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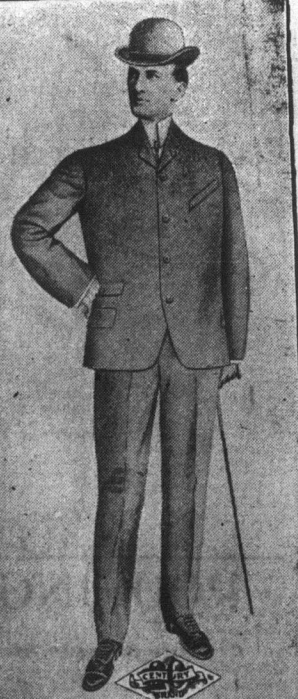
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MR. R. L. BORDEN EXPOSES POLITICAL CORRUPTION

In Measured Language He Draws Up a Formidable Indictment Against the Minister of Trade and Commerce in Relation to the Appointing of J. B. Jackson as Commercial Agent at

Leeds—Sir Richard Cartwright Makes Feeble Defence.

Ottawa, Ont., July 28.—Not lengthy, but decidedly vigorous, was the debate in the House of Commons to-day with reference to the action of the Government in appointing J. B. Jackson, of South Oxford, as the Dominion's commercial agent at Leeds. Mr. Jackson is a gentleman whose reputation has been strongly attacked in the political world, and he has been accused of subornation of perjury in connection with the attempt to unseat Mr. Sutherland, the Conservative member of the Ontario Legislature from South Oxford. The subject was brought up in the House by Mr. Bennett, and the occasion was rendered interesting by the strenuous character of the answer which Mr. R. L. Borden made to Sir Richard Cartwright's defence of the Government's conduct. It is several years since one public man's opinion of another has been stated in Parliament with the consciousness and completeness which marked the brief address delivered by the leader of the Opposition.

SUBJECT OPENED.

Mr. Bennett opened up the subject with a statement of Jackson's conduct, which the judges at the election trial had considered discreditable, to use a word that does not err on the side of severity. Jackson hired men to procure evidence "whether true or false," which would unseat the Conservative member, and for his distinguished service to his country he was rewarded by the office which he now holds.

SIR RICHARD DEFENDS.

Sir Richard Cartwright defended the Government in a speech which has not added to his reputation. He declared that he was personally responsible for the appointment of Mr. Jackson, and he knew Mr. Jackson to be a man capable and intelligent, who would discharge his duties excellently. As to the South Oxford election, everybody knew that when evidence was wanted in such cases it was not to be had from highly respectable individuals. The furthest Sir Richard Cartwright would go was to admit that Mr. Jackson had been "indiscreet." If Mr. Jackson had committed a crime he could have been prosecuted, and the fact that he had not been prosecuted was proof that he had done nothing wrong.

JACKSON'S CHARACTER.

Mr. Ingram, of East Elgin, advised Sir Richard to consult Mr. Ball, the county crown attorney of Oxford. If he did, he would learn that Mr. Jackson was once charged with forgery or perjury, but, owing to the theft of certain documents, he escaped punishment. Mr. Ball could inform the minister of trade and commerce that Jackson was one of the greatest scoundrels that was left unhung.

DIRTY WORK.

Dr. Sproule commented on the people's waning confidence in the judiciary and the feeling that justice is no longer fairly administered. This state of mind had been caused by the conduct of the judges in connection with political trials, and the action of the Ontario Government in preventing the prosecution of scoundrels who had done the dirty work for the Liberal party. Then Dr. Sproule proceeded to comment on the case of W. T. R. Preston, now Canada's immigration agent in England. This man, said the doctor, was for years known as one of the most unscrupulous men in the Dominion; a man whose word was of no account; a man whose own uncle and ten or twelve other respectable men went into court and swore that they would not believe him on his oath.

This language annoyed Mr. Campbell, of West York, who interrupted with an intimation that Mr. Preston was "one of the best men we ever had."

"In the opinion of the member for West York," replied Dr. Sproule, "and when the country knows that I need say no more." Dr. Sproule then said that Preston had come to the city of Ottawa to institute a libel suit against a newspaper, but dared not go on with the suit because he feared that his character might be shown to be even blacker than it was known to be.

"If Mr. Preston were here, you would not dare to say that outside of this House," declared Mr. Campbell.

"I have said it to his face on the public platform," replied Dr. Sproule.

MR. R. L. BORDEN SPEAKS.
Mr. R. L. Borden began his remarks by reminding the House that Sir Richard Cartwright had accepted full responsibility for appointing Jackson to a lucrative position. He then went on to review the evidence that was given in the South Oxford election

trial. The trial, said Mr. Borden, opened at Woodstock on the 15th of October, and continued for several days. The evidence and declarations which I have in my hand disclose the following facts in regard to Mr. Jackson. He personally paid money to George Fournier, a criminal character, one of his witnesses in the protest. A man by the name of Parker, Elijah Harp and others swore that Fournier offered them money to swear to falsehoods. I have the evidence for that under my hand and I have the pledges to refer to if any hon. gentleman sees fit to deny or disregard that statement. He (Jackson) paid Charles Parker \$10, or according to his own admission, \$5, for similar purposes. I have the evidence to give in answer to any person who will undertake to contradict that. He paid Ellis Fick by his own admission \$250, and according to the evidence of Charles Parker and Wm. Abraham, Young, and others, Fick endeavored to bribe them to swear to falsehoods. The right hon. gentleman has referred to witnesses not being put in the box. Let me remind him that when this evidence was given in this case the petitioner did not put Fick in the box to contradict this statement, but on the contrary Fick was found conveniently absent as soon as this evidence had been given. Mr. Jackson had Charles Hewlett and Geo. Sutherland assisting him in preparing the protest, and he himself interviewed witnesses F. R. Avey and Lincoln Pollard, who admitted on oath that Hewlett had paid them money to make declarations. A large number of witnesses, among them Parker, Young, Avey, Pollard and Mustard, admitted on oath that Hewlett and Sutherland had bribed and attempted to bribe them to give evidence, and their statements were not attempted to be denied. In fact the evidence shows that Hewlett and Sutherland absented themselves from service so that the respondent could not subpoena them for the adjourned trial. It should also be remembered that Sutherland did a great deal of his work in the office of Mr. Jackson himself. Mr. Jackson paid Edward Chambers \$375 cash, and promised him \$375 more on condition that Chambers should get evidence which would prove eight charges. This agreement with Chambers was to be private. In fact there was a written declaration drawn up that nothing was to be said about it. Mr. Jackson admits that the last \$375 was to be paid only on condition that Chambers would prove eight certain charges. Mr. Chambers and two other reputable gentlemen of Woodstock, Mr. Vaughan, Francis, and Mr. Samuel Smith, declares that they overheard Jackson distinctly tell Chambers that it did not matter whether the evidence was false or true so long as it unseated Sutherland, and the right hon. minister of trade and commerce is now willing to accept responsibility for that. I should say in justice to Mr. Jackson that he denied this statement, but he was met with the distinct statement to the contrary of no less than three witnesses. He disbursed an enormous amount of money in connection with the campaign, and he states that he kept no record of his disbursements. He interviewed Frederick R. Avey, a bribed witness, at Avey's house, and as Avey swears, told Avey he was not to say that he had been given anything for swearing. He interviewed Lincoln Pollard, another bribed witness, and, according to Pollard, told Pollard if any one asked him about it not to say anything about making the declaration. I would be inclined to think that the right hon. gentleman is accepting a pretty fair share of responsibility when he undertakes to shoulder all that.

This, said Mr. Borden, was the conduct on Jackson's part which Sir Richard Cartwright described as "indiscreet." Mr. Borden remarked, amid the laughter of the House, that Sir Richard's vocabulary was not always so bare. Mr. Borden after reading a number of extracts from the evidence, which strongly incriminated Jackson, continued—"And so on, all through this evidence, one could quote ad libitum statements of precisely a similar character. It seems to me that position which the Minister of Trade and Commerce has taken with regard to this matter is one of an extraordinary kind. In fact he has invented a new decalogue. So far as the commandments forbid he would abolish them all and insert instead, 'Thou shalt be discreet, so that thou shalt not be found out.' The Minister of Trade and Commerce has no word of criticism upon Mr. Jackson for asking these men to procure evidence, whether true or false, so long as it should unseat Mr. Sutherland. He has no word of criticism with regard to that, but he had a reproach against

Jackson because he did not look up the chimney, because he did not look in the collar to see if anyone was looking; in short because he was 'indiscreet.' In other words, if we are to take the right hon. gentleman at his own valuation, he is perfectly content that Mr. Jackson should purchase evidence, that he should incite these men to procure evidence, whether true or false; and the only requirement necessary for promotion in the civil service of Canada is that it be done so that it cannot be proven. (Cheers.) Well, the right hon. gentleman is eloquent sometimes; he is severe sometimes. I think he told us since last session that on this side of the House we were a lot of nobodies, heard of nowhere outside of our own parishes. I would say to the right hon. the Minister of Trade and Commerce that it had been better as a public man in this country if he had retired to the isolation of his own parish, and he heard of no more, before he had made the declaration which he has to-day made in the House. I believe, sir, that there never was in the public life of this country or of any other country, so far as I am aware, a more damnable doctrine more unblushingly avowed. (Cheers.) I do not understand how a gentleman who has had his experience in public life, who has in the past preached such doctrines with regard to the purity of public life, could ever have found it in his heart to stand up in this House of Commons and to make the avowal which the Minister of Trade and Commerce has made to-day. It was bold; it was more than bold; and if I were not transgressing on parliamentary decorum I would say that it was utterly shameless. That this man so stigmatized by Mr. Justice Street should be promoted in the public life of Canada, and that the Minister of Trade and Commerce, speaking for the Government, should not be ashamed to stand up and justify him, is an unheard of degradation of our public life. We are indebted to the honorable member (Mr. Bennett) for bringing the matter to the attention of the House, and in my opinion, it deserves grave consideration from the House and the country.

Mr. Borden concluded by offering the following motion—"In making appointments to public offices, and particularly those of a representative nature, party services should not alone be considered, but selections should be made with regard to capacity and to personal character."

The House then divided and the motion was defeated by 70 yeas to 43 nays, a Government majority of 27. Mr. Erb, (Liberal), South Perth, voted with the Opposition, and Mr. Puttee, of Winnipeg, with the Government.

FILLING THE R. R. SIDINGS

Several Empty Meat Cars Now Being Held in Canada.

Packers' Strike Has Blocked Packing House Tracks—Train Crews Also Affected.

At nearly every railway siding along the lines of the international railways running through the western peninsula of Ontario can be seen reminders of the present meat strike in Chicago in the shape of long lines of empty refrigerator cars. The Canadian railways received orders from the packers when the strike started to drop the empty cars whenever convenient, as there are not sufficient tracks controlled by the packers in the various cities to accommodate the miles of empty cars which would, in the course of a few days, be returned to the stock yards. These cars are placed on sidings in Ontario not in use for general freight traffic, but as near the border as possible, so that they may be rushed to the packing houses when the strike is settled.

The train crews running out of Windsor on the Canadian Pacific, Wabash, Grand Trunk and Michigan Central are affected by the strike inasmuch as they have lost their runs on the meat trains, and the other freight business has to be divided between all the crews. The Michigan Central, on an average, handled four beef trains per day, and the Wabash and Grand Trunk a like number. The Canadian Pacific railroad had two and three of these trains daily and the train crews assigned to the meat trains considered their runs better than on a passenger train. The trains had to be rushed through and the crews always made quick runs, and knew to an hour when they would leave home and when they were due to return.

CATTLE GUARD COMMISSION

Ottawa, Ont., July 28.—The cattle guard commission, appointed by the Dominion government to tour Canada and the states in search of a guard that would effectively keep cattle from trespassing on railway tracks, has made its report. The expenses of the commission amounted to \$6,924. The commission was able to secure a satisfactory guard. Mr. Blain, member for P.E.I., urged the government to publish the report. Those who submitted guards, he said, had a right to know what the commission thought of them.

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THE PRIZE FIGHT.

There was a prize-fight at Fort Erie Monday night. Everybody who knew, in advance, of the event, was aware of the fact that it was going to be a prize-fight—everybody but one man. The Toronto Globe says:

"After a year of neglect, however, the clubhouse was reopened a few weeks ago for some harmless amateur bouts, and these being unmolested by a new manager attempted to put on a real prize-fight, and although the men were not heavy-weights, as on the occasion of the last battle, and the notable gathering of notorious sporting personages was not in evidence, the contest was intended as a prize-fight pure and simple, and as such was regarded by the 1,500 Buffalo people who went over to witness it."

The one man who did not know that it was going to be a prize-fight was the attorney-general of Ontario—a gentleman who is usually credited with being the possessor of much brains and much sense. In order to discover the real inwardness of the thing, the attorney-general sent a provincial detective to Fort Erie, to "detect" the thing, and to stop the fight if it turned out to be a fight. Thus the attorney-general, instead of forbidding the fight, and preventing it, sent a public officer to act as a sort of referee to see that the professional pugilists, fighting for money and glory, did not hit each other too hard! It was a fight, all right, as everybody but the attorney-general knew it would be, and the able detective detected the fact in the first round, and stopped the performance. Thus the attorney-general enabled some Buffalo promoters to pocket something like \$7,500 of other people's money, to say nothing of the amount spent by the visitors in getting to the scene of the fight. We feel quite sure that the Buffalo promoters of the fight feel very much obliged to the attorney-general.

It seems to us to be little short of amazing that Mr. Gibson should fail to know something of the characteristics of a prize-fight, and be able to prevent even the start of a fight, or the making of preliminary arrangements for a fight. The mayor of Chicago finds no difficulty in preventing prize-fights in his jurisdiction. He doesn't care what the promoters call it; he calls it prize-fighting and forbids it.—Hamilton Spectator.

THE DUNDONALD FAREWELL.

The people of the city of Ottawa and the surrounding country have given the Government its answer.

The Government took the position that a public farewell to Lord Dundonald was an evidence of antagonism to the Government, that the people who took part in it would be "attacking the Government"—in fact, to quote the words of the local Government organ, the farewell to Dundonald was "a Tory demonstration."

Forty thousand people from Ottawa and the surrounding country turned out last night to cheer Dundonald, to bid him farewell and to show him and the empire the warm place he holds in their hearts as a soldier and as one of the two official links that bind us to the British empire. It is needless to expatiate upon the tumultuous enthusiasm of the excited and cheering thousands who crowded the streets and made it almost impossible for the General to reach the train that was to bear him to Montreal. The scene at the station has never been duplicated in the history of the city. His carriage was wedged in a mass of frantic, cheering humanity. Ladies, even, were lifted on the steps to press the General's hands. It was a quarter of an hour before he could be extricated from the crowd and escorted to his car, not twenty feet away. It was the wildest scene of enthusiasm and excitement that Ottawa has ever witnessed.

But it was not a "Tory demonstration." Liberals and Conservatives, civil servants and ordinary citizens, alike contributed to make it the magnificent success it was. It was a spontaneous outburst of loyalty and imperial sentiment, regardless of politics and despite the ridiculous and fatuous preliminary efforts of the powers that be to counteract and suppress it.

The Capital did itself proud. It showed that when British and imperial sentiment is touched there is a chord in the heart of every true Canadian that responds in a manner to make mere Governments tremble. General Lord Dundonald was a worthy incentive to such an outburst. But none recognized better than he that the General typified an idea and a sentiment, and that in

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DISTRICT DOINGS

TILBURY

July 29.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Waddell left this week to visit St. Louis exhibition.

Mrs. George Richardson is visiting at her former home in Walkerton.

George Gurd, of Natchez, Mississippi, is visiting friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. King of Montreal, were this week the guests of Mrs. V. Cammell.

Mrs. R. A. Hill, of Point Edward, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Waddell.

Flax-pulling is on and a big yield is promised.

Alex. Coult, of Bachelor, Ga., is expected here shortly on a visit.

On the occasion of Tilbury races on Wednesday, August 17th, \$450 will be offered for purses—\$150 each in the 250 trot or pace, 235 pace or 230 trot, 223 pace or 218 trot.

For the six months ending July 1 there were registered in Tilbury East 41 births, 13 marriages and 8 deaths.

THAMESVILLE

Miss Irene Love, of London, is the guest of Miss K. Duncan.

Miss Collier, of Chicago, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mayhew.

Miss Mary Kerr leaves to-day for Toronto to resume her position in the British American Business College.

Miss Tomlinson, of Toronto, is spending the week with Mrs. R. Pye.

July 25.—Miss Margaret Husband, of Cleveland, and Mr. T. H. Henderson, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henderson.

Several of our young people attended the social in Botany last evening, and witnessed a baseball game between the locals and Thamesville.

The game was closely contested, resulting in a score of 6-7 in favor of Thamesville.

Miss Tiny Cairns, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Hubbell.

Miss Annie Smith is spending a few days in London.

Quite a number from here attended the lacrosse game in Chatham yesterday, between that city and St. Thomas.

WALLACEBURG

July 29.—Mr. Wilt and family have returned from Toronto after visiting friends there.

W. H. Colwell was a Chatham visitor on Thursday.

Alex. McConnell has returned after visiting friends and relatives in Toronto and other places.

Mrs. Kennedy, of London, is the guest of Mrs. R. J. Garbutt for a few days.

Bert McCallum is visiting at his home in town.

Capt. St. Amant, of this town, married Mrs. M. Yenos, of Mt. Clemens, lately. Mr. and Mrs. St. Amant will make their home in Mr. Clemens.

Messrs. J. T. Saint had charge of the funeral of the late Jas. Chalmers in Dover yesterday.

The steamer Winona carried the Presbyterian excursion from Dresden to-day to Grand Pointe. A number of young people went from here.

The Public School Board are advertising for caretakers of the Public school, duties to commence Sept. 1st, also tenders for 100 tons of soft coal.

Mrs. A. Stewart and Miss Bella Stewart visited relatives in Sarnia this week.

Michael O'Mara, of the Arlington House, was in Chatham Wednesday on business.

E. Hunnington has purchased the house from Wm. Rossvelt, James street. Mr. Hunnington has moved into his new house.

Mrs. John Sauve and daughter, Mrs. Annie, of Oil Springs, are visiting Mrs. Chas. Sauve.

Yesterday was hog day in town. The price paid by Mr. Galloghy was \$5 per cwt.

Mrs. Nellie Hall is visiting in Conneville, Ind., this week.

Mr. Campbell, manager of the lacrosse club, was in Chatham Wednesday to see the Chatham-St. Thomas game.

M. Harley has bought a handsome coat from Mr. Steer, East Branch.

Mr. Phillip's was in Chatham yesterday in connection with the trial of McKie Brian, who tried to commit suicide in his lively stable last week.

The Beecher school dispute, which was settled last week, Mr. Tullock,

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50c GRENADINES AT 33c—
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15 pieces summer tweed suitings, pure wool, 58 inches wide, in all fashionable shades, regular \$1.00 a yard, clearing Saturday at 68c.

50c, 60c, 75c AND 85c DRESS GOODS AT 33c YARD—
42 pieces plain and fancy dress goods, in mohair, lustrous, box cloth, chevrons, tweeds, cashmeres, homespun, etc., 42 inches to 56 inches wide, regular 50c to 85c yard, clearing Saturday at 33c.

LADIES' 40c LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS AT 19c EACH—
Ten dozen ladies fine pure Irish linen cambric handkerchiefs, embroidered, hemstitched and drawn work, regular 25c, 35c, and 40c each, clearing Saturday at 19c.

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Four dozen ladies' wash ties, in derbys, stocks, etc., regular 50c each, clearing Saturday at 25c.

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In choice patterns and colorings, fast dyes, regular 8c to 10c yard; clearing at 6c.

12-1-2c AND 15c DRESS MUSLINS AT 9c YARD—
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\$2.00 DRESS SKIRTS AT \$1.39—
69 only, New York made wash skirts, fine P. K. in black and white and navy and white flake patterns, prettily made, trimmed with briar stitching and strapping, assorted lengths, extra good value at \$2.00; clearing Saturday at \$1.39.

MEN'S 75c AND \$1.00 SHIRTS FOR 39c—
4 dozen colored cambric shirts, soft stiff bosoms, in choice patterns, fast colors, assorted sizes, some slightly soiled, regular 75c to \$1.00 each; clearing Saturday at 39c.

MEN'S 25c TIES AT 12-1-2c EACH—
6 dozen silk and satin ties in derbies, 4-in-hands and bows, good range of light and dark colors, regular 25c each; clearing Saturday at 12-1-2c.

LADIES' 15c VESTS AT 10c—
15 dozen ladies' fine bleached vests,

elastic rib, lace and ribbon trimmed, regular 15c each; Saturday each 10c.

20c VESTS AT 12-1-2c—
Fine, pure bleached vests, in fancy lace patterns, lace trimmed neck and arms, good value at 20c each; clearing Saturday at 12-1-2c.

GIRLS' 12-1-2c AND 15c VESTS AT 8c—
Ten dozen misses' vests, fine pure bleached quality, in pretty lace patterns, face trimmed, sizes 1 to 14 years, regular 12-1-2c and 15c each, clearing Saturday at 8c.

TRIMMED HATS AT LESS THAN HALF—
Eight only ladies' trimmed hats, beautiful styles, in chiffon, net, etc., regular \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00 each, clearing Saturday at \$4.95.

All our other trimmed hats at half price.

\$1.50 BLACK UNDERSKIRTS AT 98c—
Eight dozen rich black satana underskirts, trimmed with flounce, ruffles, tucks, regular \$1.50 each, clearing Saturday at 98c.

All our shirt waists clearing at about half price.

\$2.00 AND \$2.50 TABLE CLOTHS AT \$1.48—
36 only pure bleached Irish linen table cloths, rich satin finish, choice patterns, regular \$2.00 to \$2.50 each, clearing Saturday at \$1.48.

\$2.00 AND \$2.50 NAPKINS AT \$1.68—
12 dozen fine pure linen table napkins, rich satin finish, large sizes, regular \$2.00 to \$2.50 a dozen, clearing Saturday at \$1.68.

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who owned the disputed school site, will receive \$65. The school trustees will have to pay the cost of the arbitration, amounting to \$40.

A horse caused quite a bit of excitement on Wednesday morning by going a fast gait on James street. The horse was stopped on the East Branch bridge before it did any damage.

Mr. Labatt, of the Bank of Montreal, has returned after visiting friends and relatives in London and other places.

One of the largest fish caught this summer by a local fisherman was hooked yesterday by the North Branch bridge, which had to be shot before landed. It tipped the scales at 12-3 pounds.

Miss Daisy Burgess has returned after visiting relatives in Sarnia.

Miss Vida McNamee and Miss Laura McLean are visiting friends and relatives in Chatham this week.

BAND CONCERT

The concert given by the 24th Regiment Band, on Tecumseh Park last evening, was excellent. Many who heard the splendid music say it was the best band concert ever given on Tecumseh Park. A number of the selections were English and were new to Chatham audiences.

The band, within the last few weeks, has made rapid strides under the efficient and energetic bandmaster, Watson H. Walker. It is the intention of the band to give a concert every Thursday evening when possible.

The citizens are indebted to the band for these excellent concerts, which are being given without remuneration. That they are appreciated is shown by the enormous crowds who turn out to hear them.

Following program was rendered last evening:

1. March, "Love and Liberty" by Scaunton.

2. Walse, "Venetian," Southian.

3. Patrol, "Blue and the Gray," Cox.

4. Characteristic, "Koonville Koonlets," Wedat.

5. Selection, "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," Edwards.

6. Barn dance, "Dancing Darkies," Rose.

7. Walse, "Sweet Maggie May," Prendiville.

8. Descriptive galop, "Kassassin," Winterbottom.

9. Regimental March, "The British Grenadiers,"

God Save the King.

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Via the Chicago, Union Pacific and North Western Line, from Chicago, August 15th to Sept. 10th. Choice routes going and returning. Correspondingly low rates from all points in Canada through without charge. Daily and personally conducted tourist car excursions. Write for itinerary and full particulars regarding schedule, train leaving Chicago, Aug. 15th and 25th.

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CONNELLY--LIDDY

A very pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized in St. Alphonsus church on Wednesday morning 27th inst., when Miss Maggie Connelly, sister of ex-Ald. Connelly, was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. Liddy, of Walkerville, at the 7 o'clock mass by the very Rev. J. Ed. Meunier, vicar general. After the ceremony a magnificent wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride, after which the newly married couple started on a trip to Cleveland and other points of interest. Owing to the recent death of the bride's brother the event was confined to a few immediate relatives. The ceremony was unique, solemn, quiet, and unobtrusive from the fact that the bride and groom are deaf mutes, yet possessing intelligence of high order, each having had the advantages of a good education. Starting on life's journey with high hopes of happiness, may their way be the ways of pleasantness and all their paths be peace.—Windsor Record.

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I would intimate to intending purchasers that both furniture and stores are nearly new and of the best quality and would advise any one in need of the above articles to attend this sale as all will be sold without reserve, remember the day and date, Wednesday, August 3rd at one o'clock sharp.

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How distressing to see a woman struggling with her daily round of household duties, when her back and head are aching, and every movement brings out a new pain.

One day the poor woman is wretched and utterly miserable; in a day or two she is better and laughs at her fears, thinking there is nothing much the matter after all; but before night the deadly backache reappears, the limbs tremble, the lips twitch—it seems as though all the imps of Satan were clutching her vitals; she "goes to pieces" and is flat on her back.

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COLD-BLOODED REACTIONARY

**Thus is Described the Late
Russian Minister of the
Interior Who Was
Assassinated.**

Was Chiefly Responsible for the De-
pression of Finland—Helped to
Bring on the Russo-Japanese
War.

Minister of the Interior Von Plehwe, who was killed yesterday, has done more to crush the liberties of the subjects of the Czar than any other man can make in a lifetime. He it was who struck the blow at the liberty of Finland and reduced its comparatively free and prosperous people to the level of the people of Russia; he was charged with having encouraged some of the Russian priests to stir up bad feeling against the Jews; it was he who forbade the Jews to arm themselves or to organize in any way for self-defense against the blood-thirsty rabble; and it was he to whom Alexieff turned when he wanted a tool to oust De Witte from office. The plot was only too successful and the comparatively liberal policy of De Witte was replaced by that of a gang of reactionaries and vultures who have ever since preyed upon the vitals of their country, robbed the soldiers in the far east of their ammunition and supplies, threw pay for army corps that existed only on paper, and plunged Russia into her present disastrous war with Japan.

Von Plehwe was a cold, calculating, scheming, ambitious man, whose sole concern was for his own advancement. "He carries a lump of ice where other men wear their hearts," said the Russians of him. His first and basest act of treachery was towards a poor Polish nobleman, who took him in when he was left an orphan at an early age. This nobleman treated him as a son, gave him a first class educa-

tion, and stunted himself so that Von Plehwe would be able to hold his own among the students at the university. Before his course was completed he was looking around for a chance to win the favor of the government, for he saw his best chance of success in official career. As the foster son of a Pole he was likely to be regarded with suspicion, and he had to give the government proof of his loyalty. He did it by denouncing the man who had been a second father to him as a member of a Polish revolutionary society. The Pole was arrested and ended his life on the gallows, while Von Plehwe was taken into the government service as assistant public prosecutor.

Von Plehwe was only 22 at this time, but he soon distinguished himself by the feverish energy with which he prosecuted the so-called political offenders, men who in other countries would be regarded as very conservative. Scores of men of more than average intelligence and true patriotism went to the gallows or to Siberia and never saw the result of his efforts, and he stood high in the regard of the despotic government which employed him. In 1881 he was given a wider field for the exercise of his peculiar talents by being appointed chief of the department of state police, whose whole duty it is to look after political offenders. Three years later he was made associate minister of the interior, and he set himself to work to destroy the few liberties still enjoyed by the privileged classes of Russia as a heritage from the reign of Alexander II.

But his greatest opportunity came in 1900, when he was appointed secretary of state for Finland. That country had been induced to cast its lot with Russia on the sacred pledge that its autonomy would be respected, and it was a dependent country with the Czar as grand duke. It was to maintain its own army, its own language, laws and institutions. The bargain was an excellent one for Russia, as at the time she was sore beset by enemies on every hand and never in greater need of a friend. The bargain was faithfully kept until Von Plehwe came on the scene. The Czar's coronation oath contained the pledge that he would maintain the rights of Finland, and the pledge was attached to the altar of every church in Finland. The people were prosperous and contented, and their position was far above that of the rest of the population of the empire, and Von Plehwe was displeased. With a stroke of his pen he deprived Finland of her constitution, ordered the country to be Russianized, incorporated the Finnish regiments with the Russian army, and dined the Russian language only to be taught in the schools.

Bobrzkoff proved himself a willing tool in Von Plehwe's hands and the country was reduced to a state of serfdom. The Finns appealed to the Czar to observe his oath, but the appeals never reached the throne, or if so they were disregarded, and thousands of the best and most enterprising citizens left the country every month for America. But there were apparently some who remained to strike a blow for their country, and Bobrzkoff was assassinated a short time ago. Now Von Plehwe follows him.

On the assassination of M. Sipia-guine, minister of the interior, in 1902 by a student, Von Plehwe succeeded to the post, and the influence he exerted over the rather weak will of the Czar seemed to grow stronger every day, until he became second in importance only to the Czar. His control of the secret police and of the press censors made him dreaded throughout the empire. He regarded the common people either as dangerous criminals to be crushed or as innocents to be ignored. He successfully hoodwinked the Czar and misled him as to the state of affairs in the country. He was the brains of the plot which deposed De Witte, the ablest and most liberal statesman Russia has had in many generations,

and raised Alexieff to the position of viceroy of the far east.

The trouble between Russia and Japan was on the point of being settled by mutual concessions honorable to both, when Alexieff arrived on the scene. Immediately the negotiations were broken off and recommenced on an entirely different basis, the Japanese being given to understand that De Witte had exceeded his powers. Japan quietly stated her position and explained the minimum she would accept, and Russia put forward other conditions. Japan again and again declared the length to which she was willing to go, but Alexieff assured the Czar that there would be no war, and that Japan was only bluffing. Then Japan's patience became exhausted. She saw no hope of an agreement, and she saw Russia increasing her force, both naval and military, in the far east, and she saw that in a few months the position of vantage she held would be gone. Then she determined to strike.

The negotiations were broken off, and the same night the Japanese torpedo boats struck a deadly blow at the Russian squadron. Alexieff has been held responsible for the war, but he could never have brought it on but for the help given him by Von Plehwe, who supported him in everything he did and so won for himself the support of the court party which supported Alexieff.

DID HE PLAN MASSACRES?

In May, 1903, M. Plehwe was appointed president of the imperial commission appointed to carry on the unpopular decree, that part, if any, of M. Von Plehwe actually engaged in the Kishineff massacres will probably never be known, but his enemies have claimed that he actually planned the massacres through his political friend and agent, Kroushchev, the most extreme anti-Semite in Russia, and proprietor of the Bessarabets, a newspaper of Kishineff. The latter is said to have prepared the minds of the people of Kishineff for trouble by publishing a series of strongly worded, anti-Semitic articles.

The object of Von Plehwe in this matter, according to the charges made at the time, was to divert the attention of the people at large from the government. It should be added that the allegations made against M. Von Plehwe have never been proven. The last great public work of Von Plehwe, so far as known, was the drafting of the peasant code, early this year. This is a scheme for peasant reform, ordered by the emperor

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On June 13 of this year it was announced from St. Petersburg that the council of the empire had approved M. Von Plehwe's decree of the law under which Jews are forbidden to reside within 32 miles of the frontier. This measure has not been approved by the emperor, so far as known.

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The Waterworks pay sheet for the past week amounted to \$97.19.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Watson, of Highgate, are Chatham visitors to-day.

P. Baughman, of Windsor, is registered at the Rankin House to-day.

Pant and vest makers wanted. — Coyne, merchant tailor, opp. Rankin House.

Edward Watson, of Dresden, is spending the day with friends in the city.

Choice of any suit in The 2 T's store for \$10; also choice of any pair of pants for \$2.75. Sale starts tomorrow morning. The 2 T's.

The Blenheim liquor case came up in Toronto yesterday and was adjourned till Sept. 8th. In the meantime no liquor can legally be sold.

Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Campbell and daughter leave Saturday night on a two weeks' vacation. They will visit in Toronto and will also tour Michigan cities.

Miss Allie Humphrey, who has been spending her vacation with her parents and friends in the Maple City, returns to-day to her home in Wilmington.

We can bank the money, but we cannot bank the clothes, so come and get a \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50 or \$18.00 suit for a ten dollar bill at The 2 T's.

The civic pay sheets for the past week amounted to \$479.24, Board of Works \$219.92, and Local Improvements \$259.32. There was quite a line-up at the treasurer's office during noon hour.

Drainage Referee J. B. Rankin this morning at the Court House settled judgment reducing the size of the Buller and McGregor Creek drains.

W. E. Gundy for Howard and H. D. Smith for Orford.

Mr. Francis Hook, one of the city's most valued employees, who has been ill for some time, passed away last evening. The funeral will take place to St. Joseph's Church. A widow and a small family are left to mourn his loss.

Five purses in training of St. Joseph's Hospital are this week writing on their final exams, the five young ladies, namely, Misses Kerr, Lanning, Cowan, Cline and Tompkins, have been earnest and faithful students, and their many friends will await with great interest the results, and hope their work will be crowned with success.

Band concert Eriean Tuesday, Aug. 2nd.

HUME--RONAN

A very pretty wedding took place at eight o'clock this morning at St. Stephen's church, when Miss Catherine Ronan, daughter of John Ronan, was united in marriage to Alex. Hume, a clerk in the Grand Trunk Railway offices at the tunnel. The bride was attired in white Swiss organdie over white taffeta and carried white roses, and was attended by her sister, Margaret Ronan, who wore champagne-colored mouseline de soie over blue taffeta. George Cochran attended the groom. After an elaborate wedding breakfast attended only by the immediate family the young couple left on a trip to Niagara Falls and other eastern points. They will be at home to their friends after August 6th in their new home, corner of Sixteenth and Bancroft streets. A large number of gifts were received. John Ronan, of Saginaw, brother of the bride, attended. —Port Huron Times.

Mr. Hume is well known in Chatham.

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Details of Battle From Liao Yang
Say Fighting Was Desperate.

Liao Yang, July 28. — Further details of the fighting below Tatschekiao July 23 and 24, indicates that the Japanese losses may reach 5,000 men.

The Russian losses are officially stated to be about 700. The Russian front was much extended. The Japanese concentrated their attack against the Russian left, but were repeatedly repulsed. The Russians made several brilliant bayonet charges and for the first time the Russian artillery was used in high angle fire from behind a hill, the fire being directed by telephone from an eminence and attaining great precision. The Russians did not retire until it was established that the Japanese had seven divisions.

The Russian forces are concentrated at Hai Cheng and probably will not retire further. It is expected that the Japanese will now advance against the left flank of the Russian southern army.

St. Petersburg, July 29. — It is announced that the Baltic sea squadron's departure for the far east will not occur for at least two weeks.

The general staff denies the report circulated in European papers of the wounding of Gen. Kuropatkin at the battle of Tatschekiao. The general, it is added, is perfectly well.

OPEN-AIR SLEEPING

Toronto, Ont., July 29.—Police Magistrate Denison gave a decision of interest to poor people in Toronto. A number of complaints have been made about people sleeping in the parks and on the docks, and many petty thefts were put to the account of these people. A constable arrested five men and two women sleeping peacefully on the pier at the foot of Yonge street.

"Well, considering the time of the year," remarked the magistrate when the prisoners were brought before him, "I think it is very much cooler and healthier for the people to sleep down there than in the cells and houses which are close and hot."

"We have a number of complaints from the residents in this district," objected the constable.

"Well, the subjects are discharged," said the magistrate without further comment.

A RECEPTION FOR PERRY

Toronto, Ont., July 29. — Steps towards the organizing of a reception to Private S. J. Perry, the winner of the King's prize at Bisley, were taken at a meeting of the commanding officers of the Toronto district corps, at which Col. Otter presided.

It was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the rifle committees of the regiments.

The proposal is being taken up warmly and there will be a friendly rivalry to help in a joint effort to make the affair worthy of the occasion.

Citizens and members of the city council who have been seen are heartily in favor of giving Perry a fitting reception and presenting him with a piece of plate or some token.

OVATION AT MONTREAL

Montreal, July 29. — Lord Dunsford was the recipient of a great ovation on his arrival here. Old men and young men, and many ladies greeted him at the station. When the train stopped and Lord Dunsford made his appearance on the platform cheer after cheer rent the air, and as he descended to the station platform, hundreds of hands were extended to clasp his.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker Northwood Block, Chatham, July 29, 1904—

Wheat—	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
May.....	90½	91½	90	91½
(new) July	96	96½	96	97½
(old) " "	97	98	96½	90½
(new) Sept.	89½	92	89	90½
(old) " "	90½	89½	90½	90½
Dec.....	88½	45½	88½	89½
Corn—				
May.....	45½	49½	44½	45½
July.....	49½	49½	49½	49½
Sept.....	49½	46	49½	49½
Dec.....	45½	41½	45½	45½
Oats—				
July.....	39½	38½	39½	40½
Sept.....	33	32½	32½	33½
Dec.....	33½	1310	33½	33½
Pork				
Sept.....	1295	1310	1295	1307
Oct.....	1300	1300	1300	1307
July.....	1307	1300	1295	1307
Lard				
Sept.....	697	705	697	705
Oct.....	705	710	705	710
July.....	695	695	692	695
Ribs				
Sept.....	757	770	757	770
Oct.....	762	772	762	772

When a man has positive independence on public occasions look out for a slump when a real test case comes up.

This is a sad world for those who have no humor in their make-up.

He that swells in prosperity will be sure to shrink in adversity.

SPECIAL at \$2.98

SATURDAY we place on sale 200 pairs Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes at \$2.98.

These are made by some of the best makers, including Geo. Slater and Jno. A. McPherson Co., Ltd. and are all up to date in style—all leather.

See East Window.

PEACE

The Bargain Giver.

WORLD OF SPORT**BASKETBALL**

M. C. CO. VS. IRISH NINE.
The Manson Campbell Co. and Irish nine play a game on Saturday evening.

BOOM BASEBALL.

Jack Quinn and Joe McQueen, of the Park House, are the originators of a scheme to revive baseball enthusiasm. They have started a subscription list and propose that the bugle band team and the Manson Campbell Co. team play a series of five games on Tecumseh Park for a purse of \$25.

The teams have agreed to play the five games, if possible, next week.

CAMPBELL CO. WIN.

The Remnants were defeated in a five innings game last night on Tecumseh Park, by the Manson Campbell Co. team, by a score of 5 to 3. Pitcher Weldon for the Remnants, pitched a good game striking out seven men but his support at times was ragged. Cameron pitched a good game for the Campbell Co. Another game will be played next week.

The score—

Campbell..... 5
Remnants..... 3

Batteries—Cameron and Head; Weldon and Hicks.

CHILD UNDER MOWER

St. Thomas, Ont., July 28.—What may prove to be a fatal accident took place yesterday afternoon at the farm of John McLaren, of the 11th concession, Howard, near Ridgeway. His young son, Douglas, three years old, was lying sleeping in the grass near the house, when the father with the mowing machine went into the paddock to mow. Not until he saw his child under the cutting bar of the machine did he know that he was out of the house. The unfortunate child had a large piece of flesh cut from the thigh, one of his arms almost severed, and a nasty gash cut in the side of his head.

BARGAIN

House and lot in good location, house has parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, three bedrooms, summer kitchen, cement cellar, greatest snap in Chatham at \$600.

Have you insurance on your dwelling, or furniture, if not better call on

DUNN & MERRITT,
Fifth St., Phone 295.
Fire Insurance

FOR FLIES**Tanglefoot**

4 sheets for 10c

Fly Poison

Pads

5 and 10c pkgs.

J. H. DENNIS,

DRUGGIST.

16 King Street.

C. AUSTIN & CO**Outing Requisites**

....AT....

Saving Prices

Especially planned to make a busy Saturday. See East King St. Show Window.

Prices Cut In Two

Good-bye to every Straw Hat in our stock. To-day they bear just half the regular Austin price, which means the big snap.

\$2.00 imported split Straws now \$1.00

1.50 " sennit " 75c

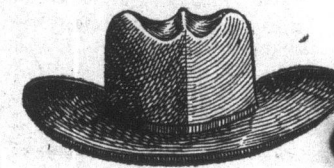
1.00 " rustic " 50c

75c nobby dress " 37½c

50c " dress Sailors now 25c

25c " " 12½c

At this rate it's an easy matter to get a new Hat to replace your dingy yellow one.

**A July Clearing up of MEN'S SUITS**

Saturday, July 30th,



This is a collection of the odd lines of men's and boys' Suits that were priced originally at \$7.50 to \$10.00, to-day they are marked at

4.98 a Suit

They are made of reliable all wool tweeds, nobby patterns, a few serges and dressy chalk lines. They are made in the up-to-date army cut styles. They are suitable to wear any time. A few 2 pc. Outing Suits in the lot—See window Saturday.

Embroideries at Half-Price

Fine white Embroideries at 9c a yard, worth up to 20c a yard. Patterns are varied and beautiful in blind and open work designs, on cambric and muslin.

Ladies Lace Hose

Ladies fine black lace effect Hose, full fashioned, warranted black, all sizes 39c. 8½ to 9½, regular 50c line, Red Tag Price

Cushion Tops

10 dozen Cushion Tops, including the souv'r Chatham top, Roses, Poppies, 39c. Violets, etc., regular 50c lines, Red Tag Price

China Silk Waists

Here is a pretty collection of black or white China Silk and some in colors. Some are the newest that makers have gotten out. Qualities of silk are good—thin and cool but will launder nicely.

\$3.50

Waists of cream or blue China Silk, trimmed with fine tucking, hemstitching and silk buttons.

\$3.50

Of black China Silk Front, back and sleeves made with wide stitched pleats finished with piping.

\$4.50

Of China Silk, black or cream, trimmed with shirring and wide silk cluny insertion.

\$5.00

Of cream China Silk, trimmed with French Valenciennes insertion in bow-knot design.

Summer Wants

IN OUR

House Furnishing Department

This is the time of year that everything should be as fresh and cool as possible, a few suggestions of what we are showing for this season may prove timely.

Cushion Forms

Filled with softest down, guaranteed not to crush—finest cambric covers at

20x20 ins., reg. 50c for 40c.

22x22 " 60c for 50c.

24x24 " 75c for 65c.

Cushion Cords

200 yds. glossy mercerised Cushion Cord, pretty range of colorings, reg. 17c a yd., during Red Tag sale 10c a yd.

Crex Grass Carpet

For verandah, hall or bedroom use, in stripes plain or floral designs, ¼ and 1 yd. widths, Red Tag Sale Price 45 and 55c a yd.

Bobbinet Filled Curtains

100 pairs of fine quality Filled Bobbinet Curtains, full size 50 inches x 3 yards, regular \$2.00 value for \$1.25 pair.

C. AUSTIN & CO

Vinegar

for pickling must be strong enough to preserve the pickles. No use wasting your time and materials by using poor vinegar. You take no chances when you buy your vinegar here. The best White Wine Vinegar, and the best Cider Vinegar that can be bought, are the kinds we sell.

FINEST WHITE WINE VINEGAR, 48c a gallon.

GOOD WHITE WINE VINEGAR, 36c a gallon.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, 35c a gallon.

PURE GROUND SPICES, 10c a pound.

PURE WHITE SPICES, 10c a pound.

H. Malcolmson

Bargains

Just notice a moment while we give you a few samples of the reductions we are making on all lines of summer goods.

3 burner "National" wickless, blue flame, oil stoves, were \$12 now \$9.00.

2 burner "National" wickless, blue flame, oil stoves, were \$9 now \$7.00.

Small oil stove ovens were \$3 now \$2.25, large ones were \$3.50 now \$2.75.

Every kind and size of Lawn Mowers, Screen Doors and Hammocks at a 1/2 off regular prices. Just like finding money. Better buy quick.

J. C. Wanless,

4 Doors East of Market, King St

COME ONCE

and you will surely come again to try our choice meats.

Boiled Ham, 30c a lb.
Lunch Tongue, 30c a lb.
Jellied Veal, 15c a lb.
Jellied Hocks, 15c a lb.
Large Bologna, 10c a lb.
Sugar Cured Ham, 18c a lb.
Breakfast Bacon, 18c a lb.
Bacon, 15c a lb.
We have also a full stock of Glass Jars.

V. J. BOSWORTH

WILLIAM ST. GROVER

Phone 353

WAIT FOR AUGUST 15TH.

On August 15th, West Shore Railroad will run a cheap excursion to New York for \$9.00, return from Suspension Bridge and Buffalo. Tickets good 15 days for return, with privilege of trip on Hudson River steamers between Albany and New York. Last excursion of season to New York. Excellent chance to visit Manhattan Beach, Coney Island, etc. Write Louis Drago, 69 1-2 Yonge street, Toronto, for particulars.

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Is the problem which is confronting a man to-day. And yet the solution is not hard to find.

Our Clothes are Made with the Greatest Care.

They lend an air of distinction to the wearer, and then prices are made to suit the modest purse. Moral: Wear

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TO-NIGHT.

K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, 1. O. O. F. Temple, at 8.

Darrell vs. Chatham, football, Tecumseh Park, at 6.45.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will meet in the S. S. Hall at 8.

Young People's Society, lecture hall of William St. Baptist Church at 8.

Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., will meet in their hall opposite the Hotel Rankin

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, July 29.—11 a. m.—Light to moderate variable winds, fine. Saturday, winds mostly east and south, fine, stationary or a little higher temperature.

Detroit, July 29.—Forecast—Lower Michigan—Fair Friday and Saturday; warmer Saturday; light, variable winds. Upper Michigan—Fair Friday; Saturday, warmer, with showers in west portion; light, variable winds.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 78.

Lowest during night, 50.

This morning, 54.

Barometer, 29.51.

Direction of wind, west.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Mr. Proctor, the Broker. Erieau Tuesday evening. New music.

Printer, with one or two years' experience, wanted at this office. Dr. P. J. Muggan, of Toronto, is a city visitor to-day.

Third street bridge is closed to traffic. It is being replanked. A. C. Campbell, of Leamington, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Watch for the new modern music and piano store on King street. Wanted—Millinery apprentices and prepares. Apply at once, Wm. Foreman & Co.

When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Ave. Green Houses. Phone 181.

Seth Arnold, employed at W. M. Drader's mills, sprained his ankle yesterday morning.

Miss Sadie Metcalf, of Crossfork, Penn., is the guest of Mrs. John Liddy, Cobden street.

Miss Florence McLean and Master Harry McLean are spending a month's vacation in St. Catharines.

Mrs. Fox, of Cleveland, and Mrs. (Capt.) Watts, of Windsor, are the guests of Mrs. Jos. McQueen.

Verna, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown, King street east, is very low with pneumonia.

The only place where you can get Stranely guaranteed granite ware; phone No. 6, Geo. Stephens & Co.

The firemen had a run to a burning chimney on James street this morning between ten and eleven.

Forty new dinner sets, best English goods, new shapes and patterns, at Gray's China Hall, King street.

Watch for The 2 T's suit and hat sale to-morrow; choice of any suit in the store for \$10. Be on time and take your choice. The 2 T's.

The Tecumseh lacrosse team goes to St. Thomas next Wednesday, when it is fully expected they will bring back another victory.

Lost! At Detroit or on boat, Wednesday, purse, valued as keepsake. Liberal reward if returned to enclosed address, or Geo. Embrey, Joseph St.

Messrs. Wm. H. Clements, Dover, and John Robertson, city, left this morning to bill the stations on the G. T. R. as far as Glencoe for the A. O. F. excursion.

Miss Alice West has returned to the city after spending a year and a half with friends in Michigan. Albert Sheldrick went to Detroit yesterday to meet her and she is now the guest of Mrs. Sheldrick.

Owing to their inability to get a train the citizens' band will not run an excursion to the Eau to-night. Hereafter the citizens' band will run a band excursion every Tuesday and Friday, weather permitting.

Look for Auction Sale! Messrs. Lamon & Avichouser have instructed Andrew Thomson, Jr., to sell balance of Tweeds and Worsteds at auction, Saturday afternoon and evening. No reserve.

Chatham's Millinery Store

GREAT BARGAINS

Girls' and Children's Leghorns

and Straw Hats, Trimmed

with Chiffon Ribbon and

Flowers, from 50c to \$2.00,

worth more than double

the money. Great Sale of

Flowers from 10c. up.

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Turner's Drug Store. Phone 357

Excursion Erieau Tuesday evening.

Miss Jean Newcombe, of the Windsor Public school teaching staff, who has been visiting Miss Nettie Leak, Amelia street, left to-day for Blenheim.

Mrs. Alfred Bettles, of Salt Lake City, Utah, was the guest of Mrs. James Carswell, Park street, Tuesday. Mrs. Bettles is now touring through the Western States.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vivian, Winnipeg, have been spending the past two weeks with Charles Vivian, Blenheim. They returned on Thursday. Mr. Vivian was for many years with Thos. McCrossan in this city.

Wanted!—Coat, Skirt and Waist Makers, for Thibodeau & Jacques' Dress Making Department. Letter applications will be received till July 31st, duties to commence Sept. 1st. State experience and salary expected.

Sergeant Jackson, of the Windsor police, is in the city. He is taking back with him a horse stolen from Wm. Everitt, of Windsor, formerly of this city. Sergeant Jackson found the horse at John Denby's, Kent Bridge, Mr. Denby having traded a chestnut roan mare for it. The trade was evidently made with the thief.

At the usual weekly meeting of Court Hope, No. 824, A. O. F., on Wednesday evening, Harry Henderson, of Hamilton, official organizer for this district, gave a neat address to the brethren, on the beneficiary department of the Order. Mr. Henderson is a pleasing speaker and was listened to with much attention. After the routine was concluded the members went up to Court Unity, No. 6900, hall, where Mr. Henderson gave a more lucid explanation of the workings of the insurance branch of the Order. Mr. Henderson will remain in town for a few days. The brethren of both Courts are enthusiastic over the excursion.

Band concert Erieau Tuesday, New music.

Two mills were destroyed by fire at Essex, Ont.

Charles Ashley, a farmer, was killed on track at Port Hope.

Oliver Bliz fractured his skull when leaping the gap at Buffalo.

The drought in Germany continues, and a large portion of the crop is ruined.

It is reported that the Russians in the far east are using dum dum bullets.

The new commercial treaty between Germany and Russia was signed at Berlin.

Members of the Irish party extended a banquet to Hon. Edward Blake, at London.

The first train was run over the Lindsay, Bobcaygeon & Pontypool Railway.

The Michigan Bankers' Association held their annual banquet at the King Edward.

H. A. Kraba, of Hespeler, succumbed to injuries due to the bursting of a steam pipe.

A representative committee of the Toronto militia began to organize a reception to Pte. Perry.

The new Canadian fishery cruiser attained seventeen knots an hour in her speed trials on the Clyde.

R. Bacon, a harbor expert, employed by the Grand Trunk Pacific, was arrested at Port Arthur for violating the alien labor law.

Mr. Isidore Proulx, Liberal member in the House of Commons, for Prescott county, is dead, as the result of a chill caught on a fishing trip last Saturday.

The body of David Gibson, a Crimea veteran, who disappeared from Palmerton, on Saturday, was found in a nearby swamp, in a decomposed condition.

Premier Balfour stated that before the Canadian trouble arose it had been intended to give Lord Dundonald a command under the new army scheme.

CANADA'S PRIDE. The famous "International Limited" leaves Chatham at 9:08 p. m. for Detroit, Chicago and St. Louis. It carries Cafe Parlor Car, serving meals at popular prices, and through Pullman to Chicago and the Great World's Fair, St. Louis.

It is necessary to reserve accommodation in advance at Grand Trunk City, 115 King St., or Depot Ticket Office. W. E. Rispin, Agent, Chatham.

JULY CLEARING SALE

Bargains at the Gordon Store

Make the buyers beam with pleasure while the satisfaction of selling you the best values in Dry Goods you have ever bought is ours. Note:

Summer Millinery

25 beautifully Trimmed Hats, values \$1.25 up to \$2.50 to clear at 75c Each

American Beauty Corsets.

2 styles of these favorite corsets in white and drab, long dip hip, material satin jean, straight front, \$1 and \$1.25 values, to clear at 59c Each

White Lawn Dressing Sacques

Special lines of Ladies' White Dressing Jackets, Lawn or Muslin, trimmed with Laces, Embroidery and Insertion.

\$1.00 value at 69c; \$1.25 value at 79c; \$1.50 value at 98c; \$1.75 value at \$1.12; \$2 value at \$1.36

Waist Goods at Half-Price

50 Waist ends, 3 yds. each, fine Silk Gingham, Mercerized White Goods, Basket Weaves, Lawns, Dimities, etc., worth 25c. to \$1.00 a yd, all on Bargain Table at Half-Price

Ginghams

20 pcs. Fine Imported Ginghams, guaranteed fast colors, to clear at 8c

Linen Oatmeal Rollerings

Cheap at 8 a yd, July sale, 6 1/4c yd.

Linen and Cotton Crash Rollerings, 5c yard

August Standard Designer, 10c Catalogues for Dressmakers. Fashion Sheets Free—all just in time for Aug. 1st

...WILLIAM GORDON...

DISTRICT DOINGS.

BLENHHEIM

July 29.—Word was received from London last evening that the rink of Blenheim bowlers had at last succumbed to the London Rowing Club rink, losing by one point only. We are well pleased that they have done so well as they did against so many competitors.

After a long illness, Mr. Willis C. Ransom died on Wednesday morning, at his home on the Communication Road, next to the Fair Grounds. The deceased was highly respected by all who knew him and the sympathy of all is extended to his widow and family. The funeral takes place on Saturday at the house. The remains will be interred at the Evergreen cemetery.

Mrs. Richard Clark is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. P. Kellogg.

To-day being civic holiday, the town is rather quiet. A large number went on the Methodist excursion to Port Stanley, also quite a crowd went to the Eau.

Mrs. Wm. Flater and daughter, of Petrolia, are visiting Mrs. Geo. Flater.

The blacksmith shop, which was situated on the property Mr. Grist recently bought from Mr. R. Williamson, has been removed by Mr. Grist to his farm, on the Communication Road North. The building was raised on wheels. Mr. John Clark's traction engine drew it to its destination.

Dr. R. J. Warner, of Alma College, St. Thomas, will preach in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Miss Hamilton is visiting in Detroit.

Miss Florence Dunlop, of Chatham, was the guest of Miss Lizzie Forbes on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Knott and Miss Rena, and Mrs. Turner and R. Turner were the guests of Mrs. Hamilton on Tuesday.

Messrs. R. Ward and G. Racher spent Sunday in Chatham.

An Odd Korean Custom.

Everybody knows the fondness of the adult Chinese for kites. The Korean, however, puts this pastime to a use altogether novel. When the time of good resolutions comes around at the new year the Korean writes on a kite all his faults, "evil disposition, impatience, bad words, street fights," etc. "It was so dark," says one American residing in Korea, relating such an instance, "that no kite could be seen, but when the Korean had run the string out to its full length he cut it and let it go, imagining that so he had rid himself of his enemies and could begin the new year with new courage."

Crocodiles and Alligators.

The true crocodiles are distinct from the alligators. Among the points of distinction the following are the most noticeable: In the crocodiles the so called canine tooth, the fourth counting from the front, fits into a notch in the side of the upper jaw and is therefore visible when the mouth is closed, while in the alligator it is received in a pit in the upper jaw and is therefore invisible or nearly so. Again, the crocodile the hind legs have a fringe of fattened scales which is wanting in the alligators, whose legs are round.—London Saturday Review.

Fish Delusions.

There are two popular delusions about fish—one that they cannot live out of water and the other that they can live in any pure water, the food supply taking care of itself. As a matter of fact, there are fish in Africa which, having to exist in absolutely dry rivers for a portion of the year, have developed lungs, while in many an amateur's aquarium fish cannot live in the water provided owing to lack of food.

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A Tremendous Reduction in Men's Suits

\$8.00 Suits for \$5.95.
\$10.00 and \$12.00 for \$7.89.
\$15.00 and \$18.00 for \$12.00. It is not necessary to give any further details, for you all know

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To be of the highest standard.
39c Underclothing for 25c—Shirts and Drawers.
Men's Straw Hats—75c for 10c; \$1.00 and \$1.50 kind for 50c; \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 kind for \$1.25.
Men's Belts, 50c for 25c.
Men's Soft Front Shirts, separate cuffs, they will be 42c till sold.
Four-in-Hand Ties, special, 25c and 50c.
Silks on sale for 15c, 2 for 25c. Wash Strings for 5c. Four-in-Hand, Washing, 2 for 25c. See our Window.

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—The latest in Wedding Stationery and Cake Boxes can be had at the PLANET Office.

CORSETS!

Tape Girdles, 49c
D. & A. Long Hip Garters, attached, \$1.50
"The Crest," Fat Woman's Corset, \$1.25 to \$1.50.
Long and Short Summer Corset, 50c
Golf Girdles, \$1.00.

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Carload of Sewing Machines

That Ever Came to Chatham, we Unloaded a Short Time Ago.

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They are going very fast. The White is unequaled. There are fifteen points of superiority over other machines. To see the White is to believe in it. If you have any SEWING TO DO LET US LEND YOU a WHITE. It is the light running, long enduring, perfect Sewing Machine

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TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We have just put in, at great expense, a WONDERFUL MACHINE, heated by steam, work only passing through the roller once: the result—WORK IS ELASTIC, WILL NOT BREAK, and will last much longer than when ironed by the old method, heated by gas, which has to pass through the rollers eight times.

P.S.—We have also added a newly invented machine to iron the edges of Collars and Cuffs.

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Frame house, two storeys, brick
foundation, eight rooms, \$1,100.
100 acre farm in Raleigh, brick
house, large barn, stable and other
outbuildings. All cleared. About
four miles from Chatham, \$7,500.
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frame house, barn, stable and other
outbuildings, \$6,500.
50 acre farm in Tibbury East, good
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50 acre farm, River Road, Dover,
brick house, stable and granary,
\$3,200.
60 acre farm, River Road, Raleigh;
one of the best, good frame house,
large barn, stable and other out-
buildings; a large orchard of vari-
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Hotel premises in Chatham, \$7,500.
Six vacant lots, \$4,000.
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S. F. GARDINER, Manager.
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By...
CHARLES CLARK MUNN

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CHAPTER XXIII.

UNCLE TERRY and Albert had
just seated themselves on the
point that evening when Tel-
ly came out with a thick gray
shawl and wrapped it around her fa-
ther's shoulders. "It's a little chilly to-
night," she said, "and I think you need
it." Then, turning to Albert, she
added, "Wouldn't you like one, too,
Mr. Page?"

"I would, thank you," he answered,
"if you have another to spare."

He would have answered yes if she
had asked him to put on woolen mit-
tens. She returned to the house and
came back, this time bearing a white
zebray wrap, and handed it to Albert.
"I will bid you good night now," she
said, "for I presume you will sit here
long after bedtime."

Uncle Terry's eyes followed her back
to the house, and then he turned to
his guest.

"I s'pose ye'd rather be talkin' to
Telly than me out here in the moon-
light," he said bluntly, "now that ye've
got a little acquainted. It's the way
o' young folks."

"I've had a very pleasant visit with
your daughter this afternoon," re-
sponded Albert. "She was good enough
to go with me to where I got left yes-
terday. I wanted to finish the sketch
I began there." Uncle Terry made no
answer, but sat puffing away at one
of the cigars Albert had given him.

"Mr. Page," said Uncle Terry at
last, "I've worried a good deal since
last night 'bout what ye told me, an'
I've made up my mind to tell ye the
hull story an' trust ye with what no
one else knows. To begin with, it's
nineteen years ago last March when
thar war a vessel got afoul o' a ledge
jest off'n the pint here in a snowstorm,
an' all hands went down—that is, all
but a little yearlin' baby that cum
ashore tied up 'tween two feather
beds. I fished her out o' the surf, an'
Lissy an' me has taken care o' her
ever since, an' today she's worth
thousands times more'n I'll let ye judge
by the way she thought 'bout my
comfort tonight. There was a few
trinkets cum ashore with her—pictures
o' her father an' mother, we knew, an'
a locket an' ring an' some other things
—so we knewed her name an' whar
she cum from."

"Since then we have never heard a
word from no one regardin' her people,
or whether any was livin', till last win-
ter I cum across a notice in a paper
sayin' information was wanted 'bout
an heir to an estate in Sweden, an' tel-
lin' facts that made me sure Telly was
the one wanted. The notice was signed
by that lawyer, Frye, that I asked ye
'bout, an' I went to see him. He want-
ed proofs an' all that, an' I gave 'em
to him, an' wussen that he wanted
money, an' I gave that to him. He's
kep' askin' fer money ever since, an' I
like a fool, kep' sendin' it in, hopes I
Telly had anything comin' she'd git
her dues. I've sent him the locket an'

things that belonged to her, an' all
I've got so far is letters askin' fer
more money an' tellin' 'bout expenses
an' evidence an' witnesses' fees an'
bonds to be filed. Lissy an' Telly
know 'bout the case, but they don't
know how much money I've paid out,
an' I don't want they should. That's
the hull story, an' now as ye're a law-
yer, an' I b'lieve an honest one, I ask
ye what's best to be done."

"I see now, Mr. Terry, why you dis-
trust lawyers, and I do not wonder at
it. To the best of my belief, you have
been swindled in the most outrageous
manner by Frye. He no doubt is act-
ing for some law firm who have in-
structed him to find an heir, if there
is one, to this estate, and they would
naturally advance all expense money.
Do you know the vessel's name, where
she sailed from and who her master
was?"

"She was a square rigger, an' the
master's name was Peterson. In the
newspaper piece the name was Neils
Peterson, who cum from Stockholm,"
answered Uncle Terry. "I've got it in
my wallet now, an' on the locket was
the letters E. P., an' on a piece o' paper
that was pinned to the baby's dress
was the name Eitelka Peterson."

"And did you send these proofs to
Frye?" asked Albert quickly.

"I sent 'em six months ago," was the
reply, "an' I've jest 'bout made up my
mind I was a fool to 'a' done it, an'
a bigger one to keep sendin' money."

"It would have been all right," an-
swered Albert after a pause, "if you
had put them into an honest man's
hands. As it is you are lame—in fact,
utterly at the mercy of Frye, who is
robbing you." Then, after thinking a
moment, he added: "I will gladly do
what I can to help you, Mr. Terry,
and at no cost to you for my own ser-
vices. The first step must be to get
possession of these material proofs, the
next to find what firm has employed
Frye. We are helpless until we get
possession of those proofs."

"Ain't my word an' Lissy's as to
savin' the baby no 'count?" asked
Uncle Terry.

"Very good, so far as it goes, but
really no proof that the child you
saved is the one wanted for this in-
heritance. In the matter of a legacy
the law is very exacting and demands
absolute proof. No, the only way is
to use duplicity and trick Frye or ask
him to name his price and pay it, and
as the estate may be large his price
will naturally be extortionate."

Albert thought a moment and then
added, "Has Frye ever written you
admittin' he has received or has these
proofs in his possession?"

"Not a word," answered Uncle Terry.

"All he writes is: 'Your case is
progressing favorably. I need so much
more money, an' I send it an' lay
'wake nights worryin'.'"

"How long since he has sent for
money?" asked Albert.

"'Bout a month, I reckon," replied
Uncle Terry.

"I confess, Mr. Terry, I am stump-
ed."

After a pause Albert asked Uncle
Terry:

"How does your—I mean, how does
Telly feel about this matter, Mr. Terry,
for I suppose she knows the story?"

"That's suthin' I hate to talk 'bout,
but as ye're likely to see more o' us
an' more o' Telly it's better ye know it
all. When she was 'bout ten we told
her the story an' showed her the
things we'd kep' locked up. She didn't
seem to mind it then, but as she's growed
older it sorter shadders her life, as
it were. We used to ketch her lookin'
at the things once in awhile an' cryin'.
When I sent 'em to Boston she took on
a good deal an' ain't been the same
since. We try to keep her from think-
in' 'bout it all we can, but she's curis
in her ways, an' I've thought she was
under 'shamed, an' mebbe broodin'
over it makes it wuss."

"You do not mean that you fear she
would make away with herself in a fit
of melancholy, do you?"

"I dunno what to think," was the an-
swer, "only I hate to have her out o'
sight much, an' the more lovin' she is
the more I worry."

"One thing please promise me," said
Albert when they had started for the
house, "do not hint either to her or
your wife that you have told me any-
thing about this matter. I will do all
that can be done and consult only with
you in private."

CHAPTER XXIV.

ON the morning Albert followed
Uncle Terry around the cir-
cuit of his lobster traps in the
Gypsy's boat, with Telly as a
companion, and watched the old man
hauling and rebaiting those elongated
coops and taking out his prizes. The
day was a perfect one, the sea just ruf-
fled by a light breeze, and as her first
timidity had now worn away, he found
Telly a most charming companion. It
was an entirely new experience to him,
and the four hours pull in and out of
the island coves and around isolated
ledges where Uncle Terry set his traps
passed all too quickly.

"Do you know," said Albert when
they had returned to the little cove
where Uncle Terry kept his boats and

as he sat watching him pick up his
morning's catch and toss them one by
one into a large car, "that the first man
who thought of eating a lobster must
have been almost starved? Of all crea-
tures that grow in the sea there is
none more hideous, and only a hungry
savage could have thought them fit for
food."

"They ain't overhansum," replied
Uncle Terry, "but fried in pork fat
they go middin' good if ye're hungry."

That afternoon Telly invited Albert
to row her up to a cove, at the head of
which was a narrow valley where
blueberries grew in profusion. "I want
to pick a few," she said, "and you can
make a sketch of the cove while I do."
Helping her picking berries proved
more attractive, and when her pail
was full Albert made a picture of her
sitting in front of a pretty cluster of
small spruce trees, with the pail be-
side her and her sun hat trimmed with
ferns.

"Your city friends will laugh at the
country girl you found down in Maine,"
she remarked as she looked at the
sketch, "but as they will never see me,
I don't care."

"My friends will never see it," he
answered quietly, "only my sister.
And I am going to bring her down here
next summer."

"Tell me about her," said Telly at
once. "Is she pretty?"

"I think so," replied Albert. "She
has eyes like yours, only her hair is
not so light. She is a petite little body
and has a mouth that makes one want
to kiss her."

"I should like to see her ever so
much," responded Telly, and then she
added rather sadly, "I've never had a
girl friend in my life. There are only
a few at the Cape of my age, and I
don't see much of them. I don't mind
it in the summer, for then I work on
my pictures, but in winter it is so lone-
some. For days I do not see any one
except father and mother or old Mrs.
Leach."

"And who is Mrs. Leach?"
"Oh, she's a poor old soul who lives
alone and works on the fish racks.
She is worse off than I am."

It was a little glimpse into the girl's
life that interested Albert, and, in the
light of what he knew of her history, a
pathetic one. Truly she was alone in
the world, except for the two kindly
souls who made a home for her.

"You will go away tomorrow, I sup-
pose," she said with a faint tone of
regret as they were rowing home.
"Father said your boat was coming
after you today."

He looked at her a moment, while a
slight smile showed beneath his mus-
tache. "I suppose I shall have to," he
answered, "but I should like to stay
here a month. I've not made a sketch
of your house, even."

"I wish you would," she said with
charming candor, "it is so lonesome
here, and then maybe you would show
me a little about painting."

"Could you endure my company
every day for a month?" he asked,
looking her full in the face.

"I don't believe you could endure
ours," she replied, dropping her eyes,
and then she added quickly: "There is
a prayer meeting tonight at the Cape.
Would you like to go?"

"Most certainly," he answered.

Albert had expected to see the Gypsy
in the harbor when they returned that
afternoon, but was happily disappoint-
ed. "I hope they will stay at Bar Har-
bor a week," he thought.

That evening when Telly appeared,
ready to be escorted to the prayer
meeting, he was certain that no fairer
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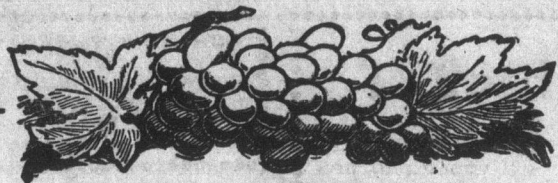
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enamel on which a red eagle extends
his wings. On his head is a golden
crown, and in his talons he grasps
green laurel leaves.
The reverse is the same, with the
exception that the centre is frosted
like the rest, and on it appear in
polished relief the royal initials "F.
W." surmounted by a crown.

The decoration is not only a For-
eign Office recognition of merit, but
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peror.

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The sheepskin is first washed and
the flesh side scraped thoroughly to
remove the fleshy fibres; then the wet
skins are hung in a warm room for
about a week and "sweated." This
loosens the wool so that most of it
can be pulled out easily. The skins
are then soaked in milk of lime to
loosen the rest of the wool and to
soften the fibres and split them into
their constitutional fibrils. After
liming, the hair is all removed, and
the absorbed lime is neutralized with
boric or hydrochloric acid, and the
skin is split into two thicknesses.
The outer or grain side, is used for
the manufacture of thin, fancy lea-
thers used in bookbinding, etc., while
the flesh side is made up into wash
leather. It is first drenched then put
into stocks and pounded until it is
partly dried and the fibrous struc-
ture has become loose and open, saw-
dust generally being employed to fa-
cilitate the process. Fish oil is now
rubbed upon the skins in small quan-
tities, as long as the oil is absorbed.
The moisture dries out as the oil is
absorbed, the skins being hung up
occasionally and exposed to the air.
When the skins have absorbed enough
oil, they lose their limy odor, and
acquire a peculiar mustard-like smell,
due to the oxidation of the oil. They
are then packed loosely in boxes,
where they heat rapidly, and must be
taken out and exposed to the air to
prevent overheating. During this
time they give off much pungent va-
por and turn yellow. They are then
washed in a warm solution of alkali
to remove the excess of fat. The oil
removed is liberated from the soapy
fluid, and sold as "sod soil." The
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A Pure
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Then It Was Tommy's Bedtime.
Tommy Figgjam—Paw, what the Bi-
ble says is true, ain't it? Paw Figg-
jam—Sure thing, my son. Tommy Figg-
jam—Dec't it say "All flesh is grass"?
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Figgjam—Then ain't dried beef hay?

HOW'S THIS?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Re-
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cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh
Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo,
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We, the undersigned, have known
F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and
believe him perfectly honorable in all
business transactions, and financially
able to carry out any obligations
made by his firm. Walding, Kinfan &
Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo,
O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken in-
ternally, acting directly upon the
blood and mucous surfaces of the sys-
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75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-
tion.

Passive Christianity.
"Little boy," inquired the minister
who had called to see the man of the
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"Yes," replied the boy; "I think he is,
but I don't believe he is working at it
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His suffering from Sciatica was so
great, but thanks to Nerviline he was
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of Portland, and no man ever suf-
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one with real merit was Nerviline. I
used a few bottles of Nerviline and
was perfectly cured. I can recom-
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I was Cured of a severe cold by
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Women distrust men too much in
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Monkey Brand Soap removes all stains,
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Sealed, bulk and separate tenders
will be received at the office of M.
J. Hurley, Esq., grocer, James St.,
Wallaceburg, secretary of the Se-
parate School Board Trustees, and at the
office of the undersigned architects
at Chatham, Ont., up till 7 o'clock
p. m., Friday, July 22nd, 1904, for the
several works required to erect a
Brick Separate School House in the
Town of Wallaceburg, in the County
of Kent.
Plans and specifications to be seen
at the office of the secretary and at
the offices of the architects.
Lowest or any tender not neces-
sarily accepted.
Trustees of Separate School Board
—Thos. Forhan, Esq., chairman; M.
J. Hurley, Esq., secretary; Miles Mc-
Carron, Esq., F. T. Barry, Esq., Thos.
O'Donnell, Esq., Edward Kelly, Esq.
JAS. L. WILSON & SON,
Architects,
Chatham, Ont.
Wallaceburg, Ont., July 7, 1904.

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Leave word at our Office or
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Over the Wabash line. Rates from
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Going July 19th. Returning until
Sept. 20th.
Tickets are not good on the "Imperia
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Canadian Pacific Agent, or J. H. Notman,
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CIVIC HOLIDAY I
Monday, Aug. 8.
Single fare, good going p. m. trains
July 30th, all trains July 31st and
August 1st, returning until August
2nd, from Chatham to all stations in
Canada, Toronto and West, also to
Buffalo and Niagara Falls, N. Y., De-
troit and Fort Huron, Mich.
To the great World's fair, St. Louis,
\$15.00 round trip, with stop over priv-
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EASTERN RESORTS.
Take Eastern Flyer at 5:08 p. m.,
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Connects at Toronto with express
train for Muskoka Lakes and Lake
of Bays. Tourist tickets on sale com-
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For tickets, illustrated literature
and full information call at city
ticket office, or at depot ticket of-
fice.
W. E. RISPIN,
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Change of Time.
THE STEAMER
City of Chatham
Will make her regular round trip from
CHATHAM TO DETROIT every
Monday and Wednesday
Leaving Rankin dock, South Chatham,
at 7:30 a. m. and returning leaves Detroit
(foot of Randolph St.) at 3:30 p. m. De-
troit time, or 4 o'clock Chatham time.
All-o one way trip leaving Thursday
morning at 9:30
Will also make round trips from De-
troit to Chatham
Every Friday and Saturday
Leaving Detroit, foot of Randolph St., at
8:30 p. m., Detroit time, or 9 a. m., Cham-
tham time, returning will leave Chatham
at 3:30 p. m., Detroit time, or 4 p. m.,
Chatham time, arriving in Detroit about
5:30 p. m.
FARES:
ROUND TRIP.....60c
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Agents—Stringer & Co., Chatham; Od-
ette & Wherry, Windsor; John Steven-
son, Detroit.
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Seasonable Goods
Smith's Fly Pads 5c.
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DRUG STORE**

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in
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Never were better Linen values offered than those offered at this Linen Store. We make a study of Linens and plan to have the very best of Linens to offer you at all times. Just now our stocks are most complete.

54 in. Union Damask, unbleached Tabling in an excellent design, extra value at per yd, 25c

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Roller Towellings, the widest range we have ever had for you to choose from, and the values are unmatched in the present Linen market, at per yard 5c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c. and up to 25c.

64 in. all Linen Unbleached Tabling in a choice pattern, very special at per yd, 45c.

72 in. Unbleached Tabling, warranted all pure linen, the richest patterns we have seen in Unbleached Linens, beautifully finished, extra values at per yd, 60c, 65c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Extra values in Napkins, Cloths, Sets of Cloths and Napkins to match, Lunch Cloths, Centres, Towels, etc.

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NICE FOR MY HOLIDAY TRIP

A heavy brown duck Telescope don't cost any more than the common grey kind.

A nice Suit Case for \$1.75, 2.00 and 2.50.

Trunks, \$2, 2.50 and 3.00.

Shawl Straps, 15, 20 and 25c

No. 2 Telescopes, 25 to 85c

Hand Bags, \$1.25 and 1.50

Special in Men's Lacrosse Shoes 60c.

Special in Boys Lacrosse Shoes 50c.

J. L. CAMPBELL BOSTON SHOE STORE.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

ECHOES FROM ERIEAU

Mrs. John Turner and family are occupying their cottage, Belvidere.

Will Rutley, T. J. Rutley and M. Houston remained at the Eau to-day.

Miss Lilian Garrett is the guest of Mrs. James E. Oldershaw, Mushroom Villa.

Thos. Maisonneville spent yesterday at the Eau and had a successful day's fishing.

Judge Dowlin was the guest of Judge Houston, Hazeldean Cottage, Wednesday.

Miss Lilian Spicer, of Detroit, has accepted a position as clerk in the Eriau Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Samson and family, of Benheim, are domiciled at Drumtochty Lodge.

Mrs. Samson returned to Chatham to-day, after a visit with Archie Samson, Drumtochty Lodge.

Postmaster C. B. Moore is once again busy with the duties of his office, and the daily mail now arrives regularly.

Orlish, of Cleveland, leaves on Monday on a visit with friends in St. Thomas. He has been staying with his grandfather, Customs Officer Mallory.

The government dredge Ontario is cutting a channel through the bar out from the piers. She has already cut the slip back as far as the piling is completed.

Mrs. Moore and daughter Geraldine, of Bay City, and her sister, Mrs. Ed. T. Jones, are guests at Llangollen Lodge, City Engineer Jones' summer residence.

Beverly Park, the three-year-old son of Arch. Park, caught a pike 25 inches long yesterday. Master Park is the youngest and most successful fisherman at Eriau. This is his second catch of a large fish.

The splendid steel coal barge Pere Marquette and Bessener was in at the Eau last evening with a load of coal. She carries 1,200 tons of coal in her hold. The Bessener is a new steel boat, only being built last winter, and is finely fitted up throughout.

This morning at 5 o'clock Capt. W. R. Phillimore, Mr. Wilson, of Seaford, and Sam. Glenn went out fishing in the Baden-Powell. Everybody is looking for remarkable stories of wonderful catches and everybody on the bar expects to eat fish to-night. Alfred Glenn vouches for the hour at which the party left.

The Scane family held their annual picnic at Government Park yesterday. As the same day had been selected by the Howard Council for their annual picnic, there was an enormous crowd at the Park. Everybody had a good time. In the evening the Ridgetown Band played in the pavilion. Capt. Fellows' electric vapor launch made trips all day to Eriau from Government dock. Misses Nell Young, Kate Garrett, Georgia Morrison, and Bertha Garrett, of Sandy-Knowe, spent the day at the Park. W. W. Scane and family were at the picnic. He said that there were so many scanes there that he ran out of figures counting them. Mrs. E. W. Scane, Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Hadley, of this city, were also there.

T. J. Rutley took a party over to Government Park on Wednesday in his pretty yacht Louise. There were 15 on board and the heavy load made the yacht sit so low that the waves washed over, and M. Houston, A. E. Elkey and Norman McLean were kept busy bailing. There were in the party, Miss Lillie Northwood, Miss Charlotte Ryan, Miss Eva Degge, Judge Dowlin, Judge Houston, Mrs. William Rutley, Mrs. McLean, Frank Judson, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pilkey and son Edgar, of this city; Geo. Evans, of Erie-

ber, and Dr. and Mrs. McLean, of New York. The party left about 1 o'clock. The wind freshened before the park was reached and it was necessary to reef. The return trip was a beat to windward, and when off Shrewsbury the last train from Chatham was noticed coming. Judge Dowlin desired to catch the train. With much difficulty he was landed at Shrewsbury. The gang plank broke when the Judge was stepping from the boat to the shore, and he got wet; but this was not his only misfortune. He reached Shrewsbury in time to see the train fading in the distance. The Judge, nothing daunted, however, set out and walked all the way to Chatham. He missed his supper, as the hotel dining room had been closed some hours, but it is said that he has established a pedestrian record for the distance.

NETS SEIZED.

The government cruiser Petrel came into the Eau yesterday about 4.30 p. m., with a lot of gill nets which she had seized in Canadian waters. They were found off the Eau and are supposed to belong to a Cleveland Co. The tug in charge got away. This is the second batch of nets which the Petrel has brought into the Eau this season. The cruiser left this morning. She was logging the distance off from Eriau and will cruise down the Canadian boundary again to-day.

PARSON ADVISED

Exchange.

One town in Illinois has a minister who is not afraid to get out of the rut. In a recent visit to Chicago he was struck with the way people push business in advertising, and he returned to his home town determined that advertising in a novel way would be a good thing for his church. After thinking the matter over for some time he had a number of large placards printed, and posted all over the town, where the public eye could not fail to see them. On the card was printed the following—
God music.

Fair Preaching.

Nice people.

Free seats.

Strangers welcome.

Patronize First Methodist Church, Ill.

It may look odd, but it sets people thinking, and nobody can say that such a church is exclusive.

FOOTBALL TO-NIGHT

Darrell and Chatham will play football on Tecumseh Park at 6.45 to-night. Both teams are in good shape and a splendid game is promised. Darrell is the champion team in the Peninsula league and now holds the Walker cup.

DON'T KILL THE BIRDS

Wheatley Journal:—Now that the holiday season is upon us, do not go into the woods and the meadows these beautiful days with a gun trying to kill everything you see alive. The little harmless birds and animals are God's creatures, and life is as sweet to them as it is to you. Don't take an opera glass or a kodak and look into the beauties which surround you everywhere. Make your drawings or take pictures of pretty scenes and the infinitely varied animal life. Study the wild flowers and the varied plant life. Get into close touch with nature, and after a day or so spent you will return home with a mind rested and free from care, conscious of the fact that your enjoyment has not meant pain and death to living creatures. Your stock of knowledge will be increased, your appetite refreshed, and your body and mind in a fit state to receive nature's greatest blessing—a clear conscience, and sound, refreshing sleep.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

OUTING SHIRTS

We have just placed in stock a range of Fancy Flannel Outing Shirts, with reversible collars—just the thing for the holidays, both bright and quiet patterns, sizes 14 to 17 1-2, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

THORNTON & DOUGLAS, Limited.

Your Doctor Always comes promptly? Ever faithful? Saved your life? Then hold fast to him. We believe in doctors. Ask yours about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for hard colds, coughs of all kinds. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

HOW THEY TOOK IT

"Hurrah! St. Thomas one! shout-ed a young man when he saw The Times bulletin board last night; 'What better would you want than that,' he continued. People who heard him and hadn't seen the score thought that St. Thomas had won the lacrosse match with Chatham. But, alas! We had won only one goal, the enemy getting four.

NOTES.

The Chatham people used all the Saints well.

Brown Jackson is an excellent referee. He gave the utmost latitude, and was impartial.

Chathamites admire the St. Thomas people for the way they backed their team by turning out to the excursion.

"Billy" McCance—"The Chatham people treated us well. They say we can't win a game from their team, but we'll show them next Wednesday." —St. Thomas Times.

Chatham rooster—"What's the matter with you people in the grand stand that you don't 'holler?' St. Thomas man—"Why all the people in the stand are St. Thomas people."

The St. Thomas Club managers say they will win next Wednesday's game at all hazards. Several strong players will be put on the team, and the game will be the fastest ever seen here.

The Chatham L. C. Committee say they will bring their team and a thousand people with band, by special train Wednesday next. They say they will shut St. Thomas out of the series.

The Garner House got out a special menu card and gave a "Reception Dinner in Honor of the St. Thomas La-

croscro Players," similar to the Grand Central here when the Chatham team came down.

Considerable trouble arose over the work done here last game by Referee Kelly, of Brantford, and it still rests in the minds of St. Thomas people that Kelly was not square. But Brown Jackson, of Seaford, who refereed yesterday, was given the glad hand by every St. Thomasite, and is well deserving of the good name he carries, as a more gentlemanly man is not to be found connected with the O. L. A. Mr. Jackson will not be influenced by any team and will give decisions according to the ruling of O. L. A. rules.

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We Have Just What You Want

3 lbs. Fine Mix Biscuits, 25c
Ginger Snaps, 6c. per lb.
7 Bars Morton's Myrtle Soap, 25c
Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c per lb.
3 Cans Blueberries, 25c
3 lb. Tin of Soda Biscuits, 25c
1 lb. Can Sunlight Baking Powder, 10c.

Fruit Jars 1/2 Gal. \$1.; Quarts, 80c.; Pints, 70c. per Dozen
Jar Rings, 5c. per Dozen

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A fine lot of Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets, very pretty goods at Bargain Prices.

China, Lamps and Glassware at our usual low prices.

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All \$18 Suits, \$10

All \$15 Suits, \$10

All \$12.50 Suits \$10

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Our Entire Stock of Men's Fine Spring and Summer Suits for Only \$10.00.

It's an offer that no other house will duplicate—value for price. We invite your comparison. No easier way to make money if the purchase of a suit of clothes is contemplated. Suits altered and pressed gratis.

Choice of One Lot of \$10.00 and \$8.50 Suits for \$6.75

Choice of Any Pair of Pants in the store for \$2.75, reg. \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.00 Pants

Choice of all our \$2.75 and \$3.00 Pants for \$1.75

Choice of Splendid Line \$2.50 and \$3.00 Hats for \$2.00

Choice of Splendid Line of \$3.00 Brown Derby Hats for 50c. See Windows

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