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Select Them at Building Sale Prices

Cloths here for cool garments, delicate gauzy things for hot days, and plenty of fashion about them too. If you want the popular American Muslins you will have to get them, prices so low they are in easy reach of all.

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Ladies' grey serge skirts, unlined, trimmed with taffeta silk, the latest styles, regular price \$3.75, on Saturday at \$2.50.

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During balance of building sale we are placing on sale an extra heavy wood, round thread, unbleached cotton, suitable for sheeting, pillow cot-

ton or general use, regular value 60 to 61-2c a yard; on sale for

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We have just passed through the customs—

10 pieces guaranteed indigo dye, navy and white prints, regular value 12 1-2c; our sale price is—

11c.

10 pieces guaranteed real indigo

dye, navy and white prints, regular value 10c a yard; our sale price is—

8c.

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5c.

20 pieces fine American muslins, in the new shades of pink, old rose, new blues, linen shades, etc., in fine organ-dies and dimities, very special; sale prices are 15c and

12 1-2c.

5 pieces plain organdie muslins, in colors sky, pink, old rose, linen and cardinal; special sale price—

20c.

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15c.

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10c.

Our stock of wash goods is immense and contains all the newest American creations. We have succeeded in securing them below regular value and give you the benefit during our great building sale.

.....THOMAS STONE & SON.....

HER THANKS

Hypatica Cannot Refrain From Paying Tribute to the Assistance and Gallantry of Presto.

To the Editor of The Planet:

Dear Mr. Editor,—Can you find a little space in your Tuesday columns for a few lines from Hypatica? Her case is very urgent, Mr. Editor. She does so desire to thank Presto with all heartiness for his great kindness in vouchsafing so much valuable information touching the subject under discussion in the Garden of Glade of Saturday. Ah! could she but have known all those things before that miserable effusion of hers ever set foot on terra firma! Can you see for the life of you, Mr. Editor, how Presto comes to doubt my sex after perusing said effusion? Isn't it just like a woman to make for a goal and plunge and struggle all over to right to left, above, below and never get anywhere? Now, isn't it, for all the world? And isn't it just like a large, whole-souled man to step forward in a kind, fatherly, bearing-and-forbearing way and lead that blundering, short-sighted woman safely to the desired goal? Mr. Editor, our gratitude to Presto is indescribable.

Sincerely,
HYPATICA.

LAI'D TO REST

Funeral of the Late Mrs. Joseph Side Was Largely Attended—Many Floral Tributes.

The funeral of the late Minnie Keating, wife of Joseph Side, and only daughter of Captain Theodore H. Nelson, Murray street, took place yesterday afternoon to Maple Leaf cemetery and was attended by a large number of friends and acquaintances, showing the high esteem in which she was held. A short service in which was held. A short service in which was held. A short service in which was held.

The death of Mrs. Side is particularly sad, as she leaves three little ones—all girls—the youngest a baby three weeks old, behind. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the husband, her father, and brother and relatives in their very sad bereavement. Mrs. Side before her marriage was familiarly known as "Puss" Nelson, and was a general favorite with everybody she came in contact with. She received her education at the Ursuline Academy, and also took courses at the Canada Business College, of this city.

Mrs. Side's death will be universally regretted by her many warm friends in the Maple City. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, father and brother, besides numerous relatives. A deputation from the city Fire Department, consisting of Chief Pritchard, Foreman Jacques, Fire-Geo. Pritchard and H. Johnston, of which Mrs. Side is a member, attended the funeral out of respect to their comrade in his loss. The pall-bearers were Messrs. William, Albert and Matt. Side, Geo. Benue, C. Meisoville and Charlie Arnold. The deceased was but 29 years old.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

OVER FIFTY DEAD BODIES HAVE BEEN DISCOVERED

Those Reported Dead and Missing in West Virginia Flood Number 249—The Losses to the Railroads and Other Interests, it is Believed, will Reach \$2,500,000.

Bluefields, W. Va., June 24.—Deaths of the fearful flood in the Potomac coal region are slowly drifting into this town, which is situated twenty-five miles south of the scene of the wrecked homes, and fully bear out the fears early entertained as to the havoc wrought by the storm. Fifty dead bodies have been found. The list of missing and reported dead is 249. Thousands of people are homeless, and it is feared are without food or at the best only food enough to last a few more days. The work of establishing railroad communication is being pushed with vigor. There is little hope of sending the sufferers succor until railroad connection is again renewed. Men are at work clearing away the debris and recovering the bodies of the dead. The dead are being augmented hourly. The latest estimate is that it will take ten days to repair the track.

LUMBER INTERESTS SUFFERED HEAVILY.

Information from the Tug river district is to the effect that the damage to the coal operations in that region is also great, but that the lumber interests have suffered considerably. Over a hundred miles of track belonging to the various coal operations are practically a total loss. The rails are bent and twisted like wires. Even the heavy iron

SHOE VALUES

This store is offering great values in Foot-wear of all kinds and 10 Per Cent. Off—ALL—Trunks and Valises For the balance of June. Now is the time to buy.

PEACE'S SHOE STORE 4th Store from the Market.

ton, which excels in point of size the one at Erieau, is situated right on the banks of the St. Clair River, where the cool and balmy breezes have full play.

It is the duty of every citizen and every member of the Regiment to do his utmost towards making this excursion a success. Special train leaves the C. P. R. depot at 7:10 p. m. Fare for round trip from Chatham, adults, 50c; children, 25c.

EXCELLENT MUSIC.

The music at the Park St. Methodist Church Sunday was of an exceedingly high order and was much appreciated by the soldiers. The following program was rendered:—

Blessed is He Who Cometh, Gounod, —Choir.
Thy Hallowed Presence, C. D. Carter—Miss Elida Idle and Choir.
Love Divine All Love Excelling, Stainer—Miss Idle and Mr. Robert Knight.
Oh, Sing to God, Gounod. —Miss Elida Idle and Choir.

PAN-AMERICAN, BUFFALO, N. Y. Parties who intend visiting the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, can secure private accommodation within ten minutes walk of the grounds. For particulars and rates address M. H. Terry, formerly of Chatham, 1292 West Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

KITCHENER IS SILENT

British Commander Has Not Yet Reported on the Water-kloof Fight.

The Colonials Were There Surprised by Gen. Kritzinger While in Pursuit of Another Boer Force.

London, June 24.—Lord Kitchener has as yet sent no report of the Waterkloof mishap. Recent events in Cape Colony seem to prove the Boer invasion of that country to be serious.

THE FIGHT AT WATERKLOOF. Cradock, Cape Colony, June 24.—The detachment of the colonial mounted rifles which was attacked by the Boers at Waterkloof, June 20 (when the British lost 14 men killed and wounded, and 66 men were captured) was pursuing Commandant Malan, when General Kritzinger surprised the rifles' camp at Waterkloof while the colonial troops were saddling up. The fight lasted two and a half hours. DIED FROM HIS WOUNDS.

London, June 24.—Lieutenant G. L. Greenfields, of the Shropshire Yeomanry Cavalry, is dead from wounds received in the war in South Africa. He was one of the Oxford-Cambridge team which defeated the Harvard-Yale team in the international athletic games in July, 1899.

LESSONS OF THE WAR. An interesting paper, written by Jean de Block, the Russian councillor of state and member of the Russian ministry of finance, on the lessons of the Transvaal war, was read at the United Service Institution this afternoon. The Russian councillor declared the South African war had proved that military service, as practiced today, was absurd, and that the sacrifice made on the continent to support conscription was unnecessary. The war showed that the theatrical spectacles called manoeuvres were in no way related to real warfare.

For pimples, blotches, bad complexion, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine to take—it has established this fact.

THE PASSENGERS WHIRLED MADLY DOWN TO DEATH

Cleveland Flyer Plunges Over an Embankment—Two Persons Killed and Over a Score Injured.

Pittsburg, June 24. — Train No. 23, known as the Cleveland Flyer, was wrecked at Monaca about 30 miles west of here this evening, and at least two persons are dead, and probably 30 hurt.

DEAD. The dead—J. W. Cunningham, fireman of the train; Larry, or Lowey Black, baggage-master, of Mount Washington, Pittsburg.

INJURED. Injured so far as known:—Mrs. James Lee, Washington, Pa.; Mrs. Alvirra Mills, Bellaire, Ohio; Rev. A. D. Gavin, Holy Ghost College, Pittsburg; Mrs. Lola D. Herkins, Cleveland; W.

Stevens, Cleveland; Miss Luch Rose, Cortland, Ohio; Miss Mary Churchill, Cortland, Ohio; R. L. Martin, Lisbon, Ohio; James Brown, engineer; J. M. Jordan, New Castle; Thos. B. Warner, Toronto, Ont.; two men, names unknown, taken as Rockers, Pa., may do.

THE WRECK. From the passengers it is learned that the train, while going at very fast speed, ran into an open switch at Monaca, and the entire train went over an embankment some 25 feet high. Every car was turned over, two of them going over twice. "Flyer" left here at 4:30 for Cleveland and had its coaches well filled with passengers. Fireman Cunningham, when taken from the wreck, was found to be horribly crushed. His death must have been instantaneous. As soon as the news of the wreck reached the city Superintendent Yohe summoned a corps of physicians and took them to the scene on a special train. This train returned here with the dead and a number of the injured, when another train was despatched to Monaca, which gives currency to the report that many more are hurt than as yet made known.

FALL IN WITH THE RED COATS

For the Great Big Furlough to be Spent With the Band at Port Lambton.

The Non-Coms. are in Command and the Outing is Bound to be a Big Success.

The non-commissioned officers of the 24th "Kent" Regiment will run a monster band concert excursion to Port Lambton on Friday evening, June 28th, and the prospects are that the Red Coats will have the biggest crowd on record.

The 24th Regiment Band, the favorite musical organization of the county, will turn out in full strength and will furnish the best and brightest of music. Permission has been granted by Lt.-Col. Rankin for the officers and men of the regiment to appear in uniform on the occasion, and the same privilege has been given the C. C. I. cadets.

The proceeds of the excursion will be used in equipping the non-coms' mess room. Although large crowds will be present from Dresden, and Wallaceburg, the Lake Erie Co. has had sample preparations and there will be plenty of cars in service. The dancing pavilion at Port Lamb-

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Special attention paid to Touch, Tone, Technique and Style of Interpretation, on lines laid down by such great artists as Herr Martin Krause, Leipzig, and Herr Theo. Lachnitsky, of Vienna. Krause Method as taught by Mr. H. Field and Mr. Carter. A limited number of students will be accepted. Address all communications to KRAUSE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC.

"Are all the arrangements for your marriage with the count complete?" "Practically. All that remains is for him to give papa a statement of his liabilities."

GENERAL LORD KITCHENER.

HIS GREAT TASK AND HIS ABILITY TO PERFORM IT.

HOW HE MEETS BOER TACTICS.

His Attitude Towards His Subordinate Officers—The War in South Africa—Contrast With European War—The Commander-in-Chief Does Not Spare Himself—A Fine Flow of Language.

In an article on Lord Kitchener a London Daily Mail war correspondent writes:

You cannot defeat the Boer by calling him a coward. He is not a coward, nor would that epithet sting him to the fighting point. It is a part of Brother Boer's tactics to run, and he makes us run after him. It is a part of the Boer's tactics to run, and he makes us run after him. It is a part of the Boer's tactics to run, and he makes us run after him.

Who fight and run away.

Live to fight with Delany.

Kitchener knows this, and where another general might have been covering sheets of foolscap with general ideas for surrounding and capturing the flying burghers, Kitchener is steadily and calmly removing to well-guarded centres the means of fight.

Firstly, the burghers must have food—so we are bringing the food in.

Then they must have horses, so the country from the Orange to the Crocodile is being denuded of horses. The horses must have forage, and the forage of the country is stored or burnt. Imagine if you can Kitchener's task. Think of the enormous tract of country over which our operations are extended, and you will realize to some extent that in Pretoria is the only possible general for the work in hand—a work that demands better generalship than would be required of the commander of an army corps in a European war.

Contrast the position of the General Commander-in-Chief engaged, say, in a war against France. He would have under his command several compact army corps moving in an area restricted by the boundaries of neutral countries. Little strategy would be called for, for except in the event of a general European conflagration there is no room in the future for purely strategic movements. Certain recognized positions will be held or taken, and the rest will be a matter of tactics. The General's orders to his Lieutenants could be made known from one end of the country to the other within a few hours; he would be in touch with the enemy, whose position and strength would be as well known to him as his own. His work would consist in supervising the operations of divisions, in whose hands would be left the disposition of the forces.

In South Africa Kitchener is the head, middle and feet of the army. He runs everything and knows everything. He has divisions, brigades and columns moving in all directions over an area not less than 300,000 square miles, and he knows the whereabouts of every one. He has some columns that are 250 miles from any railway line, and as far from telegraphic communication. His grasp of detail is perfect. He knows how many Cape carts Henkner's column has, and he is aware that there are three sick Yeomen in hospital at Bulawayo.

His attitude toward his subordinates is peculiar, for he values man only as a more or less perfect machine, and the more perfect he is the better he treats him. Kitchener has no use for fops of any sort, but he is not so prejudiced by appearance as to order a man home because he wears an eyeglass, as some people would have you believe. Indeed, some of his best officers have an affection for the monocle. If his manner were translated into words it would run something like this:

"I am your superior officer; you have taken service under me, and the world will judge you according to your progress. I have great power entrusted to me by the King through his Parliament, and whoever you are or whatever position you fill in the social world I can make or mar you. I want you to do your duty, and your duty is to do as you're told. If you do as I bid, you shall have all the credit for the success in obtaining which I used you as an instrument. If my plans miscarry I will take the blame—unless it miscarry through inefficiency. I don't care who your tailor is or how many clubs you may be a member of providing you can lead your men into action with a maximum of dash to a minimum of risk. I don't want heroes who will lead their comrades up to the cannon's mouth and reduce the strength of their regiments accordingly, but steady men who will take cover and shoot away obstruction from the shelter of a nice convenient boulder."

Nor does Kitchener spare himself, as the recent chase of Dewet testifies. If he is not at Pretoria sitting at the end of a telegraph wire he is somewhere down the line seeing things for himself, and Dewet had not been long in the colony before Kitchener was at De Aar, talking to the commandant of Hopetown about the horses that had not been removed from the Hopetown district. On such occasions "K. of K." has a fine flow of language.

Had Worked That Game Too Often.

It is said that a young officer at the front recently wrote to his father: "Dear Father, kindly send me £50 at once; I lost another leg in a stiff engagement, and am in hospital without means."

The answer was: "My Dear Son,—As this is the fourth leg you have lost according to your letters, you ought to be accustomed to it by this time. Try and wobble along on any others you may have left."



THE OUTLOOK

For a woman's happiness in the married state depends less, as a rule, upon the man she is to marry than upon her own health. The woman who enters upon marriage, suffering from womanly weakness, is "heaping up trouble against the day of trouble."

Weak women are made strong and sick women are made well by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is the one reliable regulator. It dries up feeble drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It nourishes the nerves and invigorates the entire womanly organism. It makes the baby's advent practically painless, and gives strength to nursing mothers.

I suffered for twelve years with female trouble," writes Mrs. Milton Grimes of Adair, Adair Co., Iowa, "which brought on other diseases—heart trouble, Bright's Disease, nervousness, and at times would be nearly paralyzed. Had neuralgia of stomach. I can freely say your medicine (nine bottles in all) of 'Favorite Prescription,' four of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and two of Dr. Pierce's Pellets, have cured me. I can work with comfort now, but before I would be tired all the time and have a dizzy headache, and my nerves would be all unstrung so I could not sleep. Now I can sleep and do a big day's work, something I had not done for over eleven years before."

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World of Sport

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National League.

New York 3, St. Louis 2.
Pittsburgh 8, Boston 2.

First game.
Philadelphia 8, Cincinnati 0.

Second game.
Philadelphia 19, Cincinnati 1.

Brooklyn 2, Chicago 1.

American League.

Baltimore 17, Detroit 8.

Chicago 7, Philadelphia 5.

Milwaukee 9, Washington 8.

Cleveland 7, Boston 1.

Eastern League.

Toronto 7, Providence 5.

Syracuse 2, Montreal 1.

Buffalo 7, Worcester 8.

Rochester 6, Hartford 3.

National League.

Pittsburgh..... 690.

New York..... 537.

Boston..... 533.

St. Louis..... 529.

Brooklyn..... 500.

Philadelphia..... 490.

Cincinnati..... 467.

Chicago..... 365.

American League.

Boston..... 622.

Chicago..... 608.

Detroit..... 540.

Washington..... 537.

Baltimore..... 524.

Philadelphia..... 447.

Cleveland..... 370.

Milwaukee..... 354.

Chamney Fisher has been released from New York.

Detroit has signed a new pitcher, Ed. High, of the Virginia North-Carolina League. He is a South paw, and is said to be a good one.

Four victories, two defeats and one tie is last week's record of the Pittsburgh Club. If they can keep the good work up its dollars to doughnuts that the pennants will get the pennant.

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HER CHARACTER.

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Unusulted pathway to the soul, and try To win disclosure from that limpid well, Where Faith and Hope and Charity, rare, Untarnished since her earliest infancy. The secret of the fine, uplifting grace Of heart and mind is found in perfect love. And thus enthroned, her lot life unfolds, As pure spring blossoms, when they grow in peace. Enkindled by the radiant sun above, And taught of fragrance there inclosed within.

—L. H. Watson.

ELEPHANTS IN THE ARMY.

Highly Trained Brigades for a Great Variety of Work—Increasing Feature of British Army Life in India.

One of the most interesting features of the English army life presented to the laymen in India is furnished by the remarkable efficiency of the elephant brigade, most highly developed through the skill of the Burmese in handling the giant animals, says The Regiment. Their usefulness in India can scarcely be imagined by one not familiar with the amount and variety of work which they accomplish. It would be a serious mistake to imagine that this degree of usefulness is attained through any aptitude of the unwieldy animals or natural tendency toward it. It is due solely and entirely to the wonderful ability of the natives in training the huge animals and overcoming their natural inclinations. This cannot be too highly praised. Neither must it be imagined that the use of elephants in army life is not attended by great disadvantages, not the least of which is the difficulty with which they are transported. Naturally the elephant is not an intelligent animal. He can be taught remarkable things, in which his strength and endurance play an important part. He can never, however, perform these feats without continual attendance and direction. Abstractly, his power of work is unappreciable; when directed by skillful hands, however, it is remarkable.

The transportation facilities which are provided for the sole use of the elephant are quite as remarkable. I witnessed recently, adds the writer, the loading and detraining of a lot of elephants on the Madras Railway. Both were remarkable processes. In loading a rope is fastened to his foreleg, and a lot of natives haul and pull at it to induce the animal to take the first steps into the car. This is only accomplished, however, by admonishing him in the harshest means of a tusk. The first step taken is rapidly followed by the others until he stands safely on the car. This portion of the work is accomplished comparatively easily, however, when compared with the next. At first he is timid and slightly frightened, but when the car starts his fear is wonderful to behold. Though he may ride a hundred times, he never overcomes this fear, though it is much more pronounced when he takes his initial ride after, say, two months' acquaintance with civilization. He rears the air with wild trumpeting, endeavors fruitlessly to escape, and only ceases his efforts when the car has again come to a standstill. In transporting the elephants by sea the difficulties are almost as great. They are raised by means of a canvas sling from the wharf to the ship, struggling to escape and rending the air with their cries. Once aboard ship they are easily managed, the motion not affecting them, because they do not see the moving panorama before them. Unloading them is easy. They are lowered to a raft beside the ship and allowed to swim ashore. They take to the water easily, and are excellent swimmers, being able to swim eight or ten miles at a stretch without tiring.

Why Finger Bowls Are Banned.

When a member of the Royal family comes to dinner it is a point of etiquette, as all our readers know, to provide none but the illustrious guests with a finger bowl at the end of the banquet. The other diners must get on somehow without that convenience. The reason is a curious one. In early Georgian days one never knew who was loyal, every other man might be a Jacobite in his secret heart. Now, it was a piece of Jacobite ritual whenever the toast of "The King" was drunk secretly to pass the goblet over any water that happened to be by the drinker. This was supposed to convert the toast into that of "The King over the Water," the exiled Stuart at Rome or St. Germain. On this becoming known, the court insisted that there should be no water within reach of any guest, and the prohibition still holds.—The London News.

Beresford Scored.

General Buller was once in company with Lord Charles Beresford coming down the Nile, and as their boat approached the First Cataract a sharp discussion arose as to which was the proper channel to take.

The soldier advised one, the sailor another, but in the end Buller's channel was followed, with perfect success.

"You see, I was right," the general exclaimed exultantly.

"What of that?" retorted Beresford: "I knew it was the right one myself, and I only recommended the other because I knew you would oppose whatever I said."

The Favorite.

Miss Tooting Beck (Suburban)—"Oh, Mr. Dash, that horse is that they are all looking at?" Mr. Dash (City)—"That's the favorite, Miss Beck."

Miss Tooting Beck—"Really? What a wonderful creature! It seems to have run in every race I've heard of!"—Funch.

India Is Advancing.

The native Christians of the Madras Presidency have started an agitation to be allowed to marry their deceased wives' sisters.

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I have leased the entire building above the drug store and shall try to give satisfaction in the future as I have in the past.

I am the only specialist on Chronic, Private, Nervous, Delicate Blood, Skin, Kidney, Liver, Bladder and Stomach Troubles who will cure you first and you

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WANTED—Competent girl wanted. Apply to Mrs. Polson, William street, across the Creek. 10c

TWO GIRLS WANTED—At the Chatham Steam Laundry, two doors from City Fire Hall. 10

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—At once. Highest wages will be paid. Address Mrs. (Capt.) Post, Rond Eau. 10

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COOK FOR SUMMER HOME—Plain cooking; good wages. Address with references, Mrs. (Dr.) Kennedy, 459 Cass Ave., Detroit, Mich. 10

WANTED—Girl wanted for general housework, small family, house has all modern conveniences. Apply Mrs. Wm. Gordon, 6 Riverside Terrace. 10c

WANTED—Active country agents for Province of Ontario, to ship fruit to reliable firm. Good wages for right man, will pay 2-2 1/2 per cent. commission on shipments; \$10.00 easily earned in a day. For particulars address, Exporter Box 2163, Montreal. 10c

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

PIANO FOR SALE—New upright; can be purchased at a bargain. Apply at The Planet Office.

\$500 Will buy one and a half acres on Victoria Avenue. \$400 will buy 8 lots in one block on Maple Street. Apply at Planet Office.

COTTAGE TO RENT AT RONDEAU—For the season, partly furnished cottage. W. S. Marshall, Chatham, Ont.

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HOUSE TO RENT—On Grant street, just repaired throughout and being repainted, apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria block. 10

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O. B. Hulin, on account of ill health is offering his business for sale, which he has carried on successfully for the past fourteen years, which is composed of mason's building supplies, such as lime, cement, sand, sewerage, hair, plaster paris, etc. He has a well established stand in North Chatham, with good facilities for landing materials, river running on the back of property, about 130 feet front. Will sell property and stock, or sell stock and rent the property. Either way to suit the purchaser.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders will be received up till noon, Monday, July 1, 1901, for carpenter and joiner work and furnishing of hardware for an elevator to be built for F. B. Stevens, at Tupperville, Ont., the proprietor will deliver all lumber at the site of building.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. Plans and specifications and any information may be had at the office of James W. Carswell, architect, or from Mr. F. B. Stevens. 10

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Sterling Silver Sale

I am still continuing my Sales, and for the balance of the month, I will offer special values in Sterling Tableware as follows:

Sterling Tea Spoons, per dozen \$8.00 and up.
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Sterling Desert Spoons, per dozen \$18 and up.
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And a great variety of Fancy spoons, such as Bon-Bon Spoons, Berrie Spoons, Cold Meat Forks, Jelly Spoons, Sugar Spoons and Sifters, Cream and Gravy Ladles, Sardine Forks, Tomato and Cucumber Servers, Cheese Scoops, Butter Knives, Etc. at special prices, the largest line ever shown in Chatham.

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Local Budget

Bicycle repairs at Brice's. If Roy Lenover, Taylor avenue, is slightly indisposed.

Old pipe or tea lead wanted immediately at this office.

Come on the moonlight on Friday evening at 7.30. Good music. Ad.

Walter Verrall, an old Chatham boy, is visiting friends in the city.

R. Thompson, an old Chatham boy, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Dr. Thornton, of Dresden, is the guest of his brother, Dr. Thomson, of this city.

J. McGuire, H. Watson, A. Bennett, Gray Mitchell and party, spent Sunday with friends in Thamesville.

James Morrison and Henry Bates, of Detroit, two old Chatham boys, spent Sunday at their homes here.

F. B. Sharp and wife, of Albion township, are visiting at Mr. Sharp's father's, M. Sharp, VanAllen avenue.

Joe Spyring gave a very interesting and instructive lecture on the gunboat on Tecumseh Park Sunday evening.

Miss Minnie Bedford, of Detroit, formerly a student in the C. B. C. here, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Bishop Wilmore intends going to the London, England, conference on the 24th of August. The conference is from Sept. 4-17.

The only real moonlight excursion this month, on Friday evening, by the Ladies Society of the Hospital, Refreshments on board. Come. Ad.

Messrs. Fisher, Ainsworth and Wigley, brick masons of this city, who are working on the Armory at Windsor, spent Sunday in the Maple City.

A team belonging to John Banner ran away on Duke street on Saturday. The buggy and harness were badly smashed. No one was injured.

The Str. City of Chatham will give an excursion to Detroit on Monday, July 1st, for 50 cents for the round trip, leaving the Rankin Dock at 7.30.

E. J. MacIntyre is selling sterling teaspoons, at \$8 per dozen and upwards, and No. 1, \$18 and upwards, as mentioned in his advertisement last evening.

Miss Maggie Haveland, who has been in the American Soo for the last year, called at the C. B. C. on Saturday. Miss Haveland is an ex-student of the college.

Everett Phegan, of Goderich, who for the last six months has been attending the Canada Business College, has accepted a position with the Chatham Gas Company.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, Edgar street, were poisoned last week through eating colored crayons. They are now out of danger.

Mrs. A. E. Galbraith, Barthe street, returned yesterday from Toronto, where she has been visiting her mother, who has been seriously ill, but who is now recovering.

John Farrell appeared in the police court yesterday morning on the charge of burglarizing the residence of Geo. Stephens, M. P. He was remanded for a week to get additional evidence.

Hurrah for the Red Cross Band Concert at Port Stanley on Friday evening, June 28th. The boys in scarlet will be out in force. The soldiers deserve good treatment from their friends. Help them along. See bills.

Frank Calmeyn, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents, Queen street. Mr. Calmeyn says that he saw Abram, the man wanted by the local police, in Detroit last Saturday morning. Abram at the time was walking down Woodward avenue.

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Shelf and Heavy Hardware,
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John A. Morton

The steam roller is working on Richmond street to-day.

Harry Wallace and Ed. Bolton, of Dresden, spent yesterday in the city.

Christ Church confirmation class will meet this evening at eight o'clock sharp.

Members of Christ Church Guild will meet in the rectory this evening at 7.30.

Mrs. Carr, who has been visiting in the city, returned to Toronto this morning.

Mr. Steen has received the contract to supply the Ringling Bros. circus with wood.

Park Bros. are just completing some stove machinery which is to go to Newfoundland.

Mrs. Ball and niece, Miss Margery Cowan, went to Paris this morning on a two weeks' visit.

Park Brothers have received the big steel plates to make the large oil tank for the Binder Twine Co.

Some local talent, including Clarence Terry, Beulah and Gladstone Henry, will go out to the Providence social to take part.

Charles Burton, while driving R. S. Dunlop's delivery rig, was thrown with the seat into the ditch, breaking one of his ribs.

Detective McGregor says that he is on the trail of the party who took the nozzle belonging to the hose at the drill shed and that it had best be returned.

Mrs. D. Park, Park street East, left this morning, for Buffalo, and other points. At Buffalo she will join Mrs. H. G. Gorum, of Calgary, Alberta, and her son Ambrose.

A quartette composed of Mrs. Marshall, Miss Dalgleish and Messrs. W. Wright and Elmo Marshall sang very acceptably in St. Andrew's church Sunday evening.

There will be an emergent meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & M. G. R. C. this evening.

Just, for the purpose of receiving Rt. Wor. Bro. Jamieson, D. G. M., Erie District No. 1, who will pay the brethren an official visit.

The promenade concert given in the drill shed by the 24th Regiment Band last evening was a grand success. A fairly large crowd was present.

Refreshments were served. Dancing was indulged in until late in the evening.

Mr. Hopkins, of the C. B. C., gave a very interesting address at the meeting of the Y. P. A. C. E. of St. Andrew's church Sunday evening.

After the next meeting, which will be held next Sunday evening, the society will disband until September.

Arthur Day, the four year old son of Andrew Day, Harvey St., had a narrow escape from death by drowning yesterday. The little lad was playing near the eastern and fell in. His mother missed him and discovered her son in the water. Mrs. Day rescued the lad, who fortunately was none the worse for his wetting.

Do not forget the public meeting which will be held in the old Town Hall next Friday evening, for the purpose of organizing an Old Boys' Reunion. Every citizen who has the interest of the city at heart, should attend this meeting and help the movement along.

The family of James Dunn, Dover street, had a narrow escape from poisoning on Sunday through drinking buttermilk. Dr. Backus was summoned. All of the family have now recovered, but Mr. Dunn is still confined to his bed. His condition, however, is not considered dangerous.

E. Beattie, Higginette, writes the Maple City police that an old man, burglarized Sunday evening at 9.30 p.m. by two or three confederates and that some people in the village now think that the burglars may be the Maple City jail-breakers. The thieves secured a lady's gold chain, a gold necklace, two gold bracelets and a watch fob set with pearls. The men were traced south across the M. C. R. track, where they got in a buggy and were driven away.

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J. Howard, of Raleigh, is quite ill. J. S. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, is in the city to-day.

A. C. Ryerson, of Detroit, was in the city yesterday.

J. A. Macrae, of Wallaceburg, spent yesterday in the city.

The Chatham Cricket Club will play in Detroit on Thursday.

Robert Ferguson, M. P. P., of Thamesville, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Vandolsten, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. Kasper Schwenker, William street.

Quite a number of Chathamites took in the Odellville excursion to Belle Isle to-day.

P. Brady, of Harwich, entered St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday suffering from a severe fever.

Mrs. Jacob Cozy, Murray street, still continues very ill. Not much change is noticed in her condition.

John Aikens, Taylor avenue, gave a photograph, entertainment to a number of his friends last evening.

The Lake Erie & Detroit River suburban time cards have been printed, and are being distributed to-day.

Geo. Dabson, of the C. B. C., leaves to-morrow for his home in Southampton, where he will spend his summer vacation.

Fred Bogart, of Midland, who was forced to come home on account of illness, leaves to-morrow to resume his duties in Midland.

Miss Emmett, of Ennetit, who underwent a critical operation in St. Joseph's Hospital, is now able to sit up and is gradually recovering.

E. J. MacIntyre has on exhibition in his window the silver tea service and water set presented by the employees of the Canada Flour Mills Co. to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence McLellan, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. Powell, Water street. Mr. McLellan is connected with the American National Bank, stationed at Detroit.

He is a social student of the C.B.C. It was a social evening at the Park St. Methodist Epworth League last evening. Miss Humphrey rendered a solo very pleasingly. It was the last meeting of the league until after vacation.

Several Chathamites are contemplating a trip to Port Stanley over Sunday via Road Eau and the steamers Urania. The return fare from Road Eau going Saturday night and returning Sunday night only \$1.50, giving a whole day at Port Stanley.

A serious runaway occurred near the G. T. R. station yesterday afternoon. G. O. Scott was driving over the G. T. R. track on William street in a single buggy when his horse became frightened and ran away.

In turning the corner at Park avenue, Mr. Scott's horse was thrown out and a number of bad bruises on his head and arm. The buggy was badly smashed.

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CHANGE IN SIXTY-NINE YEARS.

I have just looked upon two pictures, one entitled "DeWitt Clinton and Train—1831" and the other "Empire State Express—1900."

The former shows the primitive locomotive DeWitt Clinton, belonging to the New York Central Railroad, drawing a train of three old Concord stage coaches at its top speed of 15 miles an hour over the seventeen miles of which constitute the New York Central "system" sixty-nine years ago. It is most comical. The latter exhibits the Empire State Express going 65 miles an hour with its splendid train of rolling palaces on a part of the same "system," now grown from 17 miles to 10,453. The road's equipment in 1831 was one engine and three made-over stages; to-day it is 3,580 locomotives, 185 sleeping and passenger cars, 3,600 passenger, baggage, mail and express cars and 150,400 freight cars. This equipment carried over 52,000,000 passengers in 1899 and more than 105,000,000 tons of freight, something of a contrast.—"On the Tip of the Tongue" in the New York Press.

A WARM WELCOME.

Skagway heralded the arrival of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company's steamship Islander in its port on her first trip by the following glowing report, which appeared on the front page of the Daily Alaska:

"Sunday afternoon half of the population of Skagway accepted the cordial invitation of Captain Foot to inspect the steamship Islander. Captain Foot was personally in charge and he was very solicitous to see that everybody had a chance to see the fine ship and partake of the good things. He was most ably assisted by Agent Dunn, Mr. Humphrey and every member of the crew. They were all just as polite and attentive as though those aboard had paid their hard cash to be taken care of."

It would be difficult to give an accurate description of the vessel and her appointments without going into the minutest details. The ship's exterior is well remembered by many Skagwayans, but the interior has been so completely changed that it was absolutely unrecognizable yesterday.

The fittings are most elaborate and the decorations are all of artistic merit and present a harmony of view which is indescribably grand.

The dining saloon is exceptionally large for a ship of the proportions of the Islander. Its finish could scarcely be finer. It would seem. The furnishings of the ladies' cabin, the lounge room and other parts are of the finest.

One of the attractions which is always looked for by the sea traveller is a chance to promenade. The Islander's cabin is so located that a splendid walk can be had around it.

But it is in the state rooms where the well being of the passenger has been so carefully guarded. Every arrangement and detail which could possibly contribute to the comfort has been provided. From main trunk to kitchen, from stem to stern the ship is kept scrupulously clean. As ship is wended their way up town after viewing the vessel and enjoying the hospitality of Captain Foot they were constrained to say she was the finest vessel with the most popular skipper on the run.

On the way up there were many musicians on board and the last night out a concert was given, at which T. R. Humphrey presided.

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I have opened up a Coal and Wood Office on William St., near G. T. R. crossing, and am in a position to serve customers with first-class coal and wood at a very low price.

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AN HUMBLE HERO

BY THOMAS P. MONTFORT
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ing against a tree. She was trembling all over, her face red and white by turns and an uneasy, scared expression in her eyes.

After a momentary pause he advanced toward her, but she held up her hand to stop him.

"You forget," she said in low tones. "Forget what?" he asked, his eyes fixed eagerly on her.

"That—that I am married."

He hesitated an instant, then said slowly:

"No; I don't forget that. I wish to heaven I could and that you could forget it too. But I love you, Louisa, and if you were married a thousand times I'd love you. It may be wrong, but I don't believe it is; but right or wrong, I love you, and I'll always love you. I can't help it."

A light of heavenly bliss swept over her features, then quickly died away. "Don't say that," she pleaded. "You have no right."

"But I have," he replied. "I have more right than any one else, for I love you more, and you love me. Isn't that true, Louisa? Don't you love me?"

She made no reply, but hid her face in her hands. Presently he repeated: "Don't you love me, Louisa?"

She waited a moment, then looked up appealingly.

"You are cruel, cruel!" she cried. "If you were not, you'd spare me. You have no right to ask me that."

"Then it is true," he cried joyfully, "and you do love me."

She looked up into his face and said quietly:

"God knows I do! It is wicked, but it is true, and I cannot help it. I love you with all my heart and all my soul."

"It is not wicked," he replied. "We learned to love when we had a right, before you married that man. It is not as though we had begun to love now. You were mine—your heart and your soul—before you became his. We loved each other then, and it is not wicked in us that our love will not die."

"I don't know," she answered thoughtfully. "It seems like all happiness is wrong and that we can't do right without being miserable. Oh, I don't know why we should ever have met!"

"Say rather that you don't know why we should ever have parted," he said. "Oh, Louisa, why did you go away from me when you knew I loved you and wanted you to be my wife? Why did you leave me when you loved me?"

"I didn't know then."

"Didn't know what?"

"That I loved you."

"Didn't you know it then?"

"No. I knew I liked you, and I thought of you sometimes in a different way from what I ever thought of any one else, but I was young, and I didn't know what love was."

"Why did you marry—that other?"

"My parents urged me, and I liked him. I even thought I loved him. Afterward there was an awakening, and then I knew the truth. That awakening was bitter and cruel."

"And you suffered," he said softly, placing his hand on her head. "My poor little girl!"

"Yes; I suffered," she replied wearily, "and God alone knows how much I suffer yet."

"I know," he said, again taking her hands in his. "But there is the future."

She shook her head slowly.

"It will be the same as the past and the present. I shall go on suffering to the end."

"But you need not."

"I must."

He was thoughtfully silent for a little while. Then he said:

"Louisa, you have no right to sacrifice your life and happiness, and not only your life and happiness, but mine. It would be a sin, a far greater sin than the other."

She knew his meaning, and she drew away from him. When she spoke, there was resentment in her voice.

"I don't think I have given you any excuse for saying that," she said. "If I have, I didn't mean it. You must let me go."

"Have you nothing more to say to me?"

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after all our long separation?" he asked in hurt tones.

"I have said too much already," she replied.

"I did not mean to say anything to hurt you, and I humbly and sincerely

repent."

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not committed a crime? Don't tell me you have."

"Louisa," he said in all seriousness, "I have done something dreadful, something I would give all the world to undo. But it was not my fault. I did it because I could not help it."

She looked up at him wonderingly, while a terrible sensation of fear and dread tugged at her heart. With that keen, unaccountable intuition peculiar to women she guessed the truth at once, but she would not accuse him even to himself. She drew a little nearer to him and spoke in low tones.

"Frank," she said, "tell me the truth. What have you done?"

"Are you sure," he asked, "that I had better tell you?"

"Yes; I must know."

"But it is dreadful, Louisa."

"Yes; I expect the worst."

"The very worst?"

"The very worst."

"And you do not shrink from me?"

"No, because you say you were not to blame and that you couldn't help it."

"But I tremble to tell you."

"Have no fear for me. I believe what you have said. You have."

"Taken the life of a fellow man?"

CHAPTER X.

NEIGHBORLY GOSSIP.

"You uns may say what you please, an you uns may say it just as long as you uns please; but, as I have said before an as I'll continue to say, that's somethin' pow'ful heavy a-weight on Sim Banks' mind."

"Lord, Pap Sampson, you've been a-sayin' them words till we uns have all done learnt 'em by heart, an you can keep on a-sayin' 'em till you've worn 'em plumb out, if you want to, but I tell you right now you're barkin' up the wrong tree. I've said before, an I say ag'in, that all on earth's the matter with Sim Banks is that he's fixin' to have a spell of fever."

"You have said that, Jason Roberts, an meebly you have said somethin' you know, an meebly you ain't. My notion is you ain't. But if you'll allow me I jest want to ask you one question."

"You jest go ahead, Pap Sampson, an ask all the questions you please. I'll answer all I kin of 'em, an when you ask one I can't scrape up no answer for I'll holler."

"V'ry well. Now, then, Jason Roberts, can you tell me why a feller fixin' to have a spell of fever would go moppin' round for two long weeks, not a-feelin' sick nor nothin', but jest actin' for all the world like he'd lost ever' cent he owned an ever' friend he had to his back? Can you jest tell me that?"

"Couldn't a feller fixin' to have the fever get that question?"

"Mebby he could, Jason, but he don't. You hain't answered my question, though."

"My notion is, Pap, that thar ain't no need of him answerin' it, for I reckon you an Jason's both got the wrong pig by the tail."

"If you're so smart, Jim Thorn, why don't you reach into the pen an git a hold of the tail of the right pig?"

"I have."

"Then you jest show that pig to us an let us see its color, will you?"

"I will. All on earth's the matter with Sim Banks is jest this. He's in love with the Widder Mann, an he's moppin' round 'cause he can't have her."

"That's the color of the pig you got by the tail, is it?"

"It is."

"Then, Jim Thorn, all I got to say is that you didn't even git your pig outen the right pen. The one you got's a plumb stray."

"That's jest your notion, Pap Sampson, but you jest wait an you'll see."

Pap thumped his cane down almost viciously.

"Jim Thorn," he said, "you'll never make me believe no sich a thing as that of Sim Banks, not if you preach it till your head's as bald as a pumpkin. I've known Sim since he wa'n't no bigger than a cat, an I can say, an say it open an aboveboard, that I ain't never yet knowed him to do ary a single thing that he had any call to be ashamed of."

"My land, Pap, do you think bein' in love with Miss Mann is anything to be ashamed of?"

"It would be for a man that's already got a woman shorely, an I don't know, Jim Thorn, but what I'd be ashamed of it even if I didn't have no woman."

There was a general laugh at this, which caused Pap to straighten up and look important.

"That's a putty hard knock on the widder," Hicks observed presently, "but if Pap was a widower I bet he wouldn't talk no sich a way."

"Nary time he wouldn't," Jason agreed. "Lord! If Pap was single, he'd be cuttin' round after the woman wuss'n a hungry cat after cream."

"That's all right, Jason," Pap said, "an I reckon you ain't talkin' so moughty much out of your head as some folks mought think. Lord a-massy, it's a pow'ful good thing for these young chaps round here that I hain't single. Lord, I'd soon have all their noses out of joint even if I am fishin' on to 70."

"You 'low you could cut 'em all out, Pap?" Hicks asked.

"Jest as easy as fallin' down a well. Why, shucks, Jake, don't you know I'd have the pick and ch'ice among the women?"

"Mebby you wouldn't, Pap," some one said, "if that Mr. Melvin were to turn loose an take to sparkin' round."

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TILBURY

June 25.—Rev. Robert Wilson, of Birr, is visiting his brother here, A. A. Wilson. The bans of Miss Artemise St. Denis and Joe Leonard, both of Tilbury North, were called on Sunday in St. Francis church.

Mrs. H. Johnston, Mrs. Hutton, Miss Hensworth, and Mrs. C. Johnson were in Detroit yesterday, via City of Chatham. Mrs. John Appleyard, of Comber, is visiting relatives here.

Public school closes here to-day for the holidays. Entrance examination begins here to-morrow, at which Mr. Dainton, of Wheatley, will preside. Mr. Hutton performing the same duty in Wheatley.

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THAMESVILLE.

June 24.—Two risks of Thamesville bowlers will visit Dresden to-morrow to play their second game in the league schedule.

Mr. Wm. McKenzie conducted the services yesterday morning in the Methodist church.

Dr. Eckard and Mrs. Pickard leave to-day for the Buffalo Exposition.

Mrs. Wm. Sherman is in Bay City attending the funeral of her brother-in-law.

Mrs. M. S. Smith left to-day for Hamilton, where she embarked to-morrow for a two months' visit to Cape Breton.

C. A. Watts and bride return to-day from their wedding trip.

The committee appointed to arrange for a lawn social to be held on the grounds of Mr. Robert Ferguson on July 8th, will meet this evening.

The Lawn Tennis team play in Ridgeway to-day.

CON. 8, RALEIGH.

Last Monday evening a large number of Wesley people paid a visit to the parsonage, where they presented the minister, Mr. Redmond, who will leave in a few weeks to take charge of an appointment in Appin, with a handsome easy chair, and a beautiful, new-made set of Tennison's poems. Miss Ethel Brown, president of the E. L. of C. E., read the address, to which Mr. Redmond fittingly replied, telling of his love for the Wesley people and his appreciation of their thoughtfulness towards him. Later in the evening the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hea was christened Edna Burrill, after which a pleasant time was spent when all engaged in games, etc.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Moody, who died quite suddenly last Monday at the advanced age of 89, was largely attended, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held by all who knew her.

Mr. Tickner, of Chatham, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Mr. Redmond, who was attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Lowe.

D. Hall has already harvested his crop of alfalfa, and is now ploughing the ground from which he intends raising a crop of beans.

Rev. Mr. George, having been offered an appointment at Orange, will visit last week to visit the church there.

The marriage of Miss Annie Park to Silas White took place last Wednesday afternoon at the residence of the bride's mother. Relatives only were present at the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Mr. George.

DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATIONS IN EAST KENT.

The County Promotion Examinations will be held in all Public schools in East Kent on 25th, 26th and 27th inst.

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Bothwell—Mr. J. G. Cameron, principal Thamesville Public School.

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