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A CHANCE

—IN—

KID GLOVES

111 Pairs Kid Gloves in Lacing, Button and Clasp, in Suede and Dressed Kid, some Elbow lengths—Colors White, Black and Tans. Some are slightly spotted and damaged, most of them perfect. We do not offer them as new kid gloves, but for a cheap knock-about glove, they will just fill the bill.

The sizes are divided this way:—

White Dressed Kid 6, 6½, 7
Black Dressed Kid, 5½, 6, 6½, 6¾, 7
Black Suede, 6½, 6¾, 7
Colored Dressed Kid, 5½, 5¾, 6¼, 6½, 7, 7½
Colored Suede, 5½, 6, 6½, 7, 7½
Colored Elbow Suede, 5¾, 6, 6½, 7

The regular price of these gloves was \$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair, Saturday Morning the entire 111 pair go on sale at a pair

36c.

BOYS WORSTED HOSE

Boys' extra heavy pure Wool Ribbed Hose, warranted fast black, fine bright finish, good value at 35c. a pair, all sizes from 6½ to 10 in., go on sale Saturday Morning at a pair,

22 CENTS

Thomas Stone & Son

Carpets and Wall Papers



January Sale of Men's and Women's Fine Shoes...

Our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale of Fine Shoes is now on. Note the prices.

6 Pairs of Men's Velour Calf, Blucher, regular \$4.50 sale... **\$3.50**

17 Pairs of Just Wright, Patent Colt Boots, reg. \$5.00, Sale... **\$4.00**

19 Pairs Men's Box Calf Lace Boots, Bal. or Blucher styles, regular \$3.50 for **\$3.00**

17 Pairs Men's Patent Colt Blucher Shoes, regular \$4.00 for... **\$3.50**

SEE WINDOW THIS WEEK.

ALL REGULAR SHOES SOLD AT 10 PER CENT. OFF

TURRILL

THE SHOE MAN

MUSIC SPECIALTY

Miss Malady Demonstrates in 'the Police Court Her Ability to Play a Mouth Organ

In the matter of tunes, Judge Houston is an expert, and whenever he makes one the Police Court there is always a prisoner in the box who is forced to dance to the music. The judge, however, had a rival yesterday in the person of Miss Malady, who charged Mrs. Turner, a colored lady, with stealing a number of articles from her.

Among the varied list of articles exhibited in the court, which Miss Malady claimed were hers, was found a mouth organ.

"How do you know that instrument is yours?" asked Mr. Lewis, who was defending the case for Mrs. Turner. "I know it by the initial on it and its general appearance," was the response.

"Is there anything peculiar about the tune it plays?" continued Mr. Lewis.

Miss Malady then undertook to demonstrate that there was something distinctly peculiar about the tune. Picking up the instrument she ran over a few cadences and variations, and ended up with a grand finale which made Cousa's band and their imitation of a thunder storm look like a Jew's harp.

"I played this organ sixteen years ago," she remarked, with becoming modesty, as she carefully laid the instrument on the judge's desk and stiffly acknowledged the applause from the audience in the court.

"The judge," remarked Mr. Lewis, as his face assumed the expression which betrayed the impression that her first appearance surely must have been her last.

The evidence in the case was concluded yesterday afternoon and it is now adjourned until Monday.

Miss Malady, who came from home for sometimes three months at a time, claims that Mrs. Turner entered her house and stole various articles, including pieces of old cloth, ribbons, old skirts, laces, a hairbrush, mouth organ, and a number of other things. The articles were found in Mrs. Turner's house last November and the case has been hanging fire ever since. The whole collection was exhibited in the Police Court, and Miss Malady claimed to be able to identify every rag. She even brought several pieces of cloth from her own house to show that they matched.

The outcome of the case is being looked forward to with interest. Crown Attorney H. D. Smith put up a strong case and O. L. Lewis made defence.

NO MERCY FOR REVOLUTIONISTS.

Being Shot Down Without Hesitation if They Bear Arms.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 25.—A lively storm of protest is flowing in against the summary execution of revolutionists, even if caught with arms in their hands, such executions being declared contrary to all forms of Russian law.

A despatch just received reports the execution of forty-five revolutionists in one village in Livonia Sunday last, under what the despatch calls the convenient fiction that they were shot while trying to escape.

An important conference of the revolutionary organizations was concluded Wednesday in Finland after several sessions lasting for two days. The conference decided to postpone all further revolutionary operations until March, when it was hoped by the delegates that the agrarian troubles would recommence.

Suicide Follows Shock.

Port Arthur, Jan. 25.—A double tragedy casts a gloom over the household of Thomas Arthur. Wednesday the dead body of his daughter, Mrs. Cameron, was found in a room at the King Edward Hotel. Her death came as a shock to her brother, Andrew, who, rendered temporary insane by grief, took a dose of poison and went to the room of his brother yesterday morning, where he dropped dead.

Alas, how great the number of people who have existed without having lived.

PAID THE LAST HONORS

Funeral of Hon. Mr. Prefontaine an Imposing Spectacle.

Montreal Streets Along Which the Cortege Proceeded Were Black With People—All Traffic Was Stopped—Governor-General and Other Notables Who Were Present—A Salute of 17 Guns.

Montreal, Jan. 25.—Probably the most imposing state funeral ever witnessed in Montreal, was accorded the remains of Hon. Raymond Prefontaine here yesterday morning. The heads of the state and the church, the representatives of many foreign countries, the Ottawa and Provincial Governments, Parliament, and in short, every branch of public life in the Dominion and provincial fields, were thoroughly represented.

Despite the cold wave, that rendered great coats necessary, the procession was a very imposing one, while the religious ceremony, the church being fairly ablaze with military uniforms, robed officials of state and the superb vestments of the clergy.

A guard of 1,000 infantry and 50 cavalry accompanied the procession, which was headed by the band of the 68th Regiment playing funeral marches.

Notables Who Were Present.

The Governor-General was represented by Col. Hanbury Williams and Capt. Newton. A. D. C. The Marine Department was officially represented by Lieut.-Col. Gourdeau and many employees of the department. The Montreal Harbor Commissioners, shipping federation and pilots' corporation were present. All the members of the Dominion Cabinet were present except Hon. W. B. Fielding and Hon. Frank Oliver.

They marched in a body, headed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Hon. R. W. Scott, about 30 Senators and over 50 members of Parliament attended. The Quebec Cabinet, headed by Premier Gouin, and nearly all the members of both the Legislative Assembly and Legislative Council, the mayors and aldermen of Montreal and Ottawa, Mayor Coatsworth and Controller Ward of Toronto, Consul-General Nossé of Japan, Major Edwards, U. S. Consul, and Mr. Kleckowski, French Consul-General, were there.

Capt. Knowles and a detachment from the cruiser Canada marched alongside the coffin.

Salute of 17 Guns.

The cortege left the City Hall about 8:30 and a salute of 17 guns was fired by a detachment of the Montreal Field Battery. The 68th Regiment provided the military guard of honor. The streets along which the cortege proceeded were black with people. Long before the procession arrived every point of vantage was seized and occupied. All traffic was stopped. It was as if the whole city joined in a spontaneous tribute of sympathy and sorrow.

The service in St. James' lasted until 11 o'clock and at noon the last chapter was enacted on the snow-covered hillside in Cote des Neiges.

Service in London.

London, Jan. 25.—A requiem mass was celebrated in the Westminster Roman Catholic Cathedral yesterday in memory of Raymond Prefontaine, the late Canadian Minister of Marine and Fisheries. The Admiralty, War Office and Colonial Office were all represented at the service. Lord Tweedmouth, First Lord of the Admiralty, personally representing the navy. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the Canadian High Commissioner, and many other Canadians were present.

SUCCESSFUL SOCIAL

The Willing Workers of Holy Trinity Church held a most successful social in the Sunday School last night. A short musical program was much enjoyed by the large audience. A drawing contest between some gentlemen seated considerable amusement, the prize for which—a bouquet of paper flowers—was carried off by Mr. Harry Horstead.

A free will offering had been asked from the congregation, which was generously responded to by nearly fifty dollars.

WILLING WORKERS

A Very Pleasant Social Evening Was Held in the Sunday School Room of the Church—Good Program

Last evening the Willing Workers of Holy Trinity church held a very successful tea in the Sunday School Hall.

The Rev. Mr. Hodgins acted as chairman and presided over a large and varied program, which included vocal items by the popular Hallman quartette, solos by Harry Flowers, and Scotch ballads rendered in a splendid manner by Miss Lucy McKellar. Much amusement was caused by a novel drawing competition, in which some half dozen members took part. A large sheet of paper was spread on a blackboard and the contestants endeavored to draw on this a certain animal, which was named by the chairman.

After an amusing half hour Mr. H. Horstead was awarded the palm for his version of a pig and was presented with a large and picturesque bouquet of artificial flowers. The collection taken up exceeded all expectations, amounting to a little over \$37 and serves to indicate the manner in which the noble and indefatigable efforts of this society are being appreciated in the city.

Mr. Lane gave an interesting and amusing reading, which was hugely enjoyed. At the end of the program a stranger was announced to sing and Mr. Will Rutley, disguised as an old negro slave, sang "Poor Black Joe" in a touching and pathetic manner. A tea was served at the end of the program and finished a very pleasant event.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Woman's Auxiliary Missionary Association of Christ Church held their annual meeting in the Sunday School Hall. Reports were read and officers elected.

Great sympathy was expressed that sorrow kept the pastor and Mrs. McCosh, who have been so faithful during their ministry of fourteen years, from being present.

The Treasurer's report showed that in addition to the three bales sent during the year—in June to Rev. Mr. Weaver, in September the bale of Quilts, etc., to the Chinese Leper Mission in Northern China, and the Christmas bale to Rev. Mr. Collinson-Bulls Horn Camp, Macleod, Alberta—nearly \$100 in cash had passed through the Treasurer's hand, beginning the year 1905 with \$3.25, beginning 1906 with \$8.25. Blessed is he who rows beside many waters. Help has been scattered with this money to South America, India, China, Africa and our own Northwest, not very much to be sure for each place, but the united mites from all the branches support indy workers in all these places.

The old officers were all re-elected except Miss Maudsley, Corresponding Secretary, who has moved to another field of usefulness as Deaconess in Prince Edward County.

Mrs. Miller, whose life has been such an example of patient cheerful work, was called to her reward at midsummer. "She hath done what she could." Two new members joined.

The society will meet for work as usual every Monday afternoon and will be pleased to see all the old workers and many new ones in the coming year.

WARNING

Notice is hereby given that my cheque for \$100.00, dated 1st February, 1906, in favor of Thomas McCollum was obtained by fraud and misrepresentation, and I forbid negotiation of same and will not be responsible for payment of same.

Dated at Chatham this 23rd day of January, 1906.

W. STEDMAN.

Ladies, a New Thing....

Cheaper Than Silk and Just as Nice

KLOSTER

SILK

For working cushions, etc. We have every shade and sell it at

4c. a Skein, or 3 for 10 Cents

The skeins are nearly twice as long as silk.

Call and have a look at it along with our new CUSHION TOPS

SULMAN'S BEE HIVE

King and Sixth Streets.

TRY Maple City Brand Pure Leaf Lard!

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DR. A. W. THORNTON DENTIST

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Drug Store Cor. King and Fifth

Sts. Phone.

Office 164, Residence 275.

Don't Buy a Dinner Set

Until you see what we have at

THE ARK

Where you have the largest variety to select from at lower prices than you can possibly buy anywhere else. We are giving 10 per cent. off all Dinner and Toilet Sets.

Everything Marked in Plain Figures

Dinner Sets, \$6.00 for \$5.40

Dinner Sets, \$8.00 for \$7.20

Dinner Sets, \$15.00 for \$13.50

Toilet Sets, \$2.50 for \$2.25

Toilet Sets, \$5.00 for \$4.50

These prices will continue until January 31st. Come and inspect the goods and prices. SPOT CASH.

Phone 159

H. MACAULAY

THE sovereign imprint of good taste is clearly to be seen on every shoe in this store. Yet the quality of each is far better than the moderate price would indicate....

MEN'S SHOES

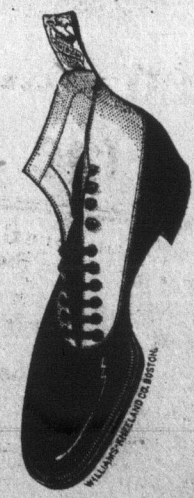
From a mighty stout and easy work shoe at \$1.50 to the best that can be made—Kneeland Shoes at \$5.00. In between, those at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.

Women's Shoes

We have a splendid one which we sell at \$1.50. If you ask for a low-priced shoe we'll show that first. Then you can go higher if you want, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, or \$4.

Geo. W. Cowan

DEPENDABLE FOOTWEAR.



ion
—the alert
py Week"

d a happy
faces.
take before

patterns and
..... 25c
asserted colors,
..... 25c
o in wide, col-
..... 95c



COATS
regular up to \$6.00
lengths, regular
\$2.00.
\$2.89.
ATS—
\$5.00, for \$2.89.
\$6.00 for \$3.89.



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Special
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THE NEXT TWO
we will give Special
our

ical Goods.

need of glasses, or if you
certain about your eyes,
see our Optician. Con-
will cost you nothing,
saves your EYESIGHT
age Licenses issued here;
room.

OF THE BIG CLOCK
A. JORDAN'S.

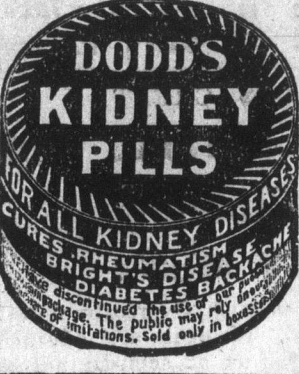
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and Savings Co.

Capital, \$1,000,000.
INCORPORATED A. D. 1881.
to Loan on Mortgages
re should apply personally and
received of \$1 and upwards,
highest current rate of interest.

ures issued for sums of \$100 and
from one to five years bearing
four per cent, per annum half

S. F. GARDINER,
Manager.

's Liniment cures Colds, etc.



WON'T DEBATE HELL.

Dr. Torrey's Reply to a Challenge to
Debate the Subject From the
Christadelphians of Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Dr. Torrey will
refuse to debate the doctrine of future
punishment with Thomas Williams of
Chicago.

The opposition to Dr. Torrey's theo-
ries of hell reached the climax last night
when the following challenge was sent
to him by the Christadelphians of To-
ronto:

"The Christadelphians of Toronto,
believing the doctrine of unending
hell torments to be contrary to 'Chris-
tianity, science and sense,' and a gross
libel upon the Bible, which they be-
lieve to be holy, and the divinely in-
spired word of God, hereby challenge
Dr. Torrey to a public debate with
Thomas Williams of Chicago, author,
publisher and lecturer, upon the fol-
lowing subject: 'Do the Scriptures
Teach the Doctrine of Unending Hell
Torments?'"

When asked if he intended to reply
to the challenge, the evangelist said:
"I certainly would not make any re-
ply or pay any attention to the chal-
lenge whatever. I am not in such busi-
ness. If they want to talk, let them
hire a hall and talk. They don't bother
me in the least. I am not in such a
pleasure business."

"Do you want to hear the challenge?"
he was asked.

"No, I certainly do not. I have no
time."

Both Meetings Crowded.
Both meetings at Massey Hall yes-
terday were crowded to the doors. In
the afternoon many of the delegates
to the conference were present, and the
evangelist spoke on the blessings and
power imparted by God's Spirit, intro-
ductory to his sermon to the minister-
ial conference this afternoon.

It was the purpose of the Holy Spirit
not to make Christians happy nor
holy, but to fit them for soul-saving
work, and to give them power to stem
the awful tide of sin.

He referred to the great work that
Christians must do in bringing their
own family to Christ. There was no
thing so holy as sanctified mother-
hood.

"In the world to-day," he said,
there is nothing that undermines the
blessing of the Holy Spirit in the
churches, nothing that shakes the very
foundations of our social and domestic
life like that hell-born theory of race
suicide.

Two thousand working girls admit-
ted by special ticket occupied seats in
the first gallery in the evening.

How Is Your Cold?

Every place you go you hear the same
question asked.

Do you know that there is nothing so
dangerous as a neglected cold?

Do you know that a neglected cold will
turn into Chronic Bronchitis, Pneumonia,
disgusting Catarrh and the most deadly of
all the "White Plague," Consumption?

Many a life history would read different
if, on the first appearance of a cough, it
had been remedied with

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

This wonderful cough and cold medicine
contains all those very pine principles
which make the pine woods so valuable in
the treatment of lung affections.

Combined with this are Wild Cherry
Bark and the soothing, healing and ex-
pectorant properties of other pectoral
herbs and barks.

For Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Pain in
the Chest, Asthma, Croup, Whooping
Cough, Hoarseness or any affection of the
Throat or Lungs. You will find a sure
cure in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.
Mrs. C. N. Leonard, Newark, N.J.,
writes: "I have used Dr. Wood's Norway
Pine Syrup for coughs and colds, and have
always found it to give instant relief. I
also recommended it to one of my neigh-
bors and she was more than pleased with
the results."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup 25 cts.
per bottle at all dealers. Put up in yellow
wrapper, and three pine trees the trade
mark. Refuse substitutes. There is only
one Norway Pine Syrup and that one is
Dr. Wood's.

SORE THROAT AND COUGHS.

A simple effective and safe remedy to
relieve throat irritations is found in
Crescense Antiseptic Tablets.

They combine the germicidal values of
Crescense with the soothing properties of
syrupy elm and licorice.

10c. All Druggists.

Sad will be the day for you when,
you become absolutely contented with
the life you are living, with the
thoughts you are thinking, and the
deeds that you are doing.

Smallest soap is better than other soaps,
but is best when used in the smallest soap.
Buy Small Soap and follow directions.

How thoroughly a man enjoys see-
ing his wife appear in new attire.

The man who says nothing and
wood may live to cut off coupons.

MEN'S CLOTHING.

The Popular Paddock Overcoat—Eng-
lish Walking Coat Suits.

The English walking coat suit, so
called, has become generally popular
and fills the gap between quite infor-
mal and semi-formal dress. The accom-
panying illustration gives an excellent
idea of the season's model, showing the
large, wide lapels of the prevailing
fashion as well as a more distinctive
style of front buttoning and sleeve
finish. Of the three buttons in front
only the two upper ones are intended
to button, and this permits a long,
curved front edge from the lapels to
the bottom of the coat, though the
skirts are not so much cut away as is
the fashion of the more formal morn-
ing coat. The large, flap side pockets
are set almost straight, but are given
somewhat of a diagonal appearance by
the upward slant of the waist seam.
The top of the waistcoat shows above
the long opening of the lapels, and the
cuffs of the sleeves are turned back,
cut in V shape at the ends and there
buttoned down.

The material of the garment illus-
trated is a medium gray worsted with
three lines of darker shade in the
weave, not very conspicuous, but dis-
tinct enough to have some noticeable
character, and coat, waistcoat and
trousers should of course be of the
same fabric.

Distinct stripes, herringbone weaves,
overplaid and mixtures of all kinds
are correct for these suits.

The waistcoat is cut higher at the
neck than the usual fashion of this
season in order to show above the
lapels of the coat.

The Paddock overcoat seems to re-
main rather more in the limelight of
popular esteem than any other style
of what may be characterized as
"dress" overcoats, but it has become
so popular that I should hesitate to
call it any longer a particularly smart
fashion, and it is illustrated because
of its general rather than because
of its exclusive vogue. Indeed, it



PADDOCK OVERCOAT. WALKING COAT.

would be hard to say just what over-
coat is most exclusively fashionable
this season—or, at any rate, to back
up the statement with authority—
there are no new styles worthy the
name, and all the old ones except the
Inverness, the raglan and the yoke
coats are worn by well dressed men.
Perhaps the medium length Chester-
field of standard design is as good as
any, and it is certainly the most serv-
iceable.

But, to go back to the Paddock, the
drawing shows a back view of a model
from one of the good tailors and illus-
trates the broad shoulders, well cut in
waist and long full skirts that make
the style so distinctive. The front is
single breasted and fly buttoning, with
fairly large lapels and outside breast
pocket; but, unlike the usual coats, the
waist seam runs around only to the
side seams, and the back is made of
one piece of cloth. Below the side or
back seams there are the usual in-
verted plaits. The pockets are set pretty
well back, and the sleeves are finished
with turned back cuffs about two in-
ches in width and buttoned down.

Black or dark gray is to be preferred
to other shades of cloth if the coat is
intended for dress wear. If for morn-
ing dress it may be of a number of dif-
ferent materials, such as gray mix-
tures, tans, herringbones and quiet
overplaid.—How in Vogue.

A Willing Young Woman.

A pretty and agreeable young woman
who lived in a country village suddenly
announced that she was going to take
up teaching. "You—you a schoolteach-
er?" exclaimed the recipient of her
confidence. "Why, I'd rather marry a
widower with nine children!" "So
would I," the young woman replied
frankly. "But where is the widower?"

Notes From Jewelers' Circular.

A very handsome scarfpin is a cat-
eye set in a border of diamonds.

Latest in earrings are square stones,
as an emerald bordered with diamonds.

Tiny festoons in green tourmalines,
pointed with pearls on a finely chased
band of gold, are among new tops of
amber back combs.

An elegant diamond bar pin has been
attached to a pendant heart in diamond
or pearl pave work.

Very dainty bracelets for little girls
are of gold wire or are narrow bands.

In engagement rings diamond half
hoops are shown as well as diamond
and pearl and diamond and ruby cross-
overs.

A striking bar pin is in the shape of a
pretty diamond key.

Extra thin watches—thin as the pro-
verbial wafer—are in plain bright or
dull gold.

A new scheme in costly rings is to
surround a fine stone, as a cabochon
ruby or faceted emerald, with a row of
diamonds, a row of rubies or emeralds
and an outer row of pearls.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

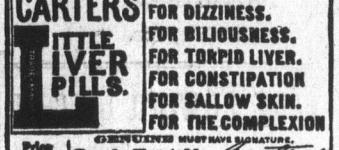
Genuine
Carter's
Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

W. H. Wood

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy
to take as sugar.



CURE SICK HEADACHE.

An Easy Matter.

Gyer—I can induce the most con-
trary man in the world to agree with
me.

Myer—Indeed! How, pray?

Gyer—By saying mean things about
his neighbors.—Detroit Tribune.

Why Not?

Little Willie—Papa, why does the
railway company have those cases with
the ax and saw in every car?

Father—I presume they are put in to
use in case any one wants to open a
window.—Puck.

FACTS IN NATURE.

Not Only Do We Get Inspiration From
Nature, But Health as Well.

For people who are run-down and nerv-
ous, who suffer from indigestion or dys-
pepsia, headache, biliousness, or torpid
liver, coated tongue with bitter taste in
the morning and poor appetite, it be-
comes necessary to turn to some tonic or
strengthening agent which will assist Nature
and help them to get on their feet and
put the body into its proper condition. It
is becoming more and more apparent that
Nature's most valuable health-giving
agents are to be found in forest plants
and roots.

Nearly forty years ago, Dr. R. V. Pierce,
now consulting physician to the Invalids'
Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo,
N. Y., discovered that by scientifically
extracting and combining certain medi-
cinal principles from native roots, taken
from our American forests, he could pro-
duce a medicine which was marvellously
efficient in curing cases of blood disorder
and liver and stomach trouble as well as
many other ailments, and he has since
been able to help thousands of suffering
people by the use of his "Golden Medical
Discovery." It purifies the blood by
putting the stomach and liver into
healthy condition, thereby helping the
digestion and assimilation of food which
feeds the blood. It cures weak stom-
ach, indigestion, torpid liver, or bil-
iousness, and kindred derangements.

If you have coated tongue, with bitter
or aching, belching of gas, constipation, or
irregular bowels, feel flashes of heat al-
ternating with chilly sensations or kindred
symptoms, they point to derange-
ment of your stomach, liver and kidneys,
which the "Golden Medical Discovery"
will correct more speedily and perma-
nently than any other known agent. Con-
tains no alcohol or habit-forming drugs.
All its ingredients printed in plain Eng-
lish on wrapper.

The sole motive for substitution is to
permit the dealer to make a little more
profit. He gains; you lose. Accept no sub-
stitute for "Golden Medical Discovery."

Constipation causes and aggravates
many serious diseases. It is thoroughly
cured by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.
One a laxative; two or three are cathartic.

According to Agreement.

Hicks—You don't mean to say you
got the better of Gabbie in an argu-
ment?

Wicks—Yes; I told him if he'd give
me two minutes to present my side,
without interruption, I'd let him talk
for an hour.

Hicks—Well?

Wicks—Well, when I had talked
through my two minutes I jumped on a
passing trolley car.—Catholic Stand-
ard and Times.

BRUSHES

If
You
Want
the Best
Ask for



To live on a past reputation pro-
duces more in the way of self-satis-
faction than in good opinion from
others.

People who live in glass houses do
not always shine in society.

THE SAVING POWER.

Unique Testimony of Melville Trotter
at the Torrey Meetings—A Bar-
ber's Revival Career.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Melville Trotter,
of Chicago and Grand Rapids, was the
memorable speaker at the conference
of Christian Workers yesterday after-
noon in Massey Hall. Mr. Trotter, who
talks at a gallop, was introduced as a
righting speaker, and justified his re-
putation. "He is a Reverend," remark-
ed Dr. Torrey, "but he doesn't use it."
He was on the way to the lake to
commit suicide, when he was led into
the Pacific Garden Mission, at 100 East
Van Buren street. This was on Jan.
18, 1897. He was a barber by trade,
and next morning went to work. His
nerves were all of a tremble, and when
Mr. Casey, the real estate dealer, came
in to be shaved he declined to go into
the Trotter's chair. Trotter went into the
back room and kneeling down prayed
God to settle his nerves. If he could
save him he could do that. He went
back and shaved Mr. Casey. Mr.
Casey gave him 25 cents that morn-
ing, and it struck him about noon that
he had not wanted a drink all morn-
ing. He had never wanted one since.
Word in Grand Rapids.

"The hog that calls for swill was
gone," he explained. "If you don't keep
a hog you don't need swill." Mr. Trot-
ter thought the swilliest thing was to
be an usher at the door to shoot peo-
ple in, but he got to other work, and
finally went to Grand Rapids. There
were a thousand people, nearly all wo-
men, at his first meeting. He did not
think he could talk to them, having
nothing but slang, but three conver-
sions were the result, all women. Two
of them were now missionaries, and
one was married, with two nice babies.

"If I was an old maid, I'd get out
of it," he remarked. "That's what Char-
lie Alexander says," he remarked. "Peo-
ple were long for the Gospel," he pro-
ceeded. He had no trouble in drawing
people to Christ. His trouble was in find-
ing time to go after them. Clinging on
with his mission work, he raised \$4,200 for
a building.

"And I couldn't spell theology on a
bet," he remarked. "If you've got Jesus,
He's a majority, and all the devils in
hell and Canada can't touch you. The
devil will get corns on his ribs crawling
round trying to get you." He raised
\$2,500 one morning. "Talk about go-
ing! That was going!"

"I want to dedicate that thing out
of debt," he told a man who asked him
what was the matter. "How much do
you want?" The amount was \$2,300.
"I'll give it to you," said the man.
"You can search me," was the reply:
"but my dad's Irish." That was all the
examination. The text on which he de-
pend was II. Corinthians v., 17, "The
blood of Jesus Christ cleanseth from all
sin."

A Theological Test.

"When they examined me the exami-
nation was a beauty."

"Are you converted?" was asked.

"You bet!"

"How do you know?"

"I was there." Then they appointed
a committee of three of his friends, and
they asked him was he a Calvinist or
an Arminian.

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In his first year he had 1,500 people
on his hands, and he had known no
more about the gospel than a crow
knows about ping-pong.

"Don't hesitate to ask Jesus to help
you. If he can take a poor, illiterate
fellow like me, what can he not do
with you? Get down at Jesus' feet.
That's where you hear things," said
Mr. Trotter. "If you trust Jesus you'll
have the greatest time of your life."

Canada's got to have a revival right
out of this meeting. Surrender your-
selves wholly to God," was his advice
as the means of attaining it.

The Evening Meeting.

The evening meeting, announced for
8:30 was crowded to the doors and hun-
dreds could not gain admittance. After
a short song service Dr. Torrey gave
an address on the great truth that
there was a God.

To Kindle Revival Fire.

Hundreds of ministers and Christian
workers from all over Ontario met in
conference at the Metropolitan Church
last night to pray for a great revival
throughout Canada. Testimony was
given by many persons to the saving
power.

Dr. Torrey gave a short address on
the principles of revival work. He and
Mr. Alexander had not come to Toron-
to to save Toronto, but to kindle a re-
vival fire here that would spread
throughout the country. The great
revival had started from a few
meetings held in Cardiff, and was con-
tinuing right along.

Pastor Is Exonerated.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—By a vote of about
four to one the congregation of the
Walmers road Baptist Church decided
last night to ask Rev. Oliver C. Hors-
man, their pastor, to withdraw his
resignation placed in the hands of the
deacons because of complaints of
heresy.

Antiquity of Archery.

The use of the bow may be traced to
the remotest antiquity. The first no-
tice which we find of it is in Genesis
xxi, 20, where it is said that Ishmael
became an archer. It was introduced
into England in the reign of Egbert
the Saxon, but was not used as a mar-
tial weapon till the reign of Edward I.
The period at which the longbow at-
tained its meridian fame may be fixed
in the reign of Henry V., whose arch-
ers destroyed the whole French caval-
ry clothed in complete steel, with
their yard long arrows. At the battle
of Flodden Field also the English arch-
ers made sad havoc. Shooting with the
bow was an extremely fashionable
amusement in the reign of Henry VIII.,
and Holinshed reports that the prince
shot as well as any of his guard. After
the siege of Devizes in the civil wars,
1647, the bow as a military weapon
was entirely laid aside. Archery de-
clines its name from the bow being
when drawn is the shape of an arch.

It's Lots Easier to Slide Down a Ban-

nister than to climb up a flight of
stairs. You can slide down to ob-
scurity without trouble, but it takes
climbing to be somebody.

For Lung Troubles

KILLED BY A TRAIN.

In Going Home From Work, Alex. Wil-
son Meets Instant Death.

Brockville, Jan. 25.—A few minutes
after quitting work last evening in the
Canada Carriage Co., an employee, Alex.
Wilson, about 60 years of age, was in-
stantly killed by either a train or light
engine on the Grand Trunk Railway,
across which Wilson had to pass to go
home.

No one witnessed the accident, and
the body was found by some fellow
workmen, who followed Wilson out.
His head was terribly crushed, and
minor injuries inflicted on the body.

Wilson was an Irishman by birth,
who lived nearly his entire life in
Brockville. He was a stone mason by
trade and married.

The matter will be the subject of a
coroner's inquest.

A WOMAN'S BACK IS THE MAINSPRING OF HER PHYSICAL SYSTEM.

The Slightest Back-
ache, if Neglected, is
Liable to Cause Years of Terrible
Suffering.

No woman can be strong and healthy
unless the kidneys are well, and regular in
their action. When the kidneys are ill,
the whole body is ill, for the poisons which
the kidneys ought to have filtered out of
the blood are left in the system.

The female constitution is naturally
more subject to kidney disease than a
man's; and what is more, a woman's work
is never done—her whole life is one con-
tinuous strain.

How many women have you heard say:
"My, how my back aches!" Do you know
that backache is one of the first signs of
kidney trouble? It is, and should be at-
tended to immediately. Other symptoms
are frequent thirst, scanty, thick, cloudy
or highly colored urine, burning sensation
when urinating, frequent urination, puff-
ing under the eyes, swelling of the feet and
ankles, floating specks before the eyes, etc.

These symptoms if not taken in time and
cured at once, will cause years of terrible
kidney suffering. All these symptoms, and
in fact, these diseases may be cured by the
use of

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

They act directly on the kidneys, and
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Mrs. Mary Galle, Auburn, N.S., writes:

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a lame back and was unable to turn in bed
without help. I was introduced by a friend to
Doan's Kidney Pills. After using two
thirds of a box my back was as well as ever."

Price 50 cents per box or three boxes for
\$1.25 at all dealers, or sent direct on re-
ceipt of price. The Doan Kidney Pill Co.,
Toronto, Ont.

Rough On the Bishop.

The origin of "That takes the ket-
tle" as an equivalent for "that's a lie!"
is this: A certain bishop, enjoying a
constitutional in the Black Country,
happened upon a group of miners seated
around an old battered copper ket-
tle, and deep in earnest discussion.
The bishop stopped, and inquired what
the subject of their interest was.

"Whoy, sir," explained one, "we've found t' old kettle, an' we
be tryin' which on us kin tell t' big-
gest lie, t' have un fur a prize."

Whereupon his lordship "improved the
occasion" with a homily on the weak-
ness of lying, and wound up with the
assertion that for his own part he had
never told a lie in his life, which re-
mark was greeted with an uproar of
amused laughter, mingled with approv-
ing shouts of "lie! t' governor t' kettle!"

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MEETING TO-NIGHT

A meeting of the workers in the CONSERVATIVE PARTY will be held in the Oddfellow's Auditorium TO-NIGHT

at EIGHT O'CLOCK, and a cordial invitation is extended to any member of the party to attend.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Jan. 28.—11 a. m.—Fine to-day and on Saturday slightly higher temperature.

The following figures were registered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 32.
Lowest during night, 21.
This morning, 24.
Barometer, 29.81.
Direction of wind, southeast.

LOCAL BUDGET

Will and Ernest Bradley are spending the day in Detroit.

Albert Warburton is back from a three weeks' stay in St. Catharines. Mr. Geo. Hogan and gang are removing a bridge on the C. P. R. track at Jeannette's Creek.

Messrs. Kerr, Pike and Massey were among the many Chathamites who visited Detroit yesterday.

L. B. Edmondson, who has been visiting his parents in this city, is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray left Chatham yesterday afternoon for a short stay in Detroit.

Samuel Houston, inspector of Railway Interlocking plant, is superintending repairs on the C. P. R. diamond east of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trudell and Will Foreman were among the many Chathamites who attended the Benedicts ball at Wallaceburg last night.

The date of the production by the Maculay Club in the Grand Opera House of Piner's great comedy, "The Magistrate," has been set for Feb. 6th. This promises to be a huge success, judging by the excellence of the acting exhibited at the rehearsals. Patrons of the Grand should make a note of this date. Feb. 6th, as a great treat is in store for them.

A citizen complains very strongly of the bad sidewalk on Fourth street from the post office to St. Joseph's church corner. This is an old plank walk which has served its time well. It is now, however, in a very deplorable condition and should be replaced. Being in the centre of the city, it is rather a disgrace to the city as it is now. In muddy weather it is a cause of much well-grounded complaint from pedestrians.

FOR SALE

50 acres in the Township of Dover, within one mile of city limits; good rich soil; farm well fenced; Price, \$2,500.

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Special Sale of Clocks

Now that the holiday trade is over, and I find my stock of Clocks unusually large, I am offering any CLOCK in my store at greatly reduced prices. It would pay you to call and have a look. Prices ranging from 75 Cents to \$75.00.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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LADY TALBOT WINS OUT

Husband Sick, Spoke For Him, Got Increased Majority.

Libs. and Laborites Clash Over Another Conservative Gain In Scotland—Five Out of Ten Russellites, the New Irish Party, Defeated Already—Former Secretary to Mr. Chamberlain Defeated—Standing of Parties.

London, Jan. 26.—(C. A. P.)—A clash between Liberals and Labor has resulted in another Conservative gain in Scotland yesterday. In contrast to the comparative harmony between these parties in England, there has been open strife in Scotland. Two other Conservative gains in the north are attributed to this cause. However, the Liberal sweep continued last night, two more gains appearing in the few returns received. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman now has behind him over half the House. From the sixty seats yet to be heard from he will build up a substantial majority over Conservatives, Labor men and Nationalists.

A Conservative Gain. The Conservatives scored their gain in the Goven division of Lanarkshire, their majority being 128. Robert Duncan polled 5,224 votes, H. S. Murray, Liberal, 4,586, and J. Hill, Labor, 4,212. The Liberals scored a notable gain in the neighboring division of Patrick, where J. Barker Smith, an ardent tariff reformer, and former secretary to Mr. Chamberlain, who was elected in 1903 by 2,233, was defeated by Robert Balfour by 1,517. Espousing free trade did not save Sir Hugh Stewart in East Renfrewshire, his last Conservative majority of 1887 being changed to a minority of 95 by Robert Laidlaw, Liberal.

Cemingsby R. Disraeli, who attained notoriety during his campaign by using the King's seal in his literature, and who is a nephew of the illustrious statesman of that name, lost the Alton division of Cheshire, which has been Conservative since 1835. William J. Crossley, the Liberal candidate, was elected by 2,649.

Where Labor Figured. Labor figured in two other seats in Northeast Lanarkshire. The Hon. H. A. Finlay, Liberal, 6,434; Hon. Hugh F. Elliott, Conservative, 3,842; J. Robertson, Labor, 4,858. In the Kelghley division of Yorkshire, John Briggs, Liberal, polled 5,322; W. M. Ackworth, Conservative, 3,228, and W. T. Newlove, Labor, 2,192.

The Liberals also hold the Harborough division of Leicestershire, Lehmann being elected by 1,998. Returns have not yet been received from South Tyne, where the fate of T. W. Russell, the leader of the new Russellite party in Ireland, was decided yesterday. Five out of ten Russellites nominated have already fallen. If the leader is elected, he will be the first. The future of the new party does not seem bright.

Standing of the Parties. The standing of the parties last night was: Liberals, 242; Labor, 44; Conservatives, 143; Nationalists, 32. Gains: Liberals, 191; Labor, 34; Conservatives, 11; Nationalists, 1.

A notable victory for the Unionist cause was secured by Lord Talbot in the Chichester division of Sussex. He was ill during the campaign, and his place on the platform was taken by Lady Talbot. His majority of 412 in the bye-election of last year has been increased to 1,174.

Balfour Gets a Seat. Rt. Hon. J. A. Balfour has accepted an invitation to come forward as Unionist candidate for the City of London, in place of Hon. Allan Gibbs, who resigned in his favor.

The new Foreign Secretary, Sir Edward Grey, is returned for Berwick-on-Tweed, with a majority increased from 785 in 1895 to 2,240. Col. Ivor Herbert, former general commanding the Canadian forces, went in for South Monmouthshire, carrying the seat with a majority of 1,287. The Conservative member, Col. Morgan, was unopposed at last election.

The new House of Commons already contains 13 Jews, with several constituencies to be heard from. This is a larger number than previously recorded.

McMaster On the Causes. Montreal, Jan. 26.—The following is a cable, in part, received yesterday from Donald McMaster, K.C., defeated candidate for the British Parliament: "The Liberal sweep is attributed mainly to the false cry of alleged Chinese slavery in the Transvaal, which took deep root in the provinces and was insufficiently appreciated by the Unionist leaders and the London journalists. The same cause operated powerfully in all the Lancashire divisions and no time to organize properly. Commencement of a landslide that gathered the Irish vote to the Liberal candidates, and the labor vote supported Liberals where no labor candidate was in the field."

All these forces operated against me in Leigh, which is the banner Radical division of the kingdom, never represented by a Conservative. In addition, I was only three weeks in the field, while my opponent was here as many years. There was no organization and no time to organize properly. Notwithstanding, however, the enthusiasm aroused by the meetings was tremendous. I never saw it equalled in Canada, and though defeated I polled a larger vote than was ever polled by a Conservative.

"The conflict left no scars, and I am delighted with my experience among the Lancashire people."

New State Bill Passed. Washington, D. C., Jan. 26.—The House passed the statehood bill yesterday by a vote of 194 to 150. The bill as proposed provides that Oklahoma, and the Indian Territory shall constitute one state under the name "Oklahoma," and that Arizona and New Mexico shall constitute one state under the name "Arizona."

Drinks Aconite by Mistake. Fort Francis, Jan. 26.—An Italian laborer named Coveney was poisoned by drinking aconite in mistake here Wednesday evening. He died four hours later.

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SNEAK THIEVES

Considerable alarm has been caused recently in the neighborhood of King St. West, by the visits of sneak thieves. Last Sunday night the residence of A. D. Westman was entered and a considerable amount of Christmas cake, bread, canned goods and butter were taken. The thieves got away unnoticed. The other morning Mr. John W. Powers, who lives near Mr. Westman, awoke to find that during the night some one had attempted to enter his house. One of the parlor windows had been taken off and the burglar had evidently been scared away. Nothing was missed.

TWO EXTREMES

A rather unfortunate state of affairs existed on Forsyth St. last Wednesday evening. While the W. C. T. U. were holding a social evening at the residence of Mr. Hallman a dance was being held in a house just opposite. The people at the dance were by no means considerate of the peace of the neighbors and the "railing off" could be heard for blocks around. At Mr. Hallman's residence the guests were attempting to listen to a program of music, and the frequent interruptions from the house across the way were by no means conducive to the pleasure of the evening.

A policeman was summoned and the dancers were induced to conduct their evening on a more modest plan.

ACONSUMPTIVE'S TRIALS

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 25.—Frank Turcott, his wife and five children will be deported from the United States to Canada because a doctor has told the immigration officials that Turcott was afflicted with consumption before he came to Detroit last May from Chatham, Ont. For a time Turcott was able to work after coming to Detroit, but the disease weakened him so that his family has become a burden on the county, though his wife is struggling bravely to support all.

"Don't send me back," pleaded Turcott to-day when Inspector Zurbick called at his home, 792 Dix avenue. "I can get no work in Canada and will starve to death if I am compelled to go back."

WERE CONVICTED

Messrs. W. J. O'Brien and A. B. Vester, hotel keepers, of Elenheim, were fined \$25 and costs each; total \$38.85 each; the charge being selling liquor to minors. The other two charges were dismissed. Crown Attorney Smith prosecuted. Jas. Haverston, K. C., of Toronto, defended.

BAD BOYS

Residents of Adelaide street are complaining against the unruly conduct of some of the younger members of the community. Many people living between Stanley Ave. and Murray St., are nightly subjected to annoyance from the small boys of the neighborhood. The youngsters find enjoyment in such practices as throwing stones against the walls of the frame houses and covering doorsteps with mud and refuse. The victims of these petty outrages hint that parental control is not a strong feature in that part of the city.

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TO THRIFTY MEN:

We advise purchasing Overcoats now for next winter's wear. Woolens are advancing every day. Buying of us at semi-annual sale reductions means a saving to you of 25 to 35 per cent. Just one quarter to one-third the price you will have to pay next winter. Remember these garments were the best values to be had in Chatham at our former modest prices.

\$15 and \$16 Overcoats now \$12

If you could add to the best \$15 to \$16 overcoat you ever owned just these points it lacked, you would have a fair idea of what these garments are. They are 46 inch box coats, 52 inch dress overcoats and single and double breasted fancy tourist coats. Sizes for all.

\$12.50 and \$13.50 Overcoats now \$9.99

Hundreds of customers paid \$12.50 to \$13.50 earlier in the season for these coats and have found them most satisfactory. Choice Chesterfields, full box coats and Tourists models, in plain shades of Cheviots, Reavers, Vicunas, Worsted, and single and double breasted Tweeds. Big range of sizes.

\$10 and \$12 Overcoats now \$7.50

A handsome range of nobby patterned Tweeds and Cheviots, nice dark colors, also plain shades, coats worth all season \$10 to \$12, to clear at \$7.50.

\$6.50 to \$7.50 Overcoats now \$5.00

All odd lines of coats worth up to \$7.50, in men's and young men's. Tweeds in the season's popular sellers, long full coats, all put in at \$5.00 to clear.

Special Rocker Sale

SATURDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY.

This is a genuine clear out of a few lines, good value at regular prices, but they must make way for new goods to arrive for Spring.



7 Rockers, quarter cut oak, golden finish or birch mahogany finish, some have upholstered seats and backs, others embossed leather seats. regular price \$3.75, January sale price

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5 Rockers, oak frames, no two alike, 1905 designs, the production of the best Canadian factories, regular prices from \$4.50 to \$5.50, now

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10 Rockers, the kind the tired housewife needs for sewing or nursing, they can be conveniently used in any room in the house, they have solid wood seats, hand turned spindles and embossed back rail. Worth \$1.25, during this sale

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JACKETS!

FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN

This is a wind-up of the remainder of our collection of Fall and Winter Jackets. Rich and effective styles—a combination of good looks, good qualities and modest prices. Some extra special values:

Another Lot at \$2.98. Ladies' Jackets of Tweed Mixtures and Vicuna Cloth, Navy Black, and Grey, loose or tight fitting, well-lined and prettily trimmed.

Children's Long Coats at \$2.98, \$3.98, and \$4.98. Pleated Coats, Brown, Navy, and Fancy Tweed effects, prettily trimmed with velvet or strappings of broad cloth. These sold regularly up to \$8.00.

\$8.98. Ladies' three-quarter length Jackets of Dark Fawn Covert Cloth and Fancy Mixtures, fitted and loose styles, plain tailored effect, or pleated and trimmed with strappings.

\$10.00. Of Black Venetian Cloth or Kersey, Empire style or tight-fitting, 48 inches long, handsomely tailored. Regular \$16.50 values.

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TO-NIGHT

The 24th Brass Band will meet for practice at 8.
Y. P. S. C. E., First Presbyterian Church, at 8.
Conservative meeting, Oddfellows' Auditorium, at 8.
"Magistrate" rehearsals, Macaulay Club rooms, at 8.
K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, L. O. F. Temple, at 8.
Special services in Victoria Avenue Methodist Church at 8.
Oddfellows' trolley ride to Wallaceburg; car leaves at 7.10.
The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will meet in the S. S. Hall at 8.
Young People's Society, lecture hall of William St. Baptist Church, at 8.
Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., will meet in their hall, opposite Rankin House.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Ralph Parlette on Monday night. The Merchants' Bank of Canada has opened a branch in Newbury.
Wanted at "The Ark," a good steady lad to drive delivery wagon.
Mrs. S. Brown, of Wardsville, has a bed of pansies of various colors in full bloom.
The "Magistrate" will be produced on Tuesday, February 6, in the Grand Opera House.
Rev. Mr. McClintock, of Sarnia, was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Young, Harvey street, yesterday.
"The Parting of the Ways" at the Grand to-morrow night. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.
C. Lorrain, leader of the Opera House Orchestra, is ill with diphtheria at his home on Head St.
Miss M. Ward, of this city, and Mrs. J. Ward, of Glenheim, are visiting relatives in Centreville.
Reserve your seats at Briseson's for Parlette's lecture, without extra charge.
Miss Nellie Unsworth, of Florence, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Craig, of Detroit, has returned home.
The "Magistrate" is one of the funniest of farce-comedies, and will be produced by some of the best local talent, on Tuesday, Feb. 6.
To-night a meeting of Conservatives will be held in the Oddfellows' Auditorium, which all workers in the party are invited to attend.

DOG DOPE

Geo. G. Taylor's valuable pointer dog died this morning. The canine has been ailing ever since the night of the Taylor & McKay burglary, and it is suspected that the thieves must have doped it.

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BLENNIM'S CASE

Glenheim, Jan. 26.—The adjourned case against Hotelmen O'Brien and Vetter is being held in the Council Chamber, before James Greenwood, J. P., to-day. Mr. Haverston, of Toronto, will defend, while Crown Attorney Smith, of Chatham, will prosecute. The case has elicited great interest, especially as it has had added to it the charge of selling to intoxicated persons, as well as the original charge, selling to a minor.
The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gamble passed away last night, aged one year. The date of the funeral has not yet been fixed.
T. S. Woods, who has been accountant of the Molson's Bank at St. Mary's for the past eight years, has been appointed as manager of Merlin Branch, which is being opened this week.
A. Eaton, of Montreal, representing the Capital Cigar Company, was the guest of E. J. MacIntyre yesterday. Mr. Eaton is introducing a new cigar and this is his first visit to Chatham. He likes the city very much and likes the people in it even better.

AUTOMOBILING

At the recent Auto. Exhibit that has just closed in New York City, and at which auto. cars to the value of \$10,000,000 were sold, the World has an interview with James Couzens, Chairman of the American Motor Car Manufacturing Association, Detroit, and Manager and Secretary of the Ford Motor Car Co., of the same city.
Mr. Couzens said the past year had been one of unusual activity and had shown wonderful development. With the present prosperity of the people there was room for all, and that all makers of high grade machines were working their plants to the fullest capacity. Mr. Couzens is the eldest son of an estimable citizen, J. J. Couzens, and his rapid progress in the "motor world" has made him a recognized authority and has brought him honors that rarely fall to the lot of any young man. It is only a few years ago that Mr. Couzens was attending the High school in this city.

OFF TO WINNIPEG

Mr. Aubrey Forhan, son of Mr. Thos. Forhan, leaves on Friday for Winnipeg, where he has been given a position in the newly organized Northern Bank, of which Mr. O'Grady is general manager. Mr. O'Grady was the local manager of the Bank of Montreal here and went to Chicago from here. His being chosen as general manager of the Northern Bank has been a source of great gratification to his friends and it is seen that he does not forget his old friends when he has something to offer.
The budding banker is just 18 years of age with a good general education, gentlemanly appearance, good address and having had the advantage of particularly careful and judicious home training should have a fine future before him in the Western Canada, which is peculiarly the dovery of Canadian youths.—Wallaceburg Herald.

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Parliamentary Notice

Monday, 26th February next, will be the last day for presenting petitions for private bills.
Monday, 5th March next, will be the last day for introducing private bills.
Monday, 19th March next, will be the last day for receiving reports of committees on private bills.
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She turned her head as I spoke, and looked steadily in the direction I pointed for nearly a minute. Then, with a little sigh, she fell upon the gunwale in a dead faint. I sprang to her assistance, and, kneeling at her feet, chafed her hands and called her by name, and implored her to speak to me. But in spite of my exertions, she did not open her eyes. When a quarter of an hour had elapsed, and she was still insensible, I began to wonder what I should do. To remain attending to her might mean that we should miss our deliverer. In that case we should both die. At any cost, and now more than ever, I knew I must attract the steamer's attention. She was not more than a mile behind us by this time, and, if I could only make her see us, she would be alongside in a few minutes. For this reason I tore off my coat, and, attaching it to an oar, began to wave it frantically above my head. Next moment a long whistle came across the waves to me. It was a signal that our boat had been observed, and never did a sound seem more musical to a human ear. On hearing it, I stood up again, and shading my eyes with my hands, watched her approach. My heart beating like a piston-rod. Closer and closer she came, until I could easily read the name, King of Cart-hage, upon her bows.

When she was less than a hundred yards distant, an officer on the bridge came to the railings, and hailed us. "Boat, ahoy!" he cried. "Do you think you can manage to pull alongside? or shall we send assistance to you?"

I replied—for I could not trust my voice to speak—I got out my oars, and began to row towards her. Short as was the distance, it took me some time to accomplish it. Seeing this, the same officer again hailed me, and bade me make fast the line that was being thrown to me. The words were hardly out of his mouth before the line in question came whistling about my ears. I seized it as a drowning man seizes a straw, and, clambering forward, secured it to the ring in the bows. When that was done, I heard an order given, and willing hands pulled us quickly alongside.

By the time we reached it the gangway had been lowered, and a couple of men were standing at the foot of it ready to receive us. I remember leaning over to fend her off, and I also have a good recollection of seeing one of the men—the ship's doctor I afterwards discovered him to be—step into the boat.

"Can you walk up the steps yourself, or would you like to be carried?" he asked, as I sank down on the thwart again.

"Carry the lady," I answered huskily. "I can manage to get up myself. Take her quickly, or she will die."

I saw him pick Miss Maybourne up, and, assisted by the quartermaster who had accompanied him, carry her up the ladder. I attempted to follow, only to discover how weak I really was. By the exercise of sheer will, however, I managed to scramble up, holding on to the rail, and so gained the deck. Even after all this lapse of time I can distinctly see the crowd of eager faces pressed round the top of the ladder to catch a glimpse of us, and I can hear again the murmurs of sympathy that went up as we made our appearance. After that all seems a blank, and I can only believe what I am told—namely, that I looked round me in a dazed sort of fashion, and then fell in a dead faint upon the deck.

When I recovered consciousness again, I had to think for a moment before I could understand what had happened. I found myself in a handsomely-furnished cabin that I had never seen before. For an instant I imagined myself back again on the ill-fated Fiji Princess. Then a tall red-bearded man—the same who had carried Miss Maybourne up from the boat—entered, and came towards me. Through the door, which he had left open, I could see the awning-covered promenade-deck outside. As soon as I saw him I tried to sit up on the velvet-cushioned locker upon which I had been placed, but he bade me be content to lie still for a little while. "You will be far better where you are," he said. "What you want is rest and quiet. Take a few sips of this, and then lie down again and try to get to sleep. You have some arrears to make up in that line, or I'm mistaken."

He handed me a glass from the tray above my couch, and held it for me while I drank. When I had finished I laid myself down again, and, instead of obeying him, began to question him as to where I was. But once more I was forestalled, this time by the entrance of a steward carrying a bowl of broth on a tray.

"You see we're determined, one way or another, to close your mouth," he said, with a laugh. "But this stuff is too hot for you at present. We'll put it down here to cool, and in the meantime I'll answer not more than half-a-dozen questions. Fire away, if you feel inclined for a little while."

I took him at his word, and put the one question of all others I was longing to have answered.

"How is the lady who was rescued with me?"

"Doing as well as can be expected, poor soul," he replied. "She's being well looked after, so you need not be anxious about her. You must have had a terrible time in that boat, to judge from the effects produced. Now, what is the next question?"

"I want to know what ship this is, and how far we were from the Salvages when you picked us up?"

"This vessel is The King of Cart-hage—Captain Blockman in command. I'm afraid I can't answer your last question offhand, for the reason that, being the doctor, I have nothing to do with the navigation of the ship; but I'll soon find out for you."

He left the cabin, and went to the foot of the ladder that led to the bridge. I heard him call the officer of the watch, and say something to him. Presently he returned.

"The Salvages lie about seventy miles due nor'-nor'-east of our present position," he said.

"Nor'-nor'-east?" I cried. "Then I was even further out in my calculations than I expected."

"Why do you ask about the Salvages?"

"Because it was on a rock off those islands that our ship, the Fiji Princess, was lost. We put off from the island to try and catch a sailing vessel that came in sight yesterday morning. A dense fog came on, however, and during the time it lasted we lost both the ship we went out to stop and also our island. Ever since then we have been drifting without food or water."

"You have indeed had a terrible experience. But you've a splendid constitution, and you'll soon get over the effects of it. And now tell me, were no others saved from the wreck?"

"As far as we could tell, with the exception of our three selves, not a single soul."

"You say 'three selves,' but we only rescued the lady and yourself. What, then, became of the third?"

"The third was a child about eight years old. The poor little thing must have been hurt internally when we were sucked under by the sinking ship, and her condition was probably not improved by the long exposure we had to endure on the bottom of the boat from which you rescued us. She scarcely recovered consciousness, and died on the island a short time before we left it in our attempt to catch the vessel I spoke of just now."

"I never heard a sadder case," said the doctor. "You are indeed to be pitied. I wonder the lady, your companion, came through it alive. By the way, the skipper was asking me just now if I knew your names."

"The lady is Miss Maybourne, whose father is a well-known man at the Cape, I believe."

"Surely not Cornelius Maybourne, the mining man?"

"Yes, she is his daughter. He will be in a terrible state when the Fiji Princess is reported missing."

"I expect he will; but, fortunately, we shall be in Cape Town almost as soon as she would have been, and he will find that his daughter, thanks to your care, is safe and sound. Now I am not going to let you talk any more. First, take as much of this broth as you can manage, and then lie down and try to get to sleep again. As I said just now, I prophesy that in a few days you'll be up and about, feeling no ill-effects from your terrible adventure."

I obeyed him, and drank the broth. When I had done so I laid down again, and in a very short time was once more in the Land of Nod. When I awoke, my eyes again the cabin was almost dark. The doctor was still in attendance, and, as soon as he saw that I was awake, asked me if I would like to get up for a while. I answered that I should be only too glad to do so; and when he had helped me to dress, I took possession of a chair on the promenade-deck outside. It was just dinner-time in the saloon, and by orders of the Captain, who came personally to enquire how I was, I was served with a meal on deck. Nothing could have exceeded the kindness and thoughtfulness of the officers and passengers. The latter, though anxious to hear our story from my own lips, refrained from bothering me with questions; and thinking quiet would conduce to my recovery, allowed me to have the use of that end of the deck unmolested. As soon as I could do so, I enquired once more after Miss Maybourne, and was relieved to hear that she was making most satisfactory progress towards recovery. After dinner the Captain came up, and seating himself in a chair beside me, asked a few questions concerning the foundering of the Fiji Princess, which information, I presumed, he required for his log.

"You have placed Mr. Maybourne very deeply in your debt," he said, after a little further conversation; "and I don't doubt but there will be many who will envy your good fortune in having conferred so signal a service upon his daughter. By the way, you have not told us your own name."

My heart gave a great jump, and for the moment I seemed to feel myself blushing to the roots of my hair. After the great kindness I had already received from everyone on board the vessel, it seemed worse than ungrateful to deceive them. But I dared not tell the truth. For all I knew to the contrary, my name might have been pronounced everywhere in England before they left.

"My name is Wrexford," I said, feeling about as guilty as a man could well do.

"Any relation to the Wrexfords of Shrewsbury?" asked the Captain with mild curiosity.

"Not that I'm aware of," I answered. "I have been living out of England for many years, and have no knowledge of my relations."

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District Doings

WHEATLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downham, of Merlin, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lamarch, last Sunday.

George Smith has returned from Detroit, where he spent a few days.

Mrs. Mosey, of Harwich, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Pews.

Miss Isaac has returned to her home in Lucan after spending a few days with her brother here.

J. W. Hodgson, Township Clerk, was in Chatham on business Saturday.

George Robertson spent a few days

last week with friends in Blenheim and Ridgeway.

Mr. Scott, of Glenwood, visited with W. J. Martin last Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Dobbyn left last Friday to join her husband at their new home in St. Mary's.

Wm. Treanley was in Kingsville Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch McLean have returned home after spending a few days with friends at Harrow.

Mr. Schram, having sold his farm to Mr. Julien, has moved to Watford.

Everett Simpson filled the Methodist pulpit here last Sunday. Mr. Hart taking the service at Zion.

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NEW TRAIN—BEST
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The Los Angeles Limited, electric
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ronto, Ont.

THE FAST TRAINS

To California are run over the
Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours
quicker to San Francisco than any
other line. No change of roads, no
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the way. Be sure your ticket reads
over the Union Pacific. Inquire of
H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James
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Detroit.

YOU CAN'T FIND ONE DYSPEPTIC

Who Has Used Dodd's Dyspepsia Tab-
lets—No Case of Stomach Trouble
Too Far Gone for Them to Cure.

"Yes, Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets
cured my Dyspepsia. I was a suffer-
er for seven years. I could not eat
without suffering intense agony. I
doctored some but to no avail, and
I was given up to die. Five boxes
of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cured me
completely. Now I am well and
strong."

This story is of a terrible disease
easily and completely cured, is told
by Mrs. John F. Sellers, of Western
Bay, Nfld. It teaches several les-
sons, the most important of which
are that no case of Dyspepsia is too
far gone to be beyond the reach of
Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, and that
if Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cure the
most extreme cases of Dyspepsia,
they will easily dispose of your in-
digestion.

The fact remains that you can't
find a Dyspeptic who has used
Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, but you can
find thousands of healthy, happy peo-
ple in Canada who, once dys-
peptics but who have used Dodd's
Dyspepsia Tablets.

Disraeli's Thrust.
The giving to the English Premier
of social precedence over the nobility
is a recognition of the Prime Minis-
ter's power. Appropos of this, Disraeli,
after a banquet at which a number of
titled persons preceded the Premier
from the dining room, took the arm of
his neighbor and, pointing to the backs
of retreating dukes and marquises,
said pithily, "Next week I shall be
making some of those."

ARE YOU CONSTIVE?

If you knew how bad for health
constipation is you would be more
careful. Irregular bowels cause ap-
pendicitis, jaundice, anemia and a
thousand other diseases too. Sooner
or later it will bring you to a sick
bed. The use of Dr. Hamilton's
Pills changes all this quickly. They
are made to cure constipation in one
night, and always do so. By taking
Dr. Hamilton's Pills you are sure of
a keen appetite, splendid color, jovial
spirits and sound, restful sleep.
Gentle in action; good for men, women
or children. 25c. per box, or five for
\$1.00. At all dealers in medicine.

Died From Exposure.

Wellandport, Jan. 25.—The unfor-
tunate woman who was found about
three miles north of this place on Sun-
day was buried in the cemetery here
yesterday, according to the orders of
the coroner, he having come to the con-
clusion that the deceased was not the
victim of any foul play, but came to
her death through disease and exposure.
She is believed to be the wife of
the Frank Hanigan, and her maiden
name was Clara Sider of the Township
of Wainfleet, Welland County.

NERVOUSNESS A CALAMITY.

Many who don't realize what lies
beyond, treat an attack of the
"nerves" with indifference. Others
consider it will soon pass away. But
in every case nervousness is a cal-
amity. Only one remedy will cure—
Ferrozone—a nerve strengthener
that acts through the blood. First
it gives you appetite—you eat plenty.
This fills the blood with nourish-
ment for the inner nerve cells. Energy
and strength is instilled into every
part of the system. You get well—
keep well—nervousness forever de-
parts, because you've used Ferrozone.
Price 50c. per box of fifty tablets at
all dealers.

Perish on the Prairie.

Fort Appelle, Sask., Jan. 25.—The
report was brought here Tuesday even-
ing to the N. W. M. P. that Rabbi Le-
vine and Izle Peckert of the Roumanian
Jewish colony were lost on the prairie
25 miles north of here last Wednesday
while going across country for 4 miles
to another house. They have likely
perished.

BE DONE WITH CATARRH!

Why allow this filthy disease to
poison your system? It drains your
strength, ruins digestion, pollutes the
breath, makes you repulsive. The
one certain cure is "Catarrhazone,"
it cures because it destroys the
cause of the disease, cures thorough-
ly because it goes wherever the cat-
tarrh is, cures every case because its
vapor destroys the catarrh germs in-
stantly. To get well and stay free
from catarrh get Catarrhazone and
use it; satisfaction guaranteed.

Hit by Light Engine.

Belleville, Jan. 25.—Dr. Sing of Thur-
low, while coming into the city yester-
day morning, was driving across the
Canadian road G. T. R. crossing, when
his buggy was struck by a light en-
gine. The buggy was smashed and the
old doctor injured. The injured man
was deaf and blind of one eye.

SPRAINED HER ANKLE.

"I slipped on an icy step and sprain-
ed my right ankle very badly,"
writes Miss Minnie Burgoyne, of
Glenwood. "I swelled to a tremen-
dous size and caused intense pain. I
applied Polson's Nerviline and got
prompt relief; the swelling was re-
duced, and before long I was able to
use my foot." For sprains, swell-
ings and muscular pains Nerviline is
the one sure remedy. Strong, pen-
etrating, swift to destroy pain—Pol-
son's Nerviline. Fifty years in
use.

It's the people who have the least
to steal that generally own a watch
dog.

Coughs, Colds, soreness, and other
throat ailments are quickly re-
lieved by Cresselene tablets, ten cents per
box. All druggists.

Success often means the ease with
which principle was put aside.

DISTRICT DOINGS TILBURY

Jan. 25.—Mrs. Newton Ainslie, of
Tilbury East, left yesterday to under-
go an operation in Chatham General
Hospital.

N. Smith left on Tuesday on a busi-
ness trip to Toronto.
Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, Miss Min-
nie Campbell, Messrs. F. MacLean,
J. H. Dennis, J. Manary, E. R. Drom-
gole, Barleigh Campbell, Dr. Smith,
and Misses Pearl MacLaughlin and
Helen Young, are attending a ball in
Leamington this evening.

H. Baguelit has gone on a business
trip to Duluth.

The ladies of the Strasburg Dan-
cing Class have issued invitations for
a dance in Anderson Hall on Thurs-
day evening, Feb. 1st.

One of the horses on the C. P. R.
has dropped dead yesterday after-
noon while taking the trip between
the station and the town.

Invitations are out for the wed-
ding of Miss Maude Struthers,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George
Struthers, of Valletta, to Robert
Fletcher, of Valletta, on Wednesday,
Feb. 7th.

Mrs. Simpson, of Marlin, is visit-
ing her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Shaw.
E. Chauvin, of Stony Point, has
taken a position in Mathers' bakery.

THAMESVILLE

Jan. 25.—The bachelors annual
assembly last night was most success-
ful. Excellent music was provided
by DeCov's orchestra for dancing,
which was enjoyed till early morn-
ing. There were about 50 couples
present. The committee in charge
were T. K. Duncan, Dr. Currie, F.
Brambridge, T. Clark, G. Hubbell, A.
Graham, F. M. Syer, D. Sherman.
The out of town guests who came
in for the assembly were Messrs.
Doupe and Williams, Ridgeway; Van
Valkenburg and Harvey, Petrolia;
Miss Margaret Marchbanks, Bob-
well; Messrs. Langford, Aubrey,
Sherman, Langford, Shaw, Mr. and
Mrs. Shaw, Kent Bridge.

The water here to recede this
morning, but not before flooding
some cellars and putting out fur-
naces and acetylene gas lights.
Harvey O'Beay and family have
removed to Marlin, where Mr.
Mrs. O'Beay will conduct a general store.
Bert Harmer has removed to the
cottage recently occupied by Harvey
O'Beay.

Miss Kathryn Stewart is spending
the day in Chatham.

DRESDEN

Jan. 26.—Messrs. Tape and Ribble
were in Chatham on Thursday, as
a delegation to request a grant for
Camden and Dresden townline, from
the County Council.

George Commissioners French and
Gustave are in Chatham attending the
Council meeting.

J. L. Weir, photographer, has sold
his business to J. C. McIntyre.

Hugh Boyle, of Winnipeg, is visit-
ing his former friends here.

Mrs. R. Kimberley is spending a
few days in Chatham with her son.
Miss Mae Durnie has returned from
a short visit in Wallaceburg.

J. Anderson, of Wallaceburg, Dr.
Robertson and H. Massey, of Chatham,
were among the guests at the
fancy dress ball given at Livingstone
Place on Tuesday evening.
On Wednesday evening the Presby-
terian Church held their annual
congregational meeting.
The remains of Miss Minnie Budd,
of Florence, were brought home from
Sarnia on Tuesday evening. The fun-
eral will take place from Mr. D. V.
Hicks' residence on Saturday at 2 p.
m. Much sympathy is felt for the
friends of Miss Budd, who has been
suffering from cancer, and con-
tracted typhoid fever some three
weeks ago.

DEFICIENT FACULTIES.

Do What You Can to Develop and
Strengthen Them.

Few people are well balanced, well
rounded. A great many have splendid
ability in certain lines, good education,
fine training and yet have some de-
ficiency in their makeup which cripples
the whole life and dwarfs the results
of their utmost industry. Many of us
have some little contemptible weak-
ness which offsets our strong qualities
and ruins their effectiveness.

What a pity to see a giant in pos-
sibility tied down by some little, con-
temptible weakness which cripples
him in his career! There is a magnifi-
cent career! If parent or teacher would
only point out to a child a weakness
which perhaps will be fatal if not
remedied and teach him how to guard
against it, how to strengthen the de-
fective quality by mental exercise,
what a tremendous help it would give
to the child, perhaps preserving it
from failure!

It is pitiable to see a young man
bowing to what he calls fate, which
he thinks has been fixed by the con-
tours of his brain or in his hereditary
tendencies. Why should we drag our
weaknesses through life when a little
common sense, a little right thinking
in training the faculties of thought, will
soon remedy them?

If you are conscious of a mental
weakness, a deficient faculty, using
a little concentration, thinking in the
opposite direction and dwelling upon
the perfect faculty which cripples you
soon put you in a normal condition. It
is normal thinking that makes the nor-
mal life.

But if you leave your weak faculties
alone—do not exercise them, do not
try to change them, do not think it
worth while—how can you expect them
ever to become strong? You cannot de-
velop a symmetrical body by simply
exercising the arms. The same is true
of the mental faculties. Those which
are not used deteriorate. If you long
for a thing and strive for it with all
your might persistently enough and
long enough you cannot help approxi-
mating it. You must get what you wish
in some degree.—Success.

Free Treatment for Sick Kidneys

WRITE FOR GIN PILLS

If you have suffered for years with
kidney trouble—if you know your kid-
neys are sick, but have not been able
to find anything that will help you—
or if you suspect that you have kidney
disease, write for a sample of GIN
PILLS, the pills that cure. We don't
ask you to spend a single penny, or
promise to spend any. Simply take the
box of pills which we send you free of
charge. We leave it to you whether or
not you will take any more after the
sample box is gone.

RAT PORTAGE, October, 1905
I was troubled for about two years with
kidney trouble, so common among railway men.
I doctored in the regular way and took a great
deal of medicine, but received no benefit. My
real remedy was recommended by a friend.
I was pleased to state that after taking the first box
I got relief, and while I am not taking them
regularly, if I feel any indications of a return
of the trouble, a few doses puts me all right
again.

CHAS. SIMMONS, C.P.R. Engineer.

This letter is the experience of hun-
dreds. They try doctors and drugs
without relief, but they find the cure for
their trouble in GIN PILLS. Take
advantage of our generous offer. Mention
in what paper you saw this, with your
name and address, and we will send you,
absolutely free of charge, a sample box
of GIN PILLS. They are sold by all
druggists at 50c a box, or 6 boxes
for \$2.50.

THE SOLE DRUG CO. - WINNIPEG, MAN.

Spotted It All

They had met for fifteen years—
since they were young people in the
same small Missouri town. When he
saw her he said:

"Mary, you're looking mighty well."
"Fred," she replied, "you haven't
changed a bit in looks since I saw you
last."

Every man likes to be told he looks
young. "Is that so?" he said, smiling.
"Yes," came the reply; "you always
did look old to me."—Kansas City
Times.

CONTRACTED CHRONIC DIAR-

RHOEA WHILE IN THE

PHILIPPINES.

"While with the U. S. Army in the
Philippines, I contracted chronic
diarrhoea. I suffered severely from
this terrible disease for over three
years and tried the prescriptions of
numerous physicians, but found nothing
that did me any good until I
tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera
and Diarrhoea Remedy. Two small
bottles of which entirely cured me
and I have since had no return
of the disease."—Herman Stuch, 212 E.
Union Ave., Pueblo, Colorado. For
sale by all druggists.

Placed Down.

Lawyer—And what was the defend-
ant doing meanwhile?
Witness—He was telling me a funny
story.

Lawyer—Remember, sir, that you are
under oath.
Witness—Well, anyway, he was tel-
ling me a story.—Somerville Journal.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

ABSOLUTELY HARMLESS.

The habit of giving children medi-
cine containing injurious substances,
is sometimes more disastrous than
the disease from which they are suf-
fering. Every mother should know
that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is
perfectly safe for children to take.
It contains nothing harmful and for
coughs, colds and croup is unsur-
passed. For sale by all druggists.

It's hard for a man to get into
heaven who puts his religion in his
wife's name.

"Take care of the pennies and the
pounds will take care of themselves."
Large things are but an aggrega-
tion of small things. If we take care
of the small things we are in effect
taking care of the large things which
the small things combine to make.

Take care of what you eat, and your
stomach will take care of itself. But
take care of such trivial things?
That is why, someday, the majority
of people have to take care of the
stomach. When that day comes,
there is no aid so effective in undoing
the results of past carelessness as Dr.
Ferro's Golden Medical Discovery. It
strengthens the stomach and re-
stores the organs of digestion and
nutrition to a condition of healthy
activity. It cures biliousness, heart-
burn, flatulence, indigestion, palpi-
tation, dizziness, cold extremities and
a score of other ailments which are
but the symptoms of disorder in the
stomach and its allied organs.

No one ever reaches the top of the
ladder unless he starts at the bot-
tom of it.

A good character is a valuable as-
set in times of trouble.

ICE CREAM PARLORS

OPPOSITE BANK OF MONTREAL

One of the finest assort-
ments of Candy in the city,
fresh every day.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Ice Cream or goods de-
livered to any part of the
city. Light lunches served.

J. H. Rhody
In Wigzell's Old Stand.

Local Improvement Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the City
Council of Chatham intend to pass a By-law
or By-laws under the provisions of the
Municipal Act and of the City's By-law re-
specting local improvements and special as-
sessments therefor for the levying of special
rates or assessments to pay for the construc-
tion (and the temporary loans obtained
therefor) of works mentioned in the first
column of Schedule "A" below; and the
total cost of the respective works is shown
in the second column, and the portion there-
of assumed by the city and to be paid out
of the general funds is shown in the third
column of said schedule, and the difference
between the total cost and the portion as-
sumed by the City represents the amount to
be raised by special assessment.

And that a statement showing the lands
liable to assessment for the cost of the re-
spective works aforesaid and the names of
the owners thereof as far as they can be as-
certained from the last revised assessment,
and a measurement of the frontages of
such lands and of the lands exempt from
taxation, is now filed in the office of the
clerk of said City and is open for inspection
during office hours.

And that a Court of Revision will be held
on MONDAY, the 21st day of February,
1906, at the City Council Chamber, in Har-
ison Hall, in the City of Chatham, at 10
o'clock a.m., for the purpose of hearing com-
plaints and appeals against the proposed
assessments or accuracy of the frontage
measurements, or any complaint which per-
sons interested may desire to make and
which is by law cognizable by the Court.

Any party desiring to complain or ap-
peal to the Court of Revision shall within
the time required by law, give to and leave
with the Clerk of the City a written notice
of such complaint or appeal, specifying the
grounds therefor.

SCHEDULE "A."

Description of Work

Actual Cost of Work

Amount As-
sumed by City

A Bitulithic Pavement

on Murray Street, from William Street

to Princess Street. 13869.61 3153.96

An Asphalt Block Pavement on Wellington Street, from

William Street to Duke Street. 18904.22 1929.62

An Asphalt Block Pavement on the Market Square. 14401.60 12307.26

A Glazed Pipe Sewer on William Street with

Brick Walks, Concrete Retaining Walls, &c., from

Culberson St. to the Creek Bridge. 5226.48 3294.93

A Brick Pavement on William Street from the Creek to the

C.P.R. 3065.10 753.65

A Brick Pavement on the N.E. of Head St., between the present

Brick Pavement and the A. E. Granolithic

Walk in front of the Albee Hotel. 259.36

A Glazed Pipe Sewer on Ursuline Ave., from

Poplar Street, and Sheldon Ave., from

PICKED UP A LIFE RAFT

More Survivors of Ill-Fated Valencia Saved.

Thirty-Four In All Saved Out of a Total Passenger and Crew List of 154—Acts of Heroism on Board—Most of the Passengers Met Their Fate Like Men—A Passenger's Graphic Story.

Seattle, Wn., Jan. 26.—A special representative of the Post-Intelligencer, who arrived from Port Angeles at 3:30 a. m. yesterday, has just returned from the ship City of Seattle, which was picked up by the tugboat Wednesday afternoon, six miles off Cape Beale, with 20 survivors of the Valencia on board. The men were in a pitiable condition and almost dead from exposure. The rescued ones: G. D. Hadden, passenger; M. Tarpey, quartermaster; P. O'Brien, waiter; W. Raymond, messman; W. D. Johnson, coal passer; J. C. Eagles, fireman; C. P. Leeman, Frank Lehn, first freight clerk; Jos. McAffery, passenger; J. Welch, waiter; A. Hawkins, passenger; J. Peterson, second officer; J. Padden, waiter; J. Johnson, third cook; C. L. Allen, passenger from St. Paul; John Cigolias, fireman; Thos. Garrick, first assistant engineer; G. Willis, passenger; R. Primer, fireman; W. Doherty. They were half frozen and practically unconscious from exposure.

A Terrible Sea.
A terrible sea was running. One minute the raft was poised on top of a wave, and the next it would be lost from view in the gully formed by the mountainous breakers.

The sight of the poor creatures on the raft brought tears to the eyes of the sailors on the vessel. In the stern of the raft sat an old man with snow-white hair and pallid features, who held on bravely to his place. Three other men were lying in a senseless heap in the rear, washed by every swell and retained solely by the bodies of the other men, who were closely packed. Time and time again great seas swept over them, sending a shudder through the onlookers, who feared to see them swept away. The work of rescuing them was dangerous. The men were too exhausted to even tie a rope about themselves.

Weak and Helpless.
When the raft was sighted a cry went up from the steamer's deck. Officers were shouted and men on the raft screamed and called fruitlessly for aid. For a minute it looked as though the old man with grey hair was gone when the raft gave a sudden lurch, but the prompt work of Mate Burke and his men finally got him on deck. This man was no sooner safe when another fainting form was swept away and was only rescued by quick work on the part of the boat's crew. The next man to be swept from the raft managed to grasp a line and cling to it until he was hoisted half way up the ship's side, where his strength gave out and he fell back. He was picked up by the boat.

The raft put out from the wreck Wednesday morning on sighting the steamer Queen, and attempted to reach her, but before they could get within sighting distance the vessel put about and headed to the strait.

Pitiful Tales.
When the Toplek hove in sight the men were once more manned and again set forth. The survivors told terrible tales of the wreck of the vessel. When they left the ship there were about 80 people on board, most of them clinging to the rigging. Men, women and children were being swept by every sea. As soon as the men got aboard the ship, Mr. F. Whiting, assisted by two nurses and members of the crew, hastily administered stimulants and put them to bed.

A Passenger's Story.
The survivors say most of the boats were smashed to splinters when they were lowered. Two of the life boats were capsized shortly after launching. One escaped the breakers and put to sea within about eight or nine people aboard.

The following is the story of G. Willis, one of the passengers and one of the men rescued from the raft: "The ship struck at 12:07 on the morning of Tuesday, Jan. 23—I was on deck at the time, smoking a cigar, and was looking at my watch when the first crash came. In an instant all was excitement. There were the shrieks of the frightened men and women, the wail of little children, and the hoarse orders of the officers of the ship. The vessel reeled like a drunken man, slid over the reef and struck again.

The command to back her off was given and she went astern at full speed, but it was too late. The water was pouring in like a mill race. The wind swung the vessel's stern to the beach and her head to the waves. This saved many lives, as she was then swept back to the shore, and struck again in such a position that she remained partially above the water and was an even keel.

Not Time For Prayer.
Every wave now washed clear over her and many people who hastily rushed on deck, went to their deaths without time to murmur a prayer.

The order was given to get out the boats. Two of them on the weather side were launched and were smashed like egg shells as soon as they struck the water. Then came the attempt to get out the life boats.

Turner O'Farrell took charge. Four women and a number of men went into the boat. I do not know how many, but she was practically full. Just as they were lowering the other, the davits broke, and the stern of the boat fell to the water, while the bow hung in the air.

Sight of An Agonized Face.
Every one was precipitated into the sea and swept away in an instant. For a second or two I caught a glimpse of an agonized face, then another, and yet another, as they were washed by the waves. The waves dashed over the ship swept the deck loose and every swell lifted it. We clung to the rigging and deck-those. Then an attempt was made to get ashore. A fireman named Cigolias agreed to swim ashore. He was in the water fully half an hour, but was unable to make the beach. The ship struck in a bad spot. She is directly at the foot of a precipitous bluff which comes sheer to the water's edge. The ship was swept ashore and suc-

At The Great Sale

Boys' 3-Piece Suits
Extra Special

NEW GOODS

Boys' 3 pc. Suits \$5 to \$6, for \$4.39. Single and D. B.
Boys' 3 pc. Suits, \$3.75 kind for \$2.99.

Boys' 2 piece Suits—Well, you must come and see the exceptional values we are offering.

Men's Pants
\$2 kinds for \$1.50, \$2.75 and \$3 for \$2.49.

If you buy your pants from us they'll be right.

Men's Suits

\$10.00 Suits for \$7.50, \$12 to \$15 Suits for \$10.00.

Men's Working Suits \$7.50 and \$8.00 kinds, for quick selling, \$5.95.

We want to make you a customer of ours. Come, see these bargains, and we're sure of the result.

GEO. MEYNELL

3 DOORS WEST FROM

MARKET,

KING STREET.

ceeded in landing on a small rock. We shot a line to him and he tried to climb the cliff, but fell and was killed before our eyes."

Mr. Willets closed his story thus: "Capt. Johnson lost his bearings and ran the ship ashore. It was a dark and stormy night, and nothing could be seen. The ship struck while running full speed. We all thought we were to the southward of Flattery. There were many deeds of heroism and many acts of cowardice, but on the whole the people behaved well, and met their fate like men."

Former Torontonian a Victim.

St. Catharines, Jan. 26.—Among the first-class passengers on the Valencia were Adam Frederick Ralph, a son of Joseph T. Ralph of Ralph, Smith & Co., Toronto. Mr. Ralph is a brother-in-law to Mrs. A. M. Watts of this city. In 1892 he married Miss Edith F. Pondreux of Toronto. He was returning to his home in New Westminster, having been on a visit to relatives in San Francisco.

One a Buffalo Man.

Buffalo, Jan. 26.—Walter C. Neale, who is numbered among the lost of the Valencia, is a Buffalo man, who went from here to Seattle, Wash., to enter the service of a telegraph company.

Wife Lost on Chatham.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 26.—Donald Ross, one of the passengers drowned on the Valencia, lost his wife on the Chatham when she was wrecked two years ago.

Survivors' Sore Straights.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 26.—The nine survivors of the Valencia at Darling River telegraph hut are reported from Bamfield to be in a deplorable condition, being overcome by exhaustion and fatigue, that they are unable to stand, much less to make their way along the trail to the nearest place of shelter. One has a sprained ankle, the others are without boots and exhausted, several with their feet raw and

bleeding from walking to Darling River over the rocks. It is impossible for them to reach Bamfield or Cape Beale, even could they cross the flooded Darling River, in their present condition. They have no provisions other than those provided by a party of three, which went to them from Bamfield with a small supply Wednesday.

CHARGES ALL DENIED.

President of North American Life Replies to Mr. J. J. Harpell.

Toronto, Jan. 26.—The criticism of the North American Life Assurance Co. with Mr. J. J. Harpell has been responsible for came to a head at the annual meeting of the company yesterday. The critic was given ample opportunity to repeat what he has already said, and to quote the Government blue-books.

An answer was given by the president to these charges, which were all denied point blank and an explanation given as to the differences between the statements published to the policy-holders and those printed by the Government.

Mr. Harpell did not appear to have a supporter among the sixty people present, but he did have some very severe opponents, who would probably have said harder things still than what were uttered if they had not been stopped by the managing director.

Manitoba Varsity Will Sell Lands.

Winnipeg, Jan. 26.—The criticism of the representations made by a delegation of the executive of the union of municipalities of the province, the Manitoba University council at a meeting yesterday afternoon decided to place on the market their entire endowment consisting of over 150,000 acres of land. The property is located in practically nine municipalities.

Engine Strikes Trolley Car.

London, Jan. 26.—While crossing the G.T.R. tracks opposite the Tecumseh House, about 7:30 last night, the Victoria, a special street car, was struck by a westbound G.T.R. freight killing the car conductor, Jepsom Moore, instantly. Seven passengers in the car escaped with a severe shaking. Moore was 35 years old and is survived by a widow and four children.

Famous Boy In Grey Dead.

New York, Jan. 26.—Gen. Joseph Wheeler, the famous Confederate cavalry leader and a brigadier general of the United States army since the war with Spain, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sterling Smith, in Brooklyn. The body will be interred in Arlington National cemetery, near Washington.

Fourteen Lives Lost.

Poteau, Indian Territory, Jan. 26.—Fourteen lives were lost in the explosion Wednesday in slope No. 4 of the Witteville mine. The explosion was caused by fire damp. Sixteen men were at work when the explosion occurred, but two men nearest the entrance were able to make their escape.

Shades of His Famous Sire.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Stephen Decatur, great-grandson of Commodore Decatur, first-class United States naval academy was yesterday dismissed from the navy, in conformation with the sentence of the court-martial on the charge of hazing.

More Anarchists Arrested.

Monongahela, Pa., Jan. 26.—Constantine Levi and Petro Poracika, alleged secretaries of the anarchistic organization, whose headquarters at Baird were raided early Tuesday, were arrested yesterday near West Elizabeth, Pa.

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CASTRO TELLS WHY.

Declares Charge d'Affaires, M. Taigny, Violated Diplomatic Etiquette.

Caracas, Monday, Jan. 23, via Port of Spain, Trinidad, Jan. 26.—In reply to a request sent him to-day by the Associated Press correspondent for a statement of Venezuela's attitude concerning the Franco-Venezuelan question, President Castro immediately telegraphed as follows from Maracaibo:

"You can transmit to the Associated Press the following: 'Mr. Taigny, the French charge d'affaires at Caracas, not only violated diplomatic etiquette, as is proved by the fact of his presenting a protest against the Venezuelan Government when the French Cable Co. was claimed and had been almost arranged with, but the protest has brought the disagreeable situation between France and Venezuela to the point of a rupture of friendly relations. 'Then, not content with this, he having been deprived by his Government of the diplomatic character with which he was invested in Venezuela, violated as a French citizen the laws of the Port of La Guaira by embarking on a French liner, whereupon the Venezuelan Government, in order to avoid new difficulties, and after its police had been treated contemptuously, resolved not to permit Taigny to re-land. Cipriano Castro.'

CONFERENCE IN PRIVATE.

Moroccan Conference Optimistic Over French and German Chances.

Algiers, Jan. 26.—Spain at yesterday's session of the Moroccan conference presented the draft of a convention providing for a better return of taxation in Morocco, and also for the creation of new revenues. The conference, after some discussion, expressed the opinion that nothing should be proposed for Morocco which may modify the basis of the present organization of that country, or be in contradiction with the habits of the Moroccan people regarding land taxation.

Herr Van Radowitz, head of the German mission, and M. Revoll, chief of the French delegation to the Moroccan conference, had yesterday for the first time a lengthy private meeting which was much commented upon as a move forward in the adjustment of the Franco-German difference. Although the results were not disclosed the meeting produced a distinct feeling of optimism among the delegates.

Some of the ambassadors have expressed the opinion that these direct Franco-German exchanges might contribute to averting a crisis in the conference.

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