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DRESS MAKING.

Our Dress Making Department under the charge of Miss Sangster will open on Thursday next March 2nd. Miss Sangster comes to us with the very highest recommendations and we are prepared to guarantee her work to be satisfactory. In this department we make a specialty of skirts and shirt waists and the charges are very moderate. Miss Sangster will be in the store Wednesday afternoon ready to interview any intending purchasers.

Our Dress Making Department under the charge of Madam Skirving will be open on Monday next March 6th. To secure early delivery of your order it would be well to place them at once.

Embroidery for Tomorrow

10 pieces fine white Swiss embroidery various widths and styles, good materials, neatly worked, daily designs on sale tomorrow very special value at a yd. 50c

Shantung Silks

Raw silks are very correct for waists and suits this season. We have just received a shipment of very choice lines in good even weaves and fine bright finish. 28 in. wide at 65c 34 in. wide at 70c 36 in. wide at \$1.00

Shanghai Silks

This is a silk that is absolutely free from dressing, made of a sound even thread, considerably heavier than ordinary Japanese silks will wash beautifully, comes in black and ivory. It is 27 in. wide extremely suitable for waists and dresses and is especially good value at a yd. 75c

Bleached Cotton at 10c

We have aimed this season to give you the best value in the trade in bleached cotton at 10c yd and confidently leave it to your judgment whether we have succeeded.

Our three makes are:

An extra heavy thread cotton suitable for sheets, pillow cases, etc. A medium soft finish thread cotton suitable for general use. A good medium weight cambric finish cotton for shirts and ladies' under wear.

All one price at per yd. 10c

Mohairs at 50c a yd.

Extra fine and bright mohair dress goods direct from the makers in excellent shades of brown, navy, cream, black, pink and cardinal, good weight and beautiful finish, very special value at a yd. 50c

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PUBLIC NOTICE!

Genuine Gas Coke

From actual tests is found to contain as many heat units per ton, as the best quality of Anthracite Coal. At the reduced price now in effect, Gas Coke costs about two-thirds as much.

Moral: Use Genuine Gas Coke for furnace, range, grate or stove, and save money.

Chatham Gas Company, Limited.

A New Carpet

makes a wonderful difference in the appearance of a room. If you have been making an old and worn carpet do because you thought you could not afford a new one now is the time to change your mind.

We show a choice assortment of Carpets and Rugs, which we import directly and can thus sell at the lowest prices. Delicacy of design, harmony of colors, and perfect workmanship make these Carpets and Rugs ideal.

THE McDONALD FURNISHING CO., Limited

OUR ADVERTISEMENTS PAY.

4,000 DESPERATE MEN

In Warsaw's Population of 80,000, People Cause Anxiety.

Murders of Policemen Have to Be Continued Until Number Killed Equals Total Number Killed in January Disturbances—Police Cause Tremendous Disorder.

Warsaw, Feb. 28.—Murderous attacks daily occur on solitary policemen and small patrols in the streets of Warsaw, causing the greatest anxiety to the authorities, who are at a loss to know how to protect the police. The force of police, which is entirely inadequate, consists of only 1,000 men to a population of 80,000, of whom at least 4,000 are known to be roughs and criminals of the most desperate class. Reports were current yesterday that the murders will be continued until the number of policemen killed equals the total number of persons killed in the January disturbances.

According to reliable information reaching Warsaw yesterday, the Polish peasant revolt in view of the fact that the peasants number 7,000,000 out of a total population of 10,000,000, will, if it spreads, result in disorder far greater than anything that has arisen during the present agitation. The peasants, hitherto have not figured to any great extent in this agitation, which is confined to the 2,000,000 of workmen in the cities and towns. The Socialists recently sent emissaries into the country districts to stir up the villagers. According to reports they met with speedy success. As 75 per cent. of the peasants are unable to read, they are easily led away by Socialistic oratory.

The movement began at Pruska and extended at once to Piotrk. It first reached serious dimensions in the District of Stedle, where a majority of the Greek Catholics or Ukrainians, embittered by religious persecution, these quickly joined in the agitation and approached the landed proprietors with a demand for an increase of 50 per cent. in their domain. The peasants, being armed, they promptly struck. In many instances the peasant strikers resorted to violence. Disturbances have been reported from nearly 50 villages, where strikers have burned Government alcohol shops, the authorities making no interference.

The peasants' real grievances are in connection with the language and economic questions. They want to use the methods of local bureaucracy in making obligatory the use of the Russian language, which they do not understand. It is stated that already 130 villages have declared they will not receive official announcements in Russian language. While there appears to be no danger of real peasant revolution, a revolt against the compulsory use of the Russian language is feared, and the situation is regarded as far from reassuring.

The police in three districts have demanded an increase of pay, which was granted. The authorities are instructing the police in police duty in order to be prepared for further disturbances, and consequently most of the policemen are accompanied on their beats by soldiers.

Want Higher Wages. Warsaw, Feb. 28.—The employees of the suburban steam railroads have struck and the city men announce that they will strike on Saturday unless given higher wages. The strikers, diggers of Jewish cemeteries have made similar demands.

Released and Re-Arrested. St. Petersburg, Feb. 28.—Maxim Gorky was released yesterday on \$2,500 bail, but was re-arrested at the fortress gates, and probably will be deported from St. Petersburg.

"BOBS" REMEMBERS. Wires Canadians of Good Work for the Empire, Feb. 26, 1900.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—The dinner given at Government House last evening by His Excellency Earl Grey to the officers who served in South Africa, in commemoration of the battle of Paardeburg, was very largely attended, and was in every respect a signal success.

Cablegrams were read from Sir Alfred Lyttelton, Secretary of State for the Colonies; Lord Milner of South Africa; the Earl of Minto and Field Marshal Lord Roberts.

The message from the Colonial Secretary to Earl Grey was as follows: "London, Feb. 27.—(By Telegram)—I am glad to hear that you are giving a dinner of Paardeburg day to all officers who served in South Africa. I hope and believe that for all time to come, and it need be, against nightingales, Canadian soldiers will fight side by side with those of the mother country in defence of the safety and honor of the Empire—Lyttelton."

Lord Milner called His Excellency as follows: "Johannesburg, Feb. 26, 1905.—With I could be with you to greet the Canadian officers who fought for South Africa. Their services will never be forgotten by their fellow citizens in this corner of the Empire—Milner."

This was the message sent by the Earl of Minto, addressed also to His Excellency the Governor-General: "London, Feb. 27, 1905.—Paardeburg dinner: very best wishes to you all—Minto."

Field Marshal Lord Roberts wired His Excellency as follows: "London, Feb. 27, 1905.—Please convey my warmest and most kindly greetings to all officers present with you this evening, and say I shall never forget the good work Canadians performed in South Africa for the Empire and for me especially on Feb. 27, 1900—Lord Roberts."

NEW MARKET

City Council Adopts Ald. Potter's Proposal to Build Sheds and Leave Front in Abeyance

The City Council held a special meeting last night and decided that they would leave the old brick market building as it is now but would build a new market shed and a detached police station. Ald. Potter is highly pleased with the result. He advocated this policy from the outset and it must be a source of some pleasure to him to see the Council endorse his suggestions. The police station, which is a new building, will probably be built opposite Christ Church just where the market sheds are. The sheds will be in all likelihood be moved. The front of the market will be left as it is. It is at any future date a City Hall and municipal offices should be needed the city will have a site for them. The plans of Architect Rutley were accepted, but the shed will be extended to admit of two butcher stalls being put in one end of the shed. The Council haven't as yet decided whether they will heat the market shed or not.

MR. FRASER'S DEATH

Simon Fraser, a retired lumber merchant of Amherstburg, passed away on Sunday after an illness which extended over some months. He had been in feeble health for the past few years.

Deceased was aged 70 years of age and during his long residence in Amherstburg took an active part in Federal, Provincial and local politics. He was a staunch supporter of the Liberal party, his municipal politics he was always ready for a contest and served as mayor of the town. He was a pioneer in the lumber district and amassed a fortune, being rated as one of the wealthiest men in Essex County when he retired.

Donald Fraser, of Windsor, is a brother of the deceased, and Mrs. Alex. Gosse, a sister. Dan McDonald is a brother-in-law. The children are, one son, John, of Amherstburg; Mrs. J. G. Livingston, of Amherstburg; Mrs. W. A. Hadley, of Chatham.

The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, interment at Rose Hill cemetery, Amherstburg.—Windsor Record.

NOT TO COERCE MANITOBA.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Declares There Will Be No Remedial Separate School Legislation for That Province.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—W. F. Macleau yesterday afternoon sprang a surprise on the House in connection with the school question in the autonomy bill. He could not by the rules of the House, discuss the autonomy bills as introduced, but he moved the adjournment of the House to discuss the bearing the Government bills had on Manitoba and her schools, and the denial that the Government had given to the request of Manitoba for the extension of her boundaries.

Sir Wilfrid said there was to be no remedial legislation for Manitoba, and that the Government did not propose to interfere with Manitoba's school fund in the interests of separate schools. These bills were passed yesterday. An act respecting the Molsone Bank—Mr. Ames.

An act to incorporate the Sovereign Life Assurance Company of Canada—Mr. Clarke.

The House went into committee on the bill of Mr. Smith of Manitoba, respecting labor union labels, to which the House in measure was before in committee. Mr. Denison, (St. John) moved an amendment that the act should only apply to the labels of incorporated unions.

A vote was taken on the amendment, which obliges all unions desiring to secure registration of labels, to become incorporated. The amendment, which was opposed by Mr. Smith, was declared lost by a vote of 49 to 13. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, (St. John) voting with the majority and the Minister of Labor and Mr. Hyman voting with the minority.

The final clause was amended, by suggestion of Mr. Hyman, to compel the consent of a proprietor to use a label on his goods to be had "in writing." The bill, as thus amended, was read a third time, and passed.

MUST SUPPLY HOME DEMAND.

Dr. Reaume Assures Thomas Fisher That Licenses Will Hold.

Windsor, Feb. 28.—Dr. Reaume, Commissioner of Public Works, remained over here yesterday to meet a delegation of fishermen of the Thames River between the mouth and Chatham, who asked that the privilege enjoyed by them for some years of fishing for salmon be not cancelled. Dr. Reaume was waited upon by a London delegation last week and asked that the license be cancelled, as the same fishing prevented the fish from going up the river to spawn.

The Commissioner assured the fishermen yesterday that no action would be taken this year pending an investigation as to the nature of their claims. He, however, reminded them that the claim be not cancelled. Dr. Reaume was waited upon by a London delegation last week and asked that the license be cancelled, as the same fishing prevented the fish from going up the river to spawn.

All kinds of Rubbers and Overcoats are being sold at 25 per cent. off regular prices at Cowan's Shoe Sale.

CANADA HAS THE POWER

Legislature Cannot Regulate Hours of Labor On Sunday.

Decision of the Supreme Court of the Dominion on Questions Submitted by Canada and the Province—Answered in the Negative—With Exception of Justice Idington, Whole Court Answered Three of the Questions.

Ottawa, Feb. 23.—The Supreme Court has decided that a Provincial Legislature has not the power to regulate the hours of labor on Sunday. The court yesterday morning, with the exception of Justice Idington, who refrained from giving any reply, answered three of the questions submitted to it by the Dominion Government and the Province in the negative. Those questions are as follows:

(1) Has the Legislature of a Province authority to enact a statute in the terms of the annexed draft bill? (2) If the provisions of the draft bill are beyond the jurisdiction of a Province in part, (a) which of the sections or which of the provisions thereof are ultra vires, and (b) to what extent are they ultra vires?

(3) (a) Upon the repeal of consolidated statute of Upper Canada, chapter 104, would it be competent to the Legislature of Ontario to enact the said draft bill in its entirety, by part, and (b) if in part only, what sections or provisions thereof, and to what extent?

The remaining questions the majority of the court did not answer at all. Justice Idington and Justice Macdougall answered in the negative.

Judge Macdougall returned a negative reply to those questions which were as follows:

(4) Has a Province jurisdiction to legislate, prohibiting or regulating labor so as to prevent any work, business or labor from being performed within the Province upon the first day of the week, commonly called "Sunday," except work of necessity, of mercy, and except work of labor of the character and to the extent comprehended in section 2 of the said draft bill?

(5) Has a Province the power to restrict the operations of companies of its own creation to six days in each week by provisions in the charters or otherwise, so as to render it unlawful for them, their servants or agents to do any work, business or labor within the Province on the first day of the week?

(6) Are the following classes of companies or corporations created by the Dominion, or any of them, and if so, which, and servants and agents thereof, subject to the laws of the Province within which they operate in so far as the prohibition or regulation of labor upon the first day of the week is concerned: (a) those whose works are declared by the Province to be of the character of public utility; (b) those who are authorized to operate within one Province only, and whose operations are confined to such Provinces; (c) those to which the Companies Act, 1902 (Dominion) applies; (d) banks and banking companies; (e) companies for carrying on the business of insurance or the business of a loan company; (f) companies whose purposes or objects are the construction and operation of any of the works or undertakings mentioned in clauses a, b and c of the tenth enumeration of section 97 of the British North America Act, other than those falling under clause d thereof?

SOME MORE OF THEM.

(7) Had the Legislature of Ontario authority to enact: (a) The second clause of sub-section 2 of section 14 of Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 104, (prohibits opening parks, pleasure grounds on Sunday); (b) section 126 of Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 204 (Sunday operation of electric railways); (c) section 23 of 43 Victoria, chapter 49 (Sunday closing of shops); (d) section 39 of Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 267, and sections 1 and 3 of 1 Edward VII, Ontario, chapter 38 (dealing with Sunday labor by barbers and bakers); (e) section 1 of 4 Edward VII, Ontario, chapter 38 (dealing with Sunday operation of electric railways or tramways)?

TWO PROTESTS FILED.

Petition Arrives From Kingston and Notice From Rainy River.

Toronto, Feb. 28.—The petition against the return of E. J. B. Fense, who carried Kingston for the Liberals in the last Provincial election, is now in the hands of the Registrar. The usual charges of treating, bribery, and all forms of corrupt practices are charged by the petitioner, Donald M. McIntyre, who says that his opponent be unseated and disqualified.

The Registrar received notice yesterday morning also that William A. Preston of Port Francis, Ont., has petitioned against the return of Hugh Kennedy, the Liberal candidate-elect for Port Arthur and Rainy River. The petition will arrive in due course.

Mr. Harcourt for Leader. Toronto, Feb. 28.—C. M. Bowman, M. P. for North Bruce and Liberal whip in the last Legislature, said yesterday that Richard Harcourt would probably lead the opposition in the absence of Mr. Premier Ross. Mr. Harcourt is in rather liberal mood. The claims of Mr. Harcourt, however, are liable to be contested by some of the "young blood." One of the Liberal members who survived the storm of 1898 said, in an impassioned tone, that Mr. Harcourt's connection with the "Black Brute" protest was indefensible, and he would oppose as strongly as possible Mr. Harcourt's election as leader.

THE METROPOLE

Jos. Humphrey Opens up a New Up-to-Date Pool and Billiard Room Over the Bell Telephone Office.

Mr. Joseph W. Humphrey, of the firm of Walters, Humphrey & Walters, of Detroit, has opened up a new up-to-date billiard hall in the room over the Bell Telephone office.

This splendid hall, which will be called the Metropole, is one of the finest and most up-to-date establishments in Ontario to-day, and should prove a paying investment for Mr. Humphrey. The room has been fitted up modestly but tastefully. One hundred and eighty yards of blue cloth have been used in covering the floor. This "blue cloth" was furnished by G. Austin and was a special order from Scotland. Westman Bros. furnished the plumbing, the Electric Light Company the wiring, and the installing of the splendid Humphrey ark gas lamps, and Jos. Tilt the decorating.

The special features of the hall is the light and ventilation, which are perfect both day and night. The hall is 30 feet long by 24 feet wide and there are four windows at the front, eight at the side and three at the rear. A drinking fountain and toilet room are situated off the main room at the rear.

The room presents a very pretty appearance. The walls are decorated with burlap, paper and mouldings and a metallic ceiling installed by John Campbell. The ceiling is ivory white and the walls are tinted with two shades of green and mahogany mouldings. Five splendid mirrors add a finish to the appearance of the room.

There are eight Brunswick Balke Callender tables finished in mahogany and fitted with first class mohair cushions—two billiard and five pool. Each table is lighted by a chandelier of three lights and the lights on each table are controlled by switches. In a few days Mr. Humphrey will have a splendid electric sign on King street.

All of the fittings have been purchased here where possible and the business will be managed by Mr. Humphrey's brother, who will reside on Victoria avenue.

It is Mr. Humphrey's intention to assist in every way in many sport for young men and in a few weeks he will bring here a fancy pool expert to give an exhibition at the Metropole.

LINE FENCE DISPUTE

In the matter of the line fence dispute between Johnson Orr and Stephen Backus, Col. J. B. Rankin gave his decision yesterday. The two own the old McKellar homestead, River Road, Raleigh, and the dividing line fence was not where the deeds said it should be.

The matter was referred by agreement to J. B. Rankin, K. O., as sole arbitrator with no right of appeal from his decision. The matter was finally settled yesterday. Mr. Orr pays Mr. Backus \$175 and allows the line fence to be straightened from the bend in the line to the river.

Mr. Backus didn't get quite all the land that he had called for but was content to get his line fence straightened. He has a rededication for straight lines.

Judge Houston acted for Mr. Backus and G. L. Lewis for Johnson Orr.

BREACH OF CONTRACT

A case for the courts is said to be coming from Chatham. Frank Hallinan, the North Chatham baker, bought a hog from a Chatham farmer and paid \$1 to bind the bargain. Caleb Wheeler and Jack Smith came along later and bought the same hog, giving the man \$5 to bind the bargain. The latter man got the hog, and now there is likely to be something doing in the legal line.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Great News for the LADIES.

I have just returned from New York where I have been purchasing goods for next Christmas, but incidentally I bought several cases of Japanese China which arrived to late for last Xmas trade and was sold to me at a Bargain.

These goods consist of cups and saucers, plates, berries, olives, bon bons, vases, salts and peppers, marionades, casseroles, etc., all new and beautiful designs, never shown in Canada before. These will be placed on sale

Sat., Mar. 4th

as it will take until then to prepare for the sale. Our whole store will be given up to this lot of china, and as our busy season is starting it must be sold out in one week. Come and see the goods anyway, whether you want them or not. The prices will run from 40c each up. We cannot spare space nor time to put these in our window, so call and see them and bring your friends.

SULMAN'S Beehive KING AND SIXTH STS.

COME

To our Special Sale. Our goods will stand the test for quality. Our prices—well, here are some of them—4 lbs. of Laundry Starch, 25c. 3 Cans Blueberries, 25c. Red Cross Pickles, 9c. per bottle. Corn Starch, 7c. per package. Clothes Pins, 1c. per doz. 1-lb. Cans Sunlight Baking Powder, 10c. Coffee, fresh ground, 15c. per lb. Seeded Raisins, 1-lb. packages, 10c. 2 Cans Red Salmon, 25c. Lemon Biscuits, 9c. per lb. New Dates, 7c. per lb.

CROCKERY

We are still clearing out our Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets. If you want bargains this is the place to get them. Also China Lamps and Glassware, at prices that make sales.

John McConnell Park St., Phone 190

What a church needs is not fortifying so much as filling with life.

When men speak ill of you, live so that nobody will believe them.

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Every Shoeman says he does.

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SOME POINTERS FOR YOUNG FELLOWS.

Clothes do not make the man is an old and rejected saying, but it has probably done more harm than good in life attaching importance to the idea that clothes do not make the man is very likely to hamper himself a great deal, and miss some good opportunities for advancement before he learns that clothes are very much worth considering. They do not make the man, but to strangers, they do, in a general way, denote the kind of man who is inside them.

At a recent meeting of newspaper publishers in Toronto the members were discussing the difficulty in getting machine operators. Mr. A. G. Donaldson, of Galt, made a suggestion: "If you have," he said, "an apprentice in your office who always wears a clean collar and a neat tie, who keeps his clothes tidy, and cares something about his personal appearance, do not hesitate to teach him to use the typesetting machine. That kind of boy will not be aloof and untidy in his handling of an expensive machine. He will take a personal pride in caring for its delicate mechanism."

Clothes do not make the man, but the man ought to make his clothes what they should be. To dress too expensively is a fault more often with women than men, although some young men seem flattered if they can dress in such a way as to compel attention. They hamper themselves quite as much as those who attract attention by caring nothing about their clothes. A young man should so dress that his clothes will neither outshine himself nor detract from his appearance. A man's coat is as much a part of him—in the opinion of the stranger who meets him—as is the arm inside it. His hat has as much to do with the expression of his countenance—as it impresses a stranger—as has his nose.

Nor should a young fellow say that he does not care what strangers think of him, or what anybody thinks. Everything depends on what strangers think of you—much on what they think of you at first sight. The young man of twenty probably has not yet met a single one of the men with whom he will be most closely associated in his life-work. Some fine day when he is feeling well, and is at his best, he will attract the attention of some stranger with whom he is doing business. He will run across him somewhere else. It may end in an offer to quit his present line of work and enter another line, and he will accept the chance. This kind of thing is occurring every day in Toronto. When a young fellow gets a really good opening in this way, people call it luck, and it looks very much like luck, but the person to whom it came was dressed becomingly and carried himself correctly. The stranger noticed him; saw that he looked like the kind of fellow he was hunting for, and, on chatting with him, found that he was sensible as the outside was pleasing.

It makes a boy's gorge rise to read about the goody-goody in the story books their maiden aunts send them on their birthdays, but they turn too far in revolt against these unnatural little prigs. They model their speech and deportment too much on the "smart fellow" in the store or office, who doesn't care a snap for anybody alive, and who is going to secure another job—when he gets discharged, as soon happens. When a young man has seen a few of these fellows get the medicine their disease calls for, he recovers without treatment. A young man does not need to be a dude nor a snob, but he can depend on it that clothes count, manners count, and the good-will of strangers is worth having.—Toronto Star.

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

The proper place for a crook is in a straitjacket.

Tan secured in the harvest field is not nearly so aristocratic as tan acquired on the golf links.

The one-meal-a-day fad is never popular with the man who can afford but one.

A man with no music in his soul may still run a phonograph half the night because he dislikes the neighbors.

It is a strong-minded vegetarian who does not fall when the fried spring chicken is passed.

Happy is the man who is imbued with the idea that the very best things have not yet happened.

THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage
and all the men and women
merely players."

LAST NIGHT'S PRODUCTION.

A big audience gathered at the Grand Opera night to witness the presentation of Wilson Barrett's famous play, "The Sign of the Cross," and their complete approbation was evidenced by their liberal applause. The play deals with the persecution of the Christians in the time of Nero, and that persecution, and the manner of the Romans of that day are vividly and realistically depicted.

It abounds in striking situations, to the portrayal of which the strong company supporting Mr. Walter Law found themselves thoroughly equal. In the leading role of Marcus Suerbus, Prefect of Rome, Mr. Walter Law proved himself beyond compare. He was a favorite with the audience from the first moment he appeared upon the stage, and every subsequent appearance was the signal for enthusiastic plaudits. Mr. Law has the advantage of a splendid figure, naturally fitting him for his part; there is a certain indescribable fascination in his manner which seizes on the fancy of his audience; yet his successful portrayal of this difficult role is chiefly due to his ability to enter thoroughly into the feelings and emotions of the part. It is all so real, that an audience quite forgets till long after the curtain has fallen that it is only acting. There is in it something quite apart from, and superior to, mere acting.

Mr. Law was well supported by Miss Dorothy Lambert in the role of Marcia, the Christian. Miss Lambert played this role perfectly, and deservedly shared in the popular tribute which followed the strongly emotional scene at the close of the third act. Six times the curtain had to be raised, when Mr. Law and Miss Lambert bowed their acknowledgments of the enthusiastic plaudits of the audience.

In the more difficult part of "Benvenuto" Miss Claire Vincent provided herself a thorough artist, and her portrayal of this character was a signal triumph. Like Mr. Law, she has a thorough mastery of and sympathy with the emotions of the character she depicts; and, in addition, a fine voice, which stood her in good stead.

Orson M. Dunn did some work in a vivid portrayal of the traditionally villainous, while the lesser parts were all well taken. The scenic effects throughout were excellent. The success of Mr. Walter Law and his strong company is a tribute alike to themselves, to the discriminating taste of the Chatham public, and the earnest efforts of Manager Briscoe to give that public the best that is to be had.

RADLEY STOCK CO.

The Radley Stock Company, under the able management of Mr. Ned Radley, have decided that after so many requests from patrons who witnessed their last show, to produce at the Grand Opera House next Friday, for matinee and night, their famous play, "Larry Brogan's Promotion." A number of new specialties have been arranged for between acts. A special matinee will be given at 4.15 p. m. Prices 5 and 10 cents. At night the prices will be 5, 10, 15 and 25 cents. Seats now on sale at Briscoe's.

NOT FOR BEST FARM

IN THE STATE.

"I saw so much in the papers about the wonderful cures effected by Pyramid Pile Cure, I determined to give it a trial. I bought from my drugist one fifty cent box and used it as directed, and by the time I had used the last 'pyramid' I was entirely cured. In four days after I began to use the 'pyramid' all inflammation was gone. I was perfectly easy all the time, the excessive discharge stopped at once, and stools became easy and gentle."

"I was unable to get my own fire wood for four months, and half the time when I could walk at all I had to walk with a cane. I used many vile remedies, salves and ointments, all to no effect until I used one fifty cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure and was cured."

"I would not be afflicted as I was four months ago for the best farm in the state of Arkansas. I can give proof and reference of the wonderful cure to all who are afflicted as I was. Please publish my letter that I may advise the afflicted." W. E. Wallis, Pigot, Ark. Box 26. The experience of Mr. Wallis is that of thousands of others who suffer for years with the most painful forms of hemorrhoids, or piles, and after trying everything they hear of, give up all hope of a cure and look for temporary relief only. To all such a little book published by Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., brings glad tidings, as it tells all about the cause and cure of piles, and is sent free for the asking.

The postman believes that we should take things as they come. The woman lawyer doesn't always disdain a man's suit.

Sore Throat and Coughs

A simple, effective and safe remedy for all throat irritations is found in
Crescote Antiseptic Tablets
They combine the germicidal value of Crescote with the soothing properties of slippery elm and licorice.
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A man who can induce others to walk into his trap is a strategist.

IT ALWAYS HELPS

An ailment like consumption that has been months and years getting a foothold cannot be relieved in a week or day. Scott's Emulsion will always afford relief and often cure, but not over night. The consistent use of Scott's Emulsion will positively help the consumptive at any stage of the disease. We guarantee nothing beyond this, but we know that right living and Scott's Emulsion have done more to cure consumption than anything else.

Scott & Bowne, Chemists, Toronto, Ont.

Local Briefs

Cowan's Big Shoe Sale opens today. Joseph Tilt returned from Detroit last evening.

D. L. Gardiner, of Valetta, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

John S. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, spent Saturday with his Chatham friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Smith, of Blenheim, were visitors in the city on Saturday.

Fax Foy, of Detroit, an old Chatham boy, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Ave. Green House, Phone 181.

Mr. Pringle, of the Merchants' Bank staff, has one of the best trained English setter dogs in the city.

Rubber Boots, all kinds, 20 per cent. off regular price while sale is on, at Cowan's.

J. G. Montgomery, of the Molsons Bank, Ridgeway, spent Sunday the guest of Mrs. Rice, Patterson Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gardiner and O. M. Dunn of New York City, were registered guests at the Rankin on Saturday.

On and after March 1st one per cent. more will be added to all unpaid city taxes. This makes the regular five per cent. annually added to taxes not promptly paid.

For sale—Good large two-story frame house, thoroughly overhauled, three years ago. Will be sold at a bargain, as it must be moved off the property by May 15th. Apply to The Chatham Wagon Co., Limited.

Mrs. J. M. Northwood, William St., will leave for Washington, D. C., to-day. She will spend the rest of the winter there visiting her two sons, Dr. K. K. Northwood and Jack, who is taking up the profession of dentistry in Washington.

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Mother—What! Didn't I tell you not to give that young man any encouragement at all? Ethel—Yes, mamma, but he didn't need any encouragement.

Point Him Out.

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ROYAL GOLFERS.

English Sovereigns From Xerxes to the
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The news that King Edward is developing a remarkable enthusiasm for golf, and when he is at Windsor rarely fails to spend a couple of hours a day on the sporting little nine-hole course there, takes one back to days when golf was a favorite pastime of his royal predecessors.

The Stuart Kings were keen golfers to a man, and many an interesting record is preserved of their doings on the links. When James Duke of York, afterwards James II., had his court at the Palace of Holyrood, and spent his days in a succession of balls, plays, masquerades, and versions of all kinds in and out of doors, he was to be seen almost daily playing golf on the famous links of Leith. Long years after a Mr. Tytler, of Woodhouselee, wrote: "I remember in my youth to have conversed with an old man named Andrew Dickson, a golf club maker, who said that when a boy he used to carry the Duke's golf-clubs and run before him and announce where the balls fell."

There may be seen to this day a substantial memorial of the Duke's love of golf in an ancient house on the north side of the Canongate, in Edinburgh. In the house is a tablet bearing a coat-of-arms with, for crest, a right hand grasping a golf-club, and the motto—"Far and Sure."

It is in connection with this house that the following interesting story is told. One day the Duke of York became engaged in a dispute with two English noblemen of his court as to whether golf was a peculiarly Scottish or English pastime. As the disputants could come to no satisfactory conclusion, it was decided to settle the matter by an appeal to the game itself, the nobles offering to play His Royal Highness and any Scotsman he could bring forward for a large sum of money. "The Duke," so the record runs, "whose great aim was popularity, thinking this had no bad opportunity both for asserting his claim to the character of a Scotsman and flattering a national prejudice, immediately accepted the challenge."

He discovered a suitable partner in one John Patterson, a shoemaker, a member of a famous golfing family, and himself a champion player. In the match the Duke and his partner achieved an easy victory over the front of the Canongate, and on its delight handed over half the winnings to his humble coadjutor. With this sum the shoemaker built himself the substantial house which survives to-day in the Canongate, and on its front the Duke caused the escutcheon described above to be affixed.

The first James was an enthusiastic golfer as the second, and was, indeed, more than a match for some of the reputed good players of his time. He even did honor to the game by formally appointing golf-club and ball makers under the Privy Seal of Scotland. William Mayne, "tower" of the famous Edinburgh golf club, and himself a member of the "Hibernia," and in 1618 James Melville and others were empowered to furnish the King of Scotland with golf balls for the space of twenty-one years, "our Sovereign Lord understanding that their is no small quantity of gold and silver transported yearly out of His Majesty's Kingdom of Scotland for buying of golf balls."

Henry, son of James I., was a noted golfer, even as a boy, and of him the following story is told: "At an early time playing at golf, a play not unlike to pale maille, whilst his schoolmaster stood talking with another, and marked not His Highness warning him to stand farther off, the Prince thinking he had gone aside, lifted up his golf-club to strike the ball. Meantime one standing by said to him, 'Beware you hit not Master Neale's'; whereupon he, drawing back his hand, said, 'Had I done so I had hit paid my debts.'"

King Charles I. was equally devoted to the game, and it is on record that it was while playing on the links of Leith that a courtier, an Englishman, was the cause of the rising in Ireland under Sir Phelim O'Neill; whereupon His Majesty threw down his club and, calling for his coach in great agitation, was being driven rapidly to Holyrood House, whence he started next day for London.

Since the Stuart days none of the sovereigns have taken much practical interest in golf until our own times, though it is true that the William IV. was patron of the Royal and Ancient Club of St. Andrews, and presented a gold medal for annual competition. Now, after the lapse of two centuries, golf has once again been exalted into royal favor. The Queen, under Ben Sayers' tuition, plays it excellently; the Prince of Wales, also under Sayers' guidance, has become a clever and keen golfer; and the Duke and Duchess of Connaught have spent many hundreds of happy hours on the new course at the Royal Hospital, Dublin or on the links at Malahide, or at the Viceroy's Lodge.

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Earl Spencer, whom Mr. Gladstone, according to Morley's "Life," would have named as his successor, is a great authority on co-operative trade. He carries his theory into practice on his own estate, where everything is done on the co-operative principle, to the great satisfaction of everyone concerned. The earl, who is now quite white, was at one time possessed of a rather fiery beard, and when he was in Ireland as Lord Lieutenant, he was one day watching the firing at the Dublin rifle ranges, when a small boy came up and remarked cheerfully: "Mr. Jones says you're to come at once, he's waiting for yer." The good earl mildly suggested that there must be some mistake, as he was unacquainted with Mr. Jones. "Oh, no; there ain't no mistake," said the lad; "he told me to give that message to the man with the ginger beard!"

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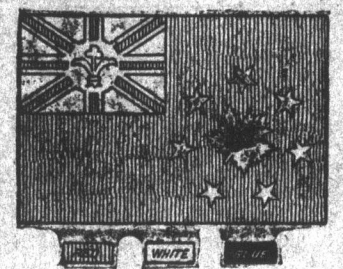
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CANADIAN FLAG SUGGESTION. Historic emblem upon which nation's flag. Their sons have doubly earned it; they have stood at the front for Canada and Britain in three great wars, and will do so yet again.

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Our Future—Canada. The Maple Leaf has undisputed place as the nation's emblem. A stirring national song has enshrined it in our hearts. Let it stand for the world-empire our fathers are, which we ourselves may some day be.

Each star of the circle of seven represents a Province, as the enclosed design of this question, that the patriotism of the Canadian people may have a fitting rallying-point—Victor Laurier (Wm. E. Park) of the Chatham Planet in The National Monthly of Canada.

Mr. Justice Clute. Roger C. Clute, K.C., LL.B., of Toronto, has been appointed a Judge of the High Court, in succession to Mr. Justice Idington, who goes to the Supreme Court at Ottawa. Mr. Clute was born near Picton in 1848, of U. E. Loyalist stock. He was educated at the Sterling Grammar School and at Albert College, Belleville, taking the degree of LL.B. in 1873. The same year he was called to the Bar. He was made a Queen's Counsel in 1890, and has acted as

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He was appointed a Q.C. by Sir Oliver Mowat in 1876; in 1879 was Clerk of the Peace and Crown Attorney for Perth; and in 1885 was also made a Q.C. by the Marquis of Lansdowne. In 1894 he was president of the Western Bar Association.

He has also been president of the North Perth Reform Association. He conducted the prosecution of the murderer Chappelle in 1895. He is a Presbyterian. He married Margaret, daughter of the late George Colclough of Mount Forest.

On Jan. 26 last Justice Idington was the guest of honor at a banquet at Stratford, where he was presented with an address regretting his departure from Stratford and a handsome cabinet of silver as a token of respect from the members of the bar.

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Gen. Sir F. C. A. Stephenson is a British Crimean Veteran.

General Sir Frederick Charles Arthur Stephenson, G.C.B., K.C.B., who has been given the rank of Field-Marshal, is one of Britain's Crimean veterans. He was born in 1831, and joined the Scots Guards in 1857. He served through the Crimean war,

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CHAMPION POOL PLAYER.

The Cuban De Oro, Who Makes Some Wonderful Shots.

Alfred De Oro, a Cuban, is undoubtedly the greatest pool player in the world and has a box full of world's championship emblems. De Oro is a sensational, brilliant player, who carries the spectators of their feet in delirium of excitement.

De Oro is rapid in every action. His work is usually so dazzlingly fast that he bewilders his opponents. As soon as his turn comes to shoot after the break De Oro shoulders arms with his cue, a quick, hurried march around the table, a brilliant flashing glance of his intense black

eyes, and he is back at the mark from which he is to attack the ivory in formation on the table. In a low, distinct voice he calls the number of the ball, and before the spectators have had time to pick it out he makes a deft motion with his cue, and the next instant the house is in an uproar.

On combination shots De Oro knows no equal. Without any one knowing what ball he is going to shoot at, or if one does know how he is going to shoot at it, De Oro will walk back to the lower rail. If the five ball is smuggling against the pile in an awkward position, the first intimation the spectators have that he is going to try for it is when they hear De Oro announce, "Five ball in the corner." Then, before they have time to study out the shot for themselves, they are electrified on beholding him make it.

But De Oro is not only sensational. He is one of the greatest students the game has ever known, and his knowledge of pool is unsurpassed.

What Makes the Sky Blue? The sky has long been a puzzle to physicists. There are two mysteries to explain about it—its reflection of light and its color. The old view was that the blue of the sky was due simply to atmospheric oxygen. Oxygen has a faint blue tint, and the idea was that several miles of the gas, even when diluted as it is in the air, would have a bright blue color. But this did not account for the intense illumination of the sky, and of recent years Tyndall's "dust theory" or some modification of it has been generally accepted. Recent calculations by Professor Spring of Liege, Belgium, however, indicate that

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Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. E., will meet at 8.
Companion Court I. O. E. "At Home," Auditorium, at 8 o'clock.
Chatham Lodge, No. 22, I. O. E. F., Oddfellows Temple, at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Children's and Boys' Rubber Boots cheap at Cowan's. Sale now on.

Roy Clancy, of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor on Saturday.

Girls' Shoes, in sizes from 11 to 2, 40c. a pair, at Cowan's.

Remember the Auction Sale, Wednesday and Saturday, afternoon and evening, at the Urban.

Robert Field has laid a charge of insulting language against Bruce Saitor. The case will be tried this week.

You can save from 25 cents to \$1 by buying a pair of rubbers or shoes while Cowan's Sale is on.

The Radley Stock Co. present "Largy Brogan's Promotion" at the Grand on Friday for matinee and night.

Miss M. S. Rehnes, who has spent the last three weeks the Guest of Miss A. M. Martin, Dover St., left today for Windsor.

Mrs. Blackburn, 4th Con. Tp. of Chatham, mother of Mrs. Geo. Mason, Park St., this city, is dangerously ill at her home.

Miss Sengster, who has charge of Thomas Stone & Son's new Dressmaking Department, will be in the store to interview customers Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Dover St., have returned home, after attending the bedside of their aunt, Mrs. John Northcote, of Dresden, who is dangerously ill.

Studies in the Scriptures—Millennial Dawn—specially mentioned in city pulpit; procure a copy at especially reduced price, 25c. per Vol., cloth, embossed, at Powell & Davis, Garner House Block.

One of our Maple City young men drove to Wallaceburg via the town line, Sunday. He says it took him three hours for the drive where formerly it only took two hours. The snow is banked on the road in several places fully five feet high, and between the 2nd and 3rd concessions there are cuts through the drifts to drive through, the full length of the concessions.

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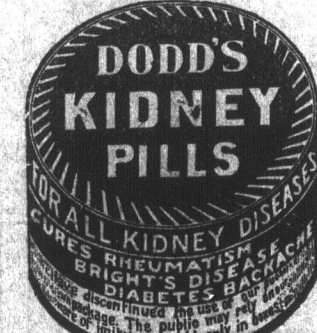
KENNY'S
BOOK STORE

Union revival services are being held in Campbell A. M. E. church every evening during the week at eight p. m. except Saturday. Next Sunday the second quarterly meeting will be held; special services three times during the day.

The House of Refuge Committee of the County Council met Saturday morning to deal with the matter of securing a cook for the institution and also attending to the sewer which is blocked up. Chairman James Chinick, Mr. Bryan and Warden Vester were present.

Mrs. Atkinson and daughter, Miss Helen, returned Saturday from Detroit, where they have been attending the wedding of Miss Daisy Rolfe, a former Maple City young lady. Mrs. Atkinson was taken ill while in Detroit, but is much better.

Owing to the public announcement from a city pulpit concerning Studies in Scriptures—Millennial Dawn—many will desire to procure a copy. To meet increased demand arrangements have been made to supply these books at the specially low price of 25c. per Vol., cloth covers, embossed, well worth securing. Secure a copy at Powell & Davis, Garner House Block.



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Call and see sample before placing your next order for potatoes.

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Allen's Sweet and Relined Cider, .49
per gallon
2 packages Armour's Minced Meat, .25
All 100 Cereals, 2 packages, .25
New Nuts, mixed as you wish, .25
per lb.
4 lbs. New Dates for, .25
5 lbs. Cooking Figs for, .25
Wilson's Buckwheat Flour, 7 lbs. 25c.
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Choice Cooking and Table Apples.

Oranges, Bananas, Cranberries, Pumpkins, Squash, Carrots, Beets, Turnips, Parsnips, Celery, Lettuce, Cabbage, Sauerkraut, Turnips, &c.

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To close out our \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25 Waists of etamine, fancy flannels, lustrous, etc., your choice of them for this week at **\$1.00**

Fleeced Blankets and Shakers

2 cases of those fleeced blankets so much in demand at per pair **\$1. and 75c**
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20c twilled union fancy stripe shirt, flannels to clear per yd **12 1/2c**

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50c Children's Grey Lamb Gauntlets for 25c. \$1.00 Misses Sealett Gauntlets to clear at **50c.**

Ladies' Hose

Black Cashmere Hose, don't darn your old ones buy them 2 pr. for 25c. Women's and childrens ribbed cashmere hose double basket knees, double heels and toes, sizes 4 1/2 to 10 to clear at **19c**

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The Windsor, Essex & Lakeshore Rapid Railway Company is now ready to receive tenders for the construction of its proposed road from Windsor, to Chatham, by what is known as the Shore Road, passing through the towns of Essex, Kingsville, Leamington, Wheatley, thence north to Tilbury, thence west by the Middle Road to Buxton and thence to Chatham, according to the charter right as granted by Special Acts of the Legislature of the Province of Ontario.

All tenders must be made in writing and addressed to the General Manager, Philip Heesline, 1020 Chamber of Commerce Building, Detroit, Mich.

Vermont Well Pleased.

The Manchester, Vt., Journal of February 26 prints in its editorial column the following:

THE RAILROAD CHANGE GOOD FOR MANCHESTER.

The first important change on the Rutland Railroad since the Central Hudson Company took control went into effect to-day. The flyer which heretofore left Rutland at 2 p. m. and arrived in Troy at 420 will run to Albany, instead of terminating the trip at Troy. This does away with transferring passengers to the local belt line train for Albany.

This will prove a great convenience to travellers as the connection with the fast trains from Albany will be more certain and the time to New York and the West shortened. No doubt this change will soon be followed by closer reverse connections and additional conveniences and the summer schedule will be much improved and time shortened. Indeed it is with pride that we can now write:

Manchester-in-the-Mountains, Vermont.

On New York Central Lines.

This hope and ambition of the late Franklin H. Davis is at last realized. Would that he might have lived to enjoy it.

Parliamentary Notice

MONDAY the Third day of April next, will be the last day for the presenting of Petitions for Private Bills.

MONDAY the Tenth day of April next, will be the last day for introducing Private Bills.

MONDAY the Twenty-fourth day of April next, will be the last day for receiving Reports of Committee on Private Bills.

CHARLES CLARKE,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, Toronto, 24th February, 1905.

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Ancient Order Foresters (Hope)	9	4	692
Workmen	9	5	643
A. O. F. (Unity)	8	5	615
Sons of England	8	6	571
Royal Arcanum	6	8	429
Macabees	6	8	429
Sons of Scotland	5	9	357
Independent Order Foresters	4	10	286

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If you want to buy a good house and lot call upon Smith & Smith, as they have several good houses for sale from \$550 up. They also have private and company funds to loan on farm and city property at lowest rate of interest.

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After recovering from a severe case of rheumatism I was so badly crippled with rheumatism in my hands that I could not raise them. I rubbed with the mineral water I found in a week's time I could use them as well as ever, and now they are entirely well. This I attribute to the use of the water.

Yours respectfully,
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\$1.25 Quality for 90c	90c Quality for 75c
1.35 " " 1.19	1.25 " " 1.10
1.50 " " 1.29	1.35 " " 1.20
2.00 " " 1.45	2.25 " " 1.80
2.25 " " 1.70	3.00 " " 2.40
2.75 " " 2.25	3.75 " " 3.00
3.25 " " 2.60	4.50 " " 3.60
4.00 " " 3.19	
4.25 " " 3.35	
5.10 " " 4.30	
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The Way to Get It Clean and Give It a High Polish.

An experienced housewife gives the following directions for polishing mahogany: First wash thoroughly with weak vinegar and water to remove all stains and dust, dry carefully and rub well with a mixture prepared in this way: Put into a pan two ounces of yellow wax, half a pint of boiled linseed oil and one ounce of alkali root, boiled; stand this in another pan full of boiling water till the wax is all melted and the whole well colored with the alkali; strain it, and when cool add one gill each of spirits of turpentine and vinegar, mix well together and use. Apply this very thing with a bit of dandelion, rubbing it sharply all the way of the grain till rubbed in, then rub again with another clean dandelion, and lastly, with an old silk handkerchief. The great secret in polishing furniture is to apply a very little polish, with a large amount of rubbing; it is to this the "eggshell gloss," so much admired on antique furniture, is due. Another excellent polish is made in putting into a bottle half a pint each of turpentine and linseed oil, and one gill each of methylated spirits and vinegar, shaking these well together till thoroughly mixed. Always remember to shake the bottle well before using.

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They Are Easily Made and Produce a Charming Effect.

Two pretty candlesticks and shades are here shown. These beautiful shades are made at home out of beads strung and hung over a wire frame. They may be strung in a pattern, a design, or they may be strung from one color. The effect is candy-like. The



BEAD CANDLE SHADES.

shade at the left is of red and green beads. The one at the right is of white beads with a green fringe. After one string is made, the second string is threaded into the beads of the preceding row, the third into the second, and so on, each bead thereby being caught by two threads, one connecting it with a neighbor on one side and one on the other.

If desirable the beads may be sewed on a silk or cotton shade, the color of the shade to match, or in contrast to the color of the beads.

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THE ILLS OF THE AGED

Mrs. Stacy, of Hamilton, tells how they may be lessened.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stacy, of 172 Hunter Street West, Hamilton, says:—
"I was very much troubled with headache, dizziness and constipation. I am in my eighty-first year, and I grew worse and worse till I was weak and faint that I could hardly keep from falling.
"Since using Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill I am very much better; in fact, I may say I am very well compared to what I was before using Anti-Pill.
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Some good people are spoiled for want of good words.
Experience is not only a severe teacher, but a slow one, for just as a man begins to learn nicely he is old enough to die.

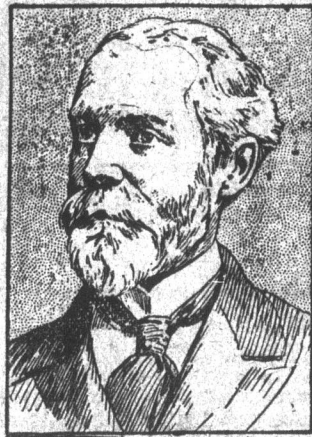
WHITELAW REID, EDITOR

DIPLOMAT WHO SUCCEEDS CHOATE AS AMBASSADOR TO ENGLAND.

Best Known As the Editor of the Newspaper Founded by Horace Greeley, the New York Tribune. Gained a Reputation As a War Correspondent During the United States Civil War—Was Once U. S. Minister to France.

Whitelaw Reid, who will succeed Joseph H. Choate as Ambassador of the United States at the court of St. James, has already served in distinguished positions as diplomat and commissioner. Mr. Reid is perhaps best known, however, as editor of the newspaper founded by Horace Greeley, The New York Tribune. He was born in Xenia, O., in 1837, graduated from Miami University, Oxford, O., in 1856, and has since received degrees from Dartmouth, Princeton, Yale and from Cambridge University, England. He began his journalistic career editing the Xenia (O.) News.

During the Civil War he gained an extensive reputation as a war correspondent. He became managing editor of The Tribune in 1869, and when Mr. Greeley ran for President against General Grant supported the former vigorously in The Tribune's columns. He has been editor in chief and chief proprietor of The Tribune since 1872. He declined appointment as Minister to Germany in 1877 and again in 1881. In 1889 he was appointed Minister to France and served until 1892. In that year he was



WHITELAW REID.

dominated by the Republican party for Vice-President and ran on the ticket with Benjamin Harrison. An amusing incident happened during this campaign at a meeting in Carnegie Hall. Mr. Reid entered after the meeting had begun and was shown to the box at the side of the stage reserved for him. When his entrance was observed a demonstration began. The candidate for Vice-President arose and acknowledged it appropriately by bowing. The demonstration continued, and Mr. Reid arose again and bowed. Then the audience began to laugh, and Mr. Reid, who is very dignified, began to be embarrassed.

"They want you on the platform," said a member of the committee.
"Well, then, what in the world are they laughing at me for?" demanded the offended candidate.
"Why, it's all a mistake. Chauncey Depew's got the box above you, and when the crowd began to shout, a welcome at your arrival, he thought they were calling for him. He began bowing acknowledgments too. A man's just gone up to see him."

Mr. Reid has devoted himself to his work as proprietor of The Tribune since the defeat of the Republican national ticket in 1892, but on three occasions has accepted appointment to temporary positions of honorary character. He was special Ambassador of the United States to the diamond jubilee of Queen Victoria in 1897, member of the commission which negotiated the treaty of peace with Spain in 1898 and special Ambassador of the King Edward VII. of England in 1902. Mr. Reid married a daughter of the multi-millionaire D. O. Mills.

A strange crime, which the accused alleges was committed under the influence of a dream, is reported in The Friend of India, from a village in Upper Burma. A man who was living in a house with two other people, aged 11 and 18, took home a fowl and asked them to cook it for the evening meal. As it was full moon day, the girls objected on religious grounds.

The uncle insisted upon the meal being prepared, but by some oversight the usual food offering to propitiate the god was omitted. When the man was asleep he states that he dreamt he had become a king, and that his right to the throne was being questioned by two policemen. Thinking he was fighting them, he seized his knife, but attacked his two nieces, who soon succumbed to their dreadful injuries.
The man, still sleeping, rested for a while and when he awoke, being still impressed by his dream, struck a match and then perceived the mangled bodies of the two girls. He collapsed at the sight of the blood and wept bitterly till daylight, when he reported the matter to the village authorities, who put him under arrest.

Improving Back Yards.
In regard to improving back yards I know of a little instance where an Italian bought two dozen geraniums of me. Some time afterwards his neighbor asked me if I was the one that had sold the geraniums. I told him I was, and he said: "I am not going to have that fellow beat me in his back yard. Give me four dozen geraniums."—A New Jersey Florist.

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Served Its Purpose.
"A certain cad of Esqad had been in his youth a fisherman, and, to keep himself in mind of his humble origin, there was always spread upon his dinner table a huge fishing net.

"People admired the cad for this exhibition of humility. He was rich, and his house was sumptuous. But, amid all that elegance, the net, the sign of the man's lowly birth, was always prominently displayed.

"The story of the net spread through the city and finally reached the ears of the caliph. He, in due time, sent for the cad, took him into his favor and made him his grand vizier.

"Thus," said Haroun al Raschid, "we reward humility."

"From the day of his appointment the grand vizier ceased to exhibit his fishing net. It disappeared, and it was never spoken of.

"Once, though, a visitor, a man of considerable impudence, said to the vizier: "Why is it, my lord, that your net is no longer spread upon your table?"

"The vizier smiled and quietly replied:

"It has caught the fish."

Louis Napoleon's Title.

It has been said that Louis Napoleon, who assumed the imperial dignity in 1852, a year after his famous coup d'etat, was influenced in the choice of his title by a curious misconception. An enthusiastic prefect closed an official document with the words "Vive Napoleon III!" and these three notes of exclamation were mistaken for the Roman numeral III.

Another and very similar story is to the effect that official posters appeared upon the walls of Paris headed Napoleon III. by a printer's error for Napoleon II. L—that is to say, Napoleon II, Emperor, or emperor.

The less romantic reason is that had the son of the great Napoleon lived to succeed his father he would have been Napoleon II. and that on this ground Louis Napoleon figures as the third of that name.

Penalties of Progress.

It would almost seem as if nature resents any departure from the original mode of progression. When men rode what they developed bow legs and a jockey walk. When they took to the bicycle they put on the cycling mop and grew elongated feet. When the motor came in it modified the bicycle hump and gave us a lesser stoop, a craned neck and the motor glare.

If you will have a man well set up, normally developed and erect, as Providence intended him to be, you must bring him up on walking exercise, not of course, the dawdling slouch of the lazy loafer, but the spirited walk of the healthy human who trends the earth as it he owned it. Here you have at hand one means of avoiding some of the penalties of progress.—London Tatler.

Profanity is an acquired habit which can easily and profitably be put aside.

Could Not Walk Ten Yards Without Resting.

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Sleeplessness.

How many women are troubled with a weak heart? How many lie, night after night, trying to sleep, and can't? Perhaps you are one of them? If so, read what Mrs. Herkimer says. It may save you years of suffering if you take her advice.

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RUSSIA'S DANGER SPOTS.

Englishman Says They Are Towns—Sends the Disturbing Element—Situation Considered.

The danger spots of Russia are the towns, writes a correspondent of The London Express. Yet—and here is another argument against a general revolution—the population of the towns forms only one-twelfth of the whole nation. Contrast this with the urban population of England—60 per cent of the whole. And of this one-twelfth a full third is composed of foreigners, resident in those towns, who take and will take no part in national politics. Thus it is obvious that these danger spots are, after all, mere specks in the great expanse of the Russian race.

Nevertheless it is in these towns that the danger lies, and at present the "students," male and female, are the disturbing element. Nor are the causes which arouse their activity merely natural ambition for the progress of their country, or a Slav sensitiveness to its low position in European civilization. I believe that in addition to these the terrible grinding poverty of thousands of these students is the dominant factor which makes for the new socialism—not nihilism, be it noted—the revolting force of Russia. The great majority of the students hold small Government scholarships, mere pittance which are just large enough to allure them to the towns, but totally insufficient to support them when they get there. Thousands of the Russian students cannot buy winter clothing or even the necessary boots, and, ill fed, they throng together in wretched lodgings, there to declaim their hapless fate and to decry the Government.

This, then, is the one chief element of danger in Russia. It is neither widespread nor national. Local in its origin, exclusive in its character and peculiar to a single class, it is capable of much mischief and many explosions, but it is totally incapable of infecting the masses of the people and the provincial population generally.

NEW STYLE TOTEM POLES.

Chilkat Indians Decide to Have a More Permanent Variety.

The totem poles of Alaska Indians have always been a subject of interest among ethnologists, and their strange appearance has excited the curiosity of the general public. Formerly these symbols of clanship were of wood, but recently some of the



MARBLE TOTEM POLES.

Alaska tribes have decided it would be a good idea to have them carved in stone. The totem poles here proposed were made by a western marble cutting firm for the Chilkats, who live near Haines Mission, southeastern Alaska, and who raised \$850 to pay for these queer sculptures. One of the poles is twelve feet high surmounted by a whale killer. The other represents a bear standing on his hind feet. This totem weighs 3,000 pounds.

Leamington's Wise Move.

Leamington, in Warwickshire, England, affords an interesting instance of what the mere beautifying of a place can do to make it a popular interior watering place; but fashion changed and the patronage went elsewhere, property values declined and a spirit of dejection took possession of the people. The town people, however, were made by a western marble cutting firm for the Chilkats, who live near Haines Mission, southeastern Alaska, and who raised \$850 to pay for these queer sculptures. One of the poles is twelve feet high surmounted by a whale killer. The other represents a bear standing on his hind feet. This totem weighs 3,000 pounds.

They organized an improvement association, pledged the credit of the town for the purchasing of parks, secured the margin of the Leam River, beautified the banks, laid out walks and drives and even subsidized a brass band and a boat service on the river.

With the transformation of Leamington, from an artistic point of view, came the transformation in property values and in the prosperity of the entire community. All the old houses were filled with families who came there because it was a nice place in which to live, and within five years over 700 new homes were created, and the town has since been prosperous and the people contented.

Evilsomeness.

America has retaliated upon Sir Edward Clarke and his proposal to call the great republic "Usana." "You're another," says the United States of North America to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and all the British dominions beyond the seas. "Evilsomeness," says the United States of North America to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Canada, Australia and South Africa, though we may not all approve of the order of the initials. But if we address our letters to "Usana" the reply will come to "Evilsomeness."—London Chronicle.

His Straggled Wife.

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How many of you have paid you hard-earned dollars to these concerns with the expectation of receiving services from specialists who have 10 or more years' experience, but when you called at their offices you were treated by some other doctor than whose picture you saw in the paper? And how many of you saw the same doctor more than once, but each time a different one? Remember, I am doing business on my own reputation and each time you call you see me personally.

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TAMING A TIGER.

The Way a Showman Got Friendly With a Fierce Beast.

A zoologist just describes how an attendant brought about friendly relations with a fierce tiger:

"There was a showman I used to know named Melchior. He once bought a magnificent Bengal tiger, which he got at a low price because it had already killed two men.

"At first Melchior would put his foot or his hand into his cage, but from the way the tiger would leap at him he knew that to put himself entirely in its power would be suicide. Nothing he could do would establish a friendly relationship between himself and the tiger.

"One originality was needed, and Melchior showed it by taking some old clothes, stuffing them with rags and throwing them into the cage. The tiger in a jiffy tore the old clothes to pieces, thinking that the figure was a human being.

"Next day and the next day and the next Melchior continued to throw in to the tiger stuffed figures, and the tiger continued to destroy them. But as time passed the animal ceased to put heart into its work and in the end it gave up altogether these attacks on the scarecrows. It would just play with them or else not notice them at all.

"Now was Melchior's time. He opened the cage door one morning, walked in boldly and slapped the tiger familiarly on the back. It gave him a friendly look and purred. It took him for another mankin not worth bothering about. It lived seven years with Melchior and became as gentle as a kitten."

WORSHIPERS OF BAAL.

Queer Ways of an Extraordinary Sect in Turkey.

The Yezides, the Baal worshippers or devil worshippers of Turkey, are an extraordinary people, and, although forced by the laws of conscription to serve in the Ottoman army, the seizure of one or more of their young men by a Turkish recruiting party is such a distressing spectacle that once witnessed it can never be forgotten.

Walls and yells of despair are raised. Men, women and girls kiss the recruit's eyes, cheeks, mouth and hands. Throwing themselves on the ground, they even embrace his legs and feet.

The conscript appears quite dead with sorrow. He folds in his arms and crosses over and over again his weeping kindred, whom he will never see again. He kisses the walls and the hearth of the cabin in which he was born, but which he is about to quit forever, and wets them with his tears, but when, accompanied by his Turkish captors, he leaves the village the lamentations of the villagers cease.

Then, and as though nothing had happened, the latter go about their ordinary occupations. Never again is the conscript's name mentioned, and on joining his regiment the young Yezide becomes a Mussulman. His kindred, believing him accursed, affect to forget him, and were he to approach the village from which he has been forcibly dragged away every Yezide, even his dearest friends, his father, mother, brothers, sisters and sweet heart, would drive him from their presence with curses and pelt him with stones.

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THE SATELLITE

They tell me that the Council did a little despatching last night.

The city's interest in Harrison Hall will not add to the beauty of the market.

That Radial Road charter seems to have an attraction for the promoters.

The promised flood is not yet in sight, but I expect that there will be something doing in a week.

A little conscience new and then relished by the best of (that is The Planet) men.

Mr. and the Spec man will be wearing diamonds just like Alex. Eberts 20 odd years from now.

I knew that New Government would appreciate my efforts. This financial appreciation is, after all, great appreciation.

Mr. Mayor McKeough, Dr. Thornton and some more of my Irish friends are already busy burnishing their shamrocks.

I'll agree with some others that one million like "The Sign of the Cross" is sufficient for a season. It's a little too heavy for the most of us.

A new era of businesslike methods has been inaugurated by the new Ontario Government. Witness their desire to have the best work at the cheapest price.

H. S. Clements is investigating the salaries of the local hog inspectors. Mr. Clements should seek the assistance of Sherlock Holmes to aid him in a search for those duties.

Every time the telephone rings now I am afraid it is those government fellows at Toronto wanting to give me another printing contract. Strange how the office sought the man after all.

There is a feeling of fear amongst the Grit license-holders of the city since E. E. Parrot, J. W. Humphrey, and A. J. presented the case to the commissioners through the city council.

All these things at last are coming our way. We received a dollar conscience money and also a budget of printing from the Ontario Government. That is the first Ontario Government printing received in 32 years.

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Baled Hay Shipped in and Purchased
—Sale of Stock Sometimes
Necessitated.

The question of securing feed for stock is becoming a serious problem with the farmers of Kent County.

It would be surprising if it were known how many farmers there are in Kent County who have not sufficient feed for their horses, cattle and hogs, with no way of securing it. There are very few farmers in the whole county who have feed for sale and of these there are none who have to come into the city to sell it—they can find enough purchasers among their own neighbors.

Matters are rapidly assuming a serious aspect. Farmers who are unable to purchase feed are forced to sell their stock and others have barely sufficient feed to carry them over the remainder of the winter. It is not an uncommon thing to see farmers coming in to the market, purchasing hay and taking it home. Baled hay is also being shipped into the city from the east, and is greedily purchased by the farmers—those who are fortunate enough in having money to purchase it. Hay is also being shipped into Blenheim, something that has never been known before.

The Planet procured the following information from some of the farmers of the county:

James Coulter, of the 6th concession, Chatham Township, said:—
"Feed is very scarce. The most of the farmers around me have enough for themselves but positively none to sell. Feed has been scarce now for the past two years."

N. H. Burke, of the Lake Shore, said:—
"There are few farmers who have enough feed for their own stock and all of them are buying hay, which is being shipped into Blenheim. There is no wheat straw at all and very little oat straw in the country."

H. Nichols, of the 7th concession, Chatham Township, said:—
"Many of the farmers are forced to feed straw to their horses. Hay is surprisingly scarce and there is none in the country to sell. I heard of one farmer who had hay to sell. There is hardly any corn in the country, and what there is not half ripe."

I'd suggest to the Hon. Sidney Fisher that he explain to the member for West Kent that the present duties of the Hog Inspectors are resting up after the arduous duty of drawing their checks. The checks are so large that it requires some effort to draw them.

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We determine destiny by our answer to the call of duty.

James Foster, gardener, has been all through the county. He said:—
"There are many farmers who have had to sell their stock because they had no feed."

Joseph Beaune, gardener, who has also travelled all over the county, said:—
"There is practically no feed in the country. Fodder is also very scarce. I bought five acres of fodder the other day at a big price and the next day I had four farmers after me wanting to purchase it. They were willing to pay almost any price, but I needed it myself. Money is also very scarce in the country and those who cannot buy for lack of funds have to sell out. Baled Hay is being shipped into the city in very large quantities and the farmers are ready bidders. It is a very common thing to see farmers going home at night with a sleighload of baled hay—something which has seldom happened before in the history of Kent County."

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Sixteen years ago Mr. Bowers came to the Maple City and for fifteen years he has been engaged in the building trade. He has indeed had a successful career as a builder and is known all over the city and vicinity as a man who is content with doing nothing which does not reflect credit upon himself and the men in his employ.

On the first of May last he commenced to take contracts for himself and he has had no difficulty whatever in securing the confidence of the public, who know him to be a conscientious workman.

Mr. Bowers is ready at all times to supply estimates upon all kinds of building work and if anyone is thinking of building this spring he cannot do better than call upon Mr. Bowers, and secure pointers on the cost and latest designs and patterns.

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INVESTIGATING
HOG OFFICIALS

Herbert S. Clements Gives
Notice of Some Pertinent
Enquiries in Parliament.

What are these Men Doing and what
Salaries are they Drawing While
Hanging Around Here?

Considerable interest was taken by the people of West Kent during the last Dominion campaign in the matter of hog cholera legislation and there was not a little speculation as to the reason certain so-called officials were kept hanging around this city and district, presumably at nice fat salaries paid by the people, and what work they really did to earn their remuneration.

The issue of Hansard this week shows that Herbert S. Clements, M. P., in accordance with his promise to the farmers of West Kent, is instituting a much-needed investigation.

Under "Notices of Motion" the following is found:

Mr. Clements—On Thursday next—Inquiry of Ministry.—1. How many inspectors or veterinary surgeons have been employed by the Government for the years 1902, 1903 and 1904, for the prevention of hog disease, or other animal disease in West Kent?

2. Who were the officials, and who are engaged at the present time?

3. What salaries were paid to each, and what is paid at the present time?

4. Does the Government intend keeping present officials retained at present salaries?

5. If that said disease, known as hog plague, has abated in the said county, what are the duties of above officials; and are they allowed expenses outside of present salaries?

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

CONSCIENCE MONEY

Sometimes conscience money has come to others and frequently the customs office has reported having received secret payments of duty, but only once has conscience caused the payment of money into this office. The other day an unknown gentleman came and handed a dollar into this office. He said he was instructed to pay the money by a lady, but he refused to give her name or his own, but tendered the statement that the donation was conscience money. It has just occurred to us that it would be a bad idea if some of our other creditors should be troubled with the same complaint.

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