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## GAMEY'S STORY.

Says Mr. Stratton Promised to Fix Matters.

### OPENING OF TRIAL

**THE PRINCIPAL WITNESS TELLS OF HIS DEALINGS WITH CAPT. AND FRANK SULLIVAN AND MR. STRATTON—HISTORY OF THE \$1,500—THE CROSS-EXAMINATION.**

Toronto, April 14.—The Royal Commissioners, Chancellor Boyd and Chief Justice Falconbridge, to inquire into the charges of Mr. R. R. Gamey, M.P.P., against Hon. J. R. Stratton and other members of the Government lost no time yesterday in settling down to work. Having brushed aside a few preliminary objections by the defence, they were prepared to hear the evidence, and the chief actor himself was first called.

For the prosecution there were: Messrs. S. H. Blake, K.C.; C. H. Ritchie, K.C.; W. D. McPherson, and J. A. Macdonald, and for the defence: Messrs. E. F. B. Johnston, K.C.; W. R. Riddell, K.C., and J. M. McEvoy. Hon. J. R. Stratton was the



HON. S. H. BLAKE,  
Senior Counsel for the Prosecution.

only member of the Government present, and among the members of the Legislature were: Speaker Charlton, Messrs. J. W. St. John, J. P. Downey, Andrew Pattullo and John Richardson. Objected to the Charges.

Mr. Johnston objected to the charges as formally presented to the court, on the ground that they introduced matter beyond the scope of the commission. Chancellor Boyd suggested that the passages in the formal charges to which objection was made might be marked for discussion later, because it was undesirable to have those preliminary skirmishes when there were witnesses present from a distance. He added that the form was tentative, but that Mr. Gamey's charges themselves were before them and they were what the commission proposed to investigate.

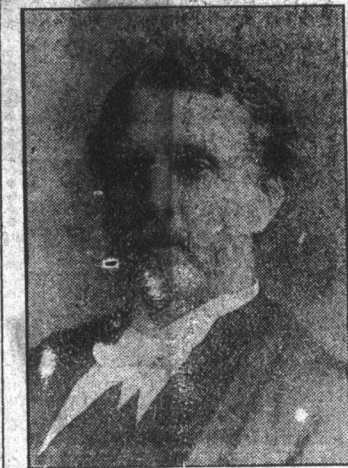
The investigation then started, with the formal production of various documents. Mr. Gamey himself was the first witness, and there was a ripple of laughter in the court when Chief Justice Falconbridge asked how he pronounced his name. "Gamey," replied the witness (the "a" being sounded as game). The examination was then begun by Mr. Blake. Mr. Gamey's evidence at the start was a repetition of the story he has already told the Legislature about meeting the Messrs. Sullivan and their suggestion as to how the protest against his election could be set aside. In referring to Mr. Smyth, M.P.P., of Algoma, he said that Frank Sullivan had stated: "Smyth could be bought," and by a coincidence Mr. Smyth at this moment walked into the court. These conversations with the Messrs. Sullivan and Mr. Jones of Beeton were in the direction of an approach to him to support the Government.

In the letter of Mr. Jones, dated August 16, the expression "acting manager" he took to mean whoever was running the Government when the Premier was away. Mr. Gamey continued to tell of Capt. Sullivan calling upon

him at his farm and wanting him to sign an agreement.

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two agreements, which were soon afterwards destroyed. The agreement he signed was to support the Ross Government and not resign during the present session. In the other agreement, which Frank Sullivan signed, Sullivan agreed to pay him \$3,000 then and \$2,000 after the session, and he was to have certain privileges, such as patronage, etc. When the Sullivans proposed to destroy the agreements they said they had shown his agreement to the Government to convince the Minister that he was in earnest, and now there was no further use for it. Then there was a proposition about a timber deal in which he was to make a profit



CHANCELLOR BOYD.

About the 10th of September Frank Sullivan introduced him to Mr. Stratton, who said he would get the patronage and the protest against his election would be withdrawn. Mr. Stratton spoke of a consideration for supporting the Government, and made mention of a certain parcel. The witness here was called to order by the court for referring to Mr. James Vance as a "scoundrel." "Stop speaking," said Chancellor Boyd; "you cannot speak of what you call common rumour."

When the Money Was Paid. The typewritten letter in which he announced his intention to support the Government was then read, and he said it was given him in Mr. Stratton's office. After this he went with Frank Sullivan to the office of Mr. A. B. Aylesworth, who said he had a letter to sign, which Gamey did. The next day, about the 17th of September, he called at Mr. Stratton's office with Frank Sullivan. Mr. Stratton said everything was ready, and, taking a parcel out of his pocket, said: "Go down to the smoking room and the parcel will be sent down to you." Sullivan had given the letter to Mr. Stratton. In the smoking room a party came in and laid the envelope which Mr. Stratton had on the table. There was \$3,000 in the parcel, which he and

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CHIEF JUSTICE FALCONBRIDGE.

Sullivan divided equally. He later showed the money to Edward Crossin, and then put the money into the Traders' Bank and asked to have it sent to his credit in the bank at Sudbury. Mr. Gamey then referred to discussion with Mr. D. A. Jones of Beeton about receiving the support of Mr. Smyth of Algoma for the Government.

Mr. Stratton Saw the Premier.

About October 23 or 24 he had interviews with Mr. Stratton about rumors that he was going to support the Government, and Mr. Stratton said he would see the Premier as to the advisability of publishing a statement. Mr. Stratton on his return said that the Premier thought it better not to publish a statement, but to let the matter drop. The petition against him was dismissed on October 25. The letter to Mr. Ross in which he promised to support the Government was prepared before that date, but was not signed and dated until later, so that there would be no supposition of collusion. His letter of Nov. 4 to Mr. Stratton asking for a loan was merely to see what the Government would do, but Mr. Stratton was away and nothing was done. About the 7th of

January he was told by the Sullivans that Mr. Stratton wanted to see him for speaking on behalf of the Conservative in North Perth and altering the letter of September to the Premier. Mr. Stratton told him that they wanted his support when it was needed and not when they had "a reasonable majority." He interviewed the alterations he had made in this letter.

### The Interview for the Globe.

On January 29, Mr. Stratton wanted him to sign an interview he had prepared for The Globe, because it would be the public announcement of his intention to support the Government. He signed it after making some alterations, and, at Mr. Stratton's request, gave it to a Globe reporter in an adjoining room. Frank Sullivan, who was present in Mr. Stratton's office, told him outside that if he signed he would get \$1,000 cash. After he gave the interview to The Globe reporter he met Mr. Stratton, who said he had given Frank Sullivan \$1,000, mentioning the denominations. Afterwards he met Frank Sullivan, who opened an envelope he had, and produced \$1,000 in his hand. These \$1,000 he kept in his pocket until he made his statement in the House, when they were put in an envelope and sealed. Another sealed letter was produced in court and Mr. Gamey, having broken the seal, said that the amount, the denominations and character of bills were the same as he received.

The court then adjourned until 2 o'clock. Looking For Evidence. In the afternoon Mr. Gamey stated that after the \$500 episode he wrote about the 31st of January to Mr. Latchford. The letter was sent through Mr. Stratton. "The reason for this," said Mr. Gamey, "was to get more evidence against the Government." It was an application for a grant of \$100 for a road in Killarney. There were also petitions to the Department of Public Works, beginning in October, one of which was endorsed by Mr. Gamey, asking for assistance for roads in his constituency.

Other letters were produced, including one written by Mr. Gamey, dated February 7th, to Mr. Stratton, in which he said, "Well, there is certainly a row on" adding that the Executive wanted his resignation, and concluding, "It's the wire-pullers of the party who are raising the trouble." The next was the "X, Y, Z" letter, registered from Yorkville Postoffice. He received two others from the Sullivans, also registered at the Yorkville Postoffice. The typewritten paper enclosed in the "X, Y, Z" letter was produced, giving advice as to the course which Mr. Gamey should take in view of the troubles threatening him. This paper was not signed, as far as he knew there was no one in Toronto sufficiently familiar with the details other than Mr. Stratton or the Sullivans who could have written such a letter.

Sullivan Will Come. Mr. Frank Sullivan was then called, at Mr. Blake's request, but was not present.

Mr. Johnston explained that Mr. Sullivan was ready to come when tele-

graphed for, and would be present to-day, if necessary. He added that he was not acting for Mr. Frank Sullivan.

Mr. Blake expressed himself as satisfied with the explanation, as the witnesses were being called rather irregularly.

In another letter to Mr. Gamey a reference was made to "the fishery business." He explained that it meant that he and Frank Sullivan were to get "a rake off" if the Nobles got pound-net licenses east of Little Current. Frank Sullivan said that Noble paid \$300 last year and he knew who got it and Noble should pay as much this year. These pound-net licenses enabled them to catch more fish than they otherwise could.



HON. J. R. STRATTON.

Another letter from Frank Sullivan referred to the "fishing matter," and added, "A little delay will only make the Nobles more anxious to do the right thing." It also said that he had seen Mr. Stratton about getting the seat in the Chamber occupied by Mr. Beatty. When he arrived here on March 9 he met Frank Sullivan, went up to the House, was sworn in and assigned the seat he wanted.

### In the Piano Factory.

He made an arrangement to meet Frank Sullivan in Crossin's piano factory the next morning. He had three young friends concealed there, named W. H. Price, Percy Price and Arthur Kinney, and he discussed the whole situation and all their dealings with Frank Sullivan in the hearing of those three friends. Sullivan said that the other Ministers knew all about their deal. He (Sullivan) also

advised that it was unfortunate that the timber and mineral grants came through Mr. Davis' department, for he would rather have to deal with Mr. Stratton. This ended the direct examination, and Mr. Johnston then began the cross-examination.

### Cross-Examination.

In cross-examination Mr. Gamey said that during the four years he knew Frank Sullivan he might have had other deals with him, but could not remember. After some questioning he would not swear that he did not have another deal with Captain Sullivan. He had minor deals with his uncle, D. A. Jones. He sold some Pug mining stock and got some hundreds of dollars, but he would not admit that the mine was worthless, for reliable men said it was fairly good. Before August, 1902, he did not know any Minister except Mr. Davis, and that was only a casual acquaintance. He never met Mr. Stratton until the beginning of September. Nevertheless, though strangers, Mr. Stratton spoke of paying money the first time they were introduced by Frank Sullivan. Considerable sums of money passed through his hands, but never as much as \$2,000 passed through his bank account in 1902 prior to September.

### He was "Patriotic."

He believed he was always true to his party and he thought the word "patriot" would characterize his conduct as well as any other word. He claimed that he had the right to use that \$1,500 and did use it in his business. On September 12th the \$1,500 was deposited at Sudbury and \$1,200 of it was taken out on September 18. On March 31 he had \$40 to his credit in the two banks, Sudbury and Gore Bay, and subsequently he issued a check for \$1,000 to be paid if called upon. He kept the \$300 to identify a crime, to prove an offence. The \$1,500 if kept separately would be the same kind of evidence. Yet he parted with it, and he admitted he did not know whether he would get the \$500 or not. "It just occurred to me to keep."

There was no other reason. He said that he used the \$1,500 because he knew he could restore it when the House met, but he admitted that when he made his statement on March 11 he did not have the money, and could not get it without realising his assets. A check for \$1,000, dated April 7, was produced in court, and Mr. Gamey explained how this amount was made up by small deposits sent to Gore Bay at intervals after March 11. Questioned as to why he did not tell Mr. Johnston, his political leader, about these amounts of money, he would give no reason. Mr. Johnston, he said, came down here on January 20 to discuss the matter with him, but he would not admit that it was to help in the plot.

### Mr. Gamey May Have Tired.

The statement which he read in the House was produced, and Mr. Johnston asked why he stopped short in the middle of page 3 and started page 9 at the top. Mr. Gamey replied that he might have been tired. Mr. Johnston asked if he got tired handling \$1,500 and wanted an answer. "Let me ask you a question," said Mr. Gamey.

"No," replied Mr. Johnston. "I think I could tell when you were tired," retorted Mr. Gamey. The incident led Chancellor Boyd to tell the witness rather sharply to answer questions properly. There was another break on page 14 of the statement, but Mr. Gamey could give no explanation except that the writing was spread over ten days and some pages might have been inserted. Questioned regarding his interview with Mr. Stratton on September 10, he said he afterwards attended a Conservative caucus expressing confidence in his leader and speaking of his own victory. This was reported in The Mail and Empire next morning. Yet Mr. Stratton must have seen this report if he had read The Mail. Mr. Stratton was a stranger, and yet Mr. Stratton paid him \$3,000 either that day or the day after. He would not swear on which day he got the money.

### Investigation Opens Promptly.

Upon the commencement of the proceedings sharp at 10 o'clock the Chancellor asked:—Are you ready to proceed, Mr. Blake?

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### NOVEL SCHEME

"I've got the greatest receipt for rat killing you ever heard of," said Willard McKay this morning. "The barn out on my farm on Park avenue is just alive with rats and they have been trying to carry it away lately, so I just thought out a scheme the other night. I took a large sized tin and filled it full of cornmeal and plaster paris. I took it out to the barn and placed it in the middle of the floor with a dish of water along to get what success the scheme had. Seated around that tin were 22 rats and they did not seem to move at my approach. I don't happen to be very fond of rats so I got a hammer and shied it at the bunch. The hammer struck just fell right to pieces in chunks. The plaster paris worked very fast and the rats were still sitting when they croaked. I think I'll get rid of the rest of them now," concluded the new farmer.

A sample of the Bitulithic pavement may be seen at the office of W. M. Drader, Queen street. "I was not in favor of this pavement," said Mr. Drader to a Planet representative to-day, "until my visit to London, when I saw the pavement in use. It will be 35 cents per square yard cheaper than the brick and noiseless. The cobblestones, too, can be utilized and save some expense."

## SIR O. MOWAT HURT.

HE FELL DOWN AND FRACTURED HIS THIGH.

The Surgical Operation Was Successfully Performed and His Honor Slept Well All Night—Medical Attendants are Satisfied With His Condition To-day.

Toronto, April 14.—It will be learned with universal regret that Sir Oliver Mowat has met with another serious accident. About 9 o'clock on Sunday evening when he was being moved by his attendants from a chair to his bed, his right thigh-bone was broken midway between the knee and the hip. The cause of the accident is unknown for the greatest care was exercised on account of the previous accident about two months ago. On that occasion he fell, injuring a small bone in the thigh, but the physicians were not sure that it was broken. Since then, although he had recovered sufficiently to walk a little, it was necessary to support him and also to assist him when undressing. It was while the attendants were moving him to his bed on Sunday evening that the present accident occurred. Drs. Temple and Primrose and also Dr. Archibald Moir, a specialist in anaesthetics at the Hospital for Sick Children, were hastily summoned. Sir Oliver suffered considerable pain, but everything was done to relieve the patient and the fracture was set at once. Sir Oliver did much better than might have been expected considering his great age. In fact, he slept for two or three hours during the night, which, under the circumstances, was quite remarkable.

### SENATOR GILLMOR DEAD.

Passed Away Suddenly While Traveling on a Train.

Brownville Junction, Me., April 14.—Senator Gillmor died on the C.P.R. train, near Mattawamkeag, from St. John to Montreal, about midnight. He was in good spirits, and arguing labor topics in the smoking-room of the Pullman until he retired. In less than ten minutes the porter of the car ran into the smoker, saying "Senator Gillmor is dead!"

Restoratives were administered in vain, and Dr. Jenkins, ex-M.P., pronounced him dead. Mrs. Gillmor is in Montreal, staying with her son, and the news will be a terrible shock to her, as she was almost inseparable from her aged husband.

### LABOR CONFLICT EXPECTED.

Proposal to Import Army Reservists as Longshoremen.

Montreal, April 14.—The longshoremen treat lightly the threat of the contractors to bring a thousand men from the other side of the Atlantic to work on the docks in Montreal, as these, they say, would not come so far for a few months' work. It is claimed, on the other hand, that these men are army reservists, who are out of employment, but quite capable to do the work, and that the Military Employment Bureau of England is engaging them at \$9 a week, with a bonus of \$75 at the end of the season and passage back to England. As navigation opens in a few days, indications point to a fierce struggle. Should a strike take place, it is said that the teamsters will refuse to handle freight that is being loaded or unloaded by non-union men. The teamsters themselves, who organized a short time ago, have prepared a statement of demands which will be presented to the master carter and the transportation companies this week, asking for an increase of wages and a regulation of overtime.

Chas. Heath is spending a few days with his sister in Tilbury.

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Toronto, Feb. 19, 1903.

## SETTLER'S LOW RATES WEST.

Via Chicago and North-Western R'y, every day from Feb. 15th to April 30th, colonist one way second class tickets at extremely low rates from stations in Ontario and Quebec to points in Colorado, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and California; also to Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Nelson, Rossland, etc., etc. Full particulars, rates and folders can be obtained from B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 East King Street, Toronto, Ont.

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## SACHEL —OF THE— SATELLITE

Gamey accepted G. W. Ross' mining policy and Stratton paid the first dividend.

April sheds tears, and so did the maidens who had new Easter bonnets to wear Sunday.

The Mayor seems to have his keough in the matter of securing new pavements for Chatham.

The short of London Old Boys is Lob. Add ster to this and you will have what there will be in great abundance at that re-union.

How would it do for the C. C. I. Board at station C. C. I. Trustee S. B. Arnold, with a drawn sword, at the gates of the Collegiate Institute, to keep out the entrance pupils?

A Wallaceburg young lady swallowed 10 cents the other day, and now she is afraid lest a Ridgetown young man will marry her for her money. It was a Blenheim editor who insinuated that she might not cough up at that, but you know Blenheim is a little sore at Wallaceburg over some lacrosse differences.

**FILIAL IRREVERENCE.**  
The diminutive John of a certain family fails to appreciate his father's beauty, for after watching the paternal ancestor several successive and serious seconds recently, he enquired: "Say, daddy, were there any other men around when ma picked you out?"—Exchange.

**HE KNOWS THE BALLOT.**  
Mr. Clancy wants it made a criminal offence for any one to say that the Federal ballot is as bad as that used in Ontario. It will soon be regarded as a criminal libel to say that anything political is as bad as its counterpart in Ontario. —Montreal Star.

No, Maggie dear, your theology is at fault. You have been misinformed by your Sunday school teacher, and he may say for your private information that the reason there are no marriages in heaven is because there must be some way of distinguishing it from hell. The phrase you mention, "single blessedness," was coined by some anonymous married man. By the way, how much money have you got? Next time you write, Maggie don't pin the stamp on the envelope. You will find one side covered with muckilage.—R. C. Edwards in the Eyeopener.

**A WESTERN VIEW.**  
"Remember," said the judge, "you are not obliged to incriminate your self."  
"And what's more," said Stratton, "I don't have to. The member for Manitoulin has attended to all that for me."  
"Is the evidence against me very strong?"  
"It's rather gamey."  
"Ha, ha! Are you ready to proceed? Have you got your witnesses all properly subpoenaed?"  
"Yes, your lordship."  
"Have you got Mr. Ross confined to his room with influenza so that he cannot appear?"  
"Certainly."  
"Have the Sullivan left with the Baldwin expedition for the North Pole?"  
"They have, your lordship."  
"Then let the case proceed."—High River, Alberta, Eyeopener.

**An Excess of Generosity.**  
"The Biggers are a remarkably open handed and unselfish family, don't you think so?"  
"Yes, but they carry it too far. Somebody sent them a box of oranges not long ago, and they let their little boy take a basket and go around among the neighbors and give an orange to each child."  
"That was generous, wasn't it?"  
"Oh, yes, but little Willie happened to have the mumps, and in an excess of generosity he gave the disease to each child he met."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**Directed All Right.**  
Mrs. Hayseed (visiting New York)—Hi, sonny, can you tell me where Wall Street is?  
Chimmy de Chump—Yes'm. Youse goes right down this way till youse come t' where some men's puttin' up a buildin'.

**News by Wire.**  
Mrs. Jones—Oh, dear me, please tell me how to word this telegram to my husband! I want to tell him that the baby is sick, the cook is ill, the water pipe is leaking, and I want him to come home at once.  
Operator—Oh, if you want him to come home at once you had better say, "Good news; come immediately."—Telegraph Age.

**Would He Too Had.**  
"William, now that you've made your property over to me I can do as I please with it, can't I?"  
"Well, of course as your husband the law gives me a third interest in the real estate while I live."  
"You wouldn't be mean enough to insist on that, would you, William?"—Chicago Tribune.

## BLIND- FOLD.



Blindfold a woman and she loses all confidence in herself. Her step is slow, hesitating and uncertain. Her hands are raised to ward the imaginary blows which threaten her. When a sick woman seeks the means of health she is often like a woman blindfold. She cannot tell what her effort will lead to. She turns now to this side and then to the other in uncertainty and doubt.  
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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure biliousness and sick headache.

## SAVINGS OF CHILDREN.

**Curious Inquiries and Remarks by the Rising Generation.**  
"Mamma," queried small Edith, who was looking at the picture of an angel, "how do the angels get their gowns on over their wings?"

Edgar, aged six, was recently sent to school for the first time, and upon his return home he asked, "Papa, who taught Adam the alphabet?"

Small Harold was taken to a literary club meeting one afternoon, where his sister read an essay, and upon his return home he was asked what they did. "Nothing much," he replied; "only sister talked to herself on a piece of paper."

Little Fred after attempting to make a picture of a horse on his slate said, "Mamma, does God see everything?"  
"Yes, dear," was the reply.  
"Well," continued the embryo artist, "I'll bet he'll laugh when he sees this horse."

After dinner was over little Margie was observed with her head bowed and her hands clasped. "Why, Margie," said her mother, "don't you know dinner is over?"  
"Don't interrupt me, mamma," rejoined the little miss. "I'm prayin' for another dish of that puddin'."  
Needless to say her prayer was answered.—Chicago News.

## A Prominent American Bishop Writes For the Benefit of Canadian Sufferers.

**He Strongly Recommends Paine's Celery Compound**

**The Health Giving Spring Medicine.**

Thousands of prominent clergymen in Canada and other lands through the use of Paine's Celery Compound are happily pursuing their pastoral duties and ministering with success to their congregations. Heart trouble, sleeplessness, nervousness, sluggish and impure blood, weak digestion, constipation and headache, are the troubles that drag clergymen down to deeper sufferings and perils. To-day, Paine's Celery Compound is the chosen home medicine of all wise and prudent ministers and priests. A vast number of them owe their lives and present good health to Dr. Phelps' world renowned prescription that makes sick people well. Rev. John S. Michaud, Bishop of Burlington, Vt., writes as follows:  
"I have been asked why I recommended Paine's Celery Compound, and I desire to put on record frankly my reasons for this endorsement, hoping that my words may inspire those readers who need health and strength with faith to try Paine's Celery Compound and prove to themselves its worth."  
"At the Fanny Allen Hospital, an institution in which I am deeply interested, Paine's Celery Compound has been used successfully. The Sisters of Mercy at Mount St. Mary's Academy on Mansfield Ave., rely upon Paine's Celery Compound as a tonic and strengthener. In my own household one of the domestics has taken Paine's Celery Compound for liver trouble of long standing, and says, 'It has done more good than any other medicine.' Several priests have spoken to me in praise of this remedy, and I believe it has the confidence of my associates. Even did I not know from personal observation of the worth of Paine's Celery Compound, I should feel like praising it for the simple reason that it is prepared by the Wells & Richardson Co., a firm whose members I have known for nearly a quarter of a century, and in whom I have perfect confidence."

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There are 175 different pieces in the average watch, requiring in its manufacture 2,400 separate and distinct operations.

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We find that noon worship is as widespread as the human race itself, and as old as the first dawn of intelligence. We can trace it back until its origin is lost in prehistoric darkness.

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**Purpose is what gives life a meaning.**

## Local Briefs

Judge Bell left yesterday for London.  
Thomas Wells, of Dresden, was in the city Sunday.  
Roy Cook has returned from a short visit in Chicago.

Tom, Holmes, of Detroit, was in the city Sunday.

Mrs. James Doyle, of Chatham Tp., is dangerously ill.

Ald. Walter Piggott left Sunday night for Toronto.

Miss H. Edythe Hill is visiting at her home in Toronto.

W. L. Hungerford, of London, was in the city yesterday.

Harry O'Keefe, of Sandwich College, is visiting in the city.

D. T. Scott, of Wallaceburg, was in the city over Sunday.

Julius Perot, of Geo. Stephens & Co., is laid up with the mumps.

Hee. Robert, of Windsor, spent Easter Sunday in the city.

Mrs. S. Thompson, of Duart, was a Maple City visitor Sunday.

Rev. W. E. Knowles is a Toronto visitor during the vacation.

D. McKerrall is shipping his household effects to Woodlawn, Ill.

Miss Minnie Bedford, of Detroit, is visiting at her home on Park avenue.

Miss Myrtle Fielder is visiting her sister, Mrs. Evans, Blenheim.

No. 13 Wabash had eleven cars of emigrants for Chicago Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. White, of Detroit, are visiting Mr. White's parents, King street.

Wanted, at once, two boys to work in trimming shop. Apply Wm. Gray & Son.

Messrs. Bennett & McQueen, of the Gordon Store, were Detroit visitors Sunday.

County Commissioner James Ross, of Tilbury, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Miss Muriel Weaver, of Detroit, is visiting her brother, L. A. Weaver, this week.

John McLaren returned to Pontiac Sunday evening after spending Easter in the city.

Ed. Prudhomme returned to Detroit Sunday night after spending Easter at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Austett and family, of Detroit, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tschirhart.

Ted. Bogart returned to Detroit yesterday morning after spending a few days at his home here.

Gordon McCosh, of the Bank of Montreal staff of Wallaceburg, spent Easter Sunday at his home in this city.

Miss Maude Kerr, Head street, left Sunday evening for Detroit, where she secured a position as stenographer.

Mr. Hind, of Toronto, an old Chatham boy, returned home Sunday after spending a few days with his Chatham friends.

Wm. Streavel and wife, of Dawn, and R. Quackenbush, of Kilworth, Ont., were the guests of Mrs. B. S. Dunlop, Easter Sunday.

Miss Agatha Bennett, of the Harper Hotel staff, Detroit, is spending the Easter week with Mrs. Harry Andrews, Murray street.

Ed. Pritchard is moving to Windsor, where he has secured a situation in the Windsor Boiler Factory. Mr. Pritchard was employed in McKough & Trotter's foundry.

Milton Johnson, of the Chatham Loan & Savings Co., has returned from spending his vacation in St. Catharines.

Will McKay, of Cleveland, is visiting his father, Willard McKay, Queen street.

Argo's "Euphony" S. T. "Argo" cases and Mrs. Graham H. McKerrall, also of Chicago, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Richardson, Victoria avenue, returned home to-day.

If you are going to build why not call on J. L. Scott & Son. If you require a loan you can secure one from them at the lowest rate of interest. They will sell you lumber and mill bill or will take bulk contracts. Confine your operations and do all your business with one firm. You will secure better satisfaction and despatch, with less work and worry for yourself.

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# Munyon's FREE DISTRIBUTION 10,000 Vials of His Famous Rheumatism ...Cure...

TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

Will be distributed absolutely free from  
The Office of The Chatham Planet.

Prof. Munyon Cordially Invites Physicians, Sceptics and Don't-believers to take advantage of this offer and report through the Newspapers of Chatham.

The distribution will commence promptly  
9 a.m. on

**Wednesday, April 15**  
ONE DAY ONLY.



"No punishment is too severe for those who deceive the sick."—MUNYON.

"Six years ago I announced to the citizens of Chatham that I had discovered a positive cure for Rheumatism, and to prove my assertion I distributed nearly 30,000 vials in the Province of Ontario. The name of each person who accepted a vial of this cure was taken and each person was invited to report through the medium of the newspaper the result of his experience with this remedy. It will be remembered that many hundreds of testimonials were published from people who declared most emphatically that this remedy had positively cured them. Many testified that three or four doses of these little sugar-coated pellets relieved them entirely from all pain. Affidavits were taken showing that one or two bottles had cured old chronic cases, which had baffled the skill of leading physicians in Canada.

"Notwithstanding these unimpeachable facts, there are thousands of people in Ontario to-day suffering from Rheumatism, Sciatica and Lumbago. They have tried so many remedies without benefit that they have little faith in anything they see advertised. "It is to overcome the prejudice of this class of people that I have decided to make another free distribution of this cure. I want the public to know the truth about this specific. I want every physician, no matter how prejudiced he may be, to procure as many vials of this remedy as he may desire and make a thorough test of it. I know that it will relieve nearly all rheumatic pains in a few hours. It does not put the disease to sleep; it drives it from the system. It enriches the blood, strengthens the nerves and builds up the general health. The remedy has a larger sale throughout the civilized world than any other remedy. I emphatically state that this cure will do all that I claim for it. There is no 'Perhaps' it will cure or 'Guess' it will cure, but it cures and cures permanently.

"This distribution must not in any sense be considered a charity, but as a scientific investigation, which should

interest the rich as well as the poor. If my Rheumatism Cure will do all that is claimed for it, then every physician should give it his endorsement and every sufferer should resort to its use. If it does not do what is claimed for it, then it should be denounced and prohibited by law. By this free distribution, the public, who are the most interested, become the judges."—MUNYON.

## Arrangements for Distribution

The distribution of Prof. Munyon's Rheumatism Cure will take place from The Planet Office, where all who call will be promptly supplied. Those who cannot call may phone their names and address and their wants will be attended to without delay.

## Munyon's Remedies

Munyon's Cold Cure prevents pneumonia, breaks up a cold in a few hours. Price 25c.

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure cures Rheumatism permanently. Price 25c at all druggists.

Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure positively cures all forms of indigestion and stomach troubles. Price 25c.

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Munyon's Kidney Cure speedsily cures pains in the back, loins or groin and all forms of kidney disease. Price 25c.

Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in three minutes. Price 25c.

Munyon's Eye Ointment positively cures all forms of piles. Price 25c.

Munyon's Blood Cure eradicates all impurities of the blood. Price 25c.

Munyon's Female Remedies are a boon to all women.

Munyon's Vitalizer restores lost power to weak men. Price \$1.

Personal letters addressed to Prof. Munyon, Philadelphia, U. S. A., containing details of sickness, will be answered promptly and free advice as to treatment will be given.

## Auction Sale Household Furniture.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. James Carroll to sell all her household effects, at her residence, St. Clair street, opposite Poplar street, North Chatham, on Thursday, April 16th, at one o'clock, consisting of the following: Parlor carpet, centre-table, two platform rockers, lace curtains, pictures, fine couch, parlor chairs, one sideboard, one parlor stove, sofa, dining room carpet, several rockers, extension table, dinner set, complete, tea set, complete; china and glassware, one sewing machine, Singer; fall leaf table, dining room chairs, clock, bedroom suit, walnut; mattress and springs, matting, lace curtains, toilet set, bedding, one bed mattress and spring, one cook stove and cooking utensils, cane chairs, kitchen furniture, garden tools, and other things too numerous to mention.

Remember day and date, Thursday, April 16th, at one o'clock sharp.

MRS. JAS. CARROLL, Proprietress.  
ANDREW THOMSON, JR., Auctioneer.

## Auction Sale of Household Furniture.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. W. J. Bedford to sell all her household effects at her residence, Water street, opposite the goal, on Tuesday, April 21st, at one o'clock sharp, consisting of the following: One Mendelssohn piano with all modern attachments, this is a very fine instrument; one mahogany folding bed with wardrobe, secretary combination, this article cost \$150; one magnolia parlor table, cost \$25; parlor carpet, lace curtains, oak rockers, mahogany ship, chesterfield chairs, rug, sideboard, dining room table and chairs, linoleum, hanging lamp, china and glassware, one oak bedroom suit, mattress and spring; Brussels carpet, cane rockers, three toilet sets, four bedroom suits, mattresses and springs; one wardrobe, bedding, one coal or wood range, kitchen furniture, hose, lawn mower, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Remember day and date, Tuesday, April 21st, at one o'clock sharp.

MRS. W. J. BEDFORD, Proprietress.  
ANDREW THOMSON, JR., Auctioneer.

## Auction Sale of Household Furniture.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from Wm. C. West to sell without reserve, all his household effects on Tuesday, April 14th, at one o'clock sharp, at his residence, corner of Harvey and Centre streets, consisting of the following: Parlor table, brass parlor lamp, rocking chairs, rug, chairs, rug, small tables, large mirror, one adjustable chair, blinds, lace curtains, walnut extension table, lounge, sideboard, large arm chair, dining room chairs, hall carpet, 11 pictures, dining room carpet, matting, Brussels carpet, stair pads, curtain poles, fine lot glass, china and silverware, one music box, one Anglo German concertina, Chamber's Encyclopedia, choice oil paintings, walnut bedroom set, springs and mattress; oak bedroom set, springs and mattress; oak bedstead and mattress, oak bedroom set and springs, three bedroom chamber sets, bedding, blankets, etc.; cooking stove, in good order; parlor wood stove, new; stove furniture, one kitchen cupboard, one refrigerator, four lamps, fruit jars, large bird cage, carpet sweeper, tubs, one lawn mower, garden tools and other articles too numerous to mention.

All will be sold without reserve, as Mr. West is giving up housekeeping.

Remember day and date, Tuesday, April 14th, at one o'clock sharp.

WM. C. WEST, Proprietor.  
ANDREW THOMSON, JR., Auctioneer.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of Jamar Matilda Costworth, late of the Township of Romney, in the County of Kent, Widow, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to "the revised statutes of Ontario," 1897, chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Jamar Matilda Costworth, who died on or about the 9th day of March, 1903, are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1903, to send by post prepaid or deliver to Thomas Scullard, of the city of Chatham, in the County of Kent, solicitor for Robert Graham, Costworth, Caleb Costworth and Hatty Mabel Costworth, the executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their Christian names and addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 6th day of April, 1903.

THOMAS SCULLARD,  
Solicitor for above named executors.

## A WISE IDEA

To get your old carpet manufactured into beautiful, durable rugs, prices that are right. Call and see samples. Factory opposite Piggett & Sons lumber office in J. & J. Oldershaw's block.

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English Breakfast Bacon.

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The season is so early that the protector of Furs, Woolens and Winter Clothing will demand more than usual care in defending them from moths. We have everything for which there is ever a demand.

Moth Balls,  
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and some comparatively new ones that are equally effective against moths, but without the strong odor.

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is a perfect moth preventive and leaves the articles free from every odor, but the faint suggestion of lavender.

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## Plain Facts About Hardware.

We have the best and most complete assortment of Mechanics' Tools, Builders' Hardware in the city. Our prices are low as anybody can possibly make them. Take a look at our West Window for some samples, and let us name you the prices. They will please you.

J. C. WANLESS.

The schooner J. L. Green arrived in port yesterday laden with Posts for J. Plagott & Sons. This is the first consignment from the upper lakes this season.



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Call and see our :

Pillow Shams,  
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Housemaid Caps, Each,  
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25c Ribbon for 15c.

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## TO-NIGHT.

"Resurrection," Grand Opera House, at 8.15.

W. K. A. S., Old Town Hall, at 8 o'clock.

"A Company drills at the drill shed at 8 o'clock.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

Geo. Stephens, M. P., left for Ottawa yesterday.

Boy wanted for wrapping shafts. Apply Wm. Gray & Sons.

A. W. Campbell, of Duart, spent Easter Sunday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel MacLeod, of this city, were in Toronto Sunday.

The Misses Brandt, of the C. B. C., spent Easter at their home in Stratford.

Mrs. Arch. Park and Miss Lottie Thomson spent Easter Sunday in Toronto.

H. A. Eckhardt, of St. Catharines, is the guest of J. Milton Pike, of this city.

"Wanted—First class stenographer and typewriter at once. Wm. Gray & Sons Co., Limited. 31d

Mrs. Burnie, of Dresden, spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. W. M. Drader, Dufferin avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dyer, St. Clair street, spent Easter Sunday with friends in Windsor.

Percy Bedford, of Walkerville, an old Chatham boy, spent Easter Sunday with friends in the city.

Miss Hanna and Miss McVitty, of the C. B. C., spent Easter Sunday at their homes in Blenheim.

Louis Keefe, Ph. M. B., of Detroit, spent Easter with his friend, Harry O'Connor, of Turner's drug store.

"Remember Christ Church Concert, Thursday, April 16th. Best local talent. Admission, 10 cents. Everybody come!"

Mrs. Andrew Heyward has instructed A. Thomson to sell all her household effects, by public auction, at her residence, Queen street, on Thursday, April 23rd. See advt. later.

A Handkerchief and Home-made Cooking Sale will be held by Christ Church Guild on Wednesday, April 15, in the store next to W. M. Stone in Garner House Block.

Ed. Burns, of Toronto, who assisted the local football club in putting their minstrel production, spent yesterday with his many Chatham friends.

Bert Perry, of the A. B. Landon Co., London, wholesale stationers, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. Perry is an old Chatham boy, having first started in the stationery business with J. W. Kenny.

Mrs. Benj. Rice has been making an interesting test of cream separators for the past month at a good deal of trouble to herself. After a thorough trial she has satisfied herself and has now purchased a National from Geo. Stephens & Co.

## CHOOSING A SUIT

Is a delicate matter. You want that which is going to be popular. We selected a variety so that all may be satisfied. You'll see one here you like.

## DOVER HAS LARGE CLAIMS FOR THE NEW RADIAL ROAD

A Route System Suggested that will be Advantageous to Both Township and City—Advantages to be Gained by Its Adoption.—Promoters will Consider It.

A strong effort should be made to have the proposed electric road run through the Township of Dover. As regards railroad communication this is the most unfortunate township in the county. Every other township has direct communication with Chatham by rail. The municipalities to the south of this city are the most fortunate. Some of them are crossed by as many as three railroads.

Romey has the Lake Erie Division of the Pere Marquette; Tilbury, Raleigh and Harwich, the C. P. R.; G. T. R., M. C. R. and Lake Erie; Howard, the G. T. R., M. C. R. and Lake Erie; Orford, the M. C. R. and Lake Erie; Zone, the C. P. R. and G. T. R.; Caimden, the C. P. R.; Chatham Twp., the C. P. R. and Lake Erie; Gore of Camden, the Lake Erie; Gore of Chatham, the Lake Erie.

Dover Township alone enjoys the unpleasant distinction of not having a railroad within its confines or within several miles of its borders north of the river.

This township is one of the best settled and most prosperous in the county and, owing to lack of railroad facilities, the residents are cut off from communication with the market when the roads are bad. If a rise in the market price of farm produce takes place while the roads are bad, the Dover farmers are unable to take advantage of it unless they luckily happen to live close to the city.

The absence of a railroad in Dover reacts against Chatham to a certain extent also, because, when the farmers can't come to this city they can't patronize the merchants, and Maple City merchants lose a large amount annually from this very cause. Take last Saturday, for instance. It rained early in the morning and the roads were in a horrible state by the time the farmers were ready to go to the city, and it was only in cases of the direct necessity that the distant residents ventured a trip to Chatham.

Saturday evening Chas. Austin, of the C. Austin Co., remarked that their trade for that day had been practically nothing in comparison with other days.

"THE ONLY PEOPLE WHO CAME TO CHATHAM WERE THOSE WHO LIVED CLOSE TO THE CITY OR WERE ABLE TO COME BY RAIL," remarked Mr. Austin. "Those who live near the city are in often and their purchases were light, so that the only real good customers we had were those who came by rail."

Dover Twp. is cut off from Chatham by rail so that the Maple City merchants reaped little benefit from the large and prosperous township that lies almost at their doors. All that is needed is a good electric road to put this township in immediate and constant touch with Chatham, rain or shine. The cautious ones may argue that if the Dover farmers were in last Saturday they would be in again and make their purchases. This is not always true, by any means.

In the first place when a farmer or his family come to town they often find that they have no money when they had no such intention when they left home. In the second place, when a man or woman is forced to go without something they have made up their minds to purchase, they find that they got along without it and so decided not to buy it or perhaps the necessity for it has passed.

The Maple City business men above all others should unite with Dover in securing a road that will run through the centre of the Township. There are in addition many other considerations. An electric road through the centre of Dover would tap the fine fishing industry that flourishes on the shores of Lake St. Clair. Mitchell's Bay is as fine a summer resort as there is. It affords excellent fishing and boating privileges combined with shade, green grass and country drives. If an electric road is built running through Dover to Mitchell's Bay, that hamlet will become such a popular watering place that it will not know itself.

Then, last of all, Chatham Township has a road that runs through the centre of that municipality and there is no need of another road so close as the one proposed along the Chatham-Dover Town Line.

The route proposed that will give the best results, serving both the interests of Dover and Chatham, is along the River Road to the Winter Line, following the Winter Line through to Mitchell's Bay and thence to Wallaceburg. This line would reach Pain Court and Big Point and would also tap the whole Township of Dover.

There is no man who has done more in the interests of Chatham and the surrounding community than N. H. Stevens, President of the Canada Flour Mills Company. Mr. Stevens has, during the time he has lived in Chatham, brought up and carried through many reforms which have proved of the greatest value both to Chatham and the surrounding towns. He is known as one of the best and most enterprising business men in Chatham, and anything he undertakes is generally carried to a successful issue. It may not be generally known that it was he who first brought up the matter of a railroad through Kent,

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## EASTER WEEK

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## -OPENING-

EASTER Week marks the opening of our spring sales in our Curtain Section, managed by an expert, therefore always growing, improving and satisfying. Window draperies speak of refinement in the home and nothing surpasses our spring display of these in beauty and profusion at popular prices. Note some leaders.

\$1.00 Nottingham Lace Curtains, fine mesh and dainty or larger and heavier patterns, all 3 1/2 yards long, from 4 to 5 ft. wide, new designs \$1.00  
\$1.25 and \$1.50, Similar quantities but superior qualities of Nottingham Lace Curtains, advancing in price, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 up to \$5.00 \$1.25 & Nottingham Fish Net Lace Curtains, rich outash patterns, the very best to \$1.50  
\$6.75 stand the wear and tare of the laundry magnificent \$6.75 to \$8.00  
Brussels Net Curtain, newest patterns, very chaste in stripes or plain, large or 17.00  
\$3.50 small figures, 3/4 yards long, \$3.50 to \$17.00

Bobbin Net Curtains, plain or dotted, \$5.00  
\$2.75 heavy laced or frilled and lace and inter-sectioned, \$2.75 to \$5.00  
Renaissance Curtains, different styles, very artistic.  
The Bon Femme, single curtains, for French Windows of plain or dotted net frilled top and bottom, \$4.50 to \$5.00 5.00  
Hall Door Laces and nets and panels in great variety.  
Window Muslins, all widths, frilled, from 17c to 35c per yard  
Plain and fancy Window Muslins by the yard from 6 1/2c to 50c per yard.  
Frilled Bobbin Nets from 25c up to \$1 pr yd.

GET YOUR STANDARD DESIGNS FOR MAY 10 CENTS.

Wm. Gordon.

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over A. I. McCall's Drug Store.  
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## MUSICAL

WEARY WILLIE WALKER.

That's the name of the new musical farce comedy which came to the Grand Opera House last night.

There is no deep thinking plot, no special reason for the things said and done in Weary Willie Walker, but it is funny, and fun is what the public demands, and it always pleases.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—

Resurrection—Tuesday, April 14th.

Y. M. L. S. Minstrels — Tuesday, April 21.

Other People's Money — Monday, May 18th.

Friday, April 24.—Athletic Bungalow Benefit, comprising the presentation by the Maccabees Club of the Trial Score from "Marchant of Venice," and excellent musical and literary program.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

"RESURRECTION" TO-NIGHT.

In Tolstoy's great work, "Resurrection," will be seen in this city at the Grand Opera House, April 14th. The great writer and thinker expressed himself as follows:—

"Forces are acquired always either by violence—the most common way—or by avarice, or by some huge villainy, or by chronic enviousness, as in case of trade. The better a man is the more sure he is of losing his wealth, and the worse a man the more sure he is of retaining and increasing his fortune. The common sense of the people says, 'By honest labor one cannot acquire stone palaces,' and 'By labor one becomes not a rich man, but a cripple.' So it was in ancient times, and so it is even more so, when the distribution of riches has been accomplished in the most inequitable manner. Even if one allow that, in a primitive society, a temperate and industrious man will acquire more than one who is intemperate and lazy, that is not the case in our present society. The workman who plows another man's land, who buys the indispensable necessities of life at the price demanded of him, and who labors with instruments not his own, can never acquire wealth, however temperate and industrious he may be. On the other hand, the most profligate and idle man, who creeps into the good places of the government or of wealthy people, or who becomes a usurer, or a factory owner, or a banker, or a wine merchant, or the owner of a house of debauchery, can easily acquire a fortune, as we see in thousands of cases."

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## EQUAL TO EMERGENCY

The Maple City butchers are a very shrewd lot, and when W. H. Curran joined their ranks he didn't weaken them in regard to shrewdness, as the following story will illustrate.

"I had only been in the business a short time," remarked Mr. Curran, "when a swell lady came into my shop. She was the real article, a regular lifter, toggled in silks that you could hear rustling for a block. The lady asked for French lamb chops. I was new to the business and the fashion plate personator had me beat right quick. I didn't know just what to do. There might be French chops and, as I did not care to display my ignorance, I cut two pounds of chops off near the loin, and wrapping them up, asked 70 cents for the two pounds."

"My, they are just as dear here as they are in Chicago," remarked the lady.

"Yes, we sell ordinary chops for 12-13c. a pound, but the French lamb chops are much more expensive," was my response. "The lady paid and went away satisfied."

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## POVERTY OF OXFORD

FAMOUS UNIVERSITY SAID TO BE IN DIRE NEED OF FUNDS.

Generally supposed to be rich—Correspondent Says the Holders of Rhodes Scholarships Will Marvel at Lack of Equipment—The Great Seat of English Learning Declared to be Too Poor to Keep Abreast of the Times.

When Cecil Rhodes decided to found scholarships for American, German and colonial students at Oxford, he could not have been well informed as to the needs and financial condition of the historic university, says a London correspondent. "Had he been so, he probably would have made still another bequest to provide his beloved alma mater with modern equipments, the lack of which is daily becoming a greater embarrassment and handicap to the famous institution. For, although Oxford has the name of being one of the richest universities in the world, it actually is too poor to afford a large enough staff, or even sufficient books and accommodation to enable it to keep abreast of other institutions of its class, to say nothing of outranking them."

It is now being said openly in England that when the Canadian holders of the Rhodes scholarships reach Oxford they are likely to be much less impressed with the beauty, age and stateliness of the classic university than by its lack of proper equipment. Simply because there is no money to provide them the celebrated Bodleian library at Oxford is practically without foreign works on philosophy or on political economy.

Its stock of books on modern history is so comparatively scant that it is no exaggeration to say that the scientific study of European history cannot now be carried on at Oxford. For the same reason there is no equipment at all for the study of mineralogy, a subject which, it seems likely, the holders of the Rhodes scholarships will be especially anxious to pursue. There is only one professor to teach geology, there is no mechanical laboratory, while the arrangements for the studies of electricity and magnetism were described by one who knows Oxford well as "nothing but a brilliant professor lecturing in a tin shed with scarcely any apparatus and on a scanty income."

The Assyrian language is now taught in almost every important university, but it cannot be studied at Oxford, and neither can rabbinical Hebrew, a tongue with an important bearing on the study of the Old and New Testaments. Though there are now millions of Buddhists under the British flag, the sacred language of the faith is not taught with the Empire's most famous institution of learning.

Oxford is about the last place in the world which would strike the visitor as to the slightest extent in need of funds. Its buildings are impressive, and the ceremonial connected with them are stately. The great halls are decorated richly, and there is a general air of prosperity, if not luxury. The university has the reputation of being immensely wealthy, and so it is, but to-day its expenses almost equal its income. The different colleges all are well-to-do, but each one of them spends nearly all its income on its own needs and sets only a small percentage aside for the use of the university as a whole.

As Oxford's present state every additional student means an extra strain upon the university's exchequer. And Mr. Rhodes' scholarships will make an addition of one-seventh to the number of undergraduates.

Oxford is so poor to-day because she is supposed to be so rich. Huge gifts to colleges are not common in England, but there is no lack of rich men who would loosen their purses for Oxford's benefit, quickly if they could be made to understand that the famous university is really hard up.

**The Mother of a Sailor.**  
Mrs. Emma Haines walked from London to Plymouth, at the age of seventy-five, on a fruitless effort to see her sailor son, Mrs. Haines, with a very scanty store of money, started for London early in October, and for the best part of the first week she covered as much as twenty miles a day. In a little while, however, the poor old lady found her strength lessening, and soon she could only compass a few miles a day. As her funds grew scantier, she made valiant efforts to push on, whatever the weather, and for three consecutive days she toiled with weary steps through a heavy downpour of rain. Her greatest difficulty was to obtain lodgings suited to her means. In many villages she found this impossible, and had to stagger on to the next place. Despite all these difficulties, however, she only rode the last nine miles of her journey, over which a gentleman gave her a lift in his car. At Plymouth she was confronted with the staggering fact that the son on whose behalf she had tramped over 250 weary miles was posted as a deserter. Sick at heart, with her little store of money all but exhausted, Mrs. Haines set out on her dreary journey homeward. She got feebler every hour, and at last, at Tiverton, she quite broke down, and had to seek refuge in the workhouse, where she still is.

**United Convention in Ireland.**  
Arrangements are being made both in Ireland and America for the holding of a united convention of Irish societies in Ireland next year, at which delegates from the United States, Canada, Australia and Ireland will be represented. The convention will be held on the site of the Rock of Cash in County Tipperary, which the leaders consider is a proper place from which to issue a declaration of independence.

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Actor—I am just at present, but my wife is coming back from Europe next week.—Smart Set.

**VOICE FROM THE PRAIRIES**

Tells of the Great Work Done by Dodd's Kidney Pills

Thos. L. Hobbs tells how his Kidney Strain Vanished when he used the Great Kidney Remedy.

Kentis, N. W. T., April 13.—(Special)

In this new country where medical attendance is often hard to get the action of special preparations is carefully watched and the results are carefully noted. Consequently, conclusions are arrived at that are of value to the public. And the almost unanimous conclusion is that as a family medicine there is nothing to compare with Dodd's Kidney Pills.

As a tonic it has made a name for itself, while its cures of all stages of Kidney Disease from Bright's Disease to Backache might be considered miraculous if their frequency did not make them almost common.

The following story told by Thos. L. Hobbs, a farmer in Indian Head municipality, is one of the many that have given Dodd's Kidney Pills their reputation.

"About one year ago," says Mr. Hobbs, "I was thrown from a wagon, causing some strain on my Kidneys. I tried several medicines but could get no relief till I was induced to try Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Dodd's Kidney Pills relieved me almost from the start and by the time I had finished one box my pains were gone. They have not come back either."

**Romance Spoiled.**

Maud—I feel so sorry for poor Lillian. She and Reggie had it all planned to elope, and now they have to give it up. Jack—What is the trouble?

Maud—She can't persuade her stingy old papa to give them the money to carry it out.—Kansas City Journal.

**Strong Objection.**

"I am going to give the baby a romantic middle name," said Mrs. Stubb.

"Well, I guess not," interposed her stern spouse. "When he gets big enough, he'll think he can write poetry, and we'll have to support him."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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## FOR SPRING WEAR.

Pelerine Effects in Tailor Made. Chiffon Stoles.

Bias strappings of panne are much used on fine cloth, and narrow braid, gathered ribbon, silk cord or strappings outline panne bands.

The pelerine effect is shown on tailor made gowns, and smart veiling or collene costumes are finished with a deep



**GOWN OF POINT D'ESPRI.**

cape collar of bruges lace edged with fur and sometimes bordered with plisse chiffon which matches the gown.

Chiffon, lace and panne muffs and stoles are seen with touches of fur and marabou trimmings. In some muffs there is a little opening well protected by a silk lining for bouquets of real flowers.

The chateaufaine purse is quite a costly accessory. The most useful and economical are made of steel beads. The enamel mountings with gilt chain purses are very elegant, and so are those in gold or oxidized silver set in turquoises.

A dainty point d'esprit gown is shown in the illustration.

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**EVENING SKIRTS.**

Take Effects—Short Belones For Street Wear.

Some of the newest evening skirts are set into a close yoke, which is powdered with lace motifs or covered entirely with lace.

One very handsome model of primrose satin orientale had a hip yoke of white tulle lace and long stripes of the lace running down the skirt from

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**EVENING GOWN.**

the yoke, the bodies being treated in the same fashion and finished with a bertha of lace.

The short loose bolero which reveals the waist is quite the style in Paris and Vienna, and this style is infinitely more distinguished than the belted blouse in Russian style and looks more suitable for outdoor wear.

Gray is to be much worn this spring, and there is a fancy for costumes of all of one color.

A gown of spangled net with raised embroidery in chenille and silver tulle is shown in the picture.

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### THE BURIAL OF A BIRD.

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The singles moved at the Father's call, And folded the shroud, snowy pale, They saw the solemn host move on, And heard the requiem one by one. A funeral march in the still night, A resting place of the purest white, He marks the sparrow in his fall, He loves us notwithstanding all, Assured us of our higher worth, By bringing costly treasures forth; Wealth of purpose, during love, Wait for the chosen ones above, Beamsville, Ont. H. T. Miller.

### TALKING NORTHWEST FARMERS.

How Members of Last Winter's Cown C. at Bridgeville Impressed Ontario.

Your Northwest farmer can talk and talk well, writes "Day by Day," in Toronto News. He can tell you pretty nearly anything you want to know. And a wonderful farmer this—he is no pessimist. There is nothing atrocious about his point of view. He is prosperous, and he is glad that you have an opportunity of knowing it. He tells you without constraint that he has a quarter section—or two quarter sections. He makes no bones about the amount he owes in mortgage; nor does he conceal from you the fact that the agricultural implement company has a moderate note of his. But these things worry him not at all. The fact that you will soon have to buy a new suit gives you no concern. You know that you will have the cash—or the credit—which is equally useful. He knows that it will be no task to pay off the mortgage, or to take up that note.

Talking to this young man; listening to his crisp periods; marking the exactitude with which he says what he wants to say; a question forces itself upon your mind—a question that some sociologist should honor with his enquiring attention. It is: How far does environment affect the power of oral expression? Everybody, whether he has been West or not, knows that even the cowboys, the farm hands, the storekeepers, can all talk freely and intelligently. Their early upbringing seems to have nothing to do with the case, for though their grammar may be somewhat "shaky," as they themselves would say, they talk well and they are full of originality.

It must be the great plains that do the trick, for the mental analogues of these men in a little Ontario county or in a crowded shop in the cities cannot compare with them in point of conversational gifts. It may be objected that the craftsman in a big city factory is too tired to talk, and unfortunately, he often is; but the craftsman is usually a thick cut above the cow puncher so far as education goes. It cannot be the rude health of the Westerner that endows him with the gift, for the Ontario farmhand is just as sound in wind and limb as he is. No; it must be the environment, the inspiration of the limitless plains, the rustling song of the ripening grain, the sturdy diapason of the steam thrasher, singing the joyous song of peace and plenty until the last bag filled, the last ear winnowed, the exasperated straw mounting high, a golden heap, the whistle of the final train of triumph over the wheat that hath brought forth her increase.

**The Passenger Pigeon.**

Apocryphal of the recent discussion concerning the wild pigeon, Mr. L. H. Smith, Strathroy, writes: I was pleased to read in Canadian papers recently some very pertinent remarks on the passenger pigeon, and hope that it will be the means of reports being made by farmers, lumbermen and others who may be so fortunate as to find the nests or see any of those now almost extinct beautiful birds. I am a bird student, but have not had the pleasure of seeing a passenger pigeon for many years.

The cause of the almost total extinction of these birds, which in my time swarmed here in countless millions is a puzzle to naturalists. My own theory is that they were slowly starved. The natural food of the passenger pigeon was beechnuts, acorns, wild fruits of many kinds and mast, of which there was an endless supply in the thousands of miles of forests which was never touched by the axe until the white man came. Settlement commenced at the Atlantic seaboard, and it took many years, but the time came when this immense Atlantic-slope forest of deciduous trees was all destroyed and the passenger pigeon's fate was sealed.

My bird record, which I have kept since 1869, shows that the passenger pigeon began to dwindle in numbers in this part of Ontario in the sixties and the last I saw here was in 1883. Perhaps the cause of the extinction of this beautiful bird will never be positively and satisfactorily settled, but I think my theory is a possible and very reasonable one.

**Where to Put the Pigeon.**

Place where most convenient for feedings and caring for the animals, other things being equal. It should be on a slope, so that the water will not accumulate, but will run off readily. Where the ground is level, special effort should be made to drain the pig lot. Otherwise it will be very muddy during the spring and during a wet period, if a tile can be run under or alongside the pig lot, the lower layers of soil will be comparatively dry; then if the water from the surface is properly taken care of a fairly good hog lot will result.

**Nova Scotia Miners' Death Rate.**

The death rate in the coal mines of Nova Scotia was less in proportion to the quantity of coal mined than in either the States or England, the figures for 1931, the last obtainable, showing one death for 194,000 tons in the United States, 214,000 tons in England, and 240,000 tons in Nova Scotia.

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**The Important Question.**  
"How do you like your new servant?"  
"That isn't the question at all," answered young Mrs. Torkins. "We are trying to find out how she likes us."

**A Domestic Limerick.**  
A strenuous matron named Maud Decided her man was a fraud, So she put the poor lad Very much to the bad When she lit on his features and claud.

**Nearly the Limit.**  
"Yes, I know him slightly. He always impresses me as being rather a hard man."  
"Just say, that man can do a knife by just carrying it in his pocket."

**May She Fare Well.**  
To a fair lady bound for the fair The conductor said, "Lady, your fare!" She paid him, and they parted, and he said, "On his way he'd go With the fare from the fair to the fair."

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### SOME IRISH WIT.

Curran's Punishment of a Judge Who Anticipated.

A man of position in Galway was indicted for murder at the Assizes and acquitted against the weight of evidence, which was overwhelming against him. Shortly after this a man standing at the open window of Lucas' Coffee House in Dublin said to a friend: "What is that fellow going to be hanged for?" indicating a criminal passing by in a cart to be executed. A ragged individual in the crowd, hearing the remark, called out: "Plaze, yer Honor, for want iv a Galway jury."

In the early twenties there lived in County Limerick a Captain Evans of Ashroe, a man of limited education, but an active Magistrate in that unsettled district. He used to commence his reports to Dublin Castle: "My dear Government," and on one occasion he wrote: "You may rely on it I shall endeavor to put down all nocturnal meetings whether by day or night."

The fun at the Four Courts provided by the legal profession and their clients during the last century may fitly be ushered in by the famous magisterial opinion of the Hon. Mr. Curran. On one occasion he was counsel for an attorney who had taken proceedings to recover a bill of costs. Lord Clare, who was the Judge, and no friend to Curran, going through the bill, exclaimed indignantly: "Here now, Mr. Curran, is a flagrant imposition! How can you defend this item? To writing innumerable letters, £100?" "Why, my Lord," said Curran, "nothing can be more reasonable. It's not a penny a letter."

Lord Avenmore (Barry Velterson) was a Judge who irritated Curran by continually anticipating his arguments. "Mr. Curran," he would say: "I know your cleverness, but it is quite in vain for you to go on. I see the drift of it all, and you are only giving yourself and me unnecessary trouble." One day after being stopped in this manner the counsel said: "Perhaps, my Lord, I am straying, but I have just witnessed no dreadful circumstance that my imagination is not yet recovered from the shock. On my way to court, my Lord, as I passed through one of the markets,"—"Yes, I know, the Castle Market," struck in his deputy, "Exactly, the Castle Market; and on passing one of the stalls I noticed a butcher proceeding to slaughter a calf. Just as his hand was raised, a lovely little girl came bounding along in all the sportive mirth of childhood, and, terrible to relate—I see the life blood gushing out still—the butcher plunged his knife into—into—"The bosom of the child," cried the Judge with great emotion. "No, my Lord, it went right into the neck of the calf," replied Curran, "but your Lordship often anticipates."

### A Woman Tiger-Killer.

Mrs. Donnet, an American, who is the wife of a British officer in Northern India, has recently shot the largest tiger ever killed in India. The great brute was ten feet eight inches from the tip of his nose to the end of his tail. Mrs. Donnet had been with a party of officers shooting in the Chanda jungle and had already killed two tigers, four panthers and other big game, for the chance of a lifetime came to her. This is how she tells the story:—"We heard a tiger had killed a lot of deer in a piece of bamboo jungle about six miles off, so Timmins, my husband got about forty heaters together and we took up our positions near at hand. As they flashed through the bamboo, when suddenly an opening revealed a huge tiger to my astonished gaze. He was going full bat, so I saw it was a case of then or never, and although it was a very blind shot, I let blaze at the vanishing stripe, as they flashed through the bamboos. A roar and rush told me the monster was hit, but I could see nothing, as the jungle was so dense. When the shikar came up I told him where I had fired and got down, and with loaded rifle we approached the spot where about ten yards from where I fired lay the very finest monster I ever saw, and his great striped body did, indeed, look like a slain king of the forest. The shikar and I all but hugged in our excitement, and when the hunters came up our hurrahs and jubilant exclamations brought Timmins tumbling down out of his tree, and his joy and pride quite touched me. The monster was, indeed, glorious with his ten feet eight inches spread out to their full, his gums rolled up showing his enormous teeth and his skin in its prime, and, oh, so beautifully yellow and black."

**Disraeli's Wit.**

Disraeli's resourceful wit enabled him to play the courtier at all times, and to give in an instance which The London Daily Chronicle recalls a complimentary turn even to satire.

Soon after he had received his title, and had become the Earl of Beaconsfield, an old peer greeted the new peer one day, and asked him how he felt. Beaconsfield was just walking away from the House of Lords, but his thoughts seem to have been in the House of Commons, for he said: "I feel as if I were dead and buried."

The old peer looked agast. "And," Beaconsfield continued, with scarcely a pause, "and in the land of the blessed."

The old peer smiled again, and loved Beaconsfield forever after.

### Appropriate.

She—What an extraordinary picture! And why on earth do you call it "Home?"

He—Can't imagine, unless it is because there is no place like it.

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"What well behaved children you have, Mrs. Spinks."  
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**Cingalese Dainties.**  
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**The First of the Pilgrims to Land.**  
The descendants of Mary Chilton and John Alden claim for their respective ancestors the honor of having stepped on Plymouth rock first. The poet Longfellow calls John Alden his maternal ancestor.

**Labrador.**  
Labrador, a country which we always associate with Arctic snowdrifts, icebergs, etc., has 900 species of flowering plants, 50 ferns and over 250 species of mosses and lichens.

**Suicides in the Bible.**  
The first instance of suicide recorded in Scripture is that of Samson (B. C. 1117). The second is that of Saul (B. C. 1055). Rather than fall into the hands of the Philistines when hard-pressed in battle, he drew his sword and fell upon it and so died. Judas Iscariot, through remorse, went and hanged himself.

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## WORLD OF SPORT

## FOOTBALL

W. McDonald, of Detroit, and C. B. Sissons, of Chatham, were appointed vice-presidents of the W. F. A. at Toronto on Friday last.

Manager Messer, of the Chatham Football Club, is the artist who designed the window decorations in J. L. McColl's East End Drug Store. The drapings are in green and white, the city football colors.

## INDOOR BASEBALL.

A "out of the Windsor" indoor baseball team appeared in Sunday's Detroit News-Tribune. They have beaten everything west of Chatham, including the University of Michigan crack team, and now desire two games with a team picked from the 24th Regiment. The games will likely be arranged, as the Chatham boys have the fever and can put up a very good team.

## BASEBALL

Fred Barrett, the well-known catcher who played for "Grays" last year, has called a meeting of local baseball enthusiasts for this evening in the Hotel Marlborough, for the purpose of forming a city team, to enter the city league.

## MILLER'S FIRST.

Roy Miller pitched three innings in a practice game at Toronto Saturday. The Toronto Globe says, "Miller, the left-hander, handed out a nice ball." He struck out three men, gave a base on balls, was up to bat once and made a hit.

The Chatham Mfg. Co. employees held a most successful meeting in the company's office, with a very good attendance, last evening. It was decided to put a team in the city league now being formed.

The following officers for the year were elected:  
Hon. President—James Anderson.  
President—Stanley Ball.  
First Vice—W. R. Landon.  
Second Vice—W. S. Ireland.  
Sec'y-Treas.—K. Coatsworth.  
Captain—Chauncey Dewey.  
Manager—D. Skinner.

## GAMEY'S STORY.

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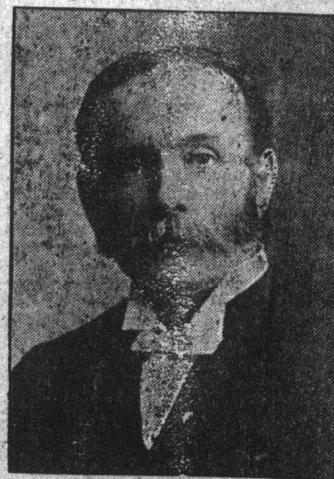
Mr. Blake—Yes, my Lord.  
The Chancellor—Do you object to those charges, Mr. Johnston?  
Mr. Johnston—Yes.

The Chancellor—Have you your witnesses ready?  
Mr. Blake—Yes.

The Chancellor—I think the best way is to mark in red ink the charges or portions of them which you object to, and later on we can have the argument upon the question.

Mr. Blake—We have heard no objections until this morning, and I think it is reasonable that if my learned friend makes any objections we should have some notice.

The Chancellor—I think he should serve now a copy marked with red lines which he objects to, and you can agree on certain portions, and can argue the other questions. At present it is very undesirable to have skirmishing on these matters. We have the text of the Gamey charges before us, and this commission is wide enough to investi-

R. F. B. JOHNSTON, K.C.  
Senior Counsel for the Defence.

gate anything that is in those. We will take the charges in the shape in which they are, in Mr. Gamey's own words.

Mr. Johnston—The scope of the charges as formulated by my learned friend, Mr. Blake, is infinitely wider than the scope of the commission.

The Chancellor—If it is infinitely wider we will never get through.

Robert Roswell Gamey was then sworn, and was examined by Mr. Blake.

Q.—Mr. Gamey, you were the Conservative member for the district of Manitoulin at the last election for the Legislative Assembly, held on the 22nd and 29th May? A.—Yes.

Q.—And you were elected for that electoral district, Mr. Gamey, at the last election? A.—Yes, sir, I was.

Q.—And the result of the general elections, as announced, gave how many Conservative supporters and how many Liberals? A.—After everything was settled I think there was forty-nine and forty-eight.

Q.—That was the position, then, in the month of June, 1902? A.—Yes.

Q.—Or as soon as the Lennox count was made known? A.—Yes.

Q.—Then when was a protest entered against your election? A.—Served about the 14th of July.

Q.—And when was it that you had the first interview with—I think he called himself "Captain"—Captain John Sullivan? A.—About the 7th of August.

Chancellor Boyd—In the island?

A.—Yes, my Lord, at my home in the island, in the Township of Campbell.  
Q.—Did he recommend you any course? A.—No—Captain Sullivan.

Q.—Then you went on to Toronto? A.—Yes.

Q.—Where did you stay there? A.—Stayed at the Walker House.

Q.—Whom did you meet there? A.—I met his son, Frank J. Sullivan.

Q.—What date was it that you arrived at the Walker House; you met on the 7th at Allandale; what time did you arrive at the Walker House? A.—The same afternoon.

Chancellor Boyd—That day, was it? A.—Yes, sir, I saw him that day.

Mr. Blake—The 17th of August, my Lord.

Q.—What did Frank Sullivan say to you in connection with this matter? A.—He spoke of my protest, and said he understood that they had strong evidence against me and would likely unseat and disqualify me, and I spoke to him and said that I could not understand anything of that kind, that I knew they could not disqualify me, I knew they could not have the evidence, and he said that from what he had heard they would be able to disqualify me, he thought; that evidence would be got all right; it was not always the evidence that was there, but the evidence that they could get for use.

Mr. Blake—Q.—What did he say to himself? A.—He said that evidence could be changed or fixed or bought or got, as it had been done in

the past; that if the Government wanted to get the evidence they could get it all right if they intended to get it; that he did not know what the real evidence was, but that it could be got.

Q.—Then what further did he say to you? A.—He said you could get rid of the protest, and the thing he fixed up all right, get rid of it—make a fairly good thing out of it. I said "I don't think that that can be done at all." I said "The Government is so close that I don't think any person would care to go into that sort of thing." He said it could be done, a good sum of money, five thousand dollars, something of that kind, could be made out of it, and the protest got rid of; if I could wait a few days he would get some person who would come and convince me that it could be done.

Q.—Did you say anything more? A.—I told him that I would wait and see.

Q.—For a few days and see? And what did you do? A.—Well, I was out of the city, I think, on the 8th, and I came back again, I think, on the 11th and 12th, and I saw Frank Sullivan and his father, the captain, different times, and discussed the question a little with them, and I understood they were—

Mr. Blake—Just proceed; something was said about how you could be convinced that this could be done? A.—They said it was some party they wished to communicate with that was out in the country, I understood; they didn't give me the name, and they would telephone to him, or would be in the city the early part of the week, and he would meet me then, and some discussion would take place as to the payment of the money, and in that way they convinced me it could be done.

The Interview at Walker House.

Q.—Anything further said as to the payment of the money or otherwise? A.—With regard to conversations, with them I understood from them that they thought they might get some timber limits or something of this kind from the Government, or they could get some person in the Welland or St. Catharines to put up the money at that time, and it would be necessary for me for the purchase of the limits; that was some of the conversation. I don't remember all that was said.

Q.—I did not see you were speaking about telephoning to somebody that was out of the city, or somebody that was to be seen; go on and tell me further after that? A.—Well, on Tuesday, the following Tuesday—that would be about the 12th of August, I guess—Frank Sullivan came to me and said they had this party there then in his father's room at the Walker House, and he and I would go up to the room and meet the man, and that the party would tell me that he understood that I wanted to go into a stock proposition that would net me \$3,000 in cash within five or six weeks and \$2,000 after this session, and said that that would be all practically that would be spoken about. So Frank Sullivan and I went up to his father's room at the Walker House on the third floor—I have forgotten the number of the room, 60 or something—and this gentleman was there (Mr. R. A. Grant), and Mr. Grant was introduced to me by Frank J. Sullivan, and Grant said, "I understand you want to go into some stock proposition that will net you \$3,000 in cash in five or six weeks and \$2,000 after this session—some time towards the spring, later on in the winter, something of that kind; and I said, "Yes, that was what had been Grant about," and he said, "I think that can be arranged all right, and we will see about it later," something of that kind. That was about all that was said between us; we went away.

Q.—On your return home what did you do in connection with this matter? A.—Well, I spoke of the approaches

that had been made to me to one or two parties.

Mr. Johnston objected.

The Chancellor—I think that could be given.

Mr. Blake—Who were the persons to whom you spoke? A.—I think I spoke to J. R. McGregor, Charles C. Platt, Gore Bay, and R. J. Porter, Gore Bay.

Q.—You spoke to other persons? A.—My father and my brother.

Mr. Johnston objected as to the permissibility of admitting what Mr. Gamey told these people, and their Lordships did not rule. Mr. Blake waiving the point as a minor one.

Mr. Blake—At all events, your Lordships, permit me to say without going into it that he told me about this? A.—Yes.

Q.—What did you actually do? A.—Whenever approaches were made to me afterwards—I went on and made up my mind to receive and entertain them and find out how far they would go, and do just exactly, as far as politics were concerned, as I had done in the past.

Q.—Did you tell any person in Toronto as to that? A.—Yes, sir, I spoke to a party in Toronto; I cannot recollect whether it was between the 7th and 12th or the latter part of August later on.

Would Receive \$3,000 Cash.

Q.—Will you tell their Lordships what the contents of these agreements were as nearly as you can? A.—The one agreement I signed was that I should support the Ross Government on all votes of want of confidence and that I would not resign during this session. Practically that was about all that was in the agreement I signed.

Q.—What was in the agreement that Frank Sullivan signed? A.—They agreed to pay me \$3,000 in cash.

The Chancellor—Who is "they"? A.—Frank Sullivan's name was to the agreement.

Q.—"I agree to pay?" A.—Yes, that is the way it would read—sometime between about the 3rd and 5th September, and \$2,000 after the session, and he was to get me the patronage of the riding I represented and the expenditure of public moneys and the withdrawal of the protest against me. It was in the courts then.

Mr. Blake—Q.—What was the date of the filing of the protest against you? A.—About the 14th of July.

Q.—What was the purpose that Frank Sullivan gave for getting this paper from you?

Mr. Riddle objected.

A.—They told me they wanted the agreement so that Captain Sullivan could take it and show it to some member of the Government to convince them I really intended to support the Government if they carried out their agreement.

A Timber Deal Proposed.

Q.—Up to the present you have not told us anything about this Welland or St. Catharines man, and this timber limit. Just mention shortly what was said about that? A.—Of course this was a discussion between Frank and his father, and I was not taken into their confidence in regard to how the money was going to come, but they were to get McGregor Island, or some piece of timber, at a nominal figure, and some man in Welland or St. Catharines was to supply the money to pay me this \$3,000 and the balance of the money after the session, and to pay the Government for the purchase of the timber, and the captain and Frank and this man were to divide this up among themselves, and if they made a profit of over \$5,000 I was to get a share of that, but I was to get \$5,000 in any event; it didn't make any difference what the timber realized. They seemed to have had some difficulty in the landing of the timber deal. There was a dispute between the two Governments as to the ownership of the timber; they were afraid to deliver the timber, and later on, instead of delivering the timber, the Government told Frank and Captain Sullivan they would pay the money to me themselves. That is the understanding I had.

Q.—Was anything said as to the Government in connection with that timber deal? A.—The Government were understanding and knowing that the timber was being given for the purpose of buying me.

Q.—Then what more passed between you and what were you to do? You told me what Mr. Stratton stated, what were you to do? A.—I was to sign a letter agreeing to support the Government.

Q.—You were to sign a letter agreeing to support the Government? A.—Yes.

Q.—Was there one prepared? A.—Yes, there was one prepared.

Mr. Blake—Have you got that? (The Registrar of the Court produces the letter.)

Chancellor Boyd—Did you sign it? A.—No, I did not sign it.

Q.—When did you next see this letter? A.—I saw it that same afternoon.

He Signed the Letter.

Q.—You saw that letter the same afternoon; did you then sign it? A.—Yes.

Q.—Then you took that letter down to a lawyer's office? A.—No.

Q.—No, I beg your pardon; you were taken down to a lawyer's office? A.—Yes. (Objected to.)

Chancellor Boyd—Not exactly as if he were taken captive. He would go to a lawyer's office.

Mr. Blake—Q.—Did you go to a lawyer's office? A.—Yes, Mr. Frank Sullivan told me I would have to go with him to Mr. Aylesworth's office after dinner, sometime between 1 and 2 o'clock. I don't remember exactly what hour and I met Frank Sullivan on King street, and he and I went to Aylesworth's office together. Mr. Aylesworth was not in when we went in first. We went into a second room and waited there a few minutes and then Mr. Aylesworth came in. Mr. Sullivan introduced me to Mr. Aylesworth, and Mr. Aylesworth said, "I understand, Mr. Gamey, that you want me to act for you in the dismissal of your petition." That is the first time I heard those words from anybody.

And I said in a quiet way, "Well, I suppose something like that." And he said, "I have a letter for you to sign." He took this letter out of his pocket and laid it on the table, and I read it over and signed it.

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## DISTRICT DOINGS.

## BLENHEIM

April 11.—W. C. White is spending the Easter holidays with his family. A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. P. Burns this afternoon, when Miss Myrtle Butts was married to L. A. Thompson, B. A., of Simcoe Collegiate Institute. The Planet extends hearty congratulations.

I. Neale, of Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays with his brother, H. J. Neale, C. B. of Commerce.

Benson James, of Cleveland, is spending Easter holidays with his mother here.

Mrs. Stripp and daughter, of Chatham, are visiting Mrs. Teetzel.

April 13.—The Easter Sunday services at Trinity Church were well attended both morning and evening. The choir rendered special music; the two anthems being "Why seek ye the living among the dead," and "O Death, where is thy sting."

Mrs. Lane, of Whitehead, is visiting friends in town and vicinity.

Mrs. John Crookshank is very sick from a relapse of grippe.

Miss Ethel Tait, of St. Thomas, is visiting her grandfather, Mr. Hicks.

## TILBURY

April 13.—Miss M. Sharp, of Delaware, is the guest of her brother here, Dr. and Mrs. Sharp.

Charlie Richardson, of Essex, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Scarff are spending the day in Detroit.

The Easter vestry meeting of St. Andrew's church will be held in the church to-morrow evening.

Wm. Clark has severed his connection with Stewart's bank and taken a position as bookkeeper in the carriage and implement business of Chalmers and Cottingham.

Miss Winnie Powell is visiting in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells, of Detroit, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson.

Fred. MacLean and Harry Cooper,

## WALLACEBURG

April 13.—Mr. Arthur Archer, the jeweler, spent Easter at his old home in Mitchell.

Kenneth Shaw is spending Easter holidays with friends in London.

Miss Sadie Colwell spent Sunday with friends in Bothwell.

Miss Freda McGregor has returned after visiting Miss Lucy Baker, of Sarnia.

One of our popular young men had the misfortune to sit rather heavily on his stiff hat in a Sunday school.

The genuine maple syrup will no doubt be scarce this year as the sap has not been running much. And all we'll get will be millinery flowers artificial.

Wallaceburg has as many times as she has bells and whistles, but the majority are like Wallaceburg, ahead of time.

A strange coincidence in connection with the sudden death of Mr. Borden is that it happened not far from the spot where young Mr. Tooley was so lately struck by lightning and killed.

Dr. and Mrs. Ball are spending Easter with friends in Paris.

Miss Bessie Taylor, who is attending Normal at London, is home for her Easter holidays.

We are sorry to announce that Master Gordon Allen is very sick with pneumonia.

An egg famine took place in Wallaceburg Saturday; probably on account of the bad roads and bad weather.

Mr. Colwell has just received fifty swords which were used in the Franco-Prussian war. These old relics are now on exhibition to all who may wish to see them.

Misses Mamie Burgess and Mattie Hordman visited friends at Chatham Centre for a few days.

Mr. Patterson is home at Florence for Easter holidays.

Mr. McCosh spent Easter with his parents in Chatham.

Jim Scott, who is attending High school at Parkhill, is home for the Easter vacation.