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## Continuance of Carpet Sale

Our regular carpet values are well-known to be as good as can be offered; our Carpet reputation bears this fact out, and when we advertise Carpets at reduced prices, general interest is excited because there is a certainty of securing a carpet bargain.

### Brussels Carpets

4 pairs English Brussels Carpets, without borders, in Nottingham Lace Curains, suitable for any style of room, five designs to select from, reg. value 90c a yard, special February Sale Price, made and laid for.....**65c**



### Lace Curtain Specials

3 yards long, good lace designs, in Nottingham Lace Curains, very special at a pair.....**50c**  
3 1/2 yards long, 50 in. wide, extra fine and lace Nottingham Curains, very special at a pair.....**75c**  
3 yds. long, frilled Bobbinet Curains, new designs, very special at a pair.....**\$2.00**

### Tapestry Carpets

8 wire English Tapestry Carpets, our recommended quality, in a large range of designs and colorings, reg. value 65c to 75c a yard, February Sale Price, made and laid for.....**55c**  
8 wire English Tapestry Carpets, in nice rich effects, good designs, large selection, reg. value 55c to 65c a yard, for.....**45c**



### New Rug Arrivals

New Smyrna and Moquet Rugs are just recently to hand and are marked at quick selling February Prices.

### Carpet Ends

Bring in the measurements of your halls and small rooms and we will carpet them for you with some of our short lengths at very low prices.

THOMAS STONE & SON

## SPECIAL!

### TURRILL'S Stock-Taking Sale

Women's fine Velour Calf Bals., G. W. sole, rope stitch sole, newest last, sizes 1 pr. of 5, 2 pr. of 6, 1 pr. 6 1/2, regular \$3.50 Shoe for.....	<b>\$1.99</b>
Women's fine Golf Walking Boots, heavy extension sole, rope stitch edge, sizes 5 pr. of 4, 3 of 5, 1 of 3, 1 of 7, regular \$3.50 for.....	<b>\$2.49</b>
Women's fine Box Calf Bals., G. W. the Sovereign and Empress Bals., sizes 1 pr. of 2 1/2, 1 of 3, 1 of 3 1/2, 4 of 4, 2 of 5 1/2, 2 of 6, 1 of 6 1/2, 1 of 7, regular \$3.50 for.....	<b>\$1.99</b>
Women's Tan Bals., we have all sizes, regular \$3.00 goods for.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
Men's Tan Bals. and patent leather \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Shoes for.....	<b>\$2.50</b>

These are Special Bargains  
Must Clear Them Out

The  
**TURRILL, SHOE MAN**

## Art Photography

Have your photographs of recent years come under this heading? If not, surely you are not pleased!  
We have made this particular class of work our study and propose to put forth our very best efforts here in Chatham.  
We are after the best trade and shall cater for the best work only, while our prices will not be high.  
They will not be "cheap" though—but neither will the finished product be.  
Our expenses are not high, so no need to charge large prices, even if the work is above the ordinary.

### WESTLAKE BROS.

ART PHOTOS - Fifth St., Chatham.

## APPEARANCES

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

### MORLEY & CO. - The Leading Tailors

"We were very much pleased with the design you sent. It was beautiful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Telephone No. 181.

### PEOPLE WHO WANT

TO INSURE their property, to RENT a house, to SELL a farm or BORROW money on notes, chattels, farm or city property, call on PETERLY & BRISCO, 115 King St. Phone 297.  
Persons who have houses to sell or rent should leave particulars with us. No fee charges if no sale is made.

## NEGRO LYNCHED

Mob's Victim had Used his Revolver, but had Done no Serious Injury.

New Madrid, Mo., Feb. 17.—A mob of masked men overpowered the jailer and took a negro, Louis Wright, a short distance from town last night and hanged him. Richard & Pringle's negro minstrels gave an entertainment here Saturday night, when an altercation arose between one of the musicians and some persons in the audience. The whites made an onslaught on the musicians, and one of the negroes on the stage began to shout. Several persons in the audience were hit, but no one was seriously hurt. All the negroes were put in jail, and in the preliminary examination the name of the one who did the shooting was discovered. He was lynched and the others will be released. Several of the prisoners were badly beaten.

## PERSONS PERISH

Awful Havoc Caused by Trans-Caucasia Earthquake—4,000 Houses Destroyed.

Baku, Trans-Caucasia, Feb. 17.—Details which are slowly reaching Baku from Shamaka, about seventy miles from here, show that two thousand persons, mostly women and children perished as a result of the earthquake last week, and about 4,000 houses were destroyed. Thirty-four villages of the country surrounding Shamaka also suffered. To add to the horrors of the neighborhood, a volcano near the village of Marasy, to the eastward of Shamaka, has broken out into active eruption. A great crevasse has appeared whence immense flames and streams of lava are being thrown out. The course of the river Geouchalka has been altered in consequence of it being dammed with earth, which has been dislodged by the earthquake. Battalions of guards and detachments of sappers, with tents, have been dispatched to Shamaka to aid in the work of rescue. The Red Cross Society is active in alleviating distress.

## TEMPERANCE CONVENTION

Gathering of Local Prohibitionists in Maple City this Afternoon.

List of Delegates—President Parrott's Introductory Address—Proceedings.

The convention of the County of Kent Temperance Association was opened in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium this morning with a fair representation present. The convention has been called for the purpose of election of officers, organization and general discussion of the present position of the temperance movement and to ascertain the feeling of the people in regard to the referendum.

The meeting was opened by prayer by Rev. Gardiner and Shaw, after which the minutes were read and confirmed.

D. MacKinnon, of Highgate, was appointed secretary pro tem.

President E. E. Parrott then made a short opening address in which he traced the temperance movement from the time it started up to the present day. He also explained the object of the meeting and hoped that the people present would enter into the enthusiasm of the occasion and do all in their power to help along the temperance movement.

The rules governing the Association were then read and with a few amendments were adopted.

The following gentlemen were then appointed a nominating committee to appoint the officers of the convention and also a resolution committee.  
From Harwich, Bros. Young and Peck; Orford, Bros. Reynolds and McCracken; Ridgeway, Bro. Reynolds; Camden, Bro. Coates; Chatham Township, Bros. Haviland and McCoy; City, Bros. George and Corbett; Raleigh, Bros. Walker and Blinds; Dover, Bros. Clark and Wemp; Dresden, Bro. Ward; Blenheim, Bros. Brown and Shillington; Wallaceburg, Bro. Cook; Howard, Bro. Mowbray; Tilbury, Bros. Craig and McFadden; Romney, Bro. Dewey; Wallaceburg, Bro. Mitchell.

This committee then retired and will bring in a report this afternoon.

The following is a list of delegates present at the meeting:

E. E. Parrott, Chatham.  
Henry Burgess, Tilbury.  
R. Davidson, Tilbury.  
S. Henson, Dresden.  
D. MacKinnon, Highgate.  
Isaac H. Coffey, Glenwood.  
L. Hamilton, Jeannette's Creek.  
W. W. Humphrey, Chatham.  
W. F. Connolly, Chatham.  
J. S. Cook, Wallaceburg.  
James Hannon, City.  
J. Wilson, Ridgeway.  
John Reynolds, Ridgeway.  
James Gardiner, Ridgeway.  
R. W. Holmes, Ridgeway.  
G. W. Roseborough, Fargo.  
A. Smith, Chatham.  
W. Ward, Dresden.  
D. McFadden, Quann.  
James Tape, Highgate.  
Wm. Reynolds, Highgate.  
J. A. Fenton, Highgate.  
John Kennedy, Chatham Township.  
J. E. Newcombe, Fargo.  
T. T. George, City.  
Chas. Dingeman, City.  
J. H. Osterhout, Jeannette's Creek.  
H. Thompson, Charing Cross.  
W. Shaw, Cedar Springs.  
F. E. Mallott, Guilds.  
W. G. Snell, City.  
D. Jardine, City.  
H. Garbert, Jeannette's Creek.  
Thomas M. French, City.  
R. A. Tompkins, Chatham Township.  
John Clyde, Chatham Township.  
Isaac Tompkins, Chatham Township.  
C. W. Hind, Merlin.  
K. Campbell, City.  
W. Mowbray, Botany.  
D. A. Hutchinson, Botany.  
Geo. Mitchell, Wallaceburg.  
E. W. Knight, City.  
James Walker, Merlin.  
W. J. Mitton, Thamesville.  
Mrs. G. M. Baird, Blenheim.  
Wm. A. Proctor, Huffmans.  
Daniel Proctor, Huffmans.  
Richard Young, Harwich.  
J. N. McCoy, Wallaceburg.  
E. W. Parrott, City.  
T. B. Shillington, Blenheim.  
G. B. Brown, Blenheim.  
C. N. Dewey, Wheatley.  
K. Urquhart, City.  
C. W. Haviland, Chatham Township.  
James Wemp, Dover.  
Chas. F. Clark, Dover.  
Mrs. Anna Williams, Providence.  
Jas. A. George, Baldon.  
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### TIME TO STOP.

London, Feb. 17.—The report of the English Iron and Steel Builders' Society has been issued in London. Fewer orders have been booked than at any time during the past five years. The report says:—Everywhere we see the oft-repeated statement that the British trade is decadent. Is it not time to stop the free advertisements given to the American methods of using machinery in this country? Does the public press realize the trap it has fallen into?

### THE CAUSE.

Witherby—"What made the baby wake up so suddenly? I thought he slept soundly as a rule."  
Mrs. Witherby—"He does, but a noiseless automobile went by."

## FROM MARKET OF OLD EUROPE

Mr. Hutchinson Discusses the Coming Styles as Found in the Old Land.

A Pleasant Ocean Voyage—His Fortieth Trip—Other Interesting Incidents.

H. Hutchinson, European buyer for John Northway & Company, returned yesterday from a purchasing trip to the European markets, and reports very favorably on the success he has had. He left the first week in December and since that time he has visited all of the commercial centres in England, Ireland, Scotland, France and Germany.

He was favored with unusually good weather both going and coming. The weather on the return trip was remarkably fine, the passengers being able to sit out on the decks without wearing their overcoats. In the north of England, however, the snowstorms were very severe, the railroad lines in some places being completely blocked. In London the weather was very damp and cold.

In speaking of his purchases he said:—

"I found the markets much easier and the values naturally better than ever, as well as an increase of stock to select from. I had a very successful trip and we have a very good prospect of a good season's trade. Trade in England is especially dull and unsettled, but I found the business in the north very fair. There is not so much competition and there is a steady demand for staple goods."

"In Paris business is fair, and I found a very choice collection of new ideas and novelties to select from especially in millinery. I believe this will be one of the prettiest seasons we have had for some time. Abundance of flowers, especially roses and lilies of the valley, and a large quantity of foliage is used, and lace is also very popular in millinery decorations. The dress goods are very neat this season and very little fancy material that is, in mixed colors, is used. The majority of patterns are of very simple crepe de chenes, albatros, and similar materials of soft clinging effects."

"In silks there is not much change. Taffetas still hold their own, although the most favored silk seems to be the Louisiana, in which are shown some very soft, rich effects. The leading colors seem to be new soft shades of green, violet, russet, tuscans and coronation shades."

"I found the linen market much easier, and I was very fortunate in securing some very special lines in stock lots."

This is the fortieth time that Mr. Hutchinson has made this European trip for the Northway Company, going over twice a year. While he is gone he does the purchasing of stock for all the Northway stores in Sarnia, St. Thomas, Tilburg, Orillia, Ridgeway and Chatham. In this way their stores are always stocked with the very finest and up-to-date materials in the dry goods line.

## THE MISSION

Splendid Meeting Last Night—"Heaven" the Subject of Mr. Murphy's Address.

The first of the week day services of Christ church mission was held last night. There was a large gathering. The Rev. Arthur Murphy, mission preacher, after a short service, conducted by Rev. R. McCosh, rector, spoke the subject of Heaven with much earnestness. He spoke of the locality, and the king and citizens of heaven, and showed from scripture, the character of those who would enter the gates of the Eternal City. He said that just as men were anxious to learn something about the climate, inhabitants and of that land to which they were about to go, so men on the pilgrimage of life on that journey the end of which is so near, wished to know something about their destination. He dwelt on the doctrine of Recognition in Heaven, and proved from the bible that it was a scriptural doctrine. It is not to be supposed that we will know less over yonder than we know here. "No person," he said, "will enter heaven" whose name is not recorded in God's Book of Life. The address was practical and impressive, and listened to with rapt attention.

### FELL EIGHTY FEET.

Peterboro, Ont., Feb. 17.—Fred Perrin, aged 25 years, son of Samuel Perrin, a South Monaghan township farmer, was killed while engaged at work on the new buildings of the American Casual Company here to-day. Perrin was employed as a helper to the bricklayers on the fifth story. He was supposed to remove the wheelbarrow of brick from the hoist each time as it arrived at the fifth floor. While thus engaged the hoist descended too quickly and Perrin fell to the first floor, about 80 feet below. He was removed to the Nicholls hospital, where he died about three hours later.

The great secret how to write well, is to know thoroughly what one writes about and not to be affected.

## KRITZINGER'S TRIAL NOW ON

The Boer Commandant Given Every Facility for Producing Witnesses.

Leyds' Story of Burgher Delegates Doesn't Agree With Tale From Paris.

London, Feb. 17.—The press censor in South Africa is evidently active, as the first intimation that the trial of Commandant Kritzinger, who was captured by General French in December last, had commenced, came from the War Secretary, Mr. Brodrick, in the House of Commons this afternoon. The Secretary did not volunteer to furnish any details, but he informed a questioner that Lord Kitchener would certainly see that the Boer general had every facility for producing witnesses. It developed, during Mr. Brodrick's answer that the trial began Feb. 15.

### THE BOER MISSION TO THE U. S.

Paris, Feb. 17.—Dr. Leyds, the European agent of the Boers, who is now in this city, was questioned by a correspondent to-day regarding the object of the mission to the United States of the Boer delegates, Messrs. Wessels and Wolmarans, who sailed for New York from Boulogne, February 14, on the steamer Rotterdam. He replied that they were merely going to America in response to invitation from American pro-Boer, with the view of reaching an arrangement for the distribution of funds, and other assistance contributed by the people of the United States towards the Boer cause. In other quarters, however, the impression obtains that the journey is prompted by the developments of the Anglo-German controversy as to the attitude of the powers previous to the Spanish-American war, which, the members of the Boer delegation believe, has produced a change of sentiment in the United States towards Great Britain, on account of the Spanish action attributed to Lord Pauncefote, the British Ambassador at Washington, in April, 1898. The Boers hope to utilize this supposed revision of feeling in an endeavor to get the United States Government to modify its attitude towards mediation.

### LIKELY.

Dashaway—"My visit to that Boston girl was a perfect snap."  
Cleverton—"Cold snap!"



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**Invictus Shoe**  
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Has made many friends since it first made its appearance in our store.  
It certainly is as good as its name implies.

**THE BEST ABSOLUTELY**

No better Shoe has ever come to Chatham. You try the Invictus once and you will always buy it. Made in Vic. Kid, Box and Velour, Calf and Kangaroo, also in all the different kinds of Patent Leather. Prices—

**\$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00**

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THE WEEKLY PLANET, ONE YEAR \$1.00  
THE PLANET will be sent free of postage to any address in Canada or the United States.

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Schedule of advertising rates will be promptly furnished on application to the business office.

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No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. We cannot undertake to return rejected communications.

**TO SUBSCRIBERS IN CHATHAM.**  
You will confer a favor by reporting irregular service by telephone No. 33 A. The complaint will receive prompt attention.

**TO SUBSCRIBERS OUTSIDE OF CHATHAM.**  
If your paper fails to arrive regularly, or if you can suggest a better connection, or a better route, please communicate with the circulation department.

TUESDAY, FEB. 18.

FOR CHIEF OF POLICE.

For the vacant position of Chief of Police it is understood there are several applicants. This is a responsible post and the commissioners will, doubtless, exercise considerable care in the appointment.

Many names are currently reported as applicants. The advisability of promotion will likely be submitted and a number of new names considered.

The Planet must say frankly that it believes it would not be in the best interests of this city to appoint Henry Smyth. The duties and responsibilities of the office require the services of one who will inspire public confidence.

The commissioners are men who realize this and we believe their selection will be made on these lines.

Chatham has been fortunate during the past in possessing a chief officer who enjoyed the universal esteem and confidence of the citizens. The commissioners will seek to perpetuate that happy and productive state of affairs.

IMPROVE OUR CITY.

The St. Louis Purchase Exposition of 1903 has included in its many novel attractions, one whose influence and wide reaching usefulness will be equalled by few, if any, exhibits at that great exposition to come. A well known Philadelphia architect, Albert Kelsey, has proposed a scheme to encourage improvement and beautifying, which, if followed, will revolutionize many of the present haphazard systems of municipal adornment and public improvement. To carry out his idea ten acres are to be set aside upon which a model city is to be constructed at an approximate outlay of \$200,000. All that is preferable, in the laying out of streets; in business and residential architecture, and in paving, sidewalks, sewers and lighting is to be constructed upon this site. Cross sections of streets from Paris, London, Berlin, and other continental cities, showing buildings, pavement, subterranean arrangements, sewers, water mains, conduits for wires, gas pipes, pneumatic tubes, etc., are to be constructed side by side, so that the visitors can examine the merits of the different systems and draw accurate comparison as to permanency, utility and cost. Besides these, samples of the leading highways of the world are to be constructed, alongside of which will be seen the comparative advantages of the circular, radial, and checker-board plans of modern survey. Modern methods of city lighting, garbage disposal, fire protection, and hospital, police and educational institutions will be exhibited. Before the opening day of the fair many new and unthought of improvements will be added, so that the casual observer can view at once and in a very brief space of time all that is modern, useful, aesthetic and necessary in present municipal government. The exposition, it is to be hoped, will give vast impetus to this much-needed reform, and within the next decade many improvements may be fashioned after what is best in this model city.

The American League of Civic Improvement has in recent years been doing much to make their cities healthier and more pleasant places to live in. A man's first duty is to the town or city he resides in. His services must be devoted to its improvement and progress, and only when he has shown himself capable in this should he be eligible to be promoted to offices in the province or state. Following this it would be surprising what would be accomplished within a few years. In Canada the horticultural societies are the only ones that have done anything along this

line, and the progress that they have stimulated has been sufficient to warrant the establishment of civic improvement clubs. For years Belgium has prosecuted a campaign against the unsightly and loathsome sights that so often are eyesores in city life, with the result that artistic lamp posts, signs, gardens and boulevards have replaced the unsightly relics of the middle ages. Prizes in these departments have been offered by city organizations, with the result that Brussels and other cities of Belgium have been placed among the most attractive cities on the continent.

The chairman of the Board of Trade of Toronto, made a strong plea on this behalf, in which he outlined plans for the steady and permanent beautifying of Toronto. Our civic park, garden, and drive improvements are haphazard. A competent architect should be consulted to submit plans for city decoration, in which each little step was but a part of the general one. It would, perhaps, take years to complete the entire system, but we would be working on a plan of which we knew what was to be the outcome, and the parts of which we would be assured would not be undone at some future time. At present any small work exists but as itself, and is not constructed as a part of a whole. Until steps of this nature are taken and two or three commissioners appointed annually to enforce its execution, we can hope for but little permanent improvement in the artistic progress of our Canadian cities.

DISFRANCHISED.

Every vote cast in the general provincial elections makes it necessary for one vote to be cast in the referendum election, in order to put the act in force, comments the Hamilton Spectator. It does not matter whether the vote is cast for or against a government: it swells the total vote, more than half of which must be reached in the referendum contest, to put the act in force.

Thus the prohibitionist who desires to punish Ross for his cowardice, deceit and breach of promise, finds that his vote against Ross will kill his referendum vote. In the latter election he is naturally disfranchised.

And the temperance Liberal who proposes to vote for a government candidate, and does so, thereby kills the effect of his vote in the referendum.

Thus every man who proposes to vote for the enforcement of the act in the referendum election, finds his vote killed if he votes in the previous general election. Every such man is disfranchised.

There is one way out. All those who desire to see the prohibitory act made law must abstain from voting at the general election.

How many of them are there who will thus sacrifice their political right to secure what they think to be a great moral advancement for the province?

What should be done to the trickster who has thus disfranchised thousands upon thousands of citizens?

TRADE WITH JAMAICA.

When it is considered how much the British West Indies produce that Canada wants and how much Canada produces that the West Indies want, it is rather singular that trade between these British colonies is so small and precarious, points out the Hamilton Herald. Lack of enterprise in shippers is partly the cause of this; but no doubt the principal cause is the want of a rapid and regular steamship service. An attempt is now being made to supply this want. The Jamaica Steamship company has started a regular service between Jamaica and St. John, N.B., and the first vessel arrived last week with a cargo of oranges. A lot of this fruit has been received in Hamilton by Dixon Bros. and distributed among retail dealers. These Jamaica oranges are delicious fruit, superior in flavor and juiciness to most of the oranges that come from California and Florida. Hamilton people can help to foster the trade with Jamaica by purchasing Jamaica fruit, and we hope they will. No doubt bananas and other tropical fruits in season will be sent to Canada by the same company.

At present only a single steamer has been put on the St. John-Jamaica service, and it takes three weeks to make the round trip. Another, and perhaps a third, will soon be added, and thus a comparatively quick as well as regular service will be assured. The more that Canadians buy from Jamaica, the more they will be able to sell to Jamaica, and even from a selfish point of view it is to be hoped that this latest attempt to build up the trade between the Dominion and island colony will be so successful that similar enterprises will follow.

At any rate the "first fruits" of this enterprise are satisfactory.

**TWO QUESTIONS.**  
Toronto Telegram.  
"Must a man always be honest?" asks the Westminster. Alas, the an-

**Why Remain Unsightly and Disfigured?**

**PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND**

**Will Remove Every Trace of Poison from the Blood and Give you a Perfect and Healthy Circulation.**

Are you troubled with eczema, salt rheum, eruptions, boils or running sores? The troubles mentioned are common, and arise from a debility of the nervous system, which leaves the excretory organs so weak that they cannot remove the waste matter and the noxious particles remain in the system carrying disease, instead of health to every tissue of the body.

For the various unsightly and horrible blood and skin diseases, Paine's Celery Compound is the medicine recommended and endorsed by our ablest medical practitioners. Its vitalizing, purifying effects upon the blood is unequalled by any other medicine.

Mr. D. McMahon, Peterboro, Ont., writes about his wonderful cure as follows: "I have great pleasure in testifying to the fact that Paine's Celery Compound has caused a remarkable change in my condition. I was troubled with a very bad type of eczema on my face and in patches all over my body for four years. I was under treatment of three doctors at different periods, and have also tried many remedies, but all proved useless. At last I bought a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound, and put in a bottle of Potassium as recommended on the label. The one bottle did me so much good that I bought five bottles more, and now am happy to say that I am perfectly cured and completely free from the troublesome disease."

Answer is not the overwhelming "Yes" which would come back to the question, "Must a man always be particular?"

**CASE OF BIG HEAD.**  
Simcoe Reformer, Lib.

The lordly wave of the hand with which Clifford Sifton tells the farmers of the northwest that the woolen men must get along with 23 per cent. protection or go to the devil, is not statesmanship. It's a bad case of big head. To throw a great industry to the dogs simply that the consumer may get a suit of clothes 15 cents cheaper is class legislation of the most

**Consumption is Infectious.**

Every precaution should be taken to prevent the spread of the "White Plague." Persons coming into contact with consumptives should inhale Catarrhazone several times each day as it is a powerful destroyer of disease germs, and renders them innocuous. Catarrhazone is a most efficient preventive and may be thoroughly relied upon to promote expectoration, soothe the cough, and benefit in many ways too numerous to mention. Both from a medical and scientific point of view Catarrhazone is the most valuable addition to the armament against consumption. Its merit cannot be too warmly applauded. Sold at all druggists, two months' treatment, price \$1, small size 25c, or by mail from N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Kindness is the music of good-will to men and on this harp the smallest fingers may play heaven's sweetest tunes on earth.

**Any reputable dealer can supply the genuine MAGI Canadian Waters; natural mineral waters that are good to drink. J. J. McLaughlin, Toronto, sole Agent and Bottler.**

**Overcoat Chance**

Few words to those who have not availed themselves of the one desperate

of this season, we propose running all beavers and grays, box back, heavy Italian linings, moirai sleeve linings, made by the most noted clothing manufacturer in Canada, for whom we are sole agents for Chatham, for

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Sizes as follows:—34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100.

\$7.50 Beaver, black and blue for \$5.00  
\$8.00 Black Curl Cloth, for \$5.00  
\$9.00 All-wool Cheviot, for \$6.50

Just to hand, 16 doz. Men's Ties, regular 50c goods, we will offer these and any 50c ties for

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9 only, Flannelette Wrappers, fine quality, in very desirable patterns and colorings, prettily trimmed, full skirt, fitted waist lining, reg. value up to \$1.50 each, clearing at...**\$1.00**

8 only, Handsome Wrappers, beautifully trimmed, worth up to \$1.60, clearing at.....**\$1.25**

Ladies' Dressing Sacques, fine quality eider flannel, in plain and fancy colors, lined and unlined, prettily trimmed, reg. \$1.50 at.....**\$1.25**  
reg. \$1.75 at.....**\$1.48**



4 only, Wrappers, fine quality, very choice patterns, handsome styles, beautifully trimmed and finished, worth up to \$1.75 each, clearing at.....**\$1.39**

Lounging Robes, fine English wrapper flannel, rich designs and colorings, beautifully made and trimmed, lined waist and sleeves, reg. \$2 at...**\$1.48**  
reg. \$2.50 at...**\$1.98**

**The Northway Company, Limited, CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE . . .**

## Horse Overcoats

A man bought one of our Horse Blankets last week. He was so pleased with it that he uses it on his bed, and he would not take double the price he paid for it if he could not get another. We have a few more of the same kind left.

**T. H. TAYLOR CO. Limited, Flour and Woolen Mills**

## THE TYRANNY OF TEARS

Will be presented in the Grand Opera House

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Read criticisms in Saturday night Globe or Mail and all Toronto and Montreal papers. Reserve this date and witness one of the strongest plays that has ever been produced in Canada.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE

**Wednesday, Feb. 19**

The Lyceum Course

GIVEN BY—

**Albert Armstrong**

In His Famous Illustrated Recital of

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## THE AGE OF DANDIES

BEAUTIFUL ATTIRE OF THE SWELLS  
OF THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY.

Silk and Velvet Coats of All the Colors of the Rainbow Were Then the Rage—The Reign of the Essence of Elegance, Beau Brummel—Best Scholar, Garsman, Cricketer.

In the glorious days of King George II, men wore silk or velvet coats of all colors of the rainbow. They tripped merrily along upon their toes, supporting upon their heads a wheelbarrowful of peruke covered with a bushel of powder, their "steinkere" was sprinkled with snuff, their sword knots almost trailed on the ground, and their swords dangled from the fifth button, pearl colored silk stockings and red heeled shoes completing their costume. It seems almost as though one of "those goddesses the Gunings" had peened the following lines to George Selwin in Paris in 1766 instead of the sporting Earl of March. "The snuff you sent me by the Duke of Richmond I like prodigiously—vastly better than if it had been 'tigue' or any glaring color. Several are now making after it." And again in 1776 he writes, "Pray bring me two or three bottles of perfumes and some patterns of velvets that are new and pretty."

Almost to the last moment of his life a piece of rich waistcoating was as much an attraction to the great Marquis of Wellesley as it would have been to any of the most frivolous minded young dandies about the town. Indeed, this nobleman would frequently sit alone in solitary state, "en grande toilette," with his blue ribbon and garter, as if about to appear at a royal levee.

In the year 1798 there arose on the horizon of fashion, or rather, there blazed in its full meridian, that wonderful phenomenon of elegance, George Bryan Brummel. Born in 1777, the son of an under secretary of Lord North, and educated at Eton, he enjoyed the credit of being the best scholar, the best cricketer and the best cricketer of the day. Though not a gentleman by descent, he yet made plenty of aristocratic friends and experienced little difficulty in obtaining the entire to Devonshire House, where he was introduced to the Prince Regent, who gave him a commission in the Tenth Hussars.

Until Brummel came upon the scene the Prince, though not remarkable for his taste, had, thanks to his rank, been constituted the "master of the elegancies" or leader of the dandies, but he was at once dethroned by the superior genius of Brummel, who retained the sovereignty till the year 1817. During this period he became the model of all men who wished to dress well, and when he had struck out a new idea he would smile at its gradual progress downward from the highest to the lowest classes. To the last of his stay in England he continued to wear powder, rather priding himself upon preserving this remnant of the velle cour. His clothes were a perfect study. The coat was generally of blue cloth and his collar raised against the back of the head like the hood of a man in a style familiar to us in pictures and miniatures of the period. The buckskin or nankeen breeches were so incredibly tight that they could only be got on with immediate labor and could only be taken off in the same manner as an eel is divested of its skin.

Then came a waistcoat about four inches long, open on the chest, displaying a stiff white muslin cravat. Hessian boots completed the costume and to these the beau paid particular attention. They were commonly reported as being blackened "au vin de champagne." At any rate, two shoemakers were supposed to insure the perfectness of their fit—one made the right and the other the left boot. He had three gloves for his gloves, one of whom was exclusively charged with the cutting but of his thumbs. Three hairdressers were likewise engaged to dress his hair. As for the personal appearance of this sublime dandy, "his face," we read, "was rather long, his features neither plain nor ugly, his forehead unusually high, hair light brown, whiskers inclined to be sandy, eyes gray and full of oddity." His conversation, without having the wit and humor of Lord Alvanley, another of the dandies, was highly agreeable and amusing. Indeed, Brummel has never been surpassed or equaled since. The Prince of Wales would frequently come of a morning to the beau's house in Chesterfield street to witness his toilet and to acquire the art of tying his own handkerchief "a la mode." For many years, notwithstanding the great disparity of rank, Brummel continued the Prince's intimate friend. At last, however, a coolness sprang up between them, and the "mirror of fashion" was forbidden the royal presence.

The Prince—then King—saw the poor dandy once many years after when passing through Calais. Thackeray says: "The bankrupt beau sent him then a snuffbox with some of the snuff he used to love as a piteous token of remembrance and submission, and the King took the snuff and ordered his horses and drove on and had not the grace to notice his old companion, favorite, rival, enemy, superior. Brummel, of course, had many successors, but "the old order changeth," and none of them ever attained to the Olympian heights of his dandyism, nor even the elegant D'Orsay, who for a time was constituted the king of fashion and held poor Brummel's sceptre. —Argosy.

Gazetted Consul General, Courtenay Walter Bennett, who has been British Consul at Bilbao since 1900, has been gazetted Consul-General of Great Britain at San Francisco.

## TALL CORN

doesn't come by accident. A fertile soil and careful cultivation are necessary to produce the towering stems and heavy ears.

Yet the farmer who understands that he can't have a healthy corn crop without feeding and weeding, seems to think that he can have a healthy body without either care or culture. But the body is built up just as the corn is, by the assimilation of the several chemical elements on which vitality depends. And what weeds are to the corn, diseases of the stomach and nutritive systems are to the body; they divert the necessary food supply from the proper channels, and the body becomes lean, sickly and ill-nourished.

The proper digestion and assimilation of food is a primary essential of health. By healing diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery increases the digestive and assimilative powers, stimulates the action of the blood making glands, and sends to every organ of the body the rich red-corpuscled blood on which physical vigor and vitality depend.

"I took two bottles of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for stomach trouble," writes Clarence Carney, Esq., of Taylorville, London, Co., Va. "It did me so much good that I didn't take any more. I can eat most anything now. I am so well pleased with it I hardly know how to thank you for your kind information. I tried a whole lot of things before I wrote to you. There was a gentleman told me about your medicine, how it had cured a bottle of it. Am now glad that I did for I don't know what would have done it if it had not been for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate the bowels and cure constipation.

## Life Stories in Faces.

Character indeed is written plainly enough on the face one meets in daily life. Some speak of tragedy, some of comedy, and not a few give you a distinct warning.

—Even a ride in a street car or a short railway journey gives proof of this fact. Look around you. Those two strangers opposite you never saw before, yet you know that one is passionate, the other mean, and your heart warms to the little old lady near by. You want no one to assure you she is kind and gentle, while a whole network of wrinkles about the eyes tells you that the old gentleman in the corner loves his joke.

Strange how quick we are to read our neighbor's face and how slow to realize that our own is open for him to read! Yet it is. The story is there, and we are writing it every day of our lives. Not only do smiles and frowns leave traces, but every passion which aways the heart stamps its record upon the face.

## Torne Mountain Legend.

There is a Washington legend connected with Torne mountain which is always told to those who visit the Ramapo country. The mountain is the highest in the range, and on a clear day, it is said, one can see Sandy Hook from the summit. Half way up the mountain there is a deep cleft in the rocks, at the bottom of which is a spring. From some hidden point water falls into the spring with a steady dropping not unlike the ticking of a watch.

"Listen and you will hear George Washington's watch," say the old settlers. "He dropped it into the spring when he came up the mountain to watch the British leave New York."

"Tick-tick-tick-tick" is the sound which comes out of the rocks. "It is going yet," says the guide. "Must have been a good watch, don't you think so?"

## AS IT SEEMED.

Parker—"When I was out the other day I arranged with one of the servants to put a red light in front of my house, so I could locate it in the block."

Lane—"How did it work?" "It made no difference. Apparently the men on each side of me had tried the same thing."

Every one can master a grief but he that has it.

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## Local Briefs

J. A. Coulter, of Essex, was in the city yesterday.

Asa Ribble, mayor of Dresden, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. Kelly, of Florence, is in the city on professional business.

Hugh A. Stringer, of London, is visiting relatives in the city.

Jas. Montgomery, of Dover, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

J. B. Cousineau and wife, of Windsor, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Joe Woods, Baldoon street, is recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

Alex. Ritchie and Thos. Patterson, of Tilbury, were Maple City visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. B. Merritt and daughter, of Blenheim, are the guests of Mrs. (Dr.) Tye.

Mr. and Mrs. Pole, of Ridgeway, are the guests of Wm. Robertson, Baxter street.

Mrs. Samuel Soutar, who has been in the General Hospital for the past week, returned home yesterday.

Wm. H. Brackin has received an offer from Galt asking him to play the part of Alvin in the opera "Little Tycoon" to be presented by a local company there. Mr. Brackin will likely accept.

The Maple City Gun Club has secured new grounds at the end of Lansdowne avenue at the 2nd concession, Chatham Township. The Club will immediately erect a club house and full equipment.

Don't place your order yet for fencing wire, or spring goods, wait until Quinn & Patterson get their stock in. There is no danger of any advance in price and you will no doubt save money by waiting a short time.

See the announcement and ad. in this issue of Quinn & Patterson. They expect to soon have their new stock in, and think they can save purchasers of spring goods, some money, if they will wait for them a short time.

Samuel Bullis has been engaged by the Dresden Beet Sugar Company to canvass for acreage for the growing of sugar beets in this county, and will be pleased to communicate with any who may wish to get information on the subject. Mr. Bullis has had considerable experience in growing sugar beets, and can be seen at his residence, 148 Park street, and will make his city office in the building now occupied by Gorrie Bros., implement agents, next to the old Rutley House.

## Theatrical

The fourth number of the Lyceum Course will be furnished at the Grand to-morrow night, when Mr. Albert Armstrong presents his famous illustrated recital of "The Sky Pilot," by Ralph Connors. Reserve seat sale opened yesterday with a splendid sale.

## "THE TYRANNY OF TEARS."

Mr. Reeves-Smith and his excellent company, who come to the Grand on Friday evening, seem to have hit "London in the Woods" pretty hard. Monday's News says:

When seen here in "A Brace of Patriots," Mr. Reeves-Smith won for himself the highest opinions of theater goers, but on Saturday evening at the New Grand the famous actor dazzled and delighted the audience with some of the most pleasing, natural and brilliant impersonation that it has ever been the privilege of Londoners to witness, when he appeared as Mr. Clement Parbury, in "The Tyranny of Tears."

The comedy is indeed a most extraordinary and happy one, and the abundance of ability which Mr. Reeves-Smith possesses, was continually brought into play, winning the highest encomiums from a thoroughly appreciative and delighted audience.

"The Tyranny of Tears" is a very clever, well-written and well-thought out comedy, abounding in pathos, provoking and clever lines, to which the clever six in the company did full justice.

## NORTH BUXTON.

Rev. W. H. Jones has purchased a lot in the village from A. G. Prince and a house from Mr. Jordan, on the 8th concession, and has a bee on Friday moving the house to his lot.

We are called upon to chronicle the death of Johnnie Hawley, the little son of Mr. John Hawley, of the 8th concession, early Thursday morning, of pneumonia. The little boy was two years, one month and fifteen days old. The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of the neighborhood in their sorrow.

Dr. Bell raised the quarantine at William Higgins' on Monday. We are pleased to see their faces once more. The revivals still continue at the B. M. E. church with much success.

Green Bush church re-opens on Sunday next. Rev. Mr. Walker will deliver a missionary sermon at 10.30 a. m. Sunday school at 9.30 a. m.

Great bargains are being offered at the North Buxton store. See change of "ed" in Weekly Planet this week. C. H. Shupe shipped a car of wheat and a car of corn last week.

## FLOORED.

"Yes, sir, there was no-age like the Grecian. Why, I can name you twenty Greek authors, all in the first rank."

"That's where I have you, sir. Why, our list of great American writers knocks that into a cocked hat."

## CATARRH

What This Disease is and How it May be Cured.

Originating in the System it Can be Cured Only by Treating the Blood.

Remedies Applied Externally Only Dry up or Suppress its External Manifestations and Throw it Back on the System to Return When They are Discontinued or Find Vent at Some Other Point Perhaps is More Important and Vital Parts.

Catarrh is a constitutional disorder usually manifesting itself in or finding vent through the outside or covering skin, or most frequently by way of the inside or lining skin which is called mucous membrane.

When catarrh affects the outside or covering skin it is called "eczema." The location of a spot or patch of eczema or skin catarrh may be at most any point covered by integument, by which name the outside skin is known.

Eczema or catarrh of the integument usually takes a descriptive name from its regional manifestation as palmar eczema if on the palm of the hand, facial eczema if on the face, etc., these names being extended to each part of the body covered by integument. This is said to be the regional name of eczema.

Eczema also takes a descriptive name from the character of its manifestation. With eczema there is an infiltration of the skin showing the catarrhal nature of the disease, just as in a catarrh of a mucous membrane there is an infiltration of its tissues. This fluid with which the eczematous skin is loaded oozes out and drying on the surface forms scales, crusts, scales, etc. This eczema gets another name known as its "lesional name" from its external appearance.

Then eczema takes a third descriptive name due to its intensity and duration, as: acute for a short but very severe attack, sub-acute for a milder attack, and chronic for a long drawn out or lingering eczema.

Thus one little patch of eczema may have several descriptive names attached to it, the regional name, the lesional name and the name descriptive of its intensity. A patch of scaly eczema on the face might be described as "chronic squamous facial eczema," and any other patch at skin other location might receive as many but different descriptive names.

So it is with catarrh in a mucous membrane or the inside or lining skin. If in the lining of the nose it is called "nasal catarrh"; if in the lining of the tubes through which air is conveyed to the lungs it is called "bronchitis"; if in the lining of some of the pelvic organs of women it is known as "leucorrhoea" or more frequently as "female weakness."

Being in mind that this is all catarrh, a systematic disease, finding vent in either the outside or covering skin (integument) or the inside or lining skin (mucous membrane) and you will not get confused but readily see why one remedy can cure these seemingly separate ailments.

The difference in the symptoms of catarrh in the integument and catarrh of the mucous membrane is cause of a slight difference in their structure.

There is the same infiltration and thickening in both cases but the glandular supply being different there is

apt to be more discharge from catarrh of the mucous membrane and owing to the distinct nerve supply of the outside skin much more irritation as burning and itching in eczema or catarrh of the integument.

It is however all catarrh, an afflicted woman may have leucorrhoea, bronchitis, nasal catarrh and eczema and it would be only systemic catarrh finding vent in all of these ways or places at once.

If we can cure catarrh in the system we do away with all manifestations of it. Cure it in the system and it needs no vent, there is nothing to come out. This is the correct and scientific way of treating catarrh.

For catarrh of the outside skin (eczema); for catarrh of the mucous membrane of the nose (nasal catarrh), nasal catarrh, giving rise to chronic coughs; for catarrh of the lungs (bronchitis), giving rise to chronic coughs; for catarrh of the pelvic mucous surfaces, called "leucorrhoea" and "female weakness," for all kinds of catarrh, lurking in any nook or corner of the system or manifesting itself in any tissue, organ or structure, there is no known remedy that equals Stuart's Catarrh Tablets. An internal remedy, operating through the blood, they search out and cure catarrh in any part or tissue of the body and cure catarrh just as readily in one form as another, therefore they are as applicable and serviceable for eczema and leucorrhoea as for bronchitis or for nasal catarrh.

The Rev. L. E. Palmer, Baptist clergyman, of Ceresco, Mich., makes a statement of interest to all catarrh and grip sufferers. He says: "Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have certainly been a blessing to me. I have used them freely this fall and winter and have found them a safeguard against LaGrippe and catarrhal troubles from which I have suffered for years. I feel that I can freely and conscientiously recommend them."

Dr. J. J. Reitter, of Covington, Ky., says: "I suffered from catarrh of my head and throat every fall, with stoppage of the nose and irritation in the throat affecting my voice and often extending to the stomach, causing catarrh of the stomach. I bought a fifty cent package of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at my druggist's, carried them in my pocket and used them faithfully, and the way in which they cleared my head and throat was certainly remarkable. I had no catarrh last winter and spring and consider myself entirely free from any catarrhal trouble."

Being in tablet form they are convenient to carry and take; being sold at all drug stores for 50 cents a box, they are easy to procure and inexpensive; being a systematic remedy, they are equally good for all catarrhs, being of established merit, they are reliable and satisfactory. Use them and you will become their advocate and friend.



## STAMPED LINENS

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4 lbs. Prunes for 25c.  
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### TO-NIGHT.

"D" Company drills at drill hall, at 8 o'clock.  
Ladies' Aid Social, William St. Baptist Church.  
Public Library Board, Public Library, 8 o'clock.  
Banquet to Miss Idle, Park Street Methodist school room.  
Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock.  
Mission service, conducted by Rev. Arthur Murphy, Christ Church, at 8 o'clock.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

"D" Company drills to-night.  
Arch. McEachran is visiting his parents at Mull.  
S. Glenn & Son shipped a car of beans east to-day.  
Frank Tschirhart is in Windsor and vicinity for a few days.  
The firemen wish to thank Harry Hall for the donation of a box of cigars.  
Herman Stahl, of Woodstock Pipe Organ Co., is repairing the Christ Church organ.  
Conductor A. Segner, of the L. E. & D. R. R., has resumed duty after a few holidays.  
N. C. West, of the Sutherland-Innes Co., left yesterday on a trip through New York State.  
G. Austin and G. Gubb, of the L. E. & D. R. R., of Walkerville, are in the city to-day.  
Wm. Gray & Sons are shipping a car of oranges to Ottawa and three cars to Brandon, Man.  
A. Side, Sr., was taken suddenly ill last evening with neuralgia of the heart. Mr. Side is 74 years of age.  
A good practice of the Epworth Leaguers of Park street church was held last evening for the old folks' concert.  
Referee Rankin, of Chatham, has reserved judgment in the damage case of Wigle et al vs. the Township of Gosfield, North and South.—Detroit Free Press.  
Architect Carswell, of Windsor and Chatham, has received instructions to execute plans for the proposed new parochial residence to be erected by the Roman Catholics of Windsor this coming summer. The structure will cost \$7,000 and will be erected on Park street, near St. Alphonsus church.—Detroit Free Press.  
The drainage case of Lockbarby vs. Tilbury West was heard to-day before His Honor Judge Bell. Lockbarby asks compensation for land taken for a drain. He also asks the balance due on a contract he had for dredging the big ditch. Wilson & Kerr for Tilbury West, Clark of Windsor, contra. This case was undertaken by J. B. Rankin, B. A., K. C., before his appointment as Drainage Referee and hence he did not care to try it. The case was to have been heard by Justice Falconbridge but it was referred by him to Judge Bell for hearing.

The Daughters of Rebekah will hold a social at the residence of P. C. Dodson for the purpose of raising money to purchase some new paraphernalia.

## NEW DIRECTORS IN SESSION

Arthur Leverton Appointed  
President of Chatham  
Binder Twine Co.

J. J. Ross Unanimously Given  
Control as General Manager  
of the Big Concern.

A meeting of the newly appointed directors of the Chatham Binder Twine factory was held yesterday afternoon in the offices of the Company on Colborne street.

A good deal of business was trans-



General Manager J. J. Ross.

acted, but the meeting is still in progress.  
The matter of appointing new officers for the Company was brought up and the following gentlemen were elected:—  
Arthur Leverton, Zone, President.  
John Holden Windsor, Vice-President.  
J. J. Ross, of this city, late of the



President Arthur Leverton.

Erie & Huron Railway Co., was appointed General Manager.  
T. C. Smith is still acting as Secretary-Treasurer.  
The meeting is still in progress, full particulars of which will appear tomorrow.

### WE HAVE

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## TEMPERANCE CONVENTION

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The afternoon session opened this afternoon at one o'clock.

The report of the nominating committee was first received. It was as follows:

President—E. E. Parrott.  
Secretary—Rev. T. T. George.  
Treas.—J. W. Humphrey.  
Vice-Pres.—Rev. G. R. Brown.  
Conveners of Municipal Organizations—  
Wallaceburg, Dr. Cook.  
Orford, Dr. MacKinnon.  
Ridgeway, Rev. J. Wilson.  
N. Harwich, R. Young.  
S. Proctor.  
Camden, H. J. French.  
N. Chatham Tp., N. McCoy.  
S. Chatham Tp., M. Haviland.  
City of Chatham, C. Dingman.  
Dover, James Wamp.  
Romney, Rev. C. N. Dewey.  
Thamesville, W. Mitton.  
Dover, Parish Priest.  
W. Raleigh, Rev. M. Walker.  
E. Raleigh, Rev. R. Thompson.  
Tilbury, W. C. Eastbrook.  
N. Tilbury, James Smith.  
N. Howard, W. Mowbray.  
Blenheim, J. Shillington.  
Dresden, W. Ward.  
Bothwell, Mr. Moore.  
Committee on Resolutions—Rev. Messrs. Bond, George, Nelson, and Brown, and Messrs. Ward, Rayercraft, McCoy, Hind, MacKinnon, Dingman Young.

Wm. Ward, Chairman.  
T. Shillington, Secy.

A number of resolutions were then put before the meeting and referred to the Resolution committee, who retired to report on them.

A collection was then taken up to defray the expenses of the meeting. E. E. Parrott then spoke to the meeting, thanking them for allowing him to again occupy the President's chair.

"It is nearly nine years now since I became the president of this Association, and ever since I received the position I have always done the best I could for the temperance cause. I have always tried to keep politics out of my work, I am sure if there is reason for another campaign, I have no doubt that we will enter it as eagerly as we did the last. We should look at the results. We should do all in our power to help the cause along and leave the rest to God."

"I shall say nothing on the attitude taken by the Ontario Government, whether it is right or wrong. You know a government cannot act as a citizen. Their actions are guided largely by public sentiment and if they would do anything against this work of the association, they would soon be kicked out. I do not believe in bringing politics into our work. Parties are but guessing machines and what we should do is to express our sentiment to the Government in order to let them know how we wish them to act."

Mr. Parrott then called upon a number in the audience to make brief addresses.

J. W. Humphrey spoke for a short time and reported as treasurer that there is \$147 now in the treasury of the association.

James Gardiner, of this city, an old worker of the association, then spoke for a few minutes.

H. W. Shaw also addressed the meeting. He said:—

"I have been a supporter of prohibition for 40 years and I am more enthusiastic than ever. We should take a hold of this work and bring a pressure to bear upon the Government and make them modify a number of the legislation."

Mr. Parrott—There is one thing which should not be lost sight of. Some people say that the Scott Act has done no good. That is a lie. After it has been in force for three years the consumption of spirits taken out of bond was one-sixth less. That speaks well for the Scott Act.

John Vester, of Blenheim, was then called upon and spoke firmly in favor of a personal canvass.

Mr. McFaggan also spoke along this line.

"Some of the people we have to imbibes are the very members of our own churches. There are also a lot of these whose heart is in the right place but they are backward. They are weak in the knees and doubled up in the back as it were. These are the men who will be reached by a personal canvass."

Rev. R. Thompson—In order to secure prohibition, I understand, we will have to have a good majority in the coming provincial election. We will have to secure 230,000 votes. How are we going to get this majority? We did not get it in the recent plebiscite vote. Then the vote we got was just 192,000.

Rev. Dr. Cook, of Wallaceburg, then made a stirring speech, encouraging the meeting to do all in their power to shut out this evil liquor traffic.

Mrs. Baird, County Superintendent of the W. C. T. U., then spoke for a few minutes.

"I am glad to see so many white ribbons, and I hope all of you men will continue to wear them. I do wish that the ladies had a right to vote on questions of moral reform. That is the only question on which I would care at all to vote. In regard to the referendum I think it is an awful fraud (hear, hear). I hope that in the end the temperance party will come out in the end. My politics are based on the ten commandments and I can not see in them anything that would justify us in legalizing wrong doing, and that is what we have been doing for years."

Messrs. Mitton, Rayercraft, Jordan, Clark and others then addressed the meeting.

The meeting is still in progress.

## OFFICE NEEDS

Blank Books of all kinds,  
Stafford's Stephen's and  
Arnold's Inks,  
Letter Fyles,  
Binding Cases,  
Dating Stamps,  
Stamp Pads,  
Typewriter Carbon,  
Typewriter Paper,  
Ink Wells, Pen Racks,  
Stick Fyles,  
Waterman Ideal Fountain  
Pens.

## DINGMAN'S Book Store

## Marmalade Oranges

We have received our first shipment of Seville bitter oranges for marmalade. It is necessary, in order to make your marmalade right to have some of these oranges. We sell the large size at 30c a dozen.

### Valencia Oranges

Just the thing for marmalade and very cheap considering the size, 20c a dozen, or 3 dozen for 50c. Buy now.

### California Navel Oranges

are at their best just now, and at prices to suit you, 30c a dozen and 50c dozen.

Come to us, we have a large stock of choice oranges.

## Geo. A Young Our Grocer Phone 151

### A BREACH OF FAITH.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—"I have nothing whatever to say upon the matter. That was the way in which Premier Ross to-day declined to answer the charge of Rev. Dr. Courtice, that he, the doctor, had been made the victim of a breach of faith by the Premier, who is vice-president of the Ontario Alliance. The doctor, at a meeting on Saturday, said the Premier had in two letters pledged himself to have the referendum taken on certain conditions. The clauses in the bill on the points in question were the opposite of what had been promised."

### SHOT BY A FOOT-PAD.

San Francisco, Feb. 17.—At a late hour last night, Annie Anderson, a Swedish girl, employed as a domestic, was shot and probably fatally wounded by a masked footpad, who made his escape and is still at large. The young woman is in a critical condition. She says that she alighted from a street car, and had proceeded only a short distance, when she was stopped by a masked man, who demanded her purse. She became terrified and attempted to run, when the footpad pressed a revolver to her jacket and fired. The bullet entered the left side between the seventh and eighth ribs, inflicting a wound which may prove fatal. The shooting occurred almost in front of the residence of Edwin Snell, on Ashbury street, where Miss Anderson is employed. Mr. Snell heard the shot and rushed to the girl's assistance, but saw no sign of her assailant. He carried her into the house, and immediately notified the police, who as yet have obtained no clue to the robber.

### A WARNING.

To feel tired after exertion is one thing; to feel tired before is another. Don't say the latter is laziness—it isn't; but it's a sign that the system lacks vitality, is running down, and needs the tonic effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

It's a warning, too—and sufferers should begin taking Hood's at once. Buy a bottle to-day.

Fortify the system against disease by purifying and enriching the blood—in other words, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### CALIFORNIA ILLUSTRATED.

Copy of the Illustrated monthly, The Chicago 400, a journal of travel and topics, reached us by the courtesy of the Chicago & North-Western Ry. It is one of the finest illustrated publications that we have ever seen. The tinted half-tones rival those of the finest magazines, and the letter-press of the whole edition is as perfect as that of any publication ever issued. Pictorially and descriptively mirroring California's wonderful scenery. Copy delivered free on application, or mailed to any address upon receipt of two cents postage, by E. H. Bennett, 2 East King St., Toronto. lew115

## Interesting News Notes From the Linen Section

New Pattern Table Cloths, Fringed and Hemmed Huck Towels, Table Napkins appear to-day—offerings of real merit at very low prices that will cause the stay of these worthy goods to be quickly ended, and your gain is expressed precisely by our anxiety to clear them out. THE LINES mentioned below are perfect. No jobs, no seconds, no odd prices.

### TOWEL BARGAINS

30 dozen all linen huck towels, red taped border, fringed ends, 20x30 size, good value at 12 1-2c, to clear at each

10c

5 dozen pure linen huck towels, hemmed stitched ends, 23x41 size, our regular 35c line, to clear at each

25c

40 dozen linen huck towels, taped borders, hemmed ends, heavy quality, 17x33 size, regular 10c value, to clear at each

8 1/2c

30 dozen extra heavy pure linen huck towels, red taped border, fringed ends, 19x41 size, regular 15c value, to clear at each

12 1/2c

### LAWN DRESSER COVERS

20 only hemstitched lawn dresser covers, with fancy colored flowers, regular 75c and 90c goods, to clear at each

30c

We are showing an excellent assortment of new wrapper and shirt waist prints, at per yard

10c and 12 1/2c

### DRFSS GOODS

On Wednesday morning we place on sale the following two lines. They are good value to anyone requiring them. They cannot be replaced at the price:—

### 2 Pcs. Fancy Black Dress Goods

Mohair and Wool mixture, 42 inches wide. The regular price of this line

is 90c. We place it on sale Wednesday morning at

50c

### 11 Odd Skirts

Lengths from 40 to 42 inches, in plain and fancy materials. Our own make. The prices range from \$3.50 to \$5.75. Your choice Wednesday for

\$2.95

## It is Interesting to Know Where to Buy Trustworthy Guaranteed CLOTHING

It stops all hesitation and guess work. We believe we have the best clothing made and so do you if you're one of the great host that buy here. If not, favor us and yourself by comparing styles, quality and prices with those found elsewhere. We would not want you to do this if we feared the result.

Our Motto is  
A Fair Field and  
Honorable Competition  
Equal and Exact  
Justice to All.

We have met our competitors in an open field, and have the assurance of carrying off the palm of excellence, and absolute values in up-to-date garments.

### The Ideas of Canada's Brightest Clothing Men

Are here under one roof. We buy from all the leading manufacturers, and the general public must admit that the ideas of a dozen or more men are certainly better than one man's. Such is our position in the clothing trade. We get the selection and makes of a dozen or more makers.

### All We Ask

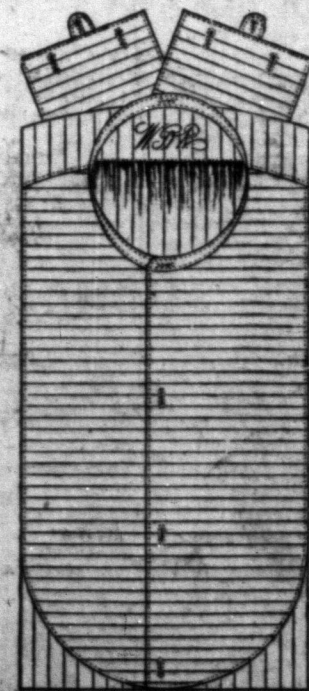
Is an opportunity to prove that our newspaper talk is not simply the use of space and words. We are constantly "nudging" you to visit this store, when your wants are in The Ready-to-Wear Clothing line.

### The Overcoat Clearing Sale in Full Swing

\$5.00 Beaver Overcoats at \$3.95.  
\$7.00 Beaver and Curl Overcoats at \$4.95.  
\$8.00 Grey Cheviot Raglan Overcoats at \$5.75.  
\$10.00 Cheviot Beaver and Curl Overcoats at \$7.50.  
\$12.00 and \$15.00 Long Raglanette Overcoats at \$10.00.

### A High-Class Colored Shirt Sale

15 dozen of W. G. & R's, high class Colored Shirts in neat checks, wide and narrow stripes and mottled patterns, with cuffs attached and detachable, sizes 14 to 17 1-2; regular \$1 and \$1.25 shirts; your choice 75c. All displayed on counters in clothing department.



C. Austin & Co.,



## About Marmalade Oranges

We have been expecting the bitter oranges for a week or more, but on account of the severe weather they are not here yet.

Our agent tells us they are very full, large size, smooth and fairly thin skinned.

We would like you to order what you will need and we will deliver them immediately on arrival, as you know bitter oranges come in only once and sometimes they are overlooked so long that when wanted they are done.

We promise you the best of care with your order, the best fruit and prompt delivery as soon as they arrive.

BITTER ORANGES, 35c a dozen.  
VALENCIA ORANGES, 20c a dozen.  
LEMONS, 20c and 25c a dozen.  
GRANULATED SUGAR, the exact amount weighed for your receipt.

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certain definite results from the prescription he writes. If one ingredient lacks in essential virtue, if the compounding is not accurately done, a link in the chain of recovery may be broken.

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is successfully used monthly by over 1,000,000 Ladies. Safe, effective, Ladies' and Men's. Cook's Cotton Root Compound. No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. No. 1 and No. 2 are sold in Chatham by C. H. Gunn & Co., Central Drug Store.

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**The Only Pure Gin**  
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### PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.  
Toronto, Feb. 18.—10 a. m.—North-westerly winds, fair and cold. Wednesday, moderate winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

The following official figures were registered at noon to-day at Burt's weather bureau:  
Barometer 29.  
Thermometer 13.  
Highest yesterday 31.  
Lowest yesterday 11.  
Direction of wind, northwest.

### Local Briefs

John Watt is in Detroit on business. A. Leverton, of Bothwell, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Watson left yesterday for Toronto on a visit.

A. H. Daisiel, Windsor, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Alex. M. Baird, of Leamington, was in the city yesterday.

Wm. Newman, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday.

The local Chinese laundrymen continue to hold their prices up.

Lew. Johnston has returned after spending Sunday in Detroit.

John Bathurst and G. Turner, of the "Devils Auction," were in the city to-day.

The Daughters of Rebekah held a special meeting at Herb. Avichouse's last evening.

Milliner Wanted to assist in show room; must be a good saleslady. Apply The Northway Co., Ltd., 241 W.

Fred. McLaren, of the Gas Works, has returned from spending a few days in Detroit.

Millet and flax seed wanted.—State quantity and price, send sample. Bart Cottam Co., Box 70, London, Ont.

Sale of ladies' fleeced lined vests, only seven dozen, regular 35c. quality, at 19c. at Thibodeau & Jacques. See window.

A special meeting of Jubilee Lodge degree of Rebekah, will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 19th, in their edge room at 730 p. m. All members are requested to be present.—Tens Harper, V. G.

Remember the Social under the auspices of the L. A. Society of the First Presbyterian Church, to be held in the Lecture Room next Friday evening, when the Rev. F. H. Larkin will be present. Silver collection.

Hugh McDonald has so far recovered from the effects of his recent accident, as to be able to wear his shoes, and has dispensed with his cane. His services he has had to call into daily requisition for the past week in being taken to his place of business.

The ladies of Christ church Guild will meet at the residence of Mrs. Davis, Victoria avenue, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All the members of the Guild and any ladies who would like to join are asked to attend. Some very important business will be brought before the meeting.

New Laid Eggs.—Consignments of new laid eggs, dairy and creamery butter, dried apples, poultry, honey, white beans, etc., solicited. If anything to offer in this line, please advise, John J. Fee, 62 Front St. E., Toronto.

James Hardacre, who was one of the participants in the Ba. wood hotel row some time ago, was up before Magistrate Houston at the County Court yesterday for carrying a revolver, and was fined \$20 and costs, \$23 in all. He was arrested on Thursday by Constable McGregor.

W. Philp, of Charlottesville, Va., formerly of this city, is making quite a name in musical circles in that city. He participated in a sacred concert recently and rendered some beautiful music at the marriage of Miss Dowdwell, second daughter of the late Major T. W. Dowdwell, to Mr. Charles L. Barrett, of Philadelphia.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Stone, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. S. Stone, entertained the choir of the First Presbyterian Church at their beautiful home on Lacroix St. The occasion was that of the departure of Wm. H. Brackin and several other valued members of the choir to contribute to the choral services. An exceedingly enjoyable evening was spent in "ping-pong" and other parlor games, after which refreshments were served and music contributed.

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Give a little time to your body and it will give you a great deal of pleasure.  
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They give a light that is rich and brilliant. No smoke. No odor. No soot. No waste. They are the best candles you can buy.  
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F. Culbert, of London, is in the city to-day.

W. A. Robins, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday.

Thomas Wiggins, of Ingersoll, was a city visitor yesterday.

Wm. Verrill has returned to Detroit, after visiting his father, Park avenue west.

Mr. and Mrs. S.M. Glenn leave to-day on a trip to Florida. They will be gone a few weeks.

Miss Steele, of Hamilton, who has been the guest of Miss Battersby, Park street, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McPhillips, who are visiting in the city, leave to-night for their home in Jackson, Mich.

Architect Jas. Carwell is getting out plans for remodeling the old Separate School building into a music hall.

W. S. Seaman, president Raleigh Agricultural Society, and S. L. Wellwood, have returned from a business trip east.

J. L. Wilson & Son, architects, are getting out plans for a manse for St. James' Presbyterian church, at Thamesville.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Clements took place this afternoon at 2:30 from her late residence, Rev. J. J. Ross officiated.

Miss Susan Taylor, who has been the guest of Mrs. Balfour, in Toronto for the past few months, returned home yesterday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Beaver took place this afternoon, at 2:30 from her late residence, King street east.

Mr. Neil Gibson informs us that no prizes were successful in his contest Saturday last, and that in a few days he will make another free offer to the public.

A banquet will be given this evening in Park street Methodist Sunday school in honor of Miss Elda Ide, I.E. Brook, and Walter Hillman, who will leave the city shortly.

There is a movement on foot in lacrosse circles with a view to forming a schedule bringing in Detroit, Windsor, Blenheim, Wallburg, and probably London, for a lacrosse league.

Bert Davis, of Brantford, has accepted a position with Wm. Gray & Sons. He is an accomplished cornet player and will be a good addition to the 24th Regiment Band, and also to the orchestra.

Miss Aggie Wrighton, William St., returned Saturday from visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. A. Wilcox, Raleigh, and left yesterday for London and Toronto, on a visit to relatives and friends.

A special meeting of the Separate School Board was held last evening, all the members being present. In conjunction with Father James, the members of the Board, went over the list of Separate School supporters in the various wards with a view to increasing the number.

Tom Walters, of this city, has received a letter from Chas. Ryall, of South Africa, dated at Bloemfontein. Mr. Ryall was in the best of health at the time of writing and wished to be remembered to his many friends in the city. He reported having received some tobacco and was offered \$1.25 a plug for it. On Christmas day he received some pudding, the gift of the King and Queen.

Under instructions from the Board of Health, the City Clerk and the Health Inspector were busy to-day making out the accounts of the persons who have been quarantined. These accounts have been paid by the city, but the city will now endeavor to collect them from the parties who were quarantined.

Timothy Sullivan appeared before Judge Houston this morning charged with assaulting John Mannix. Mannix appeared in court with a badly bruised and bandaged face. He told the Judge that he had worked for Peter Doyle, Chatham township, and had only come to the city last evening. His folks lived at Ridgetown, but he himself had no home. Sullivan was remanded till Monday for trial, being released on \$100 bail. Mannix having no place to go was sent up to jail on a nominal charge of fighting.

The Reeves-Smith Company on Friday night should be one of the largest audiences of the season. The play, "The Tyranny of Tears," is a literary production that has had few equals, and such a refined production as will be given by the members of the company should have the support of every intellectual theatre-goer. The Mail Globe, Saturday Night, Montreal Star, and other papers commend Mr. Reeves-Smith's company in the highest terms of praise. The plan opens Friday morning at the Central Drug Store.

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With February Bargains of all kinds, specially this week with the remainder of our Winter Wear in all lines—

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We have them by the carload, and still they come; but people don't hunger and thirst for them just yet; they bide a wee. We treat lookers well, and even on market days will be smiling and polite.

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Sell All Seasons

Such as ducks, drills, overhauls, shirts, tickings, checks, etc. People always are needing these goods. We are well stocked at 10c and 12 1/2c, and up to 25c.

### Tablets, Towelings and Towels

See our Shamrock Table Damasks and Napkins to match.

See our Rub 'Em Dry and Rub 'Em Red Bath Towels from 10c to 50c.

### White and Gray Sheetings and Pillow Cottons

every width, and our ready-to-use sheets and pillow cases, suitable for single blessedness or those in haste to marry.

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The great success that attends this section of our trade follows the careful selections made in materials and patterns, and buying by the case at mill prices, means much to customers.

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Not what we say, but your personal inspection of our goods and prices. We shall be pleased to serve you for an early spring parcel.

### Millinery Parlors, Second Floor

New veillings for season 1902; latest effects in black, black and white, blue, castor, and tuxedo meshes. Novelties in hats, toques, and turbans of taffeta, chiffon, and ribbon, for present and early spring wear. Chiffon hats will be in great demand as, say Paris and New York.

# William Gordon

Standard Fashion Sheets for Waron Standard Designs and Spring Catalogues Now in

### POLICE CHIEF

Many Applications for the Vacant Position—Force Supports P. O. Darr.

The appointment of a new Chief of Police is creating considerable discussion to-day. The matter will be decided at the meeting of the commissioners to be held to-morrow and speculation is rife as to the selection.

A large number of citizens are supporting the promotion of one of the force. The officers themselves met last evening and decided to endorse and further the appointment of P. C. Henry Darr, who is the senior member of the force, and who, as such, has undoubtedly strong claims.

Other applications, it is stated, will be Capt. Sam Smith, Jno. Holmes, Capt. Boles, Henry Smyth, and others. Michael, Dillon is applying for appointment to the Police Force in event of the promotion of one of the men.

Officer Tom Groves is the nominee of the Temperance Party, who have appointed delegates to wait on the commissioners. Officer Groves, however, declines to be an applicant and is supporting his senior colleague, Mr. Darr.

The commissioners, Judge Bell, Police Magistrate Houston and Mayor Sullivan, will deal with the appointment to-morrow, when other matters of interest in connection with the conduct of the department will be discussed.

### Pimples and Blistches.

How unsightly, sometimes disgusting, mortifying to the sufferer and unpleasant to all. An evidence of poor blood and lowered vitality of the eliminating organs. They need toning up—the whole system does. You can quickly bring about the improved condition by using Ferrozone. Poisons are driven out of the blood, organs grow stronger, the blood richer, the nerves stronger. Pimples and blotches disappear, color becomes good. Glad! just try and see how much joy can be gotten out of a box of Ferrozone. Sold by McCall & Co.

### THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Through J. B. McGregor, stock broker, Northwood's Block, Chatham.

Chicago, Feb. 17, 1902

	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
Wheat—				
May....	78 1/2	78 1/2	78	78 3/4
July....	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 3/4
Corn—				
May....	61 1/2	61 1/2	61	61 1/2
July....	61 1/2	61 1/2	61	61 1/2
Oats—				
May....	43 1/2	44	43 1/2	43 3/4
July....	37	37 1/2	36 3/4	36 3/4
Pork—				
May....	15 92	15 95	15 87	15 90
July....	16 02	16 05	15 95	15 97
Lard—				
May....	9 47	9 50	9 47	9 47
July....	9 57	9 62	9 57	9 60
Ribs—				
May....	8 50	8 55	8 50	8 52
July....	8 60	8 62	8 55	8 60

Desirable Property for Sale in the City of Chatham.

The Late William Oldershaw Estate.

Parcel No. 1—Brick Store on north side of King Street, opposite Geo. Stephens & Co.'s hardware store.

Parcel No. 2—Two-story Brick Townhouse, on corner of Elizabeth Head Streets, North Chatham.

Parcel No. 3—Two-story brick dwelling on east side of William street, north of Stanley avenue.

For full particulars apply to James L. Oldershaw, 63 Head street, or to Geo. A. Sayer, Barrister, Eglar Block.

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**Sore Throat and Hoarseness.**  
with their attendant dangers may be speedily averted and remedied by the use of Polson's Nerviline. Excellent to gargle with—ten times better than a mustard plaster, and more convenient for the outside. Nerviline penetrates the tissues instantly, soothes the pain, allays inflammation, and cures sorethroat, and hoarseness, simply because that's what it is made for. The large 25 cent bottle of Nerviline is unexcelled as a household liniment. It cures everything.

Why is a shoemaker like a true lover? Because he is faithful to the last.

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Every day in the year. The Chicago, Union Pacific and North-Western Lines run through first-class Pullman and Tourist Sleeping Cars to points in California and Oregon daily. Personally conducted excursions from Chicago to San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, leaving Chicago on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Lowest rates. Shortest time on the road. Finest scenery. Inquire of your nearest ticket agent, or write B. H. Bennett, 2 East King St., Toronto.

### LONG AND FAVORABLY KNOWN.

The West Shore Railroad has been so long and favorably known, that any words of commendation would be superfluous, but new travelers are constantly cropping up and, lest they have not read as they ran, this is to tell them that when they choose the Wabash-West Shore they do wisely. J21 to F 28 do

There is no use trying to make a reputation as a philanthropist solely on advice.

**LOSS OF APPETITE.**  
A person that has lost appetite has lost something besides—vitality, vigor, tone.

The way to recover appetite and all that goes with it is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla—that strengthens the stomach, perfects digestion and makes eating a pleasure.

Thousands take it for spring loss of appetite and everybody says there's nothing else so good as Hood's.

### LADIES LOOK YOUNGER.

Which is the desire of one and all. Take the trouble of visiting Prof. Dowdend's private show rooms at the Garner House, Chatham, on Wednesday, Feb. 19, and see the many beautiful inventions in Styles of Human Hair Coverings, Wigs, Bangs, Switches, etc., and inspect his new patent structure.

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Were purchased a year ago—before the advance in price which means that you can save at least 20 per cent. in the cost of same and can positively rely on getting what you pay for.

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Friday Nigh, Feb. 21

Mr. Reeves-Smith

—AND—  
Miss Margaret Robinson

**"The Tyranny Of Tears"**

By Hidden Chambers.  
Reserve this date and witness one of the strongest plays that has ever been produced in Chatham.

Prices \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c  
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## THE DEAREST RENTS

ONE ROOM IN OLD LONDON COSTS OVER \$10,000 A YEAR.

Although They Are Not the Highest on Earth, They Are Increasing on System. Which Lowers Owner's Share—Shops and Basements in Bond Street Produce Greater Rents Than Those on Any Other Thoroughfare.

A generation ago London was one of the lowest rented of the great capitals of the world. To-day it is, in parts at least, one of the highest. In thirty years the total rentable value of London has more than doubled. After deducting the increase caused by growth of population and the cost of new buildings, there has been a rise of 40 per cent. This increase has been by no means uniform. Some parts have degenerated. For instance, there are flats in Victoria street which some time ago fetched £300 a year, and now can be had for £200. The outer parts of London have sunk at a circle of inner London has sunk at a rapid rate, but there are parts, especially around the busier thoroughfares in the city, that have trebled in value in little more than a decade. Large sections of slum property in East London have doubled their returns in four years.

The district around Cornhill is now the most highly rented spot on earth. Not long since one room near the Royal Exchange let for between £2,000 and £3,000 a year. Within the past few weeks a house agent advertised certain properties in Throgmorton street to let. For seven telephone boxes on the ground floor £250 a year of rent was asked for each. For a suite of three rooms on the mezzanine floor £1,000 a year was asked. Six rooms on the first floor were offered at £2,000 a year. For shops Bond street is the dearest thoroughfare in the world. Broadway in New York comes next. A limited radius near the Place de l'Opera in Paris ranks third. A small shop in Bond street fetches readily from £750 to £1,300 a year. This includes the shop and basement, but not, of course, the remainder of the house. The shops in Regent street cost even more, but then they are larger, thus making the rent per square foot work out less.

In Cockspur street values have gone up 50 per cent. in a very short time, and acute agents now regard it as one of the best selling situations in London. Business premises there fetch from £500 to £1,000 a year. The demand for property round the Trafalgar Square district is exceedingly keen. Recently an agent for certain coronation business wanted one office in the neighborhood of St. James' park which he offered £300. He could not obtain it.

The rise of values in London was very plainly shown in some of the compensation cases that arose through the new Holborn Strand street improvement scheme. In Holwell street valuers declared that shops rented at £100 a year on lease were now worth quite £250 a year. A rent had been paid for a house in the Strand at £175 a year. It was arranged that the new lease was to be at the rate of £375 a year. For premises on the other side of the street, almost opposite, the elected person has been asked payment of £5,000, and a rental of £900. Another house let on lease at £175 a year, and was partly sublet as follows: Shops, £185; rooms, £407.

In nearly all London buildings rent is not an inclusive item. The tenant has to pay his own rates and taxes, and to provide for his own cleaning, lighting, and heating. In some new buildings, however, the American plan is being adopted. Thus in the Birkbeck Bank Chambers, the enormous pile facing Holborn and running toward Fleet street, the one rent charged includes rates, taxes, and office cleaning. Newer buildings will go even beyond this. In the proposed skyscraper in the Strand, at the bottom of the new central London avenue, rents are to include, as they do in America, heating, lighting, cleaning, rates, and taxes. In short, the one charge will cover everything.

In estimating rents, London owners make considerable reductions for top floors. The higher you go, the less they pay, even though there is a lift. Thus in one building a set of 13 rooms on the first floor realizes £1,200 a year. A set of two rooms on the sixth floor is let for £38. The family solicitor who wishes a nice suite of rooms near Lincoln's Inn Fields may count himself fortunate if he gets them for £300 a year. Reasonably rented offices can often be obtained off Queen Victoria street, a set of two going sometimes for £60 and £76. There are nearly always odd rooms, which have some drawbacks, such as a dark outlook, or a tiring approach, to be had at a low rental.

Turning from business premises to private houses, the increase in rent takes a somewhat different form. The people who are highest rented in proportion to their incomes are undoubtedly the slum dwellers around Spitalfields. There you can find people earning 14 shillings a week who pay 6 shillings of that for the rent of one room. We find there that the worse the house the more in proportion the rent. Thus a respectable family with a little furniture can get two or three rooms for a rent working out from 3s. 6d. to 5s. a room. The man on the verge of destitution, with no furniture, has difficulty in finding a room at 6s.

From Spitalfields to Mayfair is a great jump. Mayfair to-day shows in some parts a great rise, and in other parts rather a decrease in value. It is difficult to state the rent here in yearly figures, because, as a general rule, the occupiers buy on the lease, pay so many thousands guineas for the lease, an annual

## Blood Disorders

are simply kidney disorders. The kidneys filter the blood of all that shouldn't be there. The blood passes through the kidneys every three minutes. If the kidneys do their work so impurity or cause of disorder can remain in the circulation longer than that time. Therefore if your blood is out of order your kidneys have failed in their work. They are in need of stimulation strengthening or doctoring. One medicine will do all three, the finest and most imitated blood medicine there is.

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ground rent, usually of from £150 to £300 a year, and have certain expenses in repairing their property to meet. A nice house in Belgrave, can be had for 6,000 guineas, and a ground rent of £150 a year. Many, however, will run very much higher than this in the city, for 30 years' lease of a house in Great Cumberland Place 7,500 guineas are asked, and a ground rent of £150 a year. There is now being offered a delightful mansion in Kensington, on a 42 years' lease, for 27,500 guineas, and a ground rent approaching £200 a year. But even in Kensington and Mayfair there are side streets, unfashionable, where you can obtain a whole house for £60 or £80 a year.

To bring the cost of rent home to the individual let us suppose that he wants to take a house somewhere in the four-mile radius. On its circumference he can be accommodated with the big order for from £35 to £75 a year. If this is too far out, a mile nearer Charing Cross will add about 100 per cent. to his house agent's bill, a fancy house in the neighborhood of Chelsea and the further end of South Kensington being obtainable for from £70 upward. Supposing he remains here for a few years and prospers, he will want to migrate to a more select street. Probably such a desirable milieu may be found in one of the other streets between which his present ones lie. It will have the name of Somers, thing Gardens as likely as not, and he will be delighted to find a place to the other he will be able to add the satisfaction of paying a rent which will run from £180 to £200.

If the genteel atmosphere prompts longings for further experiments, he may move another mile nearer Piccadilly on trial. In the neighborhood of Brompton and Knightsbridge many excellent and elegant people will be delighted to allow him the temporary use of their homes for such nominal sums as from £300 a year up to £600. If he approves of the experiment he will be able to take a permanent house for himself. Ambition now having a free rein, his next move will be to one of the squares where horses stand before the doors in pairs. Six hundred pounds a year would be a reasonable sum in exchange for this dignity, and as better houses fall vacant this could be increased until one of the grand houses permits the transfer of any thing between £1,000 and £500. In the latter case the actual rent might not exceed £50 or £75 a year.

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year, the difference being paid as a premium. There are causes for the heavy amount of such rents, the chief of these being the competition for the houses, and the middlemen through whom the transactions have to be made. A dealer often rents a sure house from the agents, and he is not modest in the matter of profit that he requires.  
Improved houses in the best Bloomsbury squares which fetched £150 a few years back now fetch £250.

## THEY PUT ON STYLE.

How Lord and Lady Curzon Travel Throughout India.  
When the Viceroy of India travels all the rest of India looks on. He has a huge staff of officials, and is usually accompanied by Lady Curzon, and a hundred and twenty attendants. The most elaborate precautions are taken to insure his safety. Every mile of the railway is first examined by officials on tripolys, and in the southern Punjab the line is watched by the dust. He has a posse of six armed men on the train to guard him, and at every station through which he passes, whether he stops or not, armed police are drawn up on either side as the train goes by. At every station an army of coolies are at work, some time before the great occasion, cleaning and garnishing, while all along the line engines are forbidden to whistle and bells to ring. At whatever hour the train passes the station master has orders to be on duty himself to give the "line clear" and lock the points and see that all shunting has been stopped. With extraordinary ceremony is the Viceroy received. The Nawab of Junagarh last year received him in a solid silver car, preceded by painted elephants, prancing horses, and two rhinoceroses harnessed and mounted.  
—London Answers.

**British History of Natal.**  
On January 8, 1806, Cape Colony came under the authority of Britain, and has remained so ever since, though the final and complete cessation by the Kingdom of the Netherlands, was delayed until 1815. As thus defined, the colony consisted of 120,000 square miles of territory, inhabited by a population of about 60,000. The seat of government was then at the Cape of Good Hope, but it was said to have begun in 1795 when the Dutch colonists, catching the revolutionary fever, which then prevailed in Europe, became restive under the yoke of Holland and revolted. The British sent a fleet to the support of the Prince of Orange, but as Holland was manifestly unable to maintain her restored authority, the colony remained practically under English rule until the Peace of Amiens in 1802. The continued instability of the Dutch rule in 1806 led to the second occupation by Sir David Baird, with the result, as stated, that the Cape has since remained one of the premier colonies of the British Empire.

**Good Shipbuilding Year.**  
According to a London correspondent last year was a good shipbuilding year in Great Britain, but there has been a noteworthy diminution in the number of warships built for foreign powers. The vessels included in this year's return are principally for Japan, and at the present moment there are practically no large ships building for foreign navies. The falling off in orders is attributed to political considerations.

**A Game For Two.**  
Once upon a time a young gentleman and a younger lady were alone in a bright parlor in front of a cheerful open fire, with a table between them, playing cards. As they continued to play and chat, the table was not so much between them, for they both got nearer the fire and played the game on one corner of the table.  
They had started in to play euchre, but after an hour and a half they found that they were playing hearts.  
Moral—We are never sure what the game is.

**No Right to Live.**  
Begar—Won't you give me some money, professor? My money is all gone, and I can't live.  
Professor—How old are you?  
Begar—Forty years, sir.  
Professor—For what? Don't you know that according to the latest mortality tables the average age of the male population of Europe reaches only thirty-four years and five months? Statistically you have no right to live any longer anyway!

**Corn.**  
Corn, with its twenty-four to thirty-two rows under cultivation, was once but a coarse grass, hiding each seed it produced under a husk, as wheat and oats now do. Brought out to the light and sun, with a chance to get at enough plant food, it has worked its way up to eight rows of seeds, covering these with a husk. The farmer and nature together have added the extra sixteen and twenty-four rows.

**She Understood.**  
"Ignorance," remarked young Borem, "they say is bliss."  
"Oh, that probably accounts for it," rejoined Miss Cutting.  
"Accounts for what?" queried the youth.  
"The contented and happy look you usually wear," she replied.

**An Offset.**  
A asks B to lend him 50 cents. B has but 25 cents and gives that to A. A accepts it, remarking that he will trust B for the balance. B later asks A to settle with him, whereupon A claims that as B owes him 25 cents one debt offsets the other. What is the answer?  
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## CLOTHES FOR SMALLPOX.

To Avoid the Disease Wear Smooth-Faced Garments and Plaster-General Dress Hints-Headgear should be Feltless.

"What shall I wear to avoid small-pox?" is the pressing question of the hour.

Medical advice is short and to the point. Wear smooth-faced, outer clothing that holds as little dust as possible, for it is in floating dust that the danger of contagion lies. For underclothing wear flannel. It promotes circulation in the skin and surface muscles, and prevents chills. As a chilled body is highly susceptible to contagion, flannel underwear when the wearer would otherwise inevitably fall a victim.

The medical point of view in regard to prevailing fashions is interesting apart from smallpox, especially in connection with other diseases that are rife at the present time of year. Dress ought to be designed mainly for warmth, but as a matter of fact, many men, and all women, sacrifice everything to ornament.

To begin with the head. That member of our anatomy, having a warm, natural covering, and being exceptionally well supplied with blood, needs scarcely any artificial covering except in exceptionally hot or bitter cold weather. And as the scalp perspires freely and requires continuous renewal of air, any headgear worn should be porous. The proper head covering in cold weather should be soft, not tight, and well ventilated. That is to say, it should have several inlets for fresh air at the sides and a fairly large outlet at the top. In summer the straw hat of the American type is the only correct headgear from a health point of view.

All collars are a hygienic abomination. The neck is always in motion and continuously changing its shape. Hence it should be quite uncovered, or have a soft flexible covering which would adapt itself to requirements. Any one who wishes to have a clear head should wear the lowest of collars. In the region of the tie, again, we utterly disregard health for appearance. Fashion decrees that we must cut a piece out of our waistcoat in that impudic manner, and breathe in pneumonia, consumption, coughs and colds. To do the sensible thing, we ought to either wear waistcoats buttoning up to the neck (and very becoming thereby) or substitute a broad and really warm scarf for the little piece of ribbon commonly used.

Although men are not open to the charge of tight lacing, they generally wear their clothing too tight, round the lower part of the body. One of the laws of healthy dress is that free movement of the body must not be interfered with.

In foot covering we sin most deeply against the principles of hygiene. The single fact that the foot is not allowed to come flat on the ground compels the whole spinal column to alter its natural shape with serious consequences. A great anatomist, who has inspected over 5,000 women's feet, declares he has not once met with a pair shaped as nature made them. As for the corset, a physician, who shall be nameless, but that not all the families, pestilences and wars of the world have done so much injury to the human race as this instrument.

## Late Winter Work With Bees.

An important question about bees in winter quarters is, shall we confine them to their hives? If the dead ones in falling clog the entrance it does not make any difference if they are fastened in or not. In one case they will die against the wire cloth, and in the other they will get out on the floor, on the shelves, or about the room and die. It is untidy and disagreeable to have dead bees around on floor and shelves. An extra space may be given below the frames for the dead bees that they may not clog up the entrance. With the simplicity hives this can be readily furnished by turning the bottom board hollow side up, putting wire cloth over the opening at both the front and back end, and fastening the bottom boards in place.

When shall we remove bees in spring to summer quarters? When they do not get too restless. I let them remain in the cellar until soft weather, and will furnish pollen. Set them out early in the morning of a warm, mild day and move each hive quietly, that they may not be disturbed. When possible place on old stands. After they are all out watch the weak ones and stop swarming and robbing. Spring flying is not a disease, but it is caused by late, cold, stormy weather. Weak colonies are generally affected. It is much worse after a hard, cold winter and disappears on approach of settled weather. Its effects are not generally felt before March and sometimes continue until May—American Agriculturist.

## Bite of Science.

James Starin writes to The Lancet that superfluous hair can be removed from the face by X-ray exposure of ten minutes at a time on consecutive days for about two weeks.

Dr. See of the United States naval observatory in Washington has concluded a measurement of the planet Mercury with the large telescope of that institution. Its diameter is found to be 2,658 miles.

It has been observed that when liquid carbonic acid is allowed to escape into a stout canvas bag in the dark and by its expansion to freeze into a snowy mass the effect is accompanied by a pale greenish violet light and electric sparks.

## Stag and Fox Hunts.

In olden times stag hunting was a favorite amusement of the nobility, and the dogs used in such sport, part-greyhounds and part bloodhounds, were given the name of stag-hounds. Foxhounds, in like manner, were trained to hunt the wily animal, from which they gained their distinctive appellation.

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## A LABOR COURT.

Industrial Arbitration Court Issues a Tribunal With Compulsory Powers—The Orders of Court are Enforceable.

The Industrial Arbitration Act received royal assent in New South Wales a few days ago. It was drawn up by Mr. Bernard Ringrose Wise, the Attorney-General of New South Wales, which follows the lines of the New Zealand Act of Mr. Reeves. Its working will be watched with interest in all parts of the world, as it is contended, says a Sydney correspondent, to be the most resolute and consistent attempt yet made to deal with disputes between labor and capital.

Because it not only compels a reference of all such disputes to a competent court, with powers to enforce its orders and awards, but it makes a strike or a lockout before such reference or during its pendency a misdemeanor punishable by fine or imprisonment.

The bill is based on the assumption that the tendency of modern industrialism is toward the organization both of labor and capital and the substitution of collective for individual bargains in all labor matters.

Industrial unions, which are the units recognized by the act, can be of two kinds—industrial unions of employers and industrial unions of employees. Only a registered trades union can be registered as an industrial union of employees. The president of the court must be a judge of the Supreme Court. Every case has been taken to make the court an independent and dignified tribunal. Its powers are very large, and no appeal lies from its decision. Every industrial dispute—a phrase which is defined in terms of the possible matter which can arise between an employer and his workmen—can be referred to the court either by the industrial union interested or by the registrar. Orders of the court may be enforced, as in New Zealand, by injunction or by fines and penalties levied on the corporate funds of the union and on individual members, but they are also enforceable by the police.

This gives the court power to declare that any practice, usage, condition of employment or industrial dealings shall, with such limitations and exceptions as the court may declare, become a common rule for all persons employed in the industry which is under review. This authority will be a most powerful instrument to compel obedience to the decree of the court. Provision has been made for the legal maintenance of the court, which shall be as elastic as possible, so that it may be adapted to the varying circumstances of each trade. Thus the court will become in fact a regulator of the main conditions of employment, and will watch that these never fall below those which prevail in the best conducted establishments. The court also has power to direct that other things being equal, an employer shall give a preference to unionists when two or more men are applying for employment at the same time. This provision threatens at one time to cause a dispute between the Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Council, but Mr. Wise induced the Council not to insist upon the rejection of the clause, and all matters in dispute between the two houses were adjusted.

## A Story of the Bath.

A good story has recently been picked up in the west of Ireland by Mr. R. J. McCreedy, the well-known motorist. It concerns the rising little seaside town of Lahinch, a place which has recently developed tremendously. The tourist and golf boom. A few years ago the public baths, like most other institutions in the village, were very primitive. They were situated in a little cottage, which was just above the high water mark. Shower baths were a specialty, and they were to be had in a room which had a bath tub placed in the middle of the floor. On pulling a string a perfect deluge of bracing sea water came through the ceiling. A lady visitor once stood ready in the tub, and gave the ready signal. But instead of the usual avalanche of water, there came from aloft the gruff voice of the fisherman-proprietor of the baths. "If ye'll move a taste more to the west, ma'am," said the voice, "ye'll get the full benefit of the shower. Looking up, she, to her horror, descried the old fisherman standing by the aperture in the ceiling and holding a barrel of sea water ready for the douche. Whether the lady moved to the west and received the shower or not the chronicler does not relate. But Lahinch has made giant strides onward since—From M.A.P.

Giant Jotas Diplomatic Corps. Lord Pauncefoot, the British Ambassador, is more than six feet tall, but he looked like a pigmy the other day beside the giant who accompanied him to the State Department in Washington. The giant is Arthur Stewart Raikes, the new first secretary of the British embassy, and Lord Pauncefoot took him to the department to present him to Secretary Hay. Mr. Raikes is taller than Lord Pauncefoot. He is a Cambridge graduate, who entered the British diplomatic service in 1879, and has served at Athens, Copenhagen and Vienna. The Queen Victoria conferred a jubilee medal on him in 1897.

Trades-Unions Income. The income of a hundred principal trades unions in England last year was £1,975,000 and their accumulated funds £3,767,000. During the last nine years these unions have spent over £8,000,000 on friendly benefits and about £2,750,000 on dispute pay.

## GOLD IN YOUR GARRET

In many thousands of garrets and attics women have gold stored away and are not aware of it. It is not in coins, nuggets or bars that the gold is held, neither is it in bank notes or bonds; it is there in the form of cast off and faded clothing, garments and materials that can be turned into a gold value by the use of Diamond Dyes.

At a cost of ten cents you can re-color a dress, skirt, jacket, cape, blouse or waist, and make them as good as new ones purchased in the store. With one or two packages of Diamond Dyes you can give new life and beauty to your husband's overcoat or suit thrown aside perhaps for the rag gatherer. Your cotton and rags re-dyed with Diamond Dyes will make up handsome suits or rugs that will add to the comfort of your home. All the work and transformations suggested will give you results that have a gold value.

## The Test of Greatness.

When Elliston went from London to his own theater at Birmingham, he was known to scarcely a member of his own company. On repudiating one of them sharply the rate actor threatened to kick him off the stage. He rushed to the stage manager and asked who that man was.

"Mr. A—," said the manager. "A great man, a very great man," said Elliston. "He threatened to kick me, the lessee of Drury Lane. Such a man as that must go to London. He must waste his energies here." And he engaged the actor on the spot for Drury Lane.

## The Brand of Food Dealers Sell Most of is the Kind for You to Use.

Careful investigation has disclosed the fact that some of our largest retail grocers keep in stock no less than twenty different kinds of breakfast cereals. These grocers, catering to the whims and fancies of a varied trade, acknowledge that only four of the twenty brands are good sellers, and that Malt Breakfast Food is the leader with all classes of the people.

The high position attained by Malt Breakfast Food in this country has been acquired in less than eighteen months. This proves most conclusively that as a breakfast dish, Malt Breakfast Food is giving entire satisfaction to old and young. The large number of letters of approval that the manufacturers receive monthly from every section of the Dominion and Newfoundland, telling of improved digestive vigor, stronger nerves, increase in weight and improvement in health, put to the fact that Malt Breakfast Food is a true health food. One trial makes it the favorite breakfast dish. Ask your grocer for it.

Grandma's Cure For Dandruff. "We often scoff at the ancient grandmother remedies," said a physician the other day in conversation with a patient, "but our forefathers used to get a power of comfort from them nevertheless, and cheaply too. Science has progressed wonderfully, of course, and we are much better off on the whole than we were our sires, but we forget a great many of the little things. Now, I notice that you are troubled with dandruff, and I'll wager that you have spent many dollars on different alleged cures, and you are worse off now than when you commenced. Let me give you a 'grandmother' prescription that never fails. Go to a drug store and buy 5 cents' worth of salts of tartar. Dissolve half of it in warm water and wash the head thoroughly. Repeat this at intervals of three months for a year, and you won't be annoyed with dandruff any more."

## A BIG HANDICAP.

A man with a lame back does not feel much like working and you cannot blame him. Jeremiah Redden, carpenter, No. 7 Cowdy St., Kingston, Ont., suffered with rheumatism in his back (lumbago) for two years. Five bottles of Dr. Hall's Rheumatic Cure completely cured him. This great blood purifier is put up in bottles containing ten days treatment. Price 50 cents at all drug stores or Dr. Hall Medicine Co., Kingston.

In life it is difficult to say who does the most mischief—enemies with the worst intentions, or friends with the best.—Lord Lytton.

## Special From Norwich, Ont.

The recovery of Mr. Norman Battis, Bathurst, Marchant, one of Norwich's oldest and most successful citizens, excited much comment. For years Mr. Battis has been an unceasing sufferer from Catarrhal Asthma and although no end of time and money was spent in relief was not obtained until Mr. Battis commenced Catarrhose treatment, which perfectly cured him. This case is only equalled by that of Mrs. Bannan, wife of J. J. Bannan, Druggist, who was also cured of Asthma and Hay Fever by Catarrhose after thirty years' suffering. Fully a hundred persons in this town have been cured of Catarrhal troubles by proof of its value. Two months' treatment, Price \$1. Small size 25c. Sold by all druggists, or by mail from Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Whoever is mean in his youth runs a great risk of becoming a scoundrel in riper years; meanness leads to villainy with fatal attraction.

Probably the average mouse thinks women are the most dreadfully immodest creatures it ever saw.

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W. F. SMITH — Barrister, Solicitor, etc., Office, King Street, west of the Market. Money to loan on Mortgages.

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

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THOMAS SOULLARD — Barrister, 25 Victoria Block, Chatham, Ont. Money to loan on Land Security.

## LODGES.

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

J. S. BLACK, W. M.

ALEX. GREGORY, Sec.

ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN.

Brethren, remember we need your co-operation, and assistance in our noble work of getting new members. We are striving to make this the best year, of our record. Our future prospects are bright, let us get to work. Friday, Feb. 21st the auditor's report will be read, also W. Griggs, our delegate to Grand Lodge, will give his report, which will be of such interest to every brother should attend.

Visiting brethren welcome.

W. S. APPLEFORD, J. R. SNELL, Master Workman, Recorder.

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NOTICE that sweet, delicious taste that our baked goods always have!

Our Bread, Pies, Cakes, Buns, etc., are always fresh and tasty. Once a customer you will stay with us.

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Station	Express	Mail	Day
Chatham	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 a
Ridgeway	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 p
London	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 p
Kingville	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 p
Windsor	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 p
London	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 p
Kingville	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 p
Ridgeway	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 p
Chatham	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 p

1:30 a m for London is a through train, other trains connect at London for East and West Chesapeake coast.

L. E. TILLSON, Gen. Agent, Chatham.

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To Manitoba and Canadian North-West will leave Toronto every TUESDAY during MARCH and APRIL, 1902.

Passengers travelling without Live Stock should take the train leaving Toronto at 1:45 p. m.

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Colonist Sleeper will be attached to each train.

For full particulars and copy of "Settlers' Guide," apply to your nearest Canadian Pacific Agent, or to

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## RAILROAD COMPANY

If you are contemplating a trip south or west for the winter, please consider the merits of the Wabash line, the short and true route from Canada to the south and west, including Old Mexico, the Egypt of the west, the land of the sun and the land of the rainbow.

Travellers will tell you the Wabash is the best equipped line in America, everything is first-class and up-to-date in every respect.

Passengers leaving Chatham via evening trains reach Chicago next morning, St. Louis next afternoon, at 2:00 p. m., Kansas City same evening at 9:30 p. m.

Tables, time-tables and all information from any R. R. agent, or J. A. Richardson, District Passenger Agent, northeast corner King and Yonge Sts., Toronto, and St. Louis, Ont.

W. E. RISPIN, City Agent.

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## Special Settlers Trains to Canadian Northwest

Will leave Toronto every Tuesday during March and April, 1902, at 9:00 p. m.

Passengers travelling without live stock should take the "Pacific Express" leaving Toronto at 1:45 p. m.

Passengers travelling with live stock should take the train leaving Toronto at 9:00 p. m.

Free colonist sleepers will be attached to these trains. Berths may be secured on arrival at Toronto. Tickets and all information from agents Grand Trunk Railway System, or

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## FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

Frame house, two stories, 12 rooms, Lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000.

Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, Lot 40 ft. front, by 208 feet deep, \$1,100.00.

Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 ft., \$800.00.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good stable, \$1,100.00.

Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet.

House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 feet, \$1,000.

Farm in Howard, 32 1-2 acres, house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.

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

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 60 acres. All cleared. Good house and barn, \$2,750.

Farm in Township of Chatham, 98 acres. All cleared. New frame house. Large barn, stable, granary and drive and other buildings, \$7,500.

Farm in Township of Chatham, 50 acres. All cleared. Good house, and barn, \$2,500.



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## New Gingham

We told you last week that we had received what we believed to be the choicest collections of Gingham that ever entered here. You have confirmed our statement for never in the history of this store were so many gingham sold in one week during the month of February. We have been fortunate in repeating many patterns and adding a few more to our already large assortment. It's doubtful if we could do it again, you should see these while the assortment is complete—10c and 12½c per yard.

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Will occupy this space soon in advertising their new Hardware Business. They will open up with a first-class stock of General Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, House Furnishings, Implements, Buggies, Harness and everything kept in an up-to-date Hardware and Farmers outfitting House. Don't be in a hurry to buy your spring goods, they won't advance in price and it will pay you to wait for

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### TEA and TEAS

Gleason & Company, William Street. Export direct from London, England, the finest Ceylon, Assam and China Teas. Try Our English Breakfast Tea 35c and 40c

### SHAKE-UP

John Lee Wants a Seating Revolution in the Legislature—“Trust Ross and go Ahead” His Instructions.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Mr. Lee (West Kent) created some amusement in the Legislature to-day by asking the Government whether it was the intention to rearrange the seats in the chamber so that all the members could hear.

The Premier replied that it was not the intention of the Government to make any changes.

Mr. Whitney—Perhaps the less the Premier hears of what is said the better for him. (Laughter.)

“It's a very vexed question,” said Mr. Lee. “I am satisfied gentlemen on either side in the rear seats cannot hear. One member told me to trust the Lord and the Hon. G. W. Ross and go ahead, but I didn't like to act that way. (Hear, Hear, from the Opposition.) “Those on the other side may trust the Lord and Mr. Whitney, but I don't like to act that way either. I might as well be in Niagara Falls for all I can hear. If the ministers and Hon. Mr. Whitney could take the centre of the chamber, those at each end of the room would get a fair show.”

### HAMILTON'S DEFAULTER.

Hamilton, Feb. 17.—The friends of Mrs. Lancetfield, wife of R. T. Lancetfield, the absconding librarian of the public library, are raising by subscription \$2,000, the amount of the guarantee bond. This they will hand over to the Guarantee Company, which will, in turn, hand it to the library board, taking a receipt therefor. This will save Lancetfield from pursuit by the Guarantee Company, and the friends are hopeful that the board will not issue a warrant for his arrest. Some of the members of the board favor prosecution, while others believe it would only be just that the finance chairman should make good for the \$1,300 in duplicate cheques, which he foolishly signed for Lancetfield, and this encouraged him in his thieving operations. Nothing has been heard of Lancetfield's whereabouts, although no doubt his relatives are aware of his hiding place.

### THAMESVILLE

Feb. 17.—Miss Ethel Ripley, of Valletta, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs. Lorne Arnold, of Chatham, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jackson.

Harry Reeves, of Chatham, was in town Friday.

J. Howat is on the sick list.

Mrs. J. Hargreaves, of Chatham, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jackson.

Wm. Wiberly, who has been spending a few weeks with his parents, has gone to Baltimore, Ohio.

The Misses Regan, of Bothwell, were in town Saturday.

Miss Verrinder went to London to-day to attend the wholesale millinery opening.

Mrs. Geo. Nicholls and Mr. and Mrs. Pope, of Detroit, are visiting friends here.

At the carnival in the ice rink on Saturday night the prizes were taken by Miss Davies, Miss Tweedle, T. Syer and Wesley Lee for fancy dress, and K. Duncan and Miss Kate Mayhew took the prize for best skaters.

Rev. J. McInnis preached at Bothwell and Florence yesterday. Rev. Mr. Hare, of St. Catharines, conducted the services here.

R. G. Lind, of London, is in town to-day.

Mrs. James Ferguson is quite ill.

George Cairns, of Jordan, is visiting his sister, Mrs. James Hubbell.

T. McKenzie, of Toronto, is in town to-day.

A very successful concert was given by the Philharmonic and Literary Society in aid of the Public Library on Friday evening.

The program consisted of instrumental and vocal music, drama, readings, etc.

Especially pleasing were the clown and huntress drills while the shadow pantomimes were most amusing.

The male quartette, composed of E. Lamb, K. Duncan, W. Hubbell and A. McGeachy, gave some good selections.

Dr. Verrinder presided at the piano. Carrol Scott, of the Herald, made a most efficient chairman, his opening address being very clever.

The young people are to be congratulated upon their success, as this is their first effort as entertainers. The proceeds amounted to \$47.



Twelve Years of Awful Pile Pain.

A. E. Auringer, Braidwood, Ill., says: “After suffering untold agony for over twelve years from both forms of piles, and trying all sorts of remedies without relief, I am completely cured by Pyramid Pile Cure.” Sold by all druggists, 50c a box. Book, Piles, Causes and Cure, mailed free. Pyramid Drug Co., Mar. shall, Mich.

## Rich Values In Overcoats

To begin at the beginning, these overcoats at the regular prices were the best values on the retail market—bar none.

When they came from factory to counter we didn't ask ourselves how much we could get for them. The question was how low could we sell and make a fair profit. That's the T. & D. way. Every detail of manufacture was counted, sifted, studied with that end in view—better goods for the price if possible than ever before.

Take these carefully worked-out prices—each a triumph of economy—and slice away every cent of profit; on some lines much more than the profit. Fling the entire balance of a season's stock on the tables at cost of material and less—that's what we have done with every overcoat remaining in the house. If you have found our overcoats excellent in past season's, count on yet greater excellence in this winter's stock. Never did better cloths, natter styles or worthier making come to you over these tables of ours—never were such downright good coats offered for so little money. Sample prices here and there:—

Men's heavier overcoats that were \$8 and \$7 at..... \$5.50  
Men's heavier overcoats that were \$10 at..... \$7.00  
Men's heavier overcoats that were \$12 at..... \$8.00  
Men's frieze ulsters that were \$7.50 at..... \$5.00  
Boys' ulsters that were \$3.50 at..... \$2.34

Boys' pea jackets that were \$3.00 at..... \$2.00  
Men's cheviot overcoats that were \$7 at..... \$5.00  
Men's cheviot overcoats that were \$10 at..... \$7.00  
Men's cheviot overcoats that were \$12 at..... \$8.00  
Youths' frieze ulsters that were \$5 at..... \$3.75  
Boys' pea jackets that were \$2.50 at..... \$1.67

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### The Letter-Box

#### OPPOSES ACCEPTANCE.

Editor Planet:—At last we have knocked at the door and begged for charity and from whom Andrew Carnegie, a man that in the past could not find words strong enough in condemnation of Canada and its people. I say let him bestow his charity to the widows and orphans of the poor working man that was shot down at Homestead, workmen that helped to pile up his millions, I as a Canadian would scorn his charity. There are lots of avenues open to him in his own land; let him feed the hungry, clothe the naked, provide schooling for the thousands of children who would benefit by it and other ways that would benefit humanity more. We in Canada should be above asking charity from him.

Yours truly, CANADIAN.

#### SUPPORTS MR. HOLMES.

One of the applicants for Chief of Police is Mr. John Holmes, who I think should get it. He is an old volunteer fireman, in council for six or seven years, was chairman of the Police committee for three or four years, School Trustee for a number of years, was out to tea with volunteers at Windsor and Sherbrook, also took a course at Military school, Toronto, and passed a second class for which he received a certificate for honor.

J. W. LIDDY.

#### SONS OF ENGLAND.

Thames Lodge, S. O. E., held their regular meeting, about 50 members being present. After the business was finished, the lodge was thrown open, and the entertainment committee treated the members to a smoking concert and the following program was given by the different members.

Song—Bro. Horstead.  
Reading—Bro. Penning.  
Song—Bro. T. J. Walters.  
Song—Bro. T. Fielder.  
Reading—Bro. F. Collins.  
Song—Bro. H. Green, V. P.  
Song—Bro. H. Horstead.  
Selection—S. O. E. Trio.

After the program the brothers were served with refreshments, after which the pleasant and sociable evening was closed with God save the King. The committee also wish the brothers to keep in mind that four weeks from last night another pleasant time awaits them, and wishes them to be on hand.

### TILBURY

Feb. 18.—Mrs. W. J. Moffat has been visiting friends in St. Thomas the past few days.

Two rinks of curlers went to Windsor last night to try conclusions with the club there.

Mrs. Geo. McLaughlin and daughter Helen returned yesterday from a short visit in Louisville.

J. P. Guillot spent Sunday at his home in Windsor.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will hold a social at the residence of Jas. Powell, on Tuesday evening next, 25th inst.

Miss Lambert, who has been visiting Mrs. Alex. Campbell, returned to her home in Woodlee last night.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's Drug Store.

### DRESDEN

Feb. 18.—Walter Piggott, of the firm of John Piggott & Sons, Chatham, was in town on business yesterday.

Chief Gonyou is having his residence moved to the lot adjoining that of Hugh Jones, Brown St.

A sleighload of Florence young people spent a pleasant time at the residence of D. V. Hicks last evening.

John Watson, our popular postmaster is visiting in Toronto.

Frank Myers, of Syer, Pa., is in town and will, we understand, enter into partnership with W. H. Packham.

W. H. Packham has sold a very fine kitchen range to Mr. McIntosh, proprietor of the Clifford House.

Mrs. Whillans, of Forest, arrived in town last evening to visit her daughter, Mrs. James A. Taylor.

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## "SALADA"

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