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THOMAS STONE & SON

FASHION SHEETS FREE

**C**ARPETS never were cheaper in Chatham than the prices we are asking to-day. Tapstry Carpets at 45c, 50c, 58c and 75c a yard. Brussels Carpets at 90c, \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.25 and 1.40 a yard. Velvet Carpets at \$1.25. Compare them with the kind shown elsewhere. Axminster Carpets at \$1.50 per yard.

**A**T the present quotations and superior showing, you should make your selection now.

**R**UGS in all sizes and at all prices, from the small Jute Rug at 50c to the finest Axminsters, sizes 10 x 14 ft., at \$45.00.

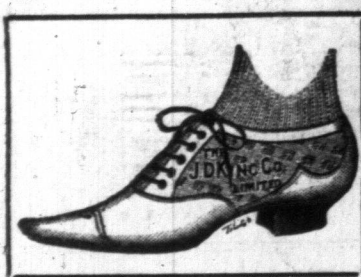
**P**ERHAPS you need some Lace Curtains. If so, it would please us to have you come in and take a look at some we are offering at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 and up to \$25 a pair.

**E**VERYTHING for Carpets. Several kinds of paper for lining, thread, needles, etc.

**T**RY our Cork Carpet and Linoleum for your kitchen or bath room. We have all qualities up to 4 yards wide, they wear long and are easily cleaned

**S**TRAW Matting from Japan in every grade at all prices; our showing was never so good; this makes an ideal summer floor covering, at 12½c to 50c per yard

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Just received from J. D. King & Co., Ltd., Toronto, a line of Oxfords, special value at

Our \$2.00 Oxfords

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## Ladies' Oxfords

We carry some of the best Oxfords that can be purchased in the Canadian and American markets, either McKay or Goodyear, at

\$2.00, \$2.50



## Men's Footwear



Our Men's \$3 and \$3.50

Shoes for style and durability cannot be excelled.

Give Us a Call . . .

**TURRILL'S**  
SHOE STORE  
REPAIRING NEATLY DONE.

**WOOD'S PHOSPHORINE**  
The Great English Remedy.  
Sold and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine discovered. Its benefits are guaranteed to cure all forms of Sexual Weakness, all effects of abuse or excess, Mental Worry, Excessive use of Tobacco, Opium or Stimulants. Mailed on receipt of price, one package \$1.00, six, \$5.00. One will please, six will cure. Pamphlets free to any address. The Wood Company, Windsor, Ont.

Wood's Phosphorine is sold in Chatham at the Central Drug Store, C. H. Gunn & Co.

Minard's Lignum Cure Gargol in Cows.

## TILBURY

May 2.—Miss Ella Stewart is visiting in Detroit.

On Wednesday, May 1st, to the wife of J. Holman, a daughter.

Mrs. Currier has moved into the house on Young street, lately vacated by F. Beaune.

While Chatham appears to have decreased in population and assessment since last year, Tilbury has increased 25 in population, and \$5,000 in assessment.

Jas. Reynolds, of Wheatley, was in town yesterday.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's Drug Store.

## AT THE THEATRE

The southern romance, "On the Suwanee River," was presented at the Grand last evening by a splendid company. The show was exceedingly good and the only regret was that it didn't have a better house to play to as it was the last night that the company played. They disbanded to-day after a most prosperous season. Still Mayhew as Aunt Linda and the Clover Leaf Quartette were the features. The singers were recalled five times in the second act.

The Port Huron Daily Herald says of the Clara Mathes Com. that will play in the Grand Opera House every evening of next week, with a matinee on Saturday:—

Those who witnessed Alberta Gallatin's excellent production of "Nell Gwynn" at the City Opera house Saturday night last, and again ventured forth last night to witness the portrayal of the old English comedy drama, as interpreted by Miss Clara Mathes, the leading light of the company playing at the City Opera house this week, were agreeably surprised both at the vast difference in the two versions of the play and at the strong work of Miss Mathes. The character of the witty and chic actress fits Miss Mathes to a nicety, and her portrayal brought forth rounds of applause. The company gave her excellent support.

## SOUTH AFRICA

Or the Heroes of 1900.

The great realistic military drama will be the opening bill Monday evening, May 6th, by the Clara Mathes New Big Comedy Company, for their week's engagement. This is a charming story of love and heroism with a bright comedy vein running through-out and compares favorably with "She nadoob" "Alabama," etc. The entire excellent company and a large corps of auxiliaries, are used in the production, with troops marching, bands playing and colors waving, making a scene both thrilling and inspiring. Special scenery is used for every act and high class vaudeville will fill in the intervals between the acts. Popular prices, only 10, 20 and 30c, and ladies will be admitted free if accompanied by a person holding a paid 30 cent ticket.

## A BIG SCENIC PRODUCTION AT POPULAR PRICES.

Clara Mathes and her excellent supporting company will fill a week's engagement at the Grand Opera House, commencing Monday evening, May 6th, in a repertoire of new and popular comedies, dramas and melodramas, embracing the new and powerful military drama, a magnificent scenic production, "South Africa," "Legion of Honor," "Queen of Hearts," "Nell Gwynne," "Just Before Dawn," "Cinderella," and the sensation of the day, "Sapho." Ten strong vaudeville teams will fill in the intervals between the acts. The biggest and best popular priced show travelling. There will be a change of play and specialties nightly, and ladies will be admitted free Monday night if accompanied by a person holding a paid 30 cent ticket.

## STRENGTH AND ENDURANCE.

Are factors of the greatest success. No person can do full justice to himself without them.

In no season of the year are they more easily exhausted than in the spring.

We need not discuss the reason for this here. It's enough to say there is one, and that Hood's Sarsaparilla gives strength and endurance, as thousands annually testify.

How'er it be, it seems to me . . . 'Tis only noble to be good. Kind hearts are more than coronets, And simple faith than Norman blood.

## THEIR LAST LONG TOM DESTROYED BY FLYING BOERS

General Grenfell Attacks the Burghers and Rapidly Routs Them—Prisoners Secured.

London, May 1.—A despatch from Lord Kitchener, dated from Pretoria to-day, says:—

"Grenfell attacked the Boers at Bergplant near Halverstberg, where the last Long Tom opened fire at 10,000 yards. Kitchener's scouts advanced to within three thousand yards, when the gun was blown up and the Boers fled. Ten of them were made prisoners.

"Other columns report ten Boers killed, six wounded, six made prisoners and sixty surrendered, and 30,000 rounds of ammunition captured. The British had four killed and seven wounded."

## ATTACKED BY BOERS.

Cape Town, April 30.—Sir Gordon Sprigg, the Premier of Cape Colony, reports that eleven members of the Western Province Rifles were attacked by ninety Boers near Brandvlei. Two were killed, three wounded, and the remainder were captured.

## REMOVING SUPPLIES.

The Boers in the neighborhood of the Kenhardt district of Cape Colony are actively engaged in removing supplies to various laagers.

## RAIDERS DRIVEN BACK.

Commandant Malan, after a skirmish with Col. Henneker's Victorians, in which the burghers are said to have suffered somewhat, retreated with the purpose of joining Scheepers' commando in West Cradock. They were

driven back, however, by the Cape Mounted Riflemen, into Waterkloof. The British casualties were one killed and one wounded.

## IN PURSUIT OF KRITZINGER'S COMMANDO.

Commandant Kritzinger's commando is being very closely followed by the British. The main body, estimated to number 500, was engaged by Col. Crew's column near Gelengfontein, and is being driven toward the Orange River.

## RAIDING AND LOOTING.

Boer raiding and looting parties are reported to be in the Richmond, Murraysburg and Middelburg, Cape Colony districts.

## OVER 17,000 PRISONERS.

The Boer prisoners now number 17,000.

## C. M. R. PAY.

London, May 1.—In the House of Commons to-day, the Hon. Seymour Fitzroy Ormsby Gore, M. P., for the Gainsborough Division of Lincolnshire, was informed by Lord Stanley, Financial Secretary of the War Office, in reply to a question in regard to the arrears in pay to the Canadian Mounted Rifles, that the men returning with unadjusted balances of pay due, received sixty-one days' pay, or five pounds. Where the claims exceeded these amounts, four-fifths of the amount of the claim was paid. Lord Stanley stated that the general officer commanding the lines of communication had been instructed to make every endeavor to facilitate the adjustment of accounts in South Africa.

## PARKHURST RUNS AGAINST YANKEE MILITIA OFFICERS

Temperance Men Said to Have Fared Badly—Soldiers Gave Them Some Very Plain Talk.

Chicago, May 2.—The committee of clergymen appointed by the ministers association of Chicago, to investigate the effect of the abolition of the army canteen at Fort Sheridan, paid a secret visit to the post to-day and ran into a hornet's nest. The members of the committee were: Rev. Dr. Parkhurst of the Anti-Saloon League, Rev. J. A. Thain, of Oak Park, representing the Congregationalists; Rev. S. B. Baxter, representing the Baptists; Rev. J. S. Hughes, representing the Christian church. Besides these gentlemen, ex-Chief of Police Barram, of Evanston, and Rev. Dr. Wright, president of the Presbyterian church, were in the party.

Col. Van Hornes greeted the visitors affably, and summoned the officers of the fort to the place. The following officers reported: Capt. Ely, Capt. Madden, Capt. Morrow, Lieut. Ross, Major Thorpe, and Chaplain Vattman. Dr. Parkhurst opened by stating the causes that had brought the party to the fort. Col. Van Hornes took from his pocket a newspaper clipping, in which it was said that Dr. Parkhurst had accused army officers of receiving champagne and other liquors without any bills attached.

He asked Dr. Parkhurst if he had made the charges, and the doctor said he had not, but refused to deny it over his signature in the paper that published it.

## THE DOCTOR CONDEMNED.

Capt. Ely made a statement regarding his own experience with regard to the canteen. Dr. Parkhurst dissented. He said he did not refuse to accept Capt. Ely's words, as far as his experience went, but didn't think he knew all about it.

## BIG POINT CLUB ALSO BENEFITTED

W. B. Wells Says its Real Estate Has Largely Extended by Low Waters.

W. B. Wells says that Sam. Holmes may be the largest individual landowner in Kent county but the Big Point Club now possess a greater acreage than any other company. Since the water has gone down the Big Point Club have had a strip of white sand added to their property five miles long and one mile wide.

It is only fair to our friend the colonel to explain that when Mr. Wells refers to him as the largest individual landowner, he means no reflection on Col. Holmes' size as a man but means the amount of land that the Maple City military man owns.

## WAS SAVED BY HER SON

St. Joe Woman Filled a Stove With Gasoline and Explosion Followed.

St. Joseph, Mich., May 1.—Mrs. Henry Greening, through error placed gasoline for kerosene oil in a stove last evening. As a result, a terrible explosion followed. The stove was blown to pieces, the room wrecked and the building set on fire. The explosion was heard for blocks.

With the outer door locked, the unfortunate woman was imprisoned in a room filled with flames. Her 19-year-old son, Charles, dashed from an adjoining room through the flames and saved his mother, whose clothes were on fire. She would have been cremated but for the heroic act of her son. The attending physicians say Mrs. Greening's injuries will not prove fatal. The fire was extinguished by neighbors.

## The Keys

On the

## Furniture

Are all out. Please come in and try the locks.

## Peace's New Store

The first Shoe Store West of the Market.

## MAKE METERS COMPULSORY

Ald. Pritchard Suggests That Reform to the Civic Water-works Service.

"There is one reform I would like to see inaugurated in the Waterworks Department," said Ald. Robt. Pritchard this morning, "and that is the general use of meters throughout the city."

"In time this will have to be done and the sooner the better. As it is now people pay a minimum rate and use all the water they want. They don't think that it costs money to pump the water. I went into a house the other day and the tap was running. I called the owner's attention to it but he said, never mind, there's lots more water in the river. People don't consider that it takes coal and labor to turn on the water."

"In the winter months the average of water pumped is nearly as great as during the summer months. Take the figures for February, 1900, and August of the same year. In the former month 460,286 gallons was the average per day, while in the summer 469,328 was the average per day. February was three days shorter than August yet more water was pumped. Then, too, water was used for the lawns during August."

"The explanation is simple. February was cold and the water users let their taps run to prevent freezing. If they had had a meter they wouldn't have let their water run so. If the waterworks would only make the use of meters compulsory, they would find that less water would be wasted and the coal bill would be cut in too. I hope that they will consider this matter."

## BORDEN IS BANQUETTED

Opposition Leader the Guest of His Enthusiastic Followers.

Splendid Gathering of Liberal-Conservative Members of the Senate and Common.

Ottawa, May 2.—Harmony, good fellowship and party enthusiasm were the dominant characteristics of the banquet in the Senate restaurant last night given by the Liberal-Conservative members and Senators to the party's leader, Mr. R. L. Borden. To accommodate the large number who attended, a second table had to be set in the annex. Everybody present was in the height of good humor, the menu was of the best, and the speeches, which naturally of a political trend, were attuned to the happy sentiment of the hour.

The Hon. Lieut.-Col. Prior, M. P., was chairman. At his right was the guest of the evening; also Hon. Mr. Haggart, Hon. G. W. Allan, Hon. G. E. Foster and Hon. E. J. Flynn, Conservative leader in the Quebec Legislature. On the chairman's left were Sir Mackenzie Bowell, leader of the Opposition in the Senate; Sir John Carling, Hon. Senator Ferguson, and Mr. J. P. Whitney, leader of the Conservative Opposition in the Legislature of Ontario.

The vice-chairmen were Mr. W. H. Bennett, M. P.; Mr. Ganong, M. P. The toasts of "His Majesty the King" and "His Excellency the Governor-General" proposed by the chairman, were received with usual loyal honors.

Mr. Haggart proposed the toast of "The Conservative Party," which was responded to by Messrs. Flynn and Whitney.

The health of "The Conservative Leader," to which Mr. Borden made an able response, was proposed by the chairman.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Messrs. Monk, Wallace and Ganong replied to the toast of "The Senate and House of Commons," which Mr. Foster proposed.

The proceedings terminated at 1.30 a. m.



## ..The Planet..

S. STEPHENSON, - Proprietor.

## OUR TELL-TALE ASSESSMENT.

A perusal of the synopsis of the Maple City assessment returns, published in yesterday's issue of The Planet, will bring regret to every patriotic citizen, who has the welfare, progress and prosperity of the community at heart.

But it should also prove an inspiration.

To ponder upon a decreased population, a waning value of property and real estate and increasing taxation can only be edifying if it results in an impetus to personal effort along the lines of public betterment—if it inaugurates an era of universal and co-operative hustling.

The possibilities of Chatham are practically unlimited. They have been repeatedly enumerated. Every one knows them. It only requires an energetic getting together, a concentrated and universal effort on behalf of the city and its future.

Do not let up worry over the figures before us. It will do no good. Let them only be remembered to show the rapid and progressive development that ensues forthwith.

Let us be up and doing.

MR. N. H. STEVENS.

It is oftentimes said that the value of a useful, upright life is only universally recognized upon its departure—that the deserved encomiums that testify appreciation of the citizen who consecrates large stores of energy and effort to public betterment, are only heaped upon him when the sun of his career has set. There is too much truth in the statement. The hearty commendation—an inspiration and an encouragement—is withheld too long—it comes too late—when the sterling qualities are missed and mourned.

There is scope for reform, radical reform, of methods in this respect. Let credit be given where credit is due, let commendation be bestowed where ever merited. The course will redound to our own uplifting, to the encouragement of our colleagues and to the betterment of our community.

Mr. N. H. Stevens, president of the Canada Flour Mills Company, has just turned the twenty-first milestone of his residence in the Maple City. Men of his calibre are too scarce to allow the occasion to be passed over without a word of eulogy and congratulation, of commendation upon his loyal citizenship, of public gratitude for his wholesome, valued and lasting services.

Chatham owes much to Mr. Stevens. With the best interests of the community ever before him he has devoted time and energy to all branches of public service. His generosity to every worthy object and institution has been conspicuous and unlimited. His practical co-operation in all the causes of right and progress has been phenomenal. He has been, in truth, a citizen of whom the municipality is proud and to whom she is profoundly grateful.

The Planet bespeaks Mr. Stevens the city's congratulations upon the 21st anniversary of his adoption of her citizenship, and conveys the sincere hope that he may long be spared to stand amongst her most popular and deservedly distinguished sons.

GENERAL BULLER.

It is reported from London that it is current at the military clubs that Gen. Buller, on the publication of the Official Gazette containing Earl Roberts' report, applied to the secretary of war and demanded an inquiry, says the Hamilton Spectator. It is further said that the war secretary promptly refused, and that Buller thereupon complained to the King, who declined to interfere. We do not believe a word of it. It is not like Buller, the patient bearer of other's burdens, to make complaint of injustice against a superior officer. It is not like Buller to go to the King with his story, having been refused a hearing by the war department. The circumstances in which this fine soldier finds himself are peculiar, and while it must be admitted that he did not obey the order of Gen. Roberts to relieve Ladysmith with that promptness which is expected of every British soldier who receives an order, no matter what his private opinion may be, it is known to the empire that it was Buller's humanity—his love for his men and his desire to spare them as much as possible—which influenced him in making delay, and the people love him for his fault.

Under the circumstances Earl Roberts could not have done or said less than he has done and said; and we think that Gen. Buller will accept the damnation by faint praise he has earned, without making appeal to the war office or to the King. Gen. Buller knows as well as any man wherein he has fallen short of the duty of a British general under pos-

## THE JOY OF THE

house is the baby. No matter how many have come before, the latest arrival brings joy to all.

When the little one takes his first glimpse of the world, he is in, it is a minute of keenest joy.

Father is proud, mother is fond, brother is eager, sisters are tender, nurse is devoted; the whole human world is kind.

There is another, an under, world with enemies in it.

When baby gets into its shadow, be quick with Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil—he is sure to get into its shadow; let him get no further than into the edge of it. Health is the baby's life.

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

SCOTT &amp; BOWNE, Toronto, Canada.

tive orders, and he knows that the people admire him for that very shortcoming, and we think he will be content with that knowledge.

## BLOW AT ASSASSINS.

Now comes another unsummoned scientific gentleman intent on pulling down one of the prettiest theories of our latter day criminal courts, says the New York Telegraph. With a heartless disregard of the feelings of our most sensitive assassins he would pull from under them one of the stoutest props which counsel for the defense have painstakingly wrought and set back the tide of criminal jurisprudence at least ten years, forcing homicidal persons to take up with and time-worn pleas in place of the more modern and pleasing ones which were at least the outward appearance of the quasi-scientific.

Charles H. Thurling is the name to which this new iconoclast is said to answer. It is contended in extenuation of him that he is the ideal descendant of one George Thurling, purveyor of fruit in the Wallabout Market, and anyone who knows the demoralizing effects of years of communion with oranges and bananas, not to speak of the insidious gober of Virginia, in wholesale or retail quantities, will understand that the son of such a father is not wholly undeserving of sympathy under the stern laws of heredity. The specific offense of Thurling in the present instance is an offensive desire to blot out hypnosis as an excuse for the taking of life. In short, to put the matter bluntly, he affirms—and he has gone so far as to presume to demonstrate for the edification of a company of medical men—that it is impossible for the hypnotist to so control the actions of a subject as to compel him, unconsciously, and, therefore, under the law, safely, to commit a crime of violence.

Of the scientific aspect of the matter it is not necessary to speak at present. Be assured that many eminent professors of the hypnotic art will arise to put to confusion this son of the Wallabout fruit merchant, a controversy looms on the horizon which for warmth will pale into insignificance the fires of a Presbyterian hereafter. The point of interest is the indefensible veracity of Mr. Thurling's assertions. When one realizes how few safeguards the law throws around the man or woman accused of homicide, and how sadly inadequate the supply of murders is when compared to the public demand for them, the course of this self-styled hypnotist in attempting to commit murder in the first degree upon one of the latest and most glorious of defenses, passes the bounds of patience.

It behooves the hypnotists of the country to get together and hurl a subject armed with the most violent of suggestions against this image breaker. It has been contended that the real evil of assassination is not one of quantity, but of direction. It is, unfortunately, the wrong person usually who is killed.

The Chinese troops have not only been driven to the wall, but over it.

The favorite song in the Chinese army to-day is Over the Garden Wall.

We are after good roads in this country; but the Boers are after bad Rhodes.

Preston says he will spend his last dollar on his libel suit against the Ottawa Journal. By the way, whence come his dollars these days? Is he supposed to be earning a salary as an immigration agent?

The Star asks, Is Toronto a market? Better forward the enquiry, enclosing a postage stamp for reply, to G. Austen Winton.

Mrs. Carrie Nation is said to have gone insane. Another warning to those who go up against the booze places.

Cecil Rhodes is said to be coming to London soon to put up the price of diamonds, says the Brockville Times. So long as Cecil doesn't put up the price of coal or groceries the news will not flurry the newspaper circles.

We are told that some one has invented a method of measuring the wind by electricity. It would no doubt be interesting to know how fast it blows, but an electrical contrivance for tempering it to the shorn lamb would be more to the point.

Mr. Krupp, of gun fame, has requested the Sultan to reimburse him for some artillery which he furnished the Sublime Porte. When he becomes better acquainted with Turkey's ruler, doubtless Mr. Krupp will secure his money before delivering the goods.

The city of Glasgow owns the gas, electricity and water furnished to its inhabitants and the prices are reasonable. Now the municipality proposes to control the liquor traffic, and sell pure stuff at low prices and turn the profits into the city treasury.

Agumaldo's rhapsody about the "glorious sovereign banner of the United States" "an irresistible force" and all the rest, suggests powerfully that some enterprising Yank wrote the thing for him after consulting a few Fourth of July orations. Aggie's amanuensis is a whirlwind.

That there is a plot to boost the population of Quebec and reduce the number of Ontario representatives in parliament, must be apparent to every man who can see. All this special endeavor to make the Quebec showing as high as possible is not nothing. There is a very large and particularly healthy African in the woodpile.

## A PAIR OF GLASSES.

Chicago News.

The looking-glass reveals our defects to ourselves, but the wine glass reveals them to others.

## HORSE INCIDENTALLY.

Woodstock Express.

The big Toronto gown show appears to have been a success. There were also some horses on exhibition.

## A DREADFUL PROSPECT.

London News.

The Hamilton Spec man recently coughed up the price of twenty "shapers" to satisfy the finding of a libel suit. Now Mr. Preston threatens to increase the threat of the Ottawa Journal man.

## TWO MILLIONS AGAINST ONE.

Toronto News.

"Man is born to trouble as the sparks upward." No sooner had Millionaire Morgan settled down to control the steel output of the world, than two million workmen lay plans to control Millionaire Morgan.

## GOOD MR. FISHER.

Montreal Star.

Mr. Fisher does not intend to punish the census enumerators who used the fraudulent schedule in Ontario. It speaks volumes for the honorable gentleman's moderation and impartiality that he is not punishing the enumerators who refused to use it.

## IT DOESN'T MATTER MUCH.

Brockville Recorder.

If so many of the small fry hadn't resorted to a piece of the British government loan, we might have taken the whole thing. Never mind, it's only a trifle anyway.

## Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle. Hall's family Pills are the best.

**Cook's Cotton Root Compound** is successfully used monthly by over 100,000 ladies. Safe, effective. Ladies ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. No other, as all mixtures, pills and ointments are dangerous. Price, 25c. per box. No. 10 degrees stronger, 50c. per box. 1 or 2, mailed on receipt of price and two-cent stamp. The Cook Company, Windsor, Ont. Beware of cheap imitations.

No. 1 and 2 sold in Chatham at the Central Drug Store. C. H. Gunn & Co.

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## A Fine Showing Of Silks

Millinery Orders

Should be placed as early in the week as possible. Good work can not be done in a hurry.

We can afford to talk big about our fine showing of New Silks. It easily discounts anything we have previously attempted. It represents the products of the largest and best Skill manufacturers of the world. For completeness, for worthiness and for elegance our stock has no equal in Chatham, nor anything that begins to approach it for value. Judge it by these special offerings for Friday

Black Taffeta Silk at 50c.—200 yards pure taffeta silk, 22 in. wide, rich, brilliant finish, best Lyons black dye, matchless value, at per yard, 50c.

Black Taffeta Silk at 75c.—Extra heavy, firm quality, rich finish, 22 in. wide, will make a handsome skirt or waist, would be hard to match elsewhere at 90c. yard, our special at 75c.

Bonnet's Black Taffetas at \$1.00.—Superior quality, rich Lyons finish, extra weight, 23 in. wide, would be good value in any other store at \$1.25 per yard; our special leader at \$1.00.



Colored Taffeta Silks at 75c.—Rich firm quality, real Lyons dye and finish in new shades of pearl grey, mid grey, rose du barri, navy, castor, light brown, mid brown, seal, Nile, emerald, myrtle, cardinal, grenat, pink, cerise, sky cream, white, Tuscan, turquoise, royal, helio, purple, and old rose; matchless value, at per yard 75c.

Japanese Taffeta Silk at 50c and 75c.—27 in. wide, rich, pure quality, Lyons dyed, in black and all wanted colors. Very special values at per yard 50c and 75c.

Japanese Silks—21 and 23 in. wide, pure quality, rich, bright finish, in black and 20 leading shades, at per yard 25c and 35c.

50c, 60c and 75c Silks at 46c.—38 pieces fancy silks in stripes, checks and broches, latest colorings, rich, firm quality, regular 50c to 75c per yard; clearing Thursday at per yard 46c.

New Foulard Silks—in choice range of new designs and colorings, suitable for dress or waist, special per yard 50c, 65c, 75c and \$1.

Samples mailed to any address.

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OUR CUTTER, Mr. Williston, is a thorough mechanic and has none but first-class Men Coat-Makers under his direction. We guarantee to SAVE YOU money on Ordered Clothing and make them First-class and Up-to-date.

We also carry a small stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING. We have the best \$1.50 and \$2.00 Ready-made Pants in Canada. Try US FOR A PAIR and at the same time LEAVE YOUR MEASURE FOR A SPRING SUIT.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of James Cleve of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, Carpenter.

Notice is hereby given that the above named James Cleve, has made an assignment to us under Chap. 147, R. S. O., 1897, and Amending Acts, of all his estate and effects in trust for the benefit of his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of said Insolvent will be held at our office, Victoria Block, Chatham, Ont., on Friday the 3rd day of May, 1901, at two p. m., for the appointment of Inspectors and for giving directions as to the disposal of the estate.

All creditors of said Insolvent are required to file their claims duly verified with me on or before said meeting.

RUTHERFORD & DUNLOP, J. B. RANKIN, Assignees. Dated at Chatham, April 22nd, 1901. t&f 2td

Money to Loan on Mortgages at 4 1/2 and 5 per Cent.

FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

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

Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 ft. front, by 208 feet deep, \$1,100.00.

Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 ft., \$3,000.00.

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

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House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 feet, \$1,000.

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## THE DISTRICT.

## TUPPERVILLE.

Fine weather. Seeding is nearly over. A number are going into sugar beets. D. Ewing is talking of taking a trip to Scotland. Ben Baker does not intend to run his saw mill much longer this season. The river is quite low here at present.

## TOWN HALL, DOVER.

T. N. Leigh is slowly recovering from his recent illness. Inspector Park visited our school last week, and reported every thing as O. K. Our school will soon have a fine eight-o'clock clock to be given to the school by the Town Hall Debating Club in return for the courtesy of the trustees in allowing the members of the use of the school room during the winter months.

## CHATHAM TOWNSHIP.

Miss Ethel Weaver is very ill with tonsillitis. Miss May Abram has resumed her teaching at Bloomfield, after spending the Easter holidays at home. Frank Ward has returned to the Soo. Harry French, of Darrell, spent Sunday with friends here. Edward Cripps spent Sunday at Mr. Marshall's. His report is that crops are doing well and that he enjoyed his visit very much amongst old friends. Thomas Langford, of the Knapp farm, River Road, spent Sunday at Wm. Weavers.

## BEAR LINE.

The Ladies' Aid of Hind's Church wish to inform the public and council that they did not ask the council for aid to build a new church, but simply asked the members of the council for their names for their autograph quilt as a centre block, but if they do not see fit to give them it is all right. They would, however, ask them kindly not to publish it as asking the council for aid.

Our general merchant is still in his place. He must be doing a good business. We are sorry to report that Joe McCarthy is not as well as he was short time ago. The April showers and warm weather are making the crops look well in these parts.

## JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

G. G. Martin and Wm. Snooks, of Chatham, were the guests of William Stokes on Sunday. James Purdy has built a house on the Brock farm which he has leased in Tilbury East. Joe Graham, section foreman on the C. P. R., has on a full force on the track.

Master Ray Shaw, Walter and Joe Johnston wheeled to Pain Court on Sunday.

Wm. Stokes nearly lost a valuable horse on Sunday.

The farmers around here are welcoming the fine weather. Charles Cooper is around again, after having the measles.

Ray Shaw, of 3rd Con., Raleigh, has purchased part of the east half of lot No. 4, in 4th Con., Tilbury East, from James Dillon, Chatham.

Fall wheat is looking fine in this section.

## HUFFMAN'S CORNERS.

Frank Snitser has torn down and moved home the barn he secured from Robert Smith.

Mrs. John Bustin was called away early last week to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Cooper, of Howard.

Mr. Bustin continues about the same. He is not able to leave his bed.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith lost their little son, who died Sunday morning.

Mrs. Drader and her aunt, Mrs. McCrea, of Chatham, were the guests of Mrs. Vance on Monday.

The attendance at school has been rather small of late.

John D. Huffman, who broke his arm some time ago, is able to be around again. He can use his arm a little.

Sacramental service will be held in the Methodist Church here next Sunday.

## RALEIGH.

The wheat in the district so far shows prospects of being a fair crop. However, many fear the devastations of the Hessian fly, which wrought so much damage last year.

The Munnery family are now out in regular style, having adorned their handsome carriage with several coats of paint.

Geo. Jordan, Jr., has purchased a driver.

Sid Aldis is now busily engaged shelling corn, for which he has found a market with seedsmen in Toronto.

The trustees of Wesley Church have advertised for tenders for the new edifice to be erected on the corner of the 8th and Elsdorad.

At a meeting of the teachers and officers of the Sunday school those present showed their appreciation of the services of Mr. Rhodes as Bible class teacher by electing him superintendent. Mr. Towl was chosen assistant superintendent, while Mr. Munnery was appointed Bible Class teacher.

On account of the rain no service was held in the churches here last Sunday.

Farmers and farmers' sons and daughters can purchase robes cheap and upon easy terms of payment at The Planet office, Chatham.

## 8TH CON., RALEIGH.

Last Wednesday evening the S. S. elected their officers for the succeeding year as follows: Superintendent—Mr. Rhodes. Assistant superintendent—Mr. Towl.

Bible class teacher—Mr. Munnery. Organist—Miss Mable Munnery.

Next Wednesday the regular league meeting will be held when it will elect its officers.

George Jordan is the happy owner of a new horse.

There was a family gathering at the residence of John Jordan, the occasion being the christening of his son, Grant White.

The roads are again badly in need of scraping. They were badly cut up during recent wet spell.

Mr. Morrison has improved the looks of his farm by building an excelsior wire fence along its front.

Clarence Edwards, of California, has returned home and is visiting his brothers and sisters. He has been absent several years.

Mr. Whitsell has purchased a new pheasant.

Mr. Eberley and family have moved to Chatham.

Boy Jordan, who has been confined to his bed with the prevailing malady, grip, has been glad to state recovered sufficiently to be out again.

Mrs. Woodhouse, of this place, has entered St. Joseph's Hospital, being ill with lumbago.

David Ball has purchased a new cream separator.

## EAST BRANCH.

Beautiful spring weather. A good warm rain is needed.

The farmers in this section are nearly all through with their seeding.

Mrs. Baird, of Blenheim, spent a few days on the East Branch last week.

Mr. H. and Miss Taylor, of Wallaceburg, passed up the East Branch on Saturday last en route to visit their aunt, Mrs. Atkins, of Tupperville.

G. Wooliver returned home from Detroit last week.

D. Mickle is slowly improving.

D. McCreary has built a fine new kitchen in addition to his dwelling house.

We are pleased to learn that C. Lynch is able to be around and out again.

A young man from the Glass Town purchased a house from G. Seward recently.

H. McInnis, of Sombra, spent Sunday on the East Branch.

A large number attended the grand concert given in Salem Church last Wednesday evening in the interests of the W. C. T. U.

T. Richardson had the misfortune to lose a valuable mare last week.

Friday next will be Arbor Day. We do not fear but that the boys and girls will have plenty to do in giving the school yard a general fitting up.

Hog cholera was discovered on J. N. McCoy's farm last week and Inspector T. R. Thorne had the pleasure of shooting the hogs. Mr. McCoy had been purchasing a number of hogs recently and had just secured a very fine display.

Geo. Jenners returned home last week, after spending the past year or more in different parts of the States. He also visited England a few months ago. George is looking fine.

T. Allen has erected a new summer kitchen to his dwelling house.

Ex-Mayor D. A. Gordon and wife, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday at J. N. McCoy's.

P. Wooliver is giving his house a new coat of paint and a general fitting up.

C. F. Fassie is preparing the old fair grounds in Wallaceburg up for a crop of sugar beets.

A. Brown, Charlemont's genial post master and store-keeper, spent Sunday on the East Branch.

R. Mickle, of Wallaceburg, called at the old homestead here on Saturday last.

## DOVER COUNCIL.

The council met April 24. The members were all present. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

A communication was read from John Piggett re claim for land taken from the Outlet drain improvement.

From Lady Minto, soliciting contributions to the Lady Minto Cottage Hospital fund for the erection of a Queen Victoria Cottage Hospital.

A deputation from Chatham township council was heard asking Dover council to notify the owners of lands along the west side of Chatham and Dover town line in the 13th and 14th cons. to move their fences in off the town line road.

allowance as space is required to deposit the earth excavated from the town line drain by the dredge.

Moved by Mr. Trudell, seconded by Mr. Grant, that Anthony Labadie be paid, \$7.33, for two sheep killed by dogs, being two-thirds value as per inspector. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Trudell, seconded by Mr. Grant, whereas the matter of Mr. Biggott's claim for payment for land taken for the Outlet drain improvement, has been duly considered by this council, and as said claim has not been made within the time limited by statute, the council consider they are powerless in the matter. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Grant, seconded by Mr. Crawford, that \$1.77, postage account be paid. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Crawford, seconded by Mr. Trudell, that James Wemp be appointed sheep inspector for the 4th Division in place of Lawrence Doyle, resigned. Carried.

Moved by Crawford and Grant, that the grievance of Napoleon Bruin be referred to the commissioner of the 4th Division, with power and report. Carried.

Moved by Wright and Grant that the grievance of Solomon Zebbs be referred to the commissioner of the 2nd Division with power and report. Carried.

## A Mother To Mothers.

"I am the mother of five children," writes Mrs. S. E. Rose, of Big Otter, West Va., "and have been as high as eight days in the doctor's hands, and never less than two days with any child until the last. Then I had used two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and was only two hours in the hands of the doctor."

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allow space to deposit the earth excavated by the dredge from the town line drain.—Carried.

Moved by Trudell and Crawford, that Joseph Larsh be paid \$7 for repairing wheel scraper.—Carried.

Moved by Wright and Grant, that the Rev. and Mr. Trudell be appointed a committee to see some of the ratepayers on the Outlet drain outlet along Dover East and Dover West Town Line, as to the allowing of two wire fences being put across the drain and also to see the solicitor.—Carried.

Moved by Crawford and Trudell, that the Banner account of \$2.25 be paid for printing orders on the township treasurer and \$35 for printing 250 copies of auditors' report.—Carried.

The council then adjourned.

J. WELSH, Clerk.

## FLORENCE.

Mrs. (Dr.) Charteris and son Maxwell, who have been the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Webster, for a few days, have returned to their home in Chatham.

Miss Helen Unsworth left on Monday for Walkerville, where she will spend sometime the guest of Miss N. Stockton, who is ill.

Mr. Bolton and his daughter Lottie, of Chatham, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Webster for some time, returned to their home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Doyle McKenney is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry G. Webster, of Chatham.

The Presbyterians are re-seating their church.

Miss Alice McLoney, of Sarnia, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McLoney.

On the evening of Wednesday, April 24th, by the Rev. R. C. Burton, Wellington Bolter, Jr., was married to Miss Eva Zarn, both of Florence. Congratulations.

The Presbyterian W.P.M.S. held a very successful social last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. John Webster. A very pleasant time was enjoyed and a neat sum of \$12 was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lyndon and daughter Edna, of Wallaceburg, spent a few days in the village and the country, the guests of friends and relatives.

Mr. Bennett, who has been employed in the Quill office for a few months, left on Monday for Chatham.

Rev. R. C. Burton preached a very appropriate sermon to the members of the I.O.O.F. and Rebekah lodge in the Methodist Church on Sabbath afternoon of April 28th. Both lodges were represented. The church was decorated with flowers for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell spent a few days last week in Watford attending the funeral of Mr. Campbell's mother.

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3.32 p.m. B...Express...1.05 a.m.  
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Daily except Monday.

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Ditto... 3.40 p.m.  
Sarnia... 9.11 a.m. and 5.20 p.m.  
Sarnia... 12.30 p.m.

## GRAND TRUNK

Corrected Nov. 8th, 1900.  
GOING EAST GOING WEST  
9.02 a.m. B...Express...  
8.12 a.m. B...Express... 8.15 a.m.  
"Express... 12.42 p.m.  
1.45 p.m. B...Express... 2.30 p.m.  
3.30 p.m. B...Express... 4.28 p.m.  
8.50 p.m. B...Express...  
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Mrs. Samuel Glenn is visiting in  
Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Monteth and Claire  
Monteth are visiting in Detroit to-  
day.

Mrs. J. R. Reid and daughter, Mrs.  
E. S. Allen, left to-day for Detroit on  
a visit.

Miss Jennie Ritchie left this morn-  
ing for Detroit, where she will in fu-  
ture reside.

Mr. Dezelie, of Belle River, is tem-  
porarily in the C. P. R. freight office  
here.

It is worth your while to call and  
see the nice assortment of rustic  
chairs, lawn seats, lawn flower stands  
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The kindergarten in connection  
with the Central school is over-  
crowded, there being 85 scholars in  
attendance.

Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F.,  
will meet this evening to confer the third  
degree on several candidates. All members  
are asked to be present.

Mrs. Henry Clements, of Raleigh, was  
thrown from her buggy last evening and  
received several nasty cuts about the head.  
Mrs. Clements was dragged some distance.  
Dr. Holmes dressed the wounds and she  
was able to go home.

The funeral of the late Martin  
O'Rourke took place yesterday morn-  
ing from St. Joseph's church to St.  
Anthony's cemetery, and was largely  
attended. The pall-bearers were his  
four sons, John, James, Michael and  
Patrick, of this city. Father Gabriel  
conducted the services.

Yesterday the Tecumseh Historical Society  
found a flint lock with charred pieces of the  
stock still adhering to it. An eagle was  
plainly evident stamped on the iron and  
underneath the words New Haven. This  
proves beyond a doubt that the gun boats  
sunk on the river were all laden with the  
munition of war captured from Americans  
when Gen. Hull surrendered Detroit to  
General Brock.

A case under the Overholding Ten-  
ant's Act occupied the attention of  
Judge Bell to-day. Mrs. Fletcher is  
taking proceedings against W. J. Mc-  
Naughton to recover possession of a  
farm known as Green Valley Farm  
in Chatham Township. The plaintiff  
claims that the lease has expired and  
that defendant has no right to hold  
over, because the property has been  
sold. The defendant claims that he  
has the property leased for another  
year on an oral agreement. J. W.  
Sharpe, Dresden, for plaintiff, O. L.  
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Special to The Planet.  
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hours after news of the death of Congress-  
man Crump, of the tenth district, reached  
Lansing, state house politicians were able to  
call the names of five republicans who  
wouldn't refuse a nomination to succeed  
him.

They are State Senator Dan McMul-  
lan, of Cheboygan, newspaper publish-  
er and printer; Col. Geo. F. Loud, Os-  
ceola, lumber manufacturer; Circuit  
Judge Sharp, of West Branch; Frank  
W. Gilchrist, lumber manufacturer,  
and Lem G. Defoe, lawyer and politi-  
cian, both of Alpena. A special elec-  
tion for congressman will very likely  
be held before the first session of the  
fifty-seventh congress begins next  
November.

Senator McMullen, to whom allusion  
is made in the foregoing despatch, is a  
former Chathamite, and served his ap-  
prenticeship with The Planet, being in  
the employ of this journal for several  
years.

### HIS MONUMENT WAS MUTILATED

Vengeance the Cause of a Visit of No.  
torious Gang to Ex-Mayor Mc-  
Whinney's Tomb.

Special to The Planet.

Windsor, May 2.—Morris McWhin-  
ney has reported to the police that his  
father's monument had been partly  
destroyed by some miscreants on  
Monday evening. The same evening,  
Robinet Bros.' store at Sandwich was  
broken into and a quantity of wine  
was stolen. The police are inclined  
to credit both crimes to the same  
persons. Furthermore, both Mc-  
Whinney and the police say that they  
are quite sure that the offenders will  
be arrested, possibly to-day.

The men are said to have been av-  
enging prosecutions which were  
brought about through the instru-  
mentality of ex-Mayor McWhinney  
while he was in office several years  
ago.

It was through Mr. McWhinney's ef-  
forts that the toughest gang which  
ever infested the old county seat was  
broken up and it is thought that the  
destruction of the monument and the  
desecration of the former mayor's  
grave was the work of some of the  
members of the dreaded gang.  
The monument which was partly de-  
stroyed was an expensive dark granite  
structure.

The late Thomas McWhinney, to  
whose tombstone the above despatch  
refers, was well known and highly es-  
teemed in the Maple City, where he  
was a frequent and welcome visitor.

### NOTICE

Municipal ty of Harwich.

The Court of Revision on the assess-  
ment of the Municipality of Harwich  
for 1901 will be held in Harwich Town-  
ship Hall on Saturday, 25th of May,  
1901, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m.,  
for the hearing and determining of  
appeals against the said assessment  
of 1901.

All appeals therefrom must be made  
to the clerk on or before the 14th day  
of May, 1901.

GEO. M. BAIRD,  
Township Clerk.  
Clerk's Office, Harwich, Apl. 29th.

## 10 Cent Specials

Five patterns in Heavy Gilt  
Wall Papers that are extra good  
value at 10c per roll have been  
good sellers with us. Colors  
are green, blue, cream and buff,  
in floral and set designs, suit-  
able for any room in the house.  
These would be 12 1/2c papers if  
ought in the regular way, but  
we saved by buying in quantity  
and are offering these papers to  
you at the special price of 10c  
per roll.

Dingman's  
Books & King St.  
Stationery Chatham.

### PROCEEDINGS AT LIBRARY BOARD

Considerable Business Transacted at  
Last Evening's Regular Session.

The regular monthly meeting of  
the Public Library Board was held  
last evening. There were present,  
Chairman Thomas Scullard and Trus-  
tees S. M. Smith, W. J. Twohey, Dr.  
Charteris, I. L. Davis, J. U. Thibodeau,  
and A. Sheldrick.

The minutes of the last meeting were  
read and adopted.

Dr. Charteris for the Library  
Committee reported having contracted  
with the Banner-News for supplemen-  
tary catalogues for \$25.

S. M. Smith, chairman of the Room  
Committee, presented the following  
accounts, which were ordered paid—  
Chatham Gas Co., \$4.45.  
F. N. Baxter, \$16 for carpentering.  
Westman Bros., \$1.25.

The account of E. J. MacIntyre, \$1.00  
for repairing clock, was referred to  
Room Committee with power.

On motion of Dr. Charteris and  
Twohey, 18 books, which were with-  
drawn from circulation under the  
accounts, which were ordered paid—  
to be sent to the fire hall.

On motion of Mr. Twohey and Mr.  
Thibodeau, the book on chess, in the  
reference library was ordered to be  
put into the circulating library.

The salaries for the month were or-  
dered paid.

On motion of Dr. Charteris and Mr.  
Twohey, \$50 worth of books were or-  
dered to be sent from the Book Sup-  
ply Co.

The board then adjourned.

### MANUAL TRAINING COURSES.

In response to numerous requests  
from teachers desiring to study these  
subjects, Manual Training Courses  
will be held in Educational Woodwork  
and Cardboard Modelling from Mon-  
day, July 1st, to Wednesday July 31st  
in the Macdonald Manual Training  
Schools, Ottawa. No fees will be  
charged for tuition or use of tools and  
material. All approved models become  
the property of the student making  
them, and will count towards the qual-  
ifications of those wishing to teach  
these subjects. A prospectus contain-  
ing full particulars may be obtained  
from Albert H. Leake, director of  
Macdonald Manual Training Schools  
for Ontario, Ottawa. In order that  
complete arrangements may be made,  
it is desired that all applications be  
sent in on or before June 15th.

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reliable men. No experience needed. Write for  
full particulars.

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### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bulk and separate Tenders will be  
received at the office of the under-  
signed architects, marked Tender for  
Wesley Church, up till 7 o'clock p. m.,  
Friday May 3rd, inst., for the erection  
of a brick venerated Methodist church  
8th con. Raleigh. Lowest or any ten-  
der not necessarily accepted. Plans to  
be seen at the offices of the architects  
on and after Monday, April 22nd.  
Foster.  
Ch. Trustee Board.  
JAS. L. WILSON & SON,  
Architects, etc.  
April 20th, 1901.

### TENDERS.

Sealed tenders will be received at the of-  
fice of the undersigned up to and including  
May 10th, 1901, for the erection of a brick  
firehall in the Town of Wallaceburg.

Plans and specifications can be seen at  
clerk's office.

The brick are upon the ground and are to  
be taken by the contractor at the price paid  
for them by the corporation, namely five  
dollars per thousand.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily  
accepted.

H. E. JOHNSON,  
Town Clerk,  
Wallaceburg.  
April 23rd, 1901, Wallaceburg, Ont.

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Striped Goods. We send out nothing but first-class goods.

New fancy lace striped lawns, white only, correct for  
the hot days, per yd. 10c  
Extra special, 50 new patterns, 31 inch light prints in  
plain or fancy stripes, checks and spots, good  
washing colors, heavy quality, per yd. 10c  
We are showing a particularly nice range of fancy  
colored striped Irish Linens for shirt waists, in  
pink, light and dark blue and mauve shades, fast  
colors, per yd. 25c  
New 36 inch American Percales in fancy shirt waists,  
beautiful patterns, good washing colors, per yd. 16c  
6 patterns 36 inch fancy foulardine dark blue and  
garnet grounds with fancy designs, extra fine  
quality, per yd. 12 1/2c  
New white dimities in checks and stripes, just arrived,  
special qualities, at 18, 22, 20, 25 and 35c

New pink and white and navy and white galeases for  
cutting suits, per yd. 12 1/2c  
3 pos. 48 inch curtain muslin with fancy scroll pat-  
terns, regular 25c quality, special price per yd. 20c  
See the excellent assortment of New Cretonnes, single  
or reversible patterns, Silkelines, Art Satens,  
Dotted Wash Net with fancy frills, Self-frilled  
Curtain Muslins, made of plain Swiss Muslin,  
special, 25, 30, and 35c  
Extra special, 5 pos American Curtain Muslins, fancy  
colored designs, reg. 20c value, special per yd. 12 1/2c  
We are showing a magnificent range of fancy patterns  
in New Mercerized Satenas, black and blue  
grounds with spots, stripes and floral designs at  
20, 25, 30 and 35c

### Hosiery!

### Hosiery!

Now is the time to think about your cotton hosiery. Our stock is now complete and  
we are ready to meet the demands of our customers.

1.—Boys' extra heavy ribbed cotton hose, plain seam-  
less foot, double heel and toe, guaranteed stain-  
less, a splendid school hose, sizes 5 to 9 1/2, prices  
according to size, per pair 10 to 12c  
2.—Boys' 3-1 rib cotton hose, fine quality, seamless  
foot, double knees, heels and toes, everlast  
stainless dye, sizes 5 to 10, prices according to  
size, 15 to 20c  
3.—Misses 1-1 rib cotton hose, extra fine quality,  
double knees, sole, and toes, perfectly fast color,  
all sizes, 4 1/2 to 9 1/2, prices according to size, 15 to  
25c  
4.—Children's ribbed cotton hose, extra quality,  
guaranteed stainless, good wearers, sizes 5 to  
9 1/2, per pr. 10c  
5.—Misses plain cotton hose, seamless foot, double  
heel and toe, fast color, sizes 4 1/2 to 9 1/2, per pr. 10c  
6.—Misses plain cotton hose, very fine quality, full  
fashioned, Hermsdorf dye, double sole, heel and  
toe, all sizes, 4 to 8 1/2, prices according to size, 10  
to 23c  
Boys' rib cotton hose, plain seamless foot, double  
heel and toe, fast color, sizes 4 1/2 to 9 1/2, per pr. 15c  
Misses' plain brown cotton, extra fine quality, seam-  
less foot, double sole, heel and toe, all sizes 4 1/2  
to 8 1/2, prices according to size, 10 to 20c

9.—Ladies' fine black cotton hose, seamless foot,  
double heel and toe, guaranteed stainless, 2 pair  
for 25c  
10.—Ladies' plain black cotton hose, seamless, good  
wearer, guaranteed stainless, per pr. 10c  
11.—Ladies' extra fine plain cotton hose, full fashioned  
double heel and toe, high spliced ankle, perfectly  
fast color, per pr. 20c  
12.—Ladies' plain black cotton hose, extra fine qual-  
ity, high spliced ankles, double heels, soles and  
toes, seamless foot, per pr. 25c  
13.—Ladies' fine cotton hose, seamless foot, double  
heel and toe, tan, brown, white or balbriggan,  
per pair 25c  
14.—Ladies' fine black cotton hose, fast black, with  
double sole, heel and toe of balbriggan, per pr. 25c  
15.—Ladies' fine black cotton hose, fast color, with  
natural wool sole, heel and toe, per pr. 25c  
16.—Ladies' fine black cotton hose, fast color, full  
fashioned with black cashmere sole, heel and toe  
per pair 25c  
17.—Ladies' pure lisle hose, wide ribb, high spliced  
ankle, double heel and toe, per pr. 60c

## Ladies' and Childrens Summer Underwear

Regardless of the marked advance in the cost of Cotton Materials we are able to show you  
values equal to those of last season. Long sleeves, short sleeves or sleeveless, at prices to  
suit everyone.

Ribbed Cotton Vests, sleeveless, at each 5c  
Ladies' Unbleached Cotton Vests with short sleeves  
and tape in neck, at 8c

### Special 10c Values

Fine Ribbed Vests with short sleeves, finished at the neck  
with lace edging and ribbon.  
Ladies' fine ribbed sleeveless Vests, neck and arms finished  
with edging and ribbon.

### At 12 1/2c

Ribbed Cotton Vests, bleached or unbleached, with short  
sleeves and ribbon in neck.

### At 15c

Fine Swiss ribbed vests, bleached, with or without short  
sleeves, neck finished with lace edging and ribbon.  
Ladies' unbleached Cotton Vests with long sleeves.

Ladies' outside size Cotton Vests, bleached or un-  
bleached, buttoned front, at 25c and 35c

Ladies' light weight Union Vests with short sleeves,  
at 25c

White wool Vests, short sleeves or a sleeveless, at 50c

Ladies' imitation Silk Vests in white or cream, neck  
and sleeves finished with lace and silk ribbon, at 50c

Ladies' Vests with long sleeves, in light weight nat-  
ural wool or in balbriggan, at 50c

Children's fine ribbed Cotton Vests, bleached, with  
long sleeves.

Sizes 1 3 5 7  
Prices 10c 10c 12 1/2c 12 1/2c

Children's Unbleached Cotton Vests, sleeveless or  
with short sleeves, from 5c to 10c

Children's Bleached Vests, fine ribbed with short  
sleeves, at from 6c to 15c



### Boys' Blouses

A big range of Boys'  
Wash Blouses in dark red  
and blue grounds, neat  
white figures, for ages 3 to  
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50c

### Boys' Odd Pants

Made from Worst-  
ed Serges, neat check  
Tweeds and Ladys  
Tweeds, sizes 22 to  
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your wants are in the

### Ready-to-Wear Clothing

Line, and we intend to keep at it. We are doing business—want to do more.  
We have the stock—cheap grade, medium priced, more expensive, to suit every  
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here. They have our methods of business right, and that's the kind of custom-  
ers we want to make you. Let us prove our actions that it will pay you well  
to come here for your clothing.

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Saturday, May 4th

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Boys' Blue Serge Suits in 2 pc. suits, coat and pants,  
good weight Serge, coat pleated, for ages 5 to 12  
years, special. \$1.25  
Boys' Tweed Suits in 2 pc., coat pleated, neat check  
Tweeds, wearers, odd sizes 22 to 30, a reg. \$2  
line at 1.50  
Boys' All-wool Tweed Suits made from all-wool  
Tweeds, in checks, nice gray and brown shad-  
ings, coats neatly pleated, sizes 22 to 30, are val-  
ues at \$2.50, your choice. \$1.98  
Boys' Worsted Serge Suits in 2 pc., double breasted  
coat, hard twist Serges, dressy, noted for wear,  
ages 7 to 13 years, a hummer, at \$2.50  
Boys' Nobby Pattern Suits made from all the new  
things shown this season, neat pin checks and  
overplaid, pretty shadings, nicely pleated coats,  
prices range \$3.75, \$2.50 and \$3.00

Boys' 3 pc. Serge Suits in plain navy Serge, never  
sold less than \$3.50, all sizes 21 to 32, here at \$2.50  
Boys' Herringbone Serge 3 pc. Suits in neat Herring-  
bone Serge, single and double breasted coats, all  
sizes 27 to 33, crackers at \$3.50  
Boys' All-wool Tweed 3 pc. suits in sobby overplaid  
Tweeds, pretty gray shadings, neat and dressy,  
all sizes 28 to 33, at \$4.00  
Boys' All-wool Serge 3 pc. Suits in all-wool blue and  
black Serges, single and double breasted coats,  
well made and lined, good wearing Serges, sizes  
28 to 33, at \$4.50  
Boys' Dressy Tweed and Cheviot 3 pc. Suits in sobby  
Tweeds and plain Cheviots, best values ever  
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Where to buy hosiery, corsets, bustles,  
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We can suit the taste of the young, middle aged or old man,  
in fabric, cut, color and price.

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## LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Henry Burrell is indisposed.  
J. W. White was in London yesterday.  
Albert Perry is slowly improving.  
Mrs. George Merriam, Harvey St., is  
improving.  
N. Ruthven is in Blenheim to-day on  
business.  
Mrs. Samuel Rouse, of Harwich, is  
seriously ill.  
J. A. Elliott, of Ridgetown, is in the  
city to-day.

Boy Wanted—Apply at the Malcolm-  
son store.

P. T. Barry, of Fletcher, was in the  
city yesterday.

John Watt is in Ridgetown to-day  
on business.

W. D. Samson, of Blenheim, was in the  
city yesterday.

James Sterling, of Blenheim, was in the  
city yesterday.

Printer with two years' experience is  
wanted at The Planet office.

Herbert H. West entered St. Jos-  
eph's Hospital to-day.

W. A. Thrasher, Sam. Perrin and Chas.  
Greening left for St. Luke's Club this  
morning.

A number of his parishioners tele-  
graphed Rev. J. J. Ross their congrat-  
ulations last evening.

Miss Ida Dagneau, of the Ursuline  
Academy, who has been seriously ill  
with the measles, is improving.

Maurice Waddick, of Raleigh, who  
has been in St. Joseph's Hospital with  
rheumatism, was able to return home  
yesterday.

Young man wanted at The Planet  
Office, who is accustomed to feeding  
pigeons.

Contractor Paxton left for the Eau  
yesterday, where he has the contract  
for fixing the government pier.

Tennant & Burke yesterday shipped  
their car loads of hay from Tilbury and  
Haycraft, to points in the east.

Dr. Russell, dentist, has removed his  
office to cor. King and Fifth streets,  
over Merchants' Bank. dwlm

Fred. Robinson, Stanley Ave., has  
added to the beauty of his place by  
cutting down three pine trees in front  
of his house.

John A. Aitken, of this city, was married  
in Belleville yesterday afternoon to Miss  
Nettie Jensen, of that place. The young  
couple will arrive here this week and for  
the spring will reside with Mr. and Mrs.  
James Aitken, Taylor avenue.

It is worth your while to call and see  
the nice assortment of rustic chairs,  
lawn seats, lawn flower stands, at  
Westman Bros.

The river is affording good fishing just  
now. The lonely fisherman may be seen  
seated here and there along the banks cal-  
mly waiting for bites. The anglers are catch-  
ing quite a large number of mullets.

The Essex Heroes' march and two-  
step, by Catharine A. Westcott, of  
Kingsville, can be obtained at Tschir-  
hart's Music Store, King St. Price 25c.

W. E. Rispin asks us to announce the  
popular Thursday excursions to Detroit  
via Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways  
on Thursday next, 2nd of May. Fare \$1,  
tickets good returning next day.

Jno. Anderson, of this city, has ac-  
cepted a position as operator in the  
general offices of the Lake Erie at  
Walkerville, in the place of D. Camp-  
bell, who is to go to West Lorne, on  
the new extension as station agent.

Altogether four bayonets have been  
secured from the gun boat. Supt. Jones  
has been examining them and says that they  
are of American make and undoubtedly  
were captured from the Americans. These  
bayonets are smaller than the ones used by  
the Canadians.

Miss Daisy A. Torrey, B. E., of Crimby,  
Ont., visited this city on her way to Leam-  
ington, Kingsville and Windsor having en-  
gagements to fill at entertainments as  
an elocutionist. Miss Torrey is commanding  
a very important place among the best en-  
tertainers now before the public.

The local census commissioner, J. S.  
Waugh, requests that any person who may  
have been left out in the census taking would  
confer a favor by dropping him a postal  
card to that effect, or calling at his office,  
corner of King and William street, when an  
enumerator will call at once. It is in the  
interests of the city that every resident  
should be taken.

Bruce Reddick is in Detroit.  
John Smith is in Detroit to-day.  
Charles Mount is in Detroit to-day.  
Mrs. Jos. Holman is in Detroit to-  
day.

Miss Annie Wiggall is spending the  
day in Detroit.

W. Whitely, of Walkerville, is in  
the city to-day.

Frank Tschirhart is in Detroit to-  
day on business.

Buy your Carpenters' Tools at Mor-  
ton's Hardware Store.

Mrs. Wm. Bennett and son Wil-  
liam are visiting in Detroit to-day.

Miss Louise McCormack, King St.  
east, is seriously ill.

At the police court this morning a Maple  
City young man pleaded guilty to spitting  
tobacco juice on the sidewalk. He was  
fined \$1 and \$2 costs.

Mrs. Matthew Lowney, Port Stanley,  
Prince Evans, Syracuse, N. Y., Orth Evans,  
of Ridgetown, and Will and George Evans,  
of Pittsburgh, Pa., have returned home after  
attending the funeral of their father.

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

"The 24th Regiment is a good thing  
for this city in one respect at least,"  
said P. C. Groves this morning. "It  
has been the cause of the boys all giv-  
ing their hair cut up and trimmed.  
The boys are also blacking their shoes,  
and they look neat and clean in their  
suits."

## CONTRIBUTION

### ACKNOWLEDGED

Gift of the Chatham Y. M. C. A.  
to the Indian Famine Fund  
Has Been Forwarded.

Treasurer Jno. Waddell, of the late  
Chatham branch of the Y. M. C. A. this  
morning received the following communi-  
cation from Toronto.

The \$6.96 in question was a balance the  
directors of the Y. M. C. Association found  
on hand when closing up its affairs some  
time ago, and resolved to apply the sum to-  
wards helping the famine stricken of  
India.

Dear Sir:—Your kind remittance of \$6.96  
for India Famine, came while I was away  
south, and was not acknowledged in the  
papers because it was the only sum I then  
had for that purpose. Since that time my  
wife has added \$37.04—\$44.00, and sent the  
same to Miss Eunice Wells, Kara Guzarah,  
India. Last year she took into her orphan-  
age a large number of starving girls and  
now needs all the money she can get to sup-  
port and educate them. This explanation  
I think due you and trust is satisfac-  
tory.

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) EDW. TROUT,  
President.

## CONSTABLE FIRED

### IN SELF-DEFENCE

Desperate Vagrant, Fiercely Resisting  
Arrest, Gets Bullet in the Breast.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 2. —  
Officer Jerry Dacey shot and seriously  
wounded a resisting prisoner about  
9 p. m. on Tuesday. The prisoner,  
who gave his name as Vincent, and  
his address, 13 Guitard street, Mont-  
real, is now lying in the Soo General  
hospital. He has a bullet wound in  
his left breast, the bullet having  
lodged in his lung. There is another  
wound in the groin, penetrating to  
the base of the spine. At the hospi-  
tal it was stated that the wounds  
were serious.

Officer Dacey was patrolling the  
west-end, and about nine o'clock he  
found Vincent and a woman of the  
town walking on Spruce street, near  
Magazine. They were both drunk  
and disorderly, and the officer arrest-  
ed Vincent. The latter broke away  
and showed fight, and when the offi-  
cer laid hands on him, Vincent at-  
tempted to gouge Dacey's eyes out.

As it was he left furrows from his  
finger nails in the officer's face, and  
Dacey shot him with his revolver.

Vincent fell, and was taken to the po-  
lice station.

Here a cursory examination was  
made by a physician and the wound  
of man was taken to the hospital.

The woman who was with him at the  
time of the shooting was arrested later.

She gave the name of Purdy. Of-  
ficer Dacey is at his home on the  
street. His face bears marks of Vin-  
cent's fingers. Nothing is known of  
Vincent's antecedents, as he has been  
here but a short time.

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Very lowest rates.  
Pay when desired.  
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King St. West, Chatham.

Kent Children's Aid Society.

For adoption:—Fine healthy boy, 16  
months old; good parentage. Apply to  
A. Sims, Pres., or R. V. Bray, Secy.  
Officers.

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## WORLD OF SPORT.

Yesterday's baseball games were  
full of surprises. In the Eastern  
League Toronto has settled down to  
a winning stride, but Montreal is suf-  
fering from regular bumps.

The results of the contests were as  
follows:—

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia—  
Philadelphia—6 9 1.

New York—3 9 2.

At Brooklyn—  
Game postponed, wet grounds.

At St. Louis—  
St. Louis—3 5 3.

Cincinnati—7 8 1.

At Pittsburgh—  
Pittsburgh—3 7 4.

Chicago—8 10 12.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Chicago—  
Chicago—19 14 3.

Detroit—9 13 12.

At Washington—  
Washington—4 9 5.

Baltimore—6 5 3.

At Philadelphia—  
Boston—1 7 6.

Philadelphia—14 19 3.

At Cleveland—  
Cleveland—6 15 1.

Milwaukee—3 6 1.

### EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Rochester—  
Montreal—6 8 2.

Rochester—10 10 2.

At Buffalo—  
Buffalo—0 8 3.

Toronto—4 8 5.

At Worcester—  
Worcester—7 10 0.

Hartford—0 0 2.

At Providence—  
Providence—5 8 2.

Syracuse—2 5 2.

### WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Toledo—  
Grand Rapids, 8; Fort Wayne, 5.

At Louisville—  
Columbus, 3; Louisville, 4.

At Marion—  
Marion, 8; Toledo, 4.

At Dayton—  
Dayton, 3; Indianapolis, 5.

A meeting of the Gun Club is cal-  
led for to-morrow evening, May 3rd,  
at 8.30, in the parlors of the Grand  
Central Hotel.

### OXFORD-CAMBRIDGE MAY COME TO CANADA.

Oxford, England, May 2.—A chal-  
lenge has been received here by the  
Oxford University Athletic Club from  
McGill University of Montreal and  
the University of Toronto to an ath-  
letic meeting to take place at Mont-  
real previous to the Oxford-Cam-  
bridge and Harvard-Yale meeting at  
New York. The general opinion was  
that the challenge should be accept-  
ed. The Oxford-Cambridge team may  
be enlarged and the visit may be pro-  
longed in order to allow a full period  
of training for the double engage-  
ment. It is thought this will take  
about two months, and therefore this  
program will require much consid-  
eration. The end of September may be  
selected as the preferable date for the  
New York meeting.

### BROKE EVEN.

The City Football League season  
opened yesterday afternoon on Te-  
cumseh Park, when the first fixture

of the schedule, the match between  
the Marlboros and the Scots, was  
played off.

The teams were well balanced and  
for the early season showed promis-  
ing form. A feature was the playing  
of a number of the colts, showing  
that Captain Cook will have plenty  
of material with which to build up a  
strong Chatham team.

The scoring yesterday was all done  
in the first half. The initial point  
was notched for the Marlboros by  
Brundage after seven minutes' play,  
and shortly after, as the result of a  
determined rush by the Scots, Jinks  
equalized. No further scoring result-  
ed, although both teams made stren-  
uous efforts to pull out a victory.

S. A. Mercer proved a capable ref-  
eree.

By the tie both competing teams  
are awarded one point in the city  
league competition.

The local lacrosse and baseball  
teams are endeavoring to arrange for  
games here on May 24th, to be played  
upon the new grounds on Agricul-  
tural park. The lacrosse game will  
probably be with Blenheim, and the  
baseball with the Chatham Wagons.

—Wallaceburg Herald-Record.

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## ALONE.

Since she went home—  
Longer the evening shadows linger here,  
The winter days fill so much of the year,  
And even summer winds are chill and drear,  
Since she went home.

Since she went home—  
The robin's not has touched a minor strain,  
The old glad songs beneath a sad refrain,  
And laughter abas with hidden, bitter pain,  
Since she went home.

Since she went home—  
How still the empty rooms her presence blessed,  
Untouched the pillow that her dear head pressed,  
My lonely heart hath nowhere for its rest,  
Since she went home.

Since she went home—  
The long long days have crept away like years,  
The sunlight has been dimmed with doubts and fears,  
And the dark nights have rained in lonely tears,  
Since she went home.

Since she went home—  
—Robert J. Burdette in Ladies' Home Journal.

## DISTILLATION.

The hors d'oeuvre—a novel mixture of savory fish, such as anchovy and red herring, with olives, gherkins, beet root, etc.—had come and gone. The soup, a consommé of delicious flavor, had had its day, and now the fish was before them. And still she had not spoken.

Justin Crawford ventured to survey her stealthily, with relieved curiosity. She was a slim, pale woman, with features refined to the point of thinness; meditative gray eyes, and hair whose undulations shone prettily in the soft glow of the shaded lights.

"She must have caught my name," he said to himself, with subdued gratification. "She is probably a domestic woman, and domestic women are often deliciously ignorant." He almost thought he might venture a remark.

"The red mullet is good to-night. Do you know what it always reminds me of?"

"No. Tell me." And she looked up with all the simple deference of a woman of the old regime.

"Mortimer Collins' novels," he said. "He was so fond of it, and he made all his favorite characters eat it—I suppose as a reward."

"I have not read his books," she said. "Indeed I seldom read novels."

"This," he said to himself, "is a woman in a thousand!" His spirits rose, and he waxed timorously confident.

"Neither do I," he said. "And yet people are always asking me what novels I like best. I don't like any. I prefer a book with no conversation in it. The eternal chitchat in the average novel is to me intensely wearisome. I like something meditative—something over one can smoke with. Lamb's and Stevenson's essays suit me very well. Did you ever read Bacon?"

"I think—we got him at school."

"There was an agreeable duet in her soft gray eyes."

"So did we. It's such a shame to call his things essays. They were achievements, and I like essays best."

Perhaps she was listening, but she did not answer, and there was a far away look in her tranquil eyes.

"She is wondering how her children are getting on at home without her," he decided. He knew she was married, for he had noted her marriage ring, and also a guard of dim old gold with an antique device imprinted upon it that she wore above it. "How surprised to the masses of diamonds most people wear," he thought. "Her ring is like her—of plain, unassuming gold, with just sufficient pattern on it to individualize it."

She noted his glance and brightened to a semblance of vivacity. "You are looking at my old ring," she said. "It is an heirloom in my husband's family; it has mounted guard over wedding rings for more than a hundred years. See here is the pony inside it," and as she took it off he noted its finely worn appearance, its shape curved to fit the finger and not aggressively round like the modern ring.

"May I hold it?" he said and took it from her and held it up in his long nervous fingers. "I like these old rings. They seem to me fitly to epitomize the old-fashioned woman. She had a gracious adaptability and fitted herself about a man's heart just as this ring does about your finger. The modern woman—like the modern ring—is always the same—round, assertive and complete. She never adapts herself to any one. Allow me," and he returned it to her with a bow full of antique gallantry.

There was a mellow flavor about her host's old Burgundy. It tempered the unquiet mind agreeably and filled their silence with serenity.

A ravishing entrée came next—speech were an insult to it—and as they partook of it the last uneasy fear forsook him, and her thoughtful eyes betrayed a fine content.

"You do not care for too much conversation," he said insinuatingly.

"It depends," she said. "I think people are too fond of talking nowadays. It is all because the magazines say conversation is a lost art, and people try to prove it a mistake. We need interludes of silence to breed our fancy in."

"How delightful!"—and he felt almost gay. "She would not quote my essay on 'Silence' so casually did she know she was talking to the author."

"I agree with you," he said aloud. "The only conversation I thoroughly appreciate is that of children."

Her face lit up at once. "Are they not delicious?" she said.

"Now," he thought, "for the customary anecdote." Aloud, "I am sure you are a mother."

"I have two children—a little boy and a girl."

"And the little boy?" He had noted the differing inflections in her voice. She flushed faintly, and her eyes fell. "He is my little boy," she said in a low tone, "and that is all about it."

He was at once content. How could he dream of this exceptional woman giving way to the customary anecdote? "It is a great deal," he responded gently. "I know how it feels. It is like reading again a book you read twenty years ago and have forgot, but

as you read it all comes before you again. Boys are usually like their mothers—I am sure yours is." And his kindly glance seemed to say that in that case the boy had done well.

Across the table a vivacious lady with carefully curled hair and judiciously tinted complexion whispered to the man beside her: "Look at Justin! He never saw him talk so much before!"

"Sweetest, come, she partook of them with a lively greed that rather diverted Mr. Crawford. "I am sure," he said, "you like both sugar and milk in your tea."

"Of course."

"How delightfully usual!" And he sighed with content. "I am sorry I shall not see you up stairs after tea. I do like a woman who takes both sugar and milk. It's so much less trouble."

"Are you not coming up afterward?" She seemed surprised and disappointed. The scared look came back to his short sighted eyes for a little. "I—I have a standing engagement at my club immediately after dinner," he said.

"Come up to-night." And the gray eyes looked soft persuasion at him. "I shall," he began magnanimously. Then, his courage failing him, he added, "for ten minutes."

Shortly afterward there was the usual rustle of skirts, the agreeable patter on the stairs, the echo of a feminine laugh, and presently the distant rumble of the piano.

As a rule, this was a time of untroubled relief to Justin Crawford. Fate had made him a popular novelist—nature had denied him the hardihood to endure its social consequences. He had been tethered to so many admiring women during dinners that season that the festive meal had come to be a matter of mortal dread to him. Anywhere else he could escape, but not at dinner. To-night, however, he had enjoyed himself, at least in a negative way—he had been let alone and allowed to talk or be silent as he pleased.

When he went up stairs, he found his late companion lying on a curved chair at the half opened window. He went over beside her and peered into the corner of a busy thoroughfare. It had been wet, and the lamplight glimmered across the pavement.

Beyond was the dim greenness of trees, and the scent of wet leaves floated across to them. The moon hung apart, incursive, behind a veil of yellow vapor, and as they looked Big Ben struck the third quarter.

There was a clatter of cups and saucers behind them.

"I am ready"—and the gray eyes smiled demurely—"for my cup of tea."

"Ten minutes," he said as he went to fetch it, "is not a very long time."

He sat down beside her at the window.

"Do you see that seat just inside the park gate?"

"No," she said wonderingly. "What good sight you must have!"

"Shortsighted people always see well far away. There is a pair of lovers over there, and they see the colored lamp shades and hear the music here, and they think it very fine indeed, but do you think they would come in if we asked them?"

She looked a little puzzled, but he did not heed her—he liked a person he could forget, and he went on talking to himself, as it were. "No, they are better where they are. The scent of the May is stronger there, and the darkness is a kindly cloak. I should like to go over there myself, only with a whimsical thought of the short sighted eyes—I should be alone, and so I should not require an umbrella, as they do."

No doubt he was talking nonsense, but the perception of it was in his eyes recalled him to himself. He finished his tea and took the cups away. When he came back, he said diffidently, "Good night, Mrs.—and paused. He had not caught her name, and rather wished to know it.

She noted his expectancy, but for some reason did not respond. A little flush that rose in her cheeks was the only sign she made of having understood. "Good night, Mr. Crawford," she said.

He bowed and went away, but as he went down stairs he said to himself, "She knew my name after all, and yet she never mentioned my novels, or worried me in any way. A wonderful woman!"

An hour afterward Mrs. Willie Danvers was seated in her tiny drawing room, having a cigarette and a cup of tea with her husband—or, as she preferred to call him, her "chum."

"And how did you get on with your interview?" he asked.

"Beautifully—she never knew it was going on. He just prattled away about the old and the new women, children, cups of tea, lovers and umbrellas, and I distilled heaps of copy from him. Now and again, though, I didn't quite know what he was driving at," and again her clear gray eyes assumed that faraway look that had interested Justin Crawford so much.

"I am not surprised," said Mr. Danvers dryly. There is a fine casual contempt about husbands at times. Fannie Douglas in National Observer.

M. Faure is a Protestant.  
The new President of the French Republic is very military in appearance—very well set up, and tall, with closely-cropped white hair and a black moustache. He is fifty-four years of age, but looks younger in the face, and is always very carefully dressed, being in fact one of the few dandies of the French Chamber! He is a self-made man, having amassed a large fortune as a shipbuilder. He is a Protestant—the first who has ever been President—and a great ally of the Y. M. C. A.

Horses Low-Priced in France.  
A very serious fall has taken place in the price of horses in Paris, also in various French towns. This is said to be mainly due to the extraordinary increase in the number of bicycles and tricycles, the production being during last year excessive—namely, over 100,000 more than in the year prior.

The complaint is heard on the part of horse dealers, who say the bicycle is taking their bread away; but they must, like the rest of society, suffer for the benefit of the million.

It will become a Christian to indulge in worldly delights—Fulgensius.

## STRAY ITEMS

The first week a man is married he acts most as proud as he did the day he first wore suspenders.

No man can listen to a woman talking baby-talk for five minutes and be alive in letting women vote.

Probably no butterfly thinks any of the other worms will ever be smart enough to turn the way he did.

You can always tickle a homely woman by telling her how overestimated you think some other pretty girl is.

It's easy enough to get the men to go to church until they get married. After that they get preaching at home.

The average woman would die perfectly happy if she could only know that a certain man would come to the funeral and cry.

It is not hard to make a reputation, only it's so dreadfully easy to get found out.

It is strange how blithely we hear the troubles of others, strange how freely we share our own with them.

We often get invitations we are bound to refuse; but perhaps that is why we get them.

No woman will admit that the man who is in love with her is altogether a fool.

They won't use harps in heaven; they'll just amuse the children and listen to their laughter.

The click of the well-filled purse is a snap.

When a man loses his head he talks through his hat.

As a silent partner the henpecked husband fills the bill.

The performance of the amateur musician is often a music rack.

Self admiration is ample proof that there is no accounting for tastes.

A little learning is less dangerous than the belief that you know it all.

Gossip sometimes gains currency, but it isn't the kind you can pay debts with.

The other half usually has to live on what the better half knows how to cook.

Yachting is not expensive—if you are fortunate enough to be an invited guest.

A philosopher says it is much easier to make a blunder than it is to acknowledge it.

It is a good thing for men that women's dispositions don't depend on the fit of their shoes.

Living is only a habit, but we sometimes wish it were easier to break.

Considering the way a woman will deceive herself, a man has very little right to complain if she deceives him too.

When a woman doesn't talk it's usually because she has something to say.

Men love women for loving them; women love men for something to love.

Our first loves were our best; they were always so hopeless impossible.

The supreme tragedy of life is not to fail, but to know that you have never tried.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A good wife maketh a good mother-in-law.

In the human race the butcher holds the steaks.

Dame Nature is now beginning to display her budding genius.

A woman without temper is like a flower without perfume.

One way to get rid of a would-be borrower is to leave him a loan.

The man who would rather fight than eat never has to eat his own words.

The easiest way to exchange small bills for a large one is to go to law.

Many a woman has secured a lifelong job by marrying a man to reform him.

An idea must feel awfully lonesome when it gets in some people's heads.

Nothing succeeds like success of a man who has a political pull.

Skaters see stars never dreamed of by the astronomers.

Land in England is 800 times as valuable now as it was 200 years ago.

Jack Frost does all he can to pave the way for Santa Claus.

The man who is taken in is usually out.

If one can wear old, loose kid gloves while ironing they will save many calloused spots on the hands.

A woman never feels so good as when her new hat has been admitted and she can honestly say "I trimmed it myself."

When a young author puts lots of color in his stories he usually intends them to be read.

There are women stupid enough to quote poetry at the man who is carving the turkey.

Buying books as Christmas gifts is expensive, because we always throw in so many for ourselves.

To make a man think well of himself first make him think well of himself.

A woman is always surprised to find that everybody doesn't know what she learned only yesterday.

When a poor young man marries a rich girl all the women say he is mercenary, but when a rich young man marries a poor girl, they say such a love is the most beautiful thing in the world.

## HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

In sweeping a carpet, remember always to sweep with the pile, and not against it.

Agate ware is not suitable for frying or for the cooking of fats.

A paint brush added to the housemaid's stock of weapons in her courtyard with dust will be found most efficacious for routing that enemy from moulding corners of the window sash and crevices of the baseboards.

To the large consumption of water-cress in the city of London, says a medical authority, may be attributed the high standard of health in that city. Carefully washed and picked over, lightly sprinkled with salt and eaten with this slice of bread and butter, it affords the best possible appetizer for breakfast.

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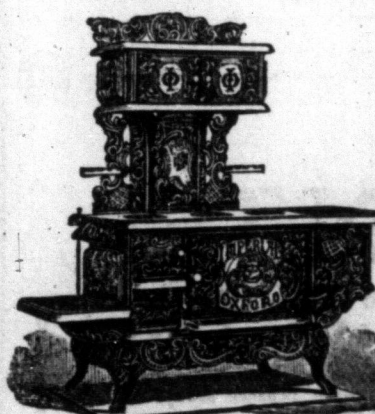
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