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INSIDE INFORMATION ON NATURAL GAS QUESTION

N. H. Stevens Assures The Planet That Inspection Act Will Be Changed

IT WILL BE DONE SOON

Government Realizes The Act Is Not Workable—The Proposed Amendments

"The Government is going to amend the Gas Inspection Act, to allow the use of unpurified gas for illuminating purposes, and they are going to lose no time in doing it; so you can be prepared for legislation of this kind in a very short time."

This was the confident statement made by Mr. N. H. Stevens yesterday, in the course of a conversation with a Planet representative. Mr. Stevens was in Toronto recently, and among other things, he interested himself in finding out all he could about the electric railway and the gas situation, and other matters which are of vital importance to the people of this city. While he was not in a position to divulge the source of his information, he was in a position to state that it came from thoroughly reliable sources, and those who know the active interest which Mr. Stevens always takes in matters pertaining to the welfare of the city, will be assured that at least he knows what he is talking about. They also hope that they will soon see the day when his prophecy comes true.

"I am not financially interested in gas any more than an ordinary ratepayer," continued Mr. Stevens, "but it does seem to me to be rather a hardship that the people of this city are to be denied so long the opportunities afforded them to use natural gas, when we have the article at our doors ready to be turned into the mains. There is one point that has been passed over too lightly. A very small proportion of the users of gas use it for illuminating purposes. As an article of fuel, it is a great boon, and those who would avail themselves to secure it for this, have to wait until the gas is analyzed to settle the illuminating question."

"This same gas has been used in Detroit and Toledo, from the Lexington field, and there were no bad results. In fact the people who used it were greatly enraged when the supply was cut off. We breathe about the same as they do, and so I can see no cause for alarm."

"As far as the proposed legislation is concerned, my information is to the effect that the Government will enforce a rigid inspection of the quality of the pipes and the pressure at which the gas is supplied. In this respect they will duly protect the people, and there will be no more leakage than there is with artificial gas."

"You will find, I think, that no time will be lost in amending this Gas Inspection Act and, in my opinion, the sooner it is done the better it will be for the citizens of Chatham."

THE MARKET BELL

During an interview with Mr. Potter this morning, the information is to the effect that the Government will enforce a rigid inspection of the quality of the pipes and the pressure at which the gas is supplied. In this respect they will duly protect the people, and there will be no more leakage than there is with artificial gas."

Mr. Potter considers this the finest toned bell in the Dominion, and is very strongly of the opinion that the citizens would be much better satisfied to have it strike the twenty-four hours of the day.

A PLEASANT EVENING

Last Monday evening Miss Gertrude Poyd-homme entertained a number of her young friends to a very pleasant social gathering at her beautiful home on Lowe St.

The early part of the evening was spent in playing progressive pedro. The prizes for the greatest number of games were won by Miss Gertrude, Gertrude and E. LaBelle, while F. Gerber and Miss Tennie received the consolation prizes. A dainty supper was then served by the charming hostess, and the remainder of the evening passed away very pleasantly in songs, dancing and music.

ROW OVER CARDS

Windsor, Feb. 13.—It all happened over a friendly game of cards and now Alex. Alice is nursing a bruised head, while Richard and George Zakoor have contributed \$8.80 apiece to the coffers of the city for their little Sunday attack on Alice's cranial. When the three men became involved in the dispute the argument became so strenuous that one of the Zakoor brothers picked up a chair, and used it with good effect over Alice's head, while his brother stood by ready to lend a helping hand if necessary.

The pair were arrested and on Monday morning appeared before Magistrate Bartlett. They settled their fines.

The Zakoor formerly lived in this city.

It takes a woman to make a man feel his want of importance.

CHATHAM TIES THE D. A. C'S BY A SCORE OF SIX TO SIX

Game Broke A Tie At Both Half And Full Time

LARGE CROWD PRESENT

Was One Of The Most Exciting Games Ever Witnessed On Local Skating Rink

What was probably the fastest, closest and cleanest exhibition of hockey ever witnessed in this city, was a game played off between a picked team of local players and the D. A. C's, of Detroit, on the local rink last night. The attendance was one of the largest ever present at the skating rink, a lot of the galleries being packed. The ice was in excellent shape, in fact, so keen that the players at times found it difficult to brace themselves to resist checking in combination work.

Both teams were quite evenly matched as regards size and weight. Chatham had a shade the best of it in their defense, but the visitors made up for any deficiency in this regard with their fast and well-practiced forward line. Both goals had lots of work to do, and both had a number of brilliant stops to their credit. Where all did so well it would be unfair to enter into any individual criticism of the work of the local aggregation. The score at time was six to six.

The gladiators dropped onto the frozen arena at 8.20, and at 8.24 Referee Hicks sounded the bell. From that on there wasn't a dozy minute till time was finally called. Chatham got the benefit of the face-off, and kept the puck doing a zig-zag start for a full minute, when Baillie neatly passed it to Wilson, who took advantage of what in another second would have been a missed goal, and shoved it in. He followed the goal with a few seconds of fast and furious work. Both teams played hard from the start. The play was pretty well to the centre of the rink for a time, when by dint of a clever piece of combination, Detroit coaxed the puck away, and one minute later Dowse drove it where it would do the most good for the party for Morgan next did the pretty for Chatham in one and one-half minutes, and thirty seconds later, after the face-off, Elliott ploughed through the visitors' defense and passed to Lawson, who scored number three for Chatham. There was a full five minutes' play before Hannenburg manipulated Detroit's second goal. Dowse followed suit in three minutes. Baillie piled up one more for Chatham in four minutes, and during the seven minutes following, Walker and McCarten touched up the nets for Detroit, leaving the score at half time four to four. Just before time Morgan was penalized two minutes for bunting McCarten a little too hard during a melee around the visitors' goal.

Twenty minute halves were played with a ten minute intermission. The second half was by far the most exciting portion of the game, both teams warming up to their work. McCarten failed for Detroit in one minute. Hannenburg was sent to keep company with the spectators for two minutes. Baillie got busy five minutes later, and the crowd yelled. Then Walker made the hearts of the Detroit supporters glad with another goal to their credit. McCarten did some thing he shouldn't while the referee was looking and got two minutes' rest. Just before time Brundage passed to Morgan, who tied the score.

"Time," yelled Timekeeper Kimmerly. The referee neglected to ring his bell, but the Chatham team, who heard the call of the timekeeper, stopped playing. "Time, Time!" bawled the crowd, but the referee still neglected to stop the game, and during the confusion Detroit showed the puck in the Chatham nets. There was some dispute over this last goal, but both timekeepers agreed that it was scored after full time was up. The score was 6-6.

The line-up of the two teams was as follows:

CHATHAM.
Goal—Hicks.
Point—Brundage.
Cover Point—Elliott.
Rover—Wilson.
Right Wing—Baillie.
Centre—Lawson.
Left Wing—Morgan.

DETROIT.
Goal—Cline.
Point—Gearing.
Cover Point—Carrin.
Rover—Dowse.
Right Wing—Walker.
Centre—McCarten.
Left Wing—Hannenburg.
Referee—Art. Hicks.
Goal Umpires—Pont Taylor and Mr. Smith.
Timekeepers—Earl Kimmerly and Mr. McBeth.

The Situation Up-To-Date

At the meeting of the Council Monday evening a committee composed of Alds. Austin and Potter and the Mayor was appointed to see that the natural gas is analyzed and the report of the analyst presented to the council.

This committee met yesterday and drafted a letter to the Government asking what steps they should take to have the gas analyzed. After they receive these instructions which will be probably a week or two, they will have to send the gas away to be analyzed. This means more delay. The committee can now do nothing until they hear from the Government. They are undecided as to whether or not they will have two tests or not.

This delay is unfortunate as the citizens will now have to wait until this committee is through before they can even hope to get natural gas. In the meantime they are paying four times the price they would otherwise pay for gas.

It is up to the committee to make the best use of every minute.

MR. JONES AND MR. STONE

Engineer Answers Few Statements Made By Piqued Mayor

SYSTEM IS ADVOCATED

To the Editor of The Planet:

Dear Sir,—I would be something less than a man if I did not reply to Mayor Stone's arraignment of me at the Council Board. The story told is practically correct, with the exception of a few details, as follows: I never refused to give the Mayor oil or anything else, but gave him a permit to obtain it. Mr. Scane gave no oil to the waterworks as stated, but asked permission to test some oils, which was freely given, these tests being solely in his own interest, the oil remaining after the test was turned to Mr. Scane, and the oil used during the test was the oil supposed to be given to the waterworks. Mayor Stone states in effect that I carry red tape to extremes. That I am not inflexible and above criticism I am fully aware. I have tried to do right and have given my best efforts and attention to the various duties I have to perform, and if I have failed it is not for want of trying. To my mind municipal management of the several departments belonging to the city should be conducted along the lines laid down by successful private firms and as close to the nature of the case will admit. In all work where many men are employed there is a head or manager under him sub-managers and a foreman to each gang, and I have yet to learn that in any well conducted establishment the head manager gives his orders directly to the workmen. If he did so he must be constantly conflicting with the orders given to the men by the foreman, productive of loss of discipline and system. The above business principle I have endeavored to carry out in connection with the waterworks department, hence all employees must have an order. Continued on Page Four.

WHY WAS HE IGNORED?

Gov't's Evident Lack Of Confidence In McCoig Re Liberal Patronage

GEO. STEPHENS ADVISES

Mr. James Waugh, of this city, has received the appointment as Agent for the Canadian Government Employment Department, and has been authorized to act as the Government's agent in this city to place immigrants from the United Kingdom in positions as farm laborers or domestic servants.

The appointment is an important one, and one which would have been quite generally acceptable. It is understood that Mr. Waugh was the selection of Mr. Geo. Stephens, ex-M. P., who, it is believed, still holds considerable of the Liberal patronage, in spite of the fact that the local Liberals have nominated Mr. A. B. McCoig to deal out these little favors. It is understood that the Government wrote to Mr. Stephens in preference to Mr. McCoig, and asked him to recommend a man, which he did.

While the appointment is generally conceded as a suitable one, and Mr. Stephens is viewed as competent as any Liberal to make the appointment, still this action on the part of the Government, is looked upon by the McCoig faction as a direct slap at the candidature of the man who has been placed in the field to contest the next general election (against Mr. H. S. Clements, the present holder of the seat). They realize that Mr. McCoig, if he is to make any showing at all, will need all the assistance his friends can give him, and the handing out of these jobs would help considerably. This evident lack of confidence in McCoig on the part of the Government he is supposed to represent, by no means tends to strengthen the weakening hopes of the local Liberal machine.

Natural Gas Now Used By Farmers Of Tilbury

No Attempt at Purification Is Made By People Who Are Enjoying The Great Benefits Of Nature's Own Gift—

Mr. Coate's Interview

Mr. P. S. Coate, when interviewed yesterday in reference to the action of the Council Monday night, in deciding to have the natural gas of the Tilbury field analyzed before they would allow it to be circulated through the mains of the Chatham Gas Company, said that of course, now, the company will be unable to carry out their intention of the order given by their newspaper advertisements, and the gas will not be provided to the citizens on February 15. The whole matter is now delayed for some time, until the analysis is made and the report presented to the Council.

"I presume," said Mr. Coate, "that the Council will proceed at once to secure a sample of the gas and send it away. They will, I suppose, have to secure an analyst first. I should say that the work of securing the analysis could be done in two weeks, if every effort were made to hasten the matter, but it is quite likely that there will be delays which will extend the time much longer. The Gas Company will do all in their power to shorten this time."

"After the Council receives this report, and if it meets with their approval, we will have to notify our patrons when we will turn on the gas, and all of the advertising that we have done will have to be done over again. When we are in a position to advertise the date for sure,

we will then have to give our customers a proper notice, and give them plenty of time to make the necessary changes."

"Not one-tenth of the people have the changes made in their stoves at the present time. The discussions and the letters in the press have caused many of them to delay making the changes. We have hundreds of orders now for men to work on gas stoves and fit them up to receive natural gas, but our men went out to-day and returned without doing anything. The people upon whom they called said that they were not ready to undertake any changes until this matter of purification is settled. You see it places us in a very awkward position."

"At the Council meeting Monday night, Ald. Austin asked why in our agreement with the producing company, we insisted upon a clause relative to the purification, when we thought that the gas would not have to be purified. Now we have an agreement with the producing company to sell gas at 25 and 35 cents. We knew the Gas Inspection Act as it stood made it necessary to purify the gas for illuminating purposes. If this clause were not inserted in our agreement with the producing company, and if the Act were not amended, we would have to purify it. Continued on Page Four.

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White and Gold Silicon Dinner Set, regular price \$50, for \$35.

1 only, Pink Band 98 piece Dinner Set, best goods, regular \$30, for \$18.50.

2 only Dark Blue Band Silicon Dinner Sets, 98 pieces, regular \$25, for \$18.50.

1 only, 116 piece Crown Derby Pattern Dinner and Tea Sets, regular \$26, for \$18.50.

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HASTE IS URGENT.

The latest action of the City Council relative to the natural gas question—their insistence upon the report of an analyst on the different amounts of dangerous properties contained in the gas, before they will give their consent to the long hoped-for change from artificial to natural gas—can only be explained by the theory that, while they themselves may be perfectly satisfied, they wish every citizen to know and feel that the health of the people using the gas will not be injured in any way. There are undoubtedly many good features to this argument, but surely the same object could be more easily and more quickly attained by a practical demonstration.

To one reading the reports of the deliberations of the Council, it is plainly evident that the aldermen have been hearing more than one view on the gas question. Some of the men at the Board repeated what citizens had said to them, and it was painfully apparent that the street talk poured into the ears of the city's representatives during the past week played a very prominent part in framing the course of action taken. Some of the aldermen were plainly on the fence as far as definite action was concerned, and the steps which were taken looked very much like a semi-reasonable chance to stave the matter off until more outside views were heard.

While it is a commendable purpose to try to satisfy the greatest number, in this case, it means loss to the city, and loss to a class of citizens who cannot afford to lose. The Council is elected to use their own good judgment in acting for the people, and their convictions should not be altered with every expression of opinion. They have had ample time to consider this matter, and there is surely no call for future delays.

It is hoped that the committee appointed to secure the analysis will lose no time in so doing, and report as soon as possible, the results of their findings. Chathamites should receive this great boon just as soon as it is possible to deliver it to them.

EDUCATIONAL EXPERIMENT.

An experiment, the outcome of which will be watched with much interest by educationists throughout the town and province, will be tried in the Central School, Galt, according to the decision of the Public School Board of that place. It consists in the formation of what may be termed a class of individual instruction, under the direction of a competent teacher, to which the slower pupils from the various rooms of the school will be sent, to be coached in the particular subjects in which they are behind other members of their classes.

The Minister of Education has been told of the scheme, and has considered it to be an excellent one. In many instances it is only a slight difficulty that keeps a pupil behind the other members of his class, and once this difficulty is removed, the pupil makes rapid progress.

The largest city in the world fifty years to come will be Berlin. That is the calculation of Herr Olumke, a noted statistician. Its population will be near 14,000,000, and its only serious rival will be New York.

In a pamphlet he has written to set forth his prophetic theory Herr Olumke says the population of Berlin is increasing more rapidly than that of any other city, except Budapest, Hungary. To-day Greater Berlin contains more than 3,000,000 inhabitants. The rapid growth with Berlin's political and commercial importance will place the Prussian capital ahead of London, Paris and New York. He calculates that London in 1953 will have 7,000,000 inhabitants.

A BAD FIRE

On Tuesday night about eight o'clock the barn and contents—including machinery which was stored there—belonging to Mr. Richard Simmons, of Botary, were burned to the ground. The fire originated by a lantern exploding. Mr. Simmons, who was in the barn at the time, had a very narrow escape, as in trying to extinguish the flames his clothes caught fire and he had difficulty in extinguishing the blaze. The loss is estimated at between \$1,500 and \$1,600, with insurance of \$500 on barn and a little over \$300 on contents.

With the assistance of neighbors Mr. Simmons was enabled to save his stable, hogs and straw stack, but as all his feed was destroyed he will suffer great inconvenience in wintering his stock.

Mr. Simmons desires to express his thanks to his neighbors for their timely assistance.

Sameness is the mother of disgust, variety the cure.

Have One Doctor

No sense in running from one doctor to another. Select the best one, then stand by him. Do not delay, but consult him in time when you are sick. Ask his opinion of

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FARMERS INSTITUTE

Ridgetown, Feb. 11.—A supplementary meeting of East Kent Farmers' Institute was held in the town hall here this afternoon, when addresses were delivered by G. R. Langford, a successful farmer of Kent Bridge; J. Duff Brien, of Woodlawn Stock Farm; William Simpson, of "C" Farm; Reeve H. McLarty, of Howard; A. D. McDiarmid, of Morpeth, and W. C. Shearer, of Bright, Ont. D. Johnston, of Forest, who was to have given an address on "The Spraying of Fruit," was called to his home by the sudden death of his father, and Dr. L. A. Brown, V. S., of Aylmer, who took his place, delivered one of the most practical addresses ever heard in these parts. His subject was "Soundness of the Horse and How to Get It." He gave a splendid word picture of the kind of horse to breed, and the care that should be given them to bring them to the highest standard.

He also spoke of nearly all the ills to which the horse is heir, and explained how to prevent them in such a plain and forceful manner that none of those present could but feel that the address was worth many dollars to the community.

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Here are a few instances of Zam-Buk's healing powers:

Three children in one family in Bark's Tails have been cured of serious skin diseases by Zam-Buk. Mrs. Minnie Elliott, of St. John's West, Westland County, says: "My baby had a kind of rash on his head—quite a lot of small red spots and pimples. I applied Zam-Buk and was delighted with the result."

Mrs. Goring, of Longford Mills, says: "Zam-Buk is a wonderful healer of ringworm. I tried everything that could be thought of, but nothing was able to cure until Zam-Buk came. It is a fine remedy."

Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Portland, writes: "Zam-Buk seems to take the pain out of sores, wounds and skin injuries as soon as applied and then it heals them up in quick time. That has been my experience and I have used Zam-Buk in the home for some time."

So one could go on quoting case after case where mothers have written in glowing terms of how Zam-Buk has cured suffering children. Mothers who read these lines should note this!

Zam-Buk is particularly adapted to delicate and tender skins. It is free from all mineral coloring matter and from animal fat, being purely herbal. It heals cuts, burns, bruises, ulcers, chapped places, eczema, ringworm, running sores, bad leg, enlarged veins, piles, scaling sores, etc. As an embrocation it cures rheumatism, sciatica, neuritis, and rubbed well on to the chest in cases of cold eases the tightness and aching.

All druggists and stores sell at 50c a box, or post free from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price; 6 boxes sent for \$2.50. Zam-Buk is highly antiseptic, and applied to a wound, cut or sore immediately kills the germs which give rise to inflammation, blood poisoning, etc.

FINED \$10

White, the man who was charged with selling diseased meat on the market, was brought before Judge Houston at the Police Court, Monday afternoon, and fined \$10. The charge was first laid under the statute, and was afterwards amended to read under the by-law. W. G. Richards defended, and Crown Attorney H. D. Smith prosecuted.

Discretion in speech is more than eloquence.

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THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Any person wishing to spend a pleasant afternoon, and at the same time at a ridiculously low expense, should take in the matinee which Mr. Brisco, the manager of the Opera House, is putting on this week, and which will be continued throughout the season. These matinees are not only for children, grown ups as well can enjoy the moving pictures, illustrated songs, etc.

This week Mr. Brisco has the O'Connor children engaged, and yesterday they made a decided hit with the audience. Morris H. Luther, the black face comedian, is also taking the people by storm. Miss Thurston is doing the singing for the illustrated songs and has won her way to the hearts of the Chatham people. Yesterday's program consisted of The Railway Disaster, The Subpoena Service, Miss Thurston in the illustrated song Somewhere, Miss O'Connor and her beautiful little song entitled, "Bashful Johnny, Who's Who, The Desperate John, The O'Connor team in their Irish comedy act, Morris H. Luther, the black face, and lastly the Drunken Mattress.

WHEN CHILDREN ARE SICK

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF KENT.

In the estate of Russell M. Thompson, late of the Town of Blenheim, in the County of Kent, Barrister-at-Law, deceased.

The creditors of the said Russell M. Thompson, who died on or about the twenty-sixth day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and six, are, on or before the first day of March, 1907, to send by post, prepaid, to Houston & Stone, of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, the Solicitors for the Executor of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of the securities, if any, held by them; or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said estate of the deceased, and the Executor will distribute said estate without reference to any claims, notice of which he has not received before said date.

Dated this 29th day of January, A. D. 1907.
HOUSTON & STONE,
Solicitors for
Edmund Granville Thompson,
Executor of the above estate.
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EULOGIZE DEAD MEMBER.

Legislature, Regretting Mr. Kidd's Death, Adjourns Out of Respect for the Member For Carleton County.

Toronto, Feb. 12.—A large floral wreath on the desk of the late George N. Kidd, M. P. P., gave silent evidence of the cutting off of one who was one of the most popular men in the Ontario Legislature. The wreath was presented by the members of the House. The Premier deposited a beautiful spray.

The Premier's Speech.
The adjournment of the House was moved by the Premier, out of respect to the late member. Mr. Whitney said he was not anxious to make a precedent in adjourning the House on account of a matter of great seriousness such as the present, but the work before them could very well be postponed. The House was shocked when it received intelligence of the death of George N. Kidd, whose life had been cut off at an early age, 42. He was well known in the constituency, which he represented and throughout Eastern Ontario, and like many other young men of the province he very early made his mark in public life. He became well known as an authority on agriculture and on this question was always listened to with a great deal of attention. Socially and in private life his point of view stood high in the estimation of those who knew him. Of a very sunny temperament, he always brought with him an atmosphere of cheerfulness. He was an earnest and loyal friend and a fair-minded and generous opponent. His life was put to the test, namely, the appreciation of his neighbors, and judged by the test, he was one of the many instances of good Canadian citizenship, of which he had no reason to be ashamed. Mr. Kidd would be missed, especially in the Legislature, and heartfelt sympathy would go out to the family in their bereavement.

Mr. Graham's Eulogy.
Hon. George P. Graham added his appreciation. Mr. Kidd, he said, came from a family of strong characteristics, of wide influence and a family greatly admired throughout Eastern Ontario, where they are known. He was a man of strong views, who gave those who differed from him wide latitude in the expression of their views. Mr. Graham spoke of Mr. Kidd's interest in agriculture. He was one of the men who contributed much to the success of the Central Canada Exhibition at Ottawa. In Eastern Ontario he would be greatly missed, and those on the Opposition side of the House would heartily join in tendering their sympathy to the bereaved.

Allan Studholme, the Labor member from East Hamilton, also contributed to the eulogistic references to the deceased.
A number of members of the Legislature left at 10 o'clock last night for Carleton to attend the funeral, a special car being attached to the regular express. Among them were Hon. Col. Matheson, Messrs. W. R. Smythe, Ganey, Carnegie, Dunlop, Lewis, Dr. R. F. Preston, McCowan, Smellie, Bradburn, McDougall and May.
The Provincial Secretary tabled a return asked for by Mr. Hoyle in regard to the Toronto Electric Light Co.

EARNINGS AND PROFITS.

Telephone Commission Orders. Production of Statement by Bell Co.
Toronto, Feb. 12.—Despite the vigorous opposition of the company's counsel, the Telephone Commission yesterday ordered General Manager McFarlane of the Bell Telephone Co. to prepare a statement of the earnings and profits in Toronto, so that their relation to the salaries of the operators might be considered.
The balance of the day's testimony was of girl operators, who swore the work was not only hard and detrimental to health but that it was in some cases dangerous through shock.

Shah Grants Reforms.

Teheran, Feb. 12.—The Shah last night sent a message to Parliament giving formal recognition that the country is under constitutional Government.

This message was telegraphed to Tobris, where the people had seized the arsenal and closed the Government offices.

All is now quiet.

Good Fishing in Newfoundland.

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—The Canadian commercial agent in Newfoundland reports that the fishing on the west coast of Newfoundland this winter has been the most remunerative on record. During the past season 65 American fishing vessels carried away fish valued at \$288,596, and 41 British vessels fish to a value of \$183,548, making total exports of \$472,144.

Three Years for Small Theft.

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—An immigrant boy named William Fisher was arrested on Friday in Montreal, for stealing \$130 from his employer Mrs. McGovern, at Templeton. He had spent all the money in Ottawa and Montreal within 24 hours. At Hull he was yesterday morning sentenced to three years in St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary.

Dear Lodge Burned.

Winnipeg, Feb. 12.—Dear Lodge, built in 1869, possibly the oldest of the few historical buildings in Manitoba, and one of the city's most popular suburban hotels, was entirely destroyed by fire Sunday night. The origin of the fire is unknown. The inmates had to make their escape in scanty night clothing.

Suspended Sentence.

St. Catharines, Feb. 12.—Mennow W. Culp, charged with forgery by the manager of the Bank of Toronto, was let go on suspended sentence by Judge Carman.

Cost of U. S. Army.
Washington, Feb. 12.—The Senate yesterday passed the army appropriation bill carrying \$81,600,000.

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DIGESTIVE CURE.

LAUGH AND GROW FAT A COMMON SENSE REMEDY.

The Mental Condition Has a Subtle Influence Over the Digestive Organs—Rest if Possible a Half Hour After Meals.

Judging from the number of patent cures for dyspepsia and the ready following that each new one finds, it would seem that half the world was suffering from indigestion and the other half afraid of catching it. No end of dieting up to starvation point and self denial of all sorts of bodily comfort are cheerfully undertaken as a means of attacking the enemy, although such treatment may do more harm than good. The mental condition has a most subtle influence over the digestive or-



SITTING LIKE THIS AIDS DIGESTION.

gans, and a hurried state of mind communicates to the digestive organization a certain spirit of unrest which is anything but healthful. "Laugh and grow fat" has more sense than poetry in it, and the person who laughs and talks at meal time will be giving nature a helping hand in the intricate process of digestion.

Solid foods being digested under one set of conditions and liquid under another, it is not wise to drink too often during the meal, although it is not necessary to be so rigidly abstemious in this matter as some people think. The greatest objection to drinking with meals is that it discourages the flow of saliva, which is necessary to the process of digestion. The temperature of the stomach needs to be normal and soothing in character, and therefore constantly interspersing warm food with cold drinks would give an unpleasant shock. For the same reason there is no better plan than commencing the meal with a plate of soup, which stimulates and warms the stomach.

Anything that brings the temperature of the stomach to a lower degree immediately after eating is injurious, and that is why a bath must not be indulged in till the process of digestion is fairly accomplished. Some people have a decided prejudice against sleeping after meals and declare that they are not so well for the practice. Of course the case of peculiar temperament has always to be taken into consideration, but the fact that babies and



TO SUGGEST REST.

all the lower animals have the habit of sleeping directly after meals would seem to argue that there is not such harm in it for either man or beast.

Happy is he who can repose a half hour or so after each meal. The stress of life does not often admit of this, but a quarter of an hour in a comfortable chair, with the feet on a level with the body, has been known to work a complete cure for a suffering dyspeptic.

Eggs For Invalids.

Here are two excellent methods of preparing eggs for invalids, either of the ways bringing them to just the proper soft boiled state:

Put an egg on to cook in a saucepan of cold water. As soon as it comes to the boiling point the egg is done and will be found neither too watery nor too dry.

The second method is slightly different. Let the water come to a very lively boiling point, take it from the fire and let the egg stand in the hot water, well covered, for exactly five minutes. The egg will be cooked to perfection without making the white hard and indigestible.

Handling Hats.

Don't take hold of a hat by the brim if you don't want to spoil its looks. This year's hats are very elaborate and very perishable affairs, and it is best to take hold of them by their bandeaux if their shape is to be preserved. It is not a good plan to rest one of the turbanate head coverings upon a flat surface. Instead invest in a hat stand.

An Original Gift.

A young aunt last Christmas brought joy to the hearts of four small nieces by a most original gift. For each she made a long trained and much beruffled gown of pretty bright print. The pleasure of arraying themselves in mamma's skirts paled in the glory of their own trained dresses, and it was such a saying of mamma's frocks.

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CURE SICK HEADACHE.

Earl Grey's Good Work.

Everybody in Canada wants to see Newfoundland a part of Confederation, but few people would bring in the ancient colony without the full consent of its inhabitants. What is needed just now is that the people of both colonies should know one another better. To this end no one has contributed so much in recent years as Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada. Newfoundland papers are still recording the kind acts which Their Excellencies did while in Newfoundland last summer, and which aided in the conquest which Their Excellencies made of the hearts of Newfoundlanders wherever they went. One of these was the sending by the Countess Grey of the sum of \$325 to aid an injured miner lying in the General Hospital at St. John's. Now Lord Grey is using every effort to have present at his musical contest in Ottawa a representative musical organization from Newfoundland. He very much desired the presence of the Ladies' Orchestra of St. John's, but owing to the difficulties of traveling about the end of January, and for other reasons, the orchestra cannot come to Ottawa. However, Lord Grey is endeavoring to induce one of the other musical organizations to represent the ancient colony. All of which makes for a better understanding and a better feeling all around.

Are You Tired, Nervous and Sleepless?

Nervousness and sleeplessness are usually due to the fact that the nerves are not fed on properly nourishing blood; that is, the blood is poor. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes pure, rich blood, and thereby the nerves are properly nourished and all the organs of the body are run smoothly as machinery which runs on oil. In this way you feel clean, strong and vigorous—you are toned up and invigorated, and you are good for a whole lot of physical or mental work. Best of all, the strength and increase in vitality and health are lasting.

The trouble with most tonics and medicines which have a large, willing sale for a short time, is that they are largely composed of alcohol holding the drugs in solution. This alcohol shrinks up the red blood corpuscles, and in the long run greatly injures the system. One may feel exhilarated and better for the time being, yet in the end weakened and with vitality decreased. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery contains no alcohol. Every bottle of it bears upon its wrapper *The Badge of Honesty*, in a full list of all its several ingredients. For the druggist to offer you something he claims is "just as good" is to insult your intelligence.

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MCLEAN SAYS, "CANADA FIRST"

Col. Sam. Hughes' Motion Defeated in House of Commons

IMPERIAL FEDERATION

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—The House devoted all afternoon and the evening until adjournment yesterday in discussing imperial federation.

Col. Sam Hughes, who moved the resolution, was on familiar grounds. Dr. Chisholm's speech in seconding the resolution received compliments from both sides of the House. W. F. Maclean advocated "Canada first," and Mr. Devlin (Nicole) made a favorable impression. Sir Wilfrid Laurier as usual was diplomatic, but on the whole gave the imperialists but small encouragement.

Col. Hughes' Motion.

Col. Hughes in presenting his resolution said:

"That in the opinion of this House the interests of Canada and the British empire would be best served by a full partnership union among Great Britain and her colonies."

He congratulated the country on the growth of imperialism. We no longer heard any talk about a Canadian navy, and a British general still commanded the armies of Canada. Col. Hughes favored a great imperial Parliament to be above all the subordinate Parliaments. The Imperial Parliament was not to supplant the present British Parliament. It might be small in numbers and confine its labor to what might be termed international questions. It should also provide for a preferential tariff. Only some such scheme could prevent the various colonies from striving for independence. Neither South Africa, Australia nor Canada could long retain its place as an independent nation if cut off from the protection of Great Britain.

An Age of Combination.

Dr. Chisholm (East Huron) said that this resolution looked too large for consideration. Some opposed to it as likely to dwarf them or to destroy their liberties. Many in Quebec had similar fears respecting confederation in 1867, but what had happened? The French-Canadians really dominated the situation, and one of them now rules this country. This was an age of combination, an era of big nations. He did not believe that Canada could stand alone without Great Britain and Great Britain would soon sink to the rank of a second-class nation if her colonies were lost to her. There were misapprehensions to be cleared up. It was not pleasant for a Canadian to hear himself alluded to as "only a colonial." It was unreasonable to expect Canada to contribute money to the imperial navy when she was allowed no voice in its disposition, and yet we were wounded by constant reference to the "meanness of Canada."

He complained of the cattle embargo and of the fact that British subjects here had no voice in settling any imperial question. What was the remedy? Would it not be found in an elective imperial Parliament to be above the present British Parliament and the various colonial Parliaments? With our improved methods of transportation such a federation was entirely feasible.

An Old Subject, Says Devlin.

Mr. Devlin (Nicole) said the subject had often been before the House. When he left Canada in 1897 it was an old subject. He failed to find any "growing sentiment" towards imperial federation.

Mr. Smith (Wentworth) was in favor of any feasible scheme that would consolidate the British empire. Canada should contribute to the imperial defence, and for this contribution and proportioned to it should be representation for Canada.

Mr. Lake (Conservative, Saskatchewan) also favored some sort of imperial federation.

Looking to the Future.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that it was proper for the people of this young country to give some thought to their future. But what was precisely meant by the resolution? In France the colonies have their deputies on the floor of the French assembly, and their local laws are made in Paris. British colonies would not submit to a system like that. The basis and strength of the British empire consisted in the freedom and autonomy of its several states. It would be a grand idea to have a Parliament with members from Canada, New Zealand, South Africa and India, but was it practicable? Such a Parliament must control the fiscal affairs of these nations, and between them all must be absolute free trade. Could there be any union otherwise? It was the Zollverein that made the German empire; it was free trade between the states that made and makes the American Union. No union such as contemplated by the resolution could exist without placing fiscal control in this new Imperial Parliament, and this would mean free trade between a large part of Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and North and South America.

The idea proposed by Col. Hughes was not new. It had engrossed the attention and the study of the best minds in Great Britain. It had long ago been renounced as premature, if not impracticable. No great change ever came about in English-speaking countries until there was some grievance to be remedied, but in Canada we had no grievance.

Free Trade Unnecessary.

R. L. Borden was not prepared to dispute the argument that self-government should be zealously guarded, but he repudiated the notion that free trade was needed to build up the empire. He anticipated that close relations between the various parts of the empire would come gradually and naturally as a growth and development. It could not be hurried or manufactured. He anticipated such

growth and close union, and he believed it would contribute to the peace and prosperity of the world.

Canada First.

W. F. Maclean (S. York) said that he was for Canada first and empire next. Canada should make her own constitution, always respecting the treaty rights of Lower Canada, make her own court of final resort; make her own treaties; define Canadian citizenship, and eventually select her own chief magistrate, be king or president. Canada must steadily advance along the line of nationality, on which she was now entered, and she must not be afraid to think of her own defence, her own fighting men and her own ships. "I cannot quite see, with the mover and the seconder of this proposal, that any kind of Imperial Parliament is in sight," said Mr. Maclean, "but what I do see in sight are frequent negotiations between the mother land and her daughter states. These negotiations must be carried on between the Governments of those great states rather than by the creation all at once of a greater Parliament representing all the portions of the empire."

Col. Sam Hughes closed the debate. The resolution was not pressed to a vote.

Changes in the Tariff.

A large number of proposed changes in the tariff as recently formulated were announced in the House last night. They number about 125.

JUDGE CARMAN TO INQUIRE.

Into Truth or Falsity of Lachance's Charge Against St. Kitt's Aldermen.

St. Catharines, Feb. 12.—At the meeting of the city council last night a letter from Octave Lachance charging Alderman L. C. Bratt with attempt to bribe him was read.

Lachance claims that Bratt offered to deposit \$300 if he would tear up his asphalt block petition and start a new one for brick. This Lachance refused to do, saying he could not be bought. Lachance asserts that his son William had also resisted a bribe of \$100 to steal the petition and hand it over to be destroyed.

Bratt occupied his seat in council and made an excited speech, claiming the statements were false and that he had never offered Lachance anything improper. He claimed he would be willing to have an investigation, provided all dealings regarding last year's pavements were also included.

A motion to refer the charge of Lachance to County Judge Carman for an enquiry was made by Ald. Southcott and Nicholson, on suggestion of Mayor Riddell. The resolution carried without objection.

BOERS MAY WIN ELECTION.

Ten Elected by Acclamation For the Transvaal Parliament.

Johannesburg, Transvaal, Feb. 12.—The first election to Parliament under the new Transvaal constitution, will be held Feb. 20, with every prospect of the Boers obtaining a working majority in the House of Representatives.

The nominations for 60 seats occurred Feb. 9, and yesterday ten Het Volk (Dutch party) candidates were declared elected unopposed. These include ex-President Shalkburger and Generals Delarey and Erasmus.

The campaign has been a heated, straight fight between the Progressives (British party) and the Het Volk. The latter secured the support of a number of British labor men, mine workers, who are opposed to Chinese labor, while the Progressives were largely under the leadership of the mine owners.

Sir Richard Solomon, former lieutenant-governor of the Transvaal, has joined the Het Volk and probably will be the first Premier.

SHERIFF DAVIS DROPS DEAD.

Haldimand Mourns Official Who Served County For 30 Years.

Cayuga, Feb. 12.—Robert H. Davis, sheriff of Haldimand, expired suddenly at the court house last evening about 6.30.

He was at his work yesterday as usual and was returning from down town when he fell into his office at the court house, before going home. He dropped on the floor and passed away in a few minutes.

He had been sheriff of Haldimand for nearly 30 years. Previous to his appointment as sheriff he practiced medicine in York, about six miles from here. He was one of the early settlers of Haldimand and always took an active interest in the militia, being a veteran of the Fenian raid and for many years colonel in the 37th regiment.

He was 70 years of age, was charitable to the poor and will be sadly missed.

Municipal Ownership Pays.

Port Arthur, Feb. 12.—A net profit of \$30,000, after paying allowance for interest charges on the sinking fund, depreciation and operating expenses, was indicated in the report of the chairman of the new board of Electric Railway, Light & Telephone Commissioners on the work here of the past year.

Dominion Forester Resigns.

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—E. Stewart, Dominion superintendent of forestry, has resigned his position for the purpose of becoming managing director of a company which is being formed in Montreal to operate in British Columbia lumber. Mr. Stewart has held his post for seven years.

Bryce "Kissed Hands."

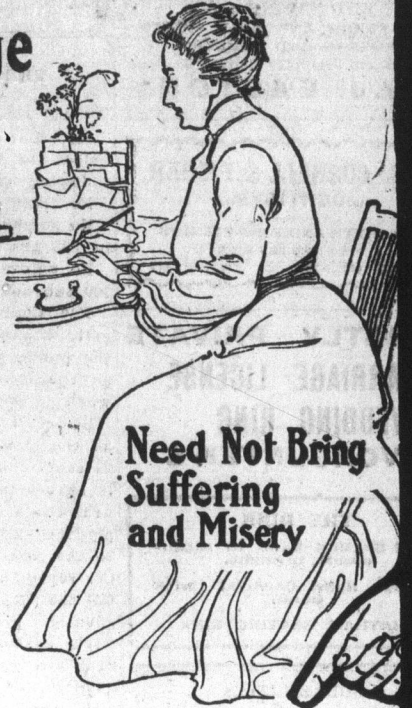
London, Feb. 12.—Ambassador James Bryce and Mrs. Bryce had a farewell audience of King Edward and Queen Alexandra yesterday, when Mr. Bryce "kissed hands," as the ceremony is termed, on his appointment to the British embassy at Washington.

Mr. Snow's Investigation.

Toronto, Feb. 12.—A. Russell Snow, Ontario Government commissioner, will go to Belleville to-day to conduct an investigation into charges against the management of the Deal and Dumb Institute.



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This perfectly natural change in a woman's life is too often accompanied by painful, distressing symptoms due to female troubles and slight irregularities in her delicate organism.

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The whole secret of safety at this time of life is thorough preparation before the change begins. Fortify the system with a course of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. This wonderful medicine has carried thousands of women through this danger period.

No such helpful advice to women who are sick can be had anywhere as will be received free by addressing Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Mrs. Pinkham is daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, and for twenty-five years under her direction, and since her decease, she has been advising sick women free of charge.

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BUYING VOTES.

When British Electors Got Golden News From the Moon.

Harlem in New York.

In 1636 there was a settlement at the foot of a little hill on Manhattan Island which the settlers called Slag Berge, or Snake Hill, but which is now called Mount Morris. As the settlement grew each Dutchman who lived there wanted to name it after his native town. But as each one had come from a different place in Holland they could not agree. Governor Stuyvesant made careful inquiries, and, finding that no one had come from Harlem, he nipped all neighboring jealousies in the bud by naming it Nieuw Harlem.

Care of the Dog.

Dogs vary greatly in their appetites, and occasionally we find a dainty feeder who will nose over a mixed dish of food, picking out a bit here and there and showing but little relish for what he does eat. This is an evident sign that something is wrong. Changing his teeth, if a puppy, thus disturbing his system, may be the cause, and in this case a little cooling medicine should be given.

A BAD COLD SETTLED ON THE LUNGS

All the most serious affections of the throat, the lungs, and the bronchial tubes, are, in the beginning, but coughs and colds, and failure to take hold at once and get rid of them will cause many years of suffering.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

contains all the lung healing virtues of the pine tree and will certainly cure all coughs and lung troubles.

Mrs. Jas. McDowell, Langton, Ont., writes: "In November, 1905, I caught a bad cold that settled on my lungs, so I got two bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and used one and a half of them and by that time I was cured. I laid the balance of the bottle away for future use. A few days after our eight-month-old baby took the whooping cough."

He was so bad we had to call the family physician, but he said he could do but little.

I commenced using the Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and to my great satisfaction the baby was cured. I only used four 25 cent bottles; a small doctor bill.

I believe there is no other remedy for coughs, colds, etc.

Price 25 cents a bottle at all dealers.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Part of the art of doing things is to attempt but a little at a time.

The Worst Part.

A professor of Trinity college, Dublin, overhearing an undergraduate making use of profane language, rushed at him frantically, exclaiming, "Are you aware, sir, that you are impugning your immortal soul and, what is worse, incurring a fine of 5 shillings?"

At Hindon a man dressed fantastically as the dancing Punch called at the houses of the voters and left behind him sums of 5 to 10 guineas (\$25 to \$50). Another device was to collect the citizens at the inns and hand them their reward through a hole in the door. For these offenses the house of commons passed a resolution that Hindon should be disfranchised, but so lax were the morals of the time—the close of the eighteenth century—that the resolution was never acted upon.

Again in 1859 the "man in the moon" turned up in Wakefield. He went about openly distributing money and did not appear to be in the least ashamed of his occupation. At Dublin in 1868 a hole in the wall served the purpose of a distributing center for five pound notes, while at Shaftesbury an alderman paid through a hole in the door of his office a sum of 20 guineas (\$100) to each elector.

Plenty of Advice.

"I wonder what the secret of Solomon's wisdom was?" said Mr. Meekton's wife.

"Good advice," replied Leonidas promptly. "He had any number of wives."

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

The world treats us as we treat it.

"Jayness" About a Town.

The annual complaint from property owners and lovers of a city beautiful in regard to the unsightly growth of weeds that are allowed to crop on vacant lots ought to receive the prompt consideration of the municipal authorities, says The Kansas City Journal. This is one of the most conspicuous evidences of "jayness" about a town.

Value of Concrete Sidewalks.

The borough surveyor of Yarmouth, England, reported officially that there were seventy miles of concrete sidewalks in the town, some of which had been made in 1869 and presented no signs of wearing.

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Where doctors have pronounced cases incurable from consumption and other wasting diseases Psychine steps in and rescues numberless people even from the very verge of the grave. Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Bronchitis, Gills, Night-Sweats, La Grippe, Pneumonia, and other like troubles, all of which are forerunners of Consumption, yield quickly to the curative powers of Psychine.

Mrs. Campbell, one of the many cured, makes the following statement:

I came to this town from a place where I was suffering from a very bad case of consumption. In April, 1902, I caught a heavy cold which settled on my lungs and gradually led to consumption. I could not sleep, was subject to night sweats, my lungs were so diseased, my doctor considered me incurable. Rev. Mr. Mahaffy, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, recommended Dr. Sloan's Psychine to me, when I was living in Ontario. I bought a bottle and used it for a short time and I was perfectly restored to health and today I never felt better in my life. Psychine has been a god-send to me.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Feb. 13.—11 a. m.—Strong
northwesterly winds, milder. Thurs-
day, strong northwesterly winds and
becoming colder.

LOCAL

B. Blonde is indisposed to-day.
Roy E. Caracallen was a city visitor
to-day.
Oliver R. Scott, of Leamington, was
a city visitor Tuesday.
Frank Allan, Grand avenue, is con-
fined to his home through illness.
W. Salisbury, of Thames street, is
quite seriously ill with pneumonia.
G. S. Barlett is in Dutton to-day
on business.
W. W. Trimble, of Amherstburg,
was in the city on business Tuesday.
Frank Hallinan, of Grand avenue,
is quite seriously ill with a gripe.
Mrs. J. B. Caracallen and daughter,
of Dresden, spent to-day in the city.
Mrs. J. Capman, who has been
quite ill, is now very much improv-
ed.

Miss Gertie Potter and Miss Lula
Mowbray are spending the day in
Wallaceburg.
The firemen wish to thank O. L.
Lewis for donating them a year's
subscription to Rod and Gun.

Three rinks of local curlers left for
Dutton to-day, where the curlers are
celebrating the opening of the new
Dutton rink.

Mrs. Wm. B. Morris, of the Morris-
Thurston Company, returned to her
home in Hamilton, where she will
join her husband.

Mrs. (Dr.) Thurlow Miller, of San
Francisco, is spending a few days
visiting friends and relatives in this
city.

C. E. Lister is having ice for the
creamery sent in from Wallaceburg
by the electric line. This ice comes
from the Sydenham and is pure and
free from refuse.

Rev. Mr. Phelps, a Baptist clergy-
man from England, now preaching in
Dresden, has been engaged to deliver
an address at the William street Bap-
tist church Friday evening.

Miss Francis Berhorst has left for
Quebec, where her sister is quite ill.
Miss Berhorst is a member of the
staff of nurses at the General Hos-
pital.

Dr. Joseph Robert has left for Tor-
onto, where he will take up hospital
work for a time. Dr. Robert will
be greatly missed in sporting circles
in the city. He was an enthusiastic
hockeyist, and was well versed in the
Canadian winter game.

NOTICE TO GAS CON-
SUMERS.

The gas consumers are here-
by notified that under the exist-
ing circumstances it will be
impossible to turn natural gas
into the mains of this company
on the 15th February, as ad-
vertised in the press. As soon
as satisfactory arrangements
have been completed, due no-
tice will be given to the public
as to the date the natural gas
will be turned on.

..Toothache..

Is, perhaps, never so prevalent as at this time
of year.

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aching teeth.

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LETTERS

THE GAS QUESTION.

To the Editor of The Planet:

Sir,—The Gas Inspection Act re-
quires the Natural Gas to be of the
following quality:—

No trace of sulphureted hydrogen.
No sulphur in other forms exceed-
ing 35 grs. per 100 cub. feet.
No ammonia exceeding 4 grs. per
100 cub. feet.

The Chatham Gas Co. cannot le-
gally supply through the pipes to
the public gas of any other quality
as the law stands now and stood
when it made its agreement.

Before binding itself to do this
at the increased prices of 35 cents,
25 cents and 15 cents per 1,000 feet,
it agreed in writing with the Nat-
ural Gas Co. for the latter to sup-
ply the gas; and in addition there-
to the collector for the Natural Gas
Co. revised and altered to suit that
Co. the city's agreement as subse-
quently prepared by me. This
city's agreement requires the nat-
ural gas to be made of the above
quality for the price to be paid,
and both of the Gas Companies
agree to it.

Now, the Natural Gas Company,
through its collector, gives to me
the credit of first requiring the gas
to be of the statutory quality, and
charges those to be "knockers" who
insist upon having the above qual-
ity of gas as agreed; and they say
that no company will attempt it.

The collector by his public letter
permitting me to now give a clause
in the agreement between the Nat-
ural Gas Co. and the Chatham Gas
Co., as follows:—

"The quality of the gas supplied
shall be such that the Chatham
Company may legally supply to its
customers for all purposes."

That agreement was made be-
fore the city agreement was made!
It will, therefore, be seen that be-
fore my agreement was prepared for
the city the Natural Gas Co. had
already agreed to the quality of
gas, and Mr. Kerr knew the fact
and was a witness to the agree-
ment.

Both agreements provide that gas
of the quality mentioned must be
supplied by 1st May at the prices
mentioned.

It is not a question of cheap fuel
and light or dear fuel and light. The
price is the same, 35 cents, 25 cents
or 15 cents per 1,000 feet, whether
we get it pure or impure.

The sole question is whether after
giving this price we are to waive our
right to the statutory quality which
we pay for, or to allow the company
or its collector by arrangements at
Ottawa to deprive us of our vested
rights under the agreement to pure
gas.

Perhaps the Natural Gas Company
would publish that agreement, be-
cause there are other provisions that
would enlighten many; and there is
much more still to be said.

Perhaps also they will give a de-
tailed estimate showing how the pur-
tation could possibly cost as they
say 25 cents or even 1 cent per 1,000
feet, whether done by the filtering
process or by the washing process.

And perhaps they would tell us
whether when they deliberately signed
the above agreement for the pur-
tation they were intentionally de-
ceiving the public by a pretense of
agreeing to what they never intend-
ed to perform—except through an Ot-
tawa amendment permitting the im-
pure gas delivery as a pure gas
price.

Yours, etc.,
MATTHEW WILSON.

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rheumatism and allied diseases, ap-
peals to those desiring relief and ab-
solute convalescence. Write to J. D.
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Grand Trunk Railway System, Tor-
onto, for illustrated descriptive mat-
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FARMERS USE
NATURAL GAS

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ourselves. While we were assured
that the Act would be amended, still
that clause was put in the agreement
purely for business purposes as a pro-
tection to the Chatham Gas Company.

"I am of the opinion that the Coun-
cil will find that the result of their
investigation will put them no far-
ther ahead than they are at present.
Mr. McGill, the Government analyst,
has now an analysis of the gas in the
Leamington field, and he is so
strongly of the opinion that the gas
here is the same as that in Leaming-
ton, that he did not think it neces-
sary to inspect this gas, and he is
one of the best analysts in the Do-
minion."

"Mr. Halliday, who lives in the Til-
bury field, is at present using the
gas and he is delighted with it. A
number of farmers who are fortunate
in being near the field are using it
for all purposes and they are mak-
ing money as a result. It should be
made clear to the people that the
delay is not our fault. We are ready
and willing to turn the gas on in
five minutes notice."

"The whole thing was left in the
hands of the Government some time
ago according to the agreement. The
Government said to go ahead, and now
the City Council steps in and tries
to regulate something which they
themselves agreed to leave with the
Government. If we turned on the
gas, and it was found to be dangerous
to life or health, the Government of-
ficials could, and would, stop us im-
mediately, and fine us severely for
every day we broke the law."

DISTRICT

BLENHEIM

The bazaar held on Friday and Sat-
urday in aid of the Public Library
proved a decided success. All the
booths were well patronized, the
Gypsy tent especially. Henry's or-
chestra, of which as a musical or-
ganization Blenheim has every reason
to be proud, was in attendance on
both occasions and was much appre-
ciated. Great credit is due to the
ladies who assisted in this worthy
enterprise, and especially to its or-
ganizer, Mrs. G. Frank Goulet.

The young son of Mr. J. L. Rose is
very ill with pneumonia.

Miss Laura Meade returned on Sat-
urday from visiting friends in Dor-
set.

Mr. McBroom, of London, is visit-
ing his daughter, Mrs. J. O. Laird.

Mr. Charles McPherson, of Dawson
City, who is visiting relatives in this
vicinity, sang very acceptably in the
Presbyterian church on Sunday even-
ing. Mr. McPherson is the possessor
of a magnificent tenor voice, which
showed to great advantage in his
rendition of Liddell's "Abide With
Me."

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Morris, of Ed-
monton, who have been visiting the
former's father, Mr. J. K. Morris,
left on Saturday for New York.

DRESDEN.

Dresden, Feb. 10.—Mrs. E. W.
Sharpe, of Leamington, is the guest
of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sharpe.

Miss Ethel Sharpe gave a charm-
ing thimble tea on Monday after-
noon from four to seven, in honor
of her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. M.
Sharpe, of Leamington.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal. Caister have
issued invitations to a Valentine
dinner on Feb. 14th.

Mrs. J. McE. Murray gave a tea on Friday
in honor of her guest, Miss Lennon, of Tor-
onto.

Mrs. R. P. Wright will entertain a number
of ladies on Tuesday afternoon from four to
eight.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McVean have issued
invitations to a dinner on Tuesday evening.

Miss Robertson, of Weston, arrived on
Saturday evening to take charge of one of the
Junior rooms on the Public School Staff.

THE STARS WON

The hockey match Monday night, Stars vs.
Chippawas, was a sample of real fast hockey.
Although the score was 7 to 1 in favor of the
Stars, they had to fight to the finish. LaBelle
the star right wing was responsible for 4 of the
goals scored by that team. His ideas of
shooting were excellent, and he was in the
game all the time. Morgan at centre shot 2
also, and Bailey, the rover 1.

For the Chippawas, Courtney scored the
only goal on a long list from centre. O'Brien
at centre made some excellent rushes, but
was unable to get the puck past the Stars' goal-
keeper, Campbell.

The line up of the teams was as follows:
Stars—Campbell, G. J. Hicks, P. Anderson,
c.p. Bailey, Morgan, c. Hicks, L. LaBelle, r.
Chippawas—Courtney, c.p. Boushall, p. Cour-
tney, c.p. Trotter, O'Brien, c. Stringer, l.w.
Mayse, r.w.

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lost hair; they are featherweight, af-
ford protection to the head and to
health. Call and see them at Garner
House on Thursday, Feb. 14th.

HORSE FOR SALE—Eight-year-old,
sound, light horse, gait nine mile,
good mover; buggy, cutter, harness,
robe, blanket, halters; bells, riding
saddle, etc., \$150, a snap, horse cost
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MR. JONES
AND MR. STONE

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der before allowing anything to be
taken belonging to this or any other
department under the same executive
head. These orders are supposed to
be carried out without respect to
persons. If the Mayor, chairman or
members of the Water Board wish
anything it simply remains for them
to express the wish and the head of
the department will proceed at once
to execute it.

With all due respect and deference
to Mayor Stone, it has been left for
him the Chief Magistrate of our city
to have the honor—if honor there be-
of being the first Mayor who has—so
far as I know—shown a disposition
to trample over the established rules
of the waterworks department. His
duty—if I may presume to judge—
is to support and uphold all rules
that are for the proper working of the
municipal machinery.

Thanking you for space,
E. B. JONES,
Superintendent Waterworks,
Chatham, Ont.
Chatham, Feb. 13, 1907.

SPORT

HOCKEY

INTERESTING GAME.
A very interesting game of hockey
was played on Tuesday evening be-
tween the Forms 1A and 3B of the
Collegiate Institute. The game end-
ed with two goals for Form 1A. The
line-up was as follows:

Form 3B—Goal, R. Duncan; point,
C. Dewey; cover point, B. Merrill;
right wing, S. Smith; left wing, R.
Carnovsky; rover, Scullard; centre,
M. Patterson.

Form 1A—Goal, P. O'Rourke; point,
N. Radley; cover point, W. P. Colby;
right wing, S. McKeough; left wing,
P. Scott; rover, E. Pilkey; centre, H.
Baby.

DEBATE AT NO 1

Perhaps one of the best debates of
the season was held by the No. 1
society last evening. The subject was
"Resolved that it would be profit-
able for the farmers to co-operate in
buying and selling." The affirmative
speakers were A. R. Everett, H. Duf-
fus and M. J. Smith; negative, L.
Parrott, M. Blakely and W. Parrott.

The chairman of the evening was R.
M. Smith. After considerable delib-
eration it was decided that the af-
firmative won by a close margin.

During the course of the evening's
business the No. 1 society accepted
an invitation from the Irwin school
settlement of Raleigh to send over a
delegation next Monday evening, to
assist in the organization of a so-
ciety in that place.

Some men can't help showing their
contempt for other men's opinions.

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CORPORATION TENDERS

CITY OF CHATHAM, 1907



Tenders will be received by the un-
der signed up to the hour of four
o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 25th
day of February, 1907.

1. For supplies for the City Elec-
tric Plant for 1907, and repair to a
Thompson dynamo, according to speci-
fications to be seen at the office of
Superintendent Jones in Harrison
Hall.

2. For Board of Works supplies for
1907, as follows: Sewer pipe, brick,
sand, gravel, cement, castings, cir-
cles, lumber and hardware, according
to specifications to be seen at the
City Engineer's office.

3. For sweeping, cleaning and re-
moving dirt and sweepings from the
several paved streets in the city; as
per specifications to be seen at the
City Engineer's office.

4. For sprinkling the various
streets in the city provided for by by-
law, according to specifications to be
seen at the City Engineer's office.

5. For granolithic sidewalks which
may be laid in the city during the
year 1907, according to specifications
to be seen at the City Engineer's of-
fice.

The lowest or any tender not ne-
cessarily accepted.
W. G. MERRITT,
Clerk of Chatham.

Dated at Chatham this 13th day of
February, 1907.

HOSPITAL SALE

FOR TWO DAYS ONLY

AT THE AUSTIN STORE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, FEB. 15 & 16

Proceeds to Assist in Building Maternity Ward.

**THE Ladies' Assisting Society of the Public General Hos-
pital** have again made arrangements with MESSRS.
AUSTIN & CO. to conduct a **TWO DAYS' SALE.** The
Society receive as their share **Ten Cents** of every dollar
sold.

MESSRS. AUSTIN & CO. are making special pre-
parations for this sale, and have received almost their Com-
plete Stock of New Spring Goods.

New Dress Goods **New White Goods**
New Silks **New Laces and Embroideries**
New Hosiery and Gloves **New Spring**
Suits and Jackets **New Carpets**

By arranging to make your purchases during this Sale
you will secure first choice of the New Goods, and, at the
same time, assist the Society to securing funds to build the
Maternity Ward.

A Lunch Room on Second Floor

The Society will serve Lunch both days, the entire pro-
ceeds of which will go to swell the funds.

YOUR BOY'S CHANCE

SATURDAY we place on Sale Boys' 2 and 3 pce. Suits at a specially re-
duced price to move them out quickly. If your boy needs a suit for spring it will
pay you to buy at this cut price Sale.

OVER 300 BOYS' 2 and 3 PIECE SUITS

BOYS' 2 PIECE SUITS

In good wearing Tweeds and Plain Serges, nobby Norfolk styles, for ages 5
to 15 years. Regular \$2.50 and \$2.75 suits. Sale price **\$1.98.**

BOYS' 3 PIECE SUITS

Nobby pattern Tweeds, Checks and Overplaids, dark and medium shades
suitable for all the year round, single and double-breasted styles, for ages 9 to 16
years. Regular \$5.00 to \$5.50. Sale price **\$3.95.**

YOUTHS' LONG PANT SUITS, EXTRA

Dark and medium shades of neat pattern Tweeds, sizes 33 to 35. This lot
was bought at about 50c on the Dollar, and we place them on Sale Saturday.
Regular values \$6.00, \$7.50 and \$8.00. Sale price **\$3.95.**

To add to the interest in the Hospital Sale Messrs. Austin & Co. are adding
the above Special Lines.

THE LADIES' ASSISTING SOCIETY.

MRS. RISPIN, President.

MRS. J. C. PRITCHARD, Secretary.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS

Natural Gas will be turned
into the mains of this Com-
pany on February 15th next,
on and after which date no
artificial gas will be supplied.

In order to use Natural Gas
it will be positively necessary
for every gas consumer to have
the piping in his house thor-
oughly tested with a pressure
guage at twenty pounds pres-
sure. This is necessary on
account of the Natural Gas
being delivered at about three
times greater pressure than
artificial gas.

All stoves or ranges to be
used for Natural Gas must
have closed tops, and in every
case a flue connection must be
made from stoves to chimney.

While the manufacturers of
gas stoves state that artificial
gas stoves cannot be used for
natural gas without being en-
tirely rebuilt, it would appear
from tests made at this Com-
pany's office that the artificial
stove may be made serviceable
with natural gas, by having a
special closed top and flue
connection made for the stove.
A stove specially made for

natural gas and one specially
made for artificial gas may be
seen by any consumer at this
Company's office, both con-
nected with natural gas, where
any explanations necessary will
be given by the Company's
officers. Any coal range or
wood stove may be easily and
simply connected by special
burner to use natural gas at
small expense.

To use Natural Gas for
lighting, it will be necessary to
use mantles on all jets, since
natural gas has practically no
illuminating value when used
as an open flame.

All connections to stoves or
hot plates must be made with
iron pipe, and in no case should
rubber or other tubing be used
for connections.

While this Company will
look after as far as possible,
any orders entrusted to its care
for connections to stoves, fur-
naces, base-burners, etc., it will
be impossible for the Company,
to take care of all its custom-
ers, and the public will find all
the local dealers and gas fitters
ready to take orders.

Consumers are requested to
have their work done as rapid-

ly as possible, so that there
will be as little inconvenience
as possible when the Natural
Gas is turned on.

Chatham Gas Company
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P. S. COATE, Manager.

Dr. Neil Smith

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 1.25 Blankets for 95c.
 1.50 Blankets for 1.15.
 1.75 Blankets for 1.55.
 50c Skates for 35c.
 1.00 Skates for 75c.
 1.25 Skates for 95c.
 1.50 Skates for 1.15.
 1.75 Skates for 1.55.
 2.00 Skates for 1.50.
 2.50 Skates for 1.95.
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 Buy quickly! They will soon go at these prices.

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 3 lbs. washing soda 5c.
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TO-NIGHT

The Millens, Brisco Opera House; at 8.15.
 Prayer meeting, in city churches, at 8.
 Court Hope, 6244, A. O. F., in their hall at 8.
 There will be a meeting of the Juvenile Foresters, in their hall at 8 o'clock.

LOCAL

Capt. Chant has entirely recovered from his recent illness.

Miss Kate Waters left yesterday to visit friends in Wallaceburg.

Remember the four o'clock 5 cent daily matinee Brisco Opera House.

G. Dyer left yesterday on a two weeks visit with friends in Windsor.

Join the procession to Austin's Friday and Saturday and see the spring goods.

Lord Lake is the best 10c. Cigar in the market—made by O'Brien Bros.

Come to the Conundrum Tea at St. Andrew's Church, Thursday, Feb. 14th. Supper from 6 to 8.

Charles Goodall has resumed his duties at The Two T's after a few days illness with the grip.

Remember the special sale at Austin's Friday and Saturday in aid of the Public General Hospital.

Miss Stella Coatsworth returned to the C. B. C. this morning after spending a few days at her home in Coatsworth.

Two good building lots for sale on Innes avenue, 50 feet front 233 feet deep. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas, phone 6.

Gallagher & Son have secured the contract for the new marble shop to be erected by J. E. Thatcher & Son on the market square.

Special sale of table and pocket cutlery, scissors and razors at our closing out dissolution sale. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas, phone 6.

S. Zeller, dealer in iron and brass, has purchased the corner between William and Queen streets at the G. T. R. crossing, now occupied by W. H. Bennett as a coal and wood office.

Yes, we can fix your hot air furnace, hot water boiler, steam boiler, gas range or cook stove. Sixteen men at your service. Phone 207. Jas. Watt & Sons.

Come to the Conundrum Supper and concert at St. Andrew's church on Feb. 14. Free admittance. Supper European plan.

The Lady Foresters held another very successful picnic social in their hall last evening. There was a large attendance and a happy time spent. The beautiful prizes were won by Mrs. J. Mitton and Mr. J. Avichouser, and the pretty consolations by Mrs. Ed. Lampman and Mr. J. W. Elliott, after which refreshments were served.

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\$2.50 instead of \$3.50 for a rattling good pair of pants during our Half-Yearly Sale. The 2 T's.

Gentlemen, help the ladies by having your lunch at Austin's Friday and Saturday. Cooking same as mother's.

Mrs. E. J. McMath, Mrs. H. J. Bechard and Miss L. Bechard were visitors at the Tecumseh House yesterday.

Quail on Toast is the best 5 cent Cigar in the market—made by O'Brien Bros.

Misses Anna and Clara Clements, of Joseph St., entertained several of their young friends last evening.

R. Cummings, of Hamilton, is in town to-day assisting Dickson Bros. with the work of strengthening the Aberdeen Bridge.

Call at Jas. Watt & Sons and see our Economy Natural Gas Burners. We can place them in your furnace, gas range or cook stove. Call and see them, or phone 207.

Miss Dorothea Northwood, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, in Winnipeg, is now almost entirely recovered.

Bruce French, of Taylor avenue, while skating on Pringle's pond to the rear of Brundage's ice house, fell, suffering severe injuries to one of his knees.

The designs turned out by the Victoria Avenue Green Houses are gotten up in the most artistic manner. Nothing but the best and freshest flowers used.

The annual meeting of the Blonde Co. was held yesterday. The yearly reports were very favorable and the officers and directors were re-appointed.

Every fur coat and robe in our stock is on sale at actual cost price on account of our closing out dissolution sale. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas.

D. Ingram, who is in the employ of Robert Keeley, butcher, on Park St., cut his hand quite severely this morning, necessitating a couple of stitches, which were inserted by Dr. Agor.

The Fire Chief called the firemen out on a test run to box 35 on Tuesday morning at 1.50. The brigade made good time. At 6.30 the same morning, the firemen were again called out to extinguish a chimney fire on the residence of Mrs. Hugh Murphy, Thames street. The alarm was sent in from box 15. No damage resulted.

We are sole agents for the Peninsular Stove Works, the largest concern in the world for natural and artificial gas stoves. We will be pleased to show them to you. Jas. Watt & Sons.

Monday evening a number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall, Duluth street, in honor of Mr. Marshall's birthday. Pedro, music and games were played. Mr. Eddie Marshall gave some fine selections on the gramophone after a dainty lunch was served.

Mrs. C. Warburton, 201 Lloyd street, Manchester, England, writes: "Mr. W. K. Merrifield, your Veteran's Sure Cure has done me so much good that I hope it will soon be sold by all druggists in England. It is not sufficiently known or you would be inundated with orders. A lady brought me a bottle from Toronto, Canada, or I fear I would never have heard of it. Being a sufferer for many years, and having tried almost everything possible, it is a great relief to get something that does keep the pain down." It is an unequalled household and emergency medicine.

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Of Holbrook's Sauce Demonstrators with us this week, and we should be very pleased to have you drop in and allow the young lady to demonstrate to you the merits of this Superior Sauce.

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TENDERS FOR PRINTING

Notice! Tenders for printing and advertising for the Township of Dover will be received by the undersigned at the Clerk's office, Chatham, up to 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, Feb. 16, 1907.

Any tender not necessarily accepted.
 F. RANKIN, Reeve,
 W. J. FOY, Councillor,
 Printing Committee.
 February 5th, 1907.

License District West Kent

Notice is hereby given that Peter Toulouse, of the city of Chatham, has made application for the permission to occupy his tavern license for the premises known as the Park House, now occupied by him at the city of Chatham, to Joseph Yott, of Merlin, in the Township of Raleigh, and that said application will be considered at a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners to be held at Harrison Hall, Chatham, on the 23rd day of February, 1907, at the hour of two o'clock p.m.

All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.
 N. MASSEY,
 License Inspector.

Dated at Chatham this 9th day of February, 1907.

Mortgage Sale

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in two certain registered mortgages, which will be produced at the time and place of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, by C. J. Moore, Esq., auctioneer, at the Merrill House, in the city of Chatham, on

Saturday, Mar. 9th, '07

at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following properties:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate in the city of Chatham, in the County of Kent and Province of Ontario, and being composed of parts of lots numbers one and two on the northerly side of Harvey street, in the said city of Chatham, and being bounded as follows: that is to say: Commencing at a point on the easterly boundary of John street (now known as Lacroix street) distant eighty-nine feet and two inches, more or less, from the intersection of the northerly boundary of Harvey street, with Lacroix street, thence distance is measured in a northward direction along Lacroix street, thence northeasterly parallel to Harvey street a distance of one hundred feet, more or less, thence northwest parallel to Lacroix street thirty-five feet, more or less, thence southwest parallel to Harvey street one hundred feet, more or less, to Lacroix street, thence southeast along said Lacroix street thirty-five feet, more or less, to the place of beginning.

And also all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Harwich, in the said County of Kent, and being composed of lots numbers seventy-two and eighty-five in Crawford Survey of part of lot "D" in the Third Concession of the said Township of Harwich, Plan 314.

On the property in the city of Chatham is a frame house and store combined, and situated in one of the most desirable and growing parts of the city.

On the Harwich property, which is situated at Box 15, there is a frame house and store combined, also a double cottage.

These properties will be sold subject to a reserved bid and subject to taxes for the year 1906 and to date of sale.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. of the purchase price shall be paid at the time and place of sale, and the balance in ten days from the date thereof.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

GEO. A. SAYER
 Vendor's Solicitor,
 Chatham, Ont.

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C. J. MOORE, ESQ.
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Priestley's Black Panamas—Correct for skirt and street costumes, goods that wear clean. Special prices 50c and 75c.

Priestley's Black Wool Taffetas—Considered one of the leading dress fabrics for the coming spring and summer goods that retain their finish and appearance. Special prices, 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c, \$1, \$1.15.

Priestley's Black Wool Crepe-line Cords—Fine pure wool in new and stylish novelty weaves, 44 inches wide. Special prices per yard \$1.

Priestley's Black Ombra Cloths—Rich silk finish, a special light weight for spring and summer wear. Special prices, 75c and 95c.

Priestley's Black Savory Cloths—Good weight pure wool, with bright silk finish, special at 50c and 65c.

Priestley's Black Satin Cloths—Rich glossy finish, just what you want for street wear, goods that dust won't cling to. Special prices, 50c, 75c, 85c and \$1.

Black Duchess Cloth—Extra weight for costume wear with bright clean finish, 45 inches wide, pure wool. Special prices, \$1 and \$1.20.

Black Eolienne—Silk and Wool, light weight, suitable for light weight wear, silky finish. Special prices, 65c, 75c, 85c, \$1 and \$1.50.

Black Lustres—Silk brilliant finish, 54 inches wide. Special prices, 50c, 60c and \$1.

Black Wool Poppins, Henrietta, Crespines, Roxanas, Rosettas, Serges, etc. The very best to be had at per yard, 50c.

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Dress and Shirt Waist Silks, the very latest in black and white and in shepherd's checks and plaids. Specials per yard, 50c and 75c.

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WANTED—Two dining room girls. Apply at Hotel Merrill.

TO RENT—Two acres, corner Queen and Mercer streets, with double house; all new outbuildings, including stable, etc. Apply on premises.

LOCAL ORGANIZERS—And route men wanted. Apply Alfred Tyler, Wholesale Tea Importer and Spice Grinder, London, Ont.

WANTED—A man and wife to work on farm, or a housekeeper for Hiram Hurst. Apply Box 296, Blenheim.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; must be able to cook; highest wages paid; no washing or ironing. Apply to Mrs. John Pigott, Lacroix street.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT

FOR SALE—Licensed hotel, situated at Charing Cross. For information call on premises.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Apply Box 25, Planet.

FOR SALE—Desirable lot on Victoria avenue, for sale, next to the residence of W. R. Landon. Apply to Thos. Scullard or The Planet Office.

FOR SALE—Moderate sized house with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria Ave., at a bargain. Apply to Thos. Scullard or Planet Office.

HOUSES TO RENT—Two houses to rent on Grant St. Houses have just been rebuilt and are being repaired throughout. Apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block.

FARM FOR SALE—Good 115 acre farm, Chatham Township, two and one-half miles from Chatham; orchard, dwelling, barn and stable, granary and outbuildings, in good condition. Fleming & Harper.

RESIDENCE AND LOTS FOR SALE—Will sell my house and lots on the corner of Lacroix and Harvey streets, either separately or en bloc. Terms, \$1,000 cash, balance to suit purchaser. W. S. Marshall.

FOR SALE—On Taylor avenue, one store with fixtures and three dwelling houses, now occupied, all in good repair, good well water. For terms apply H. G. Kogelschatz, Taylor avenue.

FARMS FOR SALE—I have for sale 200 acres; lot 166, Tilbury East, Taibot Road West, owned by N. H. Shepley; also 160 acres, part lot 3, concession 1, Township of Camden, one mile from Kent Bridge, owned by Robert Cooksey. Money to loan at very lowest rate of interest. Henry Dagneau.

FARM FOR SALE—\$5,200 for 104 acres adjoining Thamesville, Kent County, good grain, corn, root and tobacco land; large pasture with running creek; clay sand loam and sand; drained; fair buildings; orchard; good market for dairy, cattle or hogs; nothing better. Box 401, Thamesville.

FARM FOR SALE—North-west half Lot 1, fourth concession, Township of Harwich, R. T. S., one hundred acres, more or less, in a good state of cultivation; barn 80x40; good drive barn and granary; good frame dwelling house; three good wells of water; one artesian well; fruit of all kinds; well located for dairy, one mile outside city limits, on townline between Harwich and Raleigh. For particulars, apply to G. W. Kelly, Queen St., south of Fair Grounds, or address G. W. Kelly, Box 615, Chatham, Ont.

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MUSICAL.

SAMUEL I. SLADE—Basso, of De troit, has resumed his class here and will be pleased to receive pu pils for vocal training every Mon day, at his studio, McCall Block. Slade will come to Chatham every Monday during the winter months.

VETERINARY SURGEON.

DR. DECOV is prepared, as usual, to furnish first-class orchestra for concert and other entertainments at reasonable rates, any number of pieces furnished, any violin and cornet soloists. Pupils taken on vi olin, and all orchestral and band in struments. Studio, Centre St.

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

J. M. PIKE, W.M.
J. W. FLEWES, Sec'y
WELLINGTON LODGE, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month in the Masonic Hall, Scam Block, King St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren warmly welcomed.

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EX LOSION IN ARSENAL

Woolwich, Eng., Feb. 12.—A huge hole in the ground is all that marks the site of the chemical research department of the Woolwich arsenal and the cordite magazine, which exploded early yesterday morning with such terrific force that the concussion was felt in towns forty miles away, and the whole countryside was thrown into a panic, owing to the belief that a violent earthquake had occurred.

There was no loss of life, but buildings for miles around were wrecked to a greater or less degree by the explosion. Within a few minutes after the explosion, thousands of terror-stricken persons, many of them half clad, thronged towards the arsenal. There were large holes in the walls of neighboring houses, and on all sides shattered doors and windows and wrecked roofs testified to the appalling force of the explosion of cordite and chemicals with which the arsenal and magazine were stocked.

These buildings were practically swept away, the big blocks of stone of which they were constructed being scattered for hundreds of yards on all sides. There was no night shift working, hence the absence of casualties.

The people of Baintree, forty miles away, were thrown into a panic by the shock of the explosion, while nearer towns had windows shattered and chimneys demolished. The cause of the disaster is not known.

Fatality at Amnrior.
Amnrior, Feb. 12.—A fatality occurred here yesterday afternoon when Charles Wurm, an employee of McLaughlin Bros., was fatally injured. He was driving a team attached to a freight car, and endeavored to unhitch from the car, but could not do so readily. He jumped and was caught between the pole and the car. His body was badly crushed, one of his ribs piercing his heart. He leaves a widow and seven children.

Brakeman Killed.
Hamilton, Feb. 12.—W. Ryder Harley, a G.T.R. brakeman, was killed at the Junction cut just west of the city last evening. He was on a freight train that was stalled at the cut, and ran ahead to flag the 7:35 passenger train from Toronto. As the train stopped he stepped out on the outer track and was struck by the 8:10 passenger train from Hamilton and instantly killed.

Five Burned to Death.
Allentown, Pa., Feb. 12.—Edwin F. Reidnaur, a baker, and his four children, were burned to death last night in the fire which destroyed their home.

BOMB FOR WITTE.
Accidentally Discovered—Timed to Explode After Family Retired.
London, Feb. 12.—A special dispatch received here from St. Petersburg says an infernal machine was discovered accidentally last night in a chimney of the house occupied by Count Witte, the former premier.

The machine was timed to explode after the family had retired for the night.

Hard Labor For Life.
St. Petersburg, Feb. 12.—Miles, Klumova and Terenteva, implicated in the plot to blow up Premier Stolypin Aug. 25, 1906, yesterday were sentenced to hard labor for life.

Robbed of \$25,000.
Moscow, Feb. 12.—A messenger belonging to the Government spirit depot here, while on his way to the bank yesterday morning, was held up by ten armed men and robbed of \$25,000. The highwaymen in their flight dropped a bag containing \$3,500, but got away with the balance.

Russia Opens Customs.
Newchwang, Feb. 12.—M. Konovall, Russian commissioner of customs, has gone to Harbin to arrange for the opening of custom houses along the Russian frontier at once. The Japanese are said to be causing a delay in the collection of customs at Dainy until the port of Newchwang is opened, in order to save duty of shipments by Japanese.

John Bain Resigns.
Ottawa, Feb. 12.—John Bain, assistant commissioner of customs and secretary of the Tariff Commission, has resigned from the Government service. He intends going into business, and will be associated with Hon. Clifford Sifton. Mr. Bain was secretary of the Tariff Commission, and at the colonial conference in London drafted the Canadian reply to Hon. Joseph Chamberlain on preferential trade.

Sir Robert Hart Goes Home.
London, Feb. 12.—It is announced that Sir Robert Hart, director-general of Chinese imperial customs, will leave China for England at the end of February on a two years' leave of absence, and that he is not likely to return. This is regarded as the outcome of the appointment last summer of a Chinese as customs commissioner.

Two-Cent Fare Bill Passed.
Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 12.—The 2-cent fare bill was acted on promptly yesterday morning. Campbell's bill to subscribe the bill passed by the House several days ago and was voted down, and Lettwith's amendment to exempt all electric lines was adopted. The bill then passed the Senate by a unanimous vote.

Succession Duties.
Toronto, Feb. 12.—The gross returns to the Provincial Treasury from succession duties for January amounted to approximately \$21,000. Last year for the same month it was \$25,000.

ECZEMA COVERED
HANDS 11 YEARS

Cracked and Bleeding in Many Places—Became So Bad that Nail Came Off Finger—Tried Many Remedies and Consulted Three Doctors, but Got No Relief—Now Cured and Is Very

PROUD OF HAVING TRIED
CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I had eczema on my hands for about eleven years. The hands cracked open in many places and bled. One of my fingers was so bad that the nail came off. I had often heard of cures by the Cuticura Remedies, but had no confidence in them as I had tried so many remedies, and they all had failed to cure me. I had seen three doctors, but got no relief. Finally my husband said that we would try the Cuticura Remedies, so we got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment, and two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent Pills. Of course I kept Cuticura Soap all the time for my hands, but the one cake of Soap and half a box of Cuticura Ointment cured them. It is surely a blessing for me to have my hands well, and I am very proud of having tried Cuticura Remedies, and recommending them to all suffering with eczema. Mrs. Eliza A. Wiley, R. F. D. 2, Liscomb, Iowa, Oct. 18, 1906."

ITCHING PIMPLES
Resulted from Poisoning. Cured by Two Sets of Cuticura Remedies.

"My husband got a blood disease from working in a woolen underwear. He was all full of pimples, and he had an awful itching. He took a good many so-called blood remedies, and nothing did him good. Then we saw in a newspaper about Cuticura Remedies, and they cured him after using in all three sets of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent, and now I wouldn't do without Cuticura Soap. Mrs. Harner, 1070 Bennett St., Reading, Pa., Jan. 25, 1906."

A Fatal Sleep.
Hugh Miller, the Scottish geologist and writer, was one of the most illustrious of sleepwalkers. Miller, who had been addicted to somnambulism in his youth, found his restlessness return while he was engaged upon his "Testimony of the Rocks." He used to wake in the morning feeling, as he said, as if he had been abroad in the night wind, dragged by some invisible power and ridden by witches. On the night of his death he slept alone. In the morning they found him stretched dead on the floor with a bullet through his breast. He had written a note to his wife: "My brain burns. I must have walked, and a fearful dream rises upon me. I cannot bear the horrible thought. My brain burns as the recollection grows." So intense had been the poor fellow's anguish that he made certain his end he had torn back shirt and vest and placed the muzzle of the pistol to his naked flesh.—St. James' Gazette.

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

The Obliging Bankrupt.
Good comradeship may count for much. No man ever typified this better than the Wall Street broker who said to his friend the reporter: "I did not fall until after the evening papers went to press, so that you could have it all to yourself in the morning. Come around in an hour or so and I'll give you the figures."

A Living Ghost!
That is What Her Friends Said About Her

Read how Mrs. James Steele, Waterville, Que., was cured by the use of

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

she writes: "For the past fourteen months I was nervous all the time, and became so run down I was unable to walk across the house without getting dizzy. My friends told me I looked like a living ghost and advised me to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I got two boxes and within two weeks I had improved wonderfully and after finishing the fourth box I was completely cured. They are the greatest pills I ever used and I can recommend them to all sufferers."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills act directly on the disordered heart and nerves, and restore them to healthy action. They have no equal for reviving and strengthening the heart beat, invigorating the nervous system, and acting as a food for the blood, improving its quality, making it rich and red.

Price 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

THEATRICAL TEMPESTS.

The Way a Rainstorm is Produced on the Stage.

Probably not more than one person in a hundred stops to consider how a rainstorm is produced on the stage. Few perhaps have ever given the subject any serious thought.

During the coming up of the storm there is seen vast clouds of dust, the wind blows a gale, and suddenly the rain comes down in torrents. It is an effect so natural that one almost imagines the elements are genuinely on the warpath. Yet, though the rain is real water, not a person is actually drenched, because the water comes down at the very front of the stage, while the players are well back and not at all exposed to its moisture.

It might be thought that to produce a storm many intricate bits of machinery would be necessary, yet such is not the case, for the simplest devices produce the effect desired. These are some gales produced by myriads of holes, through which the water runs from small barrels, each about half full, at either end. The sound of the wind is caused by a revolving barrel which touches a heavy piece of canvas in its rounds. The thunder effect is caused by the artistic manner in which a man beats a bass drum, and the gusts of dust are blown across the stage by an electric fan. The flashes of lightning come from an electric battery connected by wires which when placed in contact throw out the dazzling flashes. A metal plate, which had been specially prepared by first being heated to white heat and then scratched by a knife, is placed in a calcium light machine and gives the effect of lightning in the distance.

POETICAL DEATHS.

Welcoming the Grim Reaper With a Greeting in Verse.

There have been numerous instances of poetical deaths. The Emperor Adrian made a poetical address to his own soul as death was casting the seal of final silence over his lips, and Margaret of Austria while almost within the grasp of death in a terrific storm at sea calmly sat down and composed her epitaph in verse. The ship weathered the gale, however, and the epitaph was not needed.

Philip Strozzel when imprisoned and awaiting death on the gallows resolved to commit suicide. Before he killed himself he carved with the sword upon which a few minutes later he impaled himself the following verse from Virgil on the wall: "Rise some avenger from my blood."

The Marquis of Montrose when he was condemned to have his limbs nailed to the gates of four cities said that he was sorry that he did not have enough limbs to nail to all the cities in Europe, and this he put into beautiful verse as he was walking to his execution.

Patris, a poet of Caen, finding himself at the door of death, composed a poem, and De Barreux, it is said, wrote while on his deathbed a well known sonnet which was soon afterwards translated into English.

His Horse's Finish.
"Dear me, cabby," said an old lady as she alighted from a four wheeler at Liverpool street station, "your horse's knees are bad."

"Don't you go and think it's because he's got into a silly habit of tryin' to stand on 'is' end in the street, ma'am, 'cos it ain't," was the reply. "That there 'oss is a serious thinkin' 'oss, 'e is, ma'am. A very prayerful animal 'e is too. 'E's been prayin' this last six year as 'ow 'is pore old master'll one of these days come across a kind 'earted party wha'll give 'im a copper or two over 'is bare fare, but, Lor' bless yer, ma'am," he added as he looked at the shilling the old lady had handed him, "'e's losin' faith fast, and unless somethin' soon 'appens 'e'll die a bloomin' hinfidel."—London Tit-Bits.

Why We Get Indigestion.
Recently a medical man gave it as his opinion that the oven was responsible for more dyspepsia than any other household contrivance. The modern cook finds it much easier to bake than to roast. The spit dog has almost gone out of existence, and there is seldom any one in the kitchen to take its place. It follows very reasonably that any food cooked within a confined space will not be so digestible as that done before an open fire, where all gases have freedom to escape.—Country Life.

A Jolt.
"Did you tell your teacher that I helped you with your French exercise, Sidney?"

"Yes, father."

"And what did he say?"

"He said he wouldn't keep me in to-day, 'cos it didn't seem fair that I should suffer for your ignorance."

How We Do Change!
"Aha!" exclaimed Mr. Jellus. "Been treasuring another man's picture all these years, hey?"

"Not exactly," answered his better half. "That's a photo taken of you, dear, when you had hair."

Brought Home to Him.
"Crush!—After all, right doesn't always make right, does it? Frankman—I don't know about that. The matrimonial rite seems to have made a mite of you."

Hear, Hear!
"Pa."
"Well?"
"What's the women's rights?"
"Everything they want. Run away."
—Cleveland Leader.

Write for our Circular on
Rio De Janeiro Tramway L. & P. Co.
Just issued for the first time containing information in regard to
ORGANIZATION
FRANCHISES
EARNINGS, Etc., Etc.

Baillie, Wood & Croft
42 King Street West, Toronto

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock—The Latest Quotations.

Liverpool Monday Evening, Feb. 11. Lighter than on Saturday and corn futures unchanged to 3/4 higher. At Chicago May wheat closed 3/4 lower than Saturday; May corn 3/4 lower and May oats 3/4 lower.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS.
Winnipeg—Futures closed to-day: Feb. 75 1/2 bid, May 78 1/2, July 79 1/2.

THE VISIBLE SUPPLY.
Wheat 44,568,000 47,700,000
Corn 8,169,000 15,227,000
Oats 11,511,000 26,327,000
During the week wheat decreased 228,000 bushels, corn increased 856,000 bushels and oats decreased 387,000 bushels.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.
New York 80 1/2
Chicago 81 1/2
Toledo 81 1/2
St. Louis 81 1/2
Minneapolis 81 1/2
Duluth 82 1/2

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.
Wheat, spring, bush . . . \$0.70 to \$0.80
Wheat, fall, bush . . . 0.67 to 0.68
Wheat, red, bush . . . 0.74 to 0.75
Wheat, white, bush . . . 0.72 to 0.73
Peas, bush 0.55
Barley, bush 0.42
Oats, bush 0.42
Rye, bush 0.55
Clover, bush 0.70

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE
Liverpool, Feb. 11.—Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 13/4; futures firm; March, 6s 7 1/2; May, 6s 7 1/2; July, 6s 4 1/2.

Corn—Spot American mixed, new firm 4s 6 1/2; American mixed, old firm, 4s 8 1/2; futures quiet; March, 4s 3 1/2; May, 4s 3 1/2; July, 4s 3 1/2. Beef—Extra India mess strong, 5s 6d. Pork—Prime mess—Western firm, 8s 3d. Bacon—Short clear backs, 16s to 20 lbs, firm, 50s 6d.

Lard—Prime western in tins strong, 50s 6d; American refined in pails firm, 50s 6d.

GETTING EVEN.
I'd like that tooth, please, said the small boy, after the dentist had extracted the small torment.

Certainly, my little man, but why do you want it? queried the dentist, handing it over.

I'm going to take it home, and I'm going to stuff it full of sugar. Then I'm going to put it on a plate and (with a triumphant grin) watch

Men say few solid things when they try to say extraordinary things.

SURPRISE
A PURE
HARD
SOAP

QUICKNESS.
THREE TIMES A DAY the year round is too often to do anything anyway but the easiest way, so we recommend everybody to use "SURPRISE" Soap for dish-washing.

It loosens up the grease and dirt so that they slide off the dishes easily. Any child can wash the dishes in a few minutes with "SURPRISE" Soap.

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Every Bag and Barrel
of Uniform High Quality

If you would examine a saucerful of "Kent Mills" Flour under a powerful magnifying glass you would see that it contains a multitude of sharp, white granules of uniform size.

The wonderful evenness of these minute granules is due to our superior methods of milling. It is because these granules are uniform in size that "Kent Mills" Flour invariably makes bread free from hard, doughy lumps, "eyes," or large air holes.

Every granule swells to the same size in the sponge. When baked the bread is even in texture and honeycombed with small air cells. Just the way every good cook likes to have it.

And not only are the granules uniform in size, but the blend is always uniform, too. "Kent Mills" Flour is blended by experts, from the finest No. 1

Manitoba and best Ontario Red Winter Wheat. A differently proportioned blend—and superior to all other brands.

After the flour is blended it is under constant supervision until the bags and barrels are filled and ready to ship. Tests are made at short intervals. Comparisons made with flour of standard quality, so as to make sure of "Kent Mills" Flour always being up to or above standard—never below.

You can depend on each bag or barrel of "Kent Mills" Flour giving the same results as the previous one.

We see to it that it's always the same.

For uniform success on baking days use "Kent Mills" Flour.

Every bag or barrel guaranteed by both the manufacturer and dealer.

"Kent Mills"
Flour

Canada Flour Mills Co., Limited, Chatham, Ont.

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47 a.m. for London, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary and all Pacific Coast points.
5:30 a.m. Fast Express for London, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Boston and all points East, also Winnipeg, Calgary and Pacific Coast points.
1:03 a.m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul and all points north, south and west.
1:13 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul and all points north, west and south.
3:30 p.m. Fast Express for London, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Boston and all points east, also Winnipeg, Calgary and Pacific Coast points.
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8:30 a.m. for Windsor, Detroit and intermediate stations, except Sunday.
12:30 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.
4:15 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.
9:30 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west. International Limited daily.
Mixed 2:30 p.m.

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8:30 a.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto and Buffalo.
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9 p.m. for London and intermediate stations. Daily except Sunday.

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No. 1, 6:25 a.m. for Detroit, Chicago and St. Louis.
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No. 2, 12:25 p.m. for St. Thomas, Aylmer, Sturges, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York and Boston.
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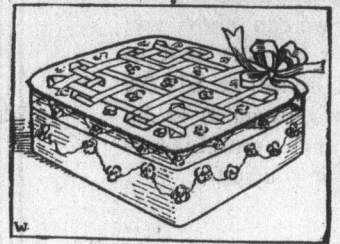
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Tickets good Going Feb. 20th and 21st
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A THIMBLE PARTY.

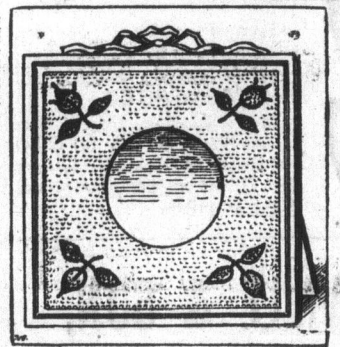
Odd and Pretty Work Done by the Guests.

The hostess of a thimble party, lately returned from Paris, produced from the depths of a fascinating "granny" workbag of flowered brocade a curiously shaped strip of soft white kid, on which a garland of delicate flowers in faint pastel shades and tarnished silver wire was beginning to take dainty form. This, she explained in answer to a chorus of admiring queries, was to be part of a set of trimmings for a tailor made gown of wine color.



JEWEL BOX.

ed cloth. There is a craze among Parisian modistes just now for these touches of embroidery upon kid, which are introduced as revers, as belts and as collar and sleeve bands. One of the guests was occupied with a charming confection destined to do duty as a receptacle for bijouterie. Its foundation was nothing more than a small tin biscuit box, but this fact had been obliterated by a covering of old cream brocade. Over this was laid a trellis work of pistachio green galon, upon which tiny flowers had been here and there embroidered. Deftest touch of all, the ends of the trellis upon the lid had been gathered up into a smartly tied bow, as though by a sudden idea, to save the tediousness of finishing them off, and a happy idea it proved, as all agreed. A third worker had devoted her attention to the reproduction



BEADWORK PHOTOGRAPH FRAME.

of some old beadwork of which she was the fortunate possessor. Among her treasures was an old and very beautiful reticule. The quaint pattern was sewn upon net, with a grounding of opal beads. One side of the bag was adapted to form the mount of a photograph frame, and when set under glass the effect was stunning.

For Croup.

When a doctor cannot be secured promptly in an emergency it is necessary to have a good remedy always on hand when children are inclined to be croupy.

A mother who will provide herself with half a pint of raw linseed oil can fight the worst case of croup she may meet with.

It is said to be an unfailing remedy, and for quick results it beats anything else which can be given for that dread disease.

Half a teaspoonful is a dose unless the child is choking very badly; then give a teaspoonful.

It acts two ways. In the first stage of croup, where there is not much mucus, it is loosened and carried off through the bowels.

In the second stage it causes vomiting; but, unlike ipecac, it leaves no soreness of the throat as an after difficulty.

It is rarely necessary to give more than one dose, when the child will get relief and go to sleep again.

This simple remedy is one that is within the reach of every mother and one that can be kept on hand at all times, and while it is in the house the dread membranous croup need cause no terrors.

Don't Show Off the Baby.

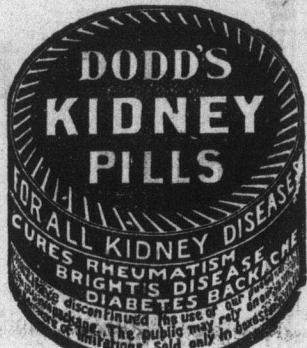
Too great emphasis cannot be laid on this matter of shielding the baby from excitement. Undoubtedly the temptation to show him off is very great—he is such a dear, and he has such pretty tricks—but decide now, is it your desire to gratify your pride or promote baby's welfare?

It is a great mistake to handle an infant any more than necessary not only on the score of his nerves, but also on that of his bones. Baby's bones, you know, are soft. Thus constant handling tends to destroy the shapeliness of his body. The greater part of his early life should be spent on the bed. When he gets tired of lying in one position gently roll him over without picking him up.

Expensive Handkerchiefs.

The Empress Josephine has the credit of bringing handkerchiefs into vogue. Before her time the mouchoir was not used or spoken of in polite society, but she, knowing that her beauty was spoiled by her bad teeth, used to carry a dainty handkerchief and hold it before her mouth when she laughed.

Since Josephine's time small fortunes have been spent on dainty handkerchiefs. The owner of the costliest handkerchief in existence is said to be the queen of Italy. She has one which took three women upward of five years to make.



A Desperate Wager.

Driven to desperation by their heavy losses, gamblers have often sought by some coup either to repair their shattered fortunes or to bring down utter ruin upon themselves. One of the most curious instances of this kind comes from England. In the eighteenth century a notorious gambler had been losing steadily in a game for high stakes with Lord Lorne. Exasperated by his continued ill fortune, he suddenly sprang up from the card table, seized a large and costly punch bowl and, balancing it above his head, called out to his opponent:

"For once I'll have a bet where I have an equal chance of winning! Odd or even, for 15,000 guineas!"

"Odd!" replied the peer placidly, and the gambler hurled the magnificent bowl against the wall.

When they counted the pieces Lord Lorne had won.

\$100 REWARD \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity.

Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars or more for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Right in His Line.

Irate Father—I'm getting tired of this nonsense. You've been engaged to that young man for six months. Does he ever intend to marry you? Daughter—You must have patience, papa. Remember, he's an actor. Irate Father—What has that to do with it? Daughter—He's fond of long engagements.

He Made Them Read It.

Daughter—Have you found out yet what it says? Papa—Out of the paper? Mother—Yes, I bought a copy. I've read it all through, but to save my life I can't see anything wrong in it. It's an article on the vulgarity and silliness of buying gowns that are beyond one's means.

IT IMPARTS STRENGTH.

Just think of the enormous strengthening power Ferrozone possesses—consider what it did for H. F. Potter, well known in Kingston. "I was subject to spells of dizziness, or eight months I had intense pain in my right side between the shoulders. I was almost insensible with weakness and lack of vigor. Often I scarcely ate any breakfast and felt miserable all day. Nervous, easily excited, I was in bad shape. Ferrozone restored and nourished me back to health in short order." Whatever your weakness may be Ferrozone will cure. Price 50c. per box at all dealers.

A Man of High Principles.

Scotsman (up for the week end, who has been asked by his friend to go to a music hall)—Na, na, na! Dye no ken I never visit a music hall on th' Saturday, for fear I should laugh in th' kirk on th' Sabbath?—London Opinion

Adam's Foresightedness.

Though Adam blamed Eve for tempting him to eat apples, it isn't on record that he gave her due credit for making those first clothes.—Florida Times-Union.

"SKIDOO" FOR YOUR HEADACHE. Ascertain its cause and the cure isn't hard to find. Look to the stomach and bowels. Aren't you constipated, isn't your liver sluggish, isn't the stomach failing in its mission? What you need is the cleansing tonic influence of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Their effect is lasting, because they aid all the ailing organs, flush out all unhealthy matter, and tone up the stomach. With Dr. Hamilton's Pills your stomach gets a chance to recuperate, and does so quickly. For real buoyant health use Dr. Hamilton's Pills regularly. 25c. per box at all dealers.

An agreement without consideration is void.

Piles get quick relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Remember, it's made alone for Piles—and it works with certainty and satisfaction. Itching, painful, protruding, or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Try it and see. Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

The chief end of man is generally to make both ends meet.

Bowser Has a Week of Liberty

Takes Life Easy For Seven Days While His Wife Is Away From Home.

SEES TOWN BY NIGHT.

Moving Pictures, Vaudeville, Poker Games and Highballs Leave Him a Wreck.

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MRS. BOWSER received word the other afternoon that her mother had fallen downstairs and broken several ribs and wanted her daughter for a week, and the news was communicated to Mr. Bowser on his arrival home from his office. He was agreed that Mrs. Bowser should leave on the train next morning, and leave she did, while he was left to keep house for a week with the assistance of the cook. Mr. Bowser won't admit that he kept a diary during the seven days Mrs. Bowser was absent, but those who know him best are quite sure that he did and that the following is a correct transcript:

"Tuesday.—Mrs. Bowser left this morning for Blanktown to see her mother. It will be a change from the dreary monotony. If I want to go to club or poker party I shall have no one to look at me accusingly. I may go to the theater. I may stay out rather



"HE CHUCKLED AND POKED ME IN THE RIBS AND SAID I WAS A GAY OLD BOY."

late of nights in the interest of the next presidential election. I feel a strange elation. If Mrs. Bowser stays a month I shan't kick.

"Wednesday.—Was out late last night to the Rabbit club. When it came 11 o'clock I did not have to grab for my hat and overcoat and rush for home and wonder what Mrs. Bowser was going to say.

"At midnight several members expressed surprise that I had not departed. I gave them to understand that no wife could run me.

"At 1 o'clock several other fellows came around and said they hoped my staying wouldn't lead to a divorce. I told 'em I didn't care how durned quick Mrs. Bowser applied for one.

Stays Out Late.

"Home at 2 in the morning. No one leaning over the banister as I opened the front door. No one to remark the hour and say that such carryings on at my age were shameful. Didn't have to creep upstairs like a thief. Didn't have to take anything off but my coat to get into bed.

"Thursday.—No sarcastic looks or words at the breakfast table this morning over my being out late last night, and I never enjoyed a breakfast better. No one to ask me for money. No one to caution me not to buy a balloon or a diamond mine during the day.

Took in vaudeville show. Never knew before that there was so much fun in them. Roars of laughter from start to finish. Sauntered around the town by moonlight after the performance. Met a cop that I knew, and he chuckled and poked me in the ribs and said I was a gay old boy. Home some time in the morning. Didn't even have to take my coat off to go to bed. It makes me mad to think of the years I have wasted in undressing.

"Cook said she was awake at 4 o'clock in the morning and heard some one coming upstairs. I easily convinced her that she was mistaken. This is life, this is. By thunder, why does any man ever marry?

Hadn't a Thought of Home.

"Friday.—Out again last night. I can't tell the reader what a relief it is for me to put on my hat and coat after dinner and walk out without being questioned and cautioned to hurry right back.

"Went to a bowling alley. Went to a club. Dropped in to see the moving pictures. Hadn't one single thought of the house. No chills went creeping up my back as I thought of Mrs. Bowser meeting me in the hall and saying that she was glad we had no son to follow in his father's footsteps. Thought the cook might have some remark to make at breakfast; but, on the contrary, she gave me an encouraging smile. When I woke up I found that I was fully dressed, even to my shoes, but I never slept better in my life. America is noted for rapid transit, and yet millions and millions of people will spend

an hour out of the twenty-four dressing and undressing.

"Wasn't cautioned when I left the house not to invest in chickens, pigs, cows, autos or winter tonics. Went right out with my head up and able to look the world in the face. How I have stood Mrs. Bowser's sarcasm as long as I have is a mystery to me.

"Saturday.—Changed my clothes after I got home and had dinner and went to a poker party. It was what is called a 'stag' party—that is, you drank as many highballs and gin fizzes as seemed proper and lost all the money you wanted to.

"Very pleasant lot of fellows and all surprised to see me. Heard some of them hinting that Mrs. Bowser must be dead.

"Talked politics and played poker. Talked Cuba and played more poker. Talked Panama canal and had a flush.

"Held three and straights and big pairs and never once thought of Mrs. Bowser. Free as air and feeling like a four-year-old.

Men Fools to Marry.

"What asses men make of themselves when they marry! Just let Mrs. Bowser give me one sassy word when she gets back and—

"I have an indistinct recollection of dropping something at poker, but whether it was a cent or \$10 I shall never know—in fact, I don't care. When I set out to have a good time there's nothing stingy about me.

"I remember speaking about going home at 2 o'clock in the morning, but some one asked what the use, and I said no more. Don't remember getting home. Don't remember a policeman kindly unlocking the front door for me and calling me a regular Jim Dandy. Can't remember the cook finding me lying in the front hall when she came down. The first I knew I was up and dressed and pitying the man who ties himself to a wife.

"Policeman met me at the gate as I started for the office and wanted to know if I was going to pay for that window he meant, but when he said the damage was \$4 I pulled out the money and paid it like a man. Cook brushed feathers off my clothes and picked straws out of my hair before I sat down to breakfast, but she was discreet—very discreet. She said she used to pick up feathers and straws when she went to sacred concerts.

"Sunday.—Woke up with a recollection—several recollections; also a sore throat and a headache. Breakfast in bed. More recollections and headache than breakfast.

Sympathized in His Loss.

"Cook very kind and thoughtful. Discovered that I had lost my watch and sympathized with me.

"Discovered that I had lost my wallet and said it didn't matter as long as I had had a good time.

"I don't think I came home in an ambulance. Neither of my legs are broken, and why should I have done so? I don't think I slept on the front steps. When a man has a house he sleeps inside instead of outside of it. I sort of wish Mrs. Bowser was home. Cook says I have quite a fever. She attributes it to political excitement. Mrs. Bowser is one of the best hands in case of fever I ever heard of. I might reach her by telephone, but—

"Monday.—Doctor has been here. Says I have had a narrow escape. Says a man of my age ought to have a wife to hold him down. Says there's no particular harm in moving pictures, vaudeville shows, sacred concerts, poker games, gin fizzes, highballs, rabbit clubs and sleeping in the front hall if taken in moderate doses, but that I seem to have overdone the thing.

"Cook is kindness itself, but she isn't Mrs. Bowser.

"I now begin to understand why men marry and why a man is an ass who doesn't. There is something sacred about home. There is nothing sacred about a sacred concert.

"Cook continues her kindness. She has just hinted that she has nothing to tell Mrs. Bowser, who will arrive early tomorrow morning. I am counting the hours. I shall explain to her that it is a hard cold, but she will suspect the truth and forgive me.

"Dear Mrs. Bowser! Durn highballs and a life of freedom!" M. QUAD.

Animated Inanimates.

Mr. Bottle—There comes that clock. He's getting so stuck up that he wears gloves on his hands.

Mr. Vase—You see, he's engaged to that helress Miss Bell. He's already given her the ring.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Our Book Club and Its Borrowers.

Busy Clerk—Now, let me see, sir, "the first gentleman in Europe," I think.—Black and White.

Naturally.

"They say that Bradley goes on like mad since he inherited his vast wealth."

"What does he do?"

"Oh, he acts like one possessed."

Lippincott's Magazine.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

To look on the bright side of life robs the shadow of its sombre outline.

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When you finish your first bottle of

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Abbey's Effer-Salt

you will have but one regret—that you did not use it months ago.

The way ABBEY'S SALT makes you eat—and sleep—and feel—will surprise and delight you.

25c. and 60c. At Druggists.

Sorrow of a Humorist.

"This thing of being a humorist is about the saddest thing I know," sighed Simeon Ford. "An ordinary person can have his moods and humors as he pleases, but I must always be on the job. I am constantly being invited out, not because I'm liked for myself alone or because of my manly beauty, but because I am expected to entertain the assemblage. The rest of the company may be as dull as dishwater, but if I do not shake up the gathering with a few jokes the hostess glares at me and really feels resentful. I may be sunk in the slough of despond, but just as soon as I take my seat all lean forward and eye me expectantly. My son, never get a reputation for being funny. It is the most mournful thing on earth."

To stop a Cold with "Preventics" is safer than to let it run and cure it afterwards. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will head off all colds and Grippe, and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis.

Preventics are little toothsome candy cold cure tablets selling in 6 cent and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try Preventics. They will surely check the cold and please you. Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

Spots on Leather.

Oxalic acid in weak solutions is the best thing to use when removing spots from leather. Two or three crystals of oxalic dissolved in warm water, then applied with a bit of cloth to the spots, will do the work. Watch closely, and when the spots begin to disappear apply clear water to overcome the acid, which is a powerful bleach. Dry the leather with a clean cloth. For bright leather make the solution weaker.

Ranning Sores, the outcome of neglect, or bad blood, have a never-failing balm in Dr. Agnew's Ointment. Will heal the most stubborn cases. Soothes irritation almost instantly after first application. It relieves all itching and burning skin diseases in a day. It cures piles in 3 to 5 nights. 35 cents.

Sold by W. W. Turner.

Warned by Their Perfume.

According to the results of experiments by Dr. Jean Chalon, aromatic plants charged with essential oils which exhale a perfume that spreads like an atmosphere about them when touched by the rays of the sun are to a slight degree warmed by the presence of this agreeable atmosphere. It acts in retaining the solar heat like the glass covers of a hothouse, although, of course, far less effectively. Professor Spring has shown that the relatively high temperatures of large cities is probably due, at least in part, to the carbonic anhydride in the air above them acting as a retaining screen for heat rays.

IT CREEPS LIKE A SERPENT.

Steals through the system like a thief in the night. That's how catarrh acts. Don't trifle with such a scourge. Don't experiment with a doubtful treatment. Time and experience prove that Catarrhazone does cure, that it gives quick relief and so thoroughly destroys the disease that it dies forever.

Get Catarrhazone in the first place and your cure is assured. In 25c. and \$1.00 sizes, at all dealers and guaranteed in every case.

Had Her Doubts.

Mamma—You should be polite, dear, and offer to share your candy with papa. Little Margie—I would, mamma, if I was sure he'd be polite and refuse it.

Facetious.

Customer—Have you anything that is good for falling hair? Facetious Clerk—How would a wastebasket do?

Be sure you can obey good laws before you alter bad ones.—Ruskin.

If you are Constipated, dull, or bilious, or have a sallow, lifeless complexion, try Lax-ets just once to see what they will do for you. Lax-ets are little toothsome candy tablets—nice to eat, nice in effect. No gripping, no pain. Just a gentle laxative effect that is pleasantly desirable. Handy for the vest pocket, or purse. Lax-ets meet every demand. Lax-ets come to you in beautiful lithographed metal boxes at 5 cents and 25 cents.

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SMART CLOTHES.

Dress Becomingly Regardless of the Prevailing Styles.

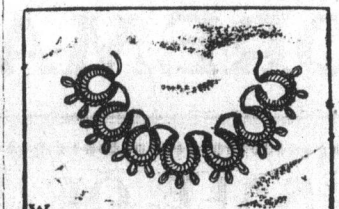
It is generally acknowledged that there is at present a noticeable freedom of style and styles in all departments of the outfit and that to look smart a hat, gown or suit must first be becoming. For example, the empire gown is unquestionably fashionable, but if not good for the lines of a certain figure there is the princess dress, which is very nearly if not equally popular, while the dress that is made with separate bodice and skirt, with any width of belt desired, is perfectly in vogue. Even the all prevailing short sleeves may be abandoned for any costume with which gloves are not always worn, for many women do not care to wear short sleeves in the morning, whether for the street or in the house. Extremely high collars are certainly one of the fads of the moment, but this fad is only followed by those who have unusually long and slender throats. For the evening a square cut décolletage, either square or shaped in a deep V in back, is said to be the favorite model, but there are to be seen numberless handsome and expensive costumes of the latest designs that are either round or slightly V shaped both front and back. Examples like the above could be given in countless number, and they all prove that today, while there may be certain standard fashions, the standard may be limited and modified rather than directly aimed at for an exact copy. Some little detail that will be intensely becoming to one woman will be quite the reverse to another, and vice versa, so that in a large gathering there may be many smartly gowned, but few who have followed out every one of Dame Fashion's dictates.

An Unhappy Experience.

"Of all the weird looking creatures you ever laid your eyes on I certainly was the 'weirdest,'" said Mrs. K. in relating her experiences in the shampooing line recently. "You know, ma chere, how I adore white hair and how persistently my fast silvering locks incline to yellow streaks, just as though they had been dyed. Well, I met a friend the other day and in telling her my woes remarked on the beauty of Mrs. B's gray hair, which, you know, is of that most fascinating shade that leans to white and silver. 'Would you know the reason of Mrs. B's lovely hair?' my friend asked. 'Why, she has it rinsed in bluing water.' Receiving full instructions how Mrs. B's hair was laundered, I promptly proceeded to impart my knowledge to my maid. Whether Marie used a different brand of ball blue or too much I don't know, but, oh, my hair looked like pea-cock feathers, blue and green, and I thought that I would have to have every spear shaved off. We washed it in ammonia, in borax water, in everything we could think of, scrubbed it with soap, and my experience left me with such an aching scalp that I had to wear my hair in pig tails for two days, finding plus impossible."

Tattooing Design.

This design is worked in perillusta white tattooing thread, size 20. A shuttle and a pin are the only implements required.



quired. For the first oval make a loop on the fingers with the shuttle thread, do 4 d stitches, 1 picot, 2 d, 1 picot, 1 d, 1 picot, 1 d, 1 picot, 2 d, 1 picot, 4 d, draw up close. For the second oval make a loop, leave three-eighths of an inch of perillusta, work 4 d, draw the thread through the last picot of previous oval, 2 d, 1 picot, 1 d, 1 picot, 1 d, 1 picot, 2 d, 1 picot, 4 d, draw up close. Repeat for the length required.

How to Make College Flags. College flags are quite simple, but require care and much precision in putting the letters on as well as in cutting them.

A good plan is to cut your letters from stiff cardboard and trace around them on the felt, afterward cutting with a sharp knife.

In mounting these on the felt background paste them on with a very thin coating of photograph paste and couch around all edges with many strands of silk, caught down at regular intervals with a single strand of the same color. Couching means to hold the heavy cord or many strands of silk along the edge of the thing to be outlined and stitching across it and through material with the single thread in the needle.

Shrinking Cloth.

The question of how to shrink heavy cloths is often a difficult one to solve. Hang the material over the clothesline, with the fold on the line, and wet it with the garden hose. Allow it to hang until dry. It will be quite unnecessary to iron it, as the garment must be pressed when finished. This can only be done with heavy clothes, as a light loose weave would stretch and lose its shape.

The Latest Fad.

One young woman has named the beautiful teacups on her table after some characteristic of the donor of each. One she calls Loyalty, one Sincerity, one Sweetness. There is also a Jealousy, a Youth, a Hope, an Ambition and a Luck.

Weak Women

To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments, must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional, but both are important, both essential.

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is the Local.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative, the Constitutional.

The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical

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Shoop's Restorative is wholly an internal treat-

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The "Night Cure", as its name implies, does its

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Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—as a general tonic

to the system. For positive local help, use as well

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The Fractured Leg.

A visitor was going through the children's surgical ward of one of the city hospitals when he spied a little fellow with his legs in the air and his weight resting on his head and shoulders. Going closer, he saw that the boy's feet were fastened with ropes which passed through a pulley above. At the other ends of the ropes

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Looked forward to with keen interest by Chatham's most thrifty linen buyers,

Commencing Thursday, February 14th and Continues
Throughout February

Who could conceive of a more fitting way to celebrate St. Valentine Day than by opening this Linen Sale and Display, the event of the season.

What valentine could be more appropriate than a piece of snowy white linen that will last many valentine days to come? By Thursday we will have changed our Millinery Department into a veritable Linen Fairyland, to which we invite every admirer of beauty, art and quality in high grade linen.

A Fact well worth Remembering

The Linen market has been on a steady upward trend for some time back. We commenced to purchase and plan for this linen sale as far back as last March, and as a consequence the linens we are offering you to-day are in many, in fact most instances less than the present wholesale prices. This is not a careless statement made up for the purpose of using up newspaper space, but an actual fact which we are fully prepared to back up with the goods.

Slightly Imperfect Cloths

And Napkins to match, at a discount of 20 to 30 per cent. Sets of Cloths and Napkins to match, at per set

\$6 up to \$20

Slightly Imperfect Napkins

Good qualities at from 25 to 30 per cent. discount.

Damask Towels, extra values in Huck Towels, Towellings. Bleached and unbleached Tablings.

Lunch Cloths, Centres, Carvers, Etc.

Further information will be given you from day to day as the sale progresses.

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Below is a list of Regular and Sale Prices:

Sponge Holder	\$2.50	\$2.00
Comb, Soap and Brush Holder	3.50	2.75
Plated Toilet Paper Holder	2.00	1.50
Ditto (Ebony)	1.40	1.00
Tub Soap Holder	0.65	0.50
Sponge and Soap Holder	1.50	1.15
Glass Towel Bar	1.50	1.15
Soap Dish	1.35	1.10
Soap Dish	1.50	0.75
3-Bar Towel Rack	1.50	1.15
Shower Bath Rings	2.00	1.50

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DISTRICT

THAMESVILLE

Thamesville, Feb. 12.—A farewell surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Hetherington on Wednesday evening before their removal to their new home in Zone.

Miss M. Ellis is home at present. Edna Macpherson was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Bateman, last week.

We are sorry to hear of Miss Sadie Hetherington's illness.

Jim and Harvey Patrick have purchased a new graphophone.

Miss Coughlin spent the week end at her home in town.

David Macpherson is recovering from an attack of la grippe.

A number from here attended the dance at Mr. Welsh's Wednesday evening.

PARROTT-SHAW

A very pleasant event took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shaw, Lindsay Road, Feb. 6th, when their eldest daughter, Mabel, was united in marriage to Harry B. Parrott, of Tupperville. At 7.30 o'clock the bride, leaning on the arm of her father, entered the parlor to the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Gertrude Baker, The Rev. S. Edwards, of Dawn Mills, officiated.

The bride was tastefully dressed in white organdie trimmed with Valenciennes and ribbon. Her going away suit was of green chiffon broadcloth, with hat to match.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Jeanie, the groom being supported by his brother, Mr. Lindsay S. Parrott, of Chatham.

After the ceremony about 45 guests partook of a sumptuous supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Parrott were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents, showing the high esteem in which the young couple are held among the gifts was a handsome rocking chair from the Lindsay Road choir, of which the bride has been a member for a number of years.

The happy couple left for their home near Tupperville, amid showers of rice and good wishes.

Mrs. Parrott will be at home to her friends after March 1st.

THE CARNIVAL

From present indications the fancy dress carnival at the rink Friday night will be a success. It is optional as to whether or not those in costume wear a mask. The prizes are to be awarded to Chatham people. Outsiders are allowed to participate, but the awards will be made to local citizens. Those who come for the fancy skating prize will not require to be in costume. The prize for lady in best costume is a locket and chain, to the gentleman a fob. In the fancy skating contest the prize, if won by a gentleman, a set of military brushes, and if won by a lady a beautiful hair brush. The barrel race will be fully explained at the rink. It will furnish a lot of fun. The band will be in attendance and, of course, as soon as prizes are awarded and the barrel race run off, the ice will be open for all skaters. In VonGuten's window you will see the prizes.

HOCKEY

The much talked of hockey game, C. P. R. vs. G. T. R., will be played off to-night at the rink. The following will be the line-up:

G. T. R.—Morrell, g.; Chrysler, p.; Ward, c. p.; Wallace, r.; La Belle, c.; McKie, r. w.; Causgrove, f. w.; C. P. R.—Burgess, g.; Fremlin, p.; Allan, c. p.; Groves, f.; Coates, c.; Gregory, f. w.; Palmer, r. w.

Almost every great result has a small beginning.

FASHIONS IN HAIR

Ladies who wish to perfect their appearance and learn all about hair should call on Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto, who will be at the Garner House on Thursday, Feb. 14th, with a big stock of his famous hair goods, wigs, switches, pompadours, transformations, wavy fronts, etc., all the latest from Paris, Boston, London, Berlin, and other fashion centers. A visit is sure to prove profitable.

It is better to be carried away by enthusiasm than by a patrol wagon.

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Mr. D. B. Trott, will be leaving for the West in a few days to take up his home there permanently. Before leaving he desires to dispose of his

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MARKETS

In spite of the fact that half fare rates prevailed on the Electric Road this morning, with the object of helping to create a real live mid-week market, there was a very small attendance on the Square. A turkey and a few ducks was the extent of the product of the farm offered for sale. It will take a little time, however to acquaint the people in the country of the half-fare rates, and we shall probably in a few weeks see a marked improvement in the number of sellers at the Wednesday market. The ducks offered to-day were quoted at 30 to 40 cents each, and the turkey at \$1.50.

Following is the price list:

DAIRY PRODUCE

Butter, per pound, 25c.
Cream, per quart, 30c.
Cheese, per cake, 25c.
Chickens, each, 30c to 50c.
Ducks, 30c. to 40c.
Eggs, per dozen, 28c to 30c.
Geese, 50c to \$1.50.
Geese wings, per pair, 5c.
Honey, in rock, 12c; in pail, 15c.
Headcheese, per lb., 10c.
Turkeys, 75c to \$3.50.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Apples, per peck, 15c.
Beans, per quart, 6c.
Carrots, per peck, 15c.
Cauliflowers, in brine, 25c to 40c 100.
Celery, per bunch, 10c.
Cauliflowers, each 5c. to 10c.
Cabbage, 5c.
Hickory nuts, per quart, 10c.
Hominy, per quart, 5c.
Lettuce, three heads for 5c.
Lard, per pound, 12c and 13c.
Majorm, per bunch, 5c.
Mixed pickles, per bottle, 15c.
Onions, per peck, 20c to 30c.
Pop corn, per dozen, 10c.
Potatoes, peck, 20c; bag, \$1.
Peas, per peck, 15c.
Peppers, per doz., 8c to 10c.
Pears, per peck, 15c to 20c.
Pork, per pound, 9c and 10c.
Popcorn, popped, per quart, 5c.
Squash, each, 10 to 25c.
Sweet cider, per gallon, 20c.
Sauerkraut, per gallon, 20c.
Savory, per bunch, 5c.
Sage, two bunches for 5c.
Tobacco, per ball, \$2.
Tobacco, per bunch, 5c.
Turnips, per peck, 10c.
Turnips, per bunch, 5c.
Vegetable marrow, two for 5c.
Vegetable oysters, per bunch, 5c.
Walnuts, per quart, 5c.

FISH

Herring, 10c.
Pickrel, 12c.

ENGLISH SPAIN LINIMENT removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and blemishes from horses, blood spavin curbs, splints, ringbone, swellings, stifles, sprains, sore and swollen throat, coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by W. W. Turner.

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Much money to buy clothing at our February prices.—Think of Men's Suits, well made, of excellent materials for \$6.95—yet we can show you plenty of them, or an Overcoat at \$8.50 that we usually sell at \$12.00. Plenty of just such bargains to be found without much searching.—Come in and see for yourself.

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There is nothing better than a pair of Shoes or House Slippers for a present.

Men's Fancy Velvet Slippers, all sizes, 75c. to \$1.00.

Men's Leather Slippers, all sizes, 75c. to \$3.50.

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Dainty patterns of Val Lace and Insertion, new 1907 patterns at 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c and 15c per yard.

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Extra fine quality, per yard 75c.

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25 pieces of Corset Cover Embroidery, new patterns, good quality, all finished with beading, reg. 35c and 40c qualities, special 24c.

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30 pieces of good quality Lawn Embroidery, 5 1/2 in. wide, reg. 15c, special 7 1/2c.

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