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ADVERTISE IN THE PLANET

THE ROUTINE WAS HEAVY

Many Questions Brought
up at the City Council
Meeting

PROMPT ACTIONS TAKEN

The amount of communications before the City Council at their meeting last night was very large, but the accounts presented were comparatively small accounts. This was remarked on by his worship Mayor Marshall, who said he was pleased to see the bills for such small amounts. All the members of the Board and aldermen were present at the meeting.

A deputation of Separate school trustees, for which Trustee Frank Tschirhart acted as spokesman, asked permission to have Homer Turner, caretaker of Maple Leaf cemetery, look after St. Anthony's cemetery during the illness of the present caretaker of the R. C. cemetery, Grant-Ed.

The C. W. & L. E. R. R. made acknowledgment of accounts sent them by the Council. Filed.

Herbert Mount complained of being assessed for a dog which he had shipped away last winter. Filed.

City Engineer Jones asked for permission to use earth from corporation excavations, for which he would be willing to pay, Board of Works.

W. C. Brent wrote asking for documents in connection with the \$20,000 debentures. Finance.

John Hildreth, Head street, requested permission to cut and trim trees in front of his property. Chief of Police.

Charles A. Jeffrey applied for permission to lay a granite walk in front of his property, along Lenoir street and Pattison avenue. Referred to the Clerk and the City Engineer.

A letter was received from Mayor Coatsworth, of Toronto, with reference to Niagara power. Finance.

J. G. Kerr, secretary of the Chatham curling club, asked for a reduction in taxation for the rink property. Finance.

Residents in the vicinity petitioned for a fire alarm box to be placed on near Park or Hyslop streets. Property.

Joseph street residents asked that A. T. Arnold be appointed inspector of pavement on that street. Board of Works.

The Fire Chief asked that a tape register be placed in the fire hall in connection with the fire alarm. Property.

Albert Sheldrick called attention to an error in his tax slip which he claims has not yet been rectified. Finance.

The Ladies Assisting Society asked for a grant of \$50 towards the getting out of a program for the Fair of Nations. The matter was referred to the City Council.

Ald. Potter gave notice of a by-law to regulate the placing of business signs on the main street.

It was moved by Ald. Edmondson and seconded by Ald. Austin, that the Council request R. H. Bowyer, M. P. P., and A. B. McCole, M. P. P., to do all in their power to oppose the passing of the bill restricting automobiles from passing along country roads unless privileged to do so by the municipality. Carried.

Ald. Stone drew attention to the defective condition of the Park dock, and said that he would bring in a report on the matter at a later meeting.

Ald. Scullard moved, seconded by Ald. Edmondson, that H. S. Clements, M. P. P., be asked to act as the city delegate to the Tuberculosis convention to be held in Ottawa, and that he be asked to act with regard to the matter of establishing a sanatorium in the west. Carried.

G.H.J. GETS SCOOPS
Ald. Scullard Sizes up the Local Situation and Puts it Rather Tensely

In the corridors of Harrison Hall, after the Council meeting last evening, Ald. Scullard undertook to hand out a few bouquets to this journal.

In speaking of the action of the Council in ordering an investigation of the market building, Mr. Scullard said to some of the aldermen standing around:

"You know, I did not see what The Planet credited me with saying until last Saturday night, and when I saw the article I recalled the fact that I had said exactly what they credited me with saying. I did not see The Planet editor, reporters or proprietor in reference to the article and they did not say it was an interview with me, but they quoted my statements exactly as I had uttered them."

"You know," he said, smiling good-naturedly, "those fellows on The Planet have such a way of getting 'scoops' that it is impossible to keep anything from them."

The members of the Park street Epworth League held a meeting last night, at which Dr. A. W. Thornton gave an address on the More Abundant Life.

WORK IS ALREADY COMMENCED ON NEW ELECTRIC RAILWAY

Windsor, Essex & Lake Shore Road is in Flourishing
Financial Condition and Will Soon be Completed
to Chatham

CARS WILL RUN TO LEAMINGTON BY FIRST OF JULY

It will be a matter of considerable interest to Chathamites to learn that the Windsor, Essex & Lake Shore Electric Railway are fast pushing the construction of their line between Chatham and Windsor. They are now on a sound financial working basis and the time is not far distant when electric cars from Detroit will be entering Chatham.

This company have at the present time 27 miles of their line graded with the culverts in, and have to-day 55 laborers at work laying ties and also working on the line. The company received last week seven cars of rails, spikes and construction material from the east and expect to be laying track this week. They have purchased their cars from the Ottawa car company, which are 65 feet long and will be as fine as any street railway line in operation in Ontario. They will be equipped with 200 horse power electric motors and will be capable of making from 60 to 65 miles per hour. The track is of 85 pound rail, which is a heavier rail than is ordinarily used on electric lines, but the company are putting them down to enable them to make fast time and carry heavy freight, and it is their aim to make this one of the best electric lines in operation in the province.

They expect to locate the power house at Kingsville, and it will be installed with large boilers and Goldie & McCulloch's (Galt) latest coal oil engines. The electrical equipment is being supplied by the Westinghouse Company, of Hamilton, and is of the single phase type which is considered the most modern style of electrical equipment in use to-day in America. This system is now being installed by the New York Cen-

tral on some of their steam lines, but at the present time there is no other electric line in Ontario being operated by this type of equipment.

The company have all their orders placed for all material required for the construction of this line, and the orders call for it all to be installed by June 1st. They expect to be running cars from Windsor to Leamington by July 1, and as soon as this part of the line is completed, the intention of the company is to proceed at once to complete their line on to Chatham.

The Windsor, Essex & Lake Shore Railway Company have let the contract for the construction of this line to the Keystone Construction Company, of Philadelphia, of which Mr. E. A. Tennis is president. This company has been constructing electric railways for the last 20 years, and at present they are building two electric lines in the States as well.

The officers of the railway company are W. L. Wilson, of Port Huron, president; Thos. E. Robinson, of Detroit, first vice-president; W. T. Piggott, Chatham, second vice-president; Dr. Jas. Brien, of Essex, third vice-president; Jas. W. Goodson, Detroit, secretary; W. C. Crawford, Tilbury, treasurer; Philip Heseltine, Detroit, managing director; Joseph Leggett, Windsor, solicitor. In addition to the above John Piggott, W. R. Phillimore and W. E. McKeough, of Chatham, are shareholders.

W. T. Piggott and Mr. Tennis have returned from Toronto and have completed the financial arrangements there. This line comes to Chatham on Harvey street, and when it is completed will no doubt be another valuable asset for the Maple City.

A CONCRETE FOUNDATION FOR JOSEPH ST. PAVEMENT

The Council Decides That a Matter Once Settled, Should
Not be Re-Opened To Cause Endless Trouble
and Haggling.

TROUBLE CAUSED BY ONE OR TWO ON THE STREET

A petition was presented to the City Council at their meeting last night, asking that the bituminous pavement to be constructed on Joseph street, from Head street to Amelia street, be constructed on a bituminous bottom, similar to the bottom used on the Queen St. bituminous pavement, instead of on a concrete bottom, as specified in the by-law recently passed by the City Council. The petition was signed by 27 out of the 40 ratepayers on the street, and it was claimed that the former petition was signed by many of the ratepayers of the street under the impression that the specifications called for a bituminous bottom, such as was used on Queen St.

MATTER ALREADY SETTLED.
Mayor Marshall, in referring to the petition, drew attention to the fact that the Council had already passed upon this matter, as it had been presented to them, signed by three-fourths of the ratepayers on the street, the specifications calling for a concrete foundation. The Mayor could not see why this matter was again brought before the Council after it had already been acted upon. The specifications in the original petition presented to the Council and passed upon by them clearly called for a concrete foundation. The Mayor said it was just a question as to whether the Council should really take any action in the matter, now that it had been settled. There was no reason why the time of the Council should be taken up in this manner. If the matter were opened up again it would undoubtedly result in endless haggling. He was in favor of ruling the petition before him out of order.

WANTED IT OPENED UP.
Ald. Austin said that he had been acquainted with some new facts in the matter, which showed it up as an altogether different light. He had been informed that some of the ratepayers had signed the original petition, under the impression that he specifications called for a bituminous bottom. For this reason he thought it best that the matter should be opened up again under the head of new business.

The Mayor—All right; but I must from a point of principle rule the petition out of order.

OUT OF ORDER.
The matter next came up under the head of new business, the Mayor repeating his former statements, that though he had no objections to listening to the claims of the petitioners, he must rule the matter out

of order. The matter had been opened up again. In his inaugural address he had drawn attention to the trouble arising every year over petitions and counter-petitions presented to the Council, after sufficiently signed petitions had been passed upon by the aldermanic board. Anyway, a concrete bottom was the only kind which, he believed, should be used as a foundation for pavements in this city. In the history of past Councils, no street had ever been paved without all kinds of trouble being stirred up one way or another. When a petition was sufficiently signed that was the proper time for the Council to act, and they should stay by their previous stand. The ratepayers on Joseph St. were intelligent persons, and they should have had a thorough knowledge of what sort of foundation they were signing for, as this was plainly specified in the petition originally circulated.

Ald. Potter said that in his belief, when the Council had acted upon the previous petition without delay he thought it was one of the best moves they had ever made. Still, however, he was in favor of hearing what the petitioners had to say with regard to the matter, as some of the parties interested had led him to believe that some of the ratepayers had signed the petition under the impression that they were signing for a bituminous bottom, similar to that used in the construction of the Queen street pavement. He was satisfied that some of the ratepayers had been misled in this regard.

The Mayor said that if the Council were to consider the matter again, they were simply opening up a dispute which might not end all summer. It was the opinion of the majority of the members of the Council and also that of the City Engineer that concrete was the only proper foundation for pavements in this city, and besides, the people had in their first petition signified that that was the sort of bottom that they wished. The Council had nothing further to do with it now that the matter had been finally passed upon.

ORIGINAL PETITION REGULAR.
Ald. Austin, who had been examining the original petition, remarked that it was regular throughout, although it had not been regular in some respects. Still, since there were 27 out of the 40 ratepayers on

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CLAIMS SEWER

IS A BOTCH

Mr. Thompson, Says Inspector Sat Under Umbrella and Loafed

IS POLITELY DISMISSED

The usual complaint regarding the condition of the Sheldon avenue sewer was up once more, and it is to be hoped for the last time, before the City Council at their meeting last night. The matter has long ago become a drag on the civic market of complaints.

When Ald. Edmondson reported that the committee appointed had made a thorough investigation of the sewer at several points, and found it to be working satisfactorily, this was the signal for Mr. Thompson to give another of his series of lectures on the alleged defects of the sewer he has made famous through the many strong epithets he has cast at it and its builders.

HE CAME PREPARED.
Mr. Thompson, when given permission to address the Council, came to the front with a formidable array of what appeared to be charts, drawings, specifications, and documents. He had his ammunition tucked under his right arm and he struck a warlike pose when he reached the dais.

Mayor Marshall told him he must be brief, as the Council had too many important questions before them to waste any time on the matter.

Mr. Thompson objected to having his little talk on the sewer matter cut short. There was no use in him talking on the matter at all if he were not to be given the proper time to present his claims. He wanted to go into the matter thoroughly and explain just how the sewer was a botch. His principal claims were to the effect that the sewer was not uniform grade, and that the joints of the sewer were not properly joined together.

"Why do you use glazed pipe for the sewers?" suddenly asked Mr. Thompson of City Engineer Jones.

"Because it is the strongest and the best," replied Mr. Jones.

Mr. Thompson—Then why do you put oakum and cement at the joints?

Mr. Jones—What are you trying to get at, anyway?

Mr. Thompson—It is not for you to ask. You are simply here to answer my questions. Why do you use oakum and cement?

Mr. Jones—To keep the joints together. Laughter.

The Mayor put an end to Mr. Thompson's investigation by telling Mr. Jones he need not answer any further.

TALKS BACK TO EDMONDSON.
Then Mr. Thompson started in to show that the sewer was in a very bad way indeed. When checked up on a number of assertions by Ald. Edmondson, he reminded that gentleman that his time was limited, and that the moments he was then making use of were too valuable to be wasted in replying to every question Ald. Edmondson might ask. He then proceeded to unload his bundle of documents, saying that the city's money was thrown away on such a sewer. There was mud in the sewer, and the people didn't want it till it was put in proper shape. He made use of some pretty stiff statements, saying that the sewer was a botch job from start to finish. During its construction the inspector had sat around with an umbrella over his head and read novels.

Ald. Edmondson's report, which also recommended that William St. bridge be replanked, was then finally adopted. Mr. Thompson being assured that if the sewer were ever shown to be really out of order that the Council would see that it was rectified.

A SUDDEN DEATH

William Goodeve a Prominent Government Official Well Known in This City, Dies at Ottawa

The following from the Ottawa Citizen refers to the death of the late William Goodeve, a gentleman who was very well and popularly known in this city. The deceased was a brother-in-law of S. Stephenson, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson are in Ottawa attending the funeral.

"Mr. William M. Goodeve, chief clerk of the patents branch, department of interior, died very suddenly at his home, 283 McLaren street, at seven o'clock this morning, of apoplexy. He was out as usual yesterday afternoon. He entertained a whist party at his residence and later was taken seriously ill. Doctors were called but he passed away in a short time. He had been in the employ of the Government for about 35 years, and was popular with his associates in his department, all of whom will deeply regret his death. He was a member of the Church of England, being for many years connected with St. George's church.

He was 57 years of age and was born in Kingston, son of William Goodeve. He had resided for many years in the Capital, where he leaves his wife, one brother, Mr. Charles Goodeve, one son, Mr. William Goodeve, and two daughters, Misses Mildred and Dolly Goodeve."

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THIS IS THE LAW

Xenia Points Out a Few Facts in the Administration of Justice

John Shields was sorry he spoke. For being drunk he was fined one dollar and costs or thirty days. His parting salute to Acting Crown Attorney Eyre was, "I'd like to get a wallop at you, you." The Magistrate heard the remark and asked Shields to linger a moment. "I'll change your sentence as a little reminder and now it will be \$16 and costs or 60 days in jail. "Now, if you'd like to say anything more I can make it larger." "You needn't mind," returned Shields. "Well, I won't."

The above is taken from the Toronto News of Wednesday last.

It's enough to make a man's blood boil. I do not know who John Shields is, nor have I any knowledge of "Acting Crown Attorney Eyre." But I do know that it is a flagrant example of petty spite, made possible by the exercise of a little brief authority, and sanctioned, apparently, by the laws and usages of this Province.

John Shields (drunk) might have damned the policeman who arrested him, or any ordinary citizen on the street, till he was black in the face, and "a dollar and costs" would have been the penalty. But to damn "Acting Crown Attorney Eyre" means "contempt of court," and this is a heinous crime; and at the sweet will of the magistrate the fine is multiplied by sixteen and the term of incarceration is multiplied by two.

Is it any wonder that the people of this Province no longer look upon "the judiciary" with any feeling of respect or confidence?

Is there not something radically wrong with a system that gives to one citizen the right to deprive a fellow-citizen of his liberty for ten days or sixty days as he may see fit, because, forsooth, a drunken man has been impertinent or has committed that unpardonable sin, "contempt of court?"

It is impossible to read the incident without feeling that the thought in the mind of the magistrate was not "justice," or "protection to society," or "bettering the morals of the community"; but rather, a feeling of annoyance and resentment because of the words of the drunken man, and a sudden resolve to "show his authority" over one who had no power to resent the injustice.

This is but one of hundreds of such cases, occurring daily in the courts of this Province. Justice is set at naught, equity is disregarded, law is openly defied, respectable witnesses are harassed, and insulted by pettifogging lawyers, who shield themselves behind "the court," distinctions are made between the rich and the poor, between the "upper crust" and the "under crust," until the whole machinery of the law has come to be looked upon to a great extent, as a mere travesty on justice.

If there is one thing more than another to which the Legislature of this Province might with profit direct its attention, it is the operation of the law, and the procedure of the courts, as they finally affect the ordinary citizen.

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Plot Discovered at St. Petersburg to Destroy People's Assembly—Democrats Gain in Elections.

London, April 2.—The correspondent at St. Petersburg of The Observer says that a plot has been discovered to blow up the National Parliament with bombs.

Democrats Gain Ground.

St. Petersburg, April 2.—The elections are proceeding slowly. The constitutional Democrats are constantly gaining ground, especially in the second degree city elections. Friday they captured 46 out of 72 delegates. In the landowners assembly they are also forging to the front. During the last three days the delegates elected by the land owners provincial conventions included 23 Constitutional Democrats, 23 other Progressives, three Octobrists, 11 Conservatives and 15 Reactionists. Tarasov, one of the cities which elects a member of the lower House directly, is the first to complete its elections to the municipal convention with 75 Constitutional Democrats out of 82 delegates.

The Results So Far.

As near as can be judged, the first degree elections among the workmen where elections have been completed show forty-four per cent. members of the party of the Left, that is, Constitutional Democrats, Social Democrats and other Progressives, 25 per cent. of members of the centre, consisting of Octobrists, and the trade and industry party 13 per cent. of the right, made up of the law and order party and autocrats, and 14 per cent. unclassified.

A comparison of the classes of races of the second degree elections with the first degree elections chosen by them as delegates to the provincial congress shows a significant diminution of the peasant element in the process of the passing to the final stage.

To-day the City of St. Petersburg will choose electors to the Municipal Congress, which in turn will elect six members to the National Parliament. Business will be suspended.

All Candidates Arrested.

Odesa, April 2.—On the eve of the preliminary elections among the workmen of 66 factories all the candidates were arrested because they displayed too liberal tendencies.

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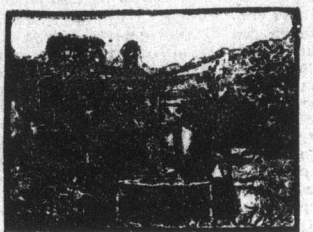
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A CONCRETE CAST FOUR OLD HESTER.

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This quaint-looking house is to be found at Ribchester, near Blackburn, Lancashire, which 1,800 years ago was an important Roman city. It was connected with the network of military ways which Agricola and his followers formed through Britain. Under the name of Rigodunum it was the principal port of the Mersey, and witnessed the coming of many Roman war galleys and trading vessels. Modern discoveries go to show that it was also a place of extensive manufacture, one of its products in those old days being the curiously heavy red tiles used for flooring purposes in the Roman buildings. Bronze ornaments were also apparently worked



ROMAN RIBCHESTER.

here. Some years ago the remains of what was evidently a large public bath were found, also the tessellated floor of what in its time must have been a handsome villa. Altars, statues, coins, implements, etc., have been found in great quantities in the neighborhood, the discoveries all going to show the importance of the place during the Roman occupation of Britain.

After the Romans left it Rigodunum, or Ribchester, gradually degenerated. The Saxons made a little trading town of it, using in the building of their dwellings much of the material left in the Roman ruins. But it did not flourish, and was more and more deserted until it became a mere village that gained something of a reputation in later years as a haunt for smugglers. Some of the old buildings still remaining bear distinct traces of the various occupants the place has had. Roman tiles and bricks have been worked into walls, altered, and added to by Saxon, Norman, and Tudor builders in succession. One of these old-time dwellings bearing the marks of differing periods is that now used as an illustration, now used as an almshouse for five old dames, who take due advantage of the picturesque draw-wall, which, by the way, is one of the few really ancient walls still to be found in the country.

The Star Artcurius.

It is quite natural for the human mind, which associates all thoughts and makes all comparisons by earthly standards, to think of the inhabitants of some of the monster worlds which are known to be whirling through space as being giants of the most gigantic kind. Take the star Artcurius as an illustration. That gigantic planet is 2,000,000 miles in circumference, or about 400,000 miles straight through from pole to pole, or from equator to equator. Our little world is only 8,000 miles in diameter, or 24,000 in circumference. In fact, it is such a mere pygmy compared with Artcurius that it might fall into one of that planet's great lakes, whether they be water or burning seas of gas, and bury itself out of sight. We are apt to think of these planets as being inhabited, however much the chances may be against such an assumption, and to compare such supposed persons to the size of the world upon which they live. If Artcurius is inhabited and its people are built on the same ratio that we are an average Artcurian could fall much short of being twelve miles in height.

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In driving the long Simpion tunnel under the Alps a fine test was offered of the accuracy with which engineering science can guide the direction of two parties of workers starting twelve miles apart so that they will meet in the heart of a mountain. Three principal elements had to be calculated—the total length, the level and the direction as to right or left. When the horses met in the middle it was found that the length, the least important of the elements, differed only about thirty-one inches from the calculated value, the difference in level was less than four inches and the error in direction from one end was less than five inches, from the other less than four inches. The success of the engineers was remarkable, considering that the tunnel is twelve and a third miles long.

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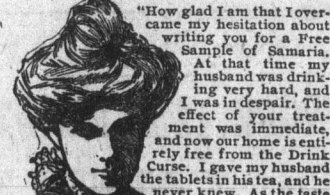
The Arabs in the deserts have contracted a strange prejudice against running water and will only drink what they find in some stagnant pool. So much has this become a matter of habit with them that while the most poisonous looking water agrees with them admirably, pure running water will make them violently sick in the course of a few hours. This prejudice is shared by most of the lower animals and is often acquired by European travelers in Africa. At first the stagnant water produces nausea and even fever, but when once the system is inured to it running water affects them in precisely the same way that it affects the Arabs.

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TOWNSHIP COUNCILS

HOWARD COUNCIL.

Council met as a Court of Revision on Curtis drain on Tuesday, March 6th, at 10 a. m., all members present.

Clerk reported the following appeals: From J. N. Elliott, A. Martinson, J. H. Simington, and John Filby, being too high, also from M. Campbell, against several other lots as being too low in comparison with his.

The following gave evidence re their appeals: J. H. Simington, Jas. McKerracher, M. Campbell, Jas. Elliott, John Filby.

Moved by Walters and Galbraith, that according to the evidence produced this Court feel justified in making the following changes: That the amount of \$7.72, charged against s e pt 1, con. 2, be struck off and s e pt 2, con. 2, be reduced \$5.00, making a total of \$12.72, and the same be charged pro rata on said drain and Court adjourn till April 7th at two p. m.—Carried.

Council resumed Court of Revision on north branch Bell or Crawford drain.

Moved by Leatherdale and McLarty, that the Court of Revision on the north branch Bell or Crawford drain be now closed.—Carried.

Council sat for general business. Moved by Walters and Galbraith, that this council deem it advisable to abandon the provisionally adopted by-law on north branch Bell or Crawford drain.—Carried.

Report. From Reeve, stating that he had met J. W. Campbell on Saturday, March 3rd, in reference to damages, he agreeing to take \$74 in full of account, but on the following Monday he declined acceptance of same and requested \$100.

Application. From J. E. Bedard, owner of a lot 6, con. 7, to have the north branch of Bell or Crawford drain repaired and improved under section 75 of the Municipal Drainage Act, 1894.

Resolutions. Moved by Galbraith and Leatherdale, that the Reeve and J. N. Campbell be a committee to look after gravel pit site division 3, east of Ridgetown, and report to this council next meeting.—Carried.

Moved by Galbraith and Leatherdale, that the application of J. E. Bedard be entertained and G. A. McCubbin, C. E., and also drainage viewers be instructed to make necessary plan and survey and report to this council.—Carried.

Moved by Galbraith and Walters, that the report of G. A. McCubbin, C. E., on Rushton drain outlet be adopted and clerk be instructed to prepare a by-law for same.—Carried.

Moved by Walters and Campbell, that whereas J. W. Campbell has appeared before this council claiming damages for earth deposited on his farm by contractors in the construction of McGregor Creek drain, and as this Council consider that the contractor had the privilege of so doing, are in no way liable for said claims, but in order to avoid further trouble and as the commissioners gave the contractor the above privilege, this Council is willing to pay J. W. Campbell \$50 the amount of his claim. In case J. W. Campbell does not accept the above amount in full of all claim, this to be final settlement, but should he not accept this, in no way to prejudice our case. Treasurer be instructed to tender J. W. Campbell the above amount and charges to McGregor Creek drain.—Carried.

Moved by Galbraith and Leatherdale, that the treasurer be instructed to tender John W. Campbell \$23 in full of all demand against township for amount of land and removal and disengagement of his fence in construction of McGregor Creek drain, and charge to said drain.—Carried.

Moved by Galbraith and Leatherdale, that the by-law for repairing the Rushton drain outlet be provisionally adopted and that same be published, as provided in Sec. 22 of the Drainage Act, and the Court of Revision be held Saturday, March 31st, at 10 a. m.—Carried.

By-law appointing M. McLean arbitrator for changing boundary of S. S. No. 14 and No. 8, Camden, also a by-law authorizing engineers appointed by the municipality to report the amount to be contributed by ratepayers for keeping drains clear of obstructions were read and required number of times and finally passed. Also the by-law on Rushton drain outlet was provisionally adopted.

Council adjourned.
Geo. McDonald,
Clerk.

DOVER COUNCIL.

Council met March 12th, all members present.

Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

A letter was read from Dr. Ingram in reference to Mrs. John Flinn's boy, who is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

A communication was read from the Clerk of Tilbury East, inviting the council of the different municipalities in Kent to meet in Harrison Hall, Chatham, March 20th, to discuss the matter of roads improvement.

The matter of the proposed improvement of the Rankin Creek drain, on the report of W. G. McGeorge, was taken up and the ratepayers in attendance were heard in reference to the same.

The Hind drain outlet improvement by-law was read and provisionally adopted.

Moved by Terry and Lewis, that the Clerk write to David Fletcher, Reeve of Tilbury East, that the Reeves of Dover and Raleigh are advertising for tenders for punning a free ferry at or near Prairie Siding, and they would like to have Mr. Fletcher meet them at Mr. J. G. Kerr's office, Chatham, March 24th.

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A number of accounts were ordered paid.

Moved by Crawford and Terry, that the Reeve be instructed to pay back to Messrs. McKerracher, Ross and Glover, the balance of the money deposited by them in the Canadian Bank of Commerce as a guarantee fund to meet the payment of the expenses and charges in re the publication, etc., re a gift to the G. W. & L. E. Railway Co. after paying off all such expenses, charges and costs out of said guarantee fund.—Carried.

Moved by Crawford and Terry, that Mr. Shackleton's report on the Hind drain outlet relief be referred back to him for amendment, and that the Reeve see Mr. Shackleton in reference to the matter.—Carried.

Moved by Terry and Lewis, that Mr. Shackleton be requested to send in the names of the persons who assisted him in the survey of the Rydard tap drain and on the Hind drain outlet relief and the sum payable to each person.—Carried.

Moved by Crawford and Lewis, that James L. Emery, Wm. D. Dunlop, Ambrose J. Thibodeau, Edward Masterson, Thomas Campbell and Charles Dunlop be each paid \$1 for pathmasters' returns.—Carried.

Moved by Crawford and Terry, that W. G. McGeorge's report to improve the Rankin Creek drain be referred back to him for amendment, and that the Reeve see Mr. McGeorge in reference to the same.—Carried.

Some other accounts were ordered paid.

The council adjourned.
JOHN WELSH,
Clerk.

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TOWNSHIP COUNCILS

CHATHAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of this council was held on Monday, 5th day of March, pursuant to adjournment. The members were all present and the minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The report of A. McDowell, C. E., on the repair of the 4th concession drain in the Township of Chatham, and also his report on the repair of the Ouellette drain in Dover, which is a continuation of the 4th concession drain, was received and read.

A provisional by-law of the Township of Camden council, to provide for the repair of the portion of the Watson and Baseline drain in Camden was received and also a copy of a resolution of Camden council notifying the Township of Chatham council to repair the portion of the Watson and Baseline drain in the Township of Chatham was received.

A letter was received from the Wallaceburg Sugar Co., stating that the company's assessment in the Township of Chatham last year was too high, for the reason that the buildings assessed were not occupied and are of very little value.

George Boyles wrote, complaining that if the repair of the Miller drain is not completed according to the engineer's specification he will hold the township responsible for any damage that may arise from that reason.

A letter was read from Bell & McCubbin, C. E.'s, stating that they would begin the survey of the new outlet in Maxwell Creek in about one week.

Mr. Wm. Heath, of Wallaceburg, wrote asking that a portion of the material required for bridges and culverts be purchased from him, as he always kept the same for sale.

John Stewart addressed the council in reference to proceeding with the repair and improvement of the Campbell and Henderson drain outlet.

Geo. Carter complained that the schedule left by the assessor was \$300 less than the amount on the assessment roll.

John A. Deline stated that he had performed his share of labor, but the same was returned as undone by the pathmaster.

Wm. Vance, collector for the 2nd division, was present.

The revising of the engineer's assessment for the repair of the Pike Creek drain, the Hardy drain and the Davis drain was then proceeded with.

Moved by Harper and Wickens, that the following changes be made in the engineer's assessment for the repair of North Branch Pike Creek drain, and the Court of Revision finally closed, viz.: The e hf lot 30, con. 2, reduced \$10; n hf w hf 29, con. 2, reduced \$3; n 40 acres w hf 29, con. 2, raised \$12; townline raised \$3.—Carried.

Moved by Harper and Brown, that the engineer's assessment for the repair of the Pike Creek drain be amended as follows and the Court of Revision finally closed. The n 1-4 lot 17, con. 4, reduced \$15; the e hf s hf 1-2 lot 17, con. 4, reduced \$5.—Carried.

Moved by Brown and Harper, that the hf 19 and the e hf 21 both in the 3rd concession, be struck off the Hardy drain assessment and the engineer's assessment as thus amended be confirmed and the Court of Revision finally closed.—Carried.

Moved by Brown and Harper, that as follows and the Court of Revision finally closed. The n 1-4 lot 17, con. 4, reduced \$15; the e hf s hf 1-2 lot 17, con. 4, reduced \$5.—Carried.

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SOUTH BUXTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Poland, of the River Road, Raleigh, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Steven Bennett.

Miss Mary Montgomery, of Guilds, spent a few days last week the guest of her friend, Miss Florence Boyce.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hancock, of South Buxton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Goulet over Sunday.

We are glad to see Mrs. John O'Phee around again after her recent illness.

Mr. Wm. E. Bump and Roy Pardo are busy finishing their contract of hauling gravel for a concrete bridge on the Middle Road.

A number of the boys and girls of this place enjoyed themselves at an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Seaman last Friday evening.

Miss Beatrice Ilman, of the 8th concession, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Golden Russell.

Mr. Warren Jenner was renewing old acquaintances on the Blenheim Road Sunday.

Mr. Roy Seaman thinks he will keep his old position with Mr. Walker for the summer.

SOLDIERS RELIEVED.

Winnipeg's Stormy Riot Seems Ended. Winnipeg, April 2.—The city yesterday assumed its normal condition after the stormy scenes of three days. The soldiers were relieved from service Saturday night.

The company have announced that it will decide at a meeting this morning as to whether it is willing to accept the men's demands, now that they have agreed not to ask for recognition of the union.

Ralph Connor and Principal Patrick presented the men's latest proposition to the company Saturday evening, holding a session until nearly midnight.

If the company refuse either to accede to the men or to arbitrate, scenes even more violent than those of last week will be enacted if an attempt is made to run cars, as the feeling of citizens is with the men.

Louis Christenson, the Chicago professional strike-breaker, imported by the company to direct the campaign against the strike, was arrested late Saturday night for assaulting Magnus Smith, champion chess player of Canada.

"Hiss for shame, Hiss for shame, Everybody knows your name!"

This cry is not sung. It is intoned. And so the Gomerans intone their guttural language. It would be quite easy to whistle the "Hiss for shame" cry. So it is quite easy to whistle the Gomerans' singsong language.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Beyond the Limit. "I don't mind folks borrowing," said Miss Hodges plaintively to an old friend who was paying her a visit, "but I've got an awful trying woman for a neighbor just now. She borrows such queer things I'm most out of patience with her."

"Shears and brooms and the flour sifter and ironing board, I s'pose," said the guest, who had known life in a country town.

"Mercy me, I don't count such things!" said Miss Hodges. "Nor my best umbrella nor my carving knife. I can make shift to get on without them for awhile any time. But when she comes over to borrow my diary the other day so's she could keep account of the weather and her hens' eggs and so on till her husband came back from California, she having given him hers to put down his expenses and sights in, so's she could copy her record in from my book in the right place—I declare, I called it the cap sheaf!"

Youth's Companion. God help the man who thinks he can afford to give petty dislikes a place in his heart!

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CHERRY—On March 31st, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Cherry, 122 Farnham avenue, Toronto, a son.

TO-NIGHT

Court Companion, No. 521m in their hall at 8.
Young Men's Club, Park St. S. S. Hall, at 8.
Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.
Public School Board, Harrison Hall, at 7.45.

LOCAL

Irene McCubbin, Selkirk street, entertained a number of her young friends to a birthday party yesterday.

Probate of the will of the late Emily Larkin has been granted to W. Taylor and J. Taylor, of Wallaceburg.

Lovely suite of three rooms, heated with hot water, centrally located, suitable for light house-keeping, rent reasonable. Apply D. McLachlan, Business College.

Charles Bardwell, of Detroit, and Joseph Winterbourne, of Walkerville, are in the city attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Cormode. Both are ex-Chathamites and former members of the local fire brigade.

Information has been laid against two colored men on Taylor avenue for stealing chickens from Mrs. Kenny, who also lives on that street. Mrs. Kenny does not want the men sent down, but she does want them to stay away from her chicken coop.

The following P. M. officials are in the city to-day inspecting the local railway yards: Superintendent Pyeat, Chief Engineer Cassil, Trainmaster Gihula, Roadmaster Morris and Assistant Superintendent Chas. Weir.

The party left for the north after completing the local inspection. Chief of Police John Holmes has received a letter from E. S. O'Hare, 284 1-2 Pearl street, Beaumont, Texas, inquiring for his sister, Miss Maggie O'Hare, who when last heard of was living on Queen street, in this city. The Chief does not know of such a person, and has notified the inquirer that the young lady asked for does not live in the city at the present time.

The Companions of Court Maple Leaf, No. 521, I. O. O. F., are mourning the sad death of Mrs. Thos. Glover, one of their highly respected members. Mrs. Glover was a charter member and had held the office of Chief Ranger and Past Chief Ranger, and was a prominent worker in the Court. The funeral, which took place yesterday from her late residence to Maple Leaf cemetery, was largely attended. The Foresters beautiful ceremony was conducted at the house by the Companions, Court McGregor, No. 6, concluding the ceremony at the grave. The flowers were profuse and beautiful, conspicuous among them was a valiant wreath from the Companion Court.

Mina's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

The young men of St. Andrew's church, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid, gave a very delightful social in the Sunday school room last evening.

A splendid program of music was rendered, after which refreshments were served. D. Orombie acted as chairman of the evening, and he made a good one. The stories he told were enjoyed. They were of a very unique and original nature. There was a large attendance, and the receipts were very satisfactory.

The following is the program as rendered:

Cornet solo—J. Collins.
Reading—J. G. Kerr.
Solo—James Trotter.
Piano solo—Mr. Collins.
Solo—G. Bruckin.
Violin solo—Ed. Jones.
Male quartette—Messrs. Angus, Smith, Smith and Wilson.
Cornet solo—Mr. Collins.
Solo—Mr. Wilfrid Smith.
Selection—Male quartette.

The proceeds of the evening will be donated towards the remodeling of the Sunday school room.

NEW YORK—NEW YORK CENTRAL.

Easter Excursion to New York, April 12th, via New York Central—\$10.25 for the round trip from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo. Tickets good for ten days to return.

Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge Street, Toronto, for further particulars.

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SUBJECT OF MAINTENANCE AT COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

C. C. I. Board Again Place Themselves on Record With Some Unmistakable Resolutions

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE ARE AFTER SETTLEMENT

At the meeting of the C. C. I. Board, held yesterday afternoon, the question of the maintenance of county pupils at the school came up in discussion, then the action of the County Council again came in for some caustic comment and the passing of some unmistakable resolutions.

The subject came up in connection with the presentation of an account in favor of the county relative to the litigation which has been going on before Judge Bell. The account was passed.

Col. Rankin then made a motion to the effect that a meeting of the Board be called when the educational bill—which is at present being considered by the Ontario Legislature—is brought down in the House, in order that the members of the Board may express their views on the proposed amendment and, if they deem it advisable, make representations to the Government.

Mr. Richards—We are only one in a million of counties, and we cannot expect the Government to make laws that will benefit only us. We have presented our case before the Minister of Education, and he knows how we feel in the matter.

Mr. Rankin—I think we should work every hour to get this thing over.

This was the unanimous opinion of the Board, and many expressed their views on the matter very strongly.

Dr. Thornton—What we want is absolute fairness. That was not the motion carried.

There were present at the meeting Chairman Dr. A. W. Thornton, S. B. Arnold, Dr. J. R. Battisby, P. R. Bert, Robt. Smith, Sandy McVean, W. G. Richards and J. B. Rankin.

An invitation was received to attend the 19th annual convention of the Provincial Association of School Trustees in Toronto.

The chairman was appointed to represent the Board at this convention.

Mr. Robert, in reporting for the Property Committee, said that in accordance with the motion passed at the last meeting of the Board, the committee had instructed J. L. Wilson & Son to prepare plans for the proposed new addition to the Collegiate Institute.

Mr. Wilson had prepared a sketch and barn; \$900 was the price asked for it.

Ald. Edmondson thought the site was not suitable for the ground in that vicinity was covered with water in the spring. He was also of the opinion that this property had been offered for sale some time ago for \$800.

Ald. Stone said that he could not agree with Ald. Edmondson. Mr. McPherson had paid \$900 for this property in the first place, and that was the rock-bottom price for which it could be purchased. He also stated that the buildings were not affected by the floods in spring.

The matter was finally referred to the Finance committee to report on at a later meeting.

OTHER REPORTS.

In a brief report, Ald. Potter, chairman of the Property committee, recommended that the committee be empowered to employ an architect to prepare plans suitable for the remodeling of the old market front, so as to convert the present useless apartments into offices and stalls.

The cost of such renovation would be in the neighborhood of \$3,000. The report was adopted.

Ald. Edmondson reported progress with regard to the street numbering, and said that the committee would have a report to present to the Council shortly.

Ald. Potter asked that the action of the Property committee's action with regard to renting a fish stall to Mr. Bunnery for \$75 be ratified by the Council. His motion was seconded by Ald. Stone, and when put to a vote was carried.

Ald. Potter also asked that the Property committee be empowered to ask for tenders for the old police station. The matter was so referred by the Mayor.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to the companions and brethren of the I. O. F., also to all other friends who assisted me and my family in our sad hours of the loss of wife and mother.

Signed in behalf of the family.
THOMAS GLOVER.
Chatham, April 3rd, 1906.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, April 3—11 a. m.—Moderate variable winds, fine. Wednesday, fair weather.

Supplied by W. W. Turner.
TO-DAY.

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The new high bust corsets 50c to \$2.00 each.

Tape girdle corsets 35c each.

It is our desire to keep in touch with our trade by the display and advertising of our corsets, and this week we have arranged for a special showing of the above models, which are—without doubt—unpassed in popularity. Our stock comprises all styles, qualities and prices, to fit any figure and pocket book, but space does not permit our entering at length into a discussion of their respective merits, so we cordially invite you to be present this week when their great value can be personally demonstrated.

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30 dozen Ladies' Fine Swiss and Linen Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and embroidered, worth 12½c to 15c each, 3 for 25c.
100 dozen plain ¼ in. hemstitched Handkerchiefs, pure linen, very special value, 5c each.

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5 piece Parlor Suite, hardwood frames, overstuffed or upholstered all over, spring edge and spring back, covered with finest figured velours, in assorted colors, shown this week in our Market Street window. Very special value at \$30.00.

5 piece Parlor Suite, red birch frames finished mahogany, spring seats, upholstered in fine jacquard weave furniture covering, with plush bands on seats and backs. Price only \$26.00.

Parlor Suite—5 pieces—mahogany finish frames, neat carving on backs, upholstered in fancy figured velours, new patterns and assorted colors. Price \$17.50.

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Nearly everything that is novel and up-to-date in fancy Boleros, Collars, Fiestines, etc., is here in abundance—a splendid assortment. Collars for Children's dresses, for Ladies' evening gowns or Shirt Waist suits. Special numbers at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. Extra fine ones at \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00.

New Silks

Leading styles for Spring. New Pekin Stripes for fancy waists, \$1 a yard. Taffetas in checks, stripes and plain, 50c to \$1 yard. Silk Pongees, in rough or smooth finish, natural or bleached, 50c, 75c. Polka Dot Silks for summer waists, choice 50c yard, Black Peau de Sole and Taffetas, every yard of which is warranted to wear, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 yd. New Persian and Shadow Silks, black and white checks, fancy patterns, etc., correct for summer waists.

News About Boys' Clothing You Can Trust

We have just passed into stock many of the newest ideas in boys' 3 piece suits at \$5, \$6, \$5.50 and \$7 in double and single breasted styles—serges, novelty pattern tweeds and worsteds, full of style, quality and wear, sizes 9 to 16 years.

At \$3, \$3.50, \$3.95 and \$4.50 Three Piece Suits of honest wearing Tweeds, sizes 9 to 16 years.

Boys' 2 Piece Suits in dressy Norfolk—single and double breasted styles, and all other kinds of Boys' Clothing for Spring and Summer wear. 2 Piece Suits range from our Special Norfolk at \$1.98 to \$5.00, for ages 5 to 15 years. Try clothing your boy here.

To men who want to maintain their individuality we make a specialty of maintaining that indefinable quality that every good dresser appreciates—individuality. Special Spring Suit values at \$10 up to \$16.

RAINCOATS, very special values at \$7.50 up to \$15.00.

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Flowers and pretty boxes for the "grown ups," and fancy Chocolate Eggs, Chickens and Rabbits for the children make very attractive presents.

You will find a large number of strictly Easter things here to select from. Prices are exceptionally reasonable. Baskets with Chocolate Eggs 5c, 10c, and 15c. each. Chocolate Chickens and Rabbits from 5c. each, and many other things in price from 5c. to 50c.

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LOCAL

Matthew Wilson was in Toronto yesterday on business.

Judge Houston was in Blenheim yesterday on business.

Walter Piggett is spending a couple of days in Toronto.

Mrs. McNaughton, William street, is convalescent from her illness.

Wm. Lively, of Thamesville, called on Chatham friends Sunday.

For Sale—Cleveland Wheel, 24-inch frame; new last fall; \$25 cash. P. O. Box 1012.

Frank Ross, of Blenheim, was visiting friends in Chatham on Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Nelson, of Stanley avenue, is visiting her sister in Blenheim.

General Manager Warburton of the C. W. & L. E. is in Toronto on business.

Don't miss the snaps in Japanese China at Sulman's Beehive. Ten days only.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, of Leamington, are visiting their friends in Chatham.

Mr. I. W. Norton, Ridgeway, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kendall, Richmond St.

Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire—a nice, glossy finish. Try it. Drew & McCallum.

Arthur Berube, of London, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. G. B. Berube, Church street.

Oswald Jackson and Wallace Browning were visiting friends in this city on Saturday.

Roy Jordan, of Raleigh, has returned from North Bay, where he spent the past three months.

Mrs. Draper, of William street, left yesterday morning for Muskoka, where she will in future reside.

If any subscribers have lost or destroyed unused tickets, these will be duplicated on application to D. S. Paterson.

At the evening service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church Sunday, Miss Gertrude Somerville sang "Some Things We'll Understand" in very effective style.

Good smart boy wanted to drive delivery wagon, also have an opening for good active young man as apprentice to learn baking. E. A. Mounteer.

Mr. Hazlet, of North Chatham, handling some wire fencing yesterday morning. One of his hands was badly lacerated.

John Piggett & Sons have installed a fine new silent salesman in J. C. Wanless hardware. The new counter adds greatly to the appearance of the store.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Stephenson left yesterday for Ottawa to attend the funeral of the late Mr. Goodover, whose death was announced Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson will spend a week at the Capitol.

Great Sale of Japanese China at Sulman's Beehive, for 10 days. Mustards 9c, salts and peppers 5c. Everything equally low. Come and see!

At their regular meeting last Friday evening, the members of the Harwich Literary and Debating Society were entertained to a lecture from Rev. Dr. Battisby on his trip to the Holy Land. W. W. Everitt presided over the evening's program.

Over one hundred dog tags were purchased from City Treasurer Fleming on Saturday, and the crowd of purchasers were coming all day to-day. Chief Holmes says that the police will find the owners of all dogs running at large and they will have to come up before Judge Houston.

Andrew Thomson, Jr. will sell at one p. m. on Wednesday, April 4th, at Mrs. Snook's home on Lorne avenue, the entire household effects of G. F. Scott, consisting of full stock of parlor, dining room, kitchen and bedroom furniture, all of which must be sold as Mr. Scott is leaving the city.

A farmer going home last Sunday night had a very narrow escape from being run over by a freight train at the C. P. R. crossing on William street. He was driving across the track, and did not see the approaching train until it was almost upon him. He whipped up his horses and succeeded in getting across in time. The rear of the car just grazed his buggy.

Humane Officer James McGregor was a busy man on Saturday. In the afternoon he found a horse that had been standing on Harvey street all day. He put it in a livery stable and warned the owner that if the trick was repeated again he would have to prosecute. He also found a merchant driving a horse which was in no condition to be driven. He ordered the horse laid up and again threatened prosecution if the horse is driven before it is in condition to be worked.

F. A. Ross, of Windsor, spent yesterday in this city.

D. O. Leitch, of Ridgeway, was a city visitor yesterday.

Fred. H. Brisco returned from Napance at noon to-day.

Walter Mills, of Ridgeway, is in the city on business to-day.

James M. Rankin, of Wallaceburg, was a city visitor yesterday.

Warden S. P. Sturgis, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday on county business.

Miss Edith Side, of Joseph street, spent Saturday with friends in Wallaceburg.

Miss Stanton sang a solo at the evening service in William street Baptist Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Fleming is in Strathroy, at the bedside of her father, who is seriously ill.

A. D. Brander and A. B. Carscallen, of Wallaceburg, were among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Lost, on Sunday, a gold brooch set with coral. The finder will be rewarded by returning to this office.

Reserve your seats for the eloquent Dr. Driver's lecture in the Opera House to-morrow night. There will be a rush.

R. S. Collart, of Montreal, who spent Friday and Saturday in the city, left for Winnipeg yesterday on business.

Wm. Montague, a well known Chatham boy, left yesterday for the Northwest, having secured a home-stead.

Jack Barr, who has been lately employed at Blenheim as night operator, has been removed to Walkerville.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian church will hold an apron and crocheting sale on the 11th and 12th of this month.

Miss Nellie Brisco returned to Toronto Sunday evening after spending a few days with her mother on Lacrosse street.

A meeting of the Retail Merchants Association will be held in the Council Chambers in Harrison Hall Thursday evening.

Dressmaker—Making a specialty of shirtwaist suits and children's sewing. Miss Terry, over Parson's Fair.

The highest registered by Turner's official thermometer yesterday was 58. It is expected that the thermometer went even higher to-day.

Mr. Chas. Clark, editor of the Comber Herald, and wife, spent Sunday in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Park, Taylor Ave.

Mrs. Richard Pritchard has returned from Chatham Township, where for a few days she has been visiting Mrs. John Gillett.

Information has been laid against two young men who were fighting on King street. The case will come up on Wednesday.

At Victoria avenue Methodist church Sunday evening solos were sung by Mr. Horstead and Miss Jack. The male quartette rendered a selection.

Rev. F. E. Malott, pastor of Victoria avenue Methodist church, was in St. Mary's Sunday, where he conducted the League anniversary services.

The Messers, Leake are building two fine residences down the river on the property lately owned by J. W. Young, opposite the residence of Mr. Daniel Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Anquetil are in Toronto attending the funeral of Mr. Anquetil's brother-in-law, the late Mr. George Clark, who passed away Saturday morning.

Work has been re-commenced on the new armories. The carpenters and lathers commenced work yesterday morning, and the masons will commence operations to-day.

Local coal dealers say that it is impossible to get quotations on coal from the wholesalers at the present time. The cause of this state of affairs is, of course, occasioned by the strike.

Adjutant and Mrs. Snow, of the local S. A. corps, have been granted a furlough, and they will leave for Massachusetts on Friday. During their absence their work will be taken up by Adjutant and Mrs. Hide, of Ingersoll.

Alex. McGregor, of Piggett & Sons, met with a slight accident this morning. A board flew from one of the machines, striking him on the thigh and inflicting a number of bruises. Fortunately he was not seriously hurt.

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How frequently does a head line similar to the above greet us in the newspapers. The rush, push and strenuousness of the American people has a strong tendency to lead up to valvular and other affections of the heart, attended by irregular action, palpitation, dizziness, smothered sensations and other distressing symptoms.

Three of the prominent ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made are recommended by some of the leading writers on *Materia Medica* for the cure of just such cases. Golden Seal root, for instance, is said by the United States Dispensatory, a standard authority, "to impart tone and increased power to the heart's action."

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The Lady Forsters have postponed their Pedro Parties until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Collart and children, of Montreal, are the guests of Mrs. A. B. Collart, William street.

Carnations, Lilies, Tulips, Hyacinths, Azalias, the best and cheapest.

In the absence of Rev. Mr. Hare, Mr. Fred. Ward, of this city, took over his Mechanized preaching at Botany, McKay's Corners and Kent Bridge on Sunday.

Miss Alice Ritchie, of Detroit, spent Sunday in this city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Asher, Raleigh street.

"The strongest of the course" will be the opinion of those that hear "The Anglo-Saxon and the Future Rule of the World" to-morrow night at the Grand.

The Elks will hold an initiation to-night in their hall. A big time is expected, as several candidates are to go through the forest for the first time, and the open winter has not made the tracks very smooth.

George Jamieson, of the Queen St. Livery, has purchased a fine dapple grey team from a farmer in Bothwell. The price was \$400, and George is justly proud of his purchase.

As Mr. Harding, who was conducting my sale this year, received a telegram that his wife was very ill, and as he had to leave for home unexpectedly, I had to discontinue the auction, but I am still selling goods at low prices in order that I may reduce my stock. E. J. MacIntyre, leading jeweler and optician.

Just a little bit off the top.

A Philadelphia politician has been converted by Dr. Torrey. This would indicate that the converted vote in the Quaker City is worth while.

Harwich school trustees have a striking way of settling their disputes.

As leader of the Ontario Opposition Hon. Geo. W. Ross is showing himself to be a first class has been.

Starving French miners lived for twenty days on hay. It is presumed that they would naturally enough be filled with loft-y thoughts.

SIDEWALK ON FIRE

The fire brigade turned out in answer to a telephone alarm at 1:15 yesterday afternoon to quench a fire on the sidewalk of north Victoria avenue.

By some means the boards had become slightly raised, and were burning up in great style when they arrived, but the fire boys experienced little difficulty in extinguishing the flames.

You're growing more beautiful day by day, dear Grace.

I hope you're not using cosmetics on your face.

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EXCELLENT SERVICES

Twenty-five new members were given the hand of fellowship into the church at the reception service held after the regular service in the William street Baptist church Sunday night. The communion service which followed the reception of members was largely attended and was said by some of the oldest members to be the largest ever held in the church. Rev. J. W. Hoyt, the pastor, preached to large congregations at both services.

The choir rendered a suitable anthem and Miss Eva Stanton sang very sweetly at the conclusion of the sermon "Tell Me what I'll be There."

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LIBRARY FOR WALLACEBURG

Wallaceburg, April 2. — Mayor Stonehouse has received a letter from Andrew Carnegie, stating that he had granted the town \$7,500 for the purpose of erecting a free public library.

Two sites are under consideration. The town has an option on the first, and it will no doubt be the choice, cause of its river frontage.

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MUSICAL

MRS. McMULLEN—Who studied in Germany with Carl and Hall, will teach violin one day a week in Chatham if a sufficient number of pupils apply to justify her coming from Detroit. Will those who are interested call upon her any Friday in the next three weeks at Mrs. Cooper's studio.

CLEVER YOUNG MINISTER

Rev. A. Thomas, of London, conducted services and preached in Victoria avenue church Sunday to a large congregation.

Rev. Mr. Thomas is making a name for himself as one of the brightest and most forcible speakers among the young ministers of this province. He is spoken of as one of the rising stars of the London conference. He is quite a young clergyman, and has not yet reached the second anniversary of his ordination into the service of the church.

His sermon here Sunday evening was especially much appreciated.

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PARTHENON LODGE, No. 267, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C.—First Wednesday, Masonic Temple, King St. J. SMITH, W. M. J. W. LEWIS, Sec'y.

WELLINGTON LODGE, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C.—Meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Seane Block, King St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

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TO BE RECOVERED WAR IS RENEWED

Mutual Life Intends to Ask Directors to Make Refunds.

New York, April 2.—The Truesdale committee's report on the Mutual Life was made public Saturday, and says it is advised that such of the company's funds as were donated for political or campaign purposes were unlawfully disbursed and recovery can be had in behalf of the company from the officers or trustees responsible therefor. The committee understands from the president that he has already consulted counsel with regard to what legal steps be taken to secure the recovery of these moneys and that he will act accordingly.

Actuary in Ottawa. Ottawa, April 2.—Miles M. Dawson, the actuary who prepared the case for Mr. Hughes before the Armstrong committee in New York, was in Ottawa yesterday in connection with the life insurance investigation.

Grand Trunk Pacific Financed. Montreal, April 2.—Charles M. Hays returned yesterday from London and announces that the Grand Trunk Pacific is financed as far west as the Rockies, and that their surveyors are in the passes preliminary to a definite selection and the energetic carrying on of the road to the Pacific.

Charged \$2 to Cross. Fort Frances, April 2.—Americans are enforcing the alien labor law strictly at International Falls power dam here, and Canadian workmen, who attempt to cross to assist in the work on the American side, are charged \$2 per trip.

Egotism is a stranger to discontent.

Tartars and Armenians Cause Intervention of Troops.

Elizabethopol, Caucasus, April 2.—A renewal of the Tartar-Armenian war, accompanied by revolutionary activity, has compelled the intervention of the troops. Several skirmishes have occurred, during which a score of Armenians and Tartars were killed. The local authorities have seized a number of machine guns and over 500 rifles.

84 Mutineers Acquitted. St. Petersburg, April 2.—The naval court-martial Saturday acquitted 84 of the 297 men who mutinied at Kronstadt in November, 1905. Nine of the remainder were sentenced to penal servitude. The others were deprived of civil rights and sentenced to terms of imprisonment varying from one to four years, or to enrolment in disciplinary battalions.

Women Ill-Treated. St. Petersburg, April 2.—M. Bolko-vadze, a prominent Georgian writer, has made an appeal to Russian women in behalf of women of his own race, who, he says, are being ruthlessly violated by the brutal soldiery engaged in the pacification of the ancient Kingdom of Georgia. The troops, he says, do not even respect age, eight-year-old girls and old women being forced to minister to their lust.

Mob Attacks British Consulate. St. Petersburg, April 2.—A despatch from Teheran describes a serious plague riot at Solistan. The European plague hospital there was demolished and the mob attacked the British consulate and beat the Consul and a British doctor with sticks. The rioting was stopped by Cossacks.

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France Will Police Four Ports, Spain Two, and France and Spain Two, Germany Carries Point of Integrity of the State—British Opinion Holds It to Be Victory For France But Impermanent.

Algiers, April 2.—After a plenary session lasting until 4 o'clock Saturday evening, the conference on Moroccan reforms registered a complete accord and appointed a committee to embody this accord in formal protocol. The consummation of the work of the conference was announced in the following official communication:

Accord Established. "The conference has terminated its labor, and accord is established upon all points. It has adopted a definitive text for the remaining articles concerning the state bank and customs. The final article, regulating the distribution of police at ports, was adopted from the Russian draft. By it France will police four ports, Morocco, Spain, Algeria and Larache, and Spain two, Tetuan and Larache, and France and Spain will together police Tangier and Casa Blanca, subject to an inspector of police. The Dutch delegate announced that his Government declined to appoint an agent."

Satisfactory. Mr. White, the American delegate, is of the opinion that the result is satisfactory, not only because the immediate future of Morocco is secured, but because, the manner of the settlement is satisfactory both to France and Germany, and removes the causes for friction, and restores international relations to normal. The principles for which Germany insisted, the integrity of Morocco and equal commercial and economic rights there, Mr. White thought were recognized, while the special position claimed by France was acknowledged. The others of the leading delegates confirm Mr. White's opinion, and emphasize the good effect the result should have on the European situation.

Depends on Sultan. With reference to the effect of the concurrence on Morocco, the delegates were reserved in their opinion. They admit, however, that the operation of real reforms will be impossible without the good will and sanction of the Sultan and his advisers, and, for that reason, the last act of the conference will be to authorize that the reform program, as adopted, should be submitted to the Sultan by Chevalier Malmusi, the Italian Minister to Morocco, who is dean of the diplomatic corps at Tangier, with the intimation that it is the unanimous wish of the powers that it be put into operation immediately.

Victory For France. London, April 2.—Although anticipated for a fortnight, the successful outcome of the Algeiras conference on Moroccan reforms brought great relief to England, as, during the past year, the Moroccan question was the only one causing serious misgivings for the peace of Europe.

The agreement is considered to be a victory for France, which retains the preponderance of influence in the financial affairs of the empire, and loses little of what she demanded with respect to the policing of the country, for, with a majority of the powers supporting her policy, the diplomats at Tangier are not likely to interfere much with the Franco-Spanish officers. While Great Britain opposed the conference until France had agreed to it, it is now realized that the meeting of the delegates served useful objects in cementing the Anglo-French entente, and dispelling the belief, held in many continental capitals, that Great Britain would only support her friend when it was to her own interest.

On the other hand, it assures Great Britain that she is not involved with a dangerous aggressive power. As for the future, the Foreign Office is not so optimistic, the officials looking upon the agreement as merely a temporary relief. It stops aggressive action, but does not prevent interested nations continuing to strengthen their positions until either feels strong enough to take without parley what it failed to secure through diplomacy. It is not believed that Germany will give up her effort to obtain a footing in the Mediterranean.

Headache Powder Kills.

Cobourg, April 2.—The jury empanelled to inquire into the death of J. D. Roddick, who died suddenly on March 7th, after hearing the evidence of Provincial Analyst Dr. Ellis brought in the following verdict: "That J. D. Roddick came to an accidental death through taking an overdose of acetanilide in the form of a headache wafer and kamkama tablets to relieve a headache."

A Costly German War.

Berlin, April 2.—A despatch from Southwest Africa states that Chief Moringo's men attacked a German military transport train and killed the whole escort of an officer and fourteen men. Thus far the war in Southwest Africa has cost the German nation \$150,000,000 and over 2,000 lives.

Section Foreman Killed.

Port Union, April 2.—Thomas Yates of this place, for many years section foreman for the G. T. R., was struck by an eastbound light engine and instantly killed about 200 yards east of Highland Creek bridge at 7:45 yesterday morning.

Britain's Revenue.

London, April 2.—The revenue of the United Kingdom for the fiscal year ending Saturday shows \$769,394,920, an increase of \$3,481,010.

Fire At Fort William.

Fort William, April 2.—Fire destroyed the steamer Kamfistkiv yesterday morning at a loss of \$8,000.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Saturday Evening, March 31. Liverpool wheat futures closed today 3/4 higher than Friday, and corn futures 3/4 higher. At Chicago, May wheat closed 5/8 lower than Friday, May corn 3/4 lower, and May oats 3/4 lower.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Wheat, spring, bush... \$0.74 to \$...
Wheat, fall, bush... 0.75
Wheat, red, bush... 0.75
Wheat, white, bush... 0.71
Barley, bush... 0.51
Oats, bush... 0.30
Rye, bush... 0.75
Peas, bush... 0.78
Beans, bush... 0.53

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, March 31.—Closing.—Wheat—Spot nominal. Futures quiet; May 6s 3/4, July 6s 3/4.
Corn—Spot American mixed, new, steady, 4s 2 1/2; American mixed, old, quiet, 4s 7d. Futures quiet; May 4s 3/4, July 4s 2 1/2.
Barley—Canadian steady, 6s 10d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy, winter, steady, 8s 8d.

**Flour—In London (Pacific coast), quiet, 42 1/2 to 43 1/2.
Wheat—Firm; extra India mess, 78s 9d.
Beef—Firm; prime mess, western, 77s 6d.
Lamb—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 51s.
Bacon—Firm; Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, 48s; short rib, 16 to 24 lbs, 52s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, 48s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 47s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 46s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 47s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 40s 6d.
Lard—Firm; prime western, in tierces, 42s 6d; American refined, 40s 6d.
Butter—Steady; finest U. S., 90s; good U. S., 88s.
Cheese—American finest white steady, 63s 6d; American finest colored, 68s.
Tallow—Firm; prime city, 25s 6d; Australian in London, 25s.
Turpetine Spirits—Steady, 45s.
Rosin—Common steady, 38s 10 1/2.
Petroleum—Refined quiet, 6 1/2 d. Linseed Oil—Firm, 22s 9d. Cottonseed Oil—Hull refined, spot firm, 19s 9d.**

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, March 31.—Butter—Fairly steady, unchanged; receipts, 2500.
Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1718.
Hogs—Strong; receipts, 12,070; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 21c; do, choice, 19c to 20c; do, mixed, extra, 18c; western, 18c; do, second, 16c; southern, 15 1/2 to 17c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—American Markets Quiet, But Firm.

London, March 31.—Cattle are quoted at 11c to 12c per lb.; sheep, dressed, 14c to 14 1/2c per lb.; lamb, 15c to 15 1/2c, dressed weight.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, March 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; active and higher.
Veals—Receipts, 450 head; fairly active and lower, 45 to 50.
Hogs—Receipts, 2100 head; active; about steady; heavy, mixed and Yorkers, \$6.75 to \$6.85; light, \$6.50 to \$6.75; pigs, \$6.50 to \$6.75; roughs, \$6 to \$6.25; stags, \$4.25 to \$4.75.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5400 head; slow and steady; prices unchanged.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, March 31.—Beef—Receipts, 280 head; feeling steady; dressed beef dull at 6 1/2c to 8 1/2c for native sides. Exports, 720 head; average 5428 quarters of beef.
Calves—Receipts, 18; none on sale and no trading; feeling weak at 8c to 12c; country dressed, dull, at 7c to 9 1/2c.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1702; sheep nominally steady; lambs extremely slow and 10c to 15c lower; prime western lambs sold at 8 1/2c; dressed mutton steady at 9 1/2c to 9 3/4c per lb.; dressed lamb weak at 9c to 11c; country dressed spring lambs slow at 8 1/2c to 8 3/4c per carcass.
Hogs—Receipts, 2207; feeling nominally steady.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; steady; beef, \$5 to \$6.25; cows and heifers, \$1.60 to \$5.20; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.75.
Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; mixed and butchers, \$6.25 to \$6.50; good, heavy, \$6.40 to \$6.47 1/2; rough, heavy, \$6.25 to \$6.35; light, \$6.25 to \$6.50; pigs, \$5.75 to \$6.50; bulk of sales, \$6.35 to \$6.45.
Sheep—Receipts, 2000; strong; sheep, \$3.25 to \$6.50; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6.50; lambs, \$3 to \$6.65.

LADY WILSON'S CASE.

Serious Charges Made Against Trust Corporation Are Denied.

Toronto, April 2.—The proceedings in which Lady Wilson, widow of the late Sir Adam Wilson, is taking action against the Toronto General Corporation for alleged fraud, mismanagement, etc., were resumed Saturday morning before Judge Winchester. Walter Barwick, K.C., appeared for the company and Mr. Hodgins, K.C., for Lady Wilson.

Dr. Hoskin, J. W. Langmuir and Secretary Reid made statements to the judge denying the allegations. Amongst other allegations is that the trustees had used the moneys of the estate and loaned them and had received interest to a much larger amount than they had credited the estate. Lady Wilson asks that the order of the Surrogate Court of Jan. 5, 1905, be set aside and the accounts of the estate may be reopened, and that the accounts on the file of this court may be further investigated.

The Prince at Vancouver.

Vancouver, B. C., April 2.—H. R. H. Prince Arthur of Connaught was greeted at Vancouver with loyal acclamations and King's weather. The ceremonies were more or less informal, though a civic address was presented and the "Duke of Connaught's Own" was inspected at the drill hall on Saturday. The party left on their private train early Sunday morning for the east.

Shoots Himself.

North Bay, April 2.—Lord Trevillian, formerly locomotive engineer on the G. T. R., running out of Allandale, who was discharged from the road a short while ago for some offence, shot himself in his room at Donovan's boarding house here Saturday afternoon.

Ohio Inheritance Tax Killed.

Columbus, Ohio, April 2.—The inheritance tax law has been repealed. The law was repealed by a vote of 89 to 20. The income from the tax was \$375,000 a year.

Wheat Inspection.

Winnipeg, April 2.—Wheat inspections for seven months of past crop year total 51,255,506, or just 11,445,506 bushels more than total inspections for preceding year.

Ten Fires Every Day.

London, April 2.—Ten fires daily was approximately last year's average in London, according to the annual report of the fire brigade, issued Saturday.

Why Tea Quality Varies

YOU know how the quality of strawberries from the same patch will sometimes vary from one day to another.

One day sweet, compact, well ripened, well colored, richly flavored—next day it rains, is cloudy,—following picking is soggy, sour, green, coarsely-flavored, poor.

Tea, also, on account of its volatility of flavor, after picking and during the curing process is very susceptible to weather changes. A few hours of sunshine or bad weather after picking may make the difference between good and poor tea.

So that while one picking may be first class, the next from the same garden may be very poor.

I select only the pickings which come up to the Red Rose standards of richness and strength in Indian, and delicacy and fragrance in Ceylon teas, and thus that "rich, fruity flavor" of Red Rose Tea is produced and maintained.

Red Rose Tea is good Tea

T. H. Estabrooks
St. John, N.B., Toronto, Winnipeg

District.

CEDAR SPRINGS.

The I. O. F. intend purchasing the property on the corner of John and Talbot Sts., and fitting up for a hall and dwelling.

Walter Claus and family spent Sunday in the village.

James Heatherington, Jr., went on a business trip to Walkerville this week.

Golden Heatherington, of Wheatley, is spending a couple of weeks here.

H. McDowell, of Erieau, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. M. Taylor, wife of the late Capt. Taylor, an old resident of this place, passed away in London on March 24th.

NORTHWOOD.

A very critical but successful operation was performed on Mrs. H. Best last Wednesday, when she had a cancer removed from her side. Mrs. Best is doing as well as could be expected.

A letter has been received from S. H. Knight, stating he has arrived at his new home in the Northwest.

P. Campbell's saw mill is running full blast again.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Curtis leave this week for British Columbia, where Mr. Curtis has secured a good position.

CONNOISSEURS PREFER

Darwin's WHISKY

NERVOUS DEBILITY

OUR NEW METHOD TREATMENT will cure you, and make a man of you. Under its influence the brain becomes active, the blood purified so that all pimples, blotches and ulcers heal up; the nerves become strong as steel, so that nervousness, heartiness and despondency disappear; the eyes become bright, the face full and clear, energy returns to the body, and the moral, physical and sexual systems are all drained clear of morbid influences, and the will is made strong. The various organs become natural and healthy. You feel yourself a man, and know marriage cannot be a failure. Write all the afflicted to consult us, and we will cure you. WE WILL CURE YOU OR NO PAYMENT.

THREATENED WITH PARALYSIS.

Peter E. Summers, of Kalamazoo, Mich., relates his experience:

"I was troubled with Nervous Debility for many years. I lay it to indigestion and excesses in early youth. I became very dependent and did not care whether I worked or not. I imagined everybody who looked at me, guessed my secret. Imaginative dreams at night weakened me

RAINY RIVER MAN HAD TROUBLES

Till Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured his Kidneys.

Then His Rheumatism And Other Pains Vanished Once And For All—His Case Only One of Many.

Barwick, Ont., April 2.—(Special).—That Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Rheumatism, or any other disease resulting from disordered kidneys is the experience of many of the settlers in this Rainy River country. The case of William John Dixon, of this place, is a fair sample of the work the great Canadian Kidney Remedy is doing.

"I had Rheumatism so bad I had to use a stick to walk. I had pains in my back and right hip, and I had no comfort in sleeping. I could no more than dress or undress myself for nearly two months, and I was for nearly three weeks I could not lace my right shoe."

"My brother advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I did so. After taking three boxes I could walk around and lace up my shoes and do my work. Six boxes cured me completely."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the one sure cure for sick kidneys. The kidneys are the cause of nine-tenths of the ills the human family suffers from.

WORKERS FIGHT CAVALRY.

Disturbances in French Coal Fields Again Become Serious.

Paris, April 2.—The miners strike throughout the coal region in the north has again assumed serious proportions. Many riotous scenes were enacted Saturday when the cavalry repeatedly charged with strikers, injuring many of them. The troops also suffered severely. A large reinforcement has been distributed at the centre of disturbances.

The strikers are estimated at 39,000 and divided into bands of 500 to 2,000 are parading the region and threatening workmen who refuse to join them. Many of the bands carry red flags. They have sought several times to drive the cavalry into the barbed wire entanglements.

A BAD BRUISE

Often causes a good deal of trouble. The best cure is a prompt application of Nerville, which instantly soothes the pain, prevents swelling, removes all blackness and discoloration. Nerville is antiseptic—prevents blood poisoning. No liniment so strong, so penetrating, so swift to destroy pain. You miss a lot of comfort by not using Polson's Nerville. For nearly fifty years it has been the standard family liniment of Canada.

Prominent Woman's Suicide.

St. John, N.B., April 2.—Mrs. Michael White, a prominent lady of this city, committed suicide Saturday night by drinking carbolic acid.

4,000 Newcomers Saturday.

St. John, N.B., April 2.—Within 24 hours three ocean liners have arrived at this port, bringing for the Canadian west nearly 4,000 immigrants.

YOU MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

Can't even sleep—restless day and night—brooding over imagined trouble all the time. The disease isn't in the brain, but in the blood, which is thin and unwholesome. Do the right thing now and you'll be cured quickly. Just take Ferrazone; it turns everything you eat into nourishment, consequently, blood containing lots of iron and oxygen is formed. Ferrazone makes flesh, muscle, nerve—strengthens in a week, cures very quickly. You'll live longer, feel brighter, be free from melancholy if you use Ferrazone. Fifty cents buys a box of this good tonic—fifty chocolate coated tablets in every box—at all dealers.

Weighing the Anchor.

A young lady, who had no knowledge of nautical phrases, asked a friend, "Do you know, I often wonder why a ship has to weigh its anchor every time it leaves port?" The answer of her friend was not illuminating—"Well—er—the weight is constantly changing, you know, because of the—er—biennials and things that accumulate on the anchor!"—London News.

ABOUT RHEUMATISM.

There are few diseases that inflict more torture than rheumatism and there is probably no disease for which such varied and useless lot of remedies have been suggested. To say that it can be cured is, therefore, a bold statement to make, but Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which enjoys an extensive sale, has met with great success in the treatment of this disease. One application of Pain Balm will relieve the pain, and hundreds of sufferers have testified to permanent cures by its use. Why suffer when Pain Balm affords such quick relief and costs but a trifle? For sale by all druggists.

THE FAST TRAINS.

To California are run over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours quicker to San Francisco than any other line. No change of roads, no detours. "The Overland Route" all the way. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. Inquire of H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada, or F. B. Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue, Detroit.

A THIMBLE OF GOLD

IT IS MADE OF METAL ALLOYED DOWN TO FOURTEEN CARATS.

The Process of Manufacture, From the Ingots of Pure Gold Fresh From the Subtreasury to the Finished Shining Product.

Out of whatever part of the earth it may originally have been dug, the gold from which thimbles are made in Philadelphia was bought at the United States subtreasury in the city in the form of small little ingots, brick shaped and about two and a half inches long, an inch and a quarter wide and about an inch thick.

These little ingots would be of a convenient size for paperweights. But they would be rather heavy for such use and probably too expensive for most people, for each one contains, of pure gold, 24 carats fine, metal of the value of about \$600.

Gold of this fineness would be much too soft for thimbles, and it is alloyed down to 14 carats, in which condition it is rolled into sheets of suitable thickness. In the first process of manufacture a sheet of this gold is run into a machine which cuts out of it a disk in size sufficient to form a thimble, the same machine stamping this disk also into the form of a straight sided capsule with irregular edges.

Then the thimble blank goes into another machine, in which a die stamps it into its conical shape. Out of this machine it goes into an annealing furnace for tempering and from that into an acid bath for cleaning and the removal of the fire coating.

Then the thimble is put into a lathe to be turned down to its final shape and dimension. It is dull colored when it goes into the lathe, but at the first touch of the keen edged cutting tool it shows a glistening narrow band of bright gold surface, which is widened in a moment to cover the whole length of the thimble as the skillful worker shifts the tool along.

With repeated application of the tool the operator brings the crown of the thimble into its perfect form and cuts down along the thimble's sides to bring the walls of the thimble to the requisite thickness, and he defines and finishes the smooth band that runs around the lower part of the thimble and brings into relief the rounded rim that encircles the thimble at its opening at once to give it a finishing ornamental grace there and to stiffen it. The glistening little gold thimbles that he cuts out in these various operations all fall into a canvas trough suspended between him and the bench upon which stands the lathe.

With that last touch to its rim in this stage of making the former has grown enormously more thimble-like in appearance, but somehow it still lacks the breath, so to speak, of thimble life; it lacks yet the final indentations in its surface that serve to support the needle and to hold it in place. These the thimble maker now proceeds to make, and the making of these is nice work indeed.

It is done with a tool called a knurle. There is an end knurle and a side knurle. An end knurle is simply a handle having set in it a tiny, thin revolving wheel of steel, which when periphery is a continuous encircling row of little bosses or knobs corresponding in size to the indentations to be made. The side knurle has in place of such a wheel a little steel cylinder of a length sufficient to cover that section of the thimble that is to be indented on its sides, this cylinder having knobs all over its surface, as the end knurle wheel has around its edges, and turning, like the wheel, on its axis.

The thimble in the lathe is turning with 2,500 revolutions a minute, and it seems as though the application to its surface of any sort of tool with protruberances on it must leave there only a jangled and mixed up lot of irregular marks. But now with the end knurle the thimble maker makes an indentation in the center of the top of the thimble, and then he proceeds rapidly and with perfect certainty with the end knurle to describe around that center concentric rings of indentations, with the indentations all perfectly made and the rings all perfectly spaced, from the center to the circumference of the top.

You may see him do this, but you can't tell how he is able to do it. And then with the side knurle he makes the indentations in the sides of the thimble, making there as well, as he deftly presses the tool against it, indentations that run absolutely uniform and true and that end at their lower edge in a perfectly true encircling line.

It is astonishing and a pleasant thing to see how it develops and comes to itself with the making of these familiar indentations, and now there remains to be done to it only the polishing inside and out and you have the finished gold thimble.

How Exclamations Originate.

"Halloo" and "hurrah," which are among the exclamations in common use, can be traced to curious origins. The author of "The Queen's English" tells us that the people of Carhwood forest, Leicestershire, when they wish to hail any one at a distance call out "halloo," but when they wish to hail a man, they say "hurrah." This he takes it, is a survival of the times when one cried to another "A loop! A loop!" or, as we should say, "A wolf! A wolf!" "Hurrah," according to high authority, is derived from the Slavonic "huraj," to "parade," a battle cry which voiced the prevailing belief that all soldiers who fell in the fight went straight up to paradise.

In Bohemia courtships are abnormally long. In that country engagements frequently last from fifteen to twenty years.

LIVING TOO HASTILY

CANADIAN WOMEN BREAK DOWN Irregularities and Female Derangements Result Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Owing to our mode and manner of living, and the nervous haste of every woman to accomplish just so much each day, it is said that there is not one



Miss Irene Hapgood

woman in twenty-five but that women with some derangement of the female organism, and this is the secret of so many unhappy homes.

No woman can be amiable, light-hearted and happy, a joy to her husband and children, and perform the duties incumbent upon her, when she is suffering with backache, headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, bearing-down pains, displacements, spinal weakness or diseased organs.

Irritability and snappy retorts take the place of pleasantness, and all sunshine is driven out of the home, and lives are wrecked by woman's great enemy—female trouble.

Read this letter: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— "I suffered for four years with what the doctors called inflammation of the fallopian tubes, which is a most distressing female disease, undermining the constitution and sapping the life forces. If you had seen me a year ago when I had begun taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and had noticed the sunken eyes, sallow complexion and general emaciated condition, and compared that person with me as I am today, robust, hearty and well, you would not wonder that I feel thankful to you and your wonderful medicine which restored me to new life and health in five months. My friends all marvel at the change it has made in me, but none can appreciate it better than I can myself. Miss Irene Hapgood, 1022 Sandwith St., Windsor, Ont.

At the first indication of ill health, painful or irregular periods, pain in the side, headache, backache, bearing-down pains, nervousness, or the "blues," secure at once a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and begin its use.

The Resemblance.

"A wild goose has really some reason to be classed in courage with the eagle." "In what respect?" "It is sure to die game."—Baltimore American.

Scorn no man's love though of a mean degree. Love is a present for a mighty king. Much less make any man thine enemy.—Herbert.

THE VEALY BEEB REMEDY FOR BOWEL TROUBLES—NO KAMLY CAN AFFORD TO BE WITHOUT IT.

"I regard Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as one of the very best remedies for bowel troubles," says Mr. J. W. Hanlon, editor of the Despatch, Ogdensburg, N.Y. "I make this statement after having used the medicine in my family for several years. I am never without it. No family can afford to be without a bottle of this remedy. It is certain to be needed sooner or later. For sale by all druggists."

There is a best way to do everything if you are fortunate enough to find it.

When a boy turns his bulging pockets inside out we marvel at the quantity and variety of articles he has stowed away. Old leather, string, marbles, a horse-chestnut, a top, brass nails, hickory-nuts, an apple, and many more articles are gathered by this "snapper up of unconsidered trifles." We think the collection must be hard on a boy's pocket. And it is. It is a collection of the variety and miscellany of the substances we put into the pocket of our stomach? There's the apple and the nuts, and things quite indigestible as brass nails and with no more food value than so many marbles. And yet we wonder that the stomach "gives out." When the stomach breaks down under the strain of careless eating and irregular meals it can be perfectly and permanently restored to health and strength by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The action of this medicine on the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition is so marked, that relief from disease is at once experienced, and the headache, liver "troubles," kidney disorders, skin eruptions and other symptoms of a diseased stomach are quickly cured. Whenever the use of a laxative medicine is indicated, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They act in harmony with the "Discovery" and assist its action by purging the bowels of foul accumulations.

Once convinced that you are on the right track, follow it unflinchingly.

Marion Bridge, C. B., May 30, '02. I have handed MINARD'S LINIMENT during the past year. It is always the first Liniment asked for here, and unquestionably the best seller of all the different kinds of Liniment. I handle.

NEIL PARKINSON.

As a rule, one must either climb or dig for things that are worth having.

IF YOUR BODY EXPLODED.

Human Energy is a Result of Continuous Explosions—Waste and Repair of Body.

In the great chemical factory of the human body there is no holiday. Millions upon millions of cells work night and day manufacturing and converting vital force into heat, work and electricity. Every portion of the body, even in the teeth, bones and hair, is full of constant motion, though the person is apparently inert in sleep. The sum total of this energy can only be equalled by a powerful engine. And the comparison is apt, for the body is indeed an engine of marvelous complexity and efficiency, but still an engine. Like the steam and gas engines it works by expansion and explosion of gases and vapors.

A man weighing 160 pounds contains 88 pounds of oxygen gas, 14 pounds of hydrogen, and a few pounds of other gases. In all his body holds about 107 pounds of gas in a highly condensed and concentrated form, only to be compared with gasoline or gunpowder. These gases of the human body, should they suddenly expand to their normal size, would cause a thunderous explosion, powerful enough to wreck a large building or sink a battleship. The fourteen pounds of hydrogen alone would occupy 2,600 feet of space.

It may seem strange that we don't blow up. The fact is we do explode continuously from our birth to our death, and even for a time afterward. But the explosions are so small, so numerous and so well muffled that no ear or instrument can detect them. Every thought or movement of the body means the setting off of a train of explosions. The waste gases pour out of our mouths, from the lungs, and ooze through the skin and stomach gas puffing and banging away all day long like an automobile with a million cylinders.

Everywhere parts of these engines are breaking down and getting out of order. If our health is good, repair goes on as fast as the breakage, and the work of the body is done thoroughly. Sometimes repair is done on a larger scale than the waste and breakage. Then we have growth and increase in weight.

If the breakdowns occur faster than the repairs, the organs waste away, work accumulates, the system becomes clogged and unless things are readjusted in time a general disorganization follows—at least organization of the nervous system is destroyed.

For some time after the body as a whole is dead, groups of cells here and there live on gradually succumbing to their altered conditions. They die just as the inhabitants of a large city would die if they could not leave their homes should the water, gas, food and sewage systems suddenly stop.

The popular belief that the material of the body is renewed once every seven years is erroneous. The greater part of the matter in our bodies at this moment has been there from twenty to thirty days. The source of material for construction, reconstruction and repair is in our food.

For the most part, the body is made of repair or metabolism, as it is called, occurs between the thirtieth and fortieth years of life—that is to say, when man's creative energy is most fully developed. It is greater in men than in women, and is less in the old than in the young. As Dr. Moleschott has observed, the measure of life.

Professor Fischer of Paris, has discovered that an average man in a working day gives off enough heat to run a steam engine of 100 horse power. According to his figures man, as a motive power, is 100 times as expensive as mechanical energy.

Of all man's needs the most indispensable is air, for it contains the most important of all nutrients, oxygen, without which life is impossible. For to live is to breathe, to burn, to oxidize. As soon as the proportion of oxygen in the air falls from the normal 21 per cent. to 7 per cent. suffocation results.

In ordinary breathing a little more than a pint is inhaled and exhaled at every complete breath. Though the quantity is the same when the air leaves the lungs as when it enters, the quality is very different.

The air expelled from the lungs contains much more carbonic acid and moisture and much less oxygen. The quantity of carbonic acid given off is increased by exercise, and is greater with vegetable diet than with animal. In twenty-four hours a man absorbs about 26 ounces, or 143 gallons of oxygen and excretes about 32 ounces, or 124 gallons, of carbonic acid.—Dr. Adolph Heilbron.

Nail Caused Explosion.

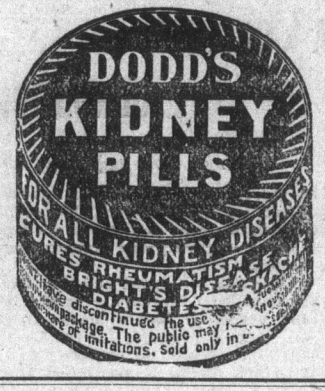
One of the most devastating explosions on record was caused by a single nail in the shoe of one of the employees. Such a trifle will strike a spark that, though quite unnoticeable, will explode as much powder as could fill a theatre. The examiner has to search every employee before he enters the works, and not the thinnest scrap of metal is allowed, nor, of course, any matches, nor a metal button, while everyone has to leave his boots away from the factory, and put on a pair of felt shoes.

Intellectual Birds. A certain university doctor, desiring to see a birdcatcher exercise his employment, accompanied him to the field. As soon as he saw the birds he hallooed in Latin: "There they are!"

The birds took the alarm. The sportsman, indignant at the absurdity of the professor, told him of it in very plain terms. "My good friend," exclaimed the doctor in great astonishment, "who would have imagined that birds would have understood Latin?"—London Queen.

Strength of the Ant.

If a man had the strength of the ant he could lift 500 times his own weight. Thus the standard weight of man were 150 pounds; he could lift without undue exertion 75,000 pounds. Think how such a condition would effect the labor problem or how it would express itself in prowess of peace and war beyond the wildest dreams! And if an ordinary man was so strong, how marvelously more able would be a Sadow of that race of Samsons!



Her Method of Darning. "The worst case of a henpecked man I ever saw," said the traveling man, "is up in my little native place among the Berkshire hills. The hen in this case is a smart woman who runs a farm and keeps everything shipshape except her husband. She is content to let him get along in any old fashion, so long as he does not interfere with her work. One day he asked her apologetically if she wouldn't darn at least one pair of his stockings, for every pair he owned had holes. "She gave him a crushing glance and said, 'If every pair has holes, wear two pairs, and the good places in one will cover the holes in the other.' And she made him do it too."—New York Press.

USED MEN AT THE OFFICE UP AND TIRED OUT

Every day in the week and every week in the year men, women and children feel used up and tired out. The strain of business, the cares of home and social life and the task of study cause terrible suffering from heart and nerve troubles. The efforts put forth to keep up to the modern "high pressure" mode of life in this age soon wears out the strongest system, shatters the nerves and weakens the heart.

Thousands find life a burden and others an early grave. The strain on the system causes nervousness, palpitation of the heart, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, faint and dizzy spells, skip beats, weak and irregular pulse, smothering and sinking spells, etc. The blood becomes weak and watery and eventually causes decline.

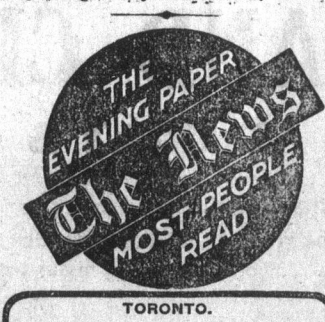
Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills

are indicated for all diseases arising from a weak and debilitated condition of the heart or of the nerve centres. Mrs. Thos. Hall, Kildon, Ont., writes: "For the past two or three years I have been troubled with nervousness and heart failure, and the doctors failed to give me any relief. I decided at last to give Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a trial, and I would not now be without them if they cost twice as much. I have recommended them to my neighbors and friends."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills 50 cents per box or \$1.25, all dealers, or The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Mexico's Fans.

In Mexico fans were used long before the conquest, and when Montezuma heard that the Spaniards had landed and were about to visit him he sent for goldsmiths and lapidaries and ordered, among other gifts which were to be offered to Cortes, two feather fans ornamented with a sun and moon of highly polished gold. Like the Japanese and other ancient nations, the Aztecs evidently considered the fan an emblem of authority, for they generally placed it in the hands of Ometecuhtli, god of paradise, and of Tote, the military disciple of Quetzalcohuatl.



TORONTO.

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1 cent per word per insertion.

Announcement of The Toronto News.

He hath riches sufficient who hath enough to be charitable.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the familiar way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

A bird in the dining room is worth two in the market-basket.

DEMOCRACY'S ILLS.

Civil Service Reform and Electoral Purity—Dominion Conservative Leader's Address to the Students.

For a well-rounded out hour recently Mr. R. L. Borden, M. P., addressed the students of the University of Toronto. Mr. Borden's observations dealt exhaustively on the development of the British constitution and of democracy. More than one part of the framework on which the deductions were made were facts of English history which every Canadian schoolboy has been "strapped into remembering or forgetting," and Mr. Borden laid before his audience an address rich in every sentence. He summed up the needs of democracy almost in the one word vigilance, and to increase the strength of his utterance did not hesitate to quote or take example from the commonwealth beyond our south border line.

The chief points of his speech may be epitomized as follows: The Briton surveys his politics with a telescope; the German uses a microscope and sometimes a dissecting knife. The outcome, however, in both cases was not always right. Demos must be reconstructed in their opinion, and all must admit that democracy was on its trial.

The House of Commons gained control in England by securing the vote on supplies, and that right is preserved to this day, though we do not think of the procedure in the same light as of centuries now past. The King rules "by advice," and the power of veto has not been exercised by a monarch since 1707. Originally the right of the colonies to self-government was chosen, and finally given with fear lest the freedom allowed would eventually mean severance from the Empire. But the effect had been exactly opposite. Britain, aloof, is held in veneration, while we, as parties, in this country fight out with bitterness our political differences.

This party system has its critics, and it is easy to point out weaknesses. Criticism was not everything, since power of analysis needed the company of the quality of creative power. In the end some group will propound or govern, and some practical result must follow. A duty of citizenship demanded that every man must take his share, and by putting in his best efforts the body politic would be made better.

Speaking on his right, he said, as a Conservative, the Conservative party had been in power sixteen years at Ottawa. That period was too long. He was not in a position to say whether or not thirty-three years was too long for a certain other Government to have been in power.

This lease of power took away for a long period even petty offices from a great section of the people, though the Government was in a general regard looking after the administration of the whole people. The evil of our system was the tendency to keep particular benefits for uses that would cause a continuance in power of one party.

Under the Cabinet system a party of fourteen men acted in a three-fold capacity—as Privy Counsellors, as a committee of Parliament, and as statutory heads of great state departments. In the latter capacity the duties to be discharged could be compared truly to those of a manager of a great corporation, with the additional privilege of absolute secrecy.

The tendency of our time is to transfer to the Cabinet attributes that formerly were possessed by Parliament. Individual members are almost impotent to direct legislation, and an opposition in a general sense can make no headway against a measure, however though it might be. Legislation is really now originates in the Cabinet and in the Cabinet caucus in Canada. The head of a Government with a good majority is practically a dictator.

No member of Parliament, as a rule, either in England or Canada, votes against his party when his party is in power. The member who loses the patronage is in disgrace. Recalcitrants usually find their path back to the fold, if the Cabinet chooses to take time to make the conversion.

Democracy has power to govern, but does not always choose to do so. In a new country, where people are busy making the chase for a better public interest in government was small. This would in due course be remedied by education, in which the press would have, or ought to have, some responsibility.

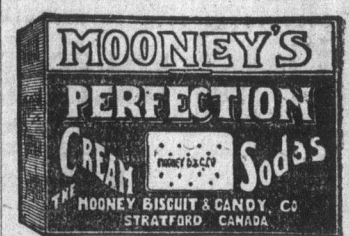
Civil service reform—the great need—was not a party issue, but it meant sound sense and sound morals in public affairs. Administration of public affairs was a public trust. It could not be denied that under the party system good officials could be chosen, but competitive examinations and the elimination of partisanship was infinitely better than the party system ever could be.

Corrupt election practices could be stamped out by the appointment of a public prosecutor, whose duty it could be, acting on the independent status of a judge, to examine everything down to an election trial. The people appalled at the cost would soon be repaid. Closing, Mr. Borden made reference to the fact that strictly speaking there existed really no Imperial Parliament and no Imperial law. The Crown was the Empire's emblem of unity, but he looked for the time when there would be a true Imperial executive of all the colonies.

Had His Hands Full. The death of Senator David Ward, the oldest member of the Canadian Parliament, recalls an anecdote which illustrates his remarkable independence. At the age of 101 he was still holding the seat which had been his for almost half a century. During his last years his family had been worried about his habit of traveling alone in midwinter from his home in Fredericton, N.B., to his post at Ottawa. They urged him to let his daughter accompany him. Senator Ward would have none of her. "A man of my age," he said, "has all he can do taking care of himself without having a woman to look after."

Church Debt Paid. The \$5,000 mortgage against the Alvinston Presbyterian Church has been burned.

A Forehanded Township. Every cent of taxes in Elderslie Township, Bruce County, are paid for 1905.



Food Value

Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas are crisp squares of wholesome nourishment. They are the food that builds strength and muscle. They are as easily digested by the child and invalid as by the sturdy workman. They contain ALL the food properties of finest Canadian wheat flour, in a form that delights the appetite. Always fresh and crisp in the moisture-proof packages. At all grocers in 1 and 3 pound packages.

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COOK WANTED—At once. Apply at Grand Central Hotel.

COOPERS WANTED—First class hoop collar; also pointer and lapper; good wages paid. Apply to Church & Co., Sand Point, Ont.

WANTED—Young lady attending College to give her services morning, evening and Saturdays in exchange for board. Address Box 745, Chatham.

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DESIRABLE APARTMENTS TO RENT—A flat containing seven connected rooms, with modern conveniences, including bath room. Apply to the Chatham Loan and Savings Company.

FOR SALE—Three houses on Head street, or exchange for farm property, one house new with stable, two river lots; 100 acres to rent or let on shares. Con. 5, Dyer, Chas. A. Terry, Head street, Chatham, P. O., Box 732.

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TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE—Two lots and one house on Sandys street, two lots on Woods Survey. This property will be sold cheap. Apply on property, Woods Survey, Julius Labute.

FOR SALE—Fifty acres, under cultivation, fair buildings, good land, to exchange for house and lot. 110 acres, mile and a half from Chatham; also houses and lots in parts of the city to sell on easy terms. Office next to Taylor & McKays, Fifth street, Chatham. M. H. McGavin.

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Have just been passed into stock this last week and will be on display in our show window until the week end. The display consists in part of

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Dress Fabrics, in every new weave, and in the new shades, at per yard 50c and 75c a specialty this season at this store. Don't miss seeing the display.

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This millinery display would do credit to a metropolitan store. Don't neglect seeing it if your new Easter hat would be one of the latest creations.

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\$1.00 per gallon can, imperial measure.

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Latest Cut and Perfect Fit or No Sale. Pressing and Cleaning at Lowest Prices.

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APRIL 12TH IS THE DATE.

Do not forget the excursion to New York on April 12th, via New York Central. Rate \$10.50 round trip, tickets good going only Thursday, April 12th, good to return to April 22nd.
Full particulars from Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge Street, Toronto.

A CONCRETE FOUNDATION

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the street, who had signed another petition to the effect that they wanted bituminous as a bottom, he was in favor of giving the matter some consideration.

Ald. Stone, who next had the floor, said that he admired the consistent stand taken by Mayor Marshall. It was a good principle for the Council to follow, not to open up matters which had been assayed upon by the Council, when to all appearances the original petition had been secured in a regular way and above board. He said that he was more than surprised at the stand taken by his friend, Ald. Austin, who only a short time ago had asked the Council to pass a resolution to the effect that no petition be considered on any certain matter after a sufficiently signed petition on the said matter had been presented to the Council. Ald. Stone said that he was prepared to support the Mayor in this matter.

ASKS SOME QUESTIONS.

J. Brackin, who was present in the audience, at this point got up and addressed a few words to Mr. Fallahee, the representative of the Bituminous Company. He asked Fallahee if some of the names on the original petition passed upon by the Council had not been solicited and placed on the petition last year. He also intimated that at the time the petition was circulated last year, the specifications calling for concrete were not attached.

GETS HIS ANSWER.

Mr. Fallahee—Every name on the original petition is bona fide and was placed thereon this year, and every name placed on that petition was placed there with the date of the time of signature. I don't like to have our company accused of fraud, or insinuations of that kind made. We transacted all our business above board, and the specifications calling for concrete foundation were pointed out to every ratepayer who signed. We are here to satisfy the wishes of the people, the majority of whom signed for our pavement, to be constructed with concrete foundation. Many of these names on the counter-petition are identical with those who signed for concrete.

J. Brackin—I want to ask you one question, Mr. Fallahee. Is Mr. Morrell's name on the list of those who signed the original petition? If so, when did he sign?

Mr. Morrell, who was in the audience, replied that he had signed the petition last year, and that at the time there was no petition attached calling for concrete foundation.

MORE ANSWERS.

N. H. Ruthven then took the floor. He said that he and Mr. Fallahee had together solicited the names on the original petition passed upon by the Council, and he was prepared to make affidavit that all the signatures had been secured this year. True enough Mr. Morrell had signed the petition last year, but he had signed again this year, as did all the others on the petition, and what was more, Mr. Morrell knew of the specifications being attached to the petition. He had never heard the matter disputed till J. Brackin had started the agitation. When that gentleman had signed the petition, he had remarked something about concrete being used for the foundation, and had said something about the City Engineer's recommendation.

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\$25 Complete Sets	\$19.00
\$22 " "	18.00
\$18 " "	13.00
\$16 " "	12.09
\$15 " "	12.00
\$12.50 " "	9.50
\$10.00 " "	8.00
\$5.00 Tea Sets for	\$3.50
\$4.00 " "	\$3.25

Come and see the goods.

Now is the time to select a good Bedroom Set at a low price. Pick out a few sets now and call for them when you get ready to use them a month hence.

\$7.50 12-piece Sets	\$5.00
5.00 10-piece Sets	3.75
4.50 " "	3.50
4.00 " "	3.00
3.00 " "	2.25
2.50 " "	1.75

Also plain white Sets at special prices.

with regard to the same as a bottom. Therefore, he must also have had a thorough knowledge of what sort of foundation he was signing for.

J. Brackin—Were the dates attached with all the names on the petition?

Mr. Ruthven—Yes, every one was dated, and I can make a declaration to that effect if necessary.

MATTER THROWN OUT.

Mayor Marshall—if these people have got into a mixup of their own over the matter, it is certainly none of the Council's business.

Ald. Potter explained that in the first place he was under a slight misapprehension with regard to the matter, as he had been led to believe that some of the residents on the street had signed the petition believing it was for a bituminous bottom. But now that the matter was explained to him, he was satisfied to support the Mayor and Ald. Stone.

By unanimous consent of the Council the petition asking that the matter be again opened up, was thrown out, and will not be further discussed.

Better Than Spanking

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. Summers, Box 4, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child; the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

YOUNG MEN'S CLUB

At their meeting last evening, the members of the Young Men's Club of Victoria avenue held a debate, the subject of which was, Resolved, that the by-law compelling city grocers to close at seven o'clock each evening, should not be repealed. The affirmative, which was victorious, was taken by Charles Lidster and J. Elliott. The negative was taken by H. Stirling and S. Parrott. Rev. P. E. Makoff acted as chairman, and the judges of the debate were L. Parrott, J. W. Humphrey and Robt. Killip.

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Mr. Edgar and Miss Theresa Kinraid, of Blenheim, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Alex. Lucas, Hilliard street.

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HE SHOT HIMSELF

Young Man at Thamesville Committed Suicide—He was Jilted by a Girl

A shocking tragedy occurred at Thamesville this morning when a young man named James Skimmer committed suicide by shooting himself.

Details of the affair are lacking, but it appears that the deceased left Thamesville some time ago and obtained a situation in a brick-works at Syracuse, U. S. A.

During his stay in the latter place he fell in love with a young woman and was preparing to marry her when she unexpectedly turned him down and became the wife of one of his rivals.

Heartbroken, he returned last Saturday to Thamesville, and after brooding over the matter for the last three days, he took his life this morning by shooting himself in the head.

The affair has caused considerable excitement in Thamesville and much sympathy is expressed for the relatives of the deceased.

TENDERS OPENED

Many Contractors Apply for the City Work for the Ensuing Year

At the conclusion of the Council meeting, last evening, the tenders for supplies were opened and referred to the Board of Works.

Westman Bros. and Geo. Stephens & Co. tendered for hardware.

STREET SPRINKLING.

Wm. Chrysler—21-2c. per foot on King St. and 13-4c. per foot on other streets.

John Bowers—21-2c. per foot on King St. and 2c. per foot on other streets.

Bud Gibson & Co.—31-4c. per foot on King St. and 115-16c. on other streets.

GRANOLITHIC WALKS.

Bligh & Fielder—10c. per square foot.

Thomas Martin & Co.—11-12c. per square foot.

James Goodall—11-14c. per square foot.

Westmore & Mitten—11-15c. per square foot.

W. Chrysler—11-14c. per square foot.

A. S. Everett, Thamesville—12c. per square foot.

Moore & Stephens—11c. per square foot.

STREET CLEANING.

W. Chrysler—\$1,975.

John Brennan—\$1,900.

Bug Gibson & Co.—\$1,752.

CASTINGS.

McKeough & Trotter—Per lb. 3c.

STREET CORNER CIRCLES.

McKeough & Trotter—25c. each.

R. Riddell & Sons—40c. each.

Park Bros.—Each 23c.

BRICK.

James Cornhill—\$5.50.

D. Jordan—\$5.40.

Wm. Drader also tendered for lumber and Messrs. Oldershaw for sewer-pipe.

The matter of providing a dog pound-keeper, was referred to the Property committee to deal with.

After the passing of a by-law for the construction of a glazed pipe sewer on Joseph St., the Council adjourned.

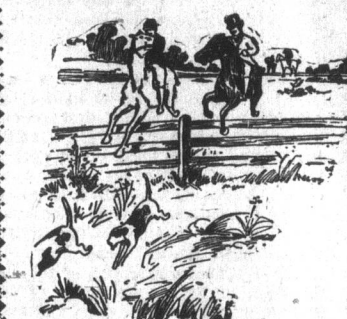
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Our long standing reputation for large and complete stocks, is what brings many men to our store.

To-day we want to tell you of the immense showing we are making in Men's New Spring Hats at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00. You will find all the new colorings and black in all the new styles. They come direct from the makers to us, so the prices are bound to be right. A look through the range of hats we are selling at from \$1.00 to \$2.00 will surprise you.

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Maple Syrup, 25c per quart.

2 cans Salmon for 25c.

Japan Tea, 15c per pound.

7 lb. Pails Jam 50c.

Oranges, navel, 22c per dozen.

1 lb. cans Sunlight Baking Powder, 10c.

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