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Special in Ladies' Cloth Jackets

We have just received from the manufacturer a large consignment of new Cloth Jackets made in the very latest American mode. It is generally admitted that our jackets have been the most up-to-date and most reasonably priced garments that have been shown in the city this season, and we are bearing out this reputation in these new arrivals:

Ladies' Jackets made of heavy Frieze, in black and Oxford grey, 36 in. long, loose Box back, lined throughout body and sleeves with black mercerized sateen, very special value at **\$10.00**

Shaker Flannels

Yard wide Shaker Flannels in dark grey and medium blue grey stripes, regular value 10c. yd., on sale for **8c.**

32 in. wide heavy twilled Shaker Flannels, in pretty light stripes, regular 12c. value, on sale for **10c.**

28 in. wide Scotch Union Shaker Flannels, for men's shirts and girls' skirts, in grey and brown stripes, special value at a yd. **25c.**

Lace Curtains

Events frequently work out in the buyers' favor. Delays in the Old Country mills have this season delayed our delivery of Lace Curtains, and goods that should have been here in August have just been passed through the customs. This is very late for them, and we have marked these 800 pairs at quick selling prices—

\$1.00 to \$3.50

Special Values in Blankets and Comfortables

Double Bed size Comfortables covered with pretty designs in Silkolones, clean frilled, guaranteed free from odor and grease, very special at **\$1.50**

Double Bed size White Union Blankets with neat pink and blue borders, good weight and lofty finish, very special value at a pr. **\$2.50**

Thomas Stone & Son

WESTMAN BROS.

Have Stoves by the Hundreds
Largest Stock in Chatham.

Air Tight Heaters

From \$2.00 Up

SEE OUR....

Combination Grand Jewel Heater

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\$12.00

Cook Stoves at All Prices. Call and See Us.

Westman Bros.

Big Hardware and Implement House
Chatham.

BREECH LOADING GUNS!

Shooting Coats and Vests

Cartridge Belts, Bags and Pouches, Gun Cases and Covers, loaded and empty Shells, Ely, Trap and others, black or smokeless. Fishing tackle in great variety.

John A. Morton Hardware Merchant

Fruits

For your Christmas Fruits give us a call—we have a choice selection.

A. B. SHELVEY,
Near C. P. R. Hotel.

Mingard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

Spend Thanksgiving Day in New England.

Ten Dollar Excursion via New York Central, to Boston, Worcester, Palmer, Springfield or South Framingham, Tuesday, Nov. 25th. Tickets good ten days. See New York Central ticket agents for full particulars. 31d

SCOTCH CONCERT.

The committee comprising representatives from St. Andrew's Society and the Sons of Scotland met at the Hotel Garner last evening and elected committees to attend to the work of putting on the Scotch concert at the Grand Opera, Wednesday, December 10. There were present Chairman J. G. Kerr, Robert Gray, William Anderson, Robert Riddell, William Robertson, Chief John McKay, Jos. Turner, J. W. Young, and Will Angus.

The following committees were elected:

Advertising—John McKay, William Anderson and J. G. Kerr.
Finance committee—Will Coltart, Robert Riddell and Archie Park.
Decorations—Robert Gray, James Scott Gray, Dr. Russell, W. Robertson, Will Angus and Dr. Jas. Rutherford.

Reception committee—P. D. McKelvey, Hugh Macdonald, Robert Gray and Robert Riddell.

POWERS AND VENEZUELA.

GREAT BRITAIN AND GERMANY TO TAKE ACTION.

The United States Will Not Shelter Venezuela Against the Results of Her Misdeeds.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The State Department is thoroughly well informed of the length to which Great Britain, Germany and other European powers propose to go in their dealings with Venezuela. Great Britain and Germany have, in fact, sounded the Department to learn whether any objections would be made to active measures on their part to secure the collection of debts due their citizens on account of violated concessions, and the destruction of their property incident to the internal dissensions which have raged in Venezuela for several years past. The department has been extremely cautious in dealing with these inquiries, but the substance of its replies in all cases has been set out in the declaration of President Roosevelt that the United States did not construe the Monroe doctrine to mean that it should shelter any of the American republics against the results of their own misdeeds, or violations of international amity. The only condition made by the President was that the punishment inflicted upon any of these South and Central American republics by a European power must include the securing by that power of any American soil.

Cologne, Germany, Nov. 24.—In an evidently inspired note the Cologne Gazette to-day says: "England should certainly teach Venezuela a sharp lesson, since President Castro refuses to recognize the demands of justice and equity. Germany and other States have also serious grounds for complaint, and it is time the relations of Venezuela towards foreign powers should be defined."

OBJECT TO A MORMON.
Salt Lake Minister Does Not Want Smoot in the Senate.
Salt Lake City, Nov. 25.—The Ministerial Alliance of Salt Lake adopted resolutions strongly opposing the proposed election to the United States Senate of Reed Smoot, one of the twelve apostles of the Mormon Church. A copy of the resolutions was sent to every Ministerial Alliance of prominence in the country at once, and also probably to President Roosevelt, every Congressman and United States Senator, and others prominent in political life. One protest reads: "We protest against the proposed election of Apostle Smoot to the United States Senate, because the majority of the Mormon apostolate, to which he belongs, and with which he works in harmony, are living in polygamous relations, in violation of the covenants made to the people of the United States as well as in violation of the criminal statutes of Utah. The Mormon apostolate stands as one man before the community as directly or indirectly encouraging or conniving at the continuance of polygamous relations throughout the Mormon Church. The vigorous and rigorous execution of a law like the Edmunds-Lucke law in this State would drive the Mormon Church and the majority of its apostles into exile, or throw them in prison within twelve months, and Apostle Smoot dare not oppose such polygamous conditions."

Bull Fight Declared Off.
Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 24.—Chief of Police Hayes announced today that the bullfight scheduled to take place in Convention Hall on Thanksgiving evening would not be permitted. The tan-bark ring has been placed in the hall, bulls and matadors from Mexico are in the city, and everything was ready for the fight, when the promoters were informed that the law would not permit the fight to take place. The bull fight was made the subject of discussion in a majority of the pulpits of Kansas City yesterday, which aroused public sentiment.

SHOT HIS HAND.

The first reported accident to a quail shooter comes from Dover Township. William Richmond was out shooting and was using a muzzle loading shotgun. The ramrod became loosened, and while Mr. Richmond was pushing it back to its place the gun was discharged. The shot shattered the bone of the middle finger and damaged the palm of Mr. Richmond's hand.

THE NEW RAILWAY.

IT WILL BE A PURELY CANADIAN ORGANIZATION.

PRESIDENT SHAUGHNESSY'S OPINION OF IT.

NO CONNECTION WITH THE CANADIAN NORTHERN.

Montreal, Nov. 25.—The Grand Trunk Railway's extension to the Pacific coast was the chief topic of conversation in business and political as well as railway circles. Mr. Hays, the General Manager, however, is not yet prepared to go much into details about the project. It will be a separate corporation, with headquarters at Montreal, so as to facilitate business and avoid delay, such as might occur if the head office were across the ocean. The new corporation will enter into exclusive traffic arrangements with the Grand Trunk. That is about as far as he would go explaining the scheme. The route has not been decided, nor even surveyed, but, broadly speaking, the road will follow the route mapped out by Sir Sanford Fleming for the original Pacific scheme. It is inevitable, too, that when the coast is reached there must be a Pacific steamship fleet, but these details have not yet been discussed. Mr. Hays states that his company does not require the Mackenzie & Mann system, and that the new line will be independent of it.

The comment of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, President of the C.P.R., is certainly instructive. He said: "Yes, our Grand Trunk friends are undertaking a very big contract. There is nothing in the announcement that need cause the Canadian Pacific the slightest concern. In this vast country of ours there is room for a great many miles of railway. Twenty years ago, when the Canadian Pacific enterprise was inaugurated, the entire country from Pembroke to the Pacific coast, a distance of upwards of 2,500 miles, was a blank waste, practically uninhabited. To-day the Canadian Pacific operates in that territory over 6,000 miles of railway, main line and branches, and this mileage is being increased year by year. The construction of a line north of us will involve years of labor and millions upon millions of capital."

"A feature of the announcement is the absence of any reference to Government aid, which we hold of our responsibilities in the matter of defence. The British Government takes the view, rightly or wrongly, that the absolute control—first, last and all the time, beginning to end of naval defence, and to take the first step at once in the formation of the nucleus, at any rate, of a navy in this country. What that shall be I cannot exactly say. We shall be very glad, I am sure, to study the scheme which Mr. Wyatt stated here to-day as being put into shape by the Canadian branch of the Navy League. I am quite sure that some understanding can be come to in that direction. Mr. Wyatt has spoken in this connection of a scheme by which the Canadian Government will be saved the expense of purchasing guns and purchasing ships. Well, I want to say that the Canadian Government is not trying to dodge or avoid any responsibility in connection with the purchase of guns or anything else. We are quite prepared and quite able to purchase our own guns, and if I have anything to say about it we shall do it, too. But we are not yet ready, as I said a moment ago—and this is the crucial point, and we may as well understand it first as last—to ask the taxpayers of this country to tax themselves to hand over a sum of money, any sum of money, to any body, even the British Admiralty, to spend without our having one single word as to the way in which that money shall be expended."

EMPLOYERS FORCE LOCK-OUT.
The Result of Heavy Fines Imposed by a Labor Union.
New York, Nov. 25.—A lockout was declared by the Builders and Contractors' Association of New Rochelle, which forced all the building trades workmen in suburbs north of New York from Mount Vernon, N. Y., to the Connecticut line to quit work. The number of men out is about 1,500. The trouble grew out of a recent strike caused by a disagreement between plumbers and their employers. It was adjusted, but two journeymen went back to work before the settlement and were fined \$50 by their union. They refused to pay, and in the controversy following the Building Trades Council sustained the union, while the Builders and Contractors' Association declared the fines unjust, and announced that a lockout would be started if the fines were not remitted by noon Saturday. They were not, and the declaration of the employers accordingly went into effect to-day.

A Man and Two Horses.
Robert Mitchell of Uxbridge is under arrest at Markham on the charge of stealing two horses and rigs, two buggies, with harness complete. On Friday he hired a horse and a buggy from G. McKee, Uxbridge, and drove to Markham, where he traded for another outfit and drove on, trying along the road to sell it. At the Railway House on the Kingston road he offered it to Oler Mother, who suspected something was wrong and sent for Constable Burns. Mitchell was placed under arrest and taken back to Markham. He was taken before Magistrate Wilson and was remanded until Wednesday.

FOUR YEARS.

James Elliott was sentenced to four years in Kingston penitentiary yesterday morning on the charge of stealing a coat and vest from James Dillon. The offense was committed a year ago. Elliott pleaded not guilty but asked, if he were convicted, that he be sent to Kingston penitentiary, not to the Central prison. O. L. Lewis appeared for the prisoner. James Dillon testified that he and the prisoner slept together at the Prince Edward Hotel. When he awoke in the morning prisoner was missing and so were the witnesses clothes. Martin Carlyle and Gus Molesworth corroborated the witness. Judge Houston found the prisoner guilty and gave him four years in Kingston.

IMPERIAL DEFENCE.

SIR FREDERICK BORDEN'S STATEMENT.

The Canadian Government Willing to Do its Part, But Not to Allow Others to Spend its Money.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—At a meeting held under the auspices of the Board of Trade yesterday Mr. H. F. Wyatt delivered a vigorous address upon the necessity of colonial support of the British navy and in support of the formation of an Ottawa branch of the Navy League. Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, was among those present, and in the course of an important speech he said: "I happened to represent the Government of Canada, and had something to say with reference to these important questions of defence. The Government of this country recognizes its duty, as I am quite sure the people of this country recognize their duty, in maintaining, or in putting themselves in a position to bear their fair share of the defence of the empire. As to how that can best be done comes the difficulty. I do not think it is fair to assume that because one set of men differ from another set of men as to the particular way in which the thing should be done, that therefore they are opposed to it. It certainly is not the case in the view which we hold of our responsibilities in the matter of defence."

"The British Government takes the view, rightly or wrongly, that the absolute control—first, last and all the time, beginning to end of naval defence, and to take the first step at once in the formation of the nucleus, at any rate, of a navy in this country. What that shall be I cannot exactly say. We shall be very glad, I am sure, to study the scheme which Mr. Wyatt stated here to-day as being put into shape by the Canadian branch of the Navy League. I am quite sure that some understanding can be come to in that direction. Mr. Wyatt has spoken in this connection of a scheme by which the Canadian Government will be saved the expense of purchasing guns and purchasing ships. Well, I want to say that the Canadian Government is not trying to dodge or avoid any responsibility in connection with the purchase of guns or anything else. We are quite prepared and quite able to purchase our own guns, and if I have anything to say about it we shall do it, too. But we are not yet ready, as I said a moment ago—and this is the crucial point, and we may as well understand it first as last—to ask the taxpayers of this country to tax themselves to hand over a sum of money, any sum of money, to any body, even the British Admiralty, to spend without our having one single word as to the way in which that money shall be expended."

DEVASTATING HURRICANE.

Five Persons Killed and a Hundred Houses Destroyed.

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ABOUT BEET SUGAR.

Harry Crump, expert candy-maker at Wiggall's, says that the sugar made by the Wallaceburg and Dresden factories is a fine sample. It looks splendid and has a particularly fine grain, much finer than eastern sugar. Mr. Crump says that the trouble is that when the temperature is raised above 300 degrees, the color of the sugar is affected and it turns brown. In candy-making the temperature of the sugar has to be raised as high as 330 degrees, so that a sugar that discolors at 300 degrees is of no use. He has found that a mixture of cane and beet sugar gives the best results. Mr. Crump hasn't tried either the Wallaceburg or Dresden beet sugar yet, but he is going to, and, if he finds that it doesn't discolor like the eastern beet sugar, he will use it all the time.

RIOTS IN HAVANA.

SEVERAL PEOPLE INJURED AND TWO KILLED.

CONFLICTS BETWEEN THE POLICE AND STRIKERS.

STREET RAILWAY EMPLOYEES REFUSED TO STRIKE.

Havana, Nov. 25.—As the result of conflicts of a serious character between police and the men on strike here two strikers are dead and 22 other persons are wounded. One of the latter, one being a lieutenant of police, whose throat was cut by a striker, have injuries of a serious nature. Eight other policemen are wounded. The police have the strikers well under control, but every precaution is being taken to prevent a further outbreak of disorder, and all the police and rural guards in the suburbs have been summoned to concentrate in Havana. The strike, which at first only concerned the cigar workers, became general by the calling out of all trades in sympathy with the cigarmakers. All the trades people closed their doors, clerks, cooks and every class of workmen having obeyed the command of the union, except the motormen and conductors of the electric cars, who refused to join in the general strike and their action led to disorder.

INVADED FROM COLOMBIA.

THE REBELS MADE A NEW INROAD ON VENEZUELA.

Were Defeated by the Castro Forces—Colombia to be Held Responsible for the Invasion.

Washington, Nov. 25.—United States Minister Bowen, at Caracas, has informed the State Department that an official bulletin announces that forces from Colombia, numbering 2,000, invaded Venezuela on the 16th instant, and were defeated on the 19th. The forces referred to by Mr. Bowen are supposed to be Venezuelan insurgents, who entered the Goajira Peninsula from Colombia and approached Maricao recently. It was announced last week that the Castro Government was despatching a force by water to meet the invaders. Venezuela will hold Colombia responsible for the invasion.

A SPIRITUALIST SUPREME.

Strange Story Regarding Influence Exercised on Russian Court.

New York, Nov. 25.—The Times has the following from London:—The Vienna correspondent of The Times says that The Neue Freie Presse, which previously reproduced from a Berlin periodical an account of the alleged extraordinary influence exercised by a spiritualist named Philipp at the Russian Court, now publishes fresh particulars from a well-informed source. The Neue Freie Presse says that Philipp was presented to the Czar at the house of the Grand Duke Nicholas Nicolaevitch, the Czar's cousin. He now occupies a quite exceptional position at the Court as an occultist, spiritualist and hypnotist. It is even asserted by persons closely connected with the Court that the Czar takes no important decision without consulting Philipp, who advises his Majesty even in regard to matters affecting his family life.

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ANOTHER WELL.

Chas. Simmons Makes a Very Promising Oil Find on his City Property

The present oil excitement in Raleigh has made a great impression upon the people of Chatham. The fever has at last broken out with the discovery of oil on the premises of Chas. Simmons, machinist, and owners of the land in the vicinity of the new find are awaiting anxiously to see what the outcome will be. If the well proves a success no doubt many other wells will be sunk around it.

The circumstances under which the oil discovery was made are very peculiar. About seven years ago Mr. Simmons was very anxious to obtain gas and he engaged a well driller, Mr. Mallott, who has since died, to sink a well on the premises adjoining his machine shop. He intended to use the gas, if any were found, in providing power for his machinery.

After they had gone down about 363 feet they struck a flow of oil. They thought nothing of this, however, and continued boring for gas. They went down in all 438 feet, and finding no gas the scheme was abandoned. The well was capped and was no more thought of. It has remained capped ever since.

Since the oil strike was made in Raleigh, it has been the general topic of conversation and yesterday morning Harry Simmons suddenly thought of the oil which they had found in the well. He and his brother feeling rather curious, went to the well and uncapped it. Their surprise was great when they found that the well was full of oil up to six feet of the top.

Some of the oil experts from Raleigh have examined the oil and pronounce it first-class. The news of the find soon spread through the city and many are the citizens who have visited the well.

Mr. Simmons has not yet decided what he will do with his treasure, as he is not sure of its permanency. He will, however, likely sell it to some speculative oil prospector.

WARM WORDS

Provincial Inspector Tilley has Many High Compliments for City Schools.

J. J. Tilley, Provincial Inspector of Model Schools, completed his inspection of the local institution yesterday. At 3 p. m. he dismissed the scholars and invited the staff to join the students in the Model School room, where he delivered a most interesting and instructive lecture on "Aims in Teaching." Inspectors Park and Colles were present.

In commencing Mr. Tilley said: "I do not usually ask the staff or anyone to be present when I visit a Model school. I prefer to be alone. If I consulted my own wishes I would always be alone. However, I have always been so kindly received by teachers and inspectors, and consequently feel so much at home, that I am departing from my usual plan to-day."

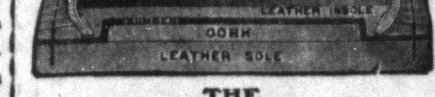
"The teachers of this school give such valuable assistance to the students that I desired to meet them here this afternoon."

At the close of the lecture the hearers applauded enthusiastically.

Inspector Tilley, during his address, also told the teachers that the order in the Central school was wonderful and he advised all the pupils to emulate the teachers of this school.

Inspector Park told Mr. Tilley that he should go over the river and he would find that there was just as good order in all the city schools.

The Grand Trunk carried the first car of sugar from the Dresden factory to Hamilton on Saturday.



THE INVICTUS WATERPROOF SHOE

Dry-Sox Process (REGISTERED)

CONTROLLED AND MANUFACTURED BY GEORGE A. SLATER

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Those Fine Currants

We are selling at **3 lbs. for 25c.** are nearly perfect. You will be delighted with their fine flavor, and then they are so thoroughly cleaned. There's no waste and no trouble when you buy your fruit here.

Selected Raisins, 10c. a pound.
Seeded Raisins, 2 pounds for 25c.
Seedless Raisins, 2 pounds for 25c.
Fine Table Figs, 15c. a pound.
Fine New Dates, 7c. a pound.
Best Extracts, 2 bottles for 25c.
Pure Ground Spices, 10c. for 1/4 pound.
Pure Icing Sugar, 3 lbs. for 25c.
Best Mixed Peel, 20c. a pound.
Shelled Almonds, 10c. for 1/4 pound.

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Secure Your Watch

with a chain that is strong and has some pretensions to beauty. Chains like other things, change in style and what was correct last year may not be just right this. Link by Link the designers and makers have added something new and beautiful to the rich and artistic effects of previous seasons and the line of

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now shown here may be considered as truly representative of all that is good in such things.

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Leading Jeweler and Optician,
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Study Your Interests, ON PUBLIC!

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Mince Meat, 10c lb.
 Tapioca, 5c lb.
 Currants, 7c lb.
 Jam, any kind, 8c lb.
 25c Brooms, for Saturday, only 20c.
 Lemon peel, 15c lb.
 Smoked shoulder 12 1-2c per lb, whole, Saturday only.
 6-lbs. broken Sodas for 25c.

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97 pc. Dinner sets for three days only, \$5.40.
 Tea sets, \$2.90.
 Our china, lamps and glassware are moving, large assortment to choose from. The prices sell our goods.

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TO-NIGHT.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F.
Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock.

Local Briefs

Thos. Bartley, Kent Bridge, was in the city Saturday.

W. H. Bazie left yesterday for Hamilton, Ont.

W. L. Underwood, London, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Ship, of Buffalo, was a guest in the city yesterday.

John S. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, is spending the day in town.

Arthur Brown, of Sarnia, was in the city yesterday and to-day.

W. A. Campbell, of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

W. W. Magee, of Hamilton, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Peter Foshan, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Miss Saltz, of Hespeler, Ont., is visiting Mrs. Con. E. Shea, Grey St.

Mr. Dowling, M. C. R. operator at Fargo, spent yesterday in the Maple City.

Will Leech and Frank Raynor, from Dresden, were Maple City visitors yesterday.

Ted Bogart, of Detroit, an old Chatham boy, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. W. J. Strong and son Norman, of Kingston, are visiting Mrs. Thom Brown, Adelaide St.

J. J. Tiley, Government Inspector of Model Schools, visited the Chatham Model School yesterday.

Miss Belle Riddell, one of Chatham's sweetest sopranos, sang very acceptably in St. Andrew's Church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Dougherty, Aberdeen, South Dakota, are visiting at the residence of J. W. Dyer, St. Clair Street.

Arthur Hinds returned from Wexford Saturday night, and left for Frank Sparks for the South yesterday afternoon.

Miss Annie Dunn, a trained nurse, daughter of James Dunn, Dover St., has gone to Baltimore to enter a large hospital there.

Chas. Cairney pleaded guilty to a charge of malicious damage to the house of James Realey, Head St., and settled out of court, paying \$37.50.

Fred Ward calls attention to the cement sidewalk on the north side of the Aberdeen bridge. The stone abutment supports the walk on one side, but the side towards the roadway has settled, making a dangerous piece of walk in icy weather. He also calls attention to the bad odors emanating from the sewer intake on St. Clair street near the gateway leading to Dr. McKeough's barn. The intake has evidently been improperly trapped.

CHAMOIS VESTS AND CHEST PROTECTORS

KEEP THE COLO OUT

Too much cold outside is quite apt to mean a cold inside the chest. And the most colds are not taken in extreme temperatures, but when the weather suddenly changes—something it is apt to do often about now. Fall cold often mean winter-long coughs and permanent lung or bronchial trouble. The best defence for those who take cold easily is a good Chamois Vest or Chest Protector. We have the good kinds. The cheapest are good, the best are better. Our prices are reasonable on all.

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Trimmed Hats for

Children at from

\$1 to \$2.

Worth double the

Money.

MILLINERY,

Opposite the Market Square,

KING ST.

The Oriental Moon Feast will be held on Wednesday evening.

Wallaceburg sugar is on sale at almost all the local groceries.

The electric light plant is being installed at the Chatham Wheel Works.

W. L. Clark, of Leamington, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

A. H. Patterson offers his 200 acre farm in Harwich, for rent.

Joe Hadley's steam barge, "Smile in Distress," sunk opposite Drader's Mill, Remember St. Andrew's Bazaar and sale of home-made cooking Dec. 12 and 13.

John Crow, one of the oldest residents of Taylor avenue, has moved to Bedford St.

Don't miss Thibodeau & Jacques sale of silk to-morrow at 34 cents. See ad. in this issue.

Mrs. Elsom Sterling, who has been visiting in the city for the last four weeks, has returned home.

Boy wanted to deliver papers. O. E. living west of St. Clair street preferred. Apply Planet Office. 11

Invitations are out for the Blerina Assemblies, which will be held every two weeks during the winter.

Wanted—100 men and women to take Robert's course of Physical Culture. See advt. on another page.

Mr. R. R. Farrow, accountant customs department, O. Law, spent a few days with his brother, H. W. Farrow, Murray street.

The Inspector of Libraries, H. W. Farrow, Murray street.

G. S. Heyward is making a beautiful display of cut flowers from the Victoria avenue green houses in his windows. See them. 11

Gerald McMechan, Detroit, and Edgar McMechan, Chatham, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Fleming and Sheriff Gummel.

The accounts in the estate of the late S. H. West were passed to-day before His Honor Judge Bell. Ward Stanworth appeared for the executor, O. L. Lewis and Albert White.

M. A. Lutes received a Telegram last Monday from Miami, Manitoba, containing the sad news of her son John's death. The deceased leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss. Mrs. Lutes left to attend to funeral.

The Maple Leaf Pleasure Club will hold a grand masquerade ball and basket assembly on Thursday evening, Nov. 27th, by request. There will be three prizes given; the prizes are on exhibition in E. J. MacIntyre's window.

"There are some very bad holes in the approach to the bridge across the creek at Princess street," said a citizen to The Planet this morning. "A man was driving across the bridge yesterday and his horse stumbled and fell twice. If something is not done towards repairing it the city will have to fight a case for damages."

Rev. Dr. Battisby, in a discourse Sunday evening on the great men of the last quarter century, spoke of the late Sir John Macdonald as one of them. Mr. Battisby said that at Sir John's death many thought that the Conservative party would go to smithereens, but he said it had not, and there was still a good following of the Conservative party.

The Crown has been unable to obtain Russell Herriman, the star witness in the William Boyd case. This morning Crown Attorney Smith asked for a warrant for Herriman, and it was issued. The preliminary hearing was further adjourned for a week and will continue to be adjourned until Herriman is secured. The bill of \$2,000 furnished by Boyd was allowed to stand.

A very happy event took place yesterday morning at St. Joseph's church at nine o'clock in the marriage of Miss Nora Casey, daughter of William Casey, of Harwich, to Jas. Johnston, of Wallaceburg. Miss Mary Hogan, of this city, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid, while Mrs. Johnston, brother of the groom, was best man. The happy couple will take up their residence in Wallaceburg on return from their wedding trip.

The dog advertised as lost by W. B. Wells has been found. He had strayed away and was taken care of by the men of the round house of the L. E. & D. R. R. The dog "Sutton Boy" is by Selkirk Dan, out of Mollie Gladstone, is owned by H. H. Wootton, of Montreal, has been trained by John Hurdstone, of Wyoming, Ont., and has just run in the Derbys of the International and North American Field Trial Clubs. In the former he won fourth place and in the latter third place.

PRESENT PLANS OF BIG OIL CO.

Representative of the Imperial Oil Co. Discusses Proposed Operations.

Declines to Pass Opinion as to the Permanency of the Raleigh Oil Fields.

H. P. Chamberlain, general manager of the Imperial Oil Co., with headquarters at Sarnia, has been in Chatham a greater part of his time since the Gurd's Gusher was struck. When interviewed at his room in the Gurner Hotel Mr. Chamberlain said:—

"We are manufacturers of oil and we are always seeking raw material, and we will buy any quantity from one barrel to one thousand barrels. The price you see quoted for the raw material is the price at the well. We do all the transporting and take the oil right from the well. We have a thorough equipment for this, including our own tank cars, tank steamers and pipelines. A five-inch pipe line runs from Petrolia and Oil Springs. Our own tank cars bring the supply from Duco fields. The Sarnia refinery was built in 1896 by the Imperial Oil Co. The works are very extensive and up-to-date, with a capacity of upwards of from 60,000 to 70,000 barrels per month. There is no limit to the quantity of oil we would take."

"The pipe line from Gurd's Gusher to Pardo's siding will be completed at once. We have a loading rack already building at the siding. We have secured some leases in Raleigh. We both produce and export."

"No, I can't give any opinion as to the stability of Gurd's Gusher. The only way to test the Raleigh oil field is to drill. When the ground is full of holes there won't be many gushers, and some idea of the resources of the field can be formed."

"Gurd's Gusher, so far, has only been opened for show. While it is a strong well at the present time, you must remember that it has scarcely been allowed to run at all. It has only been opened and shut up. If the well is allowed to run wide open for from 24 to 48 hours, I could form an opinion about it. The well only produces there is a certain amount of oil there. How much, I don't know. The oil is about similar to the Petrolia crude, being a little darker in color but of the same gravity, 33.3. Yes, the fact that we are trying the pipe line proves that we have confidence in the well, but the drill will have to tell the rest. A man might be in the business a hundred years and yet he wouldn't know, nor could he tell where oil is. He may have his theories, but you know what they are amount to."

Mr. Chamberlain objected to his company being called the Standard Oil Co. He said that the Imperial Oil Co. was a regularly incorporated company with a paid up capital of a million dollars, and that they did business all over Canada.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE

In Store for Those Who Doubt

When you read that a sufferer of many years standing has been completely restored to health by the use of the Pyramid Pile Cure, you are inclined to doubt the statement and, in fact, have no belief in it whatever. The reason for this is that so much is claimed for the Cure-all it is impossible for anyone to believe it; if the advertiser confined his claims to the curing of one disease, as do the proprietors of Pyramid Pile Cure, readers would have more faith and published testimonials. Those familiar with this great remedy know that testimonials as to its merits may be relied upon implicitly, also that the cures brought about by its use are little short of marvelous. The genuineness of the testimonial here given is vouched for and is but one of thousands received.

I had a friend who had used one box of 50 cent Pyramid Pile Cure that entirely cured her. I saw the good effect on her, and thought I would try it, as I had gone so long without sitting down without extreme pain and getting up was just as bad; the first box nearly cured me; I got the second box and have had no trouble since. Pyramid Pile Cure does all that it claims to do, and I never miss an opportunity to tell its merits. I speak from observation, and personal benefit. Two boxes cured me over a year ago, and no return of the trouble since." Mrs. M. Mooney, 6000 Sangamon St., Chicago, Ill.

Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by druggists for fifty cents a package, or will be mailed to any address upon receipt of price by Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich. Write this form for their book describing the cause and cure of piles.

KENT FRUIT

The Chatham Fruit Growers Association concluded the most successful season since their inauguration on Saturday, when they made their last shipment of seven cars to Winnipeg. This association has learned a lot since they began shipping fruit to Winnipeg. In other years each member packed his own fruit. This year the association handled twice as much as they did two years ago. Mr. Wilson returned home last week and will McGeechey, who is still in Winnipeg, will look after the selling of the seven cars shipped Saturday. Milton Backus, Raleigh, is president of the association, and Will Ross is secretary-treasurer. Walter Houston was Mr. Ross' assistant in packing the fruit here.

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Owing to the mild weather and to reduce our large stock we will sell FIFTY LADIES' COATS for each **\$4.98**

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CATTLE GUARDS.

Cattle Guard Commissioners, Messrs. Holt and Robertson, met a delegation on Saturday afternoon in Harrison Hall, representing the counties of Kent and Lambton. Mr. Lancaster, M. P. of Lambton County, who is trying to secure the passing of his bill for safe cattle guards, was also present and gave a brief outline and explanation of his bill.

Warden Rankin called on different members of the delegation for expressions as to the efficiency of present guards and any improvement on them.

All were agreed that no perfect cattle guard is in use on any railroad within Kent and Lambton. Some of them were said to be of no use in keeping the cattle off the track but rather injured the feet of the animals who attempted to cross them.

The general opinion was that the old pits filled with water were the best for turning stock, but it was conceded that they were rather dangerous to rolling stock and the travelling public.

Mr. Holt presented a diagram of a proposed guard which should project out from the railroad fence toward the travelled portion of the highway, and it seemed to be agreed that this was likely to be an improvement over the present method, which has the guard altogether within the limits of the right-of-way.

After the delegates were heard the following motion carried unanimously:—

It was moved by Mr. Ross, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt, of Lambton, that the meeting of delegates from Kent and Lambton approved of the principals of the Lancaster Bill.

After a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Lancaster, the meeting adjourned.

The County Council were represented by Messrs. Vester, Ross, Reynolds, Sifton, Morrison, McGee, French and Warden Rankin.

The report of the proceedings was taken for the commission by Mr. Powers, of the Canada Business College.

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What this great medicine has done for others it can do for you.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

The Council of the corporation of the County of Kent will meet pursuant to adjournment in the Council Chamber, Harrison Hall, on Tuesday, December 2nd, 1902, at two o'clock p. m. for the despatch of general business.

J. GOSNELL,
County Clerk.

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CARE OF LAMPS.

How to Manage Them to Get the Best Results.

The following suggestions on the proper care of lamps are from a pamphlet issued recently by the London County Council.

The oil reservoir should be of strong metal, properly folded and soldered at the joint and should not be of china, glass or other fragile material. There should be no opening between the reservoir and the burner other than through the tube which holds the wick, and this tube should be extended to within a quarter of an inch of the bottom of the reservoir and should have no opening into the reservoir except at its base.

The burner should be securely attached to the reservoir, preferably by means of a strong and well made screw attachment. There should be no opening through which oil could flow from the reservoir should the lamp upset. Every table lamp should have a broad and heavy base to which the reservoir should be strongly attached.

Wicks should be soft and not lightly plaited and should quite fill the wick tube without having to be squeezed into it. They should be frequently renewed and before being put into lamps should be dried at a fire and then immediately soaked with oil.

The reservoir should be filled with oil before the lamp is lit, and the lamp should be kept thoroughly clean; all oil should be carefully wiped off and all charred wick and dirt removed before lighting. When first lit, the wick should be partially turned down and then gradually raised. The wick should not be turned down, as there is then a greater liability to explosion in lamps of unsafe construction.

Lamps which have no extinguishing apparatus should be put out as follows: The wick should be turned down until there is only a small, flickering flame, and a sharp puff of breath should then be sent across the top of the chimney, but now down it. Cans or bottles used for oil should be free from water or dirt and should be kept thoroughly closed.

The Art of Eating.

A writer on matters of etiquette gives the following rules for the benefit of those who are uncertain of how to comport themselves properly at table.

Breakfast—Do not leave your spoon in your teacup.

Cut the top off your egg instead of peeling it.

If you have bacon or fish have a separate plate for your bread or toast and butter, but not when having only boiled eggs, which require very careful eating, by the by, as nothing looks so nasty as yolk of egg spilled all over the plate and eggcup.

Do not sip your tea or coffee with a spoon.

Do not drain the cup.

At luncheon and dinner—Do not empty every drop of soup from your plate.

Do not drink your soup from the point of your spoon, but from the side.

Do not put salt or pepper on the side of your plate—in fact, in France, it is bad form to ever take salt and pepper when dining but, as it is an insinuation that the cook has not flavored the food properly.

For fish do not use a dessert knife instead of the fish knife. If there is no fish knife, use a small crust of your bread. Do not cut it afterwards as so many people do.

Do not be dainty and fringe your plate with bits of meat. Eat what you can and put any skin or bone on the edge of your plate in one little heap, which makes the bread by your side or drain your glass to the last drop.

Do not crumble up your table napkin. If you are only a guest for the day, do not fold it up, but if you are staying on, and in a quiet household, fold it up. If you are staying in a big house, where everything is done "en grand prince," do not fold it up; just place it on the table when you leave, as in rich establishments, there are clean napkins every day.

After eating it is well, before you drink, to wipe your lips; otherwise you leave a smugly mark on the glass.

Do not gulp liquids and bolt food.

Do not masticate or swallow audibly.

Do not pile your plate with food or grasp your knife, fork or spoon as if it were a weapon of warfare.

Do not crumble the bread by your side or drain your glass to the last drop.

On the other hand, do not be affected and eat as if an appetite was a crime, drink as if you were a dicky bird, and hold your knife, fork and spoon as if they were hot needles.

Keep Records.

Keep a record of what you are doing on the farm, the time of planting, harvesting, methods employed in cultivating, yields of grain and hay, sales of cattle and other products. When intelligently kept, such records are invaluable, and the little work to jot them down each week in a book kept for this purpose. A comparison year by year leads to better and more profitable farming, the discarding of unprofitable stocks and unproductive varieties and the substitution of better ones. A record of events pays, and pays well.

—American Agriculturist.

Jokes in Debt to Sydney Smith.

When the celebrated physician, Sir Henry Holland, told Sydney Smith that he had failed to kill either one of a brace of pheasants that had risen within easy range near the latter's home, the witty divine asked: "Why did you not prescribe for them?" One day Sir Henry was engaged in a hot argument with "Bobus" Smith, a barrister, concerning the merits of their respective professions. "You will admit," said Sir Henry, "that your profession does not make angels of men?" "No," retorted Smith, "there you have the best of it."

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And chewing Gum.
A roscod nestled in her hair;
He breathed his love unto her there,
But she—she smiled a smile so rare—
While chewing Gum.

She listened while he urged his suit,
Still chewing Gum.
He vowed her charms had made him mute
And turned his passion on a lute,
And she declared that it was "cute"—
Still chewing Gum.

At last she blushed and murmured,
"Yes!"
Still chewing Gum.

He wrapped her in a fond caress,
And she remarked, "This time, I guess,
I saw about my wedding dress!"
Still chewing Gum.

She strode in state down the aisle,
Still chewing Gum.
He met her with a happy smile,
And they were wedded there, while
She wept in pretty, bride style—
Still chewing Gum.

Today I saw her down the way,
Still chewing Gum.
Three children, jocular and gay,
Were shouting in their happy play,
And they were here, I know, for they
Were chewing Gum.

—Baltimore American.

CURED ONCE AND FOR ALL.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Make on Halfway Work of Kidney Disease.

J. J. McDonald had Rheumatism and Dropsy, was Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and has had no Return of the Trouble for Five Years.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 21.—(Special).—It has been acknowledged for some years that Dodd's Kidney Pills cure any case of Kidney Disease, and of late those interested in medical science have been watching those who they were permanent. Gradually the conviction is forced that Dodd's Kidney Pills cure once and for all.

More proof of this is furnished by John J. McDonald, a well known farmer, now residing at 130 Langlois Ave. Five years ago he was troubled with Rheumatism and Dropsy, and two years he suffered terribly, and the different medicines he tried failed to relieve him. His legs were swollen and the pains he suffered were most acute. He used Dodd's Kidney Pills, was cured, and has cured quite a sensation at the time.

Mr. McDonald, speaking of his cure recently, says:

"I have had no return of my trouble up to the present, and I am not anxious for any. It is with pleasure I acknowledge that Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me. I found them just as represented, and they did for me far more than I expected they would."

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RIVER WATERS.

A Question of Interest in Canada as Well as Where Now Hotted.

The work of examination of the surface waters of this country recently inaugurated by the division of hydrography of the United States geological survey may shed some new light on the old moot question as to how long a distance it is necessary for a river to flow in order to purify itself. This is the question at issue between the cities of Chicago and St. Louis, occasioned by the opening of the Chicago drainage canal, through which the sewage of Chicago is conducted to the Mississippi river via Des Plaines and Illinois Rivers, the St. Lo. is insisting that there will be no effect on the purity of the water of the Mississippi at the latter city.

It is well known from chemical analysis and physical examination that a varying degree of purification takes place in a river in the course of its progress.

In early days this was thought to be due to aeration, and the dumping of water down mountain sides (as in Canada) was considered a purifying process. The experiments of the Massachusetts State Board of Health have shown that aeration has little or no effect upon the condition of organic matter in water—that is, the organic matter is not assisted in its oxidation by agitation in the air. It was also found that the highest degree of activity in oxidation processes is to be found in quiet water, or stagnant waters, and that a sluggish stream is far more effective than in a swift current and that bends and other impediments have a beneficial effect upon the condition of water in river channels.

The promulgation of these facts led to an entire change in the ideas concerning the distance necessary for stream purification, and it is now understood that no hard and fast rules can be set for guidance in determining the purifying power of any water-course.

The work undertaken by the hydrographic expedition of the U. S. Government will therefore be useful in the determination of the self purifying powers of many of the interstate rivers. These results will be highly beneficial to the municipalities and corporations which may be looking toward the establishment of sewerage systems and purification works.

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For the District of Western Ontario, including the Chatham Exchange, will be issued early in December. Orders for new connections, changes of address, changes of names, duplicate entry of names, etc., should be placed at once to ensure their appearance.

F. D. LAURIE, Local Manager

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The sense most early exercised by the newborn infant is the sense of sight, but at first it has the power only to distinguish light from darkness and is in comparison with its later development blind, while in many of the lower creatures the senses are at birth fully developed.

What a difference there is between the dull eye of the newborn infant and the sharp vision of the young chick, which is able to pick up with precision a grain of corn or even snap up a fly while the eggshell may be still sticking to its back! The eye of the infant, however, is developed very gradually, and during infancy and childhood it learns how to see. In the first few days it notices the difference between light and darkness when the light is very intense, and it may even knit its brow in sleep if a bright light be brought close to its face.

On the same principle a striking bright color will also be noticed when held close to the face. In all these cases, however, the infant follows the object by turning its head and not by the movement of the eyes.

The eyelids open and shut from birth, but they are not always moved at the same time with the movements of the eyeballs until the infant has reached the second or third month. Under two or three months of age infants do not wink when the hand or an object is waved before the face, because they do not see the hand distinctly.

One of the remarkable points of interest in the development of the infant's power of vision is the way in which it learns to appreciate the objects seen. It has to learn to discover the distance of objects, their shape, size, character, etc., and this it does with the assistance of the sense of touch.

The face of the mother or nurse is made familiar in that it is brought so close to the infant's face.

After the infant has learned to see objects distinctly at the distance of several feet it begins to use both eyes in common. At first the eyes act independently of each other, so that it undoubtedly has double vision and sees everything double. This double vision can be produced by many at will by looking "cross eyes."

The infant having reached the point when it sees an object clearly, it must also begin to understand objects of three dimensions—that is, to find out the difference between a flat surface and a solid body. Here the sense of touch also assists. The infant grasps an object and, putting it to its lips and face, satisfies itself as to the shape, character, etc.

It is interesting in this connection to note some cases in which a person born blind recovers sight when grown. In one case a young man who had lost his sight in early infancy was so completely blinded that he could not distinguish even the strongest light from darkness.

After an operation on one eye had been successfully performed he began to see objects without understanding them—not being able to judge their distances from his eye and he felt as if everything was touching his eye, so that to touch an object he at first would put one finger or the hand up before his face, pointing at the object aimed at, and reach forward until his finger came in contact with the object.

After he had recovered the use of both eyes he began to find out that everything was not flat, but that many things had a certain thickness as well as length and breadth, and in this way he began to see solid objects.

But even for a year or two after complete recovery he was unable to decide whether a certain figure was a flat surface, as in a painting, or a solid body. He was also obliged to learn the difference between a cat and a dog until he had touched them.

We all go through just the same process of learning how to see in infancy. The child may be two or three years, or even older, before it has control over its eyes and can judge of the distance of objects in the room, etc.

The care of the eye is a question of great importance for mothers and nurses. The eyes of newborn infants should be carefully washed with fresh, clear water, and if anything unusual is noticed the physician should be seen. The infant's eyes are specially to be protected against too bright a light. It is by no means an uncommon thing to see a nurse wheeling a young infant in the carriage while the bright sun is pouring into the child's eyes. This does not argue against taking infants into the sun when the weather is not too warm, but the eyes should always be protected against the bright glare, whether direct or reflected.

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smartest among them being shown in the accompanying sketch. This is generally carried out in a checked tweed of soft gray or fawn tone, lined with a contrasting plaid silk, the fullness at the back confined by a military belt, and when desired it can be fastened over, and has the appearance of a double breasted coat. The high military collar fastens also with gold buttons matching the rest. The sleeves are wide and ample, easily slipping over any bodice or blouse. This coat is made in different shades of covert coating as well as in the checked tweed. The coat in the second sketch is an admirable wrap, which may be made in three different lengths from three-quarter to full length. One made in a good iron gray covert coating is particularly taking. The sleeves of the bell shape, though often the small coat sleeve is put in; both sleeves and yoke are lined with silk. The slit pockets being very convenient. This garment, less elaborately built than the military coat, is not so expensive as the former and yet sufficiently smart for any one.

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