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ON
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Our steadily increasing Millinery business has necessitated the removal of this department to larger quarters. This season our show rooms are located on the first floor, upstairs, where we have ample space for the display of our various Millinery lines. We have made special preparations for our "Opening Display" on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week when we will show our Millinery patterns for the autumn season, together with a full assortment of **Ready-to-wear Hats** as well as a complete line of Millinery trimmings and novelties.

We invite you to visit the Millinery Department in its new quarters on "Opening Days" and see our display.

THOS. STONE & SON.
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GEO. STEPHENS & Co.

OIL IN HARWICH

A new oil and gas field will shortly be opened up in the Township of Harwich. A company has been formed for the operation of rigs in that section. The capital is largely local, and the company will be known as the Harwich Oil Syndicate. Those most prominently identified with the company are—Messrs. W. A. Charles and Joseph Hadley, of this city, and Senator Shaw and Mr. Gray, of Lima, Ohio. The new company have already leased 900 acres in the Township of Harwich, close to the city limits, and are preparing to get their drilling rigs in operation at once. It is understood that oil experts recently visited the Harwich field, and the indications in that district are said to be the very best. The new company will commence to sink one well at once, and as soon as the apparatus for the purpose arrives in the city.

HARVEST HOME

Quite a successful Harvest Home was held under the auspices of the ladies of the Congregational Church at Renwick Monday night. The attendance was nearly double that of last year, and the receipts were very satisfactory. A. B. McCaig, M. P. P., acted as chairman and presided over the following program:—
Addresses—Rev. Messrs. MacGillivray, Millston and Burgess, and H. S. Clements, M. P.
Recitations—Miss Pattengale, H. Wilcox and Miss H. Foster.
Selections—Robertson Quartette.

OLDFIELD TEAMETING

A number from the city attended the tea-meeting and harvest home festival held in the Methodist Church at Oldfield, last evening. Pastor, Rev. Mr. Bristol, presided over the following program:—
Addresses—Manager Williams, of the Sovereign Bank, Chatham.
Solec—Miss Hollinrake and Arthur Martin.
Recitations—Misses Stonehouse, Kennedy and Clara Clements.
Accompanist—Miss Grace Irving.

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Love and the burger both laugh at locksmiths.

NEW FALL HAT HOLDS CENTRE OF STAGE TODAY

Millinery Openings In Full Swing—Large Crowds In Attendance—Planet Makes Usual Calls

Summer has come and gone, and with the advent of the fall and winter seasons comes the inevitable change in ladies' headwear. Dame Fashion, exacting as she is capricious, demands this. For weeks—nay, months—the cunning hands of many pretty milliners have been busy, and the result is the new fall hat in all its glory. Certainly this fall has brought in its wake innovations in the millinery line that will be pleasing to all, and woman-kind are given a wide choice in the style, shape and coloring.

Chatham is never behind the times and her milliners bear the reputation of keeping well abreast of the times. This autumn they have eclipsed all efforts of the past, and the unique displays in the various stores are monuments to their energy and skill. This morning saw all the local stores prepared for the event. The weather was ideal, and immense crowds of Chatham's fair sex were in attendance at the show-rooms all day long. A planet representative, as usual, visited the various stores, and we give to-day as many write-ups as our space will allow. All the displays are very worthy ones, and The Planet is indebted to the head-milliners of the various establishments for much valuable information on the subject.

THE FOREMAN STORE

The Foreman store has been specially decorated for the occasion, the color scheme of the decorations being in green and white. The show window has been made up on a white color scheme, with a few dainty hats displayed to the best advantage. Inside to the fore of the store new stocks in fall dress goods are displayed. Here as well as the hats, rub and Indian reds appear to be predominating colors.

"The materials which are most largely used this year," observed the head milliner while in conversation with the reporter, "are for the most part, ribbons with Roman stripes. Persian designs, uncurled ostrich feathers, beautifully toned wings, flowers in profusion, malines and so forth. A description of a few of our leading hats? Why yes. Here we have a very pretty pressed felt. Stylish, and with Roman stripes, and with two tone plumes, with roses and velvet to match.

"This large black Gainsborough is of panne velvet, with plumes. It has an applique band of gold with ribbon velvet, and a crown of green velvet. And here we have a dove shade felt with crimson roses and velvet, caught up becomingly at the side.

"This chic toque is of mink with feathers and pearl ornaments. This other hat is known as a feather toque, is distinctly French in style. It is small, you notice, and makes a very becoming hat, when worn by the right person.

"The shapes most prominent this year are Vesta Tilley, Peter Pan, Gainsborough, New York sailor, and the hats are mostly, broad at the back with a narrow front and tilted well over the face."

NORTHWAY COMPANY

The Northway Company's millinery show-rooms have been decorated in a green and white color scheme, with natural flowers, palms, ferns, etc., making a very pretty effect. A few of the leading hats are displayed to advantage in the firm's show windows.

The reporter was shown a large picture hat with the popular short front and long back, covered with velvet of a wide shade. A wreath of beautifully shaded roses was clustered around the crown, while a large tinted plume stood to the side. The trimmings were large bunches of grapes in wine and wood shades.

The pale blue French felt is a very smart sample of the extremely large

picture hats now in vogue. It has a dainty ruffling of Tulle, edged with narrow ribbon, and a scarf of exquisite lace is fastened at the side with two large roses, the ends of the scarf being caught to the bandeau, and finished with a huge bow of ribbon in blue shades.

Another model of particular beauty is a plateau of pressed felt in a sulphur shade. The low crown is of tucked and shirred pink meline, with large brooding roses falling softly over the drooping brim. The bandeau is daintily trimmed with pink maline rosettes, and sulphur shaded ribbon. "Among the most popular shades of the season," remarked the milliner, "are the taupe, wine and soft shades of rose and brown."

"The ready-to-wear and outing hats are exceptionally smart, and are to be seen in great variety."

THOMAS STONE & SON

This firm as usual has an unique and original display of millinery. The show room has been tastefully decorated for the occasion, and there were already large crowds in attendance when The Planet called this morning.

"Grey is one of the popular shades this fall," he was told by the milliner, "but darker shades such as iron and London smoke are coming to the fore. Brown and green combinations are quite popular, as are also the Bordeaux and the wine shades."

"Ribbons are extremely used for trimming along with tips, wings, ospreys, flowers, etc. Maline is the leading trimming for the bandeau. This large picture hat is made of taupe velvet with novel ribbon effect on the crown. A feather of the same shade is caught with long loops of ribbon."

Here is a stunning example of the large picture hat now in vogue. Black panne velvet and maline are used in its construction. One white ribbon and four feathers with more ribbons complete the design.

"Here we have a chic model in Burgundy velvet, with an almond-shaped crown, and a rolling brim of tucked velvet. Notice the clever arrangement of the silk ribbon and the large bird of the same shade."

"This smart hat is of Russian green velvet, and is trimmed at the side with a large bow of plaid ribbon, centering with a twist of green velvet. The crown is quite high, and the wings are arranged to trim the front and side."

"This is truly a feather season, and they are shown in every shape and form."

C. AUSTIN & CO.

This big busy store was the centre of attraction for many ladies all day to-day. Every preparation had been made for the event, and the spacious millinery show rooms were tastefully decorated for the benefit of the visitors. An air of busy preparation has pervaded these show rooms for the past few weeks, and the result is seen to-day in the many beautiful hats on display.

The models for the hats at this store were taken from the most select of the Paris designs. All the pale shades are very simple.

"There is no doubt about the prevalence of the roll at the side this year," said the milliner. "Early hats will be very small."

"The ready-to-wear hats are very striking in appearance. They have a stiff effect. The trim is very simple."

"Here we have a soft white derby hat, very much like a gentleman's hat, except that it rolls on the left side. It shows a white and black standing wing, and is strapped with black velvet."

"Among the more dressy effects may be found every variety of shape and color, one exceptionally good model is the Gainsborough of black panne velvet. The right side and back are perfectly plain, and two large ostrich feathers are fastened at the right front, and stretched across and down the left side back. Black maline finishes the bandeau."

"This very smart model is a fur turban. The brim is of mink, and the crown is of pale blue panne velvet. The left side is set off with a beautiful Paradise spray, with full lace at the back."

"FAITHFUL" REAL MAD

Kingston, Sept. 18.—For the past six weeks the Liberal executive has been fighting to have Mayor L. W. Shannon ousted from the position of paymaster for Eastern Ontario, because his political color is Conservative, and because the appointment was made after the minister of militia was warned not to permit it. All hope of the appointment being cancelled has departed. From Ottawa comes the word that the Government doesn't make a cancellation in view of the publicity given the affair, much as it would have been liked to accede to the wishes of its Kingston supporters.

The local Liberal executive is satisfied that its strenuous fight over the Shannon appointment will stop the practice of the Government at Ottawa carelessly giving fat jobs to Conservatives.

MRS. CHADWICK WAS MOVED

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 18.—A Columbus, Ohio, despatch, where Mrs. Cassie Chadwick is confined in the state prison, says that when news of the fatal illness of Mrs. Mary A. Bigley, at Woodstock, Ont., mother of Mrs. Chadwick, was communicated to the woman in the penitentiary, she immediately asked permission to go to the bedside of her mother, but this was refused.

This disclosed the true identity of Mrs. Chadwick by her own admission. She had refused heretofore to give any of her true history or birthplace, even denying that she had relatives in Canada.

Mrs. Chadwick was later told of the death of her mother.

Thin ice and budding genius don't always bear.

SMUGGLING AT COURTRIGHT

It is said that Wallaceburg Merchants Have Received The Benefit

THE MEN WERE CAUGHT

Windsor, Sept. 19.—For the second time within a few months the staff of officers under Collector Smith has uncovered smuggling operations of extensive proportions. Mrs. Ann Kleiser discovered that with all her shrewdness she was no match for the Windsor men who guard the portals at this gateway to Canada. The latest victim is Samuel Michels, said to be the head of a gang of Assyrian smugglers, who made Courtright their base.

For some months past Dr. Smith and his officers have been quietly working to ascertain if possible where the Assyrian peddlers and shopkeepers of Ontario were securing their goods. At the different ports the entries did not contain the bulk of goods which it was known the Assyrians were handling. The conclusion was reached that smuggling on a large scale was being carried on, and the frontier along the western peninsula appeared to be the place where the goods were being brought into the country.

A strict watch was kept at Windsor and adjacent places and the officers were almost baffled when a tip was received that quantities of goods were being brought into the country by way of Courtright, a small place near Sarnia. Many Assyrians appeared periodically at Courtright, Wallaceburg and other villages and they always received packs of dry goods and jewelry.

It was decided to send Officers McEwan and McDonald to Courtright to ferret out the mystery of the smuggled goods, and they were not long on the ground before they struck a clue which finally led to the arrest of Samuel Michels.

The officers secured sufficient evidence to prove that he had been smuggling and when he arrived in Courtright he was placed under arrest and taken to Sarnia.

The officers learned that for the past two or three years Assyrian peddlers have been coming and going around Courtright. They made entries of small parcels of goods, but the entries did not amount to the volume of business they were doing.

It is believed that they had various ways of bringing the goods into Canada. Rowboats, launches and even the ferry boat Welcome was used. There is but one customs officer at Courtright and, of course, it is impossible for him to be on duty at all times.

The Assyrians, knowing this, would bring over large bales of goods when the officer was away from his office, and they would be carried into the interior without any loss of time. The gang had several points to where the goods were shipped for distribution, and the peddlers received their supplies from these places and then went their rounds through the country districts.

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King and Sixth Streets...
PHONE 96

NEARLY DROWNED

While fishing in the River Thames behind the Canada Flour Mills a young boy reaching for his line, fell into the deep water, and had it not been for the timely assistance of Sam Courtney, who effected a rescue, the boy would have been drowned. As it was, he was terribly frightened.

The less men think the more they talk.



IF YOUR BOY

Is like most others he gives his shoes a hard rub. Our school shoes for this fall's trade have been given special care and made to stand boys' wear.

They are made on manish lasts in the strongest leathers. Solid wearing values. In large variety of styles and prices.

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S. STEPHENSON, PROPRIETOR.

TELEPHONES

Business Office 25. Main Office Room 100.

SUCCESSFUL MEETINGS.

The leader of the Opposition, Mr. Borden, has returned from Nova Scotia, where he addressed a series of large and enthusiastic gatherings. The closing meeting at Truro was a magnificent open air demonstration. Halifax and Truro papers state that from seven thousand to ten thousand people were present and Mr. Borden says that it was the largest meeting he ever addressed. The electors of Nova Scotia are much interested in the disclosures of administrative corruption and extravagance made before the committees of the House, and in the Commons and Senate during the last session. Besides dealing with general questions of policy Mr. Borden discussed a few of these matters such as the North Atlantic Trading Co., the "Arctic" expedition and the western land scandals. Mr. Borden will probably speak during the next few weeks at several places in the constituencies where the by-elections are to be held.

THE BY-ELECTIONS

By-elections have been ordered for East Elgin and North Renfrew. The dates were fixed for October 4, but subsequently the North Renfrew election was postponed until the 9th. Both seats were held by Conservatives. The Government has selected these two constituencies among a large number of vacant seats, apparently with the idea of concentrating the resources and patronage of the Government in the contests. It was a habit of the late Ontario Government to set the machine at work in one or two by-elections at a time, so that the same crowd of operators could be moved from place to place and collected at particular points. The dexterous and delicate work required could not be duplicated and the experts could only be in one place at once. It remains to be seen whether the operations which made West Elgin an historic constituency are to be repeated in the eastern riding, or whether a famous provincial contest in North Renfrew is to be a pattern for the one about to take place. Had the Laurier Government brought on all the by-elections at once there would have been less cause for suspicion.

Other vacant constituencies are North Bruce, in Ontario, Nicolet or Gaspé, St. John-Berville and St. Mary's District of Montreal, all of the Province of Quebec. Besides these the St. Ann's district of Montreal has been vacated by the unseating of Mr. Galt, who is appealing against the judgment of personal disqualification, but does not claim the seat. Shelburne and Queen's in Nova Scotia is vacated by the unseating of Honorable Mr. Fielding. There is an appeal in this case also, but it is made by Mr. Fielding's opponents, who contend that the evidence is sufficient to disqualify him for personal corruption. It is understood, moreover, that Colchester County, Nova Scotia, will soon become vacant by the appointment of the sitting member to the Supreme Court of the Province. Thus there are pending seven by-elections besides those for which writs have been issued. The machine will doubtless be moved from place to place as it may be most most effective.

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If you want "2 in 1" don't take anything else.
Black in 10c. and 50c. tin.
White in 10c. tin.



SPORT

BASEBALL MONDAY.

Eastern League.			
Jersey City	010003224-15	
Toronto	109000600-7	
Home run—Woods. Three-base hits—Halligan, Struck off by McCann 7, by McCarthy 3. Bases on balls—Off McCarthy 2. Left on bases—Jersey City 7, Toronto 3. Stolen bases—Cannell. Double plays—Woods to Cassidy, Woods to Cassidy. Time of game—1:40. Umpires—Kerins and Finnan.			
At Buffalo—			
Newark	000000000-0	R.H.E.
Buffalo	000000001-x 4 10	R.H.E.
Batteries—Roy and Stange; Kissinger and McAllister. Umpire—Kelly.			
At Rochester—			
Baltimore	000010000-0	R.H.E.
Rochester	000100000-1	R.H.E.
Batteries—Addins and Hearn; Walter and Steelman. Umpire—Moran.			
At Montreal—			
Providence	151100210-11	R.H.E.
Montreal	000101000-0	R.H.E.
Batteries—Gronin and Higgins; Parker and Raab. Umpire—Finnan.			
Eastern League Standing.			
Club.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Buffalo	82	63
Jersey City	76	55
Baltimore	75	56
Rochester	71	56
Newark	64	70
Providence	63	71
Montreal	56	77
Toronto	47	87
American League.			
At Chicago—			
Chicago	103000000-1	R.H.E.
Philadelphia	00030001000-0	R.H.E.
Batteries—Walsh and Roth; Waddell, Schreck and Hynes. Umpire—Sheridan.			
At Cleveland—			
Cleveland	010000010-0	R.H.E.
Washington	020000200-0	R.H.E.
Batteries—Rhodes and Clark; Falkenberg and Warner. Umpire—Evans and Hurst.			
At Detroit—			
Detroit	000010001-0	R.H.E.
Boston	111001201-1	R.H.E.
Batteries—Donovan and Payne; Tammelin and Ambrose. Umpire—O'Loughlin.			
National League.			
At New York—			
Philadelphia	10010000-0	R.H.E.
New York	40200133-13	R.H.E.
Batteries—Moser and Dolh; Matthews, Ferguson, Brennan and Fitzgerald. Umpire—O'Day.			

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, TORONTO.

Election of Members of The Advisory Council of Education, 1906.

In accordance with the terms of the Act passed in 1905, entitled "An Act Respecting the Department of Education," constituting an Advisory Council of Education, which shall be a committee to confer with the Minister of Education on such subjects as may be submitted to it from time to time, an election will be held in October and November, when representatives of the High School Teachers, Public School Teachers, Separate School Teachers, and Public School Inspectors shall be elected for the ensuing three years.

There is no regular form of nomination, but all nominations must be made as provided by the following sections of the Act:
"11. No teacher or inspector shall be eligible to the Advisory Council who has not been nominated in writing signed by at least six of the persons who are entitled to vote under this Act as a member of the electing body to which such teacher or inspector is attached."
"12. Every nomination paper shall contain the name and post office address of each candidate nominated therein and the post office address of each person signing such nomination paper, and shall be delivered at the office of the Registrar of the said Advisory Council not later than 4 o'clock in the afternoon on the first Wednesday of October (3rd Oct.) in the year in which the election is to be held and not earlier than two weeks prior to such date (19th Sept.). Nomination papers received by the Registrar by post within the time aforesaid shall be deemed to be duly delivered to him."
"3. Any nomination paper which does not comply with the provisions of this section shall be null and void."

The attention of the Registrars of the following Universities, viz., Toronto, Queen's, McMaster, Ottawa, and Western, is called to the fact that under Section 5 of the Act, the Senators of these Universities are entitled to elect representatives to the Advisory Council of Education.
R. A. PAYNE,
Minister of Education.
Toronto, September, 1906.

Respectful consideration produces a like feeling in those upon whom it is bestowed.

THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

At the Brisco Opera House—
The Red Feather—Sept. 24.
When Women Love—Fair nights, Sept. 26th and 27th.
Florence Gale in "Love Victory"—Oct. 1.
Real Widow Brown—Oct. 6.
John Griffith—Oct. 11.

On Monday next at the Brisco Theatre the attraction will be DeKoven, Klein and Cook's well-known romantic comic opera "Red Feather," which has gained immense vogue during the three years that it has been presented in this country. The music is by Reginald DeKoven, whose name is sufficient guarantee that the score is something really worth while. It is said to be written in his characteristic vein and to equal, if not surpass, his favorite "Robin Hood." To Charles Klein, author of David Warfield's phenomenal success "The Music Master," and also author of "The Lion and the Mouse," fell the task of writing the libretto of "Red Feather." He labored well, choosing for his plot the story of the intrigues of a band of conspirators of the country of Romance. The throne is tenanted by a Crown Prince, who is considered by many of the subjects not to be the rightful heir. Those who champion the cause of the



MISS CHERIDAH SIMPSON AS RED FEATHER.

pretender are led by one Red Feather, a notorious free rider, who in the unraveling of the plot proves to be none other than the noble Countess Hilda von Draga. Both the Crown Prince and the deposed heir are in love with this great court lady and their efforts to thwart one another on the field of love lend additional interest to the romantic story. The book is well supplied with comedy of a very amusing variety. The piece is gorgeously costumed and lavishly mounted. Miss Cheridah Simpson, whose superb vocal powers are widely known, is at the head of a company of seventy-five people, many of whom are exceedingly promising in the light opera field. Mr. DeKoven has written many stirring choruses and inspiring ensembles and the management has supplied chorus men and women who can correctly sing the music and also add to the attractiveness of the stage pictures.

WHERE DOES CONSUMPTION BEGIN?

That first little tickle becomes a cough, the cough grows severe, is neglected and travels down to the lungs. Threat throat trouble before it gets severe. Catarrhousness, always inflammation, causes throat and bronchial trouble quickly. A marvel worker is Catarrhousness, which prevents thousands of Catarrh victims from contracting consumption. Recommended by doctors, proved by time to be unfailing. Catarrhousness is just what you need. 25c. and \$1.00, sold everywhere.

A girl likes to think that she will make the ideal wife and the most capable mother.

St. Joseph Lewis, July 14, '08
Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.
Gentlemen,—I was badly kicked by a horse last May, and after using several preparations on my leg nothing did. My leg was black as jet. I was laid up in bed for a fortnight and could not walk. After using three bottles of your MINARD'S LINIMENT I was perfectly cured, so that I could start on the road.
JOS. DURES,
Commercial Traveller.

Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc.

TENNYSON'S MOODS.

Eccentric Manner in Which the Poet Received Some Visitors.

It was an eccentric reception that Sir Henry Roscoe was given when he visited Lord Tennyson. The former had been unwilling to intrude on the poet, but consented to accompany a friend, William Summers, who had a note of introduction from Sir Lewis Morris. They found Tennyson at lunch. Sir Henry writes of it: "Tennyson at once asked me to sit by him, while Mr. Summers was held in conversation at the other side of the room by Lady Tennyson. The old man began with the words, 'Your name has been before me at every meal,' at which I expressed great astonishment, not thinking that he had ever heard of me."

"And thereupon he produced a small vial containing saccharin, on the outside of which was an advertisement containing a few lines of some appreciative remarks respecting saccharin which I had made in a lecture at the Royal Institute. This notice I had never seen, and on my return home I wrote to the proprietors requesting them to stop issuing such notices, as I could not have my name used for advertising purposes, and this they did."

"In a few minutes, without further conversation, Tennyson rose and said: 'Well, I must bid you goodbye, for I must now lie down. I am going to smoke a cigar and go to sleep.' Upon which he walked out of the room, giving a distant nod to my disconsolate friend, Will Summers, who had come on purpose to interview the poet, but with whom he had not exchanged a single word."

MATCHES ON MAIL BOXES.

The Scratcher May Afterward Get a Light on Prison Bars.

Mr. Smoker, see to it that your Uncle Samuel doesn't catch you striking a match on one of his mail boxes. He'll surely make trouble for you if he can prove that a certain scratch on the metal of one of those gray boxes on the corners was made by your drawing the tip of a lucifer across it.

That's about what the mail carrier told the fellow who is handing you this advice. It was given just after the adviser had stopped, feeling "smoky" after coming out of an office where they wouldn't let him puff the stogie he had in his pocket, to scratch a match on the mail box. He was rather surprised when the mail carrier, coming up to unlock the box, said:

"Don't do that!"

"Why not?" he queried. "I've been doing it for years. It doesn't hurt the box. Other fellows, and myself have scratched matches on the top of this mail box for years, and there is only a little worn patch on the metal to show for it."

"Well, go ahead if you want to," sighed the mail carrier. "But remember that, if the inspector sees you, you go on a charge of defacing government property. And you know that if the inspector ever gets you it's you for scratching matches on the prison bars for a day or so. By-by."

How the Great Penguin Hatches.

It may interest you to know that the great penguin of the southern circle standing with its head as high as a man's waist, hatches its eggs in a peculiar manner. These are not laid upon the ground and brooded on after the manner of most birds' eggs. The female lays two large eggs. The first she hands over to the male bird, the other she keeps. The egg is held on the upper surface of the large flat feet, and is pushed up under the waistcoat of thick feathers. It is there held close to the body, whose warmth gradually vitalizes the young bird. So tenacious are the parent birds of this grip that if you knock one of them over it will fall on its back with its feet stuck stiffly out, still clutching the egg to its body.

Tommy and His Pets.

The British soldier is inordinately fond of his animal pets and has also the reputation of coveting those of his neighbors, particularly dogs and monkeys. Parrots he simply adores, and it is calculated that their strength in the service is in the proportion of at least six birds a Tommy. He is supposed to teach them to be personal in their language, but as a matter of fact Tommy is for some unaccountable reason a very emotional man, and his birds as often as not have to submit to a sound musical education, hymns being as often taught them as the comic songs of the day.

The Same Old Dish.

Two thousand years ago the chafing dish was used by the Greeks and Romans. It was so popular that it was used for a table ornament, just as silver pieces are used now. Pliny relates that the tragic actor, Esopos, had a dish worth 1,000 sesterces. No doubt, as at the present time, the actor enjoyed his hot midnight meal filled with grateful appreciation of the chafing dish.

An Inspiration.

"Of course," said the new rector, "you hope eventually to reside in a heavenly mansion where—"

"Oh, yes," interrupted Miss Uppluch, "and I do hope it won't be too close to the heavenly huts of the poor."

A Good Example.

Generous Uncle-I will make you a monthly allowance; but, understand me, I will pay no debts! Nephew—All right, uncle. Neither will I.

Believe that every longing of your soul contains its own prophecy of fulfillment.—Bradbury.



MILLINERY THAT IS DIFFERENT

THE WOMAN who knows and appreciates true style will see the point. We have millinery "that's different." Hat models that are refined, exclusive, high class, with that deft arrangement of feather, bow or buckle that always marks high class headwear.

We might buy hats from houses where the same hat is duplicated a thousand times and virtually becomes a machine made product, but we do differently. We employ experts and manufacture all our hats—hats that are exact copies of the latest Parisian productions—hats that have individuality, our patrons buy them, and strange to relate that you needn't spend any more for a handsome hat of exclusive design than you would be asked for one of the other kind.

If we have't a hat ready for you, we will make one, and our facilities for making high class attractive hats are too well-known to require extended comment.

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TO RENT—Houses on William street, possession 1st of October; recently built; with all modern conveniences. Apply to Allister McKay, Centre street.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—That fine property known as Mrs. Jarvis' residence on west side Victoria avenue, corner of Barthe street, Chatham; also for sale, the Roberts lot, southwest corner of Victoria avenue and Forest street. Apply to James Soutar.

FOR SALE—A nice brick house and drive barn and two acres of land for just what the buildings cost. A beautiful residence adjoining the city limits and one acre of land. Apply to M. H. McGarvin, in Neil Birthing's office, or at residence, Baldon street.

FARMS FOR SALE—I have for sale 50 acres of land, part of lot 17, concession 5, Dover Township, owned by Albert Leprince; 40 acres, River Road, Dover, owned by Neil David; 50 acres, concession 5, Dover, owned by Julius Bechard. I have money to loan at very lowest rate of interest on land mortgages. Henry Dagneau.

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MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by David Nagit, administrator, which will be produced at the time and place of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Rankin House, in the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, on

Wednesday, 3rd of Oct., A.D. 1906,

by R. L. Harrington, auctioneer, the north halves of lots seven and eight, according to a sub-division of lots numbers eleven and twelve, on the southerly side of Harvey street and the westerly side of Raleigh street in the said City of Chatham.

There is a comfortable frame dwelling house, and also a frame stable in good repair on this lot, which is situated in one of the most convenient portions of the city. For further particulars and terms and conditions of sale, apply to J. A. WALKER, Vendor's Solicitor, Chatham, September, A. D. 1906.

MORTGAGE SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage made by Elam Hind to the vendor, which will be produced at the time and place of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, by C. Moore, Esq., Auctioneer, at the Rankin House, in the city of Chatham, on

Saturday, Sept. 22, 1906,

At the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following property:—All and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Dover East, in the County of Kent, containing together one hundred acres more or less, and being composed of:

Firstly—The North East half of the South East half of lot number Nineteen in the Seventh Concession of the said Township of Dover East, containing fifty acres more or less.

Secondly—The South East half of the North West half of said lot number Nineteen, containing fifty acres more or less.

The property to be sold is a desirable farm, in the well settled portion of the Township of Dover East. The land is all cleared and is in a good state of cultivation, and on the same is a frame dwelling house, barns and stables.

The land will be sold subject to certain prior registered mortgages thereon and subject to taxes for the year 1906.

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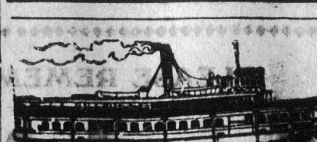
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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.
 Toronto, Sept. 19.—11 a.m.—Moderate to fresh northerly to easterly winds; fine to-day and on Thursday slightly cooler, more especially at night.

YESTERDAY.

Seven a.m. 62
 Nine a.m. 65
 Maximum 80
 Minimum 50

TO-DAY.

Lowest during the night 60
 Seven a.m. 67
 Barometer 29.47

LOCAL

W. F. Robertson, of Blenheim, was a city visitor yesterday.

Miss Onor Mills, of Ridgeway, is spending the day in the city.

Miss Daniela Foreman left for Woodstock on Monday, where she will visit friends for a few days.

G. H. Bell was in Tilbury on business for the Gas Co. yesterday.

W. McVean, of Dresden, is a city visitor to-day.

Court House, No. 6244, A. O. F., meets to-night in A. O. U. W. room at eight o'clock sharp.

Anniversary services will be held in Christ Church next Sunday, when the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. Canon Dana, of London.

Mrs. Phoebe Wanless and daughters, Misses May and Ida, will leave to-morrow on a visit to friends in Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul.

The special committee on gas franchise held a meeting in Harrison Hall last evening, the details of which will come up at a later meeting of the City Council.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at noon to-day, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Merritt, Emma St., when their daughter Cora was united in marriage to Mr. Virgil C. Goulder, of Cleveland, Ohio. Rev. J. W. Hoyt performed the ceremony.

H. W. Ball & Co. will hold a special display in their store this evening. The store will be decorated on a new and striking design throughout with new dress goods, silks, cloaks and furs. It will be well worth while for passers-by to take a look in at the store, this evening.

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Odd Fellows Assemble To Do Honor To Five Respected Brothers

AN IMPRESSIVE EVENT

The regular meeting of Western City Lodge, No. 93, I. O. O. F., on Monday evening last, proved one of the most interesting and enjoyable of any that have been held in the lodge rooms for some time.

The feature of the evening's program was the presentation of Veterans' jewels to five of the brethren, who have been associated with the lodge as faithful and continuous members for the past twenty-five years. The occasion was marked by the most impressive and unique ceremonies, which were inspiring to behold.

The brothers thus highly honored by their associates in the brotherhood were Bros. John Glassford, Henry Palmer, Alex. McDougall, R. A. Chrysler and Geo. Smith.

The latter part of the evening was devoted to addresses and fraternal greetings. Many interesting discourses were listened to. They were delivered by members of the lodge, and visiting members from other sister lodges.

Later adjournment was made to Bro. Smith's restaurant, where refreshments were served.

THE THREE LINKS

Judge Nolan of Nashville Elected Deputy Grand Sire—Night Thieves.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—The Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., met in the Parliament Building, where Grand Sire Wright in the chair, and proceeded immediately with the election of officers for the term of two years.

Deputy Grand Sire Conway was unanimously elected grand sire. For deputy grand sire was chosen Judge John L. Nolan of Nashville, Tenn.; the present grand secretary, John B. Goodwin, P. O. E. of Georgia was re-elected Grand Treasurer Richard Muckle, who has served in the same position for many years, was tendered a unanimous re-election by a rising vote.

Thieves Busy.

In the silent watches of Monday night, while cantons from Indiana and Erie, Pa., slumbered in the woman's building, some person or persons unknown made stealthy entry and stole the watches and money of sleeping Oddfellows. Thieves Busy.

Of Erie, Pa., who lost a \$125 gold watch, and \$45 cash; Chevalier Allen of Erie, Pa., \$15; and Chevalier Holden, also of Erie, who lost \$17 and a return railway ticket. Other smaller amounts were abstracted. A number of valuable jewels belonging to the Indiana Cantons, were taken.

SHOES 20 YEARS OLD

"I had a gentleman come in here the other day," said Shoeman (Geo. W. Cowan) this morning, "who asked me if I had a make of shoes similar to the ones he was wearing. I asked him where he had bought the shoes, and he replied that he had purchased them from me twenty years ago."

"The gentleman I have reference to was Mr. Alexander Gordon of the Township of Dover. He told me that he had purchased the shoes in my store twenty years ago, and that he had been wearing them for good shoes ever since. He said that he simply couldn't wear them out."

"I am afraid that this brand of shoes is not good for my trade. They wear too long, and if we were to sell these kind all the time, we wouldn't have much of an outlook for the future."

POLICE COURT

The two young men, Larkin and Benson, who were caught riding blind haggies on the Grand Trunk, came up this morning and were fined \$10 fine or 30 days apiece. They had no money, so they took the days.

Three little boys, who were caught throwing stones at a passenger train, were taken to the police station, where they were held for a while. They said they were throwing at the wheels of the train, and the breaking of the window was quite accidental.

TO GO DOWN TEN FEET

Not a little excitement was caused by the announcement that natural gas had been struck in a well being drilled at the Maple City Creamery yesterday, and there have been many inquiries made relative to the matter to-day.

Mr. Lister is of the opinion that there is an abundance of gas below the vein or pocket which he struck yesterday, but he says that what he is mainly after is water. The scarcity of ice at the present time necessitates the use of cold spring water to keep the milk cool, and he says that he will drill till water is found. The men will drill to the distance of ten feet or so further down, when it is expected that the rock will be met with.

\$9 NEW YORK AND RETURN \$9. Ten Day Excursion, Thursday, October 4th, via Lehigh Valley R. R., from Suspension Bridge. Tickets good on regular express trains, leaving Suspension Bridge 3.50 and 7.15 a.m. and 7.15 and 8.43 p.m. Take in the Vanderbilt Cup Races. For tickets and particulars call on or write Robt. S. Lewis, Passenger Agent, 10 King St. East, Toronto.

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RAILWAY RATES ARE VERY HIGH

So Say C. M. A. At Their Meeting Being Held At Winnipeg

MANY MATTERS COME UP

Winnipeg, Sept. 19.—The manufacturers' convention devoted yesterday to reports of committees. Only two reports were received in the afternoon, that of railways and transportation and intelligence committees.

A. Saunders of Goderich moved the adoption of the intelligence committee report, which was unanimously carried. He referred to the fact that the Canadian manufacturers had not availed themselves of the opportunity offered them for export trade, and advised them to devote more attention to this branch in the future.

Hugh Blain presented the railway and transportation committee report.

Freight Rates Excessive.

A lengthy discussion took place in connection with the resolution regarding a New Zealand steamship service. J. O. Thorne and W. H. Henderson opposed the resolution advocating the shipping of goods across the continent.

They claimed that freight was shipped cheaper from the head of the great lakes eastbound via the New York route than by rail west. They said the New York route was at present imperative, and advocated, instead of shipping by rail to Vancouver and hence to New Zealand, the establishment of a steamship line from an eastern point.

J. Prender of St. John addressed the meeting regarding freight rates. He said rates were generally excessive in the Dominion. He emphasized the retarding influence these rates would have in the growth of the country unless steps were taken immediately to keep them within reasonable bounds.

Technical Education.

The proceedings in the morning were of general interest, chiefly, perhaps, on account of outspoken opinion of some of the delegates on the neglect of technical education in the public schools, and also in more advanced educational institutions. Much regret was expressed that foreign correspondence schools should draw from young Canadians fees which run into the hundreds of thousands annually for technical instruction, which is often of doubtful value. The speakers were of the opinion that what was taught in the United States was capable of being taught in Canada. Under present conditions the country not only lost a large sum in fees, but, because of an inefficient system of education, its industrial growth was seriously retarded.

The secretary and treasurer's report were received, also the committee on insurance report, on technical education, and membership. The remainder of reports will come up to-day.

Last night a big society reception was given the visitors at government house.

It's an old saying, that contentment is better than wealth. A very limited amount of wealth is necessary to purchase a "packet of tea" contentment, as "SALADA" Tea is put up in quarter, half and one pound packages and sold at popular prices, so as to be within the reach

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WANTED—Teacher at once for S. S. No. 5, Tilbury East, to teach balance of year. Apply to Thomas Hornick, Quinn, Ont.

FOR RENT—A very desirable new 8 room house, oak finish, and all modern improvements. Isaac Smith, corner Stanley avenue and Prince street.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Andrew Thomson, Auctioneer, has received instructions to sell the household furniture, etc., of the late J. M. Spafford, on

TUESDAY, SEPT. 25TH,

at one o'clock, at the residence, Park Avenue, west of Queen Street, consisting of the following:—Parlor furniture, carpets, dining room furniture, four bedrooms, kitchen outfit, stove, dishes, glassware; and all will be sold without reserve.

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Of Black All wool Kersey Cloth, the plain tailored sort, loose from shoulder, inverted pleat down center of back, fly front, small collar and lapels.

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TO-NIGHT

Prayer meeting, in city churches, at 8.

Court Hope, 6244, A. O. F., in their hall at 8.

Court Pride of Kent, No. 9, A. O. F., Juvenile Foresters, in Workmen's Hall, at 7.30.

LOCAL

Smoke Lord Lake Cigar—10c.

Smoke Quail on Toast Cigar—5c.

R. Tooley, of Wallaceburg, spent Monday in the city.

Miss Burns has resumed her classes in china painting, at her studio on Thames St.

Harold McDonald has entered as a student at Dr. D. R. Russell's dental offices.

Ray Peck, formerly of Chatham, but for the last three years of How-ell, Mich., has joined the editorial staff of the Windsor Record.

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Mrs. L. Miner left yesterday morning on a visit to her home in Oshawa.

O. L. Lewis left yesterday morning for Toronto to attend the I. O. O. F. convention.

Mrs. Game, of Joseph street, has returned from a two months visit to friends in Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keller, Richmond street, returned Monday from London, where they spent a week.

All design work gotten up in the most artistic manner at one-third off usual prices, at Victoria Avenue Green Houses. Phone 147.

At their regular meeting Monday night the Sons of England organized a band, which will play engagements during the coming season.

The Royal Templars of Temperance met in their hall last evening for the purpose of arranging a program for the coming year.

Dr. W. R. Hall has removed from his former residence on Third street to Hotel Santa. His telephone number will still be 173, where he can be found for night calls.

"Chatham at the present time is free from contagious disease of any kind, as far as the Health Department is aware," said Health Inspector Anson Mounier yesterday morning.

"I took the last contagious disease card down this morning."

Annual Western Excursion Tickets on sale at W. E. Rispin's office, 115 King St., Sept. 20, 21 and 22, to Detroit, Chicago, Grand Rapids, Cleveland, Saginaw, Bay City, Columbus, Cincinnati, Dayton, Indianapolis, St. Paul and Minneapolis, good to return Oct. 8th.

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Lawyer W. B. Thompson, of Blenheim, was in this city yesterday on business.

Wm. Hubbell left last night for Middletown to relieve agent Ed. Griffith.

Miss Mary Lanton, of Parson's Fair, is spending the day with her parents in Petroca.

Arthur Martin, Chatham's renowned football player, has ordered a special shoe for shooting goals.

Miss Anna Boyd, of Elora, spent yesterday with Mrs. J. A. Courtney, Dover street, and left last night for Detroit.

Lost—Grey comb set with brilliant. Any person finding same please return to Madame Skirving and get reward.

Park Boas have accepted the contract to install three large boilers in the Wallaceburg beet sugar factory.

Hurray! for New Ontario. A good chance for prospectors. W. E. Rispin will sell excursion tickets on Tuesday, Sept. 25th, good to return Oct. 5th, at \$14.40, to the following points—Haleyburg, New Liskeard, Uno Park, Thornlaw, Earlton, Hearst, Eganville.

A POOR SHOW

The patrons of the Brisco Opera House had the opportunity, last evening, of seeing one of the poorest shows that has played in Chatham in years. The Two Johns was the name, otherwise the "Two Jacks," but the "Two Deuces" would have been a more appropriate title. There was nothing to the show in the first place, and there was not an actor in the whole bunch of "artists" whose names appeared on the program. It was even coarse and vulgar at times, something that does not take in Chatham.

Some of the alleged "jokes" were as old as the women adorning the female roles. The songs were highly colored, awkwardly executed and poorly sung.

The worst feature of the performance was the fact that there was a good house. It was somewhat smaller before the conclusion of the piece, however. The people commenced to go out early in the evening, and it was really a pity that anyone stayed at all.

Mr. Brisco has by no means added to the reputation of his house by bringing such a disreputable show here. It might be well for him to understand at the commencement of the season that Chathamites will not stand for such productions. It is to be hoped that he will redeem himself with the production of the Red Feather, which is said to be a superior attraction.

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NAPOLEON'S ACCOUNT BOOK

Some Entries Made During His Exile at St. Helena.

There was recently sold in London the last book of accounts of Napoleon at St. Helena, from 1818 to 1821. The expenses are classified by month and were kept by Pierron, the ex-emperor's maître d'hôtel, with entries by Montebello.

There are many corrections in pencil by the august exile himself, for he verified all the accounts and changed English money, where it was used, into francs. Some of the entries are highly interesting. Thus, on Aug. 15, 1819, the fête of the emperor, here is one by Montholon: "Artificial flowers, £5. Extraordinary expenses, £1 5s."

Napoleon's resources at St. Helena were very modest, but his tradesmen, as regarded their prices, never forgot that he was an emperor—though an exiled one. Among other occupations to while away the time that hung so heavily on his hands, Napoleon went in for gardening, and among the entries are found: "Four watering cans, £1 8s.; 2 pairs of pruners, £3; 2 axes, £4 10s."—prices which look as if the exile was simply regarded as a subject for feeding. "For mending the emperor's bed" £2 is charged.

Toward the end of his life Napoleon's nourishment consisted almost entirely of chickens, pigeons, and eggs, and there are numerous entries for medicines. In March, 1821, for instance, thirty bottles of sirup, one case of prunes, two cases of Burgundy plums; in April, ten bottles of sirup, eight dozen oranges, eight dozen lemons.—London Globe.

BAD CROP YEARS.

When Birds and Animals Do Not Mate at the Mating Season.

"When birds and animals do not mate at the mating season, it is a sign that a bad year is coming," said a farmer.

"Quails, gophers, rabbits and squirrels all refuse to mate in certain years. These years afterward turn out to be bad ones. The quails are particularly weather-wise. By instinct the little wild creatures know that for lack of rain or for some other reason there is to be a grass famine and a food famine, and instead of pairing off and mating and setting up housekeeping in little families of two, they remain unmated in the large bands in which they have flown all winter, living, as it were, a kind of apartment house life. That year inevitably turns out a bad one, though the bachelor and spinster quails, with a good deal of picking and scratching, manage to get enough to eat. But to feed families of little ones in such a famine year would be impossible."

"In California the squirrels in a famine year not only do not mate; they do not even live. They become dormant. As by a miracle, they remain dormant until a season of plenty comes with the next winter's rains."—Exchange.

For Her Welfare.

Mrs. Goodheart had made up her mind that most of the so-called charity of the present day was not, strictly speaking, charity at all. Whoever gave, she had concluded, did so for the pleasant sensation of seeing his or her name figure on subscription lists, and she did not agree with this estimation.

"Here, my good man," she said one day last week to a man who had begged alms of her, "here is a threepenny piece, and please to understand that I do not give this because I hope to be rewarded for my charity some day, but because it gives me pleasure to do so."

The burly beggar looked dubiously at the tiny silver coin.

"Look 'ere, mum," he said. "In this 'ere wicked world we don't often get the chance to enjoy ourselves. Why not make it a shilling and 'ave a real good time?"—London Tit-Bits.

Important Correction.

Under the terror in France people learned to be excessively cautious in what they said and still more cautious in what they wrote.

An old letter is said to be in existence of the revolutionary period in which the author had at first written to a friend, "I write under the reign of a great emotion."

Then, apparently reflecting that it was dangerous to speak of "reigns" at such an epoch, he amended the sentence thus:

"I write under the republic of a great emotion."

Perseverance.

"That fellow Mulkey you were engaged to at one time may have some of your old love letters, may he not?" asked the husband. "And aren't you afraid he might be old enough to?"

"Not a bit," replied the wife decisively. "He knows I've got a trunkful of his love letters to reciprocate if he ever does."

Helped His Ambition.

"Thank you, judge," said the prisoner sentenced to thirty days on bread and water.

"Seeing that the magistrate was puzzled, he explained that he long had desired to try the simple life but lacked the courage to begin."

An Exception.

Mrs. Peagreen is always an unlucky number? Not when you hold all of the trumps in a game of whist.

Diagnosis.

Knicker—My wife says she feels like an old rag. Bocker—Then the only cure is to buy her some new ones.—New York Sun.

RAW BLEEDING SCALY ECZEMA

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"My mother-in-law begged me to try Cuticura. I said I would, but had no hope of recovery. But oh, what a blessed relief I experienced after applying Cuticura Ointment. It cooled the bleeding and itching flesh, and brought me the first real sleep in weeks. It was as grateful as ice to a burning tongue. I would bathe with warm water and Cuticura Soap, then apply the Ointment freely, and took the Resolvent for the blood. Soon the sores stopped running, the flesh began to heal, my hair started to grow, and in a short time this, tell me to write to me.—Mrs. Wm. Hunt, 135 Thomas St., Newark, N. J., Jan. 11, 1905."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for every humor, from Pimples to Scalds, from Itch to Ringworm, from Eczema to Skin Cancer, and from all other skin diseases. Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent (also known as Cuticura Pills in vial only) may be had of all druggists. A single box and bottle costs 25c. Sold by mail free. How to Cure Every Humour.

Some Amusing Blunders.

Of a well known reporter of a past generation many curiosities of style are still repeated with zest by Dublin journalists. It was this man who explained, describing a case of drowning of Dalkey: "The body was washed ashore by a receding wave." Of a fugitive from justice, he wrote: "The burglar was surrounded on all sides by the police. Escape was impossible. Suddenly he made his way down a cul-de-sac and disappeared through a side street." The most popular story of this impressionist writer, however, relates to Mr. Gladstone. On the Grand Old Man's one and only visit to Dublin he was interviewed by the eccentric press man, Mr. Gladstone, at the conclusion of a somewhat amusing array of questions, very courteously expressed his pleasure at meeting the interviewer. The latter, in a high state of delight, said with enthusiasm: "The pleasure is mutual, Mr. Gladstone. But it is all on my side."

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All dealers sell it. Be sure and ask for DR. FOWLER'S and accept no substitute.

SICKENED OF COMPETITION.

British Steel Tube Manufacturers Will Agree on Prices.

Glasgow, Sept. 13.—It is announced that a combination of Scotch and English steel tube manufacturers to regulate the home and export business has been formed, with a view to abolishing the present keen competition.

The industry has suffered incalculably since the previous agreement between the firms in this line was cancelled 18 months ago.

It is understood now that the combine is wider in its scope than the old, taking in all the firms in the United Kingdom except one Clyde-side concern.

It is stated that the American producers are supporting the combine, and that an advance in prices will soon be announced.

Experience is the best teacher. Housekeepers, who have tried them all, say WINDSOR TABLE SALT is the perfect table salt.

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"MONEY TO BURN AND WE BURN IT"

For the Benefit of the Order, Says Dr. Oronhyatekha.

Home Life Concluded—Counsel Instructed—But Witness Denies—Ex-Manager Pattison Tells Mr. Tilley That He Did Not "Divide" With Mr. Stratton, and Never Said So—Dr. Oronhyatekha's Evidence.

Toronto, Sept. 15.—At the beginning of the morning session of the Royal Insurance Commission yesterday, Dr. Oronhyatekha wished a statement made to the Insurance Department, giving the history of the bill, which was the cause of the opposition of the Department at the time the bill providing for the Dominion charter put on record. He claimed the statement to be accurate, as proved by an event, Mr. Stratton acquiesced, and the statement was put on record and will be gone into later.

Counsel continued the reading of the memorial, and discussing same with the chief ranger.

The witness took objection to many of the ideas set forth by the committee. He contended that the impression was made that the Foresters had not an assessment system, which was erroneous.

Certain correspondence in reference to the issuing of certificates by the Insurance Department, between Mr. Fitzgerald and Hon. George E. Foster, was read. Witness explained that in some of the United States the order was not recognized as a fraternal society, and the order wanted a certificate from Mr. Fitzgerald to show that they were.

Illinois, he said, had not allowed them to do business inside the state, because Ontario prevented any foreign society entering its confines.

Then the method used might was that Illinois fraternal societies be admitted to Canada?

"Yes, and we got it under section 40, when Canadian territory was thrown open. Only Ontario had the exclusion act."

On Dec. 23, 1891, an application was made for registration on the assessment plan. The society did so to get inspection.

"Did Mr. Fitzgerald report and your attempt to get what you wanted?"

"No. Nothing in it shows that our system is wrong."

"Money to Burn."

In 1895 the order sought an amendment to their act. It was again opposed by the Department, and some of the old line companies, though not so bitterly.

"I presume they had enough sense to know it was a waste of time," said Dr. Oronhyatekha, who first said the old line companies did not oppose the bill, but he was reminded by Mr. Hunter, his assistant, that three representatives of the companies were lobbying against the bill.

"Two, Mr. McGillivray, the secretary, and myself. I believe Mr. Laidlaw also helped us."

Mr. Shepley then read from a memorandum the objections to the bill. It showed that insurance literature of the order said that no assessments were made on deaths. This seemed to conflict with the "safety clause" giving power to assess if there happened to be no surplus.

The witness said that no such assessments had been made, and that he had never been in sight of such a necessity.

"We have money to burn, and we burn it for the benefit of the order," he said.

He also stated that the power to levy the assessments under the safety clause had been modified so that this may be done not only if there is absolutely no surplus, but no available surplus.

Mr. Shepley took up certain articles written against this plan of insurance. The witness said that the history of the Foresters had put actual loss of the old line companies in a very bad light.

Expenses Compared.

The following expense sheet of the order in comparison with other companies was handed to Mr. Shepley by the witness and put in as an exhibit.

All Canadian companies:

Number of policies in force Dec. 31, 1895, 698; amount of insurance, \$404,004,860; expense per policy, \$1541; expense per \$1,000 in force, \$14.13.

Number of certificates, including sickness, 278,788; amount of insurance, \$248,801,000; expense per policy, \$2,100; expense per \$1,000 in force, \$23.35.

Witness was asked the reasons why in a business like the Foresters how reserves were compulsory.

"We pay no surrender value, and, therefore, we do not require an excess of premium. What we require is a premium rate barely exceeding the cost of risk so that in after years the risks are carried on the same principle as the old line companies, and the no dividend to earn for stockholders is an element in the reduction of cost. Then again the benefit of a medical selection makes considerable difference."

Continuing, Oronhyatekha said that the fraternal society had a better chance than the old line company because they would deliberately accept impaired lives by charging a higher rate or adding 16 years. The mortality rates were therefore greatly increased. Witness also pointed out that the Foresters had the power to terminate a member's policy of the order under certain circumstances, such as drunkenness.

Mr. Shepley went over many tables in company with the witness, who pointed out the various advantages the Foresters' tables had.

Home Life Concluded.

The enquiry into the Home Life was concluded in the afternoon. Mr. Pattison said Mr. Stratton made a verbal agreement with him that the price should be \$30,000, and the sum was fixed six weeks or two months prior to the date of the agreement, Oct. 12. No suggestion had been made to witness that he should pay any part of the \$30,000 to the People's Life, from the start of the negotiations.

Who was the first person to mention the amount to you on Oct. 12?" asked Mr. Tilley.

"Mr. Stratton."

"What did he say?"

"You will have to reduce the amount from \$30,000 to \$20,000, and I did not agree at first. It was on the way to the bank that the amount was accepted. There was no discussion."

"Did Stratton want the \$10,000 for himself?"

"No."

"Did you not tell a director that you had to divide with Mr. Stratton?"

"No."

"Will you swear that?"

"Yes."

"Did you leave any inference?"

"No, although I told a director that I had to pay some brokerage."

"What broker?"

"Commission, I mean."

"To whom?"

"Mr. McPhillips."

"How much?"

"\$1,500."

"Who is McPhillips?"

"A reporter on an insurance journal."

"Did he originate the deal?"

"Yes."

"Why did you not tell us this before?"

"I was never asked."

"Who commenced the deal?"

"Certainly you were asked?" retorted Mr. Tilley. "Who commenced the deal?"

"Mr. McPhillips."

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"Yes."

"Did he know you got private money?"

"The transaction between Mr. Stratton and myself was not private."

"Did you tell McPhillips you were getting \$30,000?"

"No."

"How is it possible that you said something to this director to leave the inference as to the money?"

"It might be, although those are all the payments I made out of the \$30,000."

Mr. Tilley went into the transaction at the bank. Witness received \$30,000, and \$22,220, in Traders' Bank \$50,000, and \$22,220, in \$1,000 and \$500 bills, from Mr. Stratton. He did not know where Mr. Stratton got the money. The money was handed to witness in a roll of bills, which Mr. Stratton had apparently already counted.

Mr. Pattison deposited the money in three different banks.

"Why was the money divided in that way? Did you want it known you had that amount of money?"

"I had no objection."

"How do you know that Stratton had the other \$10,000?"

"I did not."

Witness told Mr. Stratton that he was discharging some of the \$20,000 for the stock, but did not tell him the amount he was giving away, although he did not mislead him. He gave Mr. Stratton the impression that it wasn't all profit he was getting after the \$30,000 deal was agreed upon.

Mr. Pattison denied that he told Mr. Stratton he was paying quite a sum to his directors, and to the directors that he was dividing up with Mr. Stratton.

A Post Entry.

Mr. Stratton was recalled again. The Peterboro' bank book was produced and examined by Mr. Tilley.

"I see the \$10,000 cheque written in here. When was it written in?"

"It was entered yesterday. I telephoned the teller to get the book and bring it here. He found the entry was not there and he inserted it."

Mr. McLaughlin spoke out and said that no inference could be made that there was anything wrong because the totals were correct. Judge MacTavish accepted the explanation.

The evidence on where the money came from, and how Stratton got it, and how much it was, and the number of bills, and how Pattison got it, and where he got it, and McCutcheon's agreement, etc., was all rehearsed.

Mr. Stratton denied that he ever intended to keep the \$10,000, although he deposited it in an account that was \$10,000 overdrawn.

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What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Mrs. Ainsley it will do for every sick and ailing woman.

If you have symptoms, you don't understand write to Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free and always helpful.

Good-Bye to Zion.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—John Alexander Dowle Sunday announced a farewell service at Shiloh for next Sunday. Immediately after this service he will leave for Mexico. It is not expected that he will ever see Zion City again.

Cheese Factory Burned.

Peterboro, Sept. 18.—The cheese factory at Melrose Abbey, owned by Andrew Matheson, was burned by the ground Sunday. The fire is believed to have originated from a spark of a passing traction engine.

Persia's New Council.

Teheran, Persia, Sept. 18.—According to an ordinance just published, the new Persian National Council will consist of 156 members. It will be represented by 60 members, while the provinces will send 96.

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Strike on the Wabash.

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—General Manager Henry Miller of the Wabash road stated yesterday: "Boilermakers, blacksmith and machinists, to the total number of about 300, went on strike at Moberly, Mo., Port Wayne, Ind., and Springfield, Ill., yesterday, without notice, after having refused an offer of arbitration. "These men leaving will not affect the handling of business."

Nature "makes all things beautiful in their time." Every one of life's seasons, when life moves on Nature's lines, has its own charm and beauty. Many women dread that period when they must experience a change of life. They feel that face and form may suffer by the change, and that they may fail to please those whom they love. The value of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription in this crisis of woman's life lies in the fact that it assists Nature. Its use preserves the balance and buoyancy of the mind and sustains the physical powers. Many women have expressed their gratitude for the help and comfort given by Favorite Prescription in this trying period. Its benefits are not passing but permanent and conduce to mental happiness as well as physical strength.

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He laughs loudest who laughs at his own jokes.

TREPPOFF IN DEATH STILL RULES.

Over 100 People Rejoicing at His Demise, Placed Under Arrest.

Odessa, Sept. 18.—Upwards of one hundred persons were arrested here yesterday for rejoicing over the death of Gen. Treppoff in too public a manner.

The funeral of the late Gen. Dimitri Treppoff will take place Wednesday morning. In accordance with the desires of the deceased, the ceremony will be conducted in the most simple manner, consistent with official usage. The body will be interred in the chapel attached to the palace at Peterhof.

The appointment of Gen. Dedoulin to succeed Gen. Treppoff has been made permanent as "acting commandant." He is too low in the official hierarchy to receive the full title.

Bullets For the Judge.

Warsaw, Poland, Sept. 18.—Gen. Doroshevsky, president of the court-martial which, on Sept. 15, condemned two revolutionaries to death by hanging, was shot at and wounded in the thigh while driving here yesterday.

Berlin, Sept. 18.—Despatch to The Lokai Anzeiger from Hamburg, says that Count Witte, ex-Premier of Russia, was operated upon Sunday for the fifth time by Prof. Spieser for polyp of the nose.

SIR EDWARD CHICHESTER DEAD.

British Admiral Who Stood by Dewey in Manila Bay.

Gibraltar, Sept. 18.—Rear Admiral Sir Edward Chichester, who commanded the British squadron at Manila during the Spanish-American war, died here yesterday of pneumonia, after an illness of a few days.

Rear Admiral Chichester was chief of the sea transport service during the South African war. His work in transporting a quarter of a million men 5,000 miles to South Africa won him great praise.

It was Sir Edward Chichester who, according to report, "stood by" the Americans in Manila Bay at a time when friction between Admiral Dewey and the German commander seemed likely to lead to serious consequences.

One account of the affair, printed in a London paper, said that "when the American and German fleets were grinning defiance at each other in parallel lines, their decks cleared for action, Capt. Chichester solidly steered the British squadron between them, giving, indeed, an exhibition of calmness, tact and nautical good humor that probably saved a battle which would have resulted in disaster to the peace of the world."

FENCE IN HOTELS.

Keenness Object to Prosecution by the Provincial Inspector.

Tara, Sept. 18.—Last week Provincial Inspector Ayeas for local option municipalities, arrived in Tara and searched two hotels, securing liquor to the value of about \$70.

In the Police Court Friday, both hotelkeepers pleaded guilty and were fined \$50 and costs and the liquor was destroyed.

On Saturday the hotelmen fenced in their property and will not accommodate the traveling public in any way. The temperance people intend to take care of travelers until such times as the hotelkeepers are ready to open their houses.

WORK SUSPENDED.

Strike in Winnipeg Ties Up a Million Dollars in Buildings.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—Building operations in Winnipeg are entirely suspended.

The building inspector states that \$1,000,000 in city buildings is tied up. A union committee was formed to wait on the city council and the Legislature later on if necessary to try and induce master plumbers to arbitrate.

Almost Killed by Dog.

Hamilton, Sept. 18.—Mrs. P. W. Burrows, 501 East Cannon street, was almost worried to death Sunday by a big St. Bernard dog. The brute thought Mrs. Burrows was going to attack his mistress, Mrs. Williams, and sprang on Mrs. Burrows, knocking her down and tearing her arm, breast and hand. The owner, Peter Williams, labored the dog over the head with a big shovel, but it paid no attention to him. Mrs. Burrows is in a serious condition, but Dr. Wickham has some hope of saving her life. It was thought at first that her arm would have to be amputated, but the doctor says he will be able to save the limb. The dog was shot.

Deckhand's Foot Cut Off.

Hamilton, Sept. 18.—Yesterday morning Thomas Hawley, a deck hand on the Macassa was the victim of a peculiar accident. As the boat was tying up at the beach pier, he got his foot caught in the rope and his foot was cut off at the ankle, dropping on to the deck. He was taken to the city hospital where the leg was amputated.

A 'Quake at Sea.

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—The lumber laden ship Robert Seales has arrived from Tacoma and northern ports. Capt. Pitts, in command, says a severe disturbance of the water was felt on the morning of Sept. 14. The cargo and upper works of the vessel were shaken. The length of the shock was 22 minutes.

Running in Two Months.

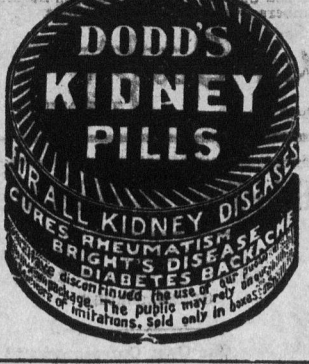
Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—A contract for building a line from the land selected for the G. T. P. shops, four miles east of St. Boniface, was awarded yesterday and within the office for the G. T. P. engines will be running in two months.

Publisher Aiken Hurt.

Saskatoon, Sask., Sept. 18.—J. A. Aiken, publisher of The Phoenix, is slowly recovering from a fall by which he fractured a rib. He has been able to get down to the office for the past two days, after a retirement of ten days.

Steamer Sinks in Pigeon Bay.

Detroit, Sept. 18.—By hitting an obstruction off Point Pelee, in Lake Erie, in Canadian waters Sunday, the steamer Charles B. Packard, upbound, coal laden, drove a hole in her bottom and sank in Pigeon Bay.



O. J. C. FALL MEET.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—Yesterday at the O. J. C.'s fall meeting the weather was clear and the track fast. The record: First race—3-4 mile, 2-year-olds and up—1. Lieber; 2. Toots Mook; 3. Scarlett. Time, 1:13.

Second race—5-1-2 furlongs, 2-year-olds—1. Reside; 2. Fire Alarm; 3. Irene A. Time, 1:07 2-5.

Third race—1 mile, all ages—1. Ormonde's Right; 2. Royal Window; 3. Peter Paul. Time, 1:30.

Fourth race—4 mile, 4-year-olds and up—1. Bert Ostr; 2. Blue Coat; 3. Garrett Wilson. Time, 1:13 2-5.

Fifth race—2 miles, 3-year-olds and up, September Steeplechase—1. Gold Run; 2. Bery Waddell; 3. Howard Lewis. Time, 4:12 2-5.

Sixth race—11-16 miles, 3-year-olds and up—1. Granada; 2. Anna Day; 3. Bequest. Time 1:48 2-5.

After Forty Years.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—President Hay of the Bible Society has retired after forty years' service.

THE PUBLIC IS OFTEN FAKED.

Unscrupulous dealers, actuated by large profits, often recommend corn cures "as good as Putnam's," he says, "is only one genuine corn extractor, and that is Putnam's Pain-Ex, which is a model of efficiency and promptness. Use no other."

46 Bushels to the Acre.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—The biggest yield of wheat per acre for the province for this year, was threshed on William Wilson's farm, north of Bolasavon, off 16 acres of back setting. Wilson got 46 bushels per acre. The wheat was grown from red life seed, costing \$1 per bushel.

GREAT SPECIALISTS IN STOMACH CATARRH.

Though often they fail to give even temporary relief, Mr. W. Seymour of Huntsville, Ont., cured himself with Ferrozene. "My trouble," he says, "was chronic catarrh of the stomach. There was constant bad taste in my mouth, I was weak and usually nauseated before and after meals. I also had a gnawing sensation in the stomach. Ferrozene gave me great relief, and I also used Ferrozene, which is a good food for catarrh. Although it took a number of boxes of Ferrozene, I got back my health and to-day am quite well." For stomach catarrh, indigestion and kindred disorders nothing excels Ferrozene. In a thousand cases it has proved a wonderful success. Try it yourself, 50c. per box at all dealers.

Labor Congress Meets.

St. John, N. B., Sept. 13.—The fourth annual meeting of the National Trades and Labor Congress of Canada opened here formally Sunday. In a gathering of 80 delegates present, Mayor Sears welcomed the visitors.

New General Staff.

London, Sept. 13.—Mr. Minister Balfour last night issued an army order formally constituting a general staff in accordance with the recommendations of the British military system.

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A TRIPLE WELCOME.

82nd Annual Communication of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., Greeted in Toronto.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—The public welcome tendered the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., yesterday morning in the Legislative Chamber of the Ontario Parliament Buildings was an evidence that the 82nd Communication of that organization was now in full swing.

No more royal welcome was ever tendered the delegates of any convention than that given yesterday morning. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity with representatives from the Grand Lodges and members of Rebekah Assembly.

A Triple Welcome.

Those who delivered the addresses of welcome were: Hon. P. Whitney, Prime Minister of Ontario, in behalf of the province; His Worship, Emerson Coatsworth, Mayor of Toronto, in behalf of the city; J. J. Graham, chairman of the Civic Reception Committee; W. S. Johnston, Grand Master for Ontario; Joseph Powley, Grand Patriarch for Ontario; and Miss Ida J. Robbins, president of the Rebekah Assembly, in behalf of the order in this jurisdiction.

Owing to the temporary indisposition of the Grand Sire, Hon. Robt. E. Wright, Deputy Grand Sire E. S. Cony was responded to the addresses of welcome.

Cantons Complete.

Three cantons of 27 men each, including captain and two lieutenants, completed in the drilling competition. These were from Detroit, Toledo and Washington. The evolutions were little short of marvelous and the experts were cheered to the echo by the large crowd of spectators at the Exhibition grounds.

Those unacquainted with the possibilities of fancy drill yesterday's exhibition was a revelation. The judges will give their decision to-day. The first prize is \$750, and the second prize \$250.

To-day at 9:30 four cantons will enter into competition in class B, assuming at 8:30. The Patriarchs Militant Band of the 3rd Regiment, Department of Pennsylvania, will provide music.

The formal ceremony of opening the camp took place about 1 p. m. when a handsome large tri-color of purple, red and white, was floated to the breeze from the official flagstaff in the presence of Gen. M. A. Ragan and Col. W. S. Johnston, who is camp commandant of Camp Wright. There was thus allowed opportunity for any "flag incident," the tri-color, which is the emblem of the Patriarchs Militant, being innocent of any unpleasant possibilities.

The ceremony, which was concluded by a few words from Major-General Harris, expressive of feelings of international amity, was conducted in the presence of about 1,000 Oddfellows.

Official Reports.

The report of the grand sire and commander-in-chief, R. E. Wright, stated that except for the San Francisco earthquake the year had been one of unexampled prosperity for the order.

Grand Secretary J. B. Goodwin compared the growth since the last convention in Toronto in 1880, when the active membership of subordinate lodges was 440,153, as against 1,278,065 now.

The total membership of encampments was 185,370 at the end of 1905, and the net gain over the previous year, 7,531; the total Rebekah membership, 28,232, the net gain over the previous year being 27,234; the net gain of Rebekah lodges 322,647; the net gain of sisters being 19,171; and the net gain of brothers of Rebekah lodges 8,053, the net gain in all of the above branches being 25,875.

The total contribution for the relief of Oddfellows in San Francisco was \$208,781.18.

The report of the grand treasurer, W. R. Muckle, showed receipts amounting to \$181,123.48, which included a cash balance from last year of \$70,174.43, and expenditure of \$71,840.55, leaving a balance in banks to credit of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of \$109,262.93.

Every train yesterday brought delegates, but the big crowd is expected to-morrow, when at least 20,000 will come in for the parade. Meanwhile the downtown streets are becoming gay with bunting.

Saved by a Miracle.

Port Arthur, Sept. 18.—Engineer Dohm, Fireman W. Muir and Brakeman Groves of the Canadian Northern, were on a wheat train coming from the west. While crossing a bridge west of here the structure suddenly gave way and the train went into a ravine 50 feet deep. On top of the engine were 16 cars of loaded grain and there was nothing but a great pile of debris to float where the accident had taken place. The men in the engine escaped almost without injury.

Would Betray If It Dared.

London, Sept. 18.—(C. A. P.)—The Churchill letter to Hamar Greenwood appears in the London and provincial newspapers. The Globe says that not all the piteous appeals of newly converted under secretaries to Hamar Greenwood will alter the "colonial conviction that radicalism would betray them if it dared."

Three After the Seat.

St. John, Que., Sept. 13.—A convention of Liberals was held last night to choose a candidate for the House of Commons. J. S. Maclell, K. C., G. Marchand and Joseph Demers are the aspirants.

Seventeen delegates were named to meet to-day and make a choice.

Million Lost by Storm.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 18.—Late reports show that the storm of Saturday night and Sunday washed out about 25 miles of railroad track within a radius of 50 miles of this city. Thousands of acres of grain and corn were damaged, and many buildings destroyed. The damage is estimated at \$1,000,000.

Made in St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, Sept. 18.—The made-in-St. Thomas exhibition opened last night with a brilliant military display at the Granite rink, which is handsomely decorated. The booths, which number over a hundred, represent all the leading manufacturers in the city.

THE IVORY MARKET.

Tasks by the Acre Exhibited at the Big London Docks.

One of the sights of London is the great ivory floor at the London docks, where previous to and during the periodical sales ivory may be seen literally by the acre, for the tusks are laid out in lots on the floor of one of the great warehouses for inspection by intending purchasers. For weeks previous to the actual sale the special staff of the ivory department has been busy preparing the various consignments and arranging them according to the sizes and quality and classing them into the various grades, each of which has some particular use for which it is especially adapted.

There is practically no waste in the manufacturing of articles from ivory. The smallest chip is not thrown away, but carefully preserved to be utilized for some purpose. Even the shavings from the turning down of a billiard ball have a market value for use in in-laid work. Consequently the lots in an ivory sale by no means consist of tusks and sections of tusks alone, but include the residue from many previous sales. Buyers purchase the particular class that they require for their own individual industry and subsequently return what in most other materials would be waste to be resold to manufacturers of a different class of goods.

Though there is "no waste," oddly enough the most important consideration, from a buyer's point of view, is "how much waste" will a certain lot produce in the course of transforming it into his own particular line. Thus a lot that would be dear to one would be a gift to another, and vice versa. The most valuable class of ivory is that suitable for making billiard balls.

To conform to the requirements the tusk must be perfectly sound and solid, without the slightest suspicion of a crack or flaw, and, moreover, they must measure only a trifle more than the regulation size billiard ball or they will cut to waste, from the manufacturer's point of view. On the arrival of a consignment of unworked elephant ivory from abroad the first preparation for the sale floor consists of a thorough cleaning of the interior or hollow part of the tusk. This is done by means of wads attached to long sticks. The exact length of the hollow is thereby revealed, and in addition cracks and flaws that cannot be observed on the exterior are at times disclosed. Soundness is the one thing that sways every class of buyer; flaws mean waste; waste means resale at a lower figure per pound.

The formal ceremony of opening the camp took place about 1 p. m. when a handsome large tri-color of purple, red and white, was floated to the breeze from the official flagstaff in the presence of Gen. M. A. Ragan and Col. W. S. Johnston, who is camp commandant of Camp Wright. There was thus allowed opportunity for any "flag incident," the tri-color, which is the emblem of the Patriarchs Militant, being innocent of any unpleasant possibilities.

The ceremony, which was concluded by a few words from Major-General Harris, expressive of feelings of international amity, was conducted in the presence of about 1,000 Oddfellows.

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AS STAGE DRIVER

George Walker Accepts A New Position in Blenheim-Holiday Visitors

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Blenheim, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Hector McDonald and two children, of Whitehead, visited at Mrs. Geo. H. Lane's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker will move into Blenheim very shortly. Mr. Walker will drive the stage between here and Morpeth.

On Friday, Sept. 14th, the wife of H. Brackett, Jr., of a son.

Mrs. Baker, Sr., and Mrs. Gray, St. Thomas, are visiting at Mr. L. Baker's.

Mrs. Fred. Alexander, Detroit, is visiting at Mrs. Lyman Patterson's.

Rev. Mr. Colborne, Toronto, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church on Sunday. He will lecture on What we owe to the Reformation on Wednesday evening in the school room of the church.

Mr. E. Jones is confined to the

house, suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. F. S. Bounsell, Chatham, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. E. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Beemer, Taylor, have been visiting her father, Mr. Jos. Steward.

Miss Hathaway, Painesville, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. Colborne.

Mr. James Bevan, of Minneapolis, has been visiting at T. W. Pearson's, Talbot street.

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Gerald Chubb, Well Known Here, Goes To Rossland—Typhoid In Wallaceburg

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Wallaceburg, Sept. 18.—Mr. Geo. Crawford left yesterday to spend his holidays in points east.

The young daughter of Will Clifford is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Gerald Chubb, of the Bank of Montreal, has been moved to Rossland, B. C., and left on Saturday for his new post.

Mr. T. Redpath, of Chatham, is doing business in town.

The work on the new Library is being pushed as rapidly as possible and the building will soon be completed, although there is still much work to be done.

Mr. B. Flynn spent Sunday with friends in Chatham.

Miss Minnie Dunlop and brother, James, called on Chatham friends last Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. Donnelly and family, of Superior, Wisconsin, are visiting relatives in and around town for a few days.

Mr. M. J. Hurley left this morning to take a six weeks' course of treatment in the London Hospital.

George Barry has gone to Toronto on a business trip.

Miss Margaret Barry left yesterday to visit friends and relatives in Chatham.

IN THAMESVILLE

Many Visitors Who Come and Go—Special Church Services Will Be Held

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Thamesville, Sept. 18.—Prof. Burgess conducted services in the Church of the Advent last night. He will remain in town.

Miss Bird Ripley returned to Chatham to-day.

Helen Richards, from Detroit, is spending some time with Miss Maggie Kelly.

Anniversary services in the Methodist Church will be held on the 23rd of October.

Miss Kaiser leaves to-day for Toronto, and will assume her duties in Woodbridge on Wednesday.

Mr. McDonald and his family have removed here from Toronto.

Charles Watts is employing many hands for apple picking.

Edward Griffith has resumed his duties as operator at the G. T. R. station, after a holiday spent at his home in Chatham.

Mr. Gardiner and family are removing to West Lorne.

Miss Annie Cryderman is able to be out again.

F. H. Hohn, who is taking Manager Edsall's place in the bank here, spent Sunday in Bothwell.

F. Smythe, Bothwell, spent Saturday in town.

Miss Violet Albertson has returned from an extensive trip through the Western States.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McLarty passed through the village on their way to visit Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schout, Zone Centre.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoffman, Ridgetown, spent Sunday in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pie.

Miss Mary Galloway has accepted a good position with the T. Eaton Company, Toronto.

Miss Lillie Dubs is spending the day in town.

Next Sunday morning Rev. Mr. McInnis will conduct a Children's service in St. James Church.

The Public Library Board have decided to give a concert on Oct. 2nd and 3rd.

Fred Bambridge spent Sunday at his home here.

A number attended the sale at T. Syre's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Luke have returned from London.

Mrs. Smith and Miss Mae Smith returned yesterday from Western points.

Miss Kaiser sang solos in her usual pleasing manner in the Methodist Church on Sunday.

Miss K. Dillon spent Sunday at her home in Northwood.

Miss Atkinson, from Botany, spent Sunday in town the guest of Miss Anna Gage.

FALL FAIRS

Amherstburg—Oct. 2, 3.
Blenheim—Oct. 3, 4.
Bothwell's Corners—Sept. 20, 21.
Chatham—Sept. 25, 26, 27.
Comber—Sept. 28, 29.
Dresden—Oct. 4, 5.
Essex—Sept. 25, 26, 27.
Florence—Oct. 8, 9.
Glencoe—Sept. 25, 26.
Hightate—Oct. 5, 6.
Marlin—Oct. 2, 3.
Muncey—Oct. 9, 10, 11.
Ridgetown—Oct. 8, 9 and 10.
Thamesville—Oct. 2, 3.
Wheatley—Oct. 10, 11.
Wallaceburg—Oct. 2, 3.
Alvinston—Oct. 2, 3.
Brighton—Oct. 1, 2.
Brimley—Oct. 9, 10.
Petticoat—Sept. 20, 21.
Sarnia—Sept. 24, 25, 26.
St. Thomas—Sept. 18.

I have lived to thank God that all my prayers have not been answered.

BUSINESS CHANGE

Grocery and Flour Business In Dresden Sold—Mrs. Sturgis Recovering

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Dresden, Sept. 17.—Mrs. Lewis, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Davies, returned to her home in Leamington on Saturday. Miss Abbie Davies accompanied Mrs. Lewis as far as Chatham.

Mr. Somerville, of Orangeville, who lately purchased the grocery and flour business of Emerson Meadows, has resold it to Mr. McIntyre, the photographer, who will conduct both stands.

Mrs. Steve Sturgis, wife of County Commissioner Sturgis, who has been quite ill, is slowly recovering.

Miss Oldham, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday at her home here.

Mr. A. Y. Snider, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been moved to Senfouth. Mr. Snider will be much missed in social circles here.

Mr. Kent is to take his position.

Miss Anna McDonald spent Sunday with friends in Chatham.

Mrs. Robinson and Miss Cuthbert were Chatham visitors on Saturday.

Arthur Grover left for London Monday morning after a week's visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Watson.

Mrs. Russell Aikin and son Robert returned to Windsor on Saturday after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. Aikin.

Mrs. T. Laird and son Ian spent Saturday in Chatham.

Miss Grace Miller returned to Port Huron on Saturday evening after visiting Mrs. Leroy Miller in Florence.

Miss May Miller, of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Miller, Mrs. McCreary and Dr. and Mrs. Kelly, of Florence, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Willson over Sunday.

Born, on Saturday, Sept. 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Abe Baxter, a daughter.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Capt. Ribble. Addresses will be given by Mrs. Samson and Mrs. Nicol.

Mrs. G. A. Sherrin will give an At Home on Wednesday afternoon to the married ladies in honor of her

MILLINERY SHOW

Dresden Opens up the Season with the First Opening of the Present Year.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Dresden, Sept. 18.—Robert Aikin, the popular merchant, held a fall opening Tuesday and Wednesday to allow their customers to see the newest fabrics and designs in dress goods and rugs and curtains. The goods in this large store were most artistically arranged. On the first floor were found the staple dry goods, ladies coats, etc. The dress goods are displayed on the ledge against a background of white not relieved by colored tinting. The principal cloths shown for ladies' wear are grey tweed mixtures and venetians. Plaid and checked silks occupy the centre ledge.

A special line of chiffon taffetas being shown. One show case was especially attractive with its striped black and white ribbons, fancy collars and cuff sets. New cushion tops in all designs were shown. Upholstery all the designs were shown. Upholstery all the designs were shown.

Special mention should be made of several extra large velvet rugs in excellent colorings and of lace curtains of finest Brussels and Florentine net in the newest patterns.

Mr. Draper, head of the dressmaking department, showed several models of advanced fall and winter styles. Altogether the opening was a decided success. Mr. Aikin and his son, assisted by the large staff of clerks, should be very proud of the high standard of excellence which their store maintains.

Wm. Ward left for Toronto on Tuesday morning, where he will visit his son, Wm. Ward, Jr.

Mrs. Charles Peate, of Sarnia, Mr. and Mrs. Babcock, of Montreal, and Mr. Tom Smith and son and daughter, of Chatham, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Hicks.

Mrs. Jesse Rable has returned from attending her brother's funeral in Marlatt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McE. Murray, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, entertained Mr. Peace, manager of Dominion Bank, and Mr. J. C. Tassie at dinner on Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. Chater, of Windsor, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Sims, 4th concession.

Rev. Mr. Humphrey, late of Rutherford, was in town on Monday.

Miss Edna Johnson, of Port Lambton, is the guest of Mrs. N. Loucks.

The ladies of Christ Church will give a concert on Oct. 5th.

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sister and friend, who are visiting here.

Mr. Edwin Hughes, of Kalamazoo, Mich., left on Saturday for the Theological College. He has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith here.

Mr. Harold Watson has severed his connection with Wright & Hughes and is employed in the Austin store.

Miss Helen Watson will attend the Convent this year in Chatham.

Miss Kathleen McVean left on Monday for Toronto to attend the Presbyterian Ladies College.

Harvest home services will be held in Christ Church next Sunday.

The town clergymen are in great demand for conducting anniversary services in the surrounding country churches. Mr. Lindsay will preach next Sabbath in Rutherford Presbyterian church, and the following week in Oil City. Mr. Langford preached

in Tupperville last Sunday and in Shiloh this Sunday. Both ministers are very popular in these circuits.

What might have been a serious accident occurred on Monday evening at the corner of Main and St. George streets, where the new Commerce building is being erected, when Mr. McLeod and Mr. Hamilton, the two new bank clerks, slipped and fell into the excavation, where foundation is being placed. Mr. McLeod sprained his wrist severely and Mr. Hamilton was severely bruised. Fortunately no bones were broken.

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