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GOOD CONCERT

A very successful anniversary concert was given in the Knox Presbyterian church of Wallaceburg last evening. The teaming was held early in the fall, but the concert part was postponed until last evening. The program, which consisted of 14 numbers, was put on by J. W. Wilson, of this city. It included solos by Miss Florence Stephenson, contralto; Miss Lucy McKellar, soprano; R. W. Angus, tenor, and J. W. Wilson, basso; instrumentalists by Miss Mary Brackin, readings by Miss Maude McCosh, duets by Miss Stephenson and Mr. Wilson, Miss McKellar and Mr. Wilson, and Messrs. Angus and Wilson.

The concert was a success financially, for which the energetic ladies of the church deserve unbounded credit. Rev. Mr. Nichol is the pastor of this church, and he also should come in for his share of the credit. He is a young preacher, but has a reputation for being one of the most brilliant preachers in Wallaceburg. After the concert the members of the company were very pleasantly entertained to lunch by Mr. and Mrs. Dupuis. Those who appeared on the program all wish to thank the ladies of the church for their kindness and courtesy.

BIG STRIKE PROBABLE.

TROUBLE OVER EMPLOYMENT OF A MILITIAMAN.

Served With His Regiment During a Strike—His Discharge From Work is Demanded.

Schenectady, N.Y., Feb. 25.—The Building Trades Council, representing all men employed in any of the building trades, has made a demand upon Shaffer & Barry, the employers of William Potter, the militiaman expelled from the union because he served with his regiment during the Hudson Valley strike, for his discharge. The demand has been refused, and the Building Trades Council has decided that when the spring building season opens all union carpenters, painters, masons, lathers, plasterers, etc., will refuse to work on any building on which Potter has been employed. It is expected that the employers will stand together, especially since the formation of the Builders' Exchange, composed of all building trades employers, and the result will be to tie up operations. Over 3,000 men are involved, whose average wages are \$2.50 a day.

The case of William Potter against Dennis Downey, President of the Builders' Union, has been set down for trial at the term of the Supreme Court to commence in this city on March 9. The original injunction, which was vacated by Justice Howard, was granted, pending this action.

A SERVANT GIRL'S BURDEN.

Her Mistress' Gowns, Jewels, Gold Watch and Silverware.

New York, Feb. 25.—When H. D. McKenzie, a wholesale liquor dealer, returned to his home, East 18th street, he was astonished to see a person whom he believed to be his wife standing in the hall. He expected she would be at a theatre, and he asked why she had returned so soon. The figure turned, and Mr. McKenzie recognized his colored servant, Annie Williams. "Why are you wearing my wife's hat and dress?" he asked the woman, and she replied, "I am going out for a walk." McKenzie says he summoned the janitor's wife, who took off the negro's five silk skirts, three silk waists and the hat, all his wife's. Then came his wife's jewels, consisting of four diamond rings, valued at \$300, a gold watch and other gems. From the woman's stockings came silver forks, knives, spoons and other tableware. The pockets of the skirts had been filled with silverware and household articles. The woman was turned over to the police.

TO ARGUE IN ENGLISH.

Procedure in Regard to Venezuelan Claims.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Minister Bowen has submitted the draft of the protocols, which he hopes will be signed by the allied powers, specifying the conditions under which The Hague Tribunal will be called upon to settle the question of preferential treatment in the payment of the Venezuelan indemnities, to Judge Penfield, solicitor of the State Department. The letter suggested a few changes. In its complete state the protocol, which will serve as a pattern for all three, has not yet been made public, but it is understood that, as one interesting feature it probably will provide for the conduct of the proceedings at The Hague in the English language. Mr. Bowen laid copies of these protocols before the allies' representatives this afternoon, and they were called to the respective Foreign Offices.

Topics of Toronto.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—The county police are investigating the disorderly conduct in connection with Mr. Wm. Munns' Aurora meeting.

A HUMBUG AND SHAM.

MR. CHURCHILL'S OPINION OF ARMY REFORM PLAN.

Wanted to Know What Was to be Done With Three Army Corps.

London, Feb. 25.—During the debate on Mr. Brodrick's army reorganization plan Mr. Churchill declared that the whole army corps scheme was a "humbug and sham," and was only introduced with the object of militarizing England. He asked where the Government expected the three army corps intended for foreign service to operate. It was not in South Africa, and such a force was not needed on the Indian frontier, and they certainly could not contemplate the three army corps operating in Canada, for the United States was "no more prepared to invade Canada than Great Britain was prepared to invade the United States."

Mr. Churchill added, amid cheers: "And long may that salutary neglect continue."

Premier Balfour, in winding up the debate for the Government, complimented Mr. Asquith on going to the heart of the question, namely, whether the army was too large and costly for the empire's needs. Of course, he said, the fleet stood first, but there were limits to the uses of the fleet. It was impossible to bring a war to an end with a fleet, which could not even strike a heavy blow at most enemies with which Great Britain might be engaged, without a strong attacking force of soldiers, and it would be folly to deprive the country of a means of offensive action in the event of an emergency. Mr. Balfour contended that three army corps were necessary for work outside the empire. They had to consider the defence of India. He regarded a war between Great Britain and Russia as in the highest degree probable, but it was impossible to forget that the Indian frontier was the key of Great Britain's military position in the event of such a war, and without being an alarmist, he wished to impress upon the House that events moved rapidly in Central Asia. In conclusion, Mr. Balfour claimed that the Government deserved well of the country. The Government did not trim its sails to popular favor, and if the House desired an army on a scale that the Government thought adequate, the House must look to another Government.

The House finally rejected by 261 votes to 145, Mr. Beckett's amendment to the address, the terms of which were tantamount to a censure on the War Secretary, Mr. Brodrick. The revision revealed fewer defects in the Unionist ranks than had been expected.

Lord Charles Beresford and several other Unionist members abstained from voting. Eighteen Unionist members, including Winston Churchill and Sir Gilbert Parker, voted against the Government. It is a curious circumstance that the amendment was rejected by precisely the same majority, 116, as Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's amendment on the same subject two years ago, but on that occasion the Nationalists supported the Liberal leader. The Government's normal majority is 205. Rumors that Mr. Brodrick will soon quit the War Office were again current in the lobbies to-night.

SIX BURNED TO DEATH.

Imprisoned in a Mail Car When it Caught Fire.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 25.—As the result of a head-on collision between a westbound passenger train and an eastbound freight train a mile or two east of Berea, Ohio, on the Big Four Railroad yesterday, four mail clerks were burned to death and several trainmen were more or less seriously hurt. The dead—W. H. Blackwell, W. Kriesmann, T. W. Smiley, and L. W. Walworth, all of Cleveland, and two unknown men. All the injured are in a hospital in Cleveland.

The passenger train was well filled, and many of the passengers were school superintendents and teachers on their way to Cincinnati to attend a meeting of school directors and teachers in that city. The unfortunate mail clerks were caught like rats in a trap within their car when it caught fire, and being locked in were unable to release themselves.

The injuries to the train crews consisted mostly of cuts and bruises and are not considered serious. All but two of the cars of the passenger train were destroyed by a fire which probably started from the overturning and explosion of oil lamps in the express and mail cars.

ALL NIGHT IN THE ICE.

Mr. Edward Bennett of Tuftsville Nearly Frozen.

Belleville, Feb. 25.—Mr. Edward Bennett of Tuftsville, Hastings County, had a narrow escape from a terrible death on Monday night. He was returning from the station when he was seized with a paralytic stroke and fell to the ground, and lay there all night till his son, who was going to school the next morning, found him. Then he had to be chopped out of the ice which had frozen round him. The snow which covered him is supposed to have kept him warm, and thus saved him. He is now improving under medical care, though his hands and feet were frozen.

Mr. Bennett being reminded of their early love episodes.

DOMINION BY-ELECTIONS.

CONSERVATIVES GAIN A SEAT IN NORTH GREY.

Liberals Retain Two Mountains and Terrebonne, Que.—Messrs. Thomson and Desjardins the Successful Candidates.

Owen Sound, Feb. 25.—A bye-election to fill the vacancy in the Dominion House caused by the death of Dr. E. H. Horsey took place in North Grey, Mr. Matthew Kennedy of Owen Sound, and the Conservative candidate, Mr. T. J. Thomson were the contestants. At the general election in 1900 Dr. Horsey polled 2,834, against 2,803 for his opponent, Mr. C. Gordon. To-day Mr. Thomson was elected by 217 majority, with six polls to hear from.

Following are majorities by townships:

Holland, one poll to hear from; Thomson's majority, 134.
Keppel, two polls to hear from; Thomson's majority, 8.
Sarakak, complete; Thomson's majority, 68.
Sullivan, complete; Thomson's majority, 68.

Owen Sound, town, complete: Total vote, Kennedy 945, Thomson 908; majority for Kennedy, 37.

Sydenham, 3 polls to hear from: Majority for Kennedy, 12.

Derby, complete: Majority for Kennedy, 12.

Total majority for Thomson, Conservative, 217.

Six polls to hear from will probably reduce this about 50.

Montreal, Feb. 25.—Corrected returns in Two Mountains show the election of Eber, the Liberal candidate, by a majority of 128.

St. Jerome, Terrebonne, Que., Feb. 25.—The election in Terrebonne to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. Raymond Fontaine, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, who elected to sit for the County of Maisonneuve, resulted in the return of Dr. Desjardins, as follows, with St. Lucie to hear from:

Desjardins (Liberal) majorities: St. Jerome, town and parish, 223; St. Therese, 5; St. Agathe, 67; Cordan, 34; New Glasgow, 6; Ste. Anne des Plaines, 178.

Masson (Conservative) majorities: St. Janvier, 36; St. Jovite, 38; St. Adele, 41; St. Sauveur, 117; Piedmont, 9; Terrebonne, village, 10; St. Faustin, 5; Ste. Marguerite, 5.

Majority for Desjardins, 282.

CRUELTY TO ORPHANS.

Further Evidence Given at the Binghamton Home.

Binghamton, N.Y., Feb. 25.—A second hearing in the matter of charges of alleged gross cruelty and neglect against the management of the Susquehanna Valley Orphans' Home was held here by the managers and assistant managers. Further evidence of alleged ill-treatment was added to the evidence of the previous hearing, when several inmates testified that they had been beaten with horsewhips and knocked down by caretaker Watson, and that no care was given the wounds thus received. Witnesses were heard to-day in an attempt to prove that the boys who told these stories of brutality are utterly untrustworthy, and four women attendants asserted that they knew of no abuses existing at the home.

Clinton Crandall, a recent inmate, testified that Carl Danfing, aged six, was beaten by Watson until the blood ran down his legs, and that on some days Watson thrashed fifteen or twenty boys. Boys who made slight mistakes in the military drill, he said, were lined up in rows and thrashed after the other. Four other boys identified a big horsewhip, loaded at the butt, as one that had been used on them.

Miss Sarah McConnell, an attendant, said she had been called to dress a deep cut two inches long on a boy's leg, said to have been caused by a whipping. The wound bled profusely.

ABOLISH WARDS

Committee of Public School Board Decide in Favor of this Course at Their Meeting.

The special committee, appointed at the last meeting of the School Board to consider the advisability of abolishing the ward system in the election of school trustees, met last evening in Secretary Macnabb's office, King St.

The committee consisted of Chairman of the Board Wm. Robertson, Geo. S. Heyward, R. M. Paxton and Wm. Cornish, all of whom were present at the meeting.

Chairman Robertson opened the meeting by telling the reason of its being called.

Trustee Heyward said the first thing to be considered is what is it going to cost.

Trustee Paxton—I'd like to know some facts in the matter. Has the chairman written the Minister of Education?

Chairman Robertson—No, he has not.

Mr. Heyward—A special act for Chatham would cost the city \$200 or \$300, but wouldn't effect other cities.

Mr. Cornish—The schools were never before in such a prosperous condition and things never worked more harmoniously. I think we should leave well enough alone.

Mr. Paxton—I think that vote by the whole electorate is the only way.

Mr. Heyward—Well, to bring the matter to a head, let's fix up a motion.

The following motion was then drafted and carried, Mr. Cornish being the only one against it. The motion was:

Moved by R. M. Paxton, seconded by G. S. Heyward, that this committee believe it will be in the interests of the city of Chatham to abolish the ward system and adopt election by the electorate of the city.

"I think it's what the citizens really want, and if the matter were put before them to vote upon it would be carried 10 to 1," said Trustee Heyward.

"I doubt it very much," retorted Trustee Cornish.

The secretary was instructed to correspond with the Minister of Education with a view of ascertaining the proper manner in which to go about the matter.

George Hobson has been removed from the jail to St. Joseph's Hospital. He has nearly recovered his reason. His feet are still sore from being frozen but are getting better. He will not even lose one of his toes as a result of having his feet frozen.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25.

NORTH YORK RIOTERS.

William Munns, who attempted to run in the North York bye-election, as a straight Prohibitionist candidate, and was insulted and assaulted at the meetings he tried to hold, is well acquainted with the people of the riding, and in a letter to the Toronto World of Saturday last has this to say of some of them:

"The disturbers of my meetings were not the hotelkeepers or bar tenders or the drinking men of North York, but men high up in the various orders of the Sons of Temperance and Good Templars, and men in the ranks of the Royal Templars, who lent their names to documents that were false and misleading."

"The campaign further demonstrates that there are in our various churches ministers of the gospel who will bow down and worship the god of party, and who will attend conventions and lend their names to the tricks of party hucksters, and pass resolutions not to suppress the liquor traffic, for which they are appointed and organized, but pass resolutions and put them into the hands of men who run the Liberal machine in the interests of party politics."

The resolution passed by the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance was read at my Aurora meeting by Mr. Walton, a member of the executive of the Ontario branch of the alliance, and was welcomed by the mob."

ANGLO-AMERICAN ALLIANCE IN PROSPECT.

If all accounts be true, Lord Rosebery, the distinguished British statesman, has fallen a victim to the charms of a beautiful and fascinating American widow. His Lordship is a widower, and has long been regarded as a "great catch" by British matrons with marriageable daughters. He remained heart-whole, however, until he met this irresistible daughter of Uncle Sam at Cannes. It was all up with his Lordship then. He capitulated immediately, and Cupid kindly arranged the other details. The wedding will come off in due season. It is all very romantic. The American woman who is to become Lord Rosebery's wife was not born with a silver spoon in her mouth. Her father was an Indiana farmer in poor circumstances. Perhaps if all the facts were known it would be revealed that the future Lady Rosebery and her equally charming sister milked the cows and fed the chickens and cooked the hired man's dinner in the days of their girlhood. A wealthy physician of Louisville, so the story goes, was attracted by the beauty and intelligence of these Indiana lasses and educated them at his own expense. Later they were introduced into the best society of the Blue Grass State. One of the sisters married Lord Newbrough, an English peer. The other married a New Yorker, who died after a few years of wedded bliss, leaving his widow a large fortune. If all reports be true, she is about to bestow her heart and hand upon Lord Rosebery, the former Prime Minister of Great Britain. This accomplished Scotch peer according to tradition, when very young centred his ambition upon the attainment of three objects. He said he would never be satisfied until he had "married the richest heiress in England, won the Derby and been Prime Minister." Fortune smiled upon him and his ambition was realized in every respect. He married Miss Hannah Rothschild, he carried off the "blue ribbon of the turf," and was elevated to the Premiership. Now he is to marry a woman who was famous as a beauty in Kentucky, a State noted for its beautiful women. Such an alliance will be another tie binding together the two great Anglo-Saxon nations, and its influence may be far-reaching.—St. Thomas Times.

THE CRUCIAL QUESTION.

N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

The treaty propounds a number of questions to be answered by the commission, the most important of which is whether it was "the intention of said convention of 1825 that there should remain in the executive possession of Russia a continuous fringe or strip of coast on the mainland, not exceeding ten marine leagues in width, separating the British possessions from the bays, ports, inlets, havens and waters of the ocean, and extending from the said point on the 56th degree of north latitude to a point where such a line of demarcation should intersect the 141st degree of longitude west of the meridian of Greenwich." That is the crucial question, and we cannot get rid of the boundary dispute until it is answered in a way that both sides have agreed beforehand to accept.

The Stimulus of Pure Blood

That is what is required by every organ of the body, for the proper performance of its functions. It prevents biliousness, dyspepsia, constipation, kidney complaint, rheumatism, catarrh, nervousness, weakness, faintness, pimples, blotches, and all cutaneous eruptions.

It perfects all the vital processes. William Ross, Sarnia, Ont., took Hood's Sarsaparilla to make his blood pure. He writes that he was all run down, his appetite was gone, and his nerves were so unstrung he could not rest nor sleep. He had tried many remedies without benefit when Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended and he began its use. Three bottles of this medicine entirely cured him.

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A SPIRITED CAMPAIGN.

Chatham, N. B., World.
The system of issuing tickets, good for liquor at the bars of certain dealers, which was followed by the Tweedie party at the last election, has already been put into operation in this campaign. Men, some of them having good situations in workshops, who have been given such tickets, are reeling around the streets drunk. Shame!

SURGEONS' SUTURES.

Science Siftings.
Modern surgery employs dozens of different kinds of thread for sewing up cuts and wounds. Among them are kangaroo tendons, horsehair, silk, and very fine silver wire. The short, tough tendons taken from the kangaroo, which are used for sewing severe wounds, are particularly valuable and have saved many lives; they hold for about a month before they break away. Silk thread will hold for much longer, sometimes six months, while the fine silver wire is practically indestructible. Thus a surgeon is able to select a thread that will last as long as the wound should take to heal, and will then disappear completely.

SISTER OF THE KHEDIVÉ.

Took Poison, Got Divorced, About to Wed Again.

New York, Feb. 24.—Princess Djemil Toussoun, sister of the Khedive and wife of Prince Djemil Toussoun, recently made an unsuccessful attempt at self-destruction by taking poison, says The Herald's Cairo correspondent. The act is said to have been prompted by jealousy. The Princess subsequently left Egypt on board one of the royal yachts, refusing to see her husband. Her Highness went by way of Trieste to Vienna, where it is said she is about to wed an Austrian Count. A divorce has already been granted.

"A MOB OF VOLUNTEERS."

Mr. Brodrick's View of the Citizen Army.

London, Feb. 24.—During Mr. Brodrick's reply in the House of Commons to critics of his army reform scheme he ridiculed the suggestion that Great Britain could depend on her citizen army, which he described "as a mob of volunteers," and pleaded to be given time to carry out his army corps scheme, as the result of which "the army, for the first time in living memory, is above its supposed full strength in every branch except the infantry."

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That means a low condition of health; the body is poorly nourished and thinness follows. The system is then susceptible to disease—any one of a number of ailments finds easy access. Get plump.

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NEW CHURCH

The new Methodist church at Sycamore, on the Lake Shore, was opened on Sunday and a concert and tea-meeting was given Monday evening. This church, of which Rev. Mr. Piffin is the pastor, has just lately been completed and, Monday evening over \$1,000 was raised in subscriptions, which will clear the church from debt. Louis Wigle, of Leamington, occupied the chair and presided over the program. The St. Andrew's male quartet, Messrs. W. H. Brackin, K. Coatsworth, H. C. Philp and Garnet Brackin was present and contributed several numbers. H. C. Philp gave a clarinet solo and K. Coatsworth sang a solo. The concert was a complete success.

KENT CENTRE.

Thomas Smyth entertained a number of friends on Monday evening. Miss Campbell, our teacher, spent Sunday at her home in Howard. Miss Emma Houston is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mead. The literary evenings will be looked forward to with pleasure in the future. At our Debating Society the "hat" speeches given by the young men proved quite interesting. Too much cannot be said of the good music given by the orchestra and the quartette club, as well as the duets and solos given by the ladies. The Orangemen of Huffman's have purchased the hall at Bridge End, and are about to move it on the farm of Geo. Cundle. Robert Coltart is convalescent. Miss Christina Gray, of Raleigh, is visiting on the creek. Malcolm McMillan is indisposed. Edgar Johnston and Charles Stuart are thinking of raising tobacco this summer. George Hill has engaged with Thos. Smyth for the coming summer. Richard Hill is burning gas in his house.

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Size 1 3-4 yards square at 75c.

Size 2 yards square at \$1.00.

Size 2 yards by 2 1-2 yards at \$1.25.

Twill bleached sheeting, fine English make, full 2 yards wide, pure bleached finish, regular 25c yard, sale price 18c.

15 pieces heavy English Oxford shirtings, fine quality, 30 inches wide, in choice patterns, warranted colors, regular 15c yard, sale price 12 1-2c.

64 inch table linen, half bleached finish, pure quality, full 44 in. wide, in choice designs, regular 45c, sale price 35c.

3,000 yards new prints, Canadian, English and American makes, in an immense variety of new patterns and colorings, fast dyes, offered during this sale at special per yard 12 1-2c, 10c, 8c and 5c.

Bleached table linens, heavy satin finish double damasks, full 2 yards wide, superior quality, regular value 90c yard, sale price 75c.

5 Pieces Heavy Mole-skin Cottonade, full width, good dark stripe patterns, regular 18c to 20c yard, sale price 12 1-2c.

500 Yards Heavy Shaker Flannel, wide width, in large variety of stripe patterns, regular 7c yard, sale price 8c.

10 Doz. Men's All Wool Sox, dark grey colors, rib tops, at sale price a pair 12 1-2c.

200 Yards Heavy Grey Flannels, plain and twill weaves, light and dark shades, wide width, regular 15c to 18c yard, sale price 12 1-2c.

40 Pieces New Gingham, very pretty designs in lace stripes, cords and checks, much below regular value at sale price 8c, 10c and 12 1-2c.

DRESS GOODS—

Bradford Serges, fine, heavy, pure wool, firm, bright finish, full 44 in. wide, in black and navy, regular 50c yard, sale price 40c.

Royal Suiting, a fine, bright finish, twill cloth, pure wool, medium weight, full 50 in. wide, navy and black, regular value 75c yard, sale price 50c.

54-in. Grey Homespun, 54-in. Navy Cheviot and 54-in. fine, pure wool Habit Suitings, costume weight, regular 75c to \$1.00 yard, clearing at sale price 49c.

44-in. Creponines, a rich, pebble finish silk and wool material, light weight, in range of spring colorings, special per yard 75c.

HOSIERY BARGAINS—

Children's fine, heavy, pure wool Cashmere Hose, 3-fold knees, double heels and toes, sizes 5 to 8 1-2, regular value 35c, 40c and 45c a pair, sale price 25c.

10 Doz. Ladies' Cashmere Hose, fine, all wool, rib, elastic finish, seamless, spliced feet, sizes 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2, regular 40c pair, sale price 25c.

LADIES' JACKETS—

Your pick of all our Jackets up to \$10.00 each, this season's best styles, at sale price \$4.89.

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600 Yards Pure Silk Taffeta Ribbons and rich Roman Satin Ribbons, soft finish, also pure Silk Maitre Ribbons, 4-in to 7-in. wide, in almost every wanted shade, regular value up to 75c yard, sale price 19c.

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FLOUR
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Scientifically milled from the best wheat for an exclusive and high-class trade. It contains a higher percentage of digestible nutrients than any other flour of the same grade. As a result it makes a light white loaf, pure sweet and wholesome. Don't take our word for it, but try it and become a

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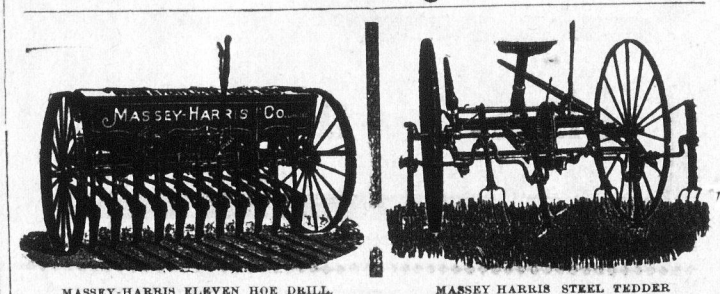
Horses Wanted.

Until further notice, HAROLD W. SMITH, of Toronto, will be at Wm. Gray & Co. Factory . . .
EVERY SATURDAY to purchase horses. The highest cash prices will be paid.

A. O. U. W.

Every United Workman should keep in mind our meeting night of March 6th, which is selected for initiation of candidates that have been examined. Any Brother having applicants for membership should have them examined at once, so as to be ready for March 6th. Organizer Bro. Kelly will be with us the first week of March, so let us all be ready to lend a helping hand. Visiting Brothers Welcome!
A. E. SAUERMAN, J. R. SNELL, M. W. Recorder

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The Most Popular Line of Implements on the Canadian Market. They are Home-made; they have proven the best.

LIGHT, EASY RUNNING, DURABLE.

They are the Machines that made George Stephens & Douglas' Delivery on Saturday the great success that it was. Place your orders for machinery with us and you are sure to be well satisfied. We guarantee it.

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Lime, Cement AND Cut Stone.
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Thames Street, Opposite Police Station...

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Has been removed over A. I. McCall's Drug Store, Cor. King and 5th Streets. Entrance King Street.

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PICKLES

Now that winter is wearing away your supply of pickles, etc., running short, but don't worry, for we can supply your needs.

PICKLES CATSUP
CHOW-CHOW HORSE-RADISH
FRENCH MUSTARD
MAPLE SYRUP
CANNED FRUITS
JELLIES and JAMS

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HOW WE BOUGHT OUR

Extra Quality \$3 Hats

We told one of our manufacturers to submit samples of the very best hats he could make that we might sell at \$3.00 each and still make a small legitimate percentage of profit. He produced the finest hats we ever saw at the price and we placed a large order. The first shipment is ready for your inspection. **REMEMBER**—We could have bought hats that we could make more profit on, but none that would give our customers that satisfaction which comes from real quality. A comprehensive range of shapes and colors.

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G. W. CORNELL DENTIST

Corner Sixth and King Street
Over the Bee Hive.
Phone 317.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—10 a. m.—Fair; not much change in temperature. Thursday, continued fair.
The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:
Thermometer 16.
Highest yesterday 13.
Lowest yesterday 11.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED.

McGARRY—On Feb. 23, 1903, James A. McGarry, aged 53 years.
Funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon from late residence, Harvey street, at 2.30.

THE LOCAL BUDGET.

Mrs. Robert Mercer and Mrs. Falls are spending the day in Detroit.

Mrs. Robert Hanna, King street, is confined to the hospital through illness.

New Derbies and Soft Hats at \$2.00 and \$3.00—a splendid assortment—at The 2 T's.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Sutherland-Innes Co. will be held on Tuesday, 17th prox.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Morley, who have been spending a few days in Toronto, returned home at noon to-day.

The funeral of the late Jas. McGarry will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock to the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Yesterday was Shrove Tuesday and to-day (Ash Wednesday) begins Lent. Special Lenten services are being held in St. Joseph's church to-day.

The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Barrett, Cornhill St., took place this morning to the Maple Leaf Cemetery. Rev. W. E. Knowles conducted the funeral service.

For genuine refined fun—with clever local specialties—see the burlesque spelling match between the doctors and the lawyers at the Foot-ball Minstrels on Monday night.

The Young Men's Club, which has been organized in the Park St. Methodist Church by C. B. Sissons, was opened last evening. There was a very large attendance and a most profitable time was spent.

Word was received this morning from Alvin Snell at Essex. Last evening while he and Mrs. Snell were out to tea the house caught fire and much damage was done. The loss is covered by insurance.

LOOK!

2 story BRICK HOUSE FOR SALE—Hall, double parlors, large dining room with arch and sliding doors between each, library or bedroom. Upstairs—Hall, 3 bedrooms, large bathroom with all fittings in. Small cellar, woodshed, city water, sink, etc. House finished throughout in hardwood (oiled). Lot 100x200, planted with all kinds of fruit.

DUNN & MERRITT,
BOX 52 PHONE 295
Fifth St., 1st Door from King.

Westman Bros. unloaded a car of machinery to-day.

T. Marshall, of Walkerville, was in the city yesterday.

J. N. George, of Dresden, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

C. W. Rekowski, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

J. C. Markle, of Sarnia, is calling on his Chatham friends to-day.

John Counts, of Thamesville, was in the city yesterday on legal business.

Miss Flo McKellar has returned from a couple of weeks visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Grant, of Mount Clemens, were guests at the Rankin House yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dell, Lansdowne avenue, have returned from a visit with friends in Tillsonburg.

William Guernsey, an employee of the Wagon Works, was badly hurt yesterday by being struck by a bar of iron. He is doing nicely.

James Emery, of Camden, who was confined in St. Joseph's Hospital a few weeks ago, is reported seriously ill at his home near Dresden.

Sheriff Gemmill and Police Officer Dezela took prisoners Fred Cook and Albert Parker to Kingston to-day. Both are young men and both received four years.

J. L. Fletcher, of Dutton, is spending the day with his many Chatham friends. Mr. Fletcher is a general merchant in Dutton and is very popular in Chatham.

The Rebekahs held a very successful At Home at the I. O. O. F. Auditorium last evening. There were about a hundred couples present. Pritchard's orchestra furnished the music.

The Chatham Oil Co. shot their second well this afternoon. The well on the Aldis property is progressing nicely. A man named Hillman, employed at the work on this well, had several fingers cut off his right hand yesterday.

Miss Nellie Lambert entertained a number of friends last evening. Progressive games and dancing were indulged in. Miss Annie Wilson and Wylie Braddon secured the first prizes and Bob Tobey and Miss Singer the booby prizes.

The oyster supper and pedro social held under the auspices of the Ladies Altar and Aid Society last evening in St. Joseph's Hall was a grand success in every way. About 600 people enjoyed the oysters and the pedro. About \$100 was cleared. Miss Cooksey and W. Brennan secured the first prizes and Mr. Gallagher and Miss K. Hannan the booby prizes.

BUSINESS CHANGE

Mr. King, late of the firm of King, Cunningham & Drew, is negotiating for, and will probably purchase, the hardware business of John A. Morton. Mr. King assures The Planet that he intends to start up again in business. Mr. Morton, who is one of the oldest and most prosperous business men in the city, intends to live a retired life.

Waterford's Heavy Loss.

Waterford, Feb. 24.—Fire broke out this morning about 5.30 in the Duncombe building, occupied by Hadden, tailor; Hill, butcher; Perkins, shoemaker, and the office of Marlatt & Duncombe. The building and contents were totally destroyed. The buildings south, owned by Mrs. J. P. Dean and Shildrick & Colvers, hardware merchants, were also totally destroyed. Calley's, the shoemaker's, premises were slightly damaged. Loss on block about \$6,000; stock about \$10,000; partly covered by insurance.

PRESENTATION

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wemp, Wellington street west, very pleasantly entertained the members of the Park street Methodist choir last evening. There were about 50 guests present and an exceedingly enjoyable time was spent by everyone in games and singing. In a geographical contest the prize was won by Miss Snell. This contest was a very unique one and afforded considerable amusement. As Miss Webster has concluded her term as leader of the choir, the members made this an occasion to present her with a parting gift as a small token of the high esteem in which she is held by the choir. She was presented with a beautiful gold locket suitably engraved, accompanied by a well worded address. Miss Webster was taken completely by surprise and thanked the choir very kindly for their gift.

During Miss Webster's term of leadership the utmost harmony has prevailed throughout the choir, but only in their choral work, but also their social intercourse. The members are sorry to lose such a popular leader and wish her every enjoyment during her future life.

The address was read by J. W. Plewes, while Miss Mabel Tillson made the presentation.

PERSONATORS CONVICTED.

Two of the Guilty Parties Fail to Appear.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—At yesterday's referendum investigation before Judge McCrimmon, Thomas Cavan, who was deputy returning officer for subdivision No. 26, South Toronto, charged with four violations of the law, was acquitted on all charges.

David Cohen, a laundryman and shirt-maker, employed by his father, whose premises are on York street, failed to appear, and was found guilty of personating Jacob Cohen. He was sentenced in his absence to twelve months in prison, and a fine of \$400, and three months more if he fails to pay the fine.

Joseph O'Melia of 71 Lombard street, who worked for the Gas Company and the Street Railway Company, and who was nominated for Alderman in the Second Ward at last election, but was forced to retire owing to an informality in his nomination, was convicted, also in his absence, of two cases of personation in polling booth No. 7, East Toronto. He was sentenced on each charge to twelve months' imprisonment, a fine of \$400 and three months extra in case of failure to pay the fine.

Cohen and O'Melia have, it is understood, gone to the United States.

STRIKE CAUSES LOSSES.

Big Decrease in One Railway Company's Earnings.

New York, Feb. 25.—The stockholders of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad held their annual meeting here. All the directors and officers were re-elected. The annual report shows a decrease in gross earnings of \$2,108,869, or 8.97 per cent., and in net earnings a decrease of \$2,137,742, or 21.60 per cent., due to losses from the miners' strike. The report of President Truesdale says circumstances lead to the conclusion that the strike was incited by certain bituminous interests.

Mr. Chamberlain's Return.

London, Feb. 25.—Mr. Chamberlain will leave Cape Town for England to-day. The Cape Town correspondent of The Morning Post telegraphs in reference to Mr. Chamberlain's tour that the feeling of security in Cape Colony is greater than it has been at any time since the Jameson raid. The Standard's special correspondent in South Africa understands that Mr. Chamberlain will recommend a general amnesty for the rebels, but not their re-franchisement.

The Rev. Mr. Higley attended the oyster supper at Mitchell's Bay last evening. The supper was held at the residence of James Murphy and was well attended. It was given for the purpose of raising money for the building fund of the new English church which will be erected at the Bay.

FIRE AT ORANGEVILLE.

Several Fine Stores in Ashes—Hotel Damaged.

Orangeville, Feb. 25.—One of the most disastrous fires that has ever been witnessed in this town occurred at an early hour yesterday. From 2.30 until 9 o'clock the fire held high carnival, and as a result the fine buildings fronting on South Broadway, the main business street of the town, from Mills street east for fully 200 feet, are a mass of ruins. Tottering walls are all that remain of business places that a few hours ago were scenes of busy activity.

The fire originated in Jackson, Brett & Co.'s large hardware store, and was discovered between 2 and 3 o'clock. At that hour Mr. G. A. Holland, manager of the Bank of Commerce, while going along Broadway, on his way home from a meeting in the Town Hall, noticed smoke issuing from the store. Running across the street, he looked through the window, but although there was every evidence of intense heat, the flames were visible only in the workshop at the rear. Mr. Holland at once sounded the alarm, but had only left the window a couple of minutes when the force of the pent-up heat blew out the plate glass front. In an instant the whole interior was a mass of flames, and a little later the explosion of a quantity of gunpowder added to the fury of the devastating element.

J. E. Booth's liquor store and Mercer & Robinson's fine harness emporium, immediately east of the hardware store, were both on fire before the fire brigade got the hose playing. Mr. Robinson, a member of the latter firm, and family, who live in rooms over the store, had a narrow escape from death by suffocation. As it was, Mrs. Robinson was obliged to leave her room in her nightdress. With these two buildings a fire, the firemen devoted their energies to saving the buildings on the east and west.

The rear of the Grand Central Hotel on the east caught fire but the brigade was fortunately able to extinguish the flames before a deal of damage was done.

On the west they were not so successful and about 7 o'clock the fire found a lodgment in the roof of the Gordon House, a splendid three-story brick hotel, and in two hours the building was completely gutted from roof to cellar. The only place that escaped in the fire-swept area was Hugh Green's barber shop between the Gordon House and Brett's hardware store. Brick walls and an iron roof proved its salvation. By 9 o'clock the fire was under control and an hour later all danger to neighboring buildings had passed.

The total loss is estimated from \$35,000 to \$40,000, insurance so far as can be ascertained at present is as follows: Jackson, Brett & Co. Hardware stock, etc., \$3,000, in the Equity Fire Insurance Company; T. T. King, on building \$2,000, in Waterloo Insurance Company; J. L. Booth, liquor store stock, \$1,750, in Royal, Orangeville.

\$30,000 For Toronto Woman.

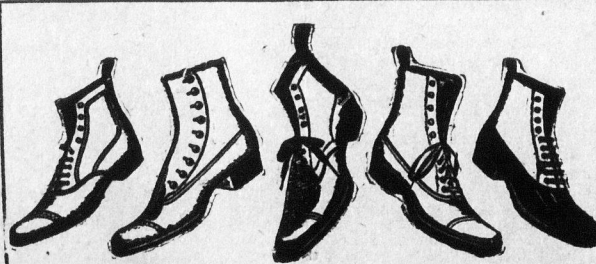
Toronto, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Lucy Young, who resides with her son, Mr. C. Young, at 120 Sherbourne street, has recently fallen heir to \$30,000, on the death of her sister, Miss Kate Young, at North Adams, Mass. Of this \$20,000 is in property and \$10,000 in cash. Deceased was 60 years of age, and Mrs. Young was her only relative.

Radley's Cough Cure

25c per Bottle

Is the best preparation on the market for Coughs and Colds.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Radley's tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.



BOYS WILL BE BOYS

And shoes must be sturdy to stand the racket—the romping play incident to the trips to and from school.

OUR SCHOOL SHOES

Are made to withstand the hardest knocks, strong and staunch, full of wear and yet not clumsy. Goodness—they have more than others, but the price is no higher. See them before you fit the boy out.

\$1.00 to \$1.50

...The Prices Range...

GEO. W. COWAN,

CHATHAM.

Dressmakers
Apprentices—Apply
to Miss Morrison.

G. AUSTIN & CO

Chatham's
Greatest
Store.

Corsets

Note the names. The E. T. and P. D. Do you know of anything better in the Corset line?

Ladies' E. T. Corset No. 560, of contil straight front, lace and ribbon trimmed, drab and white, sizes from 18 to 26, price 1.00

Empire E. T. Corset, very short low bust, lace and ribbon trimmed, drab and white, sizes 18 to 26, price 1.00

E. T. Corset No. 220 and 205, in short and medium length, low bust, in white and drab, sizes from 18 to 30, price 75c

P. D. Corset, made of contil, medium length, lace and ribbon trimmed, straight front, in sizes from 18 to 26, price 1.00

E. T. Corset No. 312, straight front, low bust, medium length, lace and ribbon trimmed, sizes from 17 to 30, price 1.00

E. T. Corset No. 152 and 162, short and medium length, lace and ribbon trimmed, drab only, in sizes from 18 to 30, price 50c

\$1.00 CORSETS AT 65c.

5 dozen D. and A. Corsets, long waist, lace and ribbon trimmed, a few missing sizes, worth \$1.00, to clear at 65c.

Flannelette Wrappers

You will find the balance of our stock in three groups at three popular prices.

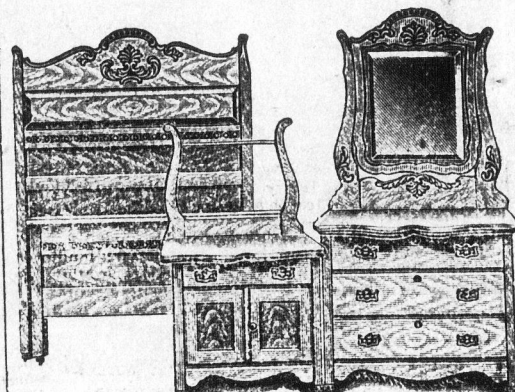
A complete range of sizes in each group but not every size in each pattern and color.

AT \$1.00—Flannelette Wrappers, cardinal, navy, black and white, lined to the waist, made full from the collar in front, fitted back, extra wide skirt.

AT \$1.25—regular prices up to \$1.75, stripes wide or narrow, small neat patterns and floral designs, made with or without yoke, turn-down collar, deep flounce on skirt.

AT \$1.50—Regular price range from \$2.00 to 3.00. Wrappers of flannelette and wrapperette. Good assortment of colors and patterns, skirts real wide with flounce or plain. Many are trimmed with frills and braid or narrow ribbon.

Three Specials in Bedroom Furniture



The furniture we sell in February is just the same sort as we sell in May or October or any other season of the year. Regularly made furniture that paid full wages to skilled workmen is what is offered here

—AND NOTHING ELSE.

The very notable feature of the occasion is that it can be bought at prices that would be twenty-five per cent. more at other times of the year. Here are three specials.

NO. 1—Solid hardwood Bedroom Suite, hand carvings and finished imitation mahogany. BEDSTEAD, 6 ft. 2 in. high, slat 4 ft. 2 in. long. DRESSER, shaped top 3 ft. 2 in. wide, fitted with 20x24 in. oval mirror. WASHSTAND, shaped top and back with one drawer and two cupboards under, brass fittings and castors complete. Never before sold by us or anyone else for less than \$14.50. Our special price 11.50

NO. 2—Bed and Stand same as above, and dresser fitted with 14x24 in. oval mirror, former price \$12.50, our special price 10.00

NO. 3—Three piece Bedroom Suite, golden finish elm, hand carved and castored complete. BEDSTEAD, 9 ft. 2 in. high, slat 4 ft. 2 in. WASHSTAND, large size, shaped top, with one drawer and two cupboards under. DRESSER, shaped top 3 ft. wide, 6 ft. 2 in. high, fitted with 14x24 in. German bend mirror, three drawers with locks. Made to sell for \$12.50, our special price 10.00

In the Clothing Section

New Trousers Rejuvenate a Suit

Most trousers bought last fall begin to look rusty now, and nine times out of ten it is the trousers that make the trouble.

Try a New Pair

You'll find the suit looks quite smart again; and you may feel entirely respectable until the time comes to buy your spring suit. This week we are having a



SPECIAL ODD PANT SALE

AT 98c.—Men's honest wearing tweed and serge Pants, neat pattern tweeds, plain serges, regular value at \$1.25 and 1.50, clearing at 98c. a pair, placed on tables to clear.

AT \$1.29—Men's heavy all wool Stoffe tweeds, plain all wool serges and fine pattern all wool tweeds, pants worth from \$1.50 to 2.00, to be cleared at \$1.29 this week.

C. Austin & Co.

The Leading and Reliable Clothiers

Bloodroot Cough Cure

One bottle guaranteed to cure any cough or cold of not more than 3 months' standing. Your money refunded if it fail to cure.

25c. a Bottle

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A. I. McCALL & Co., Limited

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DRUGGISTS

L. S. Hardin's System as Described in the Jersey Bulletin.

To be able to make butter that will win a prize at the local fair is an achievement of which any woman may well be proud. We, therefore, give the following letter by L. S. Hardin, in the Jersey Bulletin, on how to make exhibition butter, in the hope it may contain some hint to those who have tried hard to win but have failed. He says:

"The making of prize butter is one of the arts of the dairy industry, and while it is true that some women, though fewer men, possess this art apparently by instinct, and in some instances with the crudest implements, that is no sign that you can do the same thing.

"It is a higher and more worthy honor to get to the top by hard work and intelligence than by the instinct or even genius. The careful, painstaking man can in a short time master all the intricacies of fine butter making, provided he is willing to lay aside his old prejudices and profit by what he can learn.

"Let us briefly state the process of making butter that, if strictly followed, will deserve to win.

"Milk in a very clean, dry stable, with no dust. Brush the cows carefully night and morning and give pure well water. Before beginning to milk, wipe sides and udder with damp cloth or sponge. The milk must have no clean clothes, clean dry hands, and should take three or four pulls of each teat and throw it away. Remove the milk immediately from the stable to the separator, or set the milk in ice water. There should be cows enough selected to make the butter from one milking, as mixed cream is dangerous.

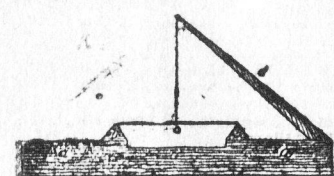
"As soon as the cream is secured, put it in a Boyd ripener, if possible. If not, put it in a clean tin with a tight cover and stir in the starter, set it in an atmosphere of 75 degrees and keep it at this temperature without stirring until a very slight acid develops and the cream runs in a continuous little string a foot long. Then churn at once, if you know how, at 55 degrees.

"Stop the churn the instant the butter forms the size of a clover seed; draw off the buttermilk and pour in water at 62 degrees enough to freely float the butter. Wash the butter by gently stirring with a paddle through two or three waters until all the buttermilk is out and the water runs clear. Pour in a strong, cold brine, a salt solution, and stir the butter through it for fifteen minutes.

"Take out and press out the water until reasonably dry. Make up at once in point prints, brick shape. Wrap with parchment paper, or, if rules of fair call for it, pack in new tub. Follow fair instructions simply or you cannot get the premium even if you win. Keep the butter on ice all the time."

Getting Grade of Ditches and Drains.

A device for assisting in getting the grade while digging drains is described by a correspondent of American Agriculturist. "I took a piece of board, a, a, 8 feet long, 7 inches wide and nailed on two three cornered pieces, b, b, cutting out the section of the board between them as shown in the illustration. Then I nailed a piece of lath across the tops of the three cornered pieces. A piece of clap-board, d, three feet long, was sharpened nearly to a point on the thin



APPARATUS FOR GRADING.

side and nailed diagonally to the side of the eight foot board, thin edge down, so that the point of the clap-board would be about twenty inches above the centre of the lath. If the lower edge of the board is straight and placed in a level position the line will hang at right angles with it. Have the edge of the lath planed. Take a sharp pencil and mark each side of the line and cut a notch on the lath. To illustrate the use of the device, when the board is level, if a two inch block is put under one end and a notch cut behind the line, the plumb line will indicate the grade and the operator will get a two inch wall for every eight feet, eight feet being the length of the board."

Cleaning Up Poultry Yards.

Spading or plowing a poultry yard is not "cleaning it up" according to our view of the case. It is simply "conserving the filth and" preventing the purifying sunshine from doing its sanitary work. The way to "clean up a poultry yard" is to clean it up and burn the trash or remove it and use it to fertilize cultivated crops. Plowing is all right if the fowls are to be removed and a crop of some sort grown, for in that case the crops remove most of the deleterious matter. But in this case the "yard" ceases to be a poultry yard for a season. The way to clean a poultry yard is to use a rake, a broad broom, fire and a wheelbarrow and then give the sun free access to the surface. Spade up a place for the fowls to scratch and wallow in, and the thing is done about right.—Farm and Ranch.

Feeding Bees in Winter.

Don't feed syrup to bees in winter. Use the combs of honey and the candy. It is just as well, if not better, to feed right away. Very quietly remove the outside comb or combs at one side, so that you can put the frame of honey or candy right next to the bees. The bees will not use the rest. Of course you will not use any smoke. If your work is carefully done, you will have no trouble, advises the American Bee Journal in regard to colonies that are too tight for winter and need feeding.

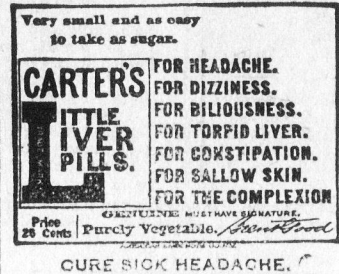
ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine
Carter's
Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

Wm. Wood

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.



CURE SICK HEADACHE.

An Early Astronomer.

Thales, born 640 B. C., was the first to note the four distinct divisions due to the position of the sun—namely, the solstices and the equinoxes. He also taught that moonlight was simply reflected sunlight and was the man who first made a prediction of a solar eclipse.

COURTESY OF STUART.

Stuart, the self-confessed counterfeiter of Dominion one-dollar bills, held in Toronto, is a very kind looking, fatherly old character. He has a full face, shaggy grey hair and beard and high forehead. It is said that he has been around Toronto for the past twenty years. He is a very shrewd, intelligent old man, quite temperate and with few close friends. It is said that at one time he worked for A. E. Kemp Co. on River and Gerard streets, engraving plates, which are placed on coffins. He is given credit for the invention of the art of photography on tin. Certain it is that he is a fine chemist and an expert engraver.

The Land of the Trout.

Mr. A. M. Dymont of the Attorney-General's Department of Ontario, who has recently been in the vicinity of Bancroft, in Hastings County, thinks that the country there knocks Muskoka out as a resort for hunters, fishermen and out-door pleasure-seekers generally. "All that is needed," he says, to make the place an ideal summer country is good hotels. From Bancroft there is 40 miles of navigation for steam launches, and the speckled trout fishing in all the streams and lakes is capital. It is remarked that the waters which drain to the Madawaska and Ottawa are inhabited by trout, while the streams on this side of the divide are the home of the bass.

Bank Clerks.

Several detective agencies do a large business watching the movements of bank clerks after business hours.

Repairing Sheets.

Repair sheets that have become thin by tearing them from end to end down the middle and then sewing the selvages together to form a new middle. Of course the sides will then have to be hemmed, and the four corners should have tape sewed along them for about a couple of inches each way to strengthen them and prevent their being torn out by the pegs when they are hung on the line to dry.

YORK COUNTY'S LIVING PROOF

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Will Cure Gravel

Thomas Harrison Tells of His Sufferings and of His Speedy and Permanent Cure.

St. Mary's Ferry, York Co., N. B., Feb. 22.—(Special).—York County has a living proof of the efficacy of Dodd's Kidney Pills to bring back health, when all other means have failed, in the person of Thomas Harrison, of St. Mary's Ferry. "I began to suffer with a severe pain in my back, followed by a very lethargic feeling," Mr. Harrison says in speaking of his cure. "This continued for some time, gradually getting worse, when I was obliged to call in a physician, who termed my disease appendicitis. Still I could get no relief, and very shortly I commenced to urinate blood.

"My attention had been called to Dodd's Kidney Pills, but I was skeptical of patent medicines, and it was some time before I made up my mind to try them.

"The first box gave me relief and greater relief followed when I passed a stone that had formed in the bladder. By the time I had finished the third box I was cured. I have had no return of my trouble either, for if I feel any symptoms of its return I get another box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and in that way keep myself clear of that terrible disease."

Mr. Harrison is only one of many here who have benefited from the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and the generally accepted conclusion is "If the disease comes from the kidneys, Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure it."

MENU OF THE TURKS

DISHES THAT COULD BE ADOPTED BY AMERICAN HOUSEWIVES.

Viaads That Are at Once Appetizing, Nutritious and Inexpensive—Popularity of Vegetables and Sweets. The National Dish.

Some of the dishes found on Turkish tables might well be adopted by the American housewife, being appetizing and inexpensive and easily prepared from articles that are to be found here in great abundance.

Turks do not care for salads, but prefer meat, fish, vegetables and sweet dishes. The Bosphorus furnishes a great variety of excellent fish, among them the red mullet, oysters and mussels, but the Turks have no idea of the choice of cuts and simply ask for so many okas, caring nothing so that they get meaty pieces with few bones. Corned beef, roast beef, steak—these are unknown. Mutton, beef, a little veal, fowls and game are eaten. Pork is "the unutterable flesh."

Breakfast with the Turks of all classes consists of a cup of coffee and bread. A piece of cheese rolled into the fat pancake is eaten by the laborers. This is sometimes exchanged for cakes that are much like pretzels, only larger and not so hard. In the fruit season different kinds of fruit are added. Black bread made of unbleached rye flour is sold everywhere and when fresh is delicious. With a few grapes, a piece of the native cheese and a cup of coffee the richest man is satisfied.

With all fish, lobsters and many meats a sort of salad dressing is served made of garlic, oil, breadcrumbs and vinegar, all bruised to a cream, with caviare or cucumber. Mussels are much larger than in this country. They are washed, steamed until they open, then filled with rice, chopped onion and pepper and butter, packed closely in a vessel and baked an hour.

Turks make few soups, as they prefer solid food, but sardines, anchovies and salted olives or pistachio nuts are eaten before meals as appetizers. Of vegetables, which enter largely into their diet, the favorite is the tomato, and scarcely any dish is considered complete without it, though they never eat this vegetable raw. To preserve tomatoes for winter use they boil them until the skins are loose, then pass them through colanders, after which they throw salt into the pulp. This causes it to settle, and the water is poured off while the residue is put into thin bags and hung in the shade. The next day it is spread on flat surfaces to dry. Later it is cut into squares and laid in covered jars. This process retains the taste and qualities of the tomato better than canning, and a little water makes the pulp moist again.

Potatoes, a taste for which is an acquired one with the Turk, are first boiled, mashed with eggs and a little flour, then made into cakes and fried. Beans and lima beans are boiled with tomatoes and butter and sometimes onions. Squash is sliced and fried or stuffed with mince meat, onions and boiled rice, and then baked. Large cucumbers are also stuffed with minced meats and baked or are eaten raw with salt. One good stew is made of mutton and green peas. Another has all sorts of vegetables, like an Irish stew.

Eggplant is cooked in many ways, some of them palatable and good. One recipe is called imam-baide, which means that the imam for whom the dish was made fainted with delight at its excellence. To make it, cut slits in the sides of the eggplant and insert a forcement of onion and minced chicken in the cavities. Tie strips of cloth around and fry thoroughly in boiling fat. Another way is to substitute eggplant for potato in a stew. Tomatoes should also be added.

Moussaka, another and better form, calls for one large eggplant, sliced rather thick, without peeling. Have a quart of tomatoes freshly peeled or canned and one pound of minced beef. Fry the beef until it separates, set aside while the eggplant is being fried, then put alternate layers of meat, eggplant and tomatoes in a deep dish; season and bake in a slow oven one hour.

Another delicious dish results from placing sliced onions, tomatoes and ship's bread or soda biscuit in layers, with a generous piece of butter, in a covered dish. Bake slowly four hours. Pilaf, the national dish of Turkey, is served invariably at every dinner. Rice always forms the foundation, and the most popular variety is that where nothing but butter, tomatoes and rice is used. Take three-quarters of a pound of Carolina or Egyptian rice, wash until perfectly clean and while still wet place in a pan with one-quarter of a pound of butter. Stir over the fire until the rice has absorbed the butter and become a light golden color. Add the rice to three pints of strained tomato juice, boil the whole up once, then draw aside to cook, without stirring, for twenty-five minutes. When done, melt another quarter of a pound of butter, and when the pilaf is dished up pour it over the top. Each kernel should be separate. The color will be a rich light brown.

Yalanje-dolma is a popular dish with foreigners as well as Turks. Scald some fresh green grape leaves. Take a half pound of rice and fry in butter as for pilaf. Mince some onion and parsley very fine and add them to the rice with salt and pepper. Stuff each leaf with the mixture, fastening the little bundles with cloves. Lay them in a kettle, the opening downward, keep them in place and just enough water to keep them from burning. Simmer for three-quarters of an hour.—New York Tribune.

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Queen's University Journal gives an anecdote regarding the late Principal Grant, showing the great interest he took in sport when Queen's was in the contest. It runs thus:—Last winter the principal was accustomed to retire to bed, according to medical orders, early in the evening. One of the very rare occasions on which he broke this rule was on the night of the Queen's-McGill hockey match. He waited up till eleven o'clock in case the game should be over. Finally his conscience drove him to bed before the news arrived. He had never been known to call for anything after retiring, but on this occasion, when he heard the front door slam, he called out, "Who's won?" This was reported to his faithful old servant Janet next morning. "Well," said she, "I was wondering what made the principal call out, and I said to myself, there must be a match to-night, for nothing ever excited the principal like a match."

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Tale on the Press Censor.

M. A. G. HALE, the war correspondent, tells a funny story about a press censor in the second number of the "Week-End." We had some fun, he says, with some of those haughty gentlemen of the press gag. I was working part of the time with a correspondent who had two faults: firstly, he wrote a hand that no one but a telegraph clerk or a compositor could decipher; secondly, he stuttered when he talked, so that no one but an archangel could understand him when excited. We struck a most impetuous censor, who was so well informed that I doubt if he could read cold print without assistance. My friend took up his "copy." It was an awful hand. If he had written it with the butt-end of a Blucher boot I don't think it could have been worse. The censor looked at it and handed it back. "Can't send messages in cypher," he said. "That ain't cyp-p-p-p-pher, it's p-l-a-a-a-n English," retorted the correspondent. "Well, then, if that is plain English, just you read it out for me, for I'm blanked if I can read it," said the censor.

So the correspondent commenced to read. He stuttered and stammered through half of it; then the censor stopped him. "Halt," he cried; "you write as if you were an india-rubber idol, but you talk ten times worse than you write. Give it to me; I'll sign it. No operator on earth can read it." But the operator could and did, and my friend got off the smartest bit of news that had left the front for many a day. However, when the censor found out what he had been induced to sign he evened matters up by sending the correspondent after his "cable" as far as Cape Town, where he is to this day. It is good fun to get him to talk about that censor; he gets so wild and stutters so much that he has to finish his story in deaf and dumb language on his fingers.

Working Himself Out of a Job.

A collector of bad accounts received a lesson from a delinquent debtor a few days ago that has started him to thinking a bit. The collector had been chasing this delinquent for about six months and had become tired of "Call to-morrow." "I haven't it just now," and other excuses of a similar dilatory nature, and thought it was time to become "sassy."

"See here," he said, the last time he called, "are you ever going to pay this bill?"

"Why, yes," replied the delinquent, "I suppose I will pay it some day or other. But look here yourself, young man; I think I can show you a thing or two. How many bills have you in that bundle?"

"About forty, I guess."

"How long does it take you to visit these people?"

"Generally, I can get over my route in a day."

"Suppose every one of them should pay up?"

"That would be fine!"

"Oh, it would, would it? What would you do for a living if everybody paid promptly?"

The collector turned the thought over in his mind for a moment or two, and looked blank.

"Gracious!" he said, "I'd be out of a job!"

"That's exactly my point. Don't, therefore, be so infernally anxious to collect every cent due to your people at one time. A few collections a day are enough. As for my account, come around some day next week, and I will help you out of business by paying it. Good-day."

Original "Fake" Advertiser Dead.

John Napoleon Bonaparte Little, one of Wheeling's best-known characters, died. He was born in Pennsylvania sixty years ago. He went to Wheeling, Va., when a small boy, and has been a resident ever since, except the time he spent in the Union army during the late war.

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Twenty years ago he advertised that on a certain Sunday afternoon he would leap from the suspension bridge into the Ohio River, eighty feet below.

The whole town turned out, and excursions were run by boat and rail for fifty miles. Little's cream pop and confectionery store was at the bridge entrance, and he kept seven clerks going all that day. When the hour arrived, "Pa" appeared wrapped in a flag, and announced that he had decided to postpone the jump till the river rose to within three feet of the bottom of the bridge. He cleared nearly \$1,000 on the deal.

Another time he advertised that he would make a balloon ascension from the front of his store. This drew as big a crowd, and when the time came he appeared with a huge paper balloon, fired it, and it would not rise. He used many other dodges to advertise himself and business, and all were successful.

His wife, who was equally adept in helping along business, died a year ago. He leaves no relatives, and the G. A. R. post attended to his funeral, New York "Journal."

Applied knowledge: "Spell ferment and give its definition," requested the teacher. "F-e-r-m-e-n-t, to work," responded a diminutive maiden. "Now place it in a sentence, so that I may be sure you understand its meaning," said the teacher. "In the summer I would rather play out-of-doors than ferment in the schoolhouse," returned the small scholar.—Wisconsin "Journal of Education."

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"Mr. Cherrie, grocer, on Queen st., advised me to try Powley's Liquefied Ozone, so I purchased a bottle. After taking three bottles the rheumatism left me. For six weeks previous to this I could take no nourishment at all, but the first bottle gave me a good appetite. I began to gain in flesh and have been steadily increasing ever since. I now weigh 170 pounds and feel as well as possible. Every one who knew my condition considers it a miracle that I am cured. I am a staunch believer in the merits of Ozone and intend to keep it always in the house."

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VELVET POPULAR.

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The illustration shows a carriage cloak of putty colored cloth. It has the wide sleeves now so fashionable and a V shaped yoke and high collar of fur. The smart hat is of the same color of felt, trimmed with orange velvet and a black feather. JUDIC CHOLLET.



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BANISH THE CIGARETTE.

Deputation at Ottawa Sees the Government.

Ottawa, Feb. 25.—Over a score of ladies and several clergymen and laymen waited upon the Prime Minister, Hon. Mr. Fielding, and Hon. M. E. Bernier, yesterday, and asked that the manufacture and sale of cigarettes and cigarette paper or wrappers be prohibited. The deputation, which was under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Canada, included Mrs. Rutherford, Toronto, Dominion President of the W.C.T.U.; Mrs. Bascom, Toronto, Corresponding Secretary; Miss Dougall, Montreal, Vice-President; Mrs. McLachlin, Montreal, Secretary; Mrs. Geggie, Quebec, Superintendent of the Legislative Committee; Mrs. McKee of Barrie, Provincial President for Ontario; Mrs. Walters, Hamilton, Secretary of the Anti-Cigarette Department; and Rev. S. D. Chown, Toronto, representing the Methodist Church.

The interview lasted about an hour, and at its close Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he had listened with great interest to the petition, and to the able manner in which it had been supported. He must confess his total ignorance of the matter, not being a smoker or blessed with children. Every movement in favor of reform, he pointed out, had to be long fought. He promised that the matter would be taken into consideration. This might seem an insufficient answer, but he did not wish the deputation to take it in that way. There were over 200 members of Parliament, many of whom were smokers, and he advised the ladies to use their influence with the representatives of the people. The Government, he said, considering the matter in Council, would make it their duty to confer with the leading members of both parties as to what seemed an important question, and had been so well presented by this large, influential and fair delegation. (Applause.)

S. Davis & Sons, of Montreal, have made Bates Bros. sole agents for the Cable, the best 5c. cigar in Canada.

MARTINEAU CONFESSES.

Admits that His Forgeries Amount to \$75,000.

Ottawa, Feb. 25.—Aboudens Martineau, the Militia Department clerk now under arrest charged with forgery and malfeasance in office, confessed that he had forged and cashed checks to the amount of \$75,000. This sum agrees with the aggregate as determined by Mr. J. W. Borden, accountant of the department, from an examination of the books. Martineau's confession was made in the presence of Mr. Borden and Lieut.-Col. Sherwood, Chief of Dominion Police, who went down to the jail to see him at 4 o'clock. The young man appeared to be very penitent and wept copiously. He volunteered to make a clean breast of it, and said that he obtained blank checks bearing the signatures of the accountant and a deputy Minister, and made them payable for certain sums to C. D. Cote, a fictitious personage. He also forged the endorsement to the checks. After a while, however, he corrected this statement, and said that his procedure was to alter checks made payable to other persons. He acknowledged that he had been well treated in the department, better, in fact, than he deserved, and he did not know how he came to succumb to temptation.

SHOT HIMSELF DEAD.

John Merritt Killed While Hunting in East Flamboro'.

Hamilton, Feb. 25.—Mr. John Merritt, a former restaurant man in this city also a teamster, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun while going out rabbit-shooting in East Flamboro' yesterday. He was found dead in his sleigh. He was about 55 years of age, and had been living on a farm near Millgrove, East Flamboro'. The deceased was a brother-in-law of Mr. Wilber Snider of the T. H. & B. restaurant, this city. His wife was away from home when the fatality occurred.

BOY'S TERRIBLE CRIME.

Killed Father, Mother, Sister and Himself.

Frankfort, Ind., Feb. 25.—Earl Woods, the seventeen-year-old son of a prominent farmer, seven miles west of this city, yesterday murdered his father, shot and fatally wounded his mother and sister and then committed suicide. The motive for the crime is not known. After the shooting he went to the home of a neighbor and said that robbers had killed his father, mother and sister, and that he escaped after a running battle with the desperadoes. He apparently was greatly excited and said he was organizing a posse to pursue his father's slayers. He stopped at another house and told the same story. When questioned concerning the shooting the boy became confused and resented the inquisitiveness of the man to whom he told the story. He started away and disappeared behind a barn when a shot was heard. An investigation disclosed Earl dying with a bullet through his breast.

KILLED BY A FALL.

A Young Man Dropped Forty Feet From a Tree.

Tilbury, Feb. 25.—Albert Reaume, a young man, aged 20, residing on the St. Clair sideroad, Tilbury East, was killed yesterday by falling from the limb of a tree. He had climbed the tree, which was a large one, and had chopped off a hollow limb in which a coon was hidden, when the falling limb struck the one on which he was standing. He fell to the ground, a distance of forty feet, and was killed by the fall. The accident was witnessed by his little brother.

LYNCH LAW SUPREME.

Two Negro Offenders Killed by Brutal Mobs.

Shreveport, La., Feb. 25.—Frank Brown, a negro, was lynched near here yesterday. He had shot, but not fatally wounded, a white man.

Griffin, Ga., Feb. 25.—William Fambro, a negro, has been shot to death on the outskirts of this city by a mob who fired over one thousand shots into his house. Fambro, who had been charged with insulting a white woman, had been released on the payment of his fine by his employer.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Several passenger trains are still snow-bound in Newfoundland.

The first of the All-British settlers party for Saskatoon will sail March 31.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ira Platt of Hamilton celebrated their golden wedding.

An old man named Thompson was killed while walking on the railway track near Tweed.

The C. P. R. lands in Saskatchewan and North Alberta have been advanced to \$5 an acre.

Patrick Cantwell of Guelph was arrested on a charge of assaulting his father, who is in a critical condition.

Sarnia people will ask the Dominion Government to dredge the harbor there and at Point Edward to a depth of twenty feet.

J. B. Hollingsworth was found guilty of impersonation at the recent referendum vote at Ottawa, and was sentenced to six months in jail and a fine of \$300.

A bill appropriating \$9,000 for a life-size statue of the late Frances E. Willard was passed by the Illinois Legislature. It will be placed in Statuary Hall at Washington.

Mr. Edward Bennett of Hastings was seized with a paralytic stroke and fell on the ice. He remained there all night, and was discovered by his son on the way to school next morning. He will probably recover.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

Feb. 24.—Mrs. Powell spent Sunday with Chatham friends.

E. H. Dever, who has been confined to the house through illness, is able to be out again.

Charles Heath, of Chatham, has been employed by the Public School Board to take charge of the vacancy on the staff caused by the resignation of Miss Annis.

F. Ogletree is removing into the residence on Centre St., recently purchased by him from Mrs. E. Austin Pickard.

BLENHEIM

Feb. 20.—Mr. John Rumble, who has been spending a week or two in town, returned to London to-day.

Mr. Lynch, of this place, and five other young men from Buxton and vicinity, leave on Monday for Calgary.

Mr. McRae, the popular oil driller, is attending the dance given by the college boys in the Auditorium, Chatham, this evening.

Chas. Mallory, Jr., was married to Miss Tena Gregory in Chatham last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Mallory left to-day for their future home, the Mallory House, Rondeau.

Mr. James Hornby and Mr. Townsend, leave on Monday for Calgary, N. W. T.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Irwin, which took place to-day from Trinity Church to the Evergreen cemetery, was largely attended.

A wedding, of much interest to many of Blenheim's young people, will take place on Monday morning, when one of our most popular young ladies will be united in marriage to a Cleveland.

TILBURY

Feb. 24.—Miss Louisa Peltier left yesterday on a visit with friends in Windsor.

Mrs. H. Johnston is entertaining the Sans-Souci Club this evening.

W. Campbell, of Toronto, who was the guest of his sister here, Miss Minnie Campbell, on Sunday rendered in a very pleasing manner the solo "A Dream of Paradise" at the morning service in St. Andrew's Episcopal church, and in the evening "Calvary."

Miss Bell Shaw leaves to-day to attend the London millinery openings, after which she returns to Port Rowan to resume charge of the millinery department in W. O. Franklin's store there.

Frank Campbell left on Sunday for Chatham, where he has secured a position on the "News" staff.

Mrs. Savage, of Detroit, is visiting her sister here, Mrs. Henry Richardson, Carlyle avenue.

Feb. 25.—Mrs. Ritchie, who has been the guest of Mrs. A. Coutts, the past week, returned to her home in Raleigh yesterday.

E. Dore, of Hamilton, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Crawford, Miss Crawford, Miss Minnie Campbell, Burleigh Campbell, Miss K. Macdonald, Mrs. D. Smith and Mrs. W. J. Moffat, were in Detroit last evening to hear Mrs. Patrie Campbell in "The Joy of Living."

Miss Nellie Warnock returned to her home in Chatham yesterday.

Leamington hockey team will play with the local club at the rink here to-night.

To-day being Ash Wednesday, special services were held in St. Francis Church.

W. T. Poile left yesterday on a business trip to the east.

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THE PIT

CHATHAM BIRDS WON THE MAIN OF TUESDAY MORNING.

Detroit chicken fighters were given a second drubbing within a period of two weeks. Niagara Falls birds carried off the money in a recent main at Hamilton, in which Detroit fighters figured, and in yesterday morning's main Chatham sports took what little money the local financiers had remaining. Chatham birds won nine battles and Detroit four. The betting was \$25 on a battle and \$200 on the main, and the Canadians cleared about

\$4,000. This includes the bets made at the pitside. The main was held at a Grosse Pointe road house, and about 150 sports were present.—Detroit Free Press.

WALLACEBURG

Feb. 24.—A song service was given in the Methodist church on Sunday evening last, the music corresponding with the short talks which the pastor, Rev. Dr. Cook, gave between the selections. It was very interesting and helpful.

Mr. C. Hanson is visiting at his home at Galt.

Mrs. Fairbanks, of Chatham, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. McClinton.

Miss Edith McRae, of Chatham, spent Sunday at her home here.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hanson, on Feb. 22nd, a daughter.

The young people of this place spent a very enjoyable time last evening at the Opera House, where the young men gave an assembly. The Marine City orchestra furnished the music. It was very successful in every particular, which is very gratifying, as it will no doubt be the last of the season.

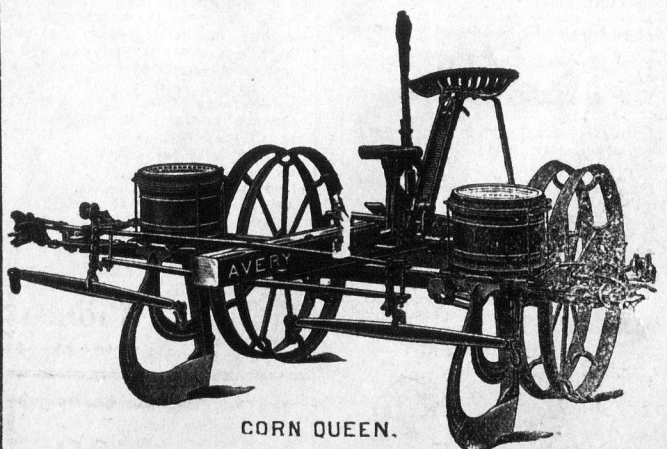
A band concert was given at the rink last evening. A good crowd attended and enjoyed the evening.

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