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THOS. STONE & SON—THOS. STONE & SON

Summer Millinery Opening.

We have much pleasure in extending to the ladies of Chatham a cordial invitation to attend our **Grand Summer Millinery Opening**, on

Wednesday, 20th Inst.

and following days. No expense or trouble has been spared in order to place before you every thing that is new and up-to-date in Millinery Art. Pretty hats that will rule and reign for the summer of 1903—a profusion of daintiness and beauty that will delight the eye. If you are interested in seeing the most advanced styles from Paris and New York, you will attend our Grand Summer Millinery Opening.

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you will find every department as full of spirit as the season—budding with bargains—overflowing with newness—fresh with sunny summery things—each hour whispering of some new-born style or inducement.

Thos. Stone & Son.

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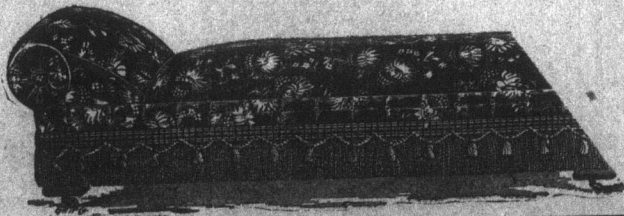
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We have a large assortment of couches which are selling at remarkably low prices. Velours Couches in colors which wear well and look well.

Rug Couches in choice colors.

Box Couches in Cretonne and Velours.

Bed Couches—These couches are all well and carefully made, and no better can be bought anywhere. **Prices, \$5.00 to \$18.00.**

H. McDONALD & CO., FURNITURE and CARPETS.

MAPLE CITY NOW TO HAVE SERIES OF NEW PAVEMENTS

Many Permanent Improvements set on Foot At Last Night's Council Meeting—A Busy Session—Colborne Street Spur.

Ald. Martin monopolized the speaking at the Council—which wasn't unusual. His major addresses were devoted to the Colborne St. spur and the Lake Erie shops. The eloquent member of the Council's oratory was either convincing or else the questions had been discussed so often before that they thought speeches were unnecessary for none of the other aldermen offered to make addresses to the motion ordering the removal of the spur, but the motion carried.

A petition was received against the pavement on King St. West, but the petition was not sufficiently signed, and King St. West will have a new pavement.

Mayor McKeough read a report of a meeting of the property owners on the said street, which was held at the office of the Chatham Gas Co. A majority of those at the meeting favored that provided a petition signed by a majority of the property owners could be secured for some other kind of pavement, the wishes of the majority should rule. They asked that the letting of the contract be deferred until this had been decided. Mayor McKeough and all the aldermen, except Ald. Marshall, attended the meeting.

Ald. Piggott explained that the absent alderman had been detained at the last minute.

EXEMPTION FROM TAXES.
A request from the purchasers of the Chatham Bldg. Co., asking that they be allowed the same exemption from taxes as was granted to the original company, was referred to the Industrial Committee.

PETITIONS.
The City Clerk reported that the petition for a cement walk on Charteris St. was sufficiently signed. The petition was referred to the City Engineer to report on.

A petition was received for a vitrified brick pavement on Third St., from King to Wellington, and referred to the City Clerk to see if it was sufficiently signed. Ald. Mounteer said that he understood that the petition was signed by nearly every property owner on the street.

The City Clerk reported that the petition for a granite walk on Van Allen Ave. was sufficiently signed, and it was referred to the City Engineer to report upon.

A petition was received from the property owners on the east side of West St., between Lorne Ave. and Grey St. They asked that the Council examine the walk in front of their properties, as they considered that with a little repair it would last a couple of years. The petition was signed by James Lebar, Richard Stevens and Geo. Plummeridge. This is one of the walks upon which the Council have taken the initiative. The petition was referred to the Board of Works.

COLBORNE ST. SPUR.
The City Solicitor wrote that he had consulted with the proper committee and had examined the Colborne St. Spur there and the Council could have it to Property Corporation. Ald. Martin business, for be to to ar

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Mounteer, chairman of the Board of Works, reported for his committee, recommending that the accounts of McKeough & Trotter, \$140.44, John Bowes, \$58.15, and J. H. Olderslaw, \$37.68, be paid.

Re Sam Warnock's request for reduction in his sprinkling tax, that no action be taken.

That the tender of the Dominion Paving and Contract Co., for the Cross St. pavement, at \$2 per square yard for vitrified brick pavement and 65 cents per square foot for curb and gutter, be accepted, it being the lowest.

That the tender of the same company for the proposed vitrified brick pavements on Fifth St., King St., from Wellington to Lacroix, and Third St., Cross St. pavement, provided the said pavements be properly petitioned for or the work be undertaken under initiative proceedings.

That the tender of the Chatham Paving and Contracting Co. be accepted, providing they give security and guarantee the walks for five years.

This report was adopted.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

Ald. Taylor, for the Property Committee, reported, recommending that the account of the Diamond Glass Co., \$16.20, be paid, and that no action be taken on the petition of G. A. Thompson for a hydrant and fire protection on Sheldon Ave.

The report was adopted.

Ald. Taylor stated that he had seen the Water Commissioners. They had stated that last year a number of the ratepayers had petitioned for a water main on Sheldon Ave. Mr. Thompson had refused to take the water and, in consequence, only a small main had been laid on the street.

Ald. McCole asked if the city would be liable for loss in case of fire. Mayor McKeough stated that Mr. Thompson had stated that he would hold the city liable for any loss he might sustain by fire.

Ald. Taylor said that the putting of a hydrant on this street was a question for the Water Commissioners. They refused to lay any main that wouldn't pay a profit of 12-1-2 per cent.

Ald. Martin asked if the water commissioners weren't under the control of the Council.

Ald. Taylor remarked that water commissioners were under control of the people, elected them.

Mr. Wilson, K. C. was present. He doubt but that they were no protection more to Ald. or

PENALTY TAKES A BIG JUMP

Sidewalk Cyclists are Now to Be Assessed the Full Limit of the By-Law.

Penalty for Second Offence will Reach Ten Dollars—Rigid Enforcement Directed.

Sidewalk cyclists can no longer settle by paying \$2.

The police have now a batch of offenders under the by-law who will be allowed to settle for \$2, but all those found riding wheels on the sidewalk in future will not get excursion rates, as the Chief calls them, but will have to pay their fines—a dollar and costs for the first offense, and \$5 and costs for the second offense. The name of the City Solicitor was among those against whom summonses were issued this morning. He's in the \$2 class.

"The sidewalk cyclists are coming too thick," remarked Judge Houston, as he signed summonses for a batch of six or seven offenders. "The wheelmen pay too readily and we are not carrying out the by-law. The by-law is there and it is our duty to carry it out. If the by-law is not right, the quickest way to get rid of it is by enforcing it."

AS VIEWED IN GERMANY.

Chamberlain's Speech Has Caused Anxiety.

Berlin, May 19.—The possibility of trade hostilities with Great Britain presented to Germany by Colonial Secretary Chamberlain in his recent speech at Birmingham comes at an inopportune time. For Chancellor Von Buelow, a fresh problem arises, just as the reconstruction of the commercial treaties with other countries was proceeding on well understood conditions. What the member of the Ministry hope is that Premier Balfour the majority of the Cabinet cline to follow Mr. Chamberlain's suggestion, and that he ed to leave the Cabinet any reply can be Chamberlain's constriction towards nations and Canada, part ed

CLUBS MUST SECURE PERMIT

Col. Rankin Believes it May Amicably Decide Park Privileges.

Teams Playing on Tecumseh Park Must Secure Written Permit.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Rankin, C.E., has issued the following order with a view to amicably disposing of the differences experienced by the various athletic clubs in seeking the privileges of Tecumseh Park for their games and practices:

"All athletic teams desiring to utilize Tecumseh Park for the playing of games or practice exhibitions must secure a written permit from the Officer Commanding before the game can be advertised to take place on this ground."

This order is issued by the Colonel for the purpose of alleviating difficulties which have been experienced by rival clubs having clashing dates. "There will be no discrimination," said the Colonel. "All clubs will be treated alike, as is their right. The object is purely to avoid unpleasant differences arising."

AWFUL DEATH

Petrolea Man Had His Head Blown Off at Noon To-day.

Terrible Explosion Works

ROOSEVELT IS THE MAN.

Theodore Roosevelt was hoisted, against his will and in order to get rid of him, into the Vice-Presidency of the United States because certain clever managers of the Republican party thought they could in that way dispose of him. They did not want him to secure the nomination in 1904, which he had fair to do if left at large to work up his boom, whereas he would have been kept silent and fame smothered in the Vice-Presidency. But a lunatic slew President McKinley and Roosevelt became President. His enemies played the game scientifically, but chance defeated them.

There is a great deal of talk in the American press as to whether Roosevelt will be re-nominated, and, if so, whether he will be elected. Those in the thick of the game cannot see how it is going, sometimes, as clearly as those outside, and, looking on from this distance, it seems to us that President Roosevelt will have a walk-over, both for the Republican nomination and for election against the Democratic candidate. He is young and forcible. He has a personality, and a reputation. He stands forward as the man of the hour, with none to dispute public interest with him. He can brag to suit the jingoes, he can moralize to suit the preachers and mothers of his country, he can smash his hat in his enthusiasm at a football match, and can spear his dinner from a pot with a long fork around a cowboy's camp fire, as he did the other day in the presence of reporters with cameras. He can make epigrams and say commonplace things graphically, as when he said a couple of days ago at San Francisco that he did not think a nation should strike a blow if it could help it, but his view was that "if a man or a nation must hit, there is no use in hitting soft." In short, President Roosevelt typifies Americanism and appeals to the imagination of his countrymen.

On the Democratic side there is no body in sight. Mr. Bryan is rapping aspirants on the head as they arise. Mr. Cleveland is being roused from his slumber and is talked of as a candidate. But he belongs to his country's history. Altogether it looks like a walkover for Roosevelt. — Toronto Star.

The Detroit Tribune says that in their haste to appear at their headquarters of the Windsor corporation, they did not appear in evening dress at noon to greet the vice-regal party. Well, what of it. The Windsorites probably wanted to get their money's worth before the suits were changed.

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COULDN'T PUT
HIS COAT ON

Remarkable Cure of Dropsy by
Dodd's Kidney Pills

George Robertson, of Montreal, a Physical Wreck, Restored to Splendid Health by the Great Kidney Remedy.

Montreal, May 18.—(Special).—The case of George Robertson, of 392 James street, this city, is looked upon by those interested in medical matters as one of the most interesting on record. Mr. Robertson was a sufferer from Dropsy and was so bad that tapping was resorted to. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him.

Interviewed regarding his cure, Mr. Robertson said: "I was troubled with Dropsy and Rheumatism for five years. I was a total wreck before I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Before I got out of bed in the morning I could hardly put my feet on the floor, they were swollen so much from Dropsy."

"My arms used to swell at times so that I could not put my coat on. Before I had taken two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills I felt greatly relieved. Seven boxes cured me completely. I also had Lumbago, but since I used Dodd's Kidney Pills I don't know what it is to be sick."

Dropsy, Lumbago and Rheumatism are all caused by diseased kidneys. There can be no diseased kidneys when Dodd's Kidney Pills are used.

THE WESLEY
BI-CENTENARY

The 28th June next will be the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of the Rev. John Wesley, B. A., the founder of the Methodist church, which now numbers thirty millions, of whom one million are in Canada. All branches of Methodism the world over are arranging to celebrate their founder's bi-centenary by advance religious movements and large offerings to missions. The Methodist church of Canada is planning for a special Thanksgiving Fund of \$250,000 for missions. While this celebration proper will come in June and October, a preparatory meeting will be held in Park street church next Thursday evening in connection with the annual meeting of the Chatham District. Four short addresses will be given on different phases of the line and work of one of the most providential men ever given to the world. A choice program of music will be furnished by the Park street choir under the able direction of Miss Hill.

STRIKE IN CITY

Chatham has a strike of longshoremen which, while not as serious as the one in Montreal, still has caused a good deal of inconvenience. The men who hang about the water front and unload vessels refused to unload the steam barge Chamberlain, which is in port with a load of posts and lumber for Scott Bros. & Co. The men demand 30 cents an hour. The old price for this work was 20 cents an hour. When the boat was in last, the men kicked at the price and demanded 25 cents an hour. Their request was acceded to at once, and the vessel before the suits were changed.

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You can't help showing a pleasant expression when you come to inspect our daily feast of superlatively good things. We would like to make a picture of them for you, but it's impossible, you must see for yourself. Every suit of clothes is backed with Meynell's guarantee. Money refunded if not perfectly satisfied. We cannot show you qualities on paper; we can say we have suits for men from \$5 to \$15. Our values cannot be rivaled in Chatham. See our window.

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Local Briefs

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. If Will Blight is visiting his parents, Wellington street.

Prof. A. H. Welch, D. O., F. A. I. P., the Phenomenal Phenologist, is still at the Merrill Hotel.

The ground is plowing too hard for a walking plow; get a Perrin Sulky from A. H. Patterson, Chatham.

The City of Chatham will leave the Rankin Dock on Wednesday morning next.

All new advertisements or local announcements must be received at this office not later than noon of the day on which it is desired that they appear in the Planet.

A. H. Patterson is offering special reduction in screen doors, windows, lawn mowers and rubber hose. See them.

Joseph Robert, student at Toronto Medical College, has returned to the city. Joe is playing with the Varsity baseball team this year. They will be here to play the Chatham Manufacturing Company's nine on June 11th.

Sidney Hope Isaac Thompson, of Winnipeg, a former Chathamite, is calling on his old Maple City friends. Mr. Thompson was born in this city and was one of the prominent members of the cricket club some years ago.

The Central school will not re-open till next Tuesday. The plumbing expert from London examined the Central school and while he could find nothing wrong with the plumbing, but with the water in the sanitary condition. The vents from the sewers were all run into the chimneys. This is all right in the winter time when the drafts are on but not so good in the summer time. The School Board have instructed Westman Bros. to change this and they are now engaged on the work. They are also doing some other work recommended by the London expert.

Thames Lodge, No. 101, Sons of England Benefit Society, held their regular weekly meeting last Monday evening. May 16th, which was well attended. Bro. Geo. B. Clements, Worthy President, in the chair. Sick committee reported Bro. C. P. Cape, of Walkerville, and Bro. Ford, of Merlin, improving. Bro. Mummery reported sick. The Excursion committee have made final arrangements with the Wabash Railway Company for their annual excursion to Niagara Falls; date will be announced later. The annual church service will be held at Park street Methodist church Sunday, May 31st. Rev. Mr. Cobblehead will officiate; 24th Regiment Band in attendance. Owing to important business, the Lodge will meet as usual next Monday evening, May 25th. A full attendance is requested.

Sunday evening in Park street church the pastor, Rev. Mr. Cobblehead, gave a much appreciated discourse on "Voices of the Springtime," from the Song of Sol. 2, 10-13. The sermon was particularly well rendered. At the morning service there was a reception of members, when the pastor gave the hand of fellowship to twenty-one. All to some eighty-five have united with the church during the conference year. At the final meeting of the official Board last week all departments of the church's work were found in a prosperous condition. The evangelist fund, the Sunday school and the Epworth League each showing a large increase. The pastor was unanimously voted a month's vacation during the summer, the Board providing the pulpit supply.

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At 60c a yard— English tapestry carpets, excellent quality, choice designs, newest colorings, really worth 75c a yard, our special price 60c.	At \$1.20 a yard— Superior quality Kidderminster velvet carpets, heavy close pile, beautiful designs, newest colorings, with border to match; makes an elegant rug or floor covering, special made and laid at per yard \$1.20.	At 25c a yard— 30c, 35c, 40c and 50c a yard, a special range of heavy Union Carpets, full yard wide, reversible designs, fast colors, matchless values, at \$1.25 to 50c.
At 45c a yard— Good firm quality English tapestry carpets, in splendid patterns and colorings, none better in town at 50c yard, our special price 45c.	At \$1.40 a yard— Rich English Wilton Carpets, in elegant designs and colorings, made and laid at per yard \$1.40.	Linoleums— 11-2, 2 yards and 4 yards wide, extra heavy Scotch Linoleums, direct from the mills at Kirkcaldy, excellent patterns in floral, tile and block designs, the kind you pay 75c a yard for elsewhere, selling here at per yard 60c.
At 75c a yard— Heavy firm English body Brussels carpets, an excellent wearing quality, in new spring designs and colorings, special put on your floor at per yard 75c.	At 75c a yard— Heavy, Super, 2-ply All Wool Carpets, full yard wide, made from pure clean yarns, thoroughly secured, handsome, reversible designs and colorings, special at, made and laid, per yard 75c.	Floor Oil Cloths at 25c a Yard— A quality that gives every satisfaction in wear, 1 yard, 11-4, 11-2 and 2 yards wide, in choice range of newest patterns, the best in Canada, at per yard 25c.
At \$1.00 a yard— An English Brussels carpet that is fully guaranteed in wear, and guaranteed the best at the price, your ready cash can buy, rich in designs and colorings, a choice range to select from, special put on your floor at per yard \$1.00.	At 85c a yard— Extra Super, 2-ply, All Wool Carpets, a splendid wearing carpet, full yard wide, in choice designs and colorings, special, made and laid, per yard 85c.	Extra Heavy Floor Oil Cloths— Choice patterns and colorings, 1 yard, 11-4, 11-2, 2 and 21-2 yards wide, the largest range in the city to select from, usually sold at 40c a yard, our special price 35c.
At \$1.25 a yard— Best 5-frame English body Brussels, fully guaranteed in wear, elegant designs, rich color combinations, special made and laid at a yard \$1.25.	At \$1.00 a Yard— The best, 3-ply, All Wool Carpets in Canada, extra weight, firm weave, made from best pure wool yarns, rich in design and colorings, fully guaranteed in wear, special, per yard \$1.00.	Window Shades— In any width or length, made to order while you wait. We Can Save You Money on Window Shades.

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If you are tired of being experimented on, you will find my Latest Method Treatment a guaranteed cure for varicocele without use of knife or loss of time. It absorbs the swollen condition, restores the parts, thereby bringing back lost powers, if you take my treatment, you pay when cured.

Thousands of you have stricture and do not know it. If you have been indisposed, or improperly treated, or notice a smarting sensation, unnatural discharge, weak organs, or back, nervous debility, or if you are not the man you should be, it may be the cause of stricture. If you are in doubt, call and see me as I will examine you free of charge; my Latest Method Treatment absorbs the stricture, thereby making cutting or stretching unnecessary, and you pay when cured.

MY LATEST METHOD TREATMENT is a positive cure for all Chronic, Private, Nervous, Delicate, Blood, Skin, Kidney, Liver, Bladder, Stomach, Female troubles. REMEMBER each time you call you see me personally, or each time you write it receives my personal attention; if you cannot call send for blank, perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call. All Medicines for Canadian Patients Shipped from Windsor, Canada.

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A. E. SAUERMAN, J. R. SNELL, 22 W. Recorder

WANTED. GIRLS WANTED—For dining room at Hotel Garner.

WANTED—Pastry Cook, at the Garner House. Apply at once. 10

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. Apply E. J. Pettier, Forsyth street.

WANTED—Three smart girls at Taylor's woolen mills, also a night watchman.

WANTED—Competent men to appoint agents, whole or spare time. Commission paid. Apply John Doyle, Drawer 531, London.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; good wages. Apply Mrs. Rickout, care Canadian Bank of Commerce, Walkerville, Ont.

MAN WANTED—Married, to work on a farm, good wages for a reliable man. Good house. Furnish references and apply to M. J. Wilson, near cemetery, Harwich, or to Art Dunn, Dunn & Merritt, Chatham.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT. FOR SALE—Square box buggy. Ten dollars cash. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE—Gladstone buggy for sale cheap; cost \$135. Apply at this office.

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., apply to Mrs. Tissiman, Room 5, Victoria Block.

TO RENT—House No. 5, Riverside Terrace, to let, possession 11st of June. Apply at once to W. E. Risipin, 115 King street.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Three houses on Grant St. and house and lot on Victoria Ave. For particulars, apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block, or at this office.

FOR SALE—Fine residence and grounds for sale, house has all modern conveniences; 3 1-2 acres of ground, out door fruit cellar, as well as cellar under nearly the whole house, stable for four animals, plenty of pasture for horse and cow; best chicken run in Chatham. Possession at once, or will rent to good careful tenant. Apply to Wilson, Pike and Gundy.

SAND and GRAVEL. Having the tug "Vick" and a sand scow, I am prepared to enter into contracts for the supply of sand and gravel at lowest prices. Apply to, Capt. V. Robinson.

Notice to Contractors. Sealed, separate or bulk tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon, Saturday, May 23rd, 1903, for the erection of a three story brick addition 35 x 103 feet, to the Wm. Gray & Sons carriage factory, foundation, felt and gravel roof. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Ratley & Son. Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned, marked tender, and left at the office of the architects.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. GRAY & SONS CO. Limited.

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DR. OVENS OF LONDON. Surgeon, Dentist and Specialist. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

will be at Chatham, Saturday, Jan. 24th, Saturday, Feb. 28th, Saturday, Mar. 28th, Saturday, Apr. 25th, Saturday, May 30th, Saturday, June 27th, 1903. Glasses properlv fitted. Office at RABE'S Drug Store.

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NEARED SOUTH POLE

SUCCESS OF THE BRITISH EXPLOR-
ING EXPEDITION.

How Captain Scott Has Added to Know-
ledge of the Antarctic Continent—
South Pole Land Was Once Part of
Australia—Map of Antarctic Continent,
According to Latest Discoveries.

Scientific and geographical circles
are deeply interested in the infor-
mation brought from the Antarctic by
the relief steamer Morning, which
recently arrived at New Zealand af-
ter a successful search for the British
Antarctic exploring expedition,
which sailed from Australia, in the
fall of 1901 in the ship Discovery,
under command of Captain R. F.
Scott of the British navy.

The relief party found the Discovery
on Jan. 23 in MacMurdo Bay,
Victoria Land. The expedition win-
tered 400 miles further south than
any vessel had previously done, and
Captain Scott, with Dr. Wilson and
Lieutenant Shackleton, penetrated



CAPTAIN R. F. SCOTT.

100 miles still farther south, reach-
ing latitude 82.17, which establishes
a record, being four degrees higher
than has heretofore been accom-
plished.

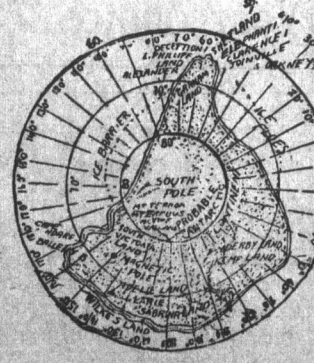
Not only was this record estab-
lished, but information of much value
to geographers and scientists was
obtained. From the fact that Cap-
tain Scott in the high southern lati-
tude that he attained saw the range
of mountains which begins in Vic-
toria Land still trending south it is
evident that the most important dis-
covery in Antarctic geography has
been made.

Scientists judge from the topo-
graphy of the land which the Cap-
tain Scott expedition visited that
this range of mountains and high
plateau probably extends over or
near the south pole and then almost
due north to what is known as
Graham Land. The mountains and
the plateau connected with them dis-
charge enormous glaciers into the
Pacific, which makes up the great ice
barrier noted by all explorers and
which prevents vessels either reach-
ing or seeing the mainland from the
Mount Erebus and Terror region all
the way to Graham Land.

If this line of Antarctica is approx-
imately correct, it is probable that
from the other side of Graham Land,
south of the Atlantic, the Antarctic
continent curves inward and then
strikes over toward the northeast un-
til it joins Enderby Land and Kemp
Land, and finally Wilkes Land, which
in turn connects with Victoria Land.
The Discovery expedition has de-
termined that the great ice barrier
in the south is a gigantic glacier,
and behind it a high mountainous
country that probably extends to the
pole.

The fact is that there is quite like-
ly a great south continent, with
huge mountains running through it,
covered with masses of ice. It is
probable, as has been held by Ant-
arctic explorers, that this land is a
continuation of Australia and New
Zealand, from which it has been sepa-
rated in the distant past, because
there is a similarity between the
animal and plant life there and in
the islands at the south of the east-
ern continent. Evidently it was once
all one land.

Captain R. F. Scott, who com-
mands the expedition and who will
remain another year in the Antarctic
regions to continue the work which



MAP OF THE ANTARCTIC CONTINENT.

has already been so fruitful of re-
sults, is but little over thirty and
looks still younger. He is about 5
feet 6 inches in height, with blue eyes
and brown hair.

The ship Discovery was built at
Dunfermline expressly for the expedi-
tion and is of exceptional strength. The
expedition has been very lucky, hav-
ing lost but one man. The Morning
brought back some of the Discovery
party, but Captain Scott still has
forty-one men with him. The expedi-
tion will return next year.

To Fight Russia.

It has just been discovered that
there exists at Rapperswil, Switzer-
land, a fund consisting of nearly
\$50,000 which has been subscribed by
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for the purpose of waging war on
Russia, when a propitious time shall
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SKETCHES OF THE LIVES OF THE
JURISTS IN THE GAMEY CASE.

Sir John Alexander Boyd, Chancellor of
Ontario, and Hon. W. G. Falconbridge,
Chief Justice of the High Court of Jus-
tice—Both Had Distinguished Educa-
tional Careers and Have Won Honors
From Various Sources.

Sir John Alexander Boyd is the
son of the late John Boyd, who was
for many years the principal of Bay
street Academy, Toronto. He was
born here on April 23, 1837. He was
educated at Upper Canada College,
where he obtained a scholarship and
won the modern language gold medal
when graduating in 1856. In the
following year he proceeded to his
M.A. degree and was subsequently
for a number of years one of the
University examiners. He adopted
law as a profession and was called
to the bar in 1863. After practis-
ing for a time with D. B. Head, Q.
C., he entered the firm of Blake &
Kerr, where he continued until ap-
pointed Master in Chancery. Later

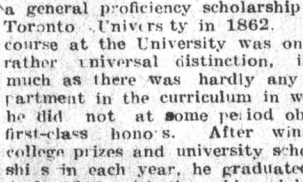


SIR JOHN ALEXANDER BOYD.

In 1872, on the elevation of Hon. S.
H. Blake to the bench as Vice-Chan-
cellor, he resigned his office and re-
sumed his place on the bar as mem-
ber of his old firm. Mr. Boyd
was regarded as one of the ablest
equity pleaders in the province and
was made a Q.C. by patent of the
Dominion in 1880. He was appoint-
ed Chancellor of Ontario in 1881,
succeeding the late Hon. J. C.
Spragge. In 1887 he became presi-
dent of the High Court of Justice.
In 1888-9 he acted as arbitrator for
the Dominion Government in the
matter of certain claims preferred by
the C.P.R. in connection with the
Onderdonk section of the road in B.
C. In 1893 he was appointed arbit-
rator for Ontario in the adjustment
of public accounts between the Do-
minion and the Province of Old Can-
ada, consequent upon Confederation.

Hon. W. G. Falconbridge.

Hon. Wm. Glenholme Falconbridge
is the son of the late John Kennedy
Falconbridge, J.P., a native of the
north of Ireland, who came to Can-
ada in 1837. He was born at
Brimmondville May 12, 1846, and
received his preliminary training at
the Barrie Grammar School for Up-
per Canada. He matriculated with
a general proficiency scholarship in
Toronto University in 1862. His
course at the University was one of
rather universal distinction, inas-
much as there was hardly any de-
partment in the curriculum in which
he did not at some period obtain
first-class honours. After winning
college prizes and university schol-
arships in each year, he graduated B.
A. in 1866, with the gold medal for
Modern Languages, and proceeded to
the M.A. degree in 1871. On leav-
ing university he filled for a year
the chair of Modern Languages in
Vancouver N.S. Seminary and re-
turned to Toronto on being appoint-
ed lecturer in Italian and Spanish in
University College, which position
he occupied for one year. In 1868
he commenced the study of law and
was called to the bar in 1871. Dur-
ing the whole of his career at the
bar Mr. Falconbridge was a member
of one of the largest and most emi-
nent legal firms in Canada, that ori-
ginally known under the name of
Harrison, Osler and Moss, and the
experience gained by him therein was
of so wide a character as to add



HON. W. G. FALCONBRIDGE.

greatly to his natural qualifications
for a seat on the bench. He was an
examiner in the University of Tor-
onto for several years and became
registrar of the University in 1872.
He resigned that office in 1881 and
was immediately elected as senator.
He was re-elected in 1886 and re-
signed from the bench in 1896, be-
cause he would not countenance the
action of the Senate in conferring
an honorary degree on Prof. Gold-
win Smith. He was elected a
bencher of the Law Society in 1885
and was in the same year created a
Q.C. by the Marquis of Lansdowne.
He was appointed a judge of the
Queen's Bench in 1887 and was
named a commissioner for the revisi-
on of the Ontario statutes in 1896.



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forces. If you had seen me a year ago, before I began taking Lydia E.
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and had noticed the sunken eyes,
sallow complexion, and general emaciated condition, and compared that
person with me as I am today, robust, hearty and well, you would not
wonder that I feel thankful to you and your wonderful medicine,
which restored me to new life and health in five months, and saved me
from an awful operation."—Miss IRENE HAPGOOD, 1022 Sandwich St.,
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Ovaritis or inflammation of the ovaries or fallopian tubes which adjoin the
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tion of the womb, and many other causes. The slightest indication of trouble
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I suffered much pain. I would daily have
fainting spells, headache, backache
and bearing down pain, and was so weak that
it was hard for me to do my work.

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pound, menses appeared, my womb trou-
bles left me, and I have been regular ever
since. I used fourteen bottles of
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound and Blood Purifier
together, and am now restored to
perfect health. Had it not been for
you, I would have been in my grave.

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HARD WORK FOR A PRINCE.

Prince Alexander of Teck Grooming His Own Horses.

A strange state of affairs exists at Hampton Court, where is stationed a portion of the Provisional Regiment made up of the 7th and 10th Hussars, says Lloyd's Weekly. The detachment, which a short time ago numbered 116 non-commissioned officers and men, is under the command of Prince Alexander of Teck and Capt. Sir Keith Fraser. Recently the Prince of Wales visited Prince Alexander at his quarters in the ancient palace, and inspected the barracks themselves, going through the rooms and the stables. The Provisional Regiment of Hussars is included in the Cavalry of the First Army Corps. A constant drain has



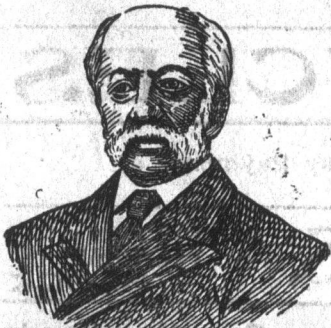
PRINCE ALEXANDER OF TECK HIS OWN GROOM.

been made upon it, however, for drafts for South Africa, and men of less than 18 months' service have been despatched. The calls of the War Office have been so incessant that there now remain at Hampton Court only seven men and the two officers named. What amazed the Prince of Wales when he made his inspection was that these men have to look after no fewer than 84 horses. Not only do the sergeant-major and the sergeants turn to and work from morning to night at the horses, but Prince Alexander of Teck may be found every day, stripped to the shirt, busily feeding and grooming in the stables, alongside the troopers. A request was sent to the other squadron at Hounslow for men, but the reply came back that they were in as bad a state there, and could do nothing while it was likely that the existing condition of things would continue for another month. For the first time since Hampton Court became a Royal palace there has been no sentry on its gate.

SIR JAMES GRANT.

Veteran Canadian Physician's Half Century of Practice.

In recognition of fifty years spent in the practise of medicine, during forty-nine of which he was located in Ottawa, Sir James Grant was on the night of the 22nd April, 1903, entertained to a banquet at the Russell House, Ottawa, by the medical fraternity of the capital and presented with an address and a silver loving cup. Covers were laid at the dinner for 85 guests, and the medical profession of the Ottawa Valley



SIR JAMES GRANT, M.D.

was represented by its most distinguished members, who vied with each other in showing attention to the honored guest of the evening.

In the course of his reply, Sir James pointed out that the three great advances in the medical profession in the course of these fifty years were (1) the introduction of anti-toxine for the cure of disease; (2) the germ theory of disease as advanced by Pasteur, and subsequently worked up by Lister; and (3) preventive medicine as largely brought about by the medical profession, notwithstanding that it lessened their prospect of revenue.

The Bachelor's Creed.

Article 1.—I believe that liberty and the unquestioned privilege of the hatch-key constitute the only true happiness.

Art. 2.—I believe that marriage is often a failure because most men don't understand women.

Art. 3.—I believe that I am the only man who does thoroughly understand women.

Art. 4.—I believe that hats and veils are a danger and an aggravation to man and should therefore be suppressed.

Art. 5.—I believe that all mothers with grown-up daughters are highly dangerous to the youthful bachelor, but the daughters themselves are pretty, innocent little darlings.

Art. 6.—I believe that all women are jealous of one another, and that therefore one must not praise a girl even to her sister.

Art. 7.—I believe that landladies are a much-maligned race, but landladies' cats are the very mischief.

Art. 8.—I believe that babies are the most terrifying of created things, and so much alike that their own mothers wouldn't know them with their clothes off.

Art. 9.—I believe that stolen kisses are the sweetest—yet another inducement to remain a bachelor.

A Story of Bismarck.

In his autobiography Kruger relates a story of Bismarck. It is the only thing he records of his visit to Berlin in 1884. Bismarck had stumbled on the stairs of the palace, and the old Emperor said jokingly, "Prince, you are growing old." "Yes, Majesty," replied Bismarck. "It's usually the case that the horse grows old before his rider."

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HAMILTON SENTENCED.

Winnipeg's Champion Burglar Given Ten Years in Penitentiary.

Winnipeg, May 18.—Robert Hamilton, self-confessed housebreaker and robber, was sentenced at the Police Court to serve a term of ten years at hard labor in Manitoba Penitentiary. Hamilton admitted having robbed 20 residences in Winnipeg and five in Brandon. On telling the story of his life, Hamilton said he was born near Guelph, and had been most of his life in the Pacific Coast States. He joined the forces for South Africa at Vancouver, and upon returning to Winnipeg last April was destitute. He then began his robberies, and had been most successful.

CANADA'S ANTHRACITE COAL.

A Large Quantity Discovered Four Miles From Cumberland, B.C.

Washington, May 18.—In a report to the United States State Department American Consul A. E. Smith at Victoria says that a large quantity of anthracite coal, four miles from Cumberland, near the celebrated Comox mines, has just been discovered. Although none of this coal has been brought to market sixty men are employed in developing it and a railway is in progress of construction thereto.

The Denver Strike.

Denver, May 16.—The Joint Executive Committee in charge of the strike in this city issued an order this morning calling out 2,500 more workmen.

HONEST LETTER

Still Tell The Joyful News That

Paine's Celery Compound

Cures When Physicians Fail

A Tara, Ont., Gentleman Says

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For years, men and women in every rank and walk of life have been sounding the praises of Paine's Celery Compound, and telling of its victories over disease and death. Those who were most heavily burdened with disease, victims of suffering pronounced incurable by doctors, and who stood on the brink of the grave, are the people who most gratefully remember Prof. Phelps, of Dartmouth College, the eminent physician and scientist who discovered Paine's Celery Compound, the medicine that never fails to conquer blood diseases, dyspepsia, rheumatism, neuralgia, liver and kidney troubles. Mr. T. Young, of Tara, Ont., happily rescued from a complication of dangerous ailments, writes as follows:

"After suffering for years with dyspepsia, sleeplessness, nervous prostration, loss of appetite, and a weak and tired feeling, and after consulting the best physicians in my locality, and having tried a great many so-called cures advertised in the papers, and receiving no benefit from any of them, I was persuaded to try a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound. I noticed an improvement before the first bottle was finished; and after I had finished the third bottle I considered myself a new man; all this was done by Paine's Celery Compound. I can now go about my work with my old time life and vigor; my sleep is sweet and sound, and my appetite good."

If you are in need of free medical advice, write to Consulting Physician's Department, The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, Montreal, Que. All correspondence is sacredly confidential.

THIEVES PETTY AND STUPID

Modern Invention Has Driven Out the Crafty Kind.

"The people who nowadays give the detectives most trouble are the members of that vast horde of petty thieves, both white and black, that infest every great city," said one of the most efficient detectives of the Washington department. "The days of mammoth burglaries, diamond robberies and brilliant thieving operations have passed, perhaps never to return, and instead of the really shrewd, calculating and bold thief of half a century ago we have today a mob of petty pilferers, who are far from possessing one-tenth part of the brains and wit of the old time thief, but manage nevertheless to give the police a vast deal of trouble."

"The progress of invention has put the shrewd thief and burglar out of business. Say, for example, a man steals several thousand dollars. Very well. The moment he does so he realizes that in order to retain his ill gotten gains he must leave the scene of the crime, realizing that he is in nowise prepared to cope with modern detective and police methods. Probably before he leaves the city telegrams and telephone messages have preceded him to the cities of the United States and Canada, and he is nabbed the moment he reaches his destination. But supposing that he escapes all these traps and reaches some foreign country—why, he is simply in as bad a plight there as he was before leaving home. Nowadays there is hardly a government or country with which the United States has not entered into an understanding whereby criminals are caught and returned, and what few and far distant states with which our government has failed to draw up any such arrangement can be very easily managed in case Uncle Sam wants to get any of his missing children back."

"The result is that no really bright or shrewd person would think of undertaking a job of burglary or stealing in this age. None but the desperately poor, the degenerates, morphia users, the submerged tenth, so to speak, nowadays practice stealing. They are too stupid to realize the danger of such a course and plunge headlong into a career that must sooner or later land them behind the bars."—Washington Post.

FIRST OCCURRENCES.

Envelopes were first used in 1839.

The first steel pen was made in 1830.

Postoffices were first established in 1404.

The first lucifer match was made in 1829.

Kerosene was first used for lighting in 1826.

The first steamboat plied the Hudson in 1807.

The first balloon ascension was made in 1783.

Omnibuses first appeared in New York in 1829.

The first locomotive was run in this country in 1829.

The first watches were made at Nuremberg in 1477.

The first English newspaper was published in 1688.

Pins were first manufactured in this country soon after the war of 1812.

The first complete sewing machine was patented by Elias Howe, Jr., in 1846.

The Potato Planter.

The potato planter of today would make a farmer of a generation or so ago sit up and rub his eyes. It requires that the potatoes be supplied, but will do all the rest of its own initiative. It picks the potato up and looks it over, or seems to, cuts it into halves, quarters or any desired number of parts, separates the eyes and removes the seed ends. It plants whole potatoes or parts thereof as desired as near together or as far apart as the judgment of the farmer on the driving seat suggests. Having dropped the seed it covers it, fertilizes it, tucks it in like a child put to bed and paces off the next row with mathematical accuracy.

The Oldest Libraries.

The oldest libraries of which we have any certain knowledge are those brought to light by excavations among the ruins of the east. Among these are the Babylonian books inscribed on clay tablets, supposed to have been prepared for public instruction about 650 B. C. It is said by Aristotle that Strabo was the first known collector of books and manuscripts. This was about the year 330 B. C.

Our Common Woo.

"Beg pardon, sir," remarked the man who was hanging to strap No. 1, "but do you get off at the next corner?"

"I don't see that it is any of your business," replied his fussy neighbor. "Well, no," admitted the mild gentleman, "but I was merely going to remark that I get off there and if you will be so kind as to lift I'd like to take that foot with me."

The Artist.

Palette—De Auber is the most egoistical chap I ever met.

Brush—How's that?

Palette—Why, every time he paints a landscape, he imagines he flatters nature.

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"To hear that young clerk talk you would think he owned the place."

"How's that?"

"Why, he never says a word against his employers."

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In digging an aero of ground a man turns 112,000 spade-fuls of earth, and the soil moved during the work weighs 850 tons.



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WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

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Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. Leaving Rankin dock, South Chatham, at 7:30 a.m., and returning leaves Detroit (foot of Randolph St.) at 3:30 p.m. Detroit time, or 4 o'clock Chatham time.

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Young wife was almost distracted for he would not stay a night at home so she had his LAUNDRY done by us, and now he ceases any more to roam.

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LARGE TREES.

Western Method of Transplanting Them—Scientific American Explains the Plan in a Nutshell.

A western method of transplanting large trees is thus described in the Scientific American: "The tree which is being transplanted is never handled in any other way than from its base. To explain the method in a nutshell, it may be stated that the earth and roots are incased in a steel basket of any required size, which corresponds to the flowerpot of the florist. The first operation in transplanting a tree by this method is to thoroughly wet the earth about the tree, softening the ground. Next in order is the placing in position of the steel basket, which is made of curved steel shovels. A medium sized machine inclosing earth and roots six feet in diameter is composed of fourteen shovels made of five-sixteenth inch plow steel, each of the shovels being hinged to a steel platform surrounding the tree. After the shovels have all been driven into place they are firmly secured to the platform by cross-bars, by which the whole tree can be lifted from its bed.

"The lifting apparatus is then adjusted about the tree, and two men lift the tree out of the ground by screw power, raising it to its position in the transporter. The operations have complete control of the machine at all times, and the tree may be raised, lowered or held at will. After the tree has been removed from its old abiding place it is laid back on the cushion of the skeleton wagon which is to convey it to its new location and is thus transported through the streets of the city, being at such an angle that the branches pass under telephone and telegraph wires and other overhead obstructions. Incidentally it may be noted that the tree rests so lightly upon the cushion that there is no strain whatever upon the body of the tree. Upon arrival at its destination the tree is slowly lowered into the hole which has been prepared for it, and after the transporter has been removed the earth is filled in and stamped about the basket. When all is secure, the shovels are withdrawn, leaving the tree fully imbedded without the loss of any of its original surrounding earth containing its fibrous or hair roots. Among the advantages of this method of tree transplanting is the operation of the lifting and conveying device according to the points of the compass, making it possible to plant the tree in the exact original position.

No man wants to be considered as lacking in generosity.

Sour Stomach —Bad Breath.

The body depends on the bowels to carry off all waste and poisonous matters from the system—it is Nature's drainage. If the bowels don't perform their functions properly and become clogged up, the system gradually absorbs this poison. It is this which causes sick headache, biliousness, sour stomach, bad breath, inactive liver, lack of energy, heartburn, etc.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt will cure you by clearing away the obstruction and thoroughly cleansing the bowels. This brings healthy action to all the organs of the body and rids the system of the cause of illness.

In this way Abbey's Effervescent Salt permanently cures. A teaspoonful in half a glass of tepid water every morning.

Horses Wanted.

Until further notice, HAROLD W. SMITH of Toronto, will be at Wm. Gray & Co. Factory.

EVERY SATURDAY
to purchase horses. The highest cash prices will be paid.

BETTER THAN PILLS.

The Gymnasium Has Cured Many a Case of Dyspepsia.

William H. Evans used to boast that he had never even looked into a gymnasium, which was his way of saying that in his opinion gymnastics were all nonsense. "People say to me, 'Mr. Evans, you're hale and hearty when you ought to be thinking of your grave,' and they wonder how I do it."

Of course the secret of the haleness and the heartiness was temperance—moderation, says the New York News. No man who goes to bed on a supper of mince pie and Welsh rabbit and wakes up for a breakfast of sausage and buckwheat cakes and then spends most of the day twisting from one side of a desk to the other can long avoid the prescription of hot water thrice a day before meals. "Temperance" is one of the words that are ridiculed until they impress themselves upon giddy humanity with the effect of a branding iron.

Some happy mortals like Mr. Evans have no use for a gymnasium, for they find gymnastic apparatus everywhere. The street is their half mile track; the two flights of steps—or maybe ten flights—are the lung developers; the free and vigorous swing of the arms and the throwing out of the chest are as good as parallel bars.

There are men somewhat intemperate in their temperance, displaying too much of the good thing. They crack your knuckles when they take you by the hand; they pound you on the back, as if a fishbone were stuck in your throat, and say, "Brace up, old man; you'll be round shouldered if you don't take care."

But there is this to be said in favor of the gymnasium—it has cured many a case of dyspepsia and to that extent has made the world sweeter.

DOING A GREAT DEED.

How Phillips Brooks Sobered Down a Too Aspiring Youth.

When Boston's great preacher, Phillips Brooks, was a student at college, he decided to enter the ministry. His instructors advised him against this step because of an impediment in speech. "The professors had all the argument on their side," said the famous clergyman years after when by patient effort he had gained control of his voice, "but naturally I could not protest, for words failed me."

To this preacher's study there came one day a youth, physically perfect, ambitious for honor and looking for a short cut up the road to success. He intimated that he wished to do some great thing better than it could be done by any one else.

Phillips Brooks wrote rapidly upon a piece of paper while his visitor was speaking, sealed it in an envelope and then suggested that the note be read when the man reached home. The letter read: "Stand in the moonlight and you will cast a shadow. No man can cast a shadow just like it."

The young man realized that the preacher had made his honest attempt. On the original letter he wrote, "Possible, but I desire that the deed I do be of benefit to my fellow men."

Back came the original letter, with these words added: "Then stand in the sunlight and permit the workman to eat his lunch in your shadow."

All Happens in a Second.

A second is the smallest division of time in general use, and when we consider that in one year there are about 31,558,000 of these periods it would certainly seem as if it was enough for all practical purposes. But, after all, a good deal can happen in the fraction of a second.

A light wave, for instance, passes through a distance of about 186,000 miles in this length of time. A current of electricity has probably an even greater speed. The earth in itself moves in its orbit at a rate of about twenty miles a second.

A tuning fork of the French standard vibrates 870 times per second to produce the note A on the treble staff.

May 11 December.

Our great-grandfathers had a way of announcing marriage ceremonies which would hardly find favor nowadays. The following cases in point have been unearthed:

"On Aug. 22, 1782, at Bath, Captain Hamilton, aged twenty-eight, married Mrs. Monson, an aged lady of eighty-six, but possessing rank and much wealth."

"Robert Judge of Cooksborough, Ireland, aged ninety-five, to Miss Annie Nugent, aged fifteen. Robert Judge was an officer in King William's army and was wounded in the nose."

Oddities of Love.

He—don't know how it is, but I've noticed it is the girl who puzzles all the other girls "what he could have seen in her" who is the first to get married.

She—And it is the man that the girls say they wouldn't have if he were the last man on earth who has his pick of all the pretty girls in town.

Imperative.

Schoolmaster—Now, Jones, give me a sentence, and then we will see if we can change it to the imperative form.

Pupil—The horse draws the wagon.

Schoolmaster—Now put it in the imperative.

Pupil—Gee up!—Chums.

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A Busy Official.

Our host was showing us through his club. In one room we found a haggard man, surrounded by a score of stenographers, typewriters and messenger-boys.

"I am going to sit into a little game of poker," said a club member who rushed into the room.

"Send word to Mr. Jones's house that he is detained down town to pass judgment on an exhibit of pictures," said the haggard man to one of the stenographers.

"I am going to the Flipp Theater to see the new burlesque," announced another new-comer.

"Boy," ordered the haggard man, "run out to Mr. Smith's and tell his wife that he will not be home to-night, because he has to attend to a perplexing column of figures."

"I am going to attend a quiet little wine-supper," whispered a third new-comer.

"Send a note out to Mr. Johnson's, saying that he will be compelled to endeavor to find that perplexing balance to-night," ordered the haggard man.

"Who is he?" we whispered as our guide drew us on.

"Mr. Buffer, the official excuse-inventor," explained our guide. "It's a new idea of ours, to have our excuses for absence from home of such a nature that they may be said to be absolutely true."

As we left a club attendant hurried in and said:

"Mr. Buffer got into a little fight down street and won't go home until his blacked eye is fixed up."

"Send word to Mrs. Buffer," ordered the excuse-inventor without a moment's hesitation, "that Mr. Buffer has accepted an invitation to witness a demonstration of applied art."

"How on earth did you ever get hold of such an ingenious man?" we asked.

"Oh, it was easy," said our guide. "He has been married six times."

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Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Mamma, said little Freddie one evening, may I go out with the other boys on the street and look at the comet?

No, dear, replied the mother; I'm afraid you might get hurt.

No, I won't, mamma, he answered; I won't go any ways near it.

NERVOUSNESS AND NERVE.
The more nervous a man is, the less nerve he has. That sounds paradoxical—but it isn't; for nerve is stamina.

Hood's Sarsaparilla gives nerve. It tones the whole system, perfects digestion and assimilation, and is therefore the best medicine a nervous person can take.

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INITIATIVE NOTICE

Granolithic Sidewalk, Brick Pavement and Sewers.

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the City of Chatham will proceed under section 69 of the Municipal Act, and under the General Local Improvement By-law No. 377 of 1899, to construct a Granolithic Sidewalk, Vitrified Brick Pavement and Glazed Pipe Sewer upon the following streets within the limits mentioned, after the expiry of one month after the last publication of this notice for two weeks in the Chatham Daily Planet and the Chatham Daily News newspapers, and the assessment of the costs of such works made upon the real properties to be benefited thereby, unless the majority of the owners of such real properties, according to the last revised assessment roll, representing at least one-half in value thereof, petition the council against the same within one month after the last publication of this notice.

A Granolithic Sidewalk four feet wide on the east side of Prince Street from King Street southerly to the property of Mary Brown, part of lot 65. A Vitrified Brick pavement on a five inch concrete bed with sand cushion and combined concrete curb and gutter, to be in width 20 feet over all, on Thames Street from Victoria Ave. to Head Street. A Glazed Pipe Sewer on Head Street from Ursuline Avenue to the St. Clair Street sewer. City Clerk's office May 12th, 1903. First published May 12th, 1903. Last published May 19th, 1903.

W. G. Merritt,
City Clerk.

after the last publication of this notice.

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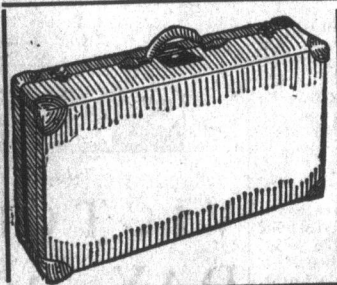
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Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

WILL NOW HAVE NEW PAVEMENTS

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Ald. Martin gave the following questions to Ald. Mounteer to answer, "How is the inspector of the Williams street pavement paid; does he draw his salary when work is not going on; does he take full pay when only two or three men are working; what is the cause of delay in the work; is the work to be finished in any specified time; if not, why not?" Ald. Mounteer stated that the inspector was paid by the day when on duty. The delay was caused by the contractors being out of cement. The work was to be completed within two weeks.

TENNIS CLUB HAPPY.

Ald. Piggett moved a resolution which relieved the Tennis Club from taxes except the frontage and school tax. The motion carried.

When the Lacroix street sewer was built, the private sewer of the Tennis Club was spoiled. The Tennis Club agreed not to oppose the new pavement on King street west provided they were relieved from the general tax.

Mayor McKeough said that the city had a precedent in the action of the former Councils towards the athletic grounds on Queen street.

Mayor McKeough stated that he understood that the petition against the pavement on King street west was not sufficiently signed and he asked the Council and Board of Works not to do anything as to the kind of pavement to be put down till after Wednesday night, as the property owners on King street west had not yet agreed on the kind of pavement. The property owners on the street wanted the debentures to extend over 20 years, and also they desired the privilege of recommending the inspector.

Ald. Mounteer said that the Board of Works were always ready to receive suggestions.

Ald. Mounteer said that at the last meeting of the Council tenders for asphalt block pavement had been received. Blight & Fielder's had been the lowest, but they had put in no tender for curb and gutter. The firm when spoken to had said that the omission was an oversight and that their tender for the curb and gutter was 52 cents.

Ald. Taylor said that he didn't think it legal to accept the tender.

Ald. Piggett said that he had met Mr. Fielder after the Council meeting and, on his attention being called to the tender, had stated that the curb and gutter had been left out by mistake and that their price would be 52 cents a foot.

Ald. Scott thought that it was a breach of faith to accept the Blight & Fielder tender, and, anyway, this tender had not been accompanied by a check.

The tenders were referred back to the Board of Works to report on.

Ald. Mounteer moved, seconded by Ald. Martin, that Martin Kennedy get \$7 instead of \$6 for swinging the bridges. The motion carried.

The by-laws for cement walks on Selkirk and Jeffrey streets were passed.

The following accounts were passed:

Horace Rogers, \$9.
George Thomas, \$9.
James Corbett, \$1.
Joe Tucker, \$1.
Chatham Plaster, \$1.
J. H. Blackburn, \$2.
W. R. Baxter, \$4.50.
W. H. Gonne, \$54.90.
Fire department, hay, \$14.
David Lee, \$2.
Col. Miller & Co., \$3.
Richard Stevens, \$19.
Pay sheets, two weeks, \$415.95.

The account of James Cornhill, \$7.20, was referred to the Board of Works.

The accounts of Geo. Jamieson, J. W. Blackburn and the Canada Business College were referred to the Reception committee.

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AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS.

RURAL CHILDREN TO BE INSTRUCTED ON A FARM.

Scheme to Engage Travelling Agricultural Instructors Being Worked Out—Carleton County Taking the Lead—A Central Farm School System.

Toronto, May 19.—The Education Department has decided upon an important innovation in rural public school education. It will introduce the study of agriculture in an experimental and practical manner, as a complement practically of the manual training in city schools. A small school farm for central schools is contemplated in each municipality. Travelling agricultural instructors, O. A. C. graduates, if they can be obtained, will visit the schools each week, and give instruction on a two and a half acre school farm worked by the pupils. The initiative is being taken by Carleton County, and the expenses of two travelling teachers will be met by the County Council. The salary of a third will be paid by Sir William Macdonald.

The classes will be attended by the senior boys from the surrounding schools. The subjects taught will include the elements of horticulture, forestry, entomology, the science of agriculture, etc. The instructors will serve about 25 to 30 school sections by visiting five central "farm schools" each week.

Other counties are already taking an interest in the movement. Saltfleet municipality (Wentworth) is making arrangements to engage a travelling teacher of agriculture with a special reference to fruit culture.

It is expected that the Minister of Education will ask for a special grant to encourage the movement this season. This system has already been successfully worked out in France, Russia and Austria on a large scale. France has 27,000 such schools.

SEVERAL BILLS DISPOSED OF.

Mr. Bickerdike's Cigarette Bill Ruled Out of Order.

Ottawa, May 19.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, replying to a question, intimated in a very decisive manner that should the German Government attempt to carry out their reported intention of shipping ex-convicts to Canada, the laws preventing the admission of undesirable immigrants into Canada will be rigorously enforced. This was a field day for private members, and all the private bills upon the order paper were advanced a stage. Mr. Monk's bill respecting insolvency was defeated upon the motion for the second reading by a majority of 32. In committee upon Mr. Putter's bill to amend the conciliation act there was a spirited debate, in which Mr. W. R. Brock led the opposition to recognition of international unions. Mr. Bickerdike's cigarette bill came to the fore upon the ruling of the Speaker that the rules of the House had not been observed in its introduction. Mr. Walter Scott's bill to regulate the sale and provide for the inspection of textile fabrics was ruled out of order on the same ground.

Third readings were given the following private bills:—To incorporate the New Canadian Company, Limited—Mr. Lemieux; respecting the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Montreal—Mr. LaRiviere; respecting the Dominion Burglary Guarantee Co.—Mr. Bickerdike; for the relief of Wm. Francis Schooley—Mr. Boyd; to incorporate the Sault Ste. Louis Light & Power Company—Mr. Bickerdike; to incorporate the Dominion Gas Improvement Company—Mr. Belcourt; respecting the Niagara-Welland Power Company, Limited, to change its name to "The Niagara-Welland Power Co."—Mr. Guthrie.

GRAND TRUNK RESPONSIBLE.

Verdict of Coroner's Jury in the Accident on May 3.

Detroit, Mich., May 19.—The Coroner's jury has rendered a verdict finding the Grand Trunk Railway responsible for the accident at the corner of Canfield and Dequindre streets on the night of May 3, when a Grand Trunk train ran into a number of Polish excursionists from Toledo, killing six or seven outright and fatally injuring others.

THE NATIVE QUESTION.

Broad-minded Views Expressed by Lord Milner.

Johannesburg, May 19.—Lord Milner, High Commissioner of South Africa, addressing a meeting on the native question, contended that natives who raised themselves to a civilized level with the whites were entitled to equal privileges. He sympathized, he said, with the feeling in South Africa against an influx of Asiatics, but that influx should be resisted on social and economical grounds, and not on the score of color.

CREED REVISION.

Strong Vote in Its Favor—General Assembly at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 18.—Arrangements for the Presbyterian General Assembly, which will meet here next Thursday for a two-weeks' session, are about completed. About 700 commissioners are enrolled, one-half of whom are laymen. Many important measures will come before the General Assembly. Latest reports show that of the 240 Presbyteries 220 have voted in favor of creed revision, consequently the report of the stated clerk on the overtures submitted by the latest General Assembly is already anticipated. The first authoritative announcement of the result will come from the Moderator, the Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, at the opening session Thursday morning.

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