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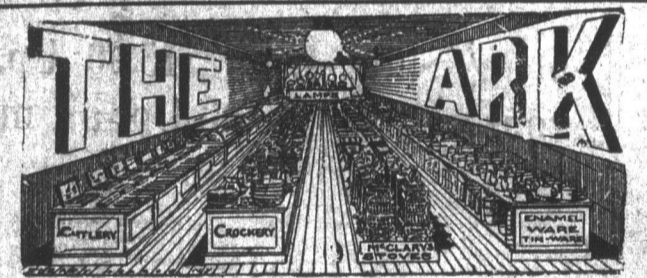
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New and Handsome designs just in, stock complete in every color and prices, better than ever. A call will please all.

KENNY'S
BOOK STORE

Another Paul Kruger Appears. Pittsburgh, March 29.—Charles Turner, aged 30 years, a convict in the Western Penitentiary, was murdered at that institution yesterday by Paul Kruger, another convict, during an altercation while at work.

Floated the Minto. Halifax, N.S., March 29.—The steamer Stanley succeeded in floating the Minto ashore at Pannes Island yesterday afternoon. It is not yet known how much damage was sustained.

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THE QUESTION OF PEACE

Russia Outlines Conditions For Its Negotiations

Has Russia Asked Delcasse to Act as Intermediary and Open Peace Negotiations With Japan?—No Intermediary Needed Says Baron Hayashi, Japanese Minister at London—Attaches No Importance to Rumor.

St. Petersburg, March 29.—Russia has outlined the conditions under which she is prepared to negotiate peace.

It was stated last night with every semblance of authority that, thanks to the good offices of the United States and France, the question of peace had assumed practical shape.

Russia Seeks Peacemaker.

London, March 29.—A telegram from a northern European capital received in London yesterday afternoon says: "I have just learned on reliable authority that Russia has asked Delcasse to act as intermediary and open peace negotiations with Japan."

"Delcasse has signified his willingness, but considers that Lansdowne's co-operation is essential to success."

No Intermediary Needed.

London, March 29.—When peace negotiations commence it will be between Russia and Japan, and not through any intermediary," was Minister Hayashi's comment to the Associated Press last night, when shown the despatch from a northern European capital, stating that M. Delcasse, the French Foreign Minister, had been asked to act as an intermediary to open peace negotiations.

Minister Hayashi said he attached no importance to the statement, but believed the Japanese government was preparing to prosecute the war to the bitter end.

LINEVITCH LACONIC.

Message from Russian Commander Causes Fear in St. Petersburg.

London, March 29.—The Times' St. Petersburg correspondent telegraphs as follows:

"The entire absence of private and press telegrams from the front, together with a laconic message from Gen. Linevitch last night, dated Harbin and saying 'No reports from the armies,' evokes fears that communications have been cut and an invasion will be turned the Russian positions."

Japan Move Forward.

Gunshu Pass, (104 Miles north of the Pass), Manchuria, March 29.—The Japanese again moving forward and the Russian rear guard has fallen back from its position about thirteen miles north of Sipinghai (74 miles north of the Pass), to Chaumiadai, which is situated 40 miles below Gunshu Pass.

Practically complete reports show that the Russian army sacrificed a general commissariat stores to the amount of \$1,250,000, and stores for an army corps amounting to \$600,000, held at Mukden, most of it being set on fire. The boots and uniforms of the Russian soldiers, of which the whole army was in need, arriving from Europe four days before the Russian retreat from Mukden. Gen. Kuropatkin ordered the removal of the stores, but orders were not executed. An investigation will be made in order to establish the responsibility.

Tied Linevitch's Hand.

St. Petersburg, March 29.—News has been received here that the Japanese are again forcing matters. Gen. Linevitch's position is regarded as precarious, and is causing extreme anxiety.

In official circles in St. Petersburg the possibility of peace is now freely talked of. At both the Foreign Office and the Admiralty yesterday was heard the opinion expressed that it is within sight.

Sailors Dis of Exposure.

Tokio, March 29.—Two of the crew of the British steamer March have died of exposure. The rest of the men rescued have arrived at Hakodate.

Minor State of Siege Declared.

Riga, Russia, March 29.—The Minister of the Interior has ordered the proclamation of a minor state of siege in the Government of Livonia.

BIG FIRE AT WINNIPEG.

J. V. Griffin & Co's Pork Factory in Flames—Loss \$200,000.

Winnipeg, March 29.—J. V. Griffin & Co's pork packing establishment, located on the Red River banks, opposite this city, was in flames at midnight, and will be a total loss. The factory is the largest in the west. The loss will be about \$200,000.

The entire factory was burned. There was a fierce wind blowing, accompanied by snow and sleet, but the firemen prevented the spread of the flames to the opposite side of the river, where are located big lumber yards and the Ogilvie mills. The Louise traffic bridge was damaged.

Queen Visits Gibraltar.

Gibraltar, March 29.—The British royal yacht Victoria and Albert, with Queen Alexandra and party on board, entered the bay here yesterday amid a thunder of salutes from the Atlantic fleet, all the vessels of which were dressed with flags and manned with cheering blue jackets. This is the first time a Queen of England has visited Gibraltar, the history of the famous rock. The Queen returned to the Royal yacht at 6.30 p. m. A state banquet was given last night aboard the yacht.

A dull razor is full of the old nick.

PROMPT ACTION

TO ENFORCE LAW

New Government at once Deals with Illegal Shooting Reported in Yesterday's Planet

Two Efficient Local Men Appointed to Put a Stop to It and Investigate Past Offences

Shortly before noon to-day Mr. W. B. Wells received a telegram from Chief Game Warden Tinsley, on behalf of the Provincial Government, asking him to immediately appoint two good local men as special officers to put a prompt stop to the illegal shooting of ducks in this district, as reported from The Planet's Harwich correspondent in yesterday's issue.

These officers will be appointed at once, the one being detailed to Rond Eau and the other to the Raleigh, Tilbury and Dover plains.

The member for East Kent, Philip H. Bowyer, M. P., and the Government are to be congratulated upon the prompt action taken to enforce the game laws. This illegal shooting has heretofore gone on apparently uninterrupted for several years past.

THE FINANCIAL EXPERT.

Hon. Mr. Hanna Answers Categorical Questions Asked by Mr. Smith of Sault Ste. Marie.

Toronto, March 29.—In the Legislature yesterday, the Provincial Secretary, Hon. Mr. Hanna, gave his answer to the following questions asked by Mr. Smith, of Sault Ste. Marie:

Has any financial expert, or auditor, not a resident of Canada, been recently appointed by the Provincial Secretary, temporarily, or otherwise, for any purpose? What is his name? Where does he reside? With what firm is he connected, and in what capacity?

L. E. Thorne Engaged.

Mr. Hanna said: The services of L. E. Thorne have been engaged for a temporary period of special work for which he is especially qualified. It includes a report on the various industries carried on at the Central Prison, and the instalment of a system of accounting by the various institutions. The Provincial Secretary's department, whereby the ministers in charge will have a comparative monthly statement covering the work of the department, and the cost thereof, classified under the various heads of expenditure.

Who Is Thorne?

He resides at the City of Port Huron, and is auditor of the Port Huron Engine and Thresher Co., the Canadian and Port Huron and the Engine and Thresher Co., Winnipeg, and other companies associated with them in the manufacture and sale of agricultural implements and threshing machinery. The system that is being installed can readily be carried on by the present staff.

Mr. Hanna added, "for the comfort of some newspapers," that Mr. Thorne was not connected, nor had he ever been connected, with the Standard Oil Co.

Hon. Mr. Hanna replied to Mr. Harcourt that it was the intention of the Government to introduce some "minor amendments to the act respecting the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors."

Debate on the Address.

T. H. Freeston, of Brant, resumed the debate on the address and spoke for an hour. He was followed by Dr. Smellie, of Port William and C. N. Smith moved the adjournment of the debate.

A deputaion from Widdifield, Nipissing District, asked Hon. J. J. Fox yesterday that the land of that township be handed out by free grants, instead of at 50 cents per acre, as formerly. This method, they thought, would stimulate immigration. The usual promise of consideration was given.

Liberal Caucus.

The members who compose the Liberal "corner" of the House will hold their caucus this morning. It is expected that Charles M. Bowman will be chosen again as Liberal whip. He arrived for the session yesterday morning. Plans for the session will also be discussed.

CENTRE TORONTO.

Nominations on April Eleven, Polling a Week Later.

Ottawa, March 29.—(Globe special).—The writ for Centre Toronto was issued last night. Nominations are on April 11th and polling a week later. Mr. Peter Ryan is the returning officer. The Liberal Executive will meet this evening to receive Mr. T. C. Robinson's reply to the invitation to run as a Liberal candidate. Mr. Edmund Bristol will probably be the Conservative standard-bearer. Mr. Robinson was in the city yesterday, and said he had not made up his mind. There is little doubt, however, that he will accept.

If you are planning to have a home of your own, buy one of the lots still left in the "Athletic Ground Survey," and build the kind of house you want. The location is the best in the city, the prices right, the terms easy. Close to market, school, churches and railway stations, and situated between two of the best streets in the city. For particulars see D. McLachlan, Business College.

ALLAN LONEY ON TRIAL

For Killing Alcide Laurin in Hockey Game Last February.

The Fatal Blow on the Hockey Field at Maxville—Witnesses Tell How Laurin Was Struck—Was Seen to Threaten Loney With His Fists—Blow Struck Was a Hard One—Case Not Finished.

Cornwall, March 29.—The Loney manslaughter case, arising out of the death of Alcide Laurin, of Alexandria, in a hockey match at Maxville, opened at the Assizes yesterday morning before Justice Teetzel and is still in progress. There was considerable difficulty over the selection of a jury, the Crown objecting to eleven and the defence to eight before a full panel was secured.

Contrary to O. H. A. Rules.

Walter H. Dick, of Alexandria, was the first witness. He was cover-point in the Alexandria team. Mr. Dick said that the match was played under the O. H. A. rules, one of which, No. 13, forbids raising the stick above the shoulder. These rules he read. Laurin was rover and captain of the Alexandria team. About 30 or 40 Alexandrians were present at the game. Loney played point for the Maxville team. The match began about 9 p. m. He saw Loney strike Laurin on the head, and Laurin fall.

Laurin had gone up the ice with the puck, passing several Maxville men until he met Loney, who checked him.

In reply to His Lordship, Mr. Dick explained that a legitimate check was striking an opponent's stick so as to get the puck away from him.

Struck Hard Blow.

After breaking Laurin's stick, Loney struck Laurin on the head. This blow was struck after the referee's whistle had been blown to stop the game. Mr. Dick said he was too far away to hear the sound of the blow. He was the first man to reach Laurin, and rubbed his face with snow. He then saw Leo Loney strike Loney over the face with a hockey stick. It seemed to land on his nose, and there was blood on Loney's face. Referring to the condition of the rink, he said the light was fairly good, but the ice was very uneven. The fatal blow was struck with considerable force, Loney swinging his stick over his shoulder.

Match Was Rough.

Cross-examined by Mr. Pringle, Mr. Dick said the first witness in the Loney case, said that it was a rough match from start to finish. Loney was not ruled off in this match. He did not remember Loney being ruled off in three previous games. Laurin had been ruled off in some previous games. He did not see Laurin ruled off in this game. He was not in a position to see Laurin strike Loney if he did so. According to the rules, if Loney was proceeding to his own goal after shoving the puck in the net, Laurin should get back to his position also.

Roughest He Had Ever Seen.

W. J. Simpson, of Alexandria, was next called. He was a spectator at the game and saw the fatal blow struck, although he did not see the previous checking. Laurin seemed to have turned slightly stooping as if to pick up something from the ice when Loney raised his stick over his shoulder and struck him. From the witness' position it looked as if the blow struck on the back of the head. It was the roughest game of hockey he had ever seen. Under cross-examination Mr. Simpson said that he had not heard Laurin say he would put Loney out of business. He did not see Laurin ruled off for a scrap with McDougall. To the judge he said the blow was delivered with great force.

Threatened Loney.

A couple of hundred people were unable to gain admission at the afternoon session. The first witness was John A. McMillan, M. P. P., Glengarry. He was subpoenaed at Toronto. He was present at the hockey match in which Loney struck Laurin. He did not take more than six or eight seconds, both men checking. Laurin's stick was broken after the mix-up. Some player, he thought Stiles, of Maxville, took away the puck. When he struck at Loney and Laurin, the latter made a motion as if to strike Loney with his fist. They were close enough for Laurin to reach Loney. He then illustrated how Loney stood when striking the fatal blow. He could not hear the sound of the blow. There was at the moment considerable excitement—youthful partisans shouting encouragement and advice to the players. He saw Leo Laurin after his brother fell strike Loney. It seemed to him, on the neck or shoulders. At the time Loney struck Alcide Laurin the latter was slightly stooping.

Other Witnesses Called.

Other witnesses called by the Crown yesterday were Dr. A. L. MacDonald and Dr. K. McLennan, of Alexandria, who conducted the post-mortem; J. Douglas MacDonald, player on the Alexandria team; D. A. MacDonald and Donald MacPhee, the Alexandria time-keeper and umpire, respectively; W. Forster, G. Sabourin, P. Deprate, J. McLeister, J. Gibbons and Fred Kemp, of Alexandria, and J. R. Moffatt, of Maxville, all supporters.

The substance of the evidence was that Loney had broken Laurin's hockey stick. Laurin turned and threatened him with his fists and Loney struck Laurin on the side of the head with his stick. All the witnesses were perjury cross-examined by Mr. Pringle, but while they differed on some essentials the majority were unanimous on the cardinal points.

The doctors said Laurin's death was due to a fracture of the skull, and Dr. MacDonald thought this might possibly have resulted from a fall on an elevated hard substance.

The witnesses for the Crown at the evening session of the Loney trial were

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Cor. of King and Sixth St.

the referee of the fatal game, E. O'Connor, and Leo Laurin, a brother of the deceased.

The Defense.

R. A. Pringle, M. P., then opened the case for the defence, and besides Dr. Hamilton, of Cornwall, who testified as to how easily a skull might be fractured, he called George Chalmers, Thos. Johnson, W. Doucett, Cecil Weagar, and J. A. Welsh, all residents of Maxville. The substantial points brought out by their evidence were that Laurin had broken his hockey stick over Loney's leg, had followed up Loney and struck Loney with his fist before the death blow was delivered. A couple of the witnesses believed that this blow came while Loney was recovering his balance after Laurin's attack.

The case will be continued to-day.

QUICK IS INSANE.

Corener's Jury Says Strangler of Brother is a Lunatic.

Strathroy, March 29.—The inquest into the death of Alfred Quick, strangled by his brother, Robert, in a fit of insanity at the latter's home in Canada Township on Saturday afternoon last, was continued for the greater part of yesterday in the Town Hall before Coroner Dr. A. Thompson.

A large number of witnesses who were early on the scene after the murder, and the near neighbors of both the accused and the deceased were examined.

The opinion of the witnesses was that the prisoner was violently insane at the time of the murder and had, in fact, exhibited unmistakable symptoms of unsound mind for a number of weeks previous.

The principal feature of the proceedings was the evidence given by Dr. A. E. Thompson and McCabe, who conducted the post-mortem examination in Tanton's undertaking rooms on Sunday last. They found that death was due to strangulation.

The result of the inquest yesterday was that the deceased came to his death by strangulation, due to throttling. Robert Quick was pronounced insane.

Western Election Frauds.

Winnipeg, March 29.—Indictments were again drawn up yesterday afternoon against various returning officers and deputies regarding the disfranchisement of voters in the late Dominion elections. Indictments have also been drawn up against R. E. A. Leach, Liberal organizer for the Province, and three concerned in the "thin red line" plot. The Manitoba Attorney-General's department will conduct the prosecutions.

Petition For Referendum.

Toronto, March 29.—The Whitney Government is to be asked to grant another referendum vote on the liquor question. The Temperance Legislation League intend to circulate a petition throughout the Province which will be presented to the Premier as soon as 25,000 names are secured.

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MINERAL WEALTH.

The announcements made by Premier Whitney of the new Department of Mines, with a Minister for it, and the probable extension of Ontario's boundaries northwards into rich mineral lands, naturally turn men's minds to the question of mineral wealth. It will, therefore, be interesting to give some figures showing what mining companies of the better class in the United States have to their credit. The Cambria Steel Company is credited with having paid \$2,475,000 in dividends on its \$45,000,000 of issued capital stock. The record of the American Smelting and Refining Company is a total of \$19,891,553 in dividends on capital stock, common and preferred, aggregating \$100,000,000.

Foremost among these is the Calmet and Hecla Company, which has won enormous wealth from the copper mines of Lake Superior. Its capital stock amounts to only \$2,500,000, par value, while the corporation has paid dividends aggregating no less than \$88,850,000. The Boston and Montana, another copper mining company, has paid over \$4,000,000 in dividends on a capital of \$3,750,000. The Anaconda Copper Company, which has its mines in Montana, has distributed \$24,450,000 to the owners of stock of the par value of \$30,000,000, and the big Amalgamated Company, also a producer of Montana Copper, has paid \$27,343,000 on capital stock to the amount of \$155,000,000. Other remarkably successful copper companies are the Tamarack, a Michigan concern, which has paid \$8,580,000 on stock to the par value of \$1,500,000; the Osameola, also mining Michigan copper, which has paid \$4,632,000 on \$2,500,000 of stock; the Quincy, another Michigan mining corporation, which has distributed \$14,920,000 to the owners of stock to the amount of \$2,500,000; and the Arizona Company, still another copper mining concern, has paid \$6,180,000 on a capital of \$3,775,000.

These copper mining companies have paid a total of about \$231,000,000 in dividends on stock of the par value of which cannot be approached by companies which have mined the precious metals. Only the wonderful success of the Standard Oil Company makes the showing of the manufacturing group corporations better than that of the leading copper companies. Gold and silver mining companies tell a different story. Among the best of them are the Alaska Treadwell Company, which has paid \$6,300,000 in dividends earned in gold mining to the owners of stock having the face value of \$5,000,000; the famous Homestake Company, of South Dakota, which has paid \$13,132,000 in dividends on stock of par value of \$21,840,000; the Portland, a gold mining company of Colorado, which has paid \$5,537,000 on stock to the amount of \$3,000,000; and the Standard Consolidated, of California, mining gold and silver, which has a record of \$4,160,000 in dividends on stock to the amount of \$2,000,000. The Silver King, a Utah corporation, mines gold, silver and lead, and has paid \$8,850,000 to the owners of \$3,000,000 in capital stock.

Mr. Borden's arguments on the schools question are weakened by the extreme care he took to see, before he spoke, exactly where the government was going to stand on the question.—Toronto Star.

Possibly. But we think his arguments would be weakened a thousand times more if Mr. Borden had jumped in and attacked a position which the government did not occupy.

ONE FOLLY LEFT.
Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.
Death ends all but the folly epitaph on the tombstone.

FREIGHT RATES

County Commissioner James Ross passed through the city to-day. He is shipping four cars of cattle to the Old Country. He is paying from \$4.50 to \$4.60 for prime beef. Mr. Ross says that they are paying as much for stockers as for export cattle. Mr. Ross calls attention to the discrimination that is made against Merin in the matter of freight rates. The rate on a car of cattle to Toronto is 14 cents per cwt. from Merin, 13 cents from Tilbury, and 13 cents from Fletcher. Tilbury is farther west than Merin, yet the rate is cheaper. A difference of a cent a pound means a difference of \$2.50 in a car of cattle at the very least. Mr. Ross is anxious that David Gordon, M. P., will take this matter up in the anti-freight rate discrimination campaign he is waging.

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

R. L. Gosnell, of Blenheim, was in the city to-day.

Mrs. T. J. Doyle is spending a few days at her old home at Charing Cross.

Fred. Corey, of Toronto, spent yesterday the guest of his daughter, Mrs. O. L. Lewis.

Mr. Foster, G. T. R. solicitor, was in the city yesterday in connection with the suit of Elliott vs the G. T. R.

The Brooklyn merchants in business on St. Clair street are complaining that boys playing ball annoy them.

Neuralgia may not be dangerous, but it hurts. It seems to tear the face with red-hot pinners. Stay indoors and use Perry Davis' Pain-Killer. The blessed freedom from pain which follows cannot be told.

The April sittings of the County Court opens next Tuesday. The case of Kerver vs. Morrison, R. M. Thompson for plaintiff and R. L. Gosnell contra, is the only one so far entered for trial.

Yes, it is humiliating to have a skin covered with foul eruptions. It is painful, too, for the burning and itching give you no peace. Why not end the trouble and restore your skin to its natural fairness with Weav's Cerate.

Major Coonan has a notion he would like to buy that well dressed piece of feminine statuary in the Northway Co. window and place the pretty painted face in Harrison Hall to please the men who spend the hours of the day there.

The greatest death rate in the Hospital for Insane is Consumption, so says that great expert, Dr. Burgess, of Montreal. "For over ten years I have prescribed 'The D & L' Emulsion with most satisfactory results."

A resolution was unanimously carried at the last meeting of the Windy Council, expressing disapproval of a story in the Detroit News-Tribune on asphalt block and discrediting the story copied in eastern papers that the block was wearing in that city.

Bill Needham, the King St. merchant, has received a letter from F.

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F. Quinn, Edmonton, N. W. T. Mr. Needham had thought of going to the Northwest capital to start a butcher business. Mr. Quinn advises against it. He says that meat is cheaper in Edmonton than it is in Chatham, and there are three or four engaged in the butcher business in that place who could buy up all the butchers in Chatham. Mr. Quinn says that things were dull in Edmonton during the past year and a half, but now there is every prospect of a big boom.

That tormenting cold that made you wratched last winter will not come back if you take Allen's Lung Balm when your throat is raw and sore. This admirable remedy is free from opium. Take it in time.

"NO. ONE!"

The Splendid Harwich Literary and Debating Society Holds Its Second Annual Banquet

The second annual banquet of the No. 1, Harwich, Literary and Debating Society was held last evening at the home of W. W. Everett, and proved an unqualified success. The banquet table, which was some 40 feet in length, stretched through the arch of the two large rooms and was charmingly festooned and decorated, and, moreover, laden with good things and delicacies, while a corps of busy waiters—young ladies and gentlemen—contributed materially to the enjoyment and comfort of the guests.

President Lindsay Parrott occupied the chair, and Wm. A. McGeehy the vice-chair, and both gentlemen proved themselves admirable toastmasters, and with bright anecdote and ready repartee enlivened the progress of the program. The addresses in response of the various toasts were much enjoyed. Particularly happy was the thought of a toast to "the Gentlemen," which brought forth three gracious and delightful addresses from Misses D. Holmes, B. Wilson and T. Houston. The young ladies spoke particularly well.

The society is closing one of its most successful years. It has grown strong and waxed eloquent and has the loyal support of the whole section. The officers are as follows:—
President—Lindsay Parrott.
Vice-President—M. J. Smith.
Sec.-Treas.—John Cameron.
Executive Committee—Miss Nellie Field, J. McGeehy, H. English.
Program Committee—Miss T. Houston, Geo. Garon, Miss L. Cameron.
Heat and Light—H. Cameron.
The toast list last evening was as follows:—

PART I.
Chairman—Lindsay Parrott.
The King—God Save the King!
Canada and the Empire—M. J. Wilson.
W. D. A. Ross.
Our Society's Success—Alex. Everett, John McGeehy.
Dramatic Development—Jno. Houston, W. W. Everett.
The Farm—R. M. Smith, H. English, John Cameron, W. E. Parrott.
PART II.
Vice-Chairman—Geo. Garon.
Auld Lang Syne—A. E. Field, N. A. McGeehy, A. Cameron.
No. One Section—H. Cameron, M. J. Smith.
Sister Societies—A. R. Everett, Mr. Sterling, H. W. Anderson.
The Ladies—P. Parrott, C. Wilson.
The Gentlemen—Misses D. Holmes, B. Wilson, T. Houston.
Host and Hostess—W. W. Everett.

District Doings

BLenheim

March 23.—Several young men arrived from the Emerald Isle last evening and are staying at Rev. G. Gilmore's. They were on the Steamship Parisian that met with an accident in Halifax harbor. All have found positions.

Miss Mary Carmichael left this morning for Philadelphia to visit relatives.

Freeman Warner has bought 12 acres of land adjoining Peter Mc-

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Heavy half bleached tabling, 54 in. wide, good firm make, in choice designs, extra value at a yard 25c.

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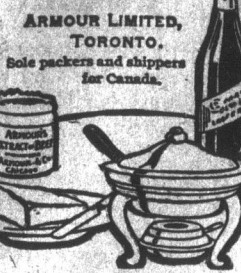
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SPECIAL SETTLERS' TRAINS TO NORTH-WEST.

Special train with Colonist Sleeper will leave TORONTO at 9 p. m. every TUESDAY during MARCH and APRIL for Manitoba and North-West. Passengers travelling without Live Stock should take the Pacific Express leaving Toronto at 1.45 p. m.

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he woman lawyer doesn't always win a man's suit.

C.P.R. BRIDGE GOES.

Saskatoon Structure Swept Away by Big Ice Jam—Damage by Spring Freshets Elsewhere.

Saskatoon, N. W. T., March 28.—The C. P. R. bridge across the South Saskatchewan River here was swept away yesterday afternoon by a big ice jam. The extraordinary early spring caused the river to rise at a rapid rate, and the ice coming piling down finally carried away the structure, the piles snapping with thunderous report. The bridge was only a temporary affair built to replace the permanent structure carried away by the heavy floods last spring.

Damage Done Near Fergus. Fergus, Ont., March 28.—The spring freshet on the Grand River swept away the fine flume belonging to Messrs. J. A. Wilson & Sons at the Broomfield Mills here, with a loss of two thousand dollars. The jam has stuck a short distance below Fergus, but the river is now clear above.

Paris, March 28.—The second of the spring wash-outs occurred yesterday a little to the west of this town, on the Grand Trunk main line. In this case it was not the roadbed that suffered to any material extent, as happened at Tara on Saturday, but the flooding played havoc with the telegraph poles, which were down for about half a mile, the result, of course, being that transmission was out of the question.

Town is Under Water. Thamesville, March 28.—The river has risen rapidly for 24 hours, and yesterday at noon was within 20 inches of its record-breaking height of last year. The town is almost flooded. Business is suspended, the water being in nearly every store. Boating is in order on most every street.

Damage and Perhaps Death. St. Paul, Minn., March 28.—A report reached this city last night that the Town of Louisville, in the western portion of the state, had been practically wiped out by a tornado, and that from two to seven were killed.

In Two Tornado Visitations. Wichita, Kan., March 28.—At Eldorado a tornado struck the business portion of the city last evening, unroofing several business houses, wrecking an hotel and a schoolhouse. A woman was seriously injured. Loss \$30,000.

PRaise Parisian's Captain.

Nine Hundred Passengers Who Narrowly Escaped Now in Montreal.

Montreal, March 28.—Nine hundred passengers who were on board the Parisian when the latter was stove in near the dock at Halifax harbor, arrived in Montreal yesterday afternoon on two special trains. They speak in terms of the warmest praise of the coolness of the Parisian's captain, who they assert was responsible for the absence of any fatalities. Besides the mails, three carloads of baggage were saved before the Parisian sunk at the dock. The passengers tell thrilling tales of the excitement and momentary terror that followed the collision.

Parisian Still Afloat. Halifax, N. S., March 28.—There was little change yesterday morning in the position of the steamers Parisian and Albano, which were in collision on Saturday evening. The Albano is still afloat, but the Parisian is on the bottom, half her deck being under water. Pumps are at work on the engine room and divers are attempting to patch the hole in her side so that she may be gotten into the dry dock. She has a heavy list to starboard, which has increased four inches last night.

Drowned at Brooklyn, Ont. Brooklyn, March 28.—A sad drowning accident occurred here yesterday. The victim was the six-year-old daughter of W. H. Elvins, miller of this village. She and two little companions were returning from school a few minutes before noon. They stopped to play at the edge of the creek, which was swollen. She tripped and was quickly carried away. Nothing was said by the other children of what happened, and it was not till after school was called more than an hour later that the anxious parents learned of the fate of their child. Search parties immediately set out and spent the remainder of the day patrolling the creek. The body has not yet been found.

True Bill Against Loney.

Cornwall, March 28.—The grand jury at the spring Assizes in session here yesterday brought in a "true bill" against Allan Loney, the Maxville hockey player, on a charge of manslaughter. Loney is the young man who is held for the death of Alcide Lauria in a hockey match at Maxville on February 24. At the preliminary investigation Loney was committed on a charge of "murder," but the Crown Attorney determined to change the charge to "manslaughter." Loney was arraigned last evening and pleaded not guilty. His trial will open at 9 a. m. to-day.

Jury Cannot Agree.

Ottawa, March 28.—The jury in the murder trial in Hull, in which Hugh McMillan, shantyman, is charged with killing Oscar Lauson, retired yesterday afternoon and returned in 40 minutes with the announcement that they could not agree. Judge Roeburn sent them back again, and looked them up for the night. If they do not agree by morning, McMillan will likely be liberated on bail to await a new trial.

Threw Switch to Wreck Train.

Clarksville, Tenn., March 28.—Four men were killed yesterday when a string of freight cars running wild on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad crashed into a freight train near here. It is thought by railroad men that the switch had been thrown for the purpose of wrecking a fast passenger train.

Government Steamer Ashore.

Halifax, March 28.—The Dominion Government steamer Minto ran ashore four miles from Georgetown, P. E. I., Sunday. The Stanley, at Pictou, was ordered to her assistance and left without unloading cargo. No particulars have been received as to her chances of getting off.

Found Guilty.

Toronto, March 28.—Yesterday afternoon Fred McAllister was found guilty of shooting at Roy Tabster with intent to do grievous bodily harm, and he will be sentenced to-day by Chief Justice Meredith.

A GOOD DEAL OF NON-SENSE.

ABOUT "BLOOD PURIFIERS" AND "TONICS."

Every drop of blood, every bone, nerve and tissue in the body can be renewed in but one way, and that is, from wholesome food properly digested. There is no other way and the idea that a medicine itself can purify the blood or supply new tissues and strong nerves is ridiculous and on a par with the fol-de-rol that dyspepsia or indigestion is a germ disease, or that other fallacy, that a weak stomach which refuses to digest food can be made to do so by irritating and inflaming the bowels by pills and cathartics.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets cure indigestion, sour stomach, gas and bloating after meals, because they furnish the digestive principles which weak stomachs lack, and, unless the deficiency of pepsin and diastase is supplied, it is useless to attempt to cure stomach trouble by the use of "tonics," "pills" and "cathartics," which have absolutely no digestive power, and their only effect is to give a temporary stimulation.

One grain of the active principle in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest 3,000 grains of meat, eggs and similar foods, and experiments have shown that they will do this in a glass bottle at proper temperature, but of course are much more effective in the stomach.

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The regular use of one or two of them after meals will demonstrate their merit and efficiency better than any other argument.

Lunatic Cuts Throat.

Brookville, March 28.—Thomas Haggar, a farmer, about 55 years of age, living in the Township of Bassford, Leeds County, while suffering from mental derangement, died by his own hand. He eluded his relatives and was yesterday found with his throat terribly gashed and blood flowing from the wounds inflicted. He carried a razor with him. He expired before a doctor could be summoned.

Tenders for Canadian Rails.

Ottawa, March 28.—Tenders have been asked and received by rail way department from the two Canadian rail mills, one at the "Soo," and the other at Sydney, for the supply of 10,000 tons of rails, to be used on the line of the Intercolonial Railway.

Local Option Defeated.

Southampton, March 28.—The local option bylaw for the Town of Southampton was voted on yesterday with the following result: For, 213; against 213. Majority against the bylaw 16.

Woman's Response to Nature.

Most women love the flowers, the woods, the trees, and everything that is beautiful in nature. Nature never intended that women should suffer from physical disabilities at certain periods, and too often women feel that the great distress they suffer at these periods is only natural.

The fact is the woman who lives in the open air and does physical labor are less troubled by the pains and ills that our delicate, modern women suffer. At any rate, nature provides a cure for these ills of womanhood in the way of a vegetable compound, made only of roots and herbs, without the use of a particle of alcohol or any medicine.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a womanly tonic that has sold more largely in the United States than any other compound prescribed only for the diseases of women. Dr. V. Pierce, the well-known specialist, is chief of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y.

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Men like to believe their word has a convincing effect in a family argument.

THE STAGE

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Bonnie Brier Bush—Mar. 21.

The able dramatization of Ian MacLaren's stories of Scotch life, "The Bonnie Brier Bush," with the gifted player, J. H. Stoddart, as Lachlan Campbell, comes to the Grand Opera House Friday, March 21st.

"The Bonnie Brier Bush" is an exposition in four acts of some of the most interesting features and strong dramatic incidents of the book, and mainly treats of the "Scotch marriage" entered into by Flora Campbell and Lord Hay. The father, Lachlan Campbell, not believing the girl's story of the marriage, drives her out of his house only to find his mistake after some suffering. Forgiveness and re-union follow and all ends happily. The charm of this play lies in its faithful representation



Irma La-Pierre as "Flora Campbell"

tion of real life, not exaggerated, and for this reason it will afford particular pleasure to all who are familiar with the book. J. H. Stoddart, who so ably interprets Lachlan Campbell, announces this as his last season in "The Bonnie Brier Bush," which lends additional interest to the coming engagement. Reuben Fax, who has been identified with the leading comedy role, Archibald McKittrick, the village postman, continues with the company, as do many others who will be remembered from previous presentations. The scenery is painted from sketches of the exact localities, including views of the interior and exterior of Campbell's cottage and the glens of Drumochter.

HE WAS LAID UP FOR OVER A YEAR

Till Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Kidney Troubles.

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Wagella, Assa, N. W. T., March 27.—(Special).—Cured of Kidney Disease that had laid him up for over a year, Mr. Geo. Bartleman, a well-known man here, is loud in his praises of Dodd's Kidney Pills, for to them and nothing else he claims he owes his cure.

"Yes, I had Kidney Trouble," Mr. Bartleman says. "I had pains in my back and in other parts of my body and thought the doctor did what he could for me, I grew worse till I was unable to work."

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The married woman who earns wages may in some cases not have to work as hard as the woman who is trying to make her husband's salary meet the family expenses.—Washington Star.

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Rev. J. W. and Mrs. Hodgins are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Hall, Victoria Ave.

The city scrapers should be put into service at once, as much of the work that would have to be done can be completed now at a much less cost and much more rapidly than if left until the middle of next month or the first of May.

COAL TENDER LET

The Water Commissioners held a special meeting last evening to consider the tenders for supplying coal. Eleven tenders were received, and as that of the Lake Erie Coal Co. was the lowest, it was accepted.

Tenders were also received for supplying galvanized pipe and fittings for the year. Four of these tenders were referred to the superintendent to examine and consider which he thought the best.

STOPPED THE QUAIL

Game Commissioner W. B. Wells has received word from Chief Warden Tinsley that the United States authorities have stopped the shipments of quail which were ordered by the Chief Warden on behalf of the Provincial Government for stocking purposes.

In view of the fact that a great quantity of our fish go to the United States uninterrupted it may be well for the Department to look into the matter.

PIONEER GONE

John Drummond, one of the oldest residents of Blythe, passed away yesterday, aged 81 years, four months and 18 days. Death was caused from paralysis.

Deceased came from Blythe last fall to visit his daughter, Mrs. Nelson Rhunke, of the 7th concession, Dover, and has remained with her ever since. He and his family were greatly respected in Blythe and wherever they were known. Nine daughters and two sons survive.

The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at one o'clock, from the residence of Mrs. Rhunke to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

A man seldom loses his confidence until he loses his money.

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COUNT THE NOSES

Of the people who wear glasses and spectacles and you will find a large percentage of the glass-wearing people in Chatham. That's proof positive of two or three things. ONE—That people who need eye sight aids know where to go; TWO—That they get eye relief at my store; THREE—That I don't charge them too much. You will join the chorus in praise of my work if you try your glasses at

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FRIENDLY VISIT

The Mayor and Aldermen of Stratford inspect the Chatham Pavements, and are courteously received.

The Mayor and Board of Works of the city of Stratford arrived in the city at noon to-day on a trip of pavement inspection to Chatham and Windsor. The party consists of Mayor W. J. Ferguson, Ald. W. J. Norfolk, H. Pauli, J. D. Hamilton, S. J. Mallon, Wm. Hepburn and City Engineer Angus Smith.

Stratford intends to do considerable paving this year and the Stratford aldermen are anxious to learn the experience of Chatham and Windsor in the paving line and in order to be thoroughly convinced they have decided to make a personal inspection and see for themselves what kind of pavement will be of the most use to them.

The deputation was met at the Garner House by Mayor Cowan, chairman of the Board of Works, Ald. J. T. O'Keefe and City Engineer Jones and every courtesy was extended to them.

Mayor Ferguson in conversation with a Planet reporter said: "We have almost no paving in Stratford now but this year we intend to do considerable of it. We heard such alarming reports regarding the asphalt block pavement that we have come to investigate for ourselves. As it is contemplated to put down between \$50,000 and \$60,000 worth of asphalt block pavement in Stratford, we felt that we should undertake to personally find out whether there are any grounds for the evil reports concerning this pavement. We have already taken the initiative for this pavement in many cases but can yet change the class of pavement if we desire. That is why we are anxious to profit by your experience, for we don't want our pavements to cost us any more than the price of the work of putting them down."

"We are very well pleased with the appearance of your city. Your streets are well paved and the general impression upon entering the city is good. Intelligence and progress will always be found in a city where you find good roads, and we wish to place Stratford in that class as far as pavements are concerned. In this, after viewing your streets, I believe we will be following the good example set forth by Chatham."

The Mayor and aldermen of Stratford are up-to-date, intelligent and genial men, and if they are a fair sample of the citizens of Stratford it is no wonder Stratford is going ahead.

MACEDONIAN SITUATION.

Lord Lansdowne Gives Some Interesting Information in the House of Lords on the Question.

London, March 29.—The House of Lords discussed the Macedonian situation last night. Lord Lytton (Conservative) called attention to the condition of affairs in that part of the world. He said that the Austro-Russian reform scheme was a failure and it was hopeless to expect anything from Russia or Austria. The rule of Turkey was an anomaly in civilized Europe and a perpetual source of trouble.

Foreign Secretary Lansdowne said some progress had been made, but he realized that action was urgent on the grounds of humanity and because the existing conditions menaced the peace of Europe. Great Britain, however, had less responsibility than any of the powers, and however desirable it was impossible for Great Britain to send a fleet to Constantinople or to the army of invasion into Macedonia. It was hardly likely that Russia and Austria would stand aside to find room for the western powers.

Financial Reforms. The Foreign Secretary also said the British Government approved the latest scheme for financial reform. The Turkish Government proposed to raise the custom dues. Great Britain would not accept a proposition so injurious until convinced of its necessity. The Government of Great Britain had made certain propositions in connection with the scheme for reforms, but the Foreign Secretary asked that he be not required to give the details at present. He assured the House that the powers were presenting a united front in connection with Macedonia, and he believed the outcome of the present negotiations would be satisfactory.

Lord Lansdowne further remarked that as a general indication of the manner in which the Government regarded the situation he might say that it was of the opinion that the question had reached a stage when all the powers had the right to make themselves heard. The finances of Macedonia must be so arranged as to provide adequately for the administration of Macedonia, guarantees must be provided that not any of the revenues earmarked for the special benefit of Macedonia, can be diverted for other purposes, and, finally, the finances of Macedonia must be placed under international control.

The statement of Lord Lansdowne was greeted with cheers.

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There is no harm in thinking you are just a little better than the average individual.

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If you want to buy a good house and let call upon Smith & Smith, as they have several good houses for sale from \$550 up. They also have private and company funds to loan on farm and city property at lowest rate of interest.

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Brings Boils, Salt Rheum, Eczema and Scrofula,
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Our Grocer.
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HOUSE TO RENT—On Joseph St., brick, city water, gas and electric light. Will be vacant on April 15. Large garden and a number of choice fruit trees. Apply to Mrs. Gould, over W. E. Rispin's ticket office, King street.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT—The North half of Lot 9, Concession 5, Township of Chatham, containing 100 acres, 1-2 miles from Darrell station, 6 miles from Chatham. For further particulars apply to Thomas Campbell, St. Clair street, or address Box 243, Chatham P. O.

House For Sale

Not having sold my home, I have reduced the price in order to let me leave the city. House modern in every way; worth looking at, even for an investment. At the price I am offering will be sold this week.

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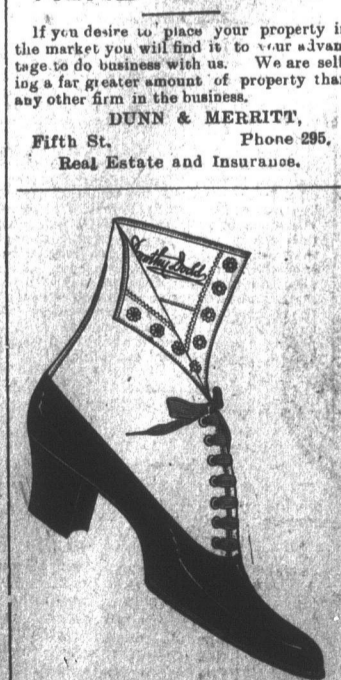
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COUGHS, COLDS, CROUP.
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In form they are copied from models sold at several times their price. Every day fresh, new collections come forward for inspection, new ideas are constantly found, and even in these popular priced Hats no two are exactly alike.

Illustrating the character of these Hats we give a few descriptions.

Smart shape of fancy Black braid, furnished with green medallions, crown finished with straps and Black ribbon, and quills. \$4.35.

A pretty Navy blue Turban, made of rows of straw braid, and folded chiffon, rolling back, trimmed with foliage and ribbon with clasp, \$5.00.

A pretty dress Hat of shaded Brown chiffon, soft Violet crown, trimmed with rose velvet, roset and castor ribbon, \$7.75.

THE NEW SPRING DISPLAY OF CORSETS

The entire array of New Spring Models in these superb corsets are now ready. Arrivals during the last few days have completed one of the finest collections of Corsets that we have ever assembled.

The S. B. C. Corset

Is a new line we have added to our present stock. The best materials are used. It is filled with Aluminum Steels, nicely trimmed, and shown in all the latest American Models.

Prices Range from 50c to \$1.50

Stockings for Women

These are very desirable sorts of New Spring Stockings for Women.

At 15 Cents a Pair—Fast Black Cotton Hose, full fashioned, seamless, all sizes.

At 25 Cents a Pair—Lisle Thread Cotton Hose, seamless, Hermsdorf Dyes, full fashioned, all sizes.

At 35 Cents a Pair—Silk finished Lisle Thread Hose, Hermsdorf dyes, seamless, special value

NEW DRESS GOODS —AND— SPECIAL OFFERINGS

Our counters are filled to overflowing with every new thing that we could discover in the line of DRESS GOODS. The well dressed woman will be satisfied here as nowhere else in soliciting her Spring wearing apparel. The array of new Spring Dress Goods is broader and more complete than any previous showing. Here are a few of them.

Cream Lustras and Serges—Secure them now, as a shortage is reported; we have a well assorted stock of cream lustras at 25c, 40c, 50c, 75c. Special 48 inch cream suiting serge, all wool, 65c yard.

Look through our melange and plain lustras brilliantines; values here that are convincing. Black lustras from 25c to \$1.25 yd. Hair line melange suitings in navy and black, 54 inch, 75c yard.

See our big display of English and Scotch mohairs, every quality, good styles, in browns, blues, greens, blacks and castor, prices are in your favor, 50c to \$1.40 per yard.

Fine Venetians—If you want an up-to-date tailored suit buy a fine Venetian; nothing more stylish. We have them in brown, black and navy, 48 inches wide, at per yard \$1.40.

French Checked Voiles for cool garments, pure wool, very sheer, up-to-date goods, in black and grey, green and white, and brown and white checks, special per yard 50c.

Checked suitings for children's school dresses, light colors with embroidered spots, per yard 50c.

Plain Amazon and Broadcloths, fine tailored garments or separate skirts, in browns, greens, navy, royal greys, fawn and black, 54 and 55 inches wide, special value \$1.00 and \$1.25 yard.

All wool Voiles for your midsummer gown, qualities unexcelled, in shades of cream, pearl grey, castor, champagne, rose and D. K. green, also navy and brown shades, per yard 40c, 50c, 75c.

Creme de robe for fine summer dresses, in a big variety of light shades, at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 per yard.

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The Leading and Reliable Clothiers

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Now, we were fortunate in securing a fair sized lot of good butter, and you can depend on getting what you want here. The price is rather high, 23 to 25c a lb. still it is better at that than not having any. We also have some very fancy creamery butter at 30c a lb.

HEAD CHEESE, 16c a lb.
JELLIED HOCK, 18c a lb.
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Our canned Peas, special 3 cans for 25c.

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After you buy your good fresh seed from us you should put in a supply of the very best garden tools possible. We show a most complete assortment of everything needed for gardening.

Floral Sets,
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Don't let the child suffer. Instant relief and a permanent cure is obtained with

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It heals and soothes throats that are worn and inflamed with coughing, arrests the progress of disease, and effects a complete cure speedily.

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TO-NIGHT

Prayer meeting, city churches, at 8 o'clock.

Christ Church Choir will hold a special practice at 8.

Court Hope, No. 6244, A. O. F., in the A. O. U. W. Hall, at 8.

Local Briefs

H. Barrington, of Petrolia, was in the city yesterday.

John Dillon is building two new houses on Delaware Ave.

Mrs. Geo. Simpson, of London, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Watson, North Chatham, is visiting friends in Chicago.

James Sterling, of Blenheim, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Downey, of Detroit, were guests in the city yesterday.

J. A. Elliott, of Ridgetown, spent yesterday with his many Chatham friends.

Two pumps are kept at work at the waterworks station and although the engine room is below high water it is kept dry.

J. P. Dunn & Co. have removed their general insurance, loan and Real Estate Office to J. L. Scott's Office, Victoria Block, Fifth street.

There is a warm contest going on on Head St. between the bitulithic, asphalt block and vitrified brick pavement supporters.

Dog Lost.—Pug dog, weighs thirty-five pounds, with scar across his back. Finder please notify James Herman at once, at Water Works.

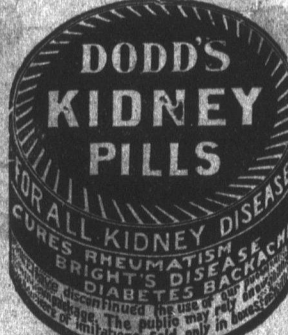
The Rev. Rural Dean Hodgins arrived here from Seaforth to-day to take charge of Holy Trinity Church.

He is a guest of Mr. William Ball, Victoria Ave.

W. E. Rispin has two good heated rooms to let, over his office, 115 King street, suitable for offices or living rooms, all modern conveniences; also house to rent in Riverside Terrace, heated by furnace, hot and cold water, gas and modern conveniences. Also nice small house and lot on Murray street, \$700, full particulars on application.

Charles Jenkins, of the reportorial staff of the News, leaves to-morrow for Brantford, where he has accepted a position on the Examiner.

A. C. Pulver, late of the Brantford Courier succeeds Mr. Jenkins here.



Our new stock of Suitings and Overcoatings

==FOR SPRING==

Is in now. Call early and make your choice while the stock is at its best.

Rainproof Coats made to order.

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Breakfast Rolls.

Buns and Fancy Bread
Rolls that Richards' have
are Particularly Nice.

We make them fresh every morning, and know if you try them once you will become one of our many daily customers.

We make all our own Candies and have them fresh. Every line the largest variety in the city. Come and see us and help yourself.

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THE STRAW BRAIDS

The unusually beautiful Straws, which are in so many cases a trimming in themselves, are the first factors in Hat making this Spring. Never before has the straw goods manufacturer deserved such praise. Shadings and color combinations are exquisite, and the texture of the of the straws is soft, silky and pliable.

C. A. COOKSLEY

King St., Chatham

Shirtwaists best yet, 50c and 75c. Urban.

Wm. J. Hipp, of Massillon, is in the city on business.

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

James Peate, of Petrolia, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

John N. Gibb, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Our tailor made suits are here for spring. Better see them. Urban.

Robert Deyo, of Toronto, is registered at the Rankin House to-day.

J. G. Sing, Civil Engineer, of London, was registered at the Garner yesterday.

Geo. Glover and Geo. Fowler, of Petrolia, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Bishop Willmore will conduct revival services in the Campbell A. M. E. Church to-night.

M. Doyle, proprietor of the Empire, the new Wallaceburg hotel, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. O'Dyer, of Moncton, who has been visiting her father, Judge Woods, at the Sanitarium, has returned home.

Mrs. Williams, of Sandusky, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Post, at the Sanitarium, has returned home.

The Sons of England will hold a White Rose meeting Thursday evening in preparation for the Grand Lodge meeting next year.

You should see the special sale of Diamond rings, clocks and souvenirs goods in E. J. MacIntyre's window, at prices never known before.

Mrs. W. T. Pegg and daughter, of Blenheim, are spending the week with Mrs. A. Shillington, Wellington, St.

Lady bookkeeper wanted. One who can assist with collections. Address in own handwriting, stating wages expected, to Box 546.

A citizen and a teamster suggests that it would be a good time to get the market fountain in working order again.

Miss Sylvia Post, of West College, Oxford, Ohio, who has been spending a few holidays with her parents, Captain and Mrs. Post, has returned to Oxford.

One of the features of the meeting of Court Hope of Ontario, No. 6244, A. O. F., this evening, will be the discussion of the proposed "District Representation" clause, as suggested by High Chief Ranger Kent.

District Chief Ranger B. Longley, Past District Chief Ranger Wm. H. Benson, Past District Chief Ranger Ed. Cape and other brethren will give their views on the question. The matter of "District Representation" is left with the subordinate Courts to send in their approval or non-approval of the scheme, and if the majority of the Courts are in favor of it, it will become law. Other matters of interest to the brethren will be taken up, besides the regular routine and payment of dues. The brethren are asked to be present this evening especially.

Our grand business is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand.

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Fine and wider English, Canadian and American Prints and Turkey Reds—new patterns, at per yard, 10c. and 8c.

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TOILE DU NORD, the best brand of American Gingham in all the latest styles of weaves for women and children's wear.

Zephyr Broche, a new and beautiful fancy weave in Wash Goods for shirtwaist suits, etc., at per yard, 20c.

FANCY VOILES, all new styles and colorings, 12½c goods at 10c

LATASKA VOILES, new and nobby weaves, dark colors, at 16c. The voiles will make very fine shirtwaist suits.

OXFORD SHIRTINGS—Canadian manufacture, fast colors, no better goods for soft front shirts, at 12½c.

CHECK SHIRTINGS, per yard, 5, 12½, 10, 8, 6¼ and 5c

7, 8 and 10 OUNCE DUCKS, Overall Goods, from 12½c to 25c.

You can use your money here to advantage, and that is about all the advantage there is in having any.

—WILLIAM GORDON—

A CLOSE CALL

There used to be lots of rattlesnakes out in Chatham Township. It is not everybody that knows that perhaps. City Clerk W. G. Merritt was talking about the farm he bought on the Chatham Township plains. There were about 600 acres on the plains and the soil was a black loam. Prairie grass grew quite profusely. The ground had never been broken and the first field Mr. Merritt ploughed furnished a rattlesnake experience. The cultivator stuck on a stump and the young farmer stooped to pick up the cultivator. The rattle of a snake made him jump hurriedly back and he discovered a roused rattler just where he had been about to pick up the cultivator. He had never seen a rattlesnake before but knew that he had to learn how to mark his ball. With a girl, it's different.

tion. Many rattlers were afterwards killed on that same farm. Hogs were turned loose and they soon made away with the snakes.

DROPPED ALL OTHERS

"I dropped all liniments but Nerviline, because I found Nerviline the quickest to relieve pain," writes E. S. Benton, of St. John's. "If my children are croupy or sick, Nerviline cures them. If a case of cramps or stomach ache turns up, Nerviline is ever ready. We use Nerviline for neuralgia, rheumatism and all kinds of aches and pains; it's as good as any doctor." The great Canadian remedy for the past fifty years has been Polson's Nerviline—nothing better made.

After a boy has learned trigonometry and cube root, and Greek, he still has to learn how to mark his ballot. With a girl, it's different.

BAD ROADS

John Lee, ex-M. P. P., of Highgate, who is always a genial and welcome visitor to Chatham, is spending the day with his many Maple City friends.

Mr. Lee reports that the roads in Dover are very bad, especially in the clay districts. He tried to drive out through Dover this morning, and when he came to the Baldon road, off the 2nd concession, he found the roads completely impassable. The water has flooded the road in places, and where there is no water the road is almost too rough to travel on. Mr. Lee was forced to come back and take a long way around to his destination.

Dry Goods

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Millinery and Dressmaking

OUR MILLINERY OPENING

Will be continued for the Balance of This Week.

You cannot afford to miss this opportunity to see the

Best Millinery Display in the West...

When you are in, ask to see Our DRESS GOODS and SILKS We are showing great values at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Special Cut Prices in Perrin's French Kid Gloves for the Week.

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Dr. S. GOLDBERG,
The possessor of 14 Diplomas and certifi-
cates, who wants no money that he
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I have 14 Diplomas and certificates from the various colleges in 14 states boards of medical examiners which should be sufficient guarantee as to my standing and abilities. It makes no difference who has failed to cure you, it will be to your advantage to get my opinion of your case free of charge.

PHYSICAL DEBILITY

The Latest Method Treatment is a heaven-sent boon to nervous sufferers. There are scores and hundreds of persons suffering from severe nervous disorders resulting from overwork, hurry, worry, business and domestic cares, bereavements, dissipation, etc. To them life is one continual round of misery, while peace, comfort and happiness are impossible. They suffer from headache, loss of memory, mental depression, strange sensations, dizziness, disordered restlessness, irritability, constant indescribable fear, forebodings, sleeplessness, weakness, trembling, heart palpitation, cold limbs, utter fatigue and exhaustion. In this class of cases almost immediate relief is afforded by my treatment. The use of narcotics and poisonous stupefying drugs is done away with, and permanent cures accomplished.

I Cure Nervous Debility, Varicocele, Stricture, Early Decay and Waste of Power, All Nervous, Chronic, Blood and Skin Diseases.

X RAY EXAMINATION, ADVICE AND CONSULTATION FREE

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If you are in or near the city you should apply for treatment in person, but if you live too far away, write me a full and unreserved history of your case. You will receive as careful, conscientious and painstaking attention as if you were in my office daily. As men in different parts of Canada and Mexico, as well as all over the United States, are being cured by my method of home treatment, I feel fully justified in claiming that it is the most perfect and successful system ever devised. All physicians coming to me for consultation over obstinate cases which they are occasionally called upon to treat will receive the usual courtesies of the profession. Medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Ont., all duty and transportation charges prepaid.

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WHAT WOMAN WEARS

The Long Skirts—A Three Piece Suit.

Smart Traveling Gown.

The long skirts are so full and so many yards of material unconfined at the bottom that nothing short of manila rope will support the volume of some drapery and keep it hanging in graceful flaring folds upon the ground. This rope is concealed in a silk casing attached to a flounce trimming of the drop skirt. Softer cotton ropes are also used, as well as cotton cording of a thick sort. This necessity bids fair to be the subject of further exploiting, and a new style of under support may be introduced later.

The dark blue velveting "three piece" suit illustrated is trimmed with fancy blue braid. The blouse of dark blue chiffon has a deep yoke and straps of velveting edged with taffeta. A taffeta belt is worn.

A directoire hat, with its high stiff box crown and its dashing brim curves by long odds the smartest for fall, well made women, although it does often add too much to their height. If this style of hat is not too exaggerated in size they may be worn becomingly by women anywhere from five feet five to six inches, as the gain in height there is of advantage according to the present ideal of figure lines. Women who are undersized should shun them, as they impart a certain burlesque air that is most objectionable.

Many of the smartly set up among the young contingent are traveling in tweed skirts and open three-quarter coats, severely plain, but on the best tailor lines. The shirt waists worn with them are dainty white lingerie affairs, very high in the neck, with prettily trimmed sleeves that show at the



A "THREE PIECE" SUIT IN VOILE.

wrists. Chain bracelets and a short neck chain in gold workmanship of the finest kind are quite a good style of ornamentation, look very fit and are becoming. With such a suit is worn a French sailor. One black straw hat of this shape was trimmed with two narrow crown bands, one of bronze galloon, the other of dull silver. On the left was a small black and white bird. Most of the well dressed matrons are traveling in tailor made middie blues or heavy, silky mohairs. Dark blues, browns and sober grays prevail. Strap trimming is quite in the best taste. The utmost simplicity is observed on the smartest suits.

For traveling gloves white wash kids seem the favorites for day journeyings and tans for longer ones. Both kinds are worn large enough to be an easy, roomy fit, while the kid should be heavy enough to prove serviceable. Upon economical grounds tan gloves are the best selection.

An idea much exploited is that of using colored leathers, soft and fine, for trimming. When cut into strips, or small figures, they are applied and embroidered upon lace shoulder collars, stocks, yokes, etc. Red upon pongee suits is very telling, so are the beige tans. Small plaits and fine shirtings, strapped with these leathers, are novel trimmings.

Tailor made voile suits of a quality as firm as canvas have become favorites with the best tailors. Lace waists are worn to match the browns and grays—in fact, any color—of the voile.—Vogue.

Fruit Straps For Food Drinks.

Fruit sirups and shrubs are healthful drinks for hot weather. As they are all made in much the same way, the right proportions of juice and sugar will answer for every variety of fruit, the rule being one pound of sugar to each pint of juice. Let this come to a boil and keep in it self sealing jars or bottles. A little lemon juice added to sweet insipid fruits is an improvement, or several kinds of fruits may be combined when extracting the juices, or again two or more kinds of sirup may be blended when serving. Allow two or three tablespoonfuls of the sirup to a glass of water.

Stewed Blackberries.

To a pint of water add half a pound of sugar and a few bits of lemon peel. Pick over the blackberries and place in it, letting them simmer for a short time. Then pour off the sirup, let it come to a boil and strain over them.

House Work



Need Not Wear Her Out

The drudgery of house work seems never ending to tired-out, dispirited women who suffer from female complaints or irregularities. Inflammation and ulceration of the womb and ovaries cause fearful bearing down pains which are aggravated by much standing on the feet, and lifting necessary in house work.

But let no woman despair of relief from this torture. That famous tonic reconstructor of diseased or disordered female organism,

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

has cured more than five hundred thousand American Women, and it will cure you. When monthly periods are painful or irregular, when backaches and headaches drive out all ambition, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will bring back health, strength, and happiness.

It Made Me a Well Woman

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done more for me than doctors or medicines. I suffered for four months with suppression of monthly periods. Headaches were a daily occurrence. Pains in my back and limbs made it hard for me to attend to my domestic duties.

The medicines I had taken did not help me, and I was in misery and despair until one day I read an account of your Vegetable Compound, and decided to try it, and I thank God that I did so, for it not only regulated my monthly periods, but made me a well woman.

MADAME CAROLINE MARTINEAU, 22 La Chapelle St., Quebec, Que.

Do not let disease make headway. Write at once to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free and will contain information of great value to you.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cures Where Others Fail

The Wishbone.
The wishbone in birds is called by scientists furcula and is in reality the union of what are in man the two separate collar bones. These in the birds receive the brunt of the strokes of the wing that turn the creature in its flight. Few realize the strength of stroke of the bird's wing. It is said that a swan has been known to break a man's leg by a blow of its wing, and in like manner the wing beatings of the larger birds are dangerous if they strike the head or face. If, therefore, a large bird is in the habit of making sudden turns to right or left in its flight it must be fitted with a wishbone competent to withstand the great strain of the wing stroke on one side, with no special action on the other side. For this reason we find in the eagle and like birds of quickly turning flight a furcula that is a perfect Roman arch, widely at variance with the Gothic arch, which is the shape of the wishbone of our common fowls. The eagle's furcula is a solid rounded arch, everywhere equally strong and not developing those points of weakness that make war sport of breaking the wishbone possible.

Necessity of Exercise.

The variety of beneficial motions that may be had in muscular exercise is almost unlimited. It is interesting to notice that children, when free to play as they choose, instinctively make so many different motions that they seem to use all their muscles. When people's ideas of propriety shall have become what they should be grown people can exercise like children without being considered daff or silly. Many of the performances of children seem to older persons purposeless and useless.

There is such a state of ignorance and prejudice that many people of considerable education lack very much of having a proper conception of the relation of exercise to life and health. One may learn and practice with benefit a system of exercises, as many do, without having the acquaintance with the principles involved that makes possible the greatest benefit and interest and enjoyment. There is an important advantage in knowing the reasons for the various movements and what muscles make each movement and how muscles use bones as levers.

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ADVERTISE IN THE PLANET

Dying of Hunger.
London, March 28.—Starvation threatens Armenia, according to a cable message from Van Ried yesterday by the Bible Lands or Turkish Mission Aid Society to the local agents of the society. The message reads: "Suffering from poverty. General food supply in many villages nearly exhausted. Deaths from hunger beginning."

Confirmed Bishop of Montreal.
Rome, March 28.—The Pope held a secret consistory yesterday without creating any cardinals, merely preconizing bishops. Monsignor Zetzer Raciocot was confirmed as auxiliary bishop of Montreal.

**Have You One of
Those Can't Taste,
Can't Smell Colds?**

If you have you had better get rid of it immediately. If you don't, that terrible and disgusting malady, Catarrh, is sure to take hold of you and make you miserable, and an object of repugnance to your friends. The best and quickest cure for your cold is
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Dr. Wood's is the original, put up in a yellow wrapper; three pine trees the trade mark, and the price 25 cents.

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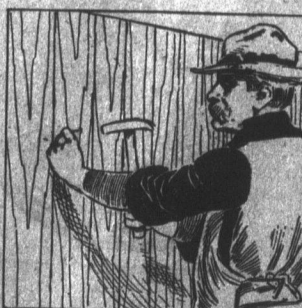
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Are surely worth more to you than the price of a pair of glasses. If you value your eyes have them properly fitted at once. Delay and your eyes may become so bad that no glasses will help them, then you will regret it the rest of your days. This is true every word of it. Do not trust travelling Opticians and peddlars to fit you with glasses. They get your money and you get the experience. This we know because it is told us by people that come to us for glasses after having bought of the Spectacle peddler. Our Optician is a graduate of the Detroit Optical college and is fully equipped with all the modern conveniences. We will examine your eyes free of charge, at the sign of the Big Clock.

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WILL NEVER BE WITHOUT CUTICURA

"My scalp was covered with little pimples and I suffered tortures from the itching. I was scratching all day and night, and I could get no rest. I washed my head with hot water and Cuticura Soap and then applied the Cuticura Ointment as a dressing. One box of Cuticura Soap and one cake of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of Cuticura Soap cured me. Now my head is entirely clear and my hair is growing splendidly. I have used Cuticura Soap ever since, and shall never be without it. (signed) Ada C. Smith, 309 Grand Street, Jersey City, N. J."

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Cuticura Cleanses and Purifies by Cuticura Soap, Assisted by light dressings of Cuticura, the great skin cure. This treatment at once stops falling hair, removes crusts, scales, and dandruff, destroys hair parasites, soothes irritated, itching surfaces, stimulates the hair follicles, loosens the scalp skin, supplies the roots with energy and nourishment, and makes the hair grow upon a sweet, wholesome, healthy scalp when all else fails. Complete external and internal treatment for every humour, from pimples to scrofula, from infancy to age, consisting of Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, may now be had of all chemists. A single set is often sufficient to cure the most distressing cases of torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted, and pimply skin and scalp humours, eczemas, rashes, irritations, and chafings with loss of hair, when all else has failed.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are sold throughout the world. Depot: London, 25, Chancery Lane, E.C. 4, England. Sole Agents for Canada, U.S.A., and Mexico: J. C. F. & Co., 100, Front Street East, Toronto, Ont. Price: Soap, 25c per box; Ointment, 25c per tin; Pills, 50c per box. How to Use: See directions on each box.

Let Baby Sleep.
A young infant ought to spend the greater part of its time asleep. In fact, the two great duties of its life are feeding and sleeping, and the second ought to occupy much more time than the first. Never allow a baby to be aroused from its sleep even to see the most important of visitors. Remember that it is often politeness and not affection which makes people ask to see the baby and do not let the little one be aroused from its slumber. When it has rested long enough it will wake naturally, but to the suddenly aroused often causes a considerable shock to its nerves and injury to its health.

TOOK A SEVERE COLD.

It Settled In The Kidneys.

Pain In The Back The Result.

Catching cold and having it settle in the back is often the cause of Backache—the primary cause of kidney trouble. When the back aches it is a warning that the kidneys are liable to become affected. Heed the warning: check the Backache, and dispose of any chance of further trouble.

If you don't, serious complications are very apt to arise. Mrs. E. Williams, Hamilton, Ont., caught cold, and it settled in her kidneys. She used

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, and is thankful for the immediate relief they gave her. She writes us as follows: "It is with pleasure that I add my testimony in favor of Doan's Kidney Pills. Some time ago I took a severe cold, which settled in my kidneys. The soreness and pain in the small of my back bothered me greatly. After suffering for some months, and finding numerous remedies fail, I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, and received immediate relief from my sufferings."

Doan's Kidney Pills may be procured at all dealers, or will be sent direct by mail on receipt of price—60 cents per box, or 9 for \$5.25.

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Marion Bridge, C. B. May 30, '02. I have handled MINARD'S LINIMENT during the past year; it is always the first Liniment asked for here, and unquestionably the best seller of all the different kinds of Liniment I handle.

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"Coughs, colds, soreness and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by the Greenleaf Tablets, 25 cents per box. All druggists."

MR. SIFTON TO STAY OUT

Will Not Re-Enter Cabinet Although Premier Wants Him.

Autonomy Debate, When Resumed by Mr. Sifton, Will Be Continued From Day to Day Until Vote on Mr. Borden's Amendment—British Columbia Legislature Regrets Interference With Education Rights of the New Province.

Ottawa, March 28.—Mr. Henri Bourassa of L'Espresso will to-day resume the debate on the autonomy bill, which will be continued from day to day until concluded by the division of Mr. Borden's amendment. The bill will then be considered section by section in committee of the whole House.

R. L. Borden has received a telegram from Victoria, B. C., stating that the Legislature of British Columbia has adopted without discussion a resolution regretting interference by Parliament with the rights of the new Province of the Northwest with regard to education.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has given notice that for the remainder of the session Government business is to have precedence on Mondays after private bills and questions by members.

Sifton to Stay Out. It was stated pretty freely among the Western members last night that, although his friends have urged him to draw his resignation, and the Prime Minister would like to have him back, Mr. Sifton has decided not to re-enter the Cabinet.

After passing the Ottawa electrical bill, which took up most of the afternoon sitting yesterday the House concurred in the Senate amendments to the Molsons Bank bill.

There was a lengthy discussion upon Mr. Geoffrion's bill respecting the jurisdiction of the Exchequer Courts in the matter of railway debts, a subject affecting the Province of Quebec mainly. The bill was killed after the suggestion of the Minister of Justice.

Lancaster Left Again.

Mr. Lancaster's bill to regulate the speed of railway trains or compel adequate protection to be afforded at crossings in cities, towns and incorporated villages was strangled in committee by a vote of 42 to 12.

Mr. Fitzpatrick, in the course of a discussion at the close of the sitting, intimated that he was favorable to the placing of express companies under the jurisdiction of the Railway Commission.

Rural Telephone Do the Work.

Ottawa, March 28.—Alphus Thayer, of Green River, Ontario, gave evidence before the special telephone committee yesterday morning. He told how he organized an independent telephone company running from Markham eastward to Locust Hill, thence to Green River and on to Whitewater and Brougham. The company has 14 miles of line. It bought the poles and erected them and gave the contract for stringing the wires and installing the machinery to a company. The fourteen miles cost the twenty subscribers \$48 per subscriber, which amount covered the total cost of construction and left no further expense except for maintenance. The line is working well. Among the subscribers are eight farmers, five business men, two doctors, one veterinarian and some stock breeders.

Mr. Hoover, in the course of further examination, declared that there was no reason why local or municipal telephone companies should not be successfully established and operated at very moderate rates.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Most Interesting of All.
I want to know what makes the bark grow on some trees so thick; to find just how a cat sees in the dark, and why an owl all day is blind. I want to know the reason for The bullfrog's deep voiced racket when The moon comes up along the shore; why my nose itches when I sneeze. I want to know a lot of things. Like these—to get the experts' views. But not just now. I've got, by jings, To keep up with the baseball news.—Judge.

Unalighted.
"What is the difference between the amateur and the professional poet?" asks the seeker after information. "The amateur," explains the horse editor, "calls his work 'poetry' and the professional refers to his output as 'verse'." "I know," stolidly remarks the inquirer. "But what is the difference?"—Chicago Tribune.

Least You Forget.
See such engagements are frangible things. Counterfeit bonds that bring genuine rings—pledge lightly spoken, Conveniently broken. Leaving no heartaches, no scars and no stings.—Buffalo Express.

A Half Too Often.
He—Yes, I inherited all my rich uncle's money, thanks to his passion for travel. She—But what had that to do with it? He—Everything. He crossed the ocean nineteen and a half times.—Woman's Home Companion.

The Driving Cloud.
"Oh, prithee note the driving cloud; 'Tis up there in the sky." "Why driving?" "Cause it holds the rain." And that's the reason why?—Collins.

Against the Veil.
He—I don't like to see a bride wear a veil. She—You don't? He—No; I don't. Why, you can't see whether she's laughing at the groom or crying for him.—Yonkers Statesman.

Illumination.
The moon shines blandly through the night. It gives the soul a joyous thrill To think of getting all that light With no one sending in a bill.—Atlanta Constitution.

A CAUSE OF HEADACHE

One Very Common Cause, Generally Overlooked.

Headache is a symptom, an indication of derangement or disease in some organ, and the cause of the headache is difficult to locate because so many diseases have headache as a prominent symptom; derangement of the stomach and liver, heart trouble, kidney disease, lung trouble, eye strain or ill fitting glasses all produce headache and if we could always locate the organ which is at fault the cure of obstinate headaches would be a much simpler matter.

However, for that form of headache called frontal headache, pain back of the eyes and in forehead, the cause is now known to be catarrh of the head, and throat; when the headache is located in back of head and neck it is often caused from catarrh of the stomach or liver.

At any rate catarrh is the most common cause of such headaches and a new internal remedy in tablet form, composed of antiseptics like red gum, blood root which act upon the blood and cause the elimination of the catarrhal poison from the system through the natural channels.

Miss Vera Kinney, a prominent school teacher in one of our normal schools, speaks of her experience with catarrhal headaches and eulogizes Stuart's Catarrh Tablets as a cure for them. She says: "I suffered from severe frontal headache and pain in and back of the eyes, at times so intensely as to incapacitate me in my daily duties. I had suffered from catarrh, more or less, for years, but never thought of the cause of my headaches, but finally became convinced that such was the case because the headaches were always worse whenever I had a cold or fresh attack of catarrh."

"Stuart's Catarrh Tablets were highly recommended to me as a safe and pleasant catarrh cure and after using a few fifty cent boxes which I procured from my druggist's I was surprised and delighted to find that both the catarrh and headaches had gone for good."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at fifty cents per package, under the guarantee of the proprietors that they contain absolutely no cocaine—found in so many catarrh cures—no opium—no harmful drugs. They contain simply the wholesome antiseptics necessary to destroy and drive from the system the germs of catarrhal disease.

The Paris Alibi Omece.

In Paris there is an institution which calls itself an "alibi office." It undertakes to prove that when one is really hiding in Paris he is at Biarritz or some place equally remote. The patron of the "alibi office" writes letters ostensibly from any address and the "alibi office" has them actually posted there, so that when they arrive in Paris they bear the right postmarks. This agency, moreover, offers its subscribers the advantage of an address in "the most aristocratic quarter of Paris" to which their correspondence can be sent, which will be opened by the management when the subscription is not forthcoming.

Popular Not Used.

An observant hunter will notice that, although the most common of trees in most shooting districts, popular is never used about the camp. Many a time have young fellows on their first expedition undertaken to lend a hand in setting up the tent at night, and to that end have brought in forked stakes of the clean, white wood.

On one excuse or another they are almost invariably laid on one side and tent poles obtained from another tree. Or a green hand will set up popular sticks on which to sling the pot. The cook always has a reason ready for discarding this wood.

If by any chance he should not notice it, and the pot tilts over, the boudoir burns or the tea is smoky, there will be a hasty paleontologist upon the unlucky popular sticks. The men are by no means ready with an explanation of these superstitions, and when questioned will content themselves with a laughing rejoinder.

"Didn't you know that? I thought everybody knew the popular always brings bad luck to the men who use it about a camp fire."

But the probability is that the red man noticed the continual restless movements of the leaves of the aspen, and feeling his senses irritated by the incessant motion set it down as bad medicine. The popular is a brittle, quickly rotting wood, which furnishes a further reason for disliking it.

Tent poles are never drawn from the ground when camp is struck. The old idea of helping the next man to a home makes it almost a crime. Popular sticks, pretty sure to decay at the bottom within a month or two, would be a poor gift to make to a party of travelers setting up their canvas lodging some dark night.

Some guides go so far as to discourage firing at birds' roosting on a popular tree. Often when bad shooting is made at treed birds the guide will laugh in his peculiar way. "Couldn't expect anything better firing at a popular tree."

It would be rash, however, to assume with some observers that there is here any connection between this superstition of woodmen and a tradition that the leaves of the popular tree have quivered ever since the crucifixion because from its wood the cross was made.

The Malcontent Moose.
Among the Indian guides the idea prevails that the moose exerts a malevolent influence in the woods. If, sometimes happens early in the season, a big bull moose charges with a wild rush through the camp, scattering firebrands and pots with its feet, the Indian guides cover in terror before it. As likely as not they will refuse to go further with their employers and will beg to be released from their contract.

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GUIDES' SUPERSTITIONS

CHICKADEE SINGING IN FRONT OF YOU MEANS BAD LUCK.

Declaration of an Old Canadian Woodman—Some of the Good Signs for Hunters in the Woods—Call of the Wood Pigeon or the Wood Dove Is Supposed by Them to Forebode a Good Day.

Many and curious are the superstitions of the guides and hunters of the northern woods of Quebec Province. An old half-breed woodman who was in the lead of a shooting party the other day stopped, after they had traveled a hundred yards from camp, with the declaration that his companion would direct the party that day, as he was obliged to return.

"Maybe he heard something," was the only explanation the younger man would give of his action.

At night when the sportsmen came back empty handed, the graybeard gave his reason for his failure and also for their non-success.

"I heard the chickadee singing right in front of us, and that always means bad luck, you know," he said.

The man who hears the bird's song first must always go back or some accident may happen. The others might as well accompany him, for they will get no game.

News of the hunter's accidental shooting of a cousin of one of the guides. He had been taking sportsmen to a good place for ducks.

Laughter at Chickadee Singing.

"He always was a mad-headed fellow," his relatives explained. "He never would be guided by anything. He laughed about hearing a chickadee sing one morning, and before long he had nearly killed the man he was working for."

On the other hand, the call of the wood pigeon or wood dove is good medicine, as the Indians say. Many creatures will die that day if the fortunate hunter hears its cooing early in the morning.

The worst of it is that death may possibly strike some member of the party as well. The guides remember the fact that when a well known hunter was found dead in his shack years ago his attendants noticed a wood dove's nest right above his embowered retreat.

He had had wonderful success that season, and in one month had killed more game than in his whole lifetime. Every day the pigeon called him to renewed success.

The hoarse squawk of the raven often means good sport for hunters. Although a bird of evil omen, it is the game upon which the bad luck will fall, unless there are other bad signs noticed. For instance, if the chickadee chirps when the raven calls for "porrk," it means bad times for sportsmen. And if on an ordinary trip through the woods a raven is heard, look out for falls, breakages or accidents of more serious character.

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his hand against a tree or by breaking a tiny twig.

A diminutive dog is sometimes taken along. The lordly moose declines to flee from such a puny foe, but strikes at the dog with his murderous forefoot, the hunter meanwhile getting aim at a vital spot.

At the moment of firing an invocation is often shouted out, imploring the forgiveness of the moose, and giving some good reason—such as the lack of meat—for the intended killing. It is to be remembered that the Indian boggy, the Windigo, is in form a moose, which probably accounts for the superstitions still found in the woods regarding the animal.

The black bear is generally considered in the light of the clown of the forest menagerie. His appearance is hailed with a chuckle, and though respected for his strength and tenacity of life, he may always be attacked and killed.

Good luck is pretty certain to come to a camp where the carcass of a black bear is strung up. But if it is possible the Indian guide will variably have a word or two of badinage with Pete before killing him.

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Take the scissors in the right hand and a needle in the left hand and hold the needle on the slant of the scissors; then work the scissors as if you were cutting with them. The scissors will glide over the needle and be well sharpened in a few seconds.

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Owing to the faulty actions of the kidneys and liver, the blood becomes filled with disease germs that imperil health. The first signs are backache, dizziness, headache and lack of vital energy. Act quickly if you would avoid the terrible ravages of chronic kidney complaint. Get Dr. Hamilton's Pills, to-day; they cure kidney and liver troubles for all men. No medicine relieves so promptly, nothing in the world of medicine cures more thoroughly. For good blood, clear complexion, healthy appetite, the proper treatment is Dr. Hamilton's Pills. 25c. per box, at all dealers.

I am always a little afraid of those who are very oily; blunt tools are not apt to cut.

The English "Society for the Prevention of Consumption" presided over by the Prince of Wales, was recently addressed by Sir William Broadbent, who stated that it was definitely known that every case of consumption began with a germ communicated from some other case. There is no such thing as inherited consumption. There may be local weakness which tends to consumption, but the germ has absolutely to be planted in that weak spot before consumption can ensue. This ought to comfort thousands of people who have "weak chests" or "weak lungs." They are not foredoomed victims of this dread disease. All that's needed to bid absolute defiance to this deadly scourge, is to be able to strengthen the weak lungs, and build up a strong body. The answer to this is found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It so purifies the blood and increases the blood supply, that disease is thrown off, and the weak organs are nourished into perfect health, which defies germs of every kind. People, given up by doctors, emaciated, bleeding at the lungs with obstinate, lingering coughs, are being cured every day by the use of "Golden Medical Discovery." It is a strictly temperance medicine containing no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant.

Uniform good temper sometimes means want of aggressiveness.

NOTICE

The J. L. Scott Ice, coal and wood business is again opened up and all orders can be sent to office, Fifth street, as usual. All accounts due the late firm are to be paid to W. Campbell at the above office, as he has been appointed Receiver for the estate.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders addressed to John Kenney, Chatham, will be received until Monday, April 10th, 1905, for repairing school house in Section No. 3, in Chatham Township; papering and siding, brick foundation, or papering and veneering; also painting.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Sealed bulk or separate tenders, addressed to Oliver H. Owens, will be received at the office of the undersigned architect until Friday, March 31st, 1905, for the various trades, including cement concrete foundation, brickwork, plastering, carpenter-work, painting and glazing, plumbing and hot air heating, required for the erection and completion of a residence in Dover, about thirteen miles from Chatham.

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To California are run over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours quicker to San Francisco than any other line. No change of roads, no detours, "The Overland Route" all the way. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. Inquire of H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada, or F. B. Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue, Detroit.

City Garbage By-Law

The following rules will govern new city garbage system:

1. Residents wishing to have their garbage and rubbish collected can do so by paying Mr. A. Harbert, collector, 25 cents per month.
2. Residents must furnish two suitable garbage cans or boxes and keep same in a convenient place; also keep all rubbish, cans and glass separate from ordinary waste.
3. Collectors will call twice a week during the months of May, June, July, August, September, October, and once a week for all other months.
4. Collector will collect and bury all dead animals, fish or other objectionable matter to be found in the river, lanes, alleys, or streets, for which no owner can be found.
5. All parties throwing rubbish or other objectionable matter in the river or lanes will be prosecuted.
6. The By-law and Collector will be under the supervision of the City Health Inspector, Mr. Mounteer. Residents wishing to have the Collector will kindly send their names to Health Inspector Mounteer or the Collector, Mr. Harbert, as soon as possible. All complaints to be made to Health Inspector or Chairman of Property committee.

W. H. WESTMAN, Chairman Property Committee.

MEDICAL.

DRS. AGAR & AGAR—Physicians and Surgeons, successors to Dr. Tye, King Street West, Chatham, Ont., Dr. J. S. Agar, Dr. Mary Agar.

LODGES.

WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & 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.

A. E. JEWETT, W. M.

LEGAL.

THOMAS SCULLARD—Barrister and Solicitor, Victoria Block, Chatham, Ont.

SMITH, HERBERT D.—County Crown Attorney, Barrister, Solicitor, etc., Harrison Hall, Chatham.

F. B. O'FLYNN—Barrister, Solicitor, etc., Conveyancer, Notary Public, Office, King Street, opposite Mercantile Bank, Chatham, Ont.

WALKER & REEVE—Barristers, Solicitors, etc., Chatham, Ont. Offices over Chatham Loan & Savings Co. Money to lend on mortgages. John A. Walker, E. Q. John Reeve.

WILSON, PINE & GUNDY—Barristers, Solicitors of the Supreme Court, Notaries Public, etc. Money to loan on mortgages, at lowest rates. Offices, Fifth Street. Mathew Wilson, K. C., J. M. PIKE, W. E. GUNDY.

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in Beauty and art yet
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This stock of Dress Fabrics was selected with the greatest of care. It is by far the largest and best assorted Dress Goods stock we have had. No line of Dress Fabrics correct for this season's wear is to be found wanting.

This week we are showing a special line of Fabrics at 50c a yd., and at 50c a larger range of Fabrics and better values were never offered. The showing includes another shipment of Priestly's, Mohar Lustres and Siciliennes in the new Tan Browns.

52 in. Lustres in Browns, Blues and Tans, 50c a yd.
45 in. Roxanas in Greens, Browns and Navy, 50c a yd.
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47 in. Priestly's Siciliennes, all colors, 50c a yd.
42 in. all wool, French Crepe de Chenes, colors, Reseda, Grey, light and dark Browns and Black, 50c a yd.
42 in. all wool Panama cloths, in colors, Cadet Navy, Cardinal, Green, Brown and Black, 50c a yd.

French Elaines, 50c a yd.
Fancy Lustres, Neat Patterns, 50c a yd.
Satin Cloths, 50c a yd.

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JUST ONE CHANCE

M. H. Stevens Believes that a Cut to Lake Erie is the only way that Floods can be Stopped

M. H. Stevens, President of the Canada Flour Mills Co., was somewhat put out by the flood. His mill has been shut down several days. "I have come to the conclusion," remarked Mr. Stevens, "that there is only one remedy that will stop the floods, and that is to have a channel cut across to Lake Erie above Chatham. Ice crushers and the widening and deepening of the river would be of no avail. Take this year, for instance. Everything was favorable, no ice jam, no rain, water got away, yet we have had the flood just the same. The whole trouble is that the river channel is not large enough to carry off the volume of water that pours down from the snow belt where the Thames takes its rise. A flood every year may now be looked for."

Cultivation is as necessary to the mind as food is to the body.

If it takes less sense to find fault with all than to be fair with all.

THE MARKETS

There was a very poor market this morning. There was no butter offered and only a very few eggs, at 16 cents a dozen. Vegetable produce also was very scarce.

Following is the full price list:—

IN THE SHEDS.
Butter, per pound, 25c.
Eggs, per doz., 16c.
Chickens, each, 25c to 50c.
Ducks, each, 30c to 40c.
Pork, 3c and 5c.
Beef, 5c and 6c lb.
Geese, 80c to 85c.
Turkeys, each, \$2 to \$2.50.

VEGETABLES.
Carrots, per peck, 10c.
Beets, per peck, 15c.
Cabbage, each, 3c to 5c.
Cauliflowers, each, 5c to 8c.
Squash, each, 3 for 10c.
Celery, 5c to 10c.
Farsnips, per peck, 70c.
Onions, per peck, 30c.
Potatoes, per bag, 85c.
Apples, per peck, 10c to 15c.

Many men get the idea they know a great deal through women's flattery.

It is just as well to think your own ideas can occasionally be improved upon.

HIS LIFE CRUSHED OUT

Body of A. W. Murton Found Off G.T.R. Tracks in Toronto.

Life Was Extinct, and It Is Surmised That He Fell Off One Train and Was Struck by Another Later and Killed—Was One of the Best Known and Popular Insurance Men in Canada.

Toronto, March 22.—Dead and mangled, the body of Arthur W. Murton, 129 Isabella street, was found early yesterday morning lying a few feet from the railroad tracks, near the entrance to High Park.

By what means the fatality occurred is not known, but the theory is that he fell off a train bound for Hamilton on Monday night, after falling he became unconscious and laid on the track, and that another train struck and killed him. On Monday deceased notified his family he was going to Hamilton on the 10:30 p. m. train. The late Mr. Murton was one of the best known and popular insurance men in Canada. He had been connected with the Canada Life Assurance Co. for nearly twenty years, and only a few days ago before coming to Toronto he was manager of the Ontario Bank in Newmarket. He was born in Guelph 56 years ago. He leaves a widow, son and daughter.

Coroner Orr will hold an inquest this morning at 10 o'clock at No. 2 police station.

Result of Love Affair.
Hamilton, March 22.—The body of Miss Edith Jenkins, the 15-year-old daughter of G. Parry Jenkins, F. R. C. S., 35 South Macnab street, was found in a barn near Port Nelson yesterday. Beside her was a bottle that had contained kerosene. It is said that the unfortunate girl was infatuated with a man well known in the city several years her senior, and things did not run smoothly. In addition to that she did not enjoy good health, and had attempted to start a fire with kerosene. She disappeared Monday afternoon, rode to Burlington and tramped about three miles to the barn where she ended her life. Coroner Watson, Burlington, held an inquest last night.

Suffocated in Own Home.
Winnipeg, March 22.—John Thompson, a C. P. R. machinist, aged 64, was suffocated at his home, Pacific avenue, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Thompson attempted to start a fire with coal oil. There was an explosion and the house took fire. Thompson was asleep upstairs and was dead when found. The woman was taken to the general hospital badly burned and will probably die.

Was Struck by a Train.
Buffalo, March 22.—John Zeiter, 35 years old, who lives near Stevensville, Ont., was found unconscious in pool of blood near the Michigan Central tracks at Bridgeburg, Ont., yesterday. His skull was crushed and his body bruised. It is thought he was struck by a train. He is in a serious condition in the General Hospital, Buffalo.

Two Rescued by One.
Peterboro, March 22.—Stanley Lewis and Edward Murty, two boys, fell into White's Creek and were carried over a dam. They were rescued by a young Italian named Dominico Memma, who plunged into the stream at the risk of his life. He will be recommended for a Humane Society medal.

TRAINS COLLIDE ON BRIDGE.

Three Cars Drop Into Street and Two Persons are Injured.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 22.—A Michigan Central and a Pere Marquette train came together in a head-on collision on the American end of the Cantlebridge Bridge early yesterday. Three cars were derailed and pitched over into the street below, a distance of 30 feet, carrying with them a switchman's shanty, in which was seated Patrick Whalen, a switchtender, who was badly hurt and resulted in receiving severe internal injuries. George Kehmlé, of Niagara Falls, (Ont.), conductor of the Pere Marquette train, was also badly cut and bruised and injured internally.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 22.—Five men have been drowned in the Missouri River here. The dead: Wm. Lewis, Oscar Lewis, Harry Talent, Harry Smith and Howard Hutchins. The men were engaged in dyke building operations on the Kansas side of the river, opposite the water pumping station.

Three Men Killed.
Troy, March 22.—Three men were killed tonight another so badly injured that he died a few hours later, by an explosion at the Schaghticoke Powder Mills yesterday afternoon. The men killed were Jas. White and Jas. Colburn, of Hazardville, Conn., and Wm. Sprague and Albert Bartlett, the latter being a new employee.

FUNERAL AT BARRIE.

Andrew Macdonald Laid at Rest There Tuesday Afternoon.

Barrie, March 22.—Many people assembled from Barrie and different parts of the County of Simcoe yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Andrew Macdonald, Conservative organizer and ex-member of the Legislature. After the arrival of the 11:30 train from Toronto, a short service was conducted in the Presbyterian Church by Rev. Dr. McLeod, of Barrie, assisted by Rev. P. M. Macdonald, of Toronto, both of whom delivered brief addresses. Among the members of the Ontario Cabinet and Legislature present were: Hon. Dr. Fyfe, Hon. Dr. Willoughby, Hon. Dr. Monteith, John Galna, Thomas Crawford, W. R. Smyth, E. A. Little, J. S. Duff, A. B. Thompson. Other prominent Conservatives in attendance were A. W. Wright, Toronto; W. J. Parkhill, Midland, and J. J. Drummond, Penetang.

Khan's Palace Besieged.
Ashkabad, Caucasus, March 22.—Refugees from Kuchan, Persia, report that the Palace of the Khan is besieged by an armed mob. The popular resentment against him is intense in consequence of allegations that he has been exploiting the people. The refugees charge that Mohammedans from Baku are responsible for exciting the popular passion against the Christians.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

The Lung Tonic
cured them of chronic coughs, cannot all be mistakes. Those must be some truth in it.
Try a bottle for that cough of yours.

Prices: S. C. Wells & Co., 310 25c, 50c, \$1. LoRor, N.Y., Toronto, Can.

ABOUT FISH

Caleb Wheeler had a well grounded complaint to make this morning and one which should receive active attention and consideration.

"There is an authentic rumor around," said he to The Planet, "that some very fine pickered fish being caught down the river. Did you ever notice that name of these pickered have made their appearance on the Chatham market."

"We are in the centre of one of the finest fishing districts in Ontario and it seems as though the Chatham people are not given an opportunity to purchase the excellent fish that are caught in the River Thames. All winter and this spring the only fish you can find on the market is white fish and salmon trout, and these of a very poor quality; while tons and tons of pickered and choice fish have been shipped and are being shipped out of Chatham. Someone surely has the authority to give the fishermen the advantage of the excellent fishing that is done right in our midst."

A DANGEROUS HABIT

Gladstone's Physician Gives Warning Against a Growing American Custom.

The growing habit amongst Americans of taking a mint tablet or some other so-called digestive after eating a hearty meal, is something that Sir Andrew Clarke, M. Gladstone's physician, advises strongly against, saying: "It is absolutely dangerous to take into the stomach remedies which are popularly supposed to aid in the digestion of food."

There is nothing known to the science of medicine that can perform the work of the human stomach. Drugs do not and cannot digest the food; they simply decompose it. What food is more revolting or disgusting than the thought of taking something into the stomach that is going to turn the good food you have eaten into a mass of corruption. The only way to overcome indigestion and its evil effects is to remove all irritation, congestion and inflammation from the stomach, liver and intestines, and Mi-o-na is the only agent known that will do this. When a Mi-o-na tablet is taken before each meal every trace of irritation and inflammation is removed from the stomach and digestive system, and these organs will extract from the food all the good, making good, rich blood, firm muscles, steady nerves and a sound, healthy body. If you suffer with headaches, indigestion, flatulency, spots before the eyes, vertigo, or dizziness, palpitation of the heart, sleeplessness, or any stomach trouble, get a fifty cent box of Mi-o-na from C. H. Gunn & Co., one of our most reliable drug firms, whose faith in the remedy is shown by their offer to return the money if it does not give complete satisfaction.

WIRELESS PHONE

Young Dauphin and Bob Hallinan are great chums. Both have to go the same way when they go home at night. Now it happened that Dauphin was held up about a mile and robbed of his hard earned ducaats to the number of twelve and since then Bob and Dauphin go home together. They are pals. Unfortunately the two have to separate at Taylor's avenue and continue the rest of their way home at right angles. This bothered them for a while until they put their minds together and invented a species of wireless telephone. They call "all's right" to each other till they reach their respective gates and then dart into their dwellings.

This accounts for the strange noises that have been annoying the neighbors in this section of the city about midnight every night. Unless these young men go home earlier or stop their horrid yelling the neighbors threaten to ruin that wireless telephone system.

The business man likes to meet people he can trust; but he much prefers those who pay cash.

When a woman marries a man to reform him it serves her right.

A Siege

The matrons of the Edison Orphanage at Lowell, Mass. U.S.A., wrote they had a siege of whooping-cough in their institution. They said that every case was promptly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene. Its value in coughs and colds was so great they always kept it ready for use. You know how it's used, don't you? "Tis heated by a vaporizer and you inhale it." Write us for a book that tells all about it.

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Get as enthusiastic as you please over selecting a Spring Suit.

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Really beautiful tailored garments, fashioned in smallest detail in accordance with the most authentic Spring Style Plates.

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See the smart Double Breasted Tweed Suits for young Men that we have just passed into stock at \$12 and \$13.

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WESTLAKE BROS., CHATHAM

The News-Tribune Report Untrue The Windsor Council Endorse the Asphalt Block.

This is to certify that on March 23rd, 1905, E. D. Craig, reporter for the Detroit Tribune, with a representative of the Warren Bitulithic Pavement Company, came into my store with a document and asked me to sign same. When reading it over I found that it stated that I had seen Ouellette avenue cleaned up a few days ago, and that they hauled away loads of red sand and broken asphalt block pavement from the street. After reading over the document I stated to those gentlemen that I would sign no such thing, that I had seen no red sand or portions of asphalt block pavement hauled away. I had only seen the mud hauled off the street, as had been done on previous occasions, the regular street cleaning process. They urged me to sign this paper, and I again refused to do so, and ordered them out of my store.

(Sgd.) W. H. EVERITT.
I, the undersigned, am a clerk for Mr. Everitt, and heard the above conversation, and certify that what is stated above is quite true.

(Sgd.) P. J. ENGLAND.

Moved by Mr. Watson, seconded by Mr. English, and resolved, that the attention of this council having been drawn to a paragraph which appeared in the Detroit News-Tribune, Sunday, the nineteenth day of March, 1905, and which we believe has been copied by a large number of newspapers throughout Western Ontario, we feel it our bounden duty to express our entire disapprobation of this paragraph. It is not only intended as a reflection upon the pavement blocks made at Walkerville by the Ontario Asphalt Block Company, of Windsor, but it is a reflection upon the integrity of the directors of that company, as it seeks to convey the impression that they are palming off upon the Ontario public a pavement block which is devoid of merit. The article of which we complain can only refer to the paving blocks furnished four years ago by a Toledo firm, and not two years ago as the paragraph states, but it is so written as to convey the impression that it is the Walkerville pavement that is decaying and crumbling away. The article, even as referring to the Toledo blocks, is a gross exaggeration, not only as to the age of the pavement, but as to the statement that they are decaying and crumbling away. We therefore place upon record our disapproval of such tactics to discredit the Ontario Asphalt Block Company, of this city, and our firm belief that we possess in the streets of this city, which are paved with asphalt blocks, on a concrete foundation, furnished by the Ontario Asphalt Block Company, made in Walkerville, as perfect pavements as can be found in any city.

A true copy.
(Sgd.) STEPHEN LUSTED,
City Clerk,
Windsor.

(SEAL)
Carried unanimously.

WANTED

WANTED—Dining room girl and cook at Montana House.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply at Sanitarium. 10

WANTED—Two Dining Room Girls, one Second Cook. Apply Hotel Merrill. 10

SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVES.—Guaranteed money making proposition. No capital required. Apply Cooper, 355-7 Clarence St., London. 11

WANTED—A good housekeeper, or a man and his wife, with honest income, to work on a farm. Address A. B. Bennett, Blenheim, Ont., Box 206. 11

TEACHER WANTED—For S. S. No. 15, Raleigh, male or female; duties to commence April 1st. Apply, stating salary, to Jos. Symon, Merritt, Ont. 11

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE—Three desirable building lots, each 50x150, corner of LaCroix and Harvey streets. Apply to K. Urquhart, LaCroix street. 10

FOR SALE—Six thoroughbred Scotch Collie pups; imported stock. Apply to Joseph Capman, butcher, Thames street. Fred Goodland's old stand. 10

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS—On King St. West, 3 lots 52x150, at \$400 each. These are the choicest building lots in the city. Apply Westman Bros. 10

FARM TO RENT—The north east half of Lot 15, in 4th concession, Raleigh, 100 acres, known as the "Buthman Farm." Apply to Mrs. C. C. Goodyear, Queen street, Chatham. 10

HOUSES FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Four new houses on Queen street, ready to occupy by April 20; fitted with complete heating, plumbing, gas and electric light. Apply to Wm. Carwell, Park avenue, or Chatham F. O. 10

HOUSE TO RENT OR FOR SALE—on to exchange for farm property; handsome brick house with three acres, orchard and outbuildings, on Park avenue; all modern conveniences. Apply to Wm. Carwell, or the premises, or Chatham F. O. 10

FARM FOR SALE—North east half of Lot 15, Front concession, Township of Harwich, 132 acres. A cleared, clay loam, two good stone frame houses. Large frame barn and cattle shed; stable and driveway combined; granary and implement house. Buildings all in good repair; about five acres of orchard; artesian well, windmill and pump; three other wells. Price \$25,000.00. Apply on the premises to Mrs. John J. Walrath, or to W. F. Smith, barrister and solicitor, Chatham, Ont. 10

FOR SALE

HARWICH FARM FOR SALE—Supplying neighborhood with gas, 100 acres, good well water with windmill, two good houses, large barn and several outbuildings, five miles from Chatham, price \$5,000 on easy terms, would take city property as part payment, house and two lots, house would cost to-day \$1,000 to build, price \$800. M. H. McGavin, McGavin's farm station. 10

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