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Dress Goods at Almost Half Price

You're in rare good luck if you need a Black Dress or Skirt, and what lady doesn't—the kind we talk about to-day are both serviceable and stylish, and we might add that we imported them direct from one of the best makers in Bradford, England, but we have too many of them and want to clear them out and the price we ask will do this for us in short order—ON WEDNESDAY:

5 designs Fancy Figured Black Dress Goods, all-wool, elegant designs, regular price 75c, on sale Wednesday at.....	58c Yard
4 pieces Black Crepons, handsome effects, small bright blisters, 42 inches wide, regular price 75c, on sale Wednesday at.....	58c Yard
3 pieces extra fine Crepons, bright finish, very special for skirts, regular price \$1.00, on sale Wednesday at.....	58c Yard

Remnants

Ends of the choicest goods of the season—Cashmeres, Serges, Bengalines, Fancy Silk Mixtures, in all the new season's colorings, of grays, browns, creams, navies, blacks, etc., worth 50c to \$1.25 a yard, in lengths from 1 1/2 yds. to 4 1/2 yds., suitable for waists, children's dresses and separate skirts, on sale Wednesday at.....Half Price

Thomas Stone & Son Direct Importers 78 and 80 King St.



New Method Spring Suits For Men

No matter how fastidious a man may be, we can certainly please him with a suit from our vast assortment at \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00.

Not a great number of a kind, but a great number of different kinds, is the way we bought them, thus insuring exclusiveness as well as a great assortment.

Tweeds, Scotchies, Cassimeres and Cheviots in checks, stripes, plaids and overalls; handsome patterns in imported Worsted; blue and black Serges and Black Clay Weave Worsted, all made in that way that only the best merchant tailors can equal and few excel.

Should you pick up one of our suits and give it a careful going over, you will find it as neat a bit of work as ever graced a custom made garment costing twice the money. You will notice an entire absence of rough and careless workmanship—no loose threads—nothing to show that the suit is not the production of a first-class merchant tailor with a reputation to preserve.

The 2 T's = Trudell & Tobey
Sole Agents for Slater Shoes and Barrington Hats.
"TOP TO TOE CLOTHIERS."

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO. "THE BUSY STORE" JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.

A Modern Store.....

We are conducting our store in a different manner from any other store in Chatham. We advertise facts. What we say here may sound like boasting, but it isn't offered in that spirit. What we say we mean, we use words carefully. The public is not accustomed to believe advertisements implicitly, they take them with a grain of salt; we hope to change this condition. We believe that in a short time the public will fully understand that an advertisement can be truthful as well as anything else.

With warmer weather we are doing a rushing business in the wash goods section. Here are a few items and prices that may interest you:

White Pks.—the largest and best assortment we have ever offered, wide, medium and narrow cords and welts, firmly woven, at per yard, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c and.....35c	Marguerite Dimity—in pretty corded effects, small neat designs, suitable for children's wear, guaranteed fast colors, choice range of patterns, at per yard.....10c	Prints—20 yds. handsome stripe patterns, fine quality cloth, extra wide in large range of colorings, for shirt waists, regular 12 1/2c goods, special at.....10c
White Pks.—extra quality, with small and medium fancy designs, very handsome weaves, at 35c and.....25c	American Percales—full yard wide extra quality cloth, in handsome new style stripes for shirt waists, (2 yds. makes waist) fast wash colors, special per yard.....17c	50 pos. New Prints—large range of patterns in light, medium and dark colorings, fast dyes, special at 7c, 6c and.....5c
Colored Pks.—fine firm cord, in new style stripes, and polka dots, warranted fast colors, worth 15c yard, at.....12 1/2c	White Muslins—fine imported goods, extra wide in new lace, cord, and insertion effects, suitable for waists or dresses, special at per yard, 15c, 20c, 22c, and.....25c	35 pos. New Duck Suiting—Indigo and butcher blues, also black grounds with stripes, dots and fancy figures best dyes, special per yard.....12 1/2c
Zephyrs—fine, sheer qualities, in English and French makes, new designs and colorings, fast dye, special at per yard 35c, 25c, 20c and.....15c	White Organdy Muslins, 2 yds. wide, in fine sheer quality, soft finish, extra value at per yard.....50c	Simile Pongee—the new French fabric, looks like silk and wears better than silk, fine sheer quality, in handsome new patterns, will make a beautiful dress or waist, extra value at per yard.....25c
Ginghams—fine American make, absolutely fast colors, in checks, plaids and stripes, very handsome colorings, at per yard.....12 1/2c	White Organdy—fine, special, at per yard, 20c and.....35c	

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.,

CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE.

THE DECISIVE BATTLE

Of the War Will be Fought at Kroonstadt Shortly.

The Boers in Full Retreat There—Are Destroying the Railway as They go—Lord Roberts May Rest His Troops a Few Days.

London, May 8.—The Boers are everywhere retreating before the British, except on the Natal frontier and at Mafeking, to the inner circle of their defenses. They appear determined not to fight until the Kroonstadt hills are reached.

Lord Roberts is expected to do another 40 or 50 miles and then wait for a time in order to bring up supplies and to repair the railway. There are one or two hints in the despatches from the front that he may rest for a few days at Smaldeal.

Gen. French's 10,000 cavalry have not been mentioned in the official or unofficial despatches for four days. It is by no means likely that he is idle, and the conjecture is that he is either detouring toward Kroonstadt or raiding the Ladysmith district.

Fifteen thousand British are now operating on the western frontier of the Free State. As the deadlock at Warrenton has been broken and the Boers are retreating, there is nothing formidable, except distance, between Warrenton and Mafeking.

The most hopeful advices from Mafeking on April 22 are that the garrison would be barely able to hold out for a month. At that time the fever was spreading.

According to advices from Maseru, Basutoland, several thousand Free Staters are north of Ladysmith where they have collected great herds. The district is rich in food for men and horses and the Boers seem resolved not to move northward but to be preparing to resist where they are. If they are left alone they will menace the line of communications after the main British army has passed into the Transvaal.

Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener personally directed the artillery in the Vet river engagement.

Six thousand four hundred and fifty-eight troops are now at sea on the way to South Africa. No others are under orders to go except as recruits to fill up the losses of regiments at the front.

STRONG BUT EASILY TAKEN.

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Lord Roberts has been very strict in his examination of the facts that nearly every house is a miniature arsenal, Musers, Martins and abundant ammunition being found. If these had not been discovered the army would be leaving in its rear the material, in men and arms, for a dangerous movement among the inhabitants.

All along the railway the culverts, wherever of any size, have been utterly destroyed, but the engineers hope to make a detour in some cases and in others they will fill up the gaps.

Three of the four spans of the Vet river bridge have been utterly destroyed, and it will be necessary to make a temporary line down the river bed as at the Modder.

Reports have been heard showing that more culverts and bridges are being destroyed northward.

BOBS AS A STRATEGIST.

Smaldeal, May 8.—The movement that culminated in the capture of Winburg and Smaldeal was part of a great general movement, extending from Gen. Hunter, on the west, to Gen. Buller, on the east. Lord Roberts' admirable strategy resulted in placing everywhere five British to one Boer. Out of what appeared the inextricable confusion of divisions and brigades order was quickly evolved; and the Boers were compelled to meet Lord Roberts under unfavorable conditions. What is more important is that the British are now able to wait. Their front and strong positions are safe in the knowledge that their flanking columns will advance and outflank the Boers. Yet the Boers held a really strong position, from which earlier in the campaign they could only have been forced by hard fighting. Gen. Hamilton's arrival at Winburg, although not directly outflanking the Boers, made their position extremely uncomfortable.

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The march to-day was short; but Gen. Pole-Carew's division marched fifty-eight miles in four days. Gen.

Tucker's division is marching on our left to-day and Gen. Maxwell's brigade is to cross the river before night.

ROBERTS NOW HALTS WAY.

A Smaldeal despatch, dated yesterday, says: Smaldeal, Kroonstadt, was occupied by the British to-day without opposition. Several Boer railway officers remained to surrender. The director of the Boer commissariat pointed to two great sheds, which he said contained stores for Transvaal and Free State burghers. The two republics maintain separate stores and use different trains. Four trains with Boers went north yesterday. A train from the north brought a Grouse gun, but it arrived too late to be of any use, and was taken back again to Zand River. Gen. Delarey commanded the Boers here.

THE DYNAMITERS.

Nolin and Walsh Traced to and From Thorold.

Positively Identified by Many Witnesses—No Fresh Evidence Against Dullman.

Welland, May 8.—The hearing of the three prisoners, Walsh, Nolin and Dullman, the two former charged with attempting to blow up lock 24 of the Welland Canal, and the latter with being an accomplice, was resumed at the court here yesterday. At the hearing last Monday the Crown presented a wonderfully complete chain of evidence, proving the three were in company at Buffalo, Niagara Falls, N.Y., Niagara Falls, Ont., and Thorold, where they were seen viewing the lock, two being shadowed for some time before the attempt was made. Walsh and Nolin were traced on the day they exploded the dynamite from the Falls right to the lock and were seen lowering the dynamite into the lock and running away. At this stage of the proceedings the court was adjourned until yesterday.

W. G. Thompson, superintendent of the Welland canal, was the first witness. He said that if the explosion would have been, liberated between eleven and twelve million cubic feet of water, which would have gone down the narrow rock cutting toward the Grand Trunk station, and would have caused loss of life.

Wm. Wainwright, Thorold, said he was working at Shiner's one-quarter of a mile from the lock. As he was going to Thorold he heard the explosions. He met two men. He identified Walsh and Nolin as the men. He spoke to Walsh, Nolin had a cigar in his mouth.

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one of the men, but could not swear as to the other one. He heard the explosions shortly after.

H. B. Marshall said he was returning home by lock 24, on the evening of the explosion when he met a man with a valise. He saw Walsh and Nolin running away, Walsh was ahead.

Mary Gregory said she was going to Thorold when she heard the explosions. She met two men walking very fast, she identified Walsh and Nolin as the men.

Mrs. Gregory was going to Thorold when she heard the explosions. She met two men. She identified Nolin as one, but was not sure about the other.

Osmer Garner said he was going to Thorold, when he met two men about a quarter of a mile east, going towards the Falls. Walsh and Nolin were the men.

Louis Pierce, who works in St. Catharines and lives in Niagara Falls South, was walking home from Thorold, having missed the train, when two men, whom he identified as Walsh and Nolin, caught up with him. Walsh was ahead. The three walked together.

The men said they were Englishmen, but eight months from Manchester, and that they were practicing for a prize fight. They were not under the influence of liquor.

James Wilson, Mayor of Thorold, sworn to: "Remember the night of the explosion. I thought when the second explosion went off that the side of the house would go in. I ran out to the telephone office. The lock tender said some one was trying to blow up the lock. I took Chief of Police Clark to get a rig and follow the men. He said there was no one to go with him and I went with him, and drove towards the Falls. We met two democratic wagons and asked the occupants to follow, as there were different roads to the Falls. Overtook three men about two and one-half miles out. We followed awhile and then drove ahead. I could not identify the men. Met several rigs and asked the drivers to turn after the fleeing men, and followed them to the Falls. I notified the police at the Falls, and afterwards met them with the two prisoners."

Considerable evidence of a corroborative character was also taken.

REMAND FOR A WEEK.

T. D. Cowper, for the Crown, asked for a remand for a week. F. C. McBurney, for Walsh and Nolin, claimed it seemed as if witnesses must have been told they were not wanted, and that it was apparently the intention of the Crown to get adjournment and then bring the case on at the spring assizes without giving them sufficient time for a defense.

Wm. Geman, counsel for Dullman, claimed that so far as his client was concerned no evidence to establish the charge had been produced. If the Crown would agree to not furnish further evidence against Dullman there was no objection to postponement, but to adjourn for another week and then bring new evidence would not allow him time to get ready for trial by May 22nd.

The police magistrate then remanded the prisoners until Monday, May 14th, at ten o'clock.

IS HARD PRESSED.

British Garrison at the Ashanti Capital in Danger.

10,000 Natives Have Besieged Kumasi and Have Repeatedly Attacked British Forces.

London, May 8.—The British colonial office gives out this despatch from Gov. F. M. Hodgson, of the British Gold Coast Colony, and dated at Kumasi April 27:

"The situation, I regret to inform you, has changed for the worse. On April 23 a force was sent to clear the rebel forces to the eastward. Four members of the constabulary were killed and a large number of the rebels were killed or wounded.

"On April 25 the Ashantis surrounded the town in great force, probably 10,000, and made a determined attack. The Ashantis were obliged to evacuate the town, and to concentrate around the fort. The engagement lasted 4 hours. Twenty of our native allies and two hussars were killed.

"The present occupants of the fort number 338 inclusive of 18 Europeans, six of whom are missionaries. It is necessary that further reinforcements be sent to the gold coast."

April 30, also reported: "Yesterday a Governor Hodgson, under date of serious attack was made on the fort by the rebels, but they were routed on all sides with great loss. Two members of the constabulary were killed and ten wounded.

"A contingent of Lagos constabulary under Inspector-General Apin has arrived after two days' severe fighting. The column was attacked at Asagui which was taken, with the loss of one killed and 23 wounded, among them Apin, slightly.

"On the following day the contingent was attacked two miles from Kumasi by 8,000 rebels. There was great loss in taking the stockade across the road. Several Ashantis there had arms of precision. After desperate fighting the Ashantis fled. Two members of the constabulary were killed, and 133 wounded, including Assistant Inspector Read. Have been unable to send letters or telegrams through."

Under date of May 3, Gov. Hodgson wired that the rebels were unassailable and that he had made a demonstration the previous day with two guns, inflicting great loss. One of the native auxiliaries was killed.

The colonial office announces that in addition to the Lagos constabulary, reinforcements have been sent Gov. Hodgson from Sierra Leone frontier police and from the West African frontier police, in northern and southern Nigeria.

DO YOUR SHOES FIT?

That is the question—Fit is the very first requirement in shoes. No matter whether the leather is the finest and the shape the most beautiful on earth, if the shoes do not fit they should not be worn—and will not be by patrons of ours if we can help it.

Fitting feet is our specialty and we assure perfect comfort to every customer.

This week we are offering special value in LADIES' KID LACED and BUTTONED BOOTS, at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

See them in windows.

GEO. W. COWAN

"In the Springtime Ladies' fancies lightly turn to thoughts of..."

Gas

So that they may have a cool kitchen and perfect luxury in cooking, Gas Ranges and Stoves sold at cost at almost any price.

CHATHAM GAS CO., Limited

A. M. FLEMING
A-R-T-I-S-T
STUDIO
CHATHAM

Seasonable Goods...

LAWN MOWERS \$3.00 to \$6.00
SCREEN DOORS—Any size \$1.00, complete.
SCREEN WINDOWS—extension 25c, 30c and 35c.
SCREEN WIRE—by the yard 12c, 14c, 16c, 18c, 20c.
BLUE FLAME Summer STOVES 2 Burner \$7.00 3 Burner \$8.00
REFRIGERATORS, "MODEL" \$14.00, \$16.00, \$20.00.
ICE CHESTS—Storage and Roomy \$4.50, \$6.00, \$7.00.

THE ARK
89 King St.

The Planet.

DAILY AND WEEKLY
Chatham, Ont.

VICE REGAL EXPENSES.

A return brought down in parliament goes to show that the Governor-General and his establishment cost as much now as when the late Government was denounced for the extravagance of the Vice Regal Court. We find that the following sums were paid for salary and expenses of the Governor-General and his officers and for the maintenance of the establishment:

1892-93	\$102,906
1893-94	104,825
1894-95	111,933
1895-96	106,935
1896-97	113,148
1897-98	111,209
1898-99	107,389

The Conservatives when in power were very justly blamed by the Liberals for permitting such an expenditure. It strikes us it might have been cut down by at least \$40,000 or \$50,000. But no "reform" in this respect has followed the advent of the new Government. In fact, things have been getting worse instead of better.

A LEVEL-HEADED EDITOR.

Geo. T. Angell, the editor of "Our Dumb Animals," appeals to the twenty thousand American editors, some of whom would readily enter into a war against Great Britain, to consider certain facts. These facts are worthy of the consideration of others besides Americans. Mr. Angell says: "While we are a very powerful nation, yet when this South African trouble ends Great Britain will be the most powerful nation in the world—1st. On account of its enormous navy, equal, we believe, to all others in Europe, and its enormous mercantile marine, easily used for transportation of troops and military supplies. 2nd. Because of its large armies, now thoroughly equipped and experienced in using all the modern military appliances. 3rd. Because of its power to add to its armies hundreds of thousands of men from its various colonies in Canada, Australia, India and elsewhere. 4th. Because of its enormous fortifications on both the Atlantic and Pacific, and in almost all parts of the world. 5th. Because, after deducting the great military debts of continental European nations, it will be found that Great Britain has probably greater financial power to carry on great wars than all the continental nations combined. 6th. Because while there may be differences of opinion between the peoples of Great Britain and Germany, there is almost no possibility that the German government will, during many years, be found at war with Great Britain. Mr. Angell wisely thinks it better for the United States to seek the friendship rather than needlessly incur the enmity of such a power."

The habitual blasphemer must go. A healthy public sentiment is springing up against the disgusting practice of using profane and obscene language. In a few years the man who swears will find himself much less in demand than the man who doesn't.

The Planet has forwarded through the Standard Bank, to the Mayor of Ottawa, the sum of \$30, subscribed by generous citizens towards the relief of the fire sufferers. The names of the donors have already been published and should not be forgotten, for their thoughtful generosity deserves recognition.

A good deal of grumbling among church-goers reminds us of the fact that the open season for short sermons is now approaching. There is no legal or moral enactment to compel a preacher to exhort the sinners in his congregation for more than fifteen minutes at a stretch. As the weather grows warmer the average minister who exceeds that limit leaves himself open to the serious charge of cruelty to animals.

In an article in the Observer on "The preaching that the age requires," Dr. Sample, the Moderator of the Presbyterian Assembly, says that the question is "not what does the age want, but what does it need?" The two conditions may be separated by the whole diameter of things. Many of the evils of our generation may be traced to laxity of discipline at home, where children are too often allowed to have everything they want, and to imagine that wants and needs always run parallel.

The Standard Gas Company has been successful in striking a fine flow of natural gas near Wheatley at a depth of only 1,140 feet. Gradually this gas is being located towards Chatham. Some day this foreign company will strike gas close here and reap the usual harvest, and then our local capitalists will begin to wonder what they were thinking of to let outsiders get in a lot of them. It is surprising that with indications so good and a first class market for gas so handy that no one has enough of what the Americans would call get-up-and-get to spend a few hundred dollars boring deep enough to see if there really

Consumption

is contracted as well as inherited. Only strong lungs are proof against it.

Persons predisposed to weak lungs and those recovering from Pneumonia, Grippe, Bronchitis, or other exhausting illness, should take

Scott's Emulsion. It enriches the blood, strengthens the lungs, and builds up the entire system. It prevents consumption and cures it in the early stages.

Prepared and Bottled by
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

ly is any gas underneath us or not. The amount risked would be insignificant in proportion to the return if a lucky strike were made.

A returned missionary relates that the King of Uganda has seven hundred wives. If he ever gets converted what a time he'll have buying Easter bonnets for them.

In our contribution to that exhibit of sanitary and unsanitary methods and appliances at the Buffalo exhibition we might also include a photograph of the Jubilee pavement. As a menace to health it is unique, because it was laid in Chatham after the block pavement had been condemned and discarded in every backwoods settlement wherever it had been tried. Then, when nobody else would tolerate these water-soaked, foul-smelling, decaying cedar blocks, the pavement got up to us.

A return brought down in parliament gives the number and names of applicants by provinces for staff appointments in connection with several contingents. They form a regiment in themselves:

	Medical Officers.	Chaplain.
Ontario	84	73
Quebec	31	27
New Brunswick	11	21
Nova Scotia	11	21
P. E. I.	1	1
Manitoba and N.W.	59	11
British Columbia	27	3
Outside of Canada	29	49

Ten medical men of Toronto volunteered their services. Applications for chaplaincies came from several points in the United States, England, Scotland, India and Roumania.

A lad named Elmer Loyd, aged 15, son of Andrew Loyd, while jumping off a moving train at Oshawa, fell beneath the wheels, was run over, cut in two and instantly killed. There is always danger for boys around trains and in this city the wonder is that there are not more accidents. Almost any day lads who are presumably playing truant may be seen jumping on and off moving trains. But probably it is of little use bringing up the truancy question again. The school board's attention has repeatedly been called to the necessity for a paid officer whose main business it would be to put a stop to the practice. But the school board still seems to think the principal reason for its existence is to pass trifling accounts and pare down petty expenses.

The Lord Mayor of Dublin maintains a degree of pomp and circumstance far greater than that of any other civic dignitary in the United Kingdom, outside of London. His official residence is a stately edifice, with ample accommodation for entertaining, including "the round room," a great chamber constructed when the city entertained George IV. The equipages and powdered footmen of his lordship would do no discredit to his brother official in London. The Lord Mayor receives £3,000 a year, but it must be remembered that £3,000 a year in Dublin goes further than it does in London. The chief magistrate has enjoyed the title of Lord since the time of Charles II. By far the most distinguished holder of the office was Daniel O'Connell.

STEPHEN GRAY.

The Planet has been requested to publish the following contribution written in loving memory of Stephen Gray, who died April 16th, 1900; aged 18 years, 1 month and 27 days:

Oh, cruel death, how could'st thou come,
And snatch a loved one from his home;
How could'st thou with thy ruthless hand,
In boyhood call him from our band?
Death rent the ties of tenderest love,
And bore him to a land of bliss;
On angel's wings he soared above,
Spending eternity in blessedness.
But, oh! his loss we deeply feel,
Our heartfelt grief we can't conceal;
Remember, God doth all things well,
Knowing he is safe forever now.
Not long ago he filled his place,
And sat with us to learn;
But he has run his earthly course
And never can return.
Fond mother, though words cannot express
Your sorrow and your sore distress,
Remember, God doth all things well,
And to Him all your sorrows tell.
Brothers and friends, you feel the loss,
Remember, God doth all things well,
For Jesus is your loving friend;
He'll gently lead you to the end.
There is a time for tears to fall

From manhood's eyes, unused to weep;
Grief may the stoutest hearts assail
When dear ones find an endless sleep.

We saw him fade, as flowers decay,
And left him to his peaceful rest;
The loved and lost are senseless clay,
Cold, silent forms on earth's chill breast.

His hours of toil and care are o'er,
His pain and want forever past;
The gloom of life will come no more
To mar his joys, that could not last.

While lone he sleeps beneath the sod
As silent as the charms of even,
His soul finds bliss at home with God,
The light of life and love in heaven.

The tears that fall o'er him we mourn
Bring no disgrace to manhood's power;
The heart, by grief and parting torn,
Will find love's vent in life's sad hour.

But while our eyes with tears o'erflow
As we recall the joys of yore,
Our waiting ones on fair Eden's shore
Watch for us on fair Eden's shore.

A Companion.

Darrell, Ont., May 2.

THE BRITISH SPY.

Something About the Highly Paid English Army Official

The Test by Which he can Make Him self Known—Runs Great Risks

The word "spy" has an ugly sound owing to its many unpleasant associations, yet in war time spies afford an army aid which is as valuable as it is highly remunerated. One of the maxims for commanding officers in a book for their guidance written by Lord Wolsey is that a successful spy must be petted and made much of. The management of spies is very difficult. Out of every ten employed by the office commanding a war district a few are successful. If one gives him truthful information. It is a most important thing that spies should not be known to each other. Great care is generally taken by officers that each spy shall imagine that he is the only one who is employed.

It is very necessary that all bona fide spies should have about their persons some means of proving themselves really to be what they represent themselves to be. For this purpose a code of certain data, a Bible of a certain edition, a Testament with the seventh or fifteenth leaf torn out, are generally employed.

By these means a spy who was employed by an officer in a neutral state making his way to the headquarters of the army in the field could thus at once make himself known to the intelligence department there. In some instances it is considered that a password or sign should be employed, as it is less compromising. The putting up of the right hand to the ear and then to the left ear or some such gesture is generally employed.

The more extensive the ramifications of the system the better are the chances of escaping detection. It is very necessary that officers of the intelligence department should be provided with specially prepared papers upon which letters can be written in ink that does not become visible until it has been submitted to some chemical process. It is also necessary that a commonplace letter in ordinary ink should invariably be written on the same sheet of paper containing the information that it is required to keep secret.

Although a spy runs the great risk of immediate death if he is detected, yet the service is not without glory at times, and it is certainly extremely lucrative—London Mail.

General Wauchope's Speech.

Here is an amusing story about General Wauchope as a soldier and a politician: When in command of the Black Watch, the famous highland regiment, he was said to have attempted to address the men after parade at Maryhill barracks, Glasgow. From the dais of the colonel the regiment anticipated an eloquent address, but it is stated that the general addressed the length of "Men of the gallant Forty-second," when his tongue seemed to cleave to the roof of his mouth.

Three did he make the attempt, and three did he fail to make the attempt, exasperated with himself, he suddenly exclaimed, to the astonishment of the regiment, "Men of the gallant Forty-second, right about wheel!"—M. A. P.

A Bird.

"My doctor is a bird," exclaimed the woman with the capsules.
"A regular pelican," grunted her husband.
"Why do you call him a pelican, Archibald?"
"On account of his long bill, Eva,"—New York World.

CITY FIRE ALARM.

LOCATION OF BOXES.
No. 12—Corner Third and Wellington streets.
No. 13—Corner William and Wellington streets.
No. 14—Thames street, foot of Fifth street bridge.
No. 15—Corner Thames and Head streets.
No. 16—Corner of Baldwin and Head streets.
No. 21—Corner of Selkirk street and Victoria Ave.
No. 23—Corner Colborne and William streets.
No. 24—Corner Colborne and Prince streets.
No. 25—Corner of Stanley Ave. and Prince street.
No. 26—Corner King and Princess streets.
No. 31—Corner of Prince and Park streets.
No. 32—Corner of Grey and Queen streets.
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READING THE EYES.

WHAT MAY BE SEEN IN THE "WINDOWS OF THE SOUL."

Their indications as to Character Are, as a Rule, Remarkably Accurate—Detectives Spot the Lie by a Little Trick of His Optics—The Sign of Finesse.

It is little realized in how many things eyes betray their owner. Many people without at all professing to be physiognomists frequently are led to form opinions about their neighbors by purely physiognomical signs. We often hear a man say: "That man Jones is the biggest fool in town. He has the most foolish, expressionless, bovine pair of eyes I've ever seen." Young parents in particular are fond of planning bright futures for their children, basing their judgment entirely "on a most wonderfully intelligent look in our baby Joe's eyes." The proud mother will add, "I'm sure he'll some day be a great power."

Men, more sensibly, will be led in their business dealings by opinions formed just in this way. Few indeed will be found inexperienced enough to have any confidence in a man having a pair of round, shifting eyes, closely set together in the head and usually accompanied by a pair of narrow, sloping shoulders. This is the make up of a typical sneak thief. But a man not knowing this will still say: "I don't like his looks. He looks too slippery for me."

When the average man, however, having some secret conviction that he is a born physiognomist, tries to form positive judgments about people by mere individual signs, he is likely to err sadly. Many a naturally gifted orator has been pronounced by such a judge as a man given over to dissipation because his full, prominent, saucer-like eyes bore some resemblance to an eye full of dissipation. The latter case, however, is easily distinguishable. Physical pleasure has a tendency to draw up the lower eyelid as though to half close the eye. It soon becomes thicker, fleshier and remains pressed up against the eye like a soft cushion, giving the appearance of fullness to the eye, the sign for fluency and great command of language.

Undoubtedly much is told about us by our eyes. Dogs and children have been called natural physiognomists. A dog sometimes will refuse any caresses or tidbits from some stranger and slink off, but will run up to another man equally as strange to him, wagging his tail, and begin to lick his hand. Children also know well who will grant their request and who will refuse gruffly. A 7-year-old boy who went up to a stranger to ask him to do something, when asked why he went to that man, his answer was, "He had 'yes' written in his eyes."

Many professions apply some trait or other of the human eye to their own particular use. Surgeons and dentists, remembering that some of the most delicate nerves of the human body are in the eye, when giving anaesthetics judge by the eye when the patient is sufficiently under the influence of the drug. They lift the upper eyelid and feel the eyeball with their finger. When the eyeball no longer answers to the touch of the finger, the surgeon feels assured that the patient is sufficiently oblivious to the influence of the drug. They lift the upper eyelid and feel the eyeball with their finger. When the eyeball no longer answers to the touch of the finger, the surgeon feels assured that the patient is sufficiently oblivious to the influence of the drug.

But the most interesting of the eye's "give aways" is its use as an effective detector of double dealing. A private detective, in a discussion as to how far the eye can be depended upon to detect falsehood, says: "It is sometimes pretty hard to tell from the manner of a smart, fluent talker whether he is telling the truth or not. Of course in the case of an unskilful, amateur liar the thing is simple. Even the average man, who usually is a pretty poor observer, can determine for himself whether the man lies, for the would be prevaricator usually takes good care to betray himself. He involuntarily seeks to avoid meeting the eyes of his intended victim by averting his face and shifting his eyes. He no more can refrain from acting in his suspicious manner than can a man looks straight at some bright light after staying in a dark room for some time. The action of both in avoiding to look at a thing too strong for the delicate nerves of the eye is instinctive and involuntary. But the liar of sufficient practice can acquire enough self control to refrain from showing these telltale signs.

"To detect falsehood in cases of this kind we employ a delicate test, which, in the hands of a clever man, is infallible. We call it the 'eye test.' The sharp detective puts a sudden, direct question to the crook which admits of no equivocal reply and which goes to the root of the matter. As the man tries to answer the detective looks steadily into the pupils of his eyes and carefully observes any changes or movements of the iris. Should the man lie in answering, it will be shown by the muscular twitching of the eye, as if trying to make the aperture of the eye smaller. This is the same movement as results in trying to avoid the strong light. The eye thus seems to be equally susceptible to beams of truth and to beams of light."

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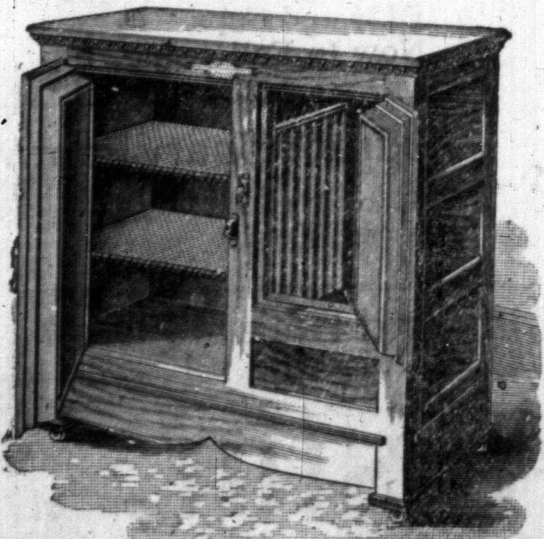


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A DESERTED VILLAGE.

What Once Promised to be a Thriving Town Has Fallen to Decay.

In the heart of the Adirondack wilderness, near Lake Tears of the Clouds, where the Hudson has its birth, and close to the rocky shores of Lake Henderson and Sandford, is all that now remains of the once thriving village of Adirondack.

Mountains and forests surround it. Rivers, lakes and streams teem with fish and the woods with game. To the east Mount Marcy. To the north, Wallface, Summit Rock and Indian Pass; west, Lake Henderson, Henderson Mountain, Panther Mountain, Mount Andrew, and south, Mount Adam and Lake Sandford.

In the early part of the present century a big dam crossed the Hudson, or North River, at Tawahas, and the valley was flooded as far back as the outlet of Lake Sandford. Barges were floated from the "Lower Works," as Tawahas was then called, north into Lake Sandford, and over its waters to where Adirondack, a prosperous town, then stood.

Lake Sandford is four miles long, and not far from its head was situated what was then known as "the new forge." On the lake shore, and extending partly up the course of a small stream, where once strongly built wharves and docks for loading barges.

In those days great forces sent columns of black smoke into the recesses of the mountains. The roar and rumbling frightened away the game, for miles around. One great forge yet remains. It is forty feet square and is half hidden by vines and creepers. Before the Adirondack Club purchased it, the place was the lair of the panther, and in winter the haunt of the bear.

In the years of 1815 Messrs. Henderson, Martin and McIntyre, owners of the North Elba Iron Works, were shown pieces of rich iron ore by a wandering Indian, who told them he knew where great quantities of rich ore could be found. So they hired the red man for fifty cents a day and his food and tobacco. Henderson said afterward that it cost a small fortune to keep the man and his gun.

He smoked from morning to night; went to sleep with a pipe in his mouth and relighted it at earliest dawn.

The Indian led the way, and the prospectors eventually began the extraction of ore. A road was built eastward to Lake Champlain. They built a church, school house and cottages for workmen. The ore was rich, but the expense of getting it to market was too great. The profit was small, and they abandoned the works.

On September 3, 1846, Mr. Henderson, the senior member of the firm, with a well known guide, started on a journey. Henderson was afraid of firearms, and the guide, who was a well known hunter, was in the party. They were wrapped carefully in several coverings of buckskin and put away in the guide's pack.

That night they halted on the shore of a small pond. The guide laid the pack on the ground, but Mr. Henderson thought the spot damp upon which it lay, so he walked over, took the pack from the earth and dropped it on a rock. An explosion followed.

"I'm shot!" cried Henderson, and fell to the ground. The pistol, so securely hidden, had exploded, and killed the only man who could have made a success of the works.

A monument was built near the little body of water, and the river afterward bore the name of Calamity Pond. Soon after the death of Mr. Henderson the motive power was taken away. Three years afterward, in 1849, the works were abandoned.

For a time the works, cottages, school house and church were in charge of an old Scotchman and his wife. After a time they too, moved away, and Adirondack was left alone in the wilderness, a prey to the elements and the ravages of time. The village consisted of several short streets, or lanes. The main street was lined with cottages. The school house and church stood on one side. In a tree, at the centre of the village, hung a bell to summon the laborers to work, the children to school and on Sunday the men and their families to church.

When discovered, or rather rediscovered, the place had fallen into decay. The cottages were dilapidated and windows, where there had been, were now mere openings in the walls. The mills were in ruins, wheels broken and overgrown with moss and lichens, and shattered as by lightning. The bell yet hung in the tree, and sounded as loud as in the days of its usefulness years ago.

On a summer day the deserted village was as desolate a looking place as could be found in the wilderness. Near the centre of the place was a dismantled building, once used as a hotel, and which, it is said, could accommodate a hundred guests. Since the property came into the possession of the Adirondack Club the school house has been moved across the street and turned into a fish hatchery, and the place where young ideas were once taught to shoot is now occupied by youngsters of a different species.

Adirondack creepers and vines are fast covering the piles of rubbish, and Adirondack is now numbered among the forgotten places of the world. It will not be long before all that remains of the deserted village will disappear before the march of time, or else the hands of modern iconoclasts, who can see no beauty in anything but modern art, as exemplified in well kept walks and buildings in perfect repair.

Dreams of the Blind.

Blind persons dream just as frequently as do normal people, but they have only hearing dreams. In other words, their mental eye sees nothing; they only hear sounds. This interesting point came up before a scientific society the other day, and it was found that of two hundred blind persons who had been questioned on the subject those who had been born blind before and those who had become blind before their fifth year never saw things or faces in their dreams. On the other hand, of those whose sight was lost between the fifth and seven years, some did and some did not. In their dreams, while all those whose eyesight was destroyed after the seventh year had quite as vivid dream visions as seeing people.

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"Ah!" said the Tiger to himself, "for once mine ancient Enemy, the Lion, has relaxed his usual Vigilance. I'll steal upon him from Behind, and there'll be a Funeral in the morning."

But his Vicious Spring was met by the Heels of the Ass, and lo! the Tiger had Predicted his own Funeral.

Moral—It's usually Policy to Attack the Enemy in the Rear, but there are Exceptions to every Rule. Always remember, in dealing with an Ass (human or otherwise), that the end containing his Brains is less Dangerous than the one furnished with Heels.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Not long ago a Boston clergyman received an evening call from an elderly man and woman who expressed a wish to be joined in the bonds of matrimony; and the clergyman, who was a humorist, asked the clergyman of the man, an honest-eyed, weather-beaten person of seafaring aspect.

"Never, and never wanted to be before," was the prompt reply.

"And have you ever been married before?" the question came to the woman.

"No sir," she replied with equal promptness; and with a touch of humor (that appeals to the clergyman at once), she added, "I never had a chance!"

The marriage ceremony was speedily performed, and the clergyman refused to take any fee, telling the bride with a twinkle in his eye that it had been a privilege to officiate which he would have been sorry to miss.—Youth's Companion.

Fuddy—it is the same with humor as with everything else. A good deal depends upon the point of view, I suppose. There was Tolstoy, for instance, who was butted by Clough's billy-god, it seemed awfully funny to the rest of us, but Tolstoy, laugh a bit. Doesn't appear to be any sense of humor in Tolstoy.

Duddy—Oh, I don't know. You can't expect a man to laugh very heartily at what is going on behind his back. And you say yourself a good deal depends upon the point of view.—Boston Transcript.

"I can make some allowance for the pressure of war news on your columns," said the Rev. Dr. Fourthly, who happened in at the newspaper office on Monday morning. "But I am carrying on a campaign against the powers of darkness, and it looks like favoritism when you publish two pages of dispatches from the Philippines and censor the report of my sermon down to two inches."—Chicago Tribune.

"Wouldn't it be lovely, George, dear," murmured the romantic maid, as the sleigh started off and he tucked the robes about her, "if we could only go through life to the end in this manner?" "I'm not so sure about that," replied the matter-of-fact young man. "It wouldn't cost us much for coal, but just think of the livery bill!"—Chicago News.

Jingle—I knew that fellow Storms, the comedian, would come to the front. Well, now he has, has he? "Yes, you remember he used to play the part of the hind legs of the elephant in the pantomime?" "Yes?"

"Well, now he's playing the front legs!"—Tit Bits.

A Scene of Suburban Life. There was a little rear-end collision on the Lackawanna Railroad the other afternoon. Against all the rules and rigors of the game, no one was killed or even seriously hurt, but trains held up for nearly two hours behind time, and trains that should have left Hoboken at 6 o'clock did not leave until long after 8 o'clock. The result was a very serious disarrangement of the economy of many New Jersey homes.

That evening an Orange resident had chosen to give a dinner, and the time set happened to be half-past 7. At 8 o'clock one of the bidden guests called the hostess up on the telephone and with tears in her voice said: "There's no use my waiting any longer. Here it is after 8 o'clock, and Mr. Banker isn't home yet."

But the hostess replied at once: "Don't worry, my dear. Of the fourteen who were to come, only four have come yet. There's something the matter on the road," and then she uttered the cheerful words: "When Mr. Banker comes, bring him here as soon as you can. We'll have dinner at any time."

Mr. Banker got home about half-past 8 and he and his wife reached the house at 9 o'clock. The dinner began at quarter past 9; and four guests came after that. That's what comes of depending on a railroad for going anywhere.

While the passengers were "waiting for the train to go on," one of them amused himself by gathering the various accounts of the accident from persons passing through the car in which he sat. Just before the block was broken he said that he had eleven versions of the accident, ranging from "both cars off the track on the curve" to "the draw was open, and the signal not set; six lives lost!" The number of killed varied, though few versions were so fatal as the bridge-draw version.

An to the dinner delays, it may be recalled that in when the Brooklyn trolley strike called for the services of the New York National Guard in Brooklyn, several dinners and one big dance were declared off because so many of the guests were out with the Seventh and the Troop.



Ought They to Marry

And bring children into the world to suffer from an inherited blood taint? People do not realize that foul blood may lurk under a fair skin, and that the fire smoldering in the blood of the parent may break into flame in the flesh of the child. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures out the smoldering fires of scrofula. It cleanses the blood from disease taints, strengthens the weak lungs, heals the diseased stomach.

"Dr. Pierce's medicine has done wonders for my two sons," writes Mrs. M. Harrick, of Demeter, Oswego Co., N. Y. "Both had scrofula. I have lost two daughters in less than five years with consumption and scrofula. My eldest son was taken two or three years ago with hemorrhage from the lungs. He had scrofula in his neck, but has not had any since he commenced to take your medicine."

Use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for the bowels and liver.

FAR UNDERGROUND.

Railway Workmen Came on Part of a Skeleton

Of a Mastodon—Must Have Been an Animal of Enormous Size.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad is spending in the neighborhood of two million dollars in reducing grades and straightening curves on its main line between Chicago and Omaha. At Rome, Ia., the line crosses the Skunk River, and there a gang of men have been employed excavating for the foundations of a new double-track iron bridge. At a point fifteen feet below the river bed, under the quicksand, and just above the blue clay strata, they came across a T-shaped bone three feet high and four feet eight inches wide. It was taken out and carried in the tool car to Batavia, where it now is. Those who have since examined the bone pronounce it to be undoubtedly part of the skeleton of an animal of prehistoric times, probably that of a mastodon.

How to Preserve Flowers. The use of a solution of gum arabic and water may be extended to preserve flowers as well as autumn leaves. Dissolve five cents' worth of gum arabic in a pint bowl of warm water and let stand until there is no sediment at the bottom. This will take several hours. The blossoms that are to be preserved are then dipped lightly in the solution and shaken out before they are suspended by a string to drip. As soon as the flowers have dried, dip again and allow it to dry again, repeating the process five or six times. The color and form of blossoms thus treated are remarkably preserved.

Medicine for a Scratchy Pen. "All pens are alike to me," said the clever young woman, "and pens would be alike to you if you only knew how to break them in. Don't moisten your pen between your lips before you begin to write. Don't say charms over it or squander your substance in gold pens. Take your cheap steel pen, dip it into the ink, then hold it in the flame of a match for a few seconds, wipe it carefully, dip it into the ink and you have a pen that will make glad the heart within you. It is a process I have never known to fail."

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Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Fishing in the river is good. Barrister R. L. Gossnell, Blenheim, is in the city today on business.

Mrs. Jno. Thompson, of Chicago, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Linton, Park avenue east.

The Chatham Brewery this morning shipped a consignment of beer to Ridgeway via the Lake Erie.

Barrister Charles Macdonald, was in Ridgeway over Sunday bidding old friends good bye, next to starting for Dawson City next week.

During the heavy thunder shower early this morning 32 tons of rain fell to the acre. The rain was a fine, warm one and will do a world of good throughout the country.

Mrs. C. R. Atkinson, sr., is about the same today. Her condition, since her last rally, has not showed any perceptible change. Her attendant physicians, however, hope for the best.

The loss on the residence of Mrs. Park partially destroyed by fire yesterday, is estimated in the neighborhood of \$300. The insurance is in companies of which W. H. Harper is agent. The house was insured for \$400 and the contents for \$300.

Employees of the Chatham Gas Co. began yesterday to lay pipes from McConnell's grocery, Park St., to Waterhouse's bakery. The gas will be used to run an engine. Machinery is being put in for use in mixing the bread.

James Talbot, who has been employed all winter in the barber shop of Taylor & Simmons, will leave this week to again conduct the barber shop at the Anchor Line steamer India.

Mr. Talbot will meet his boat at Detroit.

The team attached to one of the Lake Erie drags ran away this morning. They took down Catherine St. to the west end of the mill, in making the turn, they broke the tie-post in front of the mill. In front of the C. P. R. Hotel they collided with another and were stopped.

A large congregational meeting of the members and adherents of Christ Church is looked for in the S. S. Hall this evening. This meeting promises to be one of the most interesting ever held in connection with the church.

The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Church had a very successful and well attended meeting at the residence of Mrs. Charles Greening, Wellington street. It was decided to give a house social at the manse a week from tonight, May 15th. The contract for a new carpet for the church was also let. After the business part of the meeting, dainty refreshments were served.

Ernest Erastus Hitchcock passed away on Monday at his home on the 5th concession, Raleigh. Mr. Hitchcock caught a cold in the early spring which developed into pneumonia. He was a good citizen and was respected by the entire community in which he lived, and his death at the comparatively early age of 39 years is regretted by all. A widow and nine children survive. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Eat Richards' Bread

A GAME OF CHANCE

That's what business is. And your chances will be a good deal better if you wear tailored-made clothes than if you go about obviously ready-made. There's food for serious thought in that assertion.

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THEY SEE DEATH IN TRAILS Which the British Did not Fall Into-- News From Mafeking.

London, May 8.—The following despatch from Lord Roberts has been received at the War Office:

"Smaldeal, May 7.—The railway from Brandfont to this place has been considerably damaged and the bridge over the Vet river has been hopelessly damaged. This delays supplies coming up. Every few yards charges of rickrack have been laid under the rails. This might have created loss of life, but was fortunately discovered by a West Australian infantryman."

Winburg has been occupied by the Highland brigade. In spite of these wrecked railroads, the British advance goes on steadily. Lord Roberts' outposts are apparently about 12 miles north of Smaldeal. Gen. Brabant has joined Gen. Rundle at Thabanchu, whence they are moving forward. The country is all quiet in that direction. A reconnaissance made by Gen. Rundle of the Boers' recent positions at Thabanchu resulted in their being pronounced impregnable, and their evacuation is reported to have been due to the receipt of an urgent message from President Steyn.

BOERS FEAR BA-
DEN-POWELL.
A room of four guns convinced us that an attack was about to occur. But it became apparent that the Boer officers could not persuade their men to advance. Through glasses we saw the officer vainly urging the infantry forward. The enemy reformed and retired. Our men fired a shot in the hope of inducing the enemy to come to close quarters.

The native distress has been alleviated, many of them sleeping through the line. The men of the garrison forego their sugar ration for the benefit of the women and children. After the bombardment April 24 all was comparatively quiet.

FOR A FINAL ASSAULT.
Lorenzo Marques, Sunday, May 6.—A dispatch received here from Col. Plumer's camp, bearing date April 26, states that the Boers around Mafeking have been gradually reinforced and their strength is estimated at 3,000. Col. Plumer has succeeded in communicating with Mafeking by means of carrier pigeons and is endeavoring to communicate with the southern relief column.

NEXT STAND OF THE BOERS.
Smaldeal, Orange Free State, Monday, May 7.—Gen. Bullen-Powell took up the colonial regiments is tonight settled at Welgelegen siding. According to reports the Boers intend to make a big stand near the Zand river. The railroad has been repaired the south side of the Vet river and the engineers are busy making a deviation across the bed.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT.
An Aged Couple Wedded at Til-
sborough—The Groom's Fourth
Venture.
Woodstock, May 8.—A unique wedding has just been celebrated at Til-
sborough, this county. The contracting parties were Mrs. Sarah Hayes, a lady well known in town, and Charles E. Babcock of New York state. The bride and groom had both passed the allotted span of life, the former giving her age as 70 years, and the latter 71. It was a case of love at first sight, the enamored pair having met only once previous to the day of their marriage.

OFFICIALLY VISITED.
The regular meeting of Wellington Masonic lodge was held last evening in their hall, Fifth St., when Rt. W. Bro. J. T. McKillop, D. G. M. for Erie District, No. 1, paid the brethren an official visit. There was a very good turnout of the members of the craft, but it would undoubtedly have been much larger had it not been for the shower which came up just about 7:45. The officers conferred the M. M. degree in first rate style and were highly complimented by the visiting Rt. W. Bro. McKillop for the quality of their work. When it is taken into consideration that the officers have only held their respective chairs since January they certainly deserved the nice things said about them.

A STRIKE IN ST. LOUIS.
St. Louis, Tuesday, May 8.—All, but one of the street car lines in this city, tied up today. At 2 o'clock this morning all the employees of the various lines went out on strike.

MUSIC PUPILS.
Miss Royce, of Guelph, will give vocal and instrumental music lessons, and teaches by latest method. For terms and further instruction apply at Mr. Tschirhart's music store, King street.

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IN OLD LONDON

This Former Chatham Pastor Now Lives—Here on a Visit.

Rev. John F. Porter, of Darnley Road, London, England, pastor of the Primitive Methodist church here 27 years ago, is in the city. Mr. Porter has since leaving Chatham been in charge of a parish in old London, England. Mr. Porter has been in attendance at the International Mission Conference in New York and embraced the opportunity of visiting his old parishioners. He was pleased to see so many of his friends still living and the place improved so much.

The Primitive Methodist Church was situated on Wellington street opposite Harrison Hall and was built while the Rev. Mr. Porter was pastor here. For a number of years Mr. Porter was associated with Professor Huxley on the London school board of which Prof. Goldwin Smith was also a prominent member at one time. Mr. Porter was the guest of Dr. T. K. Holmes last evening.

A son of the reverend gentleman's has just graduated from the English Medical University and he during his course of study has succeeded in taking a greater number of scholarships and prizes than any other contemporary student in England. Perhaps it is unnecessary to add that this boy was born in Chatham.

BITS OF FUN

Though this is the age of the athletic girl,
Who is proud of her palms covered
over with blisters,
I notice that now, when the snowball
she'd twirl,
Her aim is, as poor as her old-
fashioned sister's.

Alice—I thought you were going to marry Miss Grout?
Aisy—Well, I guess not. I proposed to her by letter and she accepted me on a postal card.
Alice—She's just the girl you want. You can bet she'll be careful of your money.

Father—That man should be an example to you, my son. He entered a store as office boy and worked himself up until in a few years he owned the business.
Son—He could never do that in these days, pa, when they have cash registers.

Our new baby is like the grand opera,
Though perhaps with diminished de-
light:
There's the singing, grand marches
and dances,
And loud calls for the author each
night.

Jaggles—What did your friend mean when he said this country would be a better off if there had never been any negroes here?
Waggles—I suppose he meant we wouldn't have any eoon songs.

"Let me see the letter," said Kilduff.
"I am familiar with his handwriting."
"But this is typewritten," said Tenspe.
"I can tell that, too. I know his brand of spelling."

It takes all kinds of curious things.
To make this world of ours com-
plete:
Folks in a suite may find life flat,
And those in flats may find it sweet.

A Tiresome Mayor.
Julius Donath, an old artist, with all the eccentricities of genius, lives in Budapest in a dirty old street. One rainy day, sauntering from his studio, he found the unpaved, unside-
walked street knee deep in filth. As he emerged into the more European Bajaz street, he met the mayor of the Hungarian Capital, who inquired at what he was laughing.

"Laughing?" cried the old fellow, "I am not laughing, I am fairly weeping for shame and anger."
"Why, what is the matter?"
"Matter enough. See, here is a letter" (feeling in his pocket). "I must have left it at home, but that doesn't make any difference. I received a letter saying that his Majesty would honor me with a visit in my studio on Thursday. Now, just look at this street!"

"Don't make any bad jokes, Donath!"
"It's no joke. The King wants to see my soldiers' monument."
The mayor hastily took his departure.

Late in the night the artist was awakened from sound sleep by the sound of pounding in the street. Pulling aside the curtain, he looked out of the window and saw hundreds of water-pipes. He concluded that it was, and he was cold, returned to bed. Suddenly he burst out laughing, beating the bed clothes and fairly shouting his glee.

"I have it—the mayor, ha—the King, ha, ha—what a joke, ha, ha!"
In the morning the conscientious mayor came to see how the workmen were progressing, for to-morrow would be Thursday. The mayor was satisfied with the paving and called on his friend, the artist, to inquire at what hour the King was expected.

Donath had lost the letter, but remembered that the King was coming at 9 o'clock.

Needless to say, the King has not come yet. Whenever Donath goes out in the rain he laughs heartily. The street really looks very nice. And now the mayor laughs, too.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature in each box.

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Our work is on the Hospital, the residence of R. G. G. J. M. Park and all other places. All work guaranteed. Write for estimates.

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Window Shades

Nothing more essential to give a house a finished appearance than good shades. A good shade needs a good roller. We sell the Hartshorn, every roller guaranteed perfect or replaced if not so. Any color and any size blind you wish, as we make all special sizes to order on the premises.

Summer Parasols

Old friends with new faces, that is with prettier handles than usual, shapes that are unique and tasty as well, the same reliable cloth, both as to wear and color that we had last season, special values at every price step for each 75c to \$3.50.

A Quilt Bargain

A special purchase of one hundred white spreads, regular value \$1.25, extra size for \$1.00. This is the last lot we can secure at the price, so come early.

Quality and Fair Dealing



We believe that it does not so much depend upon the line of goods as upon what the merits of the goods are and as to the system with which a firm carries on their business. Our principles of doing business are CASH, ONE PRICE, SATISFACTION OR YOUR MONEY REFUNDED.

Our Spring and Summer Goods

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And our customers like to tell it that their money goes further here than elsewhere, quality considered, customers always get here the best value, latest styles and substantial goods that have merit in their wearing qualities, it is the low reasonable price on good seasonable clothing that appeals to their judgment first and their pocketbook afterwards.

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GENERAL SPORTS.

What is Going on in Baseball and Other Athletic Games.

News, Local and Telegraphic, Gathered From Reliable Sources.

The league season will open on next Thursday with Cincinnati in London. The league executive met at Port Huron yesterday and ratified the draft schedule.

Windsor and Walkerville football clubs play to-day in the western division in the semi-final of the Peninsular League trophy.

Interest of the followers of pugilistic events is now centred in the heavy-weight championship battle between James J. Jeffries and Jas. J. Corbett, to take place at Coney Island on Friday night. Jeffries and Corbett have been training for the last two months and now announce that they are in perfect physical condition for the event.

National League.

At Pittsburgh—
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Chicago.....0 0 0 0 1 0 2 1—9 2 2

Batteries—Leever and Zimmer; Garvin and Donohue.

At Brooklyn—

Philadelphia.....0 0 1 1 1 0 2 3—9 15 5
Brooklyn.....1 1 0 3 1 1 6 1—13 17 1

Batteries—Platt and Douglas; Kennedy and Farrell.

At Boston—

Boston.....5 3 0 6 4 0 0 0—18 19 8
New York.....2 1 2 0 0 2 2 0—11 12 6

Batteries—Chambers, Dineen, Clements and Clarke; Seymour, Hawley and Warner.

The St. Louis-Cincinnati game was called at the end of the third inning; rain, with a score of 3 to 0 in Cincinnati's favor.

American League.

At Detroit—Detroit 2, Indianapolis 11.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 5, Buffalo 7.

The Chicago-Kansas City game was postponed—wet grounds.

National League.

Clubs. Won. Lost. Cent.

Philadelphia.....10 5 .667

Cincinnati.....9 6 .600

Brooklyn.....7 8 .467

Pittsburgh.....7 8 .467

St. Louis.....7 9 .438

Chicago.....6 9 .400

New York.....5 9 .357

American League.

Clubs. Won. Lost. Cent.

Milwaukee.....11 4 .733

Indianapolis.....9 5 .643

Chicago.....7 6 .538

Cleveland.....7 6 .538

Buffalo.....6 10 .375

Kansas City.....6 12 .333

Minneapolis.....4 10 .286

Detroit.....4 10 .286

PURELY OPTIONAL

The Use of Wilson Taylor's Elementary Arithmetic

In the C. C. I.—Investigation into a Much-talked-of Matter—The Board Meets.

At the regular monthly meeting of the C. C. I. board yesterday afternoon, Mr. Edwin Bell, chairman of the committee on internal management, who were the subject of the investigation, were present.

Mr. O'Neill, who presided, stated that the committee had been authorized to inquire into the matter of the use of Wilson Taylor's Elementary Arithmetic in the C. C. I. schools.

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THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.

Toronto, May 8, 10 a. m.—Lakes—

Fresh to strong southerly, veering to

westerly and northwesterly winds,

showery to-day. Wednesday, fair and

cool.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's.

James Johnson, of Harwich, leaves

to-day for Huron, Mich.

Judge Bell is in Dresden to-day,

where he is holding Division Court.

Fifty acres of the best land in Dover is

offered for rent.

Miss Mary Blackburn has returned

from a six weeks' visit to friends in

Toronto.

"Ravage" is the correct thing for

summer suitings. We have it in two

shades of grey, at 35c. and 55c. per

yard.—W. Foreman & Co.

House Wanted—A small house,

modern conveniences, centrally lo-

cated. Address, P. O. Box 123.

Wm. A. Shaw, of Camden, who will

come before Judge Bell on Friday for

trial on charges of larceny and arson,

is in his eighty-second year.

Lost—On Sunday, between Robt. Pritch-

ard's residence, Water St., and John John-

son's farm, Raleigh, a large pocketbook con-

taining a sum of money and some papers.

The finder will be rewarded by leaving with

Richard Pritchard, at the Fire Hall.

The Sir. City of Chatham will leave

the Rankin Dock on Wednesday at

7.30 a. m. for Detroit and will return

the last of the week, and will com-

mence her regular trips on Monday,

14th inst. at the usual hour.

Our black lustre—For waists and

dresses at 25c., 30c., 50c., 60c., and

75c., are unsurpassed for quality. W.

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At a very early hour yesterday Isaac

Davis was accidentally killed at the pump-

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