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THE IMMIGRATION PERIL IS INVESTIGATED AS A RESULT OF EXPOSURE BY THE PLANET

Mr. Joseph M. Clark, of Toronto, Visits Chatham and Finds Matters as Represented by this Great Home Journal—Dominion Government to Blame.

Mr. Joseph M. Clark, of Toronto, special emigration agent for the Province of Ontario, was in the city yesterday investigating the conditions of the English immigrants who have recently arrived in this city. His visit was the direct result of a number of articles which have recently been published in The Planet, dealing with this question, and calling attention to the destitute condition of many of these English people when they arrive here and the neglect with which they are treated.

Mr. Clark made a thorough investigation into the matter and found that these people were brought here under a misapprehension. Their tickets were for some unknown reason changed at Quebec by agents of the Dominion Government, and they were sent on to Chatham without the local agent of the Government being notified of their coming. It is true that they arrived here in a destitute condition, and Mr. Waugh, the Dominion agent, had no opportunity to find positions for them on such short notice.

The Dominion Government has over 200 agents in different parts of Canada whose duty it is to look after immigrants when they arrive, and find places for them to work. The Dominion Government is thus responsible for the bringing of these Englishmen into Canada, and it is their duty to see that they are properly cared for after they arrive. They are gathered together in England by a company called the East Enders of London, England.

The Dominion authorities have a haphazard way of distributing them, and in many instances they are sent to some small place where an agent is supposed to reside, and

when they arrive at that point there is no agent, and no provision is made for their care.

The Ontario Government shows a marked contrast to the Dominion Government in dealing with the immigration question. In Toronto there is established a large home and when the Englishmen arrive they are taken there if they are not immediately picked up, and there they are taken care of, and applications are received for immigrants from time to time, and these are filled from the people they have on hand at this home.

When they are sent out from this home, provision is made by the Ontario Government for their transportation to the place for which they are billed.

A short time ago the Ontario Government appointed two representatives to visit England, and Mr. Clark, who was one of these representatives, and who is himself a native of Oxford, has just returned to Ontario. While he was in the old country, he was successful in getting in touch with immigration agents there and was thus able to bring out a superior class of immigrants. He was complimented upon this good work by the Government which he represents.

It is the intention of Hon. Mr. Monteth, the Ontario Minister of Agriculture, to pay even more attention to the directing of a better class of immigrants into Ontario, and under Mr. Monteth's excellent management, the people will have no cause to complain of the class of immigrants brought out, as far as the Ontario Government is concerned.

Mr. Clark left for Toronto yesterday afternoon, where he will submit his report to the Provincial authorities.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL LEAVING

Results Of Examinations Held In East And West Kent

Good Showings Made At The Different Centres—Many Get Honors

The following are the results of the P. S. E. examinations in East and West Kent:

BLENHEIM. Honors—B. Hewitt, W. Hewitt, I. James, G. McVittie, V. Parker, N. Shillington, G. Spaackman, F. Cleveland, C. Sterling.

Pass—R. Arnold, F. Buchanan, R. Burk, C. Coleman, E. Elliott, M. Flood, F. Huffman, F. Johnston, G. Muckle, W. McDougall, L. Mosey, L. Shillington, F. Stover, G. Stevenson, S. Welch, N. Watson.

BOTHWELL. Honors—M. Annette, B. Johnston, C. Mann, B. McLean. Pass—F. Brewer, C. Gordon, G. Johnston, M. Little, L. Lidster, R. McLister.

DRESDEN. Honors—E. King, A. Wicks, C. Stephens, J. McVean. Pass—E. Boylan, L. Boyle, F. Brooksbank, S. Cook, J. Ennett, M. Lingrell, G. Oldershaw, C. Prangley, W. Quigley, R. Reek, I. Wiley, M. Heyland.

HIGHGATE. Honors—H. Anguish, E. Humphrey, A. Long, M. Mood, M. Miller, E. McDonald, H. McKillop, H. Phenix, W. Phenix, V. Reynolds, J. Teetzel, B. Gardiner, A. McIntyre. Pass—J. Burehail, W. Gillard, C. Leitch, A. Lalonde, E. Lalonde, N. McDonald, L. McPhail, L. McMaekon.

RIDGETOWN. Honors—O. Hornby. Pass—O. Anderson, C. Clarke, G. Donovan, G. Handy, B. Henry, T. Kerner, B. McDiarmid, E. Parker, A. Parsons, B. Sheppy, H. Spencer, V. Spencer.

THAMESVILLE. Honors—R. Galloway, M. Rutledge, Pass—H. Atkinson, K. Buchanan, E. Campbell, T. Ellis, P. Goodreau, C. Johnston, C. Lawrence, O. Le Gallais, F. Le Gallais, E. McNaughton, O. Marsh, E. Mayhew, A. Mitton, S. Monton, R. Osterhout, J. Sherman, C. Smith, B. Shute, F. Stephens, D. Stewart, C. Watts, F. Watts, J. Watts.

CHATHAM. Honors—G. Abraham, C. Baines, M. Chittum, R. Crow, B. Lamb, P. Smith, D. Tong, S. Weaver, M. Jackson. Pass—S. Bacheider, L. Bourassa, B. Brown, M. Bruelle, D. Chinnick, G. Coulter, P. Drury, Z. Gagnier, G. Haviland, L. Nichols, E. Rice, A. Thibodeau, N. Wardell, O. Wright.

MERLIN. Honors—L. Broadbent, F. Caughey, P. Conley, D. Oliver, H. De Clute.

Pass—E. Armstrong, F. De Clute, G. Forham, G. Gleason, R. McKee, B. Mills, E. Pilon, L. Simpson, M. Taylor.

TILBURY. Honors—A. Campbell, D. Crawford, M. Johnston, A. Le Boeuf, E. Lemire, N. Wilson. Pass—C. Brown, A. Clark, A. Keith, C. Reame, H. Richardson, W. Scriven, R. Smith, V. Smith, S. Thibodeau, L. Trotter.

WALLACEBURG. Honors—B. Coie, N. Evans, R. Martin, L. Teeter, C. Thompson, J. Zavitz. Pass—L. Gordon, E. Neaves, L. Suitor, H. Teeter, C. Tulloch, M. Vance, F. Warrenner.

WHEATLEY. Honors—V. Lowe, M. Vickers. Pass—V. Chute, J. Fox.

WILL FIX THE BLAME

Toronto, August 1.—Thomas Southworth, Ontario commissioner of immigration, has taken action in regard to the Englishmen who were dumped at Chatham last week and left stranded and homeless.

Mr. Southworth has learned that they were sent to the Maple City at the request of the Dominion Employment Agency at the seaboard. He has referred the matter to Ottawa.

The party referred to comprised forty persons. Several instances of the same kind have been reported from various places, and the department has determined to place the responsibility on the proper shoulders.

POLICE COURT

The case of Freeman against the Warren Bituminous Paving Company was given a hearing in Judge Houston's Court this morning. S. B. Arnold appeared for Freeman and Ald. J. G. Kerr for the Paving Company. This case was a suit for alleged back wages. Freeman said when he quit he was not paid for full time. Ald. Kerr argued that the company were unable to have their best witnesses present, as the latter are at present out of the city. Judge Houston awarded \$4.45 to Freeman, and the costs of the case, \$7.75, were ordered paid by the company. The money was paid under protest, as solicitor for the defence announced that the defendants would go to appeal in Division Court.

A local young man appeared before the Judge to plead guilty to a charge of using bad language. He was fined \$2 and costs, \$5.75 in all.

Four young boys pleaded guilty in County Police Court this morning to a charge of annoying T. B. Harris. The boys admitted trespassing on Mr. Harris' property, and tearing up some planks from his sidewalk. Thomas Scullard appeared for Mr. Harris.

The boys were fined \$5.50, costs and fine.

CELEBRATION WAS GOOD ONE

Banner's Discouraging Comment Was Entirely Uncalled-for

Large Crowd Attended Grand March in The Rink --Good Music

What the Banner has against the colored people of Chatham is something that the people of this city are trying to make out to-day. No one has as yet been able to figure out why that paper should try to stick the knife into the people of this respected race, by making a joke of the celebration held here yesterday. The Banner's article last evening was entirely uncalled for. No paper has the right to make sport of a class of people who are doing their best to celebrate an event which to them, and to the cause of modern civilization, is an important one, and one deserving of commemoration.

It is true that this celebration was not attended by as large a crowd of people as others which have been held, but there is no particular cause for mirth in this. If it had not been for counter celebrations in other places, which attracted large crowds from this district, the attendance in Chatham would no doubt have been larger. As it was, there was a fair crowd, and what the celebration lacked in numbers it made up in enthusiasm. One thing, for which the management deserves great credit, was the excellent order maintained throughout the day. There was no rowdiness, and every event passed off in excellent style.

In the afternoon a parade was held, after which speeches were delivered on the park by Messrs. H. S. Clements, M. P., A. B. McCoig, M. P., Mayor Stone, J. C. Richards and J. C. Wilmore.

A number of racing events were then pulled off, and the result was as follows:

Boys' Race, 50 yards, for boys under 10 years—W. Brown.
Boys' Race, 50 yards, for boys under 12 years—P. Browning.
Boys' Race, 50 yards, for boys under 15 years—Oliver Hensell.
Boys' Race, 100 yards, for boys under 18 years—Art Vincent.
Open Race, 100 yards—Mr. Bingey.
Fat Man's Race, 100 yards—Chas. Lucas.
Girls' Race, 50 yards, for girls under the age of 13 years—Grace Johnson.

Open Race, 75 yards—A. Vincent.
Free-for-All Old Men's Race—C. M. Cooper.
Men's Race, 75 yards—Chas. Smith.
Tug-of-war between a team of 10 white men and 10 colored men. Won by the colored men.

In the evening the Grand March was put on in the Curling Rink, and the prizes went to Mrs. Lucas and Mr. David Lee, who were pronounced the best couple. The lady's prize was a silk parasol, and the gentleman's prize two hand-painted china cups and saucers.

Dancing was then enjoyed until the wee small hours of the morning, the music being provided by R. A. Murphy's orchestra, which is composed of Willie Robertson, piano; Jas. Robinson, bass; R. A. Murphy, first violin; Robert Lynn, clarinet; Mr. Bingey, cornet; and Chas. Lynn, trap. The music provided by this excellent band of musicians was the very best that could be desired.

The committee who had the management of the affair in hand, and who deserve every credit for the excellent results.

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THOS. NEIL IS FIREMAN

Water Commissioners Select New Officer For Station

Routine Matters Dealt With At Regular Monthly Meeting

A regular monthly meeting of the Board of Water Commissioners was held last night in Harrison Hall at eight o'clock. Mayor Stone, Mr. Sheldon and J. S. Weir were the members present and the usual routine of business was carried out.

The communications were the first to be considered. An application for fireman from Thomas H. Neil was read and duly considered, and as Harry Murphy had left the employ of the Water Commissioners, and his position as fireman and assistant to the head engineer had become vacant, a motion was made by the Mayor, by which Mr. Neil was appointed to the vacancy, and his duties and services be the same as those set out in the resolutions passed last year. His salary will be \$50 per month, to be computed from the 9th day of May. A letter from Park Bros. was also read regarding the new filter to be installed at the waterworks station. The letter stated that the filter had been tested and completed according to contract, and was now ready to be put in place. It also said that if the station was not ready at the present time to have the filter installed, in order to allow the manufacturers to complete their contract, they should be paid, and they could install the filter at any time that the Commissioners were ready. It was moved that, as this was reasonable, \$1,000 be paid on account. Last month a thousand dollars was paid on account and there still remains \$450.

Next to be considered was a letter from C. R. Bowers. Some five years ago, when he came here, he paid \$25 for a glassless lantern, which was a very good one, and who came here shortly afterwards did not pay any license, and in order to receive justice, he asked that his twenty-five be returned. This was thought a fair letter and it was decided that Mr. Bowers be returned his money.

Mr. Weir presented a statement of the cash for the month, which showed a balance of \$23,203.39 in the Bank of Montreal. The statement of the month previous showed a balance of over \$4,000, but as two payments were made on the filter the account was thus brought down. The statement was satisfactory in every particular.

The accounts were brought in, and with the exception of one, were ordered paid, and this account if found correct would also be paid. The following are the accounts, J. C. Wanless \$4.20, the Daily News \$2.50, Buffalo Metre Co. \$55.40, Pennsylvania Suit Manufacturing Co. \$43.75, Park Bros. \$2.50, W. H. Nichol \$3, Geo. Stephens Co. \$9.33, Mr. Weir \$9, P. M. Railway \$1, Lake Erie Coal Co. \$262.22, and the Gartshore Thomas Co. \$242.22.

It was next moved that two weeks holidays be given to Michael O'Mara, the first engineer, and also two weeks holidays to the secretary, Mr. Weir. This was much approved of by the Board, and also by the people to whom the vacation was granted. The meeting adjourned.

More Evidence Taken By Fisheries Commission

Members of Game and Fish Protective Association Heard

Discussion Becomes Warm—Sessions are Now Concluded

The Dominion Fisheries Commission resumed their sittings in Harrison Hall yesterday afternoon at two o'clock, examination being continued by Mr. Birnie. Much important evidence from members of the branch of the Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association was taken.

Fisheries Inspector Theo. Peltier, sworn, gave the following figures: During the year 1906, \$27,000 worth of fish were caught in the lake and river; \$13,000 worth of fish were caught in the river alone. One-quarter of these fish were pickered, and were caught in the spring of the year, before April 15.

Caleb Wheeler, sworn, said in

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FIFTH STREET APPROACH.

There is considerable objection being raised in reference to the action of the Council in taking the initiative for a new approach to the Fifth street bridge, without consulting the property owners in the matter at all.

While we endorse the necessity of the new approach, it seems that the Council has taken an unfair course. If they have the power to take the initiative on this work, it is within their province to exercise it, but it seems to be an unwise procedure to undertake the initiative without taking the matter up with the property owners.

The Council claims that they are not called upon to pay any of the cost of the new pavement, but will agree to bear one-third of the expense, as the work is necessary. In view of the fact that the new pavement will be of equal benefit to the property owners effected, and the citizens generally, the street being at one of the principle entries to the city, and the present one being sufficient to satisfy the needs of the property owners, the Council would not have been acting unwise if they had decided to bear a greater portion of the cost of the new pavement.

The average ratepayer does not look to the Council to take a course which will not commend itself to the citizens generally, even though they may be vested with special powers which will enable them to do so. It is surely unwise to take any course which places a hardship on any ratepayer or property owner, even though the city may gain money thereby. There are many instances where the Council would have a perfect legal right to do so, but the citizens do not grant such a wide scope to their representatives with the understanding that they must drive hard and fast bargains regardless of the moral rights of private citizens. The Council should not abuse the power and confidence reposed in them by the ratepayers of the city.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

The intelligent young sleuths who masquerade around the city gathering stale items for the Banner, have evidently been travelling the back streets with their noses to the ground. It is said that this style of walking has been generally adopted by the people in the Banner office ever since Ald. Potter proclaimed their size from his place in the Council chamber.

It is an ill wind that blows nobody good, and the old saw evidently still holds the boards, for the Banner reporters have thus been enabled to count the holes in the sidewalks. One of these poor sidewalks was found during a meander down St. George street, and this is what the Banner says about it:

"Were it a person and consequently amenable to the law, the sidewalk

would have long since forced Magistrate Houston in the Police Court to answer to a charge of being a loose and disreputable character—a vagrant."

How fortunate it is that the sidewalk is not a person, and therefore not amenable to the law!

What a narrow escape for the Judge! We congratulate His Honor upon still being at large, even in spite of the fact that the St. George street sidewalk has such a poor opinion of him. We sincerely hope for the sake of the Judge's friends, that there are few such sidewalks in the city, and, if there are any more, we would go further, and hope that they will be "forced" to remain just sidewalks, and never become persons, so that this horrible and unjust charge may never be laid!

These correspondents for outside Conservative dailies, of whom the Banner evidently thinks so little, had the extreme pleasure of directly applying the information from which the Banner quill pushers wrote their account of the Wednesday deliberations of the Dominion Fisheries Commission! Too bad that the Banner's egotistical criticism should so soon fall back with humiliating force upon its own head!

WESTERN FLOUR

Only by wisely adopting new discoveries can the farmers of this Province compete on even terms with the West, whose specialty is wheat. Western flour has invaded Ontario, and the decline in the demand for Ontario wheat is to-day a fact only too evident to farmers. Ontario agriculturists, in many instances, buy Western flour, raise little or no wheat, and for what they do raise, are not receiving a price commensurate with their labor—all, largely because they will not use the flour made from wheat that they grew themselves, owing to a mistaken belief that the Western flour is better. In addition to this loss of market, the loss of feed is too high to enable stockmen and dairymen to realize the profit which, under proper conditions, ought to be assured.

It will be somewhat of a surprise for most farmers, to learn that Ontario flour is a favorite in the Eastern provinces; and that in the face of strong competition, it has for several years been preferred in the Maritime Provinces, to the best Western brands. The discovery of flour-blending bids fair to re-open the demand for Ontario wheat; and this ought to attract the attention of Ontario farmers to a question of vital importance to the agricultural interests of the Province.

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Whether this will prove true of Ontario, and whether such a demand will be created that the price of wheat will improve, and the cost of bran and shorts become lower, depends upon the individual farmer. Buying Western flour means a negative answer to the query; if, however, the Ontario farmer is alive to the situation, he cannot financially afford to neglect the latest discovery in practical economics, and will insist on buying only the flour milled in Ontario.

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BLENHEIM

Blenheim, August 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Saddington, who were married here on Wednesday, left on the 7:30 p.m. train from Ridgeway for Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cleveland, and other points, returning by Detroit. They will reside in Mull.

The bride's dress was white point de p't, daintily trimmed with white satin ribbon and Valenciennes lace over white silk. She held a bouquet of sweet peas. The bridesmaid wore a dainty dress of white moulin and Valenciennes lace.

The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful diamond ring, to the bridesmaid and pianist, pearl brooches, to the best man a pearl stick pin, and to the waiters pearl and ruby rings.

The bride was the recipient of a great many beautiful and useful presents, among which were a silver service, from her school; a unique and beautiful clock, from her sisters, Margaret and Carrie; a very handsome case of cutlery silver with pearl handles, from Miss Saddington, the groom's aunt; twenty-five dollars in gold from the groom's father; and others silverware, spoons, knives and forks, cut glass, hand-painted china, chairs, a parlor table, etc., too numerous to mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Saddington are both highly esteemed, and start out in life with bright prospects and the best wishes of all their friends and acquaintances.

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DRESDEN

Dresden, July 31.—Miss Miller, of Oil Springs, and Miss Kinder, of Strathroy, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Kinder.

A number of ladies spent yesterday afternoon on the bowling green. The game was a jolly one.

Mr. S. Campbell and Mr. Benedict, of Chatham, motored to Dresden last evening.

A number of Gypsies are camping just outside the town limits.

Mr. Sandy Wallen is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. C. H. Hughes is summering at Sombra.

George MacIntosh, who has been working in Essex for the past year, returned to his home Tuesday, being ill with typhoid fever.

Miss Bessie Collins, of Chatham, is the guest of Mrs. E. Gonyou.

Dr. and Mrs. Webster, who have been visiting Mrs. J. B. Webster, returned to their home in Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Irene Mount returned to Chatham last evening.

Miss Rheta Bodkin is visiting in Wallaceburg.

Two rinks of Florence bowlers played in Dresden yesterday and were defeated.

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SAW IT IN THE PLANET

Mrs. Gihula, of St. Thomas, wife of the Pere Marquette superintendent, was in the city yesterday endeavoring to look up a couple of the young immigrant English girls who arrived here recently. She has employment for a couple of them at home. She called at the office of the Chief of Police for information as to where she could find some of them.

"I saw a number of items in the Chatham Planet regarding a Great number of English immigrants which had arrived in Chatham," she told the Chief, "and as it was mentioned that there were a number of bright young English girls with them, I thought it might be a good opportunity to select a couple for housework."

The girls who may be so fortunate as to be employed by Mrs. Gihula are assured of a good home and a kind mistress.

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All our \$1 to \$1.25 Sacques and Kimonos, Saturday 83c.	12 1-2c. Long Cloth Cotton 10c. yd.
All our \$1.50 Kimonos and Sacques, Saturday \$1.19	600 yards Extra Quality English Long Cloth Bleached Cotton, the best in Canada, at 12 1-2c. Saturday 10c.
All our \$1.75 to \$2 Dressing Sacques, Saturday \$1.39	Spool Thread. All numbers in white Thread again in stock at Old Prices.
All our \$2.25 and \$2.50 Long Kimonos and Sacques, Saturday \$1.83	10c. Pure Linen Towelling 7 1-2c.
Net Waists, \$3.50 Each. 12 only handsome fine Net Waists, wash silk foundation, prettily trimmed with fine lace and insertion on yoke, neck and sleeves, sizes 32 to 42 in., Saturday each, \$3.50	485 yards Fine Pure Linen Scotch Crash Towelling, the best 10c. quality, Saturday 7 1-2c.
Parasols Reduced. All our Fancy Parasols and Sunshades, Saturday at Special Clearing Prices Embroidery Sale.	Millinery at Half-price. Your pick of any Trimmed Hat in Stock, Saturday Half-price.
800 Yards Embroidery and Insertion, reg. 5c., 6c., 7c. and 8c. a yd., Saturday 4c.	\$1 to \$2.50 Shapes for 23c.
Prints and Muslins 5c. Yard. 690 yards Light and Dark Prints and Muslins, fast colors, Saturday a yard 5c.	Your pick of 4 dozen Dress Shapes, all new styles, reg. up to \$2 each, Saturday 23c.
12 1-2c. and 15c. Muslins 9c. yd.	Children's 25c. and 35c. Wash Tams, Saturday 19c.
\$40 yards Fine American and English Dress Muslins, all new patterns and colors, worth up to 15c. yard, Saturday 9c.	Girls' White Linen Hats, Saturday 19c.
20c. Muslins for 14c. yard.	Ladies' Wash Suits Reduced, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3 Lawn Crash Duck and Percale Dresses, pretty styles, Clearing Saturday at \$1.89.
All our Fine Dress Muslins, worth up to 20c. yard, Saturday 14c.	\$1.50 Black Underskirts 98c.
	7 dozen handsome Black Mercerized Underskirts, reg. \$1.50 each, Saturday 98c.
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MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

A sensational runaway occurred at Mount Pleasant cemetery, London, on Tuesday, when a party of mourners were being driven home from attending the funeral of the late George Jones. The powerful hack team ran away with serious results. Mr. Wm. Jones, of Bothwell, who was attending the funeral of his brother, was more painfully injured than any of the other members of the party. He had his collarbone fractured. His brother, John Jones, of Bothwell, escaped uninjured, as did Mrs. Kelly, of Lambeth. Mrs. George Carruthers suffers severely from a sprain of the back, and will be confined to her bed for a week. Her husband, Mr. George Carruthers, well known as a lodge member and post office employee, had the top of one of his fingers so badly crushed that it will have to be amputated.

The members of the party say that the only thing that saved them from more serious injury was the fact that when the hack struck the obstacle the top split open and they were not thrown violently against it.

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COOK WANTED—Apply Tecumseh House.

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WANTED—Girl to assist with housework. Apply to Mrs. George H. Wanless, LaCroix St.

WANTED—Local organizers and route men. Apply Alfred Tyler, wholesale tea importer and spice grinder, London, Ont.

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J. W. FLEWES, Secy

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DISTRICT

KENT BRIDGE.

Miss Hazel West returned from New York on Tuesday.

Miss Sourrah left for a trip up the lakes, after spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. A. J. Pasha.

G. R. Langford lost some valuable stock the other night, killed by the midnight express.

The H. S. Clements cup arrived in the village on Saturday evening, and was the occasion of much rejoicing among the football enthusiasts. Now the boys are ready for the photographer.

Miss Vida Stonehouse has been spending her holidays in Wallaceburg.

Messrs. Morley Wilkinson, of Morpeth, and Cecil Hogg, of Selton, spent Sunday in the village.

Mrs. (Dr.) McGregor and children, returned to their home in London on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. Fleming and Miss Candace, of Chatham, are guests at Rev. Mr. Pickard's.

Lawyer Arnold, of Brantford, is visiting at the home of his parents here.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. John Allison on Tuesday of this week.

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SUES FOR \$20,000.

Sir Charles Tupper Called In the Vancouver Libel Suit.

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 1.—Former Commissioner of Lands and Works R. F. Green's suit against The Vancouver World for \$20,000 for libel for saying he was bribed by Sir Adolphe Caron into accepting \$37,000 in shares of the transcontinental exploration syndicate, which holds nine leases of provincial lands, is being heard.

Sir Charles Tupper was in the witness box. The court upheld Sir Charles' claim of professional privilege, and Premier McBride, Minister of Finance, and Hon. J. C. Carter, in turn, claimed the privilege of their oath of office, which the court upheld. The Premier gave Green a certificate for good and conscientious discharge of public duties.

Editor Higgins of The World, former Speaker of the Provincial House, then claimed the privileges of editor, and was also upheld, and the source of information was not revealed. He admitted he wrote the alleged libel, and declared he had verified the information to his satisfaction.

Photographs of two destroyed letters were produced, one from Caron to Green, and Green's reply.

These showed the offer of shares made as a gift, and declined by Green, but Barrister Neil McKay of Kaslo, later appointed deputy commissioner of lands and works, had been named by Green as a likely member of Caron's syndicate, and certain shares were later sent to him, which, Caron says, are of the nominal value of \$500.

Sir Adolphe Caron in his examination said the article was a dream.

The Modesty of Women

Naturally makes them shrink from the delicate questions, the obnoxious examinations, and unpleasant local treatments, which some physicians consider essential in the treatment of diseases of women. Yet, if help can be had, it is better to submit to this ordeal than let the disease grow and spread. The trouble is that so often the woman undergoes all the annoyance and shame for nothing. Thousands of women who have been cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription were in a desperate condition when they first consulted him. There is no other medicine so sure and safe for delicate women as "Favorite Prescription." It cures debilitating drains, irregularity and female weakness. It always helps. It almost always cures. It is strictly non-alcoholic, non-secret, all its ingredients being printed on its bottle-wrapper; contains no deleterious or habit-forming drugs, and every native medicinal root entering into its composition has the full endorsement of those most eminent in the several schools of medical practice. Some of these numerous and strongest of professional endorsements of its ingredients, will be found in a pamphlet wrapped around the bottle, also in a booklet mailed free on request, by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. These professional endorsements should have far more weight than any amount of the ordinary lay, or non-professional testimonials.

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LOCAL

W. N. Morley is spending the day at Erieau.

Miss Edna Young is spending a few days in Ridgeway.

Charles Matheson, of London, is in the city visiting friends.

J. B. Campbell, of Kenora, is in the city visiting friends.

Harvey Cameron left yesterday for Muskoka on a two months' vacation.

Ald. S. Bullis and family have left for the Eau, where they will spend three weeks.

Mrs. Geo. Wands and daughter Freda are spending a week at Willow Beach.

John Borne, of Flint, Mich., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Thos. Nichol, Victoria Ave.

Mrs. J. F. Maine, of London, is the guest of Mrs. Phoebe Wanless, Lacroix street.

Attend the Annual Clearing Sale of Summer Shoes at Hall's. Sale starts to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crouch, Lacroix street, are visiting Mrs. S. Crouch, Florence.

Miss Gertrude Potter has returned from Toronto, where she was visiting her aunt and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Smith and family returned on Tuesday from a month's visit in the Northwest.

Mrs. Hugh Kerr, Lorne Ave., left this afternoon on a visit to relatives in Windsor and Essex county.

Mrs. W. Long, of Detroit, who has been visiting Mrs. T. Whettilauer, Fifth street, has returned to her home.

Dr. Alf. Thibodeau, of New York, arrived in the city last night, and will spend a week with friends in the Maple City.

A. C. Trudell returned last night from Hamilton. Mr. Trudell's store is progressing rapidly and will soon be ready for use.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith and the Misses Belle and Flossie Smith left yesterday for a two months' visit at the Pacific Coast.

Don't forget the place and time for the "Greatest ever" of bargains in the grocery line, Saturday morning, August 3, West End Grocery, corner Gray and West. Phone 482. Ice Cream.

A TALK ON SOAP

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DEFEATED BY DUTTON.

The Chatham baseball team went down to Dutton yesterday, and in a game of ball with the champions of that town, were beaten by a score of 4 to 3.

The game was a good one, and up to the 8th inning was in Chatham's favor. At the end of the seventh innings Chatham had three runs and Dutton had one. Robert pitched the first seven innings and Pleasence the last two. In the eighth innings Dutton scored three runs, which placed them in the lead.

Hicks did the catching for Chatham and was good throughout. Brundage, however, was the feature, and got two 3-baggers and one single. The time was very good, the game being completed in one hour and fifteen minutes.

The Dutton boys will play a return game here August 15.

ERIEAU

Erieau, August 2.—Mr. Hutchings, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cartwright, who are sojourning at Centreville.

Mr. Will Hubble has returned to St. Thomas after spending a pleasant holiday with friends here.

Mrs. Riley Youngs and Mr. Bertie Youngs, who have been the guests of Mrs. H. D. Smith, returned to their home in St. Thomas yesterday.

Miss Mary Macdonald left for her home last night, after a visit with Miss Belle Stringer at Hazeldean cottage.

Miss Kate Garrett and Mrs. F. A. McDonald went into town this morning to meet their sister, Mrs. C. R. Cherry, of Well's Hill, Toronto.

Mr. W. R. Fellows sailed the "Emerald" over to Shrewsbury yesterday morning.

Mrs. Thomas Holmes and daughter, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. E. B. Northwood.

Mr. Hundredmark and Miss Annetta Hundredmark, of Cleveland, arrived at the Eau yesterday.

Mr. Siberts, of Toronto, is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. H. W. Ball.

Mrs. M. Hay, of St. Thomas, spent yesterday with relatives at Minnewanka.

Visitors at Bobcaygeon and other resorts are complaining of having to pay guides \$3 per day, besides giving them food and drink, cast-off clothing and shoes. But here at Erieau you can go out and catch a forty pound lump without any guide whatever. Everyday is fishing day, Sunday included.

Miss Alice Massey is a charming visitor at Mrs. J. M. Park's.

The water lilies at the Lily ponds back of the lighthouse, were never more beautiful or plentiful.

Messrs. J. M. and Archie Park are putting the rigging on the Baden-Powell and intend to sail her the balance of the season. Residents of the bar will be pleased to see this familiar craft on the waters in the evening.

The severest thunderstorm of the season passed over the Eau last night. For the last few days the weather has been very threatening and several storms have gone down the lake without breaking on the bar. Last night about nine o'clock a storm came up from the west and when it was at its worst another seemed to meet it from the southwest. The wind blew a perfect gale and the lightning made the darkness as bright as day. Shortly after the storm broke the lights of the Government supply boat were seen out from the channel. The large boat was making harbor and a heavy sea was running on shore. When about a mile from the range light the captain decided not to attempt to make the channel. The captain did not wish to run the risk of damaging his boat or the pier. He steamed up the lake and lay at a safe distance from shore for about two hours. After the sea went down he was able to make the harbor. A smaller storm broke shortly after midnight, but was light compared with the one earlier in the evening.

Free Farm Land.

Toronto, Aug. 2.—A number of townships in the vicinity of Dryden, in the Lake of the Woods district, have been opened by the Ontario Government as free grant lands.

When Hon. Frank Cochrane and Hon. Dr. Reame visited the district recently, one of the complaints of the settlers was the price of 50 cents an acre put on the land by the Government, while other lands just as desirable from an agricultural standpoint, or more so, have been given to the settlers free. This worked to the disadvantage of the locality, regarding settlement.

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We make it in any color or flavor desired, and deliver just when you want it. Special prices for picnics and excursions

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LAMPS!

We have to-day opened our FIRST FALL SHIPMENT of

LAMPS

which are the most handsome yet received and we are giving the public the privilege of seeing them in our window Friday and Saturday.

These are not ordinary Lamps, but the prettiest patterns we have ever been able to purchase in Brass, Gilt, Bronze and Copper finish and marked at the price of ordinary lamps.

Do not wait until the prettiest have been picked out, but come early and select.

THE ARK.

H. Macaulay.

Phone 159.

CELEBRATION WAS GOOD ONE

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cellent manner in which the events of the day were carried off, were Henry Weaver, chairman; G. W. Turrill, secretary; and Messrs. Jas. E. Johnson, Moses Robinson, S. Rogers, B. Ward and G. A. Griffin.

The members of the committee desire to thank the citizens who so generously contributed towards making the celebration a success.

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AUSTIN'S EXPANSION BUILDING SALE

FOR

AUGUST

Will turn a tide of bargains the home maker's way that will prove genuinely generous. Now that simply means that there are to be unprecedented buying inducements ahead of you. It means that you are going to get larger Price Plums during August than ever dropped your way before, so that there'll not be one day in August, but will bring you buying inducements of the extraordinary kind.

Axminster Carpets

Beautiful floral designs in light grounds, borders to match, regular \$1.75 per yd. Expansion Building Sale Price \$1.50.

English Velvet Carpets

So that those who did not get any of these carpets during July, may participate in the saving, we offer three more patterns, best English Velvet Carpets, two of them have borders to match, worth \$1.35. Expansion Building Sale Price 98c.

Tapestry Carpets

One thousand yards English Tapestry Carpets at greatly reduced prices.
\$1 Tapestry Carpets for 90c
90c Tapestry Carpet for 75c
60c Tapestry Carpet for 50c
Special line at only 25c per yard.

Ingrain Carpets

Reversible heavy weight union carpets, yard wide, worth 55c. Expansion Sale Price 42c.
Worth regular 40c. Expansion Building Sale Price 33c.

Hot Weather Bargains in Our Wash Goods Department.

Now that we are in the month of August all our summer goods must be cleared out regardless of price.

Fine Summer Zephyrs.

Cream ground with pink, red, blue, green, yellow and black spots, a regular 15c. goods, now 11c. per yard.

Fine English Seersuckers.

White ground with black spots and figures. A beautiful wash goods, regular 18c. goods, now 12c. per yard.

American Crepe Cloth.

Just two pieces left in green and grey, fine wash material, regular 20c. goods, now 14c. per yard.

Everything in the Lines of Fancy Colored Muslins Reduced in Price.

All our 25c., 30c., 35c. and 40c. Muslins reduced to 19c. per yard.

This Week in The Austin Men's Store

A STIRRING OFFERING OF SUITS FOR BOYS

These are stylish up-to-date 3 piece Suits for boys 9 to 17 years, made from nobby pattern, reliable wearing tweeds, single and double styles, made up in the best possible manner, offered at a third under price just when you need them.

First Is a Group of \$4 to \$4.75 Suits at \$3.48

3-piece Suits of medium weight tweeds suitable for any time in sizes 17 8 to years.

Second in a Group Of \$5 and \$5.50 Suits at \$3.95

3-piece Suits of nobby pattern tweed, nice all the year round weight, serviceable cloths, in sizes 9 to 17 years.

All the Wash Suits at Greatly Reduced Prices

For the little fellows 2½ to 8 years.

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TEA

Our English Breakfast Tea (black) has plenty of strength and flavor. It will make a delicious and refreshing drink. You can compare it with any fifty cent tea—40c a pound.

SPECIAL JAPAN TEA
4 pounds for \$1.00

EXTRA JAPAN TEA
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25c a pound.

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BLEND COFFEE
35c a pound.

Our Mocha and Java Coffee is the highest standard of Coffee—40c a pound.

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CYLINDER OIL
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Highest Quality—Reasonable Prices

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Thames St. Phone 147

People thinking of taking a trip to the Muskoka Lakes should travel via the C. P. R. new line. Summer tourist rates on sale daily. For further particulars ask C. P. R. ticket agent, corner King and Fifth streets.

TO-NIGHT

Park St. Epworth League, S. S. Hall, at 8.
Y. P. S. C. E., First Presbyterian Church, at 8.
Victoria Ave. Epworth League, S. S. Hall, at 8.
K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.
Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their hall opposite the Rankin House.

LOCAL

Briscoe's bicycle livery and repairs
Band Concerts, Erieau, Monday and Friday nights.

J. W. Smith, of Stewart, was in the city on Wednesday.

Wm. Miller, of Ridgetown, is visiting friends in the city.

Good hay was selling at \$8 a ton on the market this morning.

Packard's Blacking, 5 cents a box at Cowan's until Sept. 1st.

W. D. O'Leary, of Wallaceburg, was a city visitor yesterday.

Miss Lillian Blackburn, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Dot Smith, Raleigh street.

French Glycerine Shoe Polish, 10 cent size, 5c a bottle, at Cowan's, until Sept. 1st.

Robert Dunlop, Wade street, left for Detroit yesterday, where he will spend his holidays.

White shoe dressing, 40 cent bottles setting at 5 cents, at Cowan's, until Sept. 1st.

Miss Jones, of Bowmanville, is spending a few days with Miss Annie Kerr, Lacroix street.

Wanted, boys and girls to pick beans in the field Monday morning. Apply to Kent Cannine Company.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Hicks, Wellington street, are spending a week at Port Lambton.

Men's Lacroix Shoes, regular 80c, kind, for 60c. Boys' 70c, kind for 50c., at Cowan's, until Sept. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Martin have gone to Kingston to visit their daughter, Mrs. J. S. Turner. Mr. Turner is manager of the Standard Bank of Canada in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Merrifield and family, of Park street, and Walter Brock, King street, left on Wednesday for Erieau, where they intend spending the rest of the summer season.

Mrs. James Glover left on Wednesday for her home in Moline, Ill., via Pontiac, where she will join her brother, J. McLaren, formerly of this city. Mr. and Mrs. McLaren and family will in the future reside at Moline, Ill.

LOST, a valuable gold link watch chain, with seal attached bearing the initials J. A. engraved on a white stone. This was lost on William street between Park street and the Sovereign Bank, or Tecumseh Park and the Sovereign Bank via King street. Finder will be well rewarded if left at this office.

CHATHAM'S ONLY MILLINERY STORE

THE LAST WEEK OF

C. A. Cooksley Sale of Millinery

We have untrimmed hats from 50c up.
Trimmed hats from 90c up.

Bargain Days Every Day This Week.

C. A. COOKSLEY, KING ST.

A. D. Westman spent yesterday in Detroit.

A very convenient writing and book case combined for sale cheap. Apply at The Planet Office.

Mrs. Wm. Oliver has left for Port Lambton, where she will spend the summer.

The pay sheets for the week amount to: Board of Works \$40.32, local improvement \$182.27.

Miss Candace Craft entertained a number of friends at her home on VanAllen avenue last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coates, who have been visiting their parents on Adelaide street, returned to their home in Brampton today.

While rifling, it is alleged, the trunk of J. H. McCully, secret service man with the T. and N. O. engineering staff at Bink's Siding, Alex. Garnier, a French-Canadian cook, found a pair of handcuffs tied them on, and promptly handcuffed himself. He will appear in court.

Bargains in Wall Paper at Parrott's Bookstore.

Mrs. A. E. Sauerman has left for Port Lambton, where she will spend the summer.

Granite and tinware at dissolution sale prices. George Stephens, D. H. Douglas, Phone 6.

Hilliard Aldis, of London, has returned to his home after spending a few days with Maple City friends.

Flintkote roofing never leaks. It is a nonconductor of heat and cold and practically fire proof. George Stephens, D. H. Douglas, Phone 6.

Mrs. S. C. Walker will sing the soprano solo, "The Plains of Peace," by Barnard, at the morning offertory in Holy Trinity church Sunday next.

Beverly Campbell, of Ingersoll, son of the late Wm. Campbell, formerly of this city, who made a flying visit to his mother, who is the guest of Miss Bartlett, Grand avenue, left last evening for Winnipeg, where he takes a position in a bank.

Bird's Bull's-Eye Belting

IS ON THE MARKET TO STAY

It is bound to supercede both leather and rubber belting, because it is cheaper and more durable.

It is not affected by dampness. It will not stretch. It is no experiment. It has been well tried and satisfactorily in Chatham by some of the largest mills.

It is specially adapted for thrashers driving belts and for any exposed machinery.

Geo. Stephens D. H. Douglas

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Makes The Greatest Stir On King Street. And No Wonder

When our money-saving prices are known. SEE OUR WINDOWS. The piles of these choice beautiful creations are fast decreasing.

Owing to the advanced price in cottons

"You ne'er shall see their like again"

HERE ARE SOME PRICE RANGES :—

White Petticoats from 34c up.
Ladies' Night Gowns from 65c up.
Cambric Chemises from 59c up.
Muslin and Cambric Drawers from 19c up.
Children's Dresses, white or print, at 33c & 48c up.
Ladies' Dressing Jackets from 50c up.
Great Reductions in Print and Sateen Wrappers.
Money-making Marvels for Shirt Waist Buyers.

Remember you pay us for Ready-made Garments, LESS THAN FOR THE MATERIALS IN THEM.

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And a good thing to have in case of fire. Your losses will not be quite so hard to bear if there is some financial compensation for the possessions destroyed by fire. A good

FIRE INSURANCE POLICY

is a positive necessity to every man with a business or home. Get one now.

First-class dwelling for sale on Van Allen Ave. Price \$1,500, and another one on Lacroix St. at \$1,200.

If you are thinking of buying a home see us first, as we have them listed in every part of the city. Every one a bargain.

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Modern two-story frame house on corner of Selkirk and Elizabeth streets.

House has furnace, bath, gas, electric lights and every modern convenience.

Woodwork all oiled finish. Handsomely papered throughout. Reception hall, double drawing room, dining room, breakfast room, kitchen, enclosed cupboards, built in refrigerator, upstairs, hall, four bedrooms and bath room, back and front stairs. Rent moderate.

Arthur J. Dunn,

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12 Bars Judd's Soap, 25c.

7 lbs. Best Grand Soap, 25c.

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Peach or Plum Jam, 8c. per lb.

A Fine Line of Fancy Biscuits, 10c. per lb.

Sliced Preserved Beef, 12c. per lb.

Best Quality Ginger Snaps, 8c. per lb.

Fruit Jars—Pints, 75c.; Quarts, 85c.; 1-1/2 Gals., 95c.

Jar Rubbers, 5c. per dozen.

Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c. per lb.

U KNOW

Now we still have a lot of China and Crockery to clear out. Help us to get rid of it.

LOOK!

Saturday, the 3rd, we give a double sheaf of sticky fly paper, with every dollar order.

John McConnell

Park Street Phone 196

Minard's Liniment cures Colds, etc.

Stop When You Come To The Red Sign

Look for the Red Sign. Kent County's Greatest Merchandising Event.

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THE 2 T'S HALF-YEARLY SALE

Commences Saturday, August 3rd, Ends September 3rd

ONE MONTH ONLY

OUR FIRST QUESTION IS

DO YOU WANT CLOTHES

Not the ordinary kind, but the smartest and most exclusive in Chatham—that's the only kind we sell and that's the kind to buy. The people of Kent County are too well acquainted with the House of Trudell & Tobey and the methods governing the conduct of this mighty business to need any words of an introductory character. We can assure our friends that this will be by far the most important sale we have held in the 12 years of our business history. We honestly believe that no sale event in any store in this entire Dominion has ever rivalled this one in importance. Weeks have been spent in preparing for this occasion. Words cannot be marshaled that are strong enough to do full justice to the extraordinary values and vast assortments that here await you. Thousands of dollars worth of the very best made and most perfect clothing in Canada will be sacrificed in this great sale. Facts are stubborn things and figures won't lie. That quotation never applied more forcibly than to this great sale movement. If we can only impress you with the facts and the values, we will have the biggest success we have ever attained. In every department prices are amazingly low. It is a fact that we have outdone our greatest efforts of the past: it is a fact that we are better equipped to handle an immense business than ever before: it is a fact that the bargains are the greatest and the assortment the largest that have been offered in Kent County for years. We urge you to come and investigate these facts. It will pay you to make a trip to this store from any distance—this will indeed be a sale. Vast in scope, immense in volume and magnificent in value giving, presenting unparalleled chances of saving money on all kinds of clothing, for the old man, the young man, the youth. An array of male attire that is a credit to the manufacturing ability and equipment of any firm or country. This is your month for profit, not ours. The following is an exact list so you can see what an opportune time it is to buy and make a saving. Every garment pressed and altered gratis during this sale. Remember the date, August 3rd to September 3rd. If you can't come the first day of the sale, come the next day—but come. Our fixed policy is to sell all merchandise during the season for which it is purchased.

Your Unrestricted Choice of any Suit in the Store for

H. S. & M. New Method and Fit Reform, \$25, \$22.50 and \$20 Suits all go at the one price \$12.50

Men's Suits

This headline applies to Men's Tweed and Worsted Suits, including Blues and Blacks. Bear in mind that these suits are the product of the best firms in America. The 2 T's are not to be classed with ordinary Ready-to-wear, but can with impunity take its place side by side with the product of Canada's foremost Custom Tailors. Think of this and then imagine.

Such Reductions as These:

Think of any \$25 Suit in the store for \$12.50.
Think of any \$22 Suit in the store for \$12.50.
Think of any \$15 to \$20 Suit in the store for \$12.50.
Think of any \$14 or \$12.50 Suit in the store for \$10.
Think of any \$11 or \$10 Suit in the store for \$7.50.
Think of any \$8.50 or \$7.50 Suit in the store for \$5.50.
No matter how long and thin you are your size is here, or if you're

short and stout your size is here; Men's \$5.00 to \$5.50 Pants, or if you're tall and fat your size is here. We have clothes to fit all shapes.

Men's Stylish Trousers

Men's \$1.50 to \$1.75 Pants, Sale Price \$1.15
Men's \$2.00 to \$2.25 Pants, Sale Price \$1.50
Men's \$2.50 to \$3.00 Pants, Sale Price \$2.00
Men's \$3.00 to \$3.50 Pants, Sale Price \$2.50
Men's \$3.75 to \$4.25 Pants, Sale Price \$2.99

The same fixed tenets that made this store such a towering success from the start are in force to-day, and an ever-widening patronage tells us that the buying public appreciates a policy that insures the lowest price possible to quote compatible with a standard of merchandise that merits the wonderful growth this store has enjoyed.

ALL STRAW HATS HALF PRICE

Working Shirts

Any 50 cent Working Shirt now 40 cents.
Any 75 cent Working Shirt now 60 cents.
Any \$1.00 Working Shirt now 80 cents.
Any \$1.50 Working Shirt now \$1.15.

Overalls and Smocks

Any 50 cent Overall, now 40 cents.
Any 75 cent Overall, now 60 cents.
Any \$1.00 Overall, now 80 cents.

Men's Shoes

One lot of 225 pairs of Men's \$3.50, \$4, \$5 Shoes, \$2.99.

Men's Hats

One lot of Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Soft Hats, \$1.99.

Boys' Sweaters

Any Boy's Sweater, from \$1.00 to \$2.00, now 75 cents.

Other lines will be added from time to time that we have not space here to mention.

Men's Summer Underwear

Any of our 50 cent Underwear 40 cents.
Any of our 75 cent Underwear 60 cents.
Any of our \$1.00 Underwear 80 cents.
Any of our \$1.25 Underwear, \$1.00.
Any of our \$1.50 Underwear \$1.15.
Any of our \$3.50 Underwear \$2.50.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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DISTRICT

DAWN VALLEY.

Miss Mary McAllister, of Bontpath, visited relatives here. Flossie Bibcock returned home with her. Miss Gladys Robinson, of Dresden, spent a day last week at her uncle's, Jerome Fleming's.

Mrs. James Stinson left for Camden Tuesday evening to stay with her sister, Mrs. Lissman.

Gladys Stinson, of Dresden, who was visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Stinson, returned to Dresden Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Fleming and daughter Blanche spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Fleming, Oil Springs. Miss Blanche stayed for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Huntly Oliphant and daughters Vera and Mary, visited Mrs. Oliphant's sister, Mrs. James McClure, and family, last Sunday. Miss Vera Oliphant remained for a

two weeks' visit.

Miss Dora Greenwood, of Florence, who was visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. King, has returned home.

An interesting event occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Carleton on Wednesday, it being the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alice, to Mr. Frank Parks, of Mandamin. The Rev. Mr. Burkholder, of Mandamin, tied the nuptial knot in the presence of a company of relatives and friends.

Miss Nita Karr has returned home from Bridgeton, and Ivy and Myrtle Karr from visiting relatives at Petrolia.

Miss Gertie Boyce, of Dresden, visited Miss Pearl Guest and other friends at Dawn Valley recently.

Mr. Charles Dunlop, of Camden, was a guest at the Parks-Carleton wedding on Wednesday, July 24.

Miss Olive Vail, of Beaver Meadow, was a guest at the wedding of Miss Carleton on Wednesday, 24th.

Master Kenneth and Misses Jean and Mary King are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hazzard, of Dresden.

MODISTIC MATTERS.

Something Smart In High Shoes.
Stunning Frock of Crepe de Chine.

A novelty in high shoes is in modish leather fastened with little tabs instead of buttons or laces.

Over in Paris long lace cuffs are being worn when long gloves are not desirable. The first choice in them is the plain fluted cuff of the same tone as the gown.

Elastics are run in the tops so that they can be put on and taken off quickly.

A beautiful dress of crepe de chine has for combination sleeves and broad vest cream lace over pink silk. The round girdle is of pink silk and fast-



FOR THE WEAR FOLK—5699.

tened in the back. Shoulder pieces tucked and placed to form upper sleeves gradually slope to the waist line, the points being hidden with a heavy band of cream insertion, which outlines the collar and vest portion. The skirt is finished around the bottom with four black ruffles about four inches wide, headed with a wide band of cream insertion and six one-inch tucks. With this costume is worn a large Japanese hat of cream straw finished in the front with large pink roses and encircled with one, immense ostrich plume.

Such a fascinating little frock as the one illustrated will delight every mother's heart. The skirt is made from founcing, and white lawn with simple embroidery heading that harmonizes with the founcing makes the body portion, with the aid of a few tucks.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

SMART STYLES.

Sunbonnets For the Summer Girl.
Gingham Smart Morning Gowns.

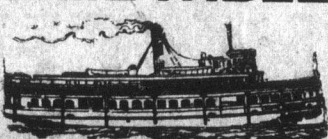
A dainty little sunbonnet can be made for the baby of very simple and inexpensive materials. White dimity is used for the full crown and pale pink for the straight piece, which folds back, forming the brim, and also for the ruffle, which is attached to the lower part of the crown. The wide strings are of the pink dimity. A pretty finish is a row of white feather stitching worked on in stems or scrolls or single lines.

Ginghams are in unusual request. One of the prettiest phases is in the popular jumper frock, with stripes of mixed colors going around instead of



PICTURESQUE SUNBONNETS—5694.

TIME TABLE



Steamer City of Chatham

Will make her regular round trip from Chatham to Detroit every MONDAY and WEDNESDAY, leaving Rankin Dock, South Chatham, at 7:30 a.m., and returning leaves Detroit, foot of Randolph Street, at 8:00 p.m., Detroit time, or 4 p.m. Chatham time.

Will also make round trips from Detroit to Chatham every FRIDAY and SATURDAY, leaving Detroit, foot of Randolph Street, at 8 a.m. Detroit time, or 9 a.m. Chatham time, returning will leave Chatham 3 p.m. Detroit time or 4 p.m. Chatham time, arriving in Detroit about 8 p.m.

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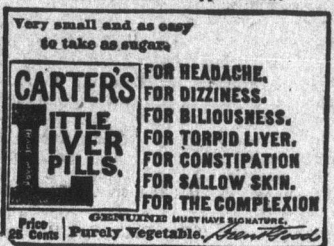
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"That will be all right," answered the man. "The room suit me, and I am willing to pay a year in advance if necessary."

"You don't object to music perhaps? There's a piano on the first floor and a harp and zither on the third."

"No objection to that. I am fond of all kinds of music."

"We don't take renters who have children, you know."

"We haven't any. My family consists of my wife, myself and a grown son."

"Also we require the best of references."

"Here they are."

The agent looked at them and handed them back.

"They are all right. I'll have to let you in. You are fortunate, Mr. Spindoo, in getting the apartment at this particular time. By order of Mr. Hunka I have had all the rooms thoroughly cleaned."

"Does old Hunka own this building?"

"Certainly. As I was saying—"

"Great Scott! The only object I have in moving is to get out of one of old Hunka's apartment houses. I wouldn't live here rent-free. No, thanks; I can find my way out without any assistance. Morning, sir."

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A Chestnut.

Ralph Waldo Emerson once told of a friend who always carried in his pocket a horse chestnut as a protection against rheumatism, just as other people wear shields and other special devices in their friend's case. "He has never had the rheumatism since he began to carry it, and indeed it appears to have had a retrospective operation, for he never had it before."

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HOW TO CUSS THE EDITOR.

Dose Him With Decadent Dictionary Diction.

The number of obsolete words that are to be found in a complete dictionary of the English language is considerably larger than the people have any idea of. The following letter, written by an alleged poet to an editor who had treated his poetry with derision, furnishes some idea of them:

"Sir—You have behaved like an impetuous seraglio—like those who, envious of any moral celsitude, carry their unglorious to the height of working symphonically the fecund words which my polymathic genius uses with liberty to abrogate the tongues of the weathless! Sir, you have crassly parodied my own pet words, though they were trigrams!"

"I will not consecrate reproaches. I will induce a veil over the atremulent ingratitude which has chamfered even my indiscreet heart. I am silent on the fecundation which my co-adjuvancy must have given when I offered to become your fanlor and admirer. I will not speak of the tip-pitude, the oblique you have shown in exacerbating me, one whose genius you should have approached with mental disalcation. So I tell you, without supervacaneous words, nothing will render ignominious your conduct to me."

"I warn you that I would vellitate your nose if I thought that any moral diarthrosis thereby could be performed—if I thought I should not impignorate my reputation. Go, tachygraphic seraglio, hand with your crass, iniquate fanlors! Draw obelisks from the thought if you can of having synchronically lost the extimistation of the greatest poet since Milton." And yet all these words are to be found in the dictionary.

Saving Their Feelings.

Mr. Punch is so powerfully impressed by the action of the Lord Chamberlain in suppressing all performances of the "Mikado" (and thereby throwing into confusion a large number of provincial theatrical companies), that he is moved to follow suit. He therefore forbids his readers, all and several, and the British public at large, to continue the locoration of national and foreign susceptibilities by the employment in speech, writing, singing, gramophone, or mariongram, of any expressions appearing in the subjoined list:

"To take French leave."

"Made in Germany."

"Castles in Spain."

"He is full of Dutch courage."

"Scratch a Russian, and you'll find a Tartar."

"He is a regular Turk."

"Spoiling the Egyptians."

"Can the Ethiopians change his skin?"

"Lo, the poor Indian!"

"For ways that are dark, the heathen Chinese is peculiar."

"Go to Jericho."

"They don't know everything down in Judea."

"Caledonia, stern and wild."

"How very Hibernian."

"Taffy was a Welshman, Taffy was a thief."

"To behave like a boor."

John Bull has so many ententes on hand just now that Mr. Punch is living in momentary terror lest any of them should be imperiled by some chance and indiscreet allusion dropped at a Little Puddington Penny Reading. What if the Republic of Hayti, say, should get wind of the same?—Punch.

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JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wilson and Miss Wilem, of Tilbury, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kontze last week.

Mrs. Charles Haeette was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, Chatham, on Monday.

There will be no Methodist service Sunday afternoon on account of quarterly meeting at Providence. Union service will be held Sunday evening.

C. Kontze spent Sunday at Pat-in-Bay.

Mrs. D. Murray and children, of Lindsay, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton.

Miss Margaret Stewart, of Tilbury, was the guest of Miss Kontze on Tuesday.

Miss Dauphin, Mrs. Dawson and Miss Florence were Chatham visitors on Saturday.

Miss Nora Donahue, of Detroit, and Miss Grace Smith, of Providence, are the guests of Mrs. Peck this week.

Miss Margaret Smith left on Thursday for Hamilton to visit her sister, Mrs. C. O. Almors.

FLORENCE.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wright and daughter Winnie have returned from a pleasant visit to Leamington and Detroit.

Mrs. Thomas Sweet is visiting her

daughter, Mrs. Frank Bedford, in Detroit.

Our granolithic sidewalks are to undergo repairs.

Our Quill editor is repairing and otherwise altering the interior of his house.

Miss McAlpine, of Dawn Mills, renewed acquaintances in town last week.

Miss Webster and nephews, Max and Walter Charteris, have returned to their home in Chatham, after three weeks' holidays here.

Master John Cummer, of Tillsonburg, is spending his holidays with Almer Buckroll.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McDonald and family left last Tuesday for their new home in Calgary. Miss White, of Oakdale, accompanied them.

Mrs. Yates and Mrs. Turk, Wardaville, were guests of their sister, Mrs. Eugene Walker, and on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Walker and Miss Walker visited Dr. and Mrs. Campbell at Oil Springs last week.

Florence and Bothwell bowlers met here last Friday and had an enthusiastic game, which resulted in a tie.

Miss Johnson, of Toronto, is visiting Mrs. Wm. McCree.

Mr. N. Grose, River Road, Florence, was married on the 24th inst., to Mrs. Aikins, Dresden. He has purchased the house and lot belonging to Mrs. W. Walker, north of the village, and will move there in the near future.

Mr. Thomas Robinson and family, of Sarnia, are spending their vacation with his brother, Mr. W. Robinson and wife.

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THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Closed Unchanged, Chicago Lower—Live Stock—The Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, July 31. Liverpool wheat and corn futures closed to-day unchanged from yesterday. At Chicago July wheat closed 1/2c lower than yesterday. July corn 1/4c higher, and July oats 1/4c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day: Wheat—July 1907 bid, Sept. 1907 asked, Oct. 1907 bid. Oats—July 1907 bid, Aug. 1907 asked, Oct. 1907 bid.

Leading Wheat Markets.

	July	Sept.	Dec.
New York	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Detroit	91 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Toledo	91 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
St. Louis	91 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Minneapolis	91 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2

Toronto Grain Markets.

	July	Sept.	Dec.
Wheat, fall, bush	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Wheat, spring, bush	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Wheat, red, bush	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Wheat, white, bush	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Barley, bush	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Oats, bush	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, creamery, lb.	21
Butter, dairy, lb.	20
Butter, tub, lb.	19
Butter, creamery, lb.	20
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	18
Cheese, large, lb.	12
Cheese, small, lb.	11
Honey, 10-lb. tin	08
Honey, 5-lb. tin	09

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, July 31.—Wheat—Spot quiet, No. 3 and 4 steady. Futures: July 1907, 92 1/2; Sept. 1907, 92 1/2; Dec. 1907, 92 1/2. Corn—Spot quiet, No. 3 and 4 steady. Futures: July 1907, 10 1/2; Sept. 1907, 10 1/2; Dec. 1907, 10 1/2. Oats—Spot quiet, No. 3 and 4 steady. Futures: July 1907, 5 1/2; Sept. 1907, 5 1/2; Dec. 1907, 5 1/2.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Butter—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 1,500. Cheese—Borden's, unchanged; receipts, 2,500. Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 15,000.

CATTLE MARKET.

Cables Steady—Cattle and Hogs Firms at Chicago.

LONDON, July 31.—London cables are steady at 12c to 13c per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9 1/2c to 10c per lb.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, July 31.—Cattle—About 500 head of butchers' cattle, 500 head of cows, 200 calves, 500 sheep and lambs and 500 pigs were offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The butchers were present in large numbers, but were not wanting many cattle, which caused a dull market in that line, but lambs and calves were in demand at higher prices, and fat hogs are lower. There were no prime beefs on the market, a few of the best selling up to near 5c per lb., with pretty good animals at 4 1/2c to 4 3/4c, and the common stock at 3c to 3 1/2c. A mixed lot of 13 cattle sold at 2 1/2c per lb. Milk cows sold at 25c to 30c each. A superior calf sold for 35c; the others at 25c to 30c each.

Sheep sold at about 4c per lb.; lambs at 3 1/2c to 4c each. Fat hogs sold at 10c to 11c per lb. For old hogs: 5c for thick fat, and 7c to 8c for select.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, July 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 125 head; slow and steady; prime steers, 25c to 26c; active and steady; 25c to 26c. Hogs—Receipts, 250 head; fairly active, heavy shade heavy; heavy, 15c to 16c; mixed, 14c to 15c; Yorkers, 13c to 14c; pigs, 12c to 13c; roughs, 11c to 12c; stags, 10c to 11c; dairies, 9c to 10c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts light; market active and steady; prices unchanged.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Beef—Receipts, 2,700. Steers, firm to 10c higher; bulls, low and active; 7 1/2c to 8c; calves, unchanged; medium and thin cows, extremely slow and 10c to 11c lower. About three cars of heavy cattle, mostly choice steers sold at 14c to 15c; one car extra at 16c; bulls, 13c to 14c; cows, 12c to 13c; calves, 11c to 12c. Dressed beef steady at 9 1/2c to 10c per pound; some choice beef at 10 1/2c to 11c. Hides—Receipts, 300; 34c to 35c; exports to-day, 34c to 35c. Sheep—Receipts, 1,700. Veals, 25c higher; buttermilk and cheese, 25c higher; unchanged. Common to choice veals, 25c to 26c; culls, 24c to 25c; buttermilk and cheese, 25c to 26c. Country-dressed, 7c to 11c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 627. Sheep steady; lambs, 10c to 11c; 10c to 11c; all sold. Sheep, 9c to 10c; lambs, 10c to 11c. Hogs—Receipts, 300; feeling firm. State and Pennsylvania hogs, 13c to 14c.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Cattle—Receipts, about 15,000; market strong to 10c higher; common to prime steers, 12c to 13c; cows, 11c to 12c; heifers, 10c to 11c; bulls, 9c to 10c; calves, 8c to 9c; stockers and feeders, 7c to 8c. Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; market strong; good to prime heavy, 13c to 14c; medium to good heavy, 12c to 13c; light to medium, 11c to 12c; good to prime mixed, 10c to 11c; light mixed, 9c to 10c; roughs, 8c to 9c; selected, 7c to 8c; bulk of sales, 10c to 11c. Sheep—Receipts, about 15,000; market for lambs, strong; sheep, 10c to 11c; 10c to 11c; yearlings, 9c to 10c; lambs, 8c to 9c.

The Wireless Convention.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(C.A.P.)—In the House of Commons, Sir Edward Carson objected to the proposed ratification by the Government of the radio-telegraphic convention without a discussion by the House.

He said it was a thousand pities the colonies had not been asked for some agreement regarding a basis of common action at the Imperial Conference, especially in view of the fact that Canada is becoming a point of contact between the east and west.

Mr. Haldane, replying, said the Government was contending for the Canadian standard form of license.

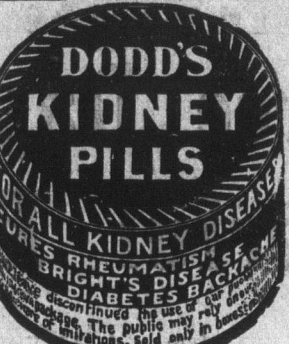
Ontario Rich.

Toronto, Aug. 1.—The total amount of succession duties paid to the Treasury Department of the province in July was \$136,524. This brings the amount for the year to date up to \$676,941.

Col. Matheson in his budget speech estimated the receipts from this source for the year at \$700,000, and it is likely that this will be greatly exceeded. During July 18 estates accounted to the Department.

Drowns in Six Inches of Water.

Binghamton, N.Y., Aug. 1.—Jas. H. Morry, 74 years old, and wealthy, of Lounsberry, N.Y., was drowned in the Susquehanna River in six inches of water.



HAS VIEWS OF ITS OWN.

Lord Tweedmouth Refers to Canada's Aid in Naval Defence.

LONDON, July 31.—In the House of Lords, Lord Tweedmouth called attention to the proceedings in the Imperial Conference respecting naval questions, and said the country had heard with satisfaction the Government's assurance that the all-red route would receive careful consideration.

Lord Tweedmouth said he thought the conference had gone a long way towards coming to an arrangement with the colonies regarding naval defence. It was unfair to say the Home Government had been indifferent to the interests of the colonies. The case of Canada was different to the other colonies. Canada always had a right to contribute directly to the cost of the navy, though now the Dominion had taken over certain harbors, which was a great service. He regretted, however, that the Canadian Government could not see its way to becoming more active in naval defence, but the Dominion had its own views and the line taken by the Home Government was as it should be, very much a matter of their own judgment as to what way the colonies should help.

In dealing with a general policy, Lord Tweedmouth said the Admiralty had in view a new and extended cruiser construction policy.

ANOTHER GREAT DISCOVERY.

A well known gentleman in Black Bay, Ont., Mr. John Cowan, has discovered an absolute specific for Rheumatism, and writes: "I was affected with Sciatica and chronic Rheumatism, which I contracted years ago. The disease had a great hold in my blood, and it was hard to make any impression on it. Reading of Perrozzoni was convincing of its merit and it's certainly the best I have ever tried. Why, it just drove away the Rheumatism. Even stiffened old sufferers will experience quick results. The reason is, that Perrozzoni acts through the blood and thereby the Rheumatism is cured of the disease. Price 50c. per box, at all dealers."

Arms and the Tax.

There are sufficient people in England and Scotland paying the annual tax imposed by the inland revenue upon the use of armorial bearings to produce a sum of \$350,000 each year. The great bulk of this sum is paid by people who care not an atom either about their family of their arms, but pay the tax regularly simply because they have carriages or plate heraldically decorated. The really old families of the realm, however, use armorial emblems for decorative purposes to an extent almost incredible in the eyes of those familiar with them only on note paper, table silver and carriage panels.

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Cabinet at Work.

Ottawa, Aug. 1.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived in Ottawa yesterday and Messrs. Patterson, Aylesworth, LeCompte, Templeman and Scott met in Cabinet session.

There is an immense amount of accumulated business to get through and this will occupy the attention of the Premier and his colleagues for some time.

It has been expected that the portfolio of Public Works at least would be filled, but the vacancies were only incidentally referred to.

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ENGLAND'S LATEST GUEST.

King of Denmark Visits His Royal Sister, Queen Alexandra.

The King of Denmark, who has recently been visiting the English court, is less well known than his brother, King George of Greece, who has been a more frequent visitor to the favorite sister of both, Queen Alexandra. The Danish monarch is a splendid specimen of manhood, and without being so pronounced an athlete as the King of Greece, who could compete with satisfaction to himself, and in a manner disconcerting to his adver-



KING OF DENMARK.

saries, in most trials of strength and agility, is, nevertheless, fond of outdoor life and athletic exercise, and is a clever gymnast. Of course, as he is in his 30s in years these amusements are less within the power of the thew and sinew; but, nevertheless, King Frederick keeps himself in first-rate training, and his slender, upright figure, which far younger men might envy, recalls that of his second son, King Haakon, who, curiously enough, took precedence of his father as a European Sovereign before the accession of the latter to the Danish throne. King Frederick has the singular fondness of all the members of the Danish Royal Family for performing dexterous tricks with bottles, corks, chairs, pokers, and the like. The Queen of Denmark, who was a Swedish Princess, and daughter of King Charles V., from whom she inherited her immense fortune, and not



QUEEN OF DENMARK.

of King Oscar, would, but for the accident of sex, have succeeded her father on the throne of Sweden. The Queen is a serious-minded royal lady, and the state balls and banquets, which are more or less obligatory, are, says "Vanity Fair," undertaken from a strict sense of duty, so that her reign is not likely to add much to the gaiety of nations.

HE DEFIES THE LORDS.

Premier of Great Britain Seeks to Curtail Their Power.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Premier of Great Britain, comes of a family of Glasgow merchant princes. The Campbells have been in trade for a long time, and have flourished at it amazingly. It will shock the Lords, however, to be threatened by a draper, no matter how eminent. A recent despatch from London, says that after a three days' debate on the Lords in the House of Commons, Premier Campbell-Bannerman's resolution in favor of curtailing the power of the House of Lords is being carried by 439 to 147 amid loud Ministerial cheers.

The amendment introduced by A. Henderson (Laborite), Durham, for a total abolition of the House of Lords was previously rejected by 315 to 100, the minority being composed of Laborites, Nationalists, and a few Radicals. In this division the Laborites as a body abstained from voting. The Premier on leaving the House was given a great ovation. The Lords are almost certain to force a dissolution before long by throwing out the Government's bills.

Some English Statesmen.

Very heavy are the burdens of some of the high offices in Great Britain, and leaders have been driven to curious methods to prevent breakdown. When Robert Lowe was Chancellor of the exchequer he laid down ninety feet of asphalt and got himself a pair of roller skates. That was his method of mastering a liver and the fatigues of office. Earl Spencer when in Ireland during the darkest days of his office found riding fast and him at one thing to relieve his spirits of gloom. Gladstone cut down the trees and translated the classics; Lord Randolph Churchill went racing. Palmerston fought his battle against weariness in the very workshop itself. The late Sir James Paget found him at work standing at a high desk and told him he really must take more rest. Palmerston answered that it was impossible; that it had now become his habit to work while standing. Formerly he had been so overworked that he used to fall asleep while sitting writing at his table. To conquer this weakness he took to standing, "for," he said, "if I fall down that wakes me."

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Grand Trunk to Appeal.

Ottawa, Aug. 1.—Already notice of an appeal has been received from the decision of the Railway Commission ordering the Grand Trunk Railway to provide a daily third-class service at two cents a mile between Montreal and Toronto. The railway showed the greatest promptness in notifying the Commission of the appeal and it is understood that the case will be carried to the Privy Council.

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"A good cry gained me this," she said.

You cannot make sweet butter in a fool, unclean churn. The stomach serves as a churn in which to agitate, work up, and disintegrate our food as it is being digested. If it be weak, sluggish and foul the result will be torpid, sluggish liver and bad, impure blood.

The ingredients of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are just such as best serve to correct and cure all such derangements. It is up without a drop of alcohol in its composition; chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine being used instead of the commonly employed alcohol. Now this glycerine is of itself a valuable medicine, instead of a dog torpidus dyspepsia, agent like alcohol, especially in the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia and the various forms of indigestion.

Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago, says of it: "In dyspepsia it serves an excellent purpose. . . . It is one of the best of the present time in its action upon enfeebled, disordered stomachs."

Japs Protest.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 1.—Five Chambers of Commerce in Japan have addressed a letter to the local Chamber asking that an effort be made to prevent discrimination against their countrymen in the United States.

To Study Jap Immigration.

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 1.—It is reported here that the Japanese Government is sending a special commission to Hawaii, the United States, and the Dominion to study the Japanese labor question at close range.

WIRE WOUNDS.

My mare, a very valuable one, was badly bruised and cut by being caught in a wire fence. Some of the wounds would not heal, although I tried many different medicines. Dr. Bell advised me to use MINARD'S LINIMENT. I did so, and the first and best result was the sores began to look better, until after three weeks, the sores have healed and best of all the hair is growing well, and is NOT WHITE as is most always the case in horse wounds.

F. M. DOUGET.

Australia Will Kill It.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(C.A.P.)—The Standard is responsible for the statement that there was no special sworn to the "all-red" scheme, the Home Government will have nothing to do with it, and the impression prevails in Ministerial circles that Premier Deakin is inflexibly opposed.

THE DEAF MADE TO HEAR.

Deafness, because usually due to Catarrh, is quite curable. In a thousand cases this is proved absolutely true. Success invariably attends the use of Catarrhine, which has cured catarrhal deafness of twenty-five years' standing. Penetrating through the passages of the ear, the soothing vapor of Catarrhine relieves the inflammation, destroys the seeds of Catarrh and thereby allows nature to re-assist herself. Try Catarrhine once, 25c. and \$1 sizes, sold by all dealers.

Opinions are sure to differ widely where personal worth is the subject of discussion.

Few of us are such sufferers from insomnia that we can't sleep when it's time to get up.

The tourist's season is now on and we are advised by W. E. Rispin, general passenger and ticket agent, that he has some especially attractive tours for the present summer season, reading to all the summer resorts of Canada, including Muskoka Lakes, the T. Managdi District, Georgian Bay, Lake Superior, River St. Lawrence, and Gulf and Atlantic Coast points, and would be very pleased to furnish information to any intending passengers.

BRITAIN SCORES.

Gets In Ahead of United States With Peace Conference Program.

The Hague, Aug. 1.—The British delegation are working on a proposition which, when it is presented, will cause considerable surprise, as it is in the nature of the unexpected.

As already cabled, the representatives of the United States have been privately discussing with other leading delegates the advisability of the United States representing a proposition for the periodical sitting of the conference, this proposition suggesting that it should meet quinquennially on June 2, beginning in 1912.

The British delegation went ahead of the Americans, having already communicated in the strictest secrecy only to a few delegates of the great powers, its proposition on the same subject, establishing that the conference should sit septennially, but that two years before the meeting special representatives of Great Britain, France, Germany, United States, Russia, Italy, Austria and Japan should meet to prepare the work for the conference, prearranging everything connected with its organization and the matters to be taken under advisement.

Thus, when the conference meets again its program will be already so studied by each country that satisfactory agreements will be the most easily reached.

In addition, although nothing has been said against Russia, the conference will no longer be monopolized by one nation, and will not depend, as heretofore, on the will of the sovereign of that country for its coming together and the fixing of the program.

The Belgian proposition, that the inhabitants of an occupied territory should not be compelled to participate in military operations against the country was adopted by a vote of 18 to 15. There were 12 absentees.

DUTIES ON FISH.

Nationalist Asks That Ireland Be Treated Like Canada.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Speaking in the House of Commons, John P. Boland, Nationalist representative of the southern division of Kerry, called the attention of Foreign Secretary Sir Edward Grey, to the fact that the United States is the principal market for Irish cured mackerel, and asked the Secretary to use his best endeavors in connection with the negotiations now going on between Great Britain, Newfoundland, Canada and the United States regarding the fisheries question, to have the American tariff of \$2 a barrel on mackerel removed in the event of the Canadian fish being allowed to enter the United States free of duty.

Sir Edward replied that if a favorable opportunity occurred to make an attempt to obtain a reduction of American duties on the produce of the United Kingdom, the case of Irish cured mackerel would not be overlooked, but he said the negotiations on the subject of colonial fish that had taken place some time ago had not led to any definite result.

No Closed Season.

Windsor, Aug. 1.—C. W. Gauthier, one of the most prominent of Canadian fishermen, told the Canadian Fish Commission that there should be no closed season for any kind of fish.

He said if the exportation to the United States were prevented by the Government it would kill the fishing industry along the great lakes. Government hatcheries are the only remedy for the present condition, he said.

He also outlined a plan to have the Government establish canneries along the shores of the northern lakes and supply fishermen, told the Canadian Fish Commission that there should be no closed season for any kind of fish.

Wm. Foley, the local manager of the Smirlies concern, stated that from the appearance of things the W. J. Bell Co. seemed to be moving in, instead of moving out.

King to Visit Austria.

Vienna, Aug. 1.—The program was arranged yesterday for a meeting between King Edward and Emperor Francis Joseph at Ischl, in Upper Austria, on Aug. 15 and 16.

Immediately afterwards King Edward will continue the journey to Marienbad.

Goes Insane on Train.

LONDON, Ont., Aug. 1.—Miss Alderson of Toronto, sister of Mrs. Davis of Midland street, suddenly went insane while riding on a Grand Trunk train from Toronto to London.

Her condition gives her physicians and relatives the greatest cause for alarm.

Joe Martin Redivivus.

Vancouver, Aug. 1.—Joseph Martin, K. former Premier, will likely be an independent candidate in the bye-election here opposing Hon. W. J. Bowser, newly appointed Attorney-General in McBride's Cabinet. The Liberals decline to enter the field.

Gasoline Boat Ablaze.

Rochester, N.Y., Aug. 1.—A match ignited gasoline leaking from the engine of a launch on the Erie canal Tuesday night and six occupants of the burning boat leaped into the canal.

Mrs. Margaret Clark and her nine-year-old boy were drowned.

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MI-O-NA stomach tablets cost but 50 cents a box and do more real good than a dozen boxes of the ordinary digestive tablets. C. H. Gunn & Co. give an absolute, unqualified guarantee to refund the money if MI-O-NA fails to cure.

Clothing Caught Fire.

York, Pa., July 31.—Charles Bradley, 35 years old, was stealing a ride on a Lehigh Valley freight train, when his clothing ignited from a spark of the locomotive. He was seen to run along the top of the train with his clothing ablaze until he was blinded and exhausted. Then he fell between two of the cars and was crushed.

Invited to Buffalo.

Buffalo, N.Y., July 31.—Invitations have been extended by the committee in charge of Canadian Day (Sept. 4) of the Buffalo old home week, to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Mayor of Toronto and the Mayor of Hamilton to deliver addresses and review those Canadian troops which may take part in the program arranged for this day.

Free for Catarrh, just to prove Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white, creamy, healing, antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as Oil Eucalypti, Thymol, Menthol, etc., it gives instant and lasting relief to Catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents.

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Extended to Saturday shoppers by this store. We are determined to have this store clear of summer goods before this month has gone, and that is all there is to it.

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All those 25c. Muslins shown by this store this season Saturday 10c.

All those 25c. Zephyrs that we have been offering at 12 1/2c. per yard, Saturday 10c.

38c. Zephyrs, in exclusive stripes, per yard, 15c.

DRESS GOODS

2 pieces only Stylish Suitings, new this season, 54 in. wide, soap shrunk, reg. \$1 and \$1.25, to clear, per yd., 50c.

1 piece Stylish 54 in. Mohair, reg. \$1.25, to clear per yard, 50c.

2 pieces all Pure Soft Fine Wool Suiting, 50 in. wide, per yard, \$1.50, to clear per yard, 50c.

7 pieces all Pure Wool Cashmere and Serges, etc., reg up to per yd. 50c., to clear Saturday, 25c.

LADIES' FURNISHINGS

Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, stainless double process dye, Lisle finest, guaranteed soft, strong and stainless, per pair, 12 1/2c.

40c new Stylish Roman Striped Ladies' Belts, at each, 25c.

An excellent showing of Wash and Leather Belts, at each, 25c.

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MORE NEW

Dinner Sets
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Tea Sets

We have recently placed on sale many new sets of dishes which came to us directly from English Potteries and which any store or any household would well be proud of.

We never buy a large quantity of any one kind of sets, but keep getting new styles all the time and therefore have a great variety to choose from, besides that you don't get a set exactly like your neighbors.

5 different patterns, Grindley's famous Semi-Porcelain Dinner and Tea Sets, 100 pieces, Haviland decoration, \$15.00.

7 different patterns, large and small roses, green, illuminated and fancy lithographed, 100 piece sets of J. & G. Meakin's underglazed Semi-porcelain, splendid value \$15.00

3 different patterns, 97 pieces, plain, green with fancy flower decoration, special at \$6.50.

We have three stock patterns of the best grades of Wood's Maddock's and Myott's Semi-porcelain of which we make a specialty and will sell complete sets at the low price of \$10, or give you a set any way you wish to buy it at same price accordingly, and we always keep these goods in stock for your future benefit.

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TO-DAY'S NEWS AT BRADLEYS' TO-DAY'S NEWS AT BRADLEYS'

SATURDAY GROCERY BARGAINS
AT
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Strong price inducements on well-known groceries for you to visit this Bradley store to-morrow. Besides these extra specials for to-morrow's selling you'll find almost any other grocery item you may require here and at a fair price.

And remember, while you're thinking of our low prices that whatever you try the quality is right. Bradleys' guarantee every purchase to be satisfactory.

The benefits will be mutual if you give Bradleys' your grocery order to-morrow. Give us a trial.

Surprise Soap

You know this quality. Many say there is none better. Reg. 5c., Saturday Sale Price, 7 Bars 25c

Saxon Oats

An extra fine quality of Rolled Oats, put up in packages each containing a piece of useful crockery. Reg. 25c., Saturday Sale Price, Per Package 21c

Quaker Wheat Berries

One of the latest in breakfast foods—puffed wheat—quite popular with those who have tried it. Reg. 10c., Saturday Sale Price, Per Package 8c

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Extra fine quality of Baked Beans—delicious flavor. Reg. 15c., Saturday Sale Price, Per Tin 10c

Silver Gloss Starch

One of the Finest Qualities of Laundry Starch, put up in 1 lb. packages. Regular 10c., Saturday Sale Price, 2 Packages 15c

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Good quality. Made in Canada. Reg. 5c., Saturday Sale Price, 2 Packages 5c

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MORE EVIDENCE TAKEN

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catch them is when there are none to catch. This applies more particularly to the small-mouthed bass. I wouldn't say that the bass are extinct in the local waters, but they are nearly so. These men have no right to pull up hoop nets legally. I have seen bass in the pots of these hoop nets when they were being pulled up.

Commissioner Birnie—We were down the river to see some of the hoop nets raised yesterday, but the seas were so heavy it was impossible to lift them.

Mr. Wheeler, continuing—We are anxious to save the pickerel on account of their value as a food fish. Our motto is, "The Fish for the People," and not necessarily the game fish alone. The majority of our association are farmers who want to get fish for their own food, and a number of our members are trappers. I wouldn't be prepared to contradict the statement of the fishermen that only one-quarter of their catch are pickerel. I have been credibly informed that the fishermen and the inspector exaggerate their reports in order to give out the impression that the fish are increasing. I am not prepared to say so positively, only I have been credibly informed that they deliberately exaggerate the catch.

A voice—No, sir; No, sir.

Mr. Wheeler—The association takes issue that the \$13,000 worth of fish shipped out of this country, and taken out of our river, are taken off the table of the residents of this country. The blame is with the Government, not with the fishermen, who are only taking advantage of the opportunities given them. The fish are meant for the people, and the people will hold the Government responsible when they are taken away from them in this manner.

We maintain that the fishermen can make as much money by selling those fish in Canada. They won't bring their fish to our markets to sell them. We can't buy a fish on the Chatham market at a reasonable price. This is no law for the poor man, and at present there is no law for the poor man in this matter.

The people want the Government to declare that Lake St. Clair shall not be fished with nets for commercial purposes. Our little lake and the river are the cream of the Canadian fisheries, yet the 50,000 people in this country are without a fish to eat. There are some people in the neighborhood of one hundred miles of the lake between the mouth of the river and Grassy Point. The Americans don't allow a net in the laws of the State of Michigan. They do not allow them in the Great Lakes or rivers either. I have seen instances that go to prove that the carp do not kill off the bass spawn.

Cross-examined by Inspector Peltier, and still under oath, Mr. Wheeler said: When I said that the fishermen exaggerate their reports of catches, I did not mean to cast any reflection on the local fishermen or the inspector. The inspector is, as far as I know him, an honest man. I make the statement, however, that the fishermen deliberately exaggerate their catches. I have been credibly informed on this matter.

Commissioner Birnie—We do not place any reliance on hearsay.

Mr. Wheeler—Mr. Peltier says that there are 51 licensed nets in his inspectorate. However, it should also be known that there are 93 nets between the mouth of the river and Grassy Point. These statistics are from the Government report.

Ben. Taylor, not sworn—The fish are increasing in the local waters and not decreasing, as Mr. Wheeler would have us believe. The returns show an increase; not a decrease. Four or five years ago our nets were cut from 75 to 50 yards, and we are still showing an increase of fish with half the amount of nets, and shorter nets at that. How do you account for that, Mr. Wheeler?

Mr. Wheeler—I cannot explain the cause.

Mr. Taylor—These fish are offered for sale in the Canadian market first, but we cannot sell them here, so we have to sell to a foreign market. The Canadian market could not take one-fifth part of our catch.

Mr. Wheeler, sworn—All the fish that ought to be caught in local waters can be sold here. There has not been a load of fish offered for sale on the Chatham market for twenty years.

Commissioner Birnie—That is a strong argument.

Mr. Taylor—It is false, Mr. Wheeler. What about Antoine Lague? Mr. Wheeler—Antoine Lague is not a fisherman of any note. The landlords of local hotels have to send as far as Winnipeg for fish.

W. B. Wells, not sworn—These fishermen shut off tourist travel from this section of the country by destroying the game fish. This fact should prove an offset to the statement that \$27,000 was realized by the fishermen out of the industry last year.

Mr. Taylor—We offered these fish for sale in Canada at three or four cents less than we sell them to the Americans.

Mr. Wheeler, sworn—It is not so in detail. You mean to say that you offer them to the Canadian consumer at a price less than you otherwise have to pay over to the express companies.

A great deal of discussion followed, which, because of its slight bearing on the point at issue, cannot be given space. At times the disputants became quite warm, and it was necessary to call them to order.

W. B. Wells, sworn, says in part: I have lived here all my life. Bass were at one time plentiful in the local waters. The cause of their decrease is the hoop nets used by the fishermen. I have seen the pot of a hoop net half full of bass. I have

seen 700 bass caught in one haul in one of our bays. We fished in the same bay recently, and only could catch three. The hoop nets and the seines are the cause of the decrease. Even if the fishermen put the bass back, they are injured in the pot. I have seen dead bass lying along the shores of our local waters.

Commissioner Birnie—There is no doubt about it, the penalty for violation of the fishing laws will have to be made more severe, and it is likely it will be shortly.

Mr. Taylor—Who destroyed the bass? The fishermen or the anglers?

Mr. Wells, sworn—Both probably had something to do with it. I would suggest that the Government make inquiries to find out whether or not the carp destroy the bass spawn. I cannot say positively as to whether the carp do or do not destroy the bass spawn.

J. C. Tucker, sworn—I have lived in Chatham all my life. Bass have decreased in the local waters. The hoop nets destroy the small-mouthed bass. Mitchell's Bay I have found hoop nets set out to catch bass out of season, and they are in the channels at the Snye now. I don't say these fishermen fish out of season, but there is a licensed fisherman who does. I lifted one net myself three weeks ago, and made this discovery. This man will probably be prosecuted later. There were two bass in the net when I lifted it. The bass caught in hoop nets are sold.

Mr. Birnie—It was your duty to lay an information and destroy the nets.

John Bagnall—It is too bad to give evidence against men who are not here to defend themselves.

Mr. Tucker—The violation of the law will be brought home to them before long. Bass do come up the river. I caught a few in this city this year. Boys catch them at the bridges right along. I can prove that I have found hoop nets set out for bass out of season.

Mr. Wheeler said that Henry Daguen had told him that hoop nets were set out in many places near the mouth of the river.

W. H. Croxon, sworn, gave much the same evidence as other fishermen. He said that his five nets cost him \$85 each.

Ben. Taylor, sworn, said: Charges have been laid that farmers have stated that they could not get a fish to eat. I understand that a certain petition purporting to come from them has been laid before the House, or will be laid before the House, by Hon. Adam Beck, of London. They say their petition has 3,000 signatures. Now, I have a petition signed by 3,000 farmers, praying that the restrictions on seine fishing in the river be removed. Every farmer between Chatham and the lighthouse has signed our petition.

Mr. Birnie—This matter will rest with the Dominion Government.

John Bagnall afterwards told a Planet reporter, who inquired, that the nine fishermen in Mr. Peltier's inspectorate had \$18,000 invested in seines, hoop nets, etc.

The Commission will next sit in Wallaceburg on Saturday afternoon. They will spend to-morrow visiting some of the "grounds."



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8 pieces English Shirting, good heavy weight and warranted colors, stripes and checks, regular price 12 1/2c yd., sale price 8c yd.

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A general clearance of high-class dress muslins, consisting of dotted Swiss, batiste, voile, etc., a splendid assortment of patterns and shadings, checks, stripes and smaller designs, regular 25c & 35c, sale price 15c a yd.

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10 pieces of pure linen glass towellings, checks and plain blue and white and red and white, fine wire thread and good weight, regular 10c value, sale price 7c yd.

TOWELS

9 dozen crash towels, extra large size, with red centre and border, regular value 29c each, sale price 18c each.

BED SPREADS

\$1.25 large size honey-comb spreads, some of them are just a little soiled, they are manufacturer's "seconds", would be worth in the regular way \$1.25, sale price 79c each.

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5 pieces of 3/4 bleached linen, good wide width and warranted pure linen, good value at 50c, sale price 34c yd.

SWABS

25 dozen swabs—mostly used for dish cloths, we have rather too many in stock, so down goes the price, regular 50c dozen, sale price 33c a dozen.

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10 dozen ladies' knit lace hose, fine summer weight, in white and black, warranted fast colors, sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, regular 38c, sale price 25c per pair.

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90 pieces of fine torchon lace and insertion, beautiful new designs, from 1 to 4 in. wide, worth from 8c to 15c a yard, this is the greatest lace special of this season, sale price 5c a yard.

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18 dozen ladies' cashmere hose, plain and ribbed, warranted pure wool and fast black, sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, regular 25c & 35c, sale price 17c—3 pair for 50c.

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1000 yards of choice embroidery, fine muslin and cambric, well worked edges and new neat patterns, 5 to 12 in. wide, worth 15 to 25c a yard, sale price 9c a yard.

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5 dozen ladies' corsets, very newest styles, long front, medium bust, long hip with supporters attached, perfect fitting, a full range of sizes 18 to 30, regular value \$1, sale price 69c.

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25 dozen Boys' Buster Brown Belts, a good quality of leather and splendid shades, brown, tan, navy, green, red, black and white, all sizes, regular 25c, sale price 15c each.

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98 beautiful white undershirts, made of fine cambric, flare flounce, embroidery panel and dust frill, well made and trimmed, regular values \$1.75, and \$2, sale price \$1.98.

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5 dozen ladies' fine whitelawn waist, embroidery and lace trimmed, allover lace fronts, short and long sleeves, 5 different styles, sizes 32 to 42, regular price \$1.75 & \$2, sale price \$1.10.

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6 dozen ladies' drawers, made of fine cambric, torchon lace and embroidery frills, regular 65c, sale price 39c.

Numerous other cut-prices in Suits, Skirts and Coats—for lack of space we are unable to specify.

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