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SPOOKS AT TECUMSEH

Uncanny Apparitions Have Been Seen at the old Churchyard

Now the Inhabitants Closely Bar Them-selves Within the House at Nightfall

Spooks or some mysterious spirits have paid the village of Tecumseh a visit lately, and as a result, the inhabitants of that hamlet lock themselves in their dwellings at nightfall and do not unbar the doors until the sun makes its appearance in the morning. As is usual in such cases, the spirit made its appearance in the vicinity of the cemetery, to the south of the village and the eye-witnesses of the apparition established new spirit records in their flight for cover. The next morning they confided the news to their neighbors, and it spread all over the place. Some hardy young fellows decided to investigate the matter for themselves. Accordingly they repaired to the cemetery and evidently saw something, for they arrived home exhausted from running.

One of the first men to witness the uncanny sight was a school teacher and, in relating his experiences, he says that what he saw looked like two balls of fire running near the earth, and when they met they took on the shape of a human being. His companion also vouches for this description of the strange sight. Some of the residents are outspoken in their belief that the disturbance has been caused over the establishment of the separate school in the village of Tecumseh. The teacher, who is a Catholic, has opposed the separate school, and, in fact, has charge of the public school. A close relative of his died lately, and it is believed by some of the superstitious ones that it is the spirit of this relative who takes this unearthly way of showing his displeasure over the way his kinsman is acting.

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ONTARIO CONSERVATIVES PREPARE FOR THE COMING ELECTIONS

Conference of the Leading Men of the Party at Toronto—Addresses Full of Confidence—Organization Well Under Way.

Toronto, May 28.—A caucus of Ontario Conservatives, M. P.'s, M. P.'s, local candidates and county association presidents was held to-day. The visit of the Dominion leader, Mr. R. L. Borden, inspired the meeting, and when this morning's session opened the new head of the party was greeted with enthusiasm, and kept the spirit of the gathering up to a high pitch by a stirring and hopeful speech. Mr. J. P. Whitney was in the chair. All the speakers expressed confidence that the coming Ontario elections would result in the return of Mr. Whitney and his followers to power. Mr. Whitney is very hopeful himself and urged the stalwarts to get into harness at once, and success would crown their efforts. Mr. Whitney and Mr. Borden had to leave early in order to go to St. Catharines, where they speak this afternoon.

Dr. Beattie Nesbitt then took the chair, and the convention proceeded to organize by naming a committee to strike standing committees. This afternoon the forthcoming Ontario campaign received attention, and every arrangement was made for perfect organization in all the constituencies of the province.

At the close of the conference of the executive of the Ontario Conservative Association to-night it was stated that the meeting to-day had been a most successful and harmonious one, and that inspiring addresses had been given by Messrs. Borden and Whitney. The day was devoted to looking over the field in the coming Ontario election and mapping out the work to be done. Mr. Whitney was assured that in the contest the full strength of the organization would be placed at his service.

TO-DAY'S BIG BUDGET OF WAR HAPPENINGS

Invaders Checked by the Swift Movement of the British Columns—Boer Mobility Seriously Impaired by Losses of Horses—Lord Kitchener's Latest Reports.

London, May 28.—Gen. Kitchener reports to the War Office as follows: "Since my last telegram on the subject the columns report:—Boers killed, 63; Boers wounded, 36; Boers captured, 267; Boers surrendered, 43. There have been captured 246 rifles and 2,000 rounds of small arms ammunition, besides a large undetailed capture, including 179 wagons and a number of horses."

INVADEES CHECKED. Cape Town, May 28.—The dash of Kitchener's invaders at Cape Colony to the south was checked at Vandersburg by the swift movement of Goring's and other columns. The invaders, finding their way barred, swerved to the north-east toward Cloeth. The continued capture of horses by the British is appreciably impairing the Boers' mobility.

THE WEEK'S SUMMARY. The official summary of the week's military operations show that Col. Hendrikus van der Merwe's commando from the hills at Graaff Reinet to the Somerset boundary, to the hills fifteen miles north of Aberdeen. Letezan's force is still hovering about Zuurberg, where 200 invaders are reported. A patrol of Cape police were attacked by superior numbers at Papphof, north-east of Banger. The British succeeded in keeping the Boers at bay, until they were reinforced.

THE BOERS DISCOMFITED. A force of a hundred Boers who were moving to attack Kenhardt were met by seventy Border Scouts near Douglas. The firing lasted six hours, and resulted in the disarmament of the Boers, who fled towards Khamas country. They lost 15 killed, 7 wounded and 2 prisoners. The British had one man accidentally wounded. The total number of Boer prisoners to date is 18,578.

BOERS SURRENDER. London, May 28.—A despatch from Pietermaritzburg says:—Two Boers, including Nicholson, late adjutant to General Beyers, came in under a flag of truce to ask terms of surrender for 90 men, mostly ex-officials. The British terms were stated, and the Boers accepted them. The batch which surrendered included Barand Vorster and Mr. Hovstek, former Landdrost of Pieterburg.

FLOGGED A SCOUT. John Bok, one of three Namaqualand Border Scouts taken prisoners by the Boers when they raided Pella on March 2, has arrived in the British camp with his back terribly lacerated. He was taken with the other two men to Kukumas, where all three were cruelly flogged with a trace, Bok receiving 112 lashes, and the other two 150 and 107 lashes respectively. The three were then sentenced to death and were made to dig their own graves, but the sentence was eventually commuted to one of enslavement to a burgler. Bok was taken to Brykap and there he effected his escape. Upon arriving here he reported to Col. Shilton, who ordered him to be medically examined. He was found to be still suffering from the brutal treatment he had received, and the commander ordered photographs taken of his back. Bok stated that he fainted while being flogged. Fromman was judge, and the well-known rebel, John Louw, was on the bench when the sentence was given.

MORE BOER PRISONERS. It is explained that about 1,000 Boers will arrive at Pretoria from the north and the Middleburg district in a few days.

HIS COLLAR BONE BROKEN. Capt. Maxwell, aide-de-camp to Lord Kitchener, met with an accident while playing polo on Saturday. He was thrown from his horse and broke his collar bone.

DEADLY CURIOSITY. Pretoria, May 28.—The Boer General Schoeman and his daughter have been killed, and his wife and two others have been badly injured by the explosion of a shell. Gen. Schoeman, his family and some friends were examining a 47-inch lyddite shell, which they kept in the house as a curiosity, when the shell exploded, killing the General on the spot, and mortally injuring his wife and two other persons. General Schoeman was a great Colosseus, and surrendered on the occupation of Pretoria. He was afterwards captured by the Boers, and released when the British occupied Pieterburg. The General then went on a peace mission, was re-taken by the



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Boers, and was again released when the British took Pieterburg. Since that time Gen. Schoeman had resided in Pretoria.

THE CANADIANS. Ottawa, Ont., May 28.—Information was received in the city to-day that the 1,200 Canadians who went out to join the South African Constabulary have been sent up country with the exception of 18, who are down with measles at Cape Town. Five hundred men have gone to Bloemfontein 400 to Heidelberg and 300 to King'sburg. Four men died on the way out, and two at Cape Town. The men who are sick caught the measles from children on board the transport.

BEEEN GIVEN COMMISSIONS. Captain Swift, of Quebec, and Capt. Searth, of the North-West Mounted Police, have been appointed to commissions in the South African Constabulary. Capt. Swift sails for South Africa on June 1st, but Capt. Searth, who is at present in the Yukon, will not be able to leave for some time.

DIED OF DYSENTERY. Ottawa, May 28.—The Department of Militia received a cable to-day from Johannesburg stating that Trooper W. J. C. Brown died of dysentery at Bloemfontein, 21st May. Next of kin, Samuel Brown, Kirkton, Ont., father.

FIRE AT DELAGOA BAY. Cape Town, May 28.—A despatch from Natal says that there has been a big fire at Delagoa Bay, and a block of the finest and most modern buildings was destroyed. This included the treasury building. Most of the records and documents which were stored in this building were burned. Great stores of war material which were stored in the public works stores was saved.

"FIGHTING MAC." London, May 28.—King Edward received Gen. Hector Macdonald, A. D. C., on his return from active service in South Africa, and conferred upon him the honor of knighthood, and invested him with the insignia of a Knight Commander of the Order of the Bath, Military Division.

A FORLORN HOPE. Berlin, May 28.—Special despatches from St. Petersburg assert that Dr. Henderick Muller and Dr. Leyds, representing the late Boer Republics, have appealed formally to the Hague arbitration court, promising to abide by the decision of the tribunal regarding the issues involved in the South African war, and pointing out that several of the paragraphs of the constitution of the army court signed by the powers represented at the peace conference bear directly upon the South African case.

JACK-THE-RIPPER AGAIN AT WORK. Another Shocking Case Occurs in Whitechapel—Victim Badly Mutilated. London, May 28.—A sensational murder and case of mutilation has occurred in a low lodging-house in Dorset street, Whitechapel, close to the scene of the "Jack-the-Ripper" murders of 1888. The victim, a woman named Annie Austin, 28 years old, was found lying in a bedroom on Sunday morning, and was removed to a hospital, where she expired.

The murderer escaped, and the police were not notified of the crime until early yesterday. The murderer's long start and the total lack of a description of him render his apprehension unlikely.

The wounds on the victim's body are too revolting for description. The woman was conscious when found, but died without making a statement.

The police are apprehensive of further outrages and a panic has been created in the neighborhood.

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H. MACAULAY

May 29, 1921

World of Sport

BASEBALL

National League—
Pittsburg 7, Brooklyn 8.
New York 0, St. Louis 1.
Cincinnati 0, Philadelphia 1.
American League—
Chicago 5, Baltimore 14.
Milwaukee 3, Philadelphia 4.
Rain at Cleveland.
Wet grounds at Detroit.
Canadian League—
Montreal 2, Toronto 4.
Rain at Syracuse.
Wet grounds at Worcester and Buffalo.

CANADIANS WON

Ithaca, May 28.—The Toronto lacrosse team defeated Cornell at Percy Field today, by a score of 11 to 2. The Canadians played a fast and brilliant game and their team work surprised that of Cornell.

WILL ACCOMPANY THE OTHER.
Glasgow, May 28.—After consultation with Mr. Fife, Sir Thomas Lipton has decided to send the Shamrock I to America with the challenger, in order that he may continue the cup races right up to the date of the cup races. This was a surprise, as an additional £24,000, but Sir Thomas Lipton is confident that the advantage to be gained justifies the expense. Captain Wiggins will command the Shamrock I with the same crew.

One business in which most of the inhabitants of the country are engaged, and which is never affected by the tariff or by hard times, is the business of getting ready for manhood and womanhood. All young people are "bound out" to this trade; though a few of them, it must be confessed, are shirkers and idlers and incompetents.

A Chinese newspaper contains the announcement that a certain dancing master will hold a religious service in honor of the one hundredth anniversary of his ancestor, who was the first of the family to take up dancing as a profession.

GRAND TRUNK'S BROCHURE

Company's Latest Publication Shows Art in Advertising.

Art in advertising is a feature that the Grand Trunk Railway Company does not lose sight of when issuing any of its advertising matter, and it can be safely said that the publications issued are second to none. The best of printing material that goes to make up a handsome tout-ensemble is used and every particular as regards the execution of the work is carefully looked after. This is practically demonstrated in the new publication, issued by the advertising department, relative to the unrivalled service from the West to Portland, Me., in connection with the transatlantic service given by the Dominion line of steamships to Europe. The brochure is entitled, "Across the Atlantic via Portland, Me.," it is printed in five colors on enameled coated paper and gives an exhaustive and accurate description of the trip from Chicago and other Western points over the Grand Trunk to its eastern points over terminus at Portland.

The cover is a very fine piece of half-tone engraving depicting a scene in the harbor of Portland, reproduced from a view taken from the shore of South Portland and showing one of the Dominion line steamers leaving port. The large elevators belonging to the Grand Trunk show up prominently in the design, and with Mountjoy hill looming up on the left, a real little picture is presented. The text is printed in two colors and profusely illustrated with scenes along the route. The illustrations are printed in the halftone process, a unique style of printing introduced by the Grand Trunk, and which has been found most effective in enhancing the lights and shadows of the half-tones. An engraving in colors of the funnel marks and house flags of the principal transatlantic steamships is also shown.

SATISFIED WITH THE SOO.

Sault Ste. Marie, May 27.

Editor Planet:
In your issue of May 15th I noticed an article under the title of "all is not gold that glitters," and signed Wm. Derchan.

Now I don't know anything about Mr. Derchan or his circumstances, but I have lived in Chatham, in fact my home is not over thirty miles from there, and I also have lived in the Soo, and I know that if a man is endowed with an average amount of brains and ambition he can make a far better living in Sault Ste. Marie than he can in Chatham.

Of course there are people here who come here with the expectation of making a fortune in a summer, and consequently were disappointed, and now are kicking about it. Well, my advice to such people is if they are not getting as much money as they can get elsewhere, and if they can't get the mayor to run the town just to suit them, why, my dear friend, don't you get out of such a beastly hole and stop your chewing.

I have seen several letters in Chatham papers lately, written by former Chathamites who are here in the Soo, and they all have the same story, yet they stay right here. How do you account for it? When a man doesn't do fairly well in a town he generally moves somewhere else.

In regard to people walking the streets here because they could not get a room—well, rooms are not at all that scarce here, but when you spend your last nickel to get to a place there is generally some difficulty in securing a room anywhere except at the look-up.

Mr. Derchan's statement about the steel plant is correct, but he seems to have read Mr. Fleming's letter in the wrong way, or else it was a printer's mistake, as the information



THE WOMAN TEMPTED ME

The Club Came to the Conclusion that There are Slogans—Codes of Ethics.

It was properly speaking, the afternoon set aside by the woman's club for the discussion of miscellanea. Before the members could be called to order, however, one of the number started an informal talk on a subject somewhat nearer home, and the matter of missions was allowed to go over to the next meeting.

The member waved aloft a newspaper and read an extract describing arrests made in a saloon which was violating the closing law by being open on Sunday. The men and women were all taken to the station house. In closing the account of the very ordinary occurrence the paper said:

"The proprietor was held for trial for violation of the liquor law. The Magistrate committed the women to jail for a month each. He discharged the thirty-five men."

"This," said the member with the newspaper, "is such a common happening that it is hardly worth mentioning, but it is very high as an item of news, because there is only very little space given to it. But it makes me wonder, the unchallenged, think of the law as it is interpreted. 'Court of justice,' indeed! 'I committed the women to jail for a month each. He discharged the thirty-five men!'"



"There is something appalling in this inequality. I should like to know why it is always the woman who must bear the brunt of the moral storm. From the time of Adam, who tried to make Eve responsible for his downfall, the story is the same. Some men and women were aiding the proprietor of a saloon to break the law by buying drinks from him. If that is an offence, why were not both men and women held to account instead of just the women? If it was not an offence why were the women held at all?"

None of the other women was ready with an explanation. But many were anxious to corroborate the first speaker. Said one:

"You notice the same thing on the stage. The custom of making the woman suffer solely for the transgressions of all has become so common that a dramatist never thinks of presenting a scene where the man is the sinner in a light other than that of being a villain. Did you ever hear of a man shutting his doors in the face of the male sinner and opening it to the woman sinner? Hardly. It is always the reverse of the situation."

After some further discussion there club came to the conclusion that there are separate codes of ethics for the sexes. They hadn't accomplished anything in the way of bettering the conditions, but they felt ever so much happier for having freed their minds.

For the Sick Room.
Wash two ounces of pearl barley, and put into a saucepan with one and a half pints of water and the rind of a lemon. Boil slowly for an hour; strain and add the juice of a small lemon; sweeten to taste.

Wash one ounce of linseed, put it into a saucepan with one quart of cold water, some bicarbonate, and one ounce of the best sugar candy. Simmer for half an hour, then strain and drink hot.

Toast a slice of bread evenly to a nice brown; it must not be allowed to burn. Put it into a jug and pour cold water over it; allow it to stand some time, closely covered; strain and use. Some people use boiling water, but the toast water will not be so clear as if made with cold.

Beat a fresh egg with a pint of milk, lukewarm, add a tablespoonful of capillane, which is made by boiling a pound of lump sugar with one and a half pints of water until it thickens. Next add a tablespoonful of rosewater and a pinch of ground nutmeg. Drink night and morning until the cough is relieved.

Put a small bunch of sage, two sprigs of balm, and a little sorrel into a china jug, having first washed and dried them; peel a lemon very thinly; slice the lemon and put it with the sprigs of balm and sorrel in the jug; pour on it three pints of boiling water. Sweeten to taste and cover closely. Take a wineglassful, cold, twice or three times a day.

What to Read in Finger Nails.
Long nails never indicate such great physical strength as short, broad ones. Very long finger nails indicate that a person has colds and lungs.

Long nails, very wide at the top and bluish in appearance, denote bad circulation. Long-nailed men and women are less critical and more impressionable than those with short nails.

Long nails indicate idealism and an artistic temperament. Long-nailed people are apt to be very visionary and hate to face disagreeable facts.

Short-nailed men never give up an argument. A keen sense of humor accompanies short nails.

Short-nosed persons make good critics; they are sharper and more logical than long-nosed people, and usually more positive in assertion.

Short nails, very flat and sunken as it were into the flesh at the base, are a sign of diseased nerves.

Short nails, very flat and inclined to curve out or up at the edges, are the forerunners of paralysis.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.
Toronto, May 20—10 a. m. — Light
winds, cool and cloudy, with occasional
showers. Thursday, continued cool
and unsettled.

The following official figures were
registered at noon today at Burt's
weather bureau:—
Barometer, 29.5.
Thermometer, 50.
Highest yesterday, 47.
Direction of wind, north.
Rainfall, 19 tons to the acre.

TO-NIGHT.

Court Hope, A. O. F., meet to-night
at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

E. S. Sales, of Merlon, is in the city
to-day.

Robert Tait, of London, is in the city
to-day.

W. W. Scane is erecting some new
bill boards on Queen street.

There will be a rehearsal of the I.
O. O. F. degree staff to-night.

Letitia A. Long died May 28th, at
her late residence, Chatham township,
concession three, aged 41 years. Ar-
rangements for the funeral are not yet
made.

Mr. Maclean, Baxter street, has a
hen that lays large eggs. He has
two on exhibition at James' Paul's
store. One measures 7 1/2 x 1 1/4 and
weighs 3 1/2 ounces, and the other is
8 1/2 x 1 1/4 and weighs 4 ounces.

With the midmonth of the year
come countless athletic contests and
sturdy efforts to lower records. Mr.
James S. Mitchell, in Chatham township,
recalls the existence of some hard
nuts yet left to crack by the athletic
giants of the past. Fifty years is a
long era, yet some have stood that.
There is work ahead for athletic as-
pirants.

Foreman Mike O'Mara, of the
waterworks department, says that the
concrete under the King street
pavement where the hole was made
in front of J. R. Reid's former store,
was shovelled out like sand. The con-
crete used seemed to have no binding
power and the pavement might just
as well have been put down with
ashes.

FOR SALE

New cottage at Erieau, for sale.
Four bedrooms, dining room, sitting
room, kitchen, verandah on front, one
side and back. Lot 50 by 150 feet, runs
back to the Eau. Will sell at a bar-
gain.

House on Raleigh street, and large
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Fire Insurance. Money to Loan.
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LIKELY GRAFT FOR LAWYERS

North Chatham Citizens Mingle in Dis-
pute Over the Impounding
of a Horse.

North Chatham, this week has been
the scene of some dispute between
two citizens over the impounding of
a horse.

Chas. Raynor, st., St. Clair street,
went into his barn to hitch his horse
on Monday. The animal broke away
and ran down the street. Chas.
O'Brien had his horse out in front
of his place at the time and the gate
was open. Some children tried to
stop Mr. Raynor's horse and it ran
in at O'Brien's gate. The latter
shut the gate and ordered Mr. Raynor
off the place.

O'Brien then took the horse to the
pound kept by C. Morrell and put
in a bill for damages. Mr. Raynor
refused to pay the bill and secure
his horse.

At last accounts both men were
consulting lawyers and there is some
probability of a civil suit and money
for some members of the legal pro-
fession.

HESSIAN FLY KNOCKED OUT

The wet weather has injured the Out-
look for this year—Crops are
Promising.

John Dowley, of Raleigh, while in
the city this week, stated there never
was such a show for wheat in Ra-
leigh as there is this year.

The wet weather has been a great
boon to the farmers as regards their
wheat crop and this grain is growing
luxuriantly.

The Hessian fly has no chance to do
any damage to the wheat when it has
attained such growth as it now has.
The damp, cold weather also is not
conducive to the thriving of the Hes-
sian fly and will be a material factor
in checking the ravages this year.

The early wheat on light land is a
little thin, but all other fields are
looking splendid.

R. C. S. SCHOOL PICNIC.

The R. C. S. school section No. 9,
Harwich, will hold its annual picnic
on Thursday, June 13th, in Jos.
Rush's grove, lot 17, con. 4, Harwich.
The chair will be occupied by Mr.
Geo. Stephens, accompanied by other
prominent speakers. Music will be
furnished by Orr's orchestra. Re-
freshments on the ground. Come
and have a good time. All are in-
vited.

JOHN DOWNEY, Chairman.
JOS. SCHINDLER, Secretary.
21w

OUR MAYOR.

The current number of the Bee
Hive, the official organ of the Macca-
bees, contains a cut of Mayor Sul-
man, of whom it speaks as follows:

"Geo. W. Sulman, another Supreme
Representative, is the handsome, pop-
ular mayor of Chatham, where the
next Provincial Macabees Review will
be held. He is the head of a large
business firm whose lines extend
throughout Ontario. He has strong
social qualities, is very popular, and
in his public and private life is an
example for all to follow. He is an
ardent Macabee, an orator of abili-
ty, and is sure to be heard from in
the councils of our order."

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POND'S EXTRACT**
COOLS, COMFORTS AND
HEALS THE SKIN, EN-
DURING THE MOST IN-
FER FACE TO ENJOY A
CLOSE SHAVE WITHOUT
UNPLEASANT RESULTS.
Avoid dangerous, irritat-
ing With Hazard present one
represented to be "the same
as" Pond's Extract, which
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contains "wood alcohol," a
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Pain-Killer
(PERRY DAVIS')
From Capt. F. L. Lyle, Police Station No.
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blains, cramps, and all ailments which
befall men in our position. I have no hesi-
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work neatly and reason-
ably.

Dingman's

Books and Stationary
King St., Chatham.

ON ADVICE

OF ENGINEER

Supt. Jones Says the King St. Water
Connections are Being so Made.

Supt. Jones, of the waterworks de-
partment says that he consulted the
city engineer as to whether it would
be best to take up the sidewalk or the
pavement to make the connection at
J. R. Reid's former store, and he said
it was best to take up the pavement.

The water connections are all laid to
within 16 inches of the curb. When
the pavement was about to be laid the
waterworks department laid mains to
the curb in front of all the stores on
King street.

The pipes, however, were
not carried through to the stores, be-
cause holes would have had to be
bored through the brick walls and
there was no telling when the stores
would want to use the water, and the
expense of laying the pipes would have
been great.

At the time these con-
nections were made it was the inten-
tion to leave the poles on the street
and to move the curb out to the poles.

The poles, however, were moved in 16
inches. The waterworks department
had intended to have movable stones
over the connections, so that pipes
could be run out from the stores and
connected, and they were going to
utilize the 16 inches of sidewalk that
would of necessity have to be built for
putting down these movable stones.

The moving of the poles, however, has
changed all this, and now either the
pavement or the walks have to be
taken up.

If it is asthma, bronchitis, croup, or any
such trouble, use Vapo-Cresolene. All Druggists.

Auction Sale of Household FURNITURE

Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer,
has received instructions from Mrs.
Robert McDonald to sell without re-
serve, on all her household effects on

TUESDAY, JUNE 4

at one o'clock at her residence, corner
of Joseph and Sekirk streets, North
Chatham, consisting of the follow-
ing:—

One parlor suite, one parlor Brus-
sel carpet, one easel, centre table,
blinds, rockers, pictures, seven pairs
lace curtains, hall and stair carpet,
sideboard, dining table, parlor stove,
platform rocker, dining room chairs,
linoleum, hanging lamp, ice-box, one
Imperial Jewel coal stove with oven,
parlor lamp, Brussel carpet, one fancy
oak bedroom suite, one walnut set-
oak rocker, wool carpet, mattress and
springs, one ash suite, mattress and
springs, carpet, blinds, one single bed
and mattress, cook stove, clothes
horse, cane rocker, wood chairs, pic-
tures, 18 yards rag carpet, blinds,
curtain poles, couch, dishes, five dozen
sealers, ladder, tubs, contents of
pantry, garden tools, one large tent
and other articles too numerous to
mention.

The above furniture is all in good
shape, and as Mrs. McDonald is leav-
ing for Sault Ste. Marie, all will be
sold without reserve. Remember day
and date, Tuesday, June 4th, at one
o'clock.

A. THOMSON, JR.,
Auctioneer.

MRS. R. McDONALD,
Proprietress. m29 j4-5

Chatham's
Greatest Store | C. Austin & Co. | Chatham's
Cheapest Store

The Last Days of May Should be Busy Ones

WE WANT extra business the balance
of this week to offset the effects of the
rainy days. You will find convincing bargains
all over the store. We tell you of only a few,
the others are just as good. Come expecting,
come prepared to secure extra values that are
going this week.

HOSIERY

You need a heavy quality of cot-
ton hose this cool weather. Here are
two special lines. One in Misses and
boys, the other in ladies.

1. Misses and boys heavy cotton
hose, wide or narrow rib, plain seam-
less foot, double heel and toe, guar-
anteed stainless, sizes 5 to 9 1-2,
prices according to size, 12 1-2c to
20c.

2. Ladies plain cotton hose with
cashmere for natural wool sole, heel
and toe, high spliced ankles, double
heel and toe, very suitable for spring
wear, 25c. pair.

50c BLACK CASHMERE FOR 40c

Two pieces 50c. all-wool cashmere,
jet black, and blue black, 44 in. wide,
rich bright finish; best dye, special
this week at 40c.

Seven gore skirt, circular flounces,
taffeta silk band and linette lining
and brush binding, made to your order
off this line, for \$3.75.

2 pieces 13 inch checked glass towel-
ling, worth 5c yard, special 3c yard.

8 pieces new 36 inch percales, in
beautiful shirt waist patterns, regu-
lar 12 1-2c quality 10c.

A CARPET CHANCE

EXTRAORDINARY

Four pieces (about 400 yards) of all-
wool carpet, regularly worth 75c per
yard. On sale Thursday and Friday,
for 50c. yard.

These carpets are made of good clear
yarns and will give splendid wear.
They are part of a line we are clearing
out, hence the reduction.

85c SURA SILK FOR 60c

One piece black sura silk, 21 in. wide,
bright finish, heavy twill, all pure silk
finished on both sides, wear and col-
or guaranteed, regular price 85c, for
a leader this week at 60c yd.

1 piece heavy twilled unbleached
twill sheetings, regular 23c yard, for
17c yard.

We have still a lot of mill ends in
canton flannels, regular 8c value,
for 5c yard.

White bedspreads, 10-4 size, \$1.25
quality, for 90c.

1 piece only Kentucky Jean, regu-
lar 20c value, for 15c yard.

4 more pieces of that 35 inch check-
ed apron gingham, regular 9c, for
6 1-2c yard.

Clothing Department

LOOK YOUR BEST

Every man should take a pride in looking well dressed. It is capital to him. He
need not be extravagant; dress within his income, but dress well. He can do so when
his clothes are bought here. Cut and made by experts. Prices very reasonable.

YOU CAN BUY

MEN'S BUSINESS SUITS

Made from honest tweeds and serges
in plain and novelty patterns, single
breasted sack coats, single and double
breasted vests, dressy and business-
like, full range of sizes. Prices run
at \$6, \$7.50, \$8, \$9.

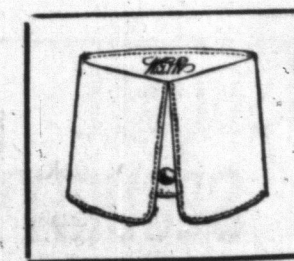
YOUNG MEN'S NOBBY SUITS

Made from all the new patterns
shown this season, neat shepherd
checks and pretty overplaids and
plain fine Wail serges, single breast-
ed sack coats, double and single
breasted vests, sizes 32 to 36, prices
range \$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$8 and \$10.

A TROUSER PURCHASE

We cleaned out two lines of Men's Pants from a big maker, made from all-wool
Tweeds, neat hair stripe and herringbone stripes, genteel and nobby, are regular value
at \$2.50, wearers.

ON SALE AT \$2.00



New Arrivals in

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POLE-CAREW, the new double Collar,
close fitting, height 2 1/2 inches, best quality
W. G. & R. celebrated Collars.

20c, 3 for 50c

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The New Military Stripe Tie

Just opened up, the reversible military Tie, plain blue and blue welt white,
stripes, plain red and red welt white stripes, and plain red and red welt black
stripes, very latest out, extra length, narrow Four-in-hand; handsome quality Silks,
genteel and pretty. See 'em.

50c

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Perfection Stamps the Wearer

Asks man of importance when the dress is right. Ill-fitting clothing
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Clothing to Order

will do both. Every little detail, anything that will add to the style or
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neglected. Our garments are perfect in every respect.

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 Whose successes are Without a
 Parallel: the Sufferer's Friend; the
 People's Specialist.

WOMEN weak, pale, tired, nervous,
 dependent, no ambition, losing flesh,
 fretful, overworked, given to worry
 and solitude, backache and headache,
 nerves strung, sleepless nights,
 limbs tremble, faint feeling, Leucor-
 rhoea, painful periods, or any Female
 Diseases, quickly cured by our FAM-
 OUS PRESCRIPTION.

YOUNG MEN led into evil habits,
 not knowing the harm, and who are
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 bility, Loss of Memory, Rashness,
 Confusion of Ideas, Headache, Dizzi-
 ness, Palpitation of the Heart, Weak
 Back, Dark Circles Around the Eyes,
 Pimples on the Face, Loss of Sleep,
 Faint Feelings in the Morning, Evil
 Temperaments, Dull, Stupid, Aversion to
 Society, No Ambition, Bad Taste in the
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 The SIGNS OF SYPHILIS are blood
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 can't afford to take any risk. Like fa-
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 ing remedy that will purify the Blood
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 many troubled with too frequent evac-
 uations of the bladder, often accom-
 panied by a slight smarting or
 burning sensation, and weakening of
 the system in a manner the patient
 cannot account for. On examination
 of the urinary deposits aropy sedi-
 ment will often be found, and some-
 times particles of albumen, and color
 of a thin milkish hue, again chang-
 ing to a dark, turbid appearance.
 There are men who die of this difficul-
 ty ignorant of the cause, which is the
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 doctors will guarantee perfect cure
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 tion of the genito-urinary organs.

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For the benefit of those who came
 during the week for opal goods and
 Chinaware at sale day prices, John
 McConnell will sell, on

Saturday, May 25th

first, at the same price as we sold on
 the 20th of April. Remember, after
 sale day goods advance to the usual
 retail price. We will also sell during
 the day dinner sets, tea sets, and
 chamber sets at cut rate prices.

Groceries for the Day

7 lbs. cooking figs, 25c.
 Dried peaches, 10c per lb.
 15c glass jar baking powder, for 10c.
 Six bars Sweet Home Soap, 25c.
 Corn starch, 6c per lb.
 1,000 parlor matches for 5c.
 1 lb. French roast coffee, 15c.
 1 bottle good pickles for 9c.
 1 lb. baking powder with meat saw
 for 35c.

Extra value in T of all kinds.

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EGGS for Hatching

From Barred Plymouth Rocks,
 and Black Minorcas, all from the
 best selected stock, good healthy
 birds; received first prize at the
 Peninsular Exhibition for heaviest
 eggs. Price for setting of 13 eggs
 \$1; special price for large quanti-
 ties.

All orders promptly filled.

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 etc.

FEATHERED FREAKS.

BIRDS WITHOUT WINGS AND BIRDS WITHOUT SONS.

The Penguin is a Bird That Walks
 and Swims, but Does Not Fly—A
 Bird That Can Run Faster Than the
 Swiftest Horse—The Tailor Bird.

Birds without wings are found in
 New Zealand and Australia. Kiwi is
 the name of one species. Beautiful
 mats are made of the feathers of the
 white variety, but it takes ten years
 and more to collect enough feathers to
 make even a small mat which would
 sell for about \$150.

Birds without song belong to Ha-
 waii. In Honolulu one sees a bird
 about the size of the robin, an inde-
 pendent sort of fellow, that walks
 about like a chicken, instead of hop-
 ping like a well trained bird of the
 United States, and it has no song.

A bird that walks and swims, but
 does not fly, is the penguin. No nests
 are made by penguins, but the one egg
 laid at a time by the mother is carried
 about under her absurd little wing or
 under her leg.

The largest of flight birds is the Cali-
 fornia vulture or condor, measuring
 from tip to tip 9 1/2 to 10 feet and ex-
 ceeding considerably in size the true condor
 of South America. The bird lays but
 one egg each season—large, oval, ashy
 green in color and deeply ridged, so
 distinctive in appearance that it can-
 not be confounded with any other.

The California condor is rapidly ap-
 proaching extinction and museums all
 over the world are eager to secure
 living specimens. It is believed that
 there is only one in captivity.

Another large bird is the rhinoceros
 bird, which is about the size of a tur-
 key. One recently shot on the island
 of Java had in its crop a rim from a
 small telescope and three brass but-
 tons, evidently belonging to a British
 soldier's uniform.

A bird which is swifter than a horse
 is the road runner of the southwest.
 Its aliases are the ground cuckoo, the
 lizard bird and the snake killer, snakes
 being a favorite diet. In northern
 Mexico, western Texas and southern
 Colorado and California it is found.
 The bird measures about two feet
 from tip to tip and is a dull brown in
 color. Its two legs are only about ten
 inches long, but neither horses with
 their four legs nor bounds nor electric
 racing machines are in it for swiftness
 when it comes to running.

Most curious are the sewing or tailor
 birds of India—little yellow things not
 much larger than one's thumb. To
 escape falling a prey to snakes and
 monkeys the tailor bird picks up a
 dead leaf and flies up to a high tree,
 and with a fiber for a thread and its
 bill for a needle sews the leaf on to a
 green one hanging from the tree. The
 bird is sewed up, an opening being
 left at the top. That a nest is swing-
 ing in the tree so snake or monkey or
 even man would suspect.

Many a regiment cannot compare in
 perfection of movement with the flight
 of the curlews of Florida winging their
 way to their feeding grounds miles
 away, all in uniform lines in unbroken
 perfection. The curlews are dainty
 and charming birds to see, some pink,
 some white.

Birds in flight often lose their bear-
 ings, being blown aside from their
 course by the wind. In this case they
 are badly off as a mariner without a
 compass in a strange sea on a star-
 less night.

All very young birds, by a wise pro-
 vision of nature, are entirely without
 fear until they are able to fly. The
 reason of the delayed development of
 fear is that, being unable to fly, the
 birds would struggle and fall from
 their nests at every noise and be killed.
 Suddenly, almost in a day, the birds
 develop the sense of fear, when their
 feathers are enough grown so that
 they can fly.

It is always a source of wonder to
 arctic explorers to find such quantities
 of singing birds within the arctic cir-
 cle. They are abundant beyond belief.
 But the immense crop of cranberries,
 crowberries and cloudberries that
 ripen in the northern swamps accounts
 for the presence of the birds.

A stick of wood seven inches long
 and a quarter of an inch in diameter
 was once taken from a wren's nest. It
 is very singular that so small and deli-
 cate a bird should use such rough ma-
 terial with which to construct its nest.
 If an eagle should use material pro-
 portioned to its size, its nest would be
 made up of fence rails and small saw
 logs.

The extraordinary situations in
 which nests are found occasionally al-
 most give one the impression that birds
 must be endowed with a sense of hu-
 mor. For instance, a wren built its
 nest upon a scarecrow, a dead sparrow-
 hawk, which a farmer had hung up to
 frighten away winged ravagers of his
 crop. In the pocket of an old jacket
 hanging in a barn a bird, also a wren,
 made its nest, which when discovered
 contained five eggs. It was a robin
 that raised a young family in a church
 pew and a robin that built its nest in
 the organ pipes of a church. Places of
 worship have always been favorite
 building places for birds.

Consideration.
 "My wife is very considerate," said
 the newly married man. "She is al-
 ways buying me neckties and colored
 shirts."
 "And I suppose you are considerate
 and generous in your turn?"
 "Yes, I wouldn't hurt her feelings
 for the world. I wear 'em."

The manuscripts of the fifteenth and
 sixteenth centuries are in many cases
 almost illegible on account of the fading
 of the ink. At that time the lamp-
 black inks passed out of use and chemi-
 cal inks became popular.

A Story in Sections.

"Some five years ago," said
 Black, "I was aboard a river steam-
 er on the Rio Grand. Among other
 cargo exposed to the sun was a
 crate of eggs. About noon the pur-
 ser, passing the crate heard a pecu-
 liar sound. He pulled off a board to
 investigate, when out hopped an
 army of chicks. They sported over
 the deck like penguins in an ice-
 field. The sun had been the incu-
 ator, sir."

Blue leisurely removed the ashes
 from his pipe, and said:

"Did you see me, Mr. Black?"

"No sir! Were you on board?"

"I was, and I saw you when you
 went ashore."

"Well, what became of the chick-
 ens, Mr. Blue?"

"They flourished, sir—just sprang
 up in the Texas sun like mushrooms
 in a damp cellar. Never saw any-
 thing like it sir. You could stand
 there and almost see them grow. It
 isn't exaggerating to say we had
 chicken eggs had been designed to
 hatch. When I got off at a lower land-
 ing, one of the young cocks crowed
 a parting salute."

Brown, who had silently been
 picking his nails with a toothpick,
 now spoke:

"Mr. Blue, do you remember see-
 ing me on the main deck when you
 got off?"

"No sir, were you there?"

"I was, sir."

"Well, I suppose you can take up
 the thread of those remarkable
 fowls?"

"I can. You say one of the cocks
 crowed a salute when you went
 ashore? Well, sir, that was just the
 beginning. Before sundown every
 cock in the lot was crowing in con-
 cert. By 10 o'clock the next morn-
 ing the pullets were laying eggs
 among the anchor chains. The origi-
 nal eggs had been designed to hatch.
 Landing. The pullets kept on
 laying until this landing was in
 sight. Then the pullets had the fresh
 eggs gathered up and put in the
 crate. The board was replaced, and
 you could see the crate had been
 tampered with. One hundred
 and two fowls, deducting the six
 that had gone on the table; also
 two dozen fresh eggs over. Quite
 profitable, eh, Mr. Blue? More so
 than Belgian hares?"

Fish-Balls Proved Decisive.

Tommy Denkle of Lower Hentley
 was slow in marrying, and the vil-
 lage and its vicinity took much inter-
 est in watching the progress of the
 languid but irresistible current which
 bore him toward matrimony. His
 drift up consecutively to each pret-
 ty girl in town; then to each attrac-
 tive spinster; then to each capable
 widow; at last—his early valuation
 of mere beauty having waned as his
 corpulence increased—he added help-
 lessly between two, both mature la-
 dies of notable housewifely capacity.
 Indeed, Silura May and Annie Bar-
 kins were reckoned the two best
 cooks in all the region roundabout,
 and Tommy, who was unmistakably
 a gourmand, was popularly supposed
 to be unable to make up his mind
 which was the better, and conse-
 quently, which to invite to share his
 home, heart and kitchen.

At last he married. Miss Barkins,
 rather to the surprise of his fellow-
 townsmen, who were inclined, in
 view of Silura May's plum pudding
 and election cake, to think he had
 made a mistake. One of them, a
 groomer, was popularly supposed
 to be unable to make up his mind
 which was the better, and conse-
 quently, which to invite to share his
 home, heart and kitchen.

"No, I ain't made a mistake, I'll own I
 considered Silura. She's a fine wo-
 man, Silura May—a fine woman; and
 she's took first prizes for that lec-
 tion cake of hers at her own do-
 mestic fair, and earned 'em. I don't
 believe gamboglia itself could beat
 Silura May's 'lection cake!'"

"Mr. Denkle presumably meant 'am-
 brosia,'" but his hearers found gam-
 bogia quite as impressive, and sup-
 posed it as classical.
 "It wa'n't undervaluein' of Silura's
 faculty decided me t'other way," he
 continued. "It was logic—jest logic.
 Said I to myself, 'Lecution cake and
 plum puddin' are mighty good, but
 they're mighty expensive, not to
 say indigestible, and folks can't live
 on 'em. I don't say if I took Silura
 I mightn't have reason for extra
 thankfulness. Thanksgivin's and
 Christmases, you on the other hand
 —here's the logic—if I take An-
 nie Barkins I'll be thankful I mar-
 ried them fish-balls every single Sat-
 day all my life!'"

Why Girls Cannot Throw.

Boys from time immemorial have
 made all manner of sport over the sub-
 ject of the inability of girls to throw
 a stone. They suppose, of course,
 that it is a matter of knack and
 practice, and that a girl could really
 throw a stone with as much force
 as a boy if she "knew how," and
 threw as many. A medical authori-
 ty suggests another reason.

The difference between a girl's
 throwing and a boy's is substantially
 this: The boy crooks his elbow and
 reaches back with the upper part of
 his arm about at right angles with
 his body, and the forearm at an an-
 gle of forty-five degrees. The direct
 act of throwing is accomplished by
 bringing the arm back with a sort
 of snap, working every joint from
 shoulder to wrist.

The girl throws with her whole arm
 rigid, the boy with his whole arm
 relaxed. Why this marked and unmis-
 takable difference exists may be ex-
 plained by the fact that the clavicle
 or collar-bone in the feminine anat-
 omy is some inches longer, and set
 some degrees lower down than in the
 masculine frame.
 The long, crooked, awkward bone
 interfere with the full and free use of
 the arm. This is the reason why a
 girl cannot throw a stone.

Illustrating the Difference.

Teacher—Of course, you understand
 the difference between liking and
 loving?
 Pupil—Yes, Miss; I like my father
 and mother, but I love apple pie.

WASP STINGS.

People Who Have Died From the Effects of Them.

In an article on the stings of wasps
 a British medical journal cites the two
 following cases which have come un-
 der its notice: A strong, healthy girl of
 27 was stung on the neck by a wasp
 and fainted. On regaining conscious-
 ness she complained of a general feel-
 ing of numbness and partial blindness
 and vomited. She suffered severe ab-
 dominal pain. She recovered in the
 course of a few hours. Two months
 later she was stung again, this time on
 the hand. Her face became flushed,
 she again complained of numbness and
 blindness, suddenly became very pale,
 fainted and died 25 minutes after she
 was stung.

Another case was that of a girl of 22
 years, who was stung by a wasp be-
 hind the angle of the jaw. The sting
 was at once extracted and ammonia
 applied. In a few minutes she com-
 plained of faintness and would have
 fallen if she had not been supported.
 Her face assumed an expression of
 great anxiety, and a few minutes later
 she was tossing on the bed, complain-
 ing of a horrible feeling of choking
 and of agonizing pain in the chest and
 abdomen. Brandy gave no relief. There
 was nausea, but no vomiting. She
 rapidly became insensible and died 15
 minutes after receiving the sting. The
 most probable explanation of such
 cases seems to lie in what is known as
 idiosyncrasy—that is, abnormal sensi-
 tiveness in particular individuals to
 certain toxic agents. It is well known
 that drugs vary much in action on dif-
 ferent people. What is a safe dose for
 one is dangerously large for another.
 The inability of some people to eat
 strawberries or shellfish is another in-
 stance of the same phenomenon. The
 active agent of bee stings is generally
 believed to be formic acid. It therefore
 seems very desirable that we should
 have more accurate information re-
 garding the action of this drug on dif-
 ferent species of the lower animals
 and through them on man himself.

KNOW THE NOON HOUR.

A Pair of Horses That Stopped When the Whistles Blew.

A pair of intelligent horses attracted
 the attention of a large crowd on Na-
 sau street at noon one day last week.
 They were attached to a heavily load-
 ed ice wagon coming down the steep
 grade between Cedar street and Maid-
 en lane and were holding back the
 wagon with a noticeable effort. When
 they were half way down the whistles
 blew for 12 o'clock. Suddenly the
 horses drew in toward the curb and
 began to plant their hind feet well for-
 ward to stop the wagon.

The driver made no effort to check
 them, and their hard work at once at-
 tracted notice. Pedestrians looked at
 the horses and then at the driver, who
 had a broad grin on his face. By hand
 the wagon was stopped. The driver
 sat still and watched his animal.
 One of them immediately be-
 gan rubbing his head against the neck
 of the other and with nods and pushes
 succeeded in rubbing his bridle off.
 Then the other horse took his turn at
 rubbing, and his bridle came off.

Fully 200 persons had watched this,
 and when it was completed the driver
 got down from his seat and swung a
 bag of oats over the nose of each an-
 imal. They stood there and ate their
 midday meal. The driver was patient
 and proud of his team. He petted them
 and talked to them and when they
 were through drove off whistling.

"Talk about the laboring man using
 his shovel at the sound of the noon
 whistle," said one man—"that
 beats anything I ever saw. No one
 hereafter need try to convince me of
 the intelligence of the horse. That ice
 wagon team settles it."

Roguish Ravens.

The raven of southern Europe is a
 bold fellow—not unlike his cousin, the
 crow. Some notices of the bird, given
 by an English traveler in Corsica, offer
 amusing proof of this.

A youth whom I employed to carry
 my camera could never look on ravens
 with any equanimity, for he had suf-
 fered much from their thievish im-
 pudence when sent to the bush to
 gather dew.
 On one occasion he lost his dinner, a
 loaf of bread wrapped in a napkin, al-
 though he was working close to the
 spot where he had laid it and had turned
 his back for only a minute.

But the most unpardonable insult he
 had ever received happened on a day
 when he was out gathering wood. As
 he was stooping down to bind a bun-
 dle of fagots a raven suddenly swoop-
 ed from behind, lifted the cap from his
 head and flew away with it to a lofty
 crag, from which she uttered croaks
 of triumph.

The cap was subsequently seen lined
 with straw and serving for a nest.

A Chiroprapist's Advice.

A chiroprapist advised that foot com-
 fort is much enhanced if all callous
 places on the feet are made perfectly
 smooth. This can be done easily and
 the feet kept in excellent condition by
 using a fine pumice stone every morn-
 ing after the bath. The pumice stone
 should, of course, be wet, and if rubbed
 daily over the points on the feet that
 have hardened or shown a tendency to
 harden the places can be made and
 removed, too, a light rubbing daily
 of the place where it has been will
 often prevent its return.

Not Satisfactory.

"No," said the doctor, "I haven't vot-
 ed yet, and I am not going to vote. I
 am not feeling well today. Isn't that
 a valid excuse?"
 "Not at all," responded the professor
 severely; "that's an invalid excuse."
 Chicago Tribune.

Consumption.

One of the best ways to cure disease is to prevent it.
 That's the best way to cure consumption, and you can
 prevent that disease with Powley's Liquefied Ozone. It is
 splendid for the least throat or lung trouble. However,
 if you have lung trouble of an advanced type like Wm.
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 tion—the condensed oxygen kills the germs and builds up
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Ladies' fast black Cotton Hose, extra 40 gauge, double heel and toe, very special, at 2 pair for.....	25c	Ladies' fast black Cotton Hose, cashmere feet, extra, spliced heel and toe, at per pair.....	25c
Ladies' Cotton Hose, superior, finest fast dye, special at per pair.....	10c	Ladies' Lisle Lace Hose, hermesdorf dye, best lisle thread, extra high, very special at per pair.....	35c

...GLOVES...

The Taffeta and Silk Gloves are decidedly the most popular at this season of the year. Taffeta Gloves in grays, browns and black, at per pair..... 25c
Taffeta Gloves in shades and black with push pits, at per pair..... 45c
Silk Gloves in shades and black, extra quality, at per pair..... 50c

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There Are Rumors

A GOIN' around town that it is sometimes colder in the summer time than in the winter time. Those days seems to prove it so. Then there are roomers again around town wearin' our Men's Nobby \$3 Goodyear Welted Shoes, and most of 'em say they fit and suit better'n any they ever wore. Now we want every roomer and every boarder in this neighborhood to come in and see what all these rumors are about, what we are continually advertising. We can make the acquaintance mutually profitable.

YOU most likely have heard of our reputation for handling the most Up-to-Date Goods direct from the makers, at a reasonable profit. If you have not, come in and look at the line of

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Newest designs, prices the lowest, goods the best. Call and inspect.

E. J. MacIntyre, LEADING JEWELER, King St., Chatham.

THE BY-LAW
IS NOT GOOD

After Consideration Judge Houston Holds That the Commissioners' Enactment Will not Stand.

At the Police Court this morning Judge Houston dismissed the case against William Ball, charged under the Police Commissioners' by-law with buying junk from children. Mr. Lewis, counsel for Mr. Ball, contended that the by-law was bad because it restricted trade. The statute permitted the passage of by-laws governing trade, but not restricting it, and all such by-laws, in force in the city of Toronto had been quashed by the Supreme Court. After considering the case and the by-law under which the charge was laid, dismissed the case.

PROVED REAL
COSTLY JOKE

The Intensely Humorous Vein Which Sometimes Afflicts Mr. Humphries Cost him a Cold if it.

Judge Bell yesterday fined William Humphries \$50 for stealing a pair of shoes from Chas. Simpkins, storekeeper at Bothwell. Humphries is a farmer near Bothwell. He owns 50 acres of land unencumbered and had dealt with Simpkins for 12 years. One Saturday night he put a pair of children's shoes in his basket. He claimed that he only did it as a joke, but the store-keeper couldn't see the humor of the action and had Humphries arrested. The farmer was committed for trial and, on his appearance before Judge Bell, pleaded guilty, but said he hadn't stolen the shoes but had merely taken them as a joke. Judge Bell said such a plea was one of not guilty and remanded the man for two weeks for trial, releasing him on bail. He appeared before the Judge yesterday, pleaded guilty unconditionally and was fined \$50 for his joke.

TELEGRAPH NEWS

Four more cases of small pox are reported from Hamilton.

The body of James Wilson was found under the docks at Owen Sound.

D. Burt, M. P. P., was again nominated by the Liberals of North Brant.

J. Allan, of Perth, was nominated by the Liberals of South Lanark, for the Legislative Assembly.

Hon. J. M. Gibson attended the annual meeting of the West Elgin Liberal Association at Dutton, and spoke.

Mrs. John McLeod, of Kincardine, attempted to get out of a buggy, as the horse was frightened and received fatal injuries.

Robert Haddon, the Galt sectionman who was struck by the G. T. R. express on Friday afternoon, died of his injuries.

David Ryder, of Biddulph is reported to be in a critical condition from injuries received in a fight with his brother John.

DYING WITHOUT HELP.

This is a pathetic story from real life. It is brief. It is the tale of a man and his death. The man is evidently passing away unassisted. John Northwood at the phone,—"Hello! Give me number—" "Is that the hospital?" "Well, there is a poor man very sick with consumption. "Can you take him in? He is too poor to have a doctor and is dying without one."

EAST BRANCH.

There was no Sunday school on Sunday, owing to the disagreeable weather.

Rev. Mr. Nicol, Presbyterian minister, of Wallaceburg, called up the East Branch last week.

Miss B. Shaw spent the past few weeks at her home here.

E. J. Shaw, of Detroit, called on friends here recently.

Rev. Dr. Cooke, of Wallaceburg, called on friends here last week.

The East Branch students resumed their studies in the Wallaceburg high school on Monday, after enjoying a few holidays.

Mrs. Miller, of Oxford, Mass., is the guest of her brother, Simon Smith, at.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Everitt, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are guests at C. Lynch's.

Chas. Woolver and wife moved into their new house on the 3rd con. last week.

Austin Hazard has purchased the Smith farm of 100 acres on the 4th con. at a cost of \$4,500.

The click of the corn planter is heard on every side.

G. Seward has treated himself to a new Noxon mower.

KNEW WHAT HE WAS ABOUT.

Rivers—If you paid ten cents for that cake of maple sugar you threw your money away.

Brooks—Not much. It has (puff, puff) paid for itself already. I use it for scratching matches on. Saves trousers.

PARTED LOVERS.

The Dresden shepherd on the shelf With a broken heart dwells by himself; For in this sad, housecleaning fray His shepherdess has fled away.

Dr. A.W. Thornton
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THE LOCAL BUDGET

H. Steen, of Waterloo, was in the city to-day.

J. Cummings, of Berlin, was in the city to-day.

D. Dewar, of Sarnia, was in the city yesterday.

Thos. Boon, of Bothwell, was in the city yesterday.

C. E. Perry, of London, was in the city yesterday.

W. R. Hickey, of Bothwell, was in the city yesterday.

John Finley, of Northwood, was in the city yesterday.

W. H. Hayes, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday.

D. E. Mills, of Ridgeway, was in the city yesterday.

J. B. Groat, of Ridgeway, was in the city yesterday.

Thos. M. Syer, of Thamesville, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. Langford, of Blenheim, is wanting a married man.

Miss Mary Perry, of Battle Creek, Mich., is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Miss Belle Blackburn, of Windsor, who has been visiting Miss Flossie Bogart, Cross street, returned home to-day.

Miss J. Ferguson is taking Miss Garrett's place at McKeough school, while Miss Garrett assists Mr. Brackin.

Dr. Thornton has purchased the brick residence on Wellington street formerly owned by Wm. Huff, and will occupy it this week.

The regular shoot of the Maple City Gun Club will be held to-morrow afternoon. A number of marksmen from Blenheim will take part.

Mrs. Robert Douglas, Raleigh street, suffered from a paralytic stroke yesterday. She is doing nicely to-day, and hopes are entertained of her recovery.

R. C. Burt is stuffing a fine loon for Myles Sweeney, proprietor of Hotel Victoria, Port Lambton. Mr. Burt is also fixing one for John Murphy, Wallaceburg.

Mr. Hutchinson, who has resigned his position on The Planet on account of ill health, and is going west on the advice of his physician, Dr. Hall, intends to sell the contents of his house by auction on Wednesday next. J. M. Burk will conduct the sale. Mr. Hutchinson lives on Eighth street, far side of the jail. See advertisement in another column.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.

Borrowers should apply personally to The Chatham Loan & Savings Company, and secure advantages of best rates, low expenses, etc.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

THE SILK NECKTIE SALE

The showcases are en fete. It's a festival of Summer Neckwear—a flowering out of dainty silken fancies with little to pay.

50 and 75c
TIES AT
25c
Medium and wide
Graduates,
Ties,
narrow 4-in hands
Imperial flowing
ends.

They're as gay as you please or as demure as you think proper. Tulip tints that smile in a man's toilet like bits of sartorial sunshine; quiet tones and neutrals that blend with the wearer's dress and personality, so that you no more remember his necktie than his boots; spots, stripes, fancies—everything—

Nearly 3000 of these Ties were on hand when we opened yesterday, but some styles are in little lots. Not many wide Graduates or 4 in hands. Just as well, anyhow, to come while the choice is freshest and best. Not a Tie in the collection was made to sell under 50c and the best ones are 75c goods. You'll likely want half a dozen.

THORNTON & DOUGLAS

South American Nervine makes the whole system radiant in perfect health, it accelerates circulation, enriches the blood, penetrates to the very centres of nerve force, builds tissue, makes and keeps people well. This wonderful remedy has had a charmed experience and has done its greatest work in cases that the medical fraternity had pronounced hopeless.—149
Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

A TRUE INDIAN TALE.

"Stranger than fiction" is "The True Story of Ketheth the Aleut" in McClure's for June. For it is a "true story," vouched for by the ex-attorney-general, Mr. Griggs. Ketheth the Swift was the idol of his Aleuthian tribesmen in Alaska. His most beloved comrade was Arlikoor the Silent, to avenge whose death Ketheth murdered two innocent white people, believing them guilty. Subsequently he was converted to Christianity by a visiting band of the Salvation army, and not only did he become an active worker in the band, but finally, of his own accord, he confessed his crime. At the trial, when asked by the judge the usual question, why sentence should not be pronounced according to law, Ketheth replied: "My brother, I have done my duty, now do yours." The examination of the case by the Attorney-General, his recommendation to President McKinley, and the President's action and interest to what, if fiction even, would be an entertaining story. It is due to Frank A. Vandierip, ex-assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and Harold Boice, that Ketheth's biography is now given to the country at large.

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SNARES FOR THE SIMPLE

WHAT the brand—"Joseph Rodgers, Sheffield,"—signifies on a knife blade, the slate frame brand of—"The Slater Shoe"—signifies on a shoe sole.

But don't confuse mere personal names with registered brands!

The advantage of a brand, depends entirely upon its record for merit, established by the years certain goods have been publicly tested under that brand.

And, when such a brand has become a passport to people's confidence, there creeps in a species of piracy, which trades upon that confidence, by the selling of unknown goods, at a long profit, under some name which sounds like that of the brand.

This is how heedless Consumers are snared, and sold, and laughed at.

No purchaser should accept a blind excuse from a Retailer for the absence of the advertised trade mark, and the presence of something which resembles it superficially, but is not it legally.

There are thousands of men named "Rodgers," but there is only one standard brand of "Rodger's Cutlery," as there is only one standard brand of "The Slater Shoe."

If these words—"The Slater Shoe," are not stamped on the sole in a slate frame, it is not a genuine "Slater Shoe," and you buy it at your own risk.

The Slater Shoe Co. do not stand behind any but their own make—the shoe with a five year record of fixed value and uniform quality.

When you get the slate frame brand of "The Slater Shoe," stamped on the soles with the Makers price, you get the responsible, Goodyear Welted article.

"The Slater Shoe"

Trudell & Tobey—The 2T's—Sole Local Agents.