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## ALDERMAN POTTER'S FATE AROUSSES MUCH INTEREST

One Man Claims He Jumped  
Off The Rankin  
Dock

Life Preservers Were Now-  
here In Sight—Great  
Excitement

Pedestrians on King St., who happened to be passing near the Post Office at noon to-day, might have been surprised to see an unusual crowd of people on the Rankin dock. A hushed, depressing silence prevailed when it was whispered around that there was a man in the river. Anxious ones peered nervously into the water and their interest and concern was considerably intensified when they learned that the man was supposed to be no less a personage than Alderman William Potter. The more active ones, with great presence of mind, looked around for the new civic life preservers which were long ago supposed to have been placed along the river bank, but they couldn't be found. The crowd was helpless! If only someone could find one of those life preservers, which Ald. Potter himself purchased for the city!

The incident was all the more regrettable when someone volunteered the information that Ald. Potter, believing that the life-saving apparatus was near at hand, deliberately jumped off the Rankin dock to make a personal test of the life preservers by seeing how long it would take for someone to fish him out. It could hardly be called suicide, but it was indeed a cruel fate.

While the crowd was standing with awed countenances, looking over the surface of the water for bubbles, a smart, dapper ex-mayor, dressed in a light airy suit, and chuckling with intense delight, arrived on the scene and asked in a mirthful, breezy fashion:

"Well, did he jump in?" The crowd was shocked, but even this couldn't lessen the mirth of the public-spirited shoe dealer. He was considerate enough to assure the crowd that it was all a joke. Ald. Potter had not jumped in. Someone during the morning had rumored it around that Ald. Potter intended to jump off the Rankin dock to make a test—and a banner reporter had believed it.

A sigh of relief went up; for everyone hopes that Ald. Potter will live at least long enough to get those life preservers placed along the river.

In justice to the alderman in question, it should be stated that life preservers were purchased and an inferior kind were sent. These are now at the Fire Hall, but they will have to be sent back and exchanged for good ones. Fireman Coyle says that the ones which were sent will not float in a pail of water.

It is hoped that no more time than is absolutely necessary will be lost in getting suitable preservers. The Council should also consider the purchasing of a lifeboat, to be kept at the Fire Hall.

Ald. Potter has taken an interest in this matter from the start, and it is expected he will carry it through successfully to the end.

## POWER FROM THE THAMES

Wardville Is Told That  
Electric Energy Can Be  
Generated

Scheme Which Was  
Originated By Chathamite  
Looks Like A Good One

Wardville, May 27.—Mr. H. G. Acres, assistant engineer of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, of Ontario, was in the village on May 24th for the purpose of examining the water power at the Big Bend. At this place the river takes a turn, forming the shape of a horseshoe, being seven or eight miles around, and about one-half mile at the neck.

The engineer, after examining the site, pronounced the scheme feasible, and advised tunnelling the neck with an eight-foot tubing of concrete, and building a dam at the cove. By this a fall of 28 feet could be obtained, producing from 500 to 800 horsepower. He also stated that this power could be obtained at a much cheaper rate than that from Niagara. The tunnelling would go through the farm of Mr. A. Nethercott, and a portion of that owned by Mr. Jas. Humphrey.

Regarding the development of this water power, it is not definitely decided as to what steps will be taken by its promoters, but it is rumored they intend negotiating with an American company.

## Vote on Last Year's Assessment

Upon several occasions lately, the question has been asked, if the vote on the Wolverine Brass Works By-law would be taken on this year's assessment or on that of last year. Inquiry at the City Clerk's office brings out the information that the vote will be taken on LAST year's assessment. The assessment rolls for this year have just been handed in, and in any case, the law requires that the vote shall be taken on last year's assessment.

This is very important, and those who are out working for the by-law should bear it in mind. There are about 1,800 property holders on last year's assessment who are entitled to vote. Since this assessment many have sold their property, others have moved out of town and new ones have come in. None of these will be entitled to vote, and this will make it all the harder to poll the required vote. It will be seen from this that those who are out for the by-law are working under a handicap and it will be NECESSARY FOR EVERYONE TO VOTE. Those who have sold out, or moved out of town, will not be struck off the list when the vote is being counted, and their voting will practically be recorded AGAINST the by-law if they neglect to go to the polls.

The vote required will be the usual vote in industrial propositions.

## J. F. Cairns Loses \$40,000. Through Fire

Saskatoon, May 28.—The warehouse on First avenue, belonging to J. F. Cairns, and stocked with merchandise of all kinds, to the value of \$40,000 to \$50,000, was wiped out completely yesterday afternoon, together with its contents. A spark from a C. N. R. engine is accepted as the cause. A big crowd watched the greedy flames eat up the costly fuel that had been piled up in the building. The fire broke out at the freight blockade. The building was filled to the limit, and this morning G. E. Mayne, in charge, sent word not to send anything more, as he had no room for it. The building and contents were only partly covered by

insurance. At the most the insurance will not be over \$15,000, and may not be more than \$10,000.

It is estimated at the store that nearly 90 cars of goods were in the burned building. Albert Cudney, teamster, or G. W. A. Potter, was in the yard when the flames started, and he declared that if he had had a little assistance he could easily have mastered the fire. The flames spread very rapidly, and were soon beyond control. There were a lot of sparks from the engine, he said, for the grass was set on fire on both sides of the storehouse.

## Rendered Speechless Through Bull's Attack

From Our Own Correspondent.  
Wallaceburg, May 27.—S. L. Mann, while at his farm early this morning, was attacked by an angry bull and he had a very uneven fight with the enraged animal. John Hall, a neighbor, happened to notice the trouble, and with his dog went to the scene. As he neared the spot to assist Mr. Mann the bull turned on him and would soon have finished

him had not his faithful dog attacked the infuriated animal and thus diverted his attention from the man. It was found that Mr. Mann was badly bruised and that he had been rendered speechless. A Wallaceburg doctor was sent for and Mr. Mann was conveyed to his home here, where he is progressing favorably, and it is thought that he will be all right again in a few days.

## Wallaceburg Again Visited by Fire

From Our Own Correspondent.  
Wallaceburg, May 26.—This town was again visited by a serious fire last evening, the result of which will mean considerable loss to one of our most prominent citizens.

At nine o'clock last evening the citizens were aroused by the persistent ringing of the town bell. A crowd soon gathered and it was found that the residence owned by Chester McGregor and recently oc-

cupied by Mrs. Millman and family, was on fire. Willing hands were offered to assist the firemen in their heroic work, and owing to the splendid efforts put forth, the furniture was saved.

At several times it looked as if the fire would spread, but the engine did good service and by ten o'clock the flames were extinguished.

The building is almost a total loss. The insurance is unknown.

## MR. ALEXANDER CLARK JOINS GREAT MAJORITY

Death visited this city last evening and claimed a member of one of the most respectable and respected families of the county. Mr. Alexander Clark, aged 65 years, who for the past 17 years has been living in London, arrived home a few days ago, it was thought, much improved in health. He was taken ill again, however, and passed peacefully away at 2:15 this morning.

Deceased was born in Argyleshire, Scotland, but has been a resident of this county for many years. His family is well known throughout the county, and to his wife and children, who have their home at present on the corner of Murray St. and Lansdowne Ave., is extended universal sympathy.

Besides his widow, five children survive. (They are, John, of this city, formerly postmaster at Harwich; Neil, of this city; Alexander, a barrister, of Toronto; James, of the Central Drug Store staff; and one daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Robertson, of Newbury.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30, from the family residence to the Maple Leaf Cemetery. Rev. Dr. Battisby will conduct the obsequies.

## FANCY DRESS CARNIVAL

The date for the fancy dress carnival at the Tecumseh Roller Rink has been postponed from May 31st to June 4th. Six prizes will be given away.

The band will be in attendance at the rink Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of this week.

## 25th ANNIVERSARY

The Rev. Canon Davis, rector of St. George's Church, Sarnia, who preached in Christ Church and Holy Trinity Church a couple of Sundays ago, celebrated the 25th anniversary of his ministry in Sarnia, a few days ago. A reception was given him by the congregation. When he was presented with an address and a purse containing five hundred dollars in gold. He was also granted three months' leave of absence, the wardens, on behalf of the congregation, promising to procure the services of some clergyman to take his work.

**Dr. Fell Appointed Sheriff.**  
Gore Bay, May 28.—Dr. J. Howard Fell of Gore Bay has been appointed sheriff of Manitoulin, in succession to the late Sheriff Jackson.

Dr. Fell is a prominent dentist here, and was a conservative candidate for the Legislature in 1898.

A worn-out hat sometimes seems to have been racked to pieces.

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## A NEW BAPTIST CHURCH IS FORMED IN CHATHAM

Young People Of William  
St. Church Have Left In  
A Body

They Are Now Holding  
Services In The I. O. O. F.  
Auditorium—The Cause

A new Baptist congregation is in the process of formation in this city. The new congregation are at present holding their Sunday services in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium, which they have leased for a year, and to all appearances the faction is the result of a split in the congregation of the William street church.

As far as can be ascertained, there has been no open dissension among the members of the church, but a section of them have quietly, and apparently without explanation, severed their connection with the parent church.

The number of worshippers at the local Baptist church in the past numbered about four hundred. Seventy of these four hundred members, for some reasons not definitely known, took their leave of the church two Sundays ago, and commenced holding services in the Auditorium. For the most part the dissenters are young people, and from what little information can be gathered on the matter, the friction seems to be the result of a difference between the Young People's Society and the Ladies Aid of the church.

The services in the Auditorium are being conducted by Messrs. Matthew Side, W. S. Clements, F. Warren and others, all formerly among the foremost of the active young workers of the church. The fact that they have leased the Auditorium for a year, shows their determination to remain aloof from the William street church.

Yesterday afternoon The Planet interviewed several of the leading members of the church, but no one seemed particularly anxious to say anything about the matter.

Mr. Matthew Side was among those interviewed. He was asked if it were true that a number of the young people were forming a new congregation.

"Yes," he replied, "It is true that we have been holding services in the Auditorium. We held three services each Sunday, and the attendance on each occasion has been most encouraging."

In reply to other questions relative to the matter, Mr. Side said that he did not care to say anything about the cause of the difference. He hastened to say that many rumors about bitter differences among the members, were all entirely untrue. There has been no quarrel or open dissension, and the seventy members who now worship in the Auditorium had just quietly taken their leave from the William street church. He said that there were about seventy members in the new congregation.

The peculiar part of it all is that none of the new congregation, all of whom are members, and many of them in the William street church, have resigned their former positions, or even signified their intention of so doing.

Judge Houston, who is chairman of the Advisory Board of the William street church, was also seen.

"There is plenty of room for two Baptist congregations here," was one of his first remarks. "Since the young men in question left the church, the attendances have not dwindled to any great extent. Sunday there were large congregations at both morning and evening services. All of the congregation are highly pleased with our bright young pastor, Mr. Matthews. I don't think I ever listened to a better sermon than the one which he preached Sunday evening."

"I may say that none of the young men who are holding the services in the Auditorium have yet resigned their positions in the William street church, and they are all members in good standing. The members of the William street church feel no animosity towards them."

It is understood that the separation first took place on the evening of the reception to the new pastor. There had been considerable difference of opinion over the fixing of the date for the reception. The Ladies Aid were desirous of holding it on Monday, and the Young People favored holding it on Tuesday. When it came to a vote, the Young People finally won out; and the members of the Ladies Aid, to make it unanimous, afterwards cast their votes with them. Then, the Young People, not to be outdone in generosity, declared that they would be willing to have the reception on Monday, and the vote was again unanimous.

As to the other rumors about differences between the Young People and the Ladies Aid, no good authority could be found, although it is hinted at, that the Young People

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# The Daily Planet

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TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1907.  
THE CITY WATER.

The statement from Medical Health Officer Dr. Hall, which appeared in last evening's Planet, to the effect that the city water is at present pure and healthful, will be received with much satisfaction by residents of the Maple City.

Some time ago a complaint was made that the water was not pure. This complaint is now shown to be entirely groundless. Samples of the water from the city mains were sent to the Provincial analyst of the Province Health Board, and his report shows that the water is ABSOLUTELY PURE. Dr. Hall has also, himself, made several tests of the city water and in each case he reports that the water is free from germs of any kind, and that no animal life was found.

This reflects great credit upon the Chatham waterworks system, and the Water Commissioners are to be complimented upon their excellent management of this department of the civic service. The health of the community should be one of the first considerations, and the water which the citizens drink has a great deal to do with their health. In this it will be seen that the Water Commissioners are doing much towards preserving the public health.

It might be added that the Waterworks Department furnishes a shining example of what excellent results can be obtained from introducing modern business methods into civic administration. Municipal ownership is suffering nothing from the hands of the Water Commissioners. The waterworks is governed by commission. The result is that it satisfies every demand from the citizens and is at the same time revenue producing. Introduce this system into other departments of public service and there are few who will hold that the effect will not be an improvement upon the present state of affairs. It only goes to show that government by commission is the ideal form of civic control, and it will have to be adopted in the end by cities that are going to keep up with the pace.

There is at present a movement on foot to filter the water from the Thames river at London for the use of Londonites. The advertiser is opposed to the scheme on the grounds that they claim it is impossible to purify river water. The advertiser will have considerable difficulty in sticking to their arguments with any degree of effectiveness in the face of the report of the Provincial Analyst on the Chatham water.

## THE YEARLY VICTIM.

It is a most remarkable thing that each year in Chatham the summer season is ushered in with a lamentable drowning accident. No matter how striking and costly are these yearly lessons, and no matter how often the voice of warning is raised in serious protest, it seems that the river is bound to collect its annual toll, bringing sorrow and affliction to some Chatham home. The Maple City is fortunate in the possession of the River Thames, which adds its beauty and convenience to the many other desirable advantages of this centre, but it is regrettable that we have to pay so dearly for it.

In the present instance, the sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved parents and relatives of little Robert Jermyn, who lost his life on Saturday. The little fellow was one of the cleverest young pupils of the Central School, and seemingly had a very bright future before him. He was one of the young boys growing up, who are the future hope of this community.

For some years, boys have been in the habit of fishing and swimming back of Drader's mill. This point in the river is generally blocked with logs and booms, which form a veritable death-trap to anyone who happens to fall into the water. Probably it is the young boy's love of daring and danger which makes this particular spot so popular. Once more, it is not yet too late to warn parents to see that their boys choose some more favorable place for recreation. The boys themselves should profit from the lessons yearly taught to them.

Since the last river drowning, the Council has purchased life-saving apparatus to be placed along the river banks. It was also understood that authority was given to purchase apparatus to be kept at the Fire Hall. Now comes the information that on Saturday it was found that the firemen did not have proper instruments for dragging the river in

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**GEO. H. REDPATH,**  
GENERAL AGENT, CHATHAM.

their efforts to locate the body of the drowned boy. There is positively no excuse for this. While in this case, it might not have been the means of saving the life, experience shows that it is impossible to tell when a young life will depend upon the instruments in the hands of the firemen.

No time should be lost in securing the most complete and up-to-date apparatus to be kept at the Fire Hall for use in the event of future drowning accidents.

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## Bricklayers' Strike Ends.

Ottawa, May 27.—The strike of bricklayers and masons ended Saturday, and a two-year agreement was signed, by which the men undertake to work for 47 cents an hour for the first year, and after that for 50 cents. On the House of Commons job, for which William McGillivray has charge of, and the museum one, under George Goodwin, the men will go back at 45 cents an hour until those buildings are finished. This is, of course, due to the fact that these jobs were tendered on much sooner than others, and the contract prices would not allow the increases. After they are through, the rule as elsewhere, for 47 cents, will, of course, prevail.

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## DISTRICT

### BLenheim

Blenheim, May 27.—Mr. R. Labadie, who has a position at Stratford, was home with his family over Friday, 24th.

Mr. Warden, who was formerly on the Bank of Commerce staff in Benheim, spent the week-end visiting friends in town.

The Misses Groves, of Chatham, spent Victoria Day with friends in Benheim.

Miss Anna Samson, who has been ill, is rapidly recovering.

Miss Bernice Ellis, who has been home for some time, has been in town for the last few days.

Mr. A. McPherson, of Benheim, sang in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at Chatham yesterday.

Mr. G. Scroggie, of the Bank of Commerce staff, Windsor, and formerly one of the staff in Benheim, renewed old friendships in town on Victoria Day. He was accompanied by a friend.

There was a very large crowd of people in town over the 24th and exceptionally good order. No serious accidents, and everybody pleased and satisfied.

Carene Higley, of Chatham, and Laurence Wedge, of Tillsonburg, renewed old acquaintances in Benheim on Victoria Day.

Harvey Kinard, who fell from a barn and got hurt, is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Grey and son came over in their automobile from Chatham, and were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Langford, on Victoria Day.

It is to be hoped that the new regulation regarding the weigh scales at Erieau, viz., weighing at night, coating while weighing, etc., will prove satisfactory to the cottagers concerned.

There is every probability of Benheim having a rural telephone system, and it is hoped that it will not be long before it will be in operation between Benheim and Guilds.

Mr. Charles L. Bisset, who lately returned from New Ontario, has been appointed manager of the International Oil and Mining Co. of Boston. The firm will be drilling for oil in Harwich this season.

The storm which passed over Benheim yesterday, though it was very severe while it lasted, will do an immense amount of good to all the growing things in the country.

### DRESDEN

Dresden, May 24.—The funeral services of Mrs. J. W. Wright were held on Friday at the family residence, Brock street, the Rev. A. J. Langford officiating, after which the remains were interred in the Dresden cemetery. The floral offerings were very beautiful, including designs from the Oddfellows, employees at the store, Ladies Aid of the Methodist church, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wright, Mrs. Lambert, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Sturges. The pallbearers were Messrs. Aikin, Jeffs, Smith, Webster, McLaughlan and Watson. The out of town friends who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Chase, Owenale, Mich.; Mrs. Geo. McElmerry, Owenale, Mich.; Mrs. Fests, Mrs. King, Mr. Duncan Terrie, Mr. Isaac Terrie, Sandauky, Mich.; Mrs. L. Jackson, Wallaceburg; Mr. and Mrs. P. McGregor, Sarnia; Mr. and Mrs. John Burnie, Mr. and Mrs. Linch, Miss Kate Garrett, Chatham. Mrs. Osagode McVean has returned from an extended visit in Denver, Col.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kimmery, of Chatham, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Kimmery.

Mrs. Vining, of McMillan, Mich., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Ruble.

Mrs. F. Laird and daughter, Miss Grace, and Mrs. John McVean, attended the graduation exercises at the Convent, Chatham, on Friday.

Mrs. David Brown, Sarnia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thos. Ennett.

Mrs. MacIntyre, of Chatham, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Stephens, on Friday.

Mr. Walter Sutton left for Kentucky on Friday evening after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aikin. Mrs. Sutton will remain in Dresden for some time.

Mr. G. A. Sherrin left on Wednesday for a brief visit in Bowmanville, Toronto and London.

Mr. J. B. Caranahan will spend from Wednesday till Monday with his daughter Hester at Gravenhurst.

Miss Sarah McVean, of Toronto Medical College, and Miss Kathleen McVean, of Ladies Presbyterian College, Toronto, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. McVean.

J. C. Northwood, manager of the Austin store, spent Friday night in Chatham.

"Newspaper Day" in England. March 11 ought to be named "newspaper day," for on it, in the year 1702, was published the first daily paper. It was produced by E. Mallet, "against the ditch at Fleet bridge"—i. e., on or near the site of the present Printing House square. Of a single page, two columns, the Daily Courant professed to give foreign news only, without editorial comments, the chief of staff "supposing other people to have sense enough to make reflections for themselves." This original sheet soon passed into the hands of Samuel Buckley, "at the sign of the Dolphin in Little Britain," the worthy printer of the Spectator and one "well affected" to the house of Hanover. The Courant was in 1735 absorbed in the Daily Gazette—London Chronicle.

Of course the lazy man believes that half a loaf is better than none.

## ITCHING PILES

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## CANADIAN FISH FOR BRITAIN.

Can Be Imported From B. C. to England Very Cheaply.

London, May 27.—It is understood a scheme is in preparation for the importation of fresh fish from British Columbia into the United Kingdom. According to the ideas of the promoters, it is possible to put untanned B. C. salmon and halibut on the table here at less cost than Yarmouth blasters in the glut season.

Competent authorities here and in Canada have pronounced the scheme feasible. Three powerful firms in England, Scotland and Ireland have stated their willingness to engage in the task of distributing to British consumers, Kaian Island is to be the fishing headquarters. It is believed a British steamship company will also provide a cold storage service between Vancouver and New Zealand.

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## The Arctic Has Attractions.

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Of course it's hard to work. Stooping over hurts, lifting is tedious, and you wonder what to do. Ever try Nerviline? Nothing like it for weak or lame back. It penetrates to the core of the pain, eases from the first application, brings cure that defies a rival. No liniment is so clean, so soothing, so certain to kill muscular rheumatic or sciatic pains. Your dealer sells Polson's Nerviline in large 25c. bottles. Why not try it?

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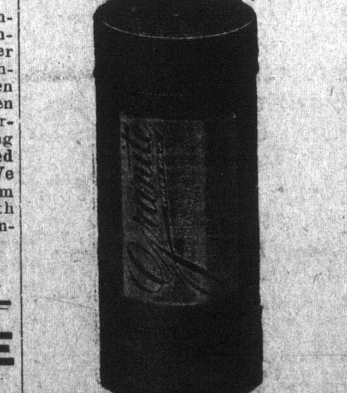
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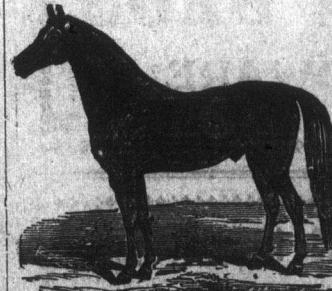
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## THE WABASH SYSTEM

Wabash trains leave Chatham:

WEST BOUND.  
No. 1, 6:25 a. m. for Detroit, Chicago and St. Louis.

No. 3, 1:07 p. m. Solid train for Detroit and St. Louis.

No. 5, 9:38 p. m. Solid train for Detroit and Chicago.

No. 9, 1:13 a. m. Fast Mail for St. Louis and Kansas City.

No. 13, 1:25 p. m. for Detroit and Chicago.

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No. 2, 12:23 p. m. for St. Thomas, Aymer, Simcoe, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York and Boston.

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### ZONE CENTRE.

The farmers are about ready for corn planting. The lady evangelists are still holding successful meetings here in the hall. J. W. Vanhorn spent this week on his farm near Louisville. Mrs. John Tinney had a narrow escape on Tuesday. While she was driving a spirited horse to town it became frightened and unmanageable, and had it not been for timely help it is hard to say what might have happened. Mrs. Tinney escaped unhurt, but her buggy was badly broken. Mr. Fred Eberlee, wife and family, of the ladies' society, were guests of his father, Mr. Jos. Eberlee, last Sunday. Mr. Wm. Humphrey is laid up with a gripe. There was no school on Wednesday. The teacher, Mr. R. Ellison, was attending his sister's wedding. Mrs. John Tinney was the guest of friends in Bothwell on Friday.

## When You Take Cold

### FLORENCE.

W. A. Gordon was a London visitor last week. Miss Mary Webster has returned to Chatham, after a few weeks visit here. Miss Sangster will have a clearing sale of hats after May 24. Mr. Waller gave a special address to the children in the Methodist church Sunday evening. It proved interesting to old and young alike. Mr. and Mrs. John Webster spent Sunday with their son Charles and wife in Bothwell. Our townsmen are preparing a showing ground for their amusement during the coming month. John Scarlett and J. M. Cummings, of Morpeth, visited relatives in town and vicinity the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCreary, of Louisville, attended the funeral of Mr. McCreary's sister-in-law on Friday last and renewed old acquaintances in town. Mrs. Beemer and little daughter, of Detroit, are guests of Mrs. Beemer's sister at the Ellison House. The death of Mrs. Wm. McCreary occurred on Wednesday last after a long illness of several months. Deceased was 76 years of age and has been a resident of town and vicinity all her life. She was well known and highly respected. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. T. L. Armstrong in St. Matthew's church. She leaves a husband, one daughter, and three sons to mourn her loss. The annual convention of the Florence circuit Epworth League was held in the Methodist church here Sunday and Monday, the 12th and 13th inst. Rev. John Baird, of Barrie, preached a forcible sermon on the Epworth League motto Sunday evening. Three sessions were held Monday, when valuable information on the work was given by Miss Dobbyn, Shetland; Miss Huff, Dawn; and Mr. Davis, Euphemis, in well prepared essays. Inspiring and interesting addresses were listened to by Rev. Fulton Irwin, Thameville; Rev. Mr. Langford, Dresden; and Rev. A. E. Ashton, Bothwell. The church was well filled at all services, many having to stand at the evening meeting. A union choir furnished choice music.

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### CROTON.

John McCutcheon and John Ross will erect two fine houses this summer. Voters lists are being fixed up, so get your name on and vote for the best man, or as the Irishman said, always vote against the Government. Mrs. Peters and Miss Vena sang in the choir at Florence, Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Healy visited in Bothwell Saturday last. Fishing is very good in the river here. Rev. Mr. Langford, of Dresden, preached here on Sunday last.

Gordie Walkinghood, of River Side poultry yard, has been working for John Ross. The farmers are getting ready with high fences in anticipation of an autumn election, so they can keep the politicians away. Thomas McCutcheon is digging up his local hedge. John McCutcheon is trying a corn planter worked by horses, which is much easier than the old planter which was worked by man. Grain crops are looking fairly good in this section. A woman will talk all around a subject and never get through.

## ASK FOR Labatt's (LONDON) India Pale Ale

Prepared and unscrupulous vendors may suggest others, but compare it any way you will—purity, freedom from acidity, palatableness—Labatt's Ale is surpassed by none, equalled by few—at about half the price of best imported brands.

### OPPOSE THE ENTENTE.

United Labor to Make Effort Against Russian Tyranny. London, May 27.—The Social Democrats of Great Britain on Saturday welcomed their Russian comrades, who have come to London for the purpose of holding a congress free of official interference at the Holborn Town Hall.

The surging crowds inside and outside the building soon resolved themselves into a great demonstration against an Anglo-Russian entente, and nearly all the delegates spoke in opposition to an entente between the two Governments and in favor of an understanding between the two peoples against the "common foe of despotism and repression."

One of the Russian delegates, M. Mishkovsky, made the speech of the evening. He appealed to the British Socialists to start an agitation against the attempt that Sir Edward Grey, the Foreign Secretary, is now making to bring about an entente between Russia and Great Britain, which would enable English capital further to oppress the people of Russia.

"By the help of your trades unions," said M. Mishkovsky, "you will be able to force your Government to refuse to Russia the gold with which to crush what is the beginning of the social revolution of the world."

### FINLAND'S NEW DIET.

Three Languages Employed in Ceremonies—Socialists Are Silent. Helsinki, Finland, May 27.—The first single-chamber Diet of Finland, the members of which were elected under the new constitution, was formally opened in this city on Saturday.

Governor-General Gerhard, representing Emperor Nicholas, read the speech from the throne, which merely exhorted the new Parliament to labor diligently in the interests of the grand duchy.

In reply, the president of the Diet, Judge Simonsen, delivered an address, in which, after alluding to the passage of the Hated Bobrikoff regime, he declared the Diet always would be guided by the principle of respect for the rights of Finland and the full restoration of the ancient and legal status of the duchy.

Three languages—Finnish, Swedish and Russian—were employed in the ceremonies of Saturday, but the place of honor was given to Finnish.

At the conclusion of the president's speech, the Governor-General gave notice of a series of measures to be submitted to the Diet, and the proceedings came to a close with hearty cheers for the Emperor.

The Socialist members remained silent during this demonstration.

### LIMITATION OF ARMAMENT.

None of the Powers Anxious to Discuss the Project. Rome, May 27.—Inasmuch as no power has yet presented a concrete proposition regarding additional subjects to be discussed at the Hague conference, the program of the conference probably will be set for the Russian note of Feb. 21, 1906.

Neither is it believed that Great Britain will bring forward a proposal to discuss the question of the limitation of armaments, and according to the status of the negotiations concerning this matter, it will not be taken up by either the United States or Spain. There is reason to believe the latter country will not broach this subject, in spite of the fact that the Russian note of April 3, 1907, made it clear that Madrid had expressed a desire to discuss the limitation of armaments at The Hague.

It is thought here that Foreign Minister Tittoni was aware of Great Britain's decision not to bring up the matter when, in his speech ten days ago, he said: "Premier Campbell-Bannerman, in his speech at Manchester, pronounced the last word on this question, and it agrees that the limitation of armament is a problem that must be reserved for further solution."

### SECRETARY ROOT INVESTIGATES

Complaints as to Treatment of Japs in San Francisco. Washington, May 27.—Information that Japanese have been subjected to ill-treatment and indignities in San Francisco, came to the State Department Saturday from two sources, and Secretary Root has taken measures for their protection through two channels.

Ambassador Wright of Tokio cabled that he had learned through Japanese channels that a Japanese restaurant and a Japanese bath house in San Francisco had been demolished by a mob, and Viscount Aoki, the Japanese ambassador here, laid before Secretary Root despatches from the Japanese consul-general at San Francisco relating to the same occurrences.

Secretary Root at once requested Attorney-General Bonaparte that the United States district attorney in San Francisco be directed to immediately investigate the complaints. Mr. Bonaparte thereupon telegraphed both the United States district attorney and the United States marshal at San Francisco to make prompt and thorough enquiry, and to forward their reports by telegraph to the Department of Justice.

Mistake Poison for Whiskey. London, May 27.—Wm. Rickard, aged 57, a farmer of Westminster township, came to the city Friday and bought a bottle of horse medicine, containing belladonna, and a bottle of whiskey.

On the way home he took a drink from the wrong bottle. He hurried to a neighbor's and a doctor was called, but he died on Saturday afternoon. He was a bachelor.

Body Found on Track. St. Thomas, May 27.—John Riley, M. C. R. section foreman at Edward, found the body of an unknown man on top of the cement pier at the bridge over the Grand River. The body was badly mutilated and had evidently been struck by a train. It was that of a man of 20 years of age.

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FOR SALLOW SKIN.  
FOR THE COMPLEXION.  
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MAKES THE ELECTIONS.

Sensational Evidence Likely in Emerson Libel Suit.

Montreal, May 27.—Hon. H. R. Emerson spent yesterday at the Windsor, and returned last evening to Ottawa. He intends to be in Fredericton, N. B., in time to prosecute his criminal libel suit against J. H. Crockett of The Gleaner, which is set for Wednesday next.

B. F. Pearson, David Russell, Premier Pugsley and several prominent New Brunswick Liberal politicians and promoters have been in consultation with the ex-Minister. Mr. Crockett, the defendant, has also been at the Windsor for some days past.

It is said that he is gathering testimony, and that the preliminary hearing on Wednesday will develop some sensational testimony, and that some men high in Canadian public life will be implicated.

Another criminal libel suit that is attracting no little attention in Montreal is the one brought by Hon. J. Prevoist, Minister of Colonization and Mines, against Oliver Asselin, editor of Le Nationaliste. The disclosures already made and anticipated will undoubtedly cause Messrs. Prevoist and Turgeon to tender their resignations.

It is claimed, moreover, that Baron Lepine's testimony to-day will bring about a crisis that will force Premier Gouin to appeal to the country.

In this connection, it may be of interest that Rodolphe Boudreau, at present chief clerk with the Privy Council, and for many years Sir Wilfrid Laurier's private secretary, is following the Asselin trial at Quebec as the personal representative of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and has stated that, in the event of the jury acquitting Asselin, he will resign his provincial post, but that also the Federal elections will speedily follow.

Do You Think For Yourself?

Or, do you open your mouth like a young bird and gulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you?

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is an intelligent thinking woman, in need of relief from weakness, nervousness, pain and suffering, then it means much to you that there is one tried and true honest medicine or known composition, sold by druggists for the cure of woman's ills.

The makers of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for the cure of weak, nervous, run-down, over-worked, debilitated, pain-racked women, knowing this medicine to be made up of ingredients, every one of which has the strongest possible endorsement of the leading and standard authorities of the several schools of practice, are perfectly willing, and in fact, are only too glad to print, as they do, the formula, or list of ingredients, of which it is composed, in plain English, on every bottle-wrapper.

The formula of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will bear the most critical examination of medical experts, for it contains no alcohol, narcotics, harmful, or habit-forming drugs, and no agent enters into it that is not highly recommended by the most advanced and leading medical teachers and authorities of their several schools of practice. These authorities recommend the ingredients of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for the cure of exactly the same ailments for which this world-famed medicine is advised.

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A booklet of ingredients, with numerous authoritative professional endorsements by the leading medical authorities of this country, will be mailed free to any one sending name and address with request for same. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Run Over By Train. Peterboro, May 27.—Charles Sellers, 65 years of age, while walking on the G.T.R. tracks, near Oranmore, was struck by a freight train yesterday and badly injured. The old man is very deaf.

He was brought to Peterboro and taken to the Nichols hospital, where his left leg was amputated above the knee.

PATERSON'S COUGH DROPS. Made by an old recipe that has cured coughs and colds for two generations. For all throat irritations. They please the child in the red and yellow box.

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### SEASONABLE NOTES.

Soft Silks and Satins Best For Wedding Gowns—Bertha Collar.

At present the great preference for all soft silks and satins is marked. This is especially the case in wedding gowns, as the soft satins drape and hang more gracefully. Of course these soft fabrics require more trimming than the others, but that also is the mode this season.

Lace veils are not in as great demand as formerly, for they are so hard to arrange artistically. Nevertheless a handsome lace veil is infinitely richer than one of tulle and it put on the hair in a fetching way will usually take care of itself.

Plain colored silk sunshades of good quality and with pretty wood handles are now offered at extremely reasonable prices. Some are marked as low as \$1.50, while for another dollar one may get a beauty.

The bertha collar is becoming to every child's figure and in some form



A SIMPLY LITTLE FROCK—\$6.98.

or another is this season an addition to nearly every frock. The models are without number, and they are formed from every material and trimmed with all sorts of lace and embroidery.

In all short hat models the front brim is short and the back brim is long. This seems to be as universal as anything in fickle fashion's domain can be. It is so radical a change that it is not easy for the eye to become accustomed to it.

The simple little frock illustrated herewith is of that kind in which the youngster is happiest and which the wise mother provides in generous numbers. It is made of ring dotted batiste, with trimming of embroidery, but it is susceptible to infinite variation.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

VANITY'S VISIONS.

Among the New Pocketbooks—Corset Sachet—Hat Trimmings.

Long, flat pocketbooks with a strap on the back are made of pigskin, morocco, alligator, pin seal and walrus leathers. Some have little watches set into the corner.

For the front of the corset a heart shaped sachet bag filled with cotton and my lady's favorite scent is covered with flowered silk. This little affair is attached to one side of the corset, and after it is closed it is secured by a tiny gold safety pin. There are also oblong sachet pads designed to fit the sides of the corsets under the arms when such filling is required.

The new effect in hat trimming is to have a shower of two or three long plumes, the longest reaching to the nape of the neck of its fair wearer.

Cape wraps lead all the rest, and the daintiest little confections of lace and

silks, to say nothing of cloth, will adorn the shoulders of femininity this summer. These little wraps are in light colored silks and for a walking costume match the gown in color, but not always in material. There are a number of attractive designs, but the most practical has a bodice very much on the shirt waist order, with plaits from the shoulders, both back and front, and the neck cut in a V shape. The sleeves reach to the elbow and are of the kimono order. Bronze or black silk stockings are worn in the latest hosiery, clocked in groups between embroidered stripes.

The smart boy's suit sketched is of white galatea cloth, which has the double merit of looking well and being durable. Pale blue bands trim the sailor collar, and the tie is of black turkish silk.

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So confident are we of the powers of Bu-Ju, of its unflinching success in coping with cases that have baffled even the best physicians, that we guarantee Bu-Ju will cure you or your money will be refunded. Buy it with that guarantee. Soc. a large box. At all druggists, or from The Cleftin Chemical Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

Many Injured in Riot. New York, May 27.—A dozen or more persons were injured yesterday in a serious riot of longshoremen on strike. The trouble started outside the South Brooklyn docks.

A number of negro strikebreakers, as they left their work, marched through the Italian quarter, singing. Shots were fired at them from a window, and then scores of Italian strikers rushed from saloons and houses.

Four negroes were arrested, two in a serious condition from stab wounds.

NO WOMAN CAN BE STRONG AND HEALTHY UNLESS THE KIDNEYS ARE WELL.

When the kidneys are ill, the whole body is ill, for the poisons which the kidneys ought to filter out of the blood are left in the system. Then how important it must be to see to it that this system of average be not clogged up. Those who have never been troubled with kidney trouble know not the misery and suffering which those afflicted undergo.

Doan's Kidney Pills are a specific for all kidney troubles. They begin by healing the delicate membrane of the kidneys and thus make their action regular and natural.

They help the kidneys to flush out the acid and poisonous impurities which have collected, thus clearing out the kidneys, bladder and all the urinary passages.

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Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box or 2 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

Cause For Celebration. Mrs. De Style—I met Mrs. Schopper at a bargain sale today; said she was celebrating her silver anniversary. Mrs. Gumbasta—Is she married twenty-five years? Mrs. De Style—No, but her husband gave her \$25.—New York Press.

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The recital which will be given in Holy Trinity Church next Monday evening will be one of the musical treats of the season. Silver collection.

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## THE MILLS OF JUSTICE

Colborne Street Families Air Troubles in Police Court

Belle Calender Charges Bessie Ray with Insulting Language

Two quarrelling families from Colborne street aired their troubles in Judge Houston's Court this morning. The case arose out of a series of hard names which they heaped on each other during a recent row.

"Your Honor, she called me a black ——" chimed Belle Calender, when she arose to pour forth the indignant story of her wrongs.

"And she called me and my sisters, ——" and white brats," retorted Bessie Ray, whom the Calender girl charged with insulting language.

The case was too disgusting to be of general interest. Judge Houston after hearing the evidence, adjourned it till Thursday morning. Thomas Scullard appeared for the defense.

Junk Dealer Brenson has not yet returned from Toledo, and on this account, the estate stealing case had to be again adjourned this morning. The Eady fast driving and cruelty to animals case was also adjourned for further evidence.

Wing Lung, a Chinese laundryman from over the river, had a young man named Arnold up this morning, charged with stealing \$5 from his laundry on Empire Day.

Arnold pleaded guilty, and his case was remanded till Monday morning.

Geo. Prout applied to Judge Houston to have his suspended sentence removed this morning. He was given six hours in the cells, at the end of which time he was a free man with no penalty over his head.

A man named Frank Emerick, from Zone, charged with assault, was found guilty by Judge Dowlin, this morning, and fined \$25. As he did have the money, he had to take 30 days in jail.

Something should be done towards having a washable cover placed on the Police Court Bible. The need of such a cover is often in evidence in the local Court.

The Bible which is used for swearing witnesses is kissed by all kinds of people, some of them no doubt infected with all manner of vile and contagious diseases. The washed and unwashed alike smack their lips on the covers of the book. Some take the precaution to open the book before kissing it.

The police officers say that they would be quite willing to keep the Bible washed and sterilized if some sort of a washable cover were put on it.

## A BLENHEIM MAN FALLS 25 FEET

Blenheim, May 27.—Harvey Kin-naird, son of Wm. Kinaird, carpenter, of this town, met with an accident that almost proved fatal recently. He was working on a new barn at Wilfrid Watson's, New Scotland, and was sawing a plank near the top of the building, when the plank on which he was standing slipped and he fell twenty-five feet to the plank floor. He struck on his head and shoulders, and was so severely injured that he did not regain consciousness for ten hours. He is now recovering.

## DEATH OF GEO. TURRILL OCCURS AT SEATTLE

The sad news has been received in this city of the death of George F. Turrill, formerly of this city, at Seattle, Wash. Particulars of his death are lacking, but some time ago, when Mr. Turrill passed through this city, he appeared to be in the best of health and spirits. To a Planet reporter, who met him on that occasion, which was but a few months ago, he said that he never felt better in his life, that change of climate agreed with him, and he intimated that he had met with considerable good fortune in real estate deals in Seattle.

The late Mr. Turrill for years conducted a shoe business in what is now known as Hodges' shoe store. A few years ago he took Mr. Hodges in as a business partner, and later, owing to ill-health, he sold out his share in the business to Mr. Hodges, and left for Seattle, where he had since been engaged in the insurance business.

The deceased was of a modest, retiring disposition, rather reserved in his mannerism until one became intimately acquainted with him. He was considered a good business man and was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

Mrs. Turrill is at present residing at Mt. Clemens.

Lost — Monday evening, between Victoria Ave. and Grand Ave., three Five Dollar Bank of Commerce bills. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to this office.

GOOD GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. Fred. Stone, LaCrosse St.

## SON MURDERS HIS MOTHER

Wm. McKie Kills His Aged Parent Then Suicides

Village of Bright Shocked By a Double Tragedy

Woodstock, May 28.—A double tragedy, which occurred on Friday evening last in the Village of Bright, 16 miles northeast of here, has been discovered, involving the lives of Miss Jennie McKie, aged 71, and her son, William McKie, aged 47, formerly a well-known school teacher of Oxford County. The lifeless bodies were found in Miss McKie's home, in the village, while a half-filled bottle of chloroform revealed the means employed.

The facts, as known, are as follows: William McKie, for the last 15 years a successful druggist of Kalamazoo, Michigan, reached home for the only time since first leaving it, Friday evening last at 5 p.m., via the G.T.R. He was seen to go to his home, and John McKie, a brother of the murdered woman, and his wife were at the house, staying for supper. They noticed nothing peculiar in his manner or appearance. Neither he nor his mother were seen alive again.

Miss McKie was found in bed, evidently having been drugged while asleep. William McKie, the murderer, was found in a half-dressed condition, with a handkerchief, which had been soaked with the liquid, in one hand, and a six-ounce bottle of chloroform half-empty in the other.

The discovery was made late Saturday afternoon by David Waugh, a baker, who called at the house on his rounds. He immediately told others, who notified the authorities. Coroner Dr. Hoson of Innerkip and Crown Attorney Ball of this city investigated the affair, and deemed an inquest unnecessary, in view of the circumstances.

No motive has been established whatsoever. Miss McKie, the mother, was never married. The father of the murderer is said to have been a Russian military deserter. Little is known of him, however.

## THE CROP OUTLOOK

The London Free Press has received reports from all over Western Ontario on the outlook for this year's crop. These reports show the following conditions:

Wheat and grain crops throughout Western Ontario have been more or less hurt by the frosts, and it is certain that the yield this year will be well below the average. An early change in the weather will, however, do much to help matters.

Vegetables will be backward, but an average crop is expected.

Clover and timothy will in many districts be almost a failure, while in others an average yield is looked for.

## NEW BAPTIST CHURCH

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for a long time had been agitating to have the Ladies Aid Society done away with, claiming that it had been a stumbling block to the progress of the church.

All these rumors, however, are staunchly denied by the members, but it is quite evident that the split now apparent in the congregation will not for a long time, and perhaps never be patched up again. Many hope, however, that the new pastor will be successful in overcoming any differences which have arisen through over-enthusiasm, and that this church will once more be started off with perfect unanimity and harmony among all of its members.

Talk about your breakfast foods, A thousand you can see; I wouldn't have them as a gift; I'd have Rocky Mountain Tea.

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People ask "Why do you claim that Veterans' Sure Cure, one medicine, cures Rheumatism, Backache, Sciatica, Dyspepsia, Bright's Disease, etc." We reply, because 16 years practical use has proved that V. S. C. contains the medicinal properties that cure the digestive organs. And when the people properly realize that good health depends upon pure blood, and pure blood upon properly digested food being supplied by a healthy stomach, kidneys and liver, they will want the medicine that gives the best results. And we believe they will find V. S. C. has no equal. The V. S. C. Medicine Co., Limited, Chatham, Ont., Scane Block, King street. Druggists also sell it. Prices: 350 doses \$1.00, 150 doses 50c. Mailed anywhere. W. K. Merrifield, General Manager.

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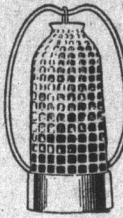
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Floor Oils, guaranteed not to make floors dark, 60c per gallon.

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Wash Suits 75c, 98c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 up to \$3

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## TO-NIGHT

Court Companion, in their Hall at 8 o'clock.

"B" Company will meet for drill at the Armories at 8.

The rite of confirmation will be administered in Christ Church, at 8 o'clock.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., will meet in the Temple at 8 o'clock.

Young Men's Club will meet in the S. S. Hall of Victoria Avenue Methodist Church at 8.

## LOCAL

Brisco's bicycle livery and repairs. J. Prudhomme spent Sunday in Windsor and Detroit.

Sale Prices on Suit Cases and Trunks, at Cowan's.

Al. Woods returned to his home in Detroit on Saturday.

Gas COKE, usual prices. Fleming Tillson & Co.

Trunks, Suit Cases and Travelling Bags at reduced prices, at Cowan's.

Probate of the will of Thomas W. Evans has been granted to Mary Ann Evans.

The best of everything in Trunks and Travelling Bags, at Sale Prices, at Cowan's.

Roy Brisco leaves to-day for Wobegon to look after his mining interests in that country.

A well-bred Jersey and Durham bull calf for sale. Apply at The Planet Office.

Probate of the will of Louis Sancier has been granted to Frank Sancier.

Get quotations on Fire Escapes from A. E. Drew, Chatham, before purchasing.

Miss Lillian Kerr, of Detroit, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Mary Kerr, Grand avenue.

Wait for the College Excursion, Str. City of Chatham, Friday evening, May 31st, 8 o'clock.

Marshall Hetherington, of Thornberry, has accepted a position with E. J. MacIntyre, jeweler, King street.

Mrs. Walter T. O'Hara, Ottawa, and two children, are the guests of Mrs. Sydney Stephenson, King street west.

Good pasture or hay land wanted close to the city, to rent or to purchase. Address Box 530, Chatham.

Letters of administration in the estate of Jane Beardon have been granted to Edward Beardon.

Fred. Bounsell, who spent the past few days with his parents on Murray street, returned to Hamilton last night.

Wilfrid Harrington returned to Hamilton yesterday morning after spending the past few days at his parents, Lacroix street.

The largest and best assortment of bed bedding plants at the Victoria Ave. Green Houses. The prices are the lowest.

The Court of Revision on the assessment has adjourned to meet again next Friday morning at half-past ten o'clock.

Ex-Mayor G. W. Cowan has called a special meeting of the Retail Merchants, to be held to-night in the Board of Trade rooms.

Engage your best girl for the College Excursion, Str. City of Chatham, Friday evening, May 31st, 8 o'clock. Orchestra in attendance.

The Apostolic Rite of Confirmation will be administered in Christ Church this evening at 8 o'clock, by His Lordship Bishop Williams.

Old Clothes pressed, cleaned and made to look like a new suit, at Jas. E. Goodall's tailor shop, foot of Fifth St. bridge.

The contract for the new residence of O. L. Lewis was let yesterday to J. Piggott & Sons. The building will be of pressed brick with cut stone trimmings, and the architecture will be of modern Colonial style. When completed it will be one of the finest appearing residences in the city.

On account of the recent rain-storms there are two pools of water on the corner of Pitt and Thames streets. There is no intake for surface water, and as a result the water is left on the street to pass off in vapor. This has been this way for several years and several complaints have come from the residents of that section of the city. It is very unhealthy and is thus a great detriment to the sanitary conditions of the city. An outlet for the surface water should at once be put in.

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N. R. Carter returned to Toronto yesterday after spending the past few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter, Raleigh street.

Liquid Veneer, the best furniture renewer, at 35c per 500 bottle. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas. Phone No. 6.

Miss Lillian Blackburn returned to her home in Windsor last night, after spending the past few days the guest of Miss Dot Smith, Raleigh street.

Leave your order for cleaning and pressing your clothes at Jas. E. Goodall's tailor shop, foot Fifth St. bridge.

Services, Saints' Church, Grand avenue, at eight to-night. Subject, "What is the Book of Mormon," by R. C. Russell.

Pant and Vest Maker wanted! Highest wages. Apply Coyne's Tailor Shop, King St.

The Misses Ethel and Mary Brooks, who spent the last two weeks with their aunt, Mrs. J. Mitchell, Park street, have returned to their new home in Hamlet, North Carolina.

The Epworth League Moonlight Excursion, billed for to-night, has been postponed on account of the cold weather.

The Planet's Richmond correspondent says the dry, cold weather has kept the crops very backward. The prospects are very poor to insure a good crop.

Summer tourist excursions to Pacific Coast points will be on sale June 1st to Sept. 15th. For rates and other information apply to C. P. R. ticket agents.

Miss Catharine Atkinson, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. Gertie Ebberts, William street. Miss Atkinson is a charming young American girl and has made many friends in the Maple City during her stay here.

**SHAPER HAND**—We want a good man and one who is accustomed to Wagon Work preferred. Steady Job, piece work and good wages can be made. Apply stating age and experience, etc. The Chatham Wagon Company, Limited, Chatham, Ont.

A very pleasant time was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Paterson, Chatham Township, last Thursday evening, it being the 25th anniversary of their wedding. A large number of friends and relatives were present to wish them congratulations. After spending a most enjoyable time the party left for their homes in the wee small hours.



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Special Sets in light green, floral decoration, \$1.50.

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DRESDEN.

Dresden, May 27.—Miss Ethel McKim, of the Chatham Business College, spent the week end at her home here.

Miss Ada Shane, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. Shaw.

Mrs. A. B. Carscallen, of Wallaceburg, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. Carscallen.

Miss Koitha Holly left on Friday evening for her home after an extended visit with her aunt, Miss Sue Farnsworth.

The Methodist church have begun the envelope system for contributing to the church funds. All the different expenses have been added in one general fund. Each member contributes as much to this general fund as they are able, the amount being placed to their credit by the envelope steward. The system has been very successful so far.

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## A TURN OF THE WHEEL.

By Constance D'Arcy Mackay.

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It was summer in Ballymoran—long days of blue and white and green, the blue of the sky, the white of drifting clouds and the bright green of the Irish turf. Gorse rose golden in the fields; wild roses bloomed by the hedges, fragile and exquisite, yet full of snares for the unwary. Many an eager child plucked at them only to withdraw a scratched finger.

Terry O'Rourke, looking up from his potato patch, philosophically observed that "thim flowers were as sharp as they were swate, ivy one o' thim," and then smiled to himself, thinking of Clodagh Mulvaney. Hazel eyed she was, with red brown hair, cheeks like a wild rose and temper as keen edged as the prickliest thorn.

"Yet, faith, what matter about the thorns," said Terry, "if the rose be worth the winning!"

He was as quiet and determined as Clodagh was hasty, and if, as his neighbors declared, he was a bit slow in his lovingmaking he was none the less sure. True, he had a dangerous rival in Jim Hagan, who had lately fallen heir to a legacy and who had spent the half of it on a brand new jaunting car fit for the mayor himself. It was in this that Jim had begged Clodagh to accompany him to the Gulmullet fair, some ten miles distant.

"Thank ye kindly, Jim," she answered, "but I've promised to go with Terence."

"Well, thim, it's myself that will have to ride alone," sighed Jim disconsolately, "for, sure, there's no one in Ballymoran who can take your place at all at all."

The night before the fair Clodagh and Terry sat before her door discussing the joys of the morrow.

"We'll start early," said he, "and be back by nightfall."

"And I'll wear my best dress, with the blue ribbons," said Clodagh, "and keep my coat in the back o' the cart."

"I mistrust ye'll have to hold it on your lap, ma'vornen," said Terry, "on account o' the pig."

"Pig!" cried Clodagh.

"I'm going to take the pig along in the back o' the cart. 'Tis a foin price I'm expecting to get for her, and—"

"Terry O'Rourke," shrieked Clodagh, "do ye think I'd ride in a cart with a pig?"

"You've done it before."

"Niver with my best dress on."

"Lave your best dress at home, thim," said Terry humorously.

Clodagh saw no humor in his remark.

"You can choose betwain us," she said haughtily. "Will ye take me or will ye take the pig?"

"But, Clodagh, girrl, be reasonable. The pig can do ye no harm. She's as clean as an angel and as well behaved, and 'tis my only chance o' selling her."

Clodagh stamped her foot.

"I've given ye your choice, Terry O'Rourke. Once and for all, which will ye take?"

Terry was usually slow to anger, but now a danger spark burned in his eyes.

"I'll take the pig," he said.

Clodagh flew inside and banged the door.

Next morning she passed Terry's cabin, riding with Jim Hagan in his jaunting car. Her muslin dress was as blue as the sky, and its many ribbons fluttered in the wind. Terry was out in his garden, and Clodagh feigned not to see him, though Jim glanced round with a look of triumph.

"How are ye, Terry?" he called out.

"'Tis a foin day for the fair."

And they rattled gayly down the road, the new yellow wheels of the jaunting car shining in the sun.

Terry gazed after them. All the brightness seemed gone from life. It was as if the candle of his happiness had been blown out, leaving him in utter darkness.

"'Twas a wise man," he muttered, "who said that fortune was a fickle jade. A turn of her wheel—and where are ye now, Terry O'Rourke?"

Then he harnessed up slowly, put the pig in the cart and took the road for Gulmullet.

There was no one to see Clodagh drive out of Ballymoran save a few old women and children. The rest of her neighbors had risen with the dawn and set out for their fair hours ago. Clodagh, being of two minds whether to go or not, had kept the ardent Jim waiting till she reached a conclusion. Now they rolled swiftly along in order to make up for lost time. The road was almost deserted save in the distance, where there were a few tardy wayfarers like themselves.

And these, too, having the start of them, soon vanished. She felt that she was looking her best, and if she had any doubts on that score Jim's fluent tongue would have reassured her. She answered his lovingmaking with laughing banter, and he was declaring for the twentieth time that he would make the kindest husband in the world when the jaunting car gave an abrupt lurch, and Clodagh found herself sitting on one side of the road, while Jim scrambled up from the other. He did not even pause to ask her if she was hurt.

"Oh, be the powers," he ejaculated, "look at my foin car! The wheel's off, ruined entirely."

"If it's the wheel that's troubling ye"—But Clodagh's sarcasm was lost on him.

"My foin car!" he cried over and over again. From where they stood it was five miles to Ballymoran and five to Gulmullet. The fields and bogs

stretched away unbrokenly to the sky line. There was not a cabin in sight.

"Well, can't ye do something?" said Clodagh. Her ankle was paining her, and the sun was very warm.

But Jim was better at repartee than at meeting emergencies, and with his head on one side he considered the situation.

"I'm thinking we'll have to foot it," he said gloomily.

There was a sob in Clodagh's voice.

"My ankle's wrenched, and 'tis not a step further I'll go," she avowed.

"You sit here thim and I'll go for help," said Jim, his face brightening.

"Yes, and it's fair time and the country full o' vagabonds! That's a grand idea, Mr. Jim Hagan, to leave me alone entirely by myself!"

Jim wilted.

"What'll we do, thim?" he demanded.

"We'll sit here till some one comes," said Clodagh.

So they sat. Birds sang in the long meadow grass. A hare flitted by like a shadow. Nothing else stirred. The road stretched away white and deserted. Tim moodily scanned the horizon, and Clodagh wondered if the sunlight would fade her ribbons. She wished devoutly that she had never come. Who could have supposed that her pleasure jaunt would end like this?

She cast a quick glance at Jim. The great, unfeeling, unamiable! Never once had he asked her how she felt or if her fall had shaken her! Ah, Terry was the lad! Terry always knew what to do! And she had lost him—lost him through her own folly! Well, there was no good in thinking of that now, and she blinked hard to keep back the tears. It was near noon. Her throat was parched, and the pangs of hunger were astringent. The sullen silence of 'im wore on her.

"Why can't ye say something," she burst out, "instead o' sitting there staring like a bump on a log?"

"Whist, Clodagh, here's some one coming at last!"

Through a cloud of dust appeared a rickety little cart drawn by a gray donkey. Terry was on the front seat. The pig rode stolidly behind. At sight of their plight Terry halted. Clodagh hung her head and could not raise her eyes. It was Jim who spoke first.

"We're in a fine mess," said he. "The wheel's broke, and Clodagh's hurt her ankle."

"Has she now?" cried Terry, a note of anxiety in his voice.

"'Tis not so painful when I sit still," said Clodagh, "but 'tis like the curse of all the crows when I try to walk."

"I'll tell ye the best way out," said Terry. "I'll take Clodagh with me to the fair, and thim I'll send some one to help ye with your jaunting car. How will that be suiting ye?"

There seemed no other way, and Jim muttered that it would suit him very well.

"And you, Clodagh?"

"If—if ye will take me," she said humbly.

"Here's a place o' bread for ye, Jim," said Terry, "and a bit o' goat's cheese. Belike it will shay your hunger till help arrives. Don't ate it too fast," he called back after he had helped Clodagh up on to the seat beside him—"don't ate it too fast, for 'tis rich and likely to give ye the dyspepsia."

For awhile Clodagh and Terry rode in silence. Then, "Clodagh, girrl," said Terry tenderly, "'tis a churl I am at times, but I meant nothing by it. Will ye forgive me for what I said last night?"

"Forgive ye," cried Clodagh—"forgive ye! Oh, Terry, I'd rather ride with you and fifty pigs than with Jim Hagan and a coach and four!"

Russia's Great Library.

One of the proudest monuments to the memory of that benevolent despot, Peter the Great, is the imperial library of Russia, established by him in 1714. Present ranking places it third among the world's great libraries, preceded only by the National library at Paris and that of the British museum at London. It contains a million and a half volumes and 26,000 manuscripts. The most important accession it ever received was probably at the time of the suppression of the Society of Jesus in Russia, when most of the Jesuit collections were transferred to the imperial library. Among them was the famous collection of Count Zaluski, consisting of 260,000 volumes and 10,000 manuscripts, which had been installed at the Jesuit college in Warsaw. The most important manuscript in the library is the "Codex Sinaiticus" of the Greek Bible, brought to Russia by Professor Tischendorf in 1859 from the Convent of St. Catharine on Mount Sinai.—New York Tribune.

Comparative Color Blindness.

If a thousand men gaze at a garden of flowers, fifty of them will see the colors falsely. If a thousand women view them, nine hundred and ninety-six or seven will perceive the hues correctly. Of the six colors of the rainbow, which, mingled in thousands of combinations, give all the varying hues of sky and sea, of mountain and valley, some are never seen by the color blind or are felt only as light and shade of black and white. Very few persons are totally color blind, yellow, blue and violet being rarely lost. To the totally color blind all landscapes and objects are like an engraving in black and white.—Edward A. Ayers in Century.

Rattlesnakes.

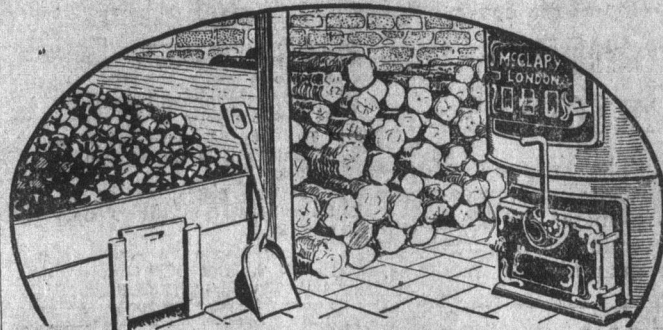
Some persons believe that, in addition to ejecting venom through their fangs, rattlesnakes have the power to throw off poisonous dust. Some persons, it is claimed, are able even to smell a snake some distance away.

Told on Herself.

"Mr. Taffeligh is a smooth faced young man, isn't he, Matilda?"

"Why, I thought it felt—I mean—"

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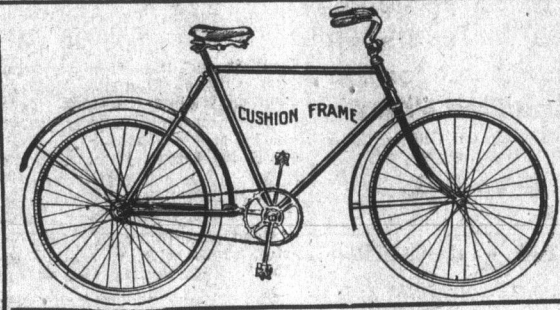
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TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1907.

## BY-LAW NO.

A By-Law to authorize aid by the Corporation of the City of Chatham, for the production of a factory in the said City for the manufacture of Plumbers' Brass goods, and to provide for the issue of debentures of the said Corporation, to the amount of \$20,000.00, and to raise the sum required therefor.

Provisionally adopted the 6th day of May, A. D. 1907.

Finally passed the ..... day of ..... A. D. 1907.

WHEREAS it is proposed by Louis A. Cornelius, Harold C. Cornelius and others to seek incorporation of a Company by Letters Patent, under the name of "Canadian Wolverine Company, Limited," for the purpose of building, equipping and operating a factory and works in the said City of Chatham, for the manufacture of Plumbers' Brass Goods.

AND WHEREAS the said Louis A. Cornelius and Harold C. Cornelius have applied to the Municipal Council of the City of Chatham, on behalf of the said proposed Company, to grant aid for the promotion of such manufacture.

AND WHEREAS the said Council is desirous of granting aid for the promotion of such manufacture, by way of a loan of \$20,000.00 to the said Company when incorporated, to be advanced upon the completion of the building and equipment of the said factory and when the same is ready for operation, (which shall not be later than the first day of January, A. D. 1908), and forthwith, after the beginning of operations therein to its capacity as hereinafter provided, (to be repaid in twenty consecutive installments of \$1,000.00 each, with interest on the principal sum from time to time unpaid, at 4 per cent. per annum, at the end of each year after the date of the making of the said loan, with the privilege to the said Company of paying off the whole amount of the said loan at any time during the said term of twenty years), and a free supply of water from the Chatham Water Works for the said factory's use in its said business, (not to exceed, however, at any time 3,500 gallons per day), free of charge for the period of ten years from the beginning of operations on the part of the said Company, and exemption from taxation, other than for school purposes, local improvements or frontage rates, of the property occupied by and used in connection with the said factory or the business to be carried on therein.

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of the City of Chatham, the said principal sum of \$20,000.00, or as much thereof as shall be unpaid at the time of such failure, together with the accrued interest to the time of such failure, shall, at the option of the Council of the said Corporation, immediately become due and payable by the Company to the said Corporation.

6. THAT the said Company shall at all times, until it shall have repaid the said sum of \$20,000.00, with interest as aforesaid, permit full and free inspection of account, by or on behalf of the Council of the said Corporation.

7. THAT should the said Company fail to perform and comply with any of the terms or conditions above set forth, then and so soon as such failure of performance and compliance takes place, exemption from taxation and the right to the supply of water free of charge, hereinafter respectively provided for, shall cease and be finally determined, and the property of the Company shall forthwith become liable for all taxes as though no such exemption had been granted or provided for.

8. THAT the said Company shall, forthwith after its incorporation, enter into an agreement with the Corporation of the said City of Chatham, satisfactory to the Council thereof, embodying all the terms, conditions, provisions, covenants and agreements herein reserved and contained.

AND WHEREAS it is desired to authorize the entering into an agreement on the part of the Corporation of the City of Chatham with the said Company when incorporated, providing for the granting of the said aid upon the terms and conditions above set forth.

AND WHEREAS in order to carry out such agreement on the part of the said Corporation of the City of Chatham, it will be necessary to issue debentures to the said Corporation for the sum of \$20,000.00, the period of which is hereby intended to be the period of the said aid, to be repaid by the said Company, as provided by this by-law, the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied to the purpose aforesaid and no other.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable to issue the said debentures at one time and to make the principal sum of said debt repayable by yearly sums during the period of twenty years, being the currency of the said debentures; said yearly sums being of such respective amounts that the aggregate amount payable in each year for principal and interest in respect of the said debt, shall be as nearly as possible equal to the amount so payable in each of the other nineteen years of said period.

AND WHEREAS the total amount required by "The Consolidated Municipal Act, 1903," and its amendments to be raised annually by special rate for paying the said debt and interest as hereinafter provided is \$1,537.52;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the City of Chatham, according to the last revised assessment roll thereof, is \$4,781,837.00;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debt of the City of Chatham is \$527,690.00 (exclusive of local improvement rates or special tax rates and assessments), no part whereof is in arrears.

THEREFORE, the Municipal Council of the City of Chatham enacts as follows:

1. The Municipal Council of the City of Chatham shall grant aid for the promotion of the said manufacture of the nature and kind and upon the terms and conditions hereinbefore set forth, and the Mayor and Clerk of the said Corporation are hereby authorized to execute, in accordance with the said aid, the said agreement on the part of the said Corporation.

2. That for the purpose of raising the said sum of \$20,000.00, debentures of the said Corporation, to the amount of \$20,000.00, as aforesaid, in sums of not less than \$100.00 each, shall be issued on the 1st day of January, A. D. 1908, each of which debentures shall be dated on the date of issue thereof, and shall be payable within twenty years thereafter, at the Standard Bearer of the said City of Chatham.

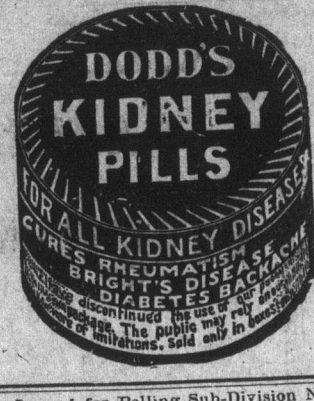
3. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the Mayor of the said City of Chatham, or by some other person authorized by by-law to sign the same, and by the Treasurer thereof, and the Clerk shall attach thereto the Corporate Seal of the said Corporation.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4 1/2 per centum per annum, payable yearly, and shall be payable in such amounts and at such times that the aggregate amount payable for principal and interest in any year in respect of the said debt shall be equal as nearly as may be to what is payable for principal and interest during each of the other nineteen years of the said period.

5. During the currency of said debentures, there shall be raised annually, by special rate on all the rateable property in the said City of Chatham, the sum of \$1,537.52, for the purpose of paying the amount due or to become due in each of the said years for principal and interest in respect of the said debt.

6. This by-law shall take effect on the final passing thereof.

7. The votes of the Electors of the said City of Chatham shall be taken at the place and time to be fixed by the Council of the said City, on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1907, commencing at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon and continuing till five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, by the following Deputy Returning Officers:



In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 3, at the office of W. W. Scane, south side of Thames street, and that Robert Brunker be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 4, at the grocery of Fred. Bousall, corner of Murray and Adelaide streets, and that Richard O. Knight be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 5, at the residence of Mrs. Wills, north side of Colborne street, and Campbell's Fanning Mill Factory, and that Isaac Smith be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 6, at the grocery of Chas. T. Cherry, corner King and Princess streets, and that W. O. Bentley be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 7, at the Weigh Scales Office on the Market Square, and that J. M. Northwood be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 8, at the office of Aitken and Wilson, west side of Fifth street, and that James Richardson be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 9, at the office of J. & A. Olderson, north side of King street, and that Henry Robinson be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 10, at the grocery of Harry Jacques, corner of Cross and Raleigh streets, and that C. R. Hancock be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 11, at the shop of A. L. Savage, near the corner of Queen and Richmond streets, and that John Turner be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 12, at the residence of Carrie Calmeyer, corner of Queen and Gray streets, and that R. A. Harrington be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 13, at the residence of Adelaide Lawrence, east side of William street, near Park street, and that James Sterling be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 14, at the Bakery of Joseph Waterhouse, corner of Park and Seane streets, and that James C. Richards be Deputy Returning Officer.

In and for Polling Sub-Division No. 15, at the residence of Patrick Kelly, corner Park avenue and Pine street, and that J. C. Northwood be Deputy Returning Officer.

8. On Friday, the 31st day of May, A. D. 1907, the Mayor of the said City of Chatham shall attend at the City Clerk's Office at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be accompanied by the persons interested in and promoting or opposing the said passing of this by-law respectively.

9. The Clerk of the Council shall attend at his office in Harrison Hall, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, the 10th day of June, A. D. 1907, to sum up the number of votes for and against the said by-law.

Dated at Chatham the 6th day of May, A. D. 1907.

Mayor.

Clerk.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the foregoing copy of a proposed by-law which has been taken into consideration and will be passed by the said Council, in the event of the assent of the electors being obtained thereto, after one month from the first publication in the Chatham Daily Planet, such first publication being the 7th day of May, 1907.

And further notice is hereby given that at the hour, date and places therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors, the Polls will be held.

W. M. STONE, Mayor.

W. G. MERRITT, Clerk.

Chicago Forger Caught.

Montreal, May 27.—John R. Wilnot, a native of Chicago, was arrested on a charge of forging a note for \$5,000 which he passed on a Chicago bank. He admitted his guilt.

A large sum of money was found on him.

"Love Laughs at Locksmiths" as South American Kidney Cure laughs at disease. It's the seemingly impossible doors to disease that it unlocks that makes its cures almost incredible. But for every cure there is a proof if you care to investigate. It is a liquid kidney specific and it never fails. Makes and keeps men "fit" and well.

Sold by W. W. Turner, Chatham.

The friend in need is generally a friend too many.

TO CURE A COULD IN A DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Men condemn because they do not really understand.

## THE RUBBER TREE.

How the Milk is Treated After the Plant is Tapped.

Para rubber is obtained from a large tree sixty feet high. The trees are tapped in the evening, and the juice is collected on the following morning. A deep horizontal incision is made near the base of the tree, and then from it a vertical one extending up the trunk, with others at short distances in an oblique direction. Small shallow cups made from clay and dried in the sun are placed below the incisions to receive the milk, each cup being attached by sticking a piece of soft clay to the tree and pressing the cup against it. Each tree yields only about six ounces of juice in three days.

To produce the rubber the juice is heated in the following manner: A piece of wood about three feet long, with a flattened clay mold at one end of it, is dipped in the milk, or this is placed over it as evenly as possible. The milk is then carefully dried by turning the mold round and round in a white vapor obtained by heating certain oil palm nuts, the vapor being confined within certain limits by the narrowness of the neck of the pot in which the nuts are heated. Each layer of rubber is allowed to become firm before adding another. A practiced hand can make five or six pounds an hour.

## THE ORANGEVILLE VACANCY.

Contest Very Unlikely—Conservative Will Go by Acclamation.

Orangeville, May 27.—It is not expected that there will be any contest to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Lewis.

The riding is a safe seat, and the nominees of the Liberal-Conservative Association will undoubtedly be elected by acclamation. In the last election, although there was two Conservatives in the field, and the party divided, the Liberals lost matters go by the board, although most of them supported the defeated candidate, Wandorbo, who was snowed under.

With the lesson thus afforded, it is not likely there will be any "buckling," the choice of the delegates. The election must be held on or before Aug. 24, as by statute, "if the writ is not issued within three months after a vacancy occurs, it shall be the duty of the clerk of the crown in chancery to issue the writ forthwith" (4 Edw. vii., cap. 10, sec. 6). This law was enacted by Premier Whitney, to prevent the disgraceful recurrence of the Renfrew scandal.

They Strike.

Halifax, May 27.—The longshoremen closed work at midnight last night. This action will affect about 500 men.

BLOOD, PURE, RICH, RED.

Rosy glow in the face, sparkling eyes, vivacious spirits are all the outcome of good blood. No surer way exists of purifying and enriching the blood than to use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. By their gentle action on the bowels, kidneys and liver they filter out impurity from the system, leaving it wholesome and able to do the work necessary for the maintenance of health.

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Machinists Return to Work.

Guelph, May 27.—The strike committee of local I. M. U. held a conference with the Grumpy Store Co. Saturday, with the result that the men's demand for an increase of five per cent. was conceded, and they will go back to work on Monday.

The Guelph Store Co. will try the open shop, and are bringing in non-union men for that purpose, while the union men are determined to fight to the end.

WHY DO YOU FAINT?

Sometimes from shock or fright, but usually because the system is weakened and depressed, — it lacks power to react from sudden strain. This condition demands rebuilding, demands nourishment, which is best supplied by Ferrozone. In every form of debility Ferrozone is a specific. It fortifies the digestive and assimilative power of the body, promotes the elimination of waste materials, builds up tissue, gives energy and resistance. To have rich, red blood, enduring nerves, a strong constitution and lasting good health, use Ferrozone. Sold everywhere in 50c. boxes or six for \$2.50.

C. E. Kaubach Dead.

Halifax, N. S., May 27.—Charles Edwin Kaubach, ex-M. P. for Lunenburg, died suddenly Saturday afternoon of heart failure, 74 years of age. He represented Lunenburg in the Dominion Parliament, with the exception of one term, from 1878 to 1904. He was the richest man in Lunenburg County, being extensively interested in shipping.

When a boy turns his bulging pocket inside out we marvel at the quantity and variety of articles he has stowed away. Odd lengths of string, marbles, a horse-chestnut, a top, brass nails, hickory-nuts, an apple, and many other articles are garnered by this "snapper up of uncounted trifles." We think the collection must be hard on a boy's pocket. And it is. But do we ever think of the variety of miscellany of the substances we put into the pocket of our stomach? There's the apple and the nuts, and things besides quite as indigestible as brass nails and no more food value than so many marbles. And yet we wonder that the stomach "gives out."

When the stomach breaks down under the careless eating and irregular meals it can be perfectly and permanently restored to health and to strength by the use of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The action of this medicine on the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition is so marked, that relief from disease is at once experienced, and the headaches, liver troubles, kidney disorders, skin eruptions and other symptoms of a diseased stomach are quickly cured. Dr. Pierce's medicines are purely vegetable—no alcohol or habit-forming drugs enter into their composition.

It is quite possible for a fellow to be blown up without feeling inflated.

Minard's Linalment cures Colds, etc.

A bloody struggle ensued, with the result that the leaders of the blood were overpowered and put in irons, and only after one of their number had his face pounded almost to a jelly. He was simply a bleeding mass when taken to the police station yesterday morning.

The blacks charge the officers with ill-treatment, while the charge of his satirists has been laid against them.

The whole matter will go into the police court.

Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas

5 or 500 or 5,000,000 —they are all alike.

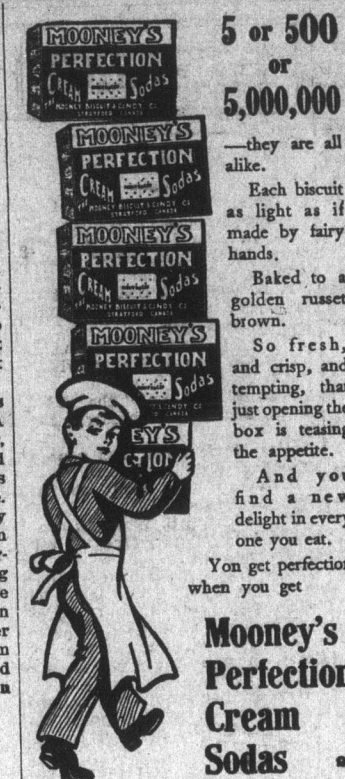
Each biscuit as light as if made by fairy hands.

Baked to a golden russet brown.

So fresh, and crisp, and tempting, that just opening the box is teasing the appetite.

And you find a new delight in every one you eat.

You get perfection when you get



## Sultan of Morocco Yields.

Paris, May 27.—A despatch was received at the Foreign Office yesterday from the French Minister at Tangier, M. Regault, announcing that the representative of the Sultan of Morocco had promised to accede to all the French demands for satisfaction in connection with the recent murder of Dr. Mauchamp.

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We were never in a better position to supply you with high class Black Dress Fabrics. Every light and medium weight weave that has found favor in the larger centres is here. You'll be pleased with our showing of Black Dress Fabrics, if you are wanting a stylish gown, suit or skirt.

Black Voiles in fine and sheer allovers, Voiles in heavy coarse allovers, crisp medium weight Voiles, are here at per yard, \$1.00 and \$1.25.  
Black Silk Marquisesettes, at per yard, \$1.50.  
Black Wool Taffetas, at per yard, 60c, 75c and \$1.00.  
Black Wool Panamas, at per yard, 60c and 75c.  
Black Silk and Wool Eolientes, at per yard, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.  
Black Chiffon Ponneau Cloths, Chiffon and Zephyrs, Broadcloths, per yard, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

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Extra Special Sale This Week.

BARGAINS AT THE  
**NEW YORK CLOAK STORE**  
King Street, Chatham.

Folks come here not to admire and pass along but to admire and buy, so attractive are the useful and seasonable goods.

Ladies—See our Window Display of Beautiful White Wear Specialty.  
On Sale This Week—Special Ladies' Suits, made of fine lawn, Ladies' Waists, Underskirts, Corset Covers, Night Gowns, Vest Belts and Collars.  
Beautiful White Lawn Suits, trimmed with lace tucks and insertion, from \$3.50 to \$7.50.

A large assortment of Ladies' Lawn and Organdie Waists, trimmed with tucked lace and insertion, from 45c up to \$3.

Ladies' White Pique Skirts and Linen Skirts, 9 gored plaited skirts, folds and insertion, from \$1.65 to \$2.50.

Skirts sold at actual Half Value.

Ladies', Misses', and Children's Hose, all colors and all sizes, reg. 15c., to be sold at 2 for 25c.

M. SHAPERO, King Street,

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## Its an Easy Matter to Save Money on Groceries

Get Bradley's prices and compare with what you have been paying. The savings possible will interest you. Compare them.

Sunlight Soap, 6 bars for 25c.	Perfection Corn Starch, yellow label, finest quality, per package 7c.
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## DISTRICT

## TILBURY

Tilbury, May 27.—Mrs. Mallory is visiting friends in London.

F. M. Scarff returned to Georgetown last night, after spending a few days with friends here.

J. L. Wilson & Son, architects, are preparing plans for a brick block for Thomas Cox.

Manager Hagarty, of the Dominion Bank, was a Toronto visitor last week.

John Farley, of the Sovereign Bank, has been transferred to Chatham.

Miss Marie Shaw has gone on an extended visit to Lunenburg.

Darrell Moffat spent the holiday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Warnock are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Walter Bell, of Newry, Ont.

Miss Rena Scriven, of Wheatley, spent the 24th at her home here.

The Tilbury Canning Company recently made their first shipment of a car of tomatoes to the Pacific Coast. A second car has been shipped to Kenora, Ont.

Rev. J. Hodges, of Oshawa, formerly of Tilbury, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Frank B. no returned yesterday after spending a few days in Detroit.

L. La Plante has installed a gasoline engine and made improvements to his premises, to meet the demand of the ice cream trade.

## THAMESVILLE

Thamesville, May 25.—Mr. W. M. Drader, of Chatham, was a Thamesville on Thursday.

The funeral of the late Richard L. Arnold, one of East Kent's pioneers, took place to the Mayhew Cemetery on Thursday afternoon. Rev. A. W. Hare, assisted by Rev. John McInnis, conducted the service.

Among those who attended the "smoker" in Ridgeway last Wednesday, in honor of Mr. R. B. Hunter, were, Dr. Stewart and Currie, and Messrs. Albrington, Fraser, Henderson and Fish.

Mrs. A. A. Edsall was a Chatham visitor on Thursday.

Mr. C. M. Van Valkenburg, of Petrolia, spent yesterday in town.

Miss Carrie Harmer, of Detroit, is spending a couple of days in town the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harmer.

Miss Gage, of Detroit, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gage.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fraser spent yesterday in Chatham.

Mr. Milton Cryderman, of the Merchants' Bank, Tara, is spending the holidays in town.

Miss Annie Battler visited friends in Newbury yesterday.

Nrs. Norman Sterling and daughters, Grace and Olive, of Glenora, are visiting in town.

Two links of Thamesville bowlers visited Chatham yesterday.

Mrs. Hanley and son John are the guests of friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Coll is spending a few days in Bothwell.

Mrs. Charteris and daughter, of Chatham, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Stewart.

Mr. Wm. Meagher, of the post office department, was in Chatham yesterday.

Mrs. Archie Russell and Mrs. Hubbell spent the 24th in Chatham.

Miss Ethel Ripley, of the Public School staff, Windsor, is spending the holidays in town the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Ripley.

Miss Katharine Duncan was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

The Thamesville baseball team played Highgate yesterday, but were defeated.

Lord Lake is the best 10c. Cigar in the market — made by O'Brien Bros.

## THE CROP OUTLOOK AROUND BLENHEIM

Blenheim, May 27.—The crop outlook in this district is not at all encouraging. Usually at this time of the year corn planting is well underway, but this season has been so backward that as yet practically no corn is in, and if the weather does not improve soon the farmers will be greatly discouraged. The corn crop is one of the most important in this county.

Early potatoes are up out of the ground, Maynard Bros. and N. M. Campbell have 75 acres of these between them, and the backwardness of the season is easily seen by the fact that the first potatoes to show up had been under the ground just 45 days.

Several light frosts have been reported, but they were not sufficiently heavy to harm the potatoes. Tomatoes were killed that were out, but the loss has not been heavy. There has not been any heavy damage done yet, except throwing the season away behind. Should the summer prove warm and long everything will be all right, but an early fall will prove disastrous.

The wheat is not good, but is turning out better than was expected a few weeks ago.

In fruit, strawberries are in blossom, and need warm weather right away. Peaches are not going to be plentiful, and it is too early yet to say much as to any other lines.

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## THE STAGE

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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At the Brisco Theatre—

"UNCLE JOSH SPRUCEBY."

The theatre-going public will hail with delight the good news that our old friend, "Uncle Josh Spruceby," is to visit us to-morrow night at the Brisco Theatre. This company, which has made an exceptionally strong impression wherever it has appeared, has many friends here who will await their coming with interest. The organization this year is better than ever, all the old favorites being retained and capable new ones added, and now takes rank with the best dramatic companies touring the country. The play is one of those homely New England dramas with a beautiful story running through it. Comedy, sensation and pathos abound. Strict attention has been paid to detail and a full new set of scenery has been painted for this season. Undoubtedly a big crowd will attend to welcome "Sally," "Dutchy," "Out o' Sight," the Hayseed Band, and "Uncle Josh" himself. No theatrical season is complete without the joys afforded by "Uncle Josh" and his fellow "Reubens." The elegant orchestra so long a feature of this company is still retained and, as usual, is still a source of delight.

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Half priced, every one of them 5 doz only, dressing jackets of colored muslins, trimmed with frill of silk around collar and cuffs, regular 75c, for 35c.

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White lawn dressing sacques, neatly trimmed with val. laces on collar, front and cuffs, some with skirt trimmed. cut good and full, good quality lawn, good value at \$2 for \$1.

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That price don't seem possible as you read this announcement, but just step into the store during the week. Monday is the best time, and you may choose a real good taffeta petticoat with a deep frill, worth \$5 and \$5.50 for \$2.75.

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The first is 350 skirts for \$1.98 each. 50 skirts of tweeds, light, dark and medium, also black and navy plain cloth skirts, all nicely made with pleats and self-strappings and good value at \$3.50 and 4.00. Coat and Suit Sale \$1.98.

The second is \$5 and 6.00 skirts for 3.50 only. 65 skirts all grouped at this one price, 3.50. Almost every skirt need, may be supplied by this lot. They are mostly samples and extra well-made. Every skirt was made for this season's trade. There are tweeds, plain materials, voiles, Panamas, lustrous, worsteds and chevots. A description scarcely does them justice. If you will need a skirt you could not get a better offer. Coat and Suit Sale \$3.50.

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