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### NEW BRIDGE

Chas. A. Williams, of Raleigh, has asked through his solicitor, O. L. Lewis, for a mandamus to compel the Township of Raleigh to build a bridge over the Raleigh Plains Drain on the line at 3rd concession of that Township, it being the oldest concession in the Township, and the meridian line of said Township that governs. All surveys for the last hundred years and the ratepayers in that division, who have paid their money for all the other bridges throughout the municipality think they have a right to the said bridge. Charlie says he is backed by every ratepayer on the line and that the case will be pushed to a finish.

### LIBERAL CLAIM

Allege that Conservative Member for Algoma is Disqualified—Government Despatch.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, June 17.—It is announced that W. R. Smythe, Conservative member elect for Algoma, is disqualified because at the time of his election he was postmaster for Ryndall Bank, in Algoma. According to statements received from Ottawa, where an investigation was conducted, Smythe did not resign before election. This renders the seat vacant according to Liberal law advice.

### THE FIRST

Port Lambton Band Concert Excursion Season Opened Auspiciously Last Night.

The first band excursion of the season took place last night to Port Lambton. It was a huge success as far as the railroad was concerned. Seventy-six people went from Chatham, over 300 from Wallaceburg and a large number from Dresden. The weather, while somewhat cool, was just right for the dancers, and an exceedingly pleasant time was spent by everyone who attended. The train accommodation, however, was somewhat limited, the railroad people evidently not anticipating such a large crowd. The excursion train made good time both coming and going and Conductor Crouseman deserves great credit for the manner in which he handled the large crowd. The 24th Regiment Band attended and furnished excellent music for the dancers.

### BRILLIANT SUCCESS

Of The Pupils of the Ursuline Academy.

In last evening's issue we gave a percentage obtained by the candidates who tried the Toronto Conservatory examinations. There was a misstatement as to the junior pupils being of Mr. Brackin's class. The young lady receiving highest standing in the junior grade is a pupil of the Ursuline Academy.

The two young ladies who received first class honors are also pupils of the Academy. The remaining seven came out with honors. This speaks well for the Academy. Last year Misses Sullivan and Edmondson, who tried the intermediate piano exam., came out with first-class honors, the former winning honors at the theoretical examination. The final examinations in the theoretical department of music will commence on Wednesday morning.

### JUNE WEDDING

Ross Stringer, second son of William Stringer, Park street, formerly of Dover Township, was married this evening at eight o'clock to Miss Gertrude Quinn, grand-daughter of Mrs. John Quinn, Park street east. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Hammon at the Park street Methodist church parsonage. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents. The happy couple took a trip east and will reside on Park street east. They will be home Monday.

A bazaar will be given in the Presbyterian church on the 16th concession of Dover to-night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the church. A football match and a bicycle race will be features of the entertainment.

W. Coupland, secretary of the local lacrosse club has received a communication from the "Alert Special Lacrosse Club," of St. Mary's, asking for a game with the local club on July 15th. This club is making a tour through Western Ontario.

Reg. Rutherford has returned from Toronto, where he has been receiving his degree of M. D.

## HEALTH OF KING EDWARD IS VERY MUCH IMPROVED

Did not Risk Attending Aldershot Review but Proceeded to Windsor—Alarmist Rumors for Which There is no Foundation.

London, June 16.—King Edward, who was attacked yesterday by lumbago following a chill contracted while reviewing troops at Aldershot, passed a good night and is much better. Rain is falling, however, so he will not risk attending the grand review to-day. The Prince of Wales will take the salute in his majesty's stead.

### A CONTRADICTORY REPORT.

A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, from Aldershot says:—The King's illness has become of a much more serious nature, than at first expected. Yesterday the King was in a low state, and laudanum was administered to allay pain. Complications were feared this morning.

### HE IS CONVALESCENT.

Lord Farquhar, Master of the Household, who is at Windsor, said this afternoon that King Edward was much better, and that His Majesty

would arrive at the Castle this evening from Aldershot, in accordance with his previous arrangements.

3.43 p. m.—When questioned regarding the alarmist reports circulated about the health of King Edward, his Majesty's private secretary, Sir Francis Knollys, said—"The best answer I can give is that the King is going to Windsor this afternoon."

### BORE THE JOURNEY WELL.

London, June 17.—King Edward bore yesterday's journey to Windsor well, but it has been decided that he will not go to Ascot to-day. Queen Alexandra, however, accompanied by the Prince and Princess of Wales and other members of the Royal family will attend the races in state.

The Prince of Wales, conversing with the Mayor of Windsor upon his arrival here yesterday evening, said:—"King Edward caught a chill in the stomach; he is much better, however, although he will have to be careful His Majesty is still troubled with slight pain."

## CITY ALDERMEN "DIVY UP" FOR BIG CORONATION CELEBRATION

Follow Ald. McKeough's Suggestion that it Would not be Wise to Spend Civic Funds—Will Attend Church in a Body—A Busy Council Session.

The account of the City Solicitor for supplies was returned unpaid.

No requests for remission of dog tax will be received after July 1st.

The civic offices will close at one o'clock during July and August.

The City Solicitor sent in his half-yearly bill. It amounted to \$1,129.

The corporation employees will probably be given an excursion to Erieau.

A petition was received for the sprinkling of Park St. from Seane to Duke streets.

A piece of land was purchased from Nelson Emery, and Ursuline avenue straightened out.

The by-law preventing the bridges being swung between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock was passed.

An effort will be made to collect the accounts against persons who had small-pox in their family.

The sprinkling carts will be filled in future from the hydrants, and the stand-pipes will be removed.

The School Board will be asked to seek to have themselves elected by popular vote and not in wards, as at present.

Tenders will be asked for the sale of a lot to the city for the purpose of securing earth for filling for cement walks.

The Finance committee recommended that an execution be issued against the plaintiffs for the costs in Stephens vs. Chatham.

The Council last night accepted the invitation of the Rev. T. Devarley Smith to attend divine service at Holy Trinity Church.

The Finance committee are going to strike the rate. Finance Minister McKeough says that when the rate is struck it will put the citizens out of business.

A by-law was passed increasing the city's representation on the C. C. I. Board. S. B. Arnold, ex-Ald. John Liddy, and Dr. Thornton are the new C. C. I. trustees.

The Council decided not to make a grant for a celebration on Coronation Day, but the aldermen contributed \$25 from their own pockets towards a celebration.

Ald. Cowan said that a piece of granite sidewalk 300 feet long and four feet wide would cost \$800. The Mayor said it would cost \$150 and Ald. Mounter figured it would cost \$204.

Do the aldermen always differ like this on figures?

The Mayor presided and Ald. MacKeough acted as clerk at the meeting of the City Council last evening.

The account of the G. N. W. Telegraph Co., 75c., was referred to the Finance committee.

The account of Geo. Lamphard, for rigs for the City Engineer, was referred to the Board of Works and the Finance committee.

Requests to trim trees were received from C. S. Lemon, Park St., John Sisson, William St., F. S. McKenzie, Edgar St., and Mr. Nash, St. George street, and referred to the Chief of Police.

The petition for the granite sidewalk on the N. S. of Stanley Ave., from William St. to the city limits, was referred to the City Engineer to report on.

A petition was received for a walk on Amelia St., from Victoria avenue to St. Clair street. The petition was not sufficiently signed and was received.

The petition for a vitrified brick pavement on William St., from the C. P. R. to Wade St., was presented. It was signed by more than half the property owners, and was received.

Chairman McKeough, of the Board of Works, presented a petition for a sewer on the south side of Kirk St., from Adelaide St. The petition had three signers out of five owners. Referred to Board of Works.

W. H. G. Colles wrote, asking that steps be taken to repair the sidewalks beyond the Fair grounds. Referred to the Board of Works.

City Solicitor Wilson wrote that he had studied the High School Act and County records, and, in his opinion, the Board of Collegiate Institute Trustees should consist of six appointed by the City Council, three by the County Council, one by the Separate School Board and one by the Public School Board. Received.

Houston, Stone & Seane wrote, asking that the designation of p. 6 of p. 6 lots, Nos. 5 and 7, Spencer Ave., be fixed on the assessment rolls.

The Mayor explained that C. R. Atkinson had refused to pass the title until this had been done.

The City Clerk said that the only way to have the assessment changed was to refer the matter to the Court of Revision. This was done.

John Henderson's account, \$3, was referred to the Finance committee with power.

A communication from the Good Roads Machinery Co. was referred to the Board of Works.

The City Solicitor presented his half-yearly bill. It amounted to \$1,129 and included the City Solicitor's services re the Lake Erie R. R. bill, the Stephens suit and the Free Library site. The bill was referred to the Finance committee.

The chairman of the Industrial committee came in late and, under the head of inquiries, asked the petition for the sidewalk on Stanley Ave. had been brought in, and if so what frontage it had.

Mayor Sulman—The petition is sufficiently signed and is for a sidewalk from William St. to the city limits.

QUESTION OF COST.  
Ald. Cowan said that the sidewalk ran 300 feet beyond where there was any necessity for it, namely, from Fred Quinn's to the track, and this piece of walk for which the city had no use would cost \$800. It was a third of a mile in length.

Under the head of inquiries, Ald.

McKeough asked Ald. Cowan what school the latter had gone to when he figured 300 feet as a third of a mile.—Laughter.

Ald. Cowan said that if he had said so he had made a mistake. Fred Quinn's was the last house on the street. It was proposed to continue the sidewalk three hundred feet beyond Mr. Quinn's at a cost of \$700. It was also an outrage for the city to pay for the walk in front of the court house. Ald. Cowan proposed to tear this piece of walk up and leave it till the County Council came to terms.

Mayor Sulman—Are you aware that the County Council don't have to pay a cent towards that walk? I think their offer to pay half very generous.

Ald. Cowan—Oh, when they see the people wading through the mud they might.

Ald. McKeough—I don't object so much to cutting off that piece beyond Mr. Quinn's, but I do object to tearing up the walk in front of the jail; too many good ratepayers live up there.

The Mayor—Ald. Cowan does not seem to understand. Neither the court house nor the cemetery can be assessed for the walks. The 300 feet beyond Mr. Quinn's would cost \$150.

Ald. Cowan—More than that.

The Mayor—Perhaps I can't figure. That walk is a connecting link. There is no more favorite walk on Sunday than across the Lake Erie bridge and down Stanley Ave. Numbers of people take this walk every Sunday.

Ald. Mounter figured that the 300 feet would cost \$204.

As the petition for the walk was fully signed and had been approved by the Council the matter was dropped.

Ald. McKeough asked the Board of Works when they were going to have the sewers throughout the city trapped.

Ald. McKeough replied that the Board of Works had the matter under consideration.

The chairman of the Property committee was asked why the fire alarm box at the corner of Grey and Lacroix streets had not been installed as it had been granted by last year's council.

Ald. Taylor replied that he supposed the superintendent had looked after the matter.

Ald. Waddell asked what had been done re the change recommended in the Mayor's inaugural address in reference to the election of school trustees in the city at large.

The Mayor replied that the school trustees had objected to election by the popular vote. They had said that if the City Council asked for it, they would send a delegation down to oppose it. They didn't propose that the City Council should have the say as to how the School Board should be elected. Not wishing to have any friction, the clause had been dropped from the petition sent to Toronto. The only apparent cause for the

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### THE ENGLISH LEAVEN.

"When General Louis Botha passed through Vryheid a few weeks ago," says the London Chronicle, "the impression given by his good spirits was that he was pleased with the 'terms,' while one of the officers of his staff confidently declared that peace would be proclaimed in a fortnight. The English commanding officer went out to exchange courtesies with Botha, and our infantry gave him a guard of honor until he joined his own burghers a few miles out of Vryheid. All this is as might be expected; but a strange incident occurred. The English officer in charge of the escort was presented to General Botha's secretary, Jacobus De Wet, who had been three years at Oxford, and to his aide-de-camp, Louis Eslem, also a 'varsity man.' They were evidently anxious to get speech with our lieutenant, and their first words were, 'Who won the boat race?' How long will it take to effect the reconciliation of the Boers and bring in an era of friendship with such forces at work!"

### OMIT THE KISSING.

By an act passed at the recent session of the Ontario Legislature it is now optional with a witness in an Ontario court of justice whether he will be sworn by kissing the Bible, or after the Scotch fashion of uplifting the hand and repeating the following form of words:—

"I swear by Almighty God, as I shall answer to God at the Great Day of Judgment, that I shall tell the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, so far as I know it, and the same shall be asked of me."

This reform is a concession to the teaching of science which objects on sanitary grounds to the unclean and unwholesome practice of kissing a book which may have been so pressed a thousand times to the lips of persons suffering from contagious diseases. It may also be regarded as a tribute to the growing intelligence of the age which refuses to superstitiously treat the Bible as in itself more sacred than any other book or the form of administering the oath as constituting a more solemn and binding obligation than the Scotch form. Nor can it be construed into an evidence of irreligion, but rather a recognition of the divine omnipresence. The kissing of the Bible is a species of bibliolatry, which in a less enlightened day placed the book upon the doorsteps of Scotch homes to keep the apoplexy away, or under the head of the dying that they might have a more certain entrance to the abode of the blessed. We are not the worse for what we have escaped the bondage of such superstitious fancies, and the Citizen does not anticipate less truthful testimony in the courts as a result of the legislation in question, while it is certain that the health of witnesses will be protected thereby.—Ottawa Citizen.

### NEW CONDITIONS IN MODERN WARFARE.

British value is as great to-day as it ever was, but sublime courage is useless and even wasteful in the face of physical impossibilities. When one man hidden behind a boulder is able by the use of long range arms of great accuracy to destroy a score of his enemies before one of them can reach a position of advantage, attacks in the open are impossible and

foolhardy. The zone of danger was within a range of 300 yards in revolutionary days. It had increased to nearly 1000 yards at the time of the civil war, but that was only for a moment. Powder smoke obscured the field after a few volleys, and it took a ton of lead in rifle balls to disable one man. Smokeless powder, improved rifles have increased the danger zone to a breadth of more than a mile. While an armed soldier is crossing a space of a mile his enemy can have a hundred shots at him. Had Pickett's charge at Gettysburg been made in the face of modern artillery and small arms, not a man could have lived to get within half a mile of the Union line.

### A DANGEROUS TIME.

Bobbyegee Independent.  
The Governor-General is on the ocean, and a common judge has taken his place. Gee-whiz. Fancy, only an ordinary judge bossing the job. Better see that the front door is kept locked, and the gate fastened, or some horrid foreigners might come and walk away with the whole blooming country.

### ONTARIO'S SHAME.

Toronto Telegram.  
Ontario should begin to take the view of politics which Charles Sumner took in his words: "I am not in politics. I am in morals." It is not a political trick—it is an outrage against morality—to alter and virtually steal the ballots which have been marked by honest and incorruptible men.

It is time for Liberals to do some hard thinking. They will not always be in power. The Conservatives are suffering to-day for their sins against the sanctity of the ballot box. The Liberals in West Elgin, in North Waterloo, and now in North Grey have gone beyond all previous Conservative records. When the turn of the wheel puts the Tories in power their soundbells may improve upon the worst Liberal records. Where and how is the country to get its rights out of the rivalry between Grit and Tory soundbells?

Ontario was comparatively free from crime against the ballot until the last few years. Tories began the evil work in the North Ontario election in 1896, and under Liberal auspices evil was organized into a system for the theft of West Elgin and North Waterloo. Now North Grey is heard from, and the end is not yet. The Ontario Government pretends to deplore robbery, and at the same time receives the stolen property. The boasted morality of Ontario breaks down under the stress and trial of a close election. This province seems to be so lacking in common honesty that a British subject runs more risk of having his ballot stolen in an election conducted by the Ontario Government than does the American citizen who casts his ballot at the polling booth manned by Tammany thugs.

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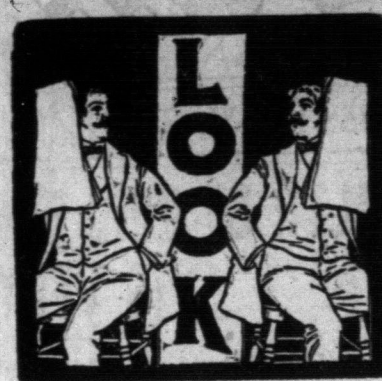
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### SPAIN'S NEW KING.

Personal Characteristics of Young King Alfonso XIII.

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Born with inherited weakness of the mind and body, exceeding frail, a wise and gentle woman has trained and guided him until he has become hearty and spirited. He is tender, sturdy physically and sound in mind, attractive character. His mother made him fit to be a king. The new sovereign, to whom all loyal Spain looks with reverence and affection, is a fine, handsome boy. His mind is healthy and spirited. He is tender, healthy, energetic, friendly and has a will of his own. He is a born soldier and is a good one even now. He is deeply patriotic and religious. He speaks English, French and German as well as his own language. He is greatly devoted to his sisters, Princesses Mercedes and Maria Theresa. He is fond of athletics and swimming.

The king has two Irish cobs, which have superseded the pony carriage and on which he is often seen in Madrid. His playfellows have been the children from the families of the Duc de Sotomayor and other grandees, and his principal diversion took the form of platoon exercises, the handling of arms and of drills. As the king's strength increased there were long walks with officers, and indoors he played billiards much and with considerable skill.

### THE CATFISH ZONE.

And the Origin of the Philadelphia Bit of Catfish and Waffles.

While pessimists have been denouncing the extension of the pie belt through the United States and the enlargement of the saleratus biscuit district, the extraordinary development of the catfish zone. The mischievous dweller of the pool is known to many names—in one place as a sucker, in another a bullhead, in a third a wolf fish, and most outrageous of all, in northern Mississippi as a shad. But its own only genuine title is catfish. The name is derived from the fact that when the creature is raised from the water it emits a grunting protest which poetical fishermen have pronounced like the purring of a family cat.

Philadelphia produced the catfish habit. For two centuries the animal was looked at as something which might be eaten to prevent starvation until one fine day a thrifty Quaker found that the catfish would eat boiled cornmeal and that this simple food not only fattened the eater, but changed the color of its belly from white to yellow. He perceived the pecuniary value of the discovery and established a catfish farm in which he fattened the fishes which he caught elsewhere and in due season sold them to the Philadelphia markets.

A Quakeress soon after that discovered that the old fashioned waffle, slightly salted and covered with melted butter, made an irresistible accompaniment to the fish when well fried. This started the catfish and waffles, for which the City of Brotherly Love has ever since been famous. The habit spread like an epidemic, and, like the star of empire, its way was westward. So far as is known the United States government has no record of catfish but starting at Philadelphia a distinct catfish zone runs westward, terminating at Denver, reaching as far north as Minneapolis and St. Paul and as far south as Mobile and New Orleans. The catfish is said to possess medicinal virtues. It is mildly anesthetic, soporific and antispasmodic.

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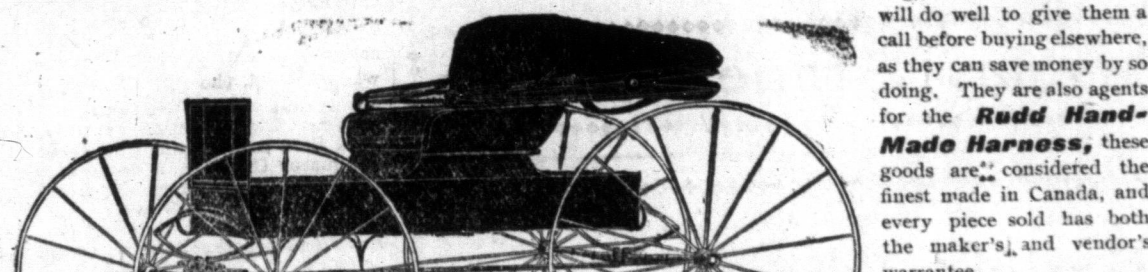
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Fireworks first became known in Europe 1360, when the Italians in Florence managed to make some. The first spectacle of fireworks was in 1588.

She Explains.  
"Yez don't tell me Mrs. Brady is to be married ag'in?"  
"Yis, it's true. I knowed yez'd be surprised at her."  
"Faith, 'tis not at her I'm surprised."

One Man's View.  
"Do you believe in love at first sight, Chris?"  
"Sure. If more men took a closer look, they wouldn't fall in love."

Coming Events.  
The little birds soon will sing  
The opening air  
Of gentle spring.  
Their notes make  
My feelings blue,  
Because my notes,  
Alas, are dull.

Merely an Understudy.  
Cannasser—I presume I am addressing the head of the house?  
Especk—Well—not exactly. But during her absence I act as her representative.

Spring Fancies.  
Don't conclude because a man looks worried that he is married. The chances are he's worried because he can't get married.

A Wrongful Diagnosis.  
Weeping, she told him he had no heart.  
"Ah, woman, why will ya wrong us men? He had merely compelled her tears to start."

Correctly Named.  
"Why do you call him a chance so quaintance?"  
"I met him while buying a lottery ticket."

One of the Symptoms.  
"But how did you know that I was in love with you?" he asked.  
"You were so foolish," she answered.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids or separate tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon, 26th inst., for the erection of a brick residence, in Wallaceburg; stone foundation, pressed brick, slate roof, hot water heating and plumbing, electric lighting etc. Plans, specifications and all details can be seen at the office of T. J. Rutley, architect. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned or left at the architect's office, W. D. McRAE.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Whole or separate tenders for the remodeling of frame residence for Mr. F. A. Robert, Wellington street, city, according to plans and specifications, prepared for same by Jas. W. Carswell, architect, will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, Wednesday 18 inst. All tenders addressed to Mr. F. A. Robert, marked "Tender", and left at the office of the architect. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans may be seen at the office of J. W. CARSWELL, Architect.

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### MUNICIPALITY OF RALEIGH

Take notice that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Raleigh will meet in the Township Hall, on Monday, the 24th of June, 1902, at 10 a.m., for despatch of business.

By order,  
A. E. ROBINSON,  
Clerk.

When a pretty girl sees she has made a conquest she is wise enough to open the way for a graceful retreat.



## CORONATION CONTINGENT

Departure of Canada's Military Representatives from Rimouski.

Rimouski, June 8.—In a pouring rainstorm, with the mud "cakin' good around their trousers," the Canadian coronation contingent formed up to march to the wharf to take the boat for Quebec yesterday. Before they moved off Col. Pellatt took occasion to impress on all ranks that they were going to England as representatives of their corps and country and were expected to behave accordingly. Then we wheeled into column and swung out onto the muddy country road and went shipping and sliding down the mountainous rocky hill into St. Joseph de Lévis. The river was half hidden in mist, the rain fell in an industrious downpour and the dripping troops, in helmets and greatcoats, splashed along, looking very much like business, and not in the least like a holiday outfit. At six o'clock we embarked on a small steamer and plowed our way up the river to Quebec, pursued by a few diluted cheers from the people on the wharf. As the troops neared Quebec the big Allan liner, Parisian, arrived and drifted gradually into the dock, on which there was a large bunch of umbrellas genially waving handkerchiefs to the troops and the steamer. The Parisian tied up, the troops landed and formed up on the wharf and stood at "easy" for one long, moist hour, while the embarking arrangements were being completed. His Excellency the Governor-General arrived during that time, accompanied by Capt. Bell, A. D. C., and with Col. Pellatt and Lt.-Col. Pelletier, D. O. C., walked down the line and carefully looked the men over with his experienced eye. When the shipboard arrangements were completed the embarkation was rapidly accomplished under the direction of Col. Cotton, adjutant general.

The arrangement for the reception of the troops on board were most complete and did credit to the Allan line. Mr. Andrew Allan came down on purpose to see that everything was all right. The Parisian is fitted up in the general style of a military transport, but more elaborately. The men sleep in hammocks, which are rolled up during the day, and leave bare, airy rooms 'tween decks. The sergeants are all in khaki uniforms, and the other non-coms in the state-rooms, with bunks. Beds have been fitted up for the arms, helmets and band instruments and everything is very complete. The accommodation of 600 men, in addition to the regular list, is a strain on the capacity of any ship, but the Allan people have certainly succeeded in making the contingent very comfortable.

Immediately after the baggage was on board the Parisian pulled into the stream. It was a dismal, rainy night, but the Dufferin terrace and front of the city were illuminated, and away above our heads, in the fog and clouds, the big guns of the citadel flashed and thundered a salute to the departing representative of His Majesty. The tugs screamed shrilly, the steam yacht sirens ki-looted and the big steamers grunted approvingly. Then we went in to dinner, because we were very wet and tired and hungry. A short distance below Quebec the Parisian had to anchor on account of the fog, consequent 'y it was eight o'clock this morning when we started for this point. The men are getting shaken into the place and learning the knack of making themselves at home on board.

His Excellency is accompanied by Lady Ruby Elliott and Mr. Shubin, his secretary. Capt. Bell was not able to come and he will be much missed by his many friends among the military men on board. Among the Ottawa people on board are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. E. Harris. This morning there was a civilian church parade at which Rev. Mr. Storr, of Kingston, and Rev. Mr. Barron, Isle of Man, officiated. The afternoon there was a military church parade at which His Excellency was present.

The coronation contingent put in a very busy week in camp. On Wednesday orders were received to move into the very comfortable Engineers' barracks at St. Joseph de Lévis and immediately the weather which had been cold and wet became hot and fine and remained so until yesterday afternoon as already related. Owing to the time lost by the bad weather four heavy drills each day were put in and the force got rapidly into shape as it is composed almost entirely of well-trained men. The work was nearly all ceremonial and on Thursday morning when General O'Grady-Hally inspected the contingent he expressed himself well pleased. On Friday afternoon the force marched over to Quebec and were presented with a flag by a committee of ladies representing the Daughters of the Empire. The weather was beautiful, the ladies and everybody was photographed in numerous poses and we marched back to barracks arriving there at seven o'clock much exhausted with the hill climbing on both sides of the river. In the evening Col. Pellatt entertained a large dinner party of the Chateau Frontenac at which all our officers were present except the three unlucky chaps on duty.

There was a good deal of trouble over the feeding of the men. The government was paying \$1.00 per day per man and the meals should have been first class, but though he gave fair satisfaction at first he failed to keep up with his record, which was not very good at the best considering the amount he was paid. The food and service were very bad and the accommodation insufficient towards the latter part of the week when all the

## In Girlhood

There is a great need of motherly watchfulness and care. A growing girl needs all her strength, and if she is nervous and melancholy, and loses appetite there is surely something wrong. This is especially true as the young girl approaches that important period of change when the womanly function is established. Timely care and proper treatment at this period may save much after suffering.

The best medicine for young girls who are nervous, melancholy, and irregular of appetite, is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures nervousness, dizziness, and melancholy, promotes the appetite, and gives the body robust health. There is no alcohol in "Favorite Prescription" and it is entirely free from opium, cocaine, and all other narcotics.

"My daughter was troubled with dizziness and constipation and was very nervous for five years," writes Mrs. M. Carter, of 135 4th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. "I tried several doctors but they gave her no relief. At times she would eat nothing, had green and purple circles under her eyes, and was melancholy. A woman friend of mine told me to try Dr. Pierce's 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Pleasant Pellets' which I did. After taking one bottle of each she began to improve and is still improving. People said she looked as though she were going into a decline. She is twelve years old now and she is healthy and robust, eats as much as any child, and is growing faster every day."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets regulate the bowels.

troops had arrived. Things came to a head on Saturday morning when he placed hash on the table which offended all the post-boys a hundred yards to leeward of the tables. The men flung a good deal of it, dishes and all down the hillside, and Lieut. McKenzie, who was on duty, had considerable difficulty in preventing them from throwing the caterer after it. Feeling rather so high that at dinner time the caterer took to the woods and remained there until the men were marched back to barracks, but as he left a good dinner in charge of his waiters for the men he was not pursued.

The mounted police troop arrived on Wednesday under Capt. Cartwright and are a fine body of men. In their neat-fitting khaki uniforms, pony hats, brown belts and boots, they look like the smartest looking lot on the ground and got the most applause on the line of march. The Canadian Mounted Infantry and the Scotchmen have now been equipped in khaki and "pony" hats also and form the khaki squadron. All the other officers and men on the grounds evaded these troops, their smart and comfortable as well as distinctive headgear and on every hand was heard regrets that the "pony" hat was not the headgear of all the Canadian troops irrespective of uniform worn. The infantry, artillery and cavalry, who have been wearing field service cap and helmet, have the corners of their foreheads swollen and sore with sunburn. When in this state a heavy helmet is substituted for a field day, the skin breaks and the men suffer severe pain, not to say agony. An old fogey idea used to exist that this was a necessary evil of soldiering, but British troops would unanimously "go sick" if subjected to such treatment.

Even on campaign. And when our men, who know better now, see other troops in camp with a good-looking, comfortable headgear that really protects the head, they naturally make comparisons.

E. W. B. MORRISON.

## A FATHER'S ADVICE

Young Toronto Lady's Health is Saved by her Parent's Experience and Good Advice—He Knew Because He Had Tried and Proven.

How many times have a parent's earnest words spoken in tenderness and backed by the wisdom of years, been gratefully received by the child?

James Beatty, of Kilworthy, Ont., is well known to many people from Toronto right through to Parry Sound.

Some years ago Mr. Beatty suffered a great deal with acute Stomach Trouble. He could find scarcely anything to eat as food that did not give him much distress and pain after eating. He was very careful in his diet, but notwithstanding all his care he endured a great deal of pain.

He tried many medicines but could not get any relief. Some one suggested Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, but at first Mr. Beatty demurred, saying, "I suppose they're like all the others."

At last, however, he consented to try them, and he soon found the difference. He was completely cured. He says: "Now, thank goodness, I can eat what I choose and the doctor is in my own pocket through Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets."

"My daughter, Miss Minnie Beatty, was up from Toronto about seven months ago, and I thought she looked very thin, so I induced her to try the medicine that had done so much for me."

"She used three boxes, and from the beginning of the treatment she grew better."

"Six months later she came home again on a short visit and we were all surprised and delighted in the change in her."

"They have made me feel like a different man, and they have done so much for my daughter that I am sure I cannot express my gratitude. I will always recommend Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for Dyspepsia and all Stomach Troubles."

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have cured thousands of just such cases as that of Mr. Beatty and his daughter, and reports of other victories are coming in every day.

## DAY'S DESPATCHES

\$3,000 REWARD OFFERED.

Salem, Ore., June 14. — Governor Geer and Supt. Lee, of the penitentiary, last night offered a reward of \$3,000 for the capture and return, dead or alive, of Tracey and Merrill, the escaped convicts. This is double the amount offered heretofore.

CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY.

Dublin, June 15.—Patrick McHugh, M. P., has been arrested on a warrant on the charge of conspiracy and intimidation in connection with the complaint of a tenant of a farm from which a member of the United Irish League had been evicted. The warrant, which assembled at Sligo, Ireland on June 6, under the Crimes Act.

LOST A LEG.

Toronto, June 15. —James Stevenson, aged 33, and residing at 112 Berkeley street, a car checker at the Union Station, lies at the Emergency Hospital at the point of death, as a result of injuries sustained while at work to-day. Stevenson was checking some cars and stepped in front of the 4.30 G. T. R. train from Buffalo. He had his left leg cut off at the knee and his left arm so mangled that it had to be taken off at the shoulder. His recovery is scarcely expected.

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## DISTRICT DOINGS.

### TILBURY

June 16.—Miss Mabel McKibbin, spent Sunday in Detroit, the guest of her friend Miss Mamie Smith.

Dr. Holmes, of Chatham, was in town on Saturday on professional business.

Miss Campbell and Miss Georgia Marshall of Merlin, spent Sunday in town with friends.

A. A. Wilson was in Chatham yesterday, and today.

Mrs. Jno. Morris is visiting relatives in Everett, Mich.

Mr. Ladelle of Hamilton, spent Sunday in town.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, S. S.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that he will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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### ERIEAU

C. C. Greening and wife, G. B. Merritt, Jr., and family, W. E. Hall, Miss Boushall, W. E. Campbell, W. Woodhouse, G. Taylor and brother, Chas. Taylor, of St. Thomas; A. F. Falls and wife, Mrs. G. B. Moore, A. W. Nichols, spent Monday at Erieau, launching boats and shooting blue rocks.

W. R. Phillimore, Ed. Smith and A. F. Falls and A. Park, launched the Borden Powell.

The Urania made her first trip and had quite a number of passengers each way.

Mr. Glenn has men out lath and plastering his new house.

"Shagwapee" is one of the first cottages to be occupied.

Miss Boushall's cottage will be occupied by five gentlemen from Cleveland; two came over on the Urania Monday.

C. C. Greening and family will move out to the Eau for the season on Tuesday.

Now the Eau service is on the foot. Conductor Crouchman is in charge of the trains on the Eau service.

### WALLACEBURG

June 16.—Allan Fraser, of Detroit, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Grace Allworth, of Sarnia, spent the last few days in town.

Rev. Mr. Baker, Messrs. Will Colwell, Geo. Nightingale, Yale and McDonald, who were delegates at the Baptist convention held in Ridgeway, last week, returned home Saturday.

The I. O. O. F. will attend service in the Baptist Church next Sunday morning, when the pastor, Rev. Mr. Baker, will preach.

A large number attended the funeral of Nelson Woods, aged 11 years, 11 months and 28 days, who was killed by lightning in the storm last Thursday evening. The funeral took place on Saturday to the Wallaceburg Cemetery.

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ADVICE TO ADAM-ZAD.

Look straight ahead of you, Adam-Zad.

O bear that walks like a man! Do you see that log, bold and bad, That stands by the side of Japan? —Chicago Tribune.

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TO RENT—At Erieau, my partly furnished cottage, until July 21st. W. S. Marshall.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Summer Cottage at Erie Beach, furnished—For sale or to rent. Apply to John Piggott & Son's Lumber office.

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., and six lots on Maple St. Apply to Mrs. Tinsman, Victoria Block, or The Planet.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—156 Wellington St. West; lot 50x208. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to J. A. Till.

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One 12 ft. 6 in. x 20 ft. and 15 ft. high. Another 10 ft. x 12 ft. high. The third an out door closet. All of these are well roofed and in good condition. Have also one Heap's Dry Ice Machine for sale. For particulars call at residence, William Street.

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Frame house, two storeys, 12 rooms, Lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000.

Brick house, two storeys, 7 rooms, Lot 40 feet front, by 208 feet deep, \$1,100.00.

Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 ft., \$800.00.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good stable, \$1,100.00.

Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet.

House, 3 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 feet, \$1,000.

Farm in Howard, 32 1/2 acres, house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.

Farm in Chatham Township, 110 acres. All cleared. Good house, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. Will trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part payment.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 60 acres. All cleared. Good house and barn, \$3,750.

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**PROBABILITIES.**  
Special to The Planet.  
Toronto, June 17.—10 a. m.—Winds becoming light and variable, fine. Wednesday, moderate to fresh southerly, and southeasterly winds, fine, and moderately warm until night, then showers.

The following figures were registered today at 7 a. m. at Turner & Platt's weather bureau:  
Thermometer 55.  
Highest yesterday 72.  
Lowest yesterday 45.  
Direction of wind, west.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Police Commissioners meet on Thursday.  
Fife Rutherford is spending a few days in Detroit.

The Maple City Creamery shipped 110 packages of butter to a Scotland firm yesterday.

The roof of the Tecumseh Park band stand has been painted in different colors. The effect is not attractive.

Two sneak thieves stole \$10,000 worth of uncut jewels in Cleveland on Saturday. The local police have been notified.

George E. Monroe, secretary of the Forest Cricket Club, has written the secretary of the local eleven asking for a game.

A social will be given at the residence of M. Waddick, 9th concession, Raleigh, to-night, in aid of St. Joseph's hospital.

Lieut. M. West of the Salvation Army, bade farewell to her Chatham friends on Sunday and left for her home in Hespeler. She left many warm friends behind her in Chatham.

Walter West, Will Janke and Mort Sheldon were to have gone with the Kingsville Cavalry to camp at Niagara on the Lake today, but owing to a misunderstanding over the train service, did not go. They are now awaiting orders.

## DOVER CROPS

Sam. Montgomery, one of the most prosperous and up-to-date young farmers of Dover, was in the city today. In conversation with The Planet he said:

"The recent heavy rains have not affected the crops in Dover very much. They have stopped the corn growth a little, but the cool weather has been good for the other crops. If the rain has done nothing else it has started the weeds growing," he said with a smile.

## SAD DEATH

The following is clipped from the Calgary Weekly Herald, of June 12.

**DIED.**  
Milner—At the Holy Cross Hospital, on Wednesday afternoon, the 4th inst. Mary Margaret, only daughter of Mrs. Milner, aged 5 years and three months.

Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Milner, whose little daughter died at the Holy Cross Hospital yesterday afternoon. The child had been laid up with scarlet fever and was supposed to be convalescent, and was taken home, but complications set in and she was again taken back to the hospital, where death ensued. The child's body was removed to Mr. Neilson's residence, where Mrs. Milner is staying for a short time. The little girl was a singularly bright and beautiful child and was endeared to a large circle of friends. She was the only child of her mother, who is heartbroken.

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**Physically, Not Mentally.**  
Dick—You were born to be a writer, Charlie.  
Charlie (blushing)—Ah, you've seen some of the things I've turned off.  
Dick—No. I was thinking what a splendid ear you have for carrying a pen.

**Omens and Omens-keepers.**  
It frequently happens that when a man gets an office he finds it too small for him. But they're all willing to squeeze in.

Yacht racing is one of the chief diversions in the Hawaiian Islands.

## SPLendid DOG

Herb Clements' little field spaniel, "Duke" has broken his leg, but under the care of Dr. Bogart, V.S., its recovery is earnestly looked for.

The little pet is one of the most intelligent dogs in Chatham. Herb purchased it when it was a pup and ever since he has taken a deep interest in teaching it to do tricks. When offered a pipe it will sit up on a chair and smoke away as if it were enjoying it as much as Herb would himself. It will also carry in wood from the wood shed and deposits it carefully behind the stove. He meets the boy with The Planet every night, and conveys the paper safely home to its master.

When Herb comes home at night and commences to unlace his shoes, the dog, without being spoken to, trots off and gets his masters slippers and puts them down in front of him. Every night before retiring Herb calls the dog and says—  
"Duke, what do you do before you go to bed?"  
Duke immediately jumps up on a chair with his forepaws on the back of it, with his eyes closed and his head resting in his paws—saying his prayers. He remains in this position until his master says "Amen", then he trots off to his bed in the kitchen. Duke has gone through this performance every night for years, and always looks for it.

Naturally the little dog is much prized by its master and mistress, who feel very sorry over the accident which has befallen their pet.  
"Do you know," said Mr. Clements this morning, "if I were only sure that the dog will get better, I would write out a cheque for \$100 right now as quickly as I would buy a cigar."  
Herb has had frequent handsome offers for the dog, but has refused them all.

## MYSTERY SOLVED

The great safe robbing mystery at the store of Quinn & Patterson has been solved at last. The Planet did it.

On Friday Wm. Nichol was fixing the combination on the Quinn & Patterson safe. He noticed that the cash drawer also needed fixing. On Saturday morning he came in for the drawer. He waited for a while and everybody being busy he went in and prying it with a screw driver took it out. He handed the papers in the box to Mr. Patterson and took the drawer away to fix the lock. Mr. Patterson was busy at the time and he forgot all about it. Mr. Nichol went out to the Eau Saturday night and yesterday while both members of the firm were wondering at the mystery and staking their reputations on the honesty of their clerks Mr. Nichol was enjoying the breezes at Erieau. Last evening he returned and reading the paper learned of the robbery of the safe. The mystery was soon explained and the papers found and the laugh came in somewhere and also a few "smiles."

## WALLACEBURG

June 17.—A large crowd witnessed the baseball match which took place on the Agricultural Park yesterday between Dresden and Wallaceburg. After an interesting game, lasting a couple of hours, the result was shown to be 11 to 4 in Dresden's favor.

Chas. Chubb and family have moved to their summer home at Pt. Lambton.

A great many young people from here attended the first excursion of the season to Pt. Lambton last evening. A good time is reported.

The first weekly excursion of the "Sea-Boy" to Detroit was given yesterday. Quite a number took in the trip.

Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town once a month; if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collector calls, he must remit direct to The Planet Office, Chatham, as we will not be responsible for monies paid to carriers.

**THE REAL DIFFICULTY.**  
She—Because I cannot marry you, do not be disheartened. You must face the world bravely.  
He—It isn't a question of facing the world, I've got to face my creditors.

—Humors of all kinds are prolific of worse troubles. They may be entirely expelled by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

**Baby's Name.**  
"But why did you name your baby after his most disreputable ancestor?" the surprised friend asked the proud young mother.

"Well, you see I expect him to improve on the former bearer of the name. Indeed, he hardly can help it, because the ancestor was so very bad, I had named him after the most distinguished member of the family, he might not have lived up to the name. Babies hardly ever do when they are named for great personages, as I have often noticed."

**Physically, Not Mentally.**  
Dick—You were born to be a writer, Charlie.  
Charlie (blushing)—Ah, you've seen some of the things I've turned off.  
Dick—No. I was thinking what a splendid ear you have for carrying a pen.

**Omens and Omens-keepers.**  
It frequently happens that when a man gets an office he finds it too small for him. But they're all willing to squeeze in.

Yacht racing is one of the chief diversions in the Hawaiian Islands.

## JUST ESCAPED HANGING.

Dr. Mudd, Who Mended John Wilkes Booth's Broken Leg.

Mudd was a physician, and it was to his house that Booth had ridden on the night of his great crime. There his broken leg had been set, and there he had been secreted for one day. The doctor was an educated man of refined and dignified manner. He had never quite recovered from his surprise that any one should find fault with him for setting a broken bone for a stranger. He always asserted that he did not know Booth and was not committed to a crime. But Mudd had been an ardent secessionist. He was accordingly sentenced to imprisonment for life.

It was a hard fate to be called upon for professional services by a wounded desperado and then narrowly to escape hanging for it. The trial and sentence were a terrible blow, from which Mudd never recovered. He had left a devoted wife at his home in Maryland, and his mental sufferings were so severe that he seemed always on the verge of insanity. He had at first been put to work with a wheelbarrow; but, having never done any manual labor, he was rapidly falling under the strain. For this reason it directed that he be transferred to the prisoners' hospital as nurse.

There he made himself exceedingly useful, and there he might have remained had not his homesickness in an evil hour overcome his judgment. While a ship lay at the wharf he contrived to get aboard and to escape himself in the coal bunkers. He was of course discovered, and then he learned what he did not know before, that no ship was allowed to sail until it was ascertained that every prisoner was in his place. He was immediately placed in solitary confinement, where he remained several months.—McClure's Magazine.

## PELLETS OF SNOW.

How They Fling and Drift in the Adirondack Region.

On a good drifting day in the Adirondacks the snow comes not in the star shaped flakes that look so pretty when portrayed on a page of the dictionary, but in small pellets. These pellets are in shape like tiny white footballs usually, and they come rolling and tumbling down wind, as if they had been "kicked for fair" by the half-back gods of the game. And yet while they roll and tumble and bound they find lodging places, and as the idler gazes he sees them pile up in a wall on the crest of the road cut. Higher and higher grows the pile, forming at first a vertical wall, but before this has risen three inches it is seen to overhang the gulch.

Though round and easily rolled, these pellets in some way fit to each other as bricks would, until the overhang is perhaps a fifth as great as the elevation of the wall, and then, marvelous and impossible as it would seem to the unaccustomed observer, a lip forms on the crest of the wall, and soon it begins to droop and hang down. Wider and longer it grows, farther and farther it droops until its shape is precisely like the lip formed on a huge wave when it breaks on a shoal water beach. Lips that are ten feet wide and hang down three feet clear of all, though but six or eight inches thick where they join the chin of the wall, are not uncommon.

By what magic is it that these frothy, oblong pellets that go bounding along as merrily as footballs form into such a shape as that? Of course if the storm continues a time usually comes when the lips break off because of their great weight. And then the snow forms to replace the lost one. The snow drops over into the lee of the wall and gradually fills the cutting—Scribner's.

**The Rose.**  
At all times the rose has enjoyed peculiar favor as a sacred flower. Mohammedan tradition says that when Saladin captured Jerusalem he refused to enter the shrine of the temple which had been converted into a church by the Crusaders till the walls had been thoroughly cleansed with rosewater.

A similar story is told of the Church of St. Sophia, at Constantinople, when transformed from a Christian place of worship to a Mohammedan mosque. The origin of the rose, according to Moslem tradition, is that the blood of the prophet sprang into new life in this glorious crimson flower. To this day when a Turk sees a rose lying on the ground he will raise it tenderly, kiss it reverently and deposit the frail blossom in some place of safety.

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## Coal and Wood

Lehigh and Scranton  
Coal, Virginia Splint  
Coal for domestic use.  
Smithing Coal, Hard and Soft Wood in all lengths.  
All are of the best quality and at lowest prices.  
Delivered promptly to any part of the city.  
**J. Gilbert & Co.,**  
Office and Yards, William Street, near G. T. R.  
Crossing.

## June Weddings

No more appropriate gift for a JUNE WEDDING than a handsome picture. Pictures appeal to one's taste and intelligence, and in the new house fill a felt want. Few new houses start with too many pictures. We invite your inspection of our framed and unframed pictures, works of art, framed as they should be.

We Sell Pictures and Do Artistic Framing

## Dingman's

Book Store.  
Wall Paper Window Shades

## Cowan's Chocolate Pudding

A delicious preparation for a dessert can be made up in short notice at a small cost. Try a package. We sell it at 15c a package.

## Cowan's Icings

All colors, and flavors, at 10c a package, can be made up in a minute. Requires no boiling. Try it.

## Cowan's Unsweetened Chocolate

For cooking; has no equal. We sell it.

## Cowan's Cocoa

Is known to everybody and always pleases its users. Try it and be convinced.

## Cowan's Chocolate Ginger

A delicious confection. We sell it at 40c lb.

Give us your trade and we will guarantee you satisfaction.

## Geo. A. Young OUR GROCER

WANTED.  
GOOD GIRL WANTED—Highest wages; family small. Apply at this office.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. C. Austin, King St.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. Geo. A. Witherspoon, Wellington street.

ACTIVE AGENTS WANTED FOR "THE WORLD ON FIRE" by Murat Halstead. Burning mountains in American Indies explode destroying cities full of people. Startling history of appalling phenomena threatening the globe. 600 big illustrated pages, only \$1.50. Highest endorsements. Biggest profits guaranteed. Agents clearing from \$5 to \$25 daily. Outfit free. Enclose ten cents for postage. THE DOMINION CO.

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Two story frame, all modern conveniences, price \$1,200.  
One story frame, conveniently located, five rooms, pantry, veranda and city water, price \$650.  
New cottage and large lot, seven rooms, summer kitchen, cellar and veranda, price \$1,100.  
Let us insure your buildings and their contents.

**DUNN & MERRITT,**  
Fifth Street.  
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Box 52.  
FOR SALE—Hotel range, cheap. Can be used for wood or coal, and is in splendid condition. Apply to W. R. Peck, Rankin House, Chatham.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

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

# Now Is The Time.....

To take advantage of low prices. As the season advances our prices decrease.

You will find us showing now natty hats of the highest art, at a very moderate cost, as usual they differ entirely from each other. Particular breadth of choice lies among the hats from **\$2.00 to \$4.00.**

Special Sale of Sailors this week, reg. values 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25, for..... **39c.**

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT | DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT

## Special Black and Colored Lustres

For up-to-date style, for comfort and for durability lustres are easily the leaders for this season's wear. We are prepared to show you a complete range of plain and fancy lustres, in black and colors. Special fast color lines for Bathing Suits.

**Black Lustres**  
In plain and twill designs, bright and medium finish, dye guaranteed, widths from 40 to 54 inches, and priced at 20c, 25c, 40c, 50c, up to \$1.25 yard

**Colored Lustres**  
In shades of grey, navy, brown, cardinal, and the opera shades, fast colors, 40 inch line at 25c, yard and 44 inch line at per yard 50c.

**40c Silks at 29c per yard**  
We continue for the balance of this week our sale of 40c chime silks. This is what we offer—Our 23 inch pure chime silk in black, cream and all the colors, always sold at 40c, for per yd 29c

**Figured Lustres**  
In small, neat designs, extra high silky finish, very pretty for summer skirts, 40 to 46 inches wide, priced, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c up to 90c yard

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT | CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

**SATURDAY, JUNE 21ST**

# Men's Summer Suits

**\$5, \$7.50 and \$10**

Never before has such thoroughly good merchandise been offered to the people of Chatham and vicinity, at such low prices. " Astonishingly low prices," you'll say when you examine them and note the quality of materials and perfection in making. All of the approved good styles of the season have a place in the showing made of the most popular fabrics for the summer: fine serges, worsteds, tweeds, homespun, check lines. The range including the finest and most varied showing of the outing suit to be found in the city, these being made of fine flannels, chalk lines and genuine Ontario homespun. Have a look at some of your friends' \$15 and \$18 made to order suits; then look at these.

**Straw Hats**  
On a hot day you'll wish you had one of our cool, comfortable, wind-blown-through Straw Hats.

All the styles are now here — fine split straws the new rough and smooth braids, the latest Panama shaped straw and French palms. Better be fitted now while the stock offers the best attractions.

Our Feather Weight Panamas, new, full fedora shape, most comfortable hat shown, sizes 6 3/4 to 7 1/2, special value at \$1.50.

Rustic Braid Straws, the season's leading styles, plain and fancy braids, at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Plain Braid Straws in staple shapes, full sailors and fedora shapes, special, all sizes 50c.

Men's and Boys' Special Dress Straws, in neat sailor styles, rustic and plain braids, also in fedora shapes, all sizes 25c.

**Men's Furnishings**  
W. G. & R. Shirts—The swellest things of the summer. " Astonishingly low prices," you'll say when you examine them and note the quality of materials and perfection in making. All of the approved good styles of the season have a place in the showing made of the most popular fabrics for the summer: fine serges, worsteds, tweeds, homespun, check lines. The range including the finest and most varied showing of the outing suit to be found in the city, these being made of fine flannels, chalk lines and genuine Ontario homespun. Have a look at some of your friends' \$15 and \$18 made to order suits; then look at these.

Soft Shirts—Real \$1.00 qualities in the season's popular patterns and color combinations, neat stripes and figures, separate cuffs, full range of sizes, very pretty colorings, at 75c.

Silk Front Shirts—in very handsome colorings, with extra quality cotton in body, sizes 14 to 16 1/2, very special value at 50c.

Outing Flannel Shirts—Of nice fine quality, pretty silk stripes, collar attached, all sizes 75c and \$1.00.

Leather Belts—The most complete and varied exhibit to be found anywhere, both boys' and men's patent leather, tans and grey shades, 25c, 50c, 75c.

Fancy Hose—Fine Mosha, embroidered in the new patterns also new ideas in solid colors, very special value at 25c.

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



## Strawberries

For canning. We will take your order for berries, and deliver them to you Wednesday morning. You can depend on them being strictly fresh and good.

### Granulated Sugar.

### Powdered Sugar.

### Rubber Rings.

### Fruit Jars.

Your order will have our prompt and careful attention.

## H. Malcolmson

### All Sorts of...

## Pretty Conceits

In Jewellery are the vogue. Many novelties have been added to the already large stock of



### BELT PINS SECRET LOOKER CHAINS AND LOOKETS COIN-BROOCHES, ETC.

The fancy has a wide field to soar over before making a choice, but as all are extremely pretty, of excellent quality and reasonably priced. Any piece selected will be the right piece.

## E. J. MacIntyre, Leading Jeweler and Optician

**Coral.**  
Coral is a shell of carbonate of lime, inhabited by an animal, which can be readily detected under the microscope in any piece of live coral freshly taken from the water.

**Adjutant Birds.**  
In a public park at Calcutta are several birds of the adjutant species. They are the storiks of the East Indies and average six feet in height. These birds parade in a stately way and at a distance look so much like soldiers that strangers often mistake them for grenadiers.

**Detective Minds.**  
The keen notice of trifles and the rapid matching in the mind of cause and effect constitute what may be called the detective quality, which belongs to its highest grade to great inventors or naturalists.

**The Earthquake Record.**  
Greece holds the earthquake record with 3,187 shocks in five years.

**Tibet Women.**  
In districts of Tibet a woman may have several legal husbands at the same time, over whom she rules with a power that might well arouse the envy of the newest of new women.

**Books in Germany.**  
The largest circulation attained for a novel in Germany is that of "Ekkehard," by Schaffel, and it has reached but 180,000 in fifty years.

**Slaughter of Innocents.**  
Few accidents approach in horror to that at the Victoria hall, at Sunderland, in 1883, when 182 children were crushed to death. That disaster was all due to a block on the staircase.

**A Large Family.**  
Under one roof at a farm near Fougues, in the department of the Pas-de-Calais, France, there lives a family of five generations.

**Divers' Helmets.**  
Divers are able to converse under water by placing their helmets, which are invariably made of copper, together and shouting to one another. The sound, they say, is swift and distinctly conveyed.

**Gutta Serena.**  
There is a demand for gutta serena 600 times greater than the supply.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

## DR. A. W. THORNTON DENTIST

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Office—First Door East of Standard Bank  
Telephone Office 164.  
Residence 285.

### TO-NIGHT.

Laconia Club practice, Tecumseh Park, 6.45, sharp.  
Daughters of Rebekah, Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

Band Concert, Excursion to Erie, leave C. P. R. station at 7.10.  
Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock.

Non-commissioned Officers, including staff-sergeants, at the drill hall, at 7.30.

## Local Briefs

Charles Hadley left yesterday for the North. James M. P., was in the city to-day.

Mrs. Jerome Eddy returned to Flint, Mich., to-day.

Wm. Ball, Victoria avenue, is in London to-day.

The season for black bass fishing opened yesterday.

The representative of Reid Bros., London, was in the city to-day.

There was a colored baptism on Sunday morning in the Thames.

Charles Apgar, of Walkerville, was in the city on business yesterday.

W. W. Stein, of the C. B. C., was in Windsor yesterday on business.

A new tile sewer has been put in from the park fountain to the river.

The representative of Corrigan & Co., of London, was in the city to-day.

G. P. Scholfield, of the Standard Bank, left yesterday for New Orleans.

A large dark bay horse was impounded in North Chatham yesterday.

The schooner White Oak is in port with a cargo of lumber for Blonde Bros.

Will Kerr left Saturday to take a position on the passenger steamer, Pittsburgh.

Fred Prescott, of Guelph, an old Chatham boy, is visiting relatives in the city.

Levels have been taken and the route marked out for part of the sidewalk on Stanley avenue.

Office key found—Owner can have it by applying at this office and paying for this advertisement.

Don't forget the garden party June 23rd, by the Sunshine Club, on Mr. N. H. Stevens lawn.

W. J. Bedford, of Toronto, has taken charge of the band saw at the S. Hadley Co.

T. J. Rutley, architect, is asking for tenders for the erection of a handsome residence.

A garden party will be given by the Sunshine Club on Mr. N. H. Stevens lawn, June 23d.

A ladies Macabree pin was lost yesterday and the finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

Rev. W. Lindsay, B. A., of Dresden, very acceptably filled the pulpit in St. Andrew's church last Sunday.

A. C. McKay, of the Planet Job Rooms, left to-day for a ten days' visit to Toronto and New York.

Pin Lost! Ladies Macabree pin, on Monday afternoon. A reward will be given by leaving it at this office.

Architect J. W. Carswell is asking tenders for the alterations and additions to F. A. Robert's residence.

Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor and family left Saturday for British Columbia on account of Mrs. Taylor's ill health.

Jno. Watson, postmaster, of Dresden, spent Sunday with his wife, who underwent an operation recently in the General Hospital.

The City of Chatham will not make her usual Thursday trip to Detroit this week, as the boat fills an engagement from Detroit on that day.

The Sanitarium Company has issued a testimonial book containing a number of remarkable cures in blood poisoning and rheumatism.

W. R. Peck, proprietor of the Rankin House, has a large hotel range in which coal or wood can be used for sale cheap.

The 24th Non-commissioned Officers (including staff-sergeants) will meet on Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7.30 o'clock for instruction in the firing exercise.

The William street Baptist church building will be re-opened next Sunday. All are invited to attend the services. There will be special offerings taken at each service. 3rd.

James Carpenter, of Blenheim, died yesterday in the Public General Hospital from Bright's disease. The remains will be taken to Blenheim for interment.

A garden party will be given by the Sunshine Society Monday evening next, June 23rd, on Mr. N. H. Stevens lawn. Refreshments will be served by the young ladies. Orchestra in attendance. Silver collection.

Do not forget the great peace and coronation McKeeough school picnic on Friday evening. Games, speeches, fireworks, bonfires, dancing, illuminations, music and refreshments. The 24th Regimental Band in attendance. Admission 10 cents. God Save the King.

Battalion drill of the Regiment, was held last night, with a small turnout of the companies with the exception of B Company. The Colonel did not think much of the drill and said the markers did not do their duty well at all. He blamed the non-commissioned officers for the poor turnout in the different companies. The Regiment will parade on Thursday night for battalion drill and march-out.

## Children's and Baby's Things

Infant's slips, first short dresses, booties, hand-made jackets and shawls, children's white or fancy colored wash dresses, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.10 to \$3. Children's skirts and drawers. Baby's and little children's muslin caps and hats, 15c, 25c, 40c, 50c to \$2.00.

### Mrs. J. E. Weldon, King St. East.

Jerry O'Brien is in Kingsville on business to-day.

A. Deming of Walkerville was in the city yesterday.

John Bagnall, of Jeannette's Creek, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. Goudon, Park St., has gone to Detroit to visit friends.

Architect James Carswell is at Rond Eau to-day on business.

"Cuba" Darr has accepted a position at Waterhouse's bakery.

Mrs. Crosby, Park St. East, is said to be ravaging insurance.

H. E. Sites, of Thamesville, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Hy. Buchanan, of Thamesville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Spencer is visiting friends in Ridgeway for a few days.

Orval Thompson is in Wallaceburg and Dresden to-day on business.

Newton Wall, Cleveland, is renewing acquaintances in Chatham City.

The Daughters of Rebekah will hold a special committee meeting to-night.

Contractor Robt. Cucksey was in Wallaceburg yesterday on business.

Fred McKay left yesterday for Detroit, where he will reside in future.

S. Glenn & Son shipped a car of beans to the eastern market yesterday.

Chas. West returned to Ridgeway yesterday, after spending a few days here.

Dr. Mitchell, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday on professional business.

The City of Chatham will not make the trip to Detroit on Thursday of this week.

Robt. Ridley, of the G. T. R. freight office, has secured a good position in St. Thomas.

Dan. Crotty, of Boston, Mass., has accepted a position on the T. H. Taylor Mills building.

Taxation of costs in Lockery vs. Tilbury was continued before the local registrar to-day.

Mrs. Stewart and daughter, of Los Angeles, Cal., will spend the summer with friends and relatives in the city and vicinity.

Allen Belamy, employed at Quinn & Patterson's, had the misfortune to severely lacerate his thumb. The wound required five stitches.

License Inspector T. C. Macnabb was in Tilbury yesterday giving notice in the transferring of the license of the Marchand House. J. B. Marchand has sold the hotel to Frank Steinlake.

Gideon Jewell, Samuel Ellis, and John Hart, sentenced for theft, and Thos. Green, sentenced as a frequenter of a disorderly house, were all taken to the Central Prison by Bailiff English to-day.

Preparations for lowering the waterworks pipe across the river at the Aberdeen bridge are under way. The pipe will be taken up half way across the river. The river bed will be dredged and then the pipe will be replaced.

### Pain in the Back

makes life miserable. Can it be cured? Yes, a complete Nervine gives a complete knock-out to pain in the back, for it penetrates through the tissues, takes out the soreness and pain, invigorates tired muscles, and makes you feel like a new man. Nervine cures quickly because it is stronger, more penetrating, more highly pain-subduing than any other remedy. Don't suffer another minute, get Nervine quick, and rub it in, for sure as you were born it will cure you. 25c.

### S. O. E.

The Brothers of Thames Lodge, No. 101, S. O. E., Benevolent Society, are respectfully requested to meet at their lodge room on Wednesday afternoon, June 18th, at 1.30 for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother, James Carpenter, of Fargo Lodge.

### Successful Piano Students

The following pupils of Miss Lillian Pratt have been successful in passing the Toronto Conservatory of Music examinations recently held in Chatham:

Intermediate—Miss Vera Smith, and Miss Ethel McKerrall.

Junior—Miss Ila Stephens (honors) and Miss Aggie Phillimore.

Too much credit cannot be given Miss Smith for her excellent work.

She has been a pupil of Miss Pratt's a little over a year, and has succeeded in doing two years' work in one.

Miss Ila Stephens, a young lady ten years of age, also deserves special mention for passing her first year with honors.

### SPECIAL EXCURSION RATES

Via the Chicago and Northwestern Railway to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Salt Lake, Hot Springs and Deadwood, South Dakota, during June, July and August. A splendid opportunity is offered for an enjoyable vacation trip. Several fine trains via the Northwestern Line Information and illustrated pamphlets can be obtained from B. H. Bennett, Gen. Agt., 2 King street, east, Toronto, Ont.

# The Gordon Store

Aims to make every month in the year surpass the same month a year ago and June is no exception. We are in a quiet way for our customers doing big things for a little money. Big bundles can be secured by small pocket-books. Here are some more of the kind of bargains you will find all through our large and well assorted stock of goods, hot from the looms and factories.

### To End Spring Sale

Odd and Ends and Broken Lots  
**Lace Curtains**

Will be sold at the manufacturer's prices—take a June shot at a broken lot.

### Girls' Wash Dresses, Boys' Wash Blouses

A few dozen left, sacrifices and surprises in cheapness, only broken sizes at cut in two prices—  
Girls' White Dresses for any age and for any price from 55c to \$2.50

### Boys' Black Ribbed Hose

Prime stockings for boys of 5 to 15 years. Guaranteed black, broad ribbed and seamless, 25c goods at 14c a pair.

GIRLS' AND WOMEN'S HOSE  
At 10c and 12c up

### Two Pieces

72 inch fine bleached table damask at 50c a yard.

### Two Pieces

72 inch fine cream white table damask at 30c a yard.

### Just from Paris

A nice line of plain and fancy French wool challies at 55c a yard. Fine French Foulard Silks, the latest in stripes and very neat, small patterns, at 80c a yard.

### Summer Millinery

Our Millinery in style, quality and general make-up is very acceptable. Popular in every way, price included. The Manila, the Chips, the Cubans and many Buns' Straw Effects are selling freely. Summer is on with change of style, new ideas and novelties. The Gainsborough with bow to match, the Coaching Hat and the Latest London Outing Hat are some of them. Special attention to children's Hats and Bonnets.

### Waists and Wrappers

All sizes in Print and Percol women's waists at 50c.

The best dollar black mercerized women's waist we ever sold, and the best dollar morning wrapper to be found. We prove this.

### For Muslin Weather

A case of yard wide Shilling Dress Muslins, new patterns, fast colors, at 8c a yard.

American Gingham in plaids plain and stripes, 10c and 12c yd.

### 7 Dozen Steel Purses

Regular 35c values for 15c each.

4 Dozen Boys' Bicycle Leather Belts at 5c each.

If You Use Patterns  
Use the Standard  
They Insure a Fit.

Standard Fashions  
Daily Delineator 10c

William Gordon

### The Cleanly Roach.

Contrary to the usual supposition, cockroaches are quite cleanly and devote a great deal of time to the toilet. It is an interesting sight to watch a cock bug carefully cleaning first its antennae and then its legs by passing them through its mouth-mouth parts.

**Big Smokestacks.**  
The smokestacks of our ocean steamers are much larger than is generally supposed. They range from fourteen to eighteen feet in diameter.

**The Swordfish.**  
The swordfish lives from five to ten hours after it is harpooned, and at any time in that period he is a dangerous customer for the fisherman. Indeed swordfishing is one of the most dangerous as well as most exciting of all the variety of enterprises pursued by our fishermen.

**To Thin Glue.**  
Glue that has become too thick may be reduced to desired consistency by thinning with vinegar, which is much better for this purpose than water.

**An Ancient Piece of Music.**  
The most ancient piece of music which is still in existence is believed to be the "Blessing of the Priests." This song or chant was said to have been sung in the temple at Jerusalem, and is still to be heard in the Hebrew synagogues in Spain and Portugal.

**Kissing in Japan.**  
No kissing ever occurs in Japan except between husband and wife, not even between a mother and child.

**Dust.**  
The condensing power of dust adds to the annoyance of the housekeeper, for the glass in picture frames looks damper and feels grainer than it would otherwise.

**Russian Country Houses.**  
Russian villages and country houses are mostly built of wood and stone, brick houses being almost unknown.

**How to Oil a Belt.**  
Take the belt from its pulleys and put it in a warm solution of oil and tallow for a few minutes. Then plunge it into water heated to 100 degrees F. and remove at once. The water will temper the leather at the same time that it drives the oil and tallow in.

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### Friendship.

Sweet words will multiply a man's friends, and a fair-speaking tongue will multiply courtesies. Let those that are at peace with thee be many; but thy counselors one of a thousand. If thou wouldst get a friend, get him by proving, and be not in haste to trust him. For there is a friend that is so for his own occasion, and he will not continue in the day of our affliction. And there is a friend that turneth to enemy, and he will discover strife at thy approach. And there is a friend that is a companion at the table, and he will not continue in the day of thy affliction; and in thy prosperity he will be bought over thy servants; if thou be a friend low, he will be against thee; he will hide himself from thy face. Separate thyself from thine enemies, and beware of thy friends. A faithful friend is a strong defense, and he that hath found him, hath found a treasure. There is nothing that can be taken in exchange for a faithful friend, and an excellent friend is a medicine of life, and they that fear the Lord shall find him. He that feareth the Lord directeth his friendship aright; for as he is, so is his neighbor also.—The Watchman.

### Secret of a Long Life.

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She never forgot that kind words and a smile cost nothing, but are priceless treasures to the discouraged.

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"Now I hope you did not take any candy and eat it at the store."

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## ROLFF HOUSE

BY G. H. BENEDICT

CHAPTER IV.  
"Well," began the old man, "I don't mind telling what I know about the matter, though I'm afraid you'll find it rather a dry tale, with your appetites all whetted for a recital of supernatural doings. But it's a strange story, nevertheless. It was long, long ago, during the last years of King George's war with the French and Spaniards, that there came to our village, then a mere hamlet, a tall, dark-looking man, richly dressed, who put up at the little Dutch inn that stood on the very spot that this tavern now stands. He remained a week after week, and there he brought with him a great many of some wealthy character. The curiosity of the good burghers was much excited about this mysterious personage. He was fierce and gloomy at times, and would speak to no one, and then again he would be free and jovial to the extent of spending many a dozen of gold and silver coins, and getting himself and half the good burghers deeply intoxicated. This man gave his name as Magnus Rolff. At times, when in his cups, he would tell the most frightful tales of bloody adventures at sea; so that in time the good people began to regard him as a retired pirate, and this belief seemed confirmed by the number of heavy, strong chests he had brought with him, which no doubt contained the treasures he had acquired in his wild adventures. As Magnus Rolff rather enjoyed it to have the good people regard him with dread as well as admiration, he encouraged these stories about himself, it is to be feared, and so they have descended to this day.

"But it is not necessary for us to credit them, so I will give you the real history of the man as I have learned it on the best authority. His real name was Rolff Van Buysen, and he belonged to a wealthy family of Holland. His father was a man of great talent, a patron of the arts, and a distinguished public man. But Rolff was a wild boy, and, for some unknown escape, he fled the country and took to life at sea. At last came to the colonies. The war with France and Spain broke out, and he shipped in one of the privateers that sailed from our ports to prey on the commerce of the enemy. In this way he led a wild life for years, till he at last became captain of a cruiser himself. It is true that some of these privateers were little better than pirates; but if young Van Buysen was guilty of any crimes against the innocent, no one knows it now. The tales about him that have floated down to our day are the veriest gossip. But he gained riches by his adventurous life on the high seas; and, once while in the port of New York, returned from a cruise, an event occurred to him that decided his future life. He met a fair maiden, at the first sight of whom he was desperately enamored.

"He followed her up, discovered her name and whereabouts, and resolved on winning her. She was the daughter of a poor artist, named Lebrun, who had come to this country to ply his art, but found poor remuneration in the rude condition of the colonies and the lack of public taste. But poor as he was, his love for his daughter was greater than his love of money. He was angered at the attentions of the rich, dissipated sailor, and he fled with her from the colony, and came to this lonely hamlet. But Rolff Van Buysen was not to be balked. He ferreted out their whereabouts and followed them really succeeded in winning her heart, for he was handsome and well-educated, and had a strong element of the hero in his character. So at last the poor artist was fain to give way, and consent to a union for his daughter that he did not approve.

"Magnus Rolff, as he called himself, was married in time to the fair maiden of his love. In the heyday of his happiness, he resolved on building the finest country house in the whole colony for the keeping of his bride. So Rolff House was built, and a wonderful structure it was in the eyes of the honest burghers. All that is really known of the married life of Agnes Lebrun is that she bore her husband two children, a boy and a girl, and died. Magnus Rolff lived on some years after the death of his wife. He never filed his place, which would seem to be good proof that he loved her truly. Some time after her death, however, he installed in Rolff House as his mistress a sister who came from Europe. That sister is the present mistress of Rolff House. She was then a young and handsome woman, of fine education and great force of character, and she soon grew to have absolute control of Rolff House and all its inmates.

"There came a day when Magnus Rolff disappeared from this vicinity, and nobody ever heard of him again. The superstitious said that the devil had come to claim him, according to a bargain by which he had sold his soul for the gold he possessed. This is no doubt the story that our friend Sackett here would consider most credible. For my part, I can throw no light on the matter. He disappeared—that is, enough. It was certainly a strange matter; but such disappearances are too common to call for any superstitious explanation of them. He left without leaving any will or directions for the disposition of his property. His son had grown to manhood, but his daughter had died at an early age. The son married, and lived with his wife at Rolff House, ever which, however, Mistress Van Buysen continued to exercise unlimited sway. One son was born to them—the present heir, Claude Van Buysen Rolff—who in consequence of time was left an orphan. After the death of the father, it appeared that by special deed all the property had been placed in the hands of the aunt, Mistress Van Buysen. She has lived to this day, exercising complete sway at Rolff House. There were, of course, always queer stories about Rolff House; and as she grew old and allowed the

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are simply kidney disorders. The kidneys filter the blood of all that shouldn't be there. The blood passes through the kidneys every three minutes. If the kidneys do their work no impurity or cause of disorder can remain in the circulation longer than that time. Therefore if your blood is out of order your kidneys have failed in their work. They are in need of stimulation, strengthening or doctoring. One medicine will do all three, the finest and most initiated blood medicine there is.

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place to go somewhat to decay, these increased, and took the shape that we have heard here to-night. Rolff House is haunted by evil spirits, we are told; old Magnus Rolff had sold himself to the devil, and received his aid in acquiring immense stores of unhallowed treasure; this treasure is protected from all but one single member of the family, who likewise sold himself to the devil; and so Rolff House is given up to hobgoblins and evil report.

"Well, those can believe these stories who choose. I have received and handed considerably of money from Rolff House, and it has never burnt my hands or my conscience either. I know not how old Magnus Rolff made his money, what murders or outrages he committed, or how many harmless merchantmen he sent to the bottom. I do know that at that time privatizing was a popular pursuit with our darling sailors, and that many of them got rich with a suspicion of crime attaching to them. It was a legal business, to which they were duly commissioned; and there is no reason to suppose that Rolff Van Buysen was anything more than a brave and lucky privateer captain. He probably spent most of his money in dissipation and in the building of Rolff House, and the effort to meet the expenses of a large establishment, and keep up appearances. I believe that financial distresses account for his flight, and for all that seems strange to the world in the history of Rolff House. You gentlemen are entitled to differ from me if you will. Of course, I can't explain all the queer sights everybody may have seen at the dead of night about the place. People always will see strange sights around a house that is suspected of being haunted. I don't believe any of the perditional stories about Rolff House, is simply a fine old mansion going to decay. I would that I might live to see it restored. You have my story, gentlemen."

The old man relapsed into silence, and a general shaking of heads showed that his story did not settle all doubts in regard to Rolff House.

The landlord was the first to speak up.

"I think you're about right, Carl," he said, "in regard to the stories about the old place. But I can't agree with you that there has been much lack of money at Rolff House. Why, the business and tenements alone must have footed up large sums annually for these many years. No doubt, the old lady has been a miser, and has a nice little pile saved up for young Master Claude. He'll scatter it, I'll warrant, spite of Old Boodle and all his ills. But now let's drop the subject. I suppose some of you would like to keep up your stories of ghosts and hobgoblins. But it ain't good manners, with that poor old woman lying up there on her death-bed, poor soul, and I won't have it. No more of it, gentlemen, to-night."

All knew the landlord to be a man of his word, and he was recognized dictator in his own bar-room. He'd the conversation turned to other subjects, or, if the forbidden topic was discussed, it was in low and cautious tones.

## CHAPTER V.

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Mr. Saybrook was one of a trio of lawyers, with which the village was blessed, for it was the shire town of the section, and drew to it whatever litigation the quiet farming region indulged in.

He believed himself to be a great man confined to a petty sphere. In appearance, he was tall and rather lank. His forehead protruded; his thin black hair was sprinkled with gray, and the bald spot; his nose was rather long and sharp, and there was just the suggestion of a rosette tinge at the tip; his eyes were small and wary, and the expression was that of restlessness and discontent.

On a lounge in the office lounged the younger Saybrook. The young man might have been twenty-two, and had the lean form of his sire without its more ungainly development. A few features were also less sharp, and on the whole he was not an unattractive young man, but the experienced eye could easily determine that he would in time grow into a pretty close copy of his father.

The elder Saybrook had just entered the office and thrown himself into a chair. "Oh, how tired I am," he whined, as he stretched himself in his easy chair. "It is always the old story with me—work, work, think, think, till body and brain are ready to give out. But I don't know as I should complain—I have had a good day's work, Ralph; yes, yes, a good day's work."

"You have drawn up the will, then?" suggested the young man.

"Yes," was the reply; "it is drawn, signed, sealed, witnessed and recorded—so that job is settled. But what a time I have had of it! I am wearied to death. I carried every point, however. To be continued."

## THE DISTRICT.

MITCHELL'S BAY.

James Murphy is repainting his store and putting up a new verandah. A. Keller has no more to say about Mr. Pratt, of London, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. Houff, and Mrs. Wilkinson's sister, of London, is visiting Mrs. Bert Houff.

All at our football team went to Calvin picnic to play Dover Centre team on Friday. Owing to the rain the Dover team did not show up.

EAST BRANCH.

Miss R. Reed, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday with friends here.

Clayton Baughman, of Wallaceburg, was an East Branch visitor on Sunday. Our football team have been challenged to play against the Wallaceburg team on Wednesday of this week.

Owing to the disagreeable day on Friday last, the East Branch S. S. picnic to Wallaceburg, has been indefinitely postponed.

D. Shaw and Miss Shaw and Miss Shaw sang at the opening of the new Sunday school at Tupperville on Sunday last.

W. Shaw, of Wallaceburg, called on friends here on Sunday.

J. E. Richardson attended a meeting in Tupperville on Sunday.

Mrs. G. Mickle, Miss F. Richardson and Miss M. Booth, will take up the quarterly review lesson in the Sunday school on Sunday afternoon.

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The large barn raising which every person has been looking forward to, took place last Thursday on the farm of Mr. Wright. There was great excitement caused by Mr. Wright promising the winning captain a pair of kid gloves. John Earley was the winner.

Alex. Robertson, of St. Thomas, formerly of this place, is renewing old acquaintances here and at Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, of Ridgeville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. John Hunter.

Mrs. I. H. Smith is visiting her sister, Mrs. McEachern, in Battle Creek, Mich.

Mrs. Lee, of Toledo, O., is visiting Mrs. Weaver, of this place.

Robert Wilson visited friends in Tilbury Sunday and reports the lightning having done great damage in those parts.

Miss T. Earley, who has been in London Hospital for treatment, has completely recovered and returned home Saturday.

E. B. West had a valuable sheep killed by lightning on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dewey are all smiles—it's a son.

Miss Green, of St. Thomas, who has been visiting at Jas. Barle's, Con. 11, Raleigh, has returned home.

On Monday, the 23rd inst., the Mandolin Club, of Chatham, will hold a strawberry and ice cream social at the home of J. Mann, of Harwich. A good time is expected.

Court Charing Cross, No. 1902, will attend divine services in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening, 22nd inst.

The Misses Meloche entertained a few of their friends to an ice cream party Thursday evening. Everybody enjoyed themselves.

Geo. Earley is spending a few days in London on business.

Frank Hunter was the guest of Mr. Roe, of Guilds, last Sunday.

Rev. Mr. George, formerly of this place, but now of Granton, O., spent a few days here among friends last week.

T. B. Sanders, of St. Thomas, spent a few days with A. Meloche last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McEachern were made City guests last week.

Monday morning Mr. Chas. Jacobs received a telegram stating that his uncle, Mr. Lewis, had passed away to the Great Beyond. Mr. Lewis is a brother of Mrs. Skinner, one of the oldest residents of this place.

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## ENGLISH HISTORY.

Edward the Fourth, Henry V's Coronation—William and Mary's Coronation.

It was in the midst of the fierce struggle between the Yorkists and Lancastrians that Edward the Fourth came to the throne. He was the son of Richard, Duke of York, and great grandson of Edmund, Duke of York, fifth son of Edward III. When his father was killed at the battle of Wakefield Green in 1460, he routed another Lancastrian force at Mortimer's Cross, and marched directly from Hereford to London to the throne, but for some time he had to struggle and fight hard to keep his position. In years though but a youth, he was well calculated to make a name for himself in martial times, being handsome, lively of disposition, affable, and brave. His military talent was shown in the fact that he fought ten battles and was always victorious. His defeat and overthrow of Warwick at Barnet, when the "king maker" was killed, brought no peace to the nation, as Edward soon won up a bitter quarrel with France. It was in the midst of pre-Parliament for an expedition to Calais that the King was struck down by a fatal illness. Although he was not yet forty-one years of age, he was the twenty-third year of his reign, during which he had grown corpulent, gross, and unhealthy. This warrior king was magnificent in his costume, luxurious at table, and in his brilliant, he attached no one to his fortunes, and his two sons, left young and unprotected, speedily perished.

Henry V. was consecrated by Archbishop Fitz-Alan on April 3 (being Passion Sunday), 1413, his father, having died on March 20 preceding. Some of the peers are said to have been in favor of this proceeding, of showing an unbecoming zeal in favor of the crown. The event was celebrated at Westminster Hall with a splendor proportioned to the lustre of those great achievements which afterwards distinguished the annals of that victorious monarch. By way of preserving the order of the spectacle, many of the nobility were ranged along the sides of the table on large war horses, and the "white" and "black" banners of the king and his nobles, as they were called, "was a second feast of Ahasuerus." On the shrine of Henry V., in Westminster Abbey, is represented the coronation. One feature is a flaming cross, a badge which was borne by Henry V. alone, as typical of the light "to guide his people to follow him in all honor and virtue."

Many peculiarities were noted at the coronation of William and Mary on April 11, 1689. The short King and tall Queen walked side by side, not as king and consort, but as joint sovereigns. The sword of state was provided, which endures to the present day. For the first time also a second chair of state was used. Into this chair Mary was lifted and, into this chair William, a girl with the sword and invested with the symbols of authority. The procession from Whitehall was delayed more than two hours in consequence of the rumor that James II. had landed in Ireland. "Much of the splendor," writes Evelyn, "of the proceeding was whetted by the absence of divers persons, but the ceremony was not less magnificent. The Archbishop of Canterbury excused himself from officiating, and his place was taken by the Bishop of London, assisted by the Bishop of Salisbury, preached the sermon.

News as War Messengers.  
British experts in the art of war are turning to the bee as a means of transporting war despatches. At first thought this seems almost ridiculous, but when it is explained that it does not depend on the bee's being employed as despatch bearers in war time. Now it is claimed that bees would be more successful than messengers, as the most expert sharp-shooter could scarcely hit a bee in process of flight. The practice of photographing despatches, for transit, and reproducing them when received to larger and legible proportions by photography, has been practiced for some time. The despatches would be reduced by photography to a very small size on the thinnest of paper, and fastened securely to the bee's back. The authorities propose to attempt.

By the Liked shop.  
They had been talking at the rate of fully eight to the dozen, those two fair young damsels, and the subject of their conversation was, of course, the wise and witty sayings, the charms of manner, and the other admirable traits of character possessed by their respective sweethearts.

"Don't you like to have anybody talk shop when they come to see you?" gurgled Mary.

"Indeed I do. Who's been talking shop to you?"

"Oh, Charlie, of course! He's a train conductor, you know. I've been even time he comes to see me go on with his shop talk."

"What does he say?"

"Sit closer, please!"—London Answers.

Before His Eyes.  
A recent biographer of Carlyle states that when he was writing his history of the French revolution, he was his habit to paste on a screen in his workroom engraved portraits or woodcuts, if no better could be had, of the people about whom he was writing. The image of the man was thus steadily in his view. Carlyle held that an author must have a clear image of his subject in his mind; otherwise he could not make it clear to the reader.

## OUR GREAT NORTHWEST.

Mr. John McDougall's Unique Scheme—What 100,000,000 Cultivated Acres Would Mean—A Little Figuring.

An exceedingly inspiring missionary sermon was heard by the members of the Metropolitan Methodist Church recently from Rev. John McDougall, Superintendent of the Methodist Indian Missions in Manitoba and the Northwest. It was a unique sermon, and at the outset seemed more like an address by a western statesman than a sermon. He spoke from a pulpit discourse, but was in reality the result of close reasoning by a zealous missionary.

Mr. McDougall took as an illustration of the greatness of that country a block of land 1,000 miles square, lying between the 40th parallel, and lying between the Rockies and the western boundary of Ontario. This great stretch of land, more capable of agriculture and of responding to the thrift and mechanical operation of industries than any other stretch of like dimensions on the face of the globe. He called it the very arm of God's work in this respect.

Of this great block of land he took 100,000,000 acres, less than one-sixth of it, and placed a conservative estimate of a yield, when cultivated, of fifteen bushels an acre. Then he took the bulk estimate, and asked what it would mean to move it to the markets of the world. Looking at it as Mr. McDougall presented it, he took a train of 40 cars, each carrying 1,000 bushels, making an aggregate cargo of 40,000 bushels. Then he asked how many trains of that kind it would take to move his conservative estimate of fifteen bushels an acre of one-sixth of his selected block. He had found that it would take 37,500 trains of 40 cars, or a little more than 1,500,000 cars. Figuring more finely still, he found that it would keep one of such trains moving out of Winnipeg every fifteen minutes, day and night, for 365 days to move the wheat crop of but one-sixth of that stretch of country.

But Mr. McDougall did not confine his estimates to wheat alone. He supposed that in time live stock would be raised in that part of the country. He had waited 23 years for a railway, and had come to know the virtue of patience. The country was rich in butter and cheese producing qualities, so that it produced great possibilities. Mr. McDougall allowed one fat bullock a day for shipping purposes to every 40 acres of one-sixth of the block 1,000 miles square. That meant 16,000,000 head of cattle a year. 20 head to a car it meant 800,000 trains of 20 cars each, or a little more than 160,000,000 head of cattle a year. To every ten acres Mr. McDougall allowed one fat sheep a day for shipping purposes, that meant 200 to a car, would show 32,000 trains of 20 cars each, or a little more than 640,000,000 head of sheep a year. To every ten acres Mr. McDougall allowed one fat sheep a day for shipping purposes, that meant 200 to a car, would show 32,000 trains of 20 cars each, or a little more than 640,000,000 head of sheep a year.

Then there were great water powers. Mr. McDougall, in his travels, had found strong and persistent currents. He and a companion in an old punt had gone with the current down the big Saskatchewan 160 miles in 28 hours. There were also great natural reservoirs of water, in great natural basins of the North country along the valley of the North Saskatchewan was compared with England. It looked to Mr. McDougall as if some great race had lived there centuries ago, so splendid were the terraced forests and natural beauties.

A Vast Irrigation Scheme.  
The C.P.R. has in contemplation a great project for irrigating the immense plateau stretching from Calumet eastward to Medicine Hat. The water to be used is that of the Bow River, and the most favorable point for a dam is at the mouth of the Bow River, and the most favorable point for a dam is at the mouth of the Bow River, and the most favorable point for a dam is at the mouth of the Bow River.

With such work to their hand and an outlook for the future, it is little wonder that the people of Calgary look more care-free than those of us who fret for a living in what a creature happily described as the "cent belt." Here at Calgary we are in the heart of the "cattle region," and the man who offers a copper in payment for a stamp is speedily made aware that he has done something almost as heinous as eating with his knife.

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## A NEW DEPARTURE.

New York, June 14.—While the Cunard liner Campania, which arrived to-day from Liverpool, was on the ocean a passenger on her played part of a game of chess with a passenger on the American Line steamer Philadelphia by wireless telegraphy. The delphia was bound this way, and when first signalled by wireless telegraph was seventy miles ahead. The game was begun at 2 o'clock p.m. in the saloons of the respective vessels, having been proposed by the Campania, and lasted until nearly seven o'clock. It was broken off because the Campania was obliged to communicate with the sister ship, the Lucania, bound east. When the play ended the Campania was winning.

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## A Government Official Speaks.

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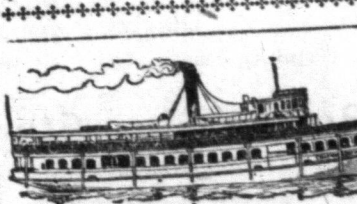
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# CITY ALDERMEN

## "DIVY UP"

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anxiety on the part of the School Board was their fear that it would legislate some of them out of official life. They had, however, promised the Mayor to bring it up later if he would drop it, and he had done so. The Mayor promised to interview the chairman of the Board and find out his feeling in regard to the work.

## FINANCE REPORT.

Finance Minister McCoig read the report of his committee. It recommended that in the case of Stephens vs. Chatham that the city solicitor be instructed to issue an execution against the plaintiffs for \$300.66. That the city become a member of the Canadian Association of Municipalities and pay the \$5 fee.

That the \$2.00 interest charged against Robert Cuckey's lot in error be struck off.

That the account of Smith & Smith, \$87.50, for collector's guarantee bond be paid.

That the account of the C. P. R. Telegraph Co. be paid.

That the account of Newson & Co., Toronto, for supplies furnished the city solicitor be returned and that the company be advised to send the bill to Wilson & Co.

As there has been considerable trouble over dog assessments that no dog assessment be struck off after July 1st.

As the Board of Health have the accounts of the cost of each person who had small-pox, that the Clerk send out the accounts and notify the people, that all accounts must be paid at once.

The report was adopted. In regard to the first clause re the execution to be issued against Stephens in the suit of Stephens vs. Chatham, Ald. McCoig asked if the plaintiffs had any property.

Ald. McCoig replied that he didn't know. The reason he had recommended it was because he didn't think any member of the committee should say whether the plaintiff had chattels or finances or not. It was also thought that if the legal proceedings were completed, that the tendency would be to deter people from entering similar actions.

That the city went in for keeps and would try to get the cost back. The Mayor—I think the Finance committee is right. It is the sheriff's duty to find out if the people are able to pay and the city can be sure about it when he returns the writ marked no good.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. McCoig, chairman of the Board of Works, reported as follows:

That re the commissioners on W. F. Martin that land be purchased for park purposes that no action be taken.

That half a dozen valve attachments for hydrants be purchased at \$7.00 each.

That Nelson Emery be paid \$100 for sufficient land from his lot to straighten out the main avenue.

Re the request of A. J. Dolsen for the extension of Lacroix street out into the Township of Raleigh, that Raleigh should be the cost of the way to the Robertson of Inches property and the city of Chatham would procure the right of way for a road through the Robertson of Inches property.

That this be done at once as the Township of Raleigh was anxious to complete their petition of the request.

This road would be valuable, especially in the spring time when the waters overflowed the creek bridge.

That re Dr. Geo. Sloan's request in reference to the drain from Tennis Club's grounds, no action be taken.

That re the request of the City Engineer for increase of salary, no action be taken.

The report was adopted.

Chairman Taylor of the Property committee reported that a suit be purchased for each of the regular firemen from the T. H. Taylor Co.

That re the petition of D. Jordan and the sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital for a hydrant at the corner of Robertson avenue and King street, no action be taken.

That re dog taxes, as the purchasing of them was a useless expenditure of money, that no action be taken.

The report was adopted.

Ald. McCoig asked the reason Jordan had been refused the hydrant.

Ald. Taylor said that St. Joseph's Hospital had sufficient fire protection and the expense of another hydrant was more than the city could stand, seeing that other places needed hydrants.

Ald. McCoig—The plea of Jordan was that if a hydrant was put in he would get water for his own use. He has an industry that employs 35 men.

Ald. Taylor—He is assessed for \$3.200 and the Waterworks Co. are now putting down a 2-inch main to his property.

Ald. McCoig—That's all right, then.

Ald. Mounter presented a petition for the sprinkling of Park street from Seane to Duke streets.

The petition was referred to the Clerk to see if it was sufficiently signed.

Ald. Mounter called the attention of the Property committee to the light on the corner of Park and Seane streets.

GOING TO CHURCH.

Ald. McCoig moved that the invitation of the Rev. T. Beverley Smith for the Council to attend divine worship at Holy Trinity church on the evening of coronation day be accepted.

The motion carried unanimously.

The Council decided to take the initiative on a number of walks.

Ald. McCoig said that the city solicitor had been consulted in reference to the Seymour contract for granite blocks last year.

The walks on the west side Sixth street and on Grey street from Queen to West street were defective. The sureties had been notified and given ten days to come and attend to the work. The Board of Works desired with the consent of the Council to

either sub-let the work or to do it under the supervision of the city engineer and charge the work up to the sureties. There were certain sums not yet paid to Seymour which could be used for this purpose. The Board of Works were granted power to proceed.

Ald. McCoig said that earth was needed for granolithic walks. There was a small lot on Duke street. The price asked was \$300, but he thought it ought to be purchased for less. The city was now purchasing earth at 11 cents a square yard from Mr. Fielder.

Ald. McCoig said that \$300 was an exorbitant price for the lot. He moved that the Clerk advertise for tenders for the purchase of a lot. Carried.

Ald. McCoig said that the city engineer was anxious to have the trees trimmed. He said that the roads would never be kept in shape till the trees were trimmed so as to allow the sun to dry up the roads.

Mayor Sulman didn't think that the Board of Works should bother with this matter at present.

In response to a query as to what had been done about the broken flag stones of the Chatham Loan & Savings Co., Ald. McCoig said that the Board of Works had overlooked this but would attend to it.

The Board of Works were asked if they were going to scrape the streets any more.

Ald. McCoig said that it had been raining twice a week and it would be a useless expenditure scraping the roads before the rains ceased.

Ald. McCoig suggested that it wasn't a good idea to put sand on the streets as had been done on Wellington street, between Queen and Raleigh.

Ald. McCoig said that a resident of the street had been much pleased with the work.

Ald. McCoig replied that a resident on the street had complained that it was a waste of money.

A number of by-laws were passed including one closing the bridges between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, noon, and a by-law appointing six representatives on the College Institute Board. The old representatives are E. J. Thomas, Thomas Scullard and Dr. J. R. Battisby. The new ones now elected last night were S. B. Arnold, ex-oid, John Liddy and Dr. Thornton.

CIVIC WORK.

The only tender for the vitrified brick pavement from Blight and Fielder, and was as follows:

To furnish and lay Nelsonville brick at \$2.75 per yard; Massillon brick at \$2.68; Ontario brick at \$2.64; Beamsville brick at \$2.63.

Curbing and porous tile at 81c per yard.

The tender, which was accompanied by a check for \$300, was referred to the Board of Works.

Ald. Taylor asked what the King street pavement had cost. The Mayor replied that it had cost \$2.39 per sq. yard, but a cheaper brand of cement had been used than that required by the specifications.

THE CIVIC RATE.

The Mayor called the attention of the Finance committee to the fact that it was about time the rate was struck.

Finance Minister McCoig asked that the different committees prepare estimates.

Mayor Sulman said that last year during July and August, the offices of the city clerk, tax collector and treasurer were closed at 1 o'clock during July and August, except on the days the council met.

Ald. Waddell moved and it was seconded by Ald. Mounter that the offices of city clerk, tax collector and treasurer be closed at 1 o'clock during July and August, except on the days the council met.

HOLIDAYS FOR EMPLOYEES.

Ald. McCoig wanted to embody everybody in the motion that the permanent corporation employees get a week's holiday with pay.

Ald. Fleming would also like to see a celebration, but not at the expense of the city treasury.

The Mayor said that seeing the council didn't favor the scheme he would drop it. Probably the aldermen would get together, form a committee and do something themselves.

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were passed:

Delege & Doyle \$27.47,  
J. D. Blackburn, \$2,  
J. D. Stark, \$3.46,  
James McGregor \$10.50,  
Gordon Boles \$10.50,  
M. Tomlinson 75c.

The expenses of the committee to Walkerville re the Lake Erie bill \$13.83.

Gordon Boles \$9,  
James McGregor, \$9,  
John Edmondson, \$6.31,  
John Dyer, \$21.54,  
W. H. Curran, \$1.30,  
W. W. Seane, \$2.40,  
Horace Rogers, \$9,  
A. Williams \$4.73,  
Geo. Kerr \$3.75,  
Melvin Pool \$3,  
Labor at cemetery, \$47.50,  
C. R. Hancock, 50c,  
Pay sheets \$193.39,  
Blight and Fielder, \$223.32,  
J. R. Guttridge \$15,  
Contract Record \$2.60,  
Ark, 90c.

Coronation DDAY.

The Mayor said that Coronation Day would be held on June 26, and in nearly every city there would be a demonstration.

The coronation was an event that only happened twice in a century, and was one of the greatest epochs in the history of the world.

He suggested that as the city council were going to attend divine service that it would be well to have fireworks or something to entertain the people afterwards in the park.

Ald. McCoig said he usually fell in with the suggestions of the Maple City's sagacious mayor, but he didn't feel that he could support the spending of \$300 in fireworks. Owing to the small-pox, the treasury was heavily affected and he didn't think any unnecessary expense should be indulged in.

Ald. Taylor said that it was a pity to allow the day to go by without Chatham doing something. It was too late to organize a big demonstration, but he would like to see something

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done. Ald. Taylor said that he would contribute \$5 out of his own pocket towards doing something to commemorate the day, but he didn't feel like voting any city money.

GENEROUS ALDERMEN.

Ald. McCoig—I will contribute a similar amount.

Ald. McCoig—I will too. This talking of the old cow regular ain't the thing at all. When we strike the rate I am afraid we will put the people out of business. That is the straight truth. Many things that are really necessary, the city are doing without because we can't afford them.

Ald. Waddell said that he favored a celebration. In view, however, of the condition of the city's finances, it was not the wish of the citizens that the civic finances should be spent for this purpose. He would also contribute five dollars to wards a celebration.

Ald. McCoig—That's \$20 we have got.

Ald. Mounter rose to his feet, which caused Ald. McCoig to cry out gleefully, "That makes it \$25."

"Yes," said Ald. Mounter, "I will give \$5. I feel as loyal as any subject, but I don't feel like voting the city's money this year."

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Ald. Waddell said that he favored a celebration. In view, however, of the condition of the city's finances, it was not the wish of the citizens that the civic finances should be spent for this purpose. He would also contribute five dollars to wards a celebration.

Ald. McCoig—That's \$20 we have got.

Ald. Mounter rose to his feet, which caused Ald. McCoig to cry out gleefully, "That makes it \$25."

"Yes," said Ald. Mounter, "I will give \$5. I feel as loyal as any subject, but I don't feel like voting the city's money this year."

Ald. Fleming would also like to see a celebration, but not at the expense of the city treasury.

The Mayor said that seeing the council didn't favor the scheme he would drop it. Probably the aldermen would get together, form a committee and do something themselves.

ACCOUNTS.

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# DISTRICT DOINGS.

## DRESDEN

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The first of the weekly excursions to Port Lambton via L. E. & D. R. took place last evening and was well attended.

Mrs. Walter H. McPherson has returned from a visit to Sarnia friends.

John Watson was in Chatham yesterday visiting his wife, whom we are pleased to learn is recovering from a recent operation at the General Hospital.

Miss Dryman, of Strathroy, is the guest of Mrs. Lindsay at the manse.

Miss Daisy McDonald, of Chatham, is the guest of Mrs. E. Miller.

Mrs. Patrick Gilroy was in Chatham yesterday.

I. A. McKim was a visitor to Walkerville yesterday.

Mrs. Gilroy is having an addition built to her house on Sydenham street.

Mrs. Hamilton, of Chatham, was in town on business yesterday.

The Public school staff are kept busy correcting examination papers at present.

A large number of the steel workers on the sugar factory are laid off, the work being nearly completed.

In a game of baseball played yesterday afternoon between Dresden and Walkerville at the latter town, Dresden defeated Walkerville by 11 to 4.

Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town once a month; if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collector calls he must remit direct to The Planet office, Chatham, as we will not be responsible for monies paid to carriers.

The whole of the interior of Greenland is believed to be covered by an immense shield shaped cap of ice and snow, which in some places must have a thickness of at least 5,000 or 6,000 feet.</