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A Great Thanksgiving Offering of Linens

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of This Week

Regularly every year we make this special offering of Thanksgiving Linens, realizing that nothing adds to the pleasure of Thanksgiving dinner like sparkling Linens. Here are special bits for ornamentation, as well as the standard goods.

The Prices are Greatly Reduced

Just to make it easy for you to buy them. Now, then, let us see you at the sale.

Unbleached Table Linens

Irish manufacture; imported direct from the mills in Ireland, 60 inches wide, guaranteed pure linen. Regular price 60c. Thanksgiving sale price 48c.

66 inches wide, guaranteed pure flax, regular price 75c. Thanksgiving sale price 68c.

72 inch, finest Irish manufacture, regular price \$1.00. Thanksgiving sale price 89c.

Linen Towelings

Pure flax roller toweling, very special at 6c yard.

Extra heavy pure flax roller toweling, very special, at 10c. per yard.

Best quality, pure linen roller toweling, at 12 1/2c yard.

Bleached Table Linens

These linens are grass bleached, no chemicals being used in the process.

which means that they will wear about twice as long as the ordinary kind.

60 inches wide, grass bleached Irish table linen, regular price 50c yard. Thanksgiving sale price 44c.

72 in. grass bleached table damask, guaranteed pure flax, regular price, 85c. Thanksgiving sale price 74c.

72 inch, Irish table damask, grass bleached, pure flax, regular price \$1. Thanksgiving sale price 88c.

Regular \$1.25 quality, at \$1.10.

Regular \$2.00 quality at \$1.74.

Regular \$1.50 quality, 2 1/2 yards wide at \$1.10.

Napkins!

Here's a Chance That comes but once in a lifetime. You had better get a supply while they're going.

Bleached Napkins, 1/4 size, very pretty design, Thanksgiving Sale Price.....

42c a Dozen

Grass bleached Irish Table Napkins, 1/4 size, regular price 75c. Thanksgiving Sale Price.....

68c a Dozen

Extra fine, 1/4 full dinner size, bleached double damask, regular price \$3.00. Thanksgiving Sale Price.....

\$2.45 a Dozen

Full dinner size, double damask, regular price \$3.50. Thanksgiving Sale Price.....

\$2.68 a Dozen

Great Towel Sale

Pure Linen Huck Towels, fringed, sizes 20x40, regular price 50c. Thanksgiving sale price per pair.....

Special pure Linen Huck Towels, size 20x40, regular price 18c each. Thanksgiving sale price each.....

Extra Fine Huck Towels, hemstitched damask border, size 24x46, regular price 40c. Thanksgiving sale price each.....

Extra fine Huck Towels, pure linen, fringed, size 24x46, regular price 45c each. Thanksgiving sale price each.....

Thomas Stone & Son

For Thanksgiving



Of course like every man you'll want to look your best on Thanksgiving day, just as you would on Easter.

That's natural—and there's no better way to start the winter right than by coming out in new attire next Thursday.

But, are you all ready?—if you are not you will have to hustle around and attend to it.

If it's something in Clothing or Hats or Furnishings—there's everything waiting for you here in large, complete and pleasing assortments that will make choosing easy, and all being of that high quality for which this store is famed you are certain of satisfaction.

New Method Overcoats \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15

New Method Suits \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15

Men's Hats

The Tuxedo, \$3.00.

Soft Hats—the new shapes, with high crowns—in blacks and light shades, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

Derbys—The Styvesant Special at \$3.00 and all the standard shapes at \$2.50.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

For every Thanksgiving clothes—for evening dress—for every social function, here is completeness from the linen collar to the full dress shirt—and all are correct.

Dress Shirts, \$1.50. Fine linen, soft, light, yet strong muslin. Bosoms fashioned so they won't bulge.

Neckwear—All white or soft gray ties, for afternoon wear, 50c. White lawn ties, of course for evening wear; and those 50c and 75c beauties—have you seen them, they are of entirely new designs and of course are exclusive with us.

Evening Dress Protectors are being worn more this year—\$1.00 to \$1.50. Gloves \$1.00 to \$3.00. Chatham's largest assortment is here—twice that of any other store and it's made up of the best makers' wares.

TRUDELL & TOBEY

SLATER SHOE AGENTS

LAMP FATALITY

An Elgin County Man Burned to Death by a Lamp Exploding.

Tilsburg, Ont., Nov. 24.—Elgin Griffin, of Griffin's Corners, met with a terrible death on Friday night at his home in this village. He was carrying a lamp, when it exploded, igniting his clothing. Before assistance arrived he was burned to death. Deceased was fifty years of age. He was well known throughout this section. The deceased was a paralytic, and had been confined to his bed for years. A lamp usually burned upon a shelf above his head. This lamp exploded and the burning oil set fire to the bed clothes, and the deceased was so terribly burned that death occurred in a short time. After the occurrence Mr. Griffin showed no signs of consciousness.

SEVERE STORM SWEEPED COAST

Hundreds of Small Crafts are Wrecked or Badly Damaged in the Blow.

The Damage Done in Vicinity of New York Estimated at Over \$1,000,000.

New York, Nov. 25.—The great storm, which came sweeping up from the South on Saturday night has spent its force in this zone of the Atlantic coast, and the waters driven up on lowland and beach are subsiding. A more careful survey of the storm-swept coast indicates that the aggregate damage will exceed the general estimates of yesterday. Hundreds of small craft were wrecked or badly damaged, wharves and piers on every exposed point were battered down, many buildings at seaside resorts were unroofed, lowlands were flooded, city cellars were filled and hundreds of town houses were damaged.

Estimates of the aggregate damage run slightly below and considerably above \$1,000,000.

Down at Monmouth Beach, where the big German ship Flottbeck drove ashore yesterday, and there was a thrilling rescue of her crew by life-savers, an angry sea was still beating upon the beach. Wreckers have been engaged, but until the sea calms nothing can be done towards saving the ship and her cargo.

The big craft, firmly embedded in the sand, was still intact, and the Zinger, her master, who watched from the life-saving station, was sure that both vessel and cargo would be saved.

Storm-bound shipping was released early to-day, but sea coast, railroad and trolley service will limp until washouts are filled in. Linemen were busy restoring prostrated telegraph and telephone wires to-day, but it will be a couple of days before those services are completely restored.

FIVE MEN DROWNED

Philadelphia, Nov. 25.—Advices received by the maritime exchange state that five men were drowned yesterday at Long Branch during the progress of the northeast storm which swept the Atlantic coast. Saturday night and Sunday. The men are supposed to have been members of the crew of the barge Wilmore and Grant, which were lost by the tug Eureka, which arrived in New York yesterday and reported that she had lost her tow and had no tidings of either crew.

DREYFUS' COUNSEL

Maitre Labori to Start the Party of Honest People in France.

Paris, Nov. 24.—The first political speech of Maitre Labori, who leaped into fame as the defender of Dreyfus, was delivered in the presence of an immense audience, and proved to be the event of the day.

Zola received an ovation as he entered to seat himself among the distinguished people who crowded the platform. Labori purposes to found a new party, to be called the Party of the Honest People. He believes the best elements of the population have become disgusted with mere expediency in politics, and want to inaugurate an era in which unflinching moral principles will rule every public and private action.

Not satisfied with directing the most profound monthly review in France, Labori says he will soon found a great, honest daily newspaper, in which not a single advertisement will be admitted.

SECTION MAN KILLED

Fort William, Ont., Nov. 25.—A man named Peterson employed as section man east of White River, on the C. P. R., was instantly killed while travelling on a hand car between White River and O'Brien this morning. A light engine coming west was met and the two companions of the unfortunate man jumped from the car and escaped injury.

ROYALTY'S RAGS

The Troubles of Prince Henry and Queen Wilhelmina Aired.

New York, Nov. 25.—In connection with Queen Wilhelmina's illness, the following particulars have been published, says the Amsterdam correspondent of the Journal and Advertiser—"It seems that before his marriage Prince Henry lived for a time at a place beyond his means, and as a consequence fell into the hands of money lenders. The debts he contracted in those days were to be settled after his marriage with the rich young queen, and quite recently Henry made a clean breast of the matter to her. Upon learning all the particulars Queen Wilhelmina declined point blank to pay her consort's debts, the result being that a very violent scene took place between them, which ended in Henry rushing away to Germany and Wilhelmina being taken ill. It is said that only the most important telegrams sent to him by the Queen's mother, Queen Emma, induced Henry to return to Holland. The Queen's mother is anxious to preserve appearances at least. Since his return to Holland, Henry has not been once to the palace where his Queen is. As a proof of the serious character of the Queen's illness, in spite of all reassuring reports to the contrary, may be mentioned the fact that the recent official Gazette did not contain a single royal command, which is an unprecedented state of things.

The Hague, Nov. 25.—Queen Wilhelmina is improving, so satisfactorily that Prince Henry will leave Het-Loo tomorrow on a short visit to Prussia.

THE CAMPAIGN IN CAPE COLONY

Gen. French Endeavoring to hem in the Boers in Barkly East District.

British Expected to Soon Clear Colony East of Main Line From Cape Town to De Aar.

London, Nov. 25.—The correspondent of the Times at Pretoria says the fact that Commandants Toubie, Myburgh and Wessels have been left alone for some time in the north-east of Cape Colony is adduced as a sign of relaxing British efforts in the Colony.

The correspondent declares this is only another instance of unreasonable impatience manifested in regard to the progress of the war. The mistake was one frequently made, after clearing one district, of pursuing the Boers immediately into another, and allowing them to break back into the first.

To obviate this, now that he has cleared the Midlands, General French has been obliged to allow the enemy to remain in comparative quiet in Barkly East district until he has made sure they will not break west, when he will proceed against them. The building of blockhouses from north south-east to Dordrecht, which is now in progress, will, it is expected, prevent the Boers breaking west.

The columns now operating in this district, if they succeed in clearing the country, will practically free Cape Colony, east of the main line, from Cape Town to De Aar, of Boers.

SMOTHERED

An Essex County Woman Met Death Under a Load of Corn Fodder.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Mederie Breaud, the wife of a Tecumseh, Ont., farmer, was smothered to death Saturday afternoon under a load of corn fodder. With her husband Mrs. Breaud was driving from the field to the barn on top of the load. The wagon was piled high with the fodder, and in crossing a small ditch a plank slipped or broke. One wheel slipped down into the ditch, and threw both man and woman to the ground, turning the load on top of them. Breaud managed after a time to free himself. He was not injured in any way, and began to extricate his wife, who was entirely covered by the corn. It took him 15 minutes to free her, and when he did, it was found that she had been smothered to death. Breaud ran for assistance, and the body was carried to the farm house. Mrs. Breaud was 59 years old. She leaves a family of three sons and six daughters, all living near Tecumseh, with the exception of Eugene Breaud, butcher, at Sandwich, and Camille Breaud, Central Falls, R. I.

BRIEF, BUT ELOQUENT

Denver Republican.

"Gentlemen, I invite you to drink with me," said President Diaz to the Pan-American delegates. Evidently oratory is not dead in Mexico.

TRAGEDY OF SEA

A Nova Scotia Captain Kills His Steward and Jumps Overboard.

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 25.—The British bark Birnam, from Rio Janeiro, in charge of Mate Poe, arrived to-day, and reports that on Nov. 18 the captain, named Morris, killed the vessel's steward. The body was buried at sea. The captain kept his cabin, packing up and down. When informed that Sand Island light was sighted, Nov. 22, he gave the mate the course, picked up a sea lead and jumped overboard and was drowned.

Halifax, Nov. 25.—Captain C. Morris, who is reported in the Associated Press despatches as having killed the steward and then succeeded, is a native of Spencer's Island, Nova Scotia, where he leaves a wife and family. The steward was also a Nova Scotian, having resided at Sandy Cove.

THEY PRAISE CANADA'S OFFER

London Papers Speak in the Highest Terms of Dominion and Her Men.

The Cape Government to Resume Command of Colonial Troops—The Uniforms.

Cape Town, Nov. 25.—Lord Kitchener and Sir Gordon Sprigg, Prime Minister of the Cape Colony, have reached an agreement, under the terms of which the Cape Colony resumes the control of the colonial troops in 29 districts. There has been much discontent in the Cape, arising from the fact that the colonial troops were being removed from the command of the Colonial Government.

CAUSES FAVORABLE COMMENT

London, Nov. 25.—Canada's offer of a mounted corps of six hundred men is most favorably commented on by the evening papers. The Globe says the action is especially significant and especially welcome just now. The St. James Gazette says no better soldiers can be had than the hairy men, who are the best of riders and the best of shots.

NOTHING OFFICIAL YET

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—No official information from the War Office has been received at 3 o'clock to-day regarding a third contingent.

THE CORPS' UNIFORMS, ETC.

The mounted corps for South Africa will wear Stetson hats and woollen serge uniforms of a brownish gray, such as are now being issued to the Canadian Mounted Rifles corps. The saddles will be of what is known as the colonial pattern, not too heavy, and yet fitted to carry what a soldier needs on active service. The arms will be the regular rifles of the infantry corps. The enlistment of the 600 for service in South Africa will mean that Canada has contributed altogether 4,900 officers and men since the outbreak of hostilities. This includes the Royal Canadian Infantry, dragoons, artillery, mounted rifles, Strathcona's Horse and Canadian contingent of South African Constabulary. Besides this there is the special service battalion at Halifax. It is more than likely that Major Merritt, of Toronto, will be offered a position in the mounted corps. It is said that he may be asked to be second in command.

A SHORT-LIVED STRIKE

Paris, Nov. 23.—The partial strike of coal miners in the department of the Nord has been ended by a resolution, adopted to-night, to resume work Monday and to wait general action, a decision regarding which has been deferred to the congress of the Federation, which will probably be held in January.

CAMPBELL AGAIN

The Former Member for West Kent Will Run Again in West York.

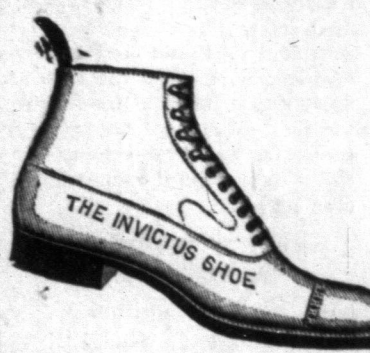
Special to The Planet.

Weston, Nov. 26.—Archie Campbell, ex-M. P., was yesterday afternoon unanimously nominated by the Liberals of West York, as a candidate in the by-election rendered necessary by the death of Hon. N. Clark Wallace. The choice fell on Mr. Campbell, the half dozen other persons nominated promptly retiring and the nomination being formally made unanimous.

Mr. Campbell was formerly the Liberal member for Kent and was defeated at the last election in West York.

130 LIVES LOST

London, Nov. 26.—According to a despatch to the Standard from Odessa 130 persons perished in the recent earthquake at Erzerum.



Three Natty New Lines of

Invictus Shoes

Have just arrived. These goods are distinctly new in every particular as they were intended for next season's trade.

One is made with an enamel box calf vamp and yellow calf quarter, extension sole and heel, with natural edges. This is a natty shoe, price—

\$5.00

A velour calf shoe, on the Graham Last, one of the latest productions of the last manufacturers of Boston, promises to become exceedingly popular—we have it, price—

\$4.00

See East Show Window

Peace's Cash Shoe Store

1st Shoe Store from Market

TURRILL THE SHOE MAN

This store cannot afford to sell a poor shoe at any price. Profit making is only a small part of store keeping to-day. This store must serve you BEST to-day, in order to make certain of your patronage in the future. We find it easy to please the patron after she has worn one pair of the

EMPRESS SHOE

\$2.50, \$3 and \$4

TURRILL'S

Phone 248. Repairing Neatly Done.

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S. STEPHENSON Proprietor

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If your paper fails to arrive regularly, or if you suggest a better connection, or a better route, please communicate with the circulation department.

TUESDAY, NOV. 26

ANOTHER CONTINGENT.

The War Department having accepted Canada's offer of a third contingent for South Africa, it is to be hoped that the force will be raised, equipped and dispatched with as little delay as possible. We don't think it will be a difficult matter to raise a corps of mounted infantry, six hundred strong, that will be the equal even of the splendid body of horsemen who composed the Strathcona Horse. Such a force will be able to give better service, in the irregular warfare now going on in the conquered territories, than several regiments of regular infantry.

"AS CLEAR AS DAY."

The Ottawa Free Press has a long editorial upon the visit to Ottawa of John E. Redmond, the Irish agitator. The Free Press has evidently swallowed Mr. Redmond whole, for it profoundly remarks:

"The English seem incapable of understanding the Irish question. To Sir Wilfrid Laurier, with Canadian history and experience before him, it is as clear as day, and its solution, impossible apparently to the British, one of a simple character."

If stupid John Bull would only see how easy it is! If he would only let the smooth Sir Wilfrid Laurier, with his sunny ways, settle the Irish question, how happy he would be! Sir Wilfrid is the panacea for all worldly troubles, national and individual. He is the great Osepath who can straighten out the bones of contention. He made Canada a nation. He caused Canadian prosperity. He can settle all quarrels—except those in his own political party, such as the Tarle-Prefontaine shindy, for example.

Canada has got plenty to do mending its own business without poking its nose into that of other people, is the opinion expressed by the Brockville Times. The Free Press simply makes itself ridiculous by talking in such a foolish strain.

OFFICIAL RUFFIANISM.

Official ruffianism seems even more to be dreaded in Chicago than the thugs who pursue their avocation in defiance of the law. The newspapers almost every day contain accounts of some sort of outrage perpetrated on citizens under cover of authority, and, strange to say, such incidents seem to excite no resentment except in the victims. A common trick of the law officers is to seize valuable goods under a small judgment, sell the whole and pocket the difference between the amount of the judgment and the sum realized by the sale as their fees. When the unfortunate owners take steps to recover their property they generally find the magistrate as dishonest as the official, and they are lucky if they escape without having information laid against them for disturbing the peace. There seems to be no limit to police tyranny and oppression, and the citizen who incurs the enmity of a constable might better fall into the hands of a gang of thieves.

This, it must be remembered, is in one of the centres of American civilization, in a city of a million and a half people, provided with hundreds of schools, colleges in plenty and a university with an endowment of more than twelve millions of dollars. The Americans reproach Canada for being slow, but we have at least laws which protect the people, and a people who would not tolerate police who looked upon the public as their natural prey.

PROHIBITION IN TWO PROVINCES.

The decision of the privy council on the Manitoba liquor act practically brings prohibition into force in two provinces, Manitoba and Prince Edward Island, points out the Ottawa Citizen. The Manitoba act passed by Hugh John Macdonald's government

BOTTLE BABIES

Bottle babies are so likely to get thin. What can be done? More milk, condensed milk, watered milk, household mixtures—try them all. Then try a little Scott's Emulsion in the bottle.

It does for babies what it does for old folks—gives new, firm flesh and strong life. You'll be pleased with the result. It takes only a little in milk to make baby fat.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

provides that liquor shall not be sold either wholesale or retail in the province, though it may be imported direct by individuals for their own consumption. The enforcement of the act has been in abeyance awaiting the result of the appeal to the privy council in England. It will now probably be put in force on the order of the Lieutenant governor in council.

Meanwhile the Prince Edward Island government has passed a similar act and put it in force, but the prosecutions under it have been held over pending the decision in the Manitoba case.

Banking on the fact that the Manitoba act would be declared ultra vires, Premier Ross has promised the temperance people of this province that he would give them the full measure of prohibitory legislation that the law as defined in the Manitoba act would permit a provincial government to pass. It is now up to Mr. Ross to enact practical prohibition in Ontario, or go back on the temperance people and violate his pledges.

SOMETHING LACKING.

John Redmond, talking at Montreal, said Ireland had the right to rebel but hadn't the means. Mr. Redmond has the right to talk sense, but hasn't the brains.

A DOUBT DISPERSED.

Toronto News.
Manitoba will export twenty million bushels of wheat this year, although the high school geography says it is doubtful whether wheat can be grown north of the forty-ninth parallel and west of the great lakes.

PUBLICITY AS A DETERRENT.

Toronto World.
If the wrongdoings of young men were not recorded, because of grief caused to relatives, what a crowd would rush into crime under that cloak! To our mind, there is a thing that does keep many a one straight under temptation, and it is the fear of exposure and the grief to relatives that must ensue.

A DUNDAS FARMER

After many trials and failures, much expense, heat and loss, a cure for his Stomach, Leading doctors had said he could not be cured, but Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets did it.

One of Hamilton's leading doctors, as well as the local physicians, pronounced the case of Donald George Ross, a farmer of Dundas, Ont., one of chronic dyspepsia.

They told him his was a very bad case, and gave him no hope of ever being completely cured.

Several of them treated him for some time, but failed to help him. He became alarmed.

The dyspepsia had brought on severe headaches and nervousness, which for three years made his life one of misery.

To-day Mr. Ross has no headaches or nervousness. He has no dyspepsia. He has no indigestion or stomach troubles of any kind. He can eat heartily and sleep well. In fact he is an all round well man. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cured him.

He tells the story this way:—

"For about three years I have been troubled with headaches and nervousness, caused by dyspepsia. I could not get any relief. The doctors told me I had a very bad case and that I would not get a cure. I became much alarmed and immediately consulted one of Hamilton's leading doctors but to no use."

"I heard of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, and determined to try them. I am now cured. From my experience I believe that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any case of dyspepsia and would strongly advise any sufferer who may have failed to find a cure through the doctors or other medicines, to try Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets."

Mr. Ross' character and reputation for honesty makes this voluntary testimonial a valuable tribute to the curative properties of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

All who suffer as Mr. Ross did, should be guided by his successful experience, to use the only remedy for dyspepsia that never fails, Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

No matter what anybody says, or how many medicines have failed in your case, Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will not disappoint you.

When men are rich there are plenty of people ready to follow their fortunes.

AN OVERWORKED PHRASE.

The Expression "He Took His Life In His Hands."

"The expression 'he took his life in his hands' always struck me as being very foolish," said a bright young gentleman, "and I have often wondered why so many persons persist in using it when they want to speak of extraordinary dangers. Now, extraordinary danger is one thing and the simple commonplace thing of taking one's own life in one's hands is an entirely different thing."

"I work in a big building. There are a steam engine and a mammoth boiler in the basement. Whenever I enter that building, if they are running the engine in the basement, I take my life in my hands. I get on the elevator on the fifth floor; I take my life in my hands. I go out of town; the car may tumble over a trestle somewhere. I walk along the street; a sign may fall on me. I make my way across the thoroughfare; who knows but that a street car or a vehicle of some sort may not run me down? I cross the river; may I not suddenly find myself in the swirling stream and sinking for the last time? If I walk along the street, may not a brick or a loosened cornice come crashing down upon me? There are a row and a shot or two on the corner; may not a stray bullet wing me? And so on."

"Fatalism? No. Logic. That's all. It just shows the difference between taking one's own life in one's hand and the matter of confronting extraordinary danger. These risks are ordinary, plain, old, everyday risks. The fireman who dashes into a burning building to rescue a child, the fellow who grabs the bridle of a runaway horse, the hero who will plunge into the river to save some person who is about to drown—these are the persons who confront what I would call extraordinary dangers, and the worn platitude of saying of one of these 'he took his life in his hands' would not fit the case because there would be in the act an element of heroism which would place it much above the commonplace."

HOYT'S JOKE ON M'KEE.

How the Playwright Had a Bit of Fun With His Manager.

On one occasion Manager McKee was watching a performance from a box, where he was seated with some friends.

During the first act an usher came to him with the information that a gentleman was waiting at the door to see him on most important business.

"Tell him I can't come out—I'm very busy," was the answer.

The usher returned in a moment to say that the man insisted on seeing Mr. McKee, who again sent out word that it was impossible to see him.

The man outside then sent in the message that he was an author and had a play that he wished McKee to read immediately.

This incensed the manager, who said to the usher:

"Tell that fool out there that this is no time to bring a play to be read. Get him out of the place—I won't see him. I won't read his play."

A few minutes later McKee came back and informed McKee that the man utterly refused to go without seeing him, and that he must be granted an interview, also that he was quite sure that the manager would not only read his play, but he would also produce it, and added that he would bet \$1,000 that Hoyt & McKee would be only too glad to get the play.

At that McKee became furiously angry, and, excusing himself to his party, left the box with the intention of personally inviting the persistent author to begone.

"Where's that idiot who insists on seeing me?" he asked of the treasurer at the box office. Then the treasurer pointed to a man standing in the shadow with a roll of manuscript under his arm.

It was Hoyt, with his newly finished play, which he handed to McKee, who said to those present:

"It's on me—what'll you have, boys?"

Odors That Permeate Foodstuffs.

A fish dealer in one of the most stylish parts of New York was deeply hurt and badly worried one day by the complaint of one of his big customers that a fine salmon which he had sent to the house for a big dinner had proved to be entirely uneatable when served owing to a most penetrating taste of creosote that pervaded it. The fish dealer realized, although the charge was not made directly, that he was more than suspected of having sold a stale fish that had been washed or brushed with an antiseptic preparation to hide its condition. He knew that the salmon had been perfectly fresh when he sold it, and for some time he was puzzled in vain over the problem. But suddenly he remembered that on the day the fish was sent out a tank wagon full of creosote had stopped before his place and that his cart, into which the fish was being placed, was directly alongside of the powerful stuff. That appears to have been enough to permeate the delicate flesh of the fish.

Woe's Morpheus With Pictures.

"I have found a cure," said a physician, "for a person who isn't chronically afflicted with insomnia, but who temporarily cannot sleep. It is a curious thing that the picture of a person yawning will almost invariably induce sleep."

"Try it yourself some time if you come across such a photograph. For the life of you you can't help yawning after a moment, and persistent yawning at the sleepy head will almost inevitably send you to the couch for a nap."

New York Times.

THE POPULAR DRUG STORE.

Strict attention to every detail of the drug business, low prices, and giving our people just the thing they ask for, have all contributed to make our establishment the popular drug store of the town. Physicians' prescriptions filled with accuracy and dispatch. We invite you to call and examine our large stock of perfumes and new toilet preparations.

Paine's Celery Compound
At this time, when thousands are suffering from headache, nervousness, dyspepsia, impure blood, liver complaint and kidney troubles, we can strongly recommend Paine's Celery Compound. This wonderful medicine is the prescription of an eminent physician. Try one bottle; it will give you cheering results. Our stock of Paine's Celery Compound is always fresh.

C. H. Gunn & Co., Druggists, Chatham, Ont.
1st & 30

THE NEW JOURNALIST.

His Remarks on Lynching Cause Him a Heap of Trouble.

"I was in the newspaper business once myself," laughed the portly party. "When I left college, I decided that nothing but a burning water to the strenuous life that I proposed to lead. In looking over the situation I realized that the eastern field was too cramped for my swelling ambition, so I decided upon the west as the only spot where my budding genius could properly expand unhampered by the conventionalities of the east."

"Well, I found a small town in the west where there was no paper and proceeded at once to fill a long felt want. Soon after I had established my great molder of opinion a lynching took place, and I felt that the situation called for the river to save some person who is about to drown—these are the persons who confront what I would call extraordinary dangers, and the worn platitude of saying of one of these 'he took his life in his hands' would not fit the case because there would be in the act an element of heroism which would place it much above the commonplace."

"What can I do for you, gentlemen?" I asked, realizing that I was facing a condition, not a theory.

"We're kin yere," said the spokesman, "and you see we don't take no shine to that thar article of yours 'bout lynching.' Our first impression was to bring a rope along with us; but we remembered what you said to let you know that we've had our first think. We'll be yere again tomorrow."

"I took the hint and the first train out of town."—Detroit Free Press.

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Queen Victoria lived to a glorious old age, but the very best care was taken of her health. She never suffered from headache, indigestion or dyspepsia, brought on in most cases by negligence at one time or another. "Climax" Iron Tonic Pills cure such complaints. Each box contains ten days' treatment. Price 25 cents, at all druggists, or mailed on receipt of price. Address: The Dr. Hall Medicine Co., Kingston, Ont.

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The Northway Co., Limited The Busy Cash Store The Northway Co., Limited

Two Days of Good Bargain Buying

Our store news for To-day and Wednesday is "bubbling over" with big money saving suggestions. We have arranged to make these days of exceptional interest to shoppers far and near. Every item in this list hint at big economy for careful buyers.

LOW PRICED LINENS.

60 in. Pure Linen Cream Damask, firm, heavy quality, in choice design, special per yard 50c.

60 in. Heavy Union Damask Tableing, half bleach finish, special per yard 40c and 35c.

36 in. Cream Table Linen, firm union quality, in choice patterns, extra good value at per yard 25c.

Irish Bleached Table Linen, two yards wide, pure linen, in excellent designs, special at per yard 50c.

2 yards wide Cream Table Linen, extra heavy pure quality, in desirable patterns, at per yard 75c.

Pure Bleached Irish Linens, 68 in. and 72 in. wide, satin finish, new designs, special at per yard 60c and 75c.

Bleached Double Damask Tableing, extra heavy, satin finish, grass bleach, special at per yard 90c and \$1.00.

Superior Quality Double Damask, rich satin finish, dew bleached, rich designs, two yards wide, special per yard \$1.25.

UNDERWEAR NAPKINS.

5-8 Size Irish Linen Napkins, choice designs, at per day, 50c, 60c, 75 and \$1.00.

3-4 size fine Linen Napkins, a specially good range of new patterns, matching values at per doz., \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

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—25 pieces new seasonable dress goods 40 inches to 11-2 yards wide, in home-spuns, chevrons, diagonals, checks; tweeds and fancy weaves, regular values, 50c, 60c, 75c, and 90c per yard, Special for Tuesday and Wednesday, 25c.

Shaker Flannels, cheap—600 yards extra wide, heavy shaker flannels, in choice stripe patterns, light and dark, fast colors, special per yard 25c.

Wool sheeting, 2 yards wide—Fine pure clean finish, twill weave in white and grey, all wool, special per yard 65c.

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Scotch Linoleum, direct from the mills at Kircaldy, Scotland, 1 1-2, 2 and 4 yards wide, superior quality, warranted in wear, new designs, matchless value at per square yard 50c.

Misses Reecer Coats, smart styles, in plain and rough finish cloths, all fashionable shades, worth up to \$3.50 each, 11 only in the lot, clearing at \$1.98.

Under Priced Underwear—25 dozen men's extra quality fleeced and fine Scotch knit wool shirts and drawers, the best 75c goods in the city, clearing at each 50c.

Children's Elder Coats, in plain and fancy colorings, very pretty styles, nicely trimmed, at each \$1.40, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00.

Ladies Ready-to-Wear Skirts, in chevrons, serges and frizes, latest dress and walking styles, handsomely finished, lined and unlined, rare values at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

MILLINERY SNAPS—Pretty styles in children's bonnets, clearing at each 75c, 50c and 25c.

Ladies trimmed hats, correct styles, at much less than regular value, at each \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.50.

Ladies Astrachan Gauntlets, in fine grey or black curl, wool lined, latest faced, special a pair at \$1.00 and 75c.

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Frame house, two storeys, 12 rooms, Lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000.00.

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Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 ft. \$800.00.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good stable, \$1,100.

Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet.

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Farm in Chatham Township, 110 acres. All cleared. Good house, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. Will trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part payment.

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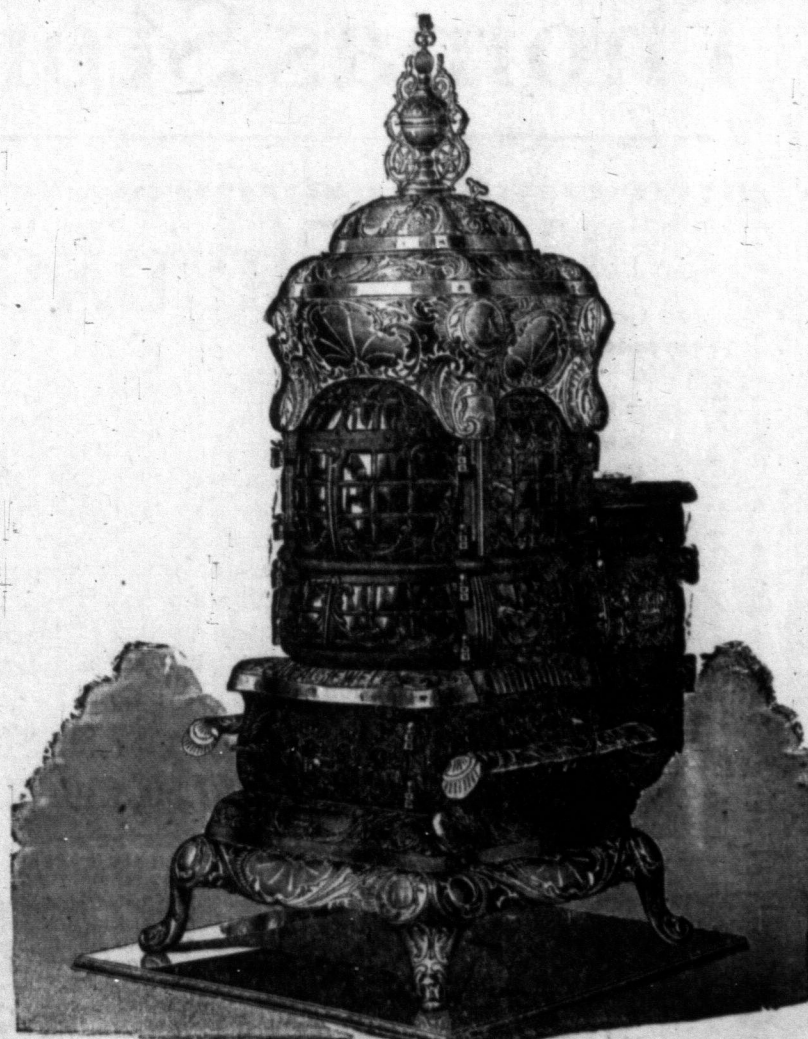
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Local Budget

Oliver Johnston, Taylor avenue, is quite sick.

E. Cahill, of West Lorne, was in the city on Saturday.

J. W. Campbell, of Stewart, was in the city on Saturday.

Robert McDermott, of Dresden, was in the city on Saturday.

Hugh McDonald, of Ridgeway, spent Saturday in the city.

G. W. Allen has accepted a position on the Lake Erie train service.

M. Campbell, of Fletcher, called on his Maple city friends on Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. J. Watts, of Thamesville, and Mrs. John Roddy, of London, spent Saturday in the city.

R. C. Burt is engaged in stuffing some deer heads for James T. Houston, T. Lane and F. Houston.

Ralph C. Ripley arrived in the city this morning from Sarnia. He returned to Sarnia this evening.

The young son of Bert Ward fell on the slippery sidewalk yesterday and severely dislocated his shoulder bone.

Harry Hewson has secured a lucrative position in Bothwell with Dickerson's and Dickerson's, gent's furnishing store.

The work in the saw mill at Drader's will be finished this week and by the end of the week will have enough heading to last all winter.

J. Darling, who for the past few weeks has been employed by the Lake Erie Ry., has accepted a position with the Chatham Manufacturing Co.

The Wallaceburg Copperage Co. have commenced to build a new stove mill on the site of the former Steinhoff & Gordon Mill. D. A. Gordon is the president of the company. A number of Chatham gentlemen are interested.

Harvey Shasta and Henry Fritz, of Pontiac, Michigan, were in the city on Saturday. Messrs. Shasta and Fritz are expert machine workers, and while in the city they examined the Dowsley Works and pronounced it up-to-date in every particular.

The L. E. & D. R. R. are putting in a car of coal for the Binder Twine Company and also one for the Dowsley Co. The Binder Twine Co. will be running in a few days. Park Bros. are fitting up the boiler and engine and the 40 machines are being put into running shape. They have five carloads of machinery on the premises ready for work.

THE DISTRICT

MULL.

Messrs. Tschirhart and Eberle, of Chatham, were here on business last Monday.

Geo. O. Hunt, of Cassadaga, N. Y., is the guest of his father, Chas. Hunt, of this place.

A number of young folks attended the test-seeing held in Huffman's Corners' Church last Monday.

Miss Carole Jacques, of Blenheim, is the guest of Mrs. James Hildreth.

NORTHWOOD.

Most of the farmers have their fall work nearly closed. Fall wheat is looking well in this section.

Tanner Hopper says he has husked 2,600 bushels of corn this season.

Arthur Lush, of Thamesville, called on his Northwood friends Sunday evening.

Peter Osterhout was seen driving on the River Road Sunday evening.

A number of Magna Villa young men attended church at Northwood Sunday evening.

The attendance at both churches was fair, considering the bad weather.

Thomas Jewell is well pleased. It is a boy.

The members of the Epworth League decided to have a picnic social at the home of E. Boyle, on Dec. 4. Everybody welcome.

A. W. Le Gallias is improving his house with a new verandah.

Walter Osterhout is much improved from his illness.

Walter Hales was driving near Thamesville Sunday.

Sam Newcomb called on friends up the 3rd concession Sunday.

CHABING CROSS.

The school is preparing for a grand concert to be held on the 27th. An excellent program has been prepared by the teachers and young folks of this vicinity.

Mrs. C. W. Howlett was visiting in our town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McFarney are all smiles. It is a daughter.

Miss Bessie O'Rourke is the guest of her cousins, the Misses Meloche, this week.

A. Hogan has returned from his trip to the Northwest.

Ed. Chambers, of Fargo, renewed old acquaintances here last week.

Miss E. Walker visited her sister, Mrs. A. Smith, of Dover, last week.

W. A. Melochie, M. C. R. Kineman, of St. Thomas, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Rev. and Mrs. Thompson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Smith last week.

A few of the young folks attended Miss Mary Wilson's school concert at Darrell.

Mrs. J. Cleve, formerly of this place, now of Quinn, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. D. Walker, of the Blenheim Road.

Thos. Waddick, of Doyle, spent Sunday among friends in Harwich.

The Dobbey Bros. have purchased a farm in Romney where they intend to reside in the near future. They will be missed by their many friends of this place.

Wm. Walker, of the Walker House, spent Sunday the guest of M. A. Wright, of the 10th concession.

A. Jacobs spent Sunday the guest of his brother, C. Jacobs.

Quite an excitement was caused here Sunday by the Vanderbilt special, which passed through on the M.

CONSUMPTION

Is like the constrictor which drops its coils around its victim and slowly tightens them until life is extinguished.

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C. R. at about ninety miles per hour. The company had all the time watching the highways and switches so that nothing could get on the track.

WABASH.

Will Wiles, Elgin Holmes and Geo. Poag are cutting wood for Geo. Anderson off the Cameron lot.

Will Liberty has returned to Tryon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Irwin spent Saturday at the Maple City.

John Dougherty is building a new henhouse. Wm. Carrel is doing the carpenter work.

Mrs. Moses Wilson has bought a new Bell organ.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark, of Ridgeway, were the guests of Mrs. Truesdale on Saturday and Sunday.

John Boyd, of Port Burwell, is the guest of David Cutler.

Rev. Mr. Johnston conducted the prayer meeting on Thursday evening.

The Wabash Sunday school, purpose having a Xmas entertainment on the evening of Dec. 20th.

Herbert Traxler has returned home from the West.

Levi Truesdale is home on a visit.

CHATHAM TOWNSHIP.

Miss Mary Wilson has been re-engaged as teacher for S. S. No. 7 for the year 1932.

James Clancy, M. P., was the guest of Henry Langdon on Friday.

MCKAY'S CORNERS.

Alex. Clark, teacher at McCully's school, spent Saturday at the Eau Claire for ducks. He reports the duck are plentiful but hard to get at.

Communion services will be held in St. James church at 11 a. m. on Dec. 8th.

Mrs. E. Clark's condition has improved considerably during the past week and now has considerable hopes of recovery.

The village and vicinity was well represented at the Whitney mass meeting in Ridgeway on the 21st. Some lively discussions on live questions of the day as the result.

Mrs. Will Parsons and Miss VonCamp have returned from visiting friends in Ridgeway for the past few days.

Mrs. John Galbraith gives a Ladies Aid tea on Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Dr. McBride is a delegate to the Conservative convention and reports that prospects of candidate Davidson to be bright.

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Love in a girl of sixteen is hero worship.

Theatrical

It is certainly refreshing to see such a pure and wholesome comedy as "A Brace of Partridges." The presentation of this laugh-provoking play at the Grand Opera House last evening afforded real enjoyment to all, fortunate enough to be present, and that wasn't any too many.

The amusement of the piece lies in the funny situations two cousins get into by being mistaken for each other. It is real funny to see the right girl kissing the wrong fellow.

Free from horse play that characterizes most so-called comedies, "A Brace of Partridges" is of more than ordinary merit.

ONE MAN'S LUCK.

Steered into a Junior Partnership by a Chance Gust of Wind.

"Speaking of taking in partners," said a downtown business man, "our junior was, you might say, blown in on us, and I saw him started in our direction, though I had no idea of it at the time."

"Going down town one summer morning on a Ninth avenue elevated train I saw sitting opposite to me a young man who caught my fancy, a substantial, earnest, straightforward looking chap, whose looks I liked first rate. He was reading a paper, and presently he tore off from his paper an advertisement leaf that he didn't want and threw it out of a window or tried to, for as a matter of fact it didn't go out. A gust of wind with just the right twist to it came along at just that moment and blew the paper back to fall on a vacant seat next to him."

"And as it fell something in it caught his eye, and he picked up that part which he had just been trying to throw away and began earnestly to read it and ended up by folding it carefully and putting it in his pocket."

"About four minutes after I'd got in here that morning this same young man walks in and appeals for a place that we had been waiting for someone to fill. Our advertisement for a man for it was in that paper which I had seen this young man try to throw away, and which a gust of wind, by one chance in a million or more, had blown back upon him and in such a manner as to fix his attention."

"As a matter of fact I hadn't liked the young man's act of throwing the paper out of an elevated car window. A paper floating down and around as that would do might frighten horses and lead to no end of trouble and lots of damage, but no one man thinks about everything, and he'd learn better about this, I knew, and so as a matter of fact I took this young man on the spot on my first impressions of him. He far more than made good and in due course of time he came into his junior partnership, literally and truly blown into it."

"Sort of queer, eh?"

A CORDIAL RECEPTION.

The Book Agent Got One That Wasn't Intended For Him.

There is a farmer living just north of Evanston and a book agent soon where in the cosmopolitan city of Chicago each of whom feels that he is a victim of a cruel circumstance.

Last week the farmer had a note from a nephew to say that the boy would visit the farm on Thursday. Uncle and nephew had not met for fifteen years, and the old man drove to the station in his most comfortable coat that he might welcome his sister's child. But the young man failed to arrive. After waiting all the last passenger had disappeared the old man drove away disappointed.

The book agent entered into the dramatic persona early the next morning. Looking over the top rail of the barnyard gate, he called, "Hello, uncle!"

The book agent never got such a reception before in all his life. The farmer flung the gate wide open, seized the agent's hand and proposed a whiskered kiss on the forehead.

"Say, this must be heaven," murmured the agent, following the farmer into the house and explaining that everybody at home was as well as could be expected. Not till the agent was full of a boiled dinner and attempted to sell a book did the farmer begin to see a dim light. Charged with impudence, the missing nephew, the agent explained that he greeted all elderly strangers as "uncle," that he even had a few almost real ones in South Clark street in Chicago.

When last seen by the farmer, the agent was still running, and when the real nephew does come he may find an electric current in the latching.

The Best Man.

For the origin of "the best man at a wedding" we must go back many centuries, to days when it was the amiable practice of the budding bridegroom to dispense with the consent either of the lady or her father. He simply waited for a suitable opportunity to capture her and make a bolt with his bride. In this enterprise he found it helpful to have the services of a friend who would assist him in the capture and keep the pursuers at bay until he had got a sufficiently long start. This friend was the prototype of the "best man" of our own unromantic day, when his duties are limited to seeing that the bridegroom doesn't leave the ring behind him or leave the church without taking his hat with him. How times do change!

Love in a girl of sixteen is hero worship.

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FOR SALE—Cutting box, new, in exchange for wood. Apply at The Planet office. 1c

FOR SALE—Winchester Repeating shotgun, 12 gauge; also 18 gauge hammerless double barreled shotgun. A. C. McKay, Planet Office.

SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria avenue, and six on Maple street. For full particulars apply to S. Stephenson, Planet office.

TO RENT—House on Lowe street, containing five rooms, pantry and summer kitchen, also good cistern; rent four dollars per month. Apply to O. B. Hahn. 10c

FOR SALE—House and lots on Grant street, centrally located, next to E. Jordan's. Will be sold cheap. For particulars address A. J. McCas, 18 Oxford street, Toronto, or at The Planet office. 1c

FOR SALE—\$500 will buy one and a half acres on Victoria avenue. \$200 will buy two lots in one block on Maple street. Apply at Planet office.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—125 Wellington St. West; lot 56 x 208. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to Jno. A. Tilt. 1c

FARM FOR SALE—Being Lot 26, con. 2, East Communication Road, Township of Harwich, containing 50 acres, more or less, about 10 acres bush land, the rest under cultivation, well fenced and drained; good frame house, milk house, good frame stable and granary, and other outbuildings. For further particulars apply to Duncan Johnson, on premises, or address Chatham P. O. 1c

STW 15d

FARM FOR SALE

Fifty-three acres in Harwich township, Lot 15, Con. 5, about seven miles from Chatham. Five acres of good bush land. Barn 30x56, 24 foot posts, shed 30x60, 22 foot posts, with stone foundations, and stable. Two storey frame house, containing 9 rooms, on first class young orchard. The buildings are all new and in good repair. Two good wells. For particulars apply to Daniel Chas. Chatham P. O., or on the premises.

DOG LOST—Llewlyn Setter, white with some black markings, name Dash. Last seen at Joseph Hamill's, Howard Town Line. Any person harboring or retaining the dog will be prosecuted. E. W. Scane. Nov. 12, 1931. 1c

ST. THOMAS Business COLLEGE

Four applications from other business colleges for teachers, is our record for last week. We cannot supply the demand on our school for such help.

We do not place 300 students in positions in one year; neither do any other Canadian College. No ONE Canadian College ever prepared 300 students for office work in one year. These are facts that cannot be contradicted.

We stake our reputation upon EDUCATIONAL RESULTS, and will refund the money to any student who is not satisfied with the instruction given in our school, after a trial of one month.

Now is the best time to enter.

H. T. GOUGH, Principal, St. Thomas, Ont.

The Best

IT PAYS BEST IN THE END

Have seen the catalogue of the CANADA BUSINESS COLLEGE, Chatham, Ont.

If not, you are not yet familiar with the best TRAINING, SHORTHAND and PENMANSHIP. We have supplied more teachers for other business schools than all other Canadian business colleges combined.

300 of our pupils have secured good positions during the past year. Send for list and handsome catalogue.

Good board for ladies at \$2 per week, guests \$2.50.

We pay railway fare. If circumstances will not allow you to attend at Chatham, you can get INSTRUCTIONS BY MAIL, in book-keeping, shorthand or PENMANSHIP from Canada's greatest school of Business, by addressing D. MCLELLAN & CO., Chatham, Ont.

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Sportsmen!

YOU CAN BUY

Schulze and Dupont Powder, Dupont, Schulze and Robin Hood Smokeless Loaded Cartridges

WESTMAN BROS.

ALL AT CLOSE PRICES

**Fresh
Baltimore
Oysters
at
RICHARDS'**

**G. W. Cornell
DENTIST**

Cor. 6th and King Streets
Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

TO-NIGHT.

24th Regimental Band practice,
at 8 p. m.

"D" Company drill, at drill hall, at
8 o'clock.

Encampment degree team, Oddfel-
lows' Temple, 8 o'clock.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

For storm doors and storm windows
on short notice go to Blonde Bros.
1w d&w

Mrs. John Lamont, Raleigh street,
fell off a chair yesterday and broke
two ribs.

R. J. Bartlett, of the Lake Erie Ry.
freight offices, is confined to his
home through illness.

Jack Johnson, Raleigh, and Milton
Pritchard returned on Saturday
from the Joy Club with a good bag of
ducks.

Principal Flewett, of the Model
Muel school reports that quite a num-
ber of the pupils have already entered
schools.

Mrs. S. S. Koffage and Miss E. L.
Borrowman were in Merion today,
attending the wedding of Miss Maggie
M. Hickey, and Gordon S. Borrow-
man.

A new purse was recently lost on
Grant or Headstreet, or on the fourth
cession of Chatham township. The
finder will be rewarded by leaving it
at this office.

The services of Miss Aylesworth,
sister of Miss Victoria Aylesworth,
have been secured to assist at the Mc-
Keough school kindergarten, till after
Christmas closing exercises.

Neckwear of a distinguished tone.
These are shipped into all the smart-
est of the prevailing styles by the
best neckwear designers. A feature
of this new and comprehensive neck-
wear stock is the surprising qual-
ities and styles we sell for 50c. This
2 Ts.

The civic lighting department have
put up two new poles on Victoria ave-
nue at Selkirk street, to replace the
poles formerly in use there, which
were too low. The poles at the corner
Joseph and Head streets were also
moved a little closer together so as to
make the span a little shorter, and
thus raise the lamp.

The death took place on Saturday
forenoon of Florence, wife of William
Pearse, aged 23, from typhoid fever,
of which she had been ill for three
weeks. Deceased had been married
for three years, and had come here
from Chatham, where her mother,
Mrs. Thos. Hughes, resides. Deceased
was born in Worcestershire, Eng-
land, and was a member of the Meth-
odist Church.

Did You Notice

That the thermometer took a sud-
den drop last night, and that this is
the sort of weather which produces
heavy colds. If you have taken a
chill we cannot do better than to ad-
vise you to try a bottle of our Blood-
root Cough Cure, which the people of
this vicinity are fast learning to re-
cognize as the best Cough Cure on the
market. Price, 25 cents a bottle. For
sale only by

A. I. McCall & Co., Sole Proprietors

RARE CHARITY

A Somewhat Costly Contribu-
tion to the Mission Work
of the Church.

If a certain esteemed Maple City
matron had paused to realize the in-
tense solicitude that would overtake
her dear husband, she could hardly
have been so eager to furnish the la-
dies of the First Presbyterian Church
with articles for their "Rummage
Sale."

Many curious incidents arise from
diligent church work, but, judging
from the blighting frost which has
fallen upon a recent generous endow-
ment, the number of good contributors
to future rummage sales will be de-
creased by one.

Last week the ladies of the First
Presbyterian Church held a bazaar,
described as a rummage sale, whereby
articles that had outlived their use-
fulness to their owners were disposed
of and much money added thereby to
the church finances.

One busy lady was charged with a
commendable desire to assist, and,
with much haste, prepared a parcel.

THE VERDICT

Coroner's Jury Present Their
Finding re the Unknown Kill-
ed on the G. T. R.

The jury which was empaneled
to enquire into the case of the death
of the unknown man who was killed
on the G. T. R. track a few days ago
brought in the following verdict at the
inquest last night:

The unknown man came to his
death on Tuesday, Nov. 19, 1901,
about three miles east of the city
of Chatham on the track of the Grand
Trunk Railway, in the Township of
Harwich, County of Kent, owing to
injuries received from his having
been struck by a train and that he
was in a state of sobriety when last
seen.

A number of train hands and sec-
tion men were the only witnesses be-
side the medical testimony. The train
hands gave evidence as to seeing the
man struck. They told the station
master, who sent some section men
to get the body. Dr. B. V. Bly
testified as to the injuries received
by deceased.

No clue has yet been found as to
the man's identity.

SEVENTY-FIVE MEN BURIED UNDER RUINS OF FACTORY

Penberthy Injector Co's Boiler Exploded this Morning in
Detroit, Killing Probably 50 Workmen and injuring
a Score More.

Special To The Planet.

Detroit, Nov. 26.—The most fright-
ful explosion since the Journal build-
ing catastrophe occurred this morn-
ing at 9.30 o'clock, when the boiler
of the Penberthy Injector Co., at
Brooklyn and Abbott streets, let go.
There were 150 men, girls and boys,
employed in the plant, and of these it
was thought that 50 or 60 were buried
in the debris.

The walls collapsed, falling in and
imprisoning the workmen under the
floors and roof, escape being impos-
sible for those who were luckless
enough to be employed in this part of
the plant.

Immediately flames shot up and the
space was soon enveloped in smoke,
through which came the shrieks of
the imprisoned, who saw a horrible
death in store for them unless res-
cuers were quick to respond.

The rescue work was difficult owing
to the immense amount of bricks,
timbers and machinery piled on the
victims.

With picks and shovels, hands and
picks the firemen worked.

The crowd grew to immense propor-
tions, so that the police had difficulty

in keeping people out of the way of
the struggling firemen. It was feared
the walls of the main building
might fall, owing to the shock, and
ropes were stretched to hold back the
mob.

Ben, Brett, of 278 Eliot street, work-
ing on the second floor, was blown out
of the building and badly bruised. As
he recovered sufficiently from the
shock he said:

"Only a few, perhaps 20, got out.
The only way the others will ever get
out is by being carried out. I saw
Joe Scherman, who was working on
the second floor, climb out the front
window."

MANAGER JOHNSON'S STATEMENT
S. O. Johnson, manager of the com-
pany, made this statement:

"I think that there are 50 killed in
all. The building that was blown up
contained 75 employees, mostly men.
It was 54 by 100 feet, and is a com-
plete wreck. There were 75 employees
in the other building, 60 by 100, and
some of them are hurt. The company
has \$70,000 fire insurance and some
boiler insurance. The building that
was wrecked by the explosion was
worth \$6,000."

SAID SHE WAS A MURDERESS.

Ithaca, Mich., Nov. 25.—Constable
Henry Wood was called this morning
in the Quimby case and testified to
the language used by Mrs. Quimby on
the morning of May 20 to the effect that
she was a murderess, but asked not
to be arrested until her children were
buried. "Then," she said, "you can do
what you have a mind to do now."

A statement made by respondent to
the prosecutor and taken down in
short-hand was excluded by the court
because the original notes were not
produced in court. Chas. H. Chase,
editor of the Journal, was called and
testified to a statement of respondent
made to him on the morning of May
20, in which she admitted giving the
morpine and gave her reasons for
it, and as to interview between her-
self and Quimby on Sunday night,
when she went to see him at the
house of his brother, George Quimby.

THE PORTE'S POVERTY.

Constantinople, Nov. 23.—Never has
the Turkish government been in such
financial straits as at the present
time. It is impossible to see how the
expenses of the Ramadan and Bar-
am, due in December and January,
and involving \$200,000, can be met.
The Ottoman Bank utterly refuses
to make any more advances, and the
penury is so acute that even the
troops in many of the provinces are
unpaid. The consequence is that
there have been mutinies in several
districts. Hostile demonstrations
here recently have only been quieted
by the authorities hastily scraping to-
gether a few thousand pastres as
something on account. The discon-
tent in the army forms the real
danger of the situation.

TELEGRAPH

G. L. Reed, near London, Ont., drop-
ped dead.

Thomas W. Holmes, of Chesterville,
hanged himself.

A C. P. R. sectionman named Peeter
was killed near White river.

An immense big slide occurred on
the west coast of Clare, Ireland.

John James Mackenzie, formerly
license inspector of Hamilton, died in
Chicago.

The Dominion Iron & Steel Company
contemplated an invasion of the Amer-
ican market.

When a Michigan Central freight
train was passing under the over head
bridge at Hagersville, Friday, some
boys who evidently had seen a wild
west show, tried to lasso Conductor
J. W. Campbell, who and his head out
of the cupola. Fortunately they mis-
sed the mark, or there would have been
a dead conductor. However, a pane of
glass was broken, and Detective
Heenan is on the trail of the embryo
cowboys.

The Chatham Loan and Sav- ings Company.

40th Half Yearly Dividend.

Notice is hereby given that a divid-
end at the rate of six per cent per an-
num upon the paid up capital stock of
this company has been declared this
day for the current half year ending
December, 31st, 1901, payable at the
Company's office after January 2nd,
1902.

The transfer books will be closed
from the 20th to the 31st of Decem-
ber inclusive.

By order of the Board.
S. F. GARDINER,
Manager.

Chatham, Nov. 26, 1901.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure
a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay.
Price 25 cents.

WANTED

WANTED—Teacher for School Section
No. 5, Camden; second class. Please
state salary. P. Smyth, Sec., Cro-
ton P. O., Ont. 2-3v

WANTED!—Experienced girl to
whom three dollars per week will
be paid. Mrs. John A. Morton,
third street. 10

GIRL WANTED—No washing or
sweeping. Good wages. Mrs.
Thomas, Canadian Bank of Com-
merce. 10t

WANTED—Male clerk wants position
for Saturdays. Speaks French and
English. Three years' experience in
general store. Address "Clerk,"
Planet Office. t21 w27 2td

SCHOOL TEACHER WANTED—For
S. S. No. 8, Raleigh, male or female,
qualifications and salary. Applica-
tions will be received up to 27th Dec.
HARVEY JENNER.

2wd
Charing Cross.

MALE TEACHER WANTED—For S.
S. No. 3, Harwich, duties to com-
mence January 3rd, 1902. Applica-
tions received up till Nov. 23rd. State
salary expected.

Address all communications to
AL HUFFMAN,
Secretary Treas.,
1w6d Fargo, Ont.

FARM FOR SALE

Farm for sale, being south half
1st 6, Con. 2, Township of Camden,
in the County of Kent, containing 100
acres. This property is situated about
2-1/2 miles west of Thamesville. The
farm is well fenced, and about forty
acres cleared, and the balance mostly
pasture lands, soil a sandy loam.
There is a frame barn and a good
frame house upon the premises, also
a good well of water, and about two
acres set out in fruit trees. For
terms, etc., apply to
BANK OF MONTREAL,
Chatham, Ont.

TO RENT—Store in the Grand Opera
House, lately occupied by P. Briscoe.
Apply to N. Mills, Dominion Loan
& Savings Co., London, Ont.

The Man from Glengarry

—BY—

RALPH CONNOR

I have just received a large sup-
ply from the publisher, and this is
the leading novel of the season.

Also 1000 Books of choice literature,
suitable for holiday presents and
winter evening reading.

R. Cooper

LEGAL.

W. F. SMITH—Barrister, Solicitor,
etc. Office, King street, west of
the Market. Money to loan on
Mortgages.

WILSON, KERR & PIKE—Barris-
ters, Solicitors of the Supreme
Court, Proctors in the Maritime
Court, Notaries Public, etc. Office,
Fifth street, Chatham, Ont.
Money to loan on mortgages at low-
est rates.

**THOMAS SOULLARD
Barrister**
25 Victoria Block, Chatham, Ont.
Money to Loan on
Land Security

For Mailing Abroad

We have now opened up and ready for your inspection our holiday line of

Calendars, Christmas Cards, Etc.,

By the world-famous makers Raphael Tuck & Sons, of London, Eng. Persons
desirous of sending Calendars and Cards abroad, by making selections now, may
have their mail reach destination in time for Christmas. If you care to make
selections now for later use goods will be stored until called for.

Dingman's Book Store, King Street Chatham.

Chatham's Greatest Store | C. AUSTIN, & CO. | Chatham's Cheapest Store

**Sale of Dress Goods, All at
Homespun, Friezes
Camels Hair and
Tweeds**

Worth 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 a yd.

50c

A Yard

Here's another snap. A gathering of fashionable up-to-
date suitings at half prices all told. A goodly assortment of
grays, browns, blacks and fancy. Read this list—then if you
are interested come and see the goods—

4 pieces Scotch Tweeds, 54 inches wide, regular \$1.00 value, extra heavy at 50c.	5 pieces fancy tweeds, regular price \$1.40 yard, pure Scotch wool, 56 inches wide at 50c.
4 pieces Plaid Skirting, 54 inches wide, regular price \$1.50, in dark colors at 50c.	3 pieces Friezes, black, brown and grey, 54 inches wide, for unlined skirts, at 50c.
6 pieces Homespuns, 54 inches, in greys, brown, navy and black, pure wool, 75c. for 50c.	Camel's Hair, 12 skirt lengths, plain fancy and plaid. These were priced from \$1.25 to \$1.75 per yard. All on sale at 50c.

Furs! Furs! Furs!

We want to emphasize the fact that every fur garment we sell is guaranteed
to be reliable or else your money will be refunded. If your outlay of Furs is lim-
ited to a capeline or a neck scarf, you'll find it much to your advantage to come
and see what we are showing and get our prices before buying. Our Capelines
and Neck Scarfs are made of guaranteed qualities.

Ladi s' Fur Boas Prices \$1.00, \$1.75, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$7; \$8.50, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$11.00 and \$12.00.	Ladies' Storm Collars With long tabs, prices from \$2.75 to \$25.00.
Ladies' Scalette Gauntlets Prices \$1.25.	Ladies' and Children's Astrachan Gauntlets Black and grey, prices 50c, 75c, and \$1.00.
Ladies' Fur Gauntlets In Astrachan and grey lamb, prices from \$3.00 to \$3.50.	

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

**CORRECT
CLOTHING**

We would not be in the clothing business to-day were
it a case of selling what has usually been allowed to pass
for ready-made clothing. Our ideal of cloth is that kind
made to give satisfaction to the most critical buyers. The
men who are particular that the clothes they wear are
correct in fit, correct in workmanship and correct in
material, because we measure up this ideal. The best
clothing trade of the city and country comes to us.

**A TRIPLE ALLIANCE
Style, Quality and Price**
Making a combination that meets the
demands of to-day at best possible
prices.

New Arrivals in Overcoats

Just opened up Monday morning, a
handsome range of the very popular
grey cheviot overcoats, dark Oxford
shading, Raglanette style, 48 inches
long, perfectly tailored, full range
sizes 34 to 42; a beauty at
\$12.00

The Best Overcoat

Men's swell Chinchilla overcoats,
heavy close curls, beautiful black
shading, wide facings, satin pipings,
sizes 34 to 44. The best values ever
shown, at
\$6, \$7.50 and \$10

**A Full Range of
Raglan Overcoats**

With Raglan sleeves and cuff, wide
facings, silk piping, perfect flitters,
nice wide grey shading, diagonal
twill, with vertical pockets; a nobby
coat
\$10.00

Our Tailor Made Dress Overcoat

Made from pure imported Beaver,
black and blue, all wool, color, va-
riated, wide facings and all edges
piped, made in the always popular
three-quarter lengths, No. 1 trim-
mings, sizes 34 to 46, with plain Italian
linings, at Ten, and half satin lined
quilted Thirteen Dollars.
\$10.00 and \$13.00

Men's Whipcord Top Coats

Made in the plain diagonal twills
the herringbone effects; also a very
special top coat made from extra qual-
ity box cloth, beautiful fawn shading,
gold lining, wide facings, wide piping,
creased pockets, cuff on sleeves.
Prices range at
\$7 \$10 and \$12.50

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT

**Great Neckwear
and Neckscarf Purchase**

Our Mr. Austin has been successful in putting a big snap on many lines when visit-
ing the eastern markets. Below we quote only two lines of the many we have ready
for your inspection.

NECKWEAR

We have just opened up an immense range of beautiful silk Neckwear. The
proper shapes—Knots, Four-in-Hands, Bows, Puffs, regular soc lines at 25c.

NECKSCARFS

The purchase of an immense range of Neck Mufflers, both made and squares, of
which we quote only one line, 75c lines regular, at 39c.

C. Austin & Co.

Our Prompt Delivery Service

Is still in first-class condition. The bad weather, of course, effects the delivery somewhat, but we can promise you your groceries when you want them, and in perfect condition.

Whether you telephone your order in or come in person, the same prompt delivery is promised.

You can depend on us.

FRESH LETTUCE
FINE CELERY
PARSNIPS
CARROTS
TURNIPS
CABBAGE
POTATOES
SWEET POTATOES

H. Malcolmson

Now

One month and you will need some little gift or gifts for friends and the following may suit at these special prices—

Pearl handle knives and forks at per dozen \$8.00.

Ladies silver and gunmetal watches at \$2.50.

Birthday and gift rings, in solid gold, with all the different stones, at \$1.50.

Genuine ebony brushes at \$1.

Inspection Invited.

E. J. MacIntyre,

Good Groceries

Are very important to everyone. The goodness of what one eats ought to interest every one.

We have made a study of the grocery business and of the many lines that go to make up a first-class grocery stock.

We sell McLaren's Powdered Jellies and McLaren's Extracts because we believe them to be the best.

This week we are making a display of these goods in our window and have the jellies made up for you to taste, it will pay you to come in and try them. We have them in all flavors, the jellies are in a package, and the extracts in a 25c bottle.

Wm. Anderson

THE SAUGEN MINERAL WATER

—IS ON SALE AT THE—
Central Drug Store and
P. A. Roberts Liquor Store.
Use Saugen first thing in the morning and before retiring at night and you will have no trouble with your stomach, this we guarantee.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, Nov. 26.—10 a. m.—North-west to north winds, decreasing to night; a few local snow flurries, but mostly fair and colder. Wednesday, fair and cold.

The following official figures were registered at noon to-day at Burt's weather bureau:

Barometer 29.60.
Thermometer 30.
Highest yesterday 38.
Lowest yesterday 25.
Direction of wind, northwest.

Local Budget

J. Merritt, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday.

J. M. Innes, of Thamesville, was in the city yesterday.

D. A. Leitch, of Ridgeway, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Lindsay, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday.

John A. Waffle, of Dresden, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

F. M. Smith, of Wallaceburg, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

H. J. Parker, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. Underwood, of Perrin & Co., London, was in the city to-day.

The S. Hadley Co., are making some fine silent salesmen for Dingman.

W. E. Gundy, of Ridgeway, was in the city yesterday on legal business.

Maurice Stone, of the Tecumseh House, left yesterday for Philadelphia.

J. T. McDougall, of Wallaceburg, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.

R. M. Thompson, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday on legal business.

The Dominion Loan & Savings Co., London, has a store for rent in the Opera House Block.

Special sale of Shetland floss, 6 cents a skein, all colors, at Sulman's (Beehive, Garner House Block).

King Buffalo is a high class cigar, that is sold for five cents at all leading cigar stores and by druggists.

Jack McCoig, the manager of the mineral bath house, is now in charge. The roof is on and the building is rapidly nearing completion.

The ladies of Christ Church Guild will hold a sale of cooking on Tuesday and Wednesday next, in the store next to Hall's Cafe.

Chatham degree staff will meet to-night in full dress with orchestra in attendance in the Auditorium for the last rehearsal before they visit Windsor.

"We were very much pleased with the design you sent. It was beautiful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Telephone No. 181.

The county blows \$5 to \$10 in seeking advice in regard to burying a friendless man and couldn't pay the undertaker. Nothing like spending your money to the best interests, gentlemen, and let the dead bury their dead."—Drowler.

DR. RUSSELL DENTIST.

Cor. King & 5th Sts., over Merch's Bank
PHONE 270. Chatham
Evening Appointments by Appointment.

Overcoat Elegance

Need not be overcoat extravagance, for no matter at what price you buy a coat of us, it will be made up in the latest style. Every detail is entrusted to competent and careful workmen. The way a coat is put together has just as much to do with the elegance of its appearance as the fabric of which it is composed.

That's why our Overcoats at wholesale price have a distinctive air about them that ordinary coats do not possess.

Call and inspect
Our Goods . . .

SCOTT & CO.,

Chatham's Leading Clothiers.

Styles and Fabrics In Gentlemen's Garb

With the autumn weather comes the demand for heavier clothing, with the autumn tints come the new designs and colorings in fabrics, and in these days changes are as radical in men's wear as in ladies.

MORLEY & CO.

Tailors, Etc., keep close tab on all style changes in men's garments. We have learned that they appreciate the high-class, and we are showing the latest designs in all the best makes of imported goods.

An Inspection Invited.

King Street MORLEY & CO. Fine Tailors

Thomas Donnelly, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday.

Alex. Wallace, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday.

Benson James, of Cleveland, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

J. C. Markle, of Sarina, is calling on his friends in the city to-day.

Mike Hatton, King street, is confined to his home through illness.

A. E. McDonald, of Wallaceburg, was a guest in the city yesterday.

The Waterworks Company are putting down a six inch main on Dover St.

G. P. Schofield and Judge Houston are spending the day in Raleigh quail shooting.

Miss Dorothy Sheldon, Murray street, is spending the day in Blenheim.

The Gas Company are going to test their three new gas engines this afternoon.

Harry Massey, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is improving slowly.

Miss Maud Capman has accepted a position as assistant in Dr. Russell's dental office.

M. J. Wilson, of Harwich, has announced his intention to run for councillor in Harwich.

The heavy steel flooring on the front of the shops at the gas works is being put down to-day by Park Bros.

When you ask for a five cent cigar you want the best. Try our "King Buffalo" and you will smoke another.

Miss Thompson, who has been visiting Mrs. R. S. Dunlop, Park avenue, west, for the past six weeks, has returned to her home in Florence.

Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Thornton and family leave to-day for Brussels, where they will spend Thanksgiving Day with Rev. and Mrs. John Holmes.

Park Bros. have received the contract from the Dowsley Company to make a bulldozing machine which will weigh between five and six tons, for the axle department.

James H. Gardiner, a student of last year's session of the Canada Business College, has secured a position with the Northern Elevator Company, of Winnipeg.

Miss Jessie Tyndall, gold medalist in the shorthand department of the C. B. C. in 1900, has left a position with the Pelham Nursery Company of Toronto to accept a better one with the Canada Furniture Co., also of Toronto.

Chatham Encampment No. 10, I. O. O. F. degree team will hold a rehearsal to-night. This will be the last rehearsal of the team before they go to Windsor on Thursday to occupy the Encampment work to the Windsor Lodge.

A certain young man, employed at Gray's, whose home is down East was asked by a fellow employee if he was going home for Christmas. He replied, "No, I don't think I will. I think I will lay for Easter." And his comrades began to laugh uproariously.

A. E. Wilson, of Wallaceburg, an old C. C. I. boy, who has been connected with the Metropolitan Insurance Company at Wallaceburg, has accepted a position under J. W. Aitken, inspector of the London & Lancashire Insurance Co. in this city.

The occasion was the birthday of Mrs. James Baxter, and her children and a few relatives assembled last evening at the residence of her son, Chas. Baxter, Adelaide street, to celebrate the natal day. Mrs. Baxter was 78 yesterday, and is still enjoying good health and unimpaired faculties.

"Chain Shot," 2:06 1-2 trotter, the sensational new trotting gelding of the year, is by Red Hart, son of Red Wilkes. Red Wilkes is the sire of D. McLaughlin's trotting bred stallion, High Noon. High Noon possesses the blood of some of the greatest trotters the world has ever produced, such as Maud S., Goldsmith, Brightlight and others.

Some excitement was caused in the corridors of the post office yesterday by a little colored "gal" calling a white girl "white trash." A lively set-to consisting of hairpulling and scratching was then to be seen, which might have resulted fatally had not a brave ex-alderman stepped in and parted the miscreants. Another medal is due.

Chief of Police Macrae arrived in this city this morning with a warrant for John McGee. With the assistance of P. C. Dodson, he located his man at the factory of William Gray & Sons, where he was working. The Bothwell officer returned at noon with his prisoner, who is wanted on the charge of stealing brass from the engine of the Bothwell Dairy Co.

James A. Campbell, a student of the C. B. C. in 1893, has been appointed manager of the New York Life Insurance Company at St. Paul, Minn. Wm. Wood and R. Johnson also left the college at the same time as did Mr. Campbell. Mr. Johnson now holds a responsible position with the Northern Pacific Railway Company, and Mr. Wood, when last heard from, had charge of the stores department of the Northern Pacific Railway at Acanda, Mont. This speaks well for the training given to scholars in this college.

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Mrs. Red, Foster street, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is somewhat better to-day.

Thomas W. McCallum and C. G. Brownlee, of Blenheim, were Chatham visitors on Saturday.

At a meeting of the directors of the Chatham Loan and Savings Company to-day, a dividend was declared at the rate of six per cent per annum for the current half year ending December 31st, 1901, and William Ball, Esq., was elected as a director of the Company to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Robert Ferguson, Esq., M. P. P.

The building lots offered for sale on William street and Dufferin Avenue, near the Park St. Methodist Church, by D. McLaughlin, are among the most most desirable locations in the city to-day. Dufferin Avenue has very little traffic on it, and is therefore one of the cleanest and healthiest streets in the city. It is also very convenient to church, school and market, and is about midway between the G. T. R. and C. P. R. stations. There are still some of these lots left. 6d1w

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"You are ill, sir," he said. "Do come in and let me fix you up a cordial."

"Yes, I believe I am ill," replied Arthur, hoarsely.

When he had drained the cordial which the man brought him, something like life came back to him, although the haggard, ghastly look did not leave his face.

"Do not say anything about my illness," he said. "It is passing now. It was but a sudden, fierce pain in my heart. I am better."

"You may be better," thought the porter, "but you look awfully ill."

"I shall take the first train back to New York," he continued.

"You will have barely time, then, to catch it, sir," said the porter.

He had no time to spare, and he set about making his preparations at once.

He had plenty of time for thought as the train whirled on to New York, and to lay out his plans for the future which was to be spent without Ione.

"I will not give up to my sorrow—give way to it by recklessness and dissipation. I will show her that I am a man of too strong a will to do that—and too brave. I will plunge into business, and by hard work seek to forget."

Great was the surprise in Mr. Rochester's household when Arthur returned home, and so soon.

"What could have altered handsome, bonny Mr. Arthur so in two short days?" the servants asked themselves in wonder.

Arthur was thankful now that he had not spoken to his aunt and Elaine, his father's ward, about his approaching marriage to Ione, and that no one knew it save his father. To him he simply stated that the affair was broken off. Gentlemen never discuss such matters together in detail; and, although Mr. Rochester was much amazed, he asked no questions, accepting such information as his son chose to vouchsafe. He was secretly pleased, however, for again the hope sprang up in his heart that in time Arthur might learn to care for Elaine Granger. If they were to marry, the hope of his life would be realized.

He was too wise to make such a proposition to Arthur a second time, and have it rejected.

Arthur Rochester plunged heart and soul into the vortex of business, and in hard work sought solace for his woes. It was beneficial, as it gave him little time for thought or brooding.

If occasionally a beautiful, wistful, girlish face, with clustering, nut-brown curls around it, and a pair of beautiful, appealing, dark, velvety eyes rose before his mental vision, he would banish it at once by working all the harder.

If she could be happier with his rival than with himself, he must not complain, he told himself.

"You are working yourself to death," Arthur, Elaine told him one day. "You are growing quite pale and thin, and that will never do."

"It does not matter much," he replied, wearily.

"But it does matter," persisted Elaine. "It pains me to the heart to see you looking so pale and weary."

The sympathy of beautiful Elaine pleased him. He bent his dark, handsome head over the little white hands, and kissed them in a chivalrous fashion. He was dismayed to see the whiteness that crept over the girl's face, followed the next instant by a burning blush. She drew her hands quickly from his clasp, and hurried out of the room without uttering a word. Indeed, she could not. Her heart was beating tumultuously.

"He is beginning to care for me at last," she murmured to herself, as she hurried to her own room. "At last the dream of my life may be realized. I would give my fortune—my very life—for his love. Oh, Arthur, Arthur, you will never know how much I care for you!"

That was the first intimation Arthur had that his father's ward was more than ordinarily interested in him, and the knowledge troubled him.

He tried to put the idea from him at first—tried to laugh at it, but it was in vain. The uncomfortable conviction grew daily, yet there were times when he told himself that it must be only his fancy, simply that and nothing more.

He was a gentleman, not a coxcomb. He was not so vain a man as to believe that every woman who looked at him was in love with him. He told himself that he was doing Elaine an injustice, attaching undue importance to her every word and action.

Still, many things made him pause and think.

She certainly evinced great preference for him; she was never so happy as with him. She would give up any engagement, any promised pleasure, to be with him. She consulted him on most things; she seemed to identify her interests with his. All this might be the result of years of friendship, for she had been an inmate of her guardian's household since childhood. It might have nothing to do with love, yet it seemed very like it.

He reproached himself for the thought; yet, do what he would, he could not drive it away. The suspicion haunted him; it made him miserable. If it was really so, what was he to do?

He watched Elaine carefully, and seriously. Surely there was no mis-

the earliest period and attend to the matter in person.

"It will double our fortunes, Arthur," said the old millionaire, rubbing his hands together gleefully. "Now it remains to be considered which of us had best go. I am not as young as I once was; I rather dread sea voyages."

"I will go gladly, father," returned Arthur. "I should like it above all other things."

The matter was fully discussed at the tea-table, but one seated there turned pale as death as she listened. It was Elaine, but in the excitement no one looked at her, or noticed her emotion.

She turned to Arthur at last, asking, huskily:

"If you go, Arthur, how long shall you remain away?"

"As the song goes:

May be for years—and it may be forever."

He answered, laughingly.

Again, was the same pallor overspreading the girl's white face. He must have been blind not to have noticed it.

"When shall you go?" she asked, presently, and her voice sounded scarcely human, in its sharp woe.

Still they did not notice that there was anything amiss.

"The last of this week, I suppose," returned Arthur, absently. "It is short notice; still, affairs can be adjusted in time, I think. At least I shall do my best to get off."

Elaine Granger uttered no word; she could not. She rose quickly from the table and quitted the room.

He did not know that she had reddened the drawing-room, and while passing through it had fallen white and senseless to the floor, and there, soon after, Patrice, her maid, found her.

It was quite half an hour afterward that Arthur Rochester, while searching for a paper, he had laid down somewhere the previous evening, remembered that he had left it in the drawing-room, and thither he went at once in search of it.

He had pushed open the door noiselessly, and was just about to draw the inner velvet portiere aside, when the sound of violent weeping fell upon his ear. Involuntarily he paused in wonder, and at that moment he heard the sound of voices.

He turned quickly away, but ere he could take a single step he heard that which held him spell-bound—fairly rooted to the spot.

It was Elaine who spoke, and her voice was freighted with sorrow and grief that she was talking to her maid.

"Patrice," she was crying, wildly, "if he goes I shall surely die. I could never lose him again."

"I shall begin to wish that he had never come back, if you grieve after him in that fashion, Miss Elaine."

Elaine only answered by a great cry.

She sat by the window, in the very abandonment of sorrow. Her head laid on the window-sill, in the lovely and unfastened, lay like a veil around her; she was weeping such violent, passionate sobs that it seemed that each one must rend the girl's heart in twain.

"Do come to your room, Miss Elaine," the girl urged; "there you can cry to your heart's content. Here some one might enter at any moment."

But the girl turned away with a bitter sob, and said to herself:

"He will go away and my heart will break, Patrice," she moaned; "and he will never know that I broke for love of him. Tell me how to bear it. I love him so dearly, that when he has gone I shall turn my face to the wall and die. Before he has been gone one week, I shall be in my grave."

"Oh, my bonnie young lady, do not say that," cried Patrice, in distress. "It is dreadful; it is not right. Indeed, it is not."

"He has been the one love of my life ever since I can remember, Patrice," sobbed the girl, piteously. "Other girls have had many loves, I have had only one. I repeat, life have had nothing to me without him. Oh, Patrice, I know it is wicked; but I wish I could die in the hour Arthur bids me farewell!"

Those words brought Arthur Rochester back to the uncomfortable position he was placed in.

He turned hastily away. He would not for the whole world that they should find him there.

He went away as silently as he had entered, and hurried out into the street to think with a dazed, bewildered confusion in his brain.

Then the suspicion which had haunted him long ago, and which he had almost forgotten since was quite true. Elaine loved him.

Now that he knew it for a certainty, he was dismayed by the shock. Why, he had never looked upon the girl with a lover's eye at all. He had been most careful to give out the impression that he should never love, never wed. Yet he could not blame the girl for so pardonable a folly as loving him so.

Arthur quitted the apartment hastily; but what he had heard still rang in his ears. Was there a man living who would not be proud of such a love—who would not be touched by it—the pure, deep, sweet love of a young girl's heart? He was touched. He remembered his own grief and pain, his own torture and despair. How he had suffered to madness because he had loved one who did not love him. And now Elaine had the same pain to endure. He could not bear to think of it.

Then, hurrying along the crowded streets, an idea came to him—he could not tell how or why. Why not marry Elaine?

His life, so far as all his prospects were concerned, had ended for it was more than likely that, by this time, Ione, the girl whom he loved, was another man's wife. In the wide world no one cared for him except Elaine. Could he let Elaine die broken-hearted because she loved him? Marriage would bring him no happiness, he did not look for it, did not want it.

He could not tell her frankly he

had no love to give her, that his heart was dead; but if it would make her happy to spend her life with him, it should be so.

Then again he recoiled from it. His whole heart and soul had been Ione's. Could he call another wife? Could he bear to say kind words to hold any other woman's hand in his? No. He revolted from the idea. He had never loved any woman except Ione, and she alone could be his wife. But Elaine—poor Elaine, who loved him so—what would become of her?

He turned and walked hastily back to the house, his course of action not fully settled as yet. He wanted more time to think of it. But the one thought recurred to him ever and anon. All happiness for him was over. If he could make Elaine happy, why not marry her?

That night he decided, and the die was cast, whether for woe or woe only Heaven knew. Arthur had decided on the morrow he would ask Elaine to be his wife.

He saw her standing alone in the breakfast-room when he entered; the wan, white face struck him at once. "Elaine," he said, approaching her, "have they told you that I will not be ready for this outgoing steamer, and my trip must necessarily be delayed a little? I cannot get off to-day."

She raised her eyes to his.

"If it is not to-day, it will be to-morrow or the day after—or the day will soon come when you will go."

He drew nearer to her and took the little hand that was trembling with the green leaves of the magnolia blossoms.

"I have something to ask you first, Elaine," he said. "Come into the drawing-room with me; I want to ask you something to say."

"Can you not say what you have to say here?" she said. "It is about your going, I suppose."

"Not exactly; and I cannot talk to you here. Come, Elaine, and hear what I have to say."

She walked by his side, slowly enough—as a rule, gay, bright Elaine danced rather than walked, but now her step was slow and languid.

He led her to the cushioned chair in the bay window, and placed her in it, standing silently by her side.

"You have something to say to me," said Elaine at length, "but you seem in no hurry to begin."

His heart misgave him; his whole soul shrank from the task. It was cruel to ask her to marry him without the bond of love between them. What a pity it was she cared so much for him!

As he stood there the memory of the hour in which he had asked Ione to be his wife recurred to him, his whole heart was in his words then, now it was only an empty form. He had made his resolve; he would stand by it. If Elaine cared so much for him, she should be his wife.

He bent his fair, handsome head down gravely over the little white hand. It was best to break into the subject at once, while he had the courage to do it.

"I brought you here to speak to you about my going away, Elaine," he said; "and to say to you, I hope that I shall not have to go alone. The question is sudden, Elaine, but will you go with me as my wife?"

Never, until the day he died, did he forget the sudden light that transfigured her face; it absolutely dazzled him.

"Is it a dream or a reality, Arthur?" she cried. "Are you really asking me to be your wife?"

"I am indeed so brave," he answered, with a reckless attempt at gaiety. "Is it 'yes' or 'no,' Elaine?"

"I never thought that you loved me, Arthur," she said, catching her breath with a sob.

"That is not answering my question, Elaine," he said, evasively.

She looked up into his face with the coy, eager delight of a child, murmuring:

"I will marry you, if you really wish it, Arthur. It was almost breaking my heart, parting from you."

He bent his fair, handsome head and kissed the little white hand, white hand he held; but he did not kiss her face.

"The die is cast!" he was saying to himself. "I am going to marry Elaine—not for love, but because the girl loves me so dearly that it would break her heart to part from me."

To be Continued.

Silence Van Can See.

There is no such thing as silence in this world. It is an impossibility. That is partly the reason why science has enabled us to see it.

The explanation of the paradox is this: Silence, as we understand it, simply means that there are sounds too delicate or too loud for the ear to register. In other words, when we can't hear anything we call that condition "silence." But wherever you are there are sounds around you. Even in the deepest mine the air vibrates and makes a sound. An instrument has been invented that will catch these sounds and permit of the vibrations being represented pictorially on a screen, and in that way you may see silence and properly understand what it means.

By comparing the pictures of noises with those of that condition of things known as silence we gain an idea of the difference between a noisy night, for instance, and one when "absolute silence reigns," as the novelist puts it. It is rather surprising to find so much disturbance at the time when everything appears to be perfectly quiet.

Young wife—I received to-day a beautiful diploma from the cooking school—on parchment—and I've celebrated by making you this dish. Now, just guess what it is.

Young husband (chewing on his burnt onelet)—The diploma.

Wit prompts a laugh; humor, a smile, and satire, a grin.

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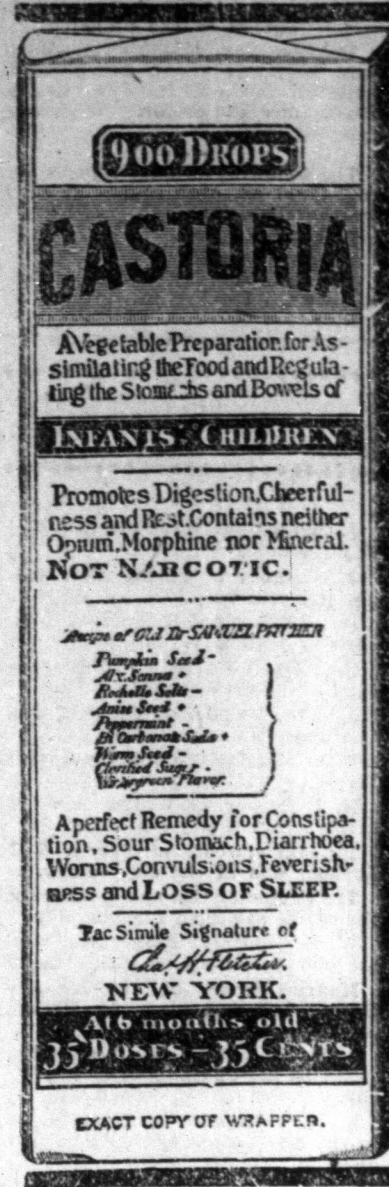
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Not Much.



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Not so with this modern, up-to-date woman.

She bakes with a

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A MODERN BIG HOTEL

ITS CAPACITY, ITS LUXURY AND ITS ENORMOUS EXPENSES.

Public and Private Dining Rooms in which Over Ten Thousand Persons May Be Served Daily—it is Practically a Town Under One Roof.

Writers of fiction have outlined plans for the ultimate uplifting of the human race in which they have pictured entire communities living under one roof and yet each family still retaining its privacy. Writing of facts, George Barry Mallon in *Ainslie's Magazine* tells some surprising things about modern big hotels that shelter persons numerous enough to form a fair sized village. He says:

"If one of New York's big modern hotels could be whisked to the country and spread out in village formation the result would be a model proprietary town of about 3,000 inhabitants. One half of these inhabitants would work in relays night and day for the comfort and entertainment of the other half, and the earnings would be paid to the payment of the bills, which in the aggregate would represent, in addition to the running expenses and perhaps \$200,000 a year set aside for the proprietor's profits, the interest on \$15,000,000 invested in land, buildings and furnishings."

"Many cities cannot muster a tax list of \$15,000,000, so that this town would be conspicuous above all others for wealth, and in complete isolation from the world. It would be a town of life a joy it would be marveled. Some of its houses would be constructed for one family exclusively, and others would be arranged in single rooms and in suites. All would be furnished in the most luxurious fashion. In the central warehouse of the town's steward would be found a greater assortment of supplies for the cuisine than in any public market in the world. There would be a row of the shops, each devoted to the preparation of a special course, ranging from the soups and entrees and roasts to the pastries and coffee. There would be half a dozen big banquet rooms and ball-rooms, several music rooms and a well-appointed theater or two."

"The town would have of course a telephone office, a complete telephone system and some means of rapid transit to every house. Electric boilers would supply the heat, and an electric light plant would furnish the illumination. There would be an ice plant large enough to manufacture fifty tons a day. There would be a laundry, a tailor, a shoemaker, a tin smith, a cooper, a printer, a jeweler, a wine cellar, with half a million dollars' worth of choice vintages, and a club-house, with billiard and reading rooms and cafes."

"The town would be policed day and night by a dozen private detectives, and it would have a well trained fire department. There would be a bank, over whose counters would pass millions of dollars each year, and a central executive office, with scores of clerks and bookkeepers and auditors."

"The proprietor of this town would assume all the housekeeping cares of his 1,500 tenants and many of his 1,500 employees. He would provide amusements and act as the court of last resort. It would seem as if the men who were rash enough to attempt the management of such a town, staking his fortune on the issue, must necessarily fail, but as a fair illustration it is not overdrawn. Its parallel is found in a compact form, with no features missing and many added, in the modern big hotel that has reached the highest development in New York."

"Neither the bigness nor the completeness of a big hotel is appreciated by the patron who finds his interests satisfied with the accommodations which it furnishes. He knows that a genuine way that it may be a dozen stories high and several cellars deep and that the thousand or more guests are attended by servants on every hand, and when he pays his bill he believes that the charges are exorbitant."

"One of these hotels, which differs from the others chiefly in degree, represents an investment of \$15,000,000. The 1,400 bedrooms and 750 bathrooms in it are so constructed by a series of inner courts that each opens to the outer air. It has several concert halls and theaters, three great ballrooms, and, in addition to its public dining room, where during hours show week, for instance, 10,000 people are served daily, it has a series of private dining rooms which are arranged for from ten to a thousand persons."

"In the largest ballroom in this hotel was given one night last winter a public ball, attended by 3,500 people, to whom supper was served, and on the same evening in other parts of the hotel were in progress two concerts, a dinner of an association of 300 men and a dozen smaller dinner parties in private dining rooms, each isolated so completely that no one of the 1,500 regular guests need know of it."

"Statistics are not very entertaining, but there are some stories of hotels that they alone can tell, and that of the supplies is one of them. For instance, during a given year one New York hotel supplied for meat \$200,000; for poultry, \$113,000; for vegetables, \$80,000; for butter, \$42,000; for eggs, \$12,000; for fruit, \$57,000; and for the flowers used in decorations, and there are flowers on the tables every day, \$30,000. The initial investment in silverware was \$250,000, and with the losses that charitably are credited to the souvenir craze and the general wear and tear on table service, about \$25,000 a year is kept in keeping this supply up to the hotel's standard."

"One New York hotel that suffered severely from the souvenir spoon and salt cellar mania adopted several years ago the plan of notifying guests that each waiter was responsible individually for all articles on his table and would have to make good any loss. This reduced the taking of spoons to a robbery of the waiter instead of the hotel, and even the souvenir hunter has some conscience about such a theft. In the biggest of New York hotels \$50,000 a year is spent in replenishing the linen, and in Belmont are busy the year round for it. The expenses of the other hotels for repairs are proportionately as large, for in the fierce business rivalry of the times none of them can afford to get shabby."

Loss of Flesh and Weight

An Indication of Wasting Disease, of Exhausting Nerve Force and Declining strength and Vitality.

Note your Weight and Test the Flesh-forming, Tissue-building Effects of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food--The Results Will Surprise You.

Can you imagine a more severe test of any preparation than that of adding firm flesh and increasing the weight of the body? It is possible, of course, to add fat by the use of fish oil, but the tissues created by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food are firm and natural. The blood is thoroughly enriched and the nerve force replenished. Pallor and weakness give place to a healthy complexion and strength of mind and body. Languor and discouragement are driven out to make way for vigor, hope and confidence.

It might be worth your while to make a test of this great food cure as a builder of flesh and muscle. Note your weight when beginning the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and watch the gradual increase week by week. At the first the increase may be slight owing to the wasting progress, which must be stopped. Then, naturally and certainly, the whole system is built up and perfect health and vitality restored to every part of the body.

Mr. A. R. Fawcett, the well known editor and proprietor of *The Leader and Recorder*, Toronto Junction, writes:—"It is very seldom that a man needs a medicine of any description, but this spring I got so badly run down and out of sorts generally that I became somewhat alarmed. Chancing to read a testimonial about the results derived from Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, from a gentleman whose case seemed to be identical with my own, I purchased a box, and commenced using it."

"The result was simply marvellous. I was benefited from the first, and soon restored to my usual good health. I never felt better in my life than I do now. To tell the simple truth, I did not have very great faith in any medicine until I used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, but now I have no hesitation in strongly recommending this great remedy to others as a valuable and effective remedy."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50¢ a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50 at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates and Co., Toronto.

It takes falsehood to get at the bottom of truth.

SAYS THEY'RE HEAVEN-BORN

A lady in writing of her faith in Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets calls them **HEAVEN-BORN**. **HEAVEN-BORN** was her "cure," and they cured her.

Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets is not a long tedious treatment. They work in nature's way—quickly, effectively and harmlessly. They're handy to carry. Take one or two after eating, they prevent stomach distress, cure the worst cases of indigestion and dyspepsia, keep the nerve centers well in hand, and they're pleasant to take. A box—your'll prove them "a heaven-born healer." 50¢ a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50 at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates and Co., Toronto.

Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

Philosophy triumphs easily over past and over future evils, but present evils triumph over philosophy.

Rheumatic Pains Cured by Nervine
This is the testimony of Mr. Benjamin Blum, of Leeds, Ont., who says: "I feel it my duty to proclaim the marvellous value of Polson's Nervine as an infallible cure for rheumatic pains. It cures them every time. Nothing I know of equals it as a rheumatic liniment, and mothers should feel it as necessary as bread itself. Nervine has cured rheumatism of thirty years' standing, and can cure you. Instant relief, absolute cure, large bottle 25c."

There are few fine women orators, though there are many women who are great talkers.

In late years men have made fortune out of the failings of gold mines. The mills in which the ore formerly was crushed and the crude processes then in use allowed a large percentage of the precious metal to escape, and that loss amounted to a great deal of money. The stomach is just like a stamp mill in this respect, that when it is not in perfect order it allows the escape and waste of much of the precious nutriment contained in the food. That loss when continuous means the loss of man's greatest fortune—health. Science offers a remedy for this condition in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It corrects the "weakness" of the stomach, prevents waste and loss of nourishment, and puts the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition into a condition of health which enables them to save and assimilate all the nutriment contained in the food which is eaten. In all cases of constipation the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will speedily and permanently cure the disease.

A good newspaper, like a paper of first-class pins, is full of nice headings and good points.

DON'T.

Don't think because you have taken many remedies in vain that your case is incurable.

You have not taken Hood's Sarsaparilla.

It has cured many seemingly hopeless cases of scrofula, eczema, rheumatism, kidney complaint, dyspepsia and general debility—many cases that may have been worse than yours.

What this great medicine has done for others it can do for you.

A LIVING BAROMETER.

The Crablike Spider That Poses as Yucatan's Weather Sharp.

In Yucatan, a land of many curiosities, there is a living barometer in the form of a small spider, called "am" on account of the effect produced by its poison. As far as its own conduct goes, the insect is inoffensive and can be handled with impunity, but if anybody has the misfortune to get one mysteriously mixed with his food he is certain to die after a few hours and meanwhile for some unexplained reason will frequently ejaculate "Am, am, am!" hence the name of the spider. Throughout the peninsula this is affirmed to be a fact, and if an am falls into fodder of horses or mules the animal that swallows it surely dies.

This spider is shaped like a crab, minus the claws, and is of a bright yellow color, with brown spots; the biggest could be accommodated upon a silver dime. Its favorite abode is among the leaves of the banana shrub, commonly, but erroneously, called tree. There it spins with extreme rapidity, its web, which is prodigiously large, considering the size of its architect, and proceeds to devour the flies that are unlucky enough to get entangled in the meshes of this astonishing little glutton, that is not satisfied with less than a dozen a day—that is to say, it consumes a good deal more than its own bulk. Its progeny is numerous and appears at first like more black specks, smaller than the smallest pin's head.

The sky may be blue and cloudless when suddenly the am commences taking in its sails, or, rather, gathering in its net, with neatness and dispatch, crumpling the whole of the material into its diminutive body entirely out of sight. A few minutes completes the job, and the spider takes up its position on the under surface of one of the great leaves to be lulled by the storm raving and sheltered while the storm rages. It is for this that the am has been prepared, and never is it mistaken. When the web is taken in, rain will certainly fall within an hour.

The moment the am is touched it feigns death and lets itself drop, showing no sign of life until again placed upon a leaf or on the ground. Many a one has lain in the palm of the writer's hand inert, all its legs drawn close to its body, while it was examined at leisure, even being picked up in the fingers without its manifesting any life.

A writer states that oily hands may be made comfortable and touchable by wetting them once or twice a day while clean with cologne, alcohol or toilet vinegar.

A good circulation is essential to the growth of the hair as well as to its color and fineness. A frequent, vigorous brushing with a stiff brush is the best method of obtaining this.

A writer upon the complexion says the best way to treat freckles, a sure cure in all but very obstinate cases, is to touch them night and morning with a camel's hair brush after dipping it in lemon juice.

For a gray skin nothing is better than the combination of an ounce of dried rose leaves, half a pint of white wine vinegar and half a pint of rosewater. Let the vinegar stand on the rose leaves for a week, then add the rosewater. Use a tablespoonful in a cup of distilled water.

A Geological Fallacy.
Probably the most wild and unjustifiable of all the creeds respecting geological resources is that which holds to the conviction that by going deep enough the drill is sure to find something of value, no matter at what point the work of boring is commenced.

There are numerous wise persons in every community, estimable, influential and in the highest degree public spirited who are convinced that the question, for example, of finding coal in their special locality is simply a matter of the depth to which the explorations are carried. Rock oil and natural gas are recognized as desirable products in every progressive community, and every such community contains persons in other respects intelligent who are ready to stake their own fortune and that of their nearest friends on the belief that oil and gas are everywhere underneath the surface and that their sources can be tapped with the drill provided only there is sufficient capital to keep up the process of drilling long enough.

Professional Shoppers.
Professional shoppers are employed by a certain large firm of London drapers to test the abilities of shop assistants. This firm owns over thirty large shops and employs nearly 1,000 assistants. To find out whether every customer is politely served a number of lady customers are employed to call at the various shops. They are told to give as much trouble as possible and sometimes to leave without making a purchase after looking at nearly everything in the shop. Should the unfortunate assistant's temper not be equal to the strain, or should a single word be said that might offend, a report will infallibly reach headquarters and lead to the dismissal of the sorely tried handmaid of silks and ribbons.

An Example.
"After all, it isn't the big troubles that bother a fellow so much; it's the little things that annoy us most." "That's right. Why, they say a horse's sting is only one-thirty-second of an inch long."

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

MRS. NORMANDEAU

A Lady of Campbellton, N. B., has at Last Effectively Disposed of an Enemy that Persecuted Her for Years.

For years Mrs. Philomena Normandeau, of Campbellton, N. B., suffered with dyspepsia. In addition to the tortures consequent on this disease, she also was very much troubled with sick headaches, the result of the derangement of the stomach.

She has found a cure, and is so grateful that she is anxious for the benefit of others who may be suffering as she was, to give the matter the greatest possible publicity. She has therefore written the following open letter:

"It is my duty, and I consider it a great pleasure for me to testify that I have been cured of a very severe case of dyspepsia by the use of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets."

"For years I suffered with stomach sickness, My head ached almost continually. I could eat very little, and had to be very careful."

"I consulted several physicians, and used the medicines they prescribed, but instead of getting better, I gradually grew worse."

"I read in one of the newspapers an advertisement which told me a lady who had been suffering from dyspepsia in much the same way as I was, had been cured by Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets."

"Although I had but little faith, I decided to make a trial, and bought two boxes. I was relieved from the very first, and now can safely say I am cured completely."

"I can therefore highly recommend 'Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets' to all who suffer from this terrible malady as I am satisfied that what cured my case will cure anyone."

Science to-day knows but one way to relieve dyspepsia, indigestion, heartburn, sour stomach, and other stomach troubles. That way is Nature's way—Best.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets digest all the food and tone up the stomach by giving it a respite from the work of digestion. The small, brown tablets stimulate the liver, and regulate the bowels. All in one box, 50c.

A Suggestion to Genius.
They had just seated themselves in a shady nook by the roadside after a cut across country and a conflict with multiple farm barriers on the way. After a pause he glanced at the telegraph wires overhead and remarked:

"I have no doubt that it will not be many years before the perfection of wireless telegraphy will do away with all those unsightly blurs on our rural landscape."

"I hope so," she replied. Then, with a rueful glance at her tattered skirt, she added, "And I further hope that the same genius will go on making progress in that line until we are blessed with an era of wireless fences."—Boston Courier.

Strange, isn't it?
"Queer she never got married; she's so capable and resourceful a woman, so earnest and forceful."

"Oh, yes, indeed! She's the kind of woman who can look out for herself. Why, she knocked a man down once when he tried to flirt with her, she took a good deal of his property, and there's a derogatory manner, and she drove a peddler four blocks with a mop."

"Yes, yes," he returned thoughtfully, "it is strange that no one ever has seemed to want her for a wife, isn't it?"—Chicago Post.

THE LITTLE ONES NEED THE BEST!
MALT BREAKFAST FOOD
Will Build Them Up in Flesh, Bone and Muscle.

Malt Breakfast Food is the only cereal food that children will use and relish from day to day. It has a delicious flavor and does not pall on the taste of other good foods do. Oatmeal and other forms of grain foods, owing to the presence of insoluble starch, are injurious to the stomach and digestive organs of the little ones, and frequently give rise to over-acted blood and dangerous skin eruptions.

Malt Breakfast Food is easily digested by the youngest children, it quiets the stomach when irritated and gives rest and sleep. Malt Breakfast Food is specially recommended for the babies after weaning. It affords all the elements for solid flesh forming, bone and muscle-building. Thousands of mothers are bringing up young children on Malt Breakfast Food. Try it mothers, it will give you pleasing results. Grocers everywhere.

Truth will give up her treasures to you when you give up your prejudices to her.

I believe MINARD'S LINIMENT will cure every case of Diphtheria.

MRS. REUBEN BAKER.

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I believe MINARD'S LINIMENT will produce growth of hair.

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I believe MINARD'S LINIMENT is the best household remedy on earth.

MATTHIAS FOLEY.

Oil City, Ont.

The glory of the promise is not only in that they are many but that they mean much.

There are no persons more solicitous about the preservation of rank than those who have no rank at all.

—Hood's Sarsaparilla cures radically—that is, it removes the roots of disease. That's better than lopping the branches.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

A PUMPKIN PIE SHORTAGE.

There is trouble in the country. There is trouble in the town. And 'tis just the sort of trouble that won't at all be hidden down. For the grasping scoundrels tell us that the pumpkin crop is shy. And that means there'll be a shortage in the toothsome pumpkin pie.

Many autumns has this land been a feature of each feast. Tinkling plates of all eaters. From the highest to the least. It has had a place of honor. Next the famed Thanksgiving bird. And on all occasions festal. Everywhere its praise was heard.

We began to think about it. Very early in the spring. Off we talked about the pleasure that the autumn days would bring. Many times our mouths were watered as we conjured up the scene of our teeth so slowly closing. On the pumpkin pie between.

But, alas, for expectations. Of what autumn had in store. And, alas, for plans of feasting. Based on pumpkin pie galore. For the crop has badly failed us. And our sorrow is profound. As we face this pumpkin shortage. Not enough to go around.

Of the cause there's no use talking. That is neither here nor there; We're confronted by conditions. And for theories don't care. We are troubled by this shortage. As we're thinking, as we sigh. Life is not so much worth living. When one can't get pumpkin pie.

—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

In the Jungle.



Mrs. Bear—Oh, Mrs. Snake, won't you please shake your rattle? Baby's so fretful I can't quiet him."

The New Neighbor.
Mrs. Smith—Now, if I can be of any assistance to you, Mrs. Jones, don't hesitate to call on me.

Mrs. Jones—Well, seeing that you have been so kind as to offer, those washes need washing pretty bad and there's some curtains to wash and perhaps your boys could clean up this yard and beat some carpets for me, and I think I'd like to borrow some flour and sugar and a carving knife and a little butter.

Something That Did.
"What did you do in Chicago that particularly impressed you during your visit there, Mr. Globetrotter?" "Well, its parks, its buildings, its crowds, and so on."

"That's the old story. Didn't you see any particular thing that made a permanent impression—that stuck, as it were?" "Oh, yes! At the stockyards I saw a man that stuck 500 pigs a day."

Utterly Languid.
"Did you know," said the man who is always worrying, "that the coal supply will be exhausted in a few million years?" "Well," answered the friend with the world weary face, "can you blame it? You would be exhausted too if you were worked for a million years, wouldn't you? Why express surprise at so simple a phenomenon?"

Their Strongest Point.
"There's one good thing about the arguments of people who want to explain to you how the universe started, where it's going and what is guiding it."

"What's that?" "When they get through, you generally know as much as you did before, anyway."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Habit.
"Excuse me," said the old friend, "but would you mind telling me why you spell 'yacht' 'yact'?" "Oh, ya-a-a! Been living in London, dear boy. Never can tell any more where I'm going to drop an h, don't you know."

In Desperate Straits.
Sue—Poor old maid! She certainly is getting desperate. Belle—What makes you think so? Sue—Why, she actually allows a caterpillar to crawl over her cheek because it feels like a man's mustache.—Philadelphia Record.

Making It All Right.
Her Husband—You have got a nerve to sing that song! You haven't it half learned! Prima Donna—Then have it announced on the programme that it is "by request."—New York Times.

Key to Success.
"What is the key to success?" "The ability to make people pay." "Pay for what they get?" "No; pay for what you tell them they're getting."—Chicago Post.

Good Cause.
Mrs. Towne—How in the world do you come to have such a profane parrot? Mrs. Field—Oh, you know, the bunker on the golf links is just over the way there.

A Serious Case.
"The sexton digging over there looks like a healthy man, doesn't he?" "Sure. Nothing wrong with him." "No; but I notice he has one foot in the grave."—Denver Times.

Those Boston Ladies.
Mrs. Gummis—I never have any trouble with baby. I've only to sing to him, and he goes right to sleep. Mrs. Phaser—What a knowing child!—Boston Transcript.

AT A TRIFLING COST YOU CAN HAVE PRETTY FLOOR RUGS

From the Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns now so popular you can, at a trifling cost make up pretty mats and rugs suitable for any room of your house. These Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns are made in the following sizes: 18 x 30 inches, 24x36 inches, 30x54 inches, and 36x72 inches. The artistic designs come on heavy Scotch Hessian or Burlap, and are ready for hooking. The dry goods merchants, as a rule, sell these popular patterns. If you are not able to procure them in your town send your full address to The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, 200 Mountain street, Montreal P. Q., who will send you, postpaid, sheets of the new designs to make your selection from.

Inherited Talent.
"We are pleased," said the president of the bank to the young clerk, "to notice that you always strike the exact and correct balance with no trouble at all."

"Thank you," answered the new clerk. "I think I possess the talent."

"How is that?" "Well, my mother was a tight rope walker and my father a trick bicyclist."—Baltimore American.

A Cool Avowal.
"Have you the first requisite of an actor?" inquired the manager, with some impatience. "I have," answered the young man in a tone of confidence. "It is true that I have had no practical experience, but I have just had my head examined by a phrenologist, and he says my bump of self esteem is wonderfully developed."—Washington Star.

By the Sea Side Waves.
"Well," said the oyster, "you're up against it. You are going to be extinct in about twenty-five years."

"I know it," gloomily responded the lobster, "but when I go I won't leave my meagre vegetable substitute behind me, and that's more than you can say."—Chicago Tribune.

OUR MOTTO: "Accuracy, Care and Attention"

Our continued success in business is the best proof that we enjoy the unbounded confidence of the public. We dispense drugs with the greatest possible accuracy, care and attention. Our stock of toilet preparations is always up-to-date, and our perfumes the finest and cheapest.

All Ranks and Conditions of our people are now using Paine's Celery Compound, the great health restorer. No other medicine in the world has such a record of cures to its credit. It makes new, fresh blood, corrects indigestion, gives energy to body, nerves and brain. If you feel unwell, give Paine's Celery Compound a trial.

R. C. Burt, druggist, Chatham, Ont. Est. 20

Getting "Even."
Some people are philosophical enough to accept defeat gracefully; others nurse their wrath and waste a much time in a mistaken effort to "get even." Of one of these latter a Chicago paper tells an amusing story:

A man came to a Chicago hotel for one day, and took his dinner outside with a friend. When he came to pay his bill he found himself charged with a day's board, dinner and all. He protested. The clerk tried to explain that the American plan was based strictly upon time, and that if he chose to eat elsewhere it was his own lookout, but the man would not be pacified.

He paid the bill under protest. Then he asked if dinner was still on, and was informed that it lasted until nine in the evening. "Then I'll go and tackle it!" he exclaimed. "I've eaten one dinner, but I'm going to get my money's worth out of this house, or perish in the attempt!"

He rushed into one of the dining-rooms, seized a bit of fare, and ordered everything he could think of. When he finally got to the end of the tether, the clerk handed him a check for four dollars and ten cents. "What's that for?" he asked in surprise.

"Your dinner, sir."

"But I have already paid for my dinner in my bill," he protested. "I'm staying here on the American plan."

"Then you should have gone to the other dining-room," said the waiter. "This is the European plan cafe."

The man paid the bill and walked out. His feelings must have been heavy both in body and in mind.

PLEASE NOTE THIS FACT.

That we are fully prepared to supply every want as far as pure drugs and medicines are concerned. Careful and accurate dispensing is our forte. We continually aim to please patrons in two great essentials—quality and low prices.

Our stock of toilet preparations will interest you. Paine's Celery Compound. Paine's Celery Compound is the medicine you should use when you lack nerve energy, when the body is poorly nourished, when you are weak, run-down, dependent or sleepless. Paine's Celery Compound braces the nerves, strengthens the liver and kidneys, and cleanses the blood. J. W. McLaren, Druggist, Chatham, Ont.

WARASH CHANGE OF TIME.

Taking effect Nov. 2nd, the following changes will be made in Warash time table from this station, East bound trains 8.05 a. m. and 6.55 a. m. are withdrawn. West bound train 8.49 a. m. and 7.03 p. m. are withdrawn. West bound train now leaving 10.13 p. m. will leave 9.53 p. m., and east bound train now leaving 12.23 p. m. will leave 12.03 p. m. W. E. Rispin, City Passenger Agent, 115 King St. W.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Corrected Nov. 26, 1901.

GOING EAST
2.35 a. m. B. Express..... 1.11 p. m.
3.32 p. m. B. Express..... 1.05 a. m.
Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

GOING WEST
9.02 a. m. B. Express..... 8.15 a. m.
8.12 a. m. B. Express..... 12.42 p. m.
1.45 p. m. B. Express..... 2.30 p. m.
5.01 p. m. B. Express..... 4.23 p. m.
8.50 p. m. B. Express..... 9.10
*Daily Sunday included.

THE WABASH RAILROAD CO.

GOING WEST
No. 1—8.45 a. m. No. 2—12.23 p. m.
3—1.07 p. m. No. 4—11.06 p. m.
13—1.25 p. m. No. 14—1.32

A Short Chat on the Leading Colors

The time has passed when one color was just as fashionable as another. This season it is not a weave in the different colors, but one color in the different weaves. Now-a-days one, two or three colors set the "pace," the other colors are either out of the "race for popularity" or following far behind.

Here's the order they take this season, and few of the weaves in each.

Browns

In camel hair, sedan cloths, deer skins, broadcloths, panne cloth, venetians and costume cloths.

Blues

In camel hair, pan cloth, broadcloths, venetians, satin cloths and costume cloths.

Greens

In cameline, venetian and Scotch suitings.

Fawns

In cameline, broadcloths and venetians.

William Foreman & Co.

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Price and Quality Sell Our Shoes

Stub Proof Rubber Boots

Have no equal. If you want the genuine Stub Proof you'll find them here. We are agents in Chatham for the celebrated lines of Stub Proof Rubbers, American Goodyear Glove Brand Rubbers for ladies and gents, warranted not to break at the heels. Ask to see those lines—entirely new.

J. L. CAMPBELL, The Boston Shoe Store

Yolk Baking Powder

Leaves no after-taste in the most delicate foods. For tea biscuits and cakes it cannot be excelled.

Sold only in 10c, 15c and 25c tins

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Something for Your Guests to Admire, at

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The Most Economical Range on the Market. We carry a large range of Coal and Gas Stoves at lowest prices.

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THERE has been much talk about Pny-Balsam, the greatest modern remedy for coughs and colds. It cures quickly and certainly. 25c. Of all dealers. Made by the proprietors of Perry Davis' Pain-Killer.

"How do you feel about the wrong or right of Sunday golf?" "It all depends upon what the people who play Sunday would be doing if they weren't playing golf."

FOR THE CUP

Maple City Club Issues a Formal Challenge to Windsor for Walker Trophy.

Yesterday's Windsor Record contains the following official challenge in reference to the Peninsular Football League championship:—
Sporting Editor:

The Chatham Football Club has been for some time desirous of arranging home and home games for the Walker trophy with the Windsor Football Club, who are its present holders. With this end in view we sent communications to the officers of the Windsor Club and to the president of the Peninsular League. So far our negotiations have had no practical result owing to the fact that the executive of the League has held no meetings since the football season began. Under these circumstances we believe that it would simplify the whole situation and save valuable time if we were to issue a public challenge to the holders of the trophy. We therefore challenge the Windsor club to play home and away games with us within the next two weeks. We are willing to leave all arrangements and direction of the games in the hands of the president of the League. And we hereby give notice that unless our challenge is accepted within the time specified above, we will lay claim to the Walker trophy.

M. D. FRASER,
Secretary Chatham Football Club.

UNDER WATER

The Submarine Boat Fulton Satisfactorily Tested for Fifteen Hours.

New York, Nov. 25.—In the presence of a big crowd which assembled to witness the emerging of the submarine boat Fulton, that craft rose from the bottom of Peconic Bay, which is at the eastern end of Long Island, at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning, with all well and greatly surprised to find there was a storm raging. The test of the Fulton's staying powers were highly satisfactory not only to the officers of the company that built her but the naval officers present, but to those who went to the bottom in the boat. They report there was not the slightest discomfort to them during their more than fifteen hours of submersion beneath the surface. Capt. Cable, of the Holland Company, who was in command, said the boat could have remained down for three months if there was fuel enough on board. Although there was but six feet of water over the top of the turret, those on board felt nothing of the storm. Through the night there was a rolling motion to the craft, but this was ascribed to the regular motion of the water, and not to the disturbance which was rolling the waves high on the shore. Rear Admiral Low and Lieut. MacArthur refused to go into any discussion of the performance of the boat, except to say that they would be satisfied to stay down longer. Members of the crew say they experienced difficulty in breathing and that the air was all that could be desired, and much purer and better than in an ordinary closed room in which are several persons. Every piece of machinery worked to perfection during the night. The men ate two meals while under water, and enjoyed them. Most of them obtained three or four hours' sleep.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

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

COURTMARTIALED

More Treason Raids at Johannesburg—Inciters Pay the Penalty.

Johannesburg, Nov. 25.—Vernich, a Boer, was tried by court-martial on a charge of high treason by inciting Boers in the burgher camps to break their oaths of allegiance and rejoin their commanders. He was shot on Thursday. Meyer, against whom there was a similar charge, was sentenced to penal servitude for life.

ANOTHER CANADIAN WOUNDED.
Ottawa, Nov. 25.—The casualty department at Cape Town cables, under date of Nov. 22, that Trooper Arthur Timelick, 5th Westminsters, B. C., now in South Africa, is in a precarious condition from wounds at Krugersdorp. His father is R. Timelick, New Westminster.

GERMAN VS. BRITISH "BAR-BARISM."

Vienna, Nov. 25.—The Vaterland says: "Just at the moment when the agitation in Germany against the barbarism and brutality of the English in the South African war has reached a climax, it is proved by judicial sentences that, in the midst of peace, Polish children under German rule are subjected to sanguinary ill-treatment, and that Polish parents, guilty only of protesting, are thrown into prison."

THE FIGHT AT VILLERSDORP.

London, Nov. 25.—A despatch received from Lord Kitchener to-day gives details of the engagement at Villersdorp on Nov. 20, which have been pretty well covered in the press despatches. He says: "The Boers attacked on both the north and south. Fisher obtained cover for his forces, but a few hours later the Boers surrounded them, and during the confusion the Boers obtained a lodgment. Majors Fisher and Langmore were dangerously wounded, and 350 were forced to surrender. Remington's column arrived an hour later and captured Commandant Buys, who was wounded, but except for a small rear guard the Boers had gone, releasing the prisoners."

BIG BATTLES IN COLUMBIA

Rebel Forces Defeated in Two Fights With Heavy Losses on Both Sides.

Gen. Alban Marching on Colon With Government Troops—Bombardment Regarded as Improbable.

Colon, Colombia, Nov. 25, 9 a. m.—No evening train left Panama yesterday. The Government troops are attacking the Liberals at Culebra. The Government gunboat General Pinzon left her anchorage close to the other warships last night, and is now reported to be landing troops on the north end of Colon. There is much commotion in the streets. People are seeking refuge on board the United States gunboats Marietta and Machias and along the railroad and on the piers.

Later.—Transit across the isthmus has been stopped. Marines from the U. S. battleship Iowa, at Panama, have been landed to protect the railroad, and are now on the line where the fighting is going on. As this despatch is sent, the commotion in the streets is ended and calm now reigns. There is no jubilation, which is evidence that the Liberal army is not advancing towards Panama. It is reported to have been defeated at Matucan by Gen. Alban's command. The latter is said to be pushing on Colon. The Colombian gunboat, Gen. Pinzon, is badly off for provisions and the commanders of all the warships agreed to supply the necessary stores. The gunboat has not yet returned to Colon and her whereabouts is unknown.

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REBELS DEFEATED.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Mr. Hererra, Charge d'Affaires of the Colombian Legation, to-day received the following cablegram from Panama, Nov. 25.—Rebel army completely defeated at Culebra and Emperador. Governor marched last night upon Colon. Traffic interrupted yesterday, but will be re-established to-day. (Signed) Arjona, Acting Governor.

Mr. Hererra, earlier in the day, received a despatch from the acting Governor of Panama, stating that the Governor, Gen. Alban, had started with a considerable Government force to operate against Colon and Linea. It is the intention of the Colombian authorities to combine this land movement with that of the force on the water, Gen. Pinzon, and thus be able to recapture the town of Colon. The Colombian authorities here have not been advised of the purpose to bombard Colon.

MAKE a note of it, when you are leaving home to buy "The D. & L." Menthol Plaster. It is guaranteed to cure the worst case of headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, sprains, etc. Avoid everything said to be just as good. Get the genuine, made by Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

MR. BALFOUR ILL.

London, Nov. 25.—In consequence of alarming reports concerning the illness of Mr. A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, and government leader in the House of Commons, his doctors have issued a bulletin to the effect that their patient is suffering from influenza and cannot keep his engagements for this week.

Why Catarrh is Fatal

Because it pours a flood of poisons into the circulation that saps digestion and strength so materially as to render the body incapable of resisting disease, and consumption is the result. Catarrh is quickly cured by Catarrhose, a fragrant, germ destroying vapor that goes to the root of the disease. It soothes and heals the inflamed mucous surfaces, clears the head and throat, and positively never fails to perfectly cure Bronchitis, Catarrh or Asthma. Nothing is so good for diseases of the respiratory organs as Catarrhose. Large outfit \$1. Small size 25c. Druggists or by mail from Palsen & Co., Kingston, Ont.

BURGE ARRESTED IN LONDON.

London, November 25.—The pugilist, Dick Burge, was arrested in London to-day on a charge of complicity in the recent Bank of Liverpool frauds. It is said that the police have recovered a large amount of the missing money, which had been lodged in different banks of London and the provinces. The sums discovered aggregate £100,000. A number of other arrests are anticipated. An embargo has been placed on the banking account of a well known bookmaker.

Later in the day Burge was brought up to the Bow street police court charged with uttering checks aggregating £86,000 when knowing them to be forged. He was remanded.

Thinner Than a Rail

Spending every day, as much energy as you make, and if the balance goes a little further, well, you get thinner. Not wise to go that way longer. Better use Perrozene, you will digest more—a little gain the first week, but the gain keeps growing. Not quite so thin! Keep right on, only don't use Perrozene too long or you will get too fat. Then your blood will be rich, your heart strong, you won't puff so much, you won't get tired quickly. Fat, blood strength, you have them all with Perrozene. Sold by McCall & Co.

STILL AFTER IT

Lipton Will again Challenge for the America's Cup—Another Boat.

London, November 25.—"Should no one else challenge, I am willing seriously to consider making another attempt to lift the cup." This announcement was given out by Sir Thos. Lipton at the banquet given at the Hotel Cecil in his honor to-night, and which was attended by more than 400 guests.

"It would never do," added Sir Thomas, "to give up when only a pulse beat came between us and victory." Sir Thomas' speech was the feature of the evening. He maintained the excellence of the Shamrock II, and a wee bit of luck would have turned the tables. "It was only a matter of a toss of a coin," said Sir Thomas. "We raced over a hundred miles and the decision was only a matter of seconds, which goes to show that we are justified in believing we can build boats to bring back the cup."

He offered both the Shamrocks as trial boats to any Britisher anxious to challenge, and closed his remarks declaring that he would be willing to make another attempt for the cup, should no one else do so, and expressing his confidence that the third Shamrock would have the luck of the three-leafed shamrock.

BOTH AT ONE SHOT

Engineer Hardaker Makes a Marvellous Bag of a Turkey and a Goose.

Many hunters have wandered over the landscape of Kent County. All have brought home something. A few jagged home game killed by themselves or by others, but the many brought home just stories. Probably the most original bag of all, however, was that secured by Engineer Ed. Hardaker, of the Kent Mills, on a shooting trip he indulged in last Saturday.

When Mr. Hardaker left in the morning, full of enthusiasm, he took a solemn vow to bring home something and he did. His fellow workers were rather surprised at what he potted, however. In the evening, he was observed heading wearily homeward with a full game bag swinging over his shoulders. Elated at the success of the co-workers as evidenced by his plump game bag, the millmen investigated and their curiosity was twice dumfounded, when their researches into the mysterious full game bag revealed a turkey and a goose. All agreed that Mr. Hardaker had carried off the palm as a hunter and now he is besieged with requests to go shooting on Thanksgiving day. Whether the fowl were wild or tame the story doesn't tell, but most people can guess.

CLEVELAND RAPIDLY RECOVERING.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 25.—Former President Cleveland is rapidly recovering from his severe cold. This is the report of Dr. Wilkoff, his physician. On account of being indisposed himself, Dr. Wilkoff did not call to see Mr. Cleveland this afternoon and the latter was so decidedly improved that it was not necessary to call in any other physician. Mrs. Cleveland also gave out a bulletin, which stated that Mr. Cleveland is still gaining in strength, and that he is resting comfortably.

PUT IN PILLORY

Ten-Year-old Lad was Forced to Stand Twenty Hours at a Stretch.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—An old fashioned pillory system of punishment, which is claimed has the sanction of the board of directors, of which Bishop Fallows is president, has been unearthed at the Pontiac, Ill., state reformatory. The pillory is a door with two holes in the upper panel.

Through these holes the prisoner puts his hands, and a chain is attached to the wrists to keep them in place. The arms are thus extended on a level with the shoulder, and can be moved in no direction because the holes in the door are not large enough to permit it. In this trying position Chas. Miller, a 10-year-old boy, asserts he was forced to stand for twenty hours at a stretch. He was taken down for 10 minutes at noon, when bread and water were furnished him. Supper, Miller, of the reformatory, is quoted as corroborating the statement. Young Miller's offence was whispering in school.

WILL GIVE \$5,000.

Eau Claire, Wis., Nov. 25.—O. H. Ingram received today a letter from Charles A. Stone, brother of Miss Stone, the captive missionary. Mr. Stone asks Mr. Ingram to send assurance direct to the Peabody Banking house in Boston that he (Ingram) will pay by wire, if necessary, the \$5,000 offered by Ingram at the Hartford board meeting. Mr. Stone says it may come to pass where minutes, as well as dollars, may be precious, but he intimates that there are indications that a compromise may yet be effected whereby the captive will be released without raising the large amount of money first talked of.

Mr. Ingram has written to the Peabody bank giving assurance asked by Mr. Stone. Mr. Ingram says he will telegraph \$5,000 called for under the conditions of his pledge.

Thanksgiving Gloves

Whatever functions you are going to attend, the correct gloves for the occasion are here awaiting selection. The man we glove is appropriately gloved.

White kid for evening wear.....50c
Fine unlined kid, 1 and 2 some styles in tan and brown shades.....\$1 to \$1.50
Flexible wool or silk lined sorts, dressed and undressed kid and mocha.....75c to \$2

Mufflers

Mufflers are a fad this season. Not for years have they been so handsome or so varied in style.

Our square mufflers are all directly imported and generously low in price for the quality. Fine range of cashmere, silk and wool and pure silk, at.....50c to \$2
Shaped mufflers, handsome silk and satin goods, plain or patterned with quilted satin linings. Nothing nicer for cold weather.....50c to \$2

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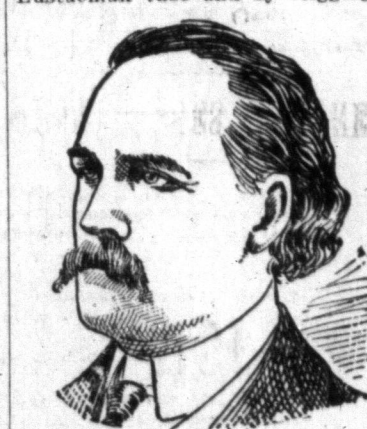
Nov. 26.—James Stewart and daughter Eva, are spending to-day in Detroit.
Rev. Mr. Wright, of Thamesford, conduct service in St. Andrew's church here next Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. James spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Chatham.
J. C. Kennedy and family of Quinn, have moved into the house on Oathurst street, lately occupied by J. Graham.
Miss Edith Stewart, who has been in Cleveland on an extended visit, with her sister, Mrs. J. Wall, is expected home this week.

WHAT CAUSES DEAFNESS

The Principal Cause is Cureable But Generally Overlooked

Many cause may cause deafness, and very often it is difficult to trace a cause. Some people inherit deafness. Acute diseases like scarlet fever sometimes cause deafness. But by far the most common cause of loss of hearing is catarrh of the head and throat.

A prominent specialist on ear troubles gives as his opinion that nine out of ten cases of deafness is traced to throat trouble; this is probably overstated, but it is certainly true that more than half of all cases of poor hearing were caused by catarrh. The catarrhal secretion in the nose and throat finds its way into the Eustachian tube and by clogging it



up very soon affects the hearing, and the hardening of the secretion makes the loss of hearing permanent, unless the catarrh, which causes the trouble, is cured.

Those who are hard of hearing may think this a little far fetched, but any one at all observant must have noticed how a hard cold in the head will affect the hearing and that catarrh if long neglected will certainly impair the sense of hearing and ultimately cause deafness. If the nose and throat are kept clear and free from the unhealthy secretions of catarrh, the hearing will at once greatly improve, and anyone suffering from deafness and catarrh can satisfy themselves on this point by using a fifty cent box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, a new catarrh cure, which in the past year has won the approval of thousands of catarrh sufferers, as well as physicians, because it is in convenient form to use, contains no cocaine or opiate, and is as safe and pleasant for children as for their elders.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is a wholesome combination of bloodroot, guaiac, eucalyptol, and similar antiseptics and they cure catarrh and catarrhal deafness by action upon the blood and mucous membrane of the nose and throat. As one physician aptly expressed it: "You do not have to draw upon the imagination to discover whether you are getting benefit from Stuart's Catarrh Tablets; improvement and relief are apparent from the first tablet taken."

All druggists sell and recommend them. They cost but fifty cents for full sized package and any catarrh sufferer who has wasted time and money on sprays, salves and powders, will appreciate to the full the merit of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

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