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DRESSMAKING...

Our first Dressmaking Department under the management of **Madame Skirving**, will open on **TUESDAY, SEPT. 6**, apartments on the Second Floor as before. Orders promised for early September will receive prompt attention.

Our Second and New Dress-making Department, under the management of **Miss Morrison**, will open on **TUESDAY NEXT, SEPT. 6th**. New apartments on the Third Floor.

Orders now received for Tailor-made Suits, Fancy Gowns, Separate Waists and Skirts at very moderate charges.

NEW GOODS...

Eleven cases of Dress Goods and Silks were passed through the customs to-day by us, making beyond doubt the largest single shipment of dress fabrics ever brought to Chatham. We invite your inspection of the latest productions of European Manufacturers personally selected by our buyer in the markets of the old world.

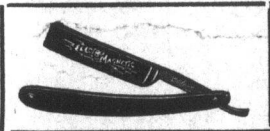
RAINCOATS...

Ladies' \$10 Raincoats for \$6.50. Fine Cravenettes, in shades of Plain, Fawn and Oxford and fancy stripes, made with and without capes, new sleeves, semi-fitted and plain, all sizes, reg. price \$10, clearing Friday and Saturday at \$6.50

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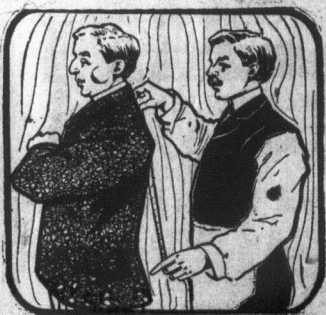
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MRS. WELDON'S

C. C. I. COURSES ARE OUTLINED

Many Radical Changes and Improvements Signalized Advent of New School Year.

The Staff and Their Schedule—Principal Twohey Says that Prospects are Very Bright.

The Collegiate Institute will formally open its new year as announced, on Tuesday morning next, at nine o'clock, when a full attendance of all intending pupils is expected.

The prospects for the new year are exceptionally bright and the future is most promising. The Board of Trustees have spared no energy in re-organizing and thoroughly re-equipping the institution. Three new class rooms have been added and two additions to the teaching staff. The heating has been completely renovated and the future of the school is a most encouraging one.

It will be the aim of the Board to make the Chatham Collegiate one of the best and most successful in the Province and no efforts will be spared towards this end.

The arrangement of studies has been completed by the Principal and is an exceptionally strong and complete one. The new members of the staff both come very highly recommended.

The Principal, W. J. Twohey, M. A., classical specialist, will, for the present, take charge of the classics, senior and junior, while the remainder of the work has been carefully allotted to a competent staff. Special attention will be devoted to the Commercial course, both forms being removed to the main building. It is the intention to have a very complete commercial course.

The teaching schedule is as follows: W. J. Twohey, M. A., Principal, Classics.

D. S. Paterson, B. A.,—Senior English.

Wilson Taylor, B. A.,—Senior Mathematics.

A. E. Jewett, B. A.,—Senior Science.

J. S. Lane, B. A., Moderns.

Harry Collins,—Senior Commercial.

Miss Effie Lafferty, B. A.,—Junior Commercial.

E. W. Jennings, late of Richmond Hill, High School,—Junior English, History and Drill.

P. M. Thompson, M. A., honor graduate of Queen's and Science Specialist, for three years at Whitby Collegiate,—Junior Science and Mathematics.

"It is the aim and intention," said Principal Twohey in a short interview with 'The Planet' this morning, "to make the various courses as complete and efficient as possible. I can only say that the prospects are very thing more. Performances count more than promises, you know."

HAS RESIGNED

Director of McKeough School Kindergarten is Leaving—Rearrangement May Result.

Miss Victoria Aylesworth, the talented director of McKeough School Kindergarten, who has just returned from her visit to the west, where she attended the Winnipeg Educational gathering, has placed her resignation in the hands of the School Board. It is understood the resignation will take effect on the first day of October.

When interviewed by 'The Planet' this morning Trustee Heyward, chairman of the Kindergarten committee, declined, at present, to give any information concerning the matter, taking the view with Inspector Park, who was with him at the time, that any communication received was of a private character until dealt with by the Board.

Miss Aylesworth's departure will undoubtedly be a severe loss to Maple City educational interests. As a kindergarten she was exceptionally successful and possesses much ability.

What changes her departure will entail are, of course, problematical until the Board deals with the matter. It is more than likely, however, that Miss McKeough, who has now charge of the Central School kindergarten, will succeed Miss Aylesworth at McKeough school, while it will doubtless rightly be the aim of the Board to arrange the kindergarten classes at the Central to give the vacant position there to one of the present talented Maple City assistants, who are graduates in the work here and familiar with and successful in it.

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THE COUNCIL'S DUTY

Few civic questions within past years have attracted so wide and so general a discussion among the people as has the recent Murray street paving problem, the sensational denouement of which was the feature of last Monday night's City Council meeting.

All day Tuesday and yesterday it was discussed pro and con by the ratepayers—and not alone by the residents of the road and people of the fourth ward—on the streets, in the factories, throughout the stores and within the business offices. The whole circumstances have created a profound impression—and there are many distinctly regrettable features, such as invariably characterize street rumors when people talk freely and are much stirred.

The unfortunate connection and interference of others than those in whom the ratepayers have placed their confidence has given rise, no doubt, to much of the more reckless comment. Public opinion holds generally that anything with which such individuals are actively identified is best left severely alone—and doubtless this has, more than anything else, aroused the indignation of the ratepayers and unseasoned chattering tongues.

Nothing is more injurious to the civic prosperity of our town than the careless and thoughtless indulgence by influential citizens in this regrettable street talk. If one-half of the things openly stated were true, Chatham's situation would be a far from pleasant one. Surely it is not right or just to impugn the reputation of our civic representatives in this insidious and unjust manner.

It has been quite noisily charged on the streets that certain of the Council have been moved by unclean motives, the press has been asked to demand "what there is in it for the boys," there has been much talk of misrepresentation and the forging of signatures. Yesterday 'The Planet' was even told that the matter was left open till next Monday to enable another of the aldermen to be "induced" to turn over—and to "watch for the man who switched to asphalt block at the next vote."

Now, all this is either a serious statement resting upon some basis of fact, or it is a species of licensed slander. If the charges are true they should be formally preferred and the corruptionists should be exposed and punished; if they rest upon no evidence whatever, the slanderers should be rebuked and tongues silenced. We fancy that when reputable citizens hear these charges on the streets they should insist on their investigation or upon a frank admission that they were made in error and cannot be established.

However, it is surely the duty of the members of Council to themselves and to the good name of the city they represent to do all in their power to allay all cause for this comment by doing everything possible to facilitate the proper and prompt settlement of this matter. For instance, it is said that one of the aldermen who zealously supported the petition was to supply the cement in event of the pavement going on. In view of this it would surely be wise for each of the gentlemen who supported the pavement to individually place on record his denial.

Then again, the matter should not be left open or uncertain, as at present. There should be a definite settlement, and we trust some alderman will present such a motion at the very next meeting of Council. Men cannot afford to play with a matter of this kind when public feeling is as hot and ugly suspicions are rife.

Under the circumstances, it would appear well to definitely abandon the project at once for the present—and proceed in what is surely the wise and economical way to perfect the street. This fall and next spring could be well utilized to complete the sewer work, to make all necessary sewer and water connections and have the street in a condition to receive a good, economical and permanent pavement—no matter of what material, so long as it is first-class and reliable—without the ever-present contingency of having to tear it up here and there to make these necessary underground changes and improvements.

Let the aldermen act. They have a duty to perform.

Kindness is the only charm permitted to the aged; it is the coquetry of white hairs.

It is well to remember that all the good excuses have already been invented.

ROBBIE SAVED THE BIG GAME

Magnificent Work by Chatham's Custodian Featured the Great Struggle at Orillia.

Grand Lacrosse Battle for Championship Results in a Draw—Monday's Game to Settle It.

Associated Press Despatch.

Orillia, Ont., Aug. 31.—The first semi-final game for the intermediate championship, C. L. A., took place here to-day between Chatham and Orillia, and drew the largest crowd that ever witnessed a game on the local grounds. Nearly 2,000 spectators watched the game and saw the finest exhibition of lacrosse seen in Orillia for years. Although the score at the end was three all, Orillia had the best of the play, but the phenomenal work of Robinson in goal kept the home team from scoring. Again and again the local team took the ball right in on the flags and had six or eight shots to one of their opponents. The game was entirely free from roughness, only a very few decorating the fence for trivial offences.

Field Captain Babcock, of Chatham, was ruled off for two minutes for talking back to the referee. Chatham scored the first goal after ten minutes' play, and were leading at the end of the first quarter. In the second period, Orillia tallied in four minutes, but Chatham went ahead again in 11 1-2 minutes and at half time were still in the lead. Orillia played hard in the third quarter and shot after shot was rained on the Chatham goal, but Robinson only let two pass him, Orillia scoring in 3 minutes and 11 1-2 minutes. In the last quarter, Chatham scored in five minutes, and although Orillia pressed hard they could not find the nets. Wagmore refereed the game to the satisfaction of all.

The Tecumseh lacrosse team returned at noon from Orillia. They say that the game, notwithstanding the Orillia reports to the contrary, was very close. It was anybody's game from start to finish, and the fastest game of lacrosse ever played in the intermediate series. The Chatham goals were scored by McLaren, Stewart and Grace. Next Monday the deciding game will be played here.

DRESDEN MAN NOW NAMED

Dr. Wiley to Figure in the Petition Against the Member for North Grey.

Another Story Which will Bear Investigation—Some Perquisites that Went Astray.

Toronto, Aug. 31.—Many persons figure in the 291 charges of corrupt practices filed to-day against A. G. MacKay, M. L. A., for North Grey and his agents. Among them James Conmee, M. L. A., C. M. Bowman, M. L. A., Dr. Wiley, of Dresden, Ont., and about fifty residents of Owen Sound, also John Sullivan, of St. Catharines.

Dr. Wiley is president and has been secretary of the Liberal Association in Dresden. It is alleged that there was a miller named Manderson, employed in McVean's mill, and living in Dresden. He had a vote in Owen Sound and went there to vote. Manderson has made an affidavit that he was furnished with \$6 and his fare by Dr. Wiley.

This little story recalls another. It was decided by the Dominion Government to dredge the River Sydenham so that boats could come up the river to Dresden. Captain McDonald got the appointment for taking the soundings in the river preparatory to dredging it. Capt. McDonald had a number of young men to do the work, and they were hired at \$1.25 a day. When the vouchers came for them to sign, they say, the vouchers were made out for \$2.00 per day. The men signed these with pleasure, thinking that the Government was very generous, but at the same time having no objections to the extra pay. Unfortunately, the extra 75 cents never reached them, and the young men feel a little sore. As under all government contracts, there were apparently perquisites, who got the extras is not known. Who didn't get them is quite apparent and could be made even more so did one but consult the boys who took the soundings. Capt. McDonald, who had the contract, is an ardent Liberal, but Dr. Wiley, who owns a block, together with the Captain, is a much more ardent one.

You need not be ashamed to tell your friends that the 2 T's are having a big sale Saturday. Watch Friday's papers for prices.

SCHOOLS ARE AGAIN OPENED

Large Attendance at City Educational Centres on Resuming To-day.

Changes at McKeough School—Inspector Park Discusses the New Curriculum.

The long summer holiday season is over and the children of the city are again in attendance at the Public schools deep in the study of books and lessons. Some are sorry that school has opened again, and few are very jubilant. Possibly those who are most glad are the parents, who will now be free from the petty annoyances of their little children from nine o'clock until four, at least. At the Central and McKeough schools the attendance on this opening day was very large, larger than in any former year. Both schools have been thoroughly cleaned, and many repairs and improvements made. Rooms 1, 2 and 10 in the Central have been painted and re-fitted up, and new flooring in places has been put in the McKeough school.

In the Central the attendance was nearly full in most of the rooms, but in a few rooms the attendance was a little light, but far better than was anticipated for the first day of school.

In the McKeough school several changes have been made in the teaching staff. Miss Irving takes Miss Samson's place, Miss Morrison follows Miss Holmes and Miss May Abram, the new teacher, takes Miss Holmes' room. The attendance here is also far above what was expected. In reference to the new curriculum in the Public schools, Inspector Park, who was in attendance at the opening of both schools, said to 'The Planet':

"There is one thing about the new curriculum, the inspector is given great power. We can almost carry it out in the city schools now, as we have been gradually growing up to it. The Inspector is given wide latitude in regard to the introduction of the new changes into the rural schools and to some extent in the outside towns. There are some ridiculous features in connection with it. One is that the scholars must be taught astronomy by observation. In that case we might have to build a flat roof over the school and make it into an observation room. This is certainly ridiculous, as the scholars

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School Books

Not so long now before you start your brains to work again. We would remind you that we still have the largest quantities and best assortment of School Supplies that came to the city.

High School Books....

Public School Books.....

Model School Books.....

School Helps,
Exercise Books,
Scribblers,
Note Books,
Pencils,
Pens,
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If this doesn't bring you, you're feet must be out of Town. To-day

We Have Decided to Extend Our Shoe Clearance Sale...

It will stand as a record-breaker for time to come. We are going to trade for dollars as quickly as possible, everything in the way of

Men's, Women's, Boys' and Girl's Footwear...

We will mention a few of our tempting bargains and if you don't come in your feet certainly must be out of town.

54 Pairs of Misses School Shoes,
Heavy Sole and Patent Toe Cap, regular \$1.50 lines, at \$1.25. Also a lot of broken lines, sizes 13, 1 and 2's, at \$1.00

20 Pairs of Boys' Shoes,
Regular \$2.00 shoes for \$1.50.
15 pairs of \$2.50 Box Calf Shoes at \$2.00.

46 Pairs Women's Shoes,
\$3.00 and \$2.50 Shoes at \$2.00 a Pair

35 Pairs Men's Shoes,
Broken lines, sizes 6, 6½, 7, 9, 9½ and 10, of \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50 Shoes for \$2.00

Turrill = The Shoe Man

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1904.

DID YOU NOTICE IT?

"Did you ever notice," remarks the Belleville Intelligencer, "that now-a-days you hardly ever see a Grit paper quoting the political utterances of an independent paper. Once upon a time they used to do so with great gusto, but now never a word. The reason? Oh! The independent papers, these times, are all against the Government. They cannot, in honesty, help but condemn Laurier and his pals for the G. T. P. scheme and the shameful Dundonald business, and the retirement of that watchdog of the treasury, the Auditor-General."

PARLIAMENTARY DENIALS.

The Liberal press has made strenuous and indignant protest from time to time that the opposition exhibited discourtesy in refusing to accept the statements of ministers and government representatives on the floor of the house, especially in the shape of denials of allegations made against them. It was even a sore point that members of the opposition while formally accepting the word of members, as in duty bound by parliamentary etiquette, acted very much as if they did not believe them. After the denial of Hon. Mr. Fisher in the Dundonald case when it first came up there was a good precedent for refusing to accord members of the government and its following that courtesy on questions of veracity which has hitherto prevailed in legislative bodies throughout the British empire. It was humiliating that the dignity of parliament should fall so low that this should be necessary but the fact remains that in numerous cases the opposition was aware that statements were made which were not true and that in making them the speakers were merely taking advantage of the high honor which has hitherto governed parliamentary debates.

As showing the value of denials on the floor of the house the appointment of the commissioners for the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific furnishes an interesting example. During the last session of parliament it was charged on the floor of the house that Mr. F. D. Wade, M. P., for Annapolis was to be one of the commissioners. Speaking in his place on the floor of the house Mr. Wade said—

"I say that the statement is absolutely without foundation. I say that I never applied for that position; neither has anybody on my behalf, and no intimation has even been made to me that I am to be offered any position at all at the close of this parliament or at any other time. On the contrary, it is my full determination to run at the next election in Annapolis county, and I propose coming back here as the representative of the county."

"KEEP BOTH HANDS ON THE UNION JACK."

The sneering remarks of the Globe and other Liberal newspapers may be contrasted with the following from the Montreal Witness, a Liberal paper that is not under the control of the party bosses:

"Lord Dundonald told his enthusiastic admirers at Ottawa and Montreal, and they are legion, to 'keep both hands on the Union Jack.' The sheering assent that was given to that advice must have convinced everybody, if anybody in Canada or abroad ever doubted it, that the great heart of Canada never beat more with loyalty to the old flag than it does to-day. Lord Dundonald was given a great send-off at Ottawa and got a great reception in Montreal, and all parties and creeds were represented. In Montreal, among the first to welcome him was Mr. Peter Lyall, the Liberal candidate for St. Antoine, which is sufficient proof that his public reception here was not arranged by the Conservative party. We read that one old soldier at Ottawa called for 'three cheers for the last General Officer Commanding in Canada,' and called for it with a 'touch of feeling' which we can quite believe and sympathize with. It is hard to break old ties and see them broken; but whether we are again to have a G. O. C. from England or not, or whatever other changes chance and time may bring about, most of us are in full touch

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DIED IN WINDSOR

The death occurred this morning of John O'Leary, of 5 Aylmer avenue, aged 86 years. The deceased was one of the oldest teachers in Ontario, having taught in the public schools for 46 years. He resided in Chatham for about twenty years, coming to this city three years ago. A wife and four children survive him, Thomas, of Chicago, John, of this city, and Alice Theresa and Sophia at home.

The funeral took place on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock to St. Alphonsus' Church—Windsor Record.

Testing a Razor.

The economical young man took his razor to one of the best barbers in town to be honed. Returning to get it, he found it ready for him.

"I'll warrant that edge," said the barber.

"It does look pretty sharp," said the man, and he began to feel of the edge with his thumb.

"But I won't warrant it if you do that," declared the barber. "It's the worst thing you could possibly do. You might better cut your nails with it once, or shave with it for a month. There's nothing like knowing a thing or two," the barber added—Exchange.

Dissraeli's Gorgeous Costume.

When Dissraeli was a young man he once went on a vacation trip to Corfu in this extraordinary costume: "A blood red shirt with silver buttons as big as shillings, an immense scarf for girdle, full of pistols and daggers, red cap, red slippers, broad blue striped jacket and trousers. His servant, engaged for the occasion, wore a Mameluke dress of crimson and gold, with a white turban thirty yards long and a saber glittering like a rainbow."

Ancient Preservation of the Dead.
Herodotus gives a good description of the manner in which the early Egyptians preserved their dead. Having thoroughly dried the corpse, they plastered it over with a paste made of gypsum and then painted the face and exposed parts so as to make them look as natural as possible. Dead bodies served in this manner remained intact for hundreds of years.

Sauce.
"The impudence of that young brother of mine!" exclaimed Mrs. Nagger. "He just told me I was no chicken when I married you."

"Well," replied her unsympathetic husband, "that's true enough. You weren't a chicken, were you?"
"No, I was a goose."

Numerous.

Investigator—I understand the relatives are disputing over the will. What is the principle bone of contention? Friend of the Family—Bone? Great Scott, mister! He left 200,000 of 'em.

A Serious Matter.

She—Are your intentions toward the widow serious? He—Oh, very. I am going, if possible, to get out of marrying her—Illustrated Bits.

Peace is rarely denied to the peaceful—Schiller.

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What we learn with pleasure we never forget.

A cheerful countenance betokens a good heart.

The finger of suspicion has few good points.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

Sept. 1.—No clue has yet been found to the burglars who raided a couple of stores here last week.

Local sports have made great preparations for the duck-shooting season, which opens to-day.

Mrs. John McEachern and children of Chatham, returned home yesterday from a visit with friends in this town.

A number of village pupils have begun attending Ridgetown Collegiate Institute.

Several from here left yesterday and to-day for Toronto fair.

Tilbury East is well represented at the Dominion Rifle Association matches at Ontario this week.

Isaac Schurn, of Tilbury West, was dangerously injured yesterday by being carried up to the loft while unloading oats. He is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Haruick, of Tilbury.

DRESDEN

Aug. 31.—Miss Mary Richardson, of North Dresden, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson, at Tilbury, at Widgeon Lodge, on Lake Shore.

Miss A. Mooney, of J. H. Burnie's staff, has returned from a couple of weeks' vacation.

Rev. B. A. Kinder, of Christ Church, conducted the services at the funeral of Mr. McCrae, Wallaceburg, yesterday afternoon. The service was held in Wallaceburg, after which the body was taken to Chatham for interment in the Maple Leaf cemetery.

Mrs. Waddell, Brock St., is a daughter of the deceased, and accompanied by her husband, H. Waddell, attended the services.

Mrs. Chas. Metzger and Mrs. McGuigan spent yesterday and Monday in Detroit.

Miss Ina Cameron, Wallaceburg, is the guest of Mrs. Thos. Arnold, River Street.

Mr. Deane, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce staff, returned Monday from a short visit with relatives in Toronto.

Fred Zimmer who went West on the harvest excursion, has secured a lucrative position in a hardware store at Morden, Man.

Miss Hattie McDonald, Sydenham Street, is visiting relatives and friends in Windsor, Detroit and Wyandotte.

Mrs. Hartwill Anderson has returned from a visit with relatives in Chatham. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Raymond, who will spend a few weeks here.

Miss Eva McDonald has returned from a visit with Wallaceburg friends to the public schools re-open for the fall term next Tuesday, Sept. 6th.

Sept. 1.—Mrs. J. McE. Murray entertained a number of young people last night, in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Murray.

Jas. Burnie has severed his connection with Burnie & Co., and will take a position in the canning factory.

The adjourned fire meeting which was to have been held yesterday morning, was again postponed to Wednesday, Sept. 14.

Monday, Sept. 15, is Labor Day, and a public holiday, and will be observed as such by Dresden citizens.

Miss E. Sharpe has returned from a month's visit with friends and relatives in Port Huron and St. Clair.

The ladies of the Baptist Church will run an excursion to Tashmoo Park on Tuesday next, Sept. 6th, going by train to Port Lambton and thence per White Star Steamer "City of Toledo," to Tashmoo Park. This will probably be the last day of the summer and should be well patronized by the town people.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Miller and infant daughter, Helen, returned last night from an extended visit with relatives near Erie.

Ted Wallen, one of Dresden's Old Boys, now resident in the great west, is visiting his parents, in town.

To-day is the first civic holiday of the village of Tupperville, and will be attended by a number of Dresdenites.

WALLACEBURG
Aug. 31.—Miss Margaret Barry has returned home, after visiting in Chatham.

Mrs. J. T. Saint is visiting in London this week.

W. Barlow, of Port Lambton, was in town on business yesterday.

Miss Vera Fairfield has returned home, after visiting relatives in Wingham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pringle visited in Detroit this week.

Miss Jennie Jacques, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Kate Barry this week.

Claude Chubb, of Detroit, is visiting in town this week.

Miss Violet Brent has returned, after spending a few days in Camarillo.

D. Shaw and Russel Mickle are in Toronto this week attending the exhibition.

Mrs. Glassford has returned to Chatham, after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Amos Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard are on a trip to Toronto and Niagara Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Colwell were Sarnia visitors Tuesday.

Messrs. Duckett Bros., of the White Swan Laundry, now have their laundry in shape again after their recent fire.

Cleft Burgess, of the firm of O'Flynn & Burgess, has returned home, after spending a week east.

Fred McDougall, of Detroit, is visiting old friends in town.

Mrs. Gil. Terhune and Miss Lottie visited in Detroit this week.

Miss J. M. Doolittle, of Detroit, has returned, after visiting Mrs. J. H. Reynolds.

R. Allen, of Loraine, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Allen.

Mrs. John Reynolds and children are visiting in Sarnia this week.

Miss Marie O'Leary, of Port Lambton, visited friends in town yesterday.

L. P. Holstein purchased a new launch in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Anderson and Miss Jean Anderson have returned, after taking a trip up the St. Lawrence.

Mrs. J. Lendon and daughter visited in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Frank Jeffs and child are in Dresden this week.

J. Burgess is spending a few days out the river.

Rev. Mr. Nichol will resume his duties in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday, after a month's holidays.

The funeral of the late Walter J. Merritt took place from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Merritt, yesterday, to the Wallaceburg Cemetery. The funeral was in charge of the Oddfellows, who marched to the cemetery, accompanied by the Lady Rebekahs. The pallbearers were Wm. McDonald, Wm. Furtah, J. Furtah, Alex. Templeton, William Taylor and Jas. Quinell.

The funeral of the late Chas. McCrae took place in Chatham yesterday. Services were conducted at the house.

THE MARKETS.
Liverpool Wheat Higher, But Chicago 3 Cents Lower—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Aug. 30.
Liverpool wheat futures closed 3d to 4d higher than yesterday, and corn futures 3d to 4d higher.

At Chicago: Sept. wheat closed 2 cents lower than yesterday; Sept. corn, 4c lower, and Sept. oats, 3c lower.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.
Sept. Dec.
New York \$1.11 1/2 \$1.11 1/2
Wheat, white, bush 1.09 1/2
St. Louis 1.07 1/2 1.09 1/2
Toledo 1.11 1/2 1.12 1/2
Detroit 1.14 1/2 1.15 1/2

TORONTO ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.
Grain—
Wheat, white, bush \$1.04 to 1.05
Wheat, red, bush 1.02 to 1.03
Wheat, spring, bush 1.00 to 1.01
Wheat, goose, bush 0.95 to 0.96
Barley, bush 0.85 to 0.86
Oats, bush 0.40 1/2 to 0.41 1/2
Rye, bush 0.56 to 0.57
Peas, bush 0.35 to 0.36
Buckwheat, bush 0.47 to 0.48

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.
Liverpool, Aug. 30.—Wheat—Spot, nominal; futures, easy; Sept., 7s 4d; Dec., 7s 4d.
Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed, 5s 2 1/2d; futures, steady; Sept., 4s 7 1/2d; Dec., 4s 6 1/2d.

Racon—Short ribs, strong, 48s; long, clear middles, light, 49s; long, clear middles, heavy, 48s; short, clear, 48s; steady, 48s; 6d; shoulders, square, steady, 42s; Lard—Primer, western, 3s 1/2d; steady, 3s 3/4d; American, refined, in tins, firm, 38s 9d. Corn—Spot, American mixed, firm, 5s 2 1/2d.

Receipts of American corn during the past three days, none; weather warm.

NEW YORK DAIRY.
New York, 30.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 15,075; state dairy, common to extra, 12c to 18c; renovated, common to extra, 10c to 13 1/2c; imitation creamery, common to choice, 12c to 16c.
Cheese—Steady; unchanged; receipts, 14,850.
Eggs—Firm; unchanged; receipts, 15,000.

CATTLE MARKETS.
Cables Unchanged—Hogs Slightly Higher in American Markets.

London, Aug. 30.—Cattle are steady at 11c to 12 1/2c per lb.; refrigerated beef, 10 1/2c to 11c per lb. Sheep, 10 1/2c to 12 1/2c, dressed weight.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.
Receipts of live stock were not as heavy as usual, 74 consisting of 400 head of cattle, 549 hogs, 1767 sheep and lambs, 80 calves and 16 horses. Of the above number of cars there were 2 loads of Chicago, which were not for sale, as well as 12 loads from the Junction.

There were only five or six loads of shipping cattle on the market, the bulk of which had been ordered in from the country to fill contracts, and consequently, were not for sale. The highest price quoted as being paid was \$5.50 for a load of 48 head, 1200 lbs. each, about 10% by Maybee & Wilson on order, and 40, weighing 1330 lbs. each, at \$5.15 per cwt. The rest of the sales were from \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt.

The best lots of butchers' stock readily picked lots of choice, 1150 to 1200 lbs., sold at \$4.35 to \$4.50, but there were few of this class. A few loads of good butchers' stock at \$4.25 per cwt; fair to good, at \$3.75 to \$4.15; medium, \$3.50 to \$3.75; common, \$3.25 to \$3.40; rough to inferior, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

The bulk of offerings to-day were of inferior quality which sold at accordingly low prices, and consequently, were not for sale. All of fair to good quality were readily bought at about the same prices. Light feeders of good quality, 500 to 600 lbs. each, are in demand, and sell readily at about \$3.50 to \$3.80 per cwt. Stockers sold from \$2.25 to \$3 per cwt. For common to medium, and \$4.15 to \$5.25 for good.

About 25 milch cows and springers sold at \$3.50 to \$4.50 each, the bulk going at \$3.50 to \$4.00.

The run of veal calves being moderate, prices held steadily at \$4 to \$5.25 per cwt. for the bulk of offerings, and a few of choice quality sold at \$5.50 per cwt.

Deliveries of sheep and lambs were moderate, and prices were firmer, especially for lambs. Lambs sold at \$4.80 to \$5 per cwt. for the bulk, but a few choice lots brought \$5.25 per cwt.

The run of hogs was light, but prices were easy at \$5.50 for select and \$5.25 for lights and fats. Some of the drovers were feeling extremely sore on account of having hogs bought ahead when the drop came.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.
East Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; steady; prime steers, \$4 to \$5.00; shipping, butchers', \$3.75 to \$4.50; hogs, \$3.50 to \$4.50; cows, \$2.75 to \$4.25; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4; stockers, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Veals—Receipts, 100 head; 25c lower; \$4.50 to \$5.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3100 head; active; lambs, 10c to 15c higher; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.40; yearlings, \$4.50 to \$4.75; sheep, \$4.25 to \$4.50; ewes, \$3.75; mixed, \$2 to \$4.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.
New York, Aug. 30.—Beef—Receipts, 325; nothing doing; feeling steady; shipping, 300; cattle, 1200; sheep, 4000; quarters of beef; to-morrow, 2500 quarters of beef; calves, only five head received; firm; prime, \$5.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3300; market generally steady, with fair demand; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; cattle, \$2 to \$5.75; no prime lambs here; culls, \$1.75 to \$2.

Hogs—Receipts, 5000; no transactions; nominally higher, on Buffalo advice.

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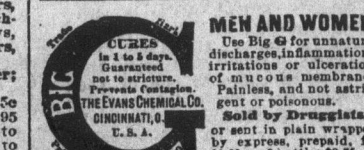
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Township Councils.

HARWICH COUNCIL.

A meeting of Harwich council was held on Monday, Aug. 30th, 1904. Members all present. Minutes of meeting of July 11th read and adopted.

Following communications were read: Jenks & Dresser re bridges with contracts for signing; Pere M. Ry. re roadway at Erieau, and withdrawing appeal from Judge; Bertha Read for allowance for use of land when constructing Read's bridge; \$12; Clerk of Howard with invitation to annual picnic; County clerk with amount of county rate, 1904, as \$6.15; E. T. Cudde, re dangerous state of road between lots 21 and 22, com. 1 W. C. R. S. B. McCully re high and dangerous rate of speed which automobiles travel through the municipality; Chas. Johnson re non-completion of Duke drain, notifying council that he will claim damages if injured by the water through non-completion of the work.

Geo. W. Hurman reported the township work on the Nash and the McCorkell ditches done, except a portion of 21 and 22 side road.

Alex. McDougall made application for the repair and improvement of the Doyie drain in Harwich, and on motion of Hoffman-Campbell it was referred to the engineer.

The engineer's reports on the Proctor, McKinley and Hartwick drains were read and on motion of Campbell and Hoffman were adopted and by-laws ordered to be prepared.

By-law for the repair and improvement of the Duke drain, notifying council that he will claim damages if injured by the water through non-completion of the work.

Clark-Bentley that C. Mallory, Jr. be pathmaster at Erieau in place of C. Mallory, Sr.—Carried.

Also, that the clerk notify the Pere M. Ry. that the council will permit of no encroachment on road allowance at Erieau, and must have full width of 60 feet clear of the railway tracks or buildings.—Carried.

Huffman-Campbell that as the Pere M. Ry. have not completed their portion of the Nash and Erieau drains, the council be notified to have the same done.

Also, that the by-law for sale of road allowance across lot 25 between com. 1 and 2 E. C. R. be adjourned till next council meeting.—Carried.

Also, that the contractor has completed the bridge over the Barfoot drain, the engineer be instructed to inspect same as soon as possible and report to this council.—Carried.

Bentley-Campbell that a committee of three, composed of Hoffman-Campbell, be appointed to examine the grievance of Jos. Cooper, with power.—Carried.

Also, that the Reeve, Messrs. Clark & Hoffman be a committee to examine the complaint of E. T. Cudde on 21 and 22 side road.—Carried.

Following accounts were paid:

C. W. Hoffman, com. fees Nash and McCorkell ditches	\$ 9.00
Hadley Lumber Co. lumber etc.	70.40
A. H. Patterson, spikes, etc.	1.45
Jac. Burky, rep. John bridge and grading Wilson arch	24.00
I. McKerracher, ditching and rep. washout	90.50
Houston & Co. account McKerracher work	50.00
G. W. Hoffman, com. fees McCorkell drain	3.00
Geo. M. Baird, fees McBryne and McCallum ditches and sunds	5.75
R. M. Baird, account McCorkell ditch	56.00
Chas. Slade, work Smyth D. & E. charge to lot 21 E. C. R.	15.00
Sam. Hitchcock work Smyth D. & E. charge to lot 21 E. C. R.	12.50
W. L. Graham, grading Read's bridge	284.50
C. Buchanan, moneys paid witnesses re Snook case	6.50
Drew & McCullum, wire and books	9.64
P. D. Campbell, lumber and trading	135.71
Bertha Road, use of land in erecting Read's bridge	12.00
Jno. C. Read, earth for grade	65.00
Jas. Campbell, com. fees Read's bridge	18.00
J. E. Bieum, township work on lot 25 between com. 1 and 2 E. C. R.	46.50
Geo. M. Baird, stationery and postage	5.75
Chatham News, publication court of revision	3.60
News-Tribune, adv. sale of road and cards for notice	8.50
Josh. Rouse, filling washout	56.00
Rod. Houston, rep. bridge and filling washout	2.00
M. J. Wilson, timber for bridge	4.00
D. Lamb, account bridges	4.00
Jas. Tye, rep. bridges	3.00
Fred Gerber, sewer culvert	4.00
S. Cooper, culverts	8.00
N. Watson, plank and posts, etc.	8.62
J. McEachran, bridge	10.00
Wm. Gardiner, tile drain	4.78
J. M. Maynard, ditching and rep. tile drain	20.20
Ray Walker, rep. bridge	3.00
W. B. Sterling, rep. road and gravel pit	2.00
Henry Burk, rep. culverts	3.00
John Allison, grading and graveling	56.00
H. L. Merritt, plank	10.44
A. Hunter, rep. scraper	10.50
Good Roads Mach. Co. scraper edge and belts and freight	1.50
Lynn Robertson, ditching	1.50
S. B. Smith, work	4.00
Peter Anger, bridge	13.50
Jno. Newcombe, rep. culvert	7.00
Watson & McCorkell, lumber	10.62
W. Somerville, rep. tile drain on W. T. L.	19.50
N. White, scraping W.T.L.	30.00
W. G. McGeorge, C. E. half cost plans bridges on E.T.L.	2.50
J. F. Brown, gravel	2.80
D. McMillan, ditching	3.00
J. M. Baird, balance account work	7.00
Jno. Campbell, sheep killed	6.67
W. Montgomery, sheep killed	24.66
E. B. Tate, account V. fees McKinley and Hartwick drains	10.00
A. Webb, account V. fees McKinley and Hartwick drains	10.00
J. Campbell, assist survey	1.50
McKinley and Hartwick drains	7.00

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Geo. A. McCubbin, assist surveyor McKinley and Hartwick drains 11.50
Harry Graham, account culvert Barfoot drain 107.68
W. Somerville, account culvert Barfoot drain 23.32
Harry Fagan, work Lewis & Main account Slade contract 17.24
Geo. M. Baird, printing and serving by-law Cameron drain 18.00
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Geo. M. Baird, printing and serving by-law Pearson drain 15.00
The court of revision on the Pearson, Cameron and Barfoot drains was taken up, the evidence of the appellants heard, and the court affirmed by the county council and inst.
By-laws on the Proctor, McKinley and the Hartwick drains were provisionally adopted and court of revision took place on Sept. 28, 10 a.m., 1.30 and 3.30 p.m. respectively.
Meeting adjourned.
Geo. M. Baird, Clerk.

A special meeting was held on Tuesday, Aug. 31st, as per resolution for court of revision on Pearson, Morrison and Cameron drains and other business. Members all present.

The adjourned court of revision on the Pearson drain was taken up and following changes made: O. Handy, w. 1-2-9, com. 1 W. C. R. reduced from \$50 to \$40; W. Snow, e. 1-2-9, 1 W. C. R. raised from \$40 to \$50; Jno. Wardle w. 1-4 lot 8, across road, reduced from \$15 to \$10, and the assessment from \$15 to \$10; H. Nichols acres from 75 to 50, and assessment from \$35.00 to \$25, and court of revision adjourned till next meeting.
Moved by Campbell—Clark that the engineer's assessments on the Morrison drain be sustained and the court of revision close.—Carried.
Moved by Clark—Campbell that the engineer's assessments on the Cameron drain be sustained and the court of revision close.—Carried.
Huffman-Campbell that the court of revision on the Barfoot drain be adjourned until next meeting at 3.30 p.m. and that the Reeve and Councilor Huffman get legal advice re same.—Carried.

Bentley-Campbell that the following changes be made in the assessments on the McPhail drain, and the engineer be instructed to prepare the lands of the drain and the court of revision adjourn until Sept. 12th at 4 p.m.—Carried.
S. L. E. e. h. f. 15 D. McMillan be struck off; 9 L. E. e. h. f. 15 Mrs. Gales be struck off; w. p. t. 18 A. Edwards be struck off; 10 L. E. e. h. f. 14 Mrs. Gales be struck off; w. h. f. 15 D. McCoig be struck off; 11 L. E. e. h. f. 14 W. J. Huffman be struck off; w. h. f. 15 D. McCoig be struck off; e. h. f. 15 and w. q. r. 16 J. Huffman be struck off; that w. q. r. 18 L. E. be assessed for outlet \$200.

The by-law for sale of road allowance between Com. 1 and 2 E.C.R. across lot 25 from the Crocker road to line between lots 25 and 26 was finally passed, the consideration to be received from S. Seobelen being \$125 to be paid when by-law is confirmed by the county to council and proper deed of conveyance given, and agreement being taken from Seobelen for fulfillment of his obligations.
A communication was received from J. G. Kerr, on behalf of Raleigh council re placing of earth on townline from the Scott drain.

An application was received from R. L. Smyth for collector for 1904.
Moved by Huffman—Campbell that as complaint has been made that David Wilson's fence along the 3rd com. road is on the roadway, that the clerk notify him to remove same off the road.—Carried.

Clark-Bentley that the clerk request the township solicitor to prepare a by-law governing automobile traffic through the municipality.—Carried.

Following accounts were paid: Jas. Donovan, grading McCorkell creek and rep. washout 10.00
A. Hubble, supplies 3.00
S. S. Arnold, extra work re assessor's duties re statute labor changes made in the by-law 15.00
News-Tribune, printing voters' lists 49.50
Municipal World, supplies 1.08
D. Lamb account of bridges 15.00
W. D. Nicholson, rep. scraper 1.25
Hadley Lumber Co. lumber 2.00
Hiram Burk, rep. bridge 13.50
Ed. Chaney, bridge over Union drain 15.00
C. Buchanan, com. fees Lewis & Main 15.00
Moved by Bentley—Clark that the annual grant of \$100 be made to Harwich Ag. society, and in compliance with the request of the directors a further grant of \$25 be made to repair the buildings, provided the directors supplement the same with \$25 personal subscription.—Carried.
Appointing R. L. Smyth collector for 1904 at usual salary, one-half of one per cent on the amount to be collected.
By-law for estimates for 1904, the rate being fixed at 5-1-2 mills on the dollar.
Lucas extension, Crawford and Scott drain by-laws were finally passed.
Meeting adjourned.
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SPECIAL MEETING OF CAMDEN COUNCIL.

Council met Monday, August 15th, at an adjourned Court of Revision on Sturgis Blind Line Drain and for general business.

All members present. Last minutes read and adopted. Accounts and communications read, by-law appointing collector read necessary number of times and finally passed. The different items for the year 1904 were struck as follows:
Township rate, 4.5 mills on dollar.
County rate, 1.7 mills on dollar.
Dawn Mills bridge rate, 1.2 mills on dollar.
Township drain rate, 5 mills on General school rate, 1.9 mills on dollar.

The following accounts were ordered paid: J. W. Stewart, sheep kiln, 6, reduced \$5.
The assessment on n e 1-4 lot 7, con. 6, reduced \$5.
The assessment on n e 1-4 lot 7, con. 6, raised \$5.
And that \$5 be placed against n w 4 lot 8 at once. 6, for the assessment as amended was confirmed and the court closed.

Council resumed business and adjourned to meet again on Monday, Sept. 5th, 1904.
M. S. BLACKBURN,
Township Clerk.

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"Giving become a disease in time," remarked a West Philadelphia woman who had had some experience in very practical forms of charitable work. "It is delightful to most of us to be assured that someone or done much good. Indeed, it gives more satisfaction than many deeds acted out from the most purely selfish motives and will appeal to us after these more selfish pleasures cease to please. It takes a terrific hold on many people. Women who have been able to give liberally have continued after they had nothing of value, sending silly, worthless flattery that could not possibly be of use to anybody. But they have tasted the joy of conferring benefits, of receiving gratitude, and they simply can't deny themselves. Why, people have stolen that they might not have to give up the pleasure of bestowing gifts! Nothing can exceed the lengths to which this passion for giving will carry its victims."

The Robin and the Rat.

One day while a gentleman of Port-hallow, St. Keverne, was walking past a farm in the neighborhood, he was attracted by a robin, which flew about him, flapped its wings in his face some two or three times, and appeared greatly excited and distressed. He watched the robin for some time, and followed it toward a hedge a short distance away. There he found a rat which had got into the bird's nest and was devouring one of the young birds. At the sight of the gentleman the rat jumped out and was promptly knocked senseless. When the robin saw the rat pecked him viciously. There were four young birds in the nest; one was killed, but the other three were unhurt.—St. James' Gazette.

SHOWING OFF CHILDREN.

It is Very Apt to Breed Vanity and Self-Indulgence.

The writer considers showing off a child's accomplishments a very hazardous thing to do.

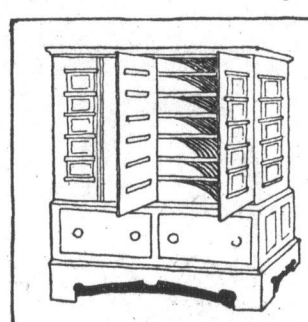
"We should all of us soon become sorry prigs if we accustomed ourselves to exhibit our latest acquisitions every time someone appeared who was not acquainted with them."

"The temptation is almost too great a one, it is true, to ask the happy papa and mamma to resist. That the baby who a few months ago could hardly speak at all should now be able to repeat rhyme after rhyme of the classic Mother Goose is certainly a very wonderful thing, and it is very hard for the happy parents to realize that it is a miracle which has taken place sooner or later with every sometime baby in the land."

LINEN CUPBOARD.

A Handy Piece of Furniture That Takes Up Little Room.

Every housewife feels it her duty to have a linen cupboard, and where space is at a premium and the spacious cupboards that were the delight of the grandmothers of the present generation are out of the question, a specially constructed cabinet serves admirably for a substitute. Such a cupboard



HANDY LINEN CUPBOARD.

Is the one here shown, fashioned of English walnut and cedar and distinguished for its simplicity. It is scarcely five feet in height, the soft coloring of the unpolished walnut being so unobtrusive as to harmonize excellently with ordinary modern furnishings. The trays of Lebanon cedar are so constructed that each draws out upon a ledge fixed to the inside of the cupboard doors. For the mistress of a cottage or for the city apartment such a cupboard is certain to prove a boon and a joy.—Brooklyn Eagle.

To Improve the Skin.

One means of improving the skin is to prepare a mixture of fine oatmeal and distilled water. Make this the consistency of thick cream and, having dabbed it all over the face, rub it till it rolls off in dry flakes. Whatever be the taken from the eyebrows and the roots of the hair, where it is apt to cake and remain in that unpleasant condition. In the massage treatment the oatmeal comes after that of massage with cold cream and before the final course, consisting of a spray with a good astringent lotion, which should be allowed to dry into the skin. The lotion tones up the cuticle after the steaming and massage process. Toilet vinegar is an excellent astringent, and another is composed of one pint of elder flower water, half an ounce of simple tincture of benzoin and ten drops of tincture of myrrh.

Stale Bread.

If properly treated stale bread may be kept for years, always ready for instant use, says a writer in What to Eat. As the scraps of bread, biscuit, cake and crackers accumulate save them in a dust proof bag or any other receptacle that will keep them without attracting mold. When enough is collected to fill a baking pan of large size put them in it, set in the oven and allow them to stay there till toasted crisp. While yet warm put them in a cloth bag or on the molding board and beat or roll until reduced to wrenst grain size. Put through the flour sieve and keep the meal in a tin box or in whatever one uses for holding bread timbers and the grains in another. The success of the process depends upon toasting the scraps sufficiently without burning.

Fruitful Suggestions.

A good salad accompaniment to a heavy dinner is one made of dates and oranges served on lettuce leaves. The dates should be stoned and sprinkled lightly with sugar and the oranges cut into small pieces. Pour over this the juice of an orange, with a tablespoon of chopped parsley and a dash of red pepper.

In the land of oranges they have a delightful way of serving the fruit. It is peeled down to the bottom as one would pare an apple, leaving a sort of disk at the end of the peel. Then a fork is plunged through the remaining skin to the depth of the times. The fruit is eaten from the fork. It is delicious this way, but of course one needs a finger bowl after the process.—Exchange.



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makes a wonderful difference in the appearance of a room, hall or stairway. If you have been making an old and worn Carpet do because

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The Voice of the Turtle Dove.

One of the most complete misapprehensions with regard to the voices of birds when we listen to the monosyllabic coo of the turtle dove. By no means a musical sound in itself, yet it is so bound up in our minds with the sleepy glamour of summer afternoons that we imagine the sitting dove as cooing to herself from sheer contentment with her lot. Very different is the reality. That drowsy monosyllabic is the voice of the male dove, not of the hen upon the nest, and while he utters it his antics are ludicrous to observe. Usually he is giving peremptory orders to his wife to get off the nest, in order that he may take her place, and if she hesitates to obey he enforces his commands with sharp pecks upon the head. At other times he seems merely to order her off the nest for the pleasure of witnessing her devotion to his person, after which he will suddenly become abstracted in manner and presently go off to the feeding place.—London Graphic.

The Tyrant Prima Donna.

It is the rarest thing to find that any famous prima donna ever "created" a new role of any artistic importance or associated herself with the interpretation of the music of any young composer, no matter how gifted. Her choice of songs in the concert room alternates between hackneyed favorites and absolutely worthless novelties. Alone among the great exponents, the prima donna has been conspicuous for her abstinence from any efforts to achieve distinction as a composer.

Handel had a short way with the prima donna, and threatened to throw her out of the window if she would not sing what he had written for her. Wagner went further, and refused to write for the prima donna at all. And Verdi, in "Falstaff," did throw her out of the window and gave the leading part to a baritone. To the music lover the prima donna is a nuisance, and a very expensive one.—"Divisions of a Music Lover."

Millepedes.

The little creature which possesses the distinction of having more legs than any other animal is that which belongs to the family of insects known as millepedes, or thousand footed. There are several different species of these, but they all possess the common characteristic of having segmented bodies, each segment of which is provided with its own pair of feet. These are set so closely along the body as to resemble hairs, and when they move one after another with perfect regularity the effect is precisely the same on a small scale as that of a field of oats undulating under the influence of the wind. Some species of millepedes have as many as 350 separate and distinct legs. They are all perfectly harmless, unlike the centipedes, which frequently have the power of inflicting poisonous wounds.

The Name of Sally Lunn.

Every one knows what a Sally Lunn is, but few people have any idea how this particularly nice kind of tea cake got its name. Sally Lunn was a Bath celebrity, who kept a cake shop, which was a favorite resort of both youth and age in the old west country town. Sally originally carried out her cakes, morning and evening, in a basket with a white cover. Later on her small shop in Lilliput alley became a favorite haunt, and Dalmer, a baker and musician, feeling that it was a very good thing, bought the business, composed a song and set it to music. This song became a popular street ditty, barrows were used to distribute the cakes, and Dalmer finally retired on the profits of the business.

Disraeli's Devoted Wife.

On the way down to Hatfield Mrs. Disraeli had a fall on the premises of a dealer in marble and cut her face most severely. When she reached her destination she took her hostess aside and said: "My husband is preparing a great speech. If he finds out that I have had this accident he will be quite upset. I want you take me straight up to my room and say I've a headache. He has lost his eyeglasses, and if you put me a long way from him at dinner he will never see what condition I am in." The plan answered



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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, September 1.—East and southeasterly winds, and a few scattered showers, but mostly fair. Friday fair and warmer.

Local Briefs

Harvey Winters, of Blenheim, spent yesterday in the city.
Miss Belle McCorvie, of Mull, is a visitor in the city to-day.
Saturday is wind-up day at the 2 T's store. Something out of the ordinary may be looked for that day.

Miss Bertha Birch, who has been visiting relatives in Harwich for the past few days, returned home last evening, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Bertha McKerracher, who will remain in the city for a short time.
John Duff was pushed down the steps of the Standard Bank to-day in an argument with Teller Louder, and received a nasty cut on the back of his head. He also sustained a slight concussion of the brain but Dr. Hall does not anticipate any serious results. The cut on the back of his head bled profusely. Dr. Orchard and Dr. Perdu took Mr. Duff home. The affair, it is believed, was accidental.

CHATHAMITE IN IT

C. N. Smith, the sitting member for Sault Ste. Marie, was examined Wednesday before Judge Johnston for discovery in connection with the petition against his election.
A Chatham man, J. D. Lamont, son of the late James Lamont, once manager of the Chatham Gas Co., figures in the case. Speaking of the examination of Mr. Smith, the Mail-Empire says:—
Smith said he met J. D. Lamont here, but only twice during the campaign, though many times after. He denied responsibility for his association with Lamont, and knew nothing of him at the committee rooms. Lamont is charged with bribery, and procuring of personators, bringing over 100 voters from outside points, and handling large sums of money.
In connection with the same matter, the Globe says:—
J. D. Lamont is another man referred to. Mr. Smith saw him only a couple of times and could not say anything as to the charges against him, which are bribery, procuring personators and handling money. Lamont is from Chatham.

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Rev. Dr. Werrell Choice of the Synod at Halifax.

On the Third Ballot the Election Fell to the Kingston Clergyman—His Only Opponent Was Rev. Dr. Tucker—Rev. Dr. Werrell Accepts the Election As the Will of God and Asks the Church's Prayers.

Halifax, N.S., Sept. 1.—The Synod of the Church of England in Nova Scotia met yesterday for the purpose of electing a bishop to succeed Rev. Dr. Courtney, resigned, and on the third ballot the choice fell on the Ven. Clare L. Werrell, M.A., LL.D., Archdeacon of Ontario. Only two candidates were put in nomination, the Rev. L. Norman Tucker, M.A., D.C.L., and the successful candidate, the layman was at first favorable to Mr. Tucker.

On the first ballot the lay vote stood 67 to 48 in his favor, while the clerical vote stood at 25 to 58 in Mr. Werrell's favor.

On the second ballot Mr. Tucker lost 6 on the lay vote, while Mr. Werrell gained 5; at the same time on the clerical side Mr. Tucker lost 2 votes, while Mr. Werrell gained 3, the total vote standing at 61 to 23 in Mr. Werrell's favor at the lay side 61 to 53 in Mr. Tucker's favor. The third and last ballot resulted in a substantial gain for Mr. Werrell on the lay side, giving him a majority of 6. The vote stood on the clerical side 63 to 21 and on the lay side 60 to 54. The election was afterwards made unanimous.

Rev. Dr. Werrell was notified and accepted in the following telegram: "I accept election as the will of God. Ask for Church's prayers. Will write to-night."

The consecration will take place at St. Luke's Cathedral and an effort will be made to get the Archbishop of Canterbury to officiate.

Sketch of the New Bishop.
The Rev. Clarendon Lamb Werrell was born at Smith's Falls, Ontario, on July 20, 1853, and was educated at Trinity School, Port Hope, and



BISHOP WERRELL.

at Trinity University, Toronto, where he was Wellington and Dickson scholar and Prince of Wales prizeman for mathematics. Ordained to the ministry in 1881 he served as curate at Gananoque and at Trinity Church, Brockville, and afterwards became rector at Morrisburg and Darfield. He also held the mathematical and scientific mastership in Cobourg Collegiate Institute, the headmastership of Gananoque High School and the principalship of Brockville Collegiate Institute. In 1891 he was appointed Professor of English in the Royal Military College, Kingston. In 1900 Archdeacon Werrell lacked one vote of being appointed Bishop of Ontario. In 1901 he was made Archdeacon of Ontario Diocese and in 1903 the degree of D. C.L. was conferred on him by Trinity University, Toronto. His consecration will probably take place at the meeting of bishops in Montreal in October. His brother is John A. Werrell, K.C., the Toronto barrister.

SEVERAL STORES BURN.

Serious Conflagration in Business Part of Emerson, Man.

Emerson, Man., Sept. 1.—At one o'clock yesterday morning a fire started in the rear of a blacksmith shop owned by William Templeton, and took in a building on the west side owned by George Christie and one on the east side owned by W. J. Scarfe & Son, harness dealer. It then leaped a lane and caught Charles Aimes' implement warehouse, and completely demolished a block, and only by persistent and determined efforts were buildings on the opposite side of the street saved. The loss is \$10,000.

Kara's Store Damaged.
Woodstock, Sept. 1.—Fire in Fred W. Kara's hardware store here yesterday morning did \$10,000 damage to stock and property. The cause was an explosion of oil in the basement; loss covered by insurance.

Surprise For Bartlett.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 1.—When Melvin Bartlett, clerk of vital statistics in the Provincial Department of Agriculture, Winnipeg, stepped up to his private mail-box Tuesday night, he was surprised to find a letter waiting for him. Bartlett at first denied that he had left Winnipeg under a cloud. It is alleged that for eight or ten years Bartlett has been embezzling money received from the sale of marriage licenses, and that during all that time he had been falsifying entries. The shortage is alleged to amount to several thousand dollars.

Fined Goes For Life.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Milton M. Carson has been sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary for life after conviction of mistreating Mabel Mayfield, 14 years old. His wife, Viola, also was found guilty in Judge Kersten's court, and sentenced to a year's imprisonment.

The Letter-Box

THE LACROSSE CLUB.

Chatham, Sept. 1st, 1904.
To the Editor of The Planet:

By reason of the great interest taken in the Tecumseh Lacrosse Club of this city, and the generous support given it in the past, the Executive of the Club feel it their duty to explain to the citizens the financial condition of affairs and the necessities of the Club, in order to carry the Lacrosse season through to a successful issue. A careful investigation into the affairs of the Club and its requirements, in order to carry out the season and be in the finals for the intermediate championship, clearly demonstrated that at least the sum of eight hundred dollars would have to be provided to meet all the obligations—current and future—of the club.

Those not familiar with the workings of the club will fail to understand the amount of expense connected with a championship series and particularly in connection with the games, both in and out of town, rendered necessary to place the team in the finals.

When, however, they think of the travelling expenses and hotel bills of fifteen or sixteen men, they can readily see that it takes quite a large sum of money to provide for these, not to speak of the usual incidental expenses connected with the successful management and running of a team.

Now that the Tecumsehs are in the finals and have every reasonable prospect of winning the championship (for the final game will be played on their own grounds on Labor Day) and the Club feel that the citizens have the interests of Chatham, and the team particularly, sufficiently at heart to warrant them in asking for a sufficient gate receipt on Labor Day to meet all their obligations.

After a careful consideration of the matter, the executive deem it not only advisable but absolutely necessary that the general price of admission to the grounds on Labor Day should be fifty cents, and that the citizens should be asked to purchase tickets beforehand, on the assurance of the executive that the game will be played "rain or shine." Every lady holder of a ticket will be admitted free to the grand stand. The general entrance fee theretofore has been 25 cents to the Grand stand.

The City of Chatham has certainly been well advertised through the record of the Tecumseh team during this year. They have not lost a single game this season and the interest taken in this final game and the team has become a thoroughly provincial one.

Under these circumstances, the executive feel that they can sincerely ask the encouragement of the citizens to show their loyal support by purchasing liberally the tickets for the game on Labor Day, now that they know the requirements of the case and the absolute necessity for providing funds sufficient to meet the Club's obligations.

Enthusiastic supporters of the game and members of the team will canvas the citizens for purchase of tickets, and we trust that they will get liberal support, under the circumstances. The game put up by the Chatham team is a clean and gentlemanly one and the "personnel" thereof is all that can be desired.

For these reasons the executive of the Club feel that they can conscientiously ask for liberal patronage and support under the circumstances.

Yours truly,
ROBT. GRAY,
President Tecumseh Lacrosse Club.

If your feet do burn for the 2 T's bargains your heart will yearn for the goods they are offering Saturday.

He who would establish another's faith must be well founded himself.

The more friends a man has the more money he lends.

SCHOOLS ARE AGAIN OPENED

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do not come near the school at night. The County Board of Examiners take the whole curriculum into consideration on Saturday next, to see how much can be introduced at once and how the different parts may be brought in. Two years are allowed for the introduction of the whole curriculum.

"We all think that the new curriculum is a step in the right direction apart from a few absurdities.

"It might be well to mention in the start, so that the present entrance pupils may understand it, that the entrance examination this year, according to the new curriculum, will be in two parts. The first part on Literature, Art Work, History, Physiology and Nature Study will be judged and passed on by the teacher on the school's standing during the term on the monthly examinations. Part 2, Reading (written and oral) Writing, Spelling, Geography, Grammar, Composition and Arithmetic will be tried on at the regular entrance examination. The pupil who passes next year will have to get 40 per cent on each subject and 60 per cent on the total. Judging from this standing, half of the entrance candidates who passed this year would be plucked.

"So you see it will be impossible to do as well as we have done, but still it is in the interests of the public and high schools to raise the standard and make the schools live up to it.

"After this the candidate who wishes to enter the kindergarten to study for an assistantship, must be 18 years old and must have passed a junior leaving examination or a junior matriculation."

What the 2 T's have on sale Saturday is the best lot they ever had the hard luck to offer you.

APPELDORE.

Miss Maude Chute, of Sombra, is visiting at Mrs. J. V. Shaw's.

Miss Lillie Craven spent Sunday, the guest of Miss Mattie Purdie.

The Harvest Home services of the Lindsay Church, are to be held on Sept. 4th, and supper on the 5th. Rev. Mr. Neilly will take the Sunday services and a good program is expected on Monday evening.

Miss Cecil Higgs spent Sunday the guest of Miss Hannah Stocking.

Alex and Miss Aggie Merritt were guests at Y. McKerrall's on Sunday.

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Court Chatham, No. 6, C. O. F., in their rooms at 8.
Court Kent, C. O. F., in their hall, at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Briscoe's bicycle repairs and livery.
Thos. Boon, of Bothwell, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Citizens' Band at the Eau Friday night.
Dr. Reg. W. Rutherford, spent yesterday in Detroit.

R. S. Laing, of Exeter, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.
Good music and dancing. Citizens' Band at the Eau Friday night.

L. Smith, of Bothwell, was registered at the Rankin House yesterday.

Mrs. John Kerr, is visiting her brother, John Clements, Detroit.

Good music and dancing. Citizens' Band at the Eau Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wigle, of Leamington, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Orlino Jacklin, of Blenheim, is spending the day with his many Chatham friends.

Mrs. Lucas Lecocq, of Fletcher, is visiting her brother, Mr. Clements, of Detroit.

Miss Maggie Lecocq has returned home after visiting her cousin, Anne Kerr, Lacrosse St.

Miss H. Givins, Guelph, who has been visiting Mrs. G. J. Peace, Murray St., has returned home.

The City of Chatham will run a round trip from Chatham to Detroit on Labor Day, Sept. 5th. Fare 50c.

Walter Mills, barrister, of Ridgeway, was in the city yesterday on professional business.

Miss Grace Oldershaw, Emma St., has returned from visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. James Oldershaw, at the Eau.

Miss Grace Gammage, Raleigh St., who has been visiting in London for the past two months, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Snell, Lorne Avenue, have returned from the Eau, where they have been spending the summer months.

Mrs. Ross Bedford and son, Lyle, and Miss Nellie Field have returned after visiting Mrs. Myron S. Blackburn, of Dresden.

Miss Hazel James, daughter of W. H. James, Lorne Avenue, has returned from spending her holidays in Perth and other eastern points.

Humane Officer McGregor took a horse off the market on Saturday. Mr. McGregor has his weather eye open for all abusers of horses and few offenders escape his notice.

The ground on John Smith's lot, King Street West, has been broken in preparation for the building of his new residence. Mr. Smith will move into the city from his farm on the River Road.

Miss Ida Tobey, Lansdowne Ave., who has been visiting in Blenheim for the past week, returned home this morning. Miss Tobey leaves for Toronto in a couple of weeks to attend the Normal School.

Wanted, for our new dressmaking and manufacturing departments—waist makers, skirt makers, coat makers, and apprentices. Highest wages paid. Apply to Thomas Stone & Son.

Residents of Park Street complain that people are driving on their boulevards. There are no tie posts along the street and the parties drive over the boulevards to tie to the shade trees, thereby violating two city ordinances.

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We have the best line of School Shoes this season, never had better.

One extra good line we would call your attention to are made both in Dongola and Box Oats.

Girls' sizes 8 to 10 1/2 \$1.25

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The Bargain Giver.

Saleslady wanted! Apply William Foreman & Co.

Miss Laura Ingalls, St. Clair, St., left for Detroit to-day.

J. Mulolland, of 47-n.e.m., is spending the day in the city.

Colonel Rankin and daughter, Miss Ina, are visiting at Goderich.

Miss Jean Cosgrave, Joseph Street, is spending the day in Detroit.

Mr. Dewar, of Sarnia, is spending the day with his Chatham friends.

Contractor Sam Horn, Delaware Ave., will leave in a day or two for England.

The steam barge J. E. Mills, Sarnia, is in with a load of lumber for the Blomco Co.

Last chance of the season! Citizens' Band's last excursion to the Eau Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell, Raleigh St., are expected home from England on Saturday.

Miss Marie Eastman, of Thibodeau & Jacques, returned last evening from a ten days' visit in Detroit.

Secretary Robinson, of the W. K. A. S., is having the grounds put in first class shape for the game with Orillia here next Monday.

Agents wanted—Ladies or gentlemen, a splendid proposition to make money. Apply to J. Keys, corner of Queen and Gray Streets, or address Chatham P. O.

The Rev. Mr. Hoyt, pastor of the William Street Baptist Church, is holidaying in Sarnia. Writing to Chatham friends, he says—"The Great Blenheim Journal, The Planet, is the news paper."

Do you realize that every organ in the human body is composed of tiny cells called tissue? If this tissue is healthy you need have no fear of disease. Vito Tonic renews the tissue and builds up the system. Messrs. Gunn & Co., Chatham, keep it in stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blackburn, of Selkirk St., accompanied by Miss Violet French, are spending two weeks' holidays visiting the Toronto Exhibition and their many friends and relatives in Toronto. In Toronto they will visit Mrs. Blackburn's sister and their own home in Port Hope. They will also visit Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Sterling and Dr. and Mrs. O. W. White, of Detroit, came up to the city in Mr. Sterling's splendid auto yesterday morning.

They spent the day with Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. White, King Street West, and left this morning on an auto trip through York State, and will visit the Toronto Exhibition before they return. They will be gone ten days.

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WORLD OF SPORT

BOWLING

FINALS MONDAY.

The executive of the local club met this morning to make arrangements for the games at Blenheim on Monday next. Arrangements were also made to pay off the new building accounts. The games at Blenheim, Monday are for the championship of the Kent and the VonGuten trophy.

Chatham won this trophy in 1902, and Blenheim in 1903, hence the games are to be played this year for it in Blenheim. John Lee and T. L. Pars are putting up trophies. There will be two rinks present from Ridgeway, Thamesville, Dresden, Bothwell, Chatham and Blenheim.

L. E. Tillson and R. G. Fleming are Chatham's two skips, and they are picking their men.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

Chatham, Aug. 30, 1904.

Sec. W. H. Bensen, Court Hope:

Dear Sir,—On behalf of the Royal Arcanum, we challenge the carpet ball team of Court Hope, A. O. F., to a friendly game of carpet ball at our Lodge Room, I. O. O. F., Temple on Wednesday evening, Sept. 7th, at 9 o'clock p. m.

GEO. B. MORE, Regent.

R. G. Hoig, Sec.

The above explains itself. The challenged team will be accepted there and say they'll be right there with the goods.

BASEBALL ON WEDNESDAY.

The Eastern League.

Rochester.....000100000-1

Toronto.....001000323-9

Two base hits—Kennedy, Rupp, Francis.

Three base hits—Hills, White, Paris.

Home runs—Bliss, Currie. Sacrifice hits—Currie, Stolen bases—Dezoff, Rupp, Dunlop.

Errors—Hartley, Carey. First base on error—Toronto 1. Bases on balls—06 Currie 1. Hit by pitched ball—Ty Currie 1.

Struck out—By Bliss 2. Left on bases—Rochester 8, Toronto 2. Umpires—Conahan and Roddenham. Time 1:25.

At Providence.....R.H.E.

Newark.....005012000-8 12 3

Providence.....000100003-5 8 4

Batteries—Parker and Shay; Milligan and Thomas. Umpire—Egan. Attendance—Not given.

At Baltimore.....R.H.E.

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P. E. Embrey

BASCOM'S
ARISTOCRACY

By JASPER COLINGWOOD

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When Herbert Bascom's effects were moved into the Holbein studios the other occupants gathered in the front windows and jeered openly. Bascom, whose hearing was singularly acute, caught the comments as far up as the third floor. What those on the fourth floor thought was scarcely of importance. The singular unanimity of opinion among the dwellers of the three lower floors argued that those up above would scarcely be moved to comment approvingly in defiance of their fellows.

The only trouble with Bascom's effects was that they were new—distrustfully new. From the oilcloth for the tiny kitchen to the Persian rugs and Turkish hangings they all came from first hand stores. The Holbeins were unaccustomed to such extravagant things when they had first set up and thereby had acquired merit in the eyes of those already established. It was unholbeinian, as Tolliver expressed it, to have glaring new furniture and things in one's studio. It argued the possession of unseemly quantities of money and small artistic merit. From the moment that the first delivery wagon backed up to the door Bascom lost his surname, so far as his fellows were concerned, and gained the title of the Aristocrat. It was Tolliver's nickname, but it spread rapidly, and no French communist ever hated the name more than the Holbeins.

As soon as the place had been settled Bascom went around one morning delivering invitations for a studio tea that afternoon. There were many moved to accept the invitation, for the delivery wagon of a leading grocery had unloaded much that looked attractive that morning.

But Tolliver made a personal canvass, and when Bascom hurried home that afternoon, laden with additional packages, he was met by a neat pile of regrets carefully planned upon his door. As a result of Tolliver's activity it had been decided to snub this aristocrat who sought by means of the tea to flaunt his rich possessions before their eyes. It was unholbeinian, and, while his presence had to be tolerated, friendship and fellowship should be withheld.

Bascom was no fool. He readily perceived why he was being snubbed and quietly accepted the situation. He nodded friendly to the men when he met them in the halls and gravely removed his hat when he passed the women. For the rest he went to work and found in this an absorption which did not permit him to worry about the attitude of his neighbors. He missed their companionship, but he had letters in plenty. Since the artistic colony refused to recognize him he devoted himself to his society engagements when time permitted, thereby bringing forth additional comment as to the gorgeousness of his garments.

Then came Miss Alice Caswell. She was but a decorator of china, but her effects were pitifully meager, and she was at once accepted by the rest of the inhabitants as a bohemian. She was a bright, brisk, even tempered girl, and before the week was out she had made friends even with the jaded, a feat hitherto supposed to be impossible. She had the studio across the hall from Bascom, and before she had learned of his isolation had already formed a friendship with him. She had needed some material which she did not have time to get out for, and he had generously supplied her wants. She had noted with approving eye his skill as a draftsman and fine sense of color. After that she soon acquired the habit of dropping in to ask his advice about her designs, finding his wide experience of great value.

By the time the other dwellers in the studio building had thought to warn her of the intruder in their colony the intruder had become her mentor, and she grieved greatly as one after another the rest of the artists let slip some caustic fling.

"But he is a really clever man," she assured Tolliver one day as he sat perched in the window seat declaiming against the Aristocrat. "I assure you that his paintings are very much above the average."

Tolliver snorted contemptuously. "My dear child," he remarked paternally, "you do some very clever china work. Don't try to get beyond it and set up as a critic. There never was a man who settled here with new furniture. He can't be an artist." Then the conversation dropped. There was no arguing with Tolliver when he called one "dear child."

A few weeks later she had a birthday party. Early in the morning the occupants of the other studios began to arrive, each with some little token and the invariable inquiry as to whether Bascom had been invited to the evening festivities. It seemed odd to her that they should be so interested in his possible appearance, but she readily answered that he would. No objection being offered, she personally rounded up Bascom when the time of the party arrived and got him across the hall on the plea that she needed help in the preparation of the supper.

Bascom had interposed many objections when she had invited him, but she had pleaded with him, and on her assurance that the attitude of the others had materially changed he decided to risk it because she wanted it. She never realized that the abate-

ment of the criticism was because she was openly his champion and the rest had decided to respect her "delusion," as they termed it. She was so happy getting the spread ready that she never noticed the clock until all of the preparations had been made.

"Why, it's 9?" she said wonderingly. "I asked them to come in about 8. I'll take a little run down the hall and remind some of them."

Bascom sank into the easy chair in front of the canal coal fire. Canal coal was a luxury in the Holbein flats, but he had sent two scuttles that morning in honor of the event. Alice ran down the hall to Tolliver's door. There pinned to a panel was the sign: "Gone to the theater." She retraced her steps to the stairway. On every door was some card giving notice that the owner had gone out. She descended to the lower floors. Apparently not a soul remained in the building. Bascom by the fireplace was startled by the tiny figure that darted in and sank sobbing upon the homemade cushion.

It took small questioning to get at the trouble. The cause he already knew. The form the opposition had taken was all he needed to ask. "I wouldn't have minded so much," she sobbed, "only I did so want them to meet you and see how nice you really were."

"Did you get it all up for me," he demanded eagerly.

She nodded. "That isn't the worst of it," she confessed. "I even invented the birthday. Mine was seven months away and I couldn't wait. I thought they would be more apt to come to a birthday party. Now I have all their presents and they wouldn't come."

"He threw the fearful little face down upon his shoulder. 'Little girl,' he said gently, 'don't you think they would be more apt to come to a wedding?'"

"I couldn't invent that," she protested in a muffled voice. "It's very easy," he persisted. "Just say 'yes.' I will look after the rest. I have wanted to ask you for a long time."

Even Tolliver came to the wedding and led the chorus of "He's a jolly good fellow" as he poured several quarts of rice down the elevator shaft after the departing pair. James had discovered that Bascom really had to work for a living, and that the studio had been furnished by a maiden aunt, who insisted that he be started right.

An Armenian Legend.

Ararat, one of the most majestic mountains in the world, rises 17,000 feet above the vast flat plain which bears its name and reigns over the surrounding mountains. Early in the morning, while all the valleys of Ararat and the neighboring mountains are buried in shadow, the white top of the Scriptural mountain gleams beautiful in the first beams of the sun. The Armenian people tell this story about the inhabitants of Pharbee: Once the devil and a Pharbee man laid a wager as to which should first see the sun. The one who saw it first was to box the other's ears. "Very well," said the Armenian, and he lay down and slept sweetly, while the devil, itching to punish his enemy, stood looking eastward, and with eager eyes watched the whole night for the sunrise. Early in the morning the Pharbee man rose and pointing to the top of the Ararat, which was already shining in the sun, cried joyfully, "I see it!" The devil was vanquished. The Pharbee man, with his strong hand, boxed the devil's ears. Ever since that time the devil has been afraid of the people of the Armenian village of Pharbee.

Her Reward.

"The brute!" exclaimed the bride of a year.

"Have a cup of tea, dear," said her fondest friend, "and tell me all about it. What has he been doing now?" "You know I told you he has been encouraging me in my learning to cook, has praised my nice little entrees, takes me to the theater as an occasional reward and all that."

"No good ground for a separation in that, I imagine," said the dearest friend, with slight sarcasm.

"Your sympathy is worse than your tea," retorted the bride, who was obviously out of sorts. "But I'm going to tell you anyway. Not long ago I promised me a surprise if I would turn out a nice dinner cooked all by myself, from soup to coffee. Last night I did so. Everything pleased him."

"My pet," he remarked, "I believe I promised you a surprise on an occasion like this."

"Yes, darling," I answered. "Oh, do tell me what it is?"

"I shall discharge the cook at the end of the month," he said.—New York Press.

Right Hand and Left.

"There are few people who are not, in one respect or another, left handed, if only in the management of a coffee cup," said a writer. "I, for instance, always deal cards with my left hand, though I am left handed in no other discoverable manner. There is a well known artist in Philadelphia, too, who draws with his left hand, but who writes with his right."

"If the crucial test of supremacy is demanded and right and left hands come to the final court of appeal it will be found in the wedding of so simple a thing as a pair of scissors. The fellow who is really right handed can and may do many things with his left. He may instinctively use his left hand for his glass and ply his fork from the same side. But he cannot succeed in cutting the nails of the fingers of his right hand with scissors. There is something in a little pair of nail scissors which tries the human hand to its utmost capacity."—Philadelphia Press.

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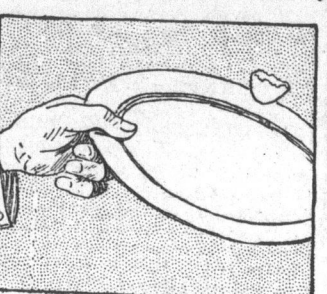
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The shell should be broken off evenly all around so as to form a little cup. Now, if you hold the plate up and tip it slightly, the egg will not merely



HOW TO SPIN THE EGGSHELL.

slide but spin along the rim, and by continually altering the inclination angle of the plate you can make the shell spin all the way around it. I do not mean that it will spin rapidly like a top, but that as it goes around the plate it also revolves slowly about its own axis in the same direction.

Now this, you know, is just what the earth does in traveling around the sun, so here you have an easy and pretty lesson in astronomy at the breakfast table.

It is not exactly nice to muss with one's food, but in this case it may be allowable to make a dab of egg yolk in the center of the plate, with rays streaming out all around to represent the sun.—New York Mail.

THE HORSESHOE.

How a Peasant Taught His Little Boy a Good Lesson.

A peasant was going on a journey with his son Thomas. "Look," said the father, on the way, "there is a horseshoe lying in the road; pick it up and put it in your pocket."

"Oh!" said Thomas. "It is not worth the trouble of stooping down."

The father picked up the iron without saying anything more and put it into his pocket. In the next village he sold it to the smith for a few farthings and bought some cherries with the money. They both traveled on. The sun was shining very fiercely; far and wide there was no house, no tree, no spring to be seen, and Thomas was almost fainting with thirst.

His father now let drop—as if by accident—a cherry. Thomas picked it up as eagerly as if it were gold and put it directly into his mouth. After awhile his father let another cherry fall, and Thomas stooped down as eagerly for that. In this way from time to time his father let him pick up all the cherries, and when Thomas had devoured the last, he turned round to him laughing and said, "See, now, if you had been willing to stoop down only once for the horseshoe, you need not have stooped down so many times for the cherries."

—From German of C. von Schmid.

A Robin's Queer Home.

Although any member of the bird tribe is apt to do this, the robin is the most frequent violator of the laws of bird propriety. A robin if it followed the laws laid down for it by nature would build in some shallow hole or depression in a grassy knoll. Some are content to do this, others are not.

For example, one robin chose an old tin kettle that was lying on one side under a hedge. This was in full view of the passer by and in constant danger from marauding cats and dogs. But it was waterproof and extremely convenient, so the robin chose it in saucy defiance of inquisitive visitors. Another robin chose a still stranger nesting place, and where do you suppose? In church!

The Smallest Church.

Until very recently the little church in the village of St. Lawrence, on the Isle of Wight, was the smallest church in existence. It was built nearly 900 years ago and was probably at first only used as the private chapel of some wealthy family. It was twenty-five feet long, seven feet high and eleven feet broad. It held only twelve people. Not long ago it was slightly enlarged and is no longer the very smallest church, although it is still quite small.

Reminding the Hen.

"It's well I ran into the garden," said Eddie, his face all aglow. "For what do you think, mamma, happened?"

"You never will guess it, I know. The little brown hen was there clucking. 'Cut-cut!' she'd say, quick as a wink. And she looked round at me very thankful. I tell you, it made her feel good."

"And then she would say it all over—she did look so mad and so vexed. For, mamma, do you know, she'd forgotten."

"The word that she ought to cluck next? So I said, 'Ca-daw-cut, ca-daw-cut!' As loud and as strong as I could. And she looked round at me very thankful. I tell you, it made her feel good."

"Then she flapped and said 'Cut-cut-ca-daw-cut!' She remembered just how it went then. But it's well I ran into the garden—she might never have clucked right again!"

—Baby World.

SELECTIONS

THE MILK SICK WEED.

Mysterious and Deadly Plant That Grows in Tennessee.

From time to time in the past five decades Tennesseans have been stirred to a profound sense of interest in the state's mysterious malady, "milk sickness," as its deadly reappearance in certain sections of the state has been followed by fatal results to human beings and to stock. No one has ever discovered the cause of the malady from which death relieves the victim after such physical agony as almost deprives the human species of the power of speech, and dumb brutes express their sufferings by frenzied search for water to cool the thirst which consumes them. Once by a stream they plunge or fall into it and quickly drink themselves to death.

The fatal sickness is known to a limited extent in several sections of the state, but exists principally near Sparta, in White county. It is contracted through drinking the milk of the cows that have eaten a certain weed known as the "milk sick weed," which looks somewhat like clover and grows thickly on the infested land. But what constitutes the poison in the weed is no more determined today than it was when first located by the keen witted, nature wise mountaineers, who have been its chief victims. It has been ascribed at various times to minerals whose poison is absorbed in the roots of the "milk sick" plant, to a vapor from some fungous growth and to the action of the dew producing, in connection with the life of the plant, a certain poisonous acid. But all of these theories have failed under tests applied by practical science. On the largest infested section known to exist in the limits of the state, "Milk Sick mountain," in White county, no mineral whatever exists. Cattle which ate the "milk sick weed" after the dew had dried died in agony just as those who ate it when the dew was fresh and sparkling, and the strictest search failed to find any fungous growth whatever.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Mississippi Pearls.

The story of the fresh water pearl fishing in the Mississippi and its tributaries sounds like a tale from "The Arabian Nights." Since 1900 more than \$3,000,000 worth of pearls have been taken. It is said, from the waters of the Mississippi valley, chiefly in the southern section. A boy found a button shaped pearl near Muscatine, Ia. It weighed 168 grains and was a beauty, and he sold it to a dealer in gems for \$2,168. The dealer sold it in New York later for \$10,000. One sky blue pearl from Caney Fork, Tenn., brought \$3,800 in London. A pearl from the Black river, Arkansas, which a man who was fishing for bait found accidentally, brought \$2,000. And so on. Shellfish abound in the inland lakes of the Adirondacks, and it is said that the quest for pearls is to be begun there. Experts expect the search will be rewarded by a large and valuable find.

The Niagara Falls Tunnel.

The scenic tunnel under the Horseshoe falls of Niagara, which has just been completed, was undertaken for the Niagara Falls Queen Victoria park commission in order to provide a perfectly safe view of the cataract from below. A shaft was sunk 127 feet, and from this a tunnel was constructed, curving out under the Horseshoe falls 800 feet. From this lateral were run into the gorge, where large observation rooms will be constructed of glass where tourists can sit in easy chairs and look out. A large electric elevator has been put into the shaft, and from the bottom a large board walk has been constructed to the mouths of the various tunnels.

Increase of Population.

Few persons have any idea of the extraordinary manner in which the population of Europe has increased during the last century. According to statisticians, this population, assuming it to have been 1,000 in 1800, had increased by the year 1900 to 2,148. In other words, it had more than doubled itself within a hundred years. To this increase the Latin nations of the west and southwest contributed the least, and the greatest growth was in the east, where the people have not yet become thoroughly saturated with the ideas of modern civilization.—New York Herald.

Elephant Sausage.

In those lands where horses are the food of men all manner of flesh goes the way of the sausage machine. Recently there had to be slaughtered at Ghent an elephant well known in Belgium by the name of Jack, the last inhabitant of the zoological garden, and his flesh, which is stated to have weighed 3,800 pounds, or nearly two tons, all went to the sausage makers. In addition there were 1,100 pounds of bone; head, 250 pounds; heart, 50 pounds; liver, 100 pounds; tongue, 30 pounds; skin, 1,000 pounds, and viscera, 600 pounds.

Poison Ivy.

There are so many cases of poisoning from Rhus toxicodendron, or poison ivy, every year that the caution to beware of it can hardly be repeated too often. Remember this: Poison ivy has three leaflets and berries of a dirty white color. Virginia creeper, which so much resembles poison ivy in habit of growth and general appearance, has five leaflets and purple berries. Just to bear in mind this simple distinction makes all the difference between safety and suffering.

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BEAT WIFE

Cowardly Assault on Maple City Woman Penalized at Police Court.

Judge Houston is severe when dealing with wife beaters. Generally the wife backs up when she appears in court and is her husband's best witness. Last night, the police received a hurry call to the residence of Geo. Scott, and the man of the house was gathered in. Scott wanted to plead guilty this morning if his wife said she had hit her. He acknowledged that he had hit his wife but they were only love taps. He didn't think that he hit her hard. Judge Houston suggested that perhaps his blows were like the Irishman when he said his spouse had hit him. The wife complained and the Irishman replied that Mrs. Irishman had hit him first. "Oh," said the woman, "I only did it in fun." "So did I," replied the man, "but I'm stronger than you." Mrs. Scott said that her spouse had jerked and shoved her, hit her in the face, thrown her down and choked her. Scott said he had had a few drinks but wasn't drunk. He was only playing and didn't think he was very rough. Judge Houston suggested that the



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Central Prison was the best place for a man who thrashed his wife. He, however, let Scott off with a fine of \$10 and costs, or one month in jail.

RAMPANT FOREST FIRES

Destroy the Hamlet of Little Bay, Newfoundland.

Three Hundred Families Rendered Homeless—Two Men Drowned—Women and Children Embarked on Steamer Prospero, and the Men Are Fighting Fires to Prevent Spread to a Larger Area—Loss Over \$25,000,000.

St. John's, Nfld., Sept. 1.—Forest fires have destroyed the hamlet of Little Bay, and 300 families are homeless. Two men have been drowned.

The steamer Prospero has embarked the women and children.

The men are fighting the flames in an effort to prevent the destructive fires from covering a wider area.

The Government is providing food, shelter and other assistance to the destitute.

A despatch from St. John's, Aug. 16, said that renewed outbreaks of forest fires were causing widespread destruction throughout Newfoundland and that a number of settlers in different parts had been destroyed. It is estimated, the despatch said, that \$20,000,000 worth of marketable timber had been destroyed in the interior this season.

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LIAOYANG BATTLE A DEATH STRUGGLE

The Second Day's Fight Commenced With the Dawn.

So Far Victory Favors the Russians at Neither Side—Russians Lose 5,000 in First Day's Fight, and the Estimate of Japanese Loss Is Greater—Russians Claim a Victory—All the News Is From Russian Sources.

Liaoyang, Sept. 1.—The second day's battle commenced at dawn. The Russians made repeated bayonet charges on the road directly south of Liaoyang, where the Japanese approached from Sanshuishan and Tiao-shan, the positions in the Russian lines until 4 in the afternoon, when the engagement, which was general throughout the south and southeast, narrowed to the main line. The Japanese advance on the southeast was by way of the Fungwangtung road. Immediately in front of Chiofatum the Japanese stubbornly attempted to occupy a round-top hill, which was literally shelled by Russian shells, making repeated attempts the entire day, where apparently it was impossible for anything to live. The attacking continued from this point to the vicinity of Wangpao until last evening without apparent advantage to either side. The Japanese dropped shells within two or three miles of the railroad station and in the plain of Womshu Mountain, which is the most important eminence around Liaoyang, but the Japanese abandoned aggression there on account of the resistance they met.

There was cannon fire last night, and this is expected nightly. The varied casualties here include one Russian war correspondent and 25 Chinese women from Chiofatum, whom Dr. Westwater, the distinguished missionary, is caring for in the Chinese Red Cross refuge.

The day's developments seem to show that the Russians are prepared for all emergencies. Slow rain began to fall at noon, gradually transforming the plain into a wilderness, through which the wounded, in carts and walking, were last night making their way to the hospitals. Considering the scale of the day's operations, the number of Russians wounded is apparently small, while the Japanese losses are believed to be great, especially where they were repulsed on the south road. Chinese graves with trees are being leveled about Liaoyang in order not to interfere with the east and west. Developments are expected west and northeast.

Japs Use Balloons.

The Japanese are using balloons to locate the Russian guns and trenches. One of the Russian correspondents of the Associated Press points out that the Japanese sent up balloons shortly after daylight to the southeast of Liaoyang. The Japanese are said to be using mortars to drop shells in the Russian positions. These are probably the highest shells yet reported, which were reported in action earlier in the week.

Russians Claim Victory.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 1.—Some interesting details of Tuesday's battle are furnished by Russian correspondents, from which it appears that two regiments of Japanese at daybreak attempted to capture the batteries of the sixth artillery brigade, located on the extreme left flank of the Russian army. The attempt was only discovered in the nick of time. Some of the Russian troops fought continuously for 36 hours. The confusion and the roaring of the guns shook the windows of Liaoyang, though the artillery were six to eight miles away.

Memorized Danchenko, the famous Russian war correspondent, describing the battle, says: "The enemy, drunk with their former successes, attacked from three sides like madmen. When they were forced back, fresh troops, of which they seemed to have an inexhaustible supply, were sent forward." M. Danchenko says the combatants had about 600 guns on each side, and adds: "It was our first victory. The enemy was beaten back everywhere, many of his batteries were destroyed and in some cases his infantry was put to rout."

Over 200 Japanese captured at the battle of Liaoyang Tuesday passed through Mukden yesterday on a train. Further despatches from Liaoyang confirm the report of the capture of 46 Japanese guns, which were brought up to the railroad station where Gen. Kuropatkin's train was standing.

Russians Lose 5,000.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 1.—Lieut. General Sakharoff, telegraphing to the general staff on the conclusion of Tuesday's 10 hours' fighting around Liaoyang, estimates that the Russian casualties throughout the day were 5,000. The battle ended at 6 o'clock, Tuesday night when many positions occupied by the Japanese were retaken and again held by the Russians.

The report from Lieut. Gen. Sakharoff is as follows: "From 5 o'clock this morning until 9 o'clock, the Japanese forces attacked our frontal position before Liaoyang, and on the left bank of the Taitei River. Both their artillery and rifle fire were intense. Their main efforts were directed against our centre positions, and the left flank, but numerous attacks were repulsed along the whole line. Our troops made several counter attacks, culminating in bayonet fighting. Many positions, which had been occupied by the Japanese, were retaken at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. During the artillery attack our batteries did very effective work. About four o'clock the enemy was observed attempting to turn our right flank with considerable forces,

but several battalions of reserves advanced, and, after a fierce engagement checked the Japanese and compelled them to retire. The battle continued until after dark and only ended at 10 o'clock. "Our casualties to-day have been considerable, reaching about 3,000. The Japanese losses must have been heavier."

WILL RETURN TO OTTAWA.

Mon. James Sutherland Says That He Is Feeling Fit. Woodstock, Sept. 1.—The Sentinel-Review had an interview with Mon. James Sutherland on his return home from the Danville Sanatorium. The Minister of Public Works stated that, while he felt well enough to return to his duties at once, he recognized the importance of following the doctors' instructions, and resting awhile.

"I know no reason why I shouldn't resume my duties after I have regained my usual strength, although, of course, we never can tell what is ahead of us. If I go back I certainly hope that I will not be compelled to work as hard as I have done in the past. It was the hard work and the fact that I contracted the disease, close of the session, that knocked me out, and I see no reason why I should not be as strong as ever after I have gotten over this attack." Mr. Sutherland expressed surprise that he felt as well as he did. He was prepared to go down town with his interviewer, only, he said, there were certain instructions of his medical adviser to follow. He walked around the grounds during a portion of the chat, and his spirits were decidedly good for a sick man. Mr. Sutherland is a convalescent state, and he himself confidently looks for a speedy recovery, although he recognizes that there is always uncertainty as to the future.

PERSONAL BRIBERY CHARGED.

Additional Particulars in Muskoka Circuit.

Toronto, Sept. 1.—H. Beaton, solicitor for Dr. Hart, Huntsville, filed additional particulars yesterday in the cross-petition against A. A. Mahaffy and charges personal bribery against Mr. Mahaffy, namely, that Mr. Mahaffy had offered an Indian and promised him money. Also that he promised Robt. Hewitt \$4 for going to Gravenhurst to vote. It is further charged that one Richards, a supporter of Mr. Mahaffy, had his hotel open for election day. Agents are charged with hiring a steam launch to take voters to the polls.

A motion was made before Mr. Justice Giesbrecht yesterday afternoon to compel Mr. Mahaffy to attend for examination for discovery. The order was not granted, but Mr. Mahaffy was ordered to attend during the progress of the trial at Bracebridge.

Would Jail C. N. Smith.

Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 1.—In connection with the petition against C. N. Smith, sitting as member of the Legislature for the Soo, the respondent was yesterday examined for discovery before Judge Johnston. Upon the advice of counsel Mr. Smith refused to answer a number of questions regarding the campaign fund, though Judge Johnston ruled he should. Counsel for petitioners therefore moved his intention of making a motion that he be jailed for contempt of court.

FARMERS GROW GLOOMY.

In Some Cases Sacrifice Wheat From Fear of Frost.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 1.—The weather appears settled, fine and warm, and gives great impetus to wheat-cutting. As long as these conditions hold, the crop outlook continues bright, and many old-timers think that indications do not point to an early frost, with general prospects for a mild winter. But the large bulk of farmers are gloomy over the situation, and are sacrificing in many cases their wheat from fear of frost. Reports from one district say that the loss owing to the wheat being cut immature will at least equal the rust damage. However, the fine weather is speedily allaying this panic feeling.

DR. CASCADEN DEAD.

Former Member of the Legislature For West Elgin, Passed.

Dutton, Sept. 1.—After an illness of over three months Dr. John Cascaden, ex-M.P.P. for West Elgin, and one of the oldest practicing physicians in Ontario, died at his residence here yesterday morning. Dr. Cascaden was born at Ballyshannon, County Donegal, Ireland, in 1840. In politics he was a strong Liberal and at the general elections of 1879 and 1883 he was elected to the Legislature, retiring from active politics at the end of his second term.

Children's Day at the Ex.

Toronto, Sept. 1.—Every department was in full swing at the Canadian National Exhibition yesterday. It was children's day and swarms of juvenile Canadians made things lively. The directors luncheon was in honor of the Press, and the speeches, which were short, dealt with this topic as well as education. Goldwin Smith was the chief speaker. A small fire in the grand stand during the afternoon nearly created panic, but the police averted what might have been a dreadful catastrophe.

Earl Grey For Governor.

Ottawa, Sept. 1.—From information of a semi-official character which has reached here there now seems little doubt that Earl Grey, and not the Duke of Marlborough, will be the next Governor-General. Official notification is awaited.

Mill Burned.

Winnipeg, Sept. 1.—Knittle & Co.'s mill at Boissevain was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Loss, \$15,000.

BLACK WATCH WELCOMED

The Famous Band Greeted By the Citizens—Reception at Armory.

Citizens Out in Force Along the Line of March—Addresses of Welcome.

Few can resist the influence of martial music, and when this is coupled with the historic uniform of the Black Watch, or "Fighting Forty-second," the number is still less. The great Black Watch band arrived yesterday and were given a reception by the six bands of the city. The citizens were in a sense divided between their desire for Sabbath rest and quiet and the desire to see the representatives of a real imperial Highland regiment and one of the greatest bands in the world. Doubtless there were many who stayed away because it was Sunday, but this only left more room for the thousands who thronged the streets leading from the Union Station to the armories. For once the Imperial Limited was fifty minutes late, and the crowds which thronged York street bridge, the brick piles on Front street and the line of march had an hour's wait of it. Inside the station there was a collection of silk hats covering the committee in charge, consisting of exhibition and civic officials, while on the opposite platform were drawn up on each side the pipers of the grizzled and medal-sprinkled ranks of His Majesty's Army and Navy Veterans, containing five who had been members of the Black Watch.

THE ARRIVAL.

When the train pulled in and the first busby over the scarlet tunic appeared in the car doorway a good many eyes went up from the veterans' ranks, and with handshaking and applause the "Heilan" men descended to the platform. The last bandsman had barely left the platform when York Street bridge was deserted and the crowd was massed in Front street, where piles of lumber and brick made good, if dangerous, coigns of vantage. Twenty feet up in the air a policeman threatened his way over a gigantic pile of bricks, endeavoring to keep the too impetuous sight-seers from crashing down on those below. The appearance of the band following the city bands was the signal of cheering by the people, and this was repeated as they passed along the streets, the massed bands playing the Maple Leaf, the Highland Laddie, and the National Anthem, while the Black Watch distinguished by their busbies, followed, carrying their instruments in covers. The order was—G. G. B. C. band, Toronto Light Horse band, Queen's Own band, Grenadiers band, 48th Highlanders band, Public School Cadets band, and officials in carriages and the Army and Navy Veterans.

AT THE ARMORIES.

At the Armories, to which the general public was not admitted, there were brief soldierly speeches of welcome. Acting Mayor Ramsden welcomed them, noting that the reception had been made as quiet as possible because of its being Sunday, and this welcome was reiterated by President McNaught, of the National Canadian Exhibition, and Captain Barker, who is in charge of the band, in

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A few many words, thanked them for the reception, and avowed that it equalled Robert Burns' description of a Highland welcome. This cordial reception shows the interest the people have in this famous band of a famous regiment.—Toronto News, Aug. 29.

The people of Chatham and vicinity will have an opportunity of hearing this celebrated band, Monday afternoon, Sept. 12th, at the Opera House.

ECHOES FROM ERIEAU

Miss Verna Sheldon is the guest of Mrs. James Glenn.

Mrs. J. M. Newlinwood, is spending the day in Chatham.

Miss Greening, of Oscogola Cottage, is spending the day in Chatham.

Mrs. William Boyd and family moved in from the Eau last night.

R. M. Paxton, police magistrate, of Erieau, spent the day in Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Houston and family will move in from Erieau tomorrow.

The Misses Morrison and Miss Helen Young, of Sandy-Knowe, are spending the day in Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Oldershaw will move in from their cottage, Mackroom Villa, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. G. Snell, of this city, and Mrs. Snell, of Essex,

returned last night from spending a month at the Eau.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewart, of Winnipeg, returned to this city to-day after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex Barclay for a few days.

A number of the Erieau summer residents went duck shooting this morning. Many reports were heard up to train time. Details to-morrow.

Misses Helen Young, Georgia Morrison, Margaret Houston, Rose Morrison and Jessie Houston sailed over to Government Park yesterday in the Awa. They had a very pleasant trip, making the run in an hour. The girls are becoming experts in handling a yacht.

The Erieau summer train service will stop on Monday next, Sept. 5th, Labor Day. Official notice to this effect was received this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Northwood, of Washington, who have been guests at Uneeda Rest Cottage, are spending the day in Chatham.

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For great Canadian Exhibition at Toronto, W. E. Rabin, City Ticket Agent, 115 King St. Will issue return tickets on Aug. 30th to Sept. 5th, at \$3.80 each, and on all other days at \$5.30 each; all good to return until Sept. 13th.

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