

The Chatham Daily Planet.

VOL. IX

CHATHAM, ONT. TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1900

297

OPENING DISPLAY Millinery, Mantles, Furs, Autumn Dress Goods and Silks

On Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Autumn Suiting

We have purchased largely of the most stylish lines, Homespuns, French Wales Cheviots, Victoria Satin Cloth, Satin Soliel, Broadcloths, Venetians, Camel's Hair Homespuns, in fact anything you want in stylish up-to-date dress goods will be found here.

All-wool Homespuns, combed yarns, in all the correct shades, at 65c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.35 French Wales, the newest weave of the season, and extremely stylish, per yard, \$1.25 Victoria Satin Cloth and Satin Soliel, in all shades, nothing makes a prettier dress than one of these weaves, per yard, 50c and 75c Single Dress Patterns—We show many novelties in these—no two alike.

Ladies' Tailor-made Suits

You will have to see these suits in order to appreciate their elegance—the quality of the goods is the best—they're made by the best men tailors, and they fit perfectly. \$14.50, \$17.50 and \$18.00



Jackets

Ladies' black and colored Jackets, in the very latest New York styles, the display is well worth seeing if only to get posted on what is the correct thing

\$5.25 to \$20.00

Furs

The reliability of our Furs is known all over Western Ontario, it is here that you can get the best and our guarantee with them.

Fur Jackets

at \$25.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$45.00. Capes, Capelines and Collars, at \$2.00, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 and up to \$100.

THOMAS STONE & SON

Direct Importers 78 and 80 King St.

Fall Hat News



One of the swell hats for fall is a black mixed unfinished fur derby. It's a Stuyvesant.

And the noblest thing we have seen from this house.

Guess they're going to be popular, judging from the number that went out last week.

They're \$3.00, same price as Christy Hats.

The blacks and browns are also here in derby style.

And black, brown, pearl and otter in Fedoras.

Oh, we've plenty of other hats all the way down to \$1.

That's about as cheap as it's safe to go.

And boys' hats, too, 50c to \$1.50.

The 2 T's

Agents for Barrington Hats Stuyvesant Hats Christy Hats

Best
\$7.50, \$10, \$12.50
\$15.00

Suits and Overcoats In the World

New Method Fall Suits and Overcoats in all the new styles are here.

Black and Blue (blind cheviot).

Black and Blue Serge.

Fancy Check Worsteds in the new Raglan and Military Cut.

We will show you the finest trimmed best tailored, most perfect fitting and most correct style goods in the world for the money.

The 2 T's

Agents for New Method Clothing

Our New Fur Garments

Are now here for your inspection. Furs and fur lined goods is an important department in this store. It's this store's aim to have the handsomest furs in or near Chatham. To begin with we pay less—you certainly can buy in six store quantities for less than you can in single store lots—we buy furs as do all other merchandise—in six store quantities. The best manufacturers in the county are anxious to have our orders. Of course we ask you to pay cash, but we make it worth your while to do so. We ask you in self interest to visit this store when thinking of Furs or Jackets of worthy styles

Capelines, in all the fashionable furs and combination, handsome styles, at \$3.75, \$5, \$6.50, \$8, \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$20, \$22, \$25 and \$30.00
Ruffs, handsome styles, in sable, electric, thibet, opossum, gray lamb, astrachan, etc., priced at \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5, \$6.50, \$8.50, \$10 and \$12.00
Fur Collars, Astrachan, opossum electric seal, gray lamb, hare, coney, etc., full sizes, nicely shaped, at \$1.75, \$2.75, \$3.75, \$5, \$6 and \$6.50

Fur Gauntlets, No. 1 quality, in gray lamb, astrachan and electric seal, etc., at \$5, \$6.50 and \$8.00
Fur Jackets, rich, bright, glossy Astrachan curl coats, No. 1 quality, 24 in., 26 in. and 30 in. long, rich heavy satin lining, real mohair sleeve linings, every garment guaranteed, at \$35, \$37.50 and \$40.00
Best Quality Electric Seal Jackets, 22 in. long, double straight front, deep storm collar, heavy satin lining, special at \$40.00

Fur Lined Capes, in black and colored box cloths and rich heavy broche cloths, fur lined throughout, deep collar of thibet fur, edged all round with thibet trimming, special values \$15, \$20, \$22, \$25 and \$35.00
A Full Line of Fur Trimmings, Skins, Tails, Etc., at lowest cash prices.
OUR FURS are the productions of the best manufacturers in the country. Every garment made to our order from selected skins, linings of our own choosing and in the latest of this season's styles, we invite inspection and comparison.

THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited

CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE

BURNED TO DEATH

Fire in a Salvation Army Nursery at Cincinnati.

Children and Their Nurses Cut off on the Upper Floors.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 18.—An old four-story tenement building at 403 East Front street, used as a branch nursery of the Salvation Army, was burned this evening, and its occupants were so imprisoned that five were suffocated to death and others seriously injured.

On account of the cold weather today a fire had been started in the stove for the little tots who are cared for there during the day while their mothers are engaged at work elsewhere. It is thought that the fire occurred through some defect in the flues. Most of the mothers knew nothing of the calamity until they were through with their day's work. At the morgues and at the hospitals, as well as about the burnt building, the scenes were indescribable. The firemen made heroic efforts to rescue women and children, but most of those on the upper floors were beyond hope. The patrol wagons dashed with all possible speed to the hospitals with those that were rescued, and their cries were heard along the streets. All of the hospital physicians were called in, and the nurses did their utmost to relieve those suffering from burns.

The first floor of the building was used as a church; the second floor as headquarters for the destitute and for cooking, and the upper floors for the nursery. The women and children could be seen from the upper stories pleading for help when the stairways were enveloped in flames. The fire was soon controlled, but not until many had died from suffocation and others were seriously burned. The fire occurred near the river front, the most densely populated part of the city. The nursery is near the old Spencer house, and children from that tenement were in the burned building. Captain Lodge was suffocated while carrying children from the third floor. John Hawkins lost his life while endeavoring to save his children. The children were in charge of Staff Captains Erickson and Erson and McKenzie, who conducted a kindergarten for the little ones while their mothers were "working out." Capt. Erickson recently arrived from New York to superintend the institution. All were accounted for except five killed, three fatally injured and four seriously injured. All of the dead bodies were burned to a crisp. All of the victims and those injured belonged in the nursery, except James Hawkins, who came to the rescue of his orphans. There were only 29 persons in the nursery at the time of the fire, and eight of them escaped without injury. The property loss was only \$1,500.

AN HONEST EDITOR.

Boodle Argument Was Tried in the Interests of the Government.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—The Brandon Independence, published in Brandon, which has gone back on the Laurier government because of its broken tariff pledges, gives the following news, in the course of an editorial:—"Since the time such offers have been frequent, and early this year Mr. C. W. Speers, general colonization agent, called at the Independence office, to offer to purchase the outfit and pay a salary of \$100 per month to the editor, provided that in future the paper supported Hon. Mr. Sifton, but the offer was refused. Later on a similar overture was made, upon the death of Mr. G. D. Wilson, the former editor of the Brandon Sun, when it was proposed to amalgamate the Sun and Independence, with Mr. King as editor, but this was also declined. About three weeks ago Mr. Collier, the private secretary of Hon. Mr. Sifton, called and made another offer to purchase the plant and hire the editor, but was again refused, although each offer was accompanied by the most flattering expressions of esteem and regret for the past estrangement. Now, that the mask is torn off, as the inexperienced new editor of the Sun demanded, it is probable that the Liberal machine politicians in Brandon, who urged him on, will feel that they have played with fire to their own hurt, and wish they had not transgressed the rules of good taste or modern journalism."

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

J. F. Cairns, Mgr.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18th

Fitz & Webster's

Unrivalled Company of Comedians in the Musical Farce Comedy

A Breezy Time

EVERYTHING NEW, NOVEL AND ORIGINAL

This Company Carries its Own Band and Orchestra and Comes Highly Recommended.

SEE THE ELECTRICAL GARDEN

Prices 75c, 50c, 35c, 25c

STUCK TO MULLOY.

A Bullet had Blinded Him and the Boys Would Not Retreat and Leave Him.

Major Brown, of the P. L. D. G.'s of Ottawa, is in receipt of a private letter giving an account of how Trooper Mulloy, C. M. R., was wounded. Four of the Mounted Rifles were skirmishing, when they came upon a body of Boers, who opened fire on them. Trooper Mulloy was wounded, the bullet entering the right eye and cutting away the bridge of the nose. The Canadians, however, returned the which, however, soon got hot, some two hundred Boers potting at the band. One of the others, turning to Trooper Collins, of the P. L. D. G.'s, said "Collins, this is getting too hot, we must get out of this. Mulloy, where he was lying, heard this and said:—"Don't leave me, Collins; give me your hand, I will try and walk." "You lie there, Mulloy," was the answer, "and I will never leave you." Owing to Collins' refusal, the little band drove off the Boers, and each man of the C. M. R. captured his prisoner. When Mulloy was taken to the hospital, he astonished the doctors by helping them dress his own wounds. Trooper W. R. Mulloy is an Ottawa lad, whose father fought at Windmill Point, and his grandfather at Chrysler's Farm.

A HOT SMITH MAN.

Col. Sam. Holmes Will Give No Liberal Vote

This Coming Election and He Means What he Says.

"Yes sir," said Colonel Sam. Holmes this morning, "I am done with the Liberals and I don't care who knows it. My father was a Reformer and all his sons dutifully followed in his footsteps but at last the scales have fallen from my eyes and this time I am going to vote for Mayor T. A. Smith. "What do you think of Mayor Smith's chances?" the colonel was asked. "They are undoubtedly good," was the reply. "I have known Mr. Smith personally for a long time and I know of no man for whom I have conceived a greater respect and admiration. He had done me many a favor and if in this election I get a chance to help him in any way you can bet I'm going to do it. I have been tied to the apron string of the Reform party long enough. I have worked hard for the Liberals for many years and what has been my reward. A short time ago I wanted to purchase a small piece of government property. I told the government to set its own price upon it, but do you think they would do anything to help the man who had done all he could to put them in office? Not much. They wouldn't sell at any price even though the land was of no use to them. That's the kind of people the government are. Well, they need not fear that Sam Holmes will ever ask them for any favors again. The Liberals can go hang for all I care. They can put up who they like here they won't get my vote. T. A. Smith is a fine man and I for one am going to do all I can for him."

A GIRL'S REVENGE

Poisoned Her Employers Three Little Children

Because She was Told She Would Have to Pay for a Lamp She Had Broken.

New York, September 18.—Berkie a 17-year-old Hungarian servant girl, was locked up, charged with having poisoned three children of Louis Elkin. The poisoned children, who are five, eight and three years old, will die, it is thought. The girl, it is alleged, on being refused her week's salary by Mrs. Elkin because she had broken a valuable parlor lamp, and told she must pay for the loss, threatened revenge on her mistress. At dinner Saturday night roast chicken was being served, when one of the children complained that his lips were burning. He then fell back in his chair nearly unconscious. The other two children fainted after they had eaten some of the fowl. Elkin, on tasting the chicken, detected the smell of carbolic acid. A hospital ambulance surgeon said the chicken had been poisoned with carbolic acid. Elkin accused the girl, but she denied wrong-doing. Although she was chased by Elkin and several neighbors, she succeeded in boarding a car and disappearing. Early this morning she was found by the police in a boarding house and arrested. While in a patrol wagon she attempted to stab a policeman with her hat pin.

What a Tale it Tells.

If that mirror of yours shows a wretched, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, it's a bad omen, but Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, purify the blood, give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 50c. at A. I. McCall & Co.'s Drug Store.

The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green House is sufficient proof of the excellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Telephone 181.

Miranda's Liniment for sale everywhere.



You can buy
Two Dollar
Shoes anywhere

But

There is not one
Store in
Chatham that
will give you

So Stylish
a Shoe

or so
lasting a one
as

Geo. W.
Cowan

CHATHAM, ONT.

Preserving Kettles

—AND—

Fruit Jars

—AT—

"THE ARK"

McClary's Famous Enamel Preserving Kettles.....15c to \$1.00

Saucepans.....10c to 40c

Large Enamel Spoons.....6c, 8c and 10c

CROWN FRUIT JARS

1 Gallon size.....\$1 dozen

1 Gallon size.....80c dozen

Fruit Jar Fillers.....5c and 8c each

Rubber Rings for Jars.....8c and 10c doz.

Asbestos Stove Mats.....5c each

—AT—

"THE ARK"

The Cheapest Place to Buy

TILBURY.

Sept. 18.—Miss Mabel Cowan has returned from Chatham Business College.

Mrs. R. H. Smith is on the sick list.

Miss Maude Smith returns home today to Montreal, after an extended visit with her aunt here, Mrs. Joseph Tierman.

Miss Brady, of Chatham, is the guest of her sister here, Mrs. C. Reaume.

A number from here attended the harvest home entertainment at Jeanette's Creek last evening.

Miss Maggie Courier left yesterday on a visit with relatives in Belle River.

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

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD character to deliver and collect in Chatham for old established manufacturing wholesale house; \$800 a year, sure pay. Honesty more than experience required. Our reference, any bank in any city. Enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

Minard's Liniment cures Garget in Cows.

GELLYLOID STARCH

mixed with cold water is ready to use.

No cooking--No boiling.
No sticking to the iron.

The top notch of value in Pork
Products are the celebrated

BowPark HAMS **BowPark BACON**

Wrapped in oiled paper. All good
grocers and dealers sell it. Does
yours? If not please send his name
and address to us.

The Brantford Packing Co., Limited
BRANTFORD, ONT.

Sportsmen!

You will save money and
time if you buy your goods at
Geo. Stephens & Co. They
have a very fine assortment of

Guns and Ammunition

and all the newest things in gun
furniture. Don't hunt around
the city for what you want, but
come direct to us and thus you
will save time and we will save
you money.

Geo. Stephens & Co.

Eddy's Matches

PRODUCE A QUICK, SURE LIGHT EVERYTIME.

By All First Class Dealers

Eddy Antiseptic Packages

WHEAT \$1 PER BUSHEL

Kansas Turkey Red.
Winter Wheat at Cost. Government Refunds Duty

This Wheat yields 40 bushels to the acre and tests 64 lbs. and flour equal
to Manitoba Hard. Only one car. First come, first served.

Buy Kent Mills Flour. The Best is the Cheapest

The Kent Mills Co., Limited

KISSING'S NO SIN.

Some say that kissing's a sin;
But I think it's a sin to
For kissing has won't in this world.
Since ever there was two.
O, if it wasna lawfu',
Lawyers wadna allow it;
If it wasna holy,
Ministers wadna do it.
If it wasna modest,
Maidens wadna tak' it;
If it wasna plenty,
Pair folk wadna get it.

WITH PUBLIC SPIRIT.

His Worship Has Always Taken
Part in the City's Affairs.

"I think, said Dr. Hall, to the Plan-
et, that Mayor Smith will make an
excellent run and ought to run. He
has always been a good friend of the
workingmen of Chatham, and I think
the workingmen will be grateful
excellent run and ought to win. He
has also been a staunch member of a
number of fraternal orders for many
years. Now is the chance for the
brethren of those orders to show what
fraternalism is worth. If a brother-
hood is good for anything such an oc-
casion as this is the one to demon-
strate it for no more true lodge worker have
I ever seen than T. A. Smith. In fact every way you take
him the Mayor deserves the support
of the citizens, and as I said before,
particularly of the working classes.
When the G. T. R. trackmen were on
strike His Worship was the man to
propose a fund for them and headed
it with a \$25 check. He was the man
to propose a memorial for poor Pri-
vate Donagan and offered his contri-
bution. When the citizens got up
their first of July demonstration last
year the Mayor headed the subscrip-
tion list with \$25. He has always
been ready to do his part with public
spirit, and I think the citizens, aside
from politics, will recognize that fact
and support him."

AT THE GRAND TO-NIGHT.

The Port Huron News has the follow-
ing to say regarding "A Breezy Time,"
which was there last Wednesday and
appears at the grand here to-
night.

A pleasing variety of specialties,
excellent music and a number of
laughable oddities, with just enough
farce comedy to introduce them all
nicely is the happy combination con-
prising "A Breezy Time," presented
at the City Opera House on Wednes-
day night. The production greatly
pleased the audience and there was
continual laughter from the time the
curtain went up with the first
"breeze" until it came down with the
last. The musical numbers were the
especially good features of the pro-
gram, the tennis quintette and the
bell-ringing chorus being excellent.
Al White as "Ambrosia Merrifield,"
is an excellent female impersonator.
Cleo Benoit, the sourette of the
company, is a dainty little actress
and a good step dancer. W. E. Wims,
the German comedian, furnished his
share of the fun. Herbert Ingram in
his dual role of tramp and artist was
equally pleasing in each. The farce
was all that the name portrayed,
light and airy, not exceptionally ex-
cellent, but very good.

SCAVENGERS OF AFRICA.

Vultures Mark the Great and Horrible
Field of Carnage

Julian Ralph describing recently a
ride to Bloemfontein in the wake of
Robert's victorious army wrote
"I saw ahead of me a swarm of vultures
soaring in as thick a cloud as if
they had been moths. As I drew
nearer I noticed that the bulk of each
one's body was very great. On the
ground, where there were two scores
waddling about, they seemed even
larger. They marked the outer edge
of the great and horrid field of car-
nage. Many dead horses lay on the
veldt, and these birds were eating
some and perching on the backs of
others.

"Foul, nauseous, ugly, beastly birds
are these. They were to be my con-
stant companions for three days. I was
to see hundreds upon hundreds of
them, and never once, by day, fail to
see them. Yet there were not enough
of them to make away with all the
food that war had given them."

Natural as is the feeling of repul-
sion, which the presence of these scav-
engers of the battle field arouses, in
the economy of nature they perform a
most useful work. They lessen the
danger of pestilence. They really
make war less terrible to those who
escape death by the enemy.
"Asvogeis," which means carrion
scavengers, the Boers call them. Of
recent years it has been noticed that
their number has greatly decreased,
owing to the destruction of the big
game, which greatly diminished their
funeral banquets. But apparently the
tidings that man's hand had turned
against man in one small portion of
Africa has traveled far and wide
among them, and they have gathered
together from great distances to par-
ticipate in the feast.

A war correspondent also tells of
seeing the secretary bird—a stately
bird, holding himself proudly and
strutting along with noble strides as
he glanced about him for a breakfast
of snakes. The secretary bird in ap-
pearance presents a striking contrast
to the vulture. Man hunts it as a
friend. Because of its usefulness in
destroying venomous snakes it is pro-
tected in all parts of Africa.

As many as three large snakes have
been taken from the stomach of one of
these birds, besides lizards, tortoises
and a quantity of grasshoppers. When
attacking a cobra the secretary bird
defends itself from the venomous fangs
by holding its wing in front as a
shield and strikes the snake down by
vigorous blows of its feet. Frequently
it kills a large snake by carrying it
high in the air and then dropping it
to the ground.

It is called the secretary bird, be-
cause of its fancied resemblance to a
secretary, who is supposed to carry
quill pens behind his ears.

Little Elmer—Papa, what's a stock
company?
Prof. Broadhead—A stock company,
my son, is usually a small body of
men, entirely surrounded by water.

ELECTRICAL STORMS.

THEY ARE THE MOST PECULIAR OF
THE MOUNTAIN PHENOMENA.

There is No Lightning, Thunder or
Rain, but They Make One's Hair
Really Stand on End and the Stones
Crackle Under the Feet.

Perhaps the most peculiar of the moun-
tain phenomena are the so called electric
storms. There is no precipitation, no
lightning, no thunder and usually no
wind, nothing to be heard and nothing
to be seen except the gathering clouds.
But much may be felt. Everything is
charged with the electric fluid. The
earth, the air, the very stones and trees
and even human beings are full of it.
A mining engineer visiting a tunnel lo-
cated on a mountain side at an elevation
of 13,200 feet describes his sensations
during one of these storms. All alone he
was climbing up the trail to the tunnel,
where he wished to examine a vein of
ore. Great black clouds began to gather
on the horizon and were soon rolling
about the mountain side below him. A
calm prevailed; then an unusual still-
ness seemed to be in the air. Steadily
the clouds rolled up the mountain side
like a flood of black water. The stones
as he stepped on them began to crackle
and snap like dry wood in a fire. Realiz-
ing these unusual conditions, he hurried
the sheltering tunnel above him. His
hair felt as if a swarm of flies had settled
in it. When he tried to brush them away
with his hand, he found each hair stand-
ing almost straight. The striking of his
hair increased the peculiar sensations he
experienced, and, tingling from head to
foot, the now thoroughly frightened man
ran into the tunnel.

No sooner had he passed the entrance
than the peculiar sensations ceased. Af-
ter resting awhile he went to the opening
and discovered himself entirely surround-
ed by clouds so black and dense that he
could scarcely see five feet away. Al-
though the hour was not far from noon,
stepping outside to investigate, he re-
ceived a shock that sent him reeling back
into the tunnel, where he remained for
over an hour before the storm passed.

Such electrical storms seem to be form-
ed in strata. If a human being should
make such connection as to draw the
charge from one of the layers, he would
instantly be incinerated. This accident,
however, has never been known to occur.
Electrical storms prevail throughout the
mountain region, but the severest storms
of this nature are met only at the great
altitudes.

With all the severity of electrical
storms and thunder showers, it is a fact
that human beings are seldom struck by
lightning in the mountains. Death from
that cause is much more frequent on the
plains bordering the ranges than in the
mountains themselves.

The most destructive form of mountain
storm is the so called cloudburst, when
the rippling brook suddenly becomes a
roaring river, carrying death and destruc-
tion in its path. The noise made by a
cloudburst has no parallel. Above the
rumble and roar of a mass of rushing
water is heard a grinding, growling sound
of falling trees, of slipping earth and roll-
ing boulders, while the banks of the
stream far above the danger line tremble
as if in an earthquake. The senses are
numbed by the awful cataclysm, and it
seems to the spectator, although he is on
the high banks and out of actual danger,
that the very foundations of the earth
had burst and judgment day was come.

The flood tosses about mighty trees and
rocks as if they were straws, the banks
of the stream seem to dissolve before his
eyes, and a feeling of awe at the irre-
sistible power of nature steals over the
observer. Once witnessed, a cloudburst
is never forgotten.

In point of fact, however, there is no
such thing as the bursting of a cloud.
The term "cloudburst" is a convenient
expression by which the result of a very
heavy rain is designated. Nearly all the
surface of the earth in the mountain re-
gion is made up of either of rocks or adobe
soil. The latter in most cases has never
been broken to cultivation and is almost
impervious to a sudden heavy downpour
of rain. The consequence is that the
mountains are cut up with arroyos, gullies
and water courses and in the course of
unnumbered ages into mighty canyons
which surround the tourist.

In an unusually heavy rainfall the
great mass of water spread over a large
area, instead of sinking into the ground,
is quickly accumulated in the beds of the
streams, which rise many feet in a short
time. When this accumulation is rapid
enough and the "day of the land" is just
right, the water rushes down the bed of
the stream in a solid wall and is called a
cloudburst. The same precipitation in an
open country or in one in which the
soil has been broken up by cultivation
would be called a heavy rainfall and
would do no damage unless continued
long enough for the streams to rise out of
their banks and flood the country.

One of the most destructive storms of
this nature, so far as its manifold con-
sequences are concerned, took place in
the spring of 1864, when a cloudburst
occurred at the headwaters of Cherry
creek. This is a small stream, dry most
of the year, but notorious for its eccen-
tricities. It flows through Denver and
empties into the Platte river within the
confines of the city. Just at nightfall the
water swept down this dry creek in a
wall said to have been ten feet in height,
carrying everything before it. Many peo-
ple were drowned, and many buildings
were washed away. All night long the
creek flowed bankful of water that was
thick with wreckage. People were re-
spected during the night on rafts and im-
provised boats.

The most serious loss was the city hall,
which was swept away by the water, to-
gether with all the records file there.
These records included not only those of
the state and city, but also the United
States land filings. The flood was fol-
lowed by an era of land jumpings, and a
good many of the present fortunes in
Denver date from that event. The safe
of the city hall was never found, although
some relics of the flood, including a por-
tion of the press of The Rocky Mountain
News, are now in the rooms of the State
Historical society.—T. C. Knowles in
Ainslee's Magazine.

The Robin.
Each infant robin, it is estimated, re-
quires for its proper maintenance about
14 inches of tender worm-eaten every
day. As a robin family averages four,
the mother is obliged to provide 56 inches
of worm daily. Considering the diffi-
culties and dangers of getting worms,
these statistics throw an interesting light
on the industry and courage of the
mother robin.

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG, SICK WOMEN WELL.

Mrs. M. F. Long, of Le Loup,
Franklin Co., Kans., writes: "Words
cannot express how grateful I am for
your kind advice and good medi-
cines. I have been in poor health
more or less all my life. In the past
nine years grew worse, and two years
ago I was so poorly could hardly drag
around. I consulted a specialist, and he
said I had ulceration and that an
operation would have to be per-
formed. This did not seem necessary
to me, so time went by, and at last
I wrote to Dr. Pierce asking advice.
I soon got a helpful answer advising
me to try his medicines, the 'Favor-
ite Prescription,' Golden Medical
Pellets. I began taking 'Favorite
Prescription' and the other medi-
cines as advised. When commencing
I weighed 119½ pounds, and after
taking one bottle of each I felt
like a new woman. In one month I
gained 8 pounds. After taking two
bottles of each of the medicines,
I began to look like a woman and not
like a skeleton, and that weary tired
feeling all left me."

A FREE CONSULTATION BY LETTER WITH DR. R. V. PIERCE IS OFFERED TO EVERY SICK WOMAN. ADDRESS DR. PIERCE BUFFALO, N. Y.

PRECIOUS STONES

It is said that the agate quenches
thirst, and, if put into the mouth, allays
fever.

Amber is a cure for sore throats and
glandular swellings.
Cat's-eye is a charm against witch-
craft.

Coral is a talisman against thunder
and evils by flood and field.
Diamonds produce somnambulism
and spiritual ecstasy.

Emeralds, friendship and constancy.
Garnets preserve health and joy.
The onyx is apt to cause terror to the
wearer, as well as ugly dreams.

Opals are fatal to love and bring dis-
cord to giver and receiver.
Sapphires impel the wearer to all
good work.

The topaz is said to be a preventive
of lung trouble, to impart strength and
promote digestion.

SIDE VIEWS OF LIFE.

The man who makes a fool of him-
self usually turns out a good job.

The average wife knows the price
of conscience is productive of pin-
money.

A woman who suffers untold agony
is an exception to the rule.

As an aid to cutting one's eye-teeth a
gold brick is more effective than a rub-
ber ring.

It sometimes happens that a man of
resources is one who has ingenious
methods of contracting liabilities.

A man learns a good many things
from his children until they get old
enough to know as little as he does.

DIMES TO OFFER DOLLARS.
"I can tell always when Harry has
indulged himself in an extravagant
luncheon down town."
"How do you tell?"
"He always comes home and wants
to treat me to a trolley ride."

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine
**Carter's
Little Liver Pills.**

Must Bear Signature of

Wm. Wood
See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and so easy
to take as sugar.
**CARTER'S
LITTLE
LIVER
PILLS.**
FOR HEADACHE.
FOR DIZZINESS.
FOR BILIOUSNESS.
FOR TORPID LIVER.
FOR CONSTIPATION.
FOR SALLOW SKIN.
FOR THE COMPLEXION.
PURELY VEGETABLE.
GENTLEST AND MOST EFFECTIVE.
CURE SICK HEADACHE.

**A. M. FLEMING
A-R-T-I-S-T**
STUDIO, SMITH BLOCK
OPP. MARKET NEAR BARRICKS
MINARD'S LINIMENT Cures Dandruff,
where.

DR. WM. R. HALL—Office: Rooms 1,
2, 3 and 10, Victoria Block, corner
Fifth and King streets. Office
hours: From 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4
hours and 7 to 8 p. m. Office telephones
280B, residence telephone 173.

DENTIST
DR. A. McKENNEY, DENTIST, Gradu-
ate of Philadelphia Dental College,
also of Royal College of Dental Sur-
geons of Ontario. Teeth extracted
absolutely without pain. Stairway
next to King. Cunningham & Drew's
hardware store, King Street East.

MUSICAL
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Marshall, organ-
iste and choirmaster of St. Andrew's
Presbyterian Church, will receive pu-
pils in singing, voice development,
piano and organ. Classes in night
singing and church psalmody. Resi-
dence Park Street, directly opposite
Dr. Battish's residence.

LODGES
A. F. & WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46,
J. R. S. A. F. & A. M., meets
A. M. on the first Monday of every
month, in the Masonic Hall,
Fifth Street, at 7.30 p. m. Visiting
brethren heartily welcomed.
J. S. TURNER, W. M.
ALEX. GREGORY, Sec.

Members, Attention!

THE ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED
WORKMEN will hold a September
Social on Friday evening, the 21st, at
their Lodge Room. A number of can-
didates will be admitted and we trust
a goodly number of the membership
will make it their business to be pre-
sent to welcome them, and enjoy to-
gether things good for head, heart and
stomach.

LEGAL.

J. B. RANKIN, Q. C. —Barrister, No-
tary Public, etc., New Garner block,
Chatham.

J. B. O'LENN—Barrister, Solicitor,
etc., Conveyancer, Notary Public,
Office: King street, opposite Mer-
chant's Bank, Chatham, Ont.

FRASER & BELL—Barristers, Office
—New Garner block, Chatham.
JOHN S. PRYER,
EDWIN BELL, LL. B.

WILSON, KERR & PIKE—Barristers,
Solicitors of the Supreme Court,
Proctors in the Maritime Court, No-
taries Public, etc., Office, Fifth St.,
Chatham, Ont.

Money to loan on mortgage at
lowest rates.
MATTHEW WILSON, Q. C., J. G.
KERR, J. M. PIKE.

SCANE, HOUSTON, STONE & SCANE
—Barristers, Solicitors, Conveyan-
cers, Notaries Public, etc. Private
funds to loan at lowest current
rates. Scane's Block, King street.
E. W. SCANE, HOUSTON,
FRED. STONE, W. W. SCANE

STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

Branches and agents at all prin-
cipal points in Canada, U. S. and Great
Britain. Drafts issued and notes dis-
counted. Savings Bank Department
deposits (which may be withdrawn
without notice), receive and interest
allowed thereon at the highest cur-
rent rates.
G. P. SCHOLFIELD, Manager,
Chatham Branch.

BANK OF MONTREAL

ESTABLISHED 1817

Capital (all paid up) \$12,000,000
Reserve Fund, 7,000,000
Drafts bought and sold. Collections
made on favorable terms. Interest al-
lowed on deposits at current rates in
Savings Bank Department, or on de-
posit receipts.
DOUGLAS GLASS, Manager,
Chatham Branch.

F. Marx

REAL-ESTATE EXCHANGE AND
BROKER'S OFFICE.

For sale at a bargain, on terms to
suit the purchaser, comfortable house
and lot on the corner of Barthe and
Head streets.

ALSO
Two lots on S. side of Cornhill St.,
on monthly payments, interest at 5
per cent.
Money on mortgages at 4-1/2 to 5
per cent.

SEEDS

ALSIKE, RED CLOVER AND
TIMOTHY SEED.
SEED PEAS, CORN, BARLEY
AND BEANS.
All kinds of GARDEN SEEDS, guaranteed new
no old stock.

FLOUR AND FEED

Baled Hay and Straw
Wholesale and Retail.

Tennent & Burke

Phone 207. Scane Block

A Business Man

Who Has No
Telephone,

not only misses all the convenience of the
Telephone service, but he is lost to
the Commercial world.

THE TELEPHONE
is the greatest business Agency of the Cen-
tury. See that you are associated
with it.

WE ARE FURNACE EXPERTS

LET US PUT A

..Jewel Furnace..

IN YOUR HOUSE—OVER FORTY PUT IN LAST YEAR, EVERY ONE A SUCCESS

We Can Give You Satisfaction.

WESTMAN BROS.

What's a table
Rich! Spread—
Without a Loaf
Of Richards' Bread?
It's Incomplete,
That's what.

G. W. Cornell

Dentist

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

LOCAL BRIEFS

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Feby was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital last evening.

MR. HULIN WILL VOTE ON PRINCIPLE.

"No," said O. B. Hulin, "I'm not going to vote for Mayor Smith because he's a friend of mine, I'm going to vote for him on principle. There's nothing personal about it. I have voted for the Liberals for a number of years because they promised us tariff reform. I must say I have been disappointed, very much so. Mayor Smith says he will go to Ottawa to support good measures, irrespective of party. Well, I for one, am going to vote to give him a chance. We cannot be any worse off than we are now in the way of tariff, and I look to Mr. Smith, if he is elected, to help to better things. Therefore, though I have supported the other party ever since Mr. Campbell first ran here, this time I am going to do what I can for Mayor Smith."

HIS A WARM SUPPORTER OF A MAYOR SMITH.

"Well, I usually vote the Liberal ticket," said President Thomas Walters, of the Sons of England, "but this time I'm a T. A. Smith supporter. The Mayor has always been a man who was with you. He was one of the people. He has always been the same. He's not one of those fellows who will only speak to you on the street when he wants your vote. He has always been the same to me and I tell you what, though I am a Liberal, I'm going to vote and work for him."

A PUPPETEER WANTED—To learn the jewelry business. Apply in own handwriting and address P. O. Box 166. Must be 17 or 18 years of age.

GIRL WANTED—For several housework, small family. Apply at residence, Mr. P. D. McFarlane, Victoria Avenue.

Excello

SILVER POLISH

The best polish yet. No grit or acids.

Only 5c a
Package

Call and get a sample package free of charge. We also handle Silver Cream Polish at 25c a bottle.

F. C. Dunne & Co.

JEWELERS and OPTICIANS

Burt the Druggist's old stand.

Bloodroot Cough Cure.....

is guaranteed by us to cure any cold. In ordinary cases one twenty-five cent bottle is sufficient.

Your money refunded if it fails to cure the cold.

A. I. McCall & Co.

Opticians and Druggists,
Phone 178.

THE FALL ASSIZES

Erie Beach Shooting Tragedy
Before the Court.

Strong Defence Presented to the
Jury—The Crown's Case.

The fall assizes opened Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock before Chancellor Boyd. The new county clerk, James Holmes, looked quite august in his new black gown. Among the lawyers present were M. Wilson, Q. C., O. L. Lewis, E. W. Seane, John Walker, Q. C., Fred Stone, Judge Houston, George Gordon Martin, of Chatham, and W. E. Gundy, of Ridgeway.

The criminal docket was very light there being only two cases to occupy the attention of the Judge.

John King, Q. C., of Toronto, is crown counsel. The Grand Jury were sworn with the usual formalities and they elected E. B. Toll, of Blenheim, foreman. In his address to the Grand Jury, the Chancellor said: "I am glad to tell you that your duties are not heavy. There is but one charge which you will have to investigate as the other case to be tried has been standing over from another sitting of court and a true bill has already been brought in on it. Your duties are threefold, to investigate crime, visit institutions maintained at public expense, such as jails, asylums, and Houses of Refuge, and report on public grievances. I am glad indeed that this country possesses such a mark of civilization as a House of Industry. It is a disgrace to many counties that they keep their poor in the jails with criminals."

Before continuing with the court proceedings Chancellor Boyd referred feelingly to the many changes that had wrought in the court officials in a few years.

Sheriff Mercer and W. A. Campbell have both passed away within the past few years, and now Mr. O'Hara has joined the great majority. I had a warm feeling of friendship for Mr. O'Hara. We were thrown much together when the chancellor's court was held separate from the assize court. I admired much his high, upright and honest character and his death is a loss not only to his family but also to society, the officers of the court and all with whom he came in contact."

THE ERIE BEACH CASE.

The jury in the case of Queen vs. Houston was empaneled. The crown challenged Hugh McDonald and John McCorvie and they were asked to stand aside. The jury as chosen were: Bolton Suary, Camden; Robert W. Stokes, Dover; J. A. Ridley; Ridgeway; R. J. McEadden, Raleigh; Angus Robinson, Howard; Hugh Palmer, Ridgeway; J. P. Pickering, Blenheim; Peter Macdonald, Oxford; Lucas Leeson, Raleigh; Isaac Amos, Tilbury East; Win. Seattle, Tilbury, Geo. Linen, Raleigh. After the jury had been selected the court adjourned till Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

THE EVIDENCE.

In the Houston case at the assizes today Crown Counsel King addressed the jury explaining the difference between murder and manslaughter. In outlining the case, he said: The killing of Lyell Stephens took place at Erie Beach on August 14. There were a number of families there last August, including the families of George Houston, Judge Bell and George Stephens. Some wood had been piled up on the beach, and Lyell Stephens and some others had lighted a fire. Some one began shooting from the cliff. The first two shots didn't take effect, but the third shot did, and the fourth shot struck young Stephens and from the effects Stephens died. After interment, the body was exhumed and the bullet found and there is no doubt but that young Stephens died a violent death.

George Bell was the first witness called. His evidence went to show that his mother, sister, and brother, witnesses at the trial, were away in Europe. Mrs. Bell's deposition was then read, which was in substance as follows:

My cottage is west of Mr. Stephens' at Erie Beach, and I was present when my son George came in for the saddle to go to Blenheim, and he stated that Lyell Stephens had been shot. I went over to Mr. Stephens' cottage; Lyell was in bed. I was there next morning on the verandah when Willie Houston came over. He came to enquire if Lyell was much hurt, and I said he was very seriously hurt; and he said that it was he who

shot Lyell. I asked him why he had done it. He replied 'I was mad because they burned our logs.' I had heard nothing about the bon-fire and as far as I knew all the families at the beach were on good terms. I do not know that there has been any feeling all the time we have been occupying the cottages.

The deposition of Charles Bell was next read. He said that he was at the bon-fire in company with Lyell Stephens, Myrie Bell, Reg. Rutherford, Percy Kemp and Donald Douglas had been there, but had left. There were four shots fired from the top of the bank. The third shot struck three of the party. The skin of Miss Bell's face was broken by the shot. After the third shot George Bell picked up some stones and ran to the foot of the hill, and Lyell Stephens went a few minutes afterwards. He was shortly afterwards shot, and crying out that he was sick, came back to the fire, where he fell. Mr. Bell examined the injured lad and had him removed to the house.

The deposition of Mrs. Harry Stevens was then put in. Mrs. Stevens said that she was a guest at the residence of George Stephens. She was there when Willie Houston came over. Willie came up and enquired if Lyell was hurt much, and Mrs. Bell answered, 'Yes, pretty badly.' Willie acknowledged firing the shots and Mrs. Bell then asked him why he had done so. He replied that he was angry, but he didn't mean to hurt Lyell.

Holmes and Dr. Langford, of Blenheim, gave evidence showing that a bullet caused death.

The evidence of F. F. Quinn relating to the sale of the rifle, went to Major Cogan, identifying the weapon were taken and the case closed.

MR. LEWIS' ADDRESS.

O. L. Lewis, in addressing the jury, said there was only one point in which he thought the crown might have been more explicit, and that was the question of manslaughter. Homocide may be defended on the ground that it was excusable. In manslaughter there is not malice and there is the question as to whether the prisoner was culpably guilty or not. The burden was on the crown because the lad was innocent until he was proved guilty. He reminded the jury that the lad was a year and a month younger at the time of the tragedy. The best of feeling existed between the unfortunate lad and the one now charged here. He goes out in a boyish mood at 10 o'clock at night and with no idea that the gun which he carried with him would shoot so far. The gun was pointing out over the lake. This evidence is borne out by that of Charles Bell. The first shot wasn't heard. When the second shot is fired the unfortunate lad goes to the fire and pokes it up. Was that shot fired at Lyell? No. It fell near the girls and didn't reach the party. Lyell Stephens then retires out of the light of the fire where he was before. If Lyell Stephens, at the suggestion of George Bell, had remained where he was and had not run out in the dark, the unfortunate accident would never have occurred. While the gun was pointed out over the lake the dirty condition of the gun was the cause of a downward motion and the additional impetus of the boy running caused the bullet to inflict the wound it did. Had poor Lyell Stephens not run to the shore, the bullet would not have got in the link of the bullets and he would have been alive to-day. If Willie Houston had been shooting at the party he would have known that one of them was injured. Bear in mind that while poor Lyell Stephens has passed away, for the past 365 days this worry has been hanging over the boy and the family. In only one son, a mother waits for him.

Under these circumstances I ask you to do justice and acquit the boy.

Mr. Lewis made a most touching appeal to the jury and they were visibly impressed by it.

THE CROWN'S SIDE OF IT.

Mr. King addressed the jury for the crown. He reviewed the evidence in detail and was very explicit in explaining the distinction between accidental homicide and manslaughter. He drew attention to the fact that the boy was angry at the use of the wood. In the interests of justice and the safety of people it was necessary that an example should be made in every case where there was criminal carelessness. All these cases caused a feeling of sadness and sorrow and justice would much rather acquit than convict but they had a duty to perform to the state and justice should not be imperiled.

These trials are great object lessons and they have an influence far reaching.

Court then adjourned for luncheon. The grand jury then brought in a true bill against Ralph Stuart, a 14-year-old Howard boy, who was charged with the death of his cousin by firing a Neva McKerracher, a seven-year-old girl. Stuart was arraigned and his trial will be proceeded with this afternoon.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Sept. 18, 1940.

Wheat—July..... Opn. High Low Close

Sept..... 814 823 814 823

Oct..... 836 844 834 844

Corn—Sept..... 418 418 418 418

Dec..... 418 418 418 418

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Leather Goods

We carry a very complete stock of choice Leather Goods in the latest designs and patterns at prices from 25 cents up.

Purses, Wallets, Letter
and Card Cases,
Portfolios, Hand Bags
Shopping Bags
Chafelaine Bags
Coin Purses, etc.

SILVER INITIALS

On the purse are the proper thing. We put them on while you wait at small cost.

Dingman's
Books & King St.
Stationery Chatham.

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

BOERS GIVE UP.

London, Sept. 18.—A large part of the Rustenburg commando, has surrendered, and there are reports that Commandant Botha has given himself up.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Mrs. E. Seigel, No. 50 Grey street, second house from Raleigh street, has instructed Andrew Thomson, jr., auctioneer, to sell all her household effects on Friday, Sept. 20th, at one o'clock, consisting of the following: One piano, R. S. Williams make, in excellent order; one case of birds, 5 ft. by 6 ft.; one bedroom suit, springs, mattress, dresser, commode, bedstead; fancy rocker, one coal heater, one clock, one stand lamp, one platform rocker, one table, one lounge, one stand, blinds, two hall chairs, one sideboard, one cane rocker, one dining table, 6 high back chairs, with rocker, pictures, one Art Garland coal stove with oven also double heater in perfect order, chairs, 2 carpets, full-leaf table, curtains and blinds, one coal or wood range, a beauty, refrigerator, kitchen table, and other articles too numerous to mention. The above furniture is in good order and will be good chance for any one in need of same.

Remember day and date, Friday, Sept. 20th, at one o'clock sharp.

A. THOMSON, JR., Auctioneer.

MRS. E. SEIGEL, Proprietress.

E. H. Seigel

This signature is on every box of the genuine

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets

the remedy that cures a cold in one day

dry goods dealers, grocers, agents, etc., and in a few instances as a premium for subscriptions to papers.

Announcements of these comparatively

Worthless

reprints are very misleading; for instance, they are advertised to be the substantial equivalent of a higher-priced book, when in reality, so far from knowing and believe, they are far from A to Z.

By

There have been placed upon the market several cheap reprints of an obsolete edition of "Webster's Dictionary." They are being offered under various names at a low price.

Long Since Obsolete.

The supplement of 10,000 so-called "new words," which some of these books are advertised to contain, was compiled by a gentleman who died over forty years ago, and was published before his death. Other minor additions are probably of more or less value.

The Genuine Edition of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, which is the only meritorious one familiar to this generation, contains over 200 pages, with illustrations on nearly every page, and bears our imprint on the title page. It is protected by copyright from cheap imitation.

Valuable as this work is, we have at vast expense published a thoroughly revised successor, the name of which is WEBSTER'S INTERNATIONAL DICTIONARY.

Illustrated pamphlets free.

G. & C. MERRIAM CO., Springfield, Mass., U.S.A.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Dress Making and Millinery | C. Austin & Co. | Fine Furs.

You Can Save Money

By buying your Dry Goods from us. TO DEMONSTRATE THIS FACT we quote some special bargains at quick clearing prices. It may be many a long day before you'll get such liberal offerings as these again.

White Quilts,

White honey comb quality, 10x4 size, slightly damaged, reg. \$1.00 value at 85c.
Special 10x4 and 11x4 Patent Sateen Quilts, ready hemmed beautiful patterns, extra heavy at \$1.75 and \$2.50.

Apron Gingham,

38 in. Factory Cotton Apron Goods, white or black grounds, with pink and red spots, good washing colors, special per yd. 12c.

Eid-rdown Flannels,

New patterns, just in, beautiful colorings, thick heavy nap, 6 patterns, from 28 in. wide, special per yd. 48c.

Furniture Chintz,

6 pcs. of Chintz, suitable for cushions, etc., dark or light grounds, beautiful patterns, fast colors, reg. 12c value, special per yd. 10c.

Art Denims,

We have an elegant assortment of patterns in this line of goods, reversible designs, wide widths, washing colors, very suitable for cushions or upholstery, per yd. 22c.

Belgium Table Covers,

Special, 54x54 in. Table Covers, heavy fringe, beautiful patterns, blue, green and moroon shades, value \$1.65 each.

Unbleached Sheetings,

8x4 plain or twilled Unbleached Sheetings, heavy quality, fine soft yarns, at 15c and 22c per yd.

White Cottons,

See our special value in bleached cotton, 36 in. wide, at 8c and 10c yd. 32 in. bleached factory at 7c yd.

Shaker Flannels,

10 patterns, full 36 in. fancy striped shaker flannels, English manufacture, at 10c yd.
30 pcs. Dark Shirting Flannels, in stripes and checks, the kind you pay 12c for, to clear at 10c yd.

Cut this slip out, bring it with you to prove to you that what we advertise is carried out to the letter. Any of the above articles can be found at our staple counters.

Stylish Dress Materials At One Dollar Per Yard

Here is a short list of some of the most popular fabrics for fashionable wear this fall, every one of which may be purchased at this very reasonable price, we advise your prompt attention to a tour of inspection. It may not be long till such high qualities at this price are exhausted.

10 pcs. 56 in. homespun, in light, medium and oxford gray, green, navy blue, black, brown, all pure wool and from the maker, a special cloth for tailor-made suit, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

8 pcs. 52 in. broad-cloths, all pure wool, in solid shades of navy, brown, light and dark green, myrtle, fawn, cardinal, slate, these are great values, we are selling them at \$1 per yd.

2 pcs. 48 in. black and navy Vienna cloth, all pure wool, heavy material for separate skirt or tailor-made costumes, extra value, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

4 pcs. 52 and 54 in. black and navy blue serge, fine hard finish, in heavy weight and medium weight, all pure wool, unshrinkable goods, special for tailor-made suit or separate skirt, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

4 pcs. 42 in. black poplin cord, fancy in pretty raised design, correct style for this season, they are special for separate skirts or a fall dress, extra value, we are selling at \$1 per yd.

Fine Towels,

A big snap, 10 doz. all linen huck towels, red border, fringed ends, 23x46 in., reg. 18c goods, to clear at 15c each.
Fancy Towel Racks, with 3 rings, at 25c a rack.

Table Linens,

Our own special linen, harp, rose and thistle patterns, pure flax, 60 in. wide, fine finish, worth reg. 60c, special per yd. 50c.
Special 70 in. unbleached tabling, 40c per yd.

Apron Linens,

New colored bordered apron linens, fine cloth, 38 in. wide, at 17c, 20c, 25c.

Toweling Specials,

17 in. heavy huck red border, 8c yd.
15 in. heavy crash toweling, 8c yd.
17 in. heavy plain crash, red borders, 7c yd.

Life

Would be a dreary round if our food did not properly digest. It is the most important thing for good health—proper digestion. We have a number of things to help those troubled with indigestion. You will find them economical and they will be sure to do you good.

Granose Flakes, 15c a pkg.
Granose Biscuits, 15c a pkg.
Granola, 12c a pkg.
Caramel Cereal, 15c a pkg.

H. Malcolmson

Sulman
Sells
School
Supplies

Beehive,
Garner
House
Block

IT PAYS TO
Watch the advertisement of
The Canada Business College
Chatham, Ont.

Which is to appear in next Saturday's issue of this paper. It will show you what this school is doing in qualifying its pupils to fill choice positions, and assisting them to find these places when they are ready.

Seventy-two of our pupils secured good positions during July and August of this year. Saturday's ad. will contain half the list, showing where they are placed, the others will appear the following Saturday. Watch for it if you are interested.

239 of our pupils secured good positions in the 10 months ending July 1st, 1900. We can send you the list showing you where they were placed. While other business schools are claiming to be doing considerable in the way of assisting their pupils, yet we believe ours is the only business school that publishes a list of pupils placed, so that the public can be satisfied of the truth of the claim.

Write for our handsome catalogue if interested.

D. McLACHLAN & CO.
Chatham, Ont.

BowPark
BACON

ALL DEALERS SELL IT.

The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green House is sufficient proof of the excellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Telephone 181.

SEE OUR

**HAPPY THOUGHT
RANGES**

THEY ARE THE BEST THAT MONEY CAN BUY.

Each One is a Success in Itself.

A TRIAL IS ALL THAT IS NECESSARY TO CONVINCE.

Buy the Best then you will have Happy Thoughts.

John A. Morton Hardware Merchant

THE CITY COUNCIL

Will Settle for That Unfortunate Tree at \$25

A Petition Against the Blocking of Colborne Street—Miscellaneous Business.

The city fathers, actuated by an evident desire to keep the peace, succeeded in making the council chamber a scene of domestic bliss and quietude last night. Ald. Scane was elected to the chair, and facing him sat, Aldermen Sulman, Stephens, McCoig, McKeough, Fleming and Liddy.

COMMUNICATIONS.
A petition was received for a plank walk from residents on the east side of Lansdowne avenue. Referred to clerk.

Andrew Northwood wrote stating that a she had been in Chicago, he did not see the advertisement that a granite sidewalk would be laid on the east side of Kent street, from Dover to Barthe. He does not want it. Referred to Board of Works.

Bligh and Fielder have not yet received notice that the city has accepted the Colborne street macadam road. They want the responsibility of keeping traffic off it taken out of their hands. Referred to Board of Works.

Bligh and Fielder gave notice that they would complete the Wellington street sewer at 25 cents per lineal foot. Referred to Board of Works.

Engineer Shackleton, while engaged in the city's work, lost an eye piece from his instrument. It was decided to buy another for him.

Rehold Steiger asked for the position of brick inspector. His recommendations were good. There is another application in from Detroit man. Several local men have been offered the job, but they refused to take it. In Detroit these inspectors get \$3.50 per day, but it is the intention of the Board of Works to pay them more than \$3 a day. Steiger's application was referred to the board of works.

The contracts between the city and Bligh & Fielder for the Wellington street sewer, and the extension of the Colborne street tar macadam were authorized to be executed on the part of the city by the Mayor and clerk. A letter from the Canadian General Electric Company asked that hereafter Sept. Jones should order his carboys by the 25,000 lot. Referred to the Property Committee.

No action was taken in the purchase of a pound for South Chatham.

W. H. Irving, of Raleigh, wants to be paid for the use of his rig by the firemen in the parade on July 1st, 1899. Chief Jacques says that he paid Mr. Irwin, but the latter denies this. The Property Committee will unravel the tangle.

A BLOCKED STREET.
The following petition from residents and property owners on and in the vicinity of Colborne street, was read by Alderman Liddy.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Chatham:

The petition of the undersigned citizens and ratepayers of the city of Chatham and the county of Kent, humbly sheweth:

That Colborne street in the said city between the C. P. R. crossing and the L. E. & D. R. R. crossing, upon which is a spur of the L. E. & D. R. R. Y., is being used as a switch or siding for the purposes of the L. E. & D. R. R. Y., and as a yard for the loading of rolling stock of the said company, and that the same is continually being blocked by the said company with trains of cars, so that Colborne street itself, at the east city limit, where said spur crosses it, is frequently blocked for hours at a time, and is similarly blocked, to the great inconvenience of public traffic, and so that the said street, and particularly Colborne street, is rendered practically useless as the highway from Harwich into Chatham.

That such a use of the said street by the said railway company is, as your petitioners are advised and verily believe, wholly unauthorized by law and at the same time, very injurious to the travelling public and opposed to the welfare of the public generally and to the citizens of Chatham in particular.

And your honorable body is humbly requested to take such steps as will preserve the said highway for the use of the public and prevent the improper use of the same by the said railway company.

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

And furthermore your petitioners beg to notify your honorable body that they will hold the city responsible for all damages and loss that they may sustain by reason of the said highways being improperly used as aforesaid.

Dated this 13th day of September, 1900.

The T. H. Taylor Co., T. B. Farley, Emanuel Jones, Percy F. Chase, Julia Ramsey, Lewis Brady, Nathaniel Murray, T. H. Baxter, H. Baxter, Mrs. J. E. Weldon, Edward Ingram, Charles Mount, G. W. Bedford, J. R. Johnson and J. A. Stringer.

Ald. Liddy moved that a committee composed of Ald. Sulman, Stephens and McKeough be appointed to view the premises and negotiate with the company with a view to having them take up the balance of the spur on Colborne street from J. J. Couzen's ashery east to the end of the track.

Ald. Sulman explained that the chief

"All Dunlop Tires in 1900"

Your guaranty of goodness in a Dunlop tire is the guaranty from the makers.

"The Dunlop detachable tire is guaranteed against all defects of workmanship, materials or design, for one year from date of purchase."

No other tire is guaranteed thus.

Dunlop tires on all good wheels without extra charge.

"The only tools,"
The Dunlop Tire Co., Limited,
Montreal, Winnipeg, St. John

nuisance was the blocking of the sidewalk by cars. Mr. Couzen was the only one benefited and an arrangement could easily be made which would suit him.

The committee named by Ald. Liddy was appointed.

WANT A RAISE.

The three men who work continually for the corporation at \$1.50 per day are asking for a raise to \$1.75. The board of works will deal with the matter.

Wm. Chrysler who has the street sprinkling contract wants the \$50 guarantee which he put up at the beginning of the season back again. He will get it.

W. G. Merritt asked for permission to cut down a dead tree. Referred to Chief of Police.

Geo. F. Sayers wrote to the council with reference to the proceedings between himself and son over a fence. One of the viewers had not taken the oath at that time but did so subsequently. Mr. Sayers claims that the city should pay \$9.50 of the costs. The chairman said that he failed to see how the city could possibly be liable for this. He referred it to the finance committee for settlement.

WILL PAY \$25.

Chairman Stephens, for the finance committee, reported that they had been unable to settle with Mr. Lewis, Mr. Stringer's solicitor, for the slaughtered tree. They had offered \$15, but he wanted \$25. The finance committee recommended that the \$25 should be paid. The recommendation carried, and no more will be heard of that hapless tree.

Ald. McCoig said that the ratenayer at the upper end of St. Clair street want a fire alarm box.

Ald. Fleming explained that this box would have been put there long ago had there not been a legal difficulty in the way.

The matter was referred to the property committee in order that the city solicitor may be consulted.

Ald. Stephens wanted the sprinkling cart to put in an appearance at the east end of King St.

Ald. Liddy called attention to the manner in which the granite sidewalks are being laid. They are several inches above the ground and so in spring and fall they prevent the water from running into the gutters, or backing it up in yards. He thought that if a few porous tiles were put beneath the walks at intervals the difficulty would be overcome.

The chairman was pleased with Ald. Liddy's suggestion and hoped that the board of works would act upon it. At his place the water is eighteen inches above the level and so kept the water covering his lawn. He had no doubt but that anyone whose drainage was cut off by the city would have grounds for action against the city.

Ald. McKeough promised to see what could be done.

The specifications for granite sidewalks call for the use of either the "Samson" brand cement of Owen Sound, or the "Star" brand of Deseronto. It is impossible for the contractor to get any more of either brand, and therefore Ald. McKeough moved that they be allowed to substitute the "Saylor" brand, which is very highly recommended and stands a good test. The motion carried.

Several granite sidewalks by-laws were put through the necessary stages.

Accounts Passed:

John Hendershot, \$5.
Banner Ptg. Co., \$16.50.
Banner Ptg. Co., \$17.25.
John Piggott & Sons, \$27.41.
E. & D. R. Ry. Co., \$2.50.
Joseph Dale, \$107.28.
G. G. Guttridge, \$3.25.
Chas. Potter, \$19.39.
Pay sheets, \$49.39.
Lynch & Lynch, \$460.
A. Harbert, \$15.
Peter McMillan, \$22.
Lynch & Lynch, \$890.
Waterworks Dept., \$556.72.
Bligh & Fielder, \$350.
G. T. R. freight, \$29.40.
Canadian General Electric Company, \$82.50.
C. P. R. Co., freight, \$5.40.
John A. Walker, pound rent, \$5.
Park Bros., \$9.
Copper wire for Electric Light Department, \$93.07.
G. N. W. Telegraph Co., 28c.
G. T. R. Co., freight, \$1.01.
Bell Telephone Co., 35c.
Bell Telephone Co., \$28.95.
G. T. R. Co., freight, \$1.10.
R. G. Fleming, \$1.25.

Accounts Referred.

Wm. Drader, \$236.70.
Chatham Gas Co., \$61.75.
Freight on bag cement, 48c.

They Struck It Rich

It was a grand thing for this community that an enterprising firm as A. L. McCall & Co. secured the Agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the wonderful remedy that has started tight world by its marvelous cures. The furor of enthusiasm over it has become a craze, as the demand for it is immense. They give free trial bottles to sufferers, and positively guarantee a cure in Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup and all Throat and Lung troubles. A trial proves its merit. Price 50c. and \$1.

Fall Trade = 1900 = Fall Goods

A WORD ABOUT THE GORDON STORE

As we again begin our Fall trade, we celebrate our sixteenth Fall opening. In these days of keen competition, we are leaders in all the lines we carry, namely Dress Goods and Silks, Ladies' Jackets, Ladies' Fine Furs, Blankets and Flannels, Printed Cotton Goods of all kinds, Bed Room, Dining Room and Kitchen Wear, Lace Curtains, Damask and Chenille Drapes, Ladies' White Wear, Cotton, Silk and Woolen Underwear, Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-wear Garments of all kinds, with many minor lines and last though not least, our Men's Furnishing Wear. Each department is under skilled and diligent care. We guarantee our customers satisfaction all round. In the style, quality and price of our goods lies the milk of the cocoanut.

WILLIAM GORDON

MILLINERY PARLORS WILL BE OPENED THIS MONTH

CADET OFFICERS.

The C. C. I. cadets met yesterday afternoon for the election of officers for the coming term. There were several candidates for each of the three positions, but in only one or two cases was the voting close. The results were as follows:

For captain—Will Tackaberry 48, Reg. Oldershaw 7, Harold Rankin 0, Milton Bates 11.

For first lieutenant—Will Mounter 33, Charlie Heath 9, Charlie Bowers 4, Arpad Fox 17.

For second lieutenant—Garret Brackin 42, Joe Robert 5, Roy Benson 6, Fred Sheldrick 2, Charles Langford 7.

The boys are all full of enthusiasm and military ardor. The prospects for a successful term are very bright and there is not a doubt but that next spring the corps will be in excellent shape.

A DAILY NUISANCE

A Simple Remedy Which Will Inter-est Catarrh Sufferers.

In its earlier stages catarrh is more of a nuisance than a menace to the general health, but sooner or later, the disease extends to the throat, bronchitis, and even to the stomach and intestines.

Catarrh is essentially a disease of the mucous membrane, the local symptoms being a profuse discharge of mucus, stoppage of the nostrils, irritation in throat, causing coughing, sneezing, gagging and frequent clearing of the throat and head.

The usual treatment by local douches, snuffs, salves, etc., often gives temporary relief, but anything like a cure can only be obtained by a treatment which removes the catarrh from the blood and the disappearance of the inflammation from the mucous surfaces.

A new remedy, which has been remarkably successful in curing catarrh is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

These tablets act upon the blood and the mucous membranes only. They can hardly be called a secret patent medicine as they are composed of such valuable remedies as Sanguinaria, Hydrastis, Eucalyptol and similar cleansing antiseptics, which cure by eliminating from the blood and mucous surfaces the catarrhal poison.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are large, pleasant tasting lozenges taken internally, allowing them to dissolve slowly in the mouth, in this way they reach the throat, fauces and the entire alimentary canal.

If desired, they may also be dissolved in water and used as a douche, in addition to the internal use, but it is not at all necessary to use a douche; a few of them dissolved in the mouth daily will be sufficient. However, when there is much stoppage of the nose, a douche made from these tablets will give immediate relief, but the regular daily use internally of these tablets will cure the whole catarrhal trouble without resorting to the inconvenience of a douche.

Dr. Bement states "that the internal treatment for catarrh is rapidly taking the place of the old plan of douching, and local application and further says that probably the best and certainly the safest remedy at present on the market is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, as no secret is made of their composition and all the really efficient remedies for catarrh are contained in this tablet."

Druggists sell Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at fifty cents for full sized packages. Ask your druggist and if he is honest he will tell you there is no safer more palatable, more efficient and convenient remedy on the market.

A BITTER FIGHT.

Seattle Policeman Killed a Burglar Who Fought Arrest

Seattle, Sept. 18.—Edward Morse, formerly of Redyard, Minn., who had just returned from Rome, was shot and killed by Policeman Fred A. Ribbach. Ribbach found Morse and two comrades attempting to commit burglary and attempted to arrest them. A pitched battle with revolvers ensued, 20 shots being fired. Harry Austin, one of the burglars, was wounded in the arm while fleeing from the scene. Morse was 37 years of age and had been a single weaver before coming to the coast last February.

FIERCE STRUGGLE.

Oregon Saloonist Made a Useless One for His Life.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 18.—A brutal murder followed by robbery, was committed yesterday in a saloon on Fourteenth and Marshall streets. H. R. Dickel, the proprietor of the place, being the victim. Patrolman Wheeler, on his rounds, discovered the body of the murdered man in a corner of the saloon, leaning against the wall, where the murderers had placed it after rifling the pockets, and helping themselves to the contents of the safe. Dickel had apparently been struck with a blunt instrument and evidence of a fierce struggle was plainly visible. No clue to the murderers.

World's Champion Healer.
"I tried many remedies to cure piles," writes W. R. Smith, of Latham, Ill., "but found no relief till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. I have not been troubled with piles since." Grandest pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25c. per box, guaranteed by A. I. McCall & Co., Druggists.

THEY'LL GET MEDALS

War Correspondents Who Went to South Africa Will be Included.

London, Sept. 18.—Representatives of the colonial volunteers in South Africa will visit England on their return, the Queen desiring to inspect them. All the war correspondents who participated in the South African campaign, will receive medals in recognition of their services. The Canadian newspaper men, as well as all colonial correspondents who followed the regiments to the front, will be included in the lists.

The British captured forty-two engines at Barberton. At present, however, they are of no use, as Kaapmuiden, the place where the Barberton line crosses the main railway, is still in the hands of the Boers.

The Peiternaritzburg correspondent of the Daily Mail announces that Lord Roberts will start for England about Oct. 30. This time there is little doubt of the genuineness of the report of his early return. Some troops will also be coming back, and the elections will thus be excellently timed by the government to take advantage of the national fever over a successful war.

F. W. Reitz, State Secretary of the abrogated South African Republic, is going to Paris, according to the Pretoria correspondent of the Daily Mail, from which point he will proceed to the United States, where he will probably remain.

Rheumatic Joints.—Mrs. George Smith, 62 Chatham street, Point St. Charles, Que., says: "Rheumatism in my joints caused me sufferings that words cannot describe how terrible. I took four bottles of South American Rheumatic Cure and am a well woman. I have recommended it to others with as good results. Think the treatment nothing short of a wonder."—to Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

FAULTY AMMUNITION

London, Sept. 18.—A news agency despatch states that the military experts at Woolwich have condemned upwards of 10,000,000 rounds of ammunition for small arms, which arrived at the arsenal last week. The ammunition was received from a well known firm with which a member of the cabinet is connected (presumably Kynoch's, of Birmingham, of which Arthur Chamberlain, brother of the Colonial Secretary, is manager.)

WANTED.—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD character to deliver and collect in Chatham for old established manufacturing wholesale house; \$900 a year, sure pay. Honesty more than experience required. Our references, any city. Enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

A Deep Mystery.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phoebe Cherley, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me; and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c. at A. I. McCall & Co.'s drug store.

POWERS WILL ACCEPT

Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching as Negotiators for Peace.

London, Tuesday, September, 18.—There is no additional news from China this morning. The Daily Graphic asserts that all the powers have accepted Li Hung Chang, and will probably accept Prince Ching as negotiators. It says also that the powers have agreed to insist that a central government satisfactory to the powers, shall be established in China, and that full retribution shall be exacted for the attacks upon the legations. No communications, however, have yet passed between the powers concerning indemnity, and a Berlin despatch says it is believed there that Dr. Mumm Von Schwartzstein, the German minister, has purposely try to delay military operations until Marshal Von Waldersee has arrived.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

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

TENDERS.

Sealed tenders marked "tender" will be received at my office, Wallaceburg, up to and including Monday, October 1st, 1900, for the erection of a fire hall and town offices, etc., in the town of Wallaceburg. Plans and specifications can be seen at the clerk's office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. E. JOHNSON,
Town Clerk,
Wallaceburg, Sept. 15, 1900. 3dlw.

Auction Sale

City Lots

Mrs. J. Tisaman, has instructed Andrew Thomson, Jr., Auctioneer, to sell without reserve, six city lots, situated on Maple street, adjoining Mr. Brackin's property, and one lot on Victoria avenue, corner lot opposite the residence of John McKerrall, Esq. The above will be sold on

Thursday, Sept. 27

Two o'clock in the afternoon.

sale to take place on the property. The Victoria avenue lot will be offered first. This is an opportunity not often offered, as the sale is without reserve. Terms and conditions made known on day of sale.

Lots 10, 11, 14, 15, 18, and 19, Subdiv. Park Lot 9, S.S. Maple street; North part Park Lot No. 21, west side Victoria avenue.

Cures Weak Men Free

A most successful remedy has been found for sexual weakness, such as impotency, varicocele, shrunken organs, nervous debility, lost manhood, night emissions, premature discharge and all other results of self-abuse or excesses. It cures any case of the difficulty, never fails to restore the organism to full natural strength and vigor. The Doctor who made this wonderful discovery wants to let every man know about it. He will therefore send the receipt free of charge. Read the receipt and the ingredients to be used so that all men at a trifling expense can cure themselves. He sends the receipt free, and all the reader need do is to send his name and address to L. W. Knapp, M. D., 1710, Hull Bldg., Detroit, Mich., requesting the free receipt as reported in this paper. It is a generous offer and all men ought to be glad to have such an opportunity.

Please Read Me I am
McConnell's Special

SATURDAY, SEPT. 15
WHEN WE SHALL SELL
FOR CASH

Fruit Jars at present cost price.
Our fine Blend Tea, for the day only, 20c lb.
Ginger Snaps, 5c lb.
Sardines, 5c tin
6 bars Sweet Home Soap, 25c
Mixed Biscuits, 9c lb.
Bacon, 10c lb.
A Japan Tea, new season, usual price 50c, for, 40c lb.
R. Powder, Standard, 12c lb.
Big bargains in fancy kitchen Flower Pots, decorated in fancy colors, 15c each.
We will have a 10c, 15c and 25c counter during the day that will astonish you. Call in and see them.

John McConnell

Phone 190. Park St., East
St. n of the Star

In Using Baking Powder

Nothing but the purest should be used.

It is a well known fact that this article of food has been grossly adulterated and to such an extent that "The Government" has now deemed it advisable to prosecute all vendors of

Baking Powder Containig Alum

We are pleased to say that we can supply you with a Pure, Wholesome Baking Powder, entirely free from Alum or any other adulteration, and at a price no higher than is asked for the worthless article.
Price 25c per lb.
Manufactured at

Central C. H. Gunn & Co.
Phone 105
Cor. King and 5th Streets

Radley's Drug Store
Remedy next door to Geo. E. Young's Grocery, opp. the Standard Bank.

Radley's Stomach and Liver Pills
The Best Antibilious Pills in Use. Cures Dyspepsia and all Stomach and Liver Complaints. (Many have tried them.) There is nothing better.

RADLEY'S DRUG STORE

When U=need=A
Package of Laundry done in the very best possible manner sent to the

Parisian Steam Laundry Co.
TELEPHONE 20

Clover Mill
For Sale

Monitor, nearly as good as new—run only part of two seasons. Cost \$465; will sell for \$225, and take \$75 in threehilling.
J. G. OUSTERBOUT, Northwood.

THE MIDNIGHT SUN.

REV. DR. TALMAGE DESCRIBES LIFE UNDER ITS RAYS.

'TIS HARD ON NERVOUS PEOPLE.

An Experience That Is Hard on Those Not Gifted With Robust Health—The Terrors of Daylight—The Sun at Midnight—Curious Natural Phenomena Within the Arctic Circle.

We take steamer from Tromsø, a proper name that you will pronounce wrongly whichever way you pronounce it, unless you were born in Norway, or have for a long while practiced the strange accentuation we are selling for the North Cape, or the north end of the world, or the Land of the Midnight Sun. We start with a depressed spirit, for the voyagers who have just returned from those regions did not see the wonderful spectacle. There were clouds and fogs which would not lift their curtain for the solar exhibition.

Indeed, the most of the people who go to see the Midnight Sun never see it at all, and there are thousands of persons who think that promised performance a failure and a humbug. They return from the North Cape feeling chilly and with a bad cold in their heads, and they sneeze violently while they are describing their disappointment. It was raining, as we stepped aboard the Kong Harald, and if any one of the party had suggested to us another route, and that the midnight moon kept more reasonable hours than the midnight sun, we would have changed our itinerary. But fortunately we sailed on toward one of the most rapid and entrancing experiences of a lifetime.

For we saw the midnight sun four times out of the five nights we were in the arctic. Our steamer day after day goes winding among the islands, which suggest the Thousand Islands of the American waters, and then among inlets that remind us of Lake Lucerne and Cayuga, and by waterfalls which make you think of those of the Yosemite, and by mountain torrents tangled among the crags until the frolicking liquids fling themselves in the sea, and then we go between snow-covered rocks which are great white thrones of lustre and pomp, and our ship's gun startles the seagulls by the millions, and the echoes of rock which human foot never tread, and when we ask what means that cannonade we are informed that we have passed into the Arctic Sea, which ground up the Jeannette, and has fought back the John Franklin and Doctor Kane's and the De Long's and the Nansen's of the world, and will keep on defying the explorers until the great palace of arctic cold will be left alone, and its keys of crystal and eternal rigidity. The Norway coast is wild and volcanic. It shows that nature has been in paroxysm. When Titans play ball they throw rocks.

It is summer, but all our blankets and furs are brought into service. Good-bye to straw hats and thin shawls. In a few hours we have passed from June into November. Our faith in the integrity of watches and clocks is very much shaken. They say it is nine o'clock, and ten o'clock, and eleven o'clock, and yet not even a hint of darkness. But all the watches cannot be in a conspiracy to deceive, and every man who has a watch is looking at it, and all the chronometers agree in saying it is ten minutes of midnight. At this time a great thick cloud drops over the sun. We have come four thousand miles through the land of the great theatre of nature, and, alas! there is a prospect that the main actor will not appear upon the stage. Having disappointed so many, will he disappoint us? We are transfixed with anxiety, and are watching and waiting and hoping and almost praying that we may see what we have come so far to see. Hush! not one cough of the smokestack, not one throb of the engine, not one shudder of the foot lest it disturb the scene. Look! The clouds seem parting, dissolving, passing. Aye! They are gone, and the midnight sun is before us.

Our steamer has moved out of the fjord into the open sea that nothing may hinder our view. The shimmering waters of the polar sea have become forty miles of richest mosaic, and all the angels of beauty and splendor having come down on ladders divinely lowered, walk those pavements of mosaic, and they look like the floor of heaven across which trail the white robes of the beatific. The sun is so bright we look at it through smoked glasses. The sky was on fire. Enveloped clouds near by to make an upholstery of flame. Horses of fire, and chariots of fire, Great rolling through the sky. Great masterpieces of the Almighty in the gallery of the sky. Sunrise and sunset married. Niagara of fire. Strange, weird, overwhelming spectacle, smiting all other natural brilliancy into nothing. Searching enough, overmastering enough, glorious enough to be the Eye which never slumbers nor sleeps. We had seen the morning sun, and the noonday sun and the setting sun, but never again will we see the midnight sun. From what vats of infinite beauty were these colors dipped? A mingling of hues to be found in such other sea, amber and gold; lavender blushing with royal purple; all the shades of yellow, orange and canary and lemon; all shades of blue, turquoise and azure; all shades of green, olive and myrtle and Nile; all shades of red, scarlet and magenta and cardinal, the fiery red cooling into grey, and the grey warming into ruby. Now amethyst seems about to triumph until emerald appears, but the emerald is soon outdone by the carbuncle. It is in some respects the most impressive scene in the whole world. Sensing other wonders of nature you say they are like this or like that. The Alps are like the Sierra Nevada, the Rhine is like the Hudson, Lock Katrine is like Geneva, but the midnight sun is unlike anything. As there is only one "Last Judgment," by Michael Angelo in the Roman Gallery, and only one "Sistine Madonna," in Dresden Gallery, and go to those places we must if we would see them, so we must behold the burning and delicate glory of the midnight sun.

The sun seems disposed to go to bed at the right time, but it does not like the wet pillow offered it, or it changes its mind, for you watch expecting it to hide beneath the wave. But no! Like unto its behavior in Joshua's time, it seems to stand still. Afterward it begins to rise. It banishes the night. It forbids the moon and stars to appear. These lesser lights seem to say: "There is no use in our shining for the sun does enough of that for all." Victory of light over darkness! The shadows told to go and hide their selves in the dens and caves of the earth.

But do not think that it is easy to climb the North Cape—the rock at the jumping-off place of the world's advice none to undertake that feat. It is a steep climb, and a long one. From the steamer you push off in a small boat, and after a ten minutes' rowing reach the foot of the rock, which, according to the guide-book, is 1,000 feet high, but the unanimous opinion of those who climb it, about 3,000 feet high. We were not surprised to find a seemingly athletic man give it up and return to the boat. After slipping and sliding, now holding on to a rock, now to a rope, till you come to a stretch of deep snow, forcing you no solid place for a foothold, and along by precipices, where the climbers are warned not to look down, if they become dizzy at great heights. The most of the ladies got fast in the snow, and would have been there yet but for the gallantry of those who had them in charge. After you feel you have almost reached the top, some encouraging soul will tell you that the worst is yet to come. But you cannot stop there, and so you keep going on and up, till you reach the top of the North Cape, and that 1,000 feet at least a mile to walk before you come to a place of shelter, and the points celebrated in stone for the visits of William II of Germany and Oscar II of Sweden. There again you see, and amidst the clouds, the descent is much more difficult than the ascent, and by the time you reach the steamer you are disposed to say: "I would not have missed that excursion for a thousand dollars, and I would not take it again for ten."

But the most trying thing in all the journey to the Land of the Midnight Sun is the perpetual light. There is no suggestion of retirement. You stay up till 12 o'clock, and see the wonder in the heavens, and you are so thrilled with the scene—if you have any soul in you—that you must talk it over until 1 or 2 o'clock in the morning, and at that hour it was as bright as 12 o'clock at noon in Washington or in New York, and why should you seek your pillow at all? Nothing but force of resolution and a rehearsal of sanitary law, and an extemporaneous discourse on the uses of sleep can send you to your stateroom, and, reaching it, you find the place flooded with light and all the scene proposing activity instead of somnolence.

That many people come down from the North Cape nervous wrecks. They have acquired an insomnia which only weeks of regular habits can exorcise. With what joy we welcomed the night after that hour, and into lower latitudes! Oh, the practical uses of the night! Shadows as important as the sunshine. Midnight as useful as the noonday. We may say of the polar seas which we were visiting as it was said of a much better place: "There is no night there."

But in the one case it was descriptive of perpetual joy, for there is in that land no fatigue to be soled, but in the other case it is descriptive of a disquietude because we must have hours shaded for rest.

Yet these polar regions have as many seasons of darkness as seasons of light. From the 23rd of September until the 22nd of March it is continuous night. The inhabitants long for the morning. Lanterns and candles below, moon and stars above are the only alleviations. Think of it! midnight through all of October, all of November, all of December, all of January, all of February, and most of March. I wonder if the roosters know when to crow. I wonder if the sleepers know when to rise. I wonder if imbecility and unhealth of all sorts are not the result. Think of all ye who live in latitudes where the days and nights are not so long. Light for enough hours to do our work. Darkness for enough hours to favor refreshing unconsciousness. Let all who live in the temperate zone rejoice in the place of their habitation.

On our way down from the North Cape it was Fourth of July, and the anniversary of American Independence was celebrated. The captain of our ship, a Norwegian, himself general as a bank of honeysuckle, decorated the dining table with American flags. We all sang the "Star Spangled Banner," that is, as much of it as could be remembered, all joining in the first line, half of us joining in the second line, two or three voices in the third line, but the last voice gave out in the fourth line, and then we all quit, but when our music faded we burst into a chorus of patriotic laughter which saved the occasion from embarrassment. Called upon to say a few words appropriate to the day, the Americans in town were in celebration, my theme of "International Brotherhood" was suggested by the presence in that dining room of Norwegians, Swedes, Danes, Germans, Frenchmen, English, and Americans, and I could not help expressing the wish that as we were sailing together we all might have a smooth voyage across the seas of this life, and at last drop anchor in this life, and that, if ever, between this and that, misfortune and trial should come upon us that the darkness might be irradiated by a Midnight Sun.—T. De Witt Talmage.

DIRECTORY OF THE SKY.

How the Astronomers are Making Photographs of All the Stars.

A congress held in Paris in 1887 it was decided that the end of the nineteenth century should see the making of a great catalogue of all the stars in the sky upon a scale of completeness and precision surpassing anything previously attempted, says The International Monthly. It is impossible to exaggerate the importance of such a work, for upon our star catalogues depends ultimately the entire structure of astronomical science.

The work was far too vast for the powers of an observatory alone. Therefore the whole sky, from pole to pole, was divided into eight belts or zones of approximately equal area, and each of these was assigned to a single observatory to be photographed. A series of telescopes were specially constructed, so that every part of the work should be done with the same type of instrument, and as far as possible, an attempt was made to secure uniformity of methods and particularly a uniform scale of precision. To cover the entire sky upon the plan proposed, no less than 1,108 negatives are required, and most of these have now been finished. The further measurement of the pictures and the drawing up of a vast printed star catalogue are also well under way. One of the participating observatories, that at Potsdam, Germany, has just published the first volume of its part of the catalogue. It is estimated that this observatory alone will require 20 quito volumes to contain merely the final results of its work on the catalogue. Altogether not fewer than 2,000,000 stars will find place in this our latest directory of the heavens.

Life, At Its Worst.

A clergyman once told this marvelous story: "Thirty years ago two young men started to attend Park Theatre, New York, to see a play which made religion ridiculous and hypocritical. They had been brought up in Christian families. Their strict, and their early convictions came back upon them. They felt that it was not right to go, but still they went. They came to the door of the theatre. One of the young men stopped and started for home, but returned and came up to the door, but had not the courage to go in. He again started for home, and went home. The other young man went in. He went from one degree of temptation to another. Caught in the whirl of frivolity and sin he sank lower and lower. He lost his business position. He lost his morals. He lost his soul. He was a dreadful death, not only star of mercy shining on it. I stand before you to-day," said the minister, "to thank God that for 20 years I have been permitted to preach the gospel. I am the other young man."

Decadence of Family Life.

"There are other and graver facts of which I can but hint here which prove how deep is the decadence of the old sacred family life, and how rapidly the instinct of motherhood is dying out among our women," writes "An American Mother" in the Ladies' Home Journal. "One is the rapid and enormous increase of divorces in this country, especially in the Northeastern farming States. It is not only the gay, self-indulgent husband and wife who tire of each other, but the plodding farmer and the woman who is old and worn out with work. Another fact, even more tragic and significant, is the number of childless homes in the Northern States. Hundreds of the oldest leading American families have become extinct in the last decade. The women of these families were notably active in public work, even more so than the men. So large has been the decrease of births of American percentage in one section of this country that there is a real danger that the native stock there will entirely die out. There are no records here which I shall not uncover, depths here which I shall not uncover, depths here which I shall not uncover. All women have looked into them."

Twentieth Century Happenings.

The twentieth century will be the 24 leap years, the greatest possible number. February will have five Sundays three times—1920, 1948 and 1976. The earliest possible date on which Easter can occur is March 12. The latest time it occurred on that date was 1811. The latest date that Easter can occur is April 25. It will occur but one time in the coming century on that date—1943. The midday of the century will be January 1, 1951. There will be 380 eclipses during the coming century.

The Irish Fair.

Fairs are very numerous in Siberia and possess a great importance. The greatest and ancient Siberian fair is that of Irbit, founded in 1643. The Irbit fair is open from February 1 to March 1, and during this time a little town wakes up and welcomes 25,000 strangers, doing business worth from \$5,000,000 to \$5,000,000 rubles. The chief articles of trade are tea, peltry, honey, wax, nuts, hardware, cutlery, woolsens and cottons.

The Mississippi Junction.

The Mississippi jetties are, among the most elegant and expensive feats of the world, costing in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000, and making a 26-foot channel out of a stream where there was formerly but eight feet of water. This has made of New Orleans a port for the largest amount of ocean going vessels.

Spectacles for a Pet Cat.

A pet Maltess cat belonging to an English woman has been successfully fitted with spectacles to counteract failing eyesight. A picture of a mouse was used by the oculist to test the cat's eyes.

Immigration to Eastern Siberia.

From 1882 to the first of January, 1899, there arrived in Eastern Siberia 1,117,715 migrants from European Russia overland and 93,608 by sea. From 1888 to 1899, 532 persons returned to Russia.

What is

CASTORIA

Castoria is for Infants and Children. Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It is Pleasant. Its guarantee is thirty years' use by Millions of Mothers. Castoria destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. Castoria cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. Castoria relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. Castoria assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels of Infants and Children, giving healthy and natural sleep. Castoria is the Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

Castoria.

"Castoria is an excellent medicine for children. Mothers have repeatedly told me of its good effect upon their children."
Dr. G. C. Osgood, Lowell, Mass.

Castoria.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me."
H. A. Archer, M. D., Brooklyn, N. Y.

THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF

Chas. H. Fletcher.

APPEARS ON EVERY WRAPPER.

Krause Conservatory Of Music

Fall Term

Commences Saturday, September 1st, 1900.

13 Free Scholarships

offered for open competition amongst the Conservatory students.

Examinations

1st, 2nd, 3rd, final and artists course of Toronto College of Music, will be taken at Krause Conservatory of Music.

Free Class

work in Rudiments, Elements, History and Harmony, it's under special instructors engaged by the Conservatory.

Fletcher Simplex and Kindergarten System

adopted by Conservatory for season 1900-1901, under direction of Miss Mabel L. Campbell.

Students

who intend competing for any Conservatory honors must enroll at office as students of the Conservatory on or before Saturday, Sept. 15th.

Conservatory

will be open on and after Monday, Aug. 27th, for enrollment of students, payment of fees and any business in connection with Conservatory.

New Conservatory Prospectus

consisting of 48 pages of artistic merit will be forwarded to any address, post paid, on receipt of a postal with address.

Fall Term, Saturday, Sept. 1st, 1900

Oct. 9, 10, 11

These are the dates for the great Peninsular Fair at Chatham this year. Special reduced rates have been obtained over all the railroads so that it won't cost you much to spend two days with us, and we guarantee you an interesting time. This is our programme for

Trials of Speed

Wednesday, Oct. 10		Conditions	
2.40 Trot and Pace	\$200.00	Horses eligible Sept. 15th, entries close Oct. 3rd.	
2.24 Pace and 19 Trot	250.00	Note: Eligible Oct. 3rd appears on Programme cards, but the date has been changed by the management to Sept. 15th.	
Half Mile Run	100.00	Five per cent to enter and five per cent additional from winners.	
Thursday, Oct. 11		Five to enter, four to start, unconditional entries.	
2.30 Trot	\$200.00	Purses divided 50c, 25c, 15c and 10 per cent; best 3 in 3 to harness.	
2.18 Pace and 2.14 Trot	250.00	Running 3 in 3, O.J.C. to govern. Catch weights. Money divided 50, 30 and 20 per cent, 4 to enter, 3 to start.	
Farmers' Race—1st prize, Fanning Mill, donated by M. Campbell Co., and.....	15.00	Old distance races. Horse distancing field, first money only.	
2nd prize, Road Cart, donated by Wm. Gray & Sons Co., and.....	10.00	Drivers and riders must appear in proper costumes. The society reserves the right to declare all races off on account of weather or other causes, in which event money will be refunded; also the right to change the order of races.	
3rd prize, Pump and 20 feet Pipe, donated by Park Bros. and.....	5.00	National Trotting Association Rules to govern. Hobbies allowed. Free stables found. Hay for horses that are entered.	
Farmers' Race, No. 2—1st prize, Rug, value.....	8.00		
2nd prize, Lamp, value.....	5.00		
3rd prize, Whip, value.....	2.00		
Prizes in Race No. 2, donated by King, Cunningham & Drew. Entry Fee \$1.			

JAMES CHINNICK,
Chairman.

HENRY ROBINSON,
Sec. Agricultural Society.

W. A. HADLEY
Secretary.

Carling's Ale

is made to please those who are particular about what they drink. There is no better Ale made anywhere. Try for yourself—compare it with what your idea of good ale is. Our best advertisement is inside the bottle, and it is one that every ale drinker can understand.

CARLING
LONDON

Eggs for Hatching

From Barred Plymouth Rocks, and Black Minorcas, all from the best selected stock, good healthy birds. Received first prize at the Poultry Exhibition for best eggs. Price for large quantities. All orders promptly filled.

W. W. Everitt,
Mobile City Dairy

VACUUM OIL

Makes Machinery Run smoothly and cheaply. Saves wear and tear and fuel. Made by the Vacuum Oil Co., under the Vacuum process.

FARMERS

Inset upon your dealer furnishing Vacuum American Fuel. Take no other.

Canadian Office and Works

VACUUM OIL CO.

40 Esplanade East Toronto

Supply and Outfitting Co.

Goods on weekly instalments

Why buy for cash while you can buy goods at 25c per week and upwards.

Sideboards, Smyrna Rugs, Axminster and Royal Rugs, Art Squares, Lamps, Clocks, Ex. Tables.

Head Office and Store,

Rice Block, Market Square

All new and up-to-date goods. Give us a call. Branch office in Glenfield and Wallaceburg.

GERHARD HEINTZMAN

Pianos

Canada's Greatest Piano Fortes—Send for Catalogue and Prices

B. J. WALKER

62 GUYTON AVE. WILLOW

Ice Cream and Cream Soda

Wm S. Merville

PHONE 36

BERESFORD CIGAR

10c

MANUFACTURED BY STIRTON & DYER, LONDON, FOR SALE AT

Bennett's Cigar Store

10 O. F. BUILDING.

You Can Wish

For nothing handsomer and cheaper in fact, including all good qualities that are desirable in footwear than the PRINCESS \$3.00 SHOE, in fact it is as stylish as any \$5.00 shoe in the market.

AT THE

SIGN OF THE BIG CLOCK

Some people spend so much of their time in trying to be amiable that they haven't time to earn a living.

BEING POPULAR.

Be Nice If You Want to Succeed in Attaining that End.

Popularity is won by a mixture of self-suppression and self-assertion. The first step toward learning how to please most people is by realizing that they are more interested in themselves than in you, and the measure of their regard will be the degree in which you minister to their pleasure and self-importance.

The way to be popular is to give much and take nothing. After all, we ourselves like best the friends who care to know details of our private experiences, so why should we act toward others as though their affairs were matters of indifference to us? Learn to rejoice when you hear of the success of an acquaintance, then you will not forget to congratulate her when she next meets you. Be sorry for a neighbor's clouded prospects—she will be gratified to find herself of consequence to you.

This worldly sermon has for its text "Be nice if you want to be popular." There is no need to debate the question "Is popularity worth seeking?" for all pursue this form of the bubble reputation. Society would dissolve into fragments if we did not.

Another essential ingredient of popularity is "check." Timidity is the extra spoonful of flour that spoils the cake. Modesty is a mistake, except in the company of highly gifted individuals, and even they would mostly rather be playfully than actually worshipped. Malicious gossip must be kept under the lock and key of the will. It repeated it alarms those whom it most amuses, who think "If Elizabeth would say such sharp things about Maud, what will she say of me?"

In conversation assist the backward and help the adventurous to execute clever manoeuvres; in literary discussion be as brilliant as you please, in short sentences, but exact the point for praise from the rambling arguments of others—in fact, remember always that a human being thinks "How can I acquire myself well?" not "How nice it is to meet with so much cleverness!"

Is all give and no take? True. But the reward is "being popular."

Boer Ladies at Home.

Some interesting notes about the ways and customs of the Dutch ladies appear in the British Weekly from a correspondent who spent some time in Boer households in the Transvaal. The ladies, we are told, have very pale complexions, in the whiteness of which they take their pride. To keep off the scorching sun's rays, they envelop their heads in white linen scarfs, worn like the nurses and sisters of mercy, and over this wear either the sunbonnet, or "cappie," or a large straw hat tied under the chin with strings. They have the impression that they "burn black," and know nothing of the becoming brown sunburn which English girls like to get.

At the same house the daughters entertained their visitor in their bedroom by showing her box after box full of elaborate crocheted work, counterpanes, antimacassars, and yards and yards of crocheted lace frillings, which they had made. They are also very clever makers of paper bowers, and many of the parlors and entertaining rooms are freely adorned with colored bunches and festoons of them. In some houses the bedroom walls are adorned with pages from fashion-books. The ignorance of the Boer girls is sometimes surprising. One old Dutch "frau" quite thought that there were Kaffirs or black people all over the world, and no doubt wondered how the English could get any work done with no servants at command.

Three Excellent Recipes.

CHEESE BISCUITS.—Place four ounces of Parmesan cheese and four ounces of pastry bower in a basin, with a little salt and a few grains of cayenne. Rub into this two ounces of butter and make into a stiff dough with the yolk of an egg. Roll the pastry out thinly, cut it into rounds, prick with a fork and bake in a cool oven until crisp. Keep these biscuits in a tin until quite cool.

PRUNE JELLY.—Take one quart of prunes stir until soft and mash through colander; half a box of gelatin; put in bowl, cover with cold water, let it soak for about five minutes; then add a half of the mashed prunes, and to the gelatin, with three tablespoonsful of sugar; put on the stove, and let boil for five minutes; pour into jelly moulds and serve with cream.

EGGS A LA JOSEPHINE.—Boil six eggs twenty minutes. Remove the shells. Separate the yolks without breaking; put the whites in thin narrow slices, and mix them with an equal quantity of fine shredded cooked fish and a tablespoonful of parsley. Place the mixture on a platter in a circular or oval ring, and put the yolks in the centre. Set the platter in a steamer to heat the mixture. Make a pint of thick white sauce and pour around the edge of the dish.

Fish Not Brain Food.

The popular notion that "fish is a brain food" is a mistake, for eminent physiologists tell us that fish, no more than any other nitrogenous food, contributes to brain growth and development. All nitrogenous foods, such as fish, meat, eggs and so on, repair the waste tissues of the body, but fish is of no more importance than the others.

HOW ARE YOUR NERVES?

The Condition Determines the state of Your Health.

Paine's Celery Compound Is a Nerve Medicine and Nerve Food.

IT MAKES SICK PEOPLE WELL.

Too many people are ignorant of the fact that the nerves regulate the blood supply through the body. The condition of the nerves should therefore be our first attention.

If the nerves are out of repair the result is loss of sleep, irritability, depression of spirits and lassitude, all of which are the beginning of serious ailments and diseases.

Paine's Celery Compound is a nerve medicine and nerve food as well as a purifier of the blood. When used it removes from the nerve centres all irritability, and by supplying abundant nutrition to the nerve tissue secures healthy action throughout the nervous system.

When men and women are worried and overworked in the home, workshop, store, or office, and find it hard to get sleep at night—when the used-up brain gets no time for repair, nothing so refreshing, strengthening and gives life as Paine's Celery Compound. It is the food for brain and nerves.

Paine's Celery Compound is the acknowledged chief of all medicines for the cure of diseases due to weakness or to a foul condition of the blood. It is the one real remedy known to-day that never fails to be beneficial. Get Paine's Celery Compound and only "Paine's" if you would be well and strong.

SAVED BY BENGAL LANCERS.

Americans in a Fight With 2000 Boxers at Matow—Chinese Were Routed.

Ten Tsin, Sept. 18, via Shanghai. Sept. 16.—A British signal officer reports a sharp engagement between a company of the 14th United Infantry (Matow) on the road to Pekin. The Americans made a gallant stand, and a detachment of the Bengal Lancers, nearby, hearing the firing, came to their rescue and charged the Boxers in the rear. The Chinese were routed, leaving 200 dead. The Americans had no casualties.

Give the true American a daily newspaper and a piece of pie and he will make himself at home anywhere on earth.

WHISKEY MEDICINES.

The temperance press is emphasizing the danger to the home in the use of "medicines" which are loaded with whiskey or alcohol. In this respect, as well as in the remarkable character of their cures, Dr. Pierce's medicines differ from other preparations. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and "Favorite Prescription" contain no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant, and are equally free from opium, cocaine and other narcotics. Every family should have a copy of the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, sent absolutely free, on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing and customs. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or 50 stamps for cloth binding. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

That which the best human nature is capable of is within the reach of human nature at large. —Herbert Spencer.

Gentlemen.—While driving down a very steep hill last August my horse stumbled and fell, sending himself fearfully about the head and body. I used MINARD'S LINIMENT freely on him and in a few days he was as well as ever.

J. B. A. BEAUCHEMIN.

Sherbrooke.

When one girl wants to make an other girl mad she asks her what on earth makes her nose look so red.

OFF THE TRACK.

This means disaster and death when applied to a fast express train. It is equally serious when it refers to people whose blood is disordered and who consequently have pimples, sores, bad stomachs, beriberi, kidney weakness, nerves and that tired feeling. Hood's Sarsaparilla puts the wheels back on the track by making pure, rich blood and curing these troubles.

Constipation is cured by Hood's Pills. 25c.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

A woman invariably puts her best foot backward when she gets off a car.

HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA CURED IN NO TIME.

By using Dr. Price's Pain Killers. Sure and harmless. Cure rheumatic and sciatic pains, toothache, 25c.

PAINTS! RHEUMATIC, SCIATIC, OR NEURALGIC CURED.

By Dr. Price's Pine Oil. Cures earache, backache, toothache, in fact Aches and Pains of any kind. 25c.

For sale by C. H. Gunn & Co., Drugists, Chatham, Ont.

A STRONG SMITH MAN

Ald. Sulman Will Support the Popular Candidate—May Run Himself Some Day.

Ald. G. W. Sulman, whose name was suggested at the Conservative convention as a candidate for Kent, was busy but he found time to say a few words for the Conservative candidate.

"I didn't wish the nomination," said Mr. Sulman, "and for that reason I did not attend the convention. In the first place I felt that Mayor Smith should have the nomination and in the second place I could not afford to sacrifice my time from my business but, at some future time, George W. Sulman may be the member for Kent."

T. A. Smith is a man who will receive the support of the Conservative party. He has always been a consistent Conservative all his life and a hard worker in the party. He should receive the support of every citizen because he has always looked after the city's interests during his many years of municipal life. He worked hard for the city and devoted his whole time to municipal affairs. He has always been a friend of the laboring classes and has never done all in his power to assist them. When the railway strike was on T. A. was the first to step forward with a check for \$25.

KILLING A DOG COSTS MONEY.

Joseph Alexander, of Waterloo, Fined Heavily for His Recent Shooting.

Waterloo, Ont., Sept. 18.—The trial of Joseph Alexander, charged with the wounding of Nightwatchman, Jacob Peppier, was held here Saturday morning. Police Magistrate Weir, of Berlin, presided. A large number of witnesses were called and the circumstances of the shooting were thoroughly gone into. The case established and his counsel clearly for lenient sentence. A number of prominent men of the town testified to the prisoner's good character. Magistrate Weir allowed the prisoner to go on suspended sentence, but fined him for discharging firearms in the town, and for interfering with a police officer in the discharge of his duty, also \$25 in the discharge of the dog. The fines and costs which Alexander will have to pay amount to nearly \$200.

E. M. L. L.

This signature is on every box of the genuine

Exhaustive Bromo-Quinine Tablets

the remedy that cures a cold in one day

HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS

Oranges are refreshing and feeding, but are not good if the liver is out of order.

To remove kerosene oil from a carpet, cover with oat meal and leave for several hours. The oat meal will absorb the oil.

If ink has been spilled on a carpet, cover the spot with milk immediately, and wipe up without spreading the area of stain. Then wash off with soap and water.

Pour water around the roots of the maiden-hair fern, but not on the foliage.

Economical cooks do not boil the whole egg when only the hard-boiled yolk is needed. Either the yolk is dropped alone and unbroken into water and boiled hard in this way, the white being previously drained off, or, if the yolk is left in the shell and put thus into the boiling water.

The letters R. S. V. P. are out of place on a dinner invitation, it being understood that the reply should be prompt. In declining such an invitation it is courteous always to state the reason.

If a moth miller is seen in a closet, it is a good plan to burn a little camphor gum very promptly. Frequently, this simple precaution, if taken very early in the spring, will rid that closet of moths for the season.

"There is a general prejudice against eating before going to bed, which in many instances is unfounded," says a prominent physician. "In the case of persons who are feeble or sleep poorly a cup of hot milk taken just before retiring will often produce quiet sleep and provide needed nourishment. No one should go to bed hungry; but plain food, such as a bowl of bread and milk, a slice of bread and butter or a saucer of oatmeal and milk, is desirable. Many an hour of sleeplessness may be avoided by such a repast.

Apples supply the higher nerve and muscle food but do not give stay. Prunes afford the highest nerve or brain food, supply heat and waste, but are not muscle feeding. They should be avoided by those who suffer from the liver.

A good substitute for suet in puddings may be found in well clarified dripping if a little soaked, finely crushed tapioca be added to the mixture.

A very young housekeeper frequently makes the mistake of planning for a great variety of dishes, when she might for the same outlay have the very best cuts of meat and an abundance of the substantial.

Left over stewed potatoes may be mashed fine with a fork, mixed parley added, formed into cakes, dipped into cracker crumbs and fried delicate in a little butter; they are delicious prepared this way.

Mashed potatoes are excellent breaded with cracker crumbs, fried in butter, and used as a border around meats; lay a sprig of parsley or watercress on each cake.

Keep a bottle of linseed oil and lime water (mixed in equal parts) in readiness to use for burns or scalds. Shake well, spread upon old table linen and bind on the injured place.

CONSERVATORY.

Miss Clara M. Blight

Pupil of J. H. Hahn, Detroit Conservatory, of Music and Mr. A. Victor Carter.

A limited number of pupils will be taken after Sept. 18th. Pupils entering for the scholarship must register before Sept. 18th.

Address all communications to Miss Clara M. Blight, Krause Conservatory, or Box 278, Chatham.

Miss M. E. McDonnell

Piano and Theory

Full Term commences Sept. 18th, 1900. Free Scholarship open for young ladies amongst students for season 1900-1901.

Krause Conservatory of Music, Chatham, Ont.

Mrs. Alice James

Soprano Soloist and Choir Leader, William St. Basil's Church.

Will resume Vocal instruction on and after Sept. 17th. For terms, etc., address P.O. Box 107, residence, King St. E., 1st floor east of Standard Bank.

Miss Dorothy Sheldon

Teacher of Piano.

Will receive her pupils on and after Sept. 18th. Free Scholarship offered to pupils commencing before Sept. 18th. For terms, etc., address Krause Conservatory of Music, Chatham, Ont.

Miss Louise Hillman

PIANO AND ORGAN

Special attention given to Theory. Full term commences Sept. 18th. Free Scholarship offered to pupils entering Conservatory by Sept. 18th. For terms, etc., address Krause Conservatory of Music, Chatham, Ont.

MRS. JOHN COOPER,

Soloist and Choir Leader, First Presbyterian Church, Chatham, will resume instruction in Voice Culture at the Conservatory of Music, Chatham, on September 18th. Students desiring to compete for scholarship must begin by September 15th.

A Choral Class will be open to all students. For terms, etc., address: Krause Conservatory of Music, or P. O. Box 107, Chatham, Ont.

Concert engagements accepted. P.

Miss Nora Stephenson

Pupil of Mr. H. M. Field, Leipzig, Germany, and Mr. R. Victor Carter, (Late of Leipzig)

PIANO-FORTE PLAYING.

Special Attention paid to Touch, Tone, Technique and style of interpretation, on lines laid down by such great artists as Herr Adolph Krause, Leipzig, and Herr Theo. Lachafsky, Vienna.

Krause Method as taught by Mr. H. Field and Mr. Carter.

A limited number of students will be accepted.—Full term commences Sept. 18th, 1900.

Address all communications to

Krause Conservatory of Music, Chatham

Miss Eida Idle, A. T. C. M.

(Gold Medalist)

SOPRANO

Soloist and Choir leader Park St. Methodist Church, Graduate with first class honors of Toronto College of Music and Toronto Conservatory of Music also pupil of Madame Albert Shury and Signor Solano, of Milan, Italy.

VOICE CULTURE.

CONCERT ENGAGEMENTS.

For terms, dates, etc., address Krause Conservatory of Music, Chatham, Ont.

R. Victor Carter

Musical Director, Krause Conservatory of Music, Chatham

Honorary Representative of the Toronto College of Music

Teacher of Piano and Theory

Next Season's Term commences Thursday, September 14th, 1900

Toronto College of Music

Musical Examinations

will be conducted at Chatham Local Centre, June 1901. Students passing same successfully will be granted a Toronto College of Music Testimonial, (certificate and Diploma).

Mr. Carter has been associated with the Toronto College of Music and his students are of foremost opportunity to take the first, second and final examinations at the yearly sessions.

His students, which will be conducted by a Board of Examiners from the Toronto College of Music.

Special attention given to students to prepare themselves thoroughly to compete for examination honors.

Circular giving full information sent FREE.

R. VICTOR CARTER

Hon. Rep. Toronto College of Music.

Sausa. es

Tenderloins and Frankforts

Fresh every day at the Pork Packing House

F. Chaplin

Phone 240.

It will pay to be enrolled as a student in the CANADA BUSINESS COLLEGE, Chatham, Ont.

Many of the students of our Short-hand and business departments, during the last term, were offered excellent positions before completing their courses. We have supplied the largest cooperation concern on the continent with 30 Book-keepers and Stenographers. Results are the Test to apply when you come to decide where to take your course.

147 cities, towns and villages in Canada and Newfoundland; 25 counties in Ontario; Parry Sound and Muskoka, Manitoba, Alberta, and six States of the Union were represented last year.

OUR QUARTER-CENTURY session opens Sept. 4.

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

We pay railway fare to the extent of \$8 to students from a distance.

For the finest college catalogue in Canada, write:

D. McLACHLAN & CO.

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD character to deliver and collect in Chatham for old established manufacturing wholesale house; \$900 a year, sure pay. Honesty more than experience required. Our reference, any city. Enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

Morton's for Sporting Goods.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Corrected June 25, 1900

GOING EAST

GOING WEST

GOING SOUTH

GOING NORTH

GOING EAST

GOING WEST

GOING SOUTH

GOING NORTH

GOING EAST

GOING WEST

GOING SOUTH

GOING NORTH

GOING EAST

GOING WEST

GOING SOUTH

GOING NORTH

GOING EAST

GOING WEST

GOING SOUTH

GOING NORTH

GOING EAST

GOING WEST

GOING SOUTH

GOING NORTH

GOING EAST

GOING WEST

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

The Finishing Touch

To a Gentleman's Dress is his Overcoat.— Nothing will mar the appearance of an otherwise well dressed man so markedly as an ill-cut or an ill-fitting

Overcoat

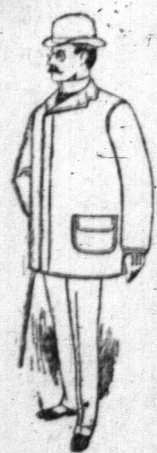
And we are not overstating when we say that our display of this season's Overcoats will make some of the merchant tailors rather uneasy. We are showing over

Five Hundred Dress Overcoats

to choose from, the make, style, fit and finish of which there is nothing in the city to compare with them. This is a broad statement. All we ask is a look and you will very easily be convinced that we have the finest and biggest stock of up-to-date clothing in the city. Our prices range for the dress overcoats from \$5.00 to \$15.00. Below will give you an idea of a few of the many popular lines we are showing.



The Big Snap In Men's Suits At \$5.00 Good Tail Saturday September 22nd



C. Austin & Co.....

The Leading and Reliable Clothiers

- Men's Whipcord Dress Overcoats**, in handsome shading fawn, nice weight, best tailored garments in Canada, imported wool, plaid linings, all facings silk, piped silk, mohair sleeve linings, a perfect model sizes 34 to 42, beauties at..... **\$15.00**
- Men's Herringbone Whipcord Dress Overcoats**, in new shading fawn effect, a handsome garment, perfection in fit, best Italian trimmings, silk mohair sleeve linings, all facings piped, a coat that is equal to any tailor made at \$20.00. We have pants to match making a pretty combination with dark coat and vest..... **\$12.00**
- Men's Special Whipcord Dress Overcoat**, in a very pretty coloring light fawn very fine cord, perfectly cut, equal to custom made garments at twice the money, lined with best Italian, to match shading, all French faced and piped, sizes 34 to 42, very special at..... **\$10.00**
- Men's Ext a Special Whipcord Dress Overcoat**, we had this coat made up specially to run at \$7.50, and it is particularly good value, having No. 1 trimmings, all French faced and all facings piped, perfect fitters, nice medium length just right for fall wear and is very desirable shading of fawn, and is sold by most dealers at \$10.00, we bought a quantity to get a price, sizes 34 to 44, extra at..... **\$7.50**
- Gentle Gray Cheviot Dress Overcoat**, made from special gray chevots, in two weights, nice medium dark gray shading, extra well trimmed and made, a sensible dressy coat, collar made of cloth, sizes 35 to 44, prices \$7.50 and..... **\$10.00**
- Men's Novelty Dress Overcoats**, in black and brown, heavy curl, beauties, perfectly tailored, all French faced and piped, best trimmings, sizes range 35 to 44, extra value at..... **\$10.00**

We Call Particular Attention

To our special Tailor-made Beaver Dress Overcoats, in black and blue at

\$10.00 HAS NO EQUAL \$10.00

Made from pure imported Beavers, all cloths and linings selected by ourselves, and made to our own ideas, made in single breasted style, the best Italian linings, silk mohair sleeves, silk velvet collar, all stitched and sewn with silk all facing piped with satin full French facings, sizes 34 to 46.

Men's Beaver Dress Overcoats

The swellest goods shown from the low price of \$5.00 to the high class tailor made with satin linings at \$15.00, for fit, finish and workmanship they have no equal, come and see, sizes range 33 to 44, prices run

\$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, to \$15

THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.

Toronto, Sept. 18, 10 a. m.—Fine and cool. Wednesday, easterly winds; stationary or slightly higher temperature.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Morton's for sporting goods. If a jeweler wants an apprentice. Abram Huff wants a single or married man to do work on his farm. Elley Bros. loaded shells, at John A. Morton's.

Miss Gail has returned from a two month visit with friends in Toronto. Miss Lolla Dunkley spent Sunday in Ridgeway the guest of Mrs. Delmage.

Miss Lillie Patterson, Lorne avenue, is spending her vacation in Detroit and Flint, Mich.

Mrs. Thos. Ross, daughter and son, of Petersburg, Michigan, are visiting Mrs. M. J. Crosby, Foster St.

H. E. Johnson, clerk, Wallaceburg, is asking for tenders for the erection of a fire hall and public offices in that town.

Miss May Hooking, William street, has just returned home from a two weeks' sojourn among relatives and friends at Toronto and London.

Mayor Smith, though able to be around is very ill with lambo. He was not able to attend the council meeting last night.

George Quinn, who is at present incarcerated in the jail as a dangerous lunatic, has been examined by Drs. Charteris and Fleming and Judge Woods. He is considered by them to be of unsound mind and will be sent to an asylum.

The Sons of England met last night and appointed a committee to make arrangements for the concert and reception to be held in the lodge rooms next Monday evening. Refreshments will also be served.

See John A. Morton's Loaded shells.

Owen Watson, Dresden, a graduate of the London Collegiate Institute, and a member of cadets who visited this city in July last, has articulated to Dr. G. W. Cornell.

Two employees of The Planet left for Sandwich this morning where they will be engaged for the next ten days on the county of Essex Registry Office books.

A large crowd is expected to take in the Farm Laborers' Excursion to the Canadian Northwest by Canadian Pacific Ry. A number of passengers have already arranged to leave Chatham Wednesday to catch the train leaving Toronto Thursday, 20th. The fare is only \$10 going.

Mrs. Marentette and daughter Ruby left for New York yesterday. Miss Marentette, who is a graduate of the Ursuline Academy, has been engaged to teach music and French in one of the New York schools.

The annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Park St. Methodist Church will be held Wednesday at 3.30 p. m. in the lecture hall of the church. A full attendance is desired, as the yearly reports will be given, also the election of officers will take place for the ensuing year.

Over one thousand farm laborers are required in the Northwest. The Canadian Pacific Ry. will run a farm laborers' excursion, leaving Toronto Wednesday, Sept. 20th, \$10 going, \$18 returning. For particulars, etc., enquire of W. H. Harper, city passenger agent.

"A Breezy Time" blew in this morning on the Galveston flyer, and its members are registered at the Gardner. It is said to be a veritable whirlwind of fun and comes highly recommended. The patrons of the Grand will test its strength to-night. The band blew itself on the street this morning.

Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. The Slater Shoe Co., Montreal, supplied Lord Strathcona with 800 pairs of laced boots at \$2 a pair for the Strathcona Horse. Trudell & Tobey, Slater Shoe Agents for Chatham, have a case of these shoes made out of leather. These shoes which they will sell for \$3.50 a pair. Slater people claim this is the best wearing leather in the world. Trudell & Tobey.

Experienced waist makers and coat makers are registered at Madame Skirving at Thos. Stone & Son's dress making department.

THE THEATRE TO-NIGHT.

Visitors to the Grand to-night will find a bright, clean theatre awaiting them. Since the last performance Albert Tratto, the local scenic artist, has spent about two weeks on the scenery and has worked wonders with it. A handsome parlor setting in panels of shaded pink has been put in the office setting is new, a new wood scene takes the place of the old one, while the cottage is entirely unrecognizable. The best piece of scenery in the house is in the "street" which although modelled after the former one, is such an improvement that it excites admiration at once from the spectator. These, together with the new draperies on the boxes, the new gilding and painting and the general bright and clean appearance of the house make it look better than it has in years before and should do much to increase its popularity. The curtain rises on "A Breezy Time" to-night at 8.15.

"WERE NEARLY CAPTURED."

Dick Skirving has written another letter from Erskine Fabricken, dated Aug. 12.—In a scrap with the Boers, he and Shore were nearly captured Dick getting a spent bullet in his left hand. Coogan is sick in Bloemfontein hospital with a mild attack of tonsillitis, but is expected at the front again in a few days. Large crowds of Boer women are being sent up every day to Botha's army by Lord Roberts. The photo which Detective Skirving had taken of "Kruger and the British bulldog," exhibited at Benson's cigar store some time ago has reached the boys and they enjoyed it immensely. Garrison men sent out from England are all there to relieve Canadians who expect to move to the Cape in a few days. This is the first step towards home.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

The Boston

Is The Hub.

J. L. Campbell Is The Owner

Seller of Trunks' Grips and Telescope Valises.

Agent for the celebrated Sovereign Shoe for Men, Price \$3.00. Lace or Button, made from the best Vici Kid and Valued and Box Call, colors chocolate tan or black, new styles and lasts made to look, fit and wear well.

J. L. Campbell

The Boston Shoe House

Dr. A. W. Thornton

D. D. S. Toronto University. Office—First Door East of Standard Bank. Telephone 164.

DRESDEN.

Sept. 18.—Miss Annie Caister returned last evening from a month's visit to relatives in Woodstock and Tavistock.

Mrs. Galbraith has returned from a trip to Toronto.

Mrs. L. MacBeth is home from Detroit, where she has been attending the fall millinery opening's.

Miss Leah Davis is visiting her sister Beattie at Tupperville.

Miss Leila and Nellie Hicks have returned home from a visit to the Western Fair.

Mrs. Huff and daughter, Miss Margaret Huff, have returned from a trip to Leamington and other places.

The Old Man's Occupation.

"It's a queer world," said the old man, "when you come to think it over. You know, I dedicated Jim for a lawyer."

"Yes."

"An' Bill for a preacher?"

"Exactly."

"An' Tom for one o' these here literary fellers?"

"I've heard so."

"An' Dick for a doctor?"

"Yes."

"Well now, what do you reckon I'm a-doin' of?"

"Well, sir, you must not believe it, but I'm a-supportin' of Jim an' Bill, an' Tom an' Dick an' it keeps me a-goin' from daylight to dark!"

Rule That Works Both Ways.

"I have frequently observed," said the vegetarian, "that when a man lives on beef he becomes something like an ox; if he eats mutton he looks sheepish, and if he eats pork the chances are he will grow awkward."

"Perhaps you are right," said the turtlefooted Alderman. "I have also observed that when a man lives on nothing but vegetables he is apt to be pretty small potatoes."—Chicago News.

All Actuated by the Same Spirit.

A number of small children were industriously lighting matches and burning the edges of a small flag which one of their number held.

"Why, children, what are you doing?" exclaimed a patriotic young woman who was passing.

"We're making a new flag out of it," said the equally patriotic children.

Small Philosopher.

"Mamma—de baby's kyin," said a little girl, glancing up from her playing.

The mother said no need.

"Mamma, de baby's kyin," said a little girl, glancing up from her playing.

Still the mother did not heed.

The little girl arose, went over to the crib, and looked down sympathetically upon the bundle of pink and white.

"Nether mind, baby. Dis is a troublsome world you're tum to. You'll hab to ky a heap o' times and nobody'll notice you."

A Very Small Piece.

She—Have you forgotten how you once said you would give the world for me?

He—What if I did?

"Oh, nothing, particular; but it seems quite a come-down now you won't give." The little old suburban lot so that I can have a new wheel!

WALLACEBURG.

Sept. 18.—John Hall was in Chatham on Monday last.

Mrs. Harvey Morris has moved in from the Island.

H. P. Hopkins, Inspector of post-offices, called on D. C. Macdonald yesterday.

The Acme Comedy Co. played "Forgiveness" to a well filled house last night. To-night they play the "Passion Slave." The prices for this popular play are 10, 15, and 25 cents.

D. A. Gordon moved in from Port Lambton last week.

Harry North has returned to Wallaceburg, after spending a few weeks at his home.

Caps For Men

Caps For Boys

The cap has come to stay. They are worn by the young and the old and in all seasons. We can't help distinguishing between our selection tho' and some of the strange gear you see about.

All Good Lookers

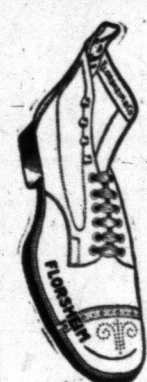
Boys Caps, in Fancy Tweed and Navy Serges, in Chieftain, Varsity and Iona shapes..... 10c to 50c

Men's Caps, in Light and Dark Checked Tweeds and Navy Serges, in all the latest shapes, unexcelled values, from..... 25c to 50c

We take just as much pains in selecting caps as we do in selecting anything else we ask you to buy,—have to or we couldn't do the hat and cap business of the town.

Thornton & Douglas

Victoria Block. King and Fifth Streets.



THE FLORSHEIM SHOE.

This line of shoes is made by The Florsheim Shoe Co., Chicago.

Great Wear, Great Beauty Great Value

Are the Three Great Features of the

FLORSHEIM SHOE

To be seen at

Turrill's Shoe Store

Repairing Neatly Done

FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

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

Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, Lot 40 ft. front x 208 feet deep, \$1,000.00.

Frame house, 11-2 stories, 6 rooms, Lot 30 ft. front x 104 deep, \$450.00.

Brick house, two stories, 13 rooms, Lot 78 ft. front, x 135 deep, \$2,500.00.

Frame house, 7 rooms, summer kitchen, lot 75 ft by 104 feet, \$1,150.00.

Frame house, 6 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 feet by 104 feet, \$850.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, Lot 60 feet, by 208 feet, Good stable, \$1,100.

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

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

Farm in Howard, 33-1-3 acres, house stable and orchard, \$1,000.00.

Farm in Chatham Township, 110 acres, All cleared. Good house, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. Will trade for 25 or 60 acre farm, part payment.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 50 acres, All cleared. Good house and barn, \$3,750.00.

Money to loan on mortgages at lowest rates.

Apply to

W. F. SMITH, Barrister, Chatham.

Important to Breeders and Horsemen



Eureka Veterinary Caustic Balsam

A reliable and speedy remedy for Cuts, Splints, Spavins, Sweney, Sore-throat, etc., in Horses, and LUMP JAW in Cattle. See pamphlet which accompanies every bottle giving scientific treatment in the various diseases. It can be successfully used in every case of veterinary practice where stimulating applications and blisters are prescribed. It has no superior. Every bottle sold is guaranteed to give satisfaction. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Prepared by the Eureka Veterinary Medicine Co., London, Ont.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

Administrators' Sale

Under and by virtue of the Powers of Sale in the last Will and Testament of John Henry Brown, late of the Township of Chatham, in the County of Kent, Farmer, now deceased, whereof Letters of Administration with the Will annexed have been granted by the Surrogate Court of the County of Kent to the Vendor, which will be produced at the time and place of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on Saturday, September 22nd, 1900, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Grand Central Hotel, in the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, by Archibald B. McCoig, Esq., Auctioneer, the following freehold property, that is to say:—

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Chatham, in the County of Kent, containing twenty-five acres, more or less, and described as the east half of the north-east quarter of Lot number Five, in the Seventh Concession of the Township of Chatham.

The property is a valuable parcel of land, situate in a good neighborhood, about six miles from the City of Chatham. The soil is a clay loam.

The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

Terms of Sale:—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance thereof within fifteen days thereafter without interest.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Messrs. Jesse A. and Henry B. Baldwin, Councilors at Law, Chicago, Ill., or to

W. F. SMITH, Vendor's Solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

Or to ARCHIBALD B. McCOIG, ESQ., Auctioneer, Chatham, Ont.

At

..Money to loan..

ON MORTGAGES

At 4 1/2% and 5%.

Legal Terms and privileges to borrowers. Apply to

LEWIS & RICHARDS, Barristers, Etc., Odd Fellows' Temple, King street, Chatham.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff, where.