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SURPRISED IN THEIR DEN, NEW YORK FUR THIEVES ARE ROUNDED UP BY POLICE

Five Men are Now Awaiting Trial on the Charge of Stealing
\$16,000 Worth of Furs from a New York Firm--A

Detailed Account of the Capture Near Wallaceburg--Good Work Done by
Local Policemen

Trapped in their den, like rats in a trap, three daring fur thieves, busy at the work of tanning the stolen goods, were surprised at their labors and rounded up by the local police force, in their shack near Wallaceburg last night.

The haul made by the Chatham Police force, assisted by Detective Campbell, of Windsor, last night, was undoubtedly the biggest and most sensational criminal round-up in this section for many a day.

The prisoners who were rounded up in the act of tanning \$16,000 worth of stolen furs, in their den near Wallaceburg, are Jacob Gubitski, Simon Gubitski and Samuel Gubitski.

Sam. Kovinski, of this city, was also arrested. It is said that he is in league with the three other prisoners in tanning and disposing of the furs.

The furs were stolen from the warehouse of Seifter & Son, of Brooklyn, New York, on May 28th, of last spring, the warehouse being broken into in the night and the furs carried away in wagons. The burglary baffled all the sagacity of the police and detective forces of New York, and though every means was employed, no trace could be found of the missing goods, or the men who stole them. The value of the furs stolen was estimated at \$16,000.

Detectives have been at work all over the country since that date, endeavoring to clear up the mystery. It was a great surprise to discover that the men who baffled the American police for so long a time, all lived in this city. The burglary and the transportation of the booty must have been all carefully planned beforehand.

In last night's sensational raid the police found the furs in the shack with the Seifter mark on them.

The first clue to the hiding place of the furs came through a Toronto fur man, who received a request from certain machinery and cheques used in the tanning of furs. As he did not know of any firm in Chatham going by the name signed to the letter, he became suspicious, and it was through him that the police got an inkling that the stolen goods must be hidden in Chatham.

The local police force had been quietly working on the affair for some days, and on Sunday they decided that they had things just about ripe enough for a haul. They at once telephoned to Detective Campbell, of Windsor, who arrived in the city last night, accompanied by Mr. F. Seifter, who is a member of the Brooklyn firm from whom the furs were stolen. These two gentlemen, along with Chief of Police Holmes, Officers Dezelia, Groves, Dodson and Darr, have been working night and day since. All Sunday night and in the early hours of Monday morning they were on the scent, and quietly gaining what information they could. They had to work coolly and silently lest the birds take flight before they could be nabbed.

Suspicious, gathered from certain clues followed out, pointed toward Sam. Kovinski, but what at first baffled the police was, as to where the furs were hidden. The officers are quite reticent as to where they got their first clue that the goods were located near Wallaceburg, but it is rumored that a woman, who was in some way connected with the affair, gave the gang away.

Reporters, who suspected from recent manoeuvres of the police that there was something out of the ordinary doing, made persistent inquiry at the station, but everyone there was mum, and there was no intimation as to what was going on until the officers arrived in the city with their quarry last night. The prisoners and the stolen furs were brought up on the car from Wallaceburg last night. The Police Station looked like a warehouse after the goods had all been brought in and stacked up.

The roundup was made early in the evening, the police surrounding the house in which the culprits were working and taking them by surprise while they were yet busy at the work of tanning the raw furs. It was an awful awakening to them, and so completely surprised were they that all were arrested without resistance, with the exception of one, who made an endeavor to escape through

one of the windows of the house. He had barely got his head out of the window when he found himself looking down Detective Campbell's revolver from the outside, and Officer Dezelia had seized him by the legs from within.

All four were handcuffed, and it was a matter of a few moments to march them off to the station. A delivery rig was secured to bring the furs down to the train.

In the house, besides the stolen furs, a complete apparatus for tanning furs was found. The gang had been carrying on their work of tanning the furs unmolested for some time. The visit of the police came as a rude awaker.

The house in which the gang tanned and kept the furs was all rigged up in comfortable style, and there was a couple of beds in which it is supposed one or more of the bunch slept in turn, although some of their number must have returned to Chatham each night.

When the prisoners were first brought into the city a large crowd gathered around the Police Station and watched the unloading of the furs from the wagon. All was mystery, and the curious were unable to learn what it was all about. At first the will rumors flew around that it was a bunch of counterfeit money, and had been rounded up in the country by the police. This was eagerly taken up by the crowd, but they were unable to get any further information, as the doors of the Police Court were closed as soon as the prisoners were taken inside.

When The Planet gained admittance, the prisoners were all looked safely in the cells, and Officers Dodson and Groves were standing guard over them.

Detective Campbell, when seen, could not say anything too good for the work of the Chatham policemen, who, with himself, rounded up the gang.

"Everybody did their work well," he said, "and it was one of the neatest hauls I have ever been my pleasure to witness."

Mr. Seifter was also seen. He told how the goods had been first stolen from the New York warehouse, and how the police had been puzzled over the burglary.

The whole scheme of the burglary was so bold and daring as to be almost incredible. The goods, after they were stolen, were brought to the border and by some cunning scheme smuggled across the line by the thieves. The furs were first brought to Chatham and hidden in two shacks here—one near the Grand Trunk on Queen St., and the other on Park Avenue. It is since been learned that the culprits and their accomplices made an endeavor to dispose of a portion of the booty to local fur dealers.

Unable to dispose of the raw material, they next formed the idea of tanning them themselves. The furs were smuggled across the line to Wallaceburg, where the work of tanning began. Nearly all of the furs were recovered in the raid last night, and Mr. Seifter identified the goods by the firm's private mark, which is perforated into each piece.

The four prisoners were assigned before Judge Houston last night, and were remanded until next Tuesday, when they will come up for hearing. In the meantime they will be held in custody at the gaol. An attempt is being made to secure bail for Kovinski.

The part played by Kovinski in the deal seems to be, according to the information as given out, the local accomplice of the New York thieves—the Gubitskis. He has, it is said, been actively connected with the concealing of the furs, and in their disposal. It is said that the police have strong evidence against him. The Gubitskis have often been seen in his company, and every Sunday, it is said that the four of them spent the day together at Kovinski's home.

Nelson Stringer, when interviewed by The Planet, said that Kovinski, in company with the elder Gubitski, came to him and wanted to sell some furs. Mr. Stringer said that he would want to see a sample, but the men never brought the sample. Mr. Kovinski also went to Agar & Neff, so it is said, and wanted to sell some furs. The suspicions of this firm were aroused when they found that a local man had so many valuable furs, and they were particularly interested when they saw an "ad." in a furrier journal giving a description of the stolen furs. They notified

the police, but the local authorities had been on to the game for some time previous, and were then watching the suspected men, and spreading the net for the thieves.

It is also given out that some of the men suspected tried to get storage for some furs from Fleming, Tillson & Co. It is supposed that they hoped to get a storage check, and then raise money on it.

There are many other clues in the possession of the police, which will be worked out during the coming week, and others may be drawn into the affair. The local police force has worked hard on this case, and to it belongs the major portion of the credit for the capture.

The elder Gubitski is rather a stout man with a moustache, and rather coarse looking. The other two Gubitskis are his sons. They are young men, rather good looking and well dressed. They look like anything but criminals.

Much local interest has been aroused in the case. When the prisoners were brought into the city last night there was a big crowd around to see what they could see, and this morning, although the prisoners did not come up in front of the Police Station, there was a large crowd around the station, all anxious to catch a glimpse of the prisoners. Their curiosity, however, was not satisfied, as all visitors to the station were excluded from the building.

THE FIRST CLUE.

To-day it was learned that the real source of information came through Messrs. Agar & Neff, furriers of this city. It was through these gentlemen that the original clue to the mystery was secured. The Toronto firm to whom Kovinski had written asking for twelve bags of sawdust for the alleged purpose of using it for metal polishing, wrote to Agar & Neff asking them who Kovinski of Chatham was, and what business he was engaged in. The local firm replied that Kovinski was a junk dealer.

Later Messrs. Agar & Neff seeing an item in the Fur Trade News, regarding the big New York robbery in which Seifter & Son lost \$16,000 worth of furs, became suspicious that certain local parties knew something about the whereabouts of the missing goods. They immediately telegraphed Mr. Seifter to come at once. He arrived here Saturday morning, and the ultimate result was the arrest of the quartette last night.

ONE MORE ARRESTED.

Chief Holmes this afternoon received a message that a man named Putereau was arrested in Montreal. He is the fifth man in the gang. He had \$2,200 worth of furs with him which was his intention to sell. He had already sold \$5,000 worth of furs to M. S. John, of Montreal. Pete Dezelia left for Montreal to bring Putereau here.

THE BEST TALKER

The off fields in Tilbury East and Raleigh Townships are extending rapidly to the north, almost all work being done north of the Middle Road—in fact only two strings of the score or more in the field are at work south of the Middle Road. Almost every oil man of experience makes his way for territory just where the J. W. Smith farm, which is most southerly of profitable developments. Those who thought they knew—but to their dismay discovered that they did not know—are now making frantic—almost desperate—efforts to get territory just where their wisdom taught them there was no oil. It is generally acknowledged that the drill alone will tell correctly just where there is—or is not—oil. But as an elderly gentleman in Chatham puts it—it takes lots of money to make the drill talk—Tilbury Times.

\$10.00 ATLANTIC CITY, CAPE MAY AND RETURN

Four seashore excursions via Lehigh Valley Railroad July 20th, August 3rd, 17th and 31st. Tickets good 15 days, stopover allowed at Philadelphia. Tickets only \$10.00 round trip from Suspension Bridge, Niagara Falls. For tickets, call on or write Robert S. Lewis, Canadian Passenger Agent, 10 King Street East, Toronto.

THE RATE IS 28 MILLS

The City Council Will Pay
Off Last Year's Deficit,
This Year

REVENUES ARE LOWER

The civic rate this year will be 28 mills on the dollar. This was the decision arrived at by the City Council at their meeting last evening. This is considered a high rate but the Council decided to pay as they are going along, and if they stick to this resolution they cannot get on with a smaller rate.

In explaining the high rate Ald. Scullard said that the citizens generally have been looking for a high rate of taxation and are in a measure prepared for it when it comes. This year our sources of income are not as large as those of last year. We have not got coming in \$17,600 from the Pere Marquette, nor \$5,000 from the Waterworks Department. The Water Commissioners find that they will have expenditures that will require all their money, in the shape of new boilers, repairs to the stand pipe, and repairing a leak in the water pipe at the foot of Third street. There was an income of \$4,980.16 from the licenses last year, as there were three half years to draw from. This time there are only two half years to draw from and as a result the city is \$1,600 short in this revenue compared with last year. The Board of Health this year also is a great expense. Already \$725.24 has been paid for groceries for quarantined people alone. Then there is the overdraft from last year that the Council of this year decided to pay off. It is the intention to pay up everything this year so that there will be no overdraft for next year's Council to look after.

Ald. Potter did not want the rate to be so high, and he favored making the rate 26 mills even if there is a small overdraft at the end of the year. Next year the Council might think of paying off some of the overdrafts.

It was finally decided to adopt the 28 mill rate.

The following were the estimates: The required sum, \$23,293.95. C. C. I., \$10,100. Public Library, \$1,850. Consolidated debt on debentures, \$20,443.34.

Queen and Thames street debentures, \$12,783.33. Electric light debentures, \$1,553.14. Interest on the Dowley, Chaplin, and DeLancey, \$1,341.19. General Local Improvement, \$14,000. Waterworks Debentures, \$10,120.67. Administration of Justice, \$2,300. Registry Office, \$325. Inquests, etc., \$100. Harrison Hall, \$800. Cemetery, \$2,000. Election expenses, \$500. Electric light department, \$7,925. Fire Department, \$5,600. Isolation Hospital, \$1,000. Legal expenses, \$1,000. Market, \$1,300. Police Department, \$4,800. Pounds, \$180. Printing and stationery, \$1,000. Salaries, \$5,000. Street sprinkling, \$296.69. Parks, \$750. Board of Health, \$2,200. Bridges, \$1,000. Charity, \$2,100. Contingencies, \$2,000. Jail improvement, \$110. Board of Works, \$7,500. Interest account, \$3,500.

It is a woman's privilege to change her mind and prevaricate about her age.

There is nothing so powerful as example. By it we put others straight ourselves.

DON'T GO MARKETING ANY MORE

with an old basket
when new ones are
so cheap.

Lunch Baskets,
covered, white
wicker.

Waste Paper Baskets,
the best.

Clothes Baskets,
better than the
best.

Work and Kindergarten Baskets,
largest assortment
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SULMAN'S

BEEHIVE

King and
Sixth
Streets...

PHONE 96

P.S.—All of these are imported goods, so you may look for bargains.

IT'S EASY

To sell goods if the quality and prices are right. The amount of business we do proves this to be a fact.

Fresh Ginger Snaps, 6c. a pound.
3 lbs. Mixed Biscuits, 25c.
6 Bars Comfort Soap, 25c.
6 Richards Pure Soap, 25c.
2 lbs. Coarse Jap Tea, 25c.
Wash Boards, 15c. each.
3 Packages Jelly Powder, 25c.
Fruit Jars—Pints 60c, quarts 70c., half-gallons 80c. per dozen.
1 lb. Cans Sunlight Baking Powder, 10c.
Prunes, 8c. per lb.
Good Corn Starch, 8c. a packet.

COME QUICK

and save dollars by purchasing your Dinner, Tea, or Chamber Sets, at our Clearing Sale. China lots left for wedding presents, birthday presents, or you can buy yourself a present for little money. The goods must go.

JOHN McCONNELL
PARK ST. PHONE 190

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Children's (sizes 6 to 10) - 30c

Misses' (size 11 to 2) - 35c

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Tennis, Bowling, Lacrosse and all sorts of outing and summer footwear

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TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1906.

A CITY OF "BOOSTERS."

The great industrial and commercial boom that Chatham has been experiencing for the past few years is being heralded abroad as an example for other cities to follow. St. Catharines has heard of it and in a recent editorial the St. Catharines Standard gives the following sound advice to the people of that place:

"Chatham is in a boasting mood, not perhaps without reason. She claims 14 miles of paved streets, the most imposing market, the largest and best public schools, the finest public buildings, the most city-like stores, and the largest industries, a population in city and suburbs close to 15,000, and is forging ahead at a rate which will make other cities in that portion of the province dizzy in contemplation. During the past year more than 200 houses are said to have been erected, many business blocks have been built, and a number of new industries landed. Her people have the 'boosting' spirit which has made other big cities what they are to-day, and what St. Catharines needs. The boom in Chatham dates since the streets of the city were paved. A lack of 'tight wads' has contributed towards a public spirit which makes for progress and growth. There are some pointers here for our own people. Let us cultivate the 'boosting' qualities and see if we cannot put this beautiful and progressive city a few notches ahead of any of our competitors in regard to buildings, industries, or any other streets, schools, markets, public desirable factors. Build up, but not tear down."

DISTRICT

THAMESVILLE

July 23.—Wesley Lee, of Winnipeg, is visiting friends in town.
Miss Carrie Harmer, of Detroit, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harmer.
Jack Cryderman, of Chatham, spent Sunday in town.
Russell Platt, of Detroit, called on friends here yesterday.
Dr. and Mrs. DeCov, of Chatham, are the guests of Mrs. J. R. Duffus. Mr. and Mrs. Pye were the guests of Mrs. Her, of Ridgetown, yesterday.
Miss S. Jean Walker left to-day for London, where she will visit her brother Wallace previous to returning to Saint Ste. Marie.
One rink of bowlers, Messrs. Cornwall, Duncan, Nichol and Davies, left this morning to take part in the London tournament.

DRESDEN

July 23.—Misses Phyllis and Helen Ashwell gave a garden party Saturday afternoon to a number of their little boy and girl friends.
Mrs. Frank Sharpe has returned to her home in Chatham.
T. N. Wells has obtained a new assistant.
Mrs. Alex. McRitchie, of Chatham, spent a few days of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Cuthbert.
The sale of Wright & Hughes was very largely attended. Some good bargains were offered.

EVENING.

A lone star swings
At the edge of the world;
A lone bird sings
With pinions furled
Where a wandering rose
O'er a trellis goes.
The day is done,
And the afterglow
Of the setting sun
Doth seem to throw
A rosy spell
O'er hill and dell.
The earth is still;
But the cattle low,
As over the hill
They homeward go
From meadows long
To waiting hands.
And toll of day
To the lighter task
Of eve gives way;
While all things bask
In the last bright ray
Of dying day.
—Elizabeth V. Packard.
Judging from some people a mind is merely something to guess with.

FASHION HINTS



LADIES' SHIRTWAIST.

4157.
Five Sizes, 32 to 40 inches Bust Measure.

An especially pretty shirtwaist is pictured in white batiste, all-over lace and insertion. A small V-shaped yoke of tacked material is outlined with panels of embroidery bands edged with insertion; groups of tucks and insertion trim the body of the waist, which closes at the back. The short sleeves are finished with a band of the material tacked and edged with lace, and if the long sleeve is preferred the deep cuff is used. A girlish silk or leather complet's the model.

All sheer materials, such as batiste, lawn, organdie, fancy net-silk, handkerchief linen, wash silks, etc., will combine well with embroidery, lace tucking, and motifs.
The pattern is cut in five sizes, from 32 to 40 inches bust measure. The medium size requires 2-8 yard of all-over for yoke, 5 yards of insertion, and 4 yards of 21-inch material.

LADIES' TUCKED WAIST.

4140.
Five Sizes, 32 to 40 inches Bust Measure.

The pointed yoke is a pretty feature of the waist pictured here in white handkerchief linen, with an embroidered yoke and lace edging. The pattern provides a lining. Groups of narrow tucks stitched to bust depth and hand embroidery ornament the front of the blouse, while tucks at the back reach to waistline, the closing being invisible at the center back. The full-length one-seam seam sleeve is confined at the armhole with gathers, while narrow tucks adjust the fullness where the cuff of hand embroidery and lace edging gives a dainty finish. Pale blue crepe de Chine with a yoke of Irish all-over, and lace bands are used effectively on the waist.

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Don't Take Unnecessary Chances.



When a girl says "No" she may mean "Yes".
At least we're told that is a guess. But when she says it, turn and flee; The wise man won't hang round to see.

No Evidence.
"See the bald-headed gentleman in the third box? He is heir apparent to one of the moldiest thrones in Europe."
"You would never suspect it of him. There is no hair apparent."

Needed It.
From a sigh for the mist he could not see.
There was none at hand, but he wished so hard.
For an odoriferous whiff of the herb's bruised vein.
That used to grow in the old back yard.
He was not a thief, as you may have guessed.
And not for himself did he long for it.
But his only son was so sore distressed
That he felt he could use a little bit.

For the youngster had howled with the stomach ache
From the dark midnight to the dawn's pale tint
And had kept the household all awake
Wherefore the sigh for the pepper-mint.

A curate is not always accurate.

Quite Right.

"What's your idea of a good joke?"
"One that hits a fellow that you don't like."

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

One reason why truth telling is so unpopular is because it is so apt to be unpleasant.

When mischief is chronic in a boy, spankings are apt to be periodical.

To keep your place it is sometimes essential to knock another fellow out.

A little of some things is a good deal too much.

A cold expression often precedes a hot reception.

Where much consideration is shown, the bill for the same is proportionately large.

The average man prefers to earn his bread if possible by the sweat of his jaw rather than his brow.

A promising condition isn't in it with one that is really doing business.

There are more ugly women in the world than one imagined, judging from the "How to Be Beautiful" literature that is published.

Happiness is the ability to make yourself believe that you are pleasing yourself regardless of people and circumstances.

ASK FOR
Labatt's
(LONDON)
India Pale Ale

Prejudiced and unscrupulous vendors may suggest others, but compare it any way you will—purity, freedom from acidity, palatableness—Labatt's Ale is surpassed by none, equalled by few—at about half the price of best imported brands.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

THE BLOWHARD.

Well, yes;
I admit
That I tear up the ground
Some.
But then
I never have claimed to be
A Sunday school picnic
Or a pert and saucy
Charley boy.
What's the use
In being a cyclone?
A regular rip snorter,
A fierce man eating
Ring tailed roarer.
If you can't have some fun
Out of it?
You've got the name,
And you might as well
Have the game.
And it isn't a game
Of pingpong
Either.
Not exactly.
Thought of course
It is all of that
And some more.
Yes.
As I come to think it over,
Quite a good deal more.
Of course you might say
That it isn't.
A nice thing to do
To come racing down
At a fire engine gait
And pick up the happy home
Of a man
Who had never done anything to
You.
And, after breaking
Some of the wedding presents
And jarring loose the pictures,
Set it down
On the lot
Of a perfect stranger.
But that is just my way, and if
You don't like it all you have
got to do is to carry a cyclone
cellar
Around in your vest pocket.



A Timid Young Thing.

"The professor put his arm around her."
"Did she scream?"
"No, she was too frightened."
"Yes, she was frightened lest he should take it away."

More Law in Prospect.

It is the dream of the promoters of The Hague tribunal that it may eventually become a lawmaking body, passing a few statutes occasionally for the benefit of those people who do not feel as though they were being governed enough as it is.

If there is one thing that we need particularly in the United States it is a few more lawmaking bodies. Congress, the various state legislatures, city councils and county administrations only pass a few hundred thousand new laws a year, and sometimes time hangs heavy on our hands because we have a half hour in which we do not know for certain that we are obeying any law.

There ought to be a field for The Hague tribunal to start in early before it began trying to regulate our lives and deciding which country should make sausages and which should eat them, and that field is the air. Just for practice they might begin with a statute forbidding balloonists to bump into the moon.

Heroes.

Too late they found their marriage
Was clearly a misfit.
But still they never said a word,
But made the best of it.

Lasting Cure.

"He took the Keeley cure long ago."
"I didn't know that he ever drank."
"He didn't. The cure he took was for financial plethora. He invested in the stock of the Keeley Motor company."

No Strong Man.

"I heard you took the train for the city last week."
"That is a mistake; the train took me."

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Although the scientists have not found the mosquito that gives spring fever, the ordinary loafer has been more successful.

There are three classes of people, financially speaking—those who earn money, those who burn money, and a third class which lies between and touches the two preceding.

Everybody loves a winner except the loser.

We often do things just to show how much better than others we can do them.

Persistent use of the hammer is not recommended for developing the biceps.

Some people never deteriorate; they can't.

Every coquette tries to do her best—young man.

Sympathy that has relation to the stomach is very comforting.

Golden opportunities are the kind we lose.

Sometimes there is much wisdom in being a fool.

THIS WEEK WINDS UP THE JULY CLEARANCE SALE

It has been a great event, because, the merchandise offering simply comely buying. A shrewd shopper recognizes special values at sight and buys. We have gone on this principle in this as in every other sale. We want four more days to close this sale with another record broken. Come and put your own keen judgment on the merchandise, the advertisement is only the introduction, the goods must be the argument.
FOR WEDNESDAY we have made special preparations. Here are but a few of many good things that await you.

\$1.00 Dress Goods for 58c

27 pieces including 56 in. Tweeds, 50 in. French Cheviots, 52 in. Basket Cloths, 54 in. Panama Cloths, 56 in. Homespuns, 48 in. Mohairs, etc., Blacks and full range colors, reg. 75c, 90c, and \$1.00 yard, sale price

58c

75c Dress Goods at 39c Yard

34 pieces this season's choicest fabrics and colorings, including 44 in. Tweeds, etc., Blacks and Colors, reg. up to 75c yard, sale price

39c

35c Dress Goods 19c Yard

26 pcs. including 42 in. Tweeds, 42 inch Granite Suitings, 44 in. Bradford Suitings, 42 in. Mohair Lustres, etc., choice range colors, reg. 25c and 35c yard, sale price

19c

Bath Towels

6 dozen fine Turkish Bath Towels, large size, fancy striped patterns, reg. 15c each, sale price

12 1/2c

12 1/2c Indigo Ducks 10c Yard

9 pcs. best grade Indigo Ducks in spots, stripes and floral designs, fast colors, regular 12 1/2c, a yard, sale price

10c

12 1/2c White Cotton 9c Yd

800 yards fine bleached cotton, full yard wide, even weave, pure finish, worth 12 1/2c a yard, sale price

9c

36 in. Apron Gingham 8c Yd

Good quality blue and white checks, plain and bordered, full yard wide, fast colors, reg. 10c, a yard, sale price

8c

15c Huck Towelling 11c Yard

Warranted pure linen, pure bleached, 17 in. wide, reg. 15c yd, sale price

11c

Linen Bargains

4 choice patterns in rich satin finish, double damask, full two yards wide, a special \$1.00 quality, sale price

83c

50c. Table Linens 39c

Heavy pure linen, cream finish, 62 in. wide, 4 choice patterns, our best 50c. grades, sale price

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THE REASON FOUND.

Why Britons Win Yankee Girls For Wives—Englishmen Are More Devoted, Says Harmsworth.

The reason why so many American girls choose English husbands is that the Englishman is more devoted and knows how to treat her better than does the American, was the explanation recently given at the Hotel St. Regis, in New York, by Alfred Harmsworth, Lord Northcliffe, who arrived on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, says The New York American.

"The most interesting thing about America is her women—at least that is what Englishmen think, and we ought to know, for we have in London the women of your country who have married our men and who never come over to this side unless it may be to make 'mamma' a brief visit or to see how the States have grown," said the great English editor.

"The American girl likes our men better than she does the American. It's because he knows better how to treat her. 'I have studied the American girl, not a little bit, and it is after much careful observation that I have come to the conclusion that our men make better husbands for the American girl than our own men. The American woman likes him better. What the American likes—what any woman likes—is to be adored—to be made much of—to be worshipped, in truth—and that is where the Englishman has the advantage over the American. He adores, worships, lavishes his affection on his wife.

The American calls us a stupid lot. He loves to tell the American girl those stories, referring to the slow-going wits of the average Englishman. The Englishman may be stupid—I don't think so—but if he is his stupidity is of a sort that appeals to the American girl so much that she marries him. Let the American man deny that! I can prove what I say by statistics—actual figures.

"Why, do you know, it has got to be so that when an American girl marries an American she is sure to be disappointed. The newspapers devote columns to the event. They speak of her common sense and of her—I was about to say her love, but I will modify that—of her fine love of home and things of the sort. That in itself proves my statement. The American girl who through choice and of her own volition marries the American is so singularly rare that she needs be publicly commended for her noble act!"

"You say these conditions exist, Lord Northcliffe. Why is it so?"

"For many reasons. I have told you one—that the Englishman worships his wife. Then while the American is busy making money for his wife the Englishman is busy making love to his. In the last analysis a woman prefers a man who makes love to the one who can make money. The American woman is indeed fortunate. She has the advantage of having fathers who make money, and she marries the Englishman who makes love to her."

"Your men, I take it, are too much in a hurry in their love affairs. They 'rush' a girl. That word is strictly American in the sense I have just used it and very apropos of the methods your men pursue. The Englishman never rushes in anything, particularly not in matters that affect his heart. A woman is flattered by the time he takes in his love-making. To the American girl used to the other sort of man it is refreshing and has in it a subtle flattery. I dare say that even your men have not forgotten the thoroughness and sentiment of her husband."

"American men may make fairly good lovers before marriage; they may shower their fiancées with diamonds, they may stuff sweets down their pretty throats, they may provide all sorts of entertainment, but it is so palpably lavished upon the girl that she becomes surfeited with the purely material demonstrations of the man's affection."

"He forgets to tell her that he loves her; in his businesslike way he recalls the day when he honored her with the avowal of his affection and he looks with pride upon the four carat solitaire or the band of brilliant which gleams on her third right hand finger, and like that famous 'ad' he thinks 'nut ced.'"

"But with us it is different. A man is more devoted after he is married than before, and while he does not buy roses for his wife, he does not forget the bunch of violets or the roadside buttercup, it might be, of which he has heard his wife express herself as fond on some happy occasion in the past—an occasion of which she may have forgotten the reminder of it through the thoughtfulness and sentiment of her husband."

"Those are some of the reasons why our men make American women better husbands. Your women are filled with sentiment; they must have flattery, must have affection, must have the American gets to taking too much for granted the 'stupid' Englishman comes in and flies off with the Yankee bride."

Shakespeare and Serbian Politics. A striking scene was witnessed, our correspondent says, at the performance of "King Richard III." at Belgrade, in the ghost scene a whisper ran round the house that the presentment of Hastings resembled the late Gen. Petrovitch, who was murdered together with King Alexander. And in the monologue of the frightened Richard the words, "I am a villain," were hailed with such frantic applause that the actor was unable to proceed. The whole audience from pit to gallery was in a state of indescribable emotion, and it was rumored that the piece will not be allowed to be given again.—St. James' Gazette.

Bruce the Explorer. James Bruce, the eighteenth century traveler and explorer, owed his discovery of the source of the Blue Nile to his ability to amaze the Abyssinians. He had some reputation as an astrologer, but his cure of smallpox was more of a feather in his cap as a medicine man. His firing of a tallow candle through a table established his fame still higher as a worker of miracles. His taming of savage horses and shooting of kites on the wing were the final manoeuvres which opened the way to the river to whose discovery he had dedicated his life.

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SPELLING REFORM.

The Phonetic Phenomena of the Word "Phoenix."

They were talking about spelling reform and the idiosyncrasies of English spelling the other day.

"There's that very word 'phonetic,'" said one of the men. "That's a sample of English spelling. The reformers call their system the 'phonetic system,' and yet they have to spell 'phonetic' with a 'ph' in order to let people know what they mean. The very word that means 'spelled as pronounced' is as far from it as possible."

"Now, now!" drawled his friend. "You're too hard on the good old English speller. You ought to be proud of 'phonetic.' Why, that word is so trimmed down and sawed off and cut short for I wouldn't know it was English if I met it alone on a blank page. You ought to thank the language for that word. It is a beautiful word. That 'ph' might have been spelled like 'dough' and the 'net' like 'ette' in 'rosette' and the 'ic' like 'lig' in 'liguor.' That would be a good old style English word—pho-ugh-net-ette. But it is coming! Phonetic spelling is coming! Look at the word 'phenix.' It is spelled 'phenix' everywhere now, and I remember it always used to be 'phenix.' That 'o' has gone. That shows."

"Nothing!" said the objector. "What does it show? That the phenix is a bird. Isn't the phenix a bird? Yeal! Well, that round thing you say was an 'o' was an egg. That's all. 'Twas just an egg, and the phenix laid the egg. That's all.'—Success Magazine.

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The Black Dike Mills are situated in the village of Queensbury, which is perched on one of the hills surrounding the great manufacturing city of Bradford, Yorkshire. Here for a hundred years musical Yorkshiremen have cultivated the practice of instrumental music, and to such good purpose that the name of Black Dike is familiar as a household word from John O'Grat's to Land's End. For over fifty years the great firm of John Foster & Son, whose extensive mills cover fifteen acres, and employ nearly 2,000 workpeople in the manufacture of alpaca, mohair and worsted stuffs, silks, seals, plushes, etc., have maintained the band in a state of great proficiency. The founder of the firm was himself an enthusiastic amateur, and his descendants have prided themselves on keeping the band up to a standard of perfection beyond which it would seem impossible to go. The bandmen are all employed in the mills, and all expenses of maintenance, tuition, etc., are borne by the firm.

Every Man an Artist. The Black Dike Band is a brass band, and we would warn those whose notion of a brass band has been derived from the common or garden sort of brass band to beware of letting their prejudice keep them from hearing this band, else they may never cease regretting it, for those who have not heard Black Dike or another British prize band of the first rank can have no conception of what a brass band can achieve in the way of artistic effect. There is nothing which Black Dike cannot play with consummate ease and grace. Every man is an artist, and their executive ability is marvellous. In no other kind of band is the executive ability of brass players developed to such an extent. There is not a man in Black Dike but would be eagerly snapped up by the finest army bands in England, were he available.

Heroic Music Its Forte. But though they can play the airy strains of a Strauss waltz with the grace of an orchestra, it is in grand, heroic music that the band shines most. They have astonished the greatest musicians of England and have lifted brass band playing to the highest regions of musical art. When they treat Canadians to their grand selection from the works of Beethoven, Berlioz, Spohr, Rossini, Meyerbeer, Gounod and Wagner, we predict such an enthusiastic reception as no band has hitherto received here. The late Sir Arthur Sullivan, himself born and reared in an army band, was quite carried away by the plays at one of the Crystal Palace Festivals. "Wagner's 'Tannhauser' was magnificent," he wrote. "I was surprised not only at the tone, but at the fire and go of the performance. In this they excelled any band I have ever heard." And similar praise has been showered upon them wherever they have played.

Have Won Many Contests. As a contesting band they have stood for fifty years at the head of the movement which has made such magnificent bands as the British amateur prize bands. They have won everything worth winning. They were first at the Crystal Palace (out of 169 bands), as far back as 1886. When this festival was recently revived Dike was first again after an interval of forty years. "Criticism is out of the question," said the judges. At the great Belle Vue contest, Manchester, they have been first on no less than eleven occasions. In 1882 they were debarred as being unbeatable, having won first prize for the third year in succession in 1881. Altogether they have won 100 first prizes against the pick of the English bands. Even this does not emphasize their pre-eminence so much as the fact that at one period they won no less than seven first prizes at consecutive events!

The Veteran Conductor. Mr. John Gladney, to whom primarily is due the great proficiency of the band, has been retained by Messrs. Foster & Son as its professional teacher since 1888. Few Canadians who behold the alert figure of Mr. Gladney will imagine that he looks back upon nearly 60 years' career as a professional musician. But such is the fact, and there are few living musicians who can look back upon a career of such distinction. The son of an army bandmaster of considerable note, Mr. Gladney was born in 1829, and practiced music from the cradle. When only ten years old he played piano (this being the first of his many talents) in the band of the famous 11th-Regt. Jullien. He sat on the knee of Loening, and to this day holds that noted cornet player as the greatest of all time. He was petted by Bottesini, and made much of by the great Obolensky. He met then Mr. Gladney has been constantly in touch with the greatest European artists.

Bandmaster Bower. Mr. Harry Bower, the resident bandmaster, is a product of the Black Dike Band, and a most accomplished musician. The Bower family have long held important positions in the Black Dike Mills, and have been connected with the band throughout its career. Mr. Bower's brother, Phineas, preceded him as bandmaster, and held that position for 21 years. Mr. Phineas Bower was a great euphonium player, second to none, amateur or professional, in his day. Pressure of official duties at the mills compelled him to retire from the band in 1895, and the band chose his brother, Mr. Harry Bower, to succeed him. How wise their choice was is proved by the ever increasing popularity of the band during the ten years he has been in charge. Mr. Harry Bower is a very brilliant cornetist; he is also a first-class musician, having thoroughly studied the theory and practice of music in various directions.

Thanks to the generosity of Messrs. Foster & Son, the band is now able to gratify its long-cherished desire to visit America, and though Mr. Gladney is quite unable to give the band more than a moiety of his services at home, Messrs. Foster have prevailed upon him to put his other hands aside for a time and to accompany their band across the seas.

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I Love You.

A Danish paper compares "I love you" in many languages. Here are some of them—the Danish paper is our only authority for their correctness: The Chinaman says, "Uo ngai ni"; the Armenian, "Ge stem ez bez"; the Arabian, very shortly, "Nehabeek"; the Egyptian, similarly, "Nacheke"; the Turk, "Sial sevejourum"; and the Hindoo, "Main tym ko pijar karyn." But overwhelming is the declaration of love of an Eskimo, who tries to win the chosen one by the pleasing sound of the dainty little word: "Univingsaerdlulalnerlunajungarsujak."

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The Guessing Cook.

"I'd give a dollar," said the man who coddles his stomach, "to find a cook who doesn't measure. There used to be plenty of them. I remember the time when half the kitchens in the land gloried in a guesswork cook. Eating was a pleasure in those days. It isn't so now. In these whirling times everything has a machine made taste. That is because the cooks measure so much. Instead of trusting to inspiration, as the heaven born cook is bound to do, the kitchen queens of today measure even the salt they put in the porridge. No wonder such cookery lacks individuality and is all on the same dead level of mediocrity. Merciful heavens, what all these biscuits? They're heavy as lead."

"I think the cook made a mistake," said the man's wife. "I got a new one yesterday—one that doesn't measure. I am afraid she didn't put enough baking powder in the biscuits."

An Oddity in Buffeting.

"If you want to see an oddity," an undertaker said, "go to a cemetery and note how in the erection of old fashioned tombs they lower into place the marble slabs. These marble slabs are not lowered by means of a derrick. They are lowered by hand. The work is so delicate, you see, and it is so necessary not to chip the edges of the stones, that only hand work answers. You wonder, I suppose, how the men avoid pinching or crushing their fingers as they lower a great slab of marble on to its marble base. Well, they accomplish this by lowering the stone upon lumps of sugar arranged in orderly lines, and then they gradually dissolve the sugar by squirting water over it. All the huge, flat stones of old fashioned tombs or vaults are lowered by hand on to lumps of sugar."

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Mr. White Says That He Still Holds Championship in Fat Man's Race

Mr. J. W. White was a caller at The Planet editorial rooms yesterday. Mr. White wanted to explain some technicalities in connection with the fat man's race which was run off at Tecumseh Park Friday. "Some time ago," said Mr. White, "I met Archie Skirving on King street. Archie was talking of the fat man's race which he said was to take place here shortly, and he announced the fact that a fat man's race was to be pulled off, saying that I ought to get myself in shape and take part in it. He told me distinctly that this race was to take place at four o'clock in the afternoon on the day of the picnic, and I accordingly did not expect to see the race take place before that time.

"Now here is where the funny part of it comes in. I was coming over the bridge Saturday at 1.15, and I made some inquiry as to when the fat man's race was to take place. I was told that it had taken place in the morning, despite the fact that it was announced to me to take place in the afternoon, and that they had told me that they would send a messenger to let me know when the race was coming off. I applied to Mr. Skirving about the matter, and he told me that he had been so busy with other things all morning that he didn't have a chance to let me know that a change had been made in the time set for the race. I then spoke to Mr. McCarthy, one of the judges, and he said that they would put on a special race for me.

"In this race I was pitted up against five men, one of whom was Harry Roberts, a Wabash College man residing at Windsor, who says that he is forty years of age and weighs 265 pounds. I asked J. W. Bedford to hold my cap and coat for me, and he told me afterwards that Roberts got four feet of start on me when we were getting away. Afterwards, Mr. Roberts, who is a gentleman and a good fellow, admitted this to me. He got in ahead of me in that race by about six inches. There was no goal or tape-line to determine when we had finished the race.

"I wanted Mr. Roberts to run the race over under conditions that were fairer to me, but he refused to run any race further than fifty yards. There was no goal or tape-line for money, but of course I wouldn't consent to anything of that nature. I at length consented to run him for the fifty yards, and I beat him by two yards.

"I consider that I still hold the championship of the Western Peninsula," concluded Mr. White. "Mr. White wishes it distinctly understood that he is not running for prize or monetary gain, but only through his sincere love for clean amateur sport."

Better Than Spanking

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box 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 child troubles you in this way. Don't blame the child; the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

LOVESICK YOUTHS

Toledo, Ohio, July 23.—The dead body of Mayme Wilson, aged 19, and the unconscious form of Oscar Brennan, 19, were found lying side by side, yesterday, in the hay mow of a barn on the Wilson farm in Van Wert County. The girl had taken half the contents of a bottle of chloroform and the young man had taken the remainder. He will recover. A letter written by the girl to her parents stated that she and her lover had resolved to die so they could be in Paradise together.

If a man is a woman hater it's a cinch that he had to wrong kind of a mother.

CHATHAM WILL YET HAVE A BEET SUGAR FACTORY

So Said N. H. Stevens to The Planet This Afternoon — Negotiations Now Under Way for a Big Concern Which Will Ask Nothing From The City

To those citizens who are in favor of having a beet sugar factory located in Chatham under favorable conditions, the news that their desire is likely to be consummated in a short space of time will no doubt come as a pleasant surprise.

Although the unsuitable propositions of the Keystone Sugar Company have been emphatically thrown down by the ratepayers on two successive occasions, it has not been on account of any prejudice to sugar factories, but solely on account of the defects in the company's proposals.

The Planet interviewed Mr. N. H. Stevens this afternoon with regard to the proposed new factory, and when asked for a definite statement for publication, that gentleman said:

"I am pleased that the sugar by-law was turned down by the electors because it will give the prefer-

ence to a bigger and better concern to locate here. I am not in a position to reveal why names, but I can say with confidence that the new factory will be built and in operation earlier than the Warton sugar factory could have been brought here.

"The plant will be the latest, best and biggest in Canada, and will include a special additional plant for dealing with the by-products, thereby removing any chances of it being offensive; it will be located at the west end of the city on the river bank, which is, in my opinion, the proper location for an industry of this nature.

"The company who will erect it here will not ask the city for loan, bonus or any kind of help, and there will be plenty of capital behind the factory to make it a solid success. It will be in every way a credit to the city."

LOCAL

Miss Alma Benedict, of St. Thomas, is the guest of Miss Hebe Morrison, Inches Ave.

Miss Florence Austin, of Sarnia, is spending her holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Nellie Austin, Taylor avenue.

Electric Park, Tuesday Evening, July 24th, 24th Regiment Band.

Mrs. Alex. Watson and daughter, Woodstock, are guests of Mrs. J. Anderson, Barthe St.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Snell are receiving the congratulations of their friends to-day over the advent of a daughter.

The Salvation Army will give a sacred concert in the Electric Park on Wednesday, 25th inst., and a cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

The St. Thomas cricket club will not play here to-morrow owing to the medical convention, which is to meet. The date of the cricket match will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cochran, Third St., are entertaining the Rev. Mr. Wilson, wife and son, of Aetna, Ont. Mrs. Wilson is a niece of Mr. Cochran's.

The tourist season is now in full swing, and boats are going out from all Canadian ports well filled. Any person intending to take advantage of any of the summer tourist trips, there are many advertised by W. E. Rispin, City Passenger & Ticket Agent, Grand Trunk & Wabash Railways, should have their tickets secured, as otherwise it may be difficult to provide accommodation. He can give intending tourists choice of summer tours to all the Great Lakes, and Rivers by all Steamship Lines, and also some particularly choice, trips to Muskoka Lakes, Lake of Bays, Georgian Bay, Lake Superior and River St. Lawrence, and Sea Coasts.

WERE EXONERATED

An inquest was held in Harrow at one p. m. yesterday concerning the death of Herbert R. Grant, by accident, at that place some time ago.

The jury exonerated the Blende Lumber & Manufacturing Company and their employees who were present when the derrick fatality occurred, from any blame in connection with the matter and brought in a verdict of accidental death.

Sunday Wagonette Parties

Arrangements can be made for going to the lake every Sunday during July and August. The wagonettes will leave every Sunday morning at about seven o'clock, and any person desiring to take the trip should call up "phone No. 470. Calls will be made in any part of the city and upon the return in the evening passengers will be taken to their residence. Fare for the round trip 50 cents.

J. SIMPSON.

Five Seashore Excursions

Good Fifteen Days at Lowest Fare via Famous Lackawanna.

During July and August the Lackawanna will run five fifteen-day excursions to the seashore. To Atlantic City and Cape May July 6, August 1, 15 and 24, one fare for the round trip with stop-over at Philadelphia.

New York City August 3, at one fare plus one dollar for the round trip. August is the vacation month. New York is America's greatest pleasure resort—something to please every taste, baseball, races, sea going excursions, Coney Island with its wealth of attractions, Luna Park, Dreamland, etc. Make arrangements now to go on the most popular and grandest excursion of the year. Two weeks where ocean breezes blow will add two years to your life. Full particulars of nearest Lackawanna agent or write Fred. P. Fox, D. P. A., Buffalo, N. Y.

QUESTION OF SCHOOL TAX

Separate School Board's Request Re Industries Granted

ALD. AUSTIN'S OBJECTION

Messrs. Fred. Robert, Drew and Stevens, a deputation from the Separate School Board, appeared before the City Council last evening with a request from their Board relative to the payment of school taxes.

Mr. Robert explained that when industries are brought into the city inducements are offered in the shape of exemption from taxation, with the exception of school tax. In the matter of the general tax the Separate school supporters share in extending free taxation, but in the matter of school tax, which is paid by the company coming to the city, the Separate school supporters receive no revenue, unless it is stipulated by the company that so much shall be devoted to the Separate school. In cases in Chatham at present where there is this exemption, the provision is made by the companies with the exception of the Chaplin wheel works and the Dowley works. The deputation asked that the Council rule in the matter of these two shall be devoted to the Separate school.

Ald. Stone thought that the request was a just one, and also thought that the decision should have been made before.

Ald. Potter agreed with Ald. Stone. Ald. Edmundson echoed the sentiments of the two previous speakers. The Mayor also agreed with this view.

Ald. Scullard—that means that the amount shall be arrived at on the basis of the proportion of the assessment of the Separate school supporters as compared with the assessment of the Public school supporters.

Ald. Potter expressed his views in favor of the request.

Ald. Massey—I understand that this should come from the companies themselves, and I also understand that in these two cases the companies have made no request in the matter. Why should we accept responsibility of doing the companies' work?

Ald. Stone—It has been an oversight.

Ald. Massey—The companies should make a request to us.

Ald. Austin—I am sorry that this matter has come up in the present shape. I am in favor of the Separate school receiving their just share of this school tax, but the law provides that these companies shall make the request for the division and then the Council can act in the matter. I have consulted the city solicitor on this same school tax subject, as it came up in connection with the best sugar by-law. Take the case of the electric railway. They have exemption from taxation to the extent of \$25,000 and they pay school taxes to the amount of \$75,000. It is stipulated by the company that the Separate school supporters shall receive one-third of this school assessment, or \$25,000, while they are assessing in the exemption to the extent of one-ninth of the first \$25,000. This gives the Separate school supporters in this case a great advantage over the Public school supporter. I am sure if this were generally known it would make it far harder to pass by-laws granting exemptions. On these grounds I cannot support the present motion.

The motion, however, was carried, and Ald. Austin called for the yeas and nays. They were as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Scullard, Stone, Benson, Edmundson, Radley, Potter, Thompson, and the Mayor.

Nays—Ald. Austin and Massey.

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TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received at the office of Jas. L. Wilson & Son, Chatham, for all trades for the erection of a Branch Building for the Dominion Bank at Chatham, Ont., up till Thursday, the 26th inst.

DARLING & PEARSON, Architects, Toronto.

Sheriff's Sale of Lands.

County of Kent to-wit:

By virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the third Division of the County of Kent, to me directed and delivered against the lands of Samuel H. Johnston, in a certain suit wherein Laird Bros. are plaintiffs, and Samuel H. Johnston is defendant, I have seized and taken in execution, and will offer for sale, at my office, Harrison Hall, in the city of Chatham, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of August, A. D. 1906, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all the right, title, interest, and equity of redemption, of the said Samuel H. Johnston, in, to, or out of, the east half of the southeast quarter of lot number nine in the eleventh concession of the Township of Chatham in the County of Kent.

J. R. GEMMILL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Chatham, April 30th, 1906.

The above sale is postponed until Saturday, the 18th day of August, 1906, at the same hour and place.

J. R. GEMMILL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Chatham, July 18th, 1906.

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SALE OF THE SEASON!

For One Whole Week Ending July 27th, 1906, we will Sell Tray Cloths, Doylies, Runners, Centre Pieces, Lunch Cloths, Pillow Shams, &c., at Special Reduced Prices

17 only Tray Cloths, all linen, fancy damask centre, hemstitched edge, 18 x 27 in., 25c. value, sale 19c. Each

16 only fine pure Linen Damask Tray Cloths, hemstitched border, open centre 18 x 27 in., 35c. value, sale 25c. Each

4 only very choice pure Damask Linen Tray Cloths, open work centre, hemstitched borders, 16 x 24 in., 40c. value, sale 30c. Each

8 only extra value Damask Tray Cloths, very pretty designs, hemstitched borders, 18 x 26 in., 50c. value, sale 40c. Each

12 only Plain Linen Trays, 18 x 27 in., with two rows of open work also three tenniffe wheels in each corner, regular 65c. values, sale price 50c. Each

Tenniffe Lunch Cloths, 36 in. square, \$1.50 kind for \$1.00 Each.

The \$2.50 kind for \$1.75 Each.

The \$3.50 kind for \$2.75 Each.

Fancy Linen Centre Table Covers, 21 x 21 inch, drawn work centre, heavy lace all around, \$1.00 value, sale 25c. Each

Plain Linen Doylies, hemstitched, 6 in. size, 5c. Each

9 in. size 7c. Each

12 in. size 10c. Each

Turkish Wash Cloths, 12 x 12 in., 10c. value, sale 5c. Each

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS

on Irish Linen, Tea Cloths, beautifully embroidered, and very pretty open work, 45 in. square, only a few in stock.

75c. Lunch Cloths, Damask Patterns, 36 x 36 in., for 60c

\$1.00 Lunch Cloths, " open work, 36 x 36 in., for 75c

\$2.00 " " " 32 x 32 " for \$1.60

\$1.00 " " " 32 x 32 " for 79c

75c. Sideboard Scarfs, damask patterns, 16 x 45 in., for 50c.

75c. Sideboard Scarfs, damask and huck weave, 20 x 72 in., for 55c.

35c. Fringed Scarfs, fancy centre, 16 x 68 in., for 25c.

Fancy Colored Scarfs, 16 x 68 in., very special, 25c. each.

The Last Week of Our Great Sacrifice Sale of Clothing.

Coats off now; we're starting upon the last week of The Great Sacrifice Clothing Sale. Now for unbeatable values every department in our Men's Store will contribute material, for one of the biggest business weeks the store ever had. No matter what section you shop in, you'll find price tickets that promise you money saving.

The Men's Suit Section—Great Saving Offers.

At \$5.00.

Men's honest Tweed Suits in dark and light effects, 2 piece and 3 piece suits. In the lot the 3 piece suits are desirable for any season.

Lines worth regular \$6.00 to \$7.50, sizes range 34 to 40.

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A handsome range of fine all Wool Tweed in Novelty Patterns. The popular patterns and the effects of the season single and double breasted sack coats, regular values from \$7.50 to \$12.00 on sale at \$7.50, all sizes, 34 to 44.

Special Boys' Wash Suits at 75c and 98c

In Buster Brown and Blouse styles for ages 2½ to 9, Regular Value at \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.50.

One Hundred Pair of Men's Pants at 98c

Men's neat pattern Tweed Pants, medium and dark effects full range of sizes, regular \$1.25 value on sale at—

98 Cents

Men's and Boys' Dress Straw Hats at Half-Price

While they last the balance of all our Dress Straw Hats at just Half the Regular Marked Price. Hats that sold all season at double the price. We are bound to clear out every Straw Hat this season.

\$2.00 Hats at \$1.00; \$1.50 Hats at 75c; \$1.00 Hats at 50c; 50c. Hats at 25c; 25c. Hats at 12½c.

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A LUXURY IN HOT WEATHER....

You will find many good things here that do not require cooking. Things ready to use will appeal to all during the hot weather.

COOKED HAM, 30c a pound
JELLIED OX TONGUE, 35c a pound.
JELLIED VEAL, 25c a pound.
CORN BEEF, 15c a pound.
SALMON, 15c tin.
SARDINES, 15c and 25c a tin.
KIPPERED HERRING, 2 tins.
All sorts of biscuits, always fresh, 15c and 20c a pound.

H. Malcolmson

ICE BOXES..

Just two more snaps left in ice box line. We have two of those galvanized ice boxes that have given such genuine satisfaction. They were cheap at our regular prices. They are decidedly the best snaps in Chatham at the reduced prices.

1 only "Arctic" Ice Chest, regular \$6.00 for \$4.50
1 only "Arctic" Ice Chest, regular \$7.00 for \$5.50

Everything else in Summer Goods is cut away down. You can save from 10 to 25 per cent. by buying now.

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Good Watches FOR Little Money

LADIES' 25 year gold filled case filled with Waltham or Elgin Works.....\$12.00

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TO-NIGHT

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.
Court Companion, No. 521, in their hall at 8.
Electric Road Excursion to Electric Park, first car at 7.

LOCAL

Bicycles for hire—Briscoe's.
Smoke Lord Lake Cigar—10c.
W. W. Turner was in London yesterday.
Dr. DeCov was in Thamesville yesterday on business.
Miss M. Oldershaw is spending a holiday in Pontiac.
Printer wanted—A good ad. setter. Apply at this office.
Mr. Morrish of West Lorne, is visiting friends in the city.
George Dyer, LaCroix St., was a Detroit visitor yesterday.
Two rinks of Chatham bowlers played in London yesterday.
W. Pirie, of Jeannette's Creek, was a Chatham visitor Saturday.
Wm. Graham, of this city, is in Hamilton to-day on business.
Eric Boushall, of Blenheim, spent Sunday with friends in Chatham.
Miss Buck, Adelaide St., spent Saturday with friends in Blenheim.
President Suspenders. Style, comfort, service. 50c. Everywhere.
Geo. Haddon, of the G. T. R. depot, is spending the day in Detroit.
Butterfly Suspenders. A Gentleman's Brace "As easy as none." 50c.
Mrs. Robert Moore, West St., has returned from a visit to friends in Detroit.
Electric Park Tuesday Evening, July 24th, 24th Regiment Band.
Charles Goodman, of the P. M. R. freight office, spent yesterday in Detroit.
Miss Anna Kerby, of Dresden, is the guest of Mrs. Hugh Carr, Richmond St.
Miss Mamie Eason, of Grimsby, is spending her vacation at her home in Chatham.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cape and family, of Dutton, spent Saturday with friends in Chatham.
Miss Jennie Cuthbert, of Dresden, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alex. McRitchie, Harvey St.
Miss Kathleen Ferguson, of Ridgeway, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Macaulay, Raleigh St.
Whitney Scherer, of Ridgeway, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of Mrs. Rice, Gray St.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Turrill and family, of Sparta, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Turrill, Victoria Ave.
All design work gotten up in the most artistic manner at one-third off usual prices at Victoria Avenue Green House, phone 181.
Miss Gertrude Hollinsack, choir-leader of the Park St. Methodist Church, left Chatham yesterday for a holiday trip to the Rockies.
Mr. J. L. Hill, formerly of Mr. Stewart's private banking office, T. L. bury, has joined the staff of the Sovereign Bank of Canada, this city.
Miss Daisy Ward and Miss Sarah trumpets have left for Beachwood, where they will spend their summer holidays with friends.
Mrs. Harry Flowers and Miss Edith White, of Walkerville, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city, the guests of Miss McCowan, Prince St.
Sometimes it's very hard to secure a good servant through a want ad. and sometimes it's very easy. When it's hard for a want ad. to find her, no other method is apt to be of the last use. Try The Planet Want Column.
Wm. L. Norton, Luther S. Church and N. H. Hawley are fitting up a suite of offices in the Merchants' Bank building, which will be the home office of the number of different companies in which they are interested, operating in the Tilbury oil field.

Berlin, Ont. Centennial Celebration and Old Boys' and Girls' Re-Union, Aug. 6, 7, 8, 1906. Made in Berlin Exhibition, at Auditorium. Big programme of events at Park. Come and help us celebrate. Reduced Rates on all the railroads.

New Canal Opened.
Port Dalhousie, July 24.—Locking on the Welland Canal started at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, with a fleet of boats going up and down.

It is much easier to beat a bass drum than a carpet.

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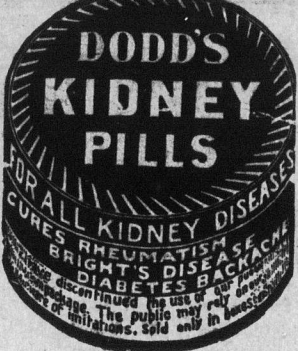
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Lawn Mowers sharpened—Briscoe's.

Two cottages at the Eau for rent. Apply to Glenn Bros.

Miss E. Grover, Sheldon Ave., was in Detroit yesterday.

Trade Mark D. Suspenders guaranteed. Price 50c.

T. Thompson, of Windsor, was in Chatham yesterday on business.

S. O. E. are running their Annual Excursion to Niagara Falls, Civic Holiday, August 13th. Fare 2.45. Tickets good for three days.

E. A. Knauff, formerly teller at the local branch of the Sovereign Bank, has been transferred to Berlin, where he has been made acting accountant.

Mr. S. H. Codd, manager of the Bank of Ottawa, Ottawa, and his wife, are the guests of Mr. Harry Williams, manager of the local Sovereign Bank.

Sam. Courtney was in Windsor yesterday attending a protest meeting of the Western Football Association, visiting her brother, Alex. McRitchie, Harvey St.

Wanted, by a man with experience, a position in a gent's furnishing store, or writing in an office, has a knowledge of bookkeeping and served five years in a grocery store. Can furnish references. Address H. R. Platon office.

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Eastern League.
Jersey City .. 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2
Toronto .. 0 0 0 2 3 0 0 0 0 3
Home run—Clement. Two-base hits—Merritt, Thoney. Sacrifice hits—O'Brien, Ryan. Steals—Frick. Struck out—By Moskman 5, by McCaffery 2.

Left on bases—Jersey City 7, Toronto 6. Ryan, Wild pitch—Moskman. Hit by pitcher—Kestler. Time—1:40. Umpire—Flanagan.

At Newark. R.H.E.
Rochester .. 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 6 8
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At Chicago. R.H.E.
Chicago .. 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 3 8 1
Brooklyn .. 0 2 0 0 0 1 1 0 4 12 0
Batteries—Overall and Kling; McIntyre and Ritter.

At Pittsburgh. R.H.E.
Pittsburgh .. 2 0 2 2 0 0 1 0 7 0 0
New York .. 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 8
Batteries—Leifeld and Phelps; Wittke and Bronsahan. Umpires—Emslie and O'Day.

At Cincinnati. R.H.E.
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At Boston. R.H.E.
Boston .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 3 7 6
Boston .. 0 0 0 0



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A ZULU LEGEND.

Odd Story of the Origin of This Sa-
vage People.

The Zulus account for their origin,
says a correspondent of the Country
Gentleman (English), by a story of a
talking elephant who fed upon chil-
dren. He met a woman laden with an
ax and bundle of fagots, accompanied
by her child. Seeing the elephant, she
guessed his intention and pleaded,
"Spare my child, oh, elephant!" The
elephant refused. "Then," said the
mother, "if this evil must happen
swallow me, too, oh, elephant!" So the
elephant swallowed mother and child,
and they found themselves with all the
other children who were eaten previ-
ously. By and by the child grew hun-
gry, and the mother lit a fire with her
fagots. She then with her ax cut away
the elephant's flesh, cooked it, and they
all ate. As the fire burned, its great
heat filled the elephant with pain, and
he ran and ran and ran till they felt
the thunder of his hoofs racing over
hill and valley. At length, exhausted,
he dropped dead. Using her ax, the
mother chopped and chopped until she
made an opening in the elephant's
side. After this they crept out and be-
came a new nation in a new country.

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Don't think that Bu-Ju is not
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mation in the kidneys—takes
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the hips—stops excessive urina-
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portions of the kidneys to
heal and strengthen.

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"Dibble, don't you think a man ought
to save at least half the money he
makes?"
"Yes, but how can he, with his cred-
itors howling for it all the time?"

An Instance.
Hewitt—I was once kicked by a
donkey. Jewett—We often hear of
people kicking themselves.

It Generally Cures.
Jones—What's the good for the tooth-
ache? Smith—Walk about halfway to
the nearest dentist's.

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tion, boils, tumours, scurf, or other results of
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TRADE MARK REGISTERED.

Allan Liner Damaged.
London, July 23.—(C. A. P.)—The Al-
lan Liner Hibernian of Glasgow had her
starboard side badly damaged in a col-
lision with the Warnow in a fog off
Beachy Head Saturday night. She put
back to London.

King Edward His Sponsor.
London, July 23.—King Edward stood
sponsor yesterday at the christening of
the second son of the Duke and Duch-
ess of Manchester. The boy was named
Edward Eugene Fernando.

Mindard's Liniment Relieves Ner-

algia.

Mindard's Liniment cures Dandruff

CHAMBERLAIN, JR., WEDS.

Groom's Father Unable to Be Present
after a Shower of Illness.

London, July 23.—At St. Margaret's
Church, Westminster, Saturday after-
noon, Austen Chamberlain, son of Jos-
eph Chamberlain, the former Colonial
Secretary, was married to Miss Ivy
Dundas.

Few society functions in the past had
attracted so much popular attention.



MR. AND MRS. CHAMBERLAIN.

Enormous crowds thronged the ap-
proaches to the church and gave the
bride and bridegroom a rousing recep-
tion.

Joseph Chamberlain was not present,
being confined to his residence by a
bad attack of gout.

Both House of Parliament were well
represented and the presents were un-
usually numerous and costly. King
Edward, Queen Alexandra and the
Prince and Princess of Wales being
among the donors.

THE KING'S PRIZE.

Capt. Davies of the First Middlesex
Volunteers Wins the Trophy.

Bisley, Eng., July 23.—The King's
prize (\$1,250, the gold medal and the
gold badge), open only to volunteers,
was won Saturday by Captain Davies
of the First Middlesex Volunteers, with
a total score of 324. Serg. Ommund-
sen of Edinburgh, winner of the
King's prize in 1901, carried off the sil-
ver medal, and another Scotchman,
Serg. Reid, of Glasgow, took the
bronze medal.

Staff-Serg. T. H. Hayhurst was the
only Canadian who reached the final
stage of the competition. The meeting
of the National Rifle Association ended
Saturday afternoon.

Hayhurst, at the commencement of
the third stage, was 12 points behind
the leader, and with but a small
chance of coming out first. His per-
formance was so brilliant as to
raise the hopes of his countrymen very
high. His total scores at the three
stages, and the possible number of
points, are as follows:

Stage	Score	Poss.
1st stage, 200, 600, 800 yds.	95	105
2nd stage, 600 yards	84	100
3rd stage, 800, 900, 1,000 yds.	126	150

Totals 305 355

Hayhurst will get about \$40 in prizes
money in this match.

Lord Roberts Saturday inspected the
Canadians. He spoke a few words
to each man, and hoped they would
be the winners of many prizes. Later
Prince Arthur of Connaught inspected
the team and viewed the pavilion.

Names and Divorces.

An Australian divorce court judge
thinks that there is a subtle connec-
tion between high sounding feminine
baptismal names and matrimonial un-
happiness. He has noticed that the
names which generally come under his
judicial cognizance are Gladys, Gwen-
edolene, Emmanuelle and the like and
that he seldom or never in his official
capacity hears of a Mary or a Bridget.

A Tune or a Joke.

"Was that a bonafide piece that
Ethelinda was playing?" asked Mr.
Cumrox.

"Certainly," answered his wife. "That
was a selection from Wagner."

"Well, of course I wouldn't express
any doubts in company, but half the
time I can't tell whether Ethelinda is
playing a tune or a practical joke."

Only This Is So.

"Does that young Featherhead play
poker?" asked Robinson of a mutual
acquaintance.

"No," was the reply, "but he thinks
that he does, and we are careful not to
undecieve him."

A Retort Courtesy.

Student—There must be some mis-
take in my examination marking. I
don't think I deserve an absolute zero.
Professor—Neither do I, but it is the
lowest mark I am allowed to give.

Fortunate is the man who is a
hero to his own wife.

Mindard's Liniment cures Dandruff

A Bit of Fairyland.

Cruising down Milford sound, New
Zealand, when the clouds are clearing
after a shower, the mountains are like
fairyland. No longer grim and black
and fearful, they are laced everywhere
with the streaming silver of cloud
born cascades. One day we watched
the gaily journey of one of these cat-
aracts. It sprang from the very top of
the Lion rock, a 3,000 foot perpendic-
ular wall. Long and slender and glint-
ing like glass in the sun, it fell straight
down over us, but never reached us.
It had dropped, say, 1,000 feet, when it
was caught by the wind, swayed this
way and that, and finally blown clean
away, dissolving in misty rain. We
steamed right under it, or, rather, un-
der the place where it ought to have
been, and experienced the peculiar sen-
sation of looking straight up at a wa-
terfall that, as the launch skipper put
it, "never fell anywhere."

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tially and lay your case
before him. He will be
most careful attention,
and a correct diagnosis
will be sent you free
of charge.

The doctor wishes to
warn patients against
Trial Treatments, which
are sold by some of the
patent medicine dealers.
These remedies are not
what the doctor wishes to
cure. They are nothing but
stimulants, which do not
cure the disease, but only
mask it for a short time.
The patient in a worse con-
dition when he comes to
me for treatment, than
when he first came to me.
The cause of so many patients being disappointed
and not receiving a permanent cure, is that they
are not prepared for four individual cases, and when
in a case of this kind, they are not willing to pay
for the cure, and remember he is willing to wait for his pay
after he has cured the patient.

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various colleges and State Boards of Medical Exam-
iners, a reproduction of which will be sent in order to
convince you of his standing and ability. You have
nothing to lose but everything to gain. You are
assured first, then you pay him a nominal fee, which
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cesses of it are stored up as fat in the
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For any one afflicted with consumption
butter, cooked, if plenty of fat can
be digested, is one of the best ways of
curing the disease should it be in its
early stages or of keeping it at bay if
advanced. It is not economy to stirpe
the butter at table even to the healthy
people. Butter is not a simple fat
composed merely of one sort. It is a
mixture of no less than seven different
sorts of fats, and no more complex oil
can be taken than this. For dyspeptic
and liverish people good bread and but-
ter, along with fruit, should invariably
take the place of pie, pastry and bis-
cuits. Pastry for such people is only
another name for poison, and biscuits
are as often as not baked with lard.

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Inspector Strickland Hurt.

Sutton, July 20.—H. S. Strickland,
the well-known electrical expert and
electrical inspector for Toronto Fire
Underwriters, while wheeling from
this place to Jackson's Point yesterday
morning, was in some way thrown from
his wheel, sustaining severe injuries.
Mr. Strickland's right shoulder was
dislocated and his knee severely
wrenched.

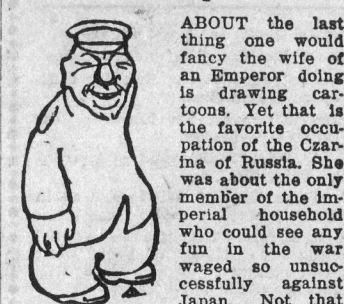
There is reason in all things and
that of a woman's is "because."

Matrimony is merely traveling in
double harness, but it generally of-
ten takes the form of tandem.

CZARINA A CARTOONIST

CARICATURES OF JAPANESE
HEROES BY HER MAJESTY.

Only Member of the Russian Imperial
Household Who Could See Any Fun
in the War So Unsuccessfully
Waged Against Japan By Her Own
Country—Her Comic Sketch Skill
Would Make Living.



THE CZARINA'S
PICTURE OF 1906.

ABOUT the last
thing one would
fancy the wife of
an Emperor doing
is drawing car-
toons. Yet that is
the favorite occu-
pation of the Car-
rina of Russia. She
was about the only
member of the Im-
perial household
who could see any
fun in the war
waged so unsuc-
cessfully against
Japan. Not that
the gentle help-
meet of the Em-
peror was unkind of the suffering
sympathetic nature and devoted to
the welfare of the people over whom
her husband rules, but she saw no
harm in getting a little amusement out
of drawing caricatures of the leading
Japanese warriors, exaggerating their
physical peculiarities and entertaining
the members of her family and the
court by these manifestations of her
artistic talent.

A Russian paper not long since pub-
lished a number of caricatures of
Oyama, Togo, Kuroki, Nodzu, Oku,
Nogi and other distinguished Japan-
ese soldiers and stated that the draw-
ings were the work of the Empress.
Judging by these evidences of her skill
the wife of Nicholas II. might be able
to make a respectable living from
drawing comic sketches if the Russian
revolutionists should succeed in their
threats of demolishing her husband's
throne and she had to do something to
"keep the wolf away."

But Marshal Oyama and Admiral
Togo and other Japanese fighters are
not the only celebrities upon whom the
Czarina has tried her skill as a car-
icaturist. She has drawn pictures holding
various members of the Russian court
up to ridicule, and even the Czar him-
self has not escaped her satire. It was
a long time before she ventured to
trifle in this way with the dignity of
the "little father." Almost every im-
portant member of the court had suffered
except the Czar, and he repeatedly
urged her to try her hand at a sketch
of himself. At last she yielded, and the
cartoon appeared.

It represented the Emperor crowned
and bearing his scepter, but seated in a
baby carriage and drawn with a thread
by his mother. The sketch caused
much constrained amusement among
the courtiers, but the Czar professed
to be unable to see the point and was
anything but pleased with the produc-
tion, it is said.

The Czarina is accomplished in many
ways. She can paint as well as sketch
and is an expert wood carver. As a
Christmas gift for the infant Czar-
owitz last winter she made a toy which



THE CZARINA AND HER CARICATURES OF
OYAMA AND KUROKI.

is an exact model of the Czar's favor-
ite chalet, or summer palace, in the
imperial pleasure grounds attached to
Tsarskoe-Selo palace. The model,
which is beautifully carved in white-
wood, is built up of eighty-four sepa-
rate parts and can be pulled to pieces
by the imperial baby.

The Czarina can row and swim and
is fond of horses and horseback riding.
She spends a great deal of her time
playing with her children, but is not
unmindful of the duties which pertain
to her high position, and has given
much study to questions relating to the
condition of the poor. She has read all
the best works on the English poor law
and placed herself at the head of the
body charged with the arrangements
for poor law relief in Russia.

Her influence with her husband has
been in the direction of reform, but
the reactionary and autocratic influ-
ences of the courtiers and bureaucrats
who surround the ruler have often pre-
vented her ideas from receiving any
practical effect. Perhaps it was a
realization of this fact that once
prompted her to draw a caricature of
her imperial spouse representing him
as a solemn, bearded infant in long
clothes, surrounded by a host of pom-
pous officials armed with feeding bot-
tles.

The Russian empress is regarded as
one of the handsomest of the many
granddaughters of Queen Victoria. Her
mother was Victoria's "Sweet Princess
Alice," who married the Grand Duke
Louis of Hesse.

THREE FACTS

For Sick Women
To Consider.

First.—That almost every operation in
our hospitals performed upon women
becomes necessary through neglect of such
symptoms as backache, irregular and
painful periods, displacements of the
female organs, pain in the side, burning
sensation in the stomach, bearing-down
pains, nervousness, dizziness and sleep-
lessness.

Second.—The medicine that holds the
record for the largest number of absolute
cures of female ills is Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound. It regulates,
strengthens and cures diseases of the
female organism as nothing else can.

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women to be strong, curing backache,
nervousness, kidney troubles, inflamma-
tion of the female organs, weakness and
displacements, regulating the periods
perfectly and overcoming their pains. It
has also proved itself invaluable in pre-
paring for childbirth and the change of
life.

Third.—The great volume of unsolicited
and grateful testimonials on file at the
Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass.,
many of which are from time to time
published by permission, give absolute
evidence of the value of Lydia E. Pink-
ham's Vegetable Compound and Mrs.
Pinkham's advice.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation
to Women.—Women suffering from any
form of female weakness are invited to
promptly communicate with Mrs. Pink-
ham, at Lynn, Mass. All letters are
received, opened, read and answered by
women only. From symptoms given,
your trouble may be located and the
quickest and surest way of recovery ad-
vised.—Mrs. Pinkham is daughter-in-law
of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twenty-five
years under her direction and since her
decease she has been advising sick women
free of charge. Out of the vast volume
of experience in treating female ills Mrs.
Pinkham probably has the very knowl-
edge that will help your case. Surely,
any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish
if she does not take advantage of this
generous offer of assistance.

Overturned Boats.

"When a small boat capsizes," said
an old river man, "the occupants
should not try to climb aboard, but
should lightly cling to it until help
comes. Even a light canoe will in all
probability sustain their weight until
assistance arrives if they will only
cling as lightly to its overturned sides
as possible, allowing the body to float
in the water, which it will do, and not
under any circumstances to attempt to
bear down upon the canoe or to crawl
upon the overturned bottom."

"This is where the fatal mistake oc-
curs in nearly all boating drowning ac-
cidents. A single man with a good
sized plank in the water can in his
struggles and efforts to save himself
push the plank beneath the surface of
the water and drown then and there,
whereas the same plank will support
the weight of three men who are well
posted and cool enough merely to grasp
its edges with as little downward pres-
sure as possible. A single oar has
saved many a sailor's life in this man-
ner, which a landsman would grasp,
push it down in the water and go down
with it."

Experience is the best teacher.

Housekeepers, who have tried
them all, say WINDSOR TABLE
SALT is the perfect table salt.

The Checkerboard Town.

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science, is often "falsely so called." If
the real estate men would but forget
the checkerboard idea in laying out a
new town and would take a good land-
scape gardener into their confidence
and the contour of the land into their
consideration and plant trees accord-
ingly suburbanites would rise up and
call them blessed.—Country Life in
America.

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High Class Sheer Zephyrs, in colors Pinks, Blues, Greys, Brown and Reseda, regular 25c. and 30c. at per yard, 12 1-2c. and 30c. Linen in Sky, Navy and Pink, at per yd, 12 1-2c.

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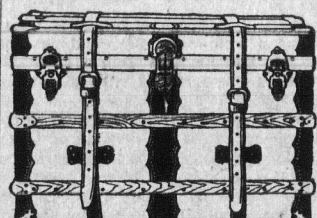
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GRAND TRUNK HOG PENS WILL REMAIN WHERE THEY ARE

The Company Will However Have To Remove The Odor Nuisance—The City Solicitor's Opinions—The Maple City Gas Company's Request

The present site of the G. T. R. hog pens is to remain as such. At least this is what is to be inferred from the opinions expressed at last night's meeting of the City Council. The Council are acting on the opinion they received, on request, from City Solicitor Wilson.

In his letter of advice, the City Solicitor stated that it would be almost a legal impossibility to force the company to remove their pens to another site provided they put the building in a sanitary condition. Should the Council succeed in having the company move the pens westward, it would be a legal proceeding that complaints and probably legal proceedings would be forthcoming from property owners in that section of the city. The City Solicitor advised the Council to leave the matter of the site to the company.

Mayor Marshall stated that since receiving his first letter from Mr. Cunningham, of the G. T. R., he had written to that gentleman asking for the plans for the proposed change to be made in the present condition of the pens. He had received no reply, but the company's men had been sent on to proceed with the work.

When he had been informed that the company was going on with the work, he, in company with Ald. Edmondson and Benson, had gone down to the G. T. R. station to investigate the work, and they found that the G. T. R. workmen were endeavoring to tap into the Queen St. sewer. Later on the Mayor said he was able to locate Mr. Cunningham, and succeeded in having an interview with him while he was in this city. He found that the company were quite willing to move the pens, but they first wanted the written sanction of the City Council in doing so, as their guarantee in good faith against any proceedings which might be taken by citizens in the section in which it was proposed they should move.

Mayor Marshall said that the opinion of the Council was divided on the matter, and not being able to arrive at any definite understanding, he had told Mr. Cunningham that if he did not receive word from the city by Monday at noon the company could do as they liked about locating the pens. The pens, as he understood it, were this time to be fitted out with concrete floors, and in compliance with all sanitary measures. He thought that this should end the nuisance created by the smell. On the other hand, if the city were to have the company remove the pens, it was likely that the citizens in another section of the city would protest, and as the company required the written sanction for such a move the city could be held entirely responsible for any legal claims.

Ald. Potter protested in the most emphatic manner against the Council's action in allowing the company to tap into Queen St. sewer, as he said that this sewer is already overtaxed, and that they should have been forced to tap into the Lacroix St. sewer.

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IT IS ALL OFF NOW

John W. White, the Popular Runner, Will Be Unable to Contest in Amateur Races Hereafter

The many friends and admirers of John W. White will be sorry to learn that from this time forward he will be barred from all amateur fat man's races. This is particularly regretted when it is considered the immense amount of pleasure that gentleman derives from a fairly contested foot race—especially if he wins—and the satisfaction which is generally felt by his backers when they see him swaying gracefully down the latter part of the course leagues ahead of the other contestants.

It all happened through a mistake, but Mr. White has himself to blame for the consequences which will undoubtedly follow.

There was a fat man's race billed for the picnic on Tecumseh Park on Saturday. Mr. White was there—first. It looked as if he would carry off the prize through default when an insignificant looking man stepped forward with much the same demeanor as a lamb going to the slaughter. Great pity was felt for the stranger as Mr. White pranced around on the starting line and some turned their heads away, not wishing to witness the humiliation of the unknown runner.

There was a surprise in store for everyone. Mr. White got a bad start and the stranger won. The crowd cheered but Mr. White didn't bear them. He hunted up the stranger and begged for another race. The stranger didn't want to race, but when he saw the color of some money he finally consented. Mr. White won the race and pocketed the money. This is where he made his mistake. Through running for money he has stamped himself as a professional and now he will be unable to contest in amateur races.

SAD DEATH

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. John Richmond, Dover, whose only daughter died in the hospital in this city on Sunday at the age of 26 years and nine months, and this death is the second in the family within one year, as ten months ago a son was lost by drowning. The funeral took place this afternoon at two o'clock from the family residence, lot 9, concession 6, Dover, to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

ECZEMA AND SKIN DISEASES

Cannot Stand Against Zam-Buk

Mr. G. O. Rhinehart, of Wilton Avenue, Toronto, has proved how Zam-Buk cures obstinate eczema. He says: "I had eczema on my hand, arm and the calf of my leg, and tried so many things in vain that I doubted whether Zam-Buk could cure me. My wife advised me to try it. The first few applications gave me relief from itching and soothed the pain. Within a few days there was marked improvement, and gradually the wounds began to close. The discharging ceased, and the skin began to grow again. Within a short time of commencing with Zam-Buk all the four wounds were not only closed up, but all the patches were covered with new, healthy skin. Zam-Buk is just as good for blisters, sore feet, insect stings, sunburn, cuts, bruises and all skin injuries; 50c of all druggists."

PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Maud Mathew, wife of Fred. Mathew, passed away Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Grant, Pitt St. The deceased was aged 23 years and five months. She leaves a husband, but no children, to mourn her loss.

The funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon at 2.30, from the residence of the deceased's parents to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

It is much easier to tell what ought to be done than it is to get busy and do it.

OBTAIN PARTICULARS ABOUT NEW YORK EXCURSION. AUG. 16TH & 28TH.

West Shore Railroad announces a cheap excursion from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo to New York and return for \$9.00 tickets good for return 15 days, and giving privilege of trip on Hudson River steamers in either or both directions without extra charge. New York Central "America's Greatest Railroad" will run one on August 28th for \$10.25 round trip from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo, good 15 days for return.

L. Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge St., Toronto, will be glad to give all information concerning these excursions. Drop him a line.

Many a man with brains hasn't the common sense to know how to use them.

A BIG BILL OF EXPENSES

This is How the Aldermen View the New Isolation Hospital

LEFT TO BOARD OF WORKS

The Board of Health recommendation asking the Council to spend \$1,070 in renovating the new isolation hospital was not received with open arms by the aldermen at their meeting last night. Some of the members took occasion to criticize severely the extravagance of the Health Board in calling on the city for funds.

After reading the resolution, Mayor Marshall expressed surprise to find that the Board required this large amount to put the hospital in proper shape.

Ald. Scullard said that he regretted very much that the Board should call on the city for such a large amount. When the hospital was purchased by the city, he said that he had been given to understand that the building and grounds would be in condition to serve the purpose without further expense for at least two or three years. He had since been informed by the Medical Health Officer that the building was inadequate to deal with more than one case of contagious disease, and that it would take \$1,070 to put it in proper shape. "It seems to me," continued the chairman of the Finance committee, that the public health is going to develop into a serious position with us. We have already paid out \$700 this year for groceries and other requirements supplied during quarantines. It seems to me that we are being called upon to pay more than is our share, and I am beginning to regard this matter with grave alarm. This isolation hospital, before we get through with it, appears to be going to be a big bill of expense."

Ald. Edmondson and Stone also commented on the required sum along much the same lines as Ald. Scullard.

The Mayor said that it would be impossible for the city to spend the sum required during this year.

Ald. Edmondson, seconded by Ald. Benson, moved that the matter be referred to the Finance committee to deal with.

The committee will report on the matter at a subsequent meeting of the Council.

Forty-three ratepayers petitioned the Council to have Lorne Avenue, Cross street and Pattison Avenue extended in a similar manner, as the various thoroughfares were on the Elms sub-divisions.—Board of Works.

Earfoot and Braddon, electricians, who are putting up still alarms for local merchants, applied for admission to the Fire Hall and to work along the city streets.—Property.

S. B. Arnold, on behalf of a client, complained of brush which was piled on Wade street.—Board of Works.

Visitors to Chatham Think The Maple City Is Very Much Improved—Good Place To Live In

David Stevens, Esq., and wife, of Courtwright, and Mrs. Wm. L. Stevens, of Cleveland, Ohio, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Stevens on Saturday.

Mr. Stevens was in business in Chatham a number of years ago. He expressed himself on Saturday, after looking over the city, that he would scarcely have known the place if it had improved so much, it is now an up-to-date city.

Mrs. W. L. Stevens said she had been in many pretty places, but she didn't know of any place that was prettier than Chatham, streets so clean, park so cool, and river dotted with boats made it look like a lovely place to live in.

They enjoyed their visit very much in the Maple City, once the home of each of them.

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1 doz. Cups and Saucers, 1 doz. large Plates all plain white for \$1.00
1 Dozen Cups and Saucers, 1 Dozen Dinner Plates—Clover Leaf Pattern, in gold on good goods, all for \$2.00.

1 Dozen Cups and Saucers, 1 dozen Dinner Plates in Blue, 3 different patterns, all new goods, for \$1.65.

Plain White Toilet Sets, 1 Large Jug, 1 Basin, 1 Soap Dish, 1 Small Jug, 1 Chamber, all for \$1.00.

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