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Our purchase of Ladies' Coats is pretty well all to hand and we are ready with a collection, which for style, variety and value has never been equalled in this store.

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Ladies' Felt Hats 25c

Feathers and Ospreys 10c.
Bargain Tables 1c., 3c., 5c.

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READ THE CHATHAM PLANET THE PAPER WITH ALL THE NEWS

RICH CLAIM IN THE COBALT

Dave King Returns Home From Prospecting In Silver Country

GOOD STRIKES ARE MADE

Mr. David King, of the firm of Aitken & King, returned from Cobalt yesterday and in an interview speaks highly of our Northwestern Ontario. Aside from its vast mineral wealth, its extreme beauty and scenery, its thousands of lakes, its vast resources, timber, New Ontario bids fair to outshine the rest of Canada. New Ontario is just five times the size of older Ontario.

The richness of the country will be greatly emphasized by the rapidity with which the railroads are crossing with one another to cut and cross out this section of the country. The vast gold field proven by the late discoveries in the Wendigo Lake District will be opened up by a Pullman car accommodation upon entrance of the Grand Trunk Pacific close to this strip of land, and this road will be crossed out by a branch of the C. P. R. following along the border of Ontario and Quebec, branching out from the main line of the C. P. R. at Mattawa, while the Government road itself intends building spurs: Firstly, by Montreal River, opening a vast district; secondly, into the very heart of Cobalt district; thirdly, in the Larder Lake District. These roads will open an agricultural district extending fifty miles north of Lisker, very rich in soil and timber.

"Have there been any rich strikes lately," was asked Mr. King.

"The significance of half a dozen very good strikes made in the last month or so have not been fully realized. The world at large does not yet realize the tips which were passed quietly throughout the financial circles of the States. Strikes in the Nipissing Mines Company showing a dividend of silver, five per cent. on a quarterly dividend of three per cent. and is now paying a dividend of five per cent. quarterly and twenty per cent. per year.

"How are you getting along with your claims," was asked Mr. King. "I might say that our firm and associates are interested in four claims. One twenty acre claim on which there is thirty feet development. Three forty acre claims known as lot 18 at Hatchford in Coleman Township in which Walker and Chatham people are interested. Wendigo Lake claim in which some Chatham and Thamesville people are associated. Sturgeon Lake claims in which Chatham people alone are interested. The values on the latter claim at four feet from the surface are extremely rich. Mr. King returned with a sample of gold and which run an ounce of gold to the ton, namely, \$20 in value, 11.2 ounces of silver at the surface and 18 pounds of cobalt. Silver is now worth 68 cents an ounce and cobalt is worth 35 cents a pound. This makes a value of \$35 to be taken out of practically the surface of the ground. All claims that we hold are very rich in vein matter, and of course, that is one of the first essential parts of a good claim, as silver is only found in vein matter, being of volcanic origin, the heated metal has been forced up through fissures in the rock and coming in contact with the atmosphere, united with other compounds. Cobalt bloom and calcite veins are sureties as leaders to silver. Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Galloway and Mr. Buller, of Thamesville, interested in the Wendigo Lake property, have been in Cobalt for the last month and purpose staying there October and November.

PROBATES GRANTED

Probate of the will of the late Annie Packus has been granted to the executor.

Probate of the will of the late John W. Leeseq has been granted to his executor.

Probate of the will of the late John McKerracher has been granted to his executor.

Probate of the will of the late Albert Herr, Sr., has been granted to his executor.

NEW COUNCILLOR

Blenheim, Sept. 27. — Nominations were received Monday for the office of councillor, left vacant by the death of Mr. T. K. Morris. Two names were put in, those of James Henneker and David Theford. The former withdrew Tuesday and Mr. Theford will sit at the council for the balance of the term. At the elections last January Mr. Theford was left out by just two votes.

HOG QUARANTINE LIFTED FROM COUNTY OF KENT

H. S. Clements' Good Work Is At Last Rewarded and He Succeeds In Landing Another Public Benefit For The Farmers—Word From Department

Ever since H. S. Clements was elected to the Dominion Parliament, he has worked industriously to have the hog quarantine in this county removed. At every opportunity he has impressed upon the Government and their officials that there is no hog cholera in the county, and has strongly urged that there was positively no need for the quarantine. He made it one of the planks of his platform to have this restriction on the farmers of this district removed, and he has at last won. The quarantine has been removed. His last appeal was made to J. G. Rutherford, the head Veterinary Surgeon of the Dominion, and the following word from the Department, addressed to Mr. Clements, is the reward for which he has long labored:

It having been duly reported that the Townships of Camden, Howard, Harwich, Chatham, Dover, Essex and West and Tilbury East in the County of Kent, and Tilbury West, Tilbury North, Rochester and Maidstone in the County of Essex, and the Island known as Walpole Island in the County of Lambton, in the Province of Ontario, in the Dominion are now free from the disease known as Hog Cholera, I hereby give notice that the restrictions imposed by the Departmental Order of May 1st, 1905,

ABERDEEN BRIDGE DEATH TRAP NEARLY CLAIMS A VICTIM

Dr. T. K. Holmes Groping His Way In The Darkness Falls Through Opening In Bridge And Has Narrow Escape From Drowning—The Details

A most lamentable accident, which fortunately did not result seriously, was that which occurred to Dr. T. K. Holmes, the well-known local physician and surgeon, last evening.

It has been a custom with Dr. Holmes for years to pay a visit to his patients in the Public General Hospital every evening about nine o'clock. The doctor had been in the habit of making this trip regularly for the good purpose of encouraging and administering to any professional at ease his patients might stand in need of. It did not matter whether the weather was fair or inclement the doctor always made his accustomed visit, which was invariably welcomed by the sick, and no doubt his kind words and genial greeting have on more than one occasion cheered up those in distress and suffering.

It was while returning from the hospital that Dr. Holmes met with the unfortunate accident last night. The City of Chatham had just passed through Aberdeen bridge and arrived in port when the doctor attempted to cross the bridge. The bridge had apparently been swung down to unknown to him, and as has often occurred on previous occasions, so it is said, the intersections of the bridge had not been closed as tightly as they should have been, a dangerous space being left between.

When the doctor came to the chains he met two ladies, for whom he lifted the chains while they stepped across. He did not notice that there was a space between the two intersections, and, naturally enough, when he attempted to make his next step he fell through the opening and to the river beneath, a distance of somewhere between thirty and forty feet. It is considered a miraculous thing that he escaped without very serious injury.

Apparently, no one saw the mishap, as the doctor was in the water about twenty-five minutes before he was rescued. Luckily he can swim well, but after rising to the surface he must have been indeed difficult for him to discover the piers of the bridge in the darkness. After struggling in the water for some time, he managed to grasp one of the abutments, and he clung to this, and at the same time called as loudly as he could for help. Two ladies, who had got off the boat, and were making their way over to North Chatham, heard his cries, and immediately gave the alarm that someone was in the river. These ladies stated afterwards that the bridge was partly open when they passed over.

Someone went to Dr. Holmes' residence for help, and the curious part of the coincidence was that no one at the time was aware that it was the doctor himself who was struggling in the water.

On being told that someone had fallen in the river, Shirley Holmes and Mr. Kent, who was with him at the time, immediately set out for the bridge in a row boat. The younger Mr. Holmes' surprise may be imagined when he discovered that it was his father who had fallen in. They found him still clinging to the pier, though well-nigh exhausted. He was at once taken to his home, where it was found that he had escaped injury other than a number of painful bruises, and the shock resulting from his fall. It was a most fortunate circumstance that the doctor could be seen well.

There have been a great number of inquiries from the doctor's best of friends today as to his condition, and The Planet is pleased to state that he is doing very favorably, and that it is expected that there will be no bad results.

Many persons remarked this morning that there should be more precautions taken for the safety of the public at the Aberdeen bridge. It seems that the chains were across last night, but there were no lights up to warn persons passing over the bridge of the danger. There should certainly be a red danger light placed at the intersections of the bridge, both when it is swung or partly swung, as the city is not only liable for damages, but the present present state of affairs has been proven, by the incident of last night, to be a standing menace to life and limb.

GOES TO TORONTO

B. H. Carnovsky, who for the past five years has been superintendent of The S. Hadley Lumber Company, left yesterday afternoon for Toronto; where he has accepted a lucrative position. Mr. Carnovsky will be missed in Chatham, where he has always proven an experienced workman and a jolly good fellow. His family will not move to Toronto immediately.

FALL FAIRS

Amherstburg—Oct. 2, 3.
Blenheim—Oct. 3, 4.
Comber—Sept. 28, 29.
Dresden—Oct. 4, 5.
Florence—Oct. 8, 9.
Highgate—Oct. 5, 6.
Marlin—Oct. 1, 2.
Munsey—Oct. 8, 10, 11.
Ridgeway—Oct. 8, 9 and 10.

FOOTBALL

Mitchell's Bay football team defeated to Kent Bridge in the Arnold cup series, the cup being awarded to the K. B.'s.

A scratch team from Chatham played the K. B.'s and were defeated by a score of 5 to 0. C. J. Cummings acted as referee.

The High Flyer football team defeated Taylor's team on Tecumseh Park on Tuesday by a score of 1 to 0.

WANTED A CHOICE.

Of course you have heard of her behavior at the fire?
No!
When the first fireman came up the ladder to carry her down she wouldn't go.
Great nerves, eh?
No; but she saw a second one coming up and he was handsomer.

THE HOUSE WAS CROWDED

"When Women Love" Was One Of The Best Shows Ever Seen Here

TO REPEAT IT TONIGHT

The largest house of the season greeted the production of "When Women Love" at the Brisco Opera House last evening. The seats everywhere were filled and the audience was more than satisfied. The show pleased everyone, and the spirited applause throughout the evening showed that they were not at all backward in expressing their delight with the performance.

"When Women Love" is the best melo-drama seen in Chatham in years. The plot is extremely interesting, the parts are all perfectly taken, and the stage setting and costumes are far above the ordinary. Chathamites were indeed fortunate in having the opportunity of witnessing this show. There is no doubt that there will be a bumper house to-night, and that standing room will be at a premium.

Miss Sadie Hilton is one of the cleverest actresses seen in Chatham for some time. She has a magnificent stage appearance, and interprets her lines with excellent taste and expression. Her gowns are exquisite, and the subject of admiration among the ladies in the audience.

Charles A. Clark, just a detective, was a distinct favorite, and scored a decided hit with the audience in his many difficult roles. The play provides many startling and interesting situations, and in each case the detective arrives just in time to save the day. Mr. Clark makes the most of his part, and provides considerable humor throughout the play.

The play is one which will appeal to everyone. It is a drama of love and labor, and is a beautiful story of absorbing interest, which carries with it lessons of brave character and true love.

One special feature of the production is the excellence of the people in the minor roles. There is not a weak man or woman in the company. Manager Brisco can afford to bring many shows of this season to Chatham, and he may be assured that they will all play to good houses. "When Women Love" should have a very prosperous season, as merits of the production make it deserving of unlimited patronage.

WHITE CAP METHODS

Blenheim, Sept. 27.—Residents in the east end of the town were awakened the other night shortly after midnight by revolver shots. It turned out that a man, whose conduct to his wife and family had not been what it should have been, had been captured by a gang of indignant young men, given an application of paint and let go with revolver bullets coming after him.



THE BEST SCHOOL SHOES

IF YOUR BOY

Is like most others he gives his shoes a hard rub. Our school shoes for this fall's trade have been given special care and made to stand boys' wear.

They are made on manish lasts in the strongest leathers. Solid wearing values. In large variety of styles and prices.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1906.

FOR BETTER TEACHERS.

Public school teachers holding a class-class non-professional certificate will be encouraged to secure higher qualifications, was the interesting information in the Toronto News recently. Hereafter the "Senior Teachers," otherwise the First-Class, examination will be divided into four parts so that working teachers may be able to attain gradually that non-professional standing. The first year the subjects for examination will be English composition and rhetoric, algebra and geometry, Part II. of the examination will include English literature, mediaeval history and trigonometry. The subjects under Part III. are modern and British history, Latin and physics. The regular language or science options will form Part IV. of the examination. Candidates who qualified for Junior Leaving standard (second-class) before 1900 will be permitted to substitute for Latin a special course in English literature. It is certain that the announcement of this special consideration for Public school teachers will be received with satisfaction throughout the Province. In the past working teachers were able sometimes to pass successfully this Senior Leaving examination, but the work was so heavy that only an extraordinarily "quick study" had any hope. Moreover trustees complained occasionally that the hard-working teacher was negligent of the best interests of his pupils. Young men and women who intend to make teaching their life work will appreciate the opportunities provided by the revised Regulations.

The Winnipeg Telegram has issued an extensive 72 page special edition on the growth of Winnipeg. The volume is a credit to the Telegram, and to Canadian newspaper work in general. It is printed in colors, and contains valuable information about Winnipeg and the West. One of the finest editions ever turned out by a Canadian journal.

The post office department has adopted as a definition of what constitutes "a letter in its usual and ordinary form," the following, which has been agreed upon with the United States:

"Any article of correspondence prepaid at letter rate and contained in an envelope, however large, which might presumably be used for enclosing a letter and such documents as are from time to time sent under the same cover as letters." This definition does not cover what are known as "box envelopes," that is, envelopes which, when filled, have the appearance of a box, as such envelopes might be used for transmitting articles that are excluded from the mails.

"FRUIT FACING" SPREADING.

Ottawa Citizen.

The hen fruit men are following the bad example of the other kind of fruit dealers. An Ottawa firm has been heavily fined for "facing" a box of eggs.

ALL IN THE MIND.

Bobaygeon Independent.

It appears that a French doctor has arrived at the conclusion that a man only has to make up his mind to live to be 150 years old and he will do so. There are occasions when the make up of the mind of a jury exercises a rather serious influence on the duration of a person's life.

SHINGLE THE COW.

Hamilton Times.

Investigation shows that some of the milk sold in Toronto is two-thirds water. The proper place for this milkman is the jail. It would be interesting to know if any of our citizens are buying water when they think they are buying milk.

ENOUGH TO MAKE YOU BOIL.

Hamilton Herald.

We have been told to boil the water, also the milk, in order to evade the danger from typhoid. Now a Winnipeg doctor writes to the Telegram of that city stating that typhoid germs are conveyed in the food that we eat often than in water and milk. Boil everything.

THE DIFFERENCE.

The Globe.

The hand-bookmakers have been fined and cautioned, but the stock bookmakers are still in the front seats of the synagogue.

SPORT

BASEBALL MONDAY.

National League.
At Philadelphia..... R.H.E.
Cincinnati..... 3 10 0 2 1 0 0 7 9 4
Philadelphia..... 4 10 4 0 0 0 1 9 10 2
Batteries—Mason, Ewing and Schiel; Lusk and Dean. Umpire—O'Day.
Pittsburgh..... 4 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 4 3
Boston..... 1 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 5 3
Batteries—Leifeld and Phelps; Lindaman and Brown. Umpires—Conway and Supple.
Second game.
Pittsburgh..... 1 2 0 1 0 2 0 6 9 2
Boston..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Batteries—Phillips and Gibson; Young and O'Neill. Umpires—Conway and Supple. Called at the end of the seventh by mutual agreement.

American League.
At St. Louis..... R.H.E.
St. Louis..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Washington..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 2 10 9
Batteries—Reese and Noonan; McIntyre and Hitter. Umpires—Johnstone and Eastle.
Second game.
St. Louis..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 3 2
Washington..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Batteries—McIntyre and Marshall; Seaton and Hergen. Umpires—Eastle and Johnstone. Called on account of darkness.
At New York..... R.H.E.
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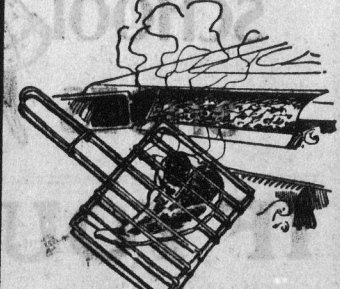
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THE DEAF MADE TO HEAR.

Deafness, because usually due to Catarrh, is quite curable. In a thousand cases this is proved absolutely true. Success invariably attends the use of Catarrhazone, which has cured catarrhal deafness of twenty-five years' standing. Penetrating through the passages of the ear, the soothing vapor of Catarrhazone relieves the inflammation, destroys the seeds of Catarrh and thereby allows nature to re-assist herself. Try Catarrhazone yourself. 25c. and \$1 sizes sold by all dealers.

It is better to be happy than rich, but lots of us are neither.

We are apt to regard our own faults in the light of affliction.



The Pandora Broiler

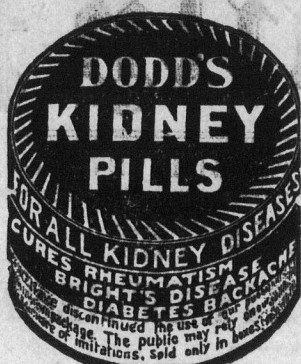
The biggest steak is not too big for the Pandora Broiler door. Successful broiling must be done quickly over a hot fire. You can get the hottest fire you want in five minutes by the drafts of the Pandora range, and without waste of coal.

The best way to cook a good steak is to broil it, and the best way to broil it is on a Pandora range.

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A Matter of Nose.
In spite of the important place given to the nose as an index of character, there is but little to be learned from it in estimating the causes of an innate bond between the mind and the features. Most of the correspondences which have been remarked appear to be of a radical order, but why a Roman nose first became associated with a warlike and domineering disposition or how a long and thin nose became linked with business prudence is more than I can say. If we omit the changes which take place in a nose during the lifetime of its possessor, there is scarcely a nasal peculiarity of value to the physiognomist which at the same time is cosmopolitan. No Tartar or Hottentot, however warlike, could give proof of it in this way. Japan has shown that she possesses plenty of men with military attitudes, but no Wellingtonian nose can be found within her borders. Again, no Chinese nose is long and thin, yet John is not without a certain aptitude at driving bargains.

Zam-Buck Cures Bad Leg

HEALS ULCERS AND ECZEMA, TOO.

For bad legs, ulcers, running wounds and eczema, there is nothing to equal Zam-Buck. These diseases are very prevalent and sufferers will be surprised to find how soon Zam-Buck gives relief, even in chronic cases.

Mr. A. White, of Medicine Hat, Alta., says, "I was in hospital with a bad leg and had an operation, but came out still a sufferer. I then tried Zam-Buck and it healed the wound completely. I wish I had known of it before. It would have saved me many dollars and a great deal of pain."

Mr. J. A. Morden, of Hyde Park Corner, Ont., says, "I tried Zam-Buck for eczema and found it delightfully soothing. My skin soon healed and became smooth from its use."

Scores of similar cases could be quoted. Zam-Buck is made from vegetable essence and extracts and contains no trace of any mineral poison or coloring matter nor any animal fats. It cures cuts, bruises, abscesses, sores, chafed places, sore feet, ringworm, festering sores and all skin eruptions and diseases. From all druggists 50c. a box or from the Zam-Buck Co., Toronto, upon receipt of price. (6 boxes for \$2.50.)

The Simple Bride.
Bride (after the return from the bridal tour)—I see by this medical work that a man requires eight hours' sleep and a woman ten. Bridegroom—Yes, I've read that somewhere myself. Bride—How nice! You can get up every morning and have the fire made and the breakfast ready before it is time for me to get up.—London Tit-Bits.

Why They Preach.
The distinction between a good preacher and a bad preacher has not changed much since Archbishop Whately declared that "a good preacher preached because he had something to say and a bad preacher because he had to say something."

Another Rejection.
Poetess—I got quite last night with the editor who rejects all my verses. Friend—What did you do? Poetess—I rejected his son.—London Tit-Bits.

The swiftest some messenger boys go seems to be fast to sleep.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Life would be sweeter if neighbors could understand that what is convenient for them isn't necessarily so for us.

You are apt to be an evil genius if you can smile sweetly and look pleasant when somebody is getting the inside track of you.

It is easy to take a crack at your neighbor's intellect when it isn't working round in your neighborhood.

A wise son is silenced by his father's much talking.

Some people can't make fools of themselves because nature got the start of them.

It depends upon your pocketbook whether being in love with a rich girl is hard work or not.

No one can say that we have departed from the simple faith of our fathers who will watch us eating canned goods.

There may not be much romance about a Chinaman's head, although thereby hangs a tail.

The Avenger.
Most awful the threat that is held in reserve.

By the little and much abused lad. When he's getting a drubbing he doesn't deserve.

Does he say he'll report to his dad? No; here for his father he has little use; A sterner avenger's in view.

He cries when at last his tormentor's jarred loose, "I'll tell my big brother on you!"

Perhaps he is trespassing on the preserves Of some bigger boy down the street, Who hands him an uppercut and a few curves

Before he can beat a retreat. Does he cry in his wrath, "The police I'll apprise,

And justice shall give you due?" No; this is the threat he emits as he flies; "I'll tell my big brother on you!"

Most terrible agent of ruin and woe, Likewise a hard bitter for fair, The awful big brother who lives but to throw

Oppressors and such in the air. The confidence, too, that the youngsters repose In him is akin to sublime;

No matter how husky, the little one Oh, wouldn't it be for the grownups a snap If they had protection like that.

A lusty defender of right who would And topple their foes to the mat? Who never would falter to enter a fray

And hand the oppressor a few? If when he was worsted a fellow could say, "I'll tell my big brother on you!"

He Would Attach It.
(HE GOT A STING, IT'S CHARMING SILVER.)



"Every cloud has a silvery lining." "Not after a grafter has been under it."

Doubtless.
"What have you to lose in this deal?"

"Nothing." "What have you to gain?"

"Nothing." "Humph! Must be in training to serve on a Municipal league committee."

Flattered Them.
"I don't see why she dotes so on baseball when she doesn't understand a thing about the game."

"Then you don't understand human nature. It makes the men swell up like a balloon with importance when they explain the game to her."

Had Use For Her.
"Could you recommend a hired girl to me?"

"I have one here," said the suave employment agent, "who is a brick."

"Well," said the lady doubtfully, "I might try her on scouring the knives and forks."

Bright Idea.
"What would you do if you were engaged to be married to the rich Miss Oldum?"

"First thing I'd do would be to borrow money of her to hire a substitute."

Free With It.
"Miss Suffrage has a fine mind." "Ever sampled it?"

"What do you mean?" "Wait till she gives you a piece of it and you will know."

Plain To Them.
The little fishes in the brook Are wise to many deep designs.

They never learned to use a book, But they can read between the lines.

Appropriate.
"Do you know the motto of a band of burglars?"

"No. What is it?" "United we loot; divided we scout."

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FOSTER GIVES UP BOOKS

Judge McTavish Rules that Public Interests Demand It

CREATES A SENSATION

Toronto, Sept. 26.—After strenuous objections made by himself and his solicitor, Wallace Nesbitt, K. C., and considerable talking on the part of the Dominion counsel, Hon. Mr. Foster reluctantly handed over the stock book of the Great West Land Co. to Mr. Shepley before the Insurance Commission yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Foster gave the following as the list of stockholders in his company, which Mr. Shepley will present as evidence to the Commission this morning: Hon. Robert Rogers, Winnipeg; Matthew Wilson, K. C., Chatham; Lt.-Col. J. A. McGillivray, Toronto; Hon. Geo. B. E. Foster, Toronto; Sir John Boyd, Toronto; J. Walter Curry, K. C., Toronto; G. W. Fowler, M. P., Sussex, N. B.; Rufus H. Pope, M. P., A. Lefurgy, M. P., Nova Scotia; E. C. Boeckh, J. P. Van Dusen, G. P. Schofield, E. A. Dussseau and Fred Diver, Toronto.

Witnesses in Contempt. When the Commission opened, Mr. Shepley stated to the Commission that George W. Fowler, M. P., and A. A. Lefurgy, M. P., had been subpoenaed, and neither had put in an appearance. "Both of these gentlemen," he said, "are concerned in the enquiry, and both ought to be here. Neither is here, although the time has arrived. A representative of Mr. Lefurgy saw me today, and asked me when he was wanted. Mr. Fowler has gone west, and notified the Commission that he will be back after a while or 'in a short time.' That sort of thing, I desire to state publicly, cannot be permitted at all. When witnesses are subpoenaed, they must be on hand. They must obey the subpoena or be in contempt, and suffer the result."

\$148,086.31 From Union Trust. Mr. Elliott Stevenson took the box and counsel read from a statement submitted to the directors of the Great West on Feb. 23, 1904, showing receipts of the following: July 2, G. B. Schofield, call on stock, \$300; Aug. 23, do., \$600; undated, Union Trust advance, \$148,086.31. The disbursements to the C. P. R. on account of land, to Pope and Fowler, and for some minor expenses, and \$3,844 Union Trust interest, amounted to the same total, \$148,086.31. Mr. Shepley commented that the statement seemed to indicate that whatever money was distributed was the amount received from the Union Trust coffers.

A report submitted at a later meeting recited that the Townships Co., on July 10, 1903, took over 153,937.49 acres of land, to Pope and Fowler, for which \$149,000 was to be paid in stock at par. On July 21 the name was changed to the Great West Land Co. On July 3, Pope and Fowler lands to the extent of 8,540 acres adjoining, at \$5 per acre, making in all 202,577.49 acres the total holding of the company.

Learned Better. Mr. Shepley went further into the affairs of the Great West, saying that the minutes of the Union Trust directors' meeting, the first item was the witness' correspondence with Mr. Wilson. Mr. Shepley read from Mr. Wilson's letter of March 3, 1904, in which Wilson said he could arrange for friends to take over lands without any relation to the Union Trust. Witness thought the suggestion was to take over the Union Trust lands and to leave the three gentlemen of the syndicate in possession of the profits. He answered Wilson that he had no particular objection to his original conception of the proposition. At the later meeting new light came to him and the facts seemed different.

"You heard that the Union Trust Co.'s funds were used for further transactions?"

"Yes."

"This removed the impression that the three gentlemen of the syndicate were financing their own interests?"

"Yes."

"That answer was made at the meeting to your protest?"

"That the matter at the outset had been referred to Boyd and Wilson as lawyers, and that they had approved."

"You might have suggested," said Mr. Shepley, "that it was not fitting for Mr. Wilson to be on the board and at the same time give advice?"

Mr. Stevenson Wondered. "I wondered," asserted Mr. Stevenson, "if the laws of Canada were so at variance with the laws of the United States as to permit such things?"

Mr. Stevenson, continuing, said that a strong objection to involving the Trust Co. in the land deal was that the Trust Co. might suffer in the event of loss.

"At all events," said Mr. Shepley, "they would be able to determine a question in their own interests and for or against the Trust Co."

"If they protected the company, the money would come out of their own pockets. I considered the proposition inconsistent with their connection with the Trust Co. They offered a resolution that the Trust Co. should take stock and not security."

"At that time," suggested Mr. Shepley, "all the money had not been advanced?"

"Only \$149,000 up to that time."

"Up to November, 1905, the total was \$320,000."

The next intimation was that the whole burden was to be placed on the Union Trust Co. Mr. Stevenson had asked that action be deferred until Dr. Oronhyateka should return, or, at any rate, until a later meeting. Mr. Wilson had informed Mr. Stevenson that he, Wilson, had been in error in stating that "the three of us had paid for one-half, but I had arranged to pay Foster's share and mine, and McGillivray was mortgaging his property to raise money. Mr. Wilson had added that he could borrow at 4-1/2 per cent, instead of paying 6 per cent. to the Union Trust Co."

Mr. Foster Defends Himself. At this point Mr. Shepley called Mr. Foster to the stand and asked him if he

still declined to produce the stock book of the Great West. Mr. Foster said that he did, and went on to repeat, in his opinion, that the book was not necessary to show the validity of the security held by the Trust Co. There had been no refusal, he added, of any information he could give, and he was willing to give all such which would throw light upon the security, value of land, etc. "It doesn't seem to me that it is necessary or within the powers of the Commission to go into the stock arrangements of a company not related in any respect at all to the insurance company, and I can't see what is the connection which will illustrate the validity of the security, the quality and nature of the security. In making that statement, I do so with the utmost respect for the Commission."

"I don't want," said Mr. Shepley, "to prolong the discussion, but I want to let you see my view. You are exercising your own private judgment, and relying upon that as to the relevance of the book to the enquiry?"

"Yes."

Union Trust Co. Subject. "Are you aware that the Commission's ruling that the affairs of the Union Trust are subject to enquiry?"

"All the affairs of the Union Trust? I was not aware of that." In so far as any investment of or for the L. O. F. should be followed up, he had thought was the ruling; but not as to the Union Trust's own business.

"I was not."

"If you had been aware of that ruling, dealing with the capital funds so furnished, subject to enquiry, would that have altered the position you have taken?"

"I don't think that it would. I think there is a very distinct difference between trust funds handed over to the Union Trust to invest under contract by the L. O. F. and funds which have become Union Trust funds by myself, or any other subscriber, subscribing for and purchasing capital stock, which then became their investment. A commission's powers are not so strong but they must have a limit, a boundary, beyond which they must not cross. They are formed, and orders are given them. I ought not to be charged with contumacy of their powers, because, in my judgment, they go beyond their powers. I must have a judgment, though humble. As a public man, I think I do understand something as to the result."

A Witness Rights. "I don't know," he continued, "what rights I have."

"The same right as any witness in the box."

"I suppose that is to answer questions?"

"But I give you the right—"

"Then, privilege or right, as illustrating the difficulty of my position, you present a witness (Dr. Oronhyateka) to give his opinion of my conduct as manager. He was reluctant, but did cite, as an instance, where I disobeyed orders. If I have made one, I've made thousands upon thousands of investments. I am put in the headlines this morning. The only way I can be put right is to review the whole situation. I may have made mistakes, no doubt, and I hope many considerations might make me not a bad average manager. If I have that right, to whom can I appeal? What is my tribunal? One of the members (Mr. Langmuir) is manager of a rival institution to the Union Trust, and it is certainly not too much to say that it is unfair and unreasonable treatment that my conduct should be open to investigation of a brother official in a rival company."

"You must see, Mr. Foster, that if every witness' private judgment is followed, the Commission's power and scope must be seriously impaired."

"Each witness must judge for himself," repeated Mr. Foster, "but I am in a rather different position from the other witnesses. I could tell you why."

The court adjourned for lunch.

When the Commission resumed, Wallace Nesbitt addressed the Commission at length and argued that the stock book was not necessary to the transactions of the Foresters' money.

Judge MacTavish Rules. Judge MacTavish said: "We think that it would not be doing our duty not carrying out our instructions if this transaction was not thoroughly enquired into. I think it follows that any book or document that would throw any light or detail upon the subject should be placed at the service of the Commission. Of course, private interests will be respected, but this is a matter of public interest. Mr. Foster is quite proper in the position he takes, thinking it is no part of his duty to volunteer information of this kind."

Mr. Foster took the stand. He had heard the ruling and appreciated the reasons given out by the Commission, but he could not forego his private judgment. It was no use to contest the decision of the Commission at this time. He would produce the stock book, which was at his residence.

Mr. Foster dictated a note and a messenger was despatched for the book.

What the Minutes Show. In the meantime Mr. Stevenson was recalled to the box.

Mr. Shepley took up a minute of a meeting of the directors of the Union Trust Co., held on Sept. 5, dealing with the change of name of the Farm and Town Sites Co. to the Great West Land Co. A minute of the shareholders of the Great West Land Co., Dec. 25, 1905, was given into next, by proxy the Union Trust Co. Then came the members of the directorate at a meeting held last February.

The annual meeting of shareholders was held. Those present were: Messrs. Foster, McGillivray and Wilson. Mr. Wilson acted as chairman and Mr. Foster was secretary. Witness knew nothing about certain changes made in the directorate whereby Mr. Rogers dropped out and Mr. Boeckh was elected in his place. The financial statement was presented to the meeting.

Assets and Liabilities. Assets and liabilities appeared in this statement only. The assets were \$1,140,174, the liabilities were the final liability to Pope and Fowler, to the C. P. R. and the mortgage for \$758,000. To the shareholders the liability was \$162,396.



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Which counsel said would be shown to whom due when the stock book arrived. Mr. Shepley appealed to the witness to have the minutes of the Union Trust Co. produced. There was some hitch at the office. Mr. Stevenson sent a boy for the minutes.

The stock book arrived at this point. Mr. Shepley took up a minute of July last dealing with certain promissory notes given by the purchasers of land from the Great West Land Co. to the Union Trust Co. for endorsement. These were handled to the satisfaction of the Great West Land Co.

The Great West Land Co. owed the Union Trust Co. to date \$337,237. Some of the sales had not been completed. The price of \$7 per acre. The average cost with interest added to January last was \$4.86 per acre, and the net profit on the sale would be \$362,000. There was \$35,840 yet to be sold, which, when sold, would make a net profit for some one on the deal of \$400,000.

Will Invest on Profit. Witness stated here that the Trust Co. would insist on the ratio of profit on the 337-1-2 shares as the total amount of shares outstanding on \$5,840 made on the sale of the land.

The L. O. F. still hold two-fifths of the capital stock of the Union Trust Co.

Mr. Shepley announced that he would make a private examination of the stock book before making it public. Chairman MacTavish assented.

The transaction in connection with the Quebec transaction was a timber proposition, proposed by same parties, McCormick, Irwin and Fowler, in British Columbia, known as the Shields-Ryan property. The option taken was dated October, 1903. This matter was to take place of the Quebec timber transaction. Messrs. McCormick, Irwin and Fowler were to put up 49 per cent, the 50 per cent. to be put up by the Union Trust Co. for the whole. The three gentlemen were to put up their covenant for their shares.

Shields-Ryan Timber Limit. The proposition was to purchase the Shields-Ryan sawmill and timber limit, 100 square miles for \$225,000, at Kamloops, B. C. Mr. Fowler brought the matter to the notice of Mr. Foster, who in turn brought it to the notice of the Union Trust Co. The capital of the new scheme was fixed at \$500,000, and the Union Trust Co. put up \$225,000 in hard cash, which was to be used as working capital. Mr. Foster, acting with and for the Trust Co., was to secure the option, Irwin and McCormick was to examine the land. The Trust Co., having agreed to furnish the money, if the report was satisfactory, Mr. Shepley asked Mr. DuVerne to produce all the books and documents in connection with this deal.

Mr. DuVerne demurred, and Mr. Stevenson said he would get anything that was necessary without further trouble.

Peter Ryan in It Too. Counsel went into the minute of the Union Trust Co. of Dec. 19, 1903, when a proposition was laid before the directorate to purchase certain timber limits in British Columbia from Peter Ryan and George W. Fowler.

On Jan. 26 a bargain was made between Peter Ryan, vendor, and George W. Fowler, M. P. of Sussex, purchaser. This recited the sale for \$225,000 of this parcel of land to Fowler. This was satisfactorily dealt with.

The payment of the \$225,000 was made by a cheque of \$100,000 to Peter Ryan, and several other cheques for the balance made to the Bank of Montreal, two for \$50,000 each, and one of \$25,000, one of which was endorsed by Mr. Ryan. This closed the matter, and the company was organized as the Kamloops Lumber Co. These books of this company are in the custody of the Union Trust Co., and will also be produced.

Did Not Know Levesons. "What part in the matter did Mr. Levesons have?" asked Mr. Shepley. "I did not know him in the matter at all," said Mr. Stevenson.

The necessary expenses of the running operations of the company was for timbered from time to time, and a set of books was kept here.

The Shumach Shingle Mill Co. was acquired by the Kamloops Lumber Co. for \$40,000. Fowler also put through this deal for the Trust Co. The Trust Co. paid. Another property at Enderby, consisting of a single hand saw mill was also acquired at \$175,000. Fowler put this deal through. The purchase money was paid into the Bank of Nova Scotia to the credit of Mr. Fowler. The business was owned by a corporation called the Obanagan Lumber Co., of which Fowler, McCormick and Irwin were stockholders.

Then the Union Trust bought \$42,000 worth of logs.

The Commission adjourned to meet at 10.30 to-day.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS FOR WOMEN

A Column Specially Prepared by The Planet for the Busy Housewives of Chatham and Vicinity.

WHAT TO DO WITH PEACHES AND PLUMS.

Canned Peaches.

Dissolve two cupsful of granulated sugar in a little water as possible, using a porcelain kettle, for the purpose. Drop in peaches that have been pared and halved, and then cook until they can be easily pierced with a broom spout, then put them in your glass cans, jarring them to pack them solidly. Place in a tin, pour hot water around it, and set it in the oven to keep hot until the juice flows freely from the fruit, and the fruit itself has settled. We leave ours in the oven about half an hour, then fill the cans full from the kettle, and seal at once.

Pickled Peaches. Pare the white clingstone peaches with a very sharp knife, leaving them smooth. In a porcelain kettle, put eighteen cupsful of granulated sugar, three cupsful of good cider vinegar, and let come to a boil. Put in as many of the prepared peaches as the vinegar will cover, let them boil until they are clear, then take them out as quickly as possible, with a silver tablespoon, and lay them lightly on a stone jar. Continue until all the peaches have been cooked in the syrup, or until the jar is two-thirds full of the fruit, then boil the syrup a little more and pour it over peaches, placing plate in that jar to keep them under the syrup. When they are cool, cover the jar with paper, tying it securely, and set them away in your cellar. In three weeks they are ready to use. They will keep for two years. Do not remove the pit, as it gives them a fine flavor. Don't use spice of any kind. I believe you will agree with me that they can not be excelled.

Peach Syrup. A nice way to use your clingstone peaches is to slice them down to the core, cook until tender, and strain as for jelly. Add granulated sugar in the proportion of one pound to a quart of the juice, and boil until it appears thick on the spoon, then strain into pint bottles and seal. This is just the thing for delicate desserts in winter. It is also very nice when diluted with water and used as a beverage.

Cheese Balls. Roll Neuchatel cheese in small balls. Grind a half-pound of walnuts. Roll cheese balls in walnut meat. Stick tooth-pick in each and serve.

Waterloo. Grouchy was solely to blame for the downfall of Napoleon.

Napoleon would have won the battle of Waterloo had Grouchy prevented the junction of the Prussians with the English army, because he would not have had to fight two battles at once. Few persons realize that the so-called battle of Waterloo was in reality a double battle, somewhat like Jena and Austerlitz. Napoleon fought one battle at Waterloo against the English. On the arrival of the Prussians he was forced to go in person toward Planchenoire and there fight another battle against the Prussian army, leaving to Ney the conduct of the troops at Waterloo. It is a well known maxim in war that a very great or decisive victory cannot be gained unless one commander makes a serious blunder of which the other takes immediate advantage. It is very evident that the fact of the emperor having to fight two battles at once instead of concentrating his attention on one alone enormously increased the possibility of a mistake. Moreover, Napoleon did not have the able lieutenant of his former campaigns. Desaix, Klobner, Lannes and Bonaparte were dead, Massena and Marmont had taken the oath of allegiance to the Bourbons, and Murat had split with the emperor. Napoleon's personal attention was therefore imperative. To Grouchy alone all blame must be attributed, for had he prevented the union of the Prussians with the English the emperor would have had to fight only one battle at a time and could have given his entire personal attention to that one battle.

In the second place, Napoleon would not have been forced to fight with 71,947 men against two armies numbering about 125,000—nearly two to one against him. He would have had 71,947 good soldiers pitted against a raw, undisciplined army of 67,681 men under the Duke of Wellington, which was not only inferior in mere numbers, but far inferior in morale and experience. The chances would have been greatly in favor of the French. Then, too, the French army was commanded by the acknowledged master of modern warfare, whose brilliant successes at Rivoli, Marengo, Austerlitz, Jena, Friedland, Wagram, the Borodino and Dresden had dazzled the whole world. Until then Napoleon had never been defeated in any great decisive battle except Leipzig, and the French were strong in their confidence of the emperor's success. Two of the best writers on the Waterloo campaign, Shaw-Kennedy and Sibourne, both Englishmen, concur in saying that Grouchy kept the Prussians away the English army would have been badly beaten. This view is also held by the ablest writer of all, Mr. Ropes.

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Plum Marmalade.

Take the plums that are left from the jelly making and put through a sieve or fruit press. Put the pulp on the stove to boil, first measuring it. After boiling half an hour add a quantity of sugar equal to the original amount of pulp, and boil for about fifteen minutes longer, taking care that it does not scorch. This marmalade is very thick and rich. A good marmalade is made by taking half as much sugar as pulp.

Plum Filling For Pies. Use this recipe for plum marmalade, with a little less sugar, and put away in sealed cans. This may be used for pies as pumpkin would be used, adding milk, eggs and sugar.

Pickled Plums. The following is a very simple rule for making pickled plums: To seven pounds of plums, wiped, and with the stems left on, take four pounds of sugar, two ounces of stick cinnamon, two ounces of whole cloves, a little mace and one quart of good cider vinegar. Fill a stone jar with alternate layers of plums and spices and pour the sealed vinegar and sugar over all. Let it stand twenty-four hours, then turn into the preserving jars.

Plum Jelly. Place plums in preserving kettle with just enough water to cover, and boil till soft. Dip out the juice, place the fruit in bags to drain, but do not squeeze, as the whole fruit, after dripping, is used for marmalade.

Put the juice, after measuring it carefully, in a preserving kettle and boil for twenty minutes. Weigh out as many pounds of sugar as there were quarts of juice, or the sugar may be measured, a pint weighing just a pound. Place the sugar in a shallow pan or pans, in the oven. Let it get hot enough so that you can scarcely bear your hand in it, but do not let it melt. When the juice has boiled for twenty minutes, pour into it the hot sugar. The sugar should "hiss" when poured in. Stir well, and when the juice begins to boil again, turn into glasses. By this method of heating

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LOCAL

Chester Glenn is spending the day in Detroit.

McKeough & Trotter are moving the line shaft in their shops.

Cecil Rowe, of Blenheim, is in the city to-day.

M. Campbell, of Fletcher, was a city visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Ed. Grandbois is visiting friends in Windsor.

Watt & Sons are installing steam heating in Hotel Miles.

Will Flemington and Fred. Burton spent yesterday in Detroit.

Harry Truax, of Leamington, was in the city on business yesterday.

Henry Bennett, of the Windsor customs offices, is visiting friends in this city.

Hugh Macaulay, of The Ark, has returned from a business trip to Detroit.

Dr. Reg. Rutherford has returned from Detroit, where he spent the past few days.

James Trotter and Bert Jones left for Burton this morning to repair a gasoline engine.

A. I. McCall and family will move into Mr. McCall's new house on Queen street, Monday. Mr. McCall's new house is opposite Patterson avenue.

Citizens in that vicinity have been complaining about the absence of a light on the corner of Wade and William streets. The light was taken away some time ago, and was not put back.

Dunk McKellar, of Queen street, had the misfortune to scald his right hand badly yesterday. Mr. McKellar was engaged in erasing a pair of trousers and in endeavoring to cool the flat iron which he was using at the time, the water passed over the iron and onto his hand.

Mr. D. R. Farquharson has returned from Durham, where he visited his brother, Rev. Wm. Farquharson. While away Mr. Farquharson met old friends whom he had not seen since they parted in Scotland fifty years ago. He enjoyed his visit very much and says that the country is very beautiful and picturesque, and an ideal place to spend a holiday.

Burrows & Son, the undertakers, have purchased a fine new ambulance. This carriage was shown at the Toronto exhibition, and is one of the finest in any city west of Toronto, and there are few to equal it in the Queen City. This ambulance has been purchased for the special purpose of conveying sick people to the hospitals, and will not be used for undertaking purposes, or for conveying persons suffering from contagious disease.

The pressed brick to be used in the construction of the front wall of the new market hall has arrived, and Mr. McKenzie's workmen are busy rebuilding. The construction of the market building front has been delayed to some extent on account of the non-arrival of the pressed brick, but everything will be clear sailing from now on. The carpenter work is now well advanced. The floors and the partitions in the upper portion of the building are now almost finished.

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 SCANE BLOCK

FIGHT WAS DISGRACEFUL

R. Brackin And R. Victor Carter Cause Excitement On Main Street

A POLICE COURT CASE

A disgraceful and unseemly fight occurred on Sixth street, near the Bank of Commerce corner, this morning, as a result of which an information has been laid in the city Police Court.

The participants were R. Victor Carter, who is at present in the city, and School Trustee and Solicitor Robert Livingston Brackin. One unfortunate feature of the affray was that it happened while children were passing along on their way to school.

Brackin, who has a law office in the city, was on his way to his office with some sort of papers under his arm and carrying a grip. He was attacked by Carter, according to the story, and was sent sprawling on the ground, papers, hat, grip, etc., flying in all directions. Carter had evidently sympathized with some Chathamites owing to the recent prize fight being called off and decided to give a street exhibition. There wasn't much to it as Brackin didn't last long. A couple of stiff punches and he was all in. The two men were separated by some one in the crowd who feared for Brackin's safety. It is said that some unpleasant language was used by both parties.

There are said to be several causes for the affray. It is said that Brackin, acting for Chatham merchants, sued Carter a short time ago, and Carter did not like Brackin's tactics on that occasion. This was the reason said to have been given out to the crowd by Brackin after the affair was over.

The information in the Police Court was laid this morning by Brackin, and the charge against Carter is assault with intent to do bodily harm. Brackin claims he was attacked from behind.

The case will come up on Saturday morning.

HEARST IS VICTOR

Unseen Democratic Candidate For the State of New York.

Convention Hall, Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 27.—William Randolph Hearst has been nominated by the Democratic convention the vote for governor, first ballot: Hearst 309, Sulzer 124, Dix 17; second ballot: Hearst 326, Sulzer 159. Chairman Nixon declared William Randolph Hearst officially the candidate of the Democratic party for governor.

Hughes For Republicans.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 27.—The Republican state convention adjourned nine o'clock at 123 p.m. yesterday, after nominating, for governor, Charles E. Hughes of New York, and a state ticket.

FORESTRY CONVENTION.

Earl Grey Opens Sessions at Vancouver, B. C.—The Banquet.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 27.—Yesterday morning, in the presence of a gathering of gentlemen, many of them distinguished in Canada and the United States, Governor-General Grey opened the meeting of the Canadian Forestry Association, held here in response to invitation of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association. The feature of the day was the eloquent and encouraging speech of Earl Grey.

The forestry convention banquet, held at 9 o'clock last evening, was a great success, and Earl Grey made a happy speech.

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WILL TALK ABOUT PEACE

Cuban Resent Interference On The Part Of Uncle Sam

SAY TAFT BUTTED In

Havana, Sept. 27.—The Moderates have agreed to appoint a committee to negotiate terms of peace with a committee of the rebels and Liberals, leaving all points upon which no agreement is reached to the arbitration of the American commissioners. The Moderates have abandoned the condition that the rebels must first lay down their arms before negotiations can begin.

A meeting of the Moderate National Assembly was held yesterday to decide whether some way could be devised to settle the present difficulty without American intervention. The speakers shouted denunciation of the American Government, and hotly insisted that the Moderate party should appeal to the powers of the world for protection. When the frenzy subsided the meeting settled down to a consideration of reopening of negotiations with the Peace Commissioners.

In the meantime Senator Dolze proposed that both sides appoint committees of six to treat for peace, but with the prior condition that the rebels lay down their arms. Secretary Taft approved of this.

After hearing the views of Secretary Taft, the assistant notified him that he would appoint a committee of six to meet a similar committee from the Liberals, leaving all points of difference to the arbitration of the commissioners. It was agreed that at the session of Congress Friday the resignation of President Palma would be tabled pending negotiations. Whatever the outcome of the negotiations, it is felt here that there will be need for all the American machines within reach, as there is little confidence in the ability of the rebel leaders to control their men. Funston is expected to-morrow.

The Methodist Conference.

Montreal, Sept. 27.—The Methodist general conference yesterday decided in favor of establishing young men's clubs, the department to cover much the same ground as the Anglican St. Andrew's Brotherhood.

Dr. M. J. McPherson, of the scale of minister's salaries in a house of about 70.

The young people's forward movement occupied some time. Dr. F. C. Steppenson was elected secretary and raised in rank to be an officer of conference.

In place of a corresponding secretary and five local superintendents, there will be five superintendents of missions.

The committee on state of church work scored ministers who were engaged in secular work and the report stated such conduct indicated the absence of a clear sense of righteousness.

Stensland Sentenced.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—Ex-Banker Stensland appeared before Judge Kersten in the Criminal Court yesterday afternoon and pleaded guilty to two charges of embezzlement. Judge Kersten sentenced him to an indeterminate period in Joliet Penitentiary. The maximum penalty under the law is fourteen years. Stensland, in charge of a jailer, left for the Joliet Penitentiary shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

John Armstrong Appointed.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—John Armstrong has been appointed to succeed Robert Glocking as head of the bureau of labor. The entire bureau may soon be reorganized. John Armstrong is one of the oldest compositors in Toronto, and is at present on The Mail and Empire, having started with The Mail on the day of its first publication.

Severn Wiped Out by Fire.

Severn, Ont., Sept. 27.—At noon yesterday fire broke out in the Severn Hotel stables, and before it could be gotten under control, had wiped out the business section of the village. Losses are \$22,500; insurance \$14,200. The sufferers are: Severn Hotel, W. H. Miller, J. H. Jackson, A. Keeler, butcher, G. Beatty, and Orange Hall.

Four Found Guilty.

City of Mexico, Sept. 27.—Of 20 defendants charged with swindling the New York Life, Mutual Life and the Equitable Life Insurance Companies, four were convicted. They received sentences ranging from 11 months to four years' imprisonment. The frauds involved approximately \$300,000.

Escaped in Night Clothes.

Omenece, Sept. 27.—The Presbyterian manse was badly damaged here by fire yesterday morning. Shortly after 12 o'clock Rev. Mr. Whitelaw and family were awakened by the smoke and had a narrow escape, being forced to flee in their night robes. Loss about \$1,500.

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TO-NIGHT

C. O. F. No. 241, meets in their rooms at 8.
"When Women Love," Briscoe Opera House, at 8.15.
Sacred Concert in Holy Trinity Church, at 8.
Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., in their rooms at 8.
Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., meet at 8 for rehearsal.
Local Branch No. 21, Association of Steam Engineers, Eberts' Block, at 8 o'clock.

LOCAL

Smoke Quail on Toast Cigar—5c.
Bert Liddy is confined to his home through illness.
Miss Gertrude Fox, of Raleigh, was in the city yesterday.
Dave King, of the firm of Aiken & King, arrived home yesterday.
Miss Burns has resumed her classes in china painting, at her studio on Thames St.
Miss V. Graves, of Thamesville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. J. Cummings, West street.
Mrs. H. Knott and daughter Rena are spending a few days with friends in Windsor and Detroit.
Wanted, a nice girl to assist in the housework. Apply to Mrs. Bartlett, Dufferin avenue, two doors south of Methodist church.
Geo. Lampford has a curiosity on his farm up the river in the shape of a pig with four ears.
Come and have your tea at the St. Andrew's Anniversary Tea Meeting on Monday evening, Oct. 1st. Admission 25 cents.
Dr. W. R. Hall has removed from his former residence on Third street to Hotel Santa. His telephone number will still be 173, where he can be found for night calls.
Mrs. Thomas Stegmann returned yesterday from Toronto, where she spent the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Pappas.
The Rev. Dr. Ross, of London, will conduct the anniversary services in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday next. Special music will be rendered by the choir.

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Smoke Lord Lake Cig r-10s.
Miss Claude Tracy, of Dover, was a city visitor yesterday.
Richard Wing, Centre street, is recovering from his recent illness.
Orval Harvey, Park avenue, is recovering from his recent illness.
J. W. White, who has been in Toronto on business, has returned home.
Mr. Wm. Heddell, Prince street, has returned from a trip to the North-west.
Harvey's home services will be held at Holy Trinity church on Sunday next.
Mrs. Wm. Rennie is leaving for a visit in Toronto and other places in the East.
Mrs. Wm. Oldham and Mrs. T. Knapp, of Simla, spent yesterday with Mrs. F. H. Judson, Park St.
All design work gotten up in the most artistic manner at one-third off usual prices, at Victoria Avenue Green Houses. Phone 147.
Wm. McCaw left yesterday morning for Toledo, after spending a pleasant visit at his former home here.
Mrs. R. Laing, who has been visiting Mrs. R. T. Smith, Raleigh street, has returned to her home in Pontiac, Mich.
The Model School students commenced observations on Tuesday. Fifty are at the Central and twenty-five at the McKeough. The class is perhaps the largest in Ontario, Port Hope following with sixty-nine students.

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The C. O. F. No. 241, meet to-night.
Mr. Wilson, of Raleigh, was in the city yesterday.
J. B. Coates was here from Dutton yesterday.
E. Wallace, of the G. T. R., is visiting friends in Sarnia.
Hector McLeod, of Blenheim, was a city visitor yesterday.
W. E. Hall, of Blenheim, was a guest in the city yesterday.
T. L. Pardo and son Hilton, of Oudry, were in the city yesterday.
Mr. Perry, G. T. R. car service man, is in the city to-day on business.
George White is attending the A. M. E. convention in Pontiac to-day.
Crown Attorney H. D. Smith was in Ridgeway yesterday on business.
Mrs. J. J. Bechard, of Coboes, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. Henry Bechard, Pain Court.
Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, of Bethel, were attending the Fair in this city.
Choice canned coal and listings for your fire grate. Fleming, Tillson & Co.
Mrs. B. E. McGann and daughter, of Detroit, are visiting Mrs. J. A. Courtney, Dover street.
For rent—A flat containing five rooms, bath room, etc., steam heated and centrally located. Apply at The Piano Office.
The twenty-fifth annual meeting of the Ladies of the Home of the Friendless will be held in the Council Chambers on Monday afternoon at three o'clock. The public are cordially invited. Effie Johnson, Sec.
Attention is called to the advertisement in this paper of Rothwell & Co's offer to give away \$250 in connection with the sale of 25 lots in the Elms sub-division, King street west.
Lost, Wednesday, Sept. 26th, between King, William and Park streets, a small purse containing a sum of money and a number of papers with owner's name on same. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving at this office.
Lost You Forget—the Misses Tipping have now opened up their establishment on Queen St., opposite the Catholic Church, for the making of dress skirts and underclothing. Shirts made from 49c. upwards. Ladies' own materials made up. Moderate charges.
Will, the infant child of Charles Bellamy, of the 6th concession, Chatham Township, passed away yesterday, aged one year and eight months. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock from the residence of the bereaved parents to Maple Leaf Cemetery.
Hurrah! for New Ontario. A good chance for prospectors. W. E. Rispin will sell excursion tickets on Tuesday, Sept. 25th, good to return Oct. 5th, at \$11.40, to the following points—Haleyburg, New Liskeard, Uno Park, Thornhill, Earlton, Henslip, Englehart.
E. B. Arnold, for the past four years architectural engineer with the Bloude Lumber & Mfg. Co., Limited, has severed his connection with them, and is now in a position to furnish plans, details, and specific estimates on all classes of work, including structural steel, reinforced concrete, and interior decoration. Phone 535. Further notice later.
A very interesting game of football was played off on Levesque Park last evening between the Jeannette's Creek and the Lacroix street boys. Neither side scored, but the game was played well. The Jeannette's Creek team were much heavier than the Lacroix. The line-up for the Lacroix street team was as follows: Goal, Dyer; backs, Johns and Jordan; half backs, Collins, Jenks and Brown; forwards, Parrott, Morrell, Shaw, McKee and McComb.

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October Standard Fashion Sheets

William Gordon

Get October Designers and Catalogues.

Mr. G. Purser, of Bethel, is in the city to-day.
Will Delahanty, of Erieau, was in the city to-day.
Miss Edith Dison is spending the day in Detroit.
Miss Addie West is spending the day in Detroit.
Miss Aggie Ripley is spending the day in Detroit.
A. J. Davies, of Dresden, spent yesterday in the city.
Ross Huff, of Kent Bridge, was a city visitor yesterday.
Mr. Langford, of Kent Bridge, was in the city yesterday.
P. T. Barry, of Wallaceburg, was a city visitor yesterday.
Reg. Guernsey, of Merlin, was in the city to-day on business.
J. H. Wainwright, of London, is in the city to-day on business.
Henry Carter, of Thamesville, was in the city attending the Fair.
Alex. Jacques, of Strathroy, is calling on his many Chatham friends to-day.
Banker Thomas Clarke, of Bothwell, was in the city on business yesterday.
Miss Florence Blackburn, of Chatham Township, was in the city yesterday.
P. Moss leaves for Sarnia to-day, where he has accepted a position as operator with the P. M. R.
The Chatham football team play a game with the College team on Teg-cumsh Park to-night at six o'clock.
Wilson & Son, local architects, are preparing plans for a fine brick residence to be built on Inches avenue for Dr. Fisher.

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DISTRICT

NORTH ORFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Wardell spent Saturday at Chatham.

Mrs. J. McBride, of Chatham, was the guest of her mother last week.

The Misses Stevens, of Kansas, spent a few days at Mr. and Mrs. Schindler's last week.

Apple packers are in the vicinity this week.

Edna MacPherson was a Chatham visitor on Saturday.

GUILDS.

Mr. Wilbert Wiley is recovering nicely from his accident.

Mrs. Mary Mallory had the misfortune to hurt her ankle again one day last week.

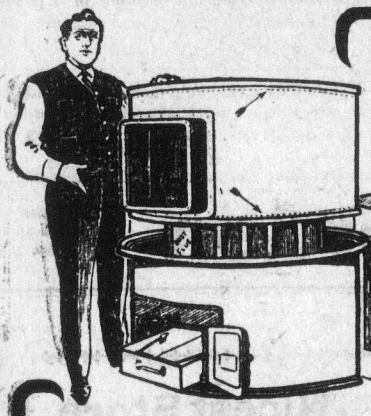
Frank Cumming is suffering from an attack of pleurisy.

Mr. John Arnold has gone on a trip to Rainy River District.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Ridgeway, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guilds on Sunday.

G. W. Mallory has returned home, after spending a few days in Detroit on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allison, of the Fourth Line, were the guests of Mr. Thomas Jenner on Sunday.



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NORTHWOOD.

The Ladies' Aid will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening.

There was not a very large acreage of fall wheat put in here yet on account of the continued dry weather.

Joseph Savage raised a new barn last Thursday. Wm. Best is the farmer.

Mrs. H. Best returned home Sunday from a week's visit at Huffman's Corners.

Mrs. Mrs. I. Tompkins, of Huffman's Corners, spent last Sunday and Monday with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Osterhout.

OUNGAH.

Threshing is just about completed in this vicinity.

Owing to the continued dry weather the farmers are unable to get in their wheat.

Miss Maggie Brown spent the week end at Sombra.

We were sorry to hear that the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Strain was badly burned on Saturday, her clothes having caught fire.

A number of the young men from here spent Saturday afternoon in Wallaceburg.

A large number were out at church Sunday evening.

HER FIRST PHOTOGRAPH.

Miss Marie Corelli, the Novelist, Explains Her Views and How It All Came About.

The long drawn out fight which Miss Marie Corelli has been making to protect her personal modesty and at the same time not interfere with the publicity of her fiction has taken a new turn with the publication of her latest book, "The Treasures of Heaven," which has just been given to the book-sellers.

At last she has condescended, at the special request of the publishers to allow a real photograph of herself to go before the public. It appears as the frontispiece of the new book, which is her sixteenth.

Even more surprising, as a bit of vanity, is the "authentic" which goes with the frontispiece in the English edition of "The Treasures of Heaven." She declares that a portrait of herself was taken in the spring of this year, and she explains her feelings about it.

"I am somewhat reluctant," she writes, "to see it so placed, because it has nothing whatever to do with the story, which is told in the following pages, beyond being a faithful likeness."



MARIE CORELLI'S FIRST PHOTOGRAPH.

of the author who is responsible for this and many other previous books which have had the good fortune to meet with a friendly reception from the reading public. Moreover, I am not quite able to convince myself that my pictured personality can have any interest for my readers, as it has always seemed to me that an author's real being is more disclosed in his or her work than in any portrayed presentation of mere physical form.

"But, owing to the fact that various gross, and I think I may say libelous, fictitious misrepresentations of me have been freely and unwarrantedly circulated throughout Great Britain, the colonies and America by certain 'lower' sections of the pictorial press, which, with a zeal worthy of a better and kinder cause, have striven by this means to alienate my readers from me, it appears to my publishers advisable that an authentic likeness of myself, as I truly am to-day, should now be issued in order to prevent any further misleading of the public by fraudulent inventions."

Then Miss Corelli tells how she concealed her identity from the London photographers for whom she posed, by using the name of a "lady friend," and having the various proofs sent to her address.

"That I thus elected to be photographed as an unknown rather than a known person," Miss Corelli explains further, "was in order that no extra pains should be taken in my behalf, but that I should be treated just as an ordinary stranger would be treated, with no less, but at the same time certainly no more care."

"For the benefit of those who may feel any further curiosity on the subject," Miss Corelli writes that no portraits in any way resembling her have been published anywhere, with the exception of a picture taken in her own house by an amateur photographer.

This remarkable "note" ends thus: "My objection to this sort of 'picture popularity' has already been publicly stated, and I here repeat and emphasize it. And I venture to ask my readers who have so generously encouraged me by their warm and constant appreciation of my literary efforts to try and understand the spirit in which the objection is made. It is simply that to myself the personal 'Self' of me is nothing, and should be, rightly speaking, nothing to any one outside the circle of my home and my intimate friends; while my work and the keen desire to improve in that work, so that by my work alone I may become united in sympathy and love to my readers, whoever and whatever they may be, constitutes for me the Everything of Life."

New Earth Theory.

Is the earth made up of three concentric spheres? A physicist says that such is the case. The solid nucleus he supposes to be between 3,000 and 7,000 miles in diameter and this is surrounded by a liquid substratum, outside of which is the crust, variously estimated at seventy to 100 miles in thickness. More than two centuries ago a similar theory, including the slow rotation of the inner solid sphere on a different axis from that of the entire globe, was held by Dr. Edmund Halley to account for the changes in the earth's magnetism. The axis of the nucleus was thought to have been originally that of the entire globe and to the change of its course was attributed the deluge. The earth's internal heat, it is now pointed out, may be accounted for by the friction of the differently rotating bodies.

Peculiar Austrian Law.

A few days ago the murderer of an Englishman who was killed in Austria in July of last year was tried, convicted and sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment. He owes his life to a peculiarity of the Austrian law. Premeditated murder is commonly a capital crime there, but when the murderer has between the commission of his crime and his trial been punished for some other misdeed the death sentence cannot be passed upon him. In this case the murderer had served a week's sentence for some petty offence after the killing, but before his arrest for it.

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STATE LAWS.

"If you should have your choice whether to die in the Empire State or in good old New Jersey, don't fail to select Jersey," remarked a Hoboken lawyer the other day. "Over there," said he, "we still do business on lines laid out by the common law. For example, under the laws of New Jersey a husband is entitled to all the personal property left by his deceased wife. Across the river the case is quite different, because under the laws of the state of New York half of a deceased wife's personal estate goes to her children and the residue reverts to her husband. Only where there are no children is the hubby the whole thing."

He Was Drugged.

An ambulance surgeon had a curious experience the other night. He was summoned to a police station to examine an unconscious prisoner. The prisoner, very muddy and disheveled, lay on the floor of the cell room. The physician bent over and examined him and then, rising, said in a loud stern voice:

"This man's condition is not due to drink. He has been drugged." A policeman turned pale and said in a timid, hesitating voice: "I'm afraid yer right, sir. I drugged him all the way from Carney's saloon, a matter of a hundred yards or more."—Argonaut.

When to Eat Cotton.

When one by accident swallows an object not intended for eating it is a wise precaution to send after it a quantity of absorbent cotton which has been picked into due threads and mixed in bread and milk. The button, safety pin or whatever it may be gathers the cotton about it, thus covering up any rough edge or sharp point and allowing it to pass through the stomach and intestines without causing injury.

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She is her son's best girl, her daughter's chum, a hostess sans reproche. She rules her home with thrift and skill. Her husband safely trusts in her, and her price is above her birth stone.

Pretense never finds a foothold in a lady's menage. Display seems to her well poised mind not only belittling, but savage. She never confounds litter with furnishing or junk with art. Her house is beautiful, its atmosphere fine and clear. She is never too busy to listen to her "boy" or advise her "girl" or read to their father. Young people en masse delight in her. She is their ideal mother and friend. Laughter is never hushed in her home. Music is welcomed, and budding merit of whatever sort finds in her an earnest and sympathetic ear.—Minna Thomas Antrim in Lippincott's.

A GIRL'S GIRL.

When You Meet One Make Her Your Companion and Friend.

Whenever you hear a girl called a "girl's girl" try to know her. If you do not do so already, she is sure to be nice in the best sense of the word. In nine cases out of ten you will find her true and sympathetic, always ready to listen to confidences and, above all, ready to keep them as such. She is always doing a kind act for some one, and thought for herself comes nowhere in her calculations. Such a girl is always popular with her friends and you will hear golden opinions of her on all sides. There may be nothing specially about her to attract notice; it seems to be just an individual charm in her nature that stamps her with this engaging characteristic. She is generally frank and honest in expressing an opinion and her friends may be sure it is a genuine one. She is at once unaffected and simple and ready to show an interest in all her friends' undertakings. If you cannot count among your friends a girl who earns this title try to find one, and when you find her congratulate yourself upon your success.

DRESS HINTS.

The rule for frilling is one and a quarter the length of the edge to be trimmed.

Gathers should always be set on the right side, but never with a needle; use a large pin.

If the material just under the neck-band at the back has become worn insert a tiny yoke or chemise made of all over lace.

In sewing a seam put the stitches closely together, but lightly, into the cloth, being careful not to pull the thread tight, as this causes the seam to draw.

When cutting out sleeves to avoid the disaster of cutting both for the same arm fold the material either face to face or back to back. Place the pattern on it and cut both together.

To put on the tape that holds the blouse in position around the waist sew up the shoulder and underarm seams, slip it on and tie the tape around the waist, pinning it at the right place in the center of the back.

Saving.

Do your saving at the beginning of the week, you who live upon allowances, or, what is the same, so far as this counts, upon a salary. The extra expenses which often come upon you unexpectedly in the latter part of the week may be easily met if you've been husbanding your resources a little, instead of spending up to the last cent. A good plan is to allow yourself so much for little expenses for a given length of time, and then to keep within daily bounds, saving even a bit from that, if possible. Then, if it is not called upon by some little emergency, either put it away or use it toward some definite purpose, such as subscribing to a good magazine, getting a good book or seeing a good play, all of which should be considered as mental investments.

Regular Eating.

Many a housekeeper does not eat at noon unless she has company. Too much cannot be said in favor of regular hours for meals. A luncheon served for only one or two should be just as dainty as the most formal dinner. A napkin or dolly spread on the bare table is sufficient if one is in a hurry. If left overs are to be the lunch they should be served in an appetizing and savory manner. A glass of milk and a piece of cake, taken standing in the kitchen, is a foolish luncheon. When one has eaten a hearty breakfast a light luncheon is all that is necessary, but if a very little breakfast has been partaken of a good, substantial meal at noon should be eaten.

Greasy Kitchen Floors.

Grease stains on a kitchen floor are difficult to remove by ordinary means, but they will generally come out with a hot solution of potash. If one application is not enough, use a second or even a third. Sometimes the solution, if the wood is very white, will leave a yellowish stain. To avoid this, mix some lime with the solution, until a thick paste is formed. Let the paste remain on the floor at least twelve hours. It is better to use a weak solution of sal soda and fuller's earth on very nice floors.



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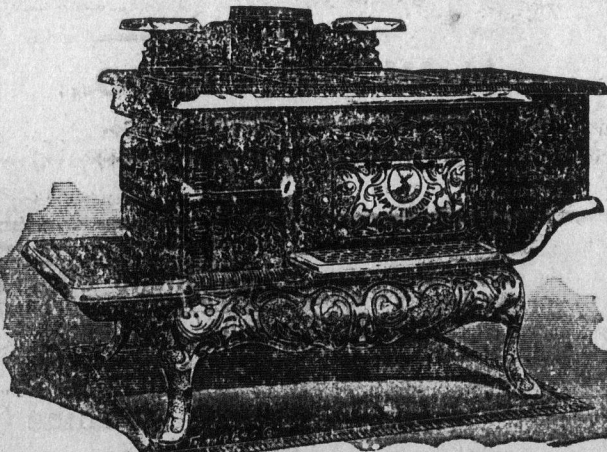
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The Atlanta Race Riots.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 26.—Yesterday morning two negroes who were creating trouble were killed by officers after a desperate fight. The police captured ten of the attacking party which killed Policemen Heard in South Atlanta. In the Brownsville suburb one negro was killed and 250 negroes placed under arrest.

There's a story of a farmer and his son driving a load to market. Of the team they were driving one was a steady, reliable old gray mare, and the other, fractious, balky black horse. On the way the wagon was stalled and the black horse balked and refused to pull. "What'll we do, father?" said the younger man. "Well," said the father, "I guess we'll have to lay the load on the old gray." The boy homely compliment to women. "The gray mare's the better horse," suggests how often when there's an extra strain to be borne it is laid on the woman's back. How often she breaks down at last under the added weight of some "last straw." Women who are dragging along wearily through life can gain real strength by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, puts back in concentrated form the strength making material which working women use up more rapidly than it can be restored by Nature in the ordinary processes of nourishment and rest. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are universal favorites with women because they are easy to take and thoroughly effective in curing the consequences of constipation.

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In the fall black silk dresses promise to be very much worn. Indeed, judging from the autumn color silk cards issued by leading Paris firms, dark tones will predominate, with black as a special feature.

There is a new shade of old rose that is very attractive, known as "acajou." It resembles mahogany, but is really a dull old rose.

Gray will be a popular shade in the autumn in dark gun metal tones. And some of the striped silks soon to appear on shop counters show overblends in contrasting colors, such as blue, red, olive and myrtle green.

Tan, beige and gray gloves are more in favor than white, and it is a great



BLACK CRIN HAT.

relief to the economical woman to know that she may appear in these colors without being considered out of the mode.

The crown of hats seems to be growing higher and higher. In direct contrast to these are the large, wide, coarse straw sailor hats for country wear trimmed with a band of gold or silver tissue round the crown. A cachepain gives the required tilt. The hat illustrated is in black crin, with a white border. The crown is adorned with a ruche of black malines and La France roses.

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Notwithstanding the vogue of linen and canvas cloth for shirt waist suits, some very fashionable women, Mrs. Roosevelt among the number, cling to the old favorite silk suit in a becoming shade. The president's wife wears a dainty mauve shirt waist costume of checked violet and white silk made with a deep flounce of hand embroidered swiss muslin and a yoke of the same sheer material. The sleeves are bell shaped at the elbow, with the edging frilled in and falling almost to the wrist. A wide girle of a darker shade of velvet adds to the effect. Useful, comfortable taffeta pailots are always worn. Every woman numbers one or more of them in her wardrobe. A colored wrap of this kind as well as a black model is the best selection.

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Close observation on the part of a newspaper man in Boston several years ago revealed a striking device employed by the firm of McKim, Mead & White, the noted New York architects, of which Stanford White, who was murdered by Harry K. Thaw in New York recently, was a member. The device, says the Pittsburgh Gazette-Times, was an acrostic of names famous in history, literature and art by which the firm's name was to be engraved on the Boston Public Library. As may be observed, the arrangement of letters, history and philosophy in arrangement, and this was the thing that attracted the newspaper man's attention. The names were conglomerated from all nations and ages into a seemingly neat ornamentation for the fine building. Beginning at the top of a space to be devoted to names famous in the world in various lines were the following:

Moses,
Cleopatra,
Caligula,
Isocrates,
Milton.

These names, through their initials, formed the first part of the acrostic, spelling plainly "McKim." A slight space appeared before the next list of names, which was:

Mozart,
Euclid,
Archimedes,
Dante.

The initials of these names brought out the second name of the firm, "Mead." Another slight space, and the following names appeared:

Wren,
Herrick,
Irving,
Triton,
Erasmus.

Here was the name "White" also engraved, the whole device bringing out the firm name of "McKim, Mead & White" in connection with the world's famous men. It was in 1890, just before the building was completed, that the discovery was made and published. The list of names was changed.

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KOSSUTH IN LONDON.

His Receptions Were Conducted With Princely Formality.

When he arrived in London the enthusiasm of the English people seemed to know no bounds. His entry was like that of a national hero returning from a victorious campaign—the multitudes crowding the streets were immense. He appeared in his picturesque Hungarian garb, standing upright in his carriage, with his saber at his side and surrounded by an equally picturesque retinue. But when he began to speak, and his voice with its resonant and at the same time mellow sound poured forth its harmony over the heads of the throngs in classic English, deriving a peculiar charm from the soft tinge of foreign accent, the enthusiasm of the listeners melted into admiration.

Kossuth had been offered the hospitality of the house of a private citizen of London who took an especial interest in the Hungarian cause, and there during his sojourn in the British capital he received his admirers and friends. A kind of court surrounded him; his companions, always in their Hungarian national dress, maintained in a ceremonious way his pretension of his still being the rightful governor of Hungary. He granted audiences like prince, and when he entered the room he was announced by an aide-de-camp as the "governor." All persons rose and Kossuth saluted them with grave solemnity.

Among the exiles of other nations these undemocratic formalities created no little displeasure. But it was Kossuth's intention to produce certain effects upon public opinion, not in his own, but in his people's behalf, and as to that end it may have seemed to him necessary to impress upon the imagination of the Englishmen the picture of Hungary under her own governor, and also to illustrate to them the firm faith of the Hungarians themselves in the justice of their cause, it was not improper that he should have used such picturesque displays as means for the accomplishment of his purpose.—Carl Schurz in McClure's.

"STIFF EXAMINATIONS."

English School Children Get Some Extraordinary "Posers."

The cry raised lately about the complex character of some of the questions set at the College of Preceptors' Midsummer examinations cannot be said to be altogether unjustifiable, says the London Daily News. Here are, for instance, three of seven questions in geography asked to children thirteen or fourteen years of age.

"Name two areas of Continental Europe in which you would expect to find each of the following peculiarities: Heavy snow, hard frosts, droughty summers, forest-clad mountains, and river floods."

"Name two places in the United Kingdom where each of the following industries is carried on, and in each case say why the particular industry is carried on in the particular places: Biscuit-making, granite-quarrying, herring curing, lace-making, lead-mining, and How is this that:

(a) "There are so many old cathedrals in the eastern half of England?"

(b) "The heaths round London (such as Blackheath) are now so famous for schoolboys, and were once notorious for highwaymen?"

(c) "The sites of most old Roman camps are now occupied by railway junctions?"

(d) "So many small articles (such as pins, pens, screws, watch springs, etc.) are made in the Birmingham district?"

(e) "The Broads teem with wild fowl?"

It is evident that unless a child be gifted with more than ordinary alertness of intellect and power of reasoning—for no special text book is prescribed by the College of Preceptors for the guidance of the candidates—the foregoing questions cannot but leave him in dire perplexity.

The Largest Leaf in the World.

The plant which has this most remarkable leaf is named after Queen Victoria. It was the tribute of a British traveler in a far-away land when he discovered the unusual growth. The leaf was more than five feet in diameter, and around it extended a rim about three to five inches high, on the inside light green, like the surface of the leaf, on the outside like the leaf's lower part, of a bright crimson. The stem of the flower was an inch thick near the calyx and studded with sharp, elastic prickles about three-quarters of an inch in length. The calyx was four-lobed, each upward of seven inches in length and three in breadth at the base; they were thick, white inside, reddish brown and sticky outside. The diameter of the calyx is twelve to thirteen inches; on it rested the magnificent flower, which, when fully developed, covered completely the calyx with its hundred petals.

When it first opens the flower is white with pink in the middle, which spreads over the whole flower the more it advances in age, and it is generally found the next day of a pink color. As if to enhance its beauty it is sweet scented; the odors of its tribe, it possesses a fleshy stalk, and petals and stamens pass gradually into each other, and many petaloid leaves may be observed.

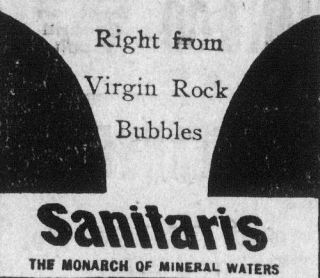
"We met them afterward frequently," says an explorer, "and he higher we advanced the more giraffes they became; we measured a lot of which was six feet five inches in diameter, its rim five and a half inches high, and the flower fifteen inches across."

A Corporation as Shopkeeper.

Yarmouth Corporation, in carrying out its policy of municipal trading, has opened a shop in King street, to push the sale of electric lamps and fittings, fans, motors, etc., in connection with its electricity department. This department is making a handsome profit each year, to the great advantage of the ratepayers.

Tram Profits Pay for Concerts.

After devoting £2,000 to the relief of the rates the Sheffield Corporation has voted of its tramway profits: For provision of music in parks, £200; net cost of providing municipal winter concerts, £160; contribution to Sheffield University, £1,000.



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The Real Trouble.

The other afternoon a man rushed in to the Reading terminal, galloped up the stairs and dashed for the train shed just as the gates were closed against him.

He looked as if he wanted to swear most vociferously, but he was out of wind, and all that he could do was to lean against the fence and soulfully sigh. It was then that the grateful idiot, who is always on hand, paced over and butted in.

"Did you miss your train, old boy?" he queried, with a smiling glance at the panting one.

"No," was the grouchy rejoinder. "I chase myself up here that way every five minutes to see them shut the gates."

"What made you so late?" queried the other, not at all abashed. "Is your watch out of order?"

"No, my watch is all to the good," replied the man who missed the train, "but I think that my feet are about two minutes slow."

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His Lesson.

A woman who had divorced her husband met him after many years.

"Have you married again?" she asked.

The man shook his head.

"Ah!" sighed the woman. "You still love me."

"No," said the man, "I love myself."

He was asked to explain.

"Bondage taught me the value of freedom," he replied. "I am answerable now only to myself. I come when I please, go when I please, do what I please and need not make explanation. I no longer divide my pleasures by two or multiply my worries by the same number. What I earn is mine and, when I contemplate its possible reduction, I need fear for myself alone. I have no great joys, but then I have no great sorrows."

"And love?" inquired the woman.

"I have been married," answered the man.—Channing Pollock in Show.

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THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

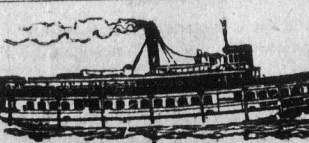
At the Brisco Opera House—
When Women Love—Fair nights, Sept. 26th and 27th.
Florence Gale in "Love's Victory"—Oct. 1.
Head Widow Brown—Oct. 6.
John Griffith—Oct. 11.

"WHEN WOMEN LOVE."

One of the greatest of heart-interest plays is "When Women Love," which is to be seen at the Brisco Theatre to-night. The play was given last season for the first time, and made a startling success. It tells of the wrongs of a working girl, and how she is aided in her fight against injustice by the union of which she is a member. One of the big scenes of the play shows the interior of a factory where the girl is employed, with the machinery in full operation.

NOTABLE STAGE BEAUTIES.

Mrs. Scott Siddons was a famous stage beauty in her day, so was Mary Anderson and Margaret Mather. More recently Mrs. Langtry and Lillian Russell shared the honors and have had their innings as famous actresses whom the god of beauty smiled upon, and whose comparisons were found wanting. Up to and including the present time Maxine Elliott has been extolled and dreamed about on account of her rare physical attractiveness, but now she has another fair sister who is fast becoming famous for her rare type. Old time beauty judges say that Florence Gale closely resembles Mary Anderson, when the fair Mary was young, with similar clear-cut features set in a mass of blond tresses. Not only has nature endowed Mrs. Gale with her rare beauty, but she also has given her talent to act, and in her new play, "Love's Victory," which will be presented before a highly cultured and refined audience at the Brisco Theatre on Monday, Oct. 1st, she will be seen and admired.



TIME TABLE

THE STEAMER CITY OF CHATHAM

Will make her regular round trip from Chatham to Detroit every MONDAY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, leaving Rankin Dock, South Chatham, at 7.30 a.m., and returning leaves Detroit, foot of Randolph St., at 3.00 p.m. Detroit time, or 4 p.m. Chatham time.

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A LONG ILLNESS

John Black Passes Away In Blenheim—Banquet To Popular Townsmen

From Our Own Correspondent.

Blenheim, Sept. 27.—The death of Mr. John Black, Sr., took place yesterday morning. The deceased has been in poor health for some time. He leaves a widow, three sons, William, John and James, and two daughters, Mrs. J. Hodges and Mrs. Carres, both of Detroit, to mourn his loss. Announcement of funeral later.

Last evening a banquet was tendered to Messrs. H. L. Merritt and E. L. Williams by the business men of the town and the Kent Lodge A. F. & A. M. The former gentleman has moved his lumber mill and located at Stratford; the latter, who has been manager of the Standard Bank since the branch was opened here two years ago, leaves on Friday to the management of a Toronto branch of the Standard Bank. Residents of the town and vicinity wish both of the gentlemen success in their different spheres.

Mrs. T. S. Bell, of Toronto, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Charles Perrie and children, of Midland, who have been on an extended visit to Mrs. Perrie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Labadie, returned home on Tuesday. They were accompanied as far as Stratford by Mr. Labadie, who has taken a situation in H. L. Merritt's lumber mill there.

At the Opera House on fair night the principal attraction will be Comedian W. McLeod, of Seneca, assisted by Miss W. Tichborne, of Chicago.

The millinery openings of Mrs. John Ward and Mrs. J. H. Ferguson took place yesterday. The displays were as usual, tasteful and of the newest designs.

T. G. McCallum, of Welland, is visiting friends here.

C. H. Echlin has opened his apple factory on Chatham street. Large quantities of apples are being brought in.

While boring for water at Smith & Henderson's mill to-day gas was struck, having a good pressure.

Mr. W. Taylor, of London, was in town yesterday on business.

AN EXCELLENT FRUIT FARM

A Farmer's Advocate Representative Finds Fancy Fruit On Backus Farm

A GOOD CROP THIS YEAR

A Farmer's Advocate representative recently made a visit to Chatham, and this is what he says of one of Kent's fruit farms:

A visit was paid to the farm of Mr. Milton Backus, President of the Fruit Growers' Association, who was discovered in the act of picking fancy Champion peaches. In addition to his apple orchard, he has a large orchard of peaches, and also one of Dwarf pears. He is an enthusiastic orchardist, and on the subjects of pruning, spraying and thinning holds pronounced opinions—some might be inclined to say was something of a crank. He attributes the freedom of his pear orchard from blight to spraying before the buds open with a clear copper sulphate, five pounds to the barrel. Certainly it is not due to any lack of growth; the orchard is most thrifty. He prunes his apples in umbrella form, keeps them low and spreading. He has Northern Spy trees 60 years old, off which the highest apples could be gathered with a 15-foot ladder. He showed some splendid Snow trees heavily loaded with fruit, from which the shaded and poor specimens had been thinned. For size, color and cleanliness the apples were very fine, and would be a fine grade as "Fancy." He is not quite in favor of the evaporator project, as he thinks that all cull fruit should be picked off early and the strength of the tree allowed to go into the swelling out of the finer grades.

SPORT

BASEBALL WEDNESDAY.

National League.
At Philadelphia—First game—R.H.E.
Philadelphia.....4 0 0 0 0 10-5 9 2
Pittsburgh.....0 0 0 0 0 0-0 0 0
Batteries—Walsh and Pease; Kieck, Dooley and Crist. Umpire—O'Day.
Second game—R.H.E.
Philadelphia.....0 1 3 0 4-8 9 1
Pittsburgh.....0 0 0 0 0-0 0 2
Batteries—Lelch and Pease; Meier, Dooley and Crist. Umpire—O'Day.
At Boston—R.H.E.
St. Louis.....0 0 0 1 0 2 0 1 1 1
Boston.....0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1-3 9 4
Batteries—McGinn and Neenan; Cameron and O'Neill. Umpires—Conway and Seale.
At New York—R.H.E.
Cincinnati.....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 1
New York.....0 5 0 0 0 0 0-6 8 2
Batteries—Hall and Schack; Taylor, Walsh and Bresnahan. Umpires—Egan and Campbell.
At Brooklyn—R.H.E.
Chicago.....3 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 2-12 2 2
Brooklyn.....2 0 1 0 0 2 0 2-7 19 9
Batteries—Walsh, Overall and Kling; Eastman, Whiting and Ritter. Umpire—Egan.
American League.
At St. Louis—R.H.E.
St. Louis.....0 0 0 1 0 0 4 0-5 9 0
Washington.....0 0 0 0 0 7 0 0 0-1 6 2
Batteries—Lew and Gibson; Hardy and Waddell.
At Chicago—R.H.E.
Chicago.....0 0 0 0 0 7 0 1-1 9 2
Boston.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 6 1
Batteries—Walsh and Sullivan; O'Brien and Ambrose. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Connolly.
At Cleveland—R.H.E.
Cleveland.....0 0 0 1 4 0 0 1-1 9 2
Philadelphia.....0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0-3 4 2
Batteries—Joss, Clark and Benish; Schuman, Berry and Hyres. Umpire—Evans.
At Detroit—R.H.E.
Detroit.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-2 7 0
New York.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-1 3 0
Batteries—Eubanks, Paine and Schack; Hogg, Doyle, McGuire and Klenow. Umpire—Hurst.

Repudiates the Charge.
St. Thomas, Sept. 27.—David Marshall, Conservative candidate in East Elgin, has issued a statement repudiating the charge of circulating or encouraging scandal. The story that he paid, or offered to pay, the hotelkeeper at Orwell a sum of money to secure his assistance in blackmailing Mr. Hepburn, ex-candidate of the Liberal party, he characterizes as false. The official nominations take place to-day at Aylmer.

The Grain Commission.
Toronto, Sept. 27.—The grain commission yesterday listened to further representations touching alleged defects in the present system of grain inspection and the act in general. Flax impurities were a handicap, the grain should be graded. The commission will find out whether the act or the inspector is at fault. The commission will wind up its Toronto session to-day.

Winning Strikers Resume Work.
Winnipeg, Sept. 27.—After sessions all day of the strikers, it was finally decided late yesterday afternoon to call the big building strike off. An agreement between the men and the employers was signed and 4,000 men go to work this morning.

Big Steamers Grounded.
Port Colborne, Sept. 27.—A blockade, which occurred Tuesday by the grounding of the steamers Westmount and Rosedale in the entrance to the harbor, was raised at midnight. The water rescuers and floating the steamers off the block.

Thieves at Peterboro' Fair.
Peterboro, Sept. 27.—M. M. Morrow of Brockville was arrested on the grounds for pocket picking. Frank Smith of Toronto was also arrested for breaking into Mrs. Dunsford's residence and stealing considerable household effects.

Devastated by Typhoon.
Manila, Sept. 27.—The Cagayan Valley, in the northern part of the Island of Luzon, was devastated by a typhoon Sept. 16. The loss of life is known to have been slight.

A SUCCESSFUL TEA

Miss Add Ross Soloist of This City Assists In A Splendid Annual Event At Dresden

From Our Own Correspondent.

Dresden, Sept. 25.—Monday night a very enjoyable and successful tea meeting was held in the Rutherford Presbyterian church, which has been renovated. A bountiful supper was served in the Town Hall, after which an excellent concert was given in the church. The people of that church are to be congratulated on the excellent talent they had secured. Miss Ross, of Chatham, soloist, Mr. Johnson, of the Boston School of Oratory, Boston; Mr. Anderson, of Oilsprings, and Mrs. Aikin, Mr. Aikin and Mr. Gage, of Dresden, were a few of the artists. The church was completely packed long before the concert began and part of the crowd had to go to the Methodist church, where the artists repeated their numbers each time. The proceeds amounted to \$121. A large number of Dresden, Oilsprings and Petrosia people were there.

Burns Bond, of the Wm. Briggs Publishing Company, Toronto, spent Monday in town.

The young infant of Angus Gillies is quite ill.

Mrs. Will Radd returned from a short visit in Detroit on Monday evening.

Ronald McVean left for Toronto Wednesday morning, where he will attend the School of Practical Science.

Word has been received from Chentu, China, that a baby girl has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carscadden, who are missionaries in that place. Mr. and Mrs. Carscadden left for China just about this time last year.

Mrs. VanAllen entertained a number of ladies at five o'clock tea on Tuesday evening.

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