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Exceptional Shirt Waist ...Prices...

A backward season is a great maker of bargains—the "ill-wind" this season has been a steady, cool one—but it has blown large economics to those wanting shirt waists or summer fabrics, nothing is more certain than the hot months—sure to come—and here are hot weather goods at

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DESERTED

Foreigners Left to Their Fate.

LATEST NEWS FROM PEKIN IS THAT THEY WERE MAKING A FINAL AND DESPERATE STRUGGLE FOR LIFE.

London, Wednesday, July 4, 2.30 a. m.—Couriers, who are arriving at the seat of government of the southern viceroys from their agents in Peking give vivid but fragmentary pictures of what is being enacted in the capital. They report that the heads of some of the captured legation guards were being borne through the streets at the top of spears, followed by patriots, chanting "Tapi yang kusi tae, kill, kill!" (kill the foreign devils, kill, kill!). The city's millions have been roused to patriotic fervor, breaking out into the wildest excitement, while over half the city could be heard defiling around the legations. Sir Robert Hart's runner, who was interviewed by the correspondent of the Express at Shanghai, supplements the tragic sentences of the despatch he bore. He says the foreigners were making a last stand in the extensive buildings and enclosures of the British legation. They had many dead and wounded. Among them were some women and children. All were short of food, even of the commonest necessities. The women were starving as they gave a part of their small allowance to their children. The foreigners, nevertheless, were holding out under a terrific fire, upheld by the hourly expectation of relief. They knew they would not be abandoned, and that the armies of their governments were advancing, hear artillery in action beyond the wall. They were unable to return the fire of the Chinese except at moments when an assault seemed imminent. The machine guns and repeating rifles tore

THE STORMING PARTIES to pieces. The messenger expressed the belief that it would be impossible for the foreigners to resist much longer, as the Chinese were preparing to batter down the walls of the courtyard, and their ammunition was running low. Orders were given by Prince Tuan, the messenger says, that since some had been killed, not one other foreigner should be left alive. The Chinese soldiers were exhorted to sacrifice their lives without hesitation if by so doing they could help exterminate the "Wang Kuei Tsu." Extreme precautions had been taken to prevent the foreigners from communicating with anyone outside the city, cutting a number of runners who had been sent out were killed by the Chinese. This messenger succeeded in getting through by sneaking his face getting through by blood and joining in the outcries against the "devils." He passed the remains of foreigners of Admiral Seymour's force, who had been killed between Lung Fang and Lo Fu. Their bodies had been cut to

pieces and their heads were carried at the ends of bamboo poles. A large army of Manchus Chinese Imperial troops with 70 guns, is reported to be advancing in the direction of Tien Tsin. Reliance is placed in Shanghai on most of the statements made by this messenger, as he is known to be faithful to the foreigners. The consular body at Shanghai is of the opinion that the food and ammunition of the besieged legation forces at Peking having become exhausted, they must be dead or imprisoned, and that it would be futile to make a desperate effort for their relief with an inadequate force. It is regarded at Shanghai as appalling that nothing is being done for the relief of the besieged foreigners, and that they should be abandoned to a horrible fate. The inability of 16,000 men—the latest estimate of the number landed—to advance is explained by the statement that the Chinese army between Tien Tsin and Peking has been heavily reinforced, that it has abundant artillery and numerous cavalry, giving it large advantages over the allies. Reconnoitering parties run a great hazard of being surrounded, captured and probably executed by torture. A long delay seems certain before an effective advance can be made. Severe fighting, according to vague reports, continues around Tien Tsin.

MADE A MISTAKE.

What the Boers Did When They Attacked the Canadians.

Driven off With Loss—A Thousand of Them Against 400—Strathcona's Lost Two Men.

Pretoria, July 1. — (Delayed in transmission) —The Royal Canadian Regiment, which is now stationed at Springs, was attacked on Thursday morning by a large force of the enemy, who tried to take a position commanding the coal mines. After a sharp engagement the enemy were forced to retire under heavy fire from the Canadians, who had two guns. The enemy numbered over 1,000, while the Canadians were only about 400. A great many of the enemy were killed, but there were no casualties among the Canadians. The latter behaved splendidly, and were congratulated by Lord Roberts for their gallant defence of a difficult position.

HEMMING IN DEWET. London, Wednesday, July 4, 4 a. m.—Nothing decisive has yet been heard from the columns seeking to hem in Gen. Dewet. All of Lord Roberts' field transport is engaged, apparently, in supplying these columns. Operations elsewhere are necessarily relaxed. One thousand Boers are hanging on Gen. Clery's right flank in his advance to Greylingstad.

Strathcona's Horse on July 1 received its baptism of fire, in which one trooper was killed. Capt. Cooper is reported as missing. President Kruger, replying to a correspondent at Mafeking, who inquired if there was any truth in the report that he had opened peace negotiations, wrote:—"The President and people of the South African Republic most earnestly desire peace, but only upon two conditions—the complete independence of the republic and amnesty for the colonial Boers who fought with us. If these conditions be not granted, we will fight to the bitter end."

A Pretoria despatch says:—Lord Roberts, in order to check the operations of Spies, requires that every man over sixteen years of age shall be registered and shall carry a permit.

SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD.

The Separate School Board held its regular monthly meeting last night. The members present were the chairman, Jos. T. O'Keefe, Peter Robert, William O'Brien, John Stephens, Edward Reardon, John Welsh and Frank E. Gerber. The salaries of the teachers and janitor were ordered to be paid for the months of June and July; also the secretary-treasurer's salary for the quarter ending June 30th. A resolution was passed expressing regret at the loss of Miss O'Neill as one of the teachers, and of appreciation of her valuable services in the past. It was also ordered that Miss O'Neill be paid three months' salary, viz., June, July and August.

The committee on supplies were instructed to proceed with the improvements to be made in the building in so far as to get estimates of cost and other information, and to report to the board at an early date. An agreement was executed between Mr. Finn, as principal, and the board, confirming the appointment of the former in his present position. The education committee were instructed and empowered to execute agreements between the board and Mother Baptiste, superior of the Ursuline Convent, for five nuns to teach in the school next year. It is estimated that \$1,000 will be spent during the next two months in improving the school building.

RECOVERING THE BODIES.

New York, July 4.—One hundred and two bodies have been recovered from the waters of the North river, this being the list of fatalities positively known. The list is growing hour by hour, and it is believed when the tide is at its lowest, it is believed a great many more bodies will be recovered. The officers of the three burned vessels report 142 of their crews still missing.

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A JEALOUS LOVER

Shoots a Girl and Then Kills Himself at the

Orangeville Dominion Day Celebration—A Case of Unrequited Love.

Orangeville, Ont., July 4.—Maddened by jealousy, Ottawa Hunter, a young man 19 years of age, shot Miss Gertrude Nixon, 17 years of age, on Monday, and then pressing the muzzle of the weapon to his own heart pulled the trigger and killed himself. The terrible occurrence took place on Idylwys Park about 5 o'clock, while a concourse of nearly 1,000 spectators were watching the lacrosse match between the Dufferins and the Tuscaroras Indians. Suddenly and without any previous warning whatever the sharp crack of a revolver was heard at the south end of the grounds. A second later the report rang out again. The horrified crowd saw a young woman and a man stagger and fall to the earth almost at the same instant. There was a wild rush for the spot and a scene of great excitement ensued, until the prostrate victims were carried from the grounds. Hunter died where he fell and his lifeless body was taken to the town hall to wait the coroner's inquest. Miss Nixon was carried to a nearby residence, where she now lies in a precarious condition with a bullet lodged in her lungs. Gertrude Nixon, the female victim, is the only daughter of Mr. Thos. Nixon, of Mono Township, and very pretty. As nearly as can be learned it appears to have been a case of unrequited love.

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The Planet

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A FEASIBLE PLAN OF CHURCH UNITY.

Writing on "Church unity," the Christian Work proposes the following simple and, it is believed, entirely feasible plan. We quote in part as follows:

"If, instead of seeking unity in outward form, churches would unite in agreement upon a very few fundamental doctrines concerning the life and teachings of Christ, not upon the philosophies of religion; if, too, as in apostolic times, they would allow the churches to govern themselves in their own way, as in apostolic times some were Episcopal, some Presbyterian and some Congregational, and would all unite in sending delegates to one council, as the apostolic churches held their council at Antioch and Jerusalem, which should administer upon matters common to them all, it might be possible to have a united church; at least we might see a union of the Protestant churches. But this would require each denomination to give full credit of regularity and concede divine authority to every other denomination. That such a union might be blessed of the Spirit and give greater efficiency to the Christian churches we may well believe. But that the denominations are ready at the present time for such a union, while it would seem to be the only possible one, is a question. But there is no saying what may not be accomplished by time and the work of the Spirit in the hearts of men."

SIR WILFRID DEFENDS MR. TARTE

Sir Wilfrid Laurier still stands by the master of the administration. Although the official report of Mr. Tarte's speech was sufficient to draw upon him the reproach of a staunch party journal as the Montreal Herald, the Premier affects to see nothing in it but legitimate pride of race. In the house last week Mr. Foster again drew attention to the Francophile speeches of the minister of public works made on the other side. He said that since he had first brought up the matter further and better reports of these speeches had been received, and the government certainly ought to inform the house whether it approved of the utterances or not. Mr. Tarte could not but be regarded in the matter as a member of the government representing Canada as a whole, a British country. Mr. Foster quoted the Montreal Herald's adverse criticism of Mr. Tarte and held that the matter was serious enough to call for a peremptory order to Mr. Tarte to return home.

The Premier replied at some length. He reminded Mr. Foster that Mr. Tarte had complained of being unfairly reported in France. Every public man knew how liable he was to such misrepresentations. Mr. Tarte was well known to be a loyal British subject. His message to the Queen on St. Jean Baptiste day was a recent proof of it. When Mr. Tarte said the French-Canadians were more French this year than last, etc., he said something respecting which the Premier was not prepared to express an opinion without the facts before him. Mr. Tarte, it was to be remembered, was French by birth—a fact which was not to his discredit; nor was it discreditable to him that he was proud of his origin without being disloyal to the British crown, under which French-Canadians were secure in their lives and liberties. (Hear, hear.) Until he had the official reports of Mr. Tarte's speeches, which were now on the way, he said he for one would not feel disposed to form a final opinion. Mr. Tarte seemed to have been imbued with pride in his race, and with strong hopes in its becoming numerically much stronger than it is at present in Canada—a laudable ambition, he thought, and one which he had no hesitation in declaring he had the temerity to share. For himself he also hoped to see the French-Canadians continuing to add to the population in the future in the same degree as in the past, and not only to the population, but to the material prosperity of the country. (Hear, hear.) As for the newspaper reports, he had seen nothing in them that justified any different construction being placed upon them than that which he had just outlined. He was not prepared to admit that Mr. Tarte meant anything else than pride—pride of race—or that anything he had said as a French-Canadian conflicted with his loyalty to the British crown. Until the contrary was proved he was prepared to stand by him. (Liberal cheer.)

Mr. Foster replied that while making all allowances for what might be a very laudable feeling on the part of Mr. Tarte as a French-Canadian, he thought the Premier had not quite appreciated the more serious aspect of the matter, and had not treated it as he should. He was not willing to let public men down too closely to newspaper reports, but these reports bore evidence of being accurate, and he thought Mr. Tarte's were not

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END OF THE ST. LOUIS STRIKE.

The St. Louis street car strike is over. The men in the first place demanded that the company employ none but union men. The company refused. Then the employees struck. The net result, has been the loss of about \$50,000,000 in trade to the city, wages, earnings, damages and increased police expenses. Some 12 or 15 persons have been killed and a number of others will spend long terms in prison for lawlessness. The company will take back such old employees as it has room for. None guilty of violence will be allowed to return. As for the union part of it both sides agree to leave the matter on open question, a man may or may not belong to the union as he pleases, and in either case neither the company nor the union is to molest or intimidate him. Thus the men practically lose everything they struck for and the end of the struggle is a scramble to get back to such positions as have not been filled by non-union men.

MONTREAL GAZETTE'S INTERESTING QUERIES.

Have you principles, or do you think that political platforms were only made to get in on?

Do you think a minister who said \$38,000,000 a year was enough to run the government service should show his sincerity by his acts, or do you think he should spend \$55,000,000 a year?

Did the Drummond deal make you rich, or were you one of the lot that had no stock in the concern?

Do you think it was unwise to pay \$2,000,000 more for building the Crows?

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Did you like the Yukon Railway arrangement or were you interested in the Mackenzie-Mann-Sifton combination?

Did you approve of giving dredging contracts without tender, or are you a family connection of Mr. Tarte's?

Do you think that nothing is too good for the soldiers, or had you a friend selling them cheap cracker rations at \$2 a pound?

Do you believe that elections should be elections, or do you approve of "the machine" stealing in the government's man?

Do you think a public servant should serve the public or would you have him a Yukoner?

Do you intend to vote for Laurier and Tarte, and Sifton, and Blair, and Borden, or do you think it time for a change?

Pretty nearly anybody can scorch these days without breaking the by-law about fast bicycle riding.

The Essex Review designates M. K. Cowan, M. P., as "the double-turreted Demosthenes from South Essex." Is he run by gas?

That Canadian in South Africa who got 50 days for stealing a chicken was probably equipped with Dr. Borden's emergency rations and had to steal to save himself from starvation.

A Hamilton girl has married a man named Sock. It is to be hoped she'll never have any occasion to darn him.—Brantford Courier.

Before there was only one sock, now there's a pair.

Two years in succession now Chatham's Dominion day celebration has proved a great success. What is the matter with establishing the celebration as a permanent affair and letting the world know at once that this city henceforth reserves to itself for demonstration purposes the first of each July?

Manitoba's new prohibition bill contains a clause requiring physicians to state the nature of the disease suffered by the patient for whom he is prescribing. Against this clause the Manitoba Free Press waxes indignant as being inhumanitarian, and a breach of the trust put by the patient in his medical adviser. Such a clause in this or any other act does not amount to anything. The object of applying to a physician is to allow a man a drink if he thinks he needs it, and at the same time provide a sufficient check so that he will not feel that way too often. Any physician, if he so desires, can "latinate" the description of the thirty individual's complaint to such an extent that not even a board of experts will be able to find out from the certificate what he is suffering from. The Free Press man may rest easy. The law can be complied with without any breach of trust between him and his doctor.

SCHOOL GIRL WITH MILLIONS

Moreover This Young Kentuckian's Fortune Has a History of Its Own.

"There is a school girl in Louisville," said a Kentucky man of political prominence, "pretty well along in her teens who is one of the richest persons of her age in the United States, and there is a gold mine, romance goes with her fortune. Her grandfather was John B. Williams, born in Somerset, Kentucky, who as a young lawyer, went to San Francisco. This in the course of his practice he undertook to float a gold mine in Nevada, and he earned a fee of \$1,500 for his labor. However, the mine didn't pan out right and the company went to pieces without paying Mr. Williams his fee—I may say that he was then or afterwards Attorney-General of the State—and it was agreed that he should foreclose on the mine and buy it in for his fee. This he did, and a couple of years or so later, a representative of the Flood, Mackay and O'Brien interests, just then coming into prominence came into his office one day and offered him \$50,000 for his mine, which he adjointed their Nevada property. He declined to sell, although nearly paralyzed by the proposition and the figure was rapidly advanced to \$200,000, which Mr. Williams also declined, because he was sure now that he had a good thing, though he had not suspected it before, but he agreed to put the mine in with the other interest and take his share of the profits.

"On this basis the F. M. O. people took over the mine that had cost Williams \$1,500 and he began to get dividends. Not a great while afterward a representative of the majority holders told Mr. Williams that somebody was bearing the stock in the market and he did not know what the result would be, but if he wanted to sell out he could do so. Mr. Williams was willing to sell if he could get his price, and after several days' dickering he sold his interest, receiving for it a check for \$3,000,000, the largest check, by the way ever drawn by any one on the Pacific Coast. After that Mr. Williams was on Easy Street, but without doing the sole half of the property of her grandfather which I am reliably informed has increased in value until it is worth somewhere between ten and twelve millions of dollars.

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No. 24—Corner Colborne and Prince streets.
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No. 26—Corner King and Princess streets.
No. 31—Corner of Prince and Park streets.
No. 32—Corner of Grey and Queen streets.
No. 34—Cor Park avenue and Queen street.
No. 35—Corner of Harvey and West streets.
No. 36—Corner Lacroix and King streets.
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No. 3—General Hospital.
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No. 5—Corner of Duke and Park streets, store of Henry Weaver.
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No. 7—C. P. R. Station.
No. 8—Residence of C. R. Atkinson, Park Avenue.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that By-law No. 530 was passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Chatham, on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1960, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$4515.15, for the purpose of constructing a Glazed Pipe Sewer on William Street, from McGregor's Creek to Wade Street, and that such by-law was registered in the Registry Office of the County of Kent on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1960. Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within one month from the date of registration, and cannot be made thereafter.

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Six thousand miles across the main.
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The peopled streets will ring with cheers.
Until the morning star appears.
And we'll all feel gay when Tommy comes marching home.

When Tommy comes marching home again.

Hurrah! hurrah!
League upon league of khaki men.
Hurrah! hurrah!
Pity the lonely, sick pro-Boer—
Sick at the mind and sick at the core.
For he ain't no chum when Tommy comes marching home.

When Tommy comes marching home again.

Hurrah! hurrah!

We won't insist on being sane.
Hurrah! hurrah!
We'll toss our hats into the air.
Whether or not we've a hat to spare.
And we'll all go mad when Tommy comes marching home.

The Union Jack is flying o'er.

Hurrah! hurrah!

Pretoria for evermore.
Hurrah! hurrah!
It's Tommy wins the country's thanks.
For he grappled with death in the khaki ranks.
And we'll "do him proud" when Tommy comes marching home.

When Tommy comes marching home again.

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THE WOUNDED CANADIANS.

Harold D. Parsons, an Australian Delegate, Tells of the Work of War Office Blockheads.

The Canadians at Shorncliffe, invalids, presumably, returned from the front, complain that they are badly fed, unhealthily crowded and refused furlough.

It seems a curious return to make for conspicuous services voluntarily rendered to the Empire. But let us hear Sir Ralph Knox of the War Office, in explanation.

"These men," he says to The Daily Mail, "do not fully realize that they are soldiers. They realized the fact in its more essential bearings, for example, in the case of the Shorncliffe system, is part of the traditions drafted and issued in great part on the basis of the army."

"Whatever their positions in life may be at home, pursued by a worthy knight, we cannot look upon them otherwise, and they must put up with the consequences."

I have it on undisputed authority that it is a practice of the War Office to administer the British volunteer, and for all I know, the regular army, by means of regulations drafted and issued in great part on the basis of the army."

But, after all, we are indebted for our victory to Lord Roberts and to Lord Kitchener, neither of whom is a friend either of the War Office, or of Lord Wolseley. And now, it turns out, the War Office cannot keep on decent terms even with the Commander-in-Chief.

Discipline has not been our difficulty in this war. It has been satisfactory in all branches of the services, and it is not likely that the Canadians have been found wanting. The feeling of our soldiers, at all events, is well known to be inadequate—even for the refugee from an over-stocked labor market.

Sir Ralph Knox's official tone, which is not likely to be appreciated in Canada, and which is, therefore, of disservice to the nation, is even departmentally inopportune.

Harold D. Parsons in The London Daily Mail.

The War Office's Throat.

After a battle has been fought in South Africa one may hear curious drumming from Pretoria to hilltop in the regions inhabited by blacks. That is how distant tribes learn whether victory rests with the Boers or the British. Generals have been astonished at the speed with which such country innocent of telegraphs, telephones and even of white settlers.

But the native drummers know their work, and their re-echoing taps, repeated by one operator after another, speeds the news in a land where the "war extra" is unknown.

Men and Apes.

"I did not know that Dr. Stubbs, the bishop of Chester, was as witty as he is learned, but a clever fellow said to him, 'It comes, then, to this, the only distinction that I can see between a man and an ape is that the man can speak and the ape can't.' He was ready with the rejoinder, 'Don't you think perhaps that there is also this distinction, that the man knows when to hold his tongue and the ape doesn't?'" —Sir E. G. Grant-Duff's Diary.

A Duke's Fear.

Don Jaime, the only son of the Duke of Madrid and therefore the Carlist heir to the Spanish throne, seems to have a practical turn of mind. He has held for some years a commission in the Russian army, but his father he has found it impossible to make both ends meet, and together with a friend of his, a young Polish prince, he is now said to be founding a steamship company for the Black Sea trade.

Germs in Walking Skirts.

A Philadelphia bacteriologist who made a microscopic examination of the train of the walking skirt of a woman of that city found it contained "200,000 germs—many bearing diphtheria, pneumonia and typhoid, also collections of typhoid and consumption germs."

Railroad with Wooden Rails.

In the western part of British Columbia is a novel railway, two miles in length. The rails are made of trees, from which the bark has been stripped, and these are bolted together. Upon them runs a car with grooved wheels ten inches wide.

The Velocity of Light.

The velocity of light is 192,000 miles in a second of time. From the sun light comes to the earth in eight minutes. From some of the fixed stars of the twelfth magnitude it takes 4,000 years for the light to reach us.

Population of the Earth.

The population of the earth, as estimated by Ernest George Ravensstein, some years ago for the Royal Geographical society, was 1,487,900,000.



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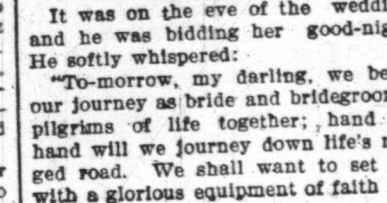
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Fancy and Fact.

It was on the eve of the wedding, and he was bidding her good-night. He softly whispered:

"To-morrow, my darling, we begin our journey as bride and bridegroom—pilgrims of life together; hand in hand will we journey down life's rugged road. We shall want to set out with a glorious equipment of faith and



hope and courage, that neither of us may faint and fall by the wayside before the journey is ended. Will we not, darling?"

"I—oh, yes, to be sure. Only I really am worried about the train of my dress. It didn't hang one bit nice to-day when I tried the dress on, and I'd perish with mortification if it hung so at the wedding to-morrow. Go on what you were saying, dear!"

Theater Checks in Japan.

The theatres in Japan have a novel method of pass checks which are positively non-transferable. When a person wishes to leave the theatre before the close of the performance, with the intention of returning, he goes to the doorkeeper and holds out his right hand. The doorkeeper, then, with a rubber stamp, imprints on the palm the mark of the establishment.

The man who has nothing to be proud of is apt to be proud of that. The street vendor's business is more of a calling than a trade.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Mary Leitch was the medalist in room 6 of McKenough school.

The Bowling Club will send three rinks to Windsor and Walkerville on Thursday.

Miss Cantin left this morning to pass her vacation with her parents in Goderich, after spending a few days with the Misses Robert, Emma street, street.

Probate of the will of the late Samuel Sloan, of Harwich, was granted this morning to Geo. W. Sloan and James T. Sloan. The estate is valued at \$6,100.

The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green House is sufficient proof of the excellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Telephone 181.

Miss Annie Dillon, of this city, has taken up her residence in Detroit. Miss Dillon was very popular and will be much missed in Chatham, and more especially from St. Joseph's Church choir, where she was one of the leading soprano soloists.

Lodges, churches and other bodies contemplating excursions or summer entertainments will do well to get their job printing done at The Planet office, thus securing a local notice gratis in the reading columns of the paper. Finest of work, and lowest prices guaranteed.

There were three fire alarms during June. On the 10th, at 5:20 a. m. Watchman Coyle turned in an alarm for the blaze in the marble shops of the line. The cause of the fire was unknown. On the same date an alarm was rung in from box 34, owing to a chimney being on fire on the house of Mr. Sterling, Queen St. On June 11th there was a still alarm from the house next to the C. P. R. track on Queen St. The loss was about \$5. The fire was supposed to have been caused by a spark from a locomotive.

CRICKET MATCH.
 The Cleveland cricket club were late in arriving in the city, so that the match between the Chatham and Cleveland eleven didn't begin till shortly after 2 o'clock. Chatham won the toss and elected to bat first. S. Nash began the bowling for the visitors and his third ball took W. B. Wallis' wicket. J. W. Kenny then went in and was caught out. The score then stood at 4. I. L. Nicholls joined Bell at 230. The teams are: Cleveland—W. S. Newhall, F. H. Mills, S. Nash, Gus. Malone, F. S. Cooke, C. Laframboise, J. Evans, H. E. Gresham, J. F. Flintoff, — Campbell, and J. S. Beddow. Chatham—C. R. Atkinson, W. B. Wells, I. L. Nicholls, John Horstead, Edwin Bell, John Reeve, J. W. Kenny, Percy Miller, J. W. Aitken, G. O'Hara, A. W. Kelly.

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BADLY CRUSHED.
 James Vickery, carter at Wm. Gray & Sons, met with a nasty accident about 2 o'clock this afternoon. He fell under his wagon and the wheel struck his head badly crushing it. His arm was also badly lacerated. Mr. Vickery had a narrow escape from instant death. Had the wagon gone a couple of inches further he would have been killed. Dr. McKeough was summoned and the injured man removed to the Public General Hospital.

RASPBERRIES NOW IN.
 There was a good market today. Strawberries are just about done, and were scarce at 7c. a box or four for 25 cents. Raspberries, wild, sold at 10c. a quart, and tame at 12-15c. a quart. Cherries brought 8c. a box, potatoes \$1 a bushel, peas 8c. to 10c., currants 5c. a quart, gooseberries 5c. a quart and beans 4c. a quart. But-ter was in decidedly small supply at from 14 to 15c. a pound, and eggs were scarce at 11 to 12c. a dozen. Honey sold at 10c. to 12c. a frame.

FIRST EAU BAND CONCERT OF THE SEASON.

The first of the regular tri-weekly excursions to the Eau took place last evening, and after the excessively hot day several hundred persons took advantage of the opportunity to enjoy the delightful breeze at the lake side. A more perfectly charming night they could not have had. The many improvements that have been made in the buildings and works have greatly added to the appearance of this popular summer resort and have materially increased the comfort and pleasure of the guests. Quite a number took their rods and went to the docks and fished with good success, but the greatest number promingled up and down the docks, that have been put in good condition, getting cooled off from the invigorating lake breeze that was just strong enough to make the outing an ideal one. The City Band accompanied the excursionists, and played a number of dance selections to a merry party of young people who enjoyed dancing on the embankment of the new platform. During the summer months this suburban service will be continued each Tuesday, Friday and Saturday, leaving the station at 7 p. m., and returning at 10:15.

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PREMIER LAURIER REFUSES PROHIBITION.

Ottawa, July 3.—By a vote of 98 to 41, Mr. Laurier's amendment declaring that the country was not ripe for prohibition, was carried in the House tonight. All the members of the government voted for this amendment.

HON. A. B. DICKEY.
 Halifax, July 4.—Hon. A. B. Dickey, ex-Minister of Justice in the Dominion Government, was drowned at Northport yesterday. He went out alone at one a. m. to bathe. He was 46 years of age.

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Holiday committee—R. Paxton, H. Macaulay, John Longwell, John Darling, John Johnston, John Glasford, Robt. Riddle, James McNeillage, Harvey Forsyth.

Finance committee—Dr. Charteris, John Cummings, H. Macaulay, H. Malcolmson, P. D. McKellar.

Grounds—John Darling, R. Paxton, Adam Taylor, J. G. Charteris, Jas. Waugh, A. B. McCoig, D. J. McDonald, P. D. McKellar, Arch. McMillan, Wm. Fife, John A. Brodie, Wm. Findlay, Adam Bryden, Jas. Robertson, Alex. Barclay.

Railways—Jas. Waugh, Arch. Park, Jos. Turner, Wm. Robertson, P. D. McKellar.

Printing—H. McPherson, Jas. McLachlan, H. Macaulay, W. A. Coltart, Jno. Cumming, A. B. McCoig.

Reception—P. D. McKellar, Jno. D. McKay, Robt. Riddle, Sam. Duncan, H. Malcolmson, David Forsyth, Jas. Waugh, Dr. C. R. Charteris.

The first named on each committee is the convenor and it is earnestly requested that he shall call his committee together as soon as possible in order to perfect the arrangements and report to the camp at its next meeting.

WORTHY FOEMEN.

The London Cadets so Regard Their St. Thomas Rivals—A Letter From Principal Radcliffe.

Secretary J. F. Cairns received the following communication from Principal Radcliffe of the London Collegiate this morning:—

Dear Mr. Cairns,—Received the cheque for \$75 for which accept my thanks. Our boys were delighted with their trip to Chatham and feel that it was their own fault in not having prepared the bayonet exercise. They would like to have captured first prize but feel that St. Thomas cadets were worthy of their steel. Thanking you again for your courtesy and generous hospitality, I remain, yours, truly,

S. J. RADCLIFFE.

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 "Will wonders ever cease?" inquired the friends of Mrs. S. Peas, of Lawrence, Kan. They knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years on account of kidney and liver trouble, nervous prostration and general debility; but "Three bottles of Electric Bitters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three months I felt like a new person." Women suffering from Headache, Backache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction is guaranteed. Only 50c. at A. I. McCall & Co.'s Drug Store.

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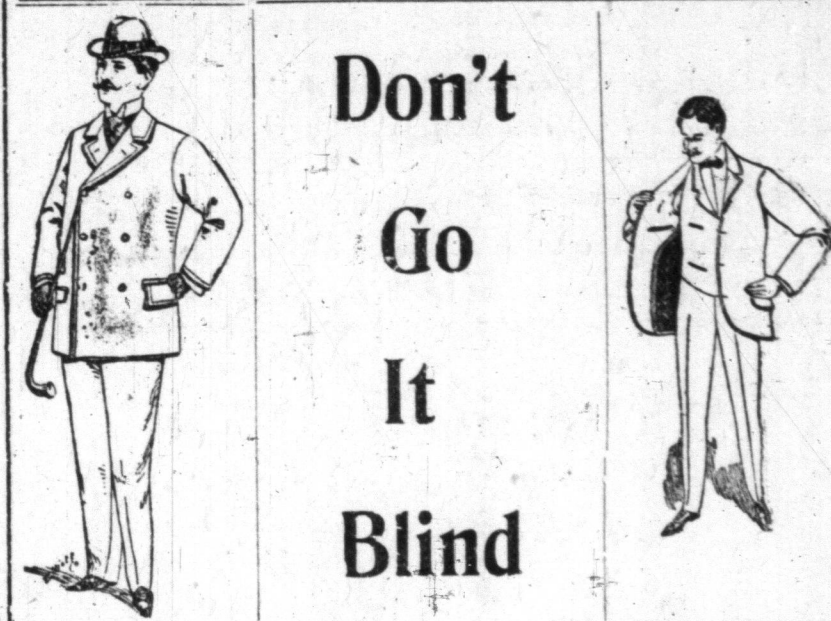
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After this, Jimmie offered no further remonstrance, though in her heart she hoped Jimmie's residence in Rockland would not be very long. Of Tom she had no dread. She rather wished to see him than otherwise, for he had been kind to her, and in fact she had kindled him as a middle-aged, gray-haired man, with a friendly and venerable air in his appearance. This was Tom, but Jimmie, handsome, sunny-eyed, and cheerful, putting single words in Rose's ears, and refraining from New London beach, was a very different thing, and though trusting much to the lapse of years and change of name, Annie shrank nervously from the thought of meeting him, which was to bring the label home.

CHAPTER XVII.

Rose had fretted herself into a headache, and as Mrs. Carleton could not think of meeting her returning prodigal in the presence of strangers, there was no one to go up to meet him unless Annie should consent to do so. But greatly to Rose's disappointment, Annie obstinately refused, while Mrs. Carleton, too, said it would not be proper for Mrs. Graham to go alone and meet a stranger whom she had never seen.

"Couldn't she tell him she was Annie, my adopted sister?" Rose said, half poutingly. "What will he think when he finds nobody there but Jake, who, I verily believe, looks upon him as half a savage for having joined the Southern army? I heard him myself tell Bridget that Ben Arnold was coming to-day, meaning that horrid traitor that gave up Yorktown, or something of the kind, and that he had been a member of revolutionary history. Rose bathed her aching head in eau-de-cologne, and lay back upon her pillows, wondering what Jimmie would say, and how he would manage to brave the gaping people who were sure to stare at him as if he were some monster. She hoped there would not be many there, and of course there wouldn't, for who knew or cared for Jimmie's coming?

More cared for Jimmie's coming than Rose suspected, and the streets were full of men and boys of a certain class, hastening to the depot to see the rebel, as they persisted in calling him, in spite of Billy Baker's repeated suggestions that they soften it down somewhat by prefixing the word "reformed." Bill was very busy, very important, and very consequential that day, and quite inclined to be very petulant, and do the agreeable to the man he had captured at Manassas. "Folks ought to overlook him," he said, "and treat him half way decent, for the best was apt to stumble, and there should neither be hoots nor hisses, if he could help it."

Indeed, so impressed was Bill with the idea that the responsibility of Jimmie's reception was pegging upon himself, that he deliberately knocked down two of the ringleaders, who announced their intention to host and hiss as much as they pleased. Bill's warlike propensities were pretty generally understood in Rockland, and this energetic demonstration had the effect of quelling, to a certain extent, the babel which would otherwise have reigned, when at last the train stopped before the depot, and the expected hero appeared upon the platform, his identity proven by Bill, who whispered: "That's him with the rowdy hat—that's the chap; then with a proud air of self-assurance, he stepped forward and offered his hand to the embarrassed stranger, who was looking this way and that, in quest of a familiar face."

"Halloo, corporal," he called out with the utmost sang froid, "you recognize me, I expect. In the letter that took you to the Virginia woods, I've got all them contrabands to your sister, Miss Marthens. She and I are going to be considerable intimate. I think a sight on her," he continued, as Jimmie showed no signs of reciprocating the coarse familiarity other than by rather haughtily offering his hand.

But Bill was not to be put down, for "wasn't he as good as Corporal Carleton? Hadn't they sustained to each other the relation of captor and captive, and if there were any preference, wasn't it in his favor?" He thought so, and nothing abashed by Jimmie's evident disgust, he was about announcing to him that a carriage was in waiting when Jake made his way through the crowd to the spot where Jimmie stood. The sight of him suggested a new idea to Bill, and bowing first to one and then to the other, he said, "Ah, Mr. Jacob Sullivan, allow me to introduce you to my friend Corporal Carleton, late of the Confederate army, supposed to be fit for just such goods and chattels as you."

The African's teeth were plainly visible at this novel introduction, while the good-humored smile which broke over the hitherto cold, haughty features of the stranger changed into a general laugh the muttered groans and imprecations which the words "Confederate army" had provoked. It was strange what a difference that smile made in the looks of Jimmie's handsome face, removing its haughty, sarcastic expression, and softening to a great extent the feelings of the crowd, many of whom instinctively dropped the brick bats, stones, and bits of frozen mud, which they were prepared to pelt the rebel's carriage as soon as they should be in the rear. Still they must have some fun, even if it were at Bill's expense, and just as the latter was buttoning the persecuted Jimmie, and escorting him to the carriage, one, more daring than the others, proposed "three groans and a tiger for the deserter."

Instantly, hats, caps and coats were flourished aloft, and the air resounded with the most discordant sounds imaginable, as groans after groans came heaving up from the leathern lungs of the crowd. With a fierce gesture of impatience, Jimmie turned upon them, his black eyes flashing fire at what he deemed an insult to himself. What-ever his faults had been, desertion was not among the number, and he was about to say so, when Bill, with imperturbable gravity, whispered to him: "They don't mean you now, corporal. It's me they're hittin' a dig. You see, I did leave Washington in a hurry. Don't mind 'em an atom; they're the off-scourings of the town, and having plotted Jimmie safely to the carriage-door, Bill took off his own cap and swinging it around his head, shouted aloud: "Three cheers for Corporal Carleton!"

For an instant there was a silence, the crowd a little uncertain as to how far their loyalty might be impeached by cheering for a rebel; but when the dark, handsome face, with its winning smile, was again turned toward them, and they saw in it a strong resemblance to the patriotic little lady whom even the lowest of them had learned to regard with respect, their doubts were given to the winds, and the ringleader, who carried in his pocket a quantity of unquestionable eggs designed for use as the occasion might require, led off the cheers, making the depot ring with the loud buzzes, interlarded here and there by a groan or hiss from those not yet won over to the popular party.

Lifting his hat gracefully, Jimmie bowed an acknowledgment, and his eyes moved as if about to speak, while the crowd, besides that, he felt that submission to people so infinitely beneath him was a part of his merited punishment; so, forcing down his pride, he gave a few well-chosen words to his breathless audience, that though he had once proved false to his country, he now regretted it more than himself, and was now a firmer friend to the Stars and Stripes, the brief speech ending with the proposal of three cheers for the Star Spangled Banner.

In a trice the whole crowd responded with might and main to the proposal, and the cry of "Carleton forever!" and promises to make him police justice in the spring, should he want to run for that very agreeable office.

"Couldn't I do some much better myself," said the delighted Bill, hovering about the window of the carriage in which Jimmie had now taken his seat. Thoroughly tired of the scene, Jimmie intimated to Jake his wish to go home, and the iron grays sprang quickly forward, but not until Jimmie had caught Bill's parting words, "Call round and see a feller, won't you? I'll show you the old gal. You know you asked me about her in the Virginia woods."

It seemed like a new world to Jimmie when, after they had left the noisy crowd, they entered into the pleasant quiet street which wound up the hill to where the handsome Mather mansion stood, every blind thrown back and wreaths of smoke curling gracefully from every chimney, for Rose, wishing to do something in honor of her brother's return, had ordered the whole house to be opened as if for a holiday.



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while every flower which could possibly be spared from the conservatory, had been broken from its stem and fashioned into bouquets by Annie's tasteful hands.

"Wouldn't it be splendid," Rose said, as she lay watching Annie at her task, "wouldn't it be splendid to hang the Stars and Stripes in festoons across the hall, where Jimmie will pass, under them?"

Annie did not think it would. In her opinion, Jimmie was not deserving of such honor, and she said so, as delicately as possible, adding that, "were it Tom it would be a very different thing."

Rose knew that Annie was right, and so the Stars and Stripes were not brought out to welcome the young man now rapidly approaching. Annie was the first to catch the sound of the carriage wheels, and when Rose turned to ask if she really supposed Jimmie was there, she found herself alone.

"She's gone to meet him, of course," she said, "but I most wish she had stayed here, for I wanted to introduce her myself. I hope she won't dislike him."

Meantime in the parlor below Mrs. Carleton sat waiting for her boy—not as Spartan mothers were wont to wait for their sons returning from the war, but with a yearning tenderness for the loved prodigal, blended with loyal indignation for his sin. He was not coming to her as a hero, who had done what he could for his country, but with a traitor's stain upon his fair name, which she would have gladly wiped out. She heard the carriage as it stopped, and heard the step on the piazza, not rapid and bounding as it used to be, but slow and heavy, as if uncertain which way to turn.

"I must go out to meet him," she said, but all her strength forsook her, and sinking upon the sofa, she could only call out faintly, "Jimmie, my boy."

He heard her, and almost before the words had left her lips her Jimmie boy was kneeling at her feet, with his face buried for an instant in her lap; then, with one burning kiss upon her forehead, the proud James Carleton, who in his early boyhood was scarcely ever known to acknowledge that he was wrong, asked to be forgiven and restored again to the confidence and love he had forfeited, and with her hand upon his bowed head, the mother forgave her boy, bidding him look up, that she might see again the face she had once thought so handsome. It was tear-stained now, and worn, and Mrs. Carleton sighed as she detected upon it unmistakable marks of reckless dissipation. Still it was Jimmie's face, and it gave such momentary natural as the flush of excitement deepened on the cheeks, and lent an added brightness to the saucy, laughing eyes. The lines upon the forehead and about the mouth would wear away in time, Mrs. Carleton hoped, and parting the soft, blonde curls clustering about her temples, she told him why Rose was not there to meet him, and asked if he would go up then to see her.

Rose heard them coming, and at the sound of the familiar voice calling her name, the tears flowed in torrents, and with a hurried glance at her mother, she received her brother's first embrace. Very gently he lifted her head, and taking in his little hand, kissed again and again her childish face, and wiping her tears away, asked, half seriously, half playfully, "if they met in peace or war?"

"Oh, in peace—in peace!" Rose answered, and winding her arms around his neck, she hugged and cried over him, asking why he had been so naughty, when he knew how badly they would feel, and why he had not interfered to save Tom from a prisoner's fate.

He explained to her how that was impossible, but for his treachery he had no excuse; he could only answer that he was sorry, and ask again to be forgiven.

"I do not now believe the South all wrong," he said, "many of them sincerely think they are fighting for their freedom; others hardly know what they are fighting for; while others again are impressed into the army and cannot help themselves. As for me, I would gladly blot out the past, for which I have no apology; but as that cannot be, I would rather talk as little of it as possible. Try, Rose, to forget that I ever had a rebel brother. Will you?"

Rose's knees were a sufficient answer. She was too happy just then to remember the dearest brother imaginable; besides that, Annie taught that we must forgive as we would be forgiven. Annie bore no ill-will toward the South. She prayed for them as well as for the North, and cried most as hard over the sick, suffering soldiers captured by our army as over our own prisoners, and if she could forgive, Rose surely ought to do so, too.

"I have not seen Annie yet," she said; "she ran away the moment she knew you had come. I thought she might be going to meet you, but it seems she did not. You must love her heap, and I know you will. She's so beautiful in her mourning, and bears her trouble so sweetly. I wish everybody was as good as Annie Graham. She has never been heard to say one bitter thing against the South. She only pities and prays and says they are misguided."

"And pray, who is this paragon of excellence that I must love a heap?" Jimmie asked, when Rose had exhausted the list of Annie's virtues, and paused for a little breath.

"Who was she? Hadn't he heard of Annie?" Had Will failed to tell him of her adopted sister? Rose asked in some astonishment.

Will had proved remiss in that particular duty, and never, until this moment had Jimmie heard that Rose had an adopted sister; and, if Rose, why not himself? Wasn't he Rose's brother?

To be Continued.

All the theories declared are summed up in the line of Wordsworth: "We live by admiration, hope and love." Not admiration of ourselves, nor hope for ourselves. Love can be of others; self-love is a contradiction of terms.—John Ruskin.

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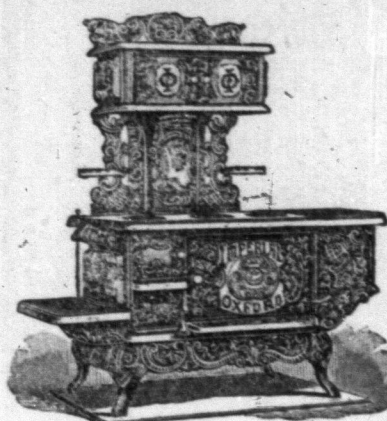
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July 4.—John Neil, is home again after an absence of four years in Toledo. Frank Miller, Walkerville, spent the first with his parents here.

George Johnson, of the Traders' Bank, spent the holiday in Aylmer.

Luke Beuglet, of the Merchant's Bank, was in Tilbury, Monday.

The Leamington band supplied the music at Wheatley Monday.

Miss Cora Thompson visited Wheatley on the first.

E. H. D. Sutherland has been re-engaged for next year as teacher of the Gore Hill school, at an advance of \$100, on his salary. He has left for his home in Fingert to school the holidays, intending to school the 90 miles.

E. M. Sharpe, teller in the Merchant's bank, spent the first with friends in Galt.

Edison Lang was the guest of Wm. MacSweeney, Monday.

Roy and his sister, Miss Marquette, spent the first with Chatham friends.

"Doc" Morse was in Chatham Monday.

Mr. O'Sullivan, of the Business College, has returned from Sault Ste. Marie.

Edith Hooker, of Wallaceburg, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ernest Wigle.

Miss Susie Malott, teacher, Pelco Island, is home for her vacation.

Ray MacSwiney left yesterday to spend his holidays at his uncle's in Rockford, Mich.

J. M. Henry and Miss Lulu Deming sang at the concert in Kingsville on Monday evening.

J. J. McKillop, St. Thomas, spent the holiday with his family in town.

A MASONIC SERMON.

Rev. Canon Davis, London, preached an eloquent and impressive sermon to the Masons in their hall on Sunday evening. His address was a grand exposition of the principles of the order which he said he loved. The hall was filled to overflowing, the centre seats being occupied by about 100 Masons, and all listened with the keenest attention to the sermon.

Rev. Canon Davis said the patron saints of the Masonic order were St. John, the evangelist, and St. John, the Baptist. From these they learned wisdom and brotherly love. Referring to the order, he said, that Masonry was a system of morality, not religion in any shape, and that those who substitute it for the religion of Christ are traitors to the order. He had been a Mason for 30 years and taken many degrees and hoped to take more.

Masonry is the handmaiden of religion. Faith in Christ and belief in the Bible are required of candidates joining the order. He reviewed the

history of the order, stating that it was probably in existence in the time of Noah. In speaking of the objections to the order, he said that some condemned it because the Son of God is not mentioned directly in the ritual. He accounted for this in the first three degrees by stating they were written before the Christian era. In the burial service there is a reference to Christ.

He then spoke of the emblems of the order, showing the lessons to be derived from the gavel, chisel, square, plumb-rule and trowel. He concluded by outlining the work of Masonry.

TILBURY.

July 4.—Mrs. Shane, of Tilbury North, was buried in St. Francis Cemetery yesterday morning.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will give an ice cream social in the grounds adjoining the Union Hall at Quinn.

Miss Mary Adair spent Dominion day in Port Stanley.

James Stewart, Jr., is in the General Hospital at Chatham suffering from rheumatism.

Ransom Thorn, of Tilbury North, died on Monday, after a lingering illness, and will be buried in the Barrill cemetery to-day.

Mrs. Jas. Graham, of Comber, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Struthers, at the home of Mrs. Scriven.

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

Miss Pickner spent Sunday and Monday at her home in Chatham.

A large number from the village went to Detroit yesterday via City of Chatham.

There being no celebration here on the 2nd everything was very quiet, most of the villagers taking in the celebration in Chatham, Merlin, Wheatley, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw returned to-day from a short visit with friends in Detroit.

Miss Fanny Stinson leaves to-day to spend her vacation at her home in Croton.

Luc Beuglet, of the Merchant's Bank, Leamington, spent yesterday at his home here.

John Mowbray, of Veroni, was the guest of his nieces here, the Misses Stinson, on Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. P. Shaw visited relatives in Detroit yesterday.

Miss Fanny Stinson leaves to-day to spend her vacation at her home in Croton.

Ed Palmer, of St. R. brakeman, Windsor, who has been visiting his parents in the city has returned home.

Mr. Cameron, of Amherstburg, and Mrs. D. Chas. of Sandusky, were visiting Mrs. Hughes, one day this week.

Miss Rhoda Cole leaves Monday for Detroit, to accept a position as stenographer with a wholesale jewellery firm.

W. S. Verrall spent the second of July in the city. He was accompanied by his cousin, Miss Gertrude McKay, of Galt.

Mrs. Wm. Pearse, of 584 King St., London, spent a month's visit to her mother, Mrs. Thos. Hughes, Second St.

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On Friday evening last the Windsor Orangemen completed arrangements for coming to Chatham on the glorious twelfth in force.

Last evening some of the young men, of Barwick, held a dance in the fine new barn of Manson Campbell. There were about a hundred couples present and a most enjoyable time was spent.

PLEASANT AND PROFITABLE.

The Holy Trinity Sunday school excursion to Belle Isle yesterday was much enjoyed by the large crowd that went on it. The weather was all that could be desired, and Supt. Johnston, Rev. Mr. Sims, W. R. Baxter and Chas. Williamson had a busy time looking after things generally. After all the pupils and teachers had been given free tickets some fifty dollars was realized clear of all expenses.

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Concerning the Foreigners There—Tien Tsin May Also Have to be Abandoned.

London, July 4.—"Not a single foreigner is now alive in Peking," is the latest Chinese report which has reached Shanghai. Earlier reports from the same sources describe the condition of the British legation as "something awful." It is said that the rooms of the legation were filled with sick and wounded, the killed lying unburied in heaps.

It is believed that many members and officials of the t'ung li yamen yanien perished when the German guard, made up of the murder of Baron von Ketteler, set fire to the building. That the foreigners at the Chinese capital have been abandoned to their fate seems no longer open to doubt in the light of the message received by the Associated Press from Taku this morning announcing the decision of the admirals regarding the hopelessness of further attempts to relieve Peking under the circumstances. The same message seems to forebode the evacuation of Tien Tsin by the international forces pending the arrival of a fully equipped army.

Advices from Shanghai to-day say that there is continued fighting at Tien Tsin, while the German consul at Chefoo telegraphs to Berlin confirming the report of the renewal of hostilities. He says the foreign settlement at Tien Tsin is again surrounded and that the Chinese troops have again advanced against the railroad and that the bridges have been destroyed, but that communication by water with Taku is maintained.

Another message from Sir Robert Hart, the Inspector-General of customs, dated Peking, Monday, June 25, reiterates that the situation was then desperate and that the Chinese troops were shooting the British legations, where all the members of the diplomatic body had congregated.

The German Emperor recently made a remarkable speech during which he notified the world of Germany's intention to avenge the murder of Baron von Ketteler, the late minister of Germany at Peking, and the missionaries, and to dislodge the Chinese from the peace at Peking.

THE PROBABILITIES.

S. N. W. Special.

Light to moderate variable winds, fine and very warm Thursday moderate winds mostly southerly, fair and warm with local thunder storms.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. White Duck Pants \$1 and \$1.50. At The 2 T's.

Clarence Higley, Blenheim, is visiting friends in the city.

Wm. Emerson, of Detroit, is spending a few days in the city.

Miss Emma Dauphin, Detroit, is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. White returned from a tour to the city.

The Woodmen of the World will hold another meeting to-morrow evening.

Mrs. Geo. B. Douglas will leave for a two month's visit in England, to-morrow.

Bathing Suits, 50c and \$1, at The 2 T's.

Mr. and Mrs. Heyward, London, Eng., are guests of Mrs. S. J. Sutherland.

Thomas Degge and wife, Detroit, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wilson.

Sale of parcels still continues at The 2 T's. bodega & Jacques—specials at 30c, 50c, 80c, and \$1.19.

Mrs. Wm. J. Turnbull, of St. George, spent a few days with Mrs. R. A. Hughes, Baxter St.

Flannel Coats and Pants to match—\$7 for the suit at The 2 T's.

The latest American fad in muslin—yellow grounds with black figures—see them at Tibbodeau & Jacques.

Ed. Palmer, of St. R. brakeman, Windsor, who has been visiting his parents in the city has returned home.

Mr. Cameron, of Amherstburg, and Mrs. D. Chas. of Sandusky, were visiting Mrs. Hughes, one day this week.

Miss Rhoda Cole leaves Monday for Detroit, to accept a position as stenographer with a wholesale jewellery firm.

W. S. Verrall spent the second of July in the city. He was accompanied by his cousin, Miss Gertrude McKay, of Galt.

Mrs. Wm. Pearse, of 584 King St., London, spent a month's visit to her mother, Mrs. Thos. Hughes, Second St.

Wanted—Two girls to work on skirts. Apply to Madame Skirring, at Thomas Stone & Son's dressmaking department.

On Friday evening last the Windsor Orangemen completed arrangements for coming to Chatham on the glorious twelfth in force.

Last evening some of the young men, of Barwick, held a dance in the fine new barn of Manson Campbell. There were about a hundred couples present and a most enjoyable time was spent.

PLEASANT AND PROFITABLE.

The Holy Trinity Sunday school excursion to Belle Isle yesterday was much enjoyed by the large crowd that went on it. The weather was all that could be desired, and Supt. Johnston, Rev. Mr. Sims, W. R. Baxter and Chas. Williamson had a busy time looking after things generally. After all the pupils and teachers had been given free tickets some fifty dollars was realized clear of all expenses.

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It wears better than when it doesn't. When a shoe is fitted properly there is no unnecessary strain on any one part. It's just as easy to get fitted with us as it is to get shoes from a peddler. Ask to see the new Sovereign Shoe for men, Goodyear Welt, new styles, price \$3.00.

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East of Standard Bank. Telephone 164

When King William hears how Bro. Thomas Martin crossed the Thames on a white charger on July 12 he will feel like getting up and hunting ground for another Bayne to try it over again.

MRS. TERRY'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. Terry took place from the family residence, Queen street, to Maple Leaf Cemetery Monday afternoon. There was a large gathering of friends and the floral tributes were very numerous. The pall-bearers were chosen from the lodges to which Mr. Terry belongs. They were, Wm. Potter and John McCorvie, from the I. O. O. F., Wm. Moore and C. F. Chanter from the S. O. E., and Alex. Hall and Wm. Benson from the A. O. U. W. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Hanmon.

WALLACEBURG.

July 3.—The celebration held here yesterday was a marked success in every particular. The races held on the driving park were particularly good and well contested. The sports took place in the morning on Nelson St. The majority of the events were captured by F. Donovan, of Alvinston, the struggle for second place being the most interesting. The log race, held near the main bridge, was very good, and was won easily by J. Annala.

The forenoon was taken up with the horse and bicycle races. E. McLeod, a local boy, gained first place in the bicycle events, with H. Ray, of Wilkesport, in second honors. A contribution mile was given by McLeod at the close of the celebration. The time was 2:27-1/2, which, considering the contest in which he had engaged, was exceptionally good.

After supper a football game was held on the school grounds between the locals and a team from the Sny. The score was in favor of the former team by four goals to none.

July 4.—Miss Blumbridge, of the High school staff, left Friday to spend her vacation at her home in Watford.

The steamer Hattie will run weekly excursions from here every Thursday, commencing on July 6th.

Mrs. D. Macdonald left Saturday evening for Port Lambton.

George Colwell visited Lambton on Friday evening.

The fire of the glass factory went out on Saturday evening and will remain so during the months of July and August. The majority of the blowers left for their respective homes last week.

Roy Gilbert, of Algonac, is spending a few days in town.

C. Branton, formerly of this place, but now of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents.

W. Duggan, of Detroit, Sundayed in town.

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That understood, where and how did we get them to sell for the prices in this list pointed out.

...Note the Price...

Men's Swiss Braid Straw Hats, 3 inch crown, 2 inch stiff brims, fine leather sweatbands, with black or navy blue bands. Special.....50c.	Men's Plain Straw Hats with 4 inch crown, 2 1/2 inch roll brim, plain black band. Special.....\$1.00.
Men's plain Straw Hats, 3 1/2 in. vented crowns, 2 inch stiff brims, black silk bands, leather sweat band. Special.....50c.	Men's Fancy Straw Hats in plain white, with navy band, and a very stylish shade of brown, with brown bands, equal in value to anything we have ever sold at \$1.50. Very special.....\$1.60.
Young Men's Swiss Braid Straw Hats in smart, up-to-date shape, navy polka dot bands. Special.....75c.	Men's Rough Braid Straw Hats and in Plain Straw, with navy and black bands, 3 inch and 4 inch crowns, stiff and roll brims.....\$1.00.
Men's Braided Straw Hats with 3 1/2 in. crown, 2 1/2 in. roll brim, very comfortable and stylish.....75c.	Men's Extra Fine Straw Hats in rough and smooth effects, plain and fancy bands, all the newest things of the New York market.....\$2.00 and \$1.50.

We went direct to the manufacturer in New York, and, for spot cash, bought enough for all our stores. We paid neither wholesaler or jobber a profit, and here you have them fully 25 per cent. under any other clothing house in Canada.

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WERE DELIGHTED.

The Visitors From Windsor Acknowledge Their Kind Reception in Chatham.

Mr. John Piggott has received the following letter from Lt.-Col. Gailliot of the Essex Fusiliers, which explains itself:

Windsor, July 3, 1900.

Dear Sir,—Will you kindly convey to the members of your committee and to the citizens in general, my thanks and also the thanks of the Daughters of the Regiment, their Chaplains and the Bugle and Drum Corps of my regiment for the hearty reception given them and for the kindness and courtesy extended to them yesterday. Everyone came home delighted and charmed with the day's outing, and I can assure you it will always be a bright spot in their memories.

JAS. C. GUILLOT,
Lt.-Col., com. Essex Fusiliers.

WANTED

GIRL WANTED at the Hotel Garner.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—A first-class housekeeper to go to the country, no objection to one or two children. Apply at this office. 167-31.

WANTED—A lover of children to adopt a healthy female infant, three months old. Address A. R. care Planet Office. 16-164.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Without children, by a former in comfortable circumstances, who has five children, oldest 9, youngest two years. Middle aged and can give references. Address Housekeeper, care Planet Office, Chatham.

AGENTS WANTED—Agents, Teachers, Students—make big money. Sell our great line of current popular books. "Fighting in Africa," "Life of Hood," Tolstoy's works. Write for particulars, Fred J. Johnston, Confederation Life Building, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED—ACTIVE MEN OF GOOD CHARACTER to deliver and collect for old established wholesale and exporting house. Bonus salary of \$600 a year guaranteed with expenses. No experience required. References exchanged. Enclose self-addressed stamp envelope to WHOLESALE AND EXPORTERS Third Floor 234 Dearborn St. Chicago.

HOUSE WANTED—Centrally located, with modern improvements, small family. Address P. O. Box 187, Chatham.

MALE TEACHER WANTED—For Sec. No. 6—Canadian born—4 miles from the Town of Dresden. Applicants must state experience. Address Samuel Farnsworth, Dresden, Ont.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT

HAY FOR SALE—A field containing 8 acres of good timothy hay, suited for sale. Apply to Edwin Bell, Barrieter, Fifth Street. 41d

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT—Apply to MRS. ARTHUR RICHARDSON, 72 Head Street, East. 163-101

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—75 Lorne Avenue. Apply to W. H. NICHOL, King St. 143-3mcs

FARM FOR SALE—75 or 100 acres adjoining Town of Blenheim, good buildings, the drained, young orchard, spring water, all cleared, for particulars address A. L. Fletcher, Blenheim, Ont. 41w

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT—A room cottage on Park Ave., with all modern improvements, good well, cistern, etc., with either one or two acres of land. Terms more at, Apply to JAMES CARSWELL, Architect. 122-41

FOR SALE—Double dwelling, next to the Salvation Army building, for sale, about 80 feet frontage on King Street. Will be sold cheap. For full particulars address ADJ. COOMBS, Chatham.

FARM FOR SALE—200 acres, N.E. of N.W. 1 of Lot 14, in Twp. 10, of Dorset East, 50 under cultivation. Good house and stable, 9 miles from Chatham, 2 miles from Bear Line P. O. Good water. For full particulars apply to Joseph Foy, Glencoe, or George Foy, on the premises. 4m-w

SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—On Victoria Avenue and on St. George Street. For full particulars apply to S. STEPHENSON, Planet Office.

TWO HOUSES FOR SALE—Corner Harvey and Lacrosse Sts., fine gardens attached to each, city water. About eight minutes walk from Post Office. Apply to LOUIS STANIEWICZ, Planet Office. 285-31

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., and six lots on Maple Street. Apply to MRS. TISHMAN, 169 St. Victoria Avenue, or the Planet Office.

FOR SALE CHEAP—An English 17 foot canoe in good order—carpenter, paddles, etc., complete. Also a 22 ft. yacht at Essex. Apply to W. W. YOUNG.

SALE OF DITCHING.

The undersigned commissioner will sell a job of repairing the Anderson and Evan drain, at Lot 13, Con. 10, Winter Line, on Tuesday, July 10th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Satisfactory security will be required.

JOHN HENDERSON,
Commissioner.

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