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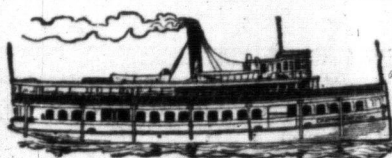
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RINGLING BROS' BIG CIRCUS IS HERE IN OUR CITY

Quite a Large Throng of Country Visitors Greet Attraction—An Impos'ing Street Parade—A Splendid After-noon Performance.

It was an easy matter to tell that something was going to happen to-day. All morning, by train, by wagon, by carriage and bicycle, a great crowd kept pouring into the city, and by 10 o'clock the throng on King street had assumed gigantic proportions. Ringling Bros' circus, the greatest show travelling, was the attraction; and it well deserved the great crowd that it attracted to the city.

Ringling Bros. circus arrived in the city this morning on the Wabash R. R. from St. Thomas, where its delighted thousands of people yesterday. The tents are pitched on the farm south of the G. T. R. track, on Queen street, and they are immense.

Sixty-five cars are required for the transportation of the big show from place to place. There are over 1,000 people travelling with the big show, a small army in itself. Over 500 horses, 30 elephants and scores of rare beasts of the jungle are carried by Ringling Bros'. The main tent is 540 feet long by 210 feet wide, and will seat nearly 15,000 people. In the tent are three rings, two stages, and the accompanying flying savings necessary for the mid-air acts of scores of artists. The cost of the show to the owners is said to be \$7,000 a day.

Everything connected with the circus is fed by the management on the grounds. This is no small proposition in itself, but Ringling Bros. employ expert cooks and the meals provided for all hands are palatable. An idea of the extent of the show can be gathered from the fact that one day's supplies for the tables includes the following: 1,000 loaves of bread, 600 pounds of meat, 600 pounds of vegetables, 50 gallons of milk, 75 gallons of coffee, 30 gallons of tea, 100 dozen of eggs, 60 pounds of butter, and 2,500 of rice. These commodities were contracted for weeks ago, and delivered at a specified hour to-day. No surplus foodstuffs are taken from place to place. The animals consume daily such quantities as these: 600 pounds of meat, 600 pounds of vegetables, 80 tons of hay, 30 tons of straw, 100 bushels of oats and 60 bushels of corn.

The procession this morning was the best that ever passed through the streets of Chatham. The big cages were full of such mystery, and the spectator was left in doubt as to whether they contained wild men or wild beasts. The elephants were a very healthy looking bunch, twenty in all, from the giant who looked large enough to move quite a large piece of heaven and earth, down to the little chap of a ton or so. They introduced a new idea, and each carried the other's tail in their trunk with the grace of a dude and a cane. The hyenas looked as if they would relish a few men's bones, and would like to visit the cemetery.

There were several bands scattered here and there through the procession, bands in chariots, and bands on horseback, a clown band, men playing on giant bells, and a calliope so as to keep in accord with ancient and time-honored custom a la Barnum, the calliope came last and made more noise than all the rest.

A woman in a glass cage flirting with a snake as big as a rail and with another the size of a small tree about her neck and waist was one of the features of the parade which the hippopotamus, with all his ugliness, could not beat out. The hippopotamus looked as if he was ashamed at being caught, and sunk his head in the tank. There were four splendid lions, our alleged ancestors, Mr. and Mrs. DeMonk, were not visible, but rode on in closed cages, and, with the exception of a couple of peeping eyes, nothing could be seen of Mr. Darwin's old-time friends.

"Look at the geo-rafts," said a man who had never seen a circus before

and the camels rolled along as sad-eyed as ever. The horses were perhaps the best ever brought to the city and, like the lions, seemed well fed and satisfied. The giraffe was not on exhibition in the parade, as it was feared he might knock the telephone wires. A horrible noise announced the Egyptian band and a bevy of good-looking Oriental females. A bunch of clowns who made love to the windows and a clown who turned high somersaults in a hay-rack, the calliope aforesaid and it was all passed.

This morning the grounds were visited by immense crowds of people. There was not much to see, as the tents, with the exception of the horse tent, were securely fastened. This appears to be the perfection of the circus idea; detectives accompany the show to protect the "easy" public from the fakirs that generally follow such an organization, and the side shows are conducted by Ringling Bros. themselves.

The performance which commenced at two o'clock this afternoon was witnessed by a mammoth crowd. There was not a dull moment from the start to the finish of the show, and over one hundred acts were put on in three rings and on two stages. The greatest of these perhaps was that given by Prof. O'Brien and his sixty trained horses, many of which were thoroughbreds. It would be impossible to tell of the wonderful exhibition given by the horses, directed by O'Brien on a crown-colored steed, standing on the top of a pyramid. Another excellent feature of the show was the daring mid-air performance of Miss Marie Turnour, Madame Noble and Miss Amelia Feeley did some great equestrian feats. A herd of fifteen elephants, five in each ring, went through a wonderful performance. The Hokeyway trio, English slack-wire performers, rode bicycles and did cake walks on a single sawing strand of wire with as much ease and confidence as though they had been on the ground. A feature of the most novel of the trapeze acts was the absence of any nets beneath the daring performers.

A smart army of cowboys supplied the funny business, and there was lots of it. The best of their contributions was the appearance by "Susie's Band," side the program, "in heart-rending, ear-splitting oceans, seas, cataraacts and torrents of tortured, twisted, mangled and mangled melodies." The performance closed with "the usual" high-dive races, thoroughbreds, ponies and donkeys.

There was lots of dash and go about the performance, yet it was remarkable for its refinement and high standard of excellence. The concert, 24 selections, given by the band was exceedingly good. To-night the performance begins at 8 o'clock.

A TRIBUTE.
"I was in London, Monday," said O. L. Lewis, "and hearing of the good horses which Ringling Bros' circus carry, I went to see them. I asked the man in charge if I might look at the horses, and he readily gave his consent. The man in charge was a nice courteous sort of fellow. The horses are all that has been said of them. They have one beautiful cream colored stallion with a white mane and tail. When the sun shines on its coat, the skin of the equine shows up like burnished gold. Fred Corey, a somewhat near relative of mine, was telling that he was living in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, some years ago. The Ringling Bros. were then at the beginning of their remarkable career as show proprietors. Then they had only a small show and when they struck Cedar Rapids they were in hard luck. They had been contending for weeks with tornadoes and cyclones and had no sooner put up their tents at Cedar Rapids than they were blown down. Ringling Bros. were in despair. The Sheriff had been with their outfit for some time, looking for \$1,500 due in towns passed through." This time, when failure and bank-

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ruptcy stared them in the face, and their future looked blackest, was really the turning point in their fortunes. The five brothers were K. of P's and the commercial travellers at Cedar Rapids, who were K. of P's, too, took hold and helped Ringling Bros. out. They gave a two days show that had a phenomenal attendance and business proved good from then on. The K. of P's of Cedar Rapids heard nothing of the showmen for two years afterwards, when one day a stranger appeared in the place. He found out the lodge room of the K. of P's and placed in it a \$1,000 library with the compliments of Ringling Bros. This is a true story because I heard it from Mr. Corey myself," concluded Mr. Lewis, "and I can tell you Ringling Bros. have the greatest circus in the world."

LADIES ALSO

IN REUNION

Fred F. Quinn Heartily Endorses Suggestion to Make it a Big Home Circle.

Is Anxious to see a Large Turnout of Citizens at Friday Night's Meeting.

"I am heartily in accord with the suggestion in last night's Planet in reference to the Old Boys' reunion, viz., that of including the ladies in the scheme," said F. F. Quinn, to The Planet yesterday.

"I think," continued he, "that it would be highly improper to hold our Old Boys' reunion without taking the ladies, also, into consideration. It is a good suggestion and one that should be acted upon."

In reference to the way that the scheme will be carried out I wish to state that I have no more to say in the matter, than any of the other citizens who will be at the meeting Friday evening. The idea did not originate with me, but I was merely requested to call a meeting, as some person had to take the initiative in order to bring about the desired result. I hope that all who are in favor of such a reunion will come to the meeting and give those who are willing to work out its success, the benefit of their ideas and advice."

The popularity of the reunion is steadily growing among the merchants of the city, and it is expected that they will be well represented at the meeting in the old town hall on Friday night. There appears to be no doubt that the scheme will be carried out to a successful issue.

CREDITABLE

Ringling Bros. Put on a Clean Show—The Finest yet seen in Chatham.

Guy F. Steely, the hustling press manager with Ringling Bros., is an old Chicago confrere of A. T. MacDonald, editor of the Banner-News. They were both at the same time upon the staff of the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

"We have, of course, the best show travelling," said Mr. Steely in a brief interview with The Planet, "but what I believe is still more to our credit—it is a clean one in every particular. We are now at the close of our Canadian tour and it has been the tribute of every city we visited."

"The show also carries a force of detectives under the expert Pinkerton, Chas. Ryan. These men always work in conjunction with the local police."

"I would like every one to see our show, for it is the biggest and best that travels."

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THE KINDERGARTEN.

The many ladies and gentlemen who attended the Closing Exercises of McKenough School Kindergarten yesterday spent a most profitable and pleasurable afternoon. The attractively decorated hall; the bright, happy and earnest faces of the little ones; their aptness and intelligence; their occupations and their games; the admirable loyalty earned by the accomplished lady director and her assistants; the delighted presence of parents—these were thoughts, profitable and pleasurable thoughts, that came to the mind of the onlooker.

What a grand institution the kindergarten has become and how much it is doing for Chatham. How much, too, we owe to the kindergarteners in charge. It is, perhaps, only at such seasons as the closing exercises that the public gets full opportunity to estimate the excellent, painstaking and result-producing work being done. How much of our city's future is in the hands of the kindergarten who shall estimate.

There was one strikingly regrettable feature to yesterday's closing, however, that forcefully struck the writer. Where were our representatives on the Public School Board? The trustees may, of course, have all been busily engaged—but their business engagements must have been of the most pressing and important character to have warranted their absence on such an occasion.

WHO BEGAN THE WAR?

Those whose hostility to the present British Government carries them to the length of sympathizing with the Boers assume on the part of their hearers and readers a total forgetfulness or ignorance of the facts when they assert that, although the ultimatum came from Pretoria, war was practically declared in London. The purpose of such a shallow statement is to place the Boers in the position of a people upon whom has been waged a war of conquest; and who, driven to the last extremities, are making a brave and stubborn fight for self-preservation. As good a way as any to show which party intended war is to inquire which had been preparing for it. If Britain forced the war upon the two South African states, surely she would have made reasonable adequate preparations for the struggle. It may be that over-confidence is a national fault of the British people; that they are prone to despise the enemy and hold themselves in too high esteem; it may be that they were ill-informed respecting the strength and spirit of the enemy, and that their rulers deceived themselves and deceived the nation in regard to the extent of the task before them—all that may be admitted and yet it will not be seriously contended that the British Government is wholly directed by men devoid of ordinary sense and common prudence. If it is contended that these men had decided upon the conquest of the Transvaal, it must be admitted that they would make a reasonable use of the means at their disposal necessary for the accomplishment of their purpose. The accusation of one set of critics that Britain forced the war upon the Boers is answered by the facts of another set who point with contempt at Britain's military administration which allowed a war to break out upon her South African colonies with a defensive force in the country scarcely sufficient to police it in time of peace. On the one hand, Britain is accused of having planned and made a war of conquest, and on the other hand her government is taunted with stupidity and negligence because an attacking enemy found her unprepared to face a foe which had for long years been arming for the fray. Unpleasant as is the latter criticism, it is the one borne out by the facts.

The dispute between the government at Pretoria and that at London did not suddenly arise. The convention regulating the relations between the two countries dated back to 1881, and long before the famous raid, British subjects in the Transvaal had been praying for the vindication of their treaty rights and the redress of their grievances. Throughout the summer of 1899 the relations with the Boers became more strained and mutterings of war were heard everywhere in the Transvaal; and yet all this time Britain had less than ten thousand troops in South Africa. If she was planning the annexation of the South African Republic it must have been that she was relying upon diplomacy to accomplish her purposes, for her available armed force was not sufficient to guard a fractional part of her own frontier. It was not until August, when the war cloud had grown more threatening, that a move was made to reinforce the garrisons by sending a little over twelve thousand men, but many of these did not arrive until

Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by dyspepsia now, but it will be if neglected. The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker.

Dyspepsia is such a miserable disease that the tendency to it should be given early attention. This is completely overcome by

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which strengthens the whole digestive system

hostilities had commenced. War came, the Boers poured across the frontier, and the scattered British posts found themselves beset by superior numbers. At the firing of the first shot Britain was put upon the defensive. Then followed those long and anxious months of dogged defence until an army could be dispatched nearly seven thousand miles over the sea, to relieve, after severe and at times, doubtful struggles, the scattered forces that were holding back the tide of invasion. In the face of these facts it is absurd to pretend that Britain had intended to make war upon the South African Republic. If intention is to be judged from positive acts, the verdict must go against Paul Kruger and his people. They refused to entertain the proposals that would have made the continuance of friendly relations possible; they declared war, and at the very heels of the declaration came the invasion of British territory. On their part all was in readiness; men, horses, arms, munitions, and plans of campaign scientifically devised and carried out with a skill and valor that did credit to generals and soldiers. The long-wished for opportunity had come; the preparation of years was to be put to use; Britain was to be struck such a blow that she would either be driven from South Africa or her strength so shattered that never again would she be the dominant power in that part of the world. The Boers were to free themselves from treaty obligations; territory was to be acquired which would give an outlet upon the sea; the African Dutch race was to re-unite under one flag which should eventually wave over the whole of South Africa. It was the Boer's war and it has proved a war that failed. The Boers have fallen into the pit dugged for the enemy. A flag is to disappear from South Africa, but it is not the flag of Britain.

The Brantford Courier says that the Liberals in the Old Land look as if they had tried to hug the machine and by mistake got hold of a buzz saw.

The headlines of a San Francisco paper reads, "Mrs. Lamb Chops Her Husband." The husband she is stewing about is probably mutton by this time.

There's a meeting on Friday evening at the Old Town Hall for the purpose of formally organizing preparations for the Old Time Chatham Home Reunion, Be there.

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See Our WINDOW

G. Meynell, 3 DOORS WEST OF MARKET ON KING Chatham's Up-to-Date Clothier.

We think the members of the Public School Board made a mistake in not deciding to close the schools forthwith. However, it's only a matter of a couple of days and we'll forgive the trustees this time.

It does look a little as though our Public School trustees must have forgotten the days when they sweated in the dusty classroom—and perhaps played "hooky" to go to the circus.

A negro who claimed to be 105 years old and to have had thirty-four wives, died in Indianapolis the other day. He seems to have been too busy with his matrimonial affairs to give any attention to post-mortem obligations heretofore.

A PERTINENT QUESTION.

Brantford Courier. "Hug the Machine" Preston received about \$5,000 last year, as immigration agent. What value did he give for it?

A SURE THING WAGER.

Brantford Courier. Hon. G. W. Ross, leaves for the Old Country in a few days. It's a safe wager that he will not be as sick on the voyage, as he will be when he receives the returns of the approaching Ontario contest.

SOMEWHAT TIMELY.

Windsor Record. It is to be regretted that ex-Governor Pingree could not hear all the good things that are now said about him by former friends and opponents. It is one of the regrettable things in the lives of many public men, that they cannot hear these pleasant references when they are in a position to appreciate them. Post-mortem eulogies are not the best way of expressing our good opinions of the services of public men. Let us present our bouquets as they pass along life's pathway.

DISTRICT DOINGS

IRWIN.

Mrs. Foss, Mrs. S. S. Sutor and children have arrived from Foston, Minn., to spend the summer with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sutor. Bloomfield school will hold their picnic next Friday afternoon in Dolson's grove. Sports, and a good time, come, bring the children.

Sunday school rally at Providence church, river road, next Sunday evening, to begin at seven o'clock. Address from several S. S. workers. Rev. J. Osterhout, pastor.

"We were very much pleased with the design you sent. It was beautiful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Telephone No. 181.

EIGHTH CON., RALEIGH.

A number of the members of the Wesley congregation and Epworth League visited their pastor in his home at Raleigh, N.C., Tuesday evening, June 18th. The following address was read by the president of the League.

Mr. Redmond: Our dear friend and pastor—It is with deep regret we learn that you are about to leave us. During your three years sojourn in our midst, you have ever, by your noble example of a true upright Christian character and by the lessons which you have so faithfully labored to teach us, sought to lift us to a higher and more perfect plane of Christian service.

Although we cannot in any way hope to repay you, for it is our Heavenly Father's work, and we know that you look only to Him for your reward, yet as a slight token of our appreciation for your services we wish to offer you this chair and book. We will always have loving regard for yourself and family, and hope that when you are weary with the day's care and toil you will spend many pleasant hours in this chair and ever have kindly memories of your friends of Wesley.

Mr. Redmond was presented with a large easy chair and a beautiful volume of Tennyson's poems. He expressed his thanks, saying that the evening's surprise had afforded him a great deal of pleasure, and that he was going away feeling that he was leaving many warm friends. After luncheon had been served, a pleasant social evening was spent, and all returned to their homes feeling that Mr. Redmond's departure would indeed be a great loss to them, and hoping that he would find as many true friends in Appin as he is leaving in Wesley.

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5 only, Ladies' Muslin Dresses, fine quality, handsomely made, choice patterns, fast colors, clearing special at each, \$3.19.

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10 dozen Men's Fine Straw Hats, assorted styles, regular up to 40c each, special at 25c.

3 dozen Men's Fine Crash Hats, light and cool, assorted shapes, regular up to 75c each, special at 39c.

5 dozen Fine Lonsdale Corset Covers, made with all over deep embroidery yoke, fine Swiss embroidery on sleeves, good value at 65c each, special at 50c.

15 dozen White Shirt Waists, fine India linen, handsome new styles, beautifully trimmed and tucked, special values at any price from 75c up to \$2.90.

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4 dozen Faint imported straw sakers, latest shapes, very fine braids, worth up to \$1.50 each, clearing at \$1.00.

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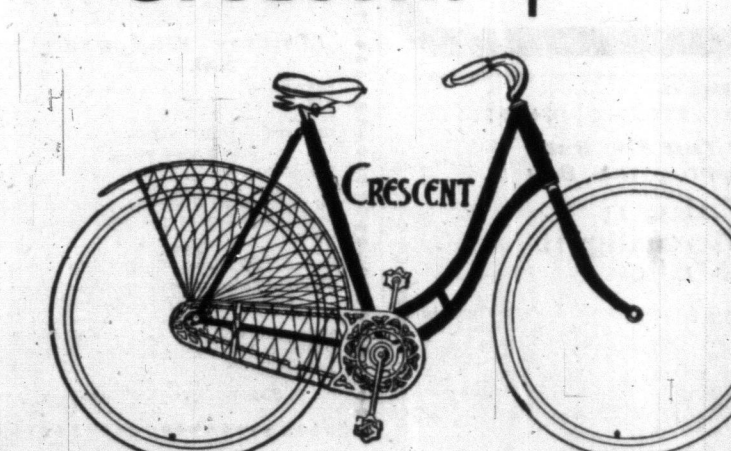
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Toronto 9, Providence 1.
Syracuse 1, Montreal 4.
Buffalo 3, Worcester 4.
Rochester 6, Hartford 3.

IN THE PENINSULAR LEAGUE.
Ridgeway, Ont. June 25.—The lawn tennis match played here yesterday afternoon between Thamesville and Ridgeway resulted in a victory for the home players. Score: Duncan (Thamesville) defeated Reycraft (Ridgeway), 6-3, 5-7, 6-3. Vincent (T.) defeated Whitman (R.), 6-1, 6-4. Riley (R.) defeated Syer (T.), 6-3, 5-6, 6-1. Routledge (R.) defeated DeWitt (T.), 6-2, 6-1. Stevenson (R.) defeated Stewart (T.), 6-3, 9-7. Houston (R.) defeated Mayhew (T.), 7-5, 6-4, 6-3. Stevenson and Routledge (R.) defeated Vincent and DeWitt (T.), 6-4, 5-7, 7-5. Duncan and Syer (T.) defeated Reycraft and Riley (R.), 6-2, 6-3. Stewart and Mayhew (T.) defeated Whitman and Houston (R.), 6-3, 6-3.

TAKEN OUT OF DRY DOCK.
Glasgow, June 25.—The Shamrock II, was taken out of dock to-day and towed to her anchor, where she will have her sails bent. It is hoped the cup challenger will be ready for a trial spin next Saturday.

THE MARKETS.

Planet Office, Tuesday evening, June 25.

W. H. Bensen, Canada Flour Mills Co., furnishes the following grain gossip:

Wheat.—All grain deliveries are light, owing no doubt to the low price. The prices are low on account of the expected large crop all over the country. Wheat is a little lower at 63c.

Coarse grains.—The deliveries of corn on Saturday was good.

Beans.—Practically no deliveries. Price remains at 80c to \$1.

Buckwheat.—A little lower, at 50c.

W. J. Taylor, speaking of the wheat crop, says that it is good in all parts of the country. The prospect for higher prices is not encouraging owing to the abundant Western crop.

Wool is slow coming in this year. The T. H. Taylor Co. are paying 7 to 8c for unwashed, and 12c to 13c for washed.

Wheat: 63c.

Mixed oats: 28c.

White oats: 28 to 29.

Barley: 77 to 80c.

Corn: 39c, per 56 lb. shelled.

Ear corn: 37 to 38c.

Beans: primes, 80c, to \$1.00.

Buckwheat: 50 to 55c.

HAY.

Hay, clover, \$5.50 to \$7.

Hay, baled, \$9 to \$10 per ton.

Hay, loose, \$7.50 to \$8.

Hay, buyers are paying \$5 to \$6.

SEEDS.

Millet, 40 to 50c.

Red clover, \$5 to \$7.

Alfalfa, \$5 to \$7.

Alsike, \$5 to \$7.

Timothy, \$1.50.

WOOL AND HIDES.

Calif skins, 5c to 7c.

Lambs and Shearings, 10 to 15c.

Cow hides, No. 1, 51-2c; No. 2 41-2c.

Pelts, 10c.

Horse hides, \$1 to \$2.

Dog skins, 25 to 75c.

Coon, 25 to 75c.

Muskrats, 5 to 10c each.

Mink, \$1 to \$1.50.

Skunk, 25 to 75c.

Red fox, 75c to \$1.50.

MEAT.

Spring lamb, 85c to \$1.15 per quarter.

Pork, 9 and 10c.

Mutton, 7 and 8c.

FISH MARKET.

Smoked Herring, 40c. per doz.

Pickered, 10c. per lb.

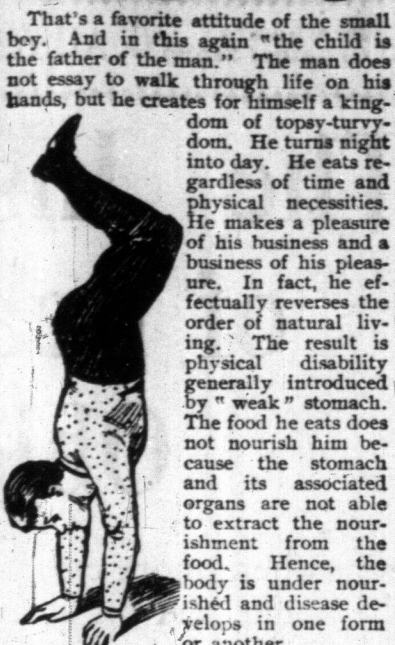
White fish, 10c. lb.

German carp, 2c per lb.

Catfish, 20 to 25c.

The Market Square presented a very busy appearance this morning. It was one of the largest markets that has been seen in Chatham for some time. Strawberries were the chief feature. They sold in large quantities at from 5 to 8 cents a box. Radishes, onions, spinach and other green stuff were also in abundance. Green peas made their first appearance this morning and sold readily at from 20 to 25 cents a quart. Potatoes were a little more plentiful at 35 cents a bag. Butter and eggs were, as usual, very plentiful. They sold at unchanged prices. There were a few turkeys at 45 cents each. There were also a few geese at from 45 to 50 cents each. The following are a few of the prices: Radishes, 3 bunches for 5c. Spinach, 10c. per peck. Onions, per bunch, 5c. Rhubarb, 3 bunches for 5c. Celery plants, per box, \$ for 50c. Tomato plants, 10c. per box.

Topsy-turvy.



That's a favorite attitude of the small boy. And in this again "the child is the father of the man." The man does not essay to walk through life on his hands, but he creates for himself a kingdom of topsy-turvy. He turns night into day. He eats regardless of time and physical necessities. He makes a pleasure of his business and a business of his pleasure. In fact, he effectually reverses the order of natural living. The result is physical disability generally introduced by "weak" stomach. The food he eats does not nourish him because the stomach and its associated organs are not able to extract the nourishment from the food. Hence, the body is under nourishment and disease develops in one form or another.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It cures through the stomach, the organ which originates in a diseased condition of the stomach and its allied organs. Hence, it cures "weak" lungs, "weak" heart, "weak" nerves and other forms of so-called weakness.

"I had been troubled with catarrh of the stomach and heart trouble," writes Mr. W. D. Merchant of Tyler, N. C. "I had been unable to eat for some time without relief, then I began to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took seven bottles. Before I began to take it I weighed 175 pounds, and now I weigh 175. I am working steadily and feel like a well man. I send you many thanks."

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Strawberries, per box, 5 to 8c.
Peas, per quart, 10c.
Chickens each 25 to 35c.
Butter, per lb., 15c.
Eggs, per doz., 10c.
Eggs, dealers' price, 9c.
Carrots, per bunch, 2 for 5c.
Geece, 45c.
Spring chickens, 30c. a pair.
Beets, per bunch, 3 for 10c.
Potatoes, per bag.

WOOL MARKET.

The English market opening is similar to Canadian wools, at 6d. Even at this low price Canadian manufacturers cannot find it profitable to use the machinery to full capacity, which they claim is principally due to preferential tariff. The only outlook for our surplus wool is over the huge high tariff of 12 cent per lb. to the American market. As the Americans are more self-sustaining than some years ago, it is not expected that their market will advance as in previous years, and the wool should be dealt for at its present value of 7c to 7 1/2c, unwashed, or 12 to 12 1/2c washed. If there are any speculative dealers in the country it would be to their interest to see what they can secure foreign wool for before making a plunge for Canadian wools, as was done last year.

TORONTO DRESSED HOGS.

Toronto, June 25.—Dressed hogs unchanged at \$9.50 to \$9.75 for small lots.

TORONTO BEAN MARKET.

Toronto, June 25.—Beans—The market is unchanged. Ordinary white beans bring \$1.40 to \$1.50; choice hand-picked beans are quoted at \$1.60.

TORONTO PRODUCE.

Toronto, June 25.—Butter—Receipts are fair, and the demand good. Pound rolls, job at 16 to 17c; large rolls 14 to 15 1/2c; good to choice tubs 14 to 16c; inferior, 10 to 12c; creamery, boxes, 18 to 18 1/2c; and rolls, 19 to 20c.

Eggs—The market is steady, with good stock selling at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4c per dozen in case lots. Cracked eggs, 9c. Cucumbers, hampers, \$2.75 to \$3.

Cabbages, two-barrel crate, \$3 to \$3.50. Onions, Egyptian sack, \$2.25 to \$2.50; do, Bermuda, in crates, \$2.50. Tomatoes, Southern crate, \$3 to \$3.50.

Beans, wax, hamper, \$2.25 to \$2.50. Potatoes, new per bbl., \$5 to \$5.50. Alfalfa, \$5 to \$7. Garden stuff—Spinach, peck 10c; watercress, doz. 15c; rhubarb, dozen, 15 to 20c; lettuce, doz., 20 to 25c; radishes, dozen 15c; asparagus, dozen, 60 to 90c; onions, dozen, 10c; parsley, dozen, 15 to 20c. Beets, dozen bunches 60 to 75c.

Potatoes—The market is firm. Cars sold at equal to 49 and 50c here per bag. Small lots, 65c.

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There has been a general impression that Col. Steele intended remaining permanently in South Africa, but such is not the case. His intention is to remain there for a year, or perhaps 18 months, and then return to Canada.

"No one is remaining on that continent," said he, "because of any preference for country or climate. It can't compare with Canada for a minute."

Asked why, if such were his feeling, he was going back even for a year, the colonel said he wished to put in twelve months or so, as his business affairs would not be settled until that period had elapsed. He wished to retire, when he does so with comfort and convenience, and does not like the idea of putting in a year of idleness and waiting. Besides, he explained that there were many young officers in the constabulary comparatively inexperienced, and had not been in South Africa with other contingents. These would be all the better of having an officer over them who had been through the early scenes of fighting and understood, on the other hand, the men with whom he was dealing.

Col. Steele was the only colonial honored in this way by the Imperial Government, though there were in all 5,000 applications for such commissions. He felt consequently, that he would not be doing right to withdraw, especially as he had not sought command, but it had come to him.

Mrs. Steele will not accompany him to South Africa.

Presence at Funerals.

The Bruce Herald complains that many Walkerton people drive half way to the cemetery with a funeral and then turn back, and the editor remarks that when his funeral happens he hopes people will either go the whole way or not go at all. The point is well taken. It is a poor mark of respect to pay a funeral and back out after driving half a mile. In towns and villages in connection with funerals—visitors who come to offer sympathy and count the handles on the coffin, to cheer the widow and see if she cries at all hardly or only half-heartedly, and men who hitch up and drive solemnly with the sad procession through the streets, where their attendance may be publicly noted, and then make a circuit home by the back streets when the outskirts of the town are reached. It is a heartless business, and it would be better if people quit shamming and went right ahead with their business until their own turn comes. There is perhaps not a place in Ontario that does not need to be lifted back to honest ground in its relation to funerals.

Growing Table Beets.

Upon a sandy loam land which had been for ten years heavily manured and cropped with table beets and celery it was found by the New Jersey station that the use of nitrate of soda in amounts varying from 400 to 700 pounds per acre, in three equal applications, hastened the maturing of the crop. At the first pulling and making of two pound bunches there was 63 per cent. more on nitrate plots than on those without the nitrate. At a second pulling, four days later, the nitrated plots gave 135 per cent. more bunches, and at a third pulling, three days later, there was 174 per cent. more, after which they produced about equal amounts. The greatest gain per acre by use of nitrate was where they used 700 pounds per acre, \$27.10 more than where nitrate was not used. This was due to the higher price obtained for the earlier pullings and amounted to about \$3 for every dollar the nitrate cost.

Absent-Minded Englishmen.

Some stories about absent-minded men are rather difficult to swallow, but a correspondent, of whose integrity we are convinced, vouches for the following:

I have (he says) a friend, still at large, who went home the other day to dress for a party, but unhappily wound up his watch before taking off his clothes. This set up a sequence of automatic actions which ended in his going to bed instead of going to his party! Can anyone beat that?

Another example is sent to us: A friend of mine (a correspondent says) was recently married. Before his marriage he had always lived with his mother. One evening, a fortnight after returning from his honeymoon, he went straight home from business to his mother's house. What happened afterward is his own secret.—London News.

Done Without Waste.

"Why in the world did you keep that errand boy so long, Jane?" recently asked a lady of her servant who had just taken in a siphon of soda water.

"Please, ma'am, he waited for the bottle!" glibly answered the damsel. "Waited for the bottle?" queried her mistress.

"Please, ma'am, he wanted to know if he could have a returned empty, so I drew off all the soda water into a jug and let him have it! I drew it off, ma'am!" was the reassuring reply.—London Spare Moments.

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PROBABILITIES.

(Special to The Planet.)
Toronto, June 26.—10 a. m.—Light variable winds, fine and very warm. Thursday, moderate to fresh southerly and southwesterly winds, fine; stationary or higher temperature.

The following official figures were registered at noon to-day at Burt's weather bureau:
Barometer 29.55.
Thermometer 80.
Highest yesterday 89.
Lowest yesterday 66.
Direction of wind, north-east.

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

BIRTHS.
MAYNARD—To Mr. and Mrs. George H. Maynard, Adelaide St., a daughter, on Tuesday, June 25th.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

The social to be given by the Ladies' Guild of Christ church to-morrow evening on Tecumseh park has been indefinitely postponed.

About two hundred and fifty pupils of the Central school have been promoted on their standing taken during the term. Three hundred more are being examined to-day and the rest of the week.

Lost—On Wednesday, June 26th, between J. E. Johnson's store and the market, a brown purse containing a ten dollar bill and some one dollar bills. The finder will be rewarded by returning to the Planet office.

The trains this morning coming in from Dresden, Wallaceburg, Glenora and Ridgeway were filled to overflowing. The people were packed in the cars like sardines besides sitting on the steps and even the coal cars.

The City of Mount Clemens arrived here yesterday with a cargo of bolts from Wallaceburg for W. M. Drader and has returned laden with staves from the Drader mills consigned to Marine City.

Mr. J. R. Walker, of the Canada Flour Mills Company, Chatham, in company with his bride, is spending the day in the city, on his way to the Pan-American—London Free Press.

Miss Lowndes, of Toronto; Miss Mickleborough and Miss Hall, of St. Thomas; Miss Battisby, of Chatham; Miss Goldie, of Ayr, and Miss Hunt, of London, are guests of the Misses MacGregor, Gal, for a couple of weeks.—London Free Press.

Capt. Stevens is right about the snakes at Mitchell's Bay, said S. J. Courtney, the stalwart member of the Chatham football club. Morton Sheldon and I were out at the bay yesterday and we found a huge one. Mort held the reptile and I killed it. This descendant of Eve's tempter was about six feet long as near as we could get at it.

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Warden VonGuten was in the city to-day.

Mrs. Spencer Newman, Head street, of a son.

The Lake Erie trains were all crowded to-day.

Will Mercer is in the city spending his holidays.

A. Jardin, of Hespler, Ont., is in the city to-day.

M. Sharp, VanAllen, avenue, is slightly indisposed.

Andrew Smith, up the Creek, is quite ill with heart trouble.

"Uncle Bill" says its mighty warm around the Rankin House to-day.

The Lake Erie & Detroit River Railway will run a special train to Highgate after the circus.

The Orangemen will attend divine worship in the William street Baptist church on Sunday, July 7th.

The work on the addition to St. Joseph's Hospital is progressing rapidly. The slaters will begin work to-morrow.

Dr. and Mrs. Wemp, of Oxford, Mich., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Bartlett, Oldershaw Terrace, Raleigh street.

Judge Bell has appointed July 10th as the day on which he will hear the appeal of the C. P. R. against their assessment in Chatham Township.

P. C. Dezelia had only reached King street this morning when Mrs. Thomas reported that her purse containing \$2.50 and a house-key had been stolen.

Roland MacDonald, only son of Hugh MacDonald, Raleigh street, had the misfortune to amputate the end of the digit finger of his right hand in a lawn mower yesterday.

Miss Ina Rankin, daughter of Col. Rankin, of this city, took the gold medal in English at St. Margaret's College, Toronto. Misses Ina and Hope Rankin returned home to-day.

At a meeting of the civic finance committee yesterday it was decided not to make any grant to the Historical Society in connection with the raising of the gunboat. Several dog tax assessments were also cut.

An examination in the case of Clunia vs Sloan, an action for slander, was held before County Clerk James Holmes yesterday afternoon.

Judge Houston is acting for the plaintiff and W. F. Smith for the defendant.

F. S. Welsman, Toronto, representative of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, the most brilliant pianist in Canada, arrived in the city to-day and will be engaged until to-morrow afternoon as examiner at the Krause Conservatory of Music, of which R. Victor Carter is principal.

Entries for the Derby competition in the International Field Trials are being received by W. B. Wells. The competition is very keen. Six entries have been received from Michigan. The judges who have been appointed for the year are J. G. Armstrong, of Dundas; A. Harrington, of Leamington. The last day for receiving entries is July 1st. The field trials will be held this year on Nov. 12.

The place for holding them has not yet been decided. Several localities between Chatham and Detroit are under consideration. Among them are Merlin, St. Jean and Ruthven.

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The city council will meet Tuesday evening next.

Fire Chief Shaw, of Dresden, is in the city to-day.

D. J. Thompson, of Dutton, is in the city to-day.

Dr. Bedford, of Thamesville, is in the city to-day.

Miss Nellie Neville, of Guilda, entered St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday.

Mrs. D. Smith and Mrs. W. J. Moffatt, of Tilbury, are spending the day in the city.

Miss Edna Waterworth, of Glenora, is spending a couple of weeks with Miss E. Bury, Baldoon street.

Mr. Charron, of Big Point, who has been confined in St. Joseph's Hospital for some time, has returned home.

Roland McDonald, the little son of Hugh McDonald, had one of his fingers taken off in a lawn mower yesterday.

Seeing that Chatham will have no holiday celebration, many citizens are anxious for a late train to Erieau, on July 1st.

The young son of John Hopper, of Northwood, fell from a tree yesterday and broke his collar bone. The little fellow is now doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Felle, of Amherstburg, are in the city to-day, enroute home from a trip through Montreal, Quebec, and the Pan-American.

The C. P. R. strike situation remains about the same in Chatham. The men are still off work, and the company have not yet conceded to their demands.

The first and biggest band concert of the season will be run to Port Lambton by the Red Coats on Friday evening. Give the boys a helping hand. Fare for round trip from Chatham 50c. for adults and 25c. for children.

This evening, Court Hope of Ontario, A. O. F., holds its quarterly meeting for the payment of dues, etc. Business of importance to the brethren will be transacted, and a good turnout is looked for.

Miss Anna Shaw, of Alma College, is in the city to-day, on a business trip. She will be in the city to-day, enroute home from a trip through Montreal, Quebec, and the Pan-American.

The non-coms. of the 24th Regiment deserve your hearty support. On Friday evening, they will then run the first band concert of the season. See doggers with full particulars.

EVENING SOCIAL.

A most delightful concert was given on the lawn of M. J. French at the Kings Bridge, on Friday evening. The entertainment was given as a farewell banquet to the Rev. Mr. Walker, pastor of the Methodist church at Kent Bridge. A very large number were present, showing the high esteem in which that reverend gentleman is held, not only by the congregation which, for the last few years, has been under his care, but by the entire community. The program, which was well prepared, and carried out, was very entertaining. Each item on the program rendered in a style which reflected much credit on the committee. The following from Chatham took part: The Apollo Mandolin Club, and Misses Belle Riddell, Mable Watson, and Stewart.

The following is the program in its entirety:
Opening hymn.
Choir—address—Rev. Walker.
Selection—Mandolin trio.
Solo—Miss Belle Riddell.
Recitation—Miss Brien.
Address—Rev. Mr. Riddell.
Selection—Mandolin trio.
Solo—Miss Stewart.
Recitation—Master John Morton.
Solo—Miss Rea Shaw.
Selection—Mandolin trio.
Address—Mr. Feetham.
Solo—Miss Mable Watson.
God Save the King.

SUCCESSFUL SOCIAL.

The social held at Providence Methodist church, of which Mr. J. H. Osterhout, B. A., is pastor, was a complete success. Entables were bountifully provided by the ladies of the church. The following city talent took part in the program: Rev. Dr. Hannan, Clarence Terry, Gladstone Henry, Misses Clara, Alma and Nellie Gammage.

TENDERS WANTED

Bulk or separate sealed Tenders will be received up till 10 a. m. Wednesday July 3, for the several works required for the erection of the Dowley Co. spring and axle buildings, to be erected in this city.

Tenders to be addressed to W. H. Gonne, architect from whom plans and specifications can be obtained. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Active Man Wanted

To read this advertisement and then give Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor a trial. It never fails to cure. Acts in twenty-four hours and causes neither pain nor discomfort. Putnam's Corn Extractor extracts corns. It is the best.

FOR SALE

O. B. Hullin, on account of ill health is offering his business for sale, which he has carried on successfully for the past fourteen years, which is composed of masson's building supplies, such as lime, cement, sand, sewerpipe, hair, plaster paris, etc. He has a well established stand in North Chatham, with good facilities for landing materials, river running on the back of property, about 130 feet front. Will sell property and stock, or sell stock and rent the property. Either way to suit the purchaser.

FOR SALE

Quintal—Market unchanged. Car lots, at \$3.85, in bags; and at \$3.75, in wood; small lots, 20c. extra.

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Flour—Market is dull. Millers quote straight rollers at \$2.55 to \$2.70 in buyers covers for export, and shippers quote 90 per cent patents at \$2.80 middle freight. For shipment in bbls. to Lower Provinces \$3.10 is quoted. Manitoba patents, \$4.15 to \$5.20, and strong bakers' \$3.90.

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Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen



an indispensable convenience for Book-keepers, Lawyers, Physicians, Authors, Reporters, Business Men, Teachers and Students. Every Pen warranted to give satisfaction or money refunded.

PRICES—\$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00

Dingman's Books & King St. Stationery Chatham.

WABASH.

Mrs. Walter Burgess has returned home after a visit with her sister at Madoc.

Abram Blakely has been helping Wm. Rose in building an addition to his store.

The Methodist Sunday school is talking of having an excursion to the Eau de lae home picnic.

Mrs. Jacob Dougherty has returned home from a visit at Ridgeway.

CON. 7, DOVER.

Fred. Bussey is sporting a new top buggy.

The picnic that came off last week was a great success.

Cutting hay in the order of the day in this section.

Mr. Shem Hind, sr., is quite sick. Skanton, of the Town Line, paid a flying visit to the 7th concession last Thursday evening.

Geo. Wilmore was in the neighborhood last Friday evening.

The Foresters at Bearline, Court P. of D., will hold their third annual sermon on the 6th of July.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.
Toronto, June 25.—Wheat.—The market was quite quiet, there being very little business. Sales of No. 2 red winter to millers at 64-1-2c. on low freight rate. No. 2 white and red are quoted at 65c, north and west, and at 61c, middle. Freight for export, No. 1, spring, is held at 68c on Midland, with 66c, bid. No. 2 goose nominal at 61 to 62c midland freight. Manitoba wheat is lower, with sales of No. 1 held at 68c, grinding in transit; No. 2 hard at 81c, and No. 3 hard at 76c. For Toronto and west, 2 to 3c. lower.

Millfeed—The market is quiet, the demand being slack, and offerings moderate. Bran quoted at \$11 to \$11.50 west. Shorts, \$13 to \$13.50 west.

Corn—The demand is unchanged, with sales of Canadian yellow at 39-1-2c. west, and of mixed at 39c, west. On track here yellow is quoted at 44-1-2c.

Rye—The market is dull, with the offerings at 47c middle freight.

Buckwheat—Offered at 53c, middle freight, with 50c bid.

Peas—Market quiet and firm, with No. 2 quoted at 68c, middle freight.

Barley—Market is dull with prices nominal in absence of business.

Oats—The market is quiet, with No. 2 white for export, quoted at 29c high freight, and at 30c, middle freight. Locally they are quoted 1-2c higher than these prices.

Flour—Market is dull. Millers quote straight rollers at \$2.55 to \$2.70 in buyers covers for export, and shippers quote 90 per cent patents at \$2.80 middle freight. For shipment in bbls. to Lower Provinces \$3.10 is quoted. Manitoba patents, \$4.15 to \$5.20, and strong bakers' \$3.90.

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Chatham's Greatest Store C. AUSTIN & CO. Chatham's Cheapest Store

The Inspiration of Beautiful Objects

is howhere more essential or beneficial than in the home. A bit of fine furniture is as cheerful as sunlight and ornamental as a flower, then it has a practical use as well. But there should be

Harmony in House Furnishings

the lack of it is more disagreeable than discordant notes in music. Just now we are giving attention to the remodeling of upholstered furniture for some of Chatham's most artistic homes and constructing several pieces of original designs to order, which already give promise of much beauty and richness of effect, when these are placed in position they will appear as housefurnishing gems because the settings—the rooms in which they are to be placed have been carefully considered.

Our Stock of Coverings

American Tapestries and Parisian Silks is so large and varied that we can carry to successful completion any color scheme you may desire. Our ideas made plain by a comprehensive sketch is yours for the asking.

Staple Section

Seasonable Goods, Quick Selling for the Balance of the Week

One lot fancy open work dress muslins, in white only, three patterns to choose from, at per yard..... 60
10 dozen pure linen huck towels, 18x36 size, plain white or red borders, extra heavy, reg. 15c value, each for..... 12 1/2
One lot fancy lace dimities, white only, just the thing for cool garments during the hot summer days, prices..... 10c and 12 1/2
Choice value, 2 pos. extra heavy unbleached table damask, new designs. 58 inches wide, fine satin finish, value per yd..... 35c
2 pieces choice bleached damask, new patterns, superior finish, 70 in wide, at per yard..... 50c
We are showing a very fine assortment of fancy silkolines and tinsel draperies, new patterns and colorings, at per yd..... 10c and 12 1/2
One lot of fancy American dimities for shirt waists or dresses, beautiful colorings, extra wide widths, special per yd. at..... 18c
Special, 2 pos. 17 in. all linen crash toweling, with plain red border, extra heavy quality, worth 7c per yd., for..... 25c

Dress Goods and Silks

Bargains All This Week

50c Fancy Silks for 25c per Yard

18 pos. Corded China Silks, no two alike, in stripes, plaids and checks, all the latest colors, pure silk, guaranteed to wash, regular price 50c and 60c a yd., on sale this week at per yd..... 25c

\$1.00 Boleroes and Collars for 25c

400 odd Boleroes. Collars and Yokes in jet and applique, a nice assortment of patterns and sizes, black and a few colored, regular prices from 50c to \$1.25, your choice for, each..... 25c

85c Black Dress Goods for 55c

5 pos. Black Broche Dress Goods, wool and alpaca, wear and color guaranteed, especially suited for separate skirts, regular price 85c a yd., to clear at per yd. 55c
NOTE—7 gore flare Skirt with linenette lining and brush binding, made to your order of any of these pieces, guaranteed to fit, for..... \$3.15

\$1.00 Colored Dress Goods for 35c per Yard

28 ends Fancy Wool and Silk and Wool Colored Dress Goods in almost any wanted shade, very suitable for misses' dresses, home dresses or separate skirt. These are goods that sold at prices from 75c to \$1.50 per yd., piled on centre table at per yd..... 35c
7 gore Skirt, made to order of any of these pieces for..... \$2.50

A visit to our Millinery Department will repay you.
Clearing Prices on all lines of Hats and Trimmings.

C. Austin & Co. . . . The Bargain Centre

...A CHANGE OF CLOTHING...

Is desirable with change of season. Thoughts of summer attire are in the minds of the careful dressers, also in the minds of the up-to-date tailors. The result is an interesting display at our store 116 King St., all the novelties in imported and domestic woollens at remarkably low prices. No matter how fastidious the taste something to please will be found here.

King Street MORLEY & CO. Fine Tailors

They'll Taste Right

Groceries that are bought from us will taste right when they are served. That is because we keep our grocery clean, and our business methods are clean. You won't have to worry about overcharges if we get your order.

OUR BAKING POWDER—25c a lb.
OUR "AMERICAN" COFFEE—25c a lb.
OUR MOCHA AND JAVA COFFEE—25c a lb.
OUR ENGLISH BREAKFAST TEA—40c a lb.
OUR COOKED HAM, sliced as you wish.

H. Malcolmson

Our Optical Department

is well equipped and well managed.

Every condition of vision presented to us is carefully studied by our optician.

We keep well stocked in up-to-date optical goods.

Our prices will be found reasonable for any class of goods you may desire to purchase.

We make no charge whatever for studying the condition of your vision and giving you proper information.

You can lose nothing in any event, and may profit considerably by having a chat with our optician.

Von Gunten Bros.

Jewelers

And Issuers of Marriage Licenses.

KING STREET, CHATHAM.

Sterling Silver Sale

I am still continuing my sales, and for the balance of the month I will offer special values in Sterling Tableware as follows:

Sterling Tea Spoons, per dozen \$8.00 and up.
Sterling Forks, per dozen \$18 and up.
Sterling Desert Spoons, per dozen \$18 and up.
Sterling Table Spoons, each \$2.00 and up. And a great variety of Fancy spoons, such as Bon-Bon Spoons, Berrie Spoons, Cold Meat Forks, Jelly Spoons, Sugar Spoons and Sifters, Cream and Gravy Ladles, Sardine Forks, Tomato and Cucumber Servers, Cheese Scoops, Butter Knives, Etc. at special prices, the largest line ever shown in Chatham.

E. J. MacIntyre

Leading Jeweler,

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Local Budget

Bicycle repairs at Brico's. M. Wallace, of Thamesville, was in the city yesterday.

Frank Morris, Head St., who has been quite ill, is better.

O. B. Hulin had another slight attack of paralysis this morning.

Chas. Mount is putting a fresh coat of paint on the Park house.

Come on the moonlight on Friday evening at 7.30. Good music.

Frank Glass, London, is in the city on business with the S. Hadley Lumber Co.

Mrs. A. C. Kellogg and son, of Sarnia, are visiting Mrs. Walter Dezelia Head St.

O'Brien Bros. this morning received ten tons of white burley tobacco from the lake shore.

Mrs. McGachin, of Cedar Springs, is in the city attending the wedding of her niece, Miss Maud Cameron.

Chas. Williams says that he has his script for the grant of land given to the Fenian Raid veterans by the Dominion government.

W. S. Verrall, who has been visiting in the city for the past week, leaves tomorrow for St. John, New Brunswick.

Robt. Brown, of the Canada Flour Mills Co., strained his wrist very severely yesterday, while lifting a barrel of flour.

Every member of the regiment is wanted at the drill shed Thursday evening to be examined by the surgeon lieutenant.

The only real moonlight excursion this month, on Friday evening, by the Ladies Society of the Hospital. Refreshments on board. Come.

Charles C. Ripley, inspector of the Canadian Railway Accident Company, was in the city yesterday, calling on the local agent, F. P. Weldon.

Two caddies of tobacco fell from one of the G. T. R. trucks yesterday.

They were picked up by a farmer and unless returned at once the parties will be prosecuted.

S. S. Williston, of the T. H. Taylor tailoring department, received notice this morning that he was assessed with poll-tax for 1900, and he refuses to pay for that year.

Mrs. D. Baker and her daughter, Nellie Baker, of Hitchcock, South Dakota, will be "at home" to their friends, Thursday, June 27, from 3 o'clock to 6 and from 8 to 10, at Mrs. C. Fleming's, Adelaide St. south.

The Str. City of Chatham will give an excursion to Detroit on Monday, July 1st, for 50 cents for the round trip, leaving the Rankin Dock at 7.30.

Mr. Oliver, of Bothwell, who has been ill in St. Joseph's hospital, is able to leave the hospital, and is at present staying with his sister, Mrs. McCarthy, Wellington St.

Kingsley H. Holmes, son of Dr. T. K. Holmes, of this city, who passed the second year examinations at the Toronto University Medical School a couple of weeks ago, has also passed in all subjects before the medical council. We wish to congratulate our young townsman on his marked success.

There was a big crowd at the Providence social last evening, and a most enjoyable time was spent by all. Dr. Hannan officiated as chairman. The program consisted of selections from the choir, solos, recitations and musical selections. Among those who took part from this city were Clara Gamble, Clarence Perry and Gladstone Henty. The tables were nicely arranged and everything went off well.

They cleared about \$25. The Providence choir rendered several very acceptable selections and Effie Crow recited. Quite a large crowd from this city attended.

"Certain good is better than uncertain hope."

Certain value, up to the Makers' price, stamped on the sole, \$3.50, \$5.00, is pledged in every pair of

"The Slater Shoe"

Goodyear Welted.

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There were 286 horses in the circus parade this morning, and it took just twenty minutes to pass Hayward's store.

Harold Rankin, having passed his medical examination, will go to the military college for a two month's course.

PREPARE FOR THE HOLIDAY

Public School Board Hold Special Meeting to Wind up Term Work.

A Well Deserved Recognition of the Kindergarten—Financial Report—Other Business.

Public School Trustees, Dr. McKeough, Morley, Johnston, Thomson, and Robinson were on hand for the special meeting of the Public School Board last evening, but they had to put in a half hour of waiting till the arrival of Mr. Wilson to complete the quorum.

But the time really did not seem long. Trustee Thomson was in a happy vein and his humorous anecdotes of summer picnics and their incidents whittled away the moments in a most entertaining way. Mr. Thomson evidently possesses a delicate discernment of human nature, and his illustrations of the stump speeches of ex-Water Commissioner Fred. F. Quinn, Mayor Sulman and others were hugely enjoyed.

Owing to the absence of Dr. Bray, Dr. McKeough was elected to the chair.

A communication was received from the county council saying that they had no objection to Mr. Park's appointment as inspector of the city public schools.

Another was received from Mr. Park, accepting the position of public school inspector.

One was received from Mrs. McColl thanking the Board for their kind resolution of sympathy.

Miss Kate Hutchison applied for a position on the public school teaching staff. Filed.

Mr. Carter thanked the Board for their use of the Central School for the recent Conservatory examination.

Miss Lafferty applied for a position on the public school teaching staff. Filed.

Miss S. Barasani asked leave of absence to attend the normal school. Granted.

Miss McTaggart, of the McKeough school kindergarten, also asked for leave of absence. Granted.

Miss Collett applied for a position on the teaching staff of the Central school during the Model term.

Moved by Robertson and Morley, that the application of Miss Collett be accepted. Carried.

Mr. Morley, for the Kindergarten committee recommended that Miss Aylesworth's salary be increased \$25, making in all \$325 a year. The report was adopted.

The report was signed by Messrs. McKeough, Morley and Thomson.

Mr. Johnston reported that there were 700 feet of black-board in the McKeough school that would need repainting.

Mr. Morley also reported that there were 700 feet of black-board in the Central school that would need repainting.

Referred to the Supply committee.

Mr. Thomson then moved, acting, he said, on the suggestion in last night's planet, that the schools be closed from last (Tuesday) night, as there were only a few more school days and the weather was extremely hot.

None of the other members of the Board, however, favored this idea.

The following is the Finance Committee's report as read by Mr. Johnston:

Your committee beg leave to recommend:

1. That Mr. R. Park receive a salary of \$400 per annum, as inspector of the city schools, payable quarterly.

2. That the tender of A. Harbert for scavenger work, amount of \$20 be accepted.

3. The following accounts:

Central School—
R. Cooper, supplies, \$1.15.
Water account, \$12.75.
Teachers' salaries, \$695.81.
Extras, \$4.50.
Janitor, \$35.41.
Total, \$756.65.

McKeough School—
Water account, \$2.54.
Teachers' salaries, \$574.96.
Extras, \$11.50.
Janitor, \$29.16.
Total, \$618.16.

Queen St. School—
R. Cooper, supplies, \$3.
E. L. Cuyler, repairs, \$6.75.
Doolan and Rogers, \$6.75.
Water account, \$2.54.
Teachers' salaries, \$149.98.
Janitor, \$19.25.
Total, \$173.02.

Payne School—
Water account, \$2.54.
Teachers' salaries, \$108.32.
Janitor, \$9.
Total, \$119.86.

Kindergarten, Central—
S. Hadley Co., \$45.20.
R. Cooper, 25c.
Teachers' salaries, \$106.66.
Total, \$152.11.

Kindergarten, McKeough—
P. T. Higgins, 60c.
S. Hadley & Co., \$10.00.
The Ark, 55c.
Teachers' salaries, \$81.66.
Total, \$92.81.

General Account—
R. Park, inspector's salary, \$100.
Sec. Treas., salary, \$50.
Jas. Birch, allowance, \$34.62.
King street caretaker, \$1.
Total, \$185.62.
Grand total, \$2,100.23.
The board then adjourned.

Mrs. Blackburn & Johnston, The Dress Making Experts

CIRCUS DAY

At The Gordon Store

50 Dozen

Fine Linen Towels

At 10c Each, very special value.

Miss Cathcart has a

Marked Down Sale of Hats

for Circus Day, and a table of \$1.50 TRIMMED HATS, also Black and White Chiffon MID-SUMMER HATS in variety.

WILLIAM GORDON

THE WOOLEN MILLS

Leave Your Measure For a Summer Suit

Ordered Clothing Department

Now is the opportune time to place your order for a Spring Suit. Do not leave it until the rush—be the first. We are now in a better position to serve you in every way. You will have first choice of our New Summer Goods of which we carry the largest and best selected stock of any in the city.

Our Cutter, Mr. Williston, is a thorough mechanic and has none but first-class men coat makers under his directions. We guarantee to save you money on ordered clothing and make them first-class and up-to-date. We also carry a stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING. We have the best \$1.50 and \$2.00 Ready-Made Pants in Canada. Try for a pair.

The T. H. Taylor Co., (LIMITED) Beaver Floor the Best.

EARLY BLAZE

Nasty Fire Broke out on King St. Fearly This Morning—Quickly Extinguished.

Fire broke out in the dress making establishment of Miss McCarthy over Sheldrick's store this morning about five minutes after 4 o'clock. The alarm was sent in from the Central telephone office and the firemen quickly responded. One line of hose was attached and the fire was speedily extinguished. The loss is unknown. The water penetrated through the floor, but the oil-cloth covers protected the goods in the adjoining establishment. Jack Pleasant says that he smelled the smoke before he went asleep and was expecting a fire. He thought that the firemen deserved great credit for the way in which they conducted the hose. He thought that was about three minutes after the alarm was sent in before the men had a line of hose playing on the flames.

Dr. Charteris was passing by the place about 1 o'clock. He noticed the flames coming out of the front window and hurried back to the telephone office, however, came in first.

The property is owned by Mrs. Miller and is well insured.

DRESDEN.

June 26.—Dr. W. Webster, of Chicago, who has been visiting his parents here, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Webster will remain here another week.

Fred. McWha Agent yesterday in Dresden.

Miss Reta Bodkin and Miss Lulu Fleming are visiting Miss Winnie Colville.

John Turner's baby is seriously ill.

Mrs. George Frances and Riddle grandson returned home from Detroit last evening, where they have been visiting for some time.

The 24th Regimental excursion to Port Lambton on Friday evening, June 28th, promises to be a corker. This town was to-day flooded with advertising matter by a Sergeant in full uniform. Fare from here for round trip, \$50.

WALLACEBURG

June 26.—Mrs. Capt. McDonald is visiting friends in Sarnia for a few days this week.

Wm. Black, who is a blower in the Flint house, has gone to Atlanta City as a delegate of the Flint Glass Blowers Association.

Mrs. Capt. Steinhoff has returned home after visiting in Loraine, Ohio.

Ross Hicklin, of Chatham, spent last Sunday in town.

Fred Colwell, of Kingsville, is home for the summer.

The excursion to Port Lambton on Friday evening, June 8th, will draw a big crowd from this place. Every one is going with the red coats. Fare from here for round trip only 35 cts. See the bills and then get your tickets.

For pimples, blotches, bad complexion, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine to take—it has established this fact.

Chatham Rug Factory

Something new, special design of RAG CARPET on latest improved plan, never before placed on the market.

RUGS

Be up-to-date and save money by turning your old carpets into new, clean, sanitary Rugs. Old carpets transformed into Rugs of any design, either fringed or bordered and made to imitate foreign goods. Visit this new industry and support home manufacture. Headquarters: King Street West, opposite Forsyth Street.

T. E. Orr, PROPRIETOR

W. W. Everitt

Eggs for Hatching

Barré Plymouth Rocks and Black Minorcas.

All from the best selected stock, good healthy birds, received first prize at the International Exhibition for best eggs. Price for setting of 13 eggs \$1; special price for large quantities.

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AN HUMBLE HERO

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Reckon Sam Banks' wife is the only woman Melvin keeps 'bout sparkin'. young Sam Morgan observed.

Pap Sampson brought his cane down emphatically.

"Sam Morgan," he said, "do you mind how Sam Banks done Jim Thorn that, right here on this platform, the other night?"

"I guess I do," Sam replied.

"Then let me tell you that if you ain't achin' to be done the same way you'd better tighten the reins on your horses a little an be sorter keeful whar you drive."

"I hain't afeard of Sam Banks."

"You better be if you git to lettin' your tongue run on Louesey."

"I hain't said nary a word about Louesey, have I?"

"Waal, meby not exactly."

"But I will say this, Pap Sampson, I wouldn't want no wife of mine meetin' that feller out in the woods an standin' a-talkin' to him, with him a-holt of her hands."

"You mean to say, Sam Morgan, that Louesey Banks done that?"

"I ain't callin' no names, Pap Sampson, but I reckon most anybody ort to see through a board if it's got a auger hole in it."

The men exchanged a surprised glance, but for a little while no one spoke. Finally, however, Hicks broke the pause.

"Sam," he said, "have you been seein' that Melvin an some woman doin' like you said?"

"Thout mentioin' no names, Jake, I'm bound to say I have."

"When was it, an whar?"

"Yistiddy evenin', right down here in Sam Banks' own piece of timber land."

"Tell us all 'bout it, won't you?"

There was a concerted watching of each other closer around Sam, and a hush almost as still as death fell over the little group. There was little, very little, of excitement or interest in the lives of the citizens of Possum Ridge, and when anything strange or out of the common did happen they liked to make the most of it and enjoy it to the fullest possible extent.

Then, too, in this instance, they sensed something in the way of scandal, and that made them all the more eager listeners. Unsophisticated and simple as they were, they possessed that insatiable curiosity and that morbid love of the unsavory which are not altogether things apart from the lives of many of the more cultured.

Sam Morgan, finding himself the center of an eager group who waited with open mouths for him to speak, felt his importance, and it was excusable in him that he remained silent for a little while to enjoy the situation. It was not every day that he could occupy a position like that, and it was very natural that he should desire to make the most of it.

But glorying in a triumph, even such a triumph as that, cannot last forever, but finally Sam condescended to speak.

"I'd been out a-huntin'," he began, "an, comin' long up across Sam Banks' timber land, I felt sorter tired an 'lowed I mought's well set down an rest a bit. So I turned out of the path an went a few steps out to that big tree whar Pap Sampson told us he shot six squirrels out of at one time when he was a young feller. You all mind 'bout that tree, I reckon."

They all nodded assent. Then Pap Sampson spoke.

"It was seven squirrels, Sam, 'stid of six."

"You said six last time you told 'bout it," Sam replied. "I mind that most distinctly."

"An five time before that," Jason Roberts added. "Lord, I reckon it'll be eight next time Pap tells that story."

"Waal, don't squirrels nat'rally multiply an increase?" Pap asked.

"Not dead uns don't," Jason replied.

"Waal, thar was seven squirrels if thar was one—I mind I counted 'em both before I killed 'em an afterward—seven squirrels settin' 'em on a limb all in a row, with all their heads turned in the same way. I drewed up my old rifle an tuck aim at the head of the nighest to me an banged away. Imagine my surprise when all seven of them squirrels come a-tumblin' out of that tree an fell in a pile on the ground, that bullet havin' gone clean through ever' one of their heads."

"An then gone on an killed a wild turkey over in another tree," Jason added.

"Waal, yes, that's allus been my opinion," Pap admitted, "but thar was another feller shot his gun off at the

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same time, an he 'lowed he killed the turkey. But, as you was a-sayin', Sam, you tuck a few steps out to that tree."

"An set down behind it in the shade," Sam resumed. "I'd been a-settin' thar 'bout ten minutes, I guess—don't 'low it could 'a' been more'n 10 minutes an not more'n 15 nobow—an I'd begun to git sleepy an doze off like when all to once I heard voices a-talkin. I peeped round the kinder cautiouslike, an then I see that Mr. Melvin an a woman."

"I ain't mentioin' no names—a standin' thar a-talkin', pow! interested, hm a-holdin' both of her han's in his'n."

"What was they a-sayin'?" Hicks asked eagerly.

"Waal, they talked kinder low most of the time," Sam replied, "so I couldn't hear much they said, but what I did hear was moughty interstin'. I can tell you."

"What was it?" Hicks asked, and the others all leaned forward in breathless eagerness to listen for the reply.

"Waal, in the first place," Sam said, "I heard Melvin say, 'It may be wrong, but I don't b'lieve it is; but, right or wrong, I love her.'"

"Lord!" Jason exclaimed. "He was gittin' sweet, wa'n't he? But what did she say then?"

"She says: 'Don't say that. You ain't no right.' Then he says, 'I have more right than anybody else, 'cause I love you more an 'cause you love me,' an he says, 'Don't you love me?'"

"Then what did she say?"

"She didn't say nothin'."

"Jest stood thar an never opened her mouth?"

"At first she did, but after while, when he had crowded her a right smart an had said to her, 'You do love me, don't you?' she up an says: 'God knows I do. It's wicked, but I can't help it. I love you with all my heart an soul.'"

"Lord! Did you ever hear her like? Say, I bet then he jest gathered her in his arms an kissed her."

"No; he didn't."

"Wonder why. Any woman was to tell me, like that, she loved me I'd shore kiss her."

"Not if she wouldn't let you, I guess."

"Wouldn't she let him?"

"Not much; wouldn't let him tech her, only her hands."

"What else did they say?"

"Didn't make out much they said after that on account of 'em talkin' so low, but I heard her call him a Frank I do, which shows that he ain't goin' by his shore 'nough name, an toward the last I heard him say he'd done somethin' dretful an was hidin' out from the law."

For a full minute Sam's auditors sat staring at him in astonishment. Then Hicks broke the silence by ejaculating: "Waal, I'll be dand gummed! If thar

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don't stop my words. "I reckon, Jake," Jason said, "it's enough to stump anybody's taters. Lord! Did anybody ever hear of anything like it?"

They all shook their heads, and again there was silence. After a little Hicks said:

"I wonder what we ort to do 'bout it?"

"I don't know," Jason replied. "I reckon, though, we shore ort to do somethin'. 'Pears like it's our plumb duty, don't it?"

"Do somethin' 'bout what?" Pap Sampson asked.

"Why 'bout puttin' the law on to the track of that feller an bringin' him to justice an 'bout—well, somebody ort to tell Sam Banks, I reckon."

"'Bout puttin' the law after that feller—that's all right, an I'm willin' to help you. But 'bout tellin' Sam Banks—are you willin' to be the one to do it, Jason Roberts?"

Jason made no reply. Pap put the same question to Hicks and Sam Morgan and the others, and they all shook their heads. Then he turned to Thorn and said:

"Jim Thorn, are you willin' to be the one to tell Sam Banks?"

"It ain't nothin' to me," Thorn replied, "an I guess I ain't got no call to mix up in no sich matters."

"Thar's sensible, Jim, an I feel 'bout it jest like the rest of you," Hicks said.

"We ain't none of us got no call to tell Sam Banks nothin', an the best thing we can do is to keep our mouths shut. I tell you now, an it's a gospel truth, as shore as Sam Banks ever finds out what Sam Morgan has told us he'll shoot that Melvin down jest like he would a sheep killin' dog. You mark my word for that."

CHAPTER XI.

ANOTHER STRANGER APPEARS.
 James Melvin, whose real name was Frank Shelton, did not go away from Possum Ridge, as Louisa had advised him to do, but he had tarried on from day to day in the hope of seeing her again and promising himself that as soon as he had another interview with her he would take his departure. His purpose in seeing her again was to make a strong and fast effort to induce her to accompany him to some point in the far west where they would remain unknown and where, as he reasoned, they could lead safe and happy lives.

One evening he came in from a long tramp in the woods, where he had gone ostensibly to prospect for mineral, and found Turner sitting in front of the house in a deep study. He watched the old man for a little while, then called out gayly to him:

"A penny for your thoughts, Mr. Turner."

The old man gave a start and looked up.

"Don't know," he replied. "That mought be a good price, and it mought not. I ain't jist ready to sell y' no-how."

"Going to hold them for a rise in the market, eh?"

"Meby. Guess I'll ort 'em for sale 'bout the time you put your mines on the market. S'pose you found oodins of mineral to-day, didn't you?"

"No, I didn't, an' any."

"That so? Too bad, ain't it?"

"Oh, I don't know. It takes time to locate mineral, you know."

"I see it does. It 'pears to take time even when you don't locate it too. Reckon you must be gittin' sort of tired of smellin' round in the ground that away, ain't you?"

"No, I guess not."

"Lord a-massy, I know I'd be. Yes, sir—see! I'd be jist plum tired out, an my hopes of findin' anything would be pefered clean down to a whine. Reckon that company of rich fellers you're workin' for hain't feelin' as good as they mought."

"Oh, they're all right. They never expected me to strike a fortune in a week or two."

"Guess, though, they mought 'a' had a notion that in smellin' round yere for a month you out to run your nose up ag'in a little bit of mineral, don't you think?"

"They wouldn't regard a month as anything in prospecting for mineral."

"Wouldn't they?"

"Certainly not, nor six months nor a year."

"Waal, I s'ware! Jest lay back thar an take it easy an let you smell round down yere long as you please?"

"I suppose so."

"Humph! Reckon, then, I been figgerin' kind of wrong a-settin' yere?"

"I don't know how you've been figgerin'."

"Guess if them fellers feels 'bout it like you say 'tain't likely they'd turn in an send another feller down yere to line in an help you, is it?"

"Of course not. How came you to think of the possibility of such a thing?"

"It come out of me tryin' to fit two ends of a raveled string together."

"I don't understand that," Melvin said, with a laugh. "Put it in plain English, if you please."

"Waal, it seems kind of odd that two fellers would be sent down yere by different companies, all at once, to hunt for mineral, specially when thar hain't no mineral to hunt for, so I 'lowed meby your company had concluded to send a feller to help you out a bit."

"Two fellers sent down here! What do you mean?"

"Jest that. Thar's another feller yere besides you?"

"Who is it?"

"Lord a-massy, I don't know who it is."

"How do you know he's here?"

"Seed him, seed him with my own eyes."

"When?"

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"Where?"

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DECLARED before me at the Township of East Gwillimbury, in the County of York, this Sixth Day of May, A.D. 1901.
 J. McCULLOUGH, Notary Public for Ontario.

DOMINION OF CANADA. IN THE MATTER OF JULIA SHEFFIELD, of the Township of Scott, in the County of Ontario, and of her Restoration to Health.

I, JOSEPH SHEFFIELD, of the township of Scott, in the County of Ontario, DO SOLEMNLY DECLARE that I am now in the employment of John R. Dunn, of the township of Scott, in the County of Ontario, yeoman, and have been for the past two years, and Julia Sheffield, above named, is my wife. My said wife was taken sick in 1900, and in June of that year she was so bad that she had to go to her father's home at Mount Albert, in the County of York. She was not able to do any work, and when she went to her father's home she had to go to bed, and remained there most of the time until the end of the year. The attending physician told her she had consumption, and could not recover. She had frequent bleeding of lungs, and was growing gradually worse, and was reduced to a mere skeleton. Had lost all sleep until the doctor himself said she had not a half-pound of flesh on her bones. I had given up all hopes of her recovery. Had had four different doctors attending her, and they each and all pronounced her case incurable. I had saved up a little money, and had some cattle. I expended all my money and sold my cattle, and expended about \$250 in doctors' bills, and but all to no purpose. I heard of Ozone, and bought a 50c. bottle for her to try. When she had taken the second bottle she began to get better, and she was now taken eight bottles, and she had not a half-pound of flesh on her bones, and has gained at least 25 pounds in weight, and is completely restored to health, and is now as well as ever she was, and looks well and young again. I have also used Ozone for croup on my little boy, and it has cured him. I consider it a most wonderful household remedy, and cheerfully recommend it to suffering humanity as a medicine that will be long remembered by me for restoring my wife to health and to me and to her little family.

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At many out-of-town houses Sunday morning "breakfast parties" are much affected, the house party being supplemented by outsiders, who arrive on wheels, afoot, or horseback, as inclination dictates. These meetings are, of course, delightfully informal, and the breakfast served is really what the French call a déjeuner a fourchette—that is to say, a judicious compromise between the morning meal and the midday luncheon. Grape fruit, it goes without saying is the first choice; a golden or silver follows next, then the piece de resistance—a bird or broiled chicken—with potatoes done in some delicate style; waffles then, or hot cakes, and last of all, delicious strawberries, served with rich country cream.

Many hostesses, who rejoice in a large country house, where the hall is the special architectural feature, have breakfast served at small tables set in the hall, the hall itself lavishly decorated a la rose tree; that is to say, with trailing vines on walls, and mantel, and doors, and the effect is charming. What to wear at such a gathering is, of course, the question that arises first in the feminine mind when an invitation is received for a Saturday-to-Monday party. The answer to that problem is easy. In compliment to your hostess, put your prettiest and drested gown in a dress suit case, add to its contents a duck skirt, a crisp shirt waist, and the small toilette accessories, and even the most fastidious woman is suitably equipped for such a stay. A neat tail or gown is worn on the train, or if one travels a wheel, then the dress suit case is sent ahead and the bicycle costume is made as chic and trim as possible.

What Girls are Doing. Another thing the girls are doing is making small hair pillows to send to the men. These were suggested to them by an old regular army officer who has seen much service, and who told them that a man could make himself quite comfortable anywhere in the open with his blanket if he only had a hair pillow to lay his head on. These pillows are not stuffed very full, so that they may be easily rolled up in the blankets. They are about twenty-seven inches square and are covered first with ticking, and then with a slip cover of denim or cretonne, which can be taken off and washed. Some of the girls are embroidering dark blue ones in red initials and monograms, brown ones in yellow or blue, and so on, in different combinations of color.

There is a certain set of well known society girls in town who are buying luxuries and packing cases of them for the men they know in the different camps. Each girl has pledged herself to give so much money every week, and a committee on packing and shipping the cases has been formed, which will attend to the sending of them off every two weeks until the war is over. The goods are all to be sent to one of the girls' houses, which will be kept open all summer if the family goes away, and any donations of sensible and practical articles of food will be gratefully received—Harper's Bazar.

How to Climb Stairs. A physician who declares that very few people know how to walk upstairs properly gives these instructions: "Usually a person will tread on the ball of his foot in taking each step. This is very tiresome and wearing on the muscles, as it throws the entire suspended weight of the body on the muscles of the legs and feet. You should, in walking or climbing stairs, seek for the most equal distribution of the body's weight possible. In walking upstairs your feet should be placed squarely down on the step, heel and all, and then the work should be performed slowly and deliberately. In this way there is no strain upon any muscle, but each one is doing its duty in a natural manner. The man who goes upstairs with a springy gait may be sure is no philosopher, or, at least, his reasoning has not been directed to that subject. The doctor might have gone a little further in the same line and protested against the habit which many persons have of bending over half double when they ascend a flight of stairs. In exertion of this kind, when the heart is naturally excited to more rapid action, it is desirable that the lungs should have full play. But the crouching position interferes with their action, the blood is imperfectly aerated and there is trouble right away. Give the lungs a chance to do their work everywhere and at all times.

The Greatest Chef in Europe. The Emperor of Russia, it is said, has given his confidence to an extraordinary degree to his Abasian chef who has presided over the preparations for Imperial repasts during the last five years. This important individual ranks as Captain in the navy and Colonel in the army, and on state occasions appears in gorgeous uniform, his breast covered with Russian and foreign orders. As chef, he has 1,200 subordinates. When the Czar dines alone the table is simple, but the chef is always ready to prepare a glorious feast for several thousand people.

The True Virtue of Malt Found Only In Malt Breakfast Food.

Some people use Malt in liquid form for building up the system; this is invariably spoiled by admixture of fermented liquors. To obtain the great health and strength yielding virtues of malt, it should be eaten in its natural state combined with that perfect food grain, wheat. Malt Breakfast Food is a health combination of both, easy to digest, delicious and refreshing. Thousands of physicians recommend it. At all Grocers.

A little learning is less dangerous than the belief that you know it all. Poor Girl, Girl, Her.

Growing! Yes, into weakness, but not strength. Studies plenty of them. First, of course she is, and weak, too. Does not eat enough, and digests far less than enough. This condition is so frequent, but how seldom noticed. Give her Ferrozone, then watch her appetite improve, her cheeks and lips grow ruddy, her step elastic, her spirit buoyant. All this simply the result of eating and digesting enough, and making blood, and thereby strengthening the nerve and brain power. Ferrozone gives a woman's strength to weak girls. Your daughter or wife needs Ferrozone. Get it to-day from McCall & Co.

Self admiration is ample proof that there is no accounting for tastes.

Pain in the Joints

may be muscular or rheumatic. The joints are hard to get at, and it requires a powerful, penetrating remedy to reach the affected parts. Polson's Nervine exactly meets the requirements, for it is both powerful and penetrating. The pain is expelled as if by magic, for one drop of Nervine equals in strength five drops of other remedies. You won't offend the doctor if Nervine is in the house. Price 25 cents.

The performance of the amateur musician is often a music rack.

Active Man Wanted

To read this advertisement, and then give Putnam's Painless Corn Extract a trial. It never fails to cure. Acts in twenty-four hours and causes neither pain nor discomfort. Putnam's Corn Extract extracts corns. It is the best.

"Did they make you feel at home over at Mrs. Smith's?" "Oh, yes, Mr. Smith told me 'wipe m' feet' 'not muss the tidies,' 'n' didn't give me but one piece of pie."

HAY FEVER CAN BE PREVENTED. Don't seek other cures at "Hay Fever Season," don't destroy your stomach and nerves by drugs—prevent the disease. Hay Fever is caused by germs that float about in the air and finally find lodgment in your throat and lungs. Medicine won't reach them there, but Catarrhoxone will. Catarrhoxone is sure death to germs. Start now to use Catarrhoxone. It kills it in the throat, lungs and nasal passages and bronchial tubes; it goes wherever the air you breathe goes, and it will prevent and cure Hay Fever. Endorsement: "I have used one thousand doctors in Canada and U. S. Sent to you an address for \$1.00 forwarded to Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S., or Kingston, Ont."

Tom—Hello, where are you going? Dick—To call on my young lady friend.

Tom—Oh! What sort of a person is her old lady friend, and does her young gentleman brother give you any trouble?

HIS OWN FREE WILL.

Dear Sirs,—I cannot speak too highly of the excellence of MINARD'S LINIMENT for burns, sprains, etc., and we would not be without it. It is truly a wonderful medicine.

JOHN A. MACDONALD.
Publisher Arnprior Chronicle.

The Mother—She says she'll elope. The Father—Let her do it. It's cheaper.

Ghosts would frighten many people who are not afraid of germs. Yet the germ is a real danger. If this microscopic animalism could be magnified to a size in proportion to its deadliness it would show like a giant python, or fire breathing dragon. The one fact to remember is that the germ is powerless to harm the body when the blood is pure. It is far easier to keep the germ out than to drive it out after it obtains a hold in the system. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the most powerful and perfect of blood purifying medicines. It increases the quantity as well as the quality of the blood, and enables the body to resist disease, or to throw it off if disease has obtained a footing in some weak organ. Wherever the digestion is impaired, the nutrition of the body is diminished, for the blood is made from the food which is eaten, and half digested food cannot supply the body with blood in quantity and quality adequate to its needs. For this condition there is no remedy equal to "Golden Medical Discovery." It cures ninety-eight out of every hundred persons who give it a fair trial. When there is constipation Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will promptly relieve and permanently cure.

The man who blows his own horn is merely a self-entertainer.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

Minard's Liniment—Lumberman's Friend.

CANNON BALL.

Condensed as War Weapons. They Are Just the Thing in Stone Quarries.

"Cannon balls for blasting!" This sign, hung in a conspicuous place before the door of a store on Atlantic av., led a reporter inside and started a bit of questioning upon the subject.

The proprietor said: "Last fall when the United States Government sold all of the old cannon balls and solid shot which for so many years were piled in pyramids along the main street of the navy yard at Charleston, we purchased a lot of them, with little thought of converting them into anything beside pig iron. But a few weeks after we had stored them here I overheard a quarry owner complaining of the slowness and uncertainty of the old system of steel wedges used in getting out huge blocks of granite, and after a bit of thought I suggested the use of cannon balls in the places of steel wedges. We sent about twenty of various sizes and weights out to his quarry, and after the first trial he hurried a team in here with a note that read: 'Tried the cannon balls; they are it. Send fifty more; have thrown the steel wedges away.'"

"The experience of this man led us to send the cannon balls and solid shot to other quarry operators, and within the past month the orders have been coming in so thickly we can scarcely fill them from the stock on hand."

"The method used in getting out great cubes or monoliths from granite and marble quarries has been to drive steel wedges along the line of the lower portion of the split made by a blast until the great chunk of stone topples over on its face."

"It required a deal of time and number of men with his iron sledges and steel wedges to separate these cubes from the quarry wall from which they had been started by the blast."

"The method now pursued with the cannon balls is to start the block of stone away by light blast, and then between the quarry face and the block several of the smaller solid shot, usually the 4-inch sort, are dropped down into the aperture. Two men with crowbars give the block a shove, and the instant the block moves the slightest manner forward the shot takes up their 'purchase' on the space made, when the large cannon balls, some measuring fourteen or fifteen inches and weighing 200 or 300 pounds, are dropped into the top of the gap. Now, the slightest outward jar by levers on the big stone send these heavy cannon balls dropping downward or their own weight, until with an easy forward motion, the cube goes over on its face."

"These shots do away with any driving of necessity their great weight in proportion to their size forces them downward, and their form prevents any chance of backward setting of the block."

"These cannon balls are also used as rollers, as they take up and go over the inequalities of the quarry surface, and can be rolled in any direction without resetting, thus doing away with the old style wooden rollers."

Profile Family This. There has just died in Cumberland county, Ky., the oldest son of a family that, so far as any known records are concerned, bears the palm for fecundity. He was Jason Webb, third child of Miles Webb, the first settler in the Cumberland district, which is now almost entirely populated by his offspring.

Old Miles Webb did not do so much toward increasing the population, having added but six to his number—three boys and three girls. Jason, who was eighty-one years old when he died, saw no fewer than four hundred and forty-four direct descendants. He began with nineteen children. From these sprang one hundred and seventy-five grandchildren, one hundred and fifty great-grandchildren, and even a hundred of great-great-grandchildren, all living.

Next in the order of number of descendants comes Jason's youngest brother, Miles, who is still living at the age of seventy-eight. Miles is still as full of vitality, apparently, as any of his descendants, who number more than four hundred. He was father of twenty children, two of whom died in early life. There are one hundred and sixty-five grandchildren, one hundred and fifty great-grandchildren, and ninety of the fourth generation—a total of 423 descendants.

"Aunt Polly," the second child of the original patriarch, ranks third in this remarkable family. From her ten children sprang 119 grandchildren, who made Aunt Polly a great-grandmother to forty—a total of 230 descendants.

These three alone are, therefore, responsible for more than a thousand inhabitants of Cumberland county.

Another daughter of old Miles, Aunt Sally, has 208 descendants. There are thirteen of the first generation, eighty of the second, sixty-five of the third and fifty of the fourth. Aunt Sally is an active old lady of seventy-five years.

Aunt Letty, the oldest of the children, who is now hale and hearty at the ripe age of ninety years, scores the modest total of only 201 descendants. She began with eleven children, and there are ninety, sixty and forty of the succeeding generations respectively.

The least prolific of all is the youngest child, William, but even at that he can boast of 166 Keweenaw descendants, his existence to him. He has eleven children, seventy-five grandchildren, fifty great-grandchildren, and thirty great-great-grandchildren.

By blood and affinity there are in the county of Cumberland and the country adjacent thereto no fewer than twelve thousand persons including in this hazy fog. If this is not a record there is some other remarkable family to be heard from.

The Chatham Loan and Savings Co.

39th Half-yearly Dividend. Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of six per cent. per annum upon the paid up capital stock of this company has been declared this day for the current half year ending June 30th, 1901, payable at the company's office, on and after July 2nd, 1901.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to 30th June inclusive. By order of the Board.

S. F. GARDINER, Manager.
Chatham, June 4th, 1901.

It is usually those who are least to be trusted who demand the most implicit trust. Naturally.

—Humors feed on humors—the sooner you get rid of them the better—Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine to take.

When a man loses his head he talks through his hat.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

For Infants and Children.

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Household Linens

Union Damask, unbleached, 64 inches wide, good pattern, at per yard

25c

Unbleached Tabling, 64 inches wide, every thread linen, at per yard

35c

Bleached Tabling, 64 inches wide, all linen, very special at per yard

50c

Have you need for Linens? If so you couldn't replenish your linen closet from a better stock of Linens than these. Read over carefully this list of Linens.

Union Damask, unbleached, 72 inches wide, extra value at per yard

37½

Unbleached tabling, 64 inches wide, splendid pattern, every thread linen, at per yard

50c

Bleached Tabling, 64 inches wide, all linen, very special at per yard

\$1.25

A Complete Stock of

Tray Cloths, Linens, Lunch Cloths, Napkins, Table Cloths, Towels and Toweling.

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Boots, Shoes, Trunks and Valises



The Boston Shoe House
J. L. CAMPBELL, PROP.

A Millinery Sensation

Your millinery money will do wonders here this week—the greatest of bargains in strictly high-grade millinery. TRIMMED HATS \$1.98, \$2.48 and \$3.49, worth double the money.
SAILORS, white, 25c, 35c, 49c and 75c.

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Parlor Suites

Made of Silk Tapestry, with buttoned backs, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00.
Three Piece Suites, with Mahogany finished frames, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00.
Rug Suites of good and serviceable rugs, \$32.00, \$38.00, \$45.00, worth \$40.00, \$50.00 and \$60.00.

Bedroom Suites

A Special Line from \$10.00 to \$12.00. Do not fail to see these Suites. Polished Oak Suites, with British bevel mirrors, \$25.00, \$35.00.
We are offering a special line of CARPETS at 50c per yard, worth 60c and 65c per yard. Made and laid free of charge.

Hugh McDonald

Opposite Garner House

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WITH OUR LITTLE ONES

Many Parents and Friends Paid a Visit to McKeough School Kindergarten Yesterday.

The Class Presented a Charming Picture in Their Pretty Drill and Exercises—Tribute to the Ladies in Charge.

The closing exercises at the McKeough school kindergarten—an event which is looked forward to with delight by many of the mothers in North Chatham—were held yesterday afternoon in the McKeough school.

The large Assembly Hall, which was very tastefully decorated for the occasion with flowers, flags and bunting, presented a very attractive appearance, the credit of which is due to the splendid directress, Miss V. Aylesworth, and her able assistants, Misses Helen McTaggart and Vida Farquharson.

Every available space in the hall was occupied by the fond parents who had come, anticipating a rare treat from their little tots and in this respect they were not in the least disappointed. The little ones went through their exercises and drills with a wonderful degree of spirit and interest, which is seldom found in children of their age. Too much cannot be said of Miss Aylesworth, the accomplished lady director. This is her second year as teacher of the McKeough school kindergarten and she has every reason to be proud of the flattering results which have accompanied her work. Her success is undoubtedly due to her own happy disposition and winning ways, which have endeared her in the hearts of her pupils. She understands thoroughly the nature of the children over which she has charge and this, accompanied by her quick wit and resourceful mind, makes her very efficient, in keeping the children employed and interested.

At the opening of the concert yesterday, the children, about 50 in number, were arranged around three sets of tables. In front of each was a fancy paper box, filled with flowers. These boxes, which were very nicely gotten up, were the creations of the children themselves. After singing the following songs:—Baster Hymn, Sun, Light, Song, Rain, Sun, Bird Song, Spring Song, Garden Bed, Woods, Family and Basket, the children presented their parents with the flower baskets. The songs which were led by Miss Aylesworth, were accompanied with gestures by the children, which added much to the enjoyment of their singing. Miss McTaggart proved an ideal accompanist.

The feature of the entertainment, however, was the marching which introduced the second part of the concert. Each child was provided with a flag and went through the drills in a manner which would have done credit to the 24th Regiment. During the marching, they sang: The Land of the Maple, Now the time for play has come, Skipping Song, See Saw, tripping game, Blacksmith and others. After the concert, the children were treated to ice cream, as a fitting reward for their splendid little achievements.

A MUSICAL INNOVATION

Very Delightful Complimentary Graduating Piano Recital by Miss Maud Wees.

Admirable Program of Varied Classical Contributions—Other Artists Assisted.

An innovation of a metropolitan character was introduced into this city last evening by Miss Maud Wees in the piano recital which that talented young lady gave in the lecture hall of the Park St. Methodist church. Miss Wees is a young lady of more than ordinary musical ability, combined with application in study. Her home is in Warren, Minn., and for the past two years she has been studying music in this city at the Krause Conservatory of Music. Prior to her return west, Miss Wees gave this complimentary graduating recital, which was largely attended by a very cultured audience.

Although not a resident of this city, Miss Wees claims Chatham township as her birthplace, and Maple Cityites were proud to claim Miss Wees as a native of this county after hearing her at the recital. The musical program was one of the finest and most classical ever presented in the city, and R. Victor Carter was proud as he well might be to see his pupil give such an exhibition of her ability in regard to piano playing.

Miss Wees has a number of noticeably fine points in her playing, among which were quite pronounced, her magnificent touch, her realistic expression, her ease of technique, her artistic finish and ability to interpret the compositions correctly. She has great breadth of style, and evidenced fine conception of phrasing and clearness and firmness of tone. In the fourth number of the second part, "Impromptu," by Schubert, the young lady pianist displayed excel-

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TELEPHONE 154.

lent scale work, and the second number, "In the Forest," was exquisite in rendition and full of grandeur of style. "Suite," by Arensky, for two pianos, by Miss Wees and Mrs. R. Victor Carter, was a feature of the many delightful musical renditions. A striking characteristic of this number was the excellent and simultaneous attack on the part of both artists. Mrs. Carter ably sustained the second piano part, showing to exquisite advantage her marvellous touch and technique. Mrs. Milton Bogart, Miss Allie Humphrey, and Robert Knight, pupils of Miss Idle, and Henry McCaw, violin virtuoso, assisted in the program.

Mr. White took Miss White's place and sang Beethoven's "Flight of the Dove," and sang it splendidly. Mrs. Milton Bogart gave the ballad "When to thy vision," from Faust. The solo exhibited to good purpose the fine, sympathetic quality of her voice. The violin solo given by Mr. McCaw was excellently executed. The piece was one that displayed prominently the fine points of Mr. McCaw's musical talent, and his rendition was much admired.

Miss Allie Humphrey rather excelled herself in the solo, "Still as Night," and she has seldom been heard to better advantage. The accompaniments were all played by Miss Lilian Pratt. Miss Pratt has a special talent for this work, and her playing was a feature of the program.

PROGRAM.

Part I.
Sonata, (op. 31), No. 2, Beethoven.
Solo, vocal—Flight of Ages—Robert Knight.
Etude Poessies, Habener; Lieder ohne Worte, No. 10, Mendelssohn.
Solo, vocal—When to thy Vision, (Faust), Gounod. Mrs. Milton Bogart.
Nocturne (op. 9), No. 2, Chopin; Nocturne, (op. 21) Schumann.
Part II.
Spinning Wheel, Schultz; Gigue, Chaminade.
In the Forest, Gade; March, (op. 31) Bargiel.
Solo, violin—Lecygne, Saint-Saens.
Mr. Henry McCaw.
Improvisation, (op. 142) No. 3, Schubert.
Solo, vocal—(a) Still as the Night, Bohm; (b) You, Robyn, Miss Allie Humphrey.
Suite, 2 pianos—Arensky; Miss Wees (1st piano), Mrs. R. Victor Carter (2nd piano).

FEW PEOPLE ESCAPE PILES

And Dr. Chase's Ointment is the Only Positive and Guaranteed cure for this Torturing Disease.

There is usually very little satisfaction in consulting a physician regarding a case of piles. In nine cases out of ten he will recommend a surgical operation, forgetting, it may be, the risk, suffering and physical as well as financial expense which this treatment entails. For this reason very many people are going about in misery with piles, believing that they cannot be cured except by means of the surgeon's knife.

It is to such persons that this advertisement will bring good news of great value. Dr. Chase's Ointment has grown in popularity until today it is recognized the world over as the standard ointment for the cure of itching, burning skin diseases, and as absolutely the only preparation that can be relied upon to cure every form of piles.

It seems strange that anyone should suffer the wretched uneasiness and discomfort of burning, itching piles when it is so easy to procure Dr. Chase's Ointment. Nearly every dealer in medicine keeps Dr. Chase's Ointment, and you can apply it at home without any inconvenience. The first application is usually sufficient to put an end to the itching, and it is rarely that more than one box is required to make thorough cure.

Mr. F. Stokes, 116 Dunlop street, Barrie, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with blind, itching piles for years, and could get nothing to stop the constant itching. I was always in pain until a friend of mine told me of the wonderful cures Dr. Chase's Ointment had made among his acquaintances."

"I only used one box and am entirely cured. In gratitude for this marvellous cure, and for the benefit of others suffering as I did, I send you this record of my case."

Mr. George Thompson, a leading merchant of Benham, Ont., states: "I was troubled with itching piles for fifteen years, and at times they were so bad I could scarcely walk. I tried a great many remedies, but never found anything like Dr. Chase's Ointment."

"After the third application I obtained relief, and was completely cured by using one box."

Hosts of cases in which Dr. Chase's Ointment has actually cured serious and long-standing cases of piles have been reported in the Canadian press. Should you want to know more about it ask your druggist or your neighbor. There are few people in Canada who are not familiar with the record of this famous preparation. If your dealer does not have Dr. Chase's Ointment in stock, it will be sent post-paid on receipt of price, 60 cents a box, by Edmanston, Bates & Co., Toronto.

HUNDREDS OF OPINIONS agree upon the fact that Pain-Killer has alleviated more pain than any one medicine. Unequalled for diarrhoea and dysentery. Avoid substitutes, there is but one—Pain-Killer, Perry Davis' 25c and 50c.

Men's Youths' and Boys' Cool Clothing

With the showery backward weather of early June people hardly realized how the season was flying. Now it flashes on you as an actual surprise that you are in the very heart of summer.

A lot of people want thinner clothes and want them promptly. We're ready. You'd hardly ask a wider range of summer things to choose from if you lived in Bermuda or any other land of perpetual sun. Come and we'll cool-clothe you right away. For the wheel we take it that you want longest wear combined with least weight and best appearance. These suits to a nicety.

Men's bicycle suits of faint colored, light weight tweed that will not show the dust. Unlined coats, bloomers with strap and buckle at the knee, waist band of flannel, size 33 to 38, a very uncommon value at the price \$4.00.

Men's bicycle suits of light dust colored tweed, size 35 to 36, unlined coats, knickers with flannel waist band and box cloth extensions, a natty turnout and one that will look well at the season's end. \$5.00.

Men's and youths' bicycle pants of neatly patterned cloth with flannel lined waist band and strap and buckle at knee, sizes 29 to 38 waist measure, at \$1.25.

Men's and boys' summer coats of faint colored drill, all sizes from 25 to 42, finely made and finished. 68c and 75c.

Men's and boys' summer coats of gray pin head check, sizes 27 to 42, 75c to \$1.00.

Men's black alpaca and Russell cord coats, \$1.50 and \$2.

Men's all-wool serge coats, blue and black, at \$2.75.

Men's double breasted coats of blue wool serge \$3.

Men's double breasted coats of good blue worsted \$5.

Men's 2-piece suits—coat and trousers—of faint colored homespun tweed, \$5.00.

Men's coat and trousers of dark gray striped tweed, \$6.

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Easy Cooking all Summer and Money Saved

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Their special patented burners are so constructed that an intense heat is furnished with very little gas. There's a guaranteed economical success—made in many sizes and styles—all low priced. SOLD BY

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CITY'S CHANCE

What the Mineral Baths Will Undoubtedly Do for the Maple City.

J. M. Pike, of the firm of Wilson, Kerr & Pike, was in Mount Clemens over Sunday the guest of Dr. R. H. Martin, son of ex-Mayor S. T. Martin in Cleveland, but is now in Mount Clemens.

"Business seems to be good in Mount Clemens," said Mr. Pike to The Planet this morning. "All of the bath houses are filled, and the town is thriving. The property in the business part of the city is very valuable and it appears very hard work to secure any property in the main part of the town an large cash offers of over \$100 per foot are daily being refused. People there have fixed the price of their property and will not take anything less. I don't see any reason why Chatham should not be a more favorable place than Mount Clemens for mineral baths. For one thing, we have better water facilities. Mount Clemens is situated inland and the people have to travel there in electric cars which are generally crowded and very uncomfortable, while Chatham has excellent boat and railway service. When I was coming home on 'The City of Chatham,' I heard a number of Detroit people talking in very complimentary terms of the excellent scenery on the river between Chatham and the light house. I think that when the bath houses are finally established, they will boom our city."

"There is no doubt that the mineral baths are paying in Mount Clemens. A number of the bath houses are being remodelled and porcelain tubs are replacing the former wooden ones. Dr. Martin has been in Mount Clemens for several weeks and he has not yet been able to secure an office up town. He speaks in glowing terms of the opportunities of a young man in Mount Clemens and of the prospects for professional business."

Hay Fever Can Be Prevented.

Don't seek other climes at "Hay Fever Season," don't destroy your stomach and nerves by drugs—prevent the disease. Hay Fever is caused by germs that float about in the air and finally find lodgement in your throat and lungs. Medicine won't reach them there, but Catarrhoxone will. Start now to use Catarrhoxone. Inhale it into the throat, lungs and nasal passages and bronchial tubes; it goes wherever the air you breathe goes, and it will prevent and cure Hay Fever. Endorsed by not less than one thousand doctors in Canada and U. S. Sent to any address for \$1.00 forwarded to Polson & Co., Hartford Conn., U. S., or Kingston, Ont.

PAN-AMERICAN, BUFFALO, N. Y. Parties who intend visiting the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, can secure private accommodation within ten minutes walk of the grounds. For particulars and rates address M. H. Terry, formerly of Chatham, 1206 West Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed, you have a rumbling sound, or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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