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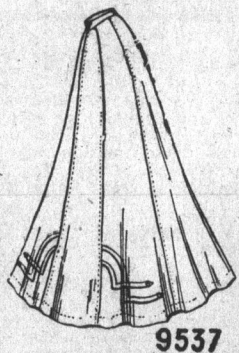
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## CHATHAM IS DESERVING OF A SUMMER SCHOOL

Ladies of Ursuline Academy Follow Up The Planet's Suggestion

Board of Education Is Petitioned For Assistance—Should Act Soon

On Monday The Planet published an editorial comment in which it was stated that as it is announced that the Government is said to be considering the advisability of establishing a series of summer schools for the professional training of members of educational and religious communities, and as Chatham is one of the most important centres among the teachers who will be effected, that some effort should be made to induce the Government to establish one of these schools in the Maple City.

The editorial has been very favorably commented upon by people who are interested in educational matters, and at last night's meeting of the Board of Education, the ladies of the Ursuline Academy presented a petition asking the Board to do all in their power to assist in securing this summer school, as was suggested in The Planet article.

The following was the letter received:

To the Members of the Board of Education:

Gentlemen,—The enclosed article from The Chatham Planet will explain our object in addressing you this evening.

It would be a great advantage for the teaching staff of our several Separate schools should one of the summer schools be established in our city, and we gladly offer our Academy for this purpose, also any assistance that lies in our power.

We now humbly petition you, esteemed honorable Board, to kindly exercise your influence to obtain this favor for our community.

Trusting you will not find us intrusive, and hoping for an encouraging reply, we have the honor to remain with great respect,

Yours very cordially,  
MOTHER M. NATIVITY,  
Superintendent of "The Finest," Chatham.

Dr. McKeough, after reading the letter, made a few explanatory remarks. He said that no doubt all of the members of the Board had read the article referred to. It was thought that a resolution from the Board to the Department of Education might have some influence in getting one of these schools for Chatham. A summer school had been held in Chatham before, and it had proved a great convenience to the teachers who wished to attend. There were about 100 teachers in attendance at that time, and the effect was good. We had difficulty in getting it before, but the present Government at Toronto, he said, had not done very much for Chatham educationally, and he thought they would be anxious to do this much.

The matter of the communication was finally left with a committee composed of Messrs. McKeough, Duncan, McArthur, McLachlan and Morley, with power to draft such resolution. The Secretary was instructed to reply to the ladies of the Academy, and instruct them as to what had been done.

The owl may be wise, and yet he looks on the dark side of things.

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## Canadian Capital Coming In

Toronto, May 7.—Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann are investing \$1,000,000 in the Tilbury oil fields in Kent County. Such was the information given out at the offices of Dreany & Co., Traders' Bank building. This firm also states that considerable Toronto capital is now going into the Kent oil and natural gas fields. Heretofore operations in this district have been carried on practically solely by Americans. The field is now past the experimental stage and some remarkable yields are being chronicled. Property in the district is going up in value by leaps and bounds, and wells are being sunk everywhere. The majority of these are striking oil in paying quantities. Toronto people have had experts examining the field and their report is very encouraging.

## A Bright Future For Chatham

President Robert Gray, of the Board of Trade, sees a big industrial future for Chatham, and he feels that the Maple City's flood tide is on, if she only takes opportunity by the forelock, and gets down to work and advertises herself as a big, booming industrial centre.

President Gray's commendable optimism in this respect is shared to a greater or less degree by all the members of the Board of Trade and City Council. With Chairman Austin of the Finance committee, President Gray is evidently of the firm belief that new industries, and the increase in population they will bring, along with a substantial increase in assessment, is the only feasible way of reducing Chatham's tax rate. Chatham has all the necessary municipal machinery to run a city twice her size, and what is wanted is new industries and people.

**INDUSTRIAL ADVERTISING.**  
"I have had in mind for some time a scheme for industrial advertising," remarked Mr. Gray during the course of an interview yesterday afternoon. "I believe that it would be a splendid idea for the city to buy ten acres of land, and advertise it as free sites for industrial concerns seeking new territory. This land should be selected from farm property just outside the city limits, and in this way could be purchased at reasonable prices. Of course after the industries have taken possession, we would expect that it would be incorporated as part of the city."

"What I would much like to see," said he, in speaking on a proposition advocated by The Planet in last Friday's issue, "is a movement put under way to encourage the farmers to plant more fruit trees. The best manner in which this could be taken up would be to get five leading business men together as a committee to get in touch with the farmers, and do all in their power to make Kent a fruit centre. By virtue of our geographical location, and our climate, there is every reason to believe that we have a country that is just as well adapted to fruit-growing as Niagara."

"Influence could be brought to bear on the Minister of Agriculture to have the Government make a free distribution of a certain number of fruit trees. This could be done, I believe, if the Government were made acquainted with the splendid possibilities for the fruit industry in this section of the Province."

## WILLED MONEY; CAN'T GET IT

Peculiar Bearing of Succession Laws On The Scane Estate

Mrs. Scane Must Give Two Outside Securities For \$19,000

A peculiar and aggravating circumstance has arisen out of the will of the late Charles Scane, of Ridgeway, caused by the succession duties on the estate.

In his will, the late Mr. Scane bequeathed all his money and landed property to his widow, with the proviso that after her death the property and monies, in all amounting to \$19,000, must be divided amongst his nephews and nieces. While living, Mrs. Scane has absolute and sole control over all the property.

According to the succession laws, when a person leaves all his or her property to the immediate members of his or her family, the succession duties do not apply to sums of less than \$50,000, but in cases where the bequest is made to relatives other than husbands, wives or children, the succession duties apply to all sums over \$10,000. As the late Mr. Scane's bequest is over the \$10,000, and owing to the fact that he made a proviso that his nephews and nieces are to get the property after his widow's demise, the duties apply at the rate of 10 per cent, which must be paid over to the Government at such time as the said nephews and nieces receive their various shares.

Mrs. Scane finds herself in a peculiar position. She cannot touch a cent of the money left to her until she gets two neutral securities for \$19,000 each. The succession duties, according to the law, apply to the whole \$19,000, and though not collected now, must be collected on that amount at the time of her death.

Mrs. Scane and her brother, Zakariah Spence, have been appointed executors of the estate, but the Government refuses to accept anything but outside security, which is proving a difficult thing to secure. Trust companies have been applied to, but refuse the risk.

The question is, what is she to do? Her late husband's will gives her absolute control over the estate, while the succession laws, in their bearing on this particular case, forbid her to touch a cent of it.

In view of all these circumstances, it looks much as though the succession laws could stand a little fixing.

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**WEST-ARNOLD**

A quiet wedding took place on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Arnold, Victoria avenue, when their daughter, Miss Mabel, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. John Edward West, of Windsor, Rev. J. W. Hodgins officiating. Miss Jessie McIsaac acted as bridesmaid, while John C. Slagg, of Windsor, supported the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. West left on the 5:15 train for Toronto and other eastern points. On their return they will take up their residence in Windsor, where both are well and favorably known.

Mrs. Gillespie, who for the past two months has been engaged as stenographer at the Kennels, has returned to complete her course at the Business College.

## BOARD WILL CONSIDER INCREASES IN SALARIES

The Collegiate Institute Teachers Present A Very Courteous Request

Board of Education believes In Encouraging Its Employees—A New Gym.

There were several matters of importance before the Board of Education last evening. The meeting, however, was not unnecessarily long, and it was conducted in a thoroughly business-like manner.

The Finance committee recommended the payment of several accounts for salaries, etc., and asked for more information on the accounts of W. M. Drader for \$3.75, and another account in favor of Campbell & Crump. They were given power to settle.

**TO CONSIDER INCREASES.**

The Collegiate Institute teachers asked that their salaries be placed upon a schedule basis. What they asked was that the principal's salary be fixed at \$1,800, specialists at \$1,400, assistant specialists' salaries \$1,100, and assistants at \$1,000. They asked that increases of \$50 a year be made until the amounts as given in the schedule, are reached.

Dr. McKeough commented upon the very courteous and modest manner in which the request was made, and for himself, he thought that the teachers were not paid enough money. It was a matter which would have to be discussed in private, and he suggested that it be left to a committee to make a report to the Board.

The new schedule means a total increase over the present salaries of \$1,950, when all of the limits are reached.

Mr. Somerville thought that the Board should have the Government Inspector's report before them, in order that they might act intelligently.

Mr. McArthur thought that it would not be wise to act too quickly. He favored some increase, but he thought that the Board should pay their teachers enough money, that they would devote their whole time to the school work. He knew of some teachers now who are doing outside work. He did not think that it was possible for a teacher to do his best with his school duties, if he did not devote his whole time to them.

It was decided to include with the Collegiate Institute teachers, the principals of the Public schools.

Mr. Brackin asked, when this was brought up, why the Board were going to stir up the principals of the Public schools, when they were not asking for an increase.

The majority of the Board were of the opinion that a good teacher should not have to ask for an increase. When the Board sees that a teacher is deserving of an increase in salary, they should grant it without being asked to do so.

The matter was left with the Board as a committee of the whole. They will hold a special committee meeting and discuss the matter fully.

Mr. Morley reported on the improvements needed at the Collegiate. It would be necessary to change the upper class rooms, enlarge the skylight, repair stairways, do considerable painting, etc. The committee was empowered to appear before the Council and ask that the city issue debentures for the amount required for the work.

**A NEW GYM.**

At Mr. Brackin's wise and timely suggestion, the committee will also consider the advisability of erecting a new gymnasium at the same time that the other improvements are done.

The Internal Management Committee were empowered to purchase \$100 worth of supplies for the Science Department of the Collegiate. This amount will last for the whole year.

The matter of removing the fence around the Collegiate came up for discussion. There was an offer of \$15 for the fence. Mr. Twohey did not want the fence removed, and the Board thought that his wishes should be recognized in the matter.

Mr. Stevenson will be given \$25 for cleaning the Cadet rifles. The Board thought that there was a moral obligation resting upon them to return the rifles in good shape.

A grant of \$10 was made to the Central School Garden. The Principal of the Collegiate was given authority to issue the Annual School Calendar. The schools were given permission to purchase seeds for flower baskets, and flower beds.

The trustees present at the meeting were, Chairman McKeough, and Messrs. Duncan, Morley, McArthur, McLachlan, Brackin, Richards and Somerville.

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## NO MORE LICENSES.

Hon. Mr. Hanna, when asked as to the general policy the department was likely to pursue in regard to the granting of licenses in those municipalities in which local option by-laws, which have been duly passed by the three-fifths majority, have been quashed on technicalities, said:

"Where this state of affairs occurs in New Ontario, when the Government themselves have the veto power, we have not issued licenses. In older Ontario, where the boards of license commissioners have the issuing of the licenses, it is generally, I think, understood that the desire of the Government is that where the by-law has been passed by a vote of the people their wishes should be respected. In the case of Midland, we were asked by the board whether, in view of the fact that the majority of the board were against granting licenses, we should approve of that course of action, and we informed them that we did not approve. You may say that, so far as the Government is concerned, we will also approve of that course being taken by the boards of all the municipalities where the by-law has been quashed."

This may be considered to practically settle the question that no licenses will be granted, for it is hardly likely that any board will act contrary to the expressed views of the department.

When ice cream is sold on Sunday in a bona fide restaurant or eating house, Magistrate Jeffs holds that it is not a breach of the Sunday law, ice cream being a food. The inference is that if one who does not keep a restaurant or eating house, sells the food called ice cream on Sundays he breaks the law. And what we would like particularly to know is whether it would be a breach of the law for a man who is not the keeper of a restaurant or eating house to sell beefsteak or pork and beans on Sunday, to some hungry wayfarer—Hamilton Spectator.

## DISTRICT

### TILBURY

Tilbury, May 7.—Miss Gertrude Stevenson spent Sunday in Detroit. Miss Annie Brophy, of London, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Lewis. Miss Eakins, of J. S. Richardson's millinery department, is in Detroit taking treatment in a sanitarium for ten days. Miss M. Sheridan, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. I. Wallace. C. Barber, of Essex, spent Sunday with friends here. Mrs. Macpherson left on Saturday to visit relatives in Windsor. Mrs. W. Jackson and Miss Minnie Campbell were Detroit visitors yesterday. Mrs. Nelly is visiting in Pittsburgh.

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### WALLACEBURG

Wallaceburg, May 7.—The sugar factory commenced operations yesterday. They have received and have coming about 6,000 tons of raw sugar from Germany.

Mr. Mickle, of Lambton, was a Wallaceburg visitor yesterday. The new Carnegie library is receiving the finishing touches. The town should certainly be proud of such a fine building. It is expected that the new engine will be installed in the glass factory in about two weeks.

Wm. Howard had an exciting time one day last week. He had driven to the station for some freight and was loading same when the horses bolted and ran toward town. They came in contact with a telegraph post near the skating rink and they parted from each other. They were soon stopped, but not until they had done more than their share of damage.

Daniel Hunt, who is working on Gibb's pile driver at Sarnia, was at his home here over Sunday. The tug "Walter H. Stone" put into port here to-day for a short time and then proceeded up the river.

Mayor H. A. Stonehouse visited Chatham yesterday on business. The new tug "Dan McCauley" at McDonald's ship yard is nearing completion, and she is a snug little craft.

C. W. Hancock is building a gasoline launch. The delivery house of the Stonehouse, Munroe, Zavitz Co., Limited, became frightened last night and ran a short distance, damaging the wagon and harness, but escaping injury.



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### Toilet Mats

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### 35c and 40c Corset Covers 25c

15 dozen fine cambric covers, margaerie style, some made with all-over lace insertion down front, lace on neck and arms, others embroidered trimmed, reg. 35c and 40c each **Sale Price 25c**

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## BLENHEIM

Blenheim, May 6.—Mrs. Black, widow of the late John Black, is making preparations to move to Detroit, having rented her house.

The Rev. Canon Downey, of Port Stanley, will conduct services in Trinity Church next Sunday, May 12th, being a deputation sent by the "Missionary Society of the Canadian Church" to bring the mission claims of the Western Diocese before the people. The rector, Rev. G. McQuillan, goes to the parish of Morpeth next Sunday for the same purpose.

Miss Ella White, Maple Avenue, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is convalescent.

Mr. F. R. Webb is moving into the house lately vacated by Mr. Mallory, on McGregor St., Mr. Mallory having returned to his farm at Guidos.

Mrs. Frank Cares and Mrs. Hodge, of Detroit, are the guests, for a few days, of their mother, Mrs. Black, Ellen St.

Mr. Charles Lawrence has built a new verandah to his house on Talbot St., which makes a great improvement.

Mr. J. K. Morris received a telegram yesterday from his son, O. K. Morris, of Leduc, Alta., announcing the death of their baby.

Earl Jones, the boy who was hurt by the shaft at the bean factory, is rapidly recovering.

The bills are out for the celebration on the 24th, and Blenheim is expecting to have a Right Royal Time and a big crowd. There is to be a good program of sports, races, etc., ending with a grand concert in the Opera House in the evening.

See bills for particulars.

Mr. E. J. Buzzard has his arrangements just about completed to open the Bungalow at Erieau. He will also manage the store at Erieau this summer, and expects to boom business.

Councillor McTavish has greatly improved the appearance of his buildings, office, stables, etc., on Talbot St.

The Baptist congregation have been holding special meetings, under the direction of Evangelist Davies, which they consider very successful.

Mr. Barrett, who has been quite ill, is recovering.

Most of us can offer a sure remedy for other people's ills.

## MISSIONARY CONVENTION

The annual convention of the W. M. S. of the Chatham District was held in the Methodist Church, Blenheim, on Friday, May 3rd.

The morning session opened at 10.30, with the District organizer, Mrs. Wilson Taylor, in the chair. Mrs. W. H. James was appointed Secretary-Treasurer for the district.

After devotional exercises, led by Mrs. Stephens, Blenheim, encouraging reports of the year's work were received from the following auxiliaries:—Blenheim, Dresden, Wallaceburg, Merlin, Kent Bridge, Fourth Line, Baldoon, Charing Cross, Wesley, Park St. and Victoria Avenue, Chatham; also from Circles and Bands, and Park St. Cradle Roll.

A Courtesy Committee was appointed, composed of the following ladies:—Mrs. Williams, Chatham; Mrs. Langford, Dresden, and Mrs. Bristol, Baldoon.

The session closed with prayer by Mrs. Harvey, of Charing Cross.

At the afternoon session, greetings from the Presbyterian Auxiliary were given by Mrs. (Rev.) Gilmore, and from the Baptist Circle, by Mrs. Ray.

Mrs. W. L. Rutledge, of Chatham, gave a most interesting and instructive talk on how to study the annual report.

Mrs. Wells gave a suggestive paper on how to introduce Temperance in Missionary Auxiliary Work.

Miss Preston, returned missionary from Japan, was introduced to the convention, and spoke a few words on the great missionary problems of the day.

The District Organizer's report was given, and the session closed with the hymn, "God be With You Till We Meet Again."

Rev. Mr. Holmes occupied the chair at the evening meeting.

Miss Preston gave an interesting address on her Educational and Evangelistic Work in Japan. She has spent 19 years as a missionary.

The sessions were brightened with music by the choir, solos by Miss Hollinrake and Miss McPherson, a duet by Misses Holmes and Gordon, and a quartette.

The ministers from the nearby circuits attended the convention.

Delegates from most of the Auxiliaries were present, among the number being eight ministers' wives.

Votes of thanks were tendered to Miss Preston for her address, and to the Blenheim ladies for their kindness in entertaining the delegates, and to all who assisted in making the convention a success.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of Mary A. W. VanAllen, deceased.

Take notice that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Mary A. W. VanAllen, late of the city of Chatham, in the County of Kent, widow, deceased, who died on or about the twenty-first day of March, 1907, are, on or before Wednesday, the fifteenth day of May, 1907, to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Houston & Stone, of the city of Chatham, solicitors for Frank D. Laurie, executor under the last will and testament of the said Mary A. W. VanAllen, deceased, their claims and surmises, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their account, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received, and all persons whose claims shall not have been received at said date will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said estate at the time of such distribution.

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PARTHENON LODGE, No. 26, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C. meets first Wednesday of every month in Masonic Temple, King Street. Visiting brethren always welcome.

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## DISTRICT

## VAN HORN.

Miss Annie Zink has returned to her home, after a two weeks' visit with her cousin, Mrs. Jos. Schindler, Orford.

Miss Belle Wilson, Chatham, was the guest of the Misses Gerber, last Sunday.

Mulhern Bros. have nearly completed the contract of sawing the lumber for J. Zink's barn.

Peter Kauffman is all smiles—it's a girl.

Postmaster W. Smith has engaged Charles Blonde for the coming season.

J. Miller was the guest of A. Gilles Sunday evening.

Ollie Zimmer has moved into his

new residence.

Miss E. Lachine spent last Sunday the guest of her brother.

Mrs. Joseph Zimmer is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

Bert Lark spent Sunday the guest of his mother, Mrs. G. Gerber.

Miss Edith Gerber, of the Maple City, is the guest of her parents for a few days.

Miss A. Guilford visited with Miss Rosa Zimmer last Sunday.

Fred Zimmer spent a few days of last week with James Doyle, Raleigh.

A severe thunder storm passed over this vicinity on Monday, accompanied by a heavy fall of rain.

The farmers are nearly through seeding in this vicinity.

The reason is always in the man himself for his good or bad fortune.

## CRUSOE THE SECOND.

By Constance D'Arcy Mackay.

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As Peyton's sailboat, the Gull's Wing, ducked her way between myriads of anchored craft, mostly steam launches, Viola Ainsley looked at the receding shore with a sigh of relief. The sail filled with a brisk breeze and spray dashed against the bow as they tacked for the open bay. The air was keen and fresh and full of relish. The sun shone strong and warm.

"Splendid, isn't it?" cried Miss Ainsley.

Peyton smiled. I thought you liked that sort of thing better," he said, with a backward glance at the summer colony of Cliffcrest, rows of cottages and a big hotel that stood a little back from the water front.

"Don't I look as if I was enjoying myself?" she parried.

"For a person not addicted to the simple life, I must confess you do."



TIME WENT SWIFTLY IN PREPARING IT.

said Peyton, regarding her as she perched on the seat before him in her trim white yachting suit.

"What a salty tang!" she sniffed.

"It's strange, but one never seems to get the full flavor of it near the shore."

"One has to get out, away out, to get the full flavor of most things, I fancy."

Peyton answered, his brown hand on the tiller, his keen eyes looking straight ahead.

"Why did you come here at all, then?" Viola questioned. "You must have known what a summer hotel would be like!"

"One has one's duty to one's family, you know, and my mother and sister are here. And then there's another reason for my coming. I followed a girl."

"A girl?"

"Yes, a girl I saw on the train. She had the seat across the aisle from me, and there were a lot of people with her. A very gay, noisy, fashionable crowd."

The girl was laughing with the rest of them, and I thought she was their kind till I saw her eyes. And then I knew, for they were neither hard nor shallow nor full of surface lights. They were very deep and beautiful. If she were moved by love I think they could be exquisitely tender."

"But who is she?" cried Miss Ainsley in utter innocence and then flushed suddenly as Peyton's look answered her.

"Oh!" she said breathlessly and turned away her head.

"Of course I know it was extremely foolish of me," Peyton Fernald went on, "because rumor has already engaged her to Millionaire McNugget."

Miss Ainsley bit her lip. "Rumor," she said, "is often very impertinent."

"Then it isn't true?"

"It is not true—yet," said Miss Ainsley and dabbled her hand over the edge of the boat.

"Ah!" he began.

"No," she said quickly; "you've made a great mistake. The girl isn't at all as you've imagined her. She's very fond of money. She's hard and selfish and doesn't care for simple things at all. She'd hate not to have lots of bits and clothes and a good time."

"You think, then," said Peyton, "that because I'm not very well off in this world's goods it would be quite useless if I asked her to marry me?"

"Quite useless, I'm afraid," returned Miss Ainsley gently, "though I know what the girl's missing, for there aren't many men in the world who—"

She paused as the boat gave an abrupt lurch, nearly sweeping her from her feet. Peyton reached out a strong arm and steadied her. The keel of the Gull's Wing scraped against something hard and slippery; then, with a slide and splash, the boat righted herself and went on. But the cockpit was rapidly filling with water.

"A derelict dory, by jingo!" cried Peyton as a dark object drifted past them beneath the surface of the water.

"Take the tiller and the main sheet," he directed, "and put for that little island over there. I'll have to bale like blazes."

Viola did as she was bid, crouching on the seat to be out of reach of the water that swished in the bottom of the boat. The trees of the little island they were approaching stood out sharply against the blue sky. Its

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Creemore, Ont., May 7.—Frank Honsberger, 17 years of age, and son of George Honsberger of Banda, was accidentally shot through the heart at noon yesterday, while practising at target shooting with a young Englishman, an employee of his father. It is not known exactly how the accident occurred, as the Englishman was too much overcome to give a clear account of it. But it is presumed that Honsberger, who was acting as marker, accidentally stepped in front of the target, or that the gun was prematurely discharged.

He never errs who sacrifices him-

## THREE CHILDREN BURNED.

Mother Left Them Alone After Building Big Fire.

Sault Ste. Marie, May 7.—A special from Blind River says that three children were burned to death in a house there yesterday while the mother was away. The oldest was five years, the youngest six months. The mother, a widow named Dominique, went to a neighbor's after building a big fire in the stove, leaving the children in the house. In a short time the place was discovered on fire by neighbors, but they were unable to rescue the little ones.

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paper parcel in his hand. "Something the picnicers forgot!" cried Miss Ainsley ecstatically. "Open it, quick!"

Peyton caught the fire of her enthusiasm. "Tea and sugar and a loaf of bread," he laughed.

"Bread!" exclaimed Miss Ainsley. "Do you think that it's stale?" She pulled a bit from the heel of the loaf and nibbled it furtively. "No! It's fresh. There must have been a picnic here this morning. We'll have a feast, a regular feast."

Time went swiftly in preparing it. Peyton found some blackberries, and Miss Ainsley made plates of leaves. They built a fire of driftwood on the beach, and over a pile of stones the coffee-pot sang pleasantly. It was sunset when they seated themselves luxuriously on the sand and ate what Viola Ainsley called the fruits of their toil.

"This tea is the best I ever tasted," Peyton declared.

"You didn't know I was such a good cook, did you?" Miss Ainsley inquired as she sat opposite him poking at the fire.

"They will be coming for us soon," said Peyton, "and then our day will be over."

"Yes," said Miss Ainsley with something strangely like a sigh.

Behind them the woods of the little island were deepening into the shadow; the waves broke softly on the beach; the rosy flames of the fire shone brightly out into the gathering dusk.

"Listen," she added. In the distance could be heard the faint, steady puffing of a steam launch. "They've seen the fire," she exclaimed, shielding her eyes with her hand.

"There's McNugget," cried Peyton almost savagely, "and I suppose you're glad." He was kneeling on the sand picking up the tin cups.

Miss Ainsley smiled. "Oh, Robinson Crusoe," she said softly, "how very blind you are!"

Peyton drained the cups and stared

sandy beach lay white and shining in the sun.

"Do you think we'll make it?" she asked quietly.

"We'll try," he answered, with equal repression. Their eyes met in the understanding of a common peril. There was much against them, but wind and tide were with them, and when the Gull's Wing sank it was within a few feet of the island's shore.

Peyton stepped out and carried Miss Ainsley to land. Then he pulled in the boat as far as he could and made it fast.

"Marooned!" cried Miss Ainsley lightly. She did not refer to their past danger, nor did he, save to say solicitously, "Miss Ainsley, you're soaking wet!"

"So are you! But the sun's strong and hot on this little beach, and we'll soon dry. When do you think they'll come for us?"

"I'm afraid we won't be missed till tonight, and it's only 3 o'clock now. Thank heaven my matches aren't damp, and we can build a fire!"

"Crusoe the second!" laughed Miss Ainsley. "Do you think the wreck will yield us anything? It should, according to the best story books."

"Nothing but the bailing pail and a coffee-pot and two tin cups in the stern locker."

"Get them," she besought. "We'll use them to cook with."

"Cook what?"

Miss Ainsley's eyes danced. "Oh, Crusoe, Crusoe! Haven't you any imagination? Don't you know there's always food on a desert island—sea gulls' eggs and things like that? Come along and let's explore."

"There! I told you!" she exclaimed as their wanderings brought them to a little spring. "Isn't that pretty, the way it bubbles up between the moss and ferns? And I do believe there's been a picnic here. Look at that bit of orange peel!"

"Yes, and see this!" cried Peyton, snatching from a thicket with a brown

at her. "You mean"—he breathed.

"I mean that—this afternoon when I thought that perhaps we—we wouldn't reach the shore—it didn't seem as if I knew then what really counted most. I knew that wealth was nothing and that I only wanted you—you—you!"

The last words were almost inaudible, and Peyton had to lean very near to catch them. Then the voice of the millionaire McNugget reached them through the megaphone.

"Coming!" cried Miss Ainsley in answer. "Hurry up, Crusoe. Why on earth are you carrying that old coffee-pot under your arm?"

"It's a trophy," said Peyton, "of a shipwreck that has made me the happiest man on earth."

## Cautious.

A few days ago a new male resident of this city, recently arrived from Ireland, having made a favorable impression upon the manager of a wholesale house on Market street, secured a position. The merchant the next day, having made out a large number of statements, called the new employee into his office, directing him to "go out and post these bills."

"Where?" inquired the young man. "Oh, yes," said the business man, "I forgot that you have only been in this country a short time. There's a mail box on the telegraph pole at the corner. Post the bills there."

The son of Erin soon returned, laying the bills on the merchant's desk. "It may be a little green yet, sir," said he, "but I'm not posting them bills with a big policeman watching the box."

"Not posting them? Why not? What about the policeman?" asked the astonished stockbroker.

"That's all right, but you're not fooling me all the same, if I do appear to be green. Sure, didn't I see the sign on the pole over the box, 'Post no bills under penalty of the law'?"—Philadelphia Record.

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The steamer City of Chatham will make her first trip on Saturday, May 18.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heddle and family, Prince St., intend leaving for Edmonton next Friday. Mr. Heddle is recovering from his injuries and is feeling quite well again.

Lawn mowers sharpened. Briscoe's. Howard McConnell, of Toronto, spent Sunday in this city.

Miss Lizzie Hodges is visiting Miss Violet Beattie, St. Clair street.

Geo. Higley, of Wallaceburg, visited at his home here on Sunday.

C. H. Cartier, of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Miss Mamie Jones, Taylor Ave., is confined to her home through illness.

Dr. and Mrs. O. W. White, of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

J. Johns, County Commissioner, of Bothwell, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. G. Merritt, of Big Point, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blight, Wellington St.

Roy Ross, of the Detroit Dental College, is at his home on Victoria Ave.

To-morrow will be Ascension Day. Service will be held in Holy Trinity church at 10.30 a. m.

Walter Huff has returned from Windsor, and has accepted a position with J. Massey.

Bryson Rankin, of Saskatoon, Sask., and T. A. Rankin, of Uniontown, Pa., are spending a few days in the city.

Work has again been started on the Purdy well, on lot 3, Con. 4, Tilbury. For some time back the drillers have had considerable trouble with this well. A sinker and several hundred feet of rope were lost, which required two weeks of steady work to extricate from the well.

A. Ribble, of Dresden, was a city visitor on Sunday.

Thomas H. Baxter, Colborne street, is quite seriously ill.

Isaac E. Simpson, of Merlin, was in the city on Sunday.

Warden S. Somers, of Wallaceburg, was a city visitor yesterday.

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A. C. Trudell is in New York purchasing new goods. He intends buying the most up-to-date lines of suits, shoes, hats, etc., that can be procured.

The schooner A. L. Andrews left yesterday for Port Huron. She will bring back a cargo of wheat for the Canada Flour Mills. This is the first cargo that has been received this year from Port William.

We all have several pieces of old furniture that we have discarded because the article is soiled and out of repair. Mr. James A. King sells Campbell's Varnish Stains. We believe that you would be surprised at the effect that one coat would give on old articles. This Varnish Stain comes in all shades. Why not try it?

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Dr. McKeough was in Woodlee, Sunday night, on professional business.

Miss Hazel Webster, of the C. W. & L. E. offices, is spending a few days in Detroit.

Walter Verrall, of the Toronto Medical College, is home for the summer vacation.

Dr. Russell will move from his residence, William St., to his new rooms in the Alexander block.

Bert Ellison, of Detroit, formerly a teacher at the C. B. C., was in the city on Sunday renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Longwell, of the McKeough school teaching staff, is unable to perform her teaching duties on account of illness.

Miss Marguerite Ardagh, of Detroit, returned home last night, after spending a few days the guest of Miss Mauriel Hoig, Grand Ave.

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We have one of the largest stocks we have ever had, and we are glad of it because prices are advancing on almost every kind of Dry Goods, and we have the right goods to sell you right now when you want them at old prices.

**Our Stocks Were Never More Up-to-date  
Our Prices Are Convincing that "It Pays  
To Trade at Austin's!"**

## Beautiful Assortment Of New Embroideries

Women have an instinctive love for pretty Embroideries, and these are decidedly new and attractive.

Corset Cover Embroidery at 25c yd. A lovely assortment of Corset Cover Embroidery, 18 inches wide, with beading for ribbon in eyelet, shadow and satin designs, at 25c yard.

A choice assortment of Insertion and Embroidery Edging, 5c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c yard.

Wide insertion for Waist fronts at 20c, 25c, to 75c yd.

See Our Nainsook Embroidery and Insertion in Baby Irish Designs, beautiful sheer quality in sets, 3 with of insertion and edging to match, from 20c to \$1.50 a yard.

New Leather Belts in tan, white, brown and black, two buckles in steel and gilt, at 50c each.

New Leather Belts at 25c each.

## Rugs! Rugs!

The largest and most complete stock of Rugs in the city. All sizes from the smallest to the largest. It will pay you to see our line of Rugs before selecting elsewhere. Below we quote prices:—

TAPESTRY RUGS—Good quality English Tapestry Rugs, assorted designs and colorings. Size 2 x 3 yds. at \$5.50. Size 3 x 3 yds. at \$6.75. Size 3 x 3 1-2 yds. at \$7.50. Size 3 x 4 at \$9.50. Size 4 x 4 at \$11.50.

These are only a few of the values we are offering in Rugs. Our sales people will be pleased to show you the goods.

# STONE & COMPANY

## GREAT UNLOADING SALE

Must have Space for  
will Sell Everything a  
never offered the public



our Alterations. We  
Man Wears at prices  
before.

HATS

AND

CAPS

CLOTHING

AND

FURNISHINGS

READ CAREFULLY OUR LIST OF PRICES :—

| Ties                        |        | Underwear            |        | Working Man's Goods        |        | Odd Trousers     |         | Suits            |         |
|-----------------------------|--------|----------------------|--------|----------------------------|--------|------------------|---------|------------------|---------|
| Reg. 50c and 75c for        | 39c    | Reg. \$1.50 for      | \$1.19 | OVERALLS AND SMOCKS        |        | Reg. \$5.00 for  | \$3.75  | Reg. \$20.00 for | \$15.00 |
| " 25c for                   | 19c    | " 1.00 for           | 0.79   |                            |        | " 4.50 for       | 3.50    | " 18.00 for      | 13.75   |
| <b>Braces</b>               |        | " 0.75 for           | 0.59   |                            |        | " 4.00 for       | 3.00    | " 16.00 for      | 12.50   |
| Reg. 50c for                | 39c    | " 0.50 for           | 2.39   |                            |        | " 3.50 for       | 2.89    | " 15.00 for      | 11.00   |
| " 25c for                   | 19c    |                      |        |                            |        | " 3.00 for       | 2.19    | " 14.00 for      | 10.00   |
| <b>Socks</b>                |        |                      |        |                            |        | " 2.50 for       | 1.89    | " 12.50 for      | 8.50    |
| Cashmere—Reg. 25c for       | 19c    | <b>Hats</b>          |        | Reg. \$1.00 for            | 79c    | <b>Raincoats</b> |         | " 10.50 for      | 7.00    |
| Fancy—Reg. 50c and 75c for  | 39c    | Reg. \$3.00 for      | \$2.19 | " 0.75 for                 | 59c    | Reg. \$18.00 for | \$13.75 | " 9.00 for       | 6.50    |
| <b>Gloves</b>               |        | " 2.50 for           | 1.98   | " 0.50 for                 | 39c    | " 16.00 for      | 12.50   | " 8.00 for       | 5.75    |
| Reg. \$2.00 for             | \$1.49 | " 2.00 for           | 1.49   | <b>Working Men's Pants</b> |        | " 15.00 for      | 11.00   |                  |         |
| " 1.50 for                  | 1.19   | " 1.50 for           | 1.19   | Reg. \$2.00 for            | \$1.39 | " 14.00 for      | 10.00   |                  |         |
| " 1.25 for                  | 0.98   | " 1.00 for           | 0.79   | " 1.25 for                 | 0.98   | " 13.00 for      | 9.00    |                  |         |
| <b>Shirts</b>               |        | " 75 for             | 0.59   | " 1.00 for                 | 0.79   | " 12.00 for      | 8.00    |                  |         |
| eg. \$2.00 for              | \$1.49 | " 50 for             | 0.39   |                            |        | " 10.00 for      | 6.75    |                  |         |
| " 1.50 for                  | 1.19   | <b>Caps</b>          |        |                            |        | " 8.00 for       | 5.75    |                  |         |
| " 1.25 for                  | 0.98   | Reg. 50c and 75c for | 39c    |                            |        |                  |         |                  |         |
| " 1.00 for                  | 0.79   | " 25c for            | 19c    |                            |        |                  |         |                  |         |
| " 0.75 for                  | 0.59   |                      |        |                            |        |                  |         |                  |         |
| Sweaters Below Cost Prices. |        |                      |        |                            |        |                  |         |                  |         |

**SALE BEGINS MONDAY, MAY 6th,**  
AND CONTINUES FOR 20 DAYS.

We will Sell Without Reserve Our Complete Stock of Hats, Caps, Clothing and Furnishings.  
THIS SALE INCLUDES ALL NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS. CASH ONLY

**...STONE, THE HATTER...**



**THE YOUNG MAN,  
AGE 15 TO 20**

Usually envies the "governor's" Smart Clothes. The old gentlemen usually pay a high price to the custom tailor for his clothes, but the son's allowance won't stand it. This does not lessen his desire to wear smart clothes, however, and we have made it our business to furnish them.

The high priced touch and fit we hand out to the young man in \$10, \$12, \$13.50, \$15 to \$20 Suits.

Our Spring Styles are now ready, and the young man who wants a suit with all the style that can be worked into it can get it here at a moderate price.

Young men who have never seen our Suits wonder why they did not come here before.

Our Three Specials in the Men's Store this week—Men's Solid Tweed Pants at \$1.

Neat gray stripe mix tweed, worth \$1.50 regular, big quantity, full range of sizes.

High class Harris Suspenders at 39c.

Makers of high class suspenders in fancy silk webs and elastic, with kid ends, regular 50c and 75c value.

Fancy Border Excelsior Handkerchiefs, fine and soft, with pretty colored border, sold regularly at 20c and 25c. Special 2 for 25c.

**C. Austin & Co.**  
KENT COUNTY'S LARGEST RETAILERS



## JAPAN RICE

7c a pound

There is nothing nicer than good rice, well cooked. As there are many grades of rice, so there are many grades of rice.

You will be entirely satisfied if you use this kind, for it has fine flavor and cooks perfectly.

## SEEDED RAISINS

13c a pound

## CLEANED CURRANTS

10c a pound

## SWEET ORANGES

40c a dozen

## GOOD LEMONS

25c a dozen

If you need anything in fresh vegetables, come here, we can please you, sure.

## H. Malcolmson

## LADIES' COMBS

FANCY BACK

Prices Reduced  
One-half.

## POILE - Jeweller

Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

## Poultry Netting...

It is really surprising what a small amount of money it takes to make a yard in which to keep the chickens away from the garden. We have all widths from 12 inches to 72 inches. Prices from 3c. to 10c. per yd.

Then when you have the chickens secure, you can go on with the garden. We have everything for that purpose. Here are a few of them:

Spades Lines  
Shovels Wheelers  
Rakes Seeds  
Hoes Spading Forks  
Garden Trowels.

## LAWN SUPPLIES ALSO

For instance:

Lawn Mowers  
Grass Catchers  
Grass Shears  
Hedge Trimmers, Etc.

## J. C. WANLESS,

THE UP-TO-DATE HARDWARE MAN

**Every Woman**  
is interested and should know about the wonderful  
**MARVEL Whirling Spray**  
The new vaginal hygiene.  
Best - Most convenient -  
It cleanses instantly.  
Ask your druggist for it.  
If he cannot supply the  
A. & V. E. Co., account for  
other, but send stamp for  
illustrated book - mailed.  
Give full particulars and directions in  
reply to left.  
**WINDSOR SUPPLY CO., Windsor, Ont.**  
General Agents for Canada.

## High Grade Gas Engine Cylinder Oil

Especially compounded for use on Marine and Stationary Gasoline Engines and Automobiles. Has high fire test and viscosity and will not carbonize.

## CUP GREASE GASOLINE

## W. W. SCANE,

Thames St. Phone 147



We represent 4 of the best Sewing Machine Makers in the World. Best place in the city for choice extra needles and oil for all machines.

Machines to Rent.  
C the Edison Sweet Singing Instruments, also Up-to-date Stock of Records on hand.

**TYRELL'S MUSIC STORE** King St West Chatham

## CHATHAM'S ONLY MILLINERY STORE

## SELLING OUT OUR MILLINERY BUSINESS

In Chatham. We have one of the best, most complete and up to date stocks in Chatham. All at greatly reduced prices.

## C. A. COOKSLEY

KING STREET

## T. L. McRITCHIE, M. D.

Office: Fifth Street,  
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## The Workman's Outfitter

-FOR-

Working Pants, Smocks and Overalls,

Underwear, Shirts, Sox, Braces

any Neckwear.

## Mac McLeod,

Opp. Rank n House Open Evenings

## PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.  
Toronto, May 8.-11 a. m.-Moderate to fresh easterly winds, fair, not much change in temperature. Thursday, showery.

## TO-NIGHT

Prayer meeting in city churches, at 8.

Court Hope, 6244, A. O. F., in their hall at 8.

Court Unity, No. 6920, will meet in their rooms at 8.

## LOCAL

George Snook returned to Detroit yesterday afternoon.

Miss Fannie Griffith is recovering from her recent illness.

Bricks for sale cheap. Apply to W. A. McGeehy, phone 304.

Mrs. Jacklin, in St. Joseph's Hospital, is doing very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Halliday, of Fletcher, were city visitors yesterday.

H. Shaw, Lorne Ave., is confined to his bed through illness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Snook returned to Detroit yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Dauphin, of Ridgetown, spent Sunday in the city the guest of Mrs. Rice, Gray St.

Mrs. Matt. Campbell, of Fletcher, left yesterday for Detroit, where she will spend a few days.

Chairman Bensen and the members of the Board of Works are today making an inspection of pavements in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Simond, of Detroit, are spending a few days with relatives in this city, before leaving for Switzerland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Andreae, of Yale, Mich., are visiting in this city. Mr. Andreae was formerly with the T. H. Taylor Woollen Mills Co., of this city.

Miss Cowan and her niece, Helen, daughter of G. W. Cowan, will leave for Springfield, Ill., to-morrow, for a month's visit with Harry Cowan, Esq., formerly of this city.

To-morrow will be Ascension Day and will be fully celebrated in all the Anglican and Roman Catholic churches. Divine service will be held in Christ Church in the evening at eight o'clock.

Someone took a ladies' Rambler bicycle, belonging to J. G. McKenzie, from the G. T. R. depot this morning. Mr. McKenzie at once notified the police, who are now busy looking for the missing wheel.

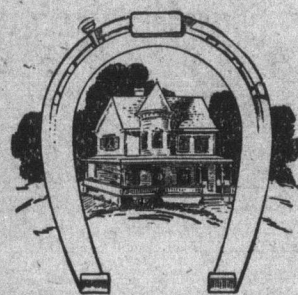
John Dobbyn, of Souris, Man., arrived in this city Monday night. Mr. Dobbyn is 67 years of age and came the entire distance alone. He left here in 1881 and before leaving he served several years in the County Council. As regards the crops in that country he says that the outlook is good. His three sons and their children work 3,000 acres of land and are very much taken up with that country. Mr. Dobbyn is visiting Mrs. J. W. Laird, Gray St.

## WINDSOR TABLE SALT

never cakes. The sparkling crystals keep dry and full-savoured to the last. Of course you use it!

## NOTICE TO GAS AND ELECTRIC LIGHT CONSUMERS

Gas and Electric Light consumers are reminded that Friday 10th inst. will be the last day upon which discount will be allowed on Gas and Electric Light bills. According to notices sent out with April 30th bills, discount will not be allowed under any circumstances unless bills are paid by 10th, and lighting and fuel services are liable to disconnection promptly if bills are allowed to remain unpaid.



## IT'S A LUCKY STRIKE

when you've made up your mind to own a bit of

## Real Estate

of your own. You're even luckier to get a word of advice as to where to buy. Many a real estate offer looks worth while, at first, and pans out "no good" later on. Let us help you hit the right spot. Our experience is yours for the asking. Don't look at your future home through a horse-shoe when we'll lend our experienced eyes to see it with.

Good, comfortable home, with modern conveniences, situated close to Gray's factory. Will sell at a bargain, if sold at once.

We also have half a dozen good homes, over the creek, for sale, ranging in price from \$700 to \$2,000. Call at the office and see our lists.

## Smith &amp; Smith,

Agents - - - Chatham

Days of miracles not past yet. Conscious ridden by the Great Home Journal, the man and the eggs were returned to their proprietor.

Miss Grace Gillies, of Detroit, is visiting her mother on William St. Mrs. Chas. Watt and Mrs. Mustard, of Thamesville, were in the city calling on friends yesterday.

There will not be any special session of the City Council to-night, owing to the fact that the matters under consideration are not quite in shape to be taken up.

A mothers' meeting will be held in McKeough School Kindergarten at 8.30 Friday afternoon. Rev. F. E. Malott will deliver an address on "The Early Moral Training of the Child."

The local barbers held a meeting Monday night and have agreed to the following prices:—Single, 15c.; hair cut, 25c.; hair cut and whippers, 35c.; egg shampoo, 25c.; neck shave, 5c.; shampoo, 25c.; razors, 10c.; 25c.; massage, 25c.; shave 10c. To come into effect Monday, May 13th. All shops closed at 8 o'clock, sharp.

## Better Than Spanking

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, 4, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child. The chances are it can't help it. The treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

## Britain Helps Jamaica.

London, May 8.—It is stated that the British Government has decided to make a grant of \$750,000 gratis to Jamaica, and to guarantee the island a loan of \$5,000,000 to assist in its rehabilitation.

## ECZEMA AGAIN

## OVERCOME

ZAM-BUK CURES A CASE WHICH FOR TWO YEARS HAD DEFIED EVERY REMEDY TRIED.

## A Farmer's Grateful Testimony.

No case of eczema, skin disease, or ulceration should be despised of until Zam-Buk has been applied. The case of Mrs. Francis Renoit, of St. Anne's, Man., is a powerful illustration of Zam-Buk's efficacy. He says: "I suffered from eczema for two years, and tried a great number of remedies. None of them, however, seemed to do me any good. The ailment was mostly in my legs, and both these were actually raw from the knees down. A small sample box of Zam-Buk was given to me, and even so small a quantity as that did me a little good. I then obtained a proper supply, and by the time I had used a few boxes I was completely cured."

Zam-Buk differs from ordinary salves and embrocations in containing no animal oil or fat. It is compounded from rich, healing, herbal essences, and is an ideal natural combination of power and purity. It is highly antiseptic, and instantly kills bacteria and disease germs, which settling on to wounds and skin diseases set up festering, blood poison, etc. For cuts, burns, bruises, ulcers, abscesses, pimples, boils, skin eruptions, scalp sores, spreading sores, children's skin troubles, chafing sores, etc., Zam-Buk is unequalled. It also cures piles. All druggists and stores at 50c. a box, or from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price, 6 boxes for \$2.50.

## NOTICE

Applications will be received by the undersigned, until ten o'clock a. m., June 3rd, 1907, for the position of Caretaker of Harrison Hall, in the City of Chatham. The by-law governing the position will be supplied on application.

J. GOSNELL,  
Co. Clerk.

## Briscos'

Quick Sales Small Profits  
THE MONEY SAVING SPOT

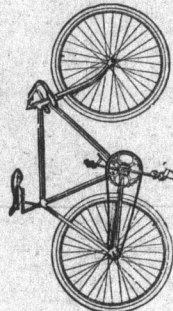
## Gas Fixtures



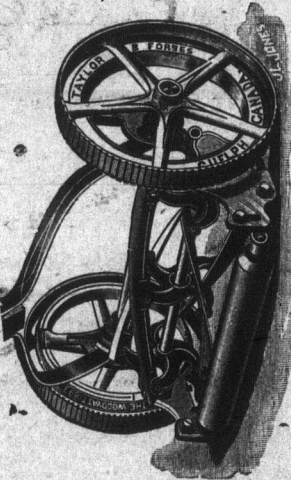
Natural Gas Mantles—  
15c, 20c and 25c.

Natural Gas Burners—  
Electric Wiring and  
Fixtures.

## BICYCLES



New and Second-hand  
sold on Easy  
Payments



## Lawn Mowers

10 different styles, from  
\$3 to \$15

Mowers Sharpened and Repaired



## Baby Carriages and Go-Carts

25 different styles Go-  
Carts from \$1.50 to  
\$25.00.

Baby Carriages \$8.00 to  
\$28.00.

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT

## BRISCOS'

Coats that are made well, look well, wear well and sell well,  
You may tour the town, but Remember

## The Gordon Store

Is the place after all for Spring Bargains. Do you  
want a

## SPRING JACKET

of Fine Covert Cloth, satin lined, at our special spring  
prices? Look here.

## On Sale 35 Fine Spring Jackets

14 only, Ladies' Fawn Covert Cloth Jackets, nicely trimmed,  
satin lined, to clear at \$3.75.

10 only, Fine Fawn Covert \$9.00 Jackets, strapped and  
trimmed, satin lined throughout, at \$6.75.

11 only, Ladies' Fine Fawn \$10 Jackets, box backs, silk col-  
lars, satin lined throughout at \$7.75.

STANDARD FASHION EMPORIUM.

## WILLIAM GORDON

MOTHERS' ASSOCIATION  
FJMMJ AT CENTRAL

In response to an invitation from the kindergarten staff of the Central school, a very pleasant meeting was held yesterday afternoon in the kindergarten room of the school.

The meeting was called to consider the advisability of forming "A Mothers' Club," the objects of which are to consider subjects of interest to mothers, and to form a band of sympathy between the home and school.

It was unanimously decided to form this club, and the election of officers followed. Those elected were:

President—Mrs. G. W. Cowan.  
Vice-President—Mrs. D. McLachlan.  
Secretary—Mrs. Funchard.  
Executive committee—Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. Coate, Mrs. Stanworth, Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Wickham, and kindergarten staff.

The club will meet on the last Friday of each month in the Central school kindergarten room, when an interesting topic will be discussed.

Dr. Carson has very kindly consented to give a talk on "Foods" at the first meeting of the club, Friday, May 31st.

An invitation from McKeough school club was received and accepted for Friday afternoon, May 10th.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—At once, a man with experience in the grocery business. Apply Box 555.

WANTED—Competent cook wanted for months of July and August. For further particulars apply Box 50, Port Lambton.

WANTED! Live Agents in every city and town in Canada to handle our meritorious and high-grade Cobalt and Lander Lake flotation. Correspondence solicited.

## LAW &amp; CO.,

728-729-730-731-732 Traders' Bank Building, Toronto

## Ninety Nine Tailors

Out of every hundred cannot afford to sell at close prices and the credit system is responsible.

We not only sell for cash, eliminating the losses of a credit business, but we also buy direct from the mills—saving the middle-man's profit. This explains why we can give unequalled style, fit and workmanship in Suits, Rain or Topcoats to order at

\$15.00

## LYONS TAILORING CO.,

King Street, Chatham

Hamilton, Stratford, St. Catharines

STYLISH HATS AT  
LITTLE PRICES

## WEDNESDAY SALE!



Stocks must be sold at Good Luck Store, opposite Market. Greatest Bargains ever known in the city of Chatham. Come early and get best choice.

Ladies' Shoes—any shoe in the store—sizes 2½ and 3, reg. \$1.50 to \$4.00, going Wednesday at \$1.98, come early and get your choice.

A large number of Youth's Shoes, sizes 11, 12, 13, reg. \$1.25 and \$1.35, going at \$1. A large assortment of Water proof Coats will be sold at a reasonable price.

Boys' Caps, reg. 25c, going at 19c. Any Gentlemen's Cap in the store, reg. 50c & 75c, to be sold at 35c. Men's Soft Hats, reg. \$2.50 and \$3, going at \$1.25, all sizes, all colors.

Shoe Polish, reg. 25c to be sold at 15c. 100 suits of Men's Fleece Lined Underwear, reg. \$1, going at 75c a suit.

Come early and get your choice of Misses' Ladies' Oxford, reg. \$2 and \$2.50, going at \$1 Wednesday morning.

## M. SHAPERO, King Street

## STRICTLY PRIVATE

MARRIAGE LICENSE  
AND WEDDING RING  
VONGUNTEN'S

## EXCURSIONS

VIA THE

## PERE MARQUETTE

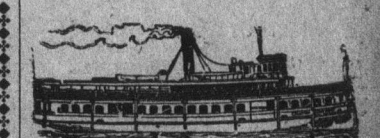
VICTORIA DAY,

FRIDAY, MAY 24

For above occasion Pere Marquette ticket agents will sell round trip tickets at a rate of ONE FARE FOR THE ROUND TRIP. Good going May 23rd and 24th, and good for return up to May 27th. Ask agents for full particulars.

H. F. MOELLER,  
G. P. A.

## TIME TABLE



## Steamer City of Chatham

Commencing Saturday, May 18th; the City of Chatham will make round trips to Detroit Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, leaving Rankin Dock 7.30 a.m. Returning will leave Detroit at 4 p.m. Chatham Time or 3 p.m. Detroit Time. One way trips on Thursday leaving Rankin Dock at 9.30 a.m. Returning will leave Detroit Friday at 9 a.m. Chatham Time or 8 a.m. Detroit Time.

Fare Round Trip.....75c  
Children under 12.....40c  
Single Fare.....50c  
10 Book Tickets.....\$4.00

RIBBLE

Maste











Stylish Millinery | **Wm. Foreman & Co.** | The New Summer Hosiery is Here

WE WANT THE MONEY

# \$1 Tweed Suitings

WORTH \$1.25.

## FRIDAY & SATURDAY 67c.

SEE WINDOW.

On Friday and Saturday we place on sale the noblest range of Suitings that we have ever shown at loss of the profit and part of the cost.

Every yard of goods offered is new fresh goods, just in this season. The suitings are being sacrificed through no fault of their own.

**THE FAULT WAS OURS**—We got greedy—wanted to "corner the market in Stylish Suiting in this vicinity." We bought more than we could handle. The weather was against us, and we are here, with the goods instead of the cash.

**YOU PROFIT BY OUR LOSS**—Yours will be a double profit, for you can buy high-class goods under-priced with a whole season ahead of you to get the wear out of them.

# Wm. Foreman & Co.

## The Sovereign Bank of Canada

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of one and one half per cent (1 1/2 per cent.) for the current quarter, being at the rate of six per cent per annum on the capital stock of this bank, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the head office and at the branches on and after Thursday, the 10th day of May next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 1st to the 15th May, both days inclusive.

Toronto, 30th March, 1907.

R. A. WILLIAMS, Manager. D. M. STEWART, General Manager.

Chatham

## THE DOMINION BANK

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT.

A. BOGART, General Manager. H. J. BETHUNE, Chief Inspector.

Capital, paid up and Reserve Fund \$7,800,000  
Total Deposits 36,000,000  
Total Assets 48,800,000

A General Banking Business transacted, and we invite you to open an account with us. Farmers Business a Specialty.

### SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Interest allowed on all Deposits of One Dollar and Upwards, at Highest Current Rates, payable four times a year. Money may be withdrawn at any time without notice.

W. O. ARMSTRONG, Manager

Chatham Branch Temporary Office Scane Block.

## S-T-O-P

If you saw a \$5.00 bill on the sidewalk you would stop and pick it up.

Well, we think you will see where

you can save money if you read our ad.

Broken Sweet Biscuits, 5c. per lb.  
Broken Sodas, 4c. per lb.  
8 Bars Morton's Grand Soap, 25c.  
20c. Bottles Tomato Catsup, 17c.  
2 Packages Force for 25c.  
Maple Syrup, 15c. per pint.  
Table Syrup, 50c. per gal.  
3 lbs. Washing Soda, 5c.  
22 lbs. Bright Yellow Sugar, 61c.  
7-lb. Pails Jam, 57c.

**A Quantity of Crockery**  
and China still to clear out. The prices should sell them quick.

**John McConnell**

PARK ST. PHONE 19

Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc.

## SPORT

### BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

**Eastern League.**  
Rochester ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0-2  
Toronto ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1  
Two-base hits: Thoney, Phyle, Sacrifice hits—Wetzel, Moran. Stolen bases—Thoney, Flood, Hayden. Bases on balls—Off Rudolph 3, off McGinley 1, off Bannister 1. Struck out—By Rudolph 1 by McGinley 2, by Bannister 3. Innings pitched—By Rudolph 8, by McGinley 1. Hits—Off Rudolph 4, Left on bases—Rochester 7, Toronto 4. Hit—By McGinley 1 (Lennox). Wild pitch—Rudolph. Time—1:45. Umpires—Conway and Hoffman.

**American League Scores.**  
At Chicago—R.H.E.  
Chicago ..... 2 0 0 1 0 2 1 0-3  
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-1  
Batteries: White, Hart and Sullivan; Rhoades, Bernhard and Wakefield. Umpires: O'Laughlin and Stafford.  
At St. Louis—R.H.E.  
St. Louis ..... 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0-3  
St. Paul ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0  
Batteries: Jacobson and Spencer; Seyer and Payne. Umpire: Sheridan.  
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia—New York game postponed, wet grounds.  
At Washington—Washington—Boston game postponed, wet grounds.

**National League Scores.**  
At Boston—R.H.E.  
Philadelphia ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-2  
Boston ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0-1  
Batteries: White, Hart and Sullivan; Rhoades, Bernhard and Wakefield. Umpires: O'Laughlin and Stafford.  
At New York—R.H.E.  
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-1  
New York ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0-2  
Batteries: Bell and Butler; Ames and Bresnahan. Umpires: Emalle and Klem.

### GALT'S FINE NEW COUNTRY CLUB HOUSE

Mr. A. E. Drew, of Chatham, contractor for the new club house for the Waterloo County Golf and Country Club, has finally completed his job and handed over the building to the directors.

The building cost \$8,500 and is, I think, one of the completest and finest of its kind in Canada," said Mr. Drew to the Reporter.—Galt Reporter.

The plans for the new club house in Galt were designed by Architects J. L. Wilson & Son, of this city.

### MR. STEVEN'S TALKS ABOUT THE CROPS

Mr. N. H. Stevens, of the Canada Flour Mills, in a short interview with a Planet reporter yesterday, gave some very interesting news about the crops and outlook in several districts.

A letter from Mr. Syers, of Thamesville, he states that the wheat in that section will be seven-eighths full crop, and also says that the wheat in Elgin will be a good crop.

A letter from the Golden Milling Company, of Ayr, states that the wheat there would be only half a crop, but since the rain of a week ago another has been received stating that there would be a good average crop. Mr. Stevens is also in receipt of a letter from his son Douglas, of Winnipeg, stating that the condition there is between two and three weeks later than that of last year.

that the acreage is large, and their only fear is of the early frosts of next fall.

A letter from Kansas regarding the crops state that the wheat in Kansas, Oklahoma and part of Missouri, is injured greatly by the green bug and late frosts.

From several local districts some very favorable reports are coming in since the recent rainfalls. The crops on the whole looked very small, but now a good average crop is looked for.

### OFFICIAL VISIT

R. Wor. R. N. Fraser, D. D. G. M. of Erie District No. 1, paid his official visit to Wellington Lodge No. 46, A. F. & A. M., Monday night. The Master, Mason's degree was worked by the officers in fine style in the presence of 75 brethren.

After the Lodge closed an inviting lunch was served by the J. W. in the banquet hall, and speeches were made by R. W. Bro. Fraser, W. Bro. M. Houston, W. Bro. J. Smith, W. Bro. Thos. Soullard, Bro. Thos. L. G. Kerr, Bro. A. H. MacGillivray, Bro. R. L. Brackin, and several visiting brethren. Music was furnished by Ed. Jones, and a song in grand style by Bro. James Trotter, were indulged in till the wee sma' hours. All were well pleased with the profitable and pleasant evening.

### KILLED IN RUNAWAY

From Our Own Correspondent.  
Wallaceburg, May 6.—John Tullough and his young son were returning home from Wallaceburg on Saturday last when his horse became frightened and unmanageable. Mr. Tullough and the boy were thrown from the rig. James Joiner, noticing what had happened, came upon the scene to find Mr. Tullough unconscious. With the help of others he was taken to his home near Becher and medical aid was summoned. Everything was done for the unfortunate man, but he passed away on Sunday. The son, we are glad to say, escaped uninjured. Mr. Tullough was well known and his death comes as a shock to his many friends and acquaintances.

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### ONTARIO WHEAT

The fact of the steady decline in the demand for Ontario wheat must be a matter of concern not only to the individual wheat grower, but to the public generally. Ontario people have adopted the use of western flour to a considerable extent, and the building up of western industry to the detriment of the Ontario farmer and miller has been a serious economic loss to the province.

The Ontario farmer has not only lost a ready market for his wheat, but has suffered from the high prices of feed. When the business of wheat growing in Ontario was still flourishing the price of bran and shorts had not soared to the present figure of twenty to twenty-two dollars a ton. In view of the increased cost of living, and the difficulty of obtaining cheap labor, such prices for feed are discouraging to farmers all over Ontario. Giving up wheat and going into stock raising and dairying does not help the farmer, if the cost of an essential part of the feed becomes almost prohibitive.

There seems, however, to be no reason for regarding this state of affairs as inevitable. The Ontario wheat is conceded to have a flavor that is utterly lacking in the western flour, and were it not for the larger percentage of gluten in its western rival, it would have held its own in the open market for bread making as it still does for pastry, biscuits, etc. Those millers and bakers who have adopted the use of blended flour, made from a proper mixture of Ontario wheat and the stronger western wheat to bring up the percentage of gluten, report a great demand for their products all over the Maritime Provinces. Down East the people do not care where the flour comes from or where the grain is grown, provided good flour is supplied them. The fact that they prefer the blended flours ought to be an argument for their use by the people of Ontario, to whom the increase in wheat growing is a matter of vital interest.

Anything that will help to divert some of the money now turned into western channels ought to be welcomed by the farming community. The use of the Ontario blended flours will increase the market for the farmer and prove extremely beneficial to the dairyman and stockman by bringing down prices of bran and shorts to a more reasonable basis.

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Boys' and Girls' Black Cotton Hose, double heel and toe, good wearers, ready for the rough and tumble that's in store for them, all sizes in the lot, Hosiery Sale 9c pair.

Children's Black Lace Lisle Hose, Hermsdorf dye, extra fine thread with open work, 5 1/2 to 8, reg. 40c, Hosiery Sale Price 25c

Evening shades in Children's and Women's Hose, lisle finish, beautiful shades of sky, pink also white, all sizes, reg. 35c, Hosiery Sale Price 25c.

Embroidered Lisle Thread Hose, extra fine qualities, lace embroidered, sizes 8 to 10, regular 50c, Hosiery Sale price 38c pair.

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