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Extensive.... Preparations — In Our — Carpet Department

Last year we increased our carpet sales, by almost one third over any previous year, a record we are proud of. We attribute this to the great popularity of the store, the courteous manner with which the salesmen wait on every customer and the reliability of the goods, only best qualities are to be found here, and at the same prices as you would pay elsewhere for the inferior kinds. The assortment is the largest we have ever shown.

John Crossley & Son's Velvet

Carpet at per yd. \$1.25

John Crossley & Son's 5 frame
Brussels, the finest made,
in the newest colorings
and designs at per yd. \$1.40

John Crossley & Son's Four
Frame Brussels, in a variety
of designs, the best carpet
in Canada or any other
place for the price, per
yard \$1.00

John Crossley & Son's Tape-
stry Brussels with borders
to match, an extra hard
wearing Carpet, with bor-
ders, at per yd. 85c and \$1.00

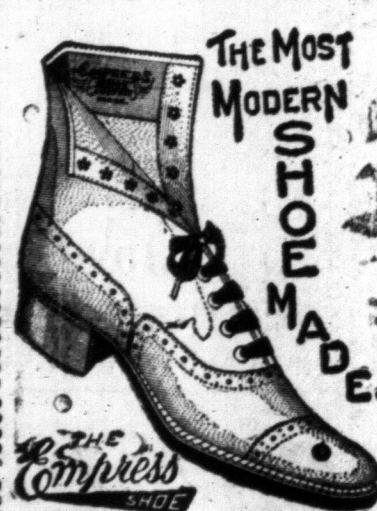
Fine English
Tapestry Carpet

Any color you want, splendid
wearing quality, at per yd. 50c

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Rugs

These make an exceedingly
rich Floor Covering, extra
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artistic color blending, all
the rich shades of Crimson,
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Nothing equal to them
can be found in this part
of Ontario, and the prices
are not high, sizes, from 6
x 9 ft. to 12 x 14 ft. at \$12,
\$18, \$25, \$30, \$35, and \$45

Thomas Stone & Son



FOR SPRING 1902

A careful study of the
wants of the trade, an
accurate knowledge of
good shoemaking of
Women's Shoes in
Welts and McKay sew-
ed, combined to make
our spring line strong-
er than ever before.
Styles are new.

Exclusive Agent for the
The Famous Empress Shoe
at popular prices,
\$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$5

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REPAIRING NEATLY DONE

APPEARANCES

IF YOU WANT to make a presentable ap-
pearance at home or abroad you need the
services of a good reliable tailor. Every
man has a peculiarity of his own which, unless
taken into consideration, his clothes cannot pos-
sibly fit him.

MORLEY & CO. - The Leading Tailors

OLD LONDON DIVINE ISSUES REBUKE FOR HIS MAJESTY

Rev. Dr. Joseph H. Parker
Creates Sensation by Ser-
mon in City Temple.

Strongly Objects to King Ed-
ward Going to Sunday Con-
cert and Browning Beer.

London, Mar. 7.—There was a striking scene in the City Temple yesterday when, during the course of his sermon, the Rev. Joseph Parker, D.D., the minister, administered a pointed rebuke to King Edward, which was loudly applauded by the congregation. Having alluded to public-houses as "trap-doors of hell," Dr. Parker referred to the King's recent drinking of beer while visiting Lord Burton:

"Pray for me," said the divine, "that I may speak delicately, loyally. If the King brews beer what can be wrong in the subject drinking it? What the King does is likely to be imitated by others. His Majesty is more than a man, and must regard all questions from a Kingly viewpoint. If the King goes to a Sunday concert, as he did recently, he deals a deadly blow to the Englishman's Sunday. The King cannot attend a Nonconformist place of worship, but he can go to a Sunday concert."

This remark called forth cries of "Shame." Dr. Parker continued: "If the King, who is the head of the Church and defender of the faith, can violate the English Sunday, what can the people do but follow in his steps? I would rather give a great sum in gold than appear to be disloyal; but I cannot be disloyal to Christ, and it is better that these things should be said."

DRESDEN MAN

Patrolman Nelson, who Figured
in the Fatal Detroit
Shooting Affray.

Patrolman James Nelson, whose fatal shooting of Albert Dempsey on the night of Feb. 8, has caused such an excitement in Detroit, is a former Canadian, having lived for a number of years in Dresden. He gave his evidence at the inquest, which is being held in Detroit, yesterday.

He states that on the evening in question he got in a row with Dempsey and a man named Hines. The two men, Hines and Dempsey, with the help of a number of others, were getting the best of the fight, and Nelson was on the ground with Hines on top of him, flourishing a club, and trying to choke him. It was then that he drew his revolver and shot it off in the air with the intention of scaring Hines, but instead, it killed Dempsey, who was lying near Nelson. Nelson states firmly that he did not shoot to kill but merely to scare Hines.

The Detroit News says concerning Nelson: "Going into Nelson's early history it has been brought to light that the policeman, who was born in Toronto, went to Dresden, Ont., at the age of 15, remaining there until he was 'twenty-odd.' That while there and acting as constable, he had trouble over the arrest of a man, it being alleged his treatment of the prisoner was unduly rough."

Nelson said he was born about 1859; that he came to Detroit 10 or 11 years ago, and that he was here four or five years before he got on the force. He admitted he was over the age limit when he secured the appointment, but said the police commissioners were fully aware of that fact.

BRIEF BATTLE OF WEAPONS BY OWNER AND STARTLED THIEF

Blow From the Club Caused
Gun to Discharge and a
Farmer was Slightly
Injured.

Chicken thieves visited the farm of Jenkin Richards, River Road, Raleigh, last night. James Richards, a son, heard his dog about 2.15 a. m., and got up to investigate. He slipped out the back door, taking his shot gun with him.

Noticing the door of the chicken house open, he slipped over and, covering the door, ordered the man to come out.

The thief jumped out quickly and struck at Mr. Richards with a huge club he carried. The club struck the gun and the jar fired both barrels. The gun exploded, sending splinters of steel in all directions.

Mr. Richards' eye brows and hair were badly singed, but otherwise he escaped serious injury.

The robber didn't wait for his cau-

PRINCE'S OWN

Ottawa, March 8.—At the weekly parade last night, it was announced that the name of the 43rd Ottawa and Carleton Rifles has been changed to 43rd Duke of Cornwall's Own. This change was made on the suggestion of the Prince on his visit here last fall. The Prince has also announced that he will accept the position of honorary colonel. He was very much pleased with the appearance of the regiment, and several times congratulated the commanding officers on its trimness.

MURDERED FOR MUCH MONEY

Brutal Robbers Then Tortured
the Aged Wife in Most
Fiendish Manner.

Bloody Evidence of a Fearful
Struggle—Masked men only
Secured \$200.

Butler, Pa., March 7.—Three masked men broke into the house of an aged man named Henry Smith, a wealthy retired farmer living at Saxtonburg, Pa., last night, brutally murdered the old man and tortured Mrs. Smith in a fiendish manner. They then ransacked the house and secured \$200 and after destroying considerable property about the house made good their escape.

Mrs. Smith was badly frightened, and was unable to leave the house to give the alarm to neighbors until 7 o'clock this morning.

The old man had been shot through the head and his skull crushed by a blow from some heavy instrument. A bloody axe was found near by. The furniture was broken and tossed about the rooms, floors and everything in the house, showing that a terrible struggle for life had been made by the aged victim.

A large crowd of indignant neighbors have started in pursuit of the murderers, and they have been traced to Freeport. Smith was over 80 years of age.

ALFONSO UNFIT

Spanish Queen May Continue to
act as Sovereign as King is
Incapable.

London, March 8.—The Daily Mail this morning publishes a letter from its Madrid correspondent saying that all the important Spanish newspapers are discussing the possible necessity of prolonging the regency owing to the incapacity of King Alfonso to exercise the functions of a sovereign. There is talk of forming a sort of King's council, says the letter, to be composed of the queen regent, the presidents of the cortes, the archbishop of Toledo and the ex-president of the council of ministers.

Another version of the story is that the queen regent is to prolong her regency for five years in order to enable the king to complete his education by travel, etc.

FOR BRITAIN

London, March 7.—The Yorkshire Post, to-day, says it learns that Hon. Alfred Lyttelton is likely to succeed Lord Pauncefoot as British Ambassador at Washington.

A FINE WORK

Mr. E. W. Sandys has just completed for the Macmillan Co. an important work upon the upland game of North America. The volume, which will soon appear, is the first of a series devoted to the sport of this continent. It will be followed by a second volume on the Big Game of North America, by President Roosevelt.

Mr. Sandys' work is broad and thorough, the fruit of years of field observation and study. His earliest training was in Kent and adjacent counties, and several chapters of the book are devoted to the sport of this immediate neighborhood. The series will be to all intents and purposes a "Bible" of American game, the idea being to secure permanent and practical works by the highest authorities upon every branch of sport.

Owing to an unforeseen complication, Mr. Sandys' work had to be of the "rush" order—i. e. ready for the printer in three months. This necessitated the production of about 95,000 words, (written, for he never dictates stories), in addition to his usual editorial and other work. The actual time devoted to the book is a secret, but it was not three months. In a recent letter "Ed." remarks—"Chatham and Washington, yoked double, can haul out more books in less time than a suffering public can recover from in a thousand years."

Speaking of the forthcoming Chatham Old Boys' Reunion Mr. Sandys says characteristically—"I'll be on hand for your show O. K. if nothing happens meanwhile."

A LONG CHASE.

One Sunday evening, a short time ago, the L. E. & D. R. R. station at Muirkirk, was burglarized and a sum of money taken. Detective Skirving was notified and, after measuring certain tracks in the snow and sizing up other circumstances, concluded that a particular individual who had been rusticated around there, was the culprit. On the morning after the robbery this individual bought a ticket for Highgate, then he beat his way on the train to Blenheim. Here he purchased a ticket for Chatham. He remained in Chatham for a few hours then left for St. Thomas and London, only remaining a short time in these places. From London he visited relatives near Toronto, then doubling back to St. Thomas again he came as far as Thamesville and proceeded on foot to near the scene of the robbery. Switching around the country once more he turned up at Wallaceburg on Thursday of this week.

Yesterday morning, Detective Skirving, who had been keeping tab on him all the while and "tracing" his little footprints in the snow, casually dropped into the "Burg" and after a few enquiries to catch his man in a private house, where he was sitting by the stove. He received an invitation to accompany the officer and will appear before P. M. McDougall this morning.

The prisoner made a full confession of the robbery and offered to make restitution. He is about 21 years old and does not seem to be a hardened sinner.

THE MISSION

"Thou art weighed in the balances and found wanting," was the text from which Rev. Arthur Murphy preached an earnest and practical sermon in Christ Church last night. The ancient city of Babylon was described as one of the wonders of the world and the mightiest city of ancient times. The memorable but fatal feast given by Belshazzar, the King, to a thousand of his lords was pictured, and the sentence of doom miraculously written on the wall of the banquetting chamber was recited, and its awful effect upon the guilty king. Many important and practical lessons were drawn from this well-known Old Testament scene. Mr. Murphy referred to the infidel, the worldling, the moralist, and other characters. He represented them as being weighed in the balances and found wanting. He then showed how absolutely necessary it was to accept Jesus Christ as our Saviour. We would then be able to stand the test, because the blood shed upon Mt. Calvary will outweigh the sins of the world.

The joy of victory over the world, the flesh and the Devil, the three bitter and strong enemies of God and man, was dwelt upon. "There is," he said, "joy amongst the angels of heaven when we triumph through Jesus the Captain of our salvation. When news of the victory of British arms reaches us there is great joy, but the greatest victory ever won was that of Gethsemane and Calvary, and we should gladly and heartily rejoice over it. The greatest victory we can win, the victory that makes the arch-foes of heaven resound with joy, is the victory over self and sin. May God give unto all of us that great victory."

MISS ALICE WILL FOREGO THE CORONATION TRIP

TEXAS WRECK

El Paso, Texas, March 8.—The westbound Southern Pacific passenger train from San Antonio, was wrecked twenty miles west of Sanderson, Texas, this morning. The entire train was derailed and burned. The fireman, engineer and thirty passengers are missing. The wreck was discovered by the telegraph operator at a small station, who wired El Paso for assistance. The wrecking train left immediately for the scene. Only a meagre report has been received here.

EDWARD LAID CORNER STONE

Impressive Ceremony at New
Royal Naval College
for Cadets.

Their Majesties Travelled by
Royal Train Built for the
Late Queen.

London, Mar. 7.—King Edward, accompanied by Queen Alexandra, laid the foundation stone of the new Royal Naval college, for cadets, at Dartmouth to-day, and thereby, figuratively speaking, scuttled the old training ship Britannia, the alma mater of all the present generation of British naval officers. The royal party travelled from London by the train at a cost of £46,000 for Queen Victoria's diamond jubilee, and covered the whole distance, 225 miles, without a stoppage. On arriving at Dartmouth their majesties were met by the lords of admiralty and drove through the decorated town to the college grounds, where they were received by a guard of honor of cadets. The laying of the foundation stone was accompanied by the usual ceremonial. Papers and coins were deposited in a casket, made of oak from the Britannia, which was placed beneath the stone.

Emperor William of Germany was represented by the German schoolship Moltke, whose cadets were drawn up on the grounds and inspected by the King. Their majesties afterwards proceeded to Plymouth, where Queen Alexandra, to-morrow, will christen the British first-class battleship Queen.

WAS BANISHED

Court Martial Sentence of Dea-
con Kritzinger has Been
Committed.

Berlin, March 7.—Extra editions of the evening newspapers here publish a report that Commandant Kritzinger (who was captured by Gen. French in December last) was, after being tried by court-martial, condemned to death, but that his sentence was commuted to banishment for life.

London, March 7.—The War Office recently published a copy of the proclamation issued by Kritzinger July 13, 1901. After reciting certain British proclamations ordering the people of Cape Colony to bring in all food and horses, so that these might not fall into the hands of the raiders, and also to give information of the movements of the raiders, Kritzinger's proclamation declared "the annexation of certain districts of the Cape Colony, which occurred in the month of November, 1899, by order of the Government of the Orange Free State, is still of full force and value."

LOCAL SPORTSMEN DON'T LIKE THE AMENDED GAME LAWS

Think the Provincial Govern-
ment Has Made Another
Botch of These En-
actments.

John Lee, M. P. P., was in the city last evening. "Well," said Mr. Lee, "we changed the Ontario game law considerably this week. The open season for quail has been shortened by four weeks. The legislature chopped two weeks off the front and two weeks off the end of the open season, and now sportsmen can legally shoot quail only during the month of November. The restrictions on shooting rabbits have also been removed. Two years ago it was made illegal to hunt rabbits with a gun, but this section of the game law has been changed and rabbits can now be shot the year round."

Brief interviews secured by The Planet from the local sportsmen on the change, shows that it is not received with favor. They said:—"W. W. Scane.—The season opening later will give the quail a chance to

President Roosevelt Cancels
his Daughter's Proposed
Visit to England.

Decision Due to Unfavorable
Comment on Proposition
by Whole Country.

Washington, March 7.—Miss Alice Roosevelt will not attend the coronation of King Edward. While this statement is not made at the White House it is understood to be true. The cancellation of Miss Roosevelt's plans is said to be the result of adverse criticism which has come to the president's ears from all parts of the country upon the unofficial announcement that his daughter would lend her presence to the coronation festival. It was said in explanation of the situation that if never had been officially announced that Miss Roosevelt would attend the coronation, and that no official explanation was necessary either in the event of her remaining at home or attending.

It was found practically impossible for her to go simply as a young American girl travelling privately in the household of Special Ambassador Reid. Notwithstanding it was stated she would not go to London as daughter of the president, but simply as Miss Roosevelt, it was learned that London court circles were considering seriously the question of the status she would occupy in all coronation functions. When Miss Roosevelt's status became a matter of international discussion the president's first consideration the advisability of canceling the visit, but not until it was found that an invitation to visit the emperor and empress of Germany was on the way to America was it decided that in view of the extreme youth of Miss Roosevelt, and the international conditions as well as courtesies she would be called on to meet, the English visit and all its delights would have to be relinquished.

THROWN UP

Lake Erie Railroad Decides to
Withdraw Port Stanley Lease
—Hoist at Rondeau.

London, Ont., March 8.—Port Stanley Railway lease extension is no longer a vexed question. The Walkers have thrown it up.

The information is upon good authority that the lessees of the L. & P. S. R. will not now accept an extension of the lease, should it be offered to them.

No doubt Mayor Beek will be ap-
prised of this fact without delay.

The news of this latest determination of the Walkers indicates that President Frank Walker was not "bluffing" when he stated to the Free Press on Monday night last that he did not care whether the city signed the lease or refused to conclude the agreement.

The extended lease was never signed by the Walkers. In consequence they are at full liberty to withdraw. Engineers were at Rondeau yesterday staking out the ground for the new steel coal trest to be erected there.

VISIT TO OZAR

Paris, March 7.—President Loubet will start for Russia on his visit to the Czar on May 17. He will sail from Dunkirk on the battleship Massena on that date. M. Delcasse, the minister of Foreign Affairs, will accompany him.

DEATH JOKE

New York, March 7.—Neil Bryant, the oldest of the black face minstrels, died yesterday morning in St. Mary's Hospital in Brooklyn. He was 72 years old, and his death was the result of complication of painful malaria. Bryant's last joke was a grim one. He heard of the death of "Billy" Rice on Sunday, and, recalling the deaths of West and Emerson, which had occurred within a few weeks, he said, with a sad smile:—"I'll go in a little while now. It will be like an old-time quartette act."

SHARPER'S GAME

Forged Check on a Sarnia Man and Secured Watch and Chain of Another.

Sarnia Observer:—Yesterday afternoon a couple of sharpers swindled F. B. Hitchcock, jeweler, out of a gold watch, chain and locket, valued at something over \$17. The swindle was worked by a forged check on John Goodison, of the Goodison Implement Works. During the afternoon two young men entered Mr. Hitchcock's jewelry store on Christina street, one of them stating that he desired to purchase a watch, chain and locket. After inspecting the goods and making a selection, they left sitting that they would return before six o'clock for the goods. They informed Mr. Hitchcock that they were employed at the Goodison Works and would not get their pay cheques until after five o'clock. Shortly before six o'clock the two men returned and presented Mr. Hitchcock with a cheque for \$35, supposed to be drawn by John Goodison in favor of Jos. Cook, in payment for the watch and chain. Mr. Hitchcock did not have sufficient money on hand to cash the cheque, and left the men in the store while he went into E. Wanless & Co.'s grocery store to get the same cashed. Mr. Hitchcock did not succeed in getting the cheque cashed and returned to his store, where he was surprised to find his customers had departed, taking the watch, chain and locket with them. He did not interest himself very much, thinking that the men had probably just stepped out somewhere and would return for the balance of the cheque, some \$15, as called for by the cheque. The men did not return, and Mr. Hitchcock called in Chief of Police Sarnia to see if he knew of a man by the name of Jos. Cook, who was employed at the Goodison Works. Chief Sarnia had his suspicions aroused at once, and he communicated with Mr. Goodison. That gentleman disclaimed any knowledge of such a man as Jos. Cook, and stated that he had not given a cheque for any such amount. By this time the sharpers had flown, taking with them Mr. Hitchcock's jewelry. The police are working on the case, and will endeavor to bring the culprits to justice. The man who gave his name as Jos. Cook is about 28 years of age, dark complexion, dark mustache, high cheek bones, wore dark clothes, peak cap and dark overcoat; height about 5 ft. 9 in.; weight about 165 pounds. His companion was about 24 years of age, dark complexion, full, round face, bare; about 5 ft. 7 in. tall, stout in build; wore dark Christie hat, brown overcoat and dark clothes; weight about 140 pounds. The forged cheque was made out on a cheque blank of Thos. H. Cook's bank.

LORD ALFRED DOUGLAS WEDS.

London, March 7.—Two announcements in the same column of the newspapers here to-day are causing considerable comment. One reads:—The marriage arranged between Mr. George Charles Montagu, M. P., and Miss Custance will not occur. The second says:—Lord Alfred Douglas was married to Miss Olive Custance on Tuesday at St. George's Church, Hanover Square. The marriage was extremely quiet. Lady Edith Fox-Pitt, daughter of the late Marquis of Queensberry and sister of the bridegroom, witnessed the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Col. Custance, late of the Grenadier Guards.

HAPPILY OVERFREIGHTED.
"Why did that foreign actor make his farewell speech sitting down?"
"Perhaps his pockets were so full of money he couldn't stand up."

What a student gets out of a college is proportioned altogether to what he takes to it.

TOO GREAT EXPENSE

Not the Reason.

It is not because Pyramid Pile Cure is so expensive that many people decline to give it a trial, but because they find it too great a tax on their credulity to believe that the published letters bearing testimony to the merit of this remedy are genuine and bona fide; especially to those who have realized the suffering incident to piles is it incredible that anyone who has been afflicted 25 and 30 years with the worst form of propping and bleeding piles should be cured by the application of a simple remedy, when their physician has assured them that the only relief is in a surgical operation. This is rightly viewed with dread by all those afflicted, as it means at the least a great shock to the nervous system with more than a possibility of utter collapse and death in the majority of cases; too, there is a return of the complaint, owing to the fact that the cause is not removed.

The proprietors of Pyramid Pile Cure agree to forfeit one thousand dollars to anyone who will give the single published testimonial to be not genuine and unsolicited; this latter feature is most gratifying, inasmuch as those letters are written solely out of gratitude and with the hope that those who are afflicted as the writers have been may learn that relief is at hand, at a comparatively trifling expense, Pyramid Pile Cure is for sale by Druggists at fifty cents a package or will be mailed by the makers to any address upon receipt of price.

Mr. Wm. Lichtenwalter, head of the largest printing house in Canton, O., says: "It is with the utmost pleasure and satisfaction that I can say I believe I am cured of protruding piles, after suffering more than twenty-five years. I have been in bed for two weeks at a time. I have not suffered in the least for over a year, and I used only three fifty-cent boxes of Pyramid Pile Cure. I advise every person suffering with this distressing and painful complaint to give this remedy a trial. I have every confidence in it." Write the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., for their book on the causes and cure of piles.

TELEGRAPH

Over three hundred settlers arrived in Winnipeg yesterday to take up land.

London Angliers have formed an association to look after their rights on the river.

The annual meeting of the North Bruce Conservative Association will be held at Tara on March 20.

William J. Davis of Hamilton, accidentally shot himself dead while on a visit to friends in St. Catharines.

It is understood that Hon. Wm. Patterson will be one of the delegates to the colonial conference in London next June.

Detective Seymour, of the San Francisco police force is on his way to Fort William, to identify Holt, the man held on suspicion of murder.

J. J. McCusick, of Duluth, while talking at a life show, was killed by an electric shock communicated through the instrument from crossed wires.

The contract for the erection of the Ontario Beet Sugar Company's six-hundred-ton refinery in Berlin, Ont., has been awarded E. H. Dyer & Co., of Cleveland.

The Metropolitan Street Railway Company of New York, has established a pension system for supernumerary employees.

NOTED BIBLIOGRAPHER DEAD.

London, March 6.—Benjamin F. Stevens, the bibliographer, died yesterday morning at his residence, "The Sheaves," Surbiton, Surrey, after an illness which had lasted several years. Mr. Stevens was born at Barnet, Vermont, in 1833, and first came to London in 1860. For many years Mr. Stevens had been prominently known throughout Europe as the United States despatch agent in London, and purchasing agent for American libraries.

Practical Horticulture



Neighbor—Of all the flowers, the flower I like the best is the rose.
Dick Slagg, the humorist—Of all the flowers, the flower I like the best is the flower that my wife makes her pies out of.

KING'S SECOND LEVEE.

London, March 6.—The second levee held by King Edward since his accession to the throne occurred at St. James' Palace to-day. It was not so largely attended as the first of the King's levees, but it was surrounded by the same elaborate ceremonial. A dense fog marred the function from an auspicious point of view, both within and without the palace. No Americans were present, but the members of the United States Embassy attended the ceremony.

A musical entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Baptist church choir, in the Opera House, on Thursday evening, March 13th. The program is under the direction of Mrs. S. C. Walker, Chatham, and promises to be a good one. It will consist of piano solos, vocal solos, duets, quartets, and recitations by Miss Gertrude Brown, a graduate of the Detroit School of Education. Rev. Mr. Brown will give an address on Music.—Blenheim Tribune.

Bramble—I made a good bargain with Jones just now.
Thorne—What was it?
I'm to let him have the exclusive use of my automobile and he's going to pay for half the repairs.

Contentment rarely comes to the man who gives his attention to another man's advancement.

LAOROSE PROSPECTS

WHEN the arrival of spring thoughts of the young men of this community turn to out-door sport, and of course the lacrosse enthusiasts are beginning to talk. There is no doubt whatever as to the success of the game in this town. All the old players are

DIZZINESS



A great many women are subject to spells of dizziness, spots before the eyes, and a ringing noise in the head. These symptoms are commonly associated with liver "trouble" as the result of a diseased condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and allied organs of digestion and nutrition. It cures through the stomach diseases seemingly remote from that organ, but which have their origin in a diseased condition of the stomach and digestive and nutritive system. Hence, cures of heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, and other organs are constantly effected by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

There is no alcohol in the "Discovery" and it is free from opium, cocaine, and all other narcotics.

Some dealers may offer a substitute as "just as good" as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. There's more profit in substitutes for the dealer. There's more health in the "Discovery" for you. Don't be imposed on.

It is with the greatest pleasure I write you the benefit my mother has received from your "Golden Medical Discovery," says Miss Carrie Johnson, of Lovettsville, Amherst Co., Virginia. She suffered untold misery with uterine disease and nervousness, and had a constant roaring and ringing noise in her head. After taking six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery she was entirely cured.

When a laxative is required use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

In town, and some who played last year without much practice have announced their intention to "get into the spirit" this year. This is the proper spirit to have, and will mean success. The only obstacle the boys have to fear is that there may be a lack of opponents. Last year the game boomed here, but in Chatham it was only with some difficulty that for team could be kept together. Wallaceburg and Thamesville were in somewhat similar circumstances, and it is hoped

District Dashes

Tom, and Frank Holman left on Friday for Chatham.—Florence Quill.

Mrs. D. Corbett visited her daughter in Chatham this week.—Florence Quill.

Miss Clare Shambles, of Chatham, visited here last week.—Wallaceburg Herald.

Miss Edith Dolan, of Chatham, is visiting friends in town.—Wallaceburg Herald.

Mrs. A. A. and Frank L. Appleford spent the first of the week at Chatham.—Wallaceburg Herald.

Miss L. Webster has gone to Chatham to nurse her mother, Mrs. J. B. Webster, who is very ill.—Florence Quill.

James Badger has sold his 50 acre farm, lot 7, concession 13, Tilbury Essex and Kent counties, near Leamington, Mersea township, for the sum of \$2,200.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wright, Middle Road, Tilbury West, celebrated their "wooden wedding" on February 7th. The occasion was attended by about sixty guests.

Golden Wigle, of Maple Grove farm, Ruthven, one of the most highly respected and influential business men and well-to-do farmers of that place, died at noon on Friday.

James Ross has just purchased a very fine bunch of 40 head of cattle from T. L. Pardo, of Raleigh, at 5c. and 5 1/2c. per lb., or an average of \$70 per head.—Tilbury Times.

The fire engine which has been at Chatham undergoing extensive repairs arrived back here yesterday. The engine is now in as good a shape as when new.—Ridgeway Dominion.

The water in the Sydenham has been gradually rising during the past few days, the ice, however, still remains solid and there is little prospect that the water will get much higher.

O. W. Underwood, of Chatham, is in this vicinity writing up the history of the old families preparatory to publishing a book covering these in Essex and Kent counties. Mr. Underwood has struck a rich find in this district.—Amherstburg Echo.

James White, who was injured some time ago while working at the station, has put in a claim for damages from the railway company and placed the same in the hands of his solicitor, Mr. R. L. Gossell. Detective Skirving, of the E. & D. R. Co., was in town last Thursday investigating the matter.—Blenheim News.

The small-pox scare in Sarnia has subsided as rapidly as it commenced. The quarantine was raised yesterday on the Hotel Arlington, and there is now only one place under quarantine. The patients at the isolation hospital are all well and patiently waiting the expiry of their enforced term of confinement.—Sarnia Canadian.

A number of young men of the town tendered a farewell banquet to Wm. Robins, at the Sheldon House on Friday evening last. A pleasant time was enjoyed, and all present joined in wishing the guest of the evening success in his new field of labor. Mr. Robins left Saturday night, taking the midnight train from Chatham.—Blenheim News.

The sad demise of Mrs. Wood, just north of town, occurred last Friday, Feb. 28th, at the age of 26 years. The deceased leaves a child three months old. Her husband and another child died about eight months ago, being buried on the same day. She was a daughter of Paul Hookish and sister of Mrs. J. Martell, town.—Wallaceburg Herald.

At a meeting of the joint committee of the Chatham City Council and the Public Library Board, it was decided to accept Andrew Carnegie's offer of \$15,000 to build a Public Library building. The location of a site has not yet been chosen, but it is more than probable that the new building will be erected on King St. west, near the Aberdeen bridge.—Blenheim Tribune.

There died at her residence below the glass works, on Monday, March 3rd, Mary Purser, aged 70 years. The deceased survived her husband but two months. Services were conducted at the family residence on Wednesday at 2 p. m., and the remains interred in the Wallaceburg cemetery, followed by a large number of sorrowing friends.—Wallaceburg Herald.

Drilling operations still continue at the Dresden oil territory, although no notable "pockets" have yet been struck. A fair showing of oil resulted from the third well drilled. This well was shot a couple of days ago, and already preparations have been made for drilling well No. 4. The deep well drilled last fall has been abandoned some time since. The drillers were unable to shut off the water. There is considerable talk around Dresden to the effect that another deep well test will be made in the spring.

The town of Petrolia has got a fast move on recently. New manufacturing companies have been formed which will aggregate \$175,000 expenditure. The Pork Packing company site has been selected on Centre street and the ground is being cleared for action; \$100,000 is their capital stock. The Petrolia Wagon Manufacturing Co. is an assured fact. It is capitalized at \$50,000. Also the Lambton Creamery Co., with all the stock subscribed up to \$25,000. All these industries are expected to be in full operation before the expiry of 1902.

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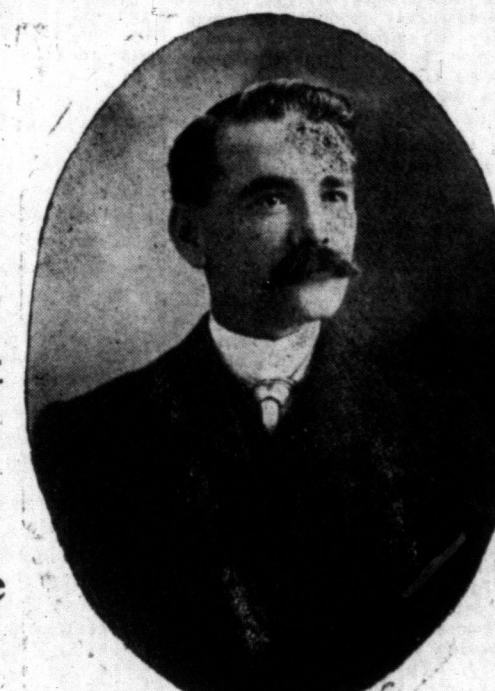
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Kingsville, Feb. 4th, 1902

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MRS. R. MELOSH.

Reston, Ont., Dec. 29th, 1900

A. G. Adams, Esq., Dear friend,

Mrs. Rush tells me that I am to send you ten dollars for your most successful treatment of her case. You will be pleased to learn that she is really the new woman we read so much about. Your skilful discovery of her difficulty and methods of treatment looks almost like a miracle. She has passed from a living death to life. All pain and distress are gone, stomach and appetite are good and she is gaining flesh and cheerfulness. I thank you very much for your careful treatment, and wish you a Happy New Year. Yours sincerely

THOMAS RUSH.

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WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46, A. O. U. & A. M. G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7.30 p. m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.
J. S. BLACK, W. M.

ALEX. GREGORY, Sec.

ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN.

In order to keep pace with the live and interesting activity displayed at every meeting by the large attendance, the officers will suggest something on Friday March 7, that will add to the interest of the meetings. Every Workman should be on hand and try to bring in an application so as to encourage us in the noble work. Our meetings are increasing in interest and attendance.
Visiting brethren welcome.
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Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 ft., \$800.00. Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good stable, \$1,100.00.

Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet.
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Farm in Howard, 22 1/2 acres, house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.

Farm in Chatham Township, 110 acres. All cleared. Good house, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. Will trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part payment.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, March 8.—10 a.m.—Cloudy;
a few scattered showers; not much
change in temperature. Sunday,
about the same.The following official figures were
registered at noon today at Burt's
weather bureau:
Barometer 29.50.
Thermometer 37.
Highest yesterday 44.
Lowest yesterday 33.

TO-NIGHT.

Macaulay Club, Oddfellows' Hall,
at 8:15 o'clock.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Remember St. Patrick's Concert.
Mrs. N. Morley spent yesterday in
Detroit.L. Lewis, of Lewis & Richards, is
in Alliston today.J. W. Wilson was in Dresden yester-
day on business.Thos. Forhan, of Wallaceburg, was
in the city yesterday.John Lee, M. P. of Highgate, was
in the city yesterday.J. C. Wauson is improving nicely
and is able to be up.Miss English, of Blenheim, was a
Chatham visitor yesterday.Geo. Maris, of Coatsworth, was a
Chatham visitor yesterday.Art. Wanless is able to be back at
work after two weeks' illness.Miss Helen Baxter, Lorne Ave., en-
tertained friends last evening.Hubert Robert, of Sandwich College,
is visiting his parents, Emma St.Miss Sales and Miss Simpson, of
Marlin, were in the city Thursday.T. F. Hinnegan, of Wallaceburg, was
a Chatham visitor yesterday.Supt. Smith, of the Metropolitan
Insurance Co., of Port Huron, is in
the city.Frank Marshall leaves to-night for
Chicago, where he has accepted a po-
sition with his brother.Mrs. James, King St. East, left last
night for Winnipeg, where her son
George is very ill with pneumonia.Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Glenn returned
last evening from a few weeks' trip
to Florida and other southern points.David F. Hall, barrister for the
Long Distance Bell Telephone Co. of
Chicago, is visiting Dr. W. R. Hall,
his cousin.J. B. Bobier, who has been visiting
in the city for a few days, returned
yesterday to his home in Thames-
ville.Mrs. Leslie, of Wallaceburg, who
has been visiting Mrs. Stokes, West
St., left to-day for Blenheim, where
she will visit her sister.

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LANE'S IDENTITY

Chief of Police Holmes received the
following telegram from Toronto this
morning:—"Please say what became of Lane's
body, killed on Wabash."
"WALTER LANE."The message was handed to Coroner
Bray, who gave instructions that a
telegram should be sent back to the
effect that the undertaker was pre-
paring the body for burial.The funeral of the unfortunate man,
J. W. Lane, who was killed on Wed-
nesday morning, takes place this af-
ternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Dr.
Battisby will officiate. The Township
of Harwich will defray expenses.

BIG GOLD FIND

Victoria, B. C., Mar. 7.—The steamer
Anar arrived from Lynn Canal this
afternoon, and brought news of a very
rich gold find on Old Pelly, which is
causing great excitement at Dawson
and at northern points, whence stam-
pers are daily going over the ice-
bound trails to the new diggings. Louis
Rudolph and F. L. Powell, who arrived
at Skagway on Sunday, report that
they left Dawson on February 20.
They say that all Dawson and every-
body along the trail were excited over
a strike at Old Pelly, about 30 miles
from Whelan Road House, about 20
miles below Selkirk, and between the
Old Pelly and the Yukon River. There
were stories of finds ranging all the
way from 25 cents to \$700 to the pan.
Dick Butler, well known among old-
timers and stampers, is the discov-
erer of the new Eldorado. News
comes from Dawson that a strike has
been made on Lost Chicken Creek,
which runs as high as \$12 to the
bucket. McLaw, an old-timer in
Forty-Mile, is the discoverer of the
new ground, he having made his strike
on February 10.

ADVOCATES MARKET.

"I think the market building," said
Alex. VonGutten to The Planet this
morning, "is the only place for the
library site. It is centrally situated
and it would be an ornament to the
city, but as the market building now
is it is an eyesore."
"They should take the market site
for it," he continued, "and the two
or three thousand dollars they would
spend on another site should be de-
voted to remodeling and fixing up
the present market sheds."

CRICKET CLUB.

There was a fair representation at
the meeting of the Cricket Club last
evening in the parlors of the Garner
House.The committee which had been ap-
pointed to select a site for a new
clubhouse, made up of A. L. Eberts for
a ball, reported that no definite ar-
rangements could be made as to a
date as Mr. Eberts was going to
make some alterations in the house
and did not know when these would
be finished. The meeting adjourned
until next Wednesday night.

STAMPED OUT.

The medical health officer of Dover
reports that there are at present only
two families under quarantine for
small-pox in that township. Dr. Be-
chard, who has been in charge of the
cases, has been relieved of his office as
his duties are over. The health officer
also stated that in two weeks the
township would be entirely free from
the disease.

THE MARKETS

The market this morning was a
poor one, owing, no doubt, to the
very bad state of the roads. No
change in the prices, except that eggs
are coming a little more plentifully.

Following is the price list:

VEGETABLES.
Rhubarb, per bunch, 10c.
Lettuce, per pound, 25c.
Radishes, per bunch, 10c.
Parsnips, per peck, 15c.
Sage, a bunch, 5c.
Apples, \$3.00 per bag.
Cauliflower, 10c. head.
Celery, per bunch, 10c.
Beets, 15c. peck.
Vegetable oysters per bunch, 5c.
Carrots, 15c. peck.
Onions, 30c. to 40c. per peck.
Cabbage, 5c. to 15c. per head.
Potatoes, per bag, \$1.00.
Tobacco, 10c. per lb.
Winter squash, 25c. to 50c. each.
Summer squash, 5c.
Peppers, 10c. dozen.

IN THE SHEDS.
Geese, each, 50c. to 75c.
Turkeys, each, 90c. to \$1.25.
Ducks, 35c. to 45c. each.
Chickens, each, 30 to 35c.
Butter, 18 to 20c. per lb.
Eggs, 18c. per doz.
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BIG CAPTURE

British Round up Large Boer
Ammunition Camp this
Morning.

Special to The Planet.

London, March 8.—General Lord
Kitchener reports the capture of a
large amount of ammunition by Col.
Remington.His despatch reads:—"Remington has
captured 35 Boers near Beitza. He
found a cave, which was used as a
Boer magazine, containing 310,000
rounds of ammunition, one maxim and
quantities of other stores."
"The magazine was discovered by
column scouts, commanded by Col.
Ross."

DISTRICT DOINGS.

WHITEBREAD.

Gilbert Turner had his engine upset
in the ditch one day last week.
John Benoit, of Detroit, is the guest
of his brother, James Benoit.
Tom Dembsberry bought a new
Chatham wagon and stock rack.
Miss Grace Taylor called on her par-
ents in Wallaceburg on Saturday.
Raymond Turney has engaged with
Will Stonehouse for the summer.
Fred Banden and Joe Weasley re-
turned home on Tuesday after spend-
ing a week visiting friends in Har-
wich.
Miss Rosa Cedar returned home af-
ter spending a few months in Chi-
cago.
Misses Fullermer spent Sunday the
guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fullermer.
Morris Simpson loaded two cars of
hay for T. T. Whittish, of Courtright,
last week.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Messrs. Gilberts and De Foe, of De-
troit, were guests of Ed. L. Smith
on Sunday.
H. Forbes has rented his 300 acre
farm near the G. T. R. station to
Messrs. Adair and R. Ward, and has
sold the pasture land between the
River Thames and the G. T. R. to
Messrs. Gilbertson and Taylor.
C. F. Ouellette was in Tilbury on
Monday.F. C. Peck and daughter, Miss Maud,
were in Detroit last week.
F. C. Peck got in two carloads of
soft coal for the pump houses of the
drainage scheme.
Messrs. Jubbville, Bagnall, Hamil-
ton and Bechard are working hoop
nets in the lake but not many fish
are shipped.On Sunday next Rev. J. H. Oster-
hout, B. A., will commence a series
of sermons on the life of Christ.
Miss Forbes entertained a few
friends on Monday evening.Misses Lizzie Forbes, Flora Peck
and Florence Kontze are taking music
lessons in Chatham.
S. Garbett is having his house
painted.
Mr. McVean, of London, fishery in-
spector, was here on Tuesday.
Chas. Forbes is preparing to return
to Alberta, where he is engaged in
ranching; his cousin W. Ogg will ac-
company him.

VERY LOW RATES TO THE NORTHWEST.

March 1 to April 30, 1922, the
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removed her dressmaking rooms
from over Gordon's dry goods store,
to the rooms formerly occupied by
Mrs. James, over Young's grocery
store.

MUNICIPALITY OF RALEIGH

Take Notice that the Municipal
Council of the Corporation of the
Township of Raleigh will meet in the
Township Hall, on Monday, the 24th
day of March, 1922, at 10 a. m., for
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50c.—Of good quality, cotton made,
with yoke of fine tucks and trimmed
with narrow frills of cambric.\$1.00.—Of English cotton, three
styles, high neck, with yoke of fine
tucks, turn down collar, and sleeves
finished with embroidery, V shaped
and Empire style, with insertion and
embroidery trimming.\$2.00.—Of muslin, Empire style,
banding and ribbon across bust, row
of insertion around neck, and finished
with embroidery, frills, sleeves trim-
med with embroidery.\$2.75.—Of muslin, neck V shaped
front and back, tucked yoke, finished
with wide heading and ribbon, neck
finished with insertion and embroi-
ery.

Petticoats

75c.—Of fine cotton with deep
flounce of muslin, finished with hem-
stitched tucks.\$1.00.—Of muslin, with ruffle of very
deep embroidery.\$1.00.—Of muslin, deep flounce, with
hemstitched tucks and embroidery
frill.\$2.50.—Of fine muslin, deep flounce,
with two rows of Valenciennes inser-
tion and frill of lace under flounce of
muslin.\$5.00.—Fine muslin, deep tucked
flounce with two rows of linen torchon
insertion and frill of wide, even tor-
chon lace.

Drawers

From 19c to 35c.—Children's cotton
drawers, all sizes, from 2 to 12 years.
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Local Briefs

Eat Richards' Bread.
Rueben Burt is in Detroit.
Remember St. Patrick's Concert.
Richard Paxton is in Detroit to-day.
Mrs. W. S. Marshall is visiting in Detroit.

Office boy wanted, apply to Lewis & Richards.

Remember The 2 T's annual 25c tie sale to-night.

Millinery apprentices are wanted at Northway's.

M. C. Duncan, of London, was in the city yesterday.

P. T. Barry, of Fletcher, was in the city to-day.

Wm. Garwell returned from Thessville to-day.

Jas. L. Jackson and wife, of Montreal, were in the city yesterday.

James Dunn is recovering slowly from a bad attack of la grippe.

A good bright boy to work in the shipping room is wanted at Gray's factory.

W. H. Taylor reports that there is no wheat coming in, as the roads are so bad.

Geo. James, a former Chatham boy, but now of the Northwest, is sick in the hospital out there with pneumonia and pleurisy.

Local Union No. 1000 will meet in Orange Hall, over Gordon's, on Monday evening, March 10th, 1902. Geo. Warren, Secretary.

Sulman's Beehive Removal Sale; Wallpaper 25 per cent discount. Remnants five cents per roll. Odd borders 10 cents per roll.

Napoleon Ebert, of the Wm. Gray & Sons Co., Ltd., is to-day receiving the congratulations of his fellow employees. It is a boy.

Rev. Arthur Murphy will address a meeting of men only in the Opera House to-night, after a quarter after four.

At the meeting of Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., last evening, Thos. Scullard gave an interesting address on the library question.

Aff. Bourassa has returned from Grand Rapids, where he was attending school. He has passed his examination, and is now a druggist.

The binder twice spur has been finished and the first car was run over it last night. It was found to be all right, and is a credit to the foreman.

Berlin Wool 6 cents per ounce. All stamped lines, covers, centres, doilies, etc., one-third off, at Sulman's Beehive Removal Sale, Garner House Block.

Geo. Stephens, M. P., of the firm of Geo. Stephens & Douglas, arrived in the city yesterday from attending Parliament at Ottawa. He is suffering from a severe cold.

The funeral took place this morning of Nathaniel Colvin, of Park Ave. West, who died from tuberculosis, from St. Joseph's Church to St. Anthony's Cemetery.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Park street Methodist church will be held at Wed. afternoon, March 12th, at half past three o'clock.

Farmers who contemplate buying machinery, or hardware of any kind, would do well to call on Quinn & Patterson before purchasing elsewhere. They have a very complete stock of all kinds of hardware and implements, and their prices are right.

Officer Elliott, of the Windsor force, arrested Walter Chapman, of Chatham, Thursday night, and he was taken back to Chatham yesterday by Chief Holmes, where he will be tried on the charge of robbing Wm. Neil, of Tilbury, of a sum of money and his watch.—Detroit Free Press.

The Trusts and Guarantee Company (Limited), 14 King St. West, Toronto, has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Hewitt, late of the Township of Fushling, Wellington County, who died in September, 1899. The estate amounts to about four thousand dollars (\$4,000), and consists principally of farm property.

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Evening Appointments Made

Remember St. Patrick's Concert. To-night 50c and 75c, ties for 25c each, at The 2 T's.

See Webb's west of Egg and suitings. Plant and vest maker wanted.

The usual Mid Lent Offering will be made in Christ Church to-morrow, both morning and evening.

Geo. Stephens & Douglas have a nice line of dustless brooms for hardwood floors and carpet sweeping.

Miss M. Stevens, of Chatham, and Mrs. F. C. Burroughs, of Toronto, are the guests of Mrs. A. L. Struthers, Church street. Miss Stevens has just returned from a trip to Europe, having visited France, Belgium, many and England.—Stratford Herald.

ABOUT CATARRH CURES

The Reason Why Inhalers and Local Applications are Useless.

For many years catarrh was considered to be a local disease and was treated entirely by local remedies, salves, ointments, powders, sprays and inhalers, and nearly all of these gave a temporary relief, but a genuine permanent cure was very rare.

It is true the most annoying symptoms, like stoppage of the nose and throat trouble, are purely local, but they are simply symptoms and the real seat of disease is far removed.

Catarrh is a constitutional disease, a blood disorder, complicated usually with disease of the liver and to suppose that local applications of sprays, powders, inhalers, could ever reach the real cause of the trouble is ridiculous.

The sensible and successful treatment is to remove the catarrhal poison from the system by regulating the



liver and purifying the blood, and this can only be done by an internal remedy, which should consist of antiseptics and remedies to act vigorously on the blood and liver.

The best preparation of this kind which fills all the requirements of a safe constitutional treatment is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, composed of wholesome antiseptics, which are absolutely safe to take into the stomach, blood, liver, red gum and similar and which act upon the liver, stomach and mucous membrane.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are large pleasant tasting lozenges, to be slowly dissolved in the mouth, thus reaching the mucous membrane and windpipe and finally reaching the stomach.

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Stuart's Catarrh Tablets act immediately upon the blood and liver and clear the whole system of catarrhal poison. They are pleasant and very convenient to use, and they are not only the latest, but I believe them to be the best and certainly the safest treatment for any form of catarrh."

All druggists sell Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at 50 cents for full size package.

A little book on cause and cure of catarrh mailed free by addressing the F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

It's no wonder if the man who is continually jilted goes into a decline himself.

THE STUDENTS

A reception and social was given last evening to the students of the city by the B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church. After the program, light refreshments were served and then a general hand-shaking was indulged in. The program was excellent and was as follows:

Prayer—S. C. Walker.
Chairman's address—Roy Benson.
Selection—Canada Business College Orchestra.

Vocal Solo—Miss Minto Oldershaw.
Vocal Solo—Joseph Robert.
Recitation—Miss Breen.
Guitar Solo—Star Oldershaw.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Walker.
Recitation—W. A. Winterstein.
Selection—Canada Business College Orchestra.

Recitation—Chas. Heath.

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SPORTSMEN DON'T LIKE

Continued from Page 1.

W. J. Bennett, of the Legislature, has certainly made a mess of it. They didn't take the advice of the game commissioner. What was the good of appointing that game commissioner? The Government said they weren't going to bother with petitions or anything else but they would adopt the recommendation of the game commissioner which they appointed and this is the way they have done so. The game commissioner recommended six weeks' quail shooting and the Government only gives four weeks.

W. D. Tristram—I don't care much what they do. I'll get my share of quail anyway. I think that the amendment, however, is made for those rich sportsmen who can take a week any time and come down here from Toronto.

Joe. Oldershaw—The amendment favors the rich man with nothing to do and discriminates against the poor workman who has to steal a day off when he wants to go shooting. Cutting short the season will deprive many a poor man who enjoys shooting from getting a day's sport. The quail are here and the chance he has of getting a day off is a good one for the birds but it is bad one for sportsmen. Starting later in the season is all right but the time should be extended till December 15.

A. C. McKay—The Government with their amendment have cut off the two best weeks of quail shooting. The reduction from the 15th of October till November the first was a good move, as the birds have not attained their growth and then are small and young, but the cutting of the last two weeks off the open season was a mistake. I think. These are the two weeks when the birds are in their prime. Having fasted for two months on weed seeds in the stubble, the quail are fat and plump and in excellent condition for the table. Another mistake was the granting of permission to shoot rabbits. There is no doubt but that parties will go out sensibly to shoot rabbits but who will in reality shoot myself. I know it. I was a boy once myself, but the boys won't be the only offenders.

HARDSHIPS OF TOMMY ATKINS.

Wandsworth, S. W., England.

Gentlemen—

I am not much of a letter writer, but having seen how very useful your "Pain-Expeller" is, I feel compelled to say that I never had much use for it myself, but when I was in the hospital I was told to use it and I found it to be the best thing I had ever tried for sore feet and insect bites. Its praises were sung all over the camp. No matter what was wrong with me, I was advised by the doctors to apply "Kelpion" and he would soon be all right. Our water bottles and our Kelpion were the two things treasured above all others in our marching kit.

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THE JUNIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE OF THE

Park street Methodist church, gave a very successful At Home yesterday afternoon in the S. S. room. The following program was presented:

Opening hymn.
Prayer—Dr. Hannon.
Address—Superintendent, Miss N. Gammon.
Address of Welcome—Pres. of L. G. Dunlop.
Piano Solo—Candace Fleming.
Vocal Solo—Grace Gammon.
Recitation—Grace Hall.
Vocal Solo—Pearl Wanless.
Reading—Adela Sanderson.
Piano solo—Edna Shepley.
Accompanists, Miss Grace Wanless and Miss Clara Gammon.

After the program refreshments were served. During this time Mr. Percy Morley very pleasantly entertained the audience with a number of phonograph selections.

At twenty-four years Vapo-Cresoline has been extensively used for all forms of throat and bronchial troubles. All Druggists.

—You should not feel tired all the time—healthy people don't—you won't if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla for a while.

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THAMESVILLE

March 8.—Harry Pavey, of London, is in town.

Wm. Sheppard, of Bothwell, is in town to-day.

Robert Coates, of London, was in town yesterday.

F. Gormley, of Toronto, is in town.

J. C. Ellison and wife, of Florence, spent the day with Mrs. C. E. Buller.

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Silk Waists, In old rose, pale blue, pink, cardinal, and black, beautifully tucked and hemstitched, buttoned in the back, at \$5.00

All Peerless—in name, style, quality and value.

Tailored Suits, Tailored Suits of black cheviot, Eton jackets, mercerized lined, and walking skirts at \$6.00

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Tailored Suits of black, brown and grey broad cloth, Eton coats, lined and trimmed, narrow flounced skirt. \$10.00

Tailored Suits of Venetian cloth, Eton coats, trimmed with black taffeta silk, flounced skirt, straight and taffeta silk, very latest style. \$16.00

Tailored Suits—Dark grey velvet, cloth suits, Eton jackets, nicely trimmed, flounced and corded skirts. \$18.00

Separate Skirts, All modish New York styles. Separate Skirts of extra fine, black Kersey cloth, nicely stitched at \$5.00

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"I am a Tanner by trade, and about thirteen years ago had an attack of rheumatic fever. While recovering I took a cold and had a relapse which ended in inflammatory rheumatism, and I was laid up for years. I was also afflicted with sleeplessness, and my doctor said I would not live to see my thirtieth year. While almost giving up in despair your Paine's Celery Compound was recommended to me. I bought a bottle and used it, and to my surprise I gave me natural sleep and rest. After using six bottles I was entirely cured. My wife also used your medicine for insomnia, and before she used one whole bottle was entirely cured."

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THE STRANGER AND THE PRINCESS

BY SEWARD W. HOPKINS

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At his command she continued to bring forth various portions of a woman's complete outfit. He took off his own shoes and put on a pair of Mme. du Barry's, which fitted very well, though pretty tight for a young man who loved comfort.

"Never mind," he said. "It will give me a mincing gait."

Mme. du Barry laughed. "Now, madame, a small valise, if you have one."

Mme. du Barry had almost everything. She produced a valise. Into this Buckford packed his coat, vest and such small items as collars, scarf, cuffs, all of which he still wore, as they had not been taken from him in the depot. They were, to be sure, much soiled and bedraggled. But he did not know when he might need them before he could purchase more, and he could easily wash them and iron them, not as a laundry sends them home, but at least clean.

Over his trousers he put Mme. du Barry's skirts. He then added a woman's vest-front and a waist and fastened Mme. du Barry's little silk tie at his throat.

One thing was in his favor. He had neither beard nor mustache. A slight growth of hair could be seen on his lip, but no more than Mme. du Barry's own.

Mme. du Barry, choking with laughter, since the affair had become so good a joke, exclusively her own, fastened some false hair to his head, first tying knots in his own to make a safe hold for the fastenings. A bonnet completed the disguise, though gloves, a fan and other accessories were all at hand.

In point of fact Buckford, after Mme. du Barry had added a hundred feminine touches that he would never have thought of, made a younger and handsomer woman than Mme. du Barry herself and with his fairer skin looked scarcely so masculine as she did.

"And now, madame," he said, "since your friend Mme. Delatouche, who has been visiting you, is about to depart for her home in another city, you will accept her invitation to accompany her for a short stay."

"Eh? What is that, monsieur?" she faltered.

"Pardon me, there is no monsieur here. I said come home with me, madame."

"Oh, but, monsieur—I mean madame—I cannot!"

"But you must!"

There was no mistaking the meaning in that voice. Without further remonstrance Mme. du Barry slowly began preparing for a journey that might lead her—she knew not where.

"You see, madame, I am not certain when our friends will return to this house. I do not intend you shall have the opportunity to betray me to Vandal."

Curses! He had seen that smile. But still Mme. du Barry, even as she smiledly prepared to accompany him, ruefully again.

They left the house, Buckford accomplishing a gait that was mincing and to satisfy anybody who loved a mincing gait. He was a fascinating person to Mme. du Barry, who could scarcely keep from bursting into laughter at the sight of him.

But then Mme. du Barry knew the secret. She knew that she was not Mme. du Barry, but a man in a woman's dress, and she called himself, was nothing more than one of the stout, over-dressed females so common in the French or any other capital.

Buckford's first act, so he planned, would be to go direct to the hotel of the Prince of Denesia, and if that potentate had not already left Paris, tell him the entire story and ask his assistance. If the prince had departed, nothing then remained but to go to Trolle, the capital of Denesia, as quickly as possible and before the plotters reached there, if such speed could be accomplished.

Buckford was about to call a cab when he made a movement that appeared ridiculous in a woman. He slapped the place over the right hand pocket in his trousers.

He had suddenly remembered that he had no money. Even that given him by Vandal was in the purse of M. de Bullion at the Palais de Justice.

"What is it, mon-madame?" asked Mme. du Barry, suppressing a strong desire to shriek.

"Madame," said Buckford, with some little show of annoyance in his tones, "I have just discovered that I came away this morning with no money. Now, it is well known that you have a bank account. Be kind enough, therefore, to come with me to the bank and draw a certain amount I shall name."

"Oh, the police have added robbery to their other virtues, it seems."

"No; this is a loan. I borrow the money, madame, and repay with interest. To refuse me, madame, will mean to walk into the Palais de Justice instead of the bank."

Madame shuddered at the mention of that place, which she fancied she had so cheaply escaped.

She grunted at the thought of losing money, but the alternative was worse. And the idea of police extortion was by no means new to her.

On the way to the bank Buckford was busy with his conscience, which had for the first time got into the affair.

"How far am I justified in going with this creature?" he was asking himself. "It is surely a dishonest act to take her money, yet if I live I can repay her with good interest. My own life and the lives of three innocent persons and the apprehension of four rascals all depend on my having money. I must have it, and I will. If I am doing wrong, the circumstances must plead for me. And this woman is planning to betray me and is my enemy."

He smiled and continued: "I will fight my enemies with my own weapons. I suppose both Casparin and Vandal have added to madame's wealth."

They reached the bank. "How much, monsieur? Will a hundred francs be sufficient?"

"No; I must have a thousand."

"A thousand francs, monsieur?"

"If you do not obey me, I will have him arrest you as the accomplice of the murderers and robbers and spies against the government."

Mme. du Barry shivered and drew the money.

With the sinews of war in his possession Buckford felt stronger. He believed he is now on his way to Austria or Germany. Can I aid madame in any way?"

In an hour Buckford, with the still smiling but now bewildered Mme. du Barry, was at the terminal station of the Strassburg railway, where Buckford, but half knowing whether he was right or wrong, purchased two tickets for Strassburg.

"Now, madame," he said as the train started, "we are off upon our adventures."

Mme. du Barry glanced at the gay young man companion, who had been presented to her by Vandal and which could be easily recognized by him, and smiled again.

In fact, Mme. du Barry was beginning to enjoy the whole affair and considered her thousand francs very well spent indeed.

CHAPTER IX.

THE INN AT OHTO.

HAD the scene of the plot we have pictured been in Denesia, instead of Paris it is doubtful if the brother of the ruling prince would have openly associated with creatures so low in the human scale as Vandal, Reber and Robello.

But Casparin was in Paris. His relationship to the noble prince was unknown except to the few rascals he had employed to do his work, and his own tastes were so near like those of Vandal and his associates that he found it not only convenient, but a source of pleasure, to be with them in their orgies as well as in their serious plottings.

It was therefore a quartet well pleased with its own component parts that rolled toward the house of Mme. du Barry that evening as they had enjoyed the treat promised by Casparin.

Of the four Casparin was the nearest sober. Reber and Robello, never having had the money to indulge in such roistering as Vandal lived in and Casparin loved, were the drunkest. Between them Vandal maintained a tenuous, owl-like solemnity of countenance which would have been comical if the countenance had been intellectual. As it was, it was merely beastly.

"For one I am tired out," grumbled Reber, staggering up against Vandal and cursing him for not walking straight. "I am going to bed."

"Not quite yet," replied Vandal. "Do you forget the job we have on hand to-night? The body of the American must be got rid of."

"Yes," said Casparin. "That is why I came home with you. I must see that disposed of. We must have no bad breaks now. My brother is gone, and we must start within a few days."

"The sooner the better," said Vandal. "I shall not be sorry to earn that reward."

"Nor I!" "Nor I!" added Reber and Robello.

"I have been thinking about that fellow up stairs there," said Casparin. "The police now have convinced themselves—brilliant police—that the American who escaped from the Palais de Justice murdered the American who helped him out. A little study would show them how absurd that theory is, but we are fortunate in having police to deal with who do not study. But now, if they find the body of this American in the same place as the other—or if they find it at all—what will be the result? They will know at once that both Americans have fallen among those who wished them out of the way. We do not wish to court an investigation now. We must hide that fellow where he will not be found."

To be continued.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

A FATHER'S ADVICE

Young Toronto Lady's Health is Saved by her Parent's Experience and Good Advice—He knew because he had Tried and Proven.

How many times have a parent's earnest words spoken in tenderness and backed by the wisdom of years of experience served to benefit the son or daughter.

James Beatty, of Kildworthy, Ont., is well-known to many people from Toronto right through to Parry Sound.

Some years ago Mr. Beatty suffered a great deal with acute Stomach Trouble. He could find scarcely anything as food that did not give him much distress and pain after eating. He was very careful in his diet, but notwithstanding all his care he endured a great deal of pain.

He tried many medicines but could not get any relief. Some one suggested Dadd's Dyspepsia Tablets, but at first Mr. Beatty demurred, saying: "I suppose they're like all the others."

At last, however, he consented to try them and he soon found a difference. He was completely cured.

He says: "Now, thank goodness, I can eat what I like and the doctor is in my own pocket through Dadd's Dyspepsia Tablets."

"My daughter Miss Minnie Beatty was up from Toronto about seven months ago and I thought she looked very thin so I induced her to try the medicine that had done so much for me."

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Dadd's Dyspepsia Tablets have cured thousands of just such cases as that of Mr. Beatty and his daughter, and reports of other victories are coming in every day.

They are the weakest, however strong, who have no faith in themselves of their own powers.—Bovee.

"It is the little rift within the lute that never widens, marks the music's mute." It is just a little rift in the health of a woman often, which gradually takes the spring from her step, the light from her eyes, the rose from her cheeks, and the music from her voice. Perhaps the bug-bear which has frightened the woman from the timely help needed at the beginning has been the dreaded question, the obnoxious examination, the local treatments, of the home physician. There is no need for these. Nor is there need for continued suffering. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription can be relied on by every woman suffering from what are called "female troubles," to renew the health and cure the disease. Women are astonished at the results of the use of this medicine. It not only makes weak women "robust and rosy checked," but it gives them back the vigor and vitality of youth.

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BEAMS OF SUNSHINE

Chatham Branch of the International Sunshine Society.
Motto—Good cheer.
Have you had a kindness shown? Pass it on.
'Twas not given for you alone—Pass it on.
Let it travel down the years, Let it wipe another's tears, Till it beams the dead appear—Pass it on.

Last Tuesday afternoon a number of our Sunshiners met to report on the work of the past week. Those reports proved most encouraging, both of the Branch as a whole and from the individual members, for apart from assisting in the general work of the Branch, each one of our members is pledged to let no opportunity pass for performing some kind and helpful deed. One reported two members for enrolment, a gentleman and his wife having paid their dues by paying a year's rent and provisions for a very poor family. Another had heard of a family on King St. who were sadly in need of Sunshine, and took this opportunity of paying her dues. Still another carried dainties to an invalid, and so on. There are opportunities such as these coming within our reach every day. One new member contributed patches for a quilt, which will help greatly in the work of our Sewing Circle. But what about the lining that was asked for last week? We must only this to complete two quilts to be passed on.

Besides these reports, the idea of Cooking Sale was discussed. It was finally decided to hold one on Friday and Saturday, March 14 and 15. Membership, Press and Advisory committees were also appointed, and other committees to deal with arrangements for the sale.

A letter from headquarters regarding the annual meeting held in New York in May of each year, was brought before the members. The question of sending two delegates to this Grand Convention was not fully decided.

Also, a letter was read from Mrs. Pyke, Secy of the W. C. T. U. of this city, asking the sympathy and support of Sunshiners in connection with an entertainment given in aid of the Francis Willard Home. The members present expressed themselves as being only too glad to give any assistance in their power.

In future meetings will be held regularly, once a week, and although it is not necessary to attend these meetings in order to be a Sunshine member, still we would be glad to receive reports or suggestions from all of our members, for these would help others to a clearer insight into the true meaning and spirit of Sunshine.

Some, apparently, have a wrong idea as to eligibility for membership. One lady remarked to a Sunshine member that she thought our society was only for young girls. This is a mistake. The article plainly reads, "Any worthy person sympathizing with the object of this society may become a member by helping in any way to carry on the work; male members being associate members. No one is barred. It is a work for everybody, and so simple—just 'do something for somebody.'"

HOW TO BE HAPPY.
Are you almost disgusted with life, little man?
I'll tell you a wonderful trick. That will bring you contentment if anything can—
Do something for somebody, quick!

Are you awfully tired with play, little girl?
Weary, discouraged and sick?
I'll tell you the loveliest game in the world—
Do something for somebody, quick!

Though it rains like the rain of the flood, little man,
And the clouds are forbidding and thick,
You can make the sun shine in your soul, little man—
Do something for somebody, quick!

Though the stars are like brass overhead, little girl,
And the walks like a well-heated brick,
And our earthly affairs in a terrible whirl,
Do something for somebody, quick!

A Junior Branch is to be formed in connection with our Branch and then it will be a merry race to see which Branch will find the most opportunities for Sunshine. There are hundreds of junior branches organized in the United States, and so many different uses they find for Sunshine. For instance, it is the duty of every member of a certain junior branch in Pennsylvania to notify their president if they hear of any little friend being ill. This little one immediately becomes a member of that Branch, and when well, will take his or her turn at cheering up some friend whose turn it happens to be sick. In this way they scatter Sunshine.

A meeting for Sunshiners will be held next Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Thomas Richardson's, Thames St. Committee members will kindly try to be present, in order to complete arrangements for the cooking sale.

Some of our American cousins evidently think that Canadians are too slow to recognize a good thing when they see it. One of these "cousins" in conversation with a member of the Chatham Branch, referred to the grand work of the Sunshine Society in connection with the Cincinnati fire. People had given up their homes, in many cases, to the sufferers. "How strange it is," he said, "that Canadians have not taken up Sunshine work. Everybody in the Sunshine with us." This branch, while from our member, and she seemed to remove his idea of our "back state," for we have in Canada several very branches and many individual members in every province.

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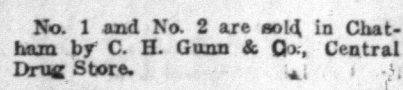
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There are many "Linen Reasons" why you should visit this Linen Store Saturday.

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- 4 lbs. California prunes, 25c.
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- A 25c. can of jam for 22c.
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- 2 lbs. broken leaf tea, Japan, for 25c.
- Kearney's Lard, best quality 12 1-2c.
- 7 lbs. best rolled oats, 25c.
- Ginger snaps, 6c. per lb.
- Mince Meat, 9c. lb.
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SATELLITE

Maybe that man Whitney isn't a whirlwind?

W. A. Thrasher dropped sudden but he landed soft.

I reckon one lawyer more can make a living in Chatham now.

That bullet in the arm won't effect De Wet's running ability.

This is mighty nice weather, girls, but watch out for freckles.

Mr. Whitney didn't side step his stand on the prohibition question.

It strikes me that some of the people with sites to sell bi-lary nice.

People shouldn't own corner lots if they don't want to pay for the "side" walk.

I guess by the time Principal Plewes blacks all the scholars' shoes he will be tired.

Principal Plewes would find it easier to keep his boys faces black than their shoes.

If somebody would only harness these March winds, I wouldn't need bridle my tongue.

I don't blame Brouse Smith for going away with the Runaway Girl. I would have done it myself.

Who will engineer the Grit machine in this county now W. A. Thrasher has dropped out of politics.

When there are any errors in this column, we want it distinctly understood that they are all typographical errors.

It may not have been a very humane for those Australians to offer no quarter to those Boers but it was very human.

All residents in Chatham east have drawn sighs of relief since they learned that those Pleasant's lots couldn't be located.

That poor unfortunate Lane, after spending a few days in that paradise, Chatham, preferred to die rather than go back to Toronto.

Chief of Police Holmes blew himself on a blue suit and he now looks blue all except his face and feet, one is black and the other white.

When you have shouted for the Old Boys' Re-union and sung out for more finances, just put your left hand over your mouth, and your right hand in your pocket, and do a little yourself.

Mrs. Rogers, if she wants her house to face on both Duluth street and Dufferin avenue, should put it on a pivot and turn it to whatever street she wishes it to face.

I'll back Hamilton against any town of its size in the world for the number of its shoe stores and pretty girls.—Hamilton Spectator. What's all this got to do with big feet?

If all attractions that visit the Grand Opera House were as good as the Runaway Girl, that place of entertainment would mean six days in the week and pay more than expenses.

Don't stop writing your silly letters, cousin Mimbix. I like to put them in this column. They were after reading them, will appreciate the more my good and pointed paragraphs.

A. P. McKishnie, called up to tell us that only three things were doing a good work in this city. They were the International Spools of Sore response, the Churches, and the Satchel column of this G. H. J.

Musicians are said to be jealous, but they are no more so than any other class of professional people.—London Free Press.

Evidently there are some musicians who talk, evidently about as well as they sing or play.

The killing of that man at Hamilton's bluff is really not remarkable. I would drop dead myself at Hamilton's bluff and the verdict of the coroner's jury would be weak heart, sudden shock from audacity of the ambitious burg.

There is a gentleman living in Canajoharie, N. Y., who is 107 years old and has used whiskey and tobacco ever since he was old enough to vote. It seems unlikely to publish these facts, in view of the prospective referendum, but no genuine newspaper will suppress facts.

Dick Slugs says that a little daughter came to the home of John Pritchard a week ago Sunday when a son and heir was expected and wanted. When Dick met John the following dialogue occurred:—

Dick—Why don't you cut those trees in front of your place down?

John—Why?

Dick—So as to let in a little sun.

A woman called on a house-renting agent the other day to enquire about a house. She wanted to rent a house at \$10 a month, because her husband had made a paying investment and was thinking of retiring. Inquiry revealed the fact that the husband owned two shares in the Chatham Binder Twine Factory.

TWO STRONG THINGS.
The manager of the street railway company says he is not opposed to unions. Wonder how he is on onions.—Hamilton Spectator.

Will Principal Plewes make the boys black the girls' shoes, and vice versa?

A SURE SIGN.
When you see a married man with his trousers nailed to his suspenders it's a sign that his wife belongs to a sewing society.—Montreal Herald.

WELL ACQUAINTED.
If Cecil Rhodes is bad Rhodes, Chatham needs no introduction to him. If Cecil Rhodes is good Rhodes, then Ald. Mounteer must be acquainted with him.

QUITE APPARENT.
According to the papers, if the prohibitionists vote for either Ross or the referendum, or don't vote at all, they won't get prohibition, so why in the world are the temperance people to do?

OUR INNATE MODESTY.
The government is beginning to recognize that newspaper men are the best qualified for public office. This has long been admitted by the fraternity, and their natural modesty alone kept them in the background.—Watford Guide.

Our wife hunting letters, in answer to the advertisements in the Toronto Mail, elicited the following reply. The paper used had some reading of a homely nature printed on the inside of the cover. "Your feet upon the fender." What could more suggest home. In the other corner, "Our methods of advertising bring us in touch with the best men and women in the land. You will find your Equal and one in harmony with you by confiding in us. All patrons welcome to our office. Arrangements for personal introductions by mail. All transactions strictly confidential. We do as we agree." What could more suggest advertising and matrimony. This was the letter—

St. Louis, Mo., March 1, 1902.

Dear Sir:—The lady whose personal was honored by your reply, is greatly interested in your letter, and desires to form your acquaintance. As a member of the "League" she has entrusted us to give her full description, particulars, excluding address, as to her social and financial standing, which we will do with pleasure, by mail upon receipt of ten 2c. stamps.

We will also send descriptions of a few other desirable marriageable ladies which may interest you.

Every letter is held in strict confidence.

Your interest is ours.

I repeat your address and name of personal.

Respectfully,
MRS. EDNA HOMES.

The following was the enclosure:—

The young lady received so many replies, that she took this way to avoid the tediousness of the "riff raff" of society, leaving a practical number, we believe those who would not invest 20 cents for particulars do not mean business, so we drop them and give our attention to those who do.

OUR REPLY.
Not having 20 cents in real money we appealed to our friends. The response was generous and elicited 21 cents. Then we hammered out the following and destroyed it.

My Dear Mrs. Edna Homes,—Your letter gave me unbounded pleasure. In the first place, I was glad to know that the wealthy young lady still existed.

In the second place, I was glad to know you were weeding out the "riff raff." Now, of course, I couldn't let you labor under the delusion that I belonged to that class of the necessary 20 cents.

Kindly attend to this matter at once and oblige.

Yours truly,
STANLEY SACHELITE.

We have as yet received no answer and do not know if it is our money they wanted all the time.

DIABETES CURED

Physicians Amazed at a Quebec Case.

This Hitherto Incurable Disease has at Last Yielded to Medicine.—The Statement of a Man Cured of a Very Bad Case Four Years Ago.

Quebec, March 7.—(Special)—Physicians and others interested in medicine have been very much interested in a remarkable cure which has been made in this city. If the facts are as reported and the gentleman in question has signed a positive statement giving details and all particulars—this case will mark a new era in the treatment of at least one hitherto incurable disease.

Some few years ago, Mr. Sam Desrochers, of this city, was almost dead with Diabetes. He had been ill for over five years and toward the last the symptoms became so very marked as to leave no doubt in the minds of his physicians as to the nature of the ailment.

He had an unquenchable thirst, his feet were always cold; he had some very acute pains around his kidneys. These and many other symptoms were all present and no one thought for a moment that he could ever recover.

He tried every remedy for Diabetes that he could hear of, but all failed to do him any good, and when his hope had almost gone he determined to begin a treatment of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

From the very commencement he began to feel a little better day by day, and as the treatment proceeded the unfavorable symptoms grew less and less till finally he was completely cured, sound and well.

His astonishing recovery created quite a sensation at the time and many wondering inquiries were made by the doctors and others. If he had not Diabetes then nobody ever had it, and Diabetes was incurable!—Then how could he be cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills? The cure was only temporary, and it would return was what many said.

Now, however, after four years have elapsed Mr. Desrochers stoutly declares that he has not since had the slightest symptom of his old trouble. Everyone is convinced that Diabetes is curable, and that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure it.

SUNDAY SERVICES

International Bible Lesson for Tomorrow—The Disciples Scattered—Acts viii, 3-13.

Golden Text—"Therefore, they that were scattered abroad and everywhere preaching the Word."

Making martyrs makes missionaries. The blind, brutish zeal of Saul (Paul), inspired by the wicked one and the chief priests, spreads, not quenches, the Gospel fire. So to-day, India's famine and the Boxer persecution in China destroys heathen prejudice and winnows the chaff from the wheat, manifesting God's work in saving men and Satan's in destroying them. History repeats itself. Jerusalem is evangelized. Notice those who were commanded to preach to every creature seemed loth to leave the city. Philip finds in Samaria a refuge and a field ready for harvest. Contrast the two Simons and the Gospel and its joy with the frauds and shams of a tool of Satan. Lies never put joy in any city or any heart—Simon's conversion lacked the humility and confession of a changed heart and a new born soul. Is it true "one thing thou lackest?"

Church Notes.
The pastor, Rev. W. E. Knowles, will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church on both occasions to-morrow. In the evening he will preach on "The Blessings of a Home."

Christ Church—Rev. Robt. McCosh will conduct the services, and Rev. Arthur Murphy, special mission preacher, will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Battisby, will preach in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow morning and evening.

Rev. T. Beverley Smith, rector, will conduct the services and preach both morning and evening in Holy Trinity Church.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Hannon, will occupy the pulpit of Park St. Methodist Church at both services to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. T. T. George, will occupy the pulpit of the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church to-morrow.

On Sunday evenings during Lent the pastor, Rev. Beverley Smith, of Holy Trinity Church, will preach a course of sermons on the Parable of the Prodigal Son. The fourth of the series will be preached to-morrow evening.

Rev. J. J. Reas will conduct both services in the William St. Baptist Church to-morrow and teach the Bible Class for men at three o'clock in the afternoon. In the morning he will take as his subject "The Baptism of the Holy Spirit," and in the evening "The Ecclesiastical Aspect of the Kingdom."

Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a. m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m., Christian fellowship at 3 p. m., and winning service at 7.30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

The pastor, Rev. T. H. Henderson, B. A., will preach in the Campbell A. M. E. Church to-morrow evening. In the morning, Rev. D. O. Campbell, of Winchester, Ont., will preach. Class meeting at 12 o'clock. Revival services are being continued.

There will be an early celebration of the holy communion in Christ Church to-morrow morning at 8.30.

Rev. Arthur Murphy will address a meeting of men only, in the Opera House to-morrow afternoon at a quarter after four.

Services will be held in the Saints' Auditorium, next Aberdeen bridge, to-morrow as follows:—Prayer meeting at 2 p. m., Sunday school at 3 p. m., preaching at 7 p. m.

At Holy Trinity Church, during Lent, there will be a short service, with address, every Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Park St. Methodist Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Services will be held in the First Baptist Church, King St., to-morrow as follows:—Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor; at 3.30 by Rev. T. H. Henderson, B. A., and at 7.30 by Rev. Mrs. Mary E. Lyons, of Windsor. These are special services and everybody will be made welcome.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Christ Church Sunday School meets every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

St. Andrew's Church C. E. Society on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Holy Trinity Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Campbell A. M. E. S. S. will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Christ Church Guild meets every second week.

Prayer meeting in connection with First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. R. McCosh's Bible Class for young men will meet in the S. S. Hall of Christ Church to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Dr. R. V. Bray's Bible Class for young ladies meets at the same place, same hour. All young ladies and gentlemen are invited to attend these classes.

The C. E. Society in connection with the First Presbyterian Church will meet immediately after the evening service to-morrow.

Christ Church Young People's Society meets in the S. S. Hall every Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Sunday School of the First Presbyterian Church will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

St. Andrew's Church S. S. and Bible Class will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Park St. Methodist Sunday School meets to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Holy communion is celebrated in Christ Church on the first and second Sunday of each month.

J. W. Humphrey's Bible Class for ladies meets every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the S. S. hall of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church.

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