced 20 miles beyond Nylstroom, unopposed, on the way toward Pietersburg."

According to the Pretoria correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, the Boers have shifted their seat of government from Pietersburg to a point 35 miles north-west.

Lord Kitchener, reporting to the War Office the finding of an abandoned and destroyed pom-pom near Vryheid, says:—"This accounts for all the enemy's guns known to be in the south-eastern district."

The Kroonstad correspondent of the Times, writing Thursday, says that preparations are being generally made by the British forces for winter operations.

A Johannesburg despatch says:—"Lord Kitchener has personally presented the Red Cross medal to Madame Ferriars, head of the French ambulance detachment, for her services to the British wounded."

A Cape Town despatch says:—"Five corpses of victims of the bubonic plague were found in Cape Town yesterday. Seven additional cases have been officially reported, six of these being Europeans and one of the latter being a yeoman of the same camp."

BOERS FAILED.

Bethulie, Orange River Colony, April 4.—A force of Boers, under Commander Krizinger, attempted to recross the Orange River Colony to the west of here but failed.

KRUGER TALKS.

Paris, April 5.—Oom Paul Kruger is quoted in the Paris Matin as follows, according to a cablegram:—"I thank God that He has beset Great Britain with troubles in the far east—troubles that will yet force her to release her South African prey. Great Britain's sin, the atrocity with which she has waged war on defenceless women and children of the veldt, will yet be her ruin. We have the witness of the 'book for it.' In speaking of the present situation in South Africa, and of the war in general, Mr. Kruger says:—"The British Government, British telegraph and the British press always try to make this much"—and he measured his little finger—"look like this much"—and he extended both arms, "I am persuaded everything is going well out there, precisely because our enemies continue to disseminate and 'travesty' facts. We do not fight except for peace. We are not conquerors, but although General Botha listened to the British proposals, he never uttered a word of equivocation on the subject of independence. Independence is the only treasure we cherish. If we have to sacrifice all others, we hope to have our own independence. It is for that reason our citizens forsake their farms and sacrificed their lives, and our women and children now suffer temporary servitude in the enemies' camp. And," added the ex-president, "if the English were not blind, if they considered their own interests, they would recognize the independence we demand, because in the hope of safeguarding it we shall be ready to make many concessions and sacrifices, and moreover, it would assure peace forever in South Africa."

WHAT PAUL LIKES BEST.

London, April 5.—The Standard's Brussels correspondent says that the Dutch pro-Boer committee has presented to Mr. Kruger a cheque for a million florins (\$400,000), the result of a subscription.

Two were brothers, whose parents were Welsh. A number of them were orphans. One boy said his father died at Gibraltar and his mother at Malta.

Most of them unburdened their trials and tribulations to the scribe. The stepmother was often mentioned. One little fellow said his stepmother refused to let him have his father's watch, although his father said he could have it at his death.

They could all read and write, and one little fellow, 11 years old, could write a beautiful hand.

At Chatham they said one of the policemen took them to a restaurant and gave them refreshments. These were favorably commented on. One little fellow, contrasting the Canadian policemen with the London article said:—"In London the bloomin' bobby would rather 'it you over the teeth' than give you a drink."

A couple of suits of clothes and other belongings were in a satchel which each had, or, as they called them, "portmanteaus." They also carried two envelopes: one contained a letter to their new "master," as they called him, and the other contained several postal cards and other writing material, to write back to the superintendent of the home.

\$50.00 To California and Back This Summer.

An illustrated book, which will be of much interest to all who are expecting to take advantage of the low rates to California this summer, at the time of the Epworth League Convention, to be held in San Francisco in July, has just been issued by the Chicago & North-Western R'y. Much valuable information is given relating to the state, variable routes, etc. The rate via this line will be only \$50.00 for the round trip from Chicago, with corresponding rates from other points. Copy of this book may be had free upon application to Mr. W. B. Kniskern, 22 Fifth Avenue, Chicago, Ill. ad-w

"It is the heart and not the brain. That to the highest doth attain."

Slips of the Sanctum Pen

The following sentimental touch is from the Hamilton Spectator:—"The first kiss is like a cinder in the eye. It's a little thing, but it seems a whole lot."

EVEN THE BUILDINGS SUFFER.

A House is sick with the grip.—Tilsonburg Observer.

AND ST. CLAIR WAS HAPPY.

W. G. Whittier and J. Roberts smiled on St. Clair Tuesday.—Sarnia Post.

AN EPIDEMIC.

Dancing parties have been raging in this vicinity during the past week.—Lucan Sun.

WHAT'S THE LADY'S NAME.

Mr. A. B. Moffatt had a prayer-meeting at her house last Thursday night.—Sarnia Post.

JOHN WILL LIKE THIS.

We were all surprised to see John Vance and his wife at church on Sunday night.—Dufferin Post.

JACKSON IS DEAD AGAIN.

Again the sad duty comes to us to chronicle the death on the 12th inst. of Isaac Jackson.—Simcoe Reformer.

THE RAIL ON HIS FOOT.

P. W. Bayless met with the misfortune of having a rail fall on his foot and severely hurting it.—Welland Telegraph.

WILL SHORTEN THEM UP.

William Cable is not going to peddle bread any longer outside of the village. He says it does not pay.—Deith Vindicator.

JOE MUST BE A CANNIBAL.

Quite a number of friends and relatives turned out to Hornby station to welcome a returned soldier from South Africa, in the person of Jos. Morrison.—Oakville Star.

WHAT THEY HAD.

The Lady Macabees held their regular semi-monthly meeting last night, and from the great amount of business transacted an unusually late hour was had before the session was concluded. Banner-News.

WHAT THE PRESENCE DID.

While a young man of this burg was sitting chatting with his best girl the other evening, the stovepipes caught fire, and had the good for the presence of the young man running to get a pail of water the house might have been burnt.—Harrison Tribune.

SOMETHING EBER LEFT.

Eber, of St. Clair, remained until the next day, when he, too, quietly disappeared from the scene, leaving a stillness in the old home that could only be equalled by the stillness of the midnight hour.—Sarnia Canadian.

AH! NOW BE GOOD.

The school teacher on the 9th who enjoys a joke on other young people, should be very careful to tell the truth even if it is only a joke, or he may get left, as they say the young lady he appears to be so attentive to does not care for a person who fibs.—Brussels Post.

GAVE COMRADE

GOOD SEND-OFF

Bert Riddell Banquetted by Friends Prior to His Departure for the West.

A number of Bert Riddell's friends banquetted him on Thursday night at Hall's Cafe. Mr. Riddell has always been exceedingly popular with all and his friends took this method of showing their appreciation of him and their regret at his departure on Monday for the west.

H. T. Northwood occupied the chair and facing him sat Bert Riddell, the guest of the evening. Between were seated John Pierce, Montreal, Fred. Briscoe, Ed. Williston, W. Moffatt, Wm. Chrysler, Lester Heath, Richard Cartier, Thos. Thomson, Jos. Tilt, W. Coupland, Roger Hutchinson, Fred Gutteridge, Albert Jahnke and others.

After a most excellent spread the balance of the evening was spent in toasting the guest and wishing him success and prosperity in the far west.

Instrumental music and songs added a variety to the program. The happy gathering broke up at an early hour having spent a most delightful evening.

NOTICE.

The Tache Gold Mining Company of Ontario, limited, to the shareholders of the above company:—

You are required to take notice that a special general meeting of the shareholders of the said company will be held at the law offices of John Reeve, 85 King street, in the City of Chatham, Ontario, on Friday, the 19th day of April, 1901, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon, to elect officers and arrange for the future business of the company or to take steps for the final winding up of the said company, and its business. The present directors are resigning or have resigned.

JOHN REEVE, Secretary-treasurer. Dated at Chatham, April 2nd, 1901.

The Best Is the Cheapest

When buying an article of any kind, the best is generally the cheapest in the end. This applies to footwear as much or even more so than anything else.

THE SUPERIOR QUALITY of the stock we are selling enables the buyer to save a good percentage on his shoe bill. If you want value for your money try us for your next shoe purchase.

TRUNKS AND VALISES.

Peaces' New Store
The first Shoe Store West of The Market.

Thibodeau & Jacques

Shopping Made Easy

In every Department of this modern store you will find an able staff of salespeople, as well as up-to-date Dry Goods and Millinery.

Our MILLINERY DISPLAY is greater than ever and our artists are prepared to take your order for

Your Spring Hat

and give you the latest Parisian and American models—to see them is to appreciate them.

Our immense stock of Wash Goods is ready for your inspection.

Thibodeau & Jacques

Reflection

Will convince you that it is necessary to tone up the system.

In the cold weather impurities have been accumulating which now seriously threaten health—

ST. LEON

is the Ideal SPRING MEDICINE

ALL DEALERS.

Head Office

Toronto, Canada.

..The Planet.

S. STEPHENSON, Proprietor.

THE LADIES' PAPER.

Thursday's issue of our esteemed contemporary was a unique and admirable one. It was prepared and gotten out by the ladies of the Maple City in aid of the Public General Hospital funds and was a credit to its fair managerial and editorial staffs. The publication was known as the "Ladies' Edition," and received a deservedly large patronage. It was a twenty-page paper brim full of interesting, instructive and entertaining reading matter from the busy and accomplished pens of its fair contributors. Every department was admirably handled and the special articles included were highly pleasing. The business end of the enterprise was also well cared for and a large and representative collection of display advertisements did much towards making the paper the splendid financial success it is proved.

The Planet most heartily and sincerely congratulates the ladies upon their capital paper. The task of preparing and publishing the edition was not a light one to be undertaken by them, but it has been accomplished with the same indomitable energy, earnest enthusiasm and substantial success that has characterized all their efforts.

The Planet extends cordial eulogies to all the ladies and also congratulates the visiting evangelists and the publishers of our contemporary on their association with so fine and successful a paper.

EASTER.

To-morrow will be Easter Sunday. Day of days in the Christian Calendar. It is the anniversary of the most momentous event in the world's history, marking the dawn of the era which ushered in Christ and Christendom. Hallowed by supreme sacred and solemn associations, Easterday is essentially a church festival—a day of pious peace and reverent joy. And yet aside from its holy memories, though still indissolubly linked therewith, are its social aspects, which makes Easter tide welcome the whole world over, without distinction of class or sect, or doctrine, or church fellowship or we had almost said, religion at all.

At Easter and Christmas the Fatherhood of God and Brotherhood of Man is more generally exemplified than at any other time in the year; and whether the exemplification comes from religious precept or be instinctively the product of the atmosphere of good will and heartiness which which all inhale, it is a powerful factor in the promotion of that charity and human kindness in the spread of which lies the betterment of society, the amelioration of the human lot, the hope of the race. The knowledge of God and His purposes in creation is more easily imparted to an enlarged heart and extended sympathies. Man reconciled to his fellows is more easily reconciled to his Maker. Easter sentiment, therefore, may indeed be cultivated as an aid to the progress of God's Kingdom on earth. The kindly words said and the good acts done are finger-posts to the way of Right and Truth:

I count this thing to be grandly true,
That a noble deed is a step toward
God,
Lifting the soul from the common
clod
To a purer air and a broader view.

THE DOWSLEY BY-LAW.

At present writing the probabilities are that the Dowsley by-law has been defeated by a small margin as the result of the meagre turnout of voters, although, it is said, that the promoters will make further legal enquiry with a view to securing a definite solution to several technicalities.

If the by-law has gone under it is a regrettable circumstance, not alone because the Maple City will lose a large commercial industry, but because off the future effect the vote will have on the industrial development of the community.

The vote polled certainly gives ample testimony to the pulse of the people upon the measure, and, if it is defeated, as feared, we cannot help thinking that the responsibility largely rests in lack of publicity and free and frank intercourse with the rate-payers. We trust it may prove a lesson,—if, indeed, a costly one—to the head of the Industrial Committee and that the unfortunate outcome of this enactment may lead in future to the extension of greater public confidence, more general publicity, and the burying of all private pique for civic prosperity by us all.

"WITH THE GUNS."

Lieut. E. W. B. Morrison, the talented editorial writer of the Ottawa Citizen, and one of the best known and most entertaining Canadian newspaper contributors has just issued from the Hamilton Spectator press his remarkable book, "With the guns in South Africa." It is made up mainly of the graphic, interesting and instructive letters sent from the front.

An Honest Tired Feeling

There is an "honest tired feeling," caused by necessary toil and cured by natural rest.

But very different is "that tired feeling," from which so many complain and which may even be classed as a disease.

That tired feeling takes you to bed tired and wakes you up tired.

You have no appetite, have bilious taste, dull headache, are nervous and irritable, blue, weak and discouraged.

In such conditions Hood's Sarsaparilla does a world of good.

It begins in the right place—in the blood, purifying it and imparting vitality, then its tonic effect is felt by the stomach, kidneys and liver; appetite comes back, all waste is removed naturally, headaches cease, that tired feeling departs and you feel like a new person.

This has been the experience of thousands.

It will be yours if you take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

by Lieut. Morrison, and published in the Hamilton Spectator and the Ottawa Citizen. These letters have been amended, elaborated and added to in order to make a complete and consecutive narrative of the war experience of D battery and particularly of the left section of the battery, which Lieut. Morrison commanded. Morrison's letters differ vastly from the bulk of the war correspondence with which the reader is familiar, in that they give the reader a picture of Africa, the Boers and the war as seen through a pair of particularly observant Canadian eyes, set forth in language which cannot be misunderstood by the reader who has not the slightest knowledge of military phraseology and technicalities. Moreover, Morrison's letters go into interesting details of the life of the Canadian soldier in Africa, which gives the reader a perfect knowledge of the conditions under which our brave boys served, how they accomplished their work, and how they came out of it, rich in experience and with plaudits of the civilized world ringing in their ears.

Although it had not the luck to take part in any of the great engagements of the war, Morrison's command saw a great deal of lively service, did magnificent work, displayed great bravery and coolness and won the highest praise.

The story is well told, in an interesting style, and will be found entertaining throughout. The pictures give the appearance of the book is all that could be desired.

It is a work which should find a place in every Canadian household, and the Planet will be much disappointed if "With the Guns in South Africa" does not sell with a rush.

BLOOD

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor.

There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood.

This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Toronto, Canada.

Wood's Great Peppermint Cure.
Sold and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine discovered. It cures all forms of Cough, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, and all other ailments of the Throat and Lungs. It is made up of purest ingredients, and is guaranteed to cure all the above ailments. It is sold in all druggists, and is also sold in bottles of 25c and 50c. It is made up of purest ingredients, and is guaranteed to cure all the above ailments. It is sold in all druggists, and is also sold in bottles of 25c and 50c.

Wood's Peppermint Cure is sold in Chatham at the Central Drug Store, C. H. Gunn & Co., 111-113 Main Street.

"Friend Cook" did "do something in this connection." He refused to be did.

There is still an opportunity to capture those L. E. & D. R. R. car shops.

The coolest householder is liable to lose his head when a man takes his census.

If you please, may we be permitted to remark that the Boer general is playing a solo, not a Duet.

Our esteemed content will have to go some these days to keep up the clip set by the Ladies' Edition.

Don't be too much discouraged with the loss of the by-law. Let us all get the harder to work for our good old town.

If Funston's appearance is as varied in the flesh as in the newspaper "portraits," it is no wonder that he deceived that clever chap, Aginaldo.

We observe that the effete and demoralized old monarchy of Great Britain shows a total revenue for the year of \$147,118,624, being the net increase of £10,261,894 over the preceding year.

If De Wet and Botha ever get 13,000 men together, which is most unlikely, it will greatly facilitate the winding up of the war. All Kitchener wants the Boers to do is mobilize and put up a fight as an army. He will do the rest.

LOOKING NEARER HOME.

The Laurier government is these days thinking more about North Bruce than the North pole.

BETTER BE A DOORKEEPER.

Buffalo News.
A Canadian, Mr. Cook, has testified that he was offered a senatorship in the Dominion parliament for \$10,000. That is a small amount for so great an honor. A doorkeeper's position in Washington would cost six times as much.

"We can but regret," says the London Mail, "that the queen was not permitted to see the end of the South African struggle." But, on the other hand, you can but rejoice if the king is permitted to see it.

Next to the king, Lord Roberts is the most popular man in England. The reason for this popularity seems to be that "Bobs" succeeded in getting out of Africa without having been whipped by the Boers.—Louisville Post.

The Boers can hope for no amnesty from King Edward. They would agree to no terms which do not include independence and a restoration of their republic. To such terms neither king nor ministry will consent.

BRITON AND BOER.

The British are preparing to pour 30,000 more men into the hopper.—Chicago Record.

De Wet and the British authorities are having another dispute over definitions. What the British call peace envoys De Wet calls spies.—Detroit Free Press.

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THE CYNIC.

A fool in one thing is usually a fool in another.

There are some people who always discover a mistake when it is too late to rectify it.

A few years after marriage it develops that the definition of affinity is "both pulling one way."

The great need of the times is a cure for the growing appetites of girls for chocolates and compliments.

When a man goes to prayer meeting on a stormy night, he has a great deal to say about the sin of being a "fair weather Christian."

Some people are enthusiastic in accepting invitations because they figure that they will save that much by eating away from home.

"What do you think of the dessert, dear?" said the young wife. "I made it out of Mrs. Shouter's cook book."

"Oh, that accounts for it. I suppose it's the leather binding that makes it so tough," replied the great brute.

He knocked at the back door of a suburban house and the cook opened it. He was a sinister-looking fellow and the cook held on to the door.

Lady of the house at home? He inquired gruffly.

No, trembled the cook.

Master of the house at home? No.

None of the people in? None but me, and she tried to shut the door.

Ah! never mind, he growled, setting his foot against it; I'll come in and have a good feed. Let go that door.

She let go the door, and the tramp went in and fell into the arms of a burly policeman who was courting the cook contrarily to orders.

A Chicken-Picking Machine.

A device has been invented by a western packing house for picking chickens. It is a receptacle in which the fowl is placed after being killed, and into this are turned several cross currents of air from electrical fans revolving at the rate of 5,000 revolutions per minute. In the twinkling of an eye the bird is stripped of its feathers, even to the tiniest particles of down, and the machine is ready for another. The hint must have been taken from torndown.

Stranger—Whose place is that over there?
Native—That's the new mansion of one of our wealthy sugar refiners.
Stranger—Ah, I see. Another house built upon sand.
Native—Say, rather, on the rocks he made out of the sand.

The Northway Co., Limited

The Busy Cash Store

The Northway Co., Limited

...Easter Needs...

We are fully prepared to meet your every requirement. Any need for man, woman or child you desire is sure to be found here, and at prices that means a substantial saving on every purchase.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats—Over one hundred handsome hats, latest Paris and New York novelties, ready for your choosing and priced so as to make buying easy.

Kid Gloves—This store is noted for having the best Kid Gloves, guaranteed Kid Gloves from the best French makers, in black, white and leading spring shades, newest styles, 2 and 3 dome fasteners, special at per pair \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Belts—All the latest novelties in leather, gilt, jet, metal and ribbon, some unusually good values at 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.40.

25c Pure Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 3 in. to 4 in. wide, extra fine quality in all wanted shades, special per yd 25c.

Rainy Day Skirts in all-wool Serges, Cheviots, Checks and Reversible Golf Cloths, tailor made, extra well finished, at each \$2.65, \$5, and \$7.50.



Men's Suits—Fine all-wool Navy Serge, clean firm finish, indigo dye, extra well tailored, sizes 35 to 42 in., special \$35.00.

Men's Fine Clay Worsted pure wool, cut in accurate style, extra good fitting French facing, the best in the city at \$10.00.

Boys' Suits, New spring patterns in tweeds and navy serge, nobly styled sailor and 2 pc. suits, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50.

Boys' Nobly 3 pc. Suits in stylish tweeds and serge, at \$2.75, \$4, \$4.50, \$5 and \$6.00.

Fine Shirt Waists in print, muslin and percale, handsome styles in white and colors at 60c, 75c, 80c, \$1, \$1.25, up to \$3.00.

Tailored Suits, 25 stylish ladies' tailored suits, manufacturer's samples, broad cloths, chevrons, homespun, serge, etc., cut in latest styles, handsomely finished, sold regular at \$10 to \$22.50 clearing at \$4.35, \$5.50, \$7.45, \$10 and \$12.50.

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The British are preparing to pour 30,000 more men into the hopper.—Chicago Record.

De Wet and the British authorities are having another dispute over definitions. What the British call peace envoys De Wet calls spies.—Detroit Free Press.

"We can but regret," says the London Mail, "that the queen was not permitted to see the end of the South African struggle." But, on the other hand, you can but rejoice if the king is permitted to see it.

Next to the king, Lord Roberts is the most popular man in England. The reason for this popularity seems to be that "Bobs" succeeded in getting out of Africa without having been whipped by the Boers.—Louisville Post.

The Boers can hope for no amnesty from King Edward. They would agree to no terms which do not include independence and a restoration of their republic. To such terms neither king nor ministry will consent.

THE CYNIC.

A fool in one thing is usually a fool in another.

There are some people who always discover a mistake when it is too late to rectify it.

A few years after marriage it develops that the definition of affinity is "both pulling one way."

The great need of the times is a cure for the growing appetites of girls for chocolates and compliments.

When a man goes to prayer meeting on a stormy night, he has a great deal to say about the sin of being a "fair weather Christian."

Some people are enthusiastic in accepting invitations because they figure that they will save that much by eating away from home.

"What do you think of the dessert, dear?" said the young wife. "I made it out of Mrs. Shouter's cook book."

"Oh, that accounts for it. I suppose it's the leather binding that makes it so tough," replied the great brute.

He knocked at the back door of a suburban house and the cook opened it. He was a sinister-looking fellow and the cook held on to the door.

Lady of the house at home? He inquired gruffly.

No, trembled the cook.

Master of the house at home? No.

None of the people in? None but me, and she tried to shut the door.

Ah! never mind, he growled, setting his foot against it; I'll come in and have a good feed. Let go that door.

She let go the door, and the tramp went in and fell into the arms of a burly policeman who was courting the cook contrarily to orders.

A Chicken-Picking Machine.

A device has been invented by a western packing house for picking chickens. It is a receptacle in which the fowl is placed after being killed, and into this are turned several cross currents of air from electrical fans revolving at the rate of 5,000 revolutions per minute. In the twinkling of an eye the bird is stripped of its feathers, even to the tiniest particles of down, and the machine is ready for another. The hint must have been taken from torndown.

Stranger—Whose place is that over there?
Native—That's the new mansion of one of our wealthy sugar refiners.
Stranger—Ah, I see. Another house built upon sand.
Native—Say, rather, on the rocks he made out of the sand.

THE HORSE SHOW.

Simmocoon, 2:13 $\frac{1}{2}$, is in John Roth's hands at Chillochee, O.

At Moulton, Me. Dr. F. F. Innis owns a horse said to be 44 years old.

The Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association will hold their meeting Oct. 8 to 18 at Lexington.

J. Howard Ford, the new proprietor of famous Stony Ford farm, is said to be trying to buy Charley Herr, 2:07.

B. F. Pew, Niles, O., has bought the stallion Gold Lace, 2:23 $\frac{1}{4}$, by Gold Leaf, 2:16 $\frac{1}{2}$, dam by Lace Dealer, 2:25.

The pacing mare Nelly Hammond, 2:21 $\frac{1}{2}$, by Patron, 2:14 $\frac{1}{2}$, dam Nelly G, 2:20, is to be bred to John R. Gentry, 2:00 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Smith & Egan, Davenport, Ia., have sold the gray pacing gelding Admiral Dewey, 2:12 $\frac{1}{2}$, to S. W. Cooper, Wichita, Kan.

The California pacer Clipper, 2:06, by Diablo, 2:09 $\frac{1}{2}$, will again be campaigned by James Thompson, who gave him his record last season.

Aurora and Ottawa have already claimed dates as members of the Illinois Valley circuit. The Aurora meeting will be held July 16 to 19 and Ottawa July 23 to 26.

Muscle, Ind., will have a race meeting July 3 to 5, which will be a fair circuit, leading up to a fair circuit, furnishing in all 15 weeks of racing within a radius of 75 miles.

The Berlin (Wis.) Blue Ribbon fair will be held Oct. 1 to 4. Six classes each for trotters and pacers will be on the programme, with purses ranging from \$250 to \$500. The secretary is C. M. Willis.

Loss, 2:00 $\frac{1}{2}$, the black pacing mare who scorched the talent's money at Lexington last fall, is stepping fast on the snow at Winnipeg. Tom Ogden, 2:07, and Don Quixote, 2:10 $\frac{1}{2}$, are there—

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Prue's hat came down and hid her eyes—
Her bon covered chin and nose;
But her beauty Philip sighs—
For he can see her cheeks of rose.

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C. L. Kewin, a mechanic, living on Twenty-fourth street, says: "I think my 'doctor' has cured me of my venereal disease, gonorrhea & Kergan to publish in gratitude to the people who helped me by them. I was a physical and nervous wreck. Self-abuse was the commencement of my downfall. At the age of 23 years and by reading 'Ladder of Life' I decided to consult doctors in my city; I could not face them with my disgrace. I had Varicocele, Dissection and Syphilis. I live told doctors in New York, Chicago, Boston and Cleveland, but got no benefit. I then tried a specialist here with the same result. A friend confirmed me that he had been cured by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan, and I resolved to try them. The result was I felt magic. My legs were disengaged, cutaneous eruptions ceased, eyes grew more painless, my abdomen and groin primples and rashes healed up, hair grew in again, my bowels regular, my appetite improved. I am now a happy man. Has opened up to me, bone pains & aches and I gained 60 pounds in weight."

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Est Richards' Bread. Miss Stuart, of Ridgeway, is in the city.

Joe Morrison, of Harrow, is in the city.

A. E. Bernabe, of St. Thomas, is in the city.

James Clancy, M. P., is in the city to-day.

W. C. Estabrook, of Merlin, is in the city to-day.

I. S. McCallum, of Thamesville, is in the city to-day.

J. W. Sterling is recovering from a serious illness.

W. H. Bradley, of Bothwell, was in the city yesterday.

Geo. Richardson, of Ridgeway, is in the city to-day.

Thomas Nickson, of Windsor, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. W. J. Moffet, of Tilbury, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Mr. Bront, who is in St. Joseph's church to-morrow evening.

Barrister Jno. S. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, is in the city to-day.

Dr. Kelly, of Florence, is in the city spending his Easter holidays.

All the surgical cases at the St. Joseph's Hospital are doing well.

Mrs. Lambrooke and daughter, of Thamesville, are visiting in the city.

Wm. Bah, W. E. Rispin and R. S. C. are in the city to-day.

The young child of Wm. Liddy, Colborne street, is seriously ill with the croup.

The young child of Wm. McGowan, Park street, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

A. E. Langford and G. T. Langford, of Kent Bridge, are in the city to-day.

Fireman Frank Ryall left yesterday for Leamington, owing to the serious illness of his mother.

Harry Fitzsimmons, who has been seriously ill, was able to resume his duties this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Purvis and son, of Leamington, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Marguerite Ardagh is spending the Easter holidays with Miss Hazel Hanks, Blenheim.

Innis Sutherland is spending his vacation at home and returns to Upper Canada College, Toronto, next week.

The fire department wish to thank Hugh Fitzsimmons for the Daily Free Press, and also Mr. Peterson, of the Lake Erie, for a number of copies of "Success," a weekly, and also a number of photos.

The death took place this morning of Miss Agnes May Doherty, at the age of 49 years. The deceased lived on the fourth concession of Raleigh township.

The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2:30 to Maple Leaf cemetery.

The fire brigade were called last evening by still alarm to Wellington street. A bonfire was the cause. This morning the watchman noticed a blaze nearly opposite the convent, and the firemen took a run only to find a burning chimney. No damage in either case.

Does the Sun Hurt Your Eyes?

VERY often at this time of the year people suffer with their eyes on account of the brightness of the sun. This is a sure sign that your eyes are weak. If they are perfect the sun will not be an annoyance.

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SMASH-UP ON THE M.C.R.R.

Freight Train Collided With Fast Express No. 36 at Wayne Junction.

Pullman Car Badly Damaged and Three Persons Injured.

Special to The Planet.

Detroit, April 6.—Train No. 36 on the Michigan Central, due here at 9:15 this morning from Chicago, was made the subject of a rear-end collision by a freight train about half a mile west of Wayne.

The locomotive of the freight train and the last sleeper of the passenger were somewhat damaged, but none of the cars left the track, and the passenger was delayed only about 20 minutes by broken connections and the making out of reports.

Dr. Donald Maclean, the company's surgeon, was summoned to the Michigan Central depot to be in readiness when the train arrived with the injured.

THE VICTIMS.

Conrad Voigt, conductor passenger car, New York, broken leg and head injured, not fatal.

Louis Mendelssohn, passenger, Detroit, head badly cut.

James N. Macklin, passenger, Detroit, badly bruised.

DECLARATION IS POSTPONED

On Advice of City Solicitor Result of By-law Vote is not Announced.

Mr. Wilson Will Meantime Look Up the Statutes on the Matter.

City Clerk Merritt received the following letter from the city solicitor at noon to-day, and in consequence did not make his declaration on the vote of the Dowsley by-law at 2 p. m. as he had intended to do.

W. G. Merritt, Esq., City Clerk.

Dear Sir,—Re Dowsley by-law—in view of the doubts that exist as to how you should certify in regard to the voting on this by-law, I am of the opinion that it would be quite proper to postpone the making of your certificate for a few days, to enable me to make the necessary investigation. I have no doubt as to your power to do so, and as there is so much uncertainty, and the time so short, I think that such a course will be quite a proper one for you to pursue. If you postpone the matter please fix a definite day and hour to which you adjourn.

Yours truly,

MATTHEW WILSON.

Chatham, Ont., April 6, 1901.

In accordance with the above letter, the City Clerk adjourned the summing up and official declaration till Thursday, April 11th, 2 p. m.

THE VOTE.

Polling Sub. Div. For Against

No. 1—Thompson's..... 95 14

" 2—Manning's..... 101 17

" 3—Police Station..... 49 7

" 4—Cornish's..... 78 4

" 5—Mann's..... 64 2

" 6—Cherry's..... 42 1

" 7—Town Hall..... 39 1

" 8—Somerville's..... 16 1

" 9—Olderhaws..... 56 9

" 10—Potter's..... 73 9

" 11—McKay's..... 67 3

" 12—Calmeys's..... 82 5

" 13—Savage's..... 90 8

" 14—Waterhouses's..... 48 5

" 15—Kelly's..... 40 5

Totals..... 937 94

Majority for by-law 843.

LIVE PIGEON PRIVATE SHOOT

An Interesting Anecdote Which Will Likely Occupy the Attention of Humane Officers.

Live pigeon shooting is oftentimes cruel, but a most horrible and atrocious act of cruelty in this respect has been reported to have occurred in this city recently.

It is said that a man—no one could call him a sportsman—had a live pigeon shoot of his own. He put the birds in a trap with a string tied to their legs. When the pigeon was released, if he hit it all well and good, but if not, the bird was pulled back to be shot at again.

If this story is true, and there is no reason to doubt its veracity, the Humane Officer should investigate.

A Daniel buttermaker is said to have discovered a new preservative which renders cold storage for butter and meat unnecessary.

WANTED—Apply to Mrs. W. G. Richards, 1010a, Wellington St. E.

WANTED—In family of two, highest wages. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Lacroix St. 101a.

Mr. Crossley spoke first to those who were Christians before the meetings, and expressed the hope that their attitude towards those who had started for the kingdom during the meetings, would be such as to help and not hinder the young converts. He also made an earnest appeal to those who were not Christians and the young converts.

Mr. Hunter then said:—Before we shake hands and say farewell I want to say a few words. Some people ask, "How is it that you two men have such success?" It is by the grace of God.

Mr. Hunter then shook hands with the ministers representing the various congregations, and in this way saying good-bye to the people of Chatham.

On behalf of himself and Mr. Crossley he wished to thank the members of the evangelistic committee, the choir, ministers and others who had aided in the services.

He also acknowledged the valuable services of the local newspapers, together with the assistance rendered by the editors and reporters.

STANDS HIGH IN TAXATION

Maple City Occupies the Fourth Position in the Province

While Brantford, the Manufacturing Centre, is Away Below.

The annual report of the Ontario Bureau of Industry of the Legislative Assembly gives some interesting information. In the list of cities, Chatham stands fourth, being one of the highest taxed cities in Ontario.

Toronto is first with a taxation of \$13.83 per capita, St. Catharines is second with a per capita tax of \$12.99, Windsor is third at \$12.86, and Chatham and London are fourth equal at \$10.86 per head. Brantford, the manufacturing city, is away down in the list at \$8.30 per head.

IS IT CARRIED AFTER ALL?

Researches of Mayor Sulman Lead to the Belief That the Dowsley By-law was Adopted.

City Solicitor now Engaged on the Matter—Meantime Clerk Withholds Announcement.

Mayor Sulman spent a good part of yesterday, studying up the voters' lists and the statutes governing the election. His researches have revealed some interesting facts. In the first place he found from a study of the assessment rolls that there were 32 dead people qualified to vote and 11 married women with property qualifications with their names on the roll but not entitled to vote.

Thus, the by-law has received the necessary three-fifths of the ratifiers entitled to vote, but the statute requires the clerk to certify that it has received three-fifths of those entitled to vote, as shown by the assessment roll and the voters' list.

The Mayor gives it as his opinion that the by-law is carried. The city solicitor has the matter under consideration and meanwhile Mr. Wilson, K. C., has advised the City Clerk to postpone giving his official declaration.

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Spring Medicine, regular price \$1.00 per bottle, our price 50c.

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One lot New Mercedized Satinas, black and purple grounds, with pale yellow floral designs, rich satin finish, special for present use, per yd..... 35c

Novelty Zephyrs, Scotch manufacture, blue and pink grounds, with fine corded stripe, mercerized finish, special for summer waists, value per yd..... 35c

We are showing a beautiful assortment of new stripes in White Dimities, the very latest for children's dresses, ladies' waists or summer gowns, per yd. 20c, 25c, 30c and..... 35c

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

Prints! - Muslins!

17 pcs. New Dark or Light Prints, small patterns, in lilacs, reds, pinks, blues and dark wrapper patterns, fast colors, per yd..... 75c

Special assortment Fancy Colored Dress Muslin, pink, blue and green grounds, special for summer wrappers, per yd..... 125c

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A big range of new patterns in Navy Dress Ducks, also 32 in. Heavy Indigo Prints, factory cotton cloth, per yd..... 125c

Special Announcement

Important Silk Bargains

Pieces of plain and fancy Silks are offered to clear at 50c commencing Thursday as follows:—

11 pcs. pure Silk Merve, in black, navy, gray, fawns, browns and evening shades, extra cloth, guaranteed not to cut.

15 pcs. Plain French Taffeta, pure silks, in a good range of colors.

31 pcs. of fancy striped, checked and figured Silks in all the new and favored colors.

Regular values were 60c to 75c per yard, we offer the entire lot at one special price..... 50c

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Decidedly Interesting to Every

Latest American and English Hats

New Shirts Just Opened Up

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New Easter Neckwear Just in

BOY Because he gets the Newest and most Up-to-Date Styles at prices within the reach of his mother's purse. So it makes the pleasing combination by making both happy.

A Week To Clothing

Devoted Boys' Selling

We will spend a week in dressing up the boys and have some very special values.

See Window Saturday, April 6th

Boys' Serge 2 pc. Suits in plain blue, fawn and gray shades, pleated, for ages 4 to 10 years, special value..... \$1.25

Boys' Serge 3 pc. Suits made from plain blue Serge, collar on vest, sizes 28 to 33, value at \$3.50, on sale here at..... \$2.95

Boys' Halifax Tweed 3 pc. Suits made from the honest wearing Halifax Tweed, in plain gray and brown shading, noted for wear, sizes 28 to 33, value..... \$3.50

Boys' Pattern Tweed 3 pc. Suits in most gray checks, well lined and made, sizes 28 to 33, value..... \$4.00

Boys' Novelty 3 pc. Suits made from all the new things shown this season, neat checks in brown, gray shading, single and double breasted vest, sizes 28 to 33, beauties at \$6, at..... \$5.00

Boys' Worsted Serge 3 pc. Suits, made from indigo blue worsted Serge, single and double breasted vest, vests made single and double breasted, the dressy garment for all occasions, all sizes 28 to 33, can't be beat at \$6.50, at..... \$5.00

Children's American Novelties In 3 pc. Middy Suits

Gathered from all the fashionable centres.

Boys' Middy Suits, vestee sailor collar, braid trim, ages 2 to 8, in blue and brown Serge, special at \$2.50 and..... \$1.98

Boys' Novelty Serge Suits, vestee sailor collar, handsome finish, in worsted, blue serge and pretty fawn, ages 3 to 8, at \$3.75 and..... \$3.50

Boys' 3 pc. Vestee Suits, vest button in front fancy, no sailor collar, made from latest pattern novelty goods, silk lace, for ages 4 to 8, very no-nobby at \$4, \$4.50 and..... \$3.00

Boys' Odd Pants made from honest wearing Tweeds and plain blue Serges, sizes 22 to 33, all strong lined, at..... 50c

Boys' Worsted Blue Serge Pants, good weight, sizes 22 to 33, at..... 75c

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LOCAL BRIEFS

F. Campbell, of Ovey, is in the city.

Mrs. Bodger, Grey street, is improving.

Miss Daisy King left on a visit to Detroit this morning.

D. F. Johnston, of Ridgeway, was in the city Thursday.

E. R. Youngs, of Ridgeway, was in the city Thursday.

Joe. Downey, Queen street, remains about the same.

Miss Hattie Hall, of Quinn, is visiting her parents, West street.

S. B. Best, Windsor, and wife are visiting with friends in the city.

John Hall, left Thursday for Guelph, where he will spend Easter.

K. B. McDonald, of Dealtown, was a Chatham visitor Thursday.

A. E. Langford and Wm. Hoff, of Kent Bridge, are in the city to-day.

Mrs. R. A. Hughes has returned from visiting friends in Wardsville.

Miss Celia Ripley, of Dresden, is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Miss May Bisset and sister are spending Easter with their parents in Sarnia.

Mrs. L. L. Burke left this morning for Cairo on a visit to friends and relatives.

Miss Lillie Brady, of Sarnia, is at her home in this city spending her holidays.

Herb. Sides and Thos. Morrison are spending their Easter holidays in Detroit.

Frank Chapman, Frank Goreman and George Westmore are in Blenheim yesterday.

Harry Jordan, Grant Street, left this morning for Detroit, where he will spend Easter.

Mrs. Kelly, King Street, who underwent an operation in the General Hospital is improving.

Edward Congrave, Joseph street, and Robert Knight spent yesterday with friends in Blenheim.

Joe. Scott, of Wm. Gray & Sons, has left for his home in Galt, where he will spend Easter.

Thos. Pryce, of the Grand Trunk Freight office, is spending Easter with his parents in St. Thomas.

Miss Clara Teft, Grey street, who has been seriously ill in St. Joseph's Hospital, is slowly recovering.

Miss Maggie Willard left Thursday for Sarnia to spend Easter with friends and relatives in that place.

Miss Lucy Montague, Richmond street, left to-day for Detroit where she will spend two weeks with friends.

Fred. Dillon, William street, left Thursday for Goderich where he will spend Easter with his parents.

Mrs. (Rev.) F. H. Larkin, formerly of this city, now of Seaford, is spending Eastertide with friends here.

The Maple City creamery has received a large new vat from St. Thomas, which will greatly add to their establishment.

Mr. Ross, of Exeter, General Agent of the Confederation Life Insurance Company, is in the city in the interests of his company.

Non. Shillington and Mr. Moore, of Blenheim, passed through the city Thursday en route for Brussels, where they will spend their Easter holidays.

J. D. Blackburn will continue the egg business of the firm of Bernatz & Co., Mr. Bernatz having withdrawn from the partnership and removed to Michigan.

By an amendment to the weights and measures act, made some time since, all market scales, coal scales and railroad scales are now subject to annual inspection.

The contractors have commenced work again on the extension of the Lake Erie between Dutton and St. Thomas and it is expected that the extension will be finished and ready for use by Dominion Day.

Contractors Blight and Fielder, of this city, expect to have the new public school finished in Blenheim in about a month. The school is situated on the same spot as the old one, and will be divided into eight large rooms, besides cloak rooms, etc.

Owing to the resignation of Percy Richardson in the Canadian Pacific freight office in this city, Jno. Flannery has been promoted to his position and Mitchell Walker, of Glenora, takes Mr. Flannery's place. Mr. Richardson left Thursday for Texas, where he will in future reside.

A Siege

The matrons of the Edison Orphanage at Lowell, Mass., U.S.A., wrote they had a siege of whooping-cough in their institution. They said that every case was promptly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene. Its value in coughs and colds was so great they always kept it ready for use. You know how it's used, don't you? 'Tis heated by a vaporizer and you inhale it. Write us for a book that tells all about it.

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For sale by C. H. Gunn & Co., druggists.

Remember the date—Thursday, April 11th—Christ church sale of work, Victoria block.

Owing to Monday being a statutory holiday, the regular meeting of the city council will be held Tuesday evening.

Senator Casgrain, who returned home from Ottawa Thursday, lost his pocketbook with a number of valuable papers soon after arriving in Windsor.

John Mulder, a colored man, has been committed for trial at Harrow on the charge of having stolen a hog from Judson Bratt, a white farmer of Colchester.

There are four people residing within a stone's throw of each other at Tecumseh whose combined ages total 351 years. They are: Louis St. Louis, 84; Mrs. Benetto Tino, 80; Antonio Tino, 91; and Mrs. Francis Louzon, 96 years.

Harry Florey, of Bethwell, who has had charge of the stock of the Bethwell Dairy Company, has accepted a position with Jno. Cooper, of Cooperville. Mr. Cooper has purchased thirty or forty cows and will supply cream for the Bethwell Dairy.

The following officers have been elected by the Windsor Cricket Club:—Honorary President, E. C. Walker, Walkerville; Honorary Vice-President, Mayor Davis, Windsor; President, E. S. Wigle; Vice-President, J. C. Stuart, secretary, Roy Wigle; Treasurer, William Edgar.

Supt. Jones says that an electric light has been put in front of the convent, and is being placed in front of Holy Trinity church and a third will be put up at the G. T. B. crossing on St. George St. this week. A light has been put up at the corner of Water and William streets.

Abraham Huff, of the Gravel Road, Raleigh, has a fine bunch of hogs, 40 or 50, which will be ready for market in a week or ten days. They will average about 190 lbs. each, and will turn in a handsome sum to the owner.

Miss Johnston, matron of the Public General Hospital, left this morning for Wyoming, Ohio. She will be the guest of Mrs. McKenzie, who is in charge of the Public General Hospital in that city. Miss McKenzie graduated from the Public General Hospital in this city in 1897, and has had her present position for the past two years. During the absence of Miss Johnston, who has been given a three months' leave of absence by the board, Miss Paxton, one of the most competent and painstaking nurses the staff has ever had, will assume the duties of the position.

THE DISTRICT.

DRESDEN

April 6.—Mrs. Wade, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Osgood McLean.

Peter McEwen and Miss Martha Doherty were married yesterday at Essex Centre.

R. T. Mussen, manager of the Bank of Commerce here, is reported quite ill at his home in Cayuga.

Mayor Ribble has purchased a fine team of draught horses from W. Harris.

There will be divine service in Christ Church Good Friday morning at 10.30.

Mrs. W. Little is spending to-day in Chatham.

Mrs. Robt. Duffin died yesterday at 5 p. m. Funeral Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Kenrick, teller of the Bank of Commerce, leaves for Belleville to spend the Easter holidays with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Miss Ethel Sharpe and Miss May Miller left to-day for Toronto.

Dr. D. Galbraith, wife and daughter leave for Toronto to-day.

APPLEDORE.

Miss Florence De Verna, of Dunbridge, Ohio, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Burke, infant son of Stanley Arnold, is slightly improving.

Dwight Hanson has moved on his new farm in Dawn.

We are sorry to hear Miss Myrtle Arnold is ill with the measles.

Our teacher, Miss Wilson, is attending the Teachers' Convention in Chatham.

Wm. Henderson is assisting Warren Badger making maple syrup.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Henry Ennett.

GLENWOOD.

Miss Lizzie Estabrook visited relatives at Stewart last week.

Prof. A. Curtis, of Merlin, has a class in music organized in the village.

Fred Carahan removed his family to the Lake Shore, where they will reside in future.

Miss Mary Charlton was the guest of Miss L. Innes on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Sherman, of Harrow, who has had charge of the Baptist Church work here, preached his farewell sermon on Sunday last.

Isaac Coffell, the census enumerator for this district, began his work on Monday.

McKAY'S CORNER'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings, of Detroit, are visiting with friends, John Collins and wife.

Neil Watson, of Mull, made a creditable speech at the Young People's concert on the 29th ult.

Miss Gage, of Botany, is visiting with friends in the village.

The concert was a great success both financially and as furnishing much amusement; \$40 was taken at the door. The local talent all took their parts well.

Steve Nix, blacksmith, is on the sick list to-day.

Frank Smith, painter in William Parson's carriage works, is kept very busy these days preparing for the spring trade.

Rev. Dr. Jamieson is to take charge of preparatory services on Friday afternoon in St. James' Church at 2.30.

Peter Fleming is now actively engaged in making ready for the spring season of fishing. Last spring he shipped seven carloads to Buffalo and the coast.

Miss Pearl McKay is recovering from her recent illness.

The Misses Ingram, of Ridgeway, and Howard, visited friends in the village on Sunday.

EAST BRANCH.

D. Mickle is getting better.

The farmers around here are quite enthusiastic over the best sugar factory in Wallaceburg.

Miss Estary has purchased the farm of Austin Hazzard, for \$3,500.

Dan McGinnis has rented the vacant house belonging to T. Richardson, and will move into it this week.

A. Mickle and Isaac Little are the census enumerators for this division.

The Sydenham Valley cheese factory was sold last week. J. Z. McCoy purchased the building.

L. Hookwith is in Leamington for a few weeks.

Miss Jennie Smith, of this place, and Mr. Daly, Tupperville, were married last week.

Miss Emma Simpson, of Tupperville, spent a few days in our midst last week.

G. T. B. crossing on St. George St. this week.

Last Sunday was review day in the S. S. here.

G. Wooliver is in Chatham for a few days.

J. E. Richardson paid a business trip to Sombra on Friday last.

J. Harrison made his weekly call on the East Branch on Sunday last.

F. Winters has been engaged with A. Mickle for the summer.

Alex. McCreary is having the timber fitted up for his new barn.

SPRING WEATHER.

IS YOUR SYSTEM IN SHAPE TO CARRY YOU SAFELY THROUGH?

The Practice of Taking a Tonic in Spring is Descended from Our Wise Forefathers and Has Good Medical Endorsement—A Few Suggestions Regarding Health.

The practice of taking a tonic during the inclement weather of spring is one that has been bequeathed us by our forefathers, who lived in days when a sturdy constitution and vigorous health meant more than they do today. The custom has the highest medical endorsement, and the healthiest people are those who follow it. Thousands, not really ill, need a tonic at this season. Close confinement in badly ventilated houses, offices, shops and schools, makes people feel depressed and "out-of-sorts." Nature must be assisted in throwing off the poison that has accumulated in the system, else people fall an easy prey to disease and are subject to many discomforts from boils, eruptions, and similar troubles.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are the best tonic medicine known to medical science. These pills make rich, red blood and strong nerves. Through their use in spring time, jaund, listlessness, tired men, women and children are made bright, active and strong. Evidence of the wonderful health restoring virtue of these pills is given by Mrs. J. Langlois, 659 Lafontaine street, Montreal, who says:—"Before I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I was under the care of two doctors, who told me my trouble was developing into consumption. I was very pale and feeble; had no appetite and could hardly stand on my feet. I was very much discouraged and thought death was staring me in the face. I had often read of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and finally decided to try them. After I had used three boxes my appetite was much better, and I felt a little stronger. I continued the use of the pills for three months when I felt fully cured. When I began using the pills I only weighed 92 pounds, and when I discontinued them my weight had increased to 119 pounds. I also gave the pills to my baby, who was pale and sickly, and they made him a bright, rosy, fleshy child. I think there is no weak or sickly person who will not find benefit from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

It is a waste of money to experiment with other so-called tonics, which are all cheap imitations of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Insist upon getting the genuine, and if they are not sold by your dealer send direct to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and the pills will be mailed post paid, at 50c a box, or six boxes for \$2.50.

A special train will run to Rond Eau on Friday, leaving Chatham at 9 a. m. and return leaving Rond Eau at 3 p. m. Single fare for round trip. This is for the benefit of cottage owners and fishermen.

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Easter Offering Kid Gloves, Etc

Easter Kid Gloves, 2 dome fasteners, all sizes, tan and black..... 75c
 Easter Marcelle Kid Gloves, gray, castor, white, black, white, stitched and self..... \$1.00
 Easter Daphne Kid Gloves, gray, castor, tan and black..... \$1.25
 Easter Suede Kid Gloves, gray, castor, black..... \$1.50
 Easter Tan Washable Valler Kid Gloves..... \$2.00
 Easter Ties—Hemstitched, Windsor, Lace, L'Aiglon, Collars, Belts and Ties. Easter Handkerchiefs—Linen, Silk, Lawn, Hemstitched, Embroidered, from each \$1 to..... 5c

Easter Tailored Suits & Jackets

Ladies who cannot spend time and trouble to have a Spring Suit made to order can be just as well or better suited from our special stock of traveller's spring samples of ladies' tailor-made suits at cut in two prices, \$5.00 to \$12.00.

SPRING JACKETS—in all the leading styles and colors, mercerized or silk lined, from \$3.50 to \$6.75.

EASTER CAPES, chiffon lined in black, or Matrons Large Capes in black cloth.

Fine Colored Lawn Waists, pink, blue, black and red, \$1 and \$1.25.
 Fine Amoskeag Dimity Gingham, warranted colors, satens, near silks, mercerized goods, etc.

Easter Offerings Silk and Silk Waists, Etc

Silk Flannels—leading colors are, rose wood, willow, tobacco, Antoin 1st, L'Aiglon, etc.

Easter Lines Universal Diagonal Silks, colors: black, pink, blue, willow, old rose, cream, white, etc.

Easter Waists—black taffeta silk waist, black and gold buttons, very tasty, at \$5.00.

Easter Waists—extraordinary fine black taffeta waists; tucked, etc., \$8.00 and \$6.50.

New York Taffeta Silk Waists, white, blue and cardinal, tucked, etc., very choice, at \$6.10.

Easter Muslin Shirt Waists and Gingham

Dimities, lawns, India linens, French cambrics, cross bars, and Swiss, dress swiss, long cloth.

Easter Shirt Waists, Peraline prints, etc., warranted colors, bishop sleeves, etc., 40c, 50c and 60c.

Easter Lawn Waists, 28 tucks on front, bishop sleeves, 70c.

Fine Lawn Shirt Waists, tucked and embroidered, tucked cuffs, at \$1.00.

French Cambric Shirt Waists, 6 rows of insertion on front and 4 rows on the back, bishop sleeves, \$1.75.

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A PRISONER IN A TOMB

HE TRIED TO STEAL THE JEWELS FROM A DEAD DUCHESS.

He Thought That All the Ornaments That Adorned the Corpse as It Lay in State Were Buried With the Body—Caught in a Trap.

Only a few weeks after her return from Brussels, where she had seen her son, then recently crowned king of the Belgians, did the Duchess Augusta of Saxe-Coburg die, in her seventy-sixth year, Nov. 16, 1831. The admiration and love this admirable princess had inspired drew crowds to visit the body as it lay in state in the residence at Coburg prior to the funeral, which took place on the 19th before daybreak by the light of torches. The funeral was attended by men and women of all classes eager to express their attachment to the deceased and respect for the family.

A great deal was said and fabled concerning this funeral. It was told and believed that the dowager duchess had been laid in the family vault adorned with her diamond rings and richest necklaces. She was the mother of kings, and the vulgar believed that every royal and princely house with which she was allied had contributed some jewel toward the decoration of her body.

Among those who were present at the funeral of the Duchess Augusta was a Bavarian named Andreas Stubenrauch, an artisan then at Coburg. He was the son of an armorer, followed his father's profession and had settled at Coburg. Stubenrauch had been one of the crowd that had passed by the bed on which the duchess lay in state and had cast covetous eyes at the jewelry with which the body was adorned.

He had also attended the funeral and had come to the conclusion that the duchess was buried with all the precious articles he had noticed about her as exposed to view before the burial and with a great deal more which popular gossip asserted to have been laid in the coffin with her. The thought of all this waste of wealth came to his mind, and Stubenrauch resolved to enter the mausoleum and rob the body.

The position of the vault, far removed and concealed from the palace, suited his plans, and he made a double entrance of bars and locks, which were likely to prove small hindrances to an accomplished locksmith.

To carry his plan into execution he resolved on choosing the night of Aug. 18, 19, 1832. On this evening he sat drinking in a low tavern till 10 o'clock, when he left, returned to his lodgings, where he collected the tools he believed he would require, a candle and a flat steel, and then betook himself to the mausoleum. The tomb was closed by an iron gate formed of strong bars eight feet high, radiating from a center in a sort of semicircle and armed with sharp spikes.

He found it impossible to open the lock, and he was therefore obliged to climb over the gate, regardless of the danger of tearing himself on the bars. Here he found a double entrance of door in the floor that gave access to the vault. The two valves were so closely dovetailed into one another and fitted so exactly that he found the utmost difficulty in getting a tool between them. He tried his false keys in vain on the lock, and for a long time his efforts to pry the lock open with a lever were equally futile. At length by means of a wedge he succeeded in forcing a way through the junction of the doors into which he could insert a bar, and then he heaved at the valve with all his might, throwing his weight on the lever.

It took him fully an hour before he could break open the door. Midnight struck as the valve, grating on its hinges, was thrown back. Then, leaning over the opening, holding a pole in both hands, he endeavored to break a way through the vault. In so doing he lost his balance, and the weight of the pole dragged him down, and he fell between two coffins some 12 feet below the floor of the upper chamber. There he lay for some little while unconscious, stunned by his fall. When he came to himself, he sat up, felt about with his hands to ascertain where he was and considered what next should be done.

Stubenrauch was not the man to feel either respect for the dead or fear of aught supernatural. With both hands he sustained the heavy lid of the coffin as he peered in, and the necessity for using both to support the weight prevented his profane hand from being laid on the remains of an august and pious princess. Stubenrauch had indeed tried more than once to sustain the lid with one hand that he might grope with the other for the treasure he fancied must be concealed there, but the moment he removed one hand the lid crashed down.

Disappointed in his expectations, Stubenrauch now replaced the cover and began to consider how he might escape. But now, and only now, did he discover that it was not possible for him to get out of the vault into which he had fallen. The pole on which he had placed his confidence was too short to reach the opening above. Every effort made by Stubenrauch to scramble out failed. He was caught in a trap—and what a trap! He was fast in the morning and heard steps on the scene of his crime and was condemned him to betray himself.

Morning broke. It was Sunday and a special festival at Coburg, for it was the twenty-fifth anniversary of the accession of the duke, so that the town was in lively commotion, and park and palace were also in a stir. Stubenrauch sat up and waited in hopes of hearing some one draw near who would release him. About 9 o'clock in the morning he heard steps on the gravel and at once began to shout for assistance.

The person who had approached ran away in alarm, declaring that strange and unearthly sounds issued from the ducal mausoleum. The guard was apprised, but would not at first believe the report. At length one of the sentinels was dispatched to the spot, and he returned speedily with the tidings that there certainly was a man in the vault. He had peered through the grating at the entrance and had seen the door broken open and a crouching and other articles lying about. The gate was now opened and Stubenrauch removed in the midst of an assembled crowd of angry and dismayed spectators. He was removed to prison, tried and condemned to 18 months' hard labor.—Baring-Gould's "Historical Oddities."

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Thought grows mouldy. What was good and nourishing food for the spirit is now a burden to the body. No sustenance to the next.—Hawthorne.

"The blood is the life." Science has never yet got to the bottom of the meaning of that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increase of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgment are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. No one can be well who has impure blood. Blood is the life, and body whose blood is impure is a body whose life is pure, and body and brain are alike healthy and life becomes a daily happiness.

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Black in thy brother's skies. If thou art sad, Still be true in thy brother's gladness glad.

—Selected.

Bought Yesterday—Cured Today.—Mrs. O. C. Burt, of 26 Broadway, New York, says: "I am surprised and delighted at the change for the better in my case in one day from the use of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It worked like magic; there's no excuse for a person suffering pain with this remedy within reach. 30 cents."

Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

All manifestations of true religion are parts of one silver thread running through the coarse fabric of the ages.—Hibbard Lecture.

Pile Terrors Swept Away.—Dr. Agnew's Ointment stands at the head as a reliever, healer, and cure for Piles in all forms. One application will give comfort in a few minutes, and three to six days' application according to directions will cure chronic cases. It relieves all itching and burning skin diseases in a day. 35 cents.—79

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Any man may do a casual act of good nature, but a continuation of that act is a part of their temperament.—Stierne.

—Scrofula in the blood shows itself as a reliver, healer, and cure for eruptions. But Hood's Sarsaparilla completely cures it.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

MEN AS THEY PASS.

"Fighting Bob" Evans has a new Jewish sword, a present from the Jewish chamber of commerce.

Robert Laird Borden, the Opposition leader in the Canadian parliament, comes of an old Tory family in Connecticut.

Joseph Pulitzer is now totally blind, and his condition so works upon him that he is often, by convulsed unless in motion. That is why he is always traveling from place to place.

Senator Hainsworth of North Dakota has the true western contempt for eastern farming. "Why," he said the other day, "they tell me that in Maine the farmers have to shoot the seed into the rocks."

Senator Cockrell of Missouri orders every day in the senate restaurant "a steak just as I like it." The other day he found it necessary to add, "And, Tom, remember not to have any of that darned grass on it."

Edward Conrad, a railroad gateman of Allegheny, Pa., suffered an injury some years ago which made it necessary to amputate one of his legs. Since then he has had five accidents, in each of which his artificial leg was cut off.

Captain Richard P. Leary, U. S. N., who, as governor of the island of Guam, was lauded which have not yet had time to fade, is hobbling around on crutches. His leg was injured a few weeks ago in a fall at the League Island navy yard.

George H. Brown, assistant attorney general at Washington, was a newspaper man in his younger days. For three years city editor of the Cheyenne (Wyo.) Sun, he afterward engaged in journalistic work in Denver, Kansas City and Peoria, Ill. In his love letters as sentimental as a poet. Among the names he addressed to his sweetheart were, my dear angel, my dear heart, my better half, my poor, sick kitten, sweetest heart, Carina Kotik, milia duzo and similar expressions in half a dozen languages.

Mr. Thompson, a member of the Connecticut legislature, introduced a new word the other day in a legislative debate. It was in a horse story. A neighbor of Mr. Thompson went to buy a fast horse. After having been shown some with past records and some with possible future records, the man said, "I don't want a horse, I want a will; I want an idea."

Judge George A. Gear of Honolulu, who came to this country and unsuccessfully opposed the admission of Robert Wilcox to a seat in the house of representatives as a delegate from Hawaii, will go back with certain compensations for his disappointment—namely, a Philadelphia bribe and an appointment to one of the three federal judgeships of Hawaii.

Thirty years ago George Johnston, the "Laird of the Fife Isle estate," near Dundee, Scotland, made a vow that that hour no human being should look upon his face. He religiously kept the strange vow. The servant who cooked his food placed it outside of his door, using a bell, and passed out of sight. Johnston has just died, leaving an estate worth \$2,000,000. He was a bachelor, and a nephew is his heir.

ARMY NOTES.

In our army 304 officers speak Spanish fluently, 224 are handy with their French and 136 are well up in German.

One British regiment has been in mourning for more than a century. This is the old Forty-seventh, the Loyal North Lancashire regiment. The officers wear black blended with gold braid in memory of General Wolfe, who was killed at Quebec.

Japan has greatly increased her cavalry in the last few years and still more recently added nearly 40 field batteries to her artillery. The country itself produces no horses suitable for this purpose, the necessity for importing them is urgent.

The artillery of the French colonial army is composed of 6 field, 10 mountain and 20 foot batteries. The headquarters are in Paris with the relief depot comprising 4 field, 2 mountain and 6 foot batteries. The remainder are distributed in Cochinchina, Madagascar, the African settlements and the French islands in the West Indies and elsewhere.

THE PEDAGOGUE.

Not only is education free in New Zealand, but, where necessary, children are conveyed to and from school gratuitously on the government railways.

Pennsylvania university has a new mascot. Down in the big swimming pool, in the basement of Houston hall, floats Ben Franklin. He is a big duck, originally white, though now dyed in the university colors.

One of Booker Washington's college professors at Tuskegee, the Rev. Charles W. Wood, was once a bootblack in Chicago. A boyish contest in oratory, the honors of which he carried off, started him on his career.

Elery Cox, Jr., of Philadelphia has given an endowment fund to the University of Pennsylvania for a perpetual scholarship in memory of his father, Charles Brinton Cox, a graduate of the class of '62, who was a major in the Sixty-sixth Pennsylvania cavalry during the civil war.

ANIMAL LIFE.

It is estimated that there are now only 1,000 buffaloes alive on the North American continent.

No wonder the fish crop is never "short." The sounder lays 7,000,000 eggs annually, several others from 1,000,000 to 3,000,000, while the turbot is credited with depositing from 11,000,000 to 12,000,000 during each breeding season.

A camel possesses twice the carrying power of an ox. With an ordinary load of 400 pounds, he can travel 12 or 14 days without water, going 40 miles a day. Camels are fit to work at 6 years old, but their strength begins to decline at 25, although they usually live to 40.

ELECTRIC SPARKS.

About 12,000 horsepower is transmitted in the form of electricity from Niagara to Buffalo.

Professor Elihu Thompson says that "electricity is finally to be one of the most potent agencies in the treatment of disease and the alleviation of human ills." The use of the telephone in Cairo and Alexandria has grown to such proportions that it has been found necessary to connect the two cities by a telephone trunk line.

IS YOUR BREAKFAST SERVED RIGHT?

If the morning meal is not served right, the worries and anxieties of daily life will be greatly magnified, and become much heavier the older you grow.

A properly served breakfast fits man or woman for calmly and successfully pursuing the duties of the day. Your breakfast is served rightly and sensibly only when Malt Breakfast Food is placed before you as the first or opening dish.

Why is Malt Breakfast Food recommended? Because it provides in a way that no other food can do for easy and natural digestion, quick assimilation, the giving of increased strength to the nerves and brain to keep up the vitality needed for a good day's work.

When you begin the day with Malt Breakfast Food you are surely and certainly adding years to your life. If your physical condition is weak and digestion erratic and unreliable, try the virtues of Malt Breakfast Food for a time, and you will be surprised with results—gain in weight, strength and general happiness. Ask your grocer for it.

"Bought my Life for 35 cents."—This was one man's way of putting it when he had been pronounced incurable from chronic dyspepsia. "It was a living death to me until I tried Dr. Von Schan's Pinnacle Tablets. Thanks to them to-day I am well, and I tell my friends I bought my life for 35 cents." 60 in a box.—80

Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

Publicity is a force which, beyond all others, keeps the atmosphere of a country sweet and pure.—W. E. Gladstone.

Pain in the Joints. May be muscular or rheumatic. The joints are hard to get at, and it requires a powerful, penetrating remedy to reach the affected parts. Folsom's Nervine exactly meets the requirements, for it is both powerful and penetrating. The pain is expelled as if by magic, for one drop of Nervine equals in strength five drops of other remedies. You won't often call the doctor if Nervine is in the house. Price 25 cents.

Only in a world of sincere men is unity possible, and there, in the long run, it is as good as certain.—Carlyle.

Dear Sirs,—This is to certify that I have been troubled with a lame back for fifteen years.

I have used three bottles of your MINARD'S LIMENT and am completely cured.

It gives me great pleasure to recommend it, and you are at liberty to use this in any way to further the use of your valuable medicine.

Two Rivers. ROBERT ROSS.

Scholars are frequently to be met with who are ignorant of nothing saving their own ignorance.—Zimmermann.

For whooping cough and croup, Vapo-Cressoline is a simple and perfect remedy.

The truly great man is he who does not lose his child heart. He does not think beforehand that his words shall be sincere, nor that his actions shall be resolute; he simply always abides in the right.—Mencius.

Special From Kingston, Ontario.

Kingston, April 1.—It is a pleasure to announce that a new 25 cent size of Catarrhose is now on sale in every drug store in Canada. This is the only remedy that can be implicitly relied upon to cure Catarrh, Asthma and Bronchitis. It cures quickly, surely, permanently. Relief from Catarrhose is quick. Nose, throat, head and lungs are cleared and one breath from the inhaler. Try it today for that cold. Prepared by proprietors of Folsom's Nervine, and guaranteed to cure or your money back.

A brave man, strenuously fighting, falls not of a little triumph now and then, to keep him in heart.—Carlyle.

Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor.

Contains no acids or other injurious chemical compounds; is neither caustic, corrosive or irritating; but, by application, and acts quickly. If you want an irritating and flesh eating remedy do not ask for Putnam's, it is just the other way. For sale at all druggists.

If thou art blest, Then let the sunshine of thy gladness shine.

On the dark edges of each cloud that lies

To cure a cold in a night—use Vapo-Cressoline. It has been used extensively for more than twenty-four years. All Druggists.

What do we live for if it is not to make life less difficult to each other?—George Eliot.

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Kent Children's Aid Society.

The Society wants a home for a girl five years old, healthy, fair complexion, kind disposition. Apply by letter or in person to R. A. Sims, President or R. V. Bray, Exec. Off. of

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2.30 p.m. B. Express... 1.05 a.m.

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LAKE ERIE & DETROIT RIVER RAILWAY.

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Sarnia... 12.30 p.m. Ex.

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9.02 a.m. B. Express... 8.15 a.m.

8.12 a.m. Accommodation... 12.43 p.m.

1.45 p.m. Accommodation... 2.30 p.m.

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Round trip tickets will be issued as follows:

General Public

...New... Dress Fabrics

The great fashion centres of America and Europe, favor soft clinging fabrics for costumes and gowns, that is why you see so many goods of that description at this store. Novelties for this season's wear are dropping in on us daily, and in plain weaves you find this stock complete at all times.

HENRIETTES

All wool silk velvet finished, 45 inches wide, in colors wedgewood and light blue, terra cotta, cardinal, scarlet, Old Rose, pink, brown, grey and green at per yard 50c and 60c.

TAFETAS

Wool taffetas, 45 inches, wide in colors lawn, grey, blue and green at per yard 50c and 60c.

SATIN CLOTHES

All wool satin cloths, firm weave, 42 inches wide in colors light grey, lawn, castor, brown, green and blue, at per yard 50c and 75c.

VENETIANS

Venetian cloths in castors, lawns, browns, and greens at per yard \$1.25

Printed Henriettes, Flannels and Wool Delaines, at per yd. 50c and 75c

Now for Easter every well dressed lady must have a pair of gloves for Easter. You will find this stock of gloves complete in the newest shades of gray and fawn. Pewney's Albertine, guaranteed glove for \$1.00. Pewney's Ascot, in fawn and gray, in black and self stitching, guaranteed at per pair \$1.25.

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Say Papa

Where is my savings bank key? What do you want it for, I hope you are not going to spend your money foolishly? No papa, but then at Jordan's Jewelry Store they are selling

Solid Gold 10k Set Rings for 75c and \$1.00

and only for 30 DAYS, just the same as you paid \$2.50 for

A. A. Jordan,

Sign of The Big Clock

SUNDAY SERVICES

Hours of Service.
First Presbyterian—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Christ Church—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Andrew's—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Holy Trinity—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Joseph's R. C.—8:30, 10:30, 7:30.
Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 and 7 p.m.
William St. Baptist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Park St. Methodist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7 p.m.
Latter Day Saints—7 p.m.
Campbell A.M.E.—11 a.m.; 7:45 p.m.
First Baptist—11 a.m.; 7:30 p.m.

Church Notes.
Rev. W. E. Knowles, the pastor, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions in the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow.

Dr. Battisley will preach in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow morning on "True Courage," and in the evening on "Almost Persuaded."

Victoria Ave. Methodist will worship in Park St. Methodist Church on both occasions to-morrow.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered in connection with the evening service in the William St. Baptist Church to-morrow.

Services will be held in the Saints' Hall, Seane's Block, King St., to-morrow as follows:—Prayer meeting at 2 p.m.; Sunday school at 3 p.m.; preaching at 7 p.m.

Rev. J. J. Ross will occupy his own pulpit to-morrow morning and evening, and conduct the services for Bible study in the afternoon.

Campbell A. M. E. Church, Rev. T. H. Henderson, H. A. pastor. The following is the order of services for to-morrow, Easter Sunday:—Holy communion at 10:30 a.m. Morning subject, "Viewing the Empty Tomb." Evening subject, "A Supposed Stranger in Jerusalem." S. S. at 3 p.m. An excellent program, consisting of duets, solos, anthems, etc., will be rendered at the morning and evening services. Floral decorations a specialty. Seats free.

The pastor, Rev. A. B. Selvey, will preach in the St. John's African U. M. P. Church to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Class meeting after the morning sermon, led by Mr. Green. Song service and preaching at 3 p.m. in the afternoon, after which love feast will be held.

The Young People's Church and S. S. Society will meet in Christ Church S. S. hall on Monday evening at a quarter to eight.

The Christian Endeavor Society in connection with the First Presbyterian Church will meet immediately after the evening service to-morrow.

St. Andrew's Church S. S. and Bible Class will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Victoria Ave. Methodist Church League meets every Friday evening at eight o'clock.

Christ Church Sunday School will meet at 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon.

Holy Trinity Sunday School will meet at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

The B. Y. P. U. of C. E. will meet on Monday evening at eight o'clock. All young people cordially invited.

The William St. Baptist Sunday School will meet at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Weekly prayer meeting in St. Andrew's Church lecture hall on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss K. Marton, of Toronto, will preach in Victoria Avenue Methodist Church morning and evening to-morrow.

Dr. A.W Thornton

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The C. E. Society of St. Andrew's Church will meet on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. R. McCosh will conduct the services and preach on both occasions in Christ Church to-morrow.

St. John African M. P. Church Sunday the services are as follows:

At 10:30 a.m. reading and preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Selvey. Text: "He is risen." After preaching a general class meeting.

At 3 p.m. sharp preaching, after which the Easter offering will be lifted and many selections will be rendered by the singing school, after which fifteen children will form in a body and march.

At 7:30 p.m. song service, after which the pastor and others will open a program.

Readings, recitations, solos, duets, addresses, by the pastor and others. All are invited.

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EASTERTIDE IN PRAISES

Splendid Schedule of Sacred Song for City Sanctuaries.

Our Church Choirs Will Sing of the Risen Lord To-day.

To-morrow will be Easter Sunday, the day universally observed in all the Christian churches. Pastors will tell again of the Resurrection Morn and its glorious associations, and choirs will carrol the circumstance in sacred song.

The choral program prepared for Maple City worshippers is an exceedingly pleasing one.

HOLY TRINITY.

Organist—Frank Phelps. Musical Director—Harry Horstead.

Morning.

Opening Hymn—Welcome Happy Morning.

Easter Anthem—Christ, Our Passover—(Humphrey).

Gloria—King Hall.

To Deum Laudamus—John E. West. Jubilate—Morley.

Antiphon—The Strife is over—(A. W. Marchant).

Kyril Elison—Tallis.

Gloria—Tallis.

Hymn—Jesus Christ is risen to-day.

Offertory—Hail thou glorious Easter, (P. A. Schaefer).

Hymn—Lamb of God.

Evening.

Opening Hymn—The Strife is over.

Gloria—King Hall.

Magnificat—King Hall.

Nunc Demittis—Flintoff.

Antiphon—Blessed be the God and Father—(Samuel S. Wesley).

Hymn—Jesus lives no longer now.

Offertory—Praise ye the Father—(S. Gounod).

Hymn—The day of Resurrection.

CHRIST CHURCH.

The Easter services in Christ Church will be bright and appropriate. The church will be beautifully decorated and the music, which has been under preparation for some time, will be specially attractive.

The service will be held at 10 o'clock and 7:30 p.m. The choir, under the direction of the Rev. R. McCosh, will be in keeping with the occasion. There will be two celebrations of the Holy Communion, one at 8:30 o'clock and the other at the 10 o'clock service. Prof. Forsyth, the choir leader and organist, has promised a splendid program of music. All strangers cordially invited.

MORNING.

"Christ Our Passover," Barnby; "Welcome Easter Morning," Schaefer, soprano solo; Miss Louise Richards; "Te Deum," Hopkins; "Jubilate," Nevil; "Hearken Unto Me," Gilett, soprano solo; Miss Maud Oliver; solo, "Easter Morning," Shelby; Miss St. C. Collier; Kyrie; Mozart; Gloria; Tibi, Lambillotte; Sans Tibi, Elby; "The Resurrection Morn," Paul Rodney; Mrs. S. C. Walker; Recessional, Elvey.

EVENING.

Magnificat, Woodward; Nunc Demittis, Beardsley; "O, That I Had Wings Like a Dove," Fletcher; "The Easter Song," "Gloria in Excelsis," (from Mass in B-flat) Concone, soloist, Mrs. S. C. Walker; "I Know that My Redeemer Liveth," Handel, Miss Maud Oliver; Presentation, Tours; Recessional, Sullivan.

Next Sabbath Dr. Battisley will preach on "The Resurrection of Christ," both morning and evening.

MORNING SERVICE.

Praise God from whom, etc.; Invocation; Hymn 58; Bible reading; Hymn 53; Prayer, Solo, "Our Suffering Lord," Long; Hymn 1; Martin and choir; Antiphons; Hymn 62; Collection; Anthem, "The Shout of Victory," Ashford—solos by Miss G. Somerville and W. Wrigley, choir; Sermon; Prayer; Anthem, "Risen With Christ," Porter, Solo, Miss Stewart and choir; Hymn 67; Benediction.

EVENING SERVICE.

"Praise God from whom, etc.," Invocation; Hymn 46; Bible reading; Solo, "My Jesus, as Thou Wilt," Gorenz; Miss White, Mrs. Moore, Wilson, Marshall and Choir; Hymn 54; Prayer, Solo, "Beyond the Gates of Paradise"—King—J. W. Wilson; Intimations; Hymn 70; Collection; Anthem, "Glorie, Me, Thou Great Jehovah," Davis—Duet, Miss Jackson, Mr. Tomson, Solos, Miss Dalgleish, Miss Bella Riddell and Choir; Sermon; Prayer; Anthem, "Unto Him who Loved Us"—Hughes—Miss A. Johnston and Choir; Hymn 69; Benediction.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Musical Director—Mrs. John Cooper. Organist—Wm. H. Brackin.

Morning.

Consider the Lilies—Choir.

Immortality—Mrs. John Cooper.

Evening.

Agnus Dei; Dona Nobis—Choir.

Hosanna—Miss Jessie Taylor.

Gloria to Thee—Mrs. Cooper and Miss Ross.

Evening.

Organ prelude, hymn, anthem, "Agnus Dei," "Dona Nobis," Francis Mass, choir; solo, "Hosanna," Granger, Miss Jessie Taylor; hymn, sermon; duet, "Gloria to Thee," Gounod, Mrs. Cooper and Miss Ross; hymn.

PARK STREET METHODIST.

Choir director, Miss Elda Ide. Organist, Miss Lillian Pratt.

MORNING.

Hallelujah Chorus (Mourning of Olives) Beethoven—Choir, "O, Blessed Redeemer," Marchetti—Miss Elda Ide, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Bogart; Duet, "Calm as the Night," Gotze—Miss E. Ide and Mrs. D. S. Shaw; Air, "I know that My Redeemer Liveth," (Mendels.) Handel—Miss Elda Ide; "Blessed is He that Cometh," Gounod—Choir.

EVENING.

Wheat, 65c.

White oats, 30c.

Mixed oats, 28 to 29c.

Barley, 70 to 75c.

White clover, 15c. lb. shelled.

Beans, handpicked, \$1.25.

Beans, best primes, \$1.15 to \$1.20.

Blackwheat, 55 to 56c.

White fish 10c. a pound, and mulet at 10 to 30c. apiece.

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PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.

Toronto, April 6—10 a. m.—Fresh to strong north-easterly to northerly winds, showers at many places to-day and night. Sunday for the most part fair with no decided change in temperature.

LOCAL BRIEFS

James Innis goes to New York to-morrow. G. M. Shepardson of Sombra, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. J. M. Pike is visiting Mrs. W. D. McCrea, Detroit.

Mrs. and Miss Minty left for Windsor this afternoon for a few days.

C. E. McCloskey of Belle River, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Miss Jessie Hall of Blytheswood, is visiting her parents on West St.

Mrs. A. Shillington, Kirk St., is spending the Easter holidays in Windsor.

The pay sheets for the week ending April 4th, amounted to \$119.84.

Walter Verrel, formerly of this city, is visiting friends and relatives here.

G. W. Snobey, business manager of the Brantford Express, is in the city.

Arthur Surby of Flint Mich., formerly of this city, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. W. E. McKough is attending the whist tournament that is being held in Toronto.

Messrs. Crossley and Hunter left for St. Thomas on the midnight Wabash train.

Miss Fern Farmer, Thamesville, spent the day with Miss Mildred Turner, Richmond street.

John Sullivan, fishery inspector, of St. Thomas, is visiting his sisters, on Lacroix street.

Wm. Gray & Sons, have shipped this week, ten carloads of buggies to different places in the east.

Allen Miller, Montreal, son of Mr. Richard Miller, King street west, is spending Easter in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Surby, manager of the Brantford Express, are visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Principal Brackin left this morning for Toronto, where he will spend the Easter week with friends and relatives.

W. Weollat, general manager of L. E. & D. R. Ry., has been elected president of the Canada Freight Association.

Miss Oah Grandt's, Detroit, will arrive here this evening to spend the Easter holidays with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grandt, of Detroit, are visiting here with their daughter, Miss Oah Grandt.

Miss McKennie, of Tilbury, accompanied by Master Archie Ferguson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hugh Macaulay, Raleigh street.

Irish Jack had an exhibition at the Grand Central last evening a splendid specimen of a lake trout, caught by Bechard's net in the river Thames. A great number admired the fish but few knew what it was.

Luke Leatherdale is in the city visiting friends. Mr. Leatherdale is now located at Pontiac, Mich., but he was called to Windsor early in the week to attend the funeral of his mother who passed away in that city on Sunday.

Mr. Leatherdale's many friends in Chatham sympathize with him in his bereavement.

The case of Grendin vs. The Wabash Railway has been settled out of court, the railway agreeing to pay \$14,000 damages. The case arose over the death of Edward Grendin, who was killed at the railway crossing near Stoney Point by a Wabash express engine. As he was a single man, a piece of iron struck him over the eye, inflicting an ugly gash. The wound, however, is healing nicely.

A. A. Edsall, Thamesville, Ont., breeder of single comb brown Leghorns, exclusively (James Forsyth street). My pen is headed by an imported prize bird from the above breeder. Birds all nicely pencilled and even colored and matched for best results. Eggs \$1.00 for 15 44-45 Tel.

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PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.

Toronto, April 6—10 a. m.—Fresh to strong north-easterly to northerly winds, showers at many places to-day and night. Sunday for the most part fair with no decided change in temperature.

LOCAL BRIEFS

James Innis goes to New York to-morrow. G. M. Shepardson of Sombra, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. J. M. Pike is visiting Mrs. W. D. McCrea, Detroit.

Mrs. and Miss Minty left for Windsor this afternoon for a few days.

C. E. McCloskey of Belle River, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Miss Jessie Hall of Blytheswood, is visiting her parents on West St.

Mrs. A. Shillington, Kirk St., is spending the Easter holidays in Windsor.

The pay sheets for the week ending April 4th, amounted to \$119.84.

Walter Verrel, formerly of this city, is visiting friends and relatives here.

G. W. Snobey, business manager of the Brantford Express, is in the city.

Arthur Surby of Flint Mich., formerly of this city, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. W. E. McKough is attending the whist tournament that is being held in Toronto.

Messrs. Crossley and Hunter left for St. Thomas on the midnight Wabash train.

Miss Fern Farmer, Thamesville, spent the day with Miss Mildred Turner, Richmond street.