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Underwear Weather..

This is decidedly weather for Winter Underwear and when your thoughts turn to underwear they must naturally turn to this store. Our variety is ready, almost anything you can think of in the way of underwear is here and at correct prices, prices that will appeal to you when you see the value represented.

Ladies' Vests and Drawers, elastic rib, fine soft finish, neatly trimmed, unshrinkable, very special value at per garment, **25c**

Ladies' Fine Union Combination Suits, in good winter weight, neatly trimmed, unshrinkable, extra value at a suit, **\$1.00**

Penman's Fine Pure Wool, Natural Wool, Vests and Drawers, beautifully made and guaranteed for wear, regular price \$1.25 garment, a special purchase of slightly imperfect garments makes them **\$1.00**

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Men's extra fine and heavy Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, fine soft finish, extra value at a garment, **50c**

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Pickles, 10 cts. per bottle
Soda Biscuits, 5 cts. per lb.
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1 lb. fresh ground coffee, 15 cts.

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Our China for presents is selling fast—large assortment fine new goods at prices that will ensure quick sales. Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets at a price that keeps them on the move. Call and see them.

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Phone 190, Park St.

Minard's Liniment — Lumberman's Friend.

ORGANIZE FOR COMING YEAR

Macaulay Club Elect Officers
and Decide on Work for
Ensuing Season.

Address of Dr. Holmes, the Retiring President—Dramatic work to be considered.

Dr. T. K. Holmes, the retiring president, presided at the annual meeting of the Macaulay Club held in Ald. Scullard's office Saturday evening. The doctor said that it was pleasant to again meet the old familiar faces after the summer vacation. He suggested that it would be a good idea to elect the younger men of the Club to the offices for the ensuing year. This would be a good idea from several points of view. The doctor's suggestion was acted upon, as the list of officers elected shows. The following were elected: President—Harry Collins. Vice President—Frank D. Laurie. Secretary—H. W. Anderson.

Executive committee—Dr. Garnet Holmes, Fred Stone, Chas. Sissons, J. M. Pike and Wilson Taylor. Dr. T. K. Holmes thanked the members for the honors they had conferred upon him in selecting him as their president for the past year. During his term of office he had been shown every kindness by the members. Dr. Holmes then invited Harry Collins, the newly elected president, to take the chair.

Mr. Collins made a graceful little speech, thanking his friends for the courtesy extended. He said that he considered that both a great responsibility and a great honor had been conferred upon him.

Ald. Scullard moved that the matter of securing a room be left in the hands of the Executive committee and the motion carried.

J. M. Pike said that quite an interest had been manifested in the drama by members of the Club. The production of the trial scene from the Merchant of Venice had been a success and it was felt that another piece should be staged. Still it was felt the production should not be allowed to interfere with the work of the Macaulay Club. A dramatic committee of three good members of the Club could be appointed and some scene from a standard play could be produced under the auspices of the Club.

Mr. Scullard favored Mr. Pike's suggestion. The dramatic part should be kept separate from the work of the Macaulay Club itself. He thought if Mr. Pike's plan were adopted that a great benefit would be derived.

H. W. Anderson moved that the matter be referred to a committee composed of Messrs. Dr. T. K. Holmes, C. E. Beeston, Thos. Scullard, J. M. Pike, S. B. Arnold and J. S. Lane. The motion carried.

Mr. Arnold, in seconding it, said that the dramatic art was one of the things that the Macaulay Club should encourage.

Wilson Taylor thought that the drama should be studied for the mutual benefit of the members and not for spectacular show.

He thought, however, that the members might attain better results by putting more fire into their debates and also spend more time in preparation of them.

Mr. Sissons said that the presentation of a play was the best way to study it. He had learned a great deal from the part he took in the production last spring. The Club could present the trial scene from the Merchant of Venice without outside assistance.

Dr. Holmes invited the committee to meet at his home Monday night and the invitation was accepted. He also suggested that for the coming year those appointed to lead debates should either be present or else provide a substitute. During his long membership in the Club he had never failed to be present or furnish a substitute when he had been appointed to take part in the program. There was also great necessity for preparation.

Dr. Holmes moved that the subject for debate and the debaters be chosen the week before. The motion carried.

The new president said that he would have a circular letter prepared by the secretary embodying the ideas brought out at the meeting. A copy of this letter will be sent to each member.

Thos. Scullard was appointed permanent critic.

The subject for debate next Saturday night will be "Resolved that the reign of Elizabeth was more illustrious than that of Victoria." Affirmative, leader Wilson Taylor; negative, C. B. Sissons.

The meeting was a very representative one. There were present Dr. T. K. Holmes, Ald. Thos. Scullard, C. E. Beeston, Harry Collins, S. B. Arnold, J. W. Young, H. W. Anderson, Frank D. Laurie, C. B. Sissons, J. M. Pike, Wilson Taylor, A. E. Jewett and Harry Collins.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

HIS OLD HOME

J. B. Flint, of Pittsburg, formerly of this city, is spending a couple of days in Chatham on a short business trip. Mr. Flint smilingly announces that it isn't election that brings him here this time.

In a short interview with The Planet Mr. Flint spoke most enthusiastically of the progress Chatham was making.

"The town," he declared heartily, "is putting on a regular metropolitan air. The street pavements are splendid—I am particularly impressed with Queen St.—and the improvement to the buildings is most pronounced. Chatham is making splendid head in every respect."

Mr. Flint says that in Pittsburg the business street sections are generally paved with cut stone and the residential portions with asphalt. In the smaller cities vitrified brick is much used.

Mr. Flint is apparently in the best of health and seems only to grow younger as the years go by.

RUSSIA MAKES READY.

TROOPS AND SUPPLIES SPEEDING TO THE EAST.

A Bellicose Newspaper—Outlines an Aggressive Plan of Campaign—Doubt Cast Upon Practicability of the Japanese British Alliance.

Moscow, Oct. 26.—The Russian apparently are satisfied with the frequent drafts of men and munitions from the home Governments for the far east. Russian financial and business circles, which are really interested, display apprehension, and are not sharing the optimism of the leading organs of the contingent. No one can shut his eyes and ears to the significance of Russia's feverish energy, the streams of reinforcements, trainloads of military stores, large additions to the staffs of the vessels of the Russian Pacific squadron, and the solemn adjurations of the commanding officers and Church dignitaries, to the troops about to embark for "service" in the far east, to "serve the Emperor at the first call with all their might, as worthy successors to the warriors who have freely poured out their life's blood for the 'Little Father' and his sublime heritage." Russia's present peace footing of infantry alone is, roughly, 1,000,000 men, of whom about 185,000 are either at present there or en route for the far east.

Berlin, Oct. 26.—The Cologne Gazette reproaches the following scarcely veiled menace, published by The Norvick, the bellicose organ of the Viceroy Alexieff: "Without effective support from a considerable number of British or American land troops Japan could hardly attack the Russian colossus with any prospect of success. Russia was never so well prepared as now. If the pacific Czar were not averse to all drastic plans, it would not be a matter of impossibility at the present juncture to fight Japan with almost a certainty of success, and at the same time conduct a victorious campaign against India, while Germany and Austria would cover us in the west and against Turkey. The attitude of these powers is far more important than the attitude of France in the event of a war between Britain and Russia."

It is understood at St. Petersburg that M. de Witte spent a day at Darmstadt recently. His rapid and somewhat erratic journeying in search of rest has attracted attention at the capital, where it is assumed that he has been sounding the foreign financial markets regarding a possible war loan.

TWO MORE MINISTERS.

Lord Stanley and H. Arnold-Forster Re-elected.

London, Oct. 26.—Lord Stanley has been re-elected without opposition on his appointment as Postmaster-General to represent West Houghton in Parliament. Belfast, Ireland, Oct. 26.—H. Arnold-Forster has been re-elected to represent West Belfast in Parliament on his appointment as Secretary of War, defeating Patrick Dempsey, Nationalist, by the rather meagre majority of 245. Owing to his recent accident Mr. Arnold-Forster was unable to actively participate in the campaign.

DIED IN HIS WINE BATH.

Strange Death of an Italian Wine-maker and His Sister.

New York, Oct. 26.—The Sun has the following special from London: "The strange death of Charrere, a wine-grower of Aosta, may interest the drinkers of Italian wines. Each season, while the new wine was warm from fermentation, Charrere was accustomed to take a bath in the frothing juice, with the object of securing a year of prosperity for himself and family. This year he entered his cellar as usual. His sister followed him some time later, and in a search found him unconscious in the wine. In an endeavor to rescue him she was also overcome by the fumes, and both died before assistance could be summoned."

SOLDIER BOYS AT CHURCH

Members of 24th Regiment
Visit Christ Church and hear
Excellent Sermon.

Splendid Musical Service Much
Enjoyed—Colonel Compliments
Soldiers Upon
Good Conduct.

The 24th Regiment held their first church parade after the summer months yesterday, when they attended Christ Church. There was an excellent turnout of men and officers, and the appearance of the Maple City's crack regiment was very creditable indeed. The march each way was headed by the Drum and Bugle Band, and many were the words of praise passed on this splendid organization.

The service at the church was of a special nature. Rev. Rural Dean McCosh preached an excellent sermon, and the music by the choir was excellently rendered. Mr. McCosh welcomed the soldiers to the church in behalf of himself and the congregation and intimated that he would be pleased to have the regiment worship at his church whenever they felt so disposed. His sermon was based upon the text, "Who is on the Lord's side?"

He compared this earth to a large battle ground and all of the people in it are soldiers. They must take either one side or the other. This question, which was asked of the Children of Israel 35 centuries ago, is just as strong to-day as it was then. Who is on the Lord's side to-day?

You men of the 24th Regiment have pledged your allegiance to Great Britain to fight her battles. How much more has God done for you than Great Britain and how much more claim He has to your services. We should be on the Lord's side because it is the powerful, the holy, the bright, the safe side, and, lastly, because it will be the victorious side.

The music, under the direction of J. W. Wilson, was splendid. The choir gave two anthems and the service all through was of a special character and was much enjoyed by the soldiers and congregation.

Upon the return to the drill shed Col. Rankin complimented the men upon their creditable appearance and their excellent turnout. He also complimented the Bugle Band for their efficient services.

ESCAPED DISSECTION.

The Body of a Veteran Rescued in Time by the Widow.

Toronto, Oct. 26.—The body of John Gilbert, an army veteran, who died on Thursday at the House of Industry, was sent on Friday to the School of Anatomy for dissection, and it is claimed that no steps were taken to notify his widow or any friends. Mrs. Gilbert, who lives at 25 Bishop street, visited her husband frequently at the House of Industry, but knew nothing about his death until she saw a notice in a paper on Friday evening. On inquiring within two hours, she says, she was horror-stricken to learn the body had been sent to Inspector Millard, who, it is claimed, refused to give up the body until the expenses incurred, amounting to \$10, were paid. She then communicated with Mr. John Nunn, Chairman of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association, who managed to get a stay of proceedings.

Dr. Gideon Larocque, formerly Sergeant-at-Arms of the Quebec Legislative Assembly, is dead.

MUST BE ANSWERED.

Questions For Mr. Chamberlain to Deal With.

London, Oct. 26.—The Standard says that several questions have been put to Mr. Chamberlain from no irresponsible quarter, to which satisfactory answers are still wanting. Lord Goschen's cogent analysis of the proposed food tax cannot be disposed of in the few sentences bestowed upon it at Newcastle. How can the argument be met that the war taxes must be reduced before the preferential plan comes into operation? We are all in the dark regarding the details of the great plan. Everything depends upon the proposals and temper of the colonists. If the colonists have no real intention of lowering the barriers, what shape are their proposals likely to take?

The Times says the return of the two new Cabinet Ministers does not show any alarming sign of the decay of the Government nor darken the relations of the Prime Minister and the great Minister who has left the Colonia office.

SIR HENRY M. DURAND.

Appointment as Ambassador to Washington Has Been Approved.

London, Oct. 26.—The King has approved the appointment of Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the British Ambassador at Madrid, as British Ambassador to the United States, to succeed the late Sir Michael Herbert.

To Try De Forest's System.

London, Oct. 26.—De Forest's wireless telegraph system will be tried by the postoffice authorities between Holyhead and Howth, near Dublin.

FOR DEER HUNTERS

In view of the approaching deer season, hunters will find it to their advantage to provide themselves with leather tags with wire fastenings, in order to ensure safe shipment of deer taken, as the ordinary tag is very liable to be torn off in handling, causing much confusion and annoyance to owners. They should also provide suitable crates for shipment of dogs to and from hunting grounds.

RIOTOUS ITALIANS.

A PITCHED BATTLE AT PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE.

The Foreigners, Who Are Working on the Railway, Paid Off an Old Grudge on Their Foreman, and Showed Fight When the Police Went After Them.

Portage la Prairie, Man., Oct. 26.—A pitched battle between the local police authorities and a gang of fifty Italian navvies, who are working for the C. P. R., occurred here yesterday, and during its progress some fifty shots were fired, while the air was also thick with stones, clubs and other missiles. As a result of the fracas Detective Wm. Cox is severely wounded, having been hit with a huge stone in the head and injured in the back and leg by flying debris. Three of the Italians have been safely lodged behind the bars and more arrests are expected.

The trouble originated when the foreigners assaulted their foreman. The latter, whose name is Macdonald, has been regarded with hatred by his men, who have freely threatened him lately. Last night while walking along the business portion of Saskatchewan avenue Macdonald was attacked by a number of the men, who crept up from the rear, and one of them brought down a crushing blow with a large club on the foreman's head, which felled him. The thugs retired hastily. With the idea of arresting the culprit who had struck down the foreman, Detective Cox, Chief McDougall and Constable Cortfield repaired to the cars about 1 o'clock to-day. They caught the navvies unaware and spotted their man sitting beside the track. The Chief took him in charge, and was about to return when the Italians, armed with clubs, stones and knives, commenced an onslaught on the unlucky officers. Three of the railroaders had recovered the middle of the night and they caught the navvies unaware and spotted their man sitting beside the track. The Chief took him in charge, and was about to return when the Italians, armed with clubs, stones and knives, commenced an onslaught on the unlucky officers. Three of the railroaders had recovered the middle of the night and they caught the navvies unaware and spotted their man sitting beside the track.

There were quite a number of cars at various parts of the yard, and by making a detour the middle of the night to head off the officers and rescue their companions. In the meantime the police were at bay with drawn guns, slowly backing out with their man, Constable Cortfield, unfortunately was unarmed, had taken over the prisoner, and managed to get away with him. The assailants became bolder, and by suddenly rushing around the end of a car one leader was about the grapple with the Chief, when he was relieved with a blow from the latter's revolver, and blood began to flow freely. About the same time a huge rock struck Detective Cox in the head, and he was badly cut. The police had been firing repeatedly, but had refrained from shooting to kill. At this stage the officers had exhausted their ammunition, and as the scene of the conflict had gradually become more frequented the mob retreated to their cars.

Two arrests were made later in the day of men who came down town, but no attempt at further arrests will be made until the cars in which the Italians are housed have been conveyed down the line, where they will be easier of access, and where the mob cannot have the protection of other cars in their ambush attacks. The laborers, who have been engaged in surfacing work for the C. P. R., have plenty of money, as a total of \$450 was found on the two men arrested.

There is also trouble in a gang of C. N. R. Italian tracklayers, who are putting steel on the Portendale line. One of them stole the belongings of a Galician, and on the latter trying to recover his possessions an assault occurred, the Galician being badly used up. Constables Garrick and Dowson left this afternoon for Beaver, where this crew is located, and it is surmised they will have some difficulty. There has been intense excitement in town to-day over the various mix-ups.

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We can fit any ladies' foot with a Dorothy Dodd Shoe.

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SOLE AGENTS

The Planet.

S. STEPHENSON - Proprietor.
Business Office 53A
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MONDAY, OCTOBER 26.

AN AGING VOID.

Whew! This is the 514th day of the North Renfrew vacancy. It's worth thinking over.

THE MACAULAY CLUB.

The re-organization of the Macaulay Club on Saturday evening calls attention once again to the valuable literary work this splendid organization is conducting in this community. For the past 21 years this Club has existed in Chatham. But three of the charter members still remain in active membership, viz., Dr. T. K. Holmes, Ald. Thos. Scullard and Mr. C. E. Beeston. Its history has been a history of artistic achievement and splendid training.

The Macaulay Club purposes during the coming winter season to develop, to a certain extent, its membership. It is largely an exclusive organization, yet maintains that essential spirit of fraternal democracy.

There is no better training school for the young man ambitious of intellectual advancement than the Macaulay Club and The Planet very heartily extends its best wishes for a most successful season.

THOSE ISLANDS.

A suggestion worthy of consideration is made by the Ottawa Citizen. It is this: that diplomatic efforts should now be made by Canada to get back the two islands ceded to the United States by Lord Alverstone.

"The original agreement arrived at by the commissioners seems to have been that all four islands should go to Canada. By some side agreement at the last moment the boundary line was deviated by a majority of the commissioners so as to give these two strategically important islands to the United States. There is little doubt that but for this the decision would have been arrived at amicably and our commissioners would have assented to it rather than appear disgruntled. The object of the whole arbitration was to arrive at a decision which would result in a friendly settlement all round. The only real barrier to this friendly settlement is the cession of these two islands to the United States. If the propagation of mutual friendly feeling is what all parties are after, why not make this small concession to the good will of Canada? The Citizen believes that if it were done, Canadians generally would accept the boundary decision with good grace. It is the spoiling of this important harbor that rankles more and more as the true nature of the decision develops and is understood."

It would not be a large concession to ask for. The islands are so situated as to be of very great value to Canada. They are of absolutely no value to the United States except as they may be used as a menace to the chief Canadian port on the northern Pacific coast. Our neighbors have a chance to prove that the much-talked-of Anglo-American friendship is not a top-sided affair.

But we fear that these islands were not acquired by the United States to be given back to Canada; and if Canada is to get possession of them she must pay dearly for the concession.

Lord Alverstone will sleep easier when he learns that his learned brother of the bench, his worshipful Police Magistrate Drimmon, of Toronto, approves of his lordship's generous act in presenting Uncle Sam with a pair of nice little Canadian islands.

AFTER CAREFUL SEARCH.

Toronto Globe.
An ingenious gentleman representing the Buffalo times came to discover annexation sentiment in Toronto—as a result of the boundary award—and, of course, he found it. American reporters always find what they go after. It is certainly singular, however, that we should want to join our fortunes with the country of whose selfishness and greed we complain.

THE UGLY TRUTH.

Toronto News.
Had our case been weak we would have lost honorably. It has proved to be strong, and Lord Alverstone, with every possible degree of publicity, has made it known to the whole world that Great Britain will not maintain a Canadian right against an American demand. The fact is proclaimed in the minutest particulars. The partition of the islands in the Portland canal is the final proof. We stand before the world as a community whose rights cannot get satisfactory backing from the mother country.

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Has won success far beyond the effect of advertising only.
The secret of its wonderful popularity is explained by its unsurpassable Merit.

Based upon a prescription which cured people considered incurable,

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Unites the best-known vegetable remedies, by such a combination, proportion and process as to have curative power peculiar to itself.

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the best blood purifier ever produced. Its cures of dyspepsia, loss of appetite and that tired feeling make it the greatest stomach tonic and strength-restorer the world has ever known.

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Is a thoroughly good medicine. Begin to take it TODAY. Get HOOD'S.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

THAMESVILLE

Oct. 22.—Mrs. D. U. Newcombe was in Chatham to-day.

Mr. Cousins and family have moved to Ingersoll.

Mrs. Cucksey, of Chatham, and Mrs. Poole, of Tilbury, were the guests of Mrs. D. J. Davis to-day.

Mr. David Wallace was in Windsor on business to-day.

Harold Claxton has resigned his position as baggageman at the Grand Trunk depot.

Messrs. Cornwall & Harmer shipped a carload of chickens to London to-day.

Wm. M. Drader, of Chatham, was a Thamesville visitor to-day.

Miss Elizabeth Laurance has gone to spend the winter with relatives at London.

The members of the Public Library Board are entertaining the Thamesville Dramatic Club to a social evening at the home of Mr. Best, to-night.

TILBURY

Oct. 26.—There is a large advance sale for tickets for the Frank R. Conklin entertainment in Anderson Hall to-morrow evening under the auspices of the local Oddfellows.

Mrs. Henry Powell, of Essex, visited relatives here on Saturday.

There is an unusually large number of auction sales advertised.

Miss Spittlog, of Windsor, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith, of Kingsville, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson spent yesterday in Leamington.

Misses Rena Scriven and Louise MacLean, of Essex high school, spent Saturday and Sunday at their homes here.

Lifebuoy Soap—disinfectant—is strongly recommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infectious diseases.

DRESDEN

Oct. 26.—Miss Eva Houston entertained a number of friends on Friday night.

Will Presley spent Saturday in Chatham.

Misses Helen and Jessie McVean, of the C. C. I., spent Sunday at their home in town.

John Harris, River road, is back from the Northwest.

C. H. Gordo spent Sunday with relatives in Ridgeway.

Geo. M. Paul, of Sarnia, was in Dresden on business last Saturday.

Dr. Walter Wiley visited relatives in Windsor yesterday and to-day.

Mrs. Captain Ribble entertained a large number of her young friends on Friday evening. A most enjoyable time was spent by all present.

Miss Fannie Mercer, of St. Clair, Mich., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allison were Dresden visitors yesterday.

Bern Tiffin, who has been working in Detroit for the past few months, is home on a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hughes and son Robert spent Sunday with relatives in Chatham.

Alex. McRitchie, of Port Lambton, visited friends in town yesterday.

Miss Beattie Davis, of Tupperville, spent Sunday at her home in town.

FROM LAST TO FIRST

People used to take plain cod liver oil for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles after other remedies had failed.

Scott's Emulsion is the modern idea of cod liver oil—the first instead of the last resort when such ailments appear.

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Here's a Bargain

Manufacturers Samples of Winter Underclothing, Shirts only, on sale Saturday at less than Manufacturer's Prices.

Remember Shirts Only.

\$1 Shirts for 65c.; 75c. Shirts for 50c.; 50c. Shirts for 39c.

You will find the above in our store Saturday. Do not fail to get your share at

MEYNELL,

The One-Price Clothier.
KING ST. - CHATHAM

There is the surety in drinking the **Magi Caledonia Waters** that health is promoted
J. J. McLAUGHLIN, Toronto,
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Trust and Private Funds to Loan

farm and city property. Terms to suit borrowers. Apply or write to **THOMAS SOULLARD**
Office lately occupied by Edwin Bell, Victoria Block.

WALLACEBURG

The town hall is having a thorough cleaning for the opening of the Lyceum Course on Tuesday night. Thanks to Manager Brisco.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

BUY BEFORE SIX.
School seats for sale. Apply at Moffat school.

Song of England Concert!—The reserve seat plan for this concert opens Thursday, Oct. 29th, 1903.

Credit for Chatham—Sadie Martinot in the Second Mrs. Tanqueray, at the Grand Tuesday night.

For sale, bowling alley, two beds, 60 feet long, all complete. Apply at Taylor's cigar store or Box 699.

Arthur Armstrong, of Toronto, is visiting at John Rumble's, Northwood.

Wanted, a smart boy, one who is good at figures and can write a fair hand. Apply Box 17, Planet Office.

Joseph Lemire, of Butte, Mont., arrives next week and will be the guest of Miss Melina Bourassa, Grand Central Hotel.

Where the skin is destroyed by burns or scalds apply Weaver's Cerate, reduced with sweet oil or lard. Otherwise the Cerate in full strength should be used.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Fraser, of Denver, Col., visited John A. Fisher last week and left yesterday for Buffalo and Niagara Falls before returning home.

Souvenir Ranges are the most popular store in Chatham; unequalled in Canada. Heavy, durable, economical in fuel, best cookers. Look at them. Geo. Stephens & Co. to Ticket holders for the Course at the Grand to-night are requested by the management to get to the Theatre early, as there will be large crowds to handle.

Alex. Robert, of Dover, who has been visiting in the Western States for the past two months, has returned. During his absence he visited Kansas, Colorado, Utah and Idaho.

With His Own Eyes.

A certain British regiment was on the march from Dover to Aldershot. It was the rule to march by companies, with a few minutes' interval between each, and to keep each other in sight, the band and drums leading.

Starting off at a good pace, and not taking notice of the regulation halt, the band soon got a long way ahead of the others. On reaching a bend in one of the hills they halted for a few minutes to have a rest.

Presently, up galloped a mounted officer in full livery and shouted for the band sergeant.

"What do you mean," he said, "by getting out of sight of the leading company?"

"We were not out of sight, sir," answered the sergeant.

"What do you mean by telling me that?" exclaimed the officer in a rage. "You were out of sight! I saw you myself!"

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

RAREBUYING CHANCES

FOR THE LAST WEEK OF OCTOBER.
All preparations are complete for making this a record-breaking week all over the store. Recent purchases from manufacturers and wholesalers who were willing to sacrifice merchandise for cash, have furnished material for the biggest and best values of the season. Every item exactly as advertised, and your money back if you are not satisfied.

\$1.25 Freize at 85c.—Heavy pure wool freize Suits, 54 in. wide, spangled and shrunken, colors brown and blue, regular value \$1.25 a yard, special at 85c.

75c. Cheviot at 49c.—1 pc. Oxford Grey Cheviot, medium weight, 54 in. wide, thoroughly shrunken, regular 75c. yd, special at 49c.

75c. All Wool Flaked Suits at 50c.—5 doz fine pure wool flaked suits, 43 in. wide, colors, black and white, navy and white, brown and white, myrtle and white, reeds and white, special value at 75c. yd, clearing at 50c.

40c. Camel's Hair Suits at 25c.—In pretty dark mixtures, 40 and 42 in. wide, regular 35c. and 40c. yd, special at 25c.

40c. Serge at 25c.—Yard—10 pieces fine all wool dress serge, 42 in. wide, good weight, bright finish, full range of colors, worth 35c. to 40c. yd, special at 25c.

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During one term there were weekly lessons in the Septuagint, where the Greek words for "word" and "work" are interchanged. Regularly every Monday morning the dean would explain this confusion in the words: "The reason why ergon is used here instead of logos is that it is a translation of the Hebrew word dabar, which means both 'word' and 'thing.'"

The last monosyllables would come rolling out, in the grand manner, like the boom of a great bell.

One morning a light-hearted boy whispered to another, "We have not had dabar yet. Shall I get it?"

"Do, if you dare."

"If you please, sir," said the mischievous one, "why is ergon used instead of logos, in the passage just translated?"

"Ah," replied the master, "you could not be expected to know that. The reason is—"

To see the dean walk with stately tread into the open trap was not so small a joke to please a schoolboy. There was a moment of suppressed delight, but succeeding that a remorseful silence, and after the session the boy-joker was begged by his fellows never to repeat the jest.

No schoolmaster was ever more sensitive to poor results than was this one. At a certain history lesson, when a boy had failed to answer some trifling question, the master flung down his book and exclaimed, "My dear boy! I am profoundly discouraged. For fifteen years of my life I have been letting down a bucket into an empty well, and drawing it up again. For fifteen years of my life I have been pouring out water upon the arid sand." Then he gathered up his books and fled.

A few boys laughed. The others cried, "Shame! shame!" on those who did it. And the next lesson was splendidly prepared.

Henley's Library to Be Sold.

The library of the late W. E. Henley will soon be sold. Many of its volumes have interesting autograph inscriptions. Apropos of Henley's books The London Morning Post tells this story: "Mr. Henley once unconsciously illustrated one of his own arguments rather well. He had been talking of versions of poems by Burns, which were said to be final because they had been written by the poet and given to his friends long after they had been published in his books. 'You know,' he said to one of the company who sometimes wrote verses, 'that if you are suddenly asked to make a copy of a poem you did and finished with years ago you are quite likely to include one or two things that were in the original version, but were afterward altered. You never can remember exactly.' Later in the afternoon—it was at Muswell Hill, in the house that faced the scene of the famous murder—a man produced a first edition of the 'Book of Verses,' published by Mr. David Nutt in 1888, and asked 'Mr. Henley to copy on the fly leaf the poem, 'Bring her again, O western wind,' which has so often been set to music. He consented, broke down in the first verse, and had to consult the text. When he had finished the task his friend complained that the sixth line of the eighth which made the poem was altogether spoiled by the changing of a single word. Somebody was there who had seen the poem before anybody save its author, and was able to explain, 'That was how it was in the first version.' Mr. Henley had made exactly the slip which he had suggested Burns might have made sometimes in similar circumstances."

London's Street Vehicles.

It is an odd reflection on the sixty years' development of the railway system that the road beats the railway easily in London. The street vehicles travel twenty times as far as the train every day, and carry more passengers. It may seem incredible, but it is perfectly true, that the street vehicles of London accomplish a journey every day equal to twenty times around the earth. It is startling, in contrast with this, that the trains cover only 25,000 miles, but the explanation is, of course, the simple fact that for every train there are about fifty other vehicles.

There are always running in London between 4,000 and 5,000 buses and trams, carrying 1,600,000 passengers every day, and when all these are full there is room left for nearly 12,000 cabs, for which 700 stands are provided. "Cabby," one of the best abused men in the great metropolis—often enough deserving it—drives 120,000 people about London every day.

Strange Postal Facts.

The Postmaster-General of Great Britain, speaking at the dinner of the Newspaper Society, said on an average ten letters daily went to the Dead Letter Office having no address, and 1,000 registered letters were returned daily through being insufficiently addressed. These letters contained £600,000 or £700,000 in money in the course of a year. Millions of postal packets could not be delivered because of the incorrectness of the addresses.



It is a great affliction for a woman to have her face disfigured by pimples or any form of eruptive disease. It makes her morbid and sensitive, and robs her of social enjoyment. Disfiguring eruptions are caused by impure blood, and are entirely cured by the great blood-purifying medicine—Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It removes from the blood the poisonous impurities which cause disease. It perfectly and permanently cures scrofulous sores, eczema, tetter, boils, pimples and other eruptive diseases which are caused by the blood's impurity. It increases the action of the blood-making glands and thus increases the supply of pure rich blood.

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Sex and the World's Work.

In the last census, 1891 of which the figures can be obtained, there were in England and Wales 1,064 females to every 1,000 males. The fact shows upon which sex falls the greater labor, danger, disease and death. The work England is doing in other countries ("How England scatters her dead all over the world"), the life cost of war, administration, immigration, discovery, etc., is clearly set before us in these figures. In London alone there was a large city of women in excess of men, if all had been thus gathered and separated. In 1891 the figures were 252,371, and with her 5,000,000 population at present the number is, of course, still greater. Deducting the 234,000 female and 15,400 male servants, the soldiers in barracks, the total 79,000 male and 55,500 female foreigners, the proportion of females to males in London was still (1891) 1,033 to 1,000. In one borough, Hampstead, at the age between 19 and 30, there were twice as many women as men. If one may conclude from the equal number of males and females born that monogamy is the order and ideal of the evolution process, the fact of the actually greater number of females demonstrates the present failure to attain it, and the result a morbid condition of a rich and energetic country like England. It is also noteworthy that there has not been a proportional fall in the death rate of infants as compared with the general death rate. In thirty years the latter fell from 24.4 to 17.6, whereas that of the infants under 1 fell from 162 to 149 per 1,000 births.

Irish Royal Castle.

There is some talk that Kilmore Castle, in Galway, will be selected as the royal residence in Ireland. The King drove through a portion of the grounds during his recent visit to the Emerald Isle and expressed admiration for the beauty of the place and its surroundings.

Kilmore Castle is the biggest of all the great Irish homes, having been built about twenty years ago by Mitchell Henry, a wealthy Yorkshire manufacturer, who sat for an Irish constituency as a Liberal.

A vast fortune was sunk in the building of Kilmore. Some idea of its extent may be gathered from the fact that there are 200 bedrooms in the house.

The grounds cover thousands of acres and are within a mile or two of the coast. The Castle has remained untenanted and neglected for many years, and the man who built it hardly enjoyed it. He had made in the grounds two large lakes, and in one of these the only daughter of the house was accidentally drowned while gathering water lilies.

From that day Mr. Henry refused to occupy it. No suitable tenant was found for the property, although it has been let for the last decade. About six months ago the trustees put the estate up for sale, but the property was withdrawn, as the highest bid was only \$150,000.

Who Are "They?"

"They say: what say they? Let them say," said Bishop Berkeley. Who are the "they" thus so boldly apostrophized? We may say with one of the fathers: "I know when you do not ask me," but how difficult it is to get nearer. We all have these mysterious "they" on our lips, and yet we cannot define them. Yet though we cannot define "they," partly because there are so many of them and partly because none of the great elemental things like time, love, death and sleep are capable of definition, we can still know and say a great deal about "they." "They" Providence. "I wouldn't speak ill of this world," she was accustomed to say, "seeing them as put us in it knows best." In her sense it is, of course, rarely used, though the slang expression "as good as they make 'em'" recalls it. Still "they" has generally a slightly mysterious significance. When we say it we allude to some power we cannot define or to the incomprehensible element in some set of people.—London Spectator.

THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—

Lyceum Course—Oct. 29,
Sadie Martinot—Oct. 27,
Firemen's Benefit—Oct. 29,
Over Niagara Falls—Oct. 30.

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AT LONDON SATURDAY.

The art and genius of a Pinero is strikingly apparent in "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray." London playgoers had a double opportunity on Saturday of witnessing the production of the play, made famous by some of the brightest women of the English and American stage, and their verdict was one of approval. Miss Sadie Martinot had the stellar part, and was tolerably well supported.

A problem play, there is developed a vivid exposition of the deepest emotions of the human heart. The student of the playhouse may question the utility of it all, but the success of this class of production will doubtless continue to be measured by the box office receipts.

There is scarce need to review the story of the play, so familiar are the general lines followed. A woman, possessed of a natural nobility of character, has sinned. It is a thing of the past. Her better nature asserts itself. She struggles to rise to an atmosphere of purity. Marriage with an aristocratic widower offers itself as a means to higher and better things. But the chastening pang of conscience are relentless. The pure soul of a step-daughter is revolted. Acquaintances of the other days obtrude themselves. All things seem to conspire to bear her down. In an agony of remorse and hopelessness, the hapless victim gives up the struggle—is found dead. The bitter regret of the step-daughter that she had not been more merciful finds expression, and is caught up and echoed by Cayley Drumme, a staunch old friend of the family. His words, as the curtain falls, are twined across the footlights a reproach to the world—"we men are too hard on women."

Miss Martinot's personality is adapted to the part. Her nature is not antagonistic to the role. She is a woman of vigorous impulses and strong emotions, yet able to give them a suppression that is real and not less remarkable. Paula Tanqueray, as Pinero conceived her, was a woman through whose beautiful eyes tears would not flow though her heart break; through whose lips no cry would force itself though her soul burst with envy, jealousy, passionate hate or passionate love.

In the earlier passages in the first act Miss Martinot was not so effective. The play even seemed to drag. In the final act, in the great heart-moving scene in which the awful fate of a woman with soul seared, life a hopeless wreck, is portrayed with wonderful power, Miss Martinot was at her best, and was most impressive.

W. A. Whiticar, as Aubrey Tanqueray, gave to the heavy part a finesse touch. Wm. Webb, as Sir George Orreyed, a votary of Bacchus, was acceptable, though 'tis a role a little of which goes a long way. Jane Wheatley (Lady Orreyed), displays a perfect self-confidence and a pleasing articulation. Miss Martinot's costumes were very becoming and rich.—London Free Press.

DRINK AND LUNACY.

Much of Litter caused by Adulteration of the former

In 1859 there was one insane person to every 535 sane individuals. The average has since risen until now one person in every 299 is mentally afflicted.

"What is the reason of this?" asked Professor H. W. White, in delivering his presidential address to the members of the Medico-Psychological Association, at London, England.

One cause was the fact that fewer eligible aliens settled in the country and intermarried with our people. There was therefore less infusion of fresh blood into the race than was formerly the case. The foreigners who did land on our shores tended to weaken the stock, for they were mostly town dwellers of poor physique, with constitutions undermined by disease.

The frequent marriages of neurotics with those inheriting the taint of insanity was another cause, and the increased tendency to marry late in life was anything but desirable. The abuse of alcohol was another great cause of lunacy. We were now a spirit-drinking race, which we were not half a century back.

"There is no standard of purity for these spirits," said the speaker. "If it is to get nearer, the constitution is important factors in the causation of insanity, should not the Legislature enforce both the maturity and the purity of all alcoholic drinks?"

The survival of the weaklings who would formerly have died in infancy, the fact that we are rapidly becoming a nation of town dwellers, unnatural excitement, over-education, late hours, badly selected and badly cooked food, and overcrowding were all responsible causes for the terrible increase in the lunacy returns.

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Tenders are asked for the erection of a curling and skating rink 70 feet by 170 feet. Plans and specifications at T. J. Rutley & Son.

Keep open date for Monday, Nov. 2nd, 1903.—Sons of England Anniversary Concert in Grand Opera House. Mr. H. Bennett, Canada's Greatest Humorist and Entertainer, assisted by the best talent in the city. No expense is being spared to make this concert the event of the season.

A record delivery of sugar beets was made at the Dresden Cogar Co.'s factory, at Dresden, Saturday. Nearly 210 tons of beets were brought from Pelee Island by the "D. A. Gordon." Seventeen cars were brought in from eastern points and 290 wagon loads were brought in locally. The factory is running full blast.

If you want to enjoy a good laugh don't fail to hear Mr. Harry Bennett, Canada's foremost humorist and entertainer, supported by Chatham's best musical talent, at Sons of England concert in Grand Opera House Monday, Nov. 2nd. Mr. Harry Bennett has justly earned the title of the great fun doctor; as an entertainer he has no equal. At Sons of England concert Monday, Nov. 2nd.

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The Waterloo Musical Society has engaged a new bandmaster in the person of Mr. Philip, of Charlottesville, Va., formerly of South London and Chatham. Mr. Philip has been engaged in the southern city for the last two years. He is known as a thorough musician, and the Waterloo Society is to be congratulated upon securing his services. He will begin his duties about the middle of November.

TEN MEN KILLED.

Crushed to Death in the New York Subway.

New York, Oct. 26.—Ten men were killed by a cave-in of the roof and walls of the subway tunnel at 195th street Saturday, and four were badly injured. All of the dead and injured were workmen, and most of them Italians. The dead—Timothy Sullivan, foreman; Wm. Schuette, electrician; Giuseppe Barone, Stanziore Brune, Louis Lippio, and five unidentified Italian laborers. The accident was the most disastrous that has occurred in the construction of the subway. At the point where the cave-in occurred a gang of 25 men were at work in the tunnel, which is about 120 feet below the surface.

Some blasting had been going on at this point, and a number of men, headed by Sullivan, had just re-entered the tunnel after a wait of some time, when the cave-in occurred. The work of rescue continued uninterruptedly until 10 o'clock this morning, when the last body was taken out.

AUDITORS' REPORT

A special meeting of the City Council has been called for to-morrow night to receive and consider the special auditor's report. There are many interesting items in the report and it is awaited with much interest. Mayor McKeough has been advised that the report will be on hand in time for the meeting.

SNOW FALLING

Trains coming from the East on both C. P. R. and Grand Trunk bore unmistakable signs of a severe snow storm east of here. Travellers from London who came in on the 8.15 Grand Trunk said there was three or four inches of snow in London when they left.

A G. T. R. brakeman at eleven o'clock said that six inches of the beautiful had fallen in London, and there was considerable snow as far west as Bothwell, but it stopped there.

PRICE OF LAND

In extending their line to St. Thomas the Lake Erie crossing the farm of S. B. Sinclair, principal of the Ottawa Model school. The farm is lot 18, 9th concession, Howard. The two parties could not agree on the price of the land and the matter was referred to a board of arbitrators. The members of the board are Judge Bell, Chatham; Judge Horn, Windsor; and A. H. Sinclair, a Toronto lawyer, brother of the land-owner.

The arbitrators held a long session at Ridgeway two weeks ago. They adjourned to meet in Chatham and were in session in Judge Bell's chambers to-day. E. I. Scully, Court reporter, was present taking the proceedings.

CURLING RINK

A joint stock company has been formed in Chatham with Dr. Cornell, J. G. Kerr, Ray Gray, and W. D. Sheldon provisional directors, for the purpose of erecting a curling rink in Chatham this winter. The property belonging to the Mills estate, next to the Park House, has been purchased for the sum of \$1,600. The deal was made with the Huron and Erie Company. A new rink will be erected on the property at once and the plans and specifications are now being prepared. The company have at present \$3,500 worth of stock subscribed and if they are able to get \$2,000 or \$7,000 stock they will go in for a hockey and skating rink also.

Their lot is 134x208 feet, so that they have plenty of room to build on. The directors of the company met Saturday night in the Garner House to talk over plans. The building will be a plain one with cement floor, equipped also with dressing rooms, etc.

The building will be commenced as soon as the plans are ready.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed separate or bulk tenders will be received by the undersigned until 6 p. m. Wednesday, the 28th inst., for the erection of a frame curling and skating rink, 70 feet by 170 feet.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Rutley & Son, Architects.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The tenders to be marked "tender" and addressed to the undersigned, and left at the office of the architect.

J. G. KERR, ESQ. Supt. C. C. C.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

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EMPRESS
SHOE



Our stock of Empress Shoes for Women at the popular prices—\$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00. These goods are the best fitting and best wearing goods in the trade, made on the most up-to-date lasts.

TURRILL, The Shoe Man

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, Oct. 29, 1903.

Wheat—	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
Dec.....	81½	81½	81	81½
May.....	80	80½	79½	79½
Cor'n—				
Dec.....	44½	44½	43½	44½
May.....	43½	43½	42½	43
Oats—				
Dec.....	36½	36½	36½	36½
May.....	37½	37½	36½	37½
Pork—				
Jan.....	1220	1220	1202	1207
May.....	1235	1237	1220	1225
Lard—				
Jan.....	672	675	662	667
May.....	680	680	672	675
Ribs—				
Jan.....	637	640	630	632
May.....	650	650	642	642

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The best route is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley. Fine, fast express trains daily, including "Black Diamond Express." No extra fare on this train. For tickets, call at G. T. City of Station Ticket Office. The L. V. have three stations in New York.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

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50 GIRLS wanted immediately for Confectionery and Biscuit Departments. Good wages.

D.S. PERRIN & CO., Ltd., London

2,000 MEN WANTED TO ATTEND THE BIG SALE AT Thomas Irwin's,

LOT 1, CON. 3, ZONE, ON

Tues., Oct. 27, 1903.

At 12 o'clock sharp, when a large amount of well-bred stock, etc., will be sold positively without any reserve bids. You win, I lose, you lose I win. Lunch served 11.30 to 1.30. 150 head of cattle, 45 head of sheep, 7 horses, hogs, implements, etc. See large bills for complete list.

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3000 rolls, was 8c, now 5c.
2500 rolls, was 10c, now 8c.
1000 rolls, was 15c, now 10c.
1000 rolls, was 20c, now 15c.
1500 rolls, was 25c, now 20c.

and all the way through. Great reductions.

KENNY.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Up-to-date Millinery. C. AUSTIN & CO. Fashionable Dressmaking.

THE WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS

A REMNANT and ODDMENT SALE!

We find as a result of our big anniversary sale that we have an accumulation of short ends and odd lots in nearly all the departments. We have gone over these and put fresh prices on them to clear them all out speedily.

Remnant Sale of Dress Goods, Commencing Tuesday, Oct. 27th.

Another big sale of Remnants of all the short ends picked from our large stock of Dress Goods and put on our bargain counter and marked at prices that are bound to sell. Further information.

Short ends of Homespun, Short ends of Cashmeres, Short ends of Tweed Dress Goods, Short ends of Zebeles, Short ends of Habit Twills, Short ends of Plaids, Short ends of Flake Goods.

Nothing better and cheaper for Ladies' Waists and Children's Dresses.

A CLEAN UP OF ALL

REMNANTS.

A big opportunity to get short lengths of Prints, Flannels, Handsome Shaker Flannels, Wrapperettes, Tweeds, Table Linens, Towellings, Sheetings, etc., in lengths from 1 to 7 yards. These lengths come in quite handy for Linings, Children's Dresses, Waists, all at Greatly Reduced Prices.

At 6c. Yard from 12 1-2c.

450 Yards of the best English Prints, odd ends and patterns, left from the Summer assortment, perfectly fast colors, full 32 inches wide, in a big range of light and dark colors, for children's or women's aprons, comforters or quilt linings. This is the greatest snap we have ever offered. Special Clearing price 6c. Yard.

A WORD TO

Carpet Buyers.

This week we received two shipments direct from the makers in England, consisting of Wiltons, Velvets and Brussels. These along with a shipment from the Canadian Mills of the balance of our Union and Wool Carpets enables us to make a complete showing again. We want you to see our Carpet Stock. We know we have by far the largest stock in the city to show you of Floor Oil Cloths, Linoleum and Carpets, including Rugs.

We know that we can sell you an English Velvet Carpet at \$1.15 per yard laid on your floor, that is equal, if not superior to carpets sold at higher prices. The same can be said of our Famous Dollar Brussels and our Kidderminster Wiltons but the principal points we wish to emphasize is that we want you to come in and see the goods. We are satisfied to let the qualities and prices speak for themselves.

Important News to Men!

Whether you want your wearables a little better than the ordinary kinds, or whether you are inclined to economy that does not lower the quality of your outfittings, or whether you are simply anxious to buy the things you need to-day with the least time and trouble, you will come to Austin's.

AN OPEN DOOR FOR MEN THAT'S RARELY USED. The door that stands open for the return of any unsatisfactory garment bought at AUSTIN'S. Do you realize how good AUSTIN CLOTHING has to be, when the door is open so wide for it to come back if any fault is to be found with it?

No man sends a suit back unless it doesn't fit him, or his wife or friends do not like it. We make sure it fits him before he buys it. We show the choicest patterns that come from the woolen mills, so that his wife and friends admire the suit that comes from AUSTIN'S.

No friend is ever able to tell a man that he could have done better elsewhere—that is the prerogative of the man who buys at AUSTIN'S. This fall we have the choicest and largest variety of men's suits and overcoats that we have ever shown.

A Week of Special Overcoat Displaying. See East Window.

Oxford mixed overcoat, and the new olive shades, fall weights \$7½, \$10 and \$12. Rain Proof, all weather coats, modeled after our finest overcoats, \$7½, \$10, \$12. Handsome New Tweed Long Overcoats, the swell garments this season, \$7½ to \$16. Our Special Tailor-Made Beaver Dress Overcoat, three-quarter length, imported cloth, \$10.00.

C. Austin & Company

Oatmeal

the sweet, pan-dried kind. In making our special oatmeal the greatest care is exercised, nothing but really good oats go in. The utmost care is taken to make it best.

By a process of steaming, the oatmeal is partly cooked, which makes it easily digested. The sweet nutty flavor of fresh oats is retained, and in every way it is a perfect oatmeal.

7 lbs. for 25c.

Graham Flour, per pound	3c
Whole Wheat Flour, per pound	3c
Breakfast Food, per pound	4c
Split Peas, per pound	4c
Pot Barley, per pound	4c
Corameal, per pound	3c

H. Malcolmson

The Finest Essence

of the true fruits will be found in our flavoring extracts; the delicate, distinctive flavors that can only be had from the material that nature affords. Some manufacturers try to convince druggists that artificial flavors are better. They mean that there is more profit in them. Vanilla is imitated by a coal tar product. Our vanilla is made from the finest Mexican Vanilla Beans. Our lemon from the fresh lemon itself.

So with the rest. Better to begin with good until the last drop is used, and the cost is no more.

Red Cross Drug Store

W. W. Turner.

28 King St., Phone 221.

"CROWN HURON" RANGES.

The latest and most up-to-date production of the stove man. Tested for 3 years before it was offered for sale and in its tests proven to be perfect. Latest improved flue construction, making a perfectly heated oven. It responds quickly to its dampers and is very economical on fuel. Handsome ornamentation, and without doubt the smoothest casting put in any range. Prices from \$35 to \$45.

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Phone 65.

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TO-NIGHT.

Football practice, Tecumseh Park, at 5.

Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8 o'clock.

A meeting of the Young People of Christ will be held this evening at 8 o'clock.

Y. M. L. S. Pedro social, in St. Joseph's Hall, Cross St.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

MARRIED.

HOLMES-JAHNKE—At Windsor, on Sept. 12th, 1908, by the Rev. W. H. Hind, Minnie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Jahnke, of this city, to LeRoy W. Holmes, of Walkerville.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Jumbo night shirts 50c. and \$1.00 at The 2 T's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross Walker Sundayed in Detroit.

Some good horses at various prices. Geo. Stephens & Co. of The Chamberlain Metal Weather Strips for loose windows.

Meet me at the Y. M. L. S. Pedro social to-night; six grand prizes.

Mrs. Philip Bowyer, of Ridgetown, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith, Victoria avenue.

Found!—On Monday, Oct. 26th, a purse containing a number of papers and a sum of money. Owner may have same by paying for this advt.

Barney Weldon will present a couple of capital specialties at the Firemen's Benefit at the Grand on Thursday evening. Be there.

The Lady Maccabees will give a social in their hall over the Gordon Store, this evening, October 26th. A prize quilt will be given away. Admission 10 cents.

Mrs. H. A. Clark, of Charing Cross, spent last week the guest of her brother, Mr. A. K. Patterson, Walkerville.

Cyrille St. Pierre, an employee of the Blonde Company, was married to-day to Miss Barnier, Dover Township.

Lost!—A pearl crescent brooch and gold locket. Finder will kindly return to The Planet office and receive reward. 3dlw.

The celebrated Colonial Moving Picture Company and an oriental evening in refined vaudeville will be the attractions at the Firemen's Benefit on Thursday evening.

Invitations have been received in the city for the wedding of Mr. Wm. F. Orard, Winnipeg, formerly of The Planet staff, to Miss Rhoda Walker, also of Winnipeg, to take place Wednesday, Nov. 4th, at high noon.

Tickets for the concert to be given by Miss Edna M. Martin and Mr. Harold Jarvis, on Wednesday evening, may be obtained at McCall's drug store. The plan opened at 9 a.m.

The Blonde Company have the contract for the improvements to the house of Frederick Chant, Emma street. This is the house lately occupied by Peter Robert. The house will be renovated and a new foundation and a furnace put in.

If you are in need of sterling silver teaspoons, forks, desert spoons or table spoons, see E. J. MacIntyre's window to-morrow for patterns and watch the paper for prices. The best value ever offered. Don't fail to buy now.

Fur lost, on Sunday, between the Saints Auditorium, King street, and Aberdeen bridge, a Sable ruff. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at the police station or the Planet office.

Sons of England, Attention!—All members of Thames Lodge, S. O. E., are requested to be present at the regular meeting Monday evening, Oct. 26th, 1908, to discuss final arrangements for the anniversary concert in Grand Opera House, Monday, Nov. 2nd. England expects that every man will this day do his duty. 2

The Providence Methodist church Sunday school, River road, Raleigh, enjoyed a happy social rally yesterday at their morning session, the church being filled with many new and old friends. Mr. Charles Williams, the superintendent, presiding, giving an opening address and introducing Mr. Wm. Stephenson, superintendent of St. Thomas church Sunday school, Dover, and Warren Martin, who also addressed the rally. The superintendent and teachers are to be congratulated on the good work in which they are so successfully engaged.

Don't forget the Y. M. L. S. Pedro social to-night at eight p.m. Admission 15 cents.

THE OLD DAYS.

Orville Dolsen and James Dillon were talking over old times in the former's grocery store this morning. They recalled the fight between Ike Williams and Mike Doyle which took place on the sawdust bank at Lyons mill, South Buxton, in 1864. About 600 persons witnessed the fight, which lasted about two hours and a half. John Broadbent was Doyle's second and George Hatter officiated for Ike Williams. Williams was a big burly colored man. He stood about six feet. Doyle was a good chunk of a fellow, too, and they both put up a great argument. This was probably the greatest fistie encounter ever seen in this county and it was fought for glory only. Doyle was a Merline boy. He went to California afterwards. Williams was around here a few years ago.

Tickets for the concert to be given by Miss Edna M. Martin and Mr. Harold Jarvis, Oct. 28th, may be had at McCall's drug store and Stone the hatter.

NOVEL UNION OF YOUNG LOVERS

The Marriage Knot was Tied Within City Police Portals.

Both Parties were well Attended and Did Honors of the Occasion—Their Dresses.

The course of true love never did run smooth, and probably the Maple City police can furnish the majority of proofs of the truth of this axiom. It is not often though that the trials and tribulations of a courtship is ended within the walls of the police station, but such is what occurred Saturday when Chief Holmes was best man and Detective James McGregor was bridesmaid.

The charming bridesmaid, as the papers say, looked coy and elegant in a tailor-made suit of blue. Detective McGregor's costume would provide a few suggestions for the toilet of future bridesmaids.

Saturday morning, Alice Thomas, a maiden of eighteen years, appeared to Detective McGregor. She said that George Reeves, aged 21, had promised to marry her on several occasions but had always failed to do the deed. There were reasons why she desired the marriage to take place. Saturday morning at eight o'clock he had promised to marry her but the groom failed to materialize at the appointed hour.

On another occasion, she claimed Reeves had taken her to Detroit with the avowed intention of committing matrimony, but when they arrived there it was raining and the young man said that they couldn't get married that day because it was raining and that was unlucky for the bride.

When the girl appealed to Detective McGregor the man who seeks to have kindness done to man and beast, was touched. He at once exerted himself on behalf of the girl and secured a warrant for Reeves.

Reeves, when arrested, as before, was quite willing to get married. The police, however, thought that they would see there was no hitch in the ceremony this time.

Rev. F. E. Mallot was sent for and the marriage took place in the men's room at the police station at three o'clock Saturday afternoon. Chief Holmes was best man and James McGregor was bridesmaid.

The blushing bridesmaid made a pretty picture garbed in a blue tailor-made suit. The bride wore her street dress and coat. The best man didn't kiss the bride, neither did the groom, but the bridesmaid says he ought to have done so and wouldn't have objected only he lacked the nerve.

After the ceremony the charge was withdrawn and the groom took a wedding trip on the tug Vick to the mouth of the river and the girl went home to her parents.



If you forget about all the rest of the things don't for goodness sake forget my shoes. Just ask for a No. 4 D of that "Comfort" House Shoe. Yes, \$1.25 is what I always pay. Where?—why I told you nobody else has that kind except

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25 King St.,

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Do you shiver, feet cold, sleep cold? The best remedies are not Drugs, but

Gordon's Winter Wear.

When you purchase you save money and perhaps your life.

FURS

The very best values and qualities selected with extra care—guaranteed to every customer.

Fur Coats from \$16.00 to \$150.00. The medium prices from \$25 to \$60 are the best sellers. We are showing a fine imitation Lamb Skin Coat, waterproof and windproof Ladies' Coat at \$12.

Fur Ruffs—All the new features in neckwear, \$1.70 to \$10.

Fur Boas—In Bear, Isabella Fox, Tibet, Alaska and American Sable, etc.

Caperines—The finest showing.

Collarettes—The fastest selling; the prime values in these throat savers you have yet seen, ranging from \$50 down to \$1.00

HOSIERY

Women's Fleece Lined Hose, sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, need ed now, 15c. or 2 for 25c.

Ribbed Wool, sizes from 5 to 9 1/2.

Women's double kneed heavy hose, 25c

Children's lower in proportion.

Women's Vests—Heavy weight ribbed, [2] for 25c, 2 for 35c. and 25c. to 50c.

Men's Underwear, solid comfort, wool fleeced and all wool, Tiger Brand, unshrinkable at 39c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 upwards.

Anti-Rheumatic Red Ribbed Underwear.

Wool Flannels, Scarlet, White, the grey and fawn, from 18c. to 25c.

Union Flannels, 10c. and 12 1-2c.

Flannelettes—Dark or light shades—4 1-2c, [5]c, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12 1-2c.

MILLINERY.

Where are you going my pretty fair maid?

"To buy at The GORDON STORE, sir," she said.

And what will you purchase my pretty fair maid?

"A hat most bewitching, sir," she said.

RIGHT YOU ARE.

See those Special Black Hats with plume at \$6.00; those Silk Beaver Hats, Block Shapes; those Natty Feathers for street hats, etc. We devote special attention to Children's Headwear.

WILLIAM GORDON

Sadie Martinot

In a Famous Play.

To secure accuracy in a stage effect of moonbeams shining through a stained glass window and illuminating the figure of Paula Tanqueray seated at her piano, Sadie Martinot got the biggest lens procurable and concentrated a calcium light upon the white costume she intended to wear. The dress was an elaborate champagne or biscuit color, and that is the color of the fabric now worn by Miss Martinot in Piner's play. "There's no use soiling white on dirty stages when it looks like yellow," says Miss Martinot, "and the coru crepe dress I now wear looks very much richer in the light from the window. Will appear at

The Grand on Tuesday Evening

"THE SECOND MRS. TANQUERAY"

Her superb costumes and remarkable talent are seen to advantage in this much discussed play of Piner's.

ART GARLAND

New Modeled 1903 Series..

With full new nickel ornamentation, very rich in effect and design, large base heating flues, gives quick radiation, with hot air flues exalating the air circulation. The Art Garland still continues to hold its position as the leading base burner. Its imitators and competitors can only follow.

\$25.00 and Upwards.

GEO. STEPHENS & COMPANY.



TOLD ON THE SIDE

It was Saturday evening last and the four, with a few friends, sat down to a little game of draw poker. Two were Chathamites—quiet and unassuming, as Chathamites always are. The other twain constituted a Londoner, who holds a neat little Government job, and a colleague whose name would indicate that he came from the woods—and they participated in the commotion.

They say it was strenuous while it lasted. The woodsman was the dealer, and he did his work elaborately and well. Everything seemed to be coming the way of the Londoner, and it kept him busy providing receptacles for the good tarings netterously provided. They say he worked well for the time being.

Well—doubtless 'nuff sed. But it's rather a good story, even if the twain did have to lay up yesterday for repairs while their regalia adorned the clothesline.

CLUB BURGLARIZED

The Joy Club at Mitchell's Bay has been broken into again and looted. Capt. Chas. Hicklin and Lieut. Pritchard discovered the depredation Saturday night. The bait was pretty well cleaned out this time and there will be no more fishing until a new supply arrives. The bottle of cherry whiskey that sits beside the clock was overlooked. It wasn't locked up and the thieves thought it was poison. The robbers secured 700 cartridges of a mixed assortment. About seven of the shells were No. 12 gauge. Winchester repeater. They also secured a good supply of canned meats and vegetables and a nickel-plated 32 calibre S. & M. revolver. Col. Sam. Holmes has a standing reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of the thieves, or a proportionate amount for information that will lead to their arrest.

Millinery THIBODEAU & JACQUES Dry Goods

DO YOU WANT

Ladies', Children or Misses' Underwear?

We can supply all your needs.

Ladies' Vests and Drawers, heavy cotton ribbed fleece lined, special, 35c. and 25c.

Ladies' Wool Fleece Underwear, 50c, 75c. and \$1.00.

Ladies' extra large size Underwear, 50c. and \$1.00.

Ladies' Natural Wool Underwear, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Children's Underwear, all sizes, prices from 15c. to 50c.

Ladies' and Children's Black Underwear, all sizes.

Men's and Boys' Underwear in union, all wool, and fleece lined, all prices, 25c. to \$1.50.

THIBODEAU & JACQUES

If you are run down
You are an easy prey to disease.
Build yourself up with

D.L. Emulsion

THE LATEST AND BEST TIP TOP SOAP CHIPS

Easy to wash with Tip Top Soap Chips. Made from the purest and best materials that can be produced. Absolutely free from chemicals injurious to garments. It will not make the clothes hard, nor injure the finest fabrics. No rubbing required. Saves time and money, as it is the most economical soap made. One pound will do more washing and go farther than two pounds of any other soap. Makes the clothes clean and white.

Get a trial package at either of the following grocers: J. H. Massey, Chatham Table Supply Company, Knight & Co., Bon Marche Grocery, Taylor & Williamson, Fred Wood, W. A. Wilson, W. H. Marshall, W. Sharp, H. Pellett, E. C. Gammage, J. H. Bogart, A. D. Patterson.

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We carry a large assortment of the most Modern Patterns, and give you an exact estimate of what it will cost you to have your Fall papering done.

Call and see our Large assortment.

JOS. A. TILT,
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Give your wife a chance and she'll bake bread like that mother used to make.

For rolls and biscuits—that require to be baked quickly there's nothing like Gas

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Glisten with hundreds of gift suggestions in the way of gold jewelry for man and maid.

Scarf and stick pins, broaches, rings, etc., in an infinite variety and beautiful designs to be had only

At the sign of
the Big Clock.

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The Hot Wash Tub

For a lady to stand and drudge over a wash tub hot clothes this weather is both disagreeable and unhealthy. Call up phone 100, and we will call for your washing and deliver it back in as good order as we receive it, and cleaned as cheaply as you can do it yourself.

CHATHAM STEAM LAUNDRY.

ON THE BANKS OF THE SASKATOON.

A touching story is told of a beautiful girl living in the Canadian Northwest who was deserted by her lover. It was her custom to resort to the Saskatoon River on moonlight evenings, and at the former trysting place watch and wait for the return of the one she still loved. She also conceived the idea that a loon which haunted that portion of the river would yet let her know something about the absent one:

On the banks of the Saskatoon,
By the light of the silvery moon,
With maiden fair
Is listening to the loon,
To the plaintive, mystic loon,
With its weird and woe-mourning run,
As it floats by the edge
Of the yellow sedge,
On the banks of the Saskatoon.

Ere clouds do hide the moon?
"Oh, will he not come soon,
The maiden cries,
With tear-filled eyes
As she waits by the Saskatoon.
Then a sound comes from the loon
Like an ancient beldam's croon,
"He is gone for aye,
Far, far away
From the banks of the Saskatoon."

On the banks of the Saskatoon,
By the light of the silvery moon,
A far-off cry
So wild and shy
Comes up from the lonely loon,
From the distant, timid loon,
With its awesome, mournful run,
For the maiden fair
With the nut-brown hair
Who sleeps in the Saskatoon.
—Thos. McMillan.

KEY TO THE EMPIRE.

Canada Said to Be So by Prominent English Journal.

The Saturday Review, London, recently had an article under the caption of "Canada, the Key to the Empire," of which Public Opinion published the following condensation:

"Canada presents all the difficulties of the Imperial problem, and all the aids to the solution, in an acute form. It is the only self-governing colony in which the interest of a foreign country has reached, under our happy-go-lucky system, enormous dimensions. . . . The growth of Canada in recent years is not due so much to British as to United States enterprise, and it must be obvious to all who study the problem that if we fall now (to consolidate the Empire) nothing can stop the separation of Canada from the United Kingdom and its ultimate absorption by the United States. If Canada goes, other colonies must follow, and the disintegration of the British Empire will be the distinguishing feature of the nineteenth century history. If we succeed, we shall not only solve the Canadian problem; the consolidation of the Empire presents no greater problem than that. It is not a time in which we can adopt the free trade text, 'Let us eat and drink free food, for tomorrow we die.' . . . An Imperial policy is based upon the fact that it is the interest of the Empire that it should be adopted; that the United Kingdom will secure a fresh lease of life for those economic energies which otherwise in no very distant future must decay; and that the colonies will achieve a more rapid development than is possible in isolation. English people, at any rate those who reject the free trade nostrums, should be the first to admit that the present arrangement with Canada, if made permanent, and accompanied with a change on our part, must be unsatisfactory from the Canadian point of view and incompatible with local aspirations. If we reciprocate by stimulating the wheat production of Canada, their manufacturers will find ample scope for all their energies in the increased economic activity which the influx of population and its demand for all kinds of commodities will insure, while at the same time there will be an ever-widening market for the more highly specialized industries of the United Kingdom. In this movement there can be no question of the surrender of action by any of the colonies. We are not going to revive the mercantile system. Nothing more is required at any stage of Imperial consolidation than an Imperial Council to aid and advise in the adjustment of the commercial relations of the Empire."

"A Frontiersman."

Mr. Roger Jocos's stories of the Canadian West in the 'eighties, related in "A Frontiersman," are of never-failing color and vivacity. Invalidated from the N.W.M.P., he became a missionary to the Indians in an inaccessible corner of British Columbia. There was much to do, he says. The heathen lived healthily in their well ventilated barns of new cedar; but the righteous must needs have stuffy little houses, microbe traps to cultivate the phthisis which sent them up to heaven in a hurry. They sacrificed much to dress like missionaries, gave themselves airs and graces among the heathen, and were needlessly uplifted because successive white men had been sent from the outer spaces to learn their precious language. I flatly declined to learn that wonderful dialect, because they had need of English, and I had no occasion for Gaekshian; wore gum boots or deerskin hunting-dress in church to show that religion did not consist of ugly garments, and discouraged the endless loquacity of their prayers as tending only to self-righteousness. It did them good to be shocked, because a mission has no need to be a ranch for raising pigs, and a Christian Indian ought not to be distinguished from his fellows for unctuous rascality, vanity and gloom.

"A Safety House."

A Dutch doctor at Yokohama, Japan, has built himself a novel house with a view to guarding against microbes and earthquakes. The walls of this edifice are made of blocks of glass. They are built hollow the interstices being filled up with a solution of salts of soda, which is intended to regulate the temperature of the interior. The windows are hermetically closed, and air is only admitted after passing through filters.



DR. S. GOLDBERG.

America's most successful specialist, the discoverer of the Latest Method Treatment, does not want any money he does not earn, and is the only specialist who is willing to wait for his pay until you are cured; it makes no difference who has failed to cure you, call on him and he will examine you free of charge. If you cannot call, write him very plainly all about your trouble, which he will give his careful attention. If he can cure you he will accept your case and you may pay when cured. Call or address Dr. Goldberg, 208 Woodward-ave., Detroit, Mich. Medicine for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Ont. All duty and transportation charges prepaid.

DRESS HINTS.

It is a wise woman who chooses one good hat rather than four indifferent ones.

If you value your eyes don't wear a veil with black dots or one woven with double threads.

Dainty women are careful about their neck fixings. Stocks and collars should always be of the latest pattern.

Long kimono are delightful to wear in one's room, though some content themselves with a short one over the petticoat.

Thread which has been soaked in water overnight, then slowly dried, will be found much better for machine use than thread which is used as nature. Seams that are stitched with it will neither draw nor stretch.

For a quick "first aid" in removing a grease spot try dry cornstarch. Often it will do the work acceptably and is always safe to experiment with even on the most delicate fabrics. Dust off the first application and repeat once or twice.

A dressmaker's device for preventing skirts of very thin, soft materials from falling in at the back is worth noting. She advises sewing a featherbone tape down the center back seam of the foundation skirt. If this is not sufficient put the featherbone in the side seams also.

Standing Correctly.

The art of standing correctly makes all the difference between a stately and an awkward carriage, and it is such a simple art that every woman should learn it. A certain much admired lady on the shady side of forty was once asked what she did to keep her figure so erect and youthful looking.

"I remember to practice the advice given me by my grandmother when I was young," she replied.

"What was that?"

"Always to keep the knees stiff when standing. The old lady kept this rule herself, and her stately air was the admiration of her friends. I shall never equal her, but her advice has proved very useful to me. Try it for yourself, and you will soon find how your appearance improves."

An erect carriage gives a woman the smart appearance which is so much admired, and it would be worth striving after even at some inconvenience. The old grandmother's method, however, demands nothing but the exercise of memory until correct standing becomes by force of habit second nature.

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STORIES OF RUSKIN.

Some Things the Great Man Regretted—Would Have Liked to Wield a Pickaxe—His Candid Ways.

One gets the impression from reading of Ruskin's early years that he missed many of the privileges of healthy boyhood. When he was a man, he and a companion were out one day upon the mountainside. They passed a group of men, says a writer in the Strand Magazine, who were engaged in rough work with pickaxes.

"How I wish," said Ruskin, "I could do what those men are doing! I was never allowed to do any work which would have strengthened my back. I wasn't allowed to ride, for fear of being thrown off; nor to row, for fear of being drowned; nor to box, because it was vulgar. I was allowed to fence, because that was genteel."

Sometimes, when he was living with his parents at Denmark Hill, he would enjoy a surreptitious row on the river. "I used to be told," says the same companion, "not to let his father and mother know where he had gone." Ruskin was then in the forties.

It is easy to read here a woman's fears and prejudices and domination. Ruskin was always, quite properly, under his mother's control; but it is possible that if he had had the outlet of reasonable athletics his destructive moods would have been less marked. It was during his residence at Denmark Hill that he was anathematizing something or somebody most unreasonably.

"John," said his mother, "you talk too much and you talk nonsense."

"Yes, mother," Ruskin replied, as humble as a little boy, and changed the subject.

Ruskin was not afraid to admit to others besides his mother that he was wrong. In a lecture at Oxford when he was Slade professor, Sir William Richmond defended the fame which the world had accorded to Michelangelo and Raphael. Formerly Ruskin had denounced Michelangelo, and was not very well pleased with Sir William for presenting the other side. When Ruskin recovered from the illness which had caused him to give up the Slade professorship, Sir William retired, that he might fill it again. Touching by this, Ruskin sent, asking if he might come down and dine with his former pupil, who was delighted to have him. At the close of a pleasant evening, Ruskin said:

"Willy, why did you make that violent attack upon me about Michelangelo?"

"Mr. Ruskin, because you talked nonsense," replied Sir William.

Meanwhile Mr. Ruskin rose to go. "You are quite right, Willy," he said, in his candid way. "It was nonsense."

Whistler's Queer Marriage.

Mr. Labouchere, of Truth, is a daring man. He recently confessed to having acted as match-maker between the late gifted and eccentric artist, James McNeil Whistler, and the lady who became his wife, but who was at the time a charming little widow of artistic tastes, happy-go-lucky ways and sunny disposition.

The two were known to be strongly attracted toward each other, and to have already talked in a vague, far-off, Elysian way of possible matrimony; but it was perfectly plain that Whistler would never do anything so practical and common-place as definitely to propose and be accepted, get a license, go to church and be married unless some kind friend took him in hand. Besides, it was touch and go with his temper and his tongue how he might treat any kind friend who should attempt the risk.

Vice. Mr. Labouchere took the risk. He was dining with them one evening, and decided to bring things to the point at once.

"Jenny," he said, "will you marry Mrs. Godwin?"

"Certainly," answered Whistler.

"Mrs. Godwin," the bold match-maker continued, "will you marry Jenny?"

"Certainly," responded the lady.

"When?" persisted the practical Labouchere.

"Oh, some day," said Whistler.

"That won't do," said Labouchere. "We must have a date."

"So they both agreed," he narrates, "that I should choose the day, tell them what church to come to for the ceremony, provide a clergyman and give the bride away."

"I fixed an early date, and got them the chaplain of the House of Commons to perform the ceremony. It took place a few days later. After the ceremony was over we adjourned to Whistler's studio, where he had prepared a banquet. The banquet was on the table, but there were no chairs, so we sat on packing cases. The happy pair when I left had not quite decided whether they would go that evening to Paris or remain in the studio."

"How impractical they were was shown when I happened to meet the bride the day before the marriage in the street. 'Don't forget to-morrow,' I said.

"No," she replied. 'I am just going to buy my trousseau.'

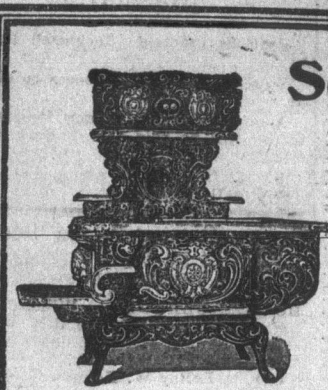
"A little late for that, is it not?" I asked.

"No," she answered, 'for I am only going to buy a tooth-brush and a new sponge.'

"However, there never was a more successful marriage. They adored each other and lived most happily together, and when she died he was broken-hearted indeed. He never recovered from the loss."

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The note of a horn, the snap of a whip, and the great coach swayed out upon the winding road, gay atop with bright steamers and trunks bedecked with multicolored labels; inside, the blasé interest of middle age and the bright alertness of the young girl, reaching out eagerly for new experiences—strange scenes.

Jane and the Elderly Ones made a comfortable party of three, and had settled themselves for the journey. But a few miles on in the valley, as they stopped at the little town of Andermatt, the empty seat was filled—a man had stepped in upon them with a courteous word of apology for his invasion. He spoke in German, was young and good looking and carried the mark of universities about him. The great shoulders drooping ever so little in their long cape coat, spoke of the student, and his cavernous pockets bulged with fat volumes to be read en route.

But the calm eyes of the German met Jane's shadowy orbs at the second mile, and forthwith the wicked little blind god began his mischievous work. It was frank and open love from the first with meinherr. Jane parried at first as best she might. But after awhile her round American chin went up, and she snared her bird with liberation, while the chaplains looked on with amazement. That the young student knew no word of English and Jane not a word of German lent a certain pliancy to the situation, but proved in no way an obstacle. The Elderly Ones at least understood and spoke in the foreign tongue, and to them the young man addressed himself, while to Jane the dark, expressive eyes had a language all their own.

Never was such a gallant and courteous traveling companion. He told anecdotes of the country through which they were traveling, smothered the ladies with edelweiss and the alpine roses which the peasants sold at the roadside, and at the various stops ordered impossible dishes for their delectation. As the panting horses drew their load slowly upward over the tortuous road the coach seemed a speck on the bare, brown face of the mountain. The valley lay like a toy below, the rocks lifted gaunt peaks into the unnatural air and huge feathery tufts of cloud hung sluggishly in the shadows.

The young man drank in long breaths of exhilaration and drew the robes more cozily about Jane's shoulders as the atmosphere grew colder. And suddenly a great wave of sympathy, of unspoken tenderness, swept subtly between the two. They seemed alone together in this uncanny upper air. The world was beginning, and this rugged, rugged bit of earth about them was pregnant with strange things—unutterably sweet. Just once to have drawn near to her, to have wrapped her close and felt those perilous tawny waves of her hair against his lips—that would have been worth a life.

Once the Paris veil came loose and for a moment his long, strong fingers fought with its little jeweled pin and



AT THE LITTLE TOWN OF ANDERMATT THE EMPTY SEAT WAS FILLED.

fastened it into place again. Jane laughed and called him clumsy, in English, but she felt the thrill of proximity.

The inhospitable little hostelry in Furka's pinnacle did its prettiest for the travelers in the way of rest and refreshment. The Elderly Ones accepted gratefully the half hour's break in the long sitting journey. Jane and her German walked about in smiling and understanding silence, his eyes following her little movements hungrily and with open admiration.

When the fresh horses were harnessed and the shabby old coach stood waiting once more seats were resumed. Presently it was found that the student had by some unknown means possessed himself of an English and German dictionary, and it was through this humble instrument that the charmed silence was broken.

For the rest of the way Jane and her cavalier sustained a spirited conversation. That this method of communication was somewhat slow and laborious (for each word of a sentence must be looked out separately) in no whit marred their interest. And as the day waxed milder, addresses and bits of their respective histories were exchanged to mutual satisfaction. Fluently touched inadvertently and finger-

ed ever so little in the shadow of the dictionary, and knowledge of each other grew apace.

That the girl was under their careful espionage was enough for the Elderly Ones, and when the young German presented his credentials the name was found to be a very old and illustrious one, so they were content.

The descent on the farther side of the pass, the stupendous panorama of the Rhone valley, with its weird, glittering mystery of virgin ice, were clearly lost upon two of the passengers, for the little straggling village of Gletsch lay a spot just below—Gletsch and a parting of ways.

The sepulchral looking hall of the Glacier hotel made rather a gloomy setting for the end of the little drama. The young German must take his own way, while Jane must go hers with the Elderly Ones. The two clasped hands for several long minutes while they said goodbye wistfully and without the dictionary, and when the blue eyes looked away from the brown ones they were suspiciously bright. But the great broad shoulders stooped suddenly over Jane, and their owner whispered tenderly a magic word into her waiting ear. It was "Auf wiedersehen."

That Jane should be snapped up unceremoniously in her first season by a bold and unknown foreign count was a matter of much comment and no little regret among her friends at home. It was in vain they tried by various means to learn the romantic details of her short engagement. But the broad, distinguished figure of the foreigner certainly made a handsome and striking background for Jane's glistening wedding gown. And they were married with the aid of the dictionary too!

Superstitions of Scotch Fishermen.

Some still existing superstitions among Scotch fishermen are as follows: At the beginning of the herring season the crew all try to seize the herring first on board to see if it be a male or female. If it is a male their fishing may be expected to be a poor one; if a female, a good one. Sometimes, however, the skipper secures it and hides it away, salting it and laying it aside for the season. The boat must not be turned against the sun.

Certain animals considered of ill omen must not be spoken of in the boat, and ministers in this respect occupy the same place as rabbits, hares and pigs. Fishermen do not like to lend anything to a neighboring boat lest their luck should go with it. If they lend a match they will contrive secretly if possible to break it and keep part, hoping thereby to retain their luck. Their dislike to have anything stolen is increased by the fear that the thief may have stolen their luck with it. To ask the question, "Where are you going?" of any one who is going on board is equivalent to destroying all his chances for that time. Persons with certain names are held to be of bad omen, the dreaded names being different in different villages.

Humanity's Defects.

"Men boast of their superiority," said a Chicago doctor who has a weakness for philosophizing, "taking it for granted that they are far in advance of all other things that live here on earth. It is true that they have some wonderful achievements to their credit, but did you ever see a horse, for instance, that was cross eyed? Compare the number of deformities among children with those of young animals, and you will find that among all the horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, dogs, cats and everything else belonging to the animal world there are nowhere near as many congenital deformities as among people. This undoubtedly is due to the fact that the animals live more nearly as nature intended them to than we do. But we mustn't find fault. Think of the specialists who would be working as day laborers if every child came in to the world perfect, and our tailors and dressmakers would all be forced out of business if nobody had defects to hide. We must never lose sight of the fact that our shortcomings are art's greatest stimulus."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Short Prayers.

According to the Philadelphia Record, three Methodist ministers, as they were dining together the other day, talked about short prayers. "A prayer short as it was irreverent," said the first, "was offered up by a soldier before the battle of Waterloo. It was this, 'O God, if there be a God, save my soul if I have a soul.' " "That prayer," said the second minister, "resembled one composed by Bishop Atterbury in the early part of the eighteenth century. It was a prayer for the soldiers about to engage in battle, and it was brief and impressive. 'O God, it ran, 'if, in the day of battle, I forget thee, do not thou forget me.' " The third minister, after a moment of thought, smiled and said: "When I was a lad I once dined with two stranger aunts. They set me at the head of the table and bade me say a grace. I was taken aback, for I knew no grace to say, but a text popped into my mind, I rattled it off, and after it was over I realized that it was appropriate enough. It was, 'O Lord, open thou our lips, and our mouths shall show forth thy praise.' "

A Question.

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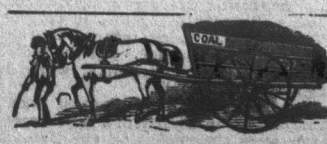
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Monday, Oct. 26

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We've planned to make this the dress goods event of the season. Our last importations of new Dress Goods for this season are here to replace the throng that have left. We extend to you a most hearty invitation to visit this store next week or even before, for the goods are here and although they will be arranged or displayed as they will be next week they are here to be shown at any time. Next week is display week at this store. Come whether you would buy or not. We think you can spend the time profitably or else we would not use this space to tell you of our dress goods. We are proud of our position in dress goods this season and that's our reason for having this display.

A Few Hints as What to Expect to See.

New Gownings, Black and Colored.

45 in Black Etamine, extra value \$1.25	45 in Voiles, in colors white, grey and navy.....\$1.00
45 in Black Voiles, at per yard \$1.25	44 in Crepe de Chine, in colors blue and fawn.....75
45 in Silk Reunions, two weaves, \$1.25	45 in Beavitz cloths, in colors fawn and grey, per yard.....1 00
45 in Black Beavitz Cloths, \$1.25, 50c.	
45 inch Eolines, in colors fawn and grey, per yard.....\$1.25	

New Suitings.

46 in. Ponze, Zebeline, in Blues, Greens, Seas, browns, at per yard.....75c	46 in. Ondula Suitings, in green, navy and brown per yard.....\$1.65
46 in. Ponze, Zebelines, in navy, green, seal and brown, per yard.....\$1.25	54 in. Beeked zebelines, in brown, blue and black, per yard.....\$2.00
46 in. Corirole, in colors, navy and brown, per yard.....\$1.50	45 in. knopp suitings, in green and cardinal.....\$1.25
	45 in. knopp suitings, in green, cardinal, navy, brown and black.....75c

SILKS.—An elaborate display of evening waist silks, and extra values in black silks for skirts, dresses or waists.

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WORLD OF SPORT

FOOTBALL

NEITHER SIDE SCORED.

In a game during which neither side scored a goal, and in which the hardest fought finish was seen, about 2,500 spectators saw the Chatham and Darrell Peninsular League teams fight for victory.

Everyone concedes that Baker, Chatham's splendid goal keeper, was the star of the contest and was responsible in a great measure for the score remaining a tie. He made many brilliant stops, and was especially busy in the last part of the second half of the game.

The Chatham team was considerably weakened, Messer being unable to play, Parrott being unable to get off, and Angus being injured in the early part of the game. All the boys, including Dennis and Smith, worked hard and effectively.

The first part of the contest was, if anything, in Chatham's favor, and many were the rushes on the Darrell side, resulting in corner after corner but with no definite score.

The last half came to an end with the leather in Darrell territory after Hicks at left half made a splendid drop.

The second part of the game opened with set determination to score on both sides and the fight was the hardest yet seen here. The last fifteen minutes saw the Darrell forwards keeping the ball south of the goal in Chatham territory, and kept

up a continued fusillade on goal, but Baker, ably assisted by Flowers and Courtney at back, were there at all times with the goods.

Darrell backs worked very effectively and their clean, long drives counted continually, while the work of the forwards was fine.

SATURDAY'S RUGBY RESULTS.

City Championship.	
Varsity.....	13 Argonauts..... 1
Ontario Union-Intermediate.	
Victorias.....	20 Wellesleys..... 1
Junior.	
Hamilton II.....	21 Guelph O.A.C..... 18
Toronto II.....	6 Varsity III..... 6
Brantford.....	24 Woodstock Coll..... 4
Lincolnton.....	4 Gananoque..... 4
Brookville.....	32 R. M. C. II..... 4
Barnia.....	15 Petrolia..... 12
Intermediate Union-Senior.	
McGill.....	11 Queen's..... 1
Intermediate.	
McMaster.....	30 Trinity..... 1
R. M. C.....	6 Queen's II..... 1
Quebec Union-Senior.	
Ottawa City.....	17 Britannias..... 2
Ottawa College.....	10 Montreal..... 5

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WARNING TO ENGLAND.

Should Not Mistake Attitude of Canadians.

London, Oct. 26.—A barrister, writing to The Sunday Special, says the strength of the American case before the Alaska Tribunal rested upon the negotiations, and the Canadians' upon the words of the treaty expressing the mood of the negotiators in 1825. A glance at the map shows greater plausibility for the British case, though something can be said for the other side. Lord Alverstone and his American colleagues hit upon a third course, for which the map gives little justification. One can hardly be surprised at Mr. Aylesworth's strong language.

A Canadian, writing to The Express, says: "Let not English statesmen deceive themselves regarding the attitude of the Canadian people as represented by the tone of the Canadian papers. The Alaska case is an infinitely better test of Canada's attitude towards the motherland than her sentiment at the time of South African war. The Anglo-Saxon over-seas has not lost the fighting blood of his ancestry, which Canadians would hesitate to sacrifice to uphold their own on the continent of British North America." After declaring that American social claims, social prestige, immense wealth and adroit manipulation of men affected the verdict, and referring to Canada's demand for more power regarding treaty-making, the writer adds: "The machinery binding the self-governing colonies to the motherland is antiquated, insufficient and absurd as a handloom compared to a new machine driven by electric power."

Edgar Wallace, The London Daily Mail's special correspondent in Canada, wires from Winnipeg regarding the Alaska verdict that it is a diplomatic Majuba. In British Columbia feeling is so bitter it is impossible to predict the result. The award puts the question of preferential tariffs in a new light. Britain must take a decisive step to wipe out this unfortunate incident.

The Globe says:—"It is most unfortunate that Sir Wilfrid Laurier should have again used language that is certainly not compatible with the perfect loyalty to the mother country it is our right to expect from all the colonial Prime Ministers. If his present indiscretion, call it by no worse a name, stood alone, it might charitably be attributed to a momentary gust of unpatriotic impulse, but on previous occasions he has similarly appeared of somewhat doubtful devotion to the British Crown."

The Saturday Review on the betrayal of Canada says:—"The decision imposes upon the loyalty of the premier colony the severest strain to which it has ever been exposed. The Foreign Office enjoys the triumph of registering the removal of another difference with America by the familiar process of abandoning all we contended for, seeing that the process of our diplomacy throughout has been pressure upon Canada to give up her rights. In the hope of again clasping the ever-elusive phantom of American friendship, they have deliberately thrown away the future of the great Canadian territory and played havoc with the fortune of our client. The criminally careless trustees of the nation's assets shall have to pay the penalty of the future. There is little doubt the Foreign Office was prepared to surrender anything asked of them; there is equally little doubt, as far as Canada is concerned, we have made the last sure if some day she says 'Canada fare de sender on her behalf. What wonder se.'"

LONG SESSION CLOSED.

Topics Dealt With in the Speech From the Throne.

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—Parliament was prorogued on Saturday after having been in session for 227 days. The weather was raw and cold, and little interest was displayed in the closing ceremonies. Few members were present and the corridors of the House presented a deserted appearance, which was in marked contrast to the bustle and life of the past seven months.

At 11.15 the Commons were summoned to the Senate, where his Excellency sat enthroned. The Governor-General prorogued Parliament in the following speech:—

In relieving you from further attendance after an unusually long and laborious session of Parliament I desire to convey to you my best thanks for the assiduity you have shown in the discharge of your onerous duties.

The session now closing will long be remembered, not only for its great length, but for the many useful and important measures that have been enacted, all tending to advance the prosperity of the country.

The unprecedented number of private and public bills that have been passed during the past session may be taken as an evidence of the great industrial development that is going on throughout the Dominion.

A steadily expanding revenue has enabled my Government not only to materially reduce the debt of the Dominion, but also to submit for your approval numerous grants for useful public works in addition to liberal subsidies for the extension of our railway system, which contributes so largely to the development of the country.

In view of the flow of immigrants now seeking homes in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories and the rapid increase of products requiring facilities to reach the markets of Europe via Canadian ports, and in order to promote the settlement of the great areas of agricultural, mineral and forest lands still untouched in the older Provinces, my Ministers considered it essential to obtain authority from Parliament for the construction of a second transcontinental railway, the eastern division of which should serve as a common railway highway from Winnipeg to the maritime ports of Canada. It will be the duty of my Ministers to proceed immediately with the necessary surveys, so that the work of construction of that portion of the line which extends from Moncton to Winnipeg may be prosecuted with all possible speed.

D. MCGREGOR MISSING.

Clothes and Valuables Found at Oakville.

Oakville, Oct. 26.—Yesterday about 5 o'clock while Arthur Felan and Norman Tyrell were strolling on the lake shore road they discovered lying on the ground a coat and vest, silver watch, gold chain, pocketbook containing bank book with the name D. McGregor, on the Merchants' Bank, Galt, with \$269 to his credit, the last deposit being made on the 5th of October. In the pocketbook was a calling card, and on the back was written "Tired of life."

The spot where the clothing was found was in a gully near the lake. The boys searched the bushes near by, but were unable to discover any trace of the missing man. His watch was stopped at 1 o'clock. Later developments show that Mr. D. McGregor has been boarding at Mrs. Wash's, Rosedale Farm, for the past three weeks, and left there last Monday morning for the first train, presumably on his usual business, and has not been heard of since. He leaves a wife and three children who are still at Rosedale Farm. Searching parties will go out once and see if any traces of the unfortunate man can be found. No reason can be given for his disappearance. Mr. McGregor was at one time manager of the Bank of Commerce at Galt.

RIDLEY COLLEGE BURNED.

Early Sunday Morning Fire at St. Catharines.

St. Catharines, Oct. 26.—One of the most disastrous fires that has occurred in St. Catharines for some time took place, when the fine building occupied by the senior Ridley College on Yate street was totally destroyed. About 2.30 o'clock one of the students was awakened by the smoke, and immediately gave the alarm, but the fire had got such headway that it was impossible to stop it. The pupils and inmates were all quickly awakened and got out of the building, and no one was injured, although some of the boys had narrow escapes, and had to get out in their night clothes, and almost all of them lost everything they had. There were nearly seventy students in the building at the time, and with the teachers and help, made up nearly one hundred, and it is a great wonder how they all escaped uninjured. There was great excitement for a time, but the roll was quickly called, and it was found that all had escaped. The fire was first discovered in the upper part of the front, in what is called the trunk room. The wind at the time was blowing a gale, which swept the fire from one end of the building to the other, and there was little chance of saving any portion. The only part saved was the gymnasium. How the fire started is unknown, as the room in which it was discovered was kept locked and no one had been in it. The building was erected in 1864, and for a number of years was run as a sanitarium by the late Dr. Mack. In 1889 it was opened as the Bishop Ridley College, with Rev. J. O. Miller as Principal. The pupils in attendance were from all parts of Canada and the United States. The loss will amount to about \$50,000, with insurance of \$23,000, principally in the North British Mercantile Insurance Company. Only part of the walls are left standing. A number of firemen had narrow escapes during the progress of the fire from falling walls and chimneys. The students were all well taken care of, some by friends in the city, some at the junior college and at the different hotels. Steps are already being taken to rebuild, and a more modern building will soon take the place of the one destroyed.

A BAD ADVERTISEMENT.

The Paris Matin's Buried Treasure Leads to Trouble.

Paris, Oct. 26.—An enterprise started by The Matin, which consisted of concealing in the city a treasure, the whereabouts of which was included in a serial story running in the paper, caused trouble here Sunday. A crowd was seeking the treasure in the Buttes Chaumont Park yesterday, when a man drove up in a cab, alighted, and immediately found it. The crowd declared that the finder was employed by the paper and had been told where to look. They tried to lynch him, and he was saved with difficulty. Subsequently 800 persons marched to the office of The Matin, where they made a bonfire of copies of the paper, and threatened to wreck the premises. The police had a hard task in dispersing the mob.

The Woollen Manufacturers.

London, Oct. 26.—The Financial Times, referring to the Canadian agitation for an increased duty on woollen goods, says it is only in one section of tweeds that the trade has any ground for grumbling.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Mr. Dalton Utloff, a retired lumberman, died at Peterboro'.

Sir Charles and Lady Tupper have arrived in Montreal from England.

The Austro-Russian scheme of amelioration of conditions in Macedonia was presented to the Porte.

Mr. Almond Reid's saw and shingle mills at Foxboro' were destroyed by fire last night. Loss \$5,000.

Prairie fires have caused enormous damage in the cattle ranges west and south of Medicine Hat.

The Sandwich Town Council has appointed Mr. George E. Smeaton Town Clerk in place of the late C. H. Ashdown.

Excavations in the centre of Rome have brought to light remains of the Ara Pacis, a monument to peace, set up in B. C. 5.

A little ten-year-old daughter of George Brooks of Niagara Falls was burned to death, her clothing catching fire from a stove.

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Some of the new fall styles follow. We shall be glad to have you see them, even if you stop there.

Men's Fly Front Beaver Overcoats in black and blue, cut in this season's styles, well made and lined, sizes 33 to 44, special, \$5.00

Men's Dark Gray Cheviot, single breasted fly front Overcoats, serge linings, velvet collars, all sizes, special, \$6.00

Men's extra fine Black Beaver Overcoats, single breasted, new Raglanette style, vertical pockets, cuff on sleeves, silk velvet collar, farmers' satin linings and fine mohar sleeve linings, a very stylish coat, all sizes, special, \$10.00

Men's extra fine Dark Gray Cheviot single breasted, fly front Overcoats, cut in latest fall style, correct length with velvet collars, all sizes, special, \$10.00

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In Munich, supposed to be the home of Lager Beer, glass-lined steel tanks are rapidly superseding the wooden ones. This is done because they are thoroughly convinced of the bad effects arising from the use of wooden fermentation tanks.

In olden times Lager Beer was fermented and stored in underground cellars and left in damp, mouldy cellars to acquire "A.B." but all the time it was gathering bacteria and other wild ferment. Now, in a modern brewery, Lager Beer is brewed in glass, in the light, remains above ground and is watched carefully from the moment it leaves the kettle until it reaches the consumer. Frequent analysis has proven its superiority over beer made in the old way, and any one with the least judgment can see that it must be purer and more wholesome.

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Schooner Kitten D. Released.

Toronto, Oct. 26.—His Honor Judge Hodgins of the Admiralty Court has given his decision in the case of the Dominion Government against the owners of the American schooner Kitten D. The fishing boat, it will be remembered, was captured on July 3 by the Canadian cruiser Petrel near the international boundary line, in Lake Erie, at which point the boat had nets out. Judge Hodgins held that as the evidence as to the exact locality was not clear, he would follow the doctrine of international law, that in the case of doubt the decision should be against the subtraction of a ship to a foreign territorial sovereignty.

Any irregularity on the part of The Planet carrier boys will be immediately remedied by calling at the office or phoning 53a.

THE MULLAH AGAIN.

Attacked Men From an Italian Cruiser and Killed Several.

Rome, Oct. 26.—The Government has received the following from Illig, in Italian Somaliland:—"Owing to the close watch kept on the Somaliland coast by British and Italian ships, the Mad Mullah was unable to get arms and ammunition by sea as previously, and so decided to make a desperate attempt to take possession of a point on the coast with 600 men, who on the 14th inst. attacked the Italian boats and killed several men. The following day the cruiser Lombardia bombarded the Mullah's position and obliged his followers to retire."

Without frugality none can become rich, and with it few would be poor.