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AMONG THE LARGE NUMBER OF CARPET "RECRUITS"

which enlisted in the "army" of our Spring stock was a "regiment" of Tapestries for variety, beauty and quality we have never seen their superior, but the "brunt" of our spring trade has fallen on other lines and outside of some "skirmishing" the tapestries have not seen active selling. The Commander in chief has ordered them to the "front" and the low-price position which they will occupy for the next few days means that every piece will receive many a scar.

LISTEN TO THE ROLL CALL:

- No. 1 Company, 112 yards—design, floral and lace, colors rose, cream, green and grey.
108 yards—design, floral scroll, colors forest green, blue and cream.
136 yards—design, "Empire," colors pink, green and cream.
168 yards—design, floral, colors bronze, white and green.
57 yards—design, scroll, grey, rose and brown.
Regular 85c goods, with or without border.....73c per yard
- No. 2 Company, 145 yards—design, floral scroll, colors white, green, crimson and rose.
162 yards—design, floral, colors fawn, rose, bronze and green.
102 yards—design, floral, colors bronze, rose, cream and green.
Regular 75c goods, with or without border.....62c per yard
- No. 3 Company, 166 yards—design, foliage, colors bronze greens.
115 yards—design, floral, colors forest green, white and pink.
42 yards—design, floral, colors cream, salmon pink and blue.
Regular 65c goods, your choice for.....55c per yard
- No. 4 Company, 108 yards—design, floral, colors crimson, bronze and blue.
116 yards—design, floral, colors bronze, white and bronze green.
140 yards—design, floral, colors grey, blue and pink.
80 yards—design, scroll, colors green and gold.
30 yards—design, floral, colors wood shades.
20 yards—design, floral, colors dark greens.
61 yards—design, scroll, colors light cream and salmon pink.
Regular 60c goods, your choice for.....49c per yard

All made and laid without extra charge

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

IT WON'T LAST MUCH LONGER

The weather man says this cool spell of the last few days will soon be over and that seasonable weather will follow. Then we'll all be hunting cool comforts again while the thermometer is registering up near 80. So the following topics are for timely buying.

Negligee Shirts

In selections and varieties that simply cannot be beat. Everyone new. We are being complimented continually on our assortment of them, 50c to \$1.50.



Summer Underwear

For men that's just what it should be. Thoroughly reliable makes in every desirable style and fabric. Especial attention to giving a proper fit. The comforts of Underwear are unknown to a man until he is properly fitted—50c to \$1.50 per garment.

Straw Hats

You can count them by the thousands—and they're all 1900 ones, too—not one of last year's vintage in the store. There's satisfaction in knowing you are among new hats, isn't there? Then you are sure the shapes are correct, the brims the latest. The best values in Straw Hats in Chatham are here—25c to \$2.50 are the prices. Straw Hats for Children, Boys and Girls.

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FOR WEDNESDAY
10 doz. Straw Sailors,
reg. 35c and 40c,
special.....25c

Black Dress Goods

FOR WEDNESDAY
13 beautiful Trimmed
Hats, latest styles,
worth upto \$4.00,
special.....\$2.25

An immense gathering—a stock that embraces numberless weaves and designs, a stock from which the lover of black in dress may be satisfied. Dame fashion has again smiled with favor upon black and we have given Black Dress Goods the care and attention they are entitled to. Here are lines that you will do well to see before investing your money. The styles and prices are right.

Black Venetian Suiting, fine pure wool quality, full costume weight, 44 in. wide, worth 65c, our special price..... 50c	a handsome tailored suit, at per yd.....\$1.50	grain-de-poudre, armures, basket cloths, voles, melrose, etc., exceptional values at per yd. 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c, 90c and.....\$1.00
Black Venetian Cloth, smooth covert finish, fine heavy quality, 48 in. wide, extra value at..... 75c	French Poplins, rich firm cords, best black, smooth finish, warranted in wear, great values at per yd. 40c, 50c, 75c and.....\$1.00	Figured Melchairs, a choice range of these desirable goods for summer wear, beautiful new designs, rich bright lustrous finish, at per yd. 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 65c, 75c and..... 85c
Extra Quality Venetian Finish Broadcloth, rich raven black, worth \$1.25 yd., special at.....\$1.00	Black Serges, 25 pos. fine French and English serges, all pure wool and fast dyes, in fine, medium and wide twills, smooth bright finish, at per yd. 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c and 85c	Black Silk Grenadines are very popular this season, we are showing a splendid range in stripes, figures and checks, rich new styles, at per yd. 50c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$1.75 and.....\$2.25
Amazon Suitings, in jet blacks, suitable for mourning wear, find all-wool quality, 44 in. to 50 in. wide, very special at per yd. 50c, 75c and.....\$1.00	Fancy Blacks, a great variety in all the newest styles and weaves, treicots,	
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PRETORIA NOW OCCUPIED BY THE BRITISH.

PRETORIA HAS FALLEN.

Lord Roberts Announces His Entry Into the Transvaal Capital.

The City Taken Without Firing a Shot—President Kruger a Fugitive—The War Virtually Over Transvaal's Foreign Troops Turned Adrift Without Pay.



G. N. W. Bulletin.
London, June 5—It is officially announced that the British have occupied Pretoria.

BEFORE THE CAPTURE.

London, Tuesday, June 5, 3.20 a. m.—Official intelligence regarding what is transpiring outside Pretoria, there is little or nothing known. Lord Roberts is silent. Nevertheless, by piecing together items from various correspondents it would seem that Lord Roberts' immediate army is all employed north of Johannesburg, except one brigade, which is at Johannesburg, and that six columns are converging on Pretoria. An undated news agency message from Pretoria, via Lorenzo Marquez, June 4, says: "Pretoria is now invested by the British. No resistance will be offered. The city will be surrendered by the burghmaster as soon as a formal demand is made."

This message purports to come in cipher. President Kruger commands the telegraph eastward from Pretoria, and the telegraphic news from Pretoria to Lorenzo Marquez has ceased; but the messages of newspaper correspondents continue to pass to and fro on the railway. The latest to arrive at Lorenzo Marquez bring events at the capital down to a late hour Friday night. At that time, according to the sources of information, the military leaders had quite recovered from the panic, and had determined to defend the town. One message, which is dated June 1, says:—"Pretoria is full of strange burghers, but most of the commandoes are lagged outside. A great war council of generals has just concluded its deliberations. The decision as to the future military course has not been made known. Louis Botha and Delarey sat in the council."

Another despatch brought to Lorenzo Marquez by messengers, and dated at Pretoria, Friday, at midnight, says:—"The war council assumes the powers of the Government. Its members declare that the capital may still be successfully defended. One commando declared:—"With the help of God the hour will still come when Great Britain will acknowledge the independence of the two Repub-

lics. A tremendous change will yet come over the situation." Gen. Delarey said that Pretoria would be defended to the utmost, adding:—"There is every chance that we will yet beat the enemy out of the country."

WHERE IS KRUGER?

President Kruger is somewhere to the eastward, but is in constant wire communication with the leaders. There is, however, a deep feeling of anger against him on account of what is now called his unnecessary flight, and because he and the officials took all the gold and left their subordinates unpaid. The latest phase of public opinion is a marvellous revival of courage.

The Lorenzo Marquez correspondent of the Times telegraphing June 4, says:—"Lorenzo Marquez is swarming with foreigners who have been assisting the Boers up to a few days ago."



Honor of Gloria,
Vivat Victoria,
We have Pretoria,
God Save the Queen.

Now, like the proverbial rat, they are leaving the sinking ship. The more intelligent among them speak any way but favorably of the treatment they have received at the hands of the Boers. Many of them, after months of service in the field, find themselves practically penniless, for only in exceptional cases has any remuneration been granted them. This is contrary to the understanding on which many of them accepted service. The Germans, both civil and military, appear to be particularly disgusted with the conduct of the Transvaal Government. Not a few Irish-Americans, some of whom only recently joined, are returning to the United States."

Gerhard Heintzman

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TENDERS.

Separate and bulk tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned architects, up to 7 p. m., Monday, June 11, addressed to James and Edward Chinnick, Chatham township, for all trades, with or without master-tiles required in the erection of a two-story brick veneered residence. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and specifications to be had at the office of the architects,
JAMES L. WILSON & SON,
Architects,
JAS. AND EDWARD CHINNICK, Proprietors.

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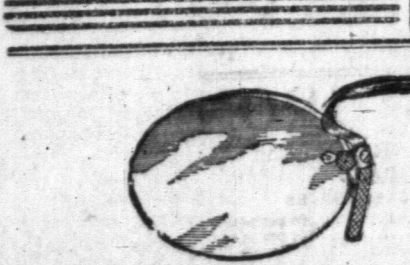
LOCAL BRIEFS

Bring out the bands.
What are you going to contribute to the parade?
Miss Nora Stephenson left for Toronto this afternoon.
The electric current for day service will be put on to-morrow.
The youngest son of Thos. Sullard is dangerously ill with pneumonia in both lungs.
Such an event as the fall of an enemy's capital may not occur again in a lifetime. Celebrate it accordingly.
His worship the Mayor expects every man to do his duty. He doesn't propose to proclaim holidays just to have people sit around and look at each other.
Miss Annie Smith, daughter of John Smith, River Road, is seriously ill with appendicitis at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Bedford, Colborne street.
Miss O'Neill, the sister of G. J. O'Neill, who has been engaged on the Separate school staff, for several years, has resigned her position. Miss O'Neill is one of the most efficient and popular members of the teaching staff and her resignation was received with much regret.
BASEBALL TO-MORROW.
The game of baseball that was to have been played in Port Huron to-morrow will be played here, in the Association grounds at 4:30.

DEATH OF MISS STRINGER.
There died at her father's residence, King St. west, one of Chatham's early settlers, children in the person of Miss Jennie Stringer, eldest child of Captain and Mrs. George Stringer, in her fifty-sixth year. In life she was a friend in sickness and distress. For the last six months she endured great suffering of body but died trusting in her Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. The funeral will leave the family residence at 2:30 on Thursday for Maple Leaf Cemetery. The brothers and sisters of the deceased are: J. B. Nelson, Co. K and Harry Stringer and Mrs. G. C. Martin, Chatham; Mrs. Alfred Legallais, Louisville station; Mrs. Wm. Cameron, Toronto; Mrs. Allan McNeale, Chatham Township; and Miss Sopronia at home.

GOT RECRUITS HERE.
This morning, shortly after 12 o'clock, the Lake Erie train came into the C. P. R. Station. It had on board the Kingsville Cavalry and the Leamington company of the Essex Fusiliers. The cavalry were joined here by Donald Douglas, Geoffrey O'Hara, and Norval Baxter. Shortly after 12:30, a C. P. R. special came in from the west with the rest of the Essex Fusiliers. The contingent that came via Lake Erie were picked up and the soldier representatives from this district set out on their way to camp in London. The Essex Fusiliers were joined by the following recruits from Chatham, escorted by Charles Hyatt: John Miller, Messar O'Neill, Dan Faubert, I. Faubert, Alex. Moffat, Len. Faubert, Louis Stringer, and Alfred Alexander. Wm. Bowers, and Roy. Gray and Albie Philip also went down to play in the 26th Battalion Band.

What's a table
Richly Spread--
Without a Loaf
Of Richards' Bread?
It's Incomplete,
That's what.



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BOERS PUT UP A FIGHT

To Keep the British From Pretoria--It Was All in Vain.

London, June 5.—Pretoria has fallen. The War Office has given out the following from Roberts:
"Pretoria, June 5.—11:40 a. m.—We are now in possession of Pretoria. The official entry will be made this afternoon at 2 o'clock."
It was announced verbally at the War Office that Roberts entered Pretoria at 2 o'clock, South African time.
Earlier the War Office gave out the following, showing that there was preliminary fighting with Botha's men:
"Six-Mile Spruit, 8:30 p. m., June 4.—We started this morning at 4 o'clock and marched about 10 miles to Six-Mile Spruit, both banks of which were occupied by the enemy. Henry's and Ross' mounted infantry, with the West Somerset, Dorset, Bedford and Sussex companies of yeomanry, quickly dislodged them from the south bank and pursued them nearly a mile when they found themselves under a heavy fire from guns which the Boers had placed in a well-concealed, commanding position."
BOERS DISLODGED.
"Our heavy guns of the naval and royal artillery, which had purposely been placed in the front part of Pretoria, were hurried to the assistance of the mounted infantry as fast as oxen and mules could travel over the great rolling hills surrounding Pretoria. The guns were supported by Stevenson's brigade of Poles-Dorew, and after a few rounds, drove the enemy from their positions."
Stephen Crane, the author, died in London, Eng., this morning.

The Boers then attempted to turn our flank, in which they were again foiled by the mounted infantry and yeomanry, supported by Maxwell's brigade of Tucker's division. As, however, they still kept pressing on our left rear, I sent word to Ian Hamilton, who was advancing three miles to our left, to incline toward us and fill up the gap between the two columns. This finally checked the enemy, who were driven back towards Pretoria. I hoped we would have been able to follow them up, but the days are now very short in this part of the world, and after nearly two hours' marching and fighting, we had to bivouac on the ground gained during the day.

The Guards brigade is quite near the southernmost fort by which Pretoria is defended and less than four miles from the town.
"French, with the Third and Fourth cavalry brigades and Hutton's New South Wales Mounted Rifles, is north of Pretoria. Broadwood's brigade is between French's and Hamilton's columns, and Gordon is watching the right flank of the main force, not far from the railway bridge at Irene station, which was destroyed by the enemy. Our casualties, I hope, are very few."
ARE FREE ONCE MORE.
London, June 5.—The war office has information that one of the first things done by Roberts after the occupation of Pretoria was to direct Gen. French to relieve the British prisoners confined at Waterval.

BRITAIN GOES WILD.
London, June 5.—Almost eight months after the declaration of war, Roberts has entered Pretoria. While the commander-in-chief of the greatest army Britain ever put in the field was fulfilling the promise he

HALF-PRICE WALL PAPER

The unprecedented demand for Wall Paper this season has left us with a number of lots sufficient for one room and in some cases two and three rooms. They are all good designs, but to clean up the stock we are going to clear them out at about half the regular price.

WE DO PICTURE FRAMING.

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King St., Chatham

Its Risky

To get your cloths made by a tailor who doesn't know his business thoroughly. We are wide awake enough to know just what the very latest fashion is and just how far we can use it in your case and meet your peculiar wants. When you come to us we cater to your taste in clothing. We don't try to give you something you don't want.

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Dress Making and Millinery | C. Austin & Co | Carpets and Clothing

A Bargain In Dress Goods

A Special Remnant Sale

A busy season in Dress Goods has left us with a lot of short lengths in both black and colored goods and at all prices. We have taken advantage of the rainy days to measure up and ticket every short piece in the stock and today we place them on our counters marked at special prices for a speedy clearance. If you want an odd skirt or waist or child's dress this is your opportunity to secure it, a big reduction in many cases less than the original price to import. WE WANT EVERY REMNANT CLEARED OUT DURING THIS WEEK, SO COME EARLY.

- TAKE HALF A MINUTE
- Of your time and read of our recent purchase which enables us to place on our counters, Saturday Morning the following lines of underwear at remarkably low prices—
- Ladies' Unbleached Vests, with short sleeves, good full sizes and shined and tied at the neck with ribbon, special at..... 10c
 - One special line of Fine Ribbed Vests, full fashioned, bleached with short sleeves and trimmed necks, at..... 12c
 - Ladies' Fine Swiss Ribbed Vests, Egyptian cotton or bleached, sleeveless or short sleeves, at..... 20c
 - Fine Ribbed Outside Size Vests, bleached, short sleeves, at..... 20c
 - Unbleached Vests, outside size, with short-sleeves and buttoned or closed front, at 25c
 - Ladies Summer Weight Union Vests, white with short sleeves, trimmed neck and closed front, at..... 25c
 - Summer Weight Union Vests, in white or natural, short sleeves and buttoned front, at..... 25c

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

Our Values

Are undoubtedly right, else how could we command the vast volume of trade we do, qualities are generally superior which insures satisfaction to the customer. Bright new goods are being added to each department every day which keeps you in closest touch with the centres of fashion.

See Our Hot Weather Coolers

GENTLEMEN—The Great Sale of Summer Underwear now in full swing, qualities and sizes to suit and fit everybody. SEE WINDOW.

MEN'S THIN SUMMER ODD COATS,
In nice plain linen effect and dark gray pin checks, all sizes, special values at 75c and..... \$1.00

MEN'S LUSTRE ODD COATS,
In plain black and plain gray shades, sizes 34 to 46, prices range at \$1.25, \$1.50 and..... \$1.98

MEN'S NEAT HAIR STRIPE LUSTRE COATS,
In genteel shade of dark gray, neat stripes, sizes 33 to 44, dressy, at..... \$2.00

MEN'S IMPORTED SUMMER SERGE ODD COATS,
In plain navy blue and black serge, all wool goods, handsomely cut, unlined, suitable to wear any place, in single and double breast styles, sizes 34 to 44, very dressy, special..... \$3.00

MEN'S TENNIS PANNEL ODD COATS,
In light stripes, very pretty, nicely made, sizes 36 to 40, special at..... \$1.50

MEN'S SUMMER ODD VESTS,
In plain white pique and fancy English vestings, single and double breasted styles, sizes 33 to 44, prices range at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and..... \$2.50

MEN'S AND BOYS' STRAW HAT VALUES,
In all the leading styles shown this season, big assortment to choose from, prices range from 50c to..... \$1.00

MEN'S AND BOYS' NOELGLOBE AND OUTING SHIRTS
The right thing for the hot days, in all the new things, English cambrics, Scotch madras and English outing flannels, handsome checks and pretty plaids and stripes, prices range 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and..... \$1.25c

MEN'S SOLID COMFORT SOX,
In plain black and tan, seamless, fast colors, best value in the trade, prices run 10c, 12c, 20c and..... 25c

MEN'S AND BOYS' LEATHER BELTS
Solid leather belts for men's and boys, nice tan shades, 20c, 25c and..... 50c

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Leading and Reliable Clothiers

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THE MONEY SAVING SPOT FOR MEN'S WEAR.

Sliced Cooked Corned Beef
 15c a pound
 Saves lots of bother and trouble. Hot weather is hard enough in itself to stand without a lot of cooking.

- Cooked Ham, 30c a lb.
- Jellied Hocks, 15c a lb.
- Sliced Dried Beef, 30c a lb.
- Sweet Pickles.
- English Pickles, 20c and 25c.

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Lawn Hose
 You do not want to buy hose because it is called hose,—you want to buy hose that will give you good service. We have it in several different brands, but all are fully guaranteed. Poor hose is dear at any price. See our hose reels and lawn sprinklers. N. B.—Sheep Shears, and Hedge Shears for trimming around nooks and corners.
Jno. A. Morton Hardware

GENERAL SPORTS.

What is Going on in Baseball and Other Athletic Games.

News, Local and Telegraphic, Gathered From Reliable Sources.

A very interesting baseball match was played last night on the Star diamond, of St. George St. The sides were Charles Kenny's team and the Stars. Batteries, Kenney and Custance; Bowers and Campbell. Umpire, C. Bowers.

BALL DIRECTORS MEET.
 The directors of the Baseball Association held a short meeting this morning and adjourned till to-night. "Shorty" Jack Sanders, the popular little catcher, severely sprained his ankle in sliding to third at Port Huron yesterday and returned home with Financial Manager Smith last evening. Sanders expects, however, to be in the game again by the end of the week. At the conclusion of the meeting of the directors, Financial Manager Thos. Smith gave out the following statement to the press:—"This has been a most successful trip, financially, notwithstanding a four-day lay off on account of rain, which cost us \$150, and you can give an emphatic denial to the rumor that there is any discord among the members of the Chatham team. The best of feeling prevails all round and the players are certainly playing gentlemanly ball. Johnson, the new pitcher, will twirl the opening game at home on Thursday and I think you can look for an increase in our gate. There is one change upon the team. Donovan has been released and Hudson, a fast infielder, signed. Donovan was a good player, but he neglected to carry with him his W. C. T. U. credentials. Hudson is a fast little fielder and should give satisfaction."

Port Huron 8, Chatham 7.
 Port Huron, June 4.—Port Huron won the opening game with Chatham yesterday, in a grand-stand finish, it taking an extra inning to decide the contest. Both teams put up an excellent game, and the score created lively excitement. The Port Huron team has been reorganized, several leading business men taking the organization in hand, and the playing out of the schedule is an assured fact. The score:—
 Port Huron 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 3 — 8 7 2
 Chatham 1 0 0 1 0 3 2 0 0 — 7 10 5
 Batteries—Barry and Lobbeck; Habel and Klock. Umpire, Pennsylvania.

LONDON WON THIS ONE.
 Grand Rapids, June 4.—Grand Rapids fell down before London here today, constituting the third loss on the home grounds in the last four games played. Landesley started to pitch for Grand Rapids, but was wild and lacked speed. In the sixth he gave place to King, who did little better. Cooper pitched a good game for London. The feature of the game was the good all-round work of Hart at first for London. The score:—
 London 1 2 0 0 0 3 1 0 4 — 11 10 14
 Grand Rapids 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 — 2 7 5
 Batteries—Cooper and Pickard; Landesley, King and Holmes. Umpire Popkay.

SAGINAW 12, HAMILTON 7.
 Saginaw, June 4.—Both pitchers were batted freely today, Bradford getting the worst of it, including three home runs off his delivery. Tibald, Norem and Martin achieved the honors for Saginaw, and at no stage of the game were the Hamiltons dangerous, though they had a batting rally in the ninth. Score:—
 Saginaw 0 5 0 2 0 0 0 5 — 12 10 6
 Hamilton 1 0 0 2 1 0 0 3 — 7 8 1
 Batteries—Wayne and Kleinow; Bradford and Conwell.

Eastern League.
 At Hartford—Hartford 8, Springfield 7.
 At Worcester—Worcester 8, Providence 6.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Club	Won.	Lost.	Cent.
Rochester	19	11	.633
Montreal	18	11	.621
Providence	16	14	.533
Springfield	14	15	.483
Worcester	13	14	.481
Syracuse	12	20	.375
Hartford	12	18	.400
Toronto	10	18	.356

National League.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Cent.
Philadelphia	23	12	.657
Brooklyn	19	15	.559
Pittsburgh	17	18	.486
Chicago	19	17	.528
St. Louis	18	17	.514
Boston	14	18	.438
New York	13	20	.395
Cincinnati	12	22	.353

American League.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Cent.
Indianapolis	24	8	.750
Milwaukee	21	16	.568
Cleveland	19	17	.528
Chicago	20	19	.513
Minnesota	20	19	.513
Kansas City	19	21	.475
Buffalo	13	23	.361
Detroit	11	24	.314

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's.
 John Piggett has gone north on a purchasing trip.
 Breakfast may be cooked in fifteen minutes on a Gas Range.
 Master Wentworth Grover has gone to visit his sister, Mrs. L. H. Rose, Pontiac, Mich.

Master John McLaren returned last evening from San Antonio, Texas, where he spent the winter.
 Misses Emily and Estella Bedford spent Sunday the guest of Miss Rhoda Kendall, Merila.
 Joseph Foy, of Glencoe, is offering seventy-five acres of the best land in Dover East for sale.

Good music, dainty refreshments and an enjoyable time on the Moonlight Excursion.
 The firemen claim the honor of hoisting the first flag in Chatham in honor of the relief of Pretoria.

A SAMPLE OF WHAT SATISFACTION A GAS RANGE GIVES.
 P. S. Coste, Esq.,
 Mgr. Chatham Gas Co.
 Dear Sir,—
 Having used a gas range for the past two years, I am in a position to state that for economy, speed and cleanliness, it exceeds all other means of cooking. Anyone desiring either one, or the whole of the above very essential features of housekeeping, should not hesitate in the use of one without delay.

Yours,
 (Sgd.) WILLIAM BLIGHT.
TILBURY.

June 5.—A number of our young people will picnic at the lighthouse this evening.
 Master Harry Powell entertained his little-friends at a birthday party last evening.
 Miss Kahlar returns to-day, after a visit at her home in Fletcher.
 J. S. Richardson has moved his late establishment, now vacant since he has occupied his new store, to another site nearer the centre of the town. The upper part will be divided into offices.
 The annual Christian Endeavor convention of the local union will be held in the Presbyterian Church here next Friday.
 The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

Wear The 2 T's \$10 New Method Suits.

DRESDEN.
 June 5.—Mr. Gatzke and family, Brock street, are removing to Wyandotte, Mich., where Mr. Gatzke has secured a good position.
 Miss Beatrice of Forest, is the guest of Mrs. James A. Taylor.
 John Gough and family are removing from town.
 Miss Jean McLaughlin leaves tomorrow for a short vacation.
 Rev. James Galloway and family are now comfortably ensconced in the new Methodist parsonage.

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 For Infants and Children.
 Children Cry for CASTORIA.

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 Remodeling and Stock-Reducing Sale
Special Sale
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8c, 10c, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c and 20c
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A young truant was the only offender at the police court this morning. The lad, however, promised to go faithfully to school in future, preferring this infliction to three years in the reformatory.

Tennent & Burke will begin removing the hay left by the recent fire tomorrow. The odors beginning to arise from the refuse are by no means pleasant.

A small, dark purse was lost on Saturday afternoon, containing a one dollar bill, some silver and copper. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

Fireman Thos. Taylor was standing on King St. about 8:30 Saturday evening when two colored women met. One was pushing one of the old-fashioned baby buggies with wooden spoked wheels. "Say, Sarah, what youse got in dat ice wagon?" queried the first. "Ise got a warm baby," replied the other.

You can save the cost of a Gas Range, almost, this season by putting one in NOW.
 The funeral of little Beatrice Cuyler took place Sunday afternoon. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Buttaby. Six of the boys from the Smith, Clarence Terry, Roy Besant, Bruce Macaulay and Fred Tichborne were the pall-bearers. There was an abundance of floral offerings, including tributes from the schoolmates in Miss Burt's room, the class in St. Andrew's Sunday school, Flora Metcalf, Beatrice VonGunten and Gladys Harfoot.

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Edith Norton

One of Life's Tangles

By Joseph Nichols



"That terrible day of the funeral," she put her hand to her eyes to shut out the thought. Steele saw that she needed no further testimony to the truth of that conviction, and said no more on the wretched subject.

"Could You Learn to Love Me Dear?"

keeping to himself the manner in which the intelligence had reached him, how he had been summoned to the hospital in a large town in Kentucky, where a man, disabled for life by a street accident, lay reaping the retributive punishment of his evil deeds, to discover that the unknown, poverty-stricken wretch was no other than the once fastidious David, reduced to misery, the victim of remorse, haunted forever by memory of the man whose existence he had tortured, the final tragedy of whose life lay at his door. From this living wreck Steele had received the agonized confession of his falsehood. Stiffening this recent memory of hopeless remorse in his bosom, he strove to divert Edith's mind from asking him any questions by speaking cheerfully, hopefully, of the new life that lay before them, of his nature, of being able to do something for her at last.

"You don't know all you have been to me, darling," he said. "Just the sight of your contented life of devotion and self-denial has sent me often back to my work with a sense of shame and a determination to do my duty better, and I tried to regard you as some blessed angel sent to guide and inspire, to whom I could never repay my gratitude. I feel now as if I were asking a sacrifice of you."

"She let her head sink once more on his breast at this generous consideration of her welfare, saying in a distressed tone:

"Oh, I have so little to give you in return for all you offer me. I am not worthy of your love. I have always received something from you and repaying it with ingratitude."

"You cause me trouble, darling?" he ejaculated. "I don't know when it was. Come, you must not talk to me more than I trust me, and I want the entire confidence of my own little wife."

"She lay still a moment, then raised her head with a little plaintive gesture: "Mr. Steele?"

"What is it, my child?" he asked quickly, alarmed by the bewildered, troubled look on her face.

"Only that," she said, letting it sink to its resting place once more. "I only wanted the old world. It felt strange for a moment, and I don't know how it was, but I could not bear it. It was not natural."

"Something rose in Steele's throat, at that moment which prevented utterance, as he recognized the physical weakness reacting upon the mental; but when he did speak again he professed the sentence with the old term of endearment, only in a gentler tone than even she had heard him use before.

"My child, you are tired," he said, "exhausted. For my sake will you not go in and try to rest?" and he made a slight movement to rise.

"I am resting now," she said simply.

"Not while your pillow suggests such bad dreams of your own unworthiness, or that things ever could be otherwise than natural between you and me?" and though he spoke to rest in his embrace was the sweetest gift he could enjoy, he rose with resolute self-denial and led her to the house, saying quietly: "I want you to be ready to accompany me to Virginia before the end of the week."

"Must you go back so soon, Mr. Steele?" she said, offering the first remonstrance to the various plans for their future which he had laid before her. She had given up all responsibility into his hands, like a burden of which she was glad to be eased, letting him make his own arrangements.

"Are you obliged to return so soon?" she repeated.

"Yes, love; my duties require me to be back before Sunday."

"It seems hard to leave them now," she said. "Juliet may think it cruel."

"How can she?" he responded warmly. "You have given all your strength, till you need some one to take care of you and force you to your own good. You are not your own to sacrifice now, my Edith, and I shall begin to exert my authority and control this self-willed little girl, at once."

"Yes, I always was self-willed," she said, tears rising to her eyes at his playful reproach.

"But I won't want my way any longer. I'll do anything you wish."

"That's right," he responded, smiling, and with his kiss yet warm upon her lips she went up to her room and sank down on the bed.

Not utterly alone! That was the sweetest reflection. In the time of saddest trial God's greatest gift had been bestowed upon her, a true friend, a noble, loving man, to guide, to protect, to comfort! A blessed peace fell upon her, and she slept, the first sound sleep in many months.

When she awoke the chamber was dark, and groping her way to the window she threw open the blind upon a sight that thrilled and awed her by its vivid contrast with the gloom with

in, one night seemed to blaze with stars, so brilliant was the lustre they shed upon the clear cold air, and in an ecstasy of admiration she stood there gazing up at them, and then whether her eyes had been directed from earliest recollection, shining in their mysterious splendor and beneath the perplexing secret of existence subtly conveying the assurance that all was well.

In how many moods had she turned from earth to them! In the hour of childish innocence, in that of religious fervor, when just born to her heart, and when passion and temptation had shaken her soul! Up to them she had cast an imploring look in the hour of loneliness and affliction. But tonight, when the varied emotions of those moments were blended, individually was lost in contemplation of the grand purposes of God accomplishing their glorious ends despite man's inconstancy and perverting influence.

With tenderness she recalled the many days she had spent beneath their roof, the sweet solace his retirement had offered to her aching heart. Had she appreciated it now that it was to be removed? For the place would be changed; new associations would replace the old; Arthur and Juliet would be gone, she knew, and the same heavens would be ever overhead. She thought of the old, quiet life she was leaving and of the untried existence that lay before her. Her heart turned for refuge once more to him with whom she was to enter that unknown-to-morrow. Yes, with him she could go anywhere, and tears of pitiful gratitude dimmed her eyes, and her soul passed into prayer that she might become what he believed her, and make some return for his devoted affection.

Yes, we leave Edith in her chastened happiness, and will not attempt to analyze why her lot had been so checked by crosses and disappointments as this resolute woman had attained. She did not question, neither will we, for the answer would involve the whole mystery why life exists at all.

We did not pretend to solve that problem; rather let us follow her upward gaze to heaven, content to rest in the consciousness that God is at the helm of this world's affairs and guiding us by a certain path, beloved, but unerring, to that which is best.

To be Continued.

The archbishop of Canterbury, replying to protests against the petition for the death of Mrs. White, asserts that it has been decided at law that prayers for the dead are not forbidden by the Church of England.

Dr. Adler, the chief rabbi of London, has been elected a member of the Athenaeum club of that city in accordance with the special rule allowing the annual introduction of persons of distinguished eminence in literature. It is significant that Dr. Adler's proposer was the bishop of London.

THE BEEKEEPER.

Drones from fertile workers or drones laying queens are raised as a general thing in worker cells.

The bees in the grub state, from the time of the hatching of the eggs until the capping of the cell, are called larvae.

Propolis is a resinous substance usually gathered from the buds of certain trees by bees and used in covering rough places.

If old combs are straight and in good condition, but dirty, put them in or over a strong colony of bees, and they will clean them out.

Bees do not as a rule swarm until they have got their hive pretty well filled up and have multitudes of young bees hatching out daily.

Loans and debts make worries and frets.

Cures Weak Men Free

A most successful remedy has been found for sexual weakness, such as impotency, varicocele, shrunken organs, nervous debility, lost manhood, and all other results of self-abuse or excesses. It cures any case of the difficulty, never fails to restore the organs to full natural strength and vigor. The Doctor who made this wonderful discovery wants to let every man know about it. He will therefore send, on request, giving the name and address to L. W. Knapp, M. D., 1710, Hull Bldg., Detroit, Mich., requesting the free receipt as reported in this paper. It is a generous offer and all men ought to be glad to have such an opportunity.

RECKLESS AARON BURR

Interesting and Dramatic Story of His Marriage in Old Age.

In an article on historic homes of New York Truth tells the following interesting story of Aaron Burr's marriage in his old age to the widow of Stephen Jumel, who was well known in the early history of the city:

"Conceive, if you will, the picture of Burr, still a vigorous man, but with wrinkles in his health, branded in the popular mind as the murderer of Alexander Hamilton and returning from a long exile to find himself an outcast in the city where he had once been the political monarch of all he surveyed and a distinguished figure in society and at the bar. Conceive, if you can, this lamentable old man, smirking through his wrinkles, bowing and prancing rather stiffly because of his rheumatic joints and with his mouth full of pretty platitudes, paying court to the widow of Stephen Jumel, herself in the prime of years and health. Remove from the picture its surface incongruities, and you have a bit of pure pathos unequalled in the annals of foolish great men."

"But something of his old time power to charm the gentler sex must have stood by him in his years of political and physical misery, for in his suit for the widow Jumel's hand and fortune he won—gloriously, dramatically. Rebuffed repeatedly, Burr finally declared in passionate rage that on a given day he would arrive at the same time as the minister accompanied by a clergyman, who should marry them on the spot. He would give his prospective bride no quarter, no chance of escape from the inevitable.

"She was amused at the threat and dismissed the old man with more than her usual coldness of demeanor. Burr stuck to his avowal and one July day rolled up in a carriage, and with him a minister—the same who 50 years before performed the marriage ceremony for Burr and the mother of his daughter, the beautiful Theodosia. There was something of a scene in the old house on this day. There were tears of anger on the part of Burr. Relatives remonstrated; Burr remained immovable. All feared a scandal. The minister, book in hand, stood unobtrusively in the background. There were more tears, more declarations of undying love, and the widow Jumel became Mrs. Aaron Burr.

"They were married in the great drawing-room of the Jumel mansion. Burr squandered with reckless hand the wealth acquired by Stephen Jumel and left for the enjoyment of his marital partner. There were many bitter quarrels between the ill-mated pair, and they were divorced. Burr died in 1836, but Madame lived until 1865, dying a recluse and a miser, the money received from the Jumel estate hoarded in an unused chamber."

MONOTONY INDUCES INSANITY.

It Leads to Depression, Which Finally Develops Into Madness.

One would be pardoned for thinking that a man who earned his livelihood working in the fresh air of the country, surrounded by sights delightful to the eye and refreshing to the mind, would be far less liable to brain diseases than the man sitting on a stool over a ledger in the stuffy atmosphere of a smoke-dyed city. But if statistics prove anything they prove the worthlessness of that possible supposition. More agricultural laborers go mad per cent per cent than any other workers. It is monotony which excites discontent, which leads to depression, which develops into melancholia, which ends perhaps in a cure, possibly in a suicidal act, probably in an asylum. It may safely be said that Sunday saves thousands upon thousands from the madhouse. It is the one break from week to week which thousands of nature demand.

The agricultural laborer, the artisan and other similar classes of workers live in monotony broken here and there by a small incident which in time becomes itself monotonous. A man perhaps drives a rivet. He drives them every day of the week except Sunday. Every motion of his work becomes mechanical. He has no interest in his work beyond what it finds for him on Saturday. He has one thing to do, and the more he does that the less he does everything else. Consequently the brain becomes weak for want of more general use and weakens until it snaps.

A fine thing is a healthy hobby, but a finer, especially for indoor workers, is a sport. Healthy recreation keeps more people out of the madhouse than anything the doctors could do. A man has one thing to do, and the more he does that the less he does everything else. Consequently the brain becomes weak for want of more general use and weakens until it snaps.

Philadelphia Children.

"I don't believe there is a city in the country, and I got around a great deal, where there are so many children on the streets after dark, presumably making a living as in Philadelphia," remarked a traveling salesman. "And the majority of them are little girls who, while pretending to sell papers, matches or withers flowers, are really little more than infant beggars. I suppose you are so used to seeing them that you scarcely give the matter a thought, but a stranger in town, such as myself, cannot help being struck by a condition of affairs which seems radically wrong. They don't inspire any pity, for they are such insistent little beggars. They will follow you for half a block with their whining appeals, and when you lose patience they open up on you with a flood of impudence and even profanity. This is not very pleasant, especially if you happen to be accompanied by a lady. Of course I'm only a rank outsider, but it seems to me that something should be done."—Philadelphia Record.

Daudet's Ideas of Death.

Alphonse Daudet constantly suffered severe physical pain and was unable to sleep without the aid of chloral. He was daily tormented in the theory propounded by an English doctor that death was in itself a delightful sensation, voluptuous, resembling the action of anesthetics.

Daudet on one occasion dreamed of dying surrounded by his friends and conversing of the hereafter.

He once told Goncourt, who relates the incident, that whenever he entered a new apartment for the first time his eye instinctively searched for the spot where his coffin would be placed.—Lippincott's Magazine.

He Sticks.

Weeks—Now, I like to listen to a minister who sticks to his text when he preaches.

Weeks—Then you ought to attend our church. The minister sticks to his text about two hours and a half as a rule.—Chicago News.

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HE WAS BAPTIZED.

Then a Tennessee Man Was Drowned a Few Minutes Later.

Memphis, Tenn., June 5.—With less than three minutes after having received the sacrament of baptism and the benediction of his pastor James Phillips yesterday drowned in the water in which he had been baptized in the presence of helpless and terrified brethren of his congregation and other spectators.

NOW DOWN TO 450.

More Canadian Wounded reported—Private Barr's Death.

Ottawa, June 5.—Col. Otter calls from Johannesburg on 4th June, reporting the following wounded on 29th May: Pte. Davis, Royal Canadian Dragoons. Pte. Robinson, 21st Essex Regiment. Pte. Gordon, 2nd Queen's Own Rifles. Pte. Hill, 9th Voltigeurs, Quebec. Pte. Haydon, 62nd St. John Fusiliers. Pte. Richardson, No. 5 militia district (deceased).

PTE. BARR'S DEATH.

Windsor, June 5.—Official announcement of Pte. Harry Barr's death from enteric fever in South Africa has been made. The death took place over four months ago. The boy's mother lives in Windsor. She refused to believe that her son was dead until the report was confirmed.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Table with columns: Wheat—May, July, Sept., Corn—May, July, Sept., Cattle—May, July, Sept., Pork—July, Sept., Lard—July, Sept., Eggs—July, Sept.

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THE PROBABLES.

G. N. W. Social. Toronto, June 5—10 a. m.—Light variable winds; Wednesday, easterly winds, fine and warm.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED. STRINGER—On Monday, June 4th, Jennie, eldest daughter of Captain George Stringer, aged 55 years. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. from her father's residence, King St. West, to Maple Leaf Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. H. A. Paterson is in the city. All ladies bringing a friend, calling on Mrs. Lauriens Matilla, may have their heads read at half-price this evening. Three rinks of the Chatham bowlers go to Blenheim this afternoon to try conclusions with the members of the Club Hops, No. 6244, Court Unity, No. 6,900 and Juvenile Branch, No. 9, will attend divine service in St. Andrew's church, next Sunday evening, when Rev. Dr. Battisby will deliver their annual sermon. Departures are expected from Court Unity, Dover and Court Northwood. The Excelsior Band will lead the parade. Frances Ferguson, a Windsor woman, was before Squire Kerr yesterday on the charge of abduction of two little girls from their grandparents, Mrs. Woods. The defence claim that the accused is taking care of the little folks at the dying request of their mother, and waived examination, consenting to be committed for trial, bail being granted.

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STILL ON THE WARPATH

Humane Officer Henry Dagneau found this morning in the outskirts of the city two very bad cases of cruelty to animals. The parties will likely be summoned to appear before the magistrate. On Sunday, Mr. Dagneau noticed a double carriage on the Gravel Road. There were six persons in the carriage which was going at the rate of ten miles an hour. Not content with the natural trot of the horses, the driver compelled them to run. Mr. Dagneau has many complaints from people living on the Gravel Road to the effect that people going to and coming from the lake frequently run their horses and yell. Humane Officer Dagneau intends to keep a sharp lookout for those who run their horses.

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HUNTING ATTRACTIONS

The program committee in connection with the Dominion Day celebration held a satisfactory meeting at the Merrill House last evening. A very attractive program with the military feature the strong one, has been mapped out. It also includes a calisthenic procession, athletic sports and a football match. These features will be submitted to the citizens' meeting in the Old Town Hall to-morrow night. A number of novelties have been suggested and, if the plan of present under consideration can be followed out, there will be amusement of all sorts for all kinds of people. There's much work to be done and there should be a big turnout of citizens on Wednesday evening.

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West Elgin Investigation—The Commission in a Hurry to Wind Up.

Toronto, June 5.—The West Elgin commissioners yesterday heard further evidence from Mr. Cartwright and other officials at Osgoode Hall respecting the custody of the ballot boxes during the scrutiny, and other court proceedings while they were out of the custody of Col. Clark, Clerk of the Legislature. At first it was thought that the ballots had been spirited away for a week somewhere during the court proceedings, but this morning it was brought out in evidence that although the wrong box had been delivered at Osgoode Hall, and had lain there unopened for a week in the belief that it was the West Elgin one, there was going to indicate that the West Elgin box had been tampered with during that time. It remained in the vault at the buildings till the mistake was discovered. If, therefore, the ballots were tampered with before the recount, and good ballots for MacNish substituted for the switched ones, the change must have been made at a date prior to the receipt of the boxes by Col. Clarke.

The commissioners yesterday afternoon decided to close the case, and unless further evidence of the importance notes are extended, no more hearings will be taken. Before closing the commissioners received a report from the Sheriff of London that he had had a constable for two days trying to effect service of a summons on Mr. Hastings, but he could not be found in London, notwithstanding Mrs. Pritchett's statement that she had seen him there two weeks ago. The commission received also a telegram from the proprietor of the hotel in Detroit at which it had been sworn that Pritchett and Lewis were. The proprietor contradicted this, and says that he and his staff will testify that no such interviews ever took place in his hotel.

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