

# "The Ark



## The Planet

S. STEPHENSON, Proprietor.

## BRING OUT A CANDIDATE

What about a convention? Whether the elections come off this fall or next spring, it is not time the Conservative party of West Kent had a candidate in the field? What is the use of clapping a man in the race at the last moment and expecting him to redeem a failing that not long ago was giving 400 and 500 of a Liberal majority?

Why not place the choice of the party in the field at once so that he can get to work? There are lots of votes to be picked up for the asking! And these are the votes that will decide the contest. There are hundreds of honest, intelligent Liberals and Independents in Kent who are thoroughly dissatisfied with the performances of the Laurier government. If a candidate can get among these and get pledges of support they are mostly all straightforward men, who will keep their promises. Every day from now until the date of the election is a day lost.

Put the choice of the Conservatives of West Kent in the field now and if he cannot win it will be his own fault. He will have plenty of time to visit all parts of the ridings, meet the electors personally, strengthen up the weak places and organize the strong. Give him every opportunity to make a vote where one is to be had. Then if we cannot win it will either be the fault of the candidate personally or else the riding is hopeless.

We would like to hear from our readers on this subject, and suggestions concerning candidates would be timely.

## WHERE MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP SUCCEEDS.

The Toronto World in an argument in favor of municipal ownership of the gas works recently quoted some interesting figures from the St. Helens, Lancashire, Reporter, which seem to show that St. Helens has found municipal ownership, as applied to the gas plant, a decided success.

The figures are official, for they were given by the chairman of the Gas and Lighting Committee on the occasion of the submission of the annual report of the engineer. In 1878, when St. Helens municipalized its gas plant, the total quantity of gas sold was 99,451,000 cubic feet; the quantity sold last year was 306,126,000 cubic feet, being an increase of 207.8 per cent. During that period, the unaccounted for gas in 1878 amounted to 2.32 per cent. The net profits that have been declared since that time are £26,101. There have been ten reductions in the price of gas, during the period. There have been discounts allowed since 1882 of £36,052, and in 1891 the meter rents were abolished. In 1895 the council abolished the charges for the hire of cooking and heating stoves. The price of gas for the current year was fixed at 2s 6d per 1,000 feet for lighting and heat; 2s for power, both "subject to the usual discounts," which are not stated. At penny-in-the-slot meters 30 cubic feet of gas are sold for 1d, or at the rate of 66 cents per 1,000 feet. On last year's business at these figures there were gross profits of over \$100,000, of which \$50,000 went for interest and sinking fund; \$15,000 to the corporation, to be applied in the reduction of taxes; and the balance to the reserve fund. St. Helens, it is needless to say, has not yet "fired" of municipal ownership.

## CHURCH TAXATION.

Toronto is divided into six wards, the principal one of which is No. 8. In ward three the total assessment is \$54,377,398, and the total amount exempt from taxation \$9,380,913. Isn't this enough to fire the overburdened taxpayer up to boiling point? Yet there is no relief in sight. The Ontario government is so afraid of the churches that it dares not make a move. Yet we believe the vast majority of church members would recognize the justice of any change for the better and endorse it. Speaking of this matter the Toronto Star says: "It is very evident that a better system must be introduced. The burden must be equalized. Property that is taxed until it reaches a great value should be made to pay its own way."

This outbreak in China produces almost as many atrocities as a Kentucky election contest.

The Chatham bowlers seem a good deal like Moses. They get in sight of the trophies, as he did of the promised land, and then quit.

Japan is undoubtedly a coming power. A London despatch says: While the existing operations show, the em-

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times of the Russian bubble, they fully confirm all that has been foreseen of Japanese power. It is officially stated that Russia can provide only 8,500 men men altogether unless reinforced from Europe.

Which I wish to remark, And my language is plain, That for ways that are dark And for tricks that are vain The heathen Chinese is peculiar. Which the same I am free to maintain.

More than one sermon has been preached and a useful lesson drawn from the experiences of soldiers on the battlefield, whose lives have been saved by their pocket testaments stopping bullets that would otherwise have reached a vital spot. But what is the lesson to be drawn from this story, which is probably as true as the others? A gunner of the 44th Battery, Royal Field Artillery, owes his life to having a pack of cards in his pocket. In a letter just received at Colchester, a member of Nesbitt's horse states that at Preska the gunner was struck in the left breast by a bullet. It lodged in a pack of cards in the pocket of his khaki jacket, and passed through the whole pack with the exception of the last card—the ace of spades. He was unhurt.

## WAR BRUTALIZES.

Kingston News.

We can scarcely believe the stories told of the looting done by English, Russian and German soldiers after the taking of Tien Tsin.

## THE TORONTO CITY COUNCIL.

Kingston Whig.

At the last meeting of the Toronto council the mayor called an alderman a liar. (As his worship left the room in the confusion, some one shouted: "Garbage," and, later, still, another advised that someone "punch the mayor's infernal head." And they call Toronto the Queen City, the city of all grace and goodness!

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## WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

Electrical Review.

Wireless telegraphy seems to have passed through its period as a nine days' wonder and to be taking a less prominent position than it once occupied in the electrical field. It is greatly to be hoped that the ingenuity of inventors will devise means to overcome the several difficulties which surround its reduction to practice as one of the working means of communication. Foremost among these is the apparent practical impossibility of preventing the interference of simultaneous signals in the same region of influence, or, what amounts to the same thing, the production of a selective system for several stations whereby any two can communicate without interfering with the others. Until this is done, the utility of the system, beautiful as it is, seems to be confined within extremely narrow limits.

## SULPHUR THE MOSQUITO'S FOE.

Medical Journal.

One of our readers informs us that, having seen a statement of some English medical journal to the effect that sulphur, taken internally, would protect a person against flea bites, it occurred to him to try it as a preventive of mosquito bites. Accordingly he began taking effervescent tablets of tartaric acid and sulphur, four daily. He provided himself with several lively mosquitoes, and having put them in a wide-mouthed bottle, inverted the bottle and pressed its mouth upon his bare arm. The mosquitoes settled on his skin, but showed no inclination to bite him. If this gentleman's experience should be borne out by further trials it might be well for persons who are particularly sensitive to mosquito bites to take a course of sulphur during the mosquito season, especially in view of the growing opinion that the mosquito is the common vehicle of the plasmodium malariae.

## TUPPERVILLE.

The recent rains were a boon to the farmers.

The buzz of the threshing machines is again heard. Miss Jessie Ferguson has been engaged to teach the senior room of our school. Ray Knight has purchased a new top buggy.

## SIXTH CON. DOVER.

Threshing is the order of the day.

Miss Everett is visiting her friends in Chatham township. We are glad to say that Mrs. D. Barr is recovering from her long illness. Miss Mary Gray, of the city, is visiting her friend, Miss Janet McKellar. John McKellar, of Tupperville, is home very sick.

## LEAMINGTON.

July 29.—W. P. Fox, of Detroit, is calling on old friends here.

Miss Minnie George is the guest of Miss Huldah Delaney, of the Lake Shore.

Mrs. Harry Gallagher, of Hagersville, and Mrs. Julian are visiting at Mrs. Geo. Beattie's.

Miss Ethel Sanderson left Tuesday for Chatham, where she has a position in the law office of Spang, Houston, Stone & Seane.

George Craig left for London on Wednesday, where he has secured a position in Wigle's new tobacco factory.

Miss Margaret Scott is spending a month of her holidays with friends in Ayton.

Mrs. H. L. Williams, of St. Thomas, is visiting Mr. Williams' mother.

M. C. Morse and Miss Torrance, of Hamilton, were married in Detroit on Wednesday last, and were to proceed immediately to Colorado, where they will make their home. Mr. Morse is brother of S. C. Morse, merchant, of this place, and nephew of G. A. Morse, clerk of the court here.

Joseph Featherstone, of Romney, was badly injured the other day by a horse with which he was cultivating corn. His collar bone and three ribs were broken. He also received other injuries.

## FIRST SIGNS OF AGE.

By Harriet Hubbard Ayer.

Every woman dreads to see the muscular and bony features of her chin, and the first signs of age are those that come with the flabby throat which follows this condition of the muscles.

A paragraph is going round through the papers speaking of Mrs. Marchess, the famous teacher of singing, who, at the age of seventy years, and whose throat is as white and firm as that of a young girl.

The writers declare that they cannot tell how she has preserved this beautiful throat.

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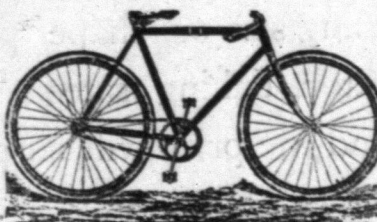
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**DEATH.**  
ALLENOR—In this city, on Sunday, July 29th, 1900, Mary, relict of the late John Allenor, aged 90 years, 1 month and 29 days.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 2:30 p. m., from the residence of her son, Henry Allenor, Harvey St.

**THE PROBABLES.**  
G. N. W. Special.  
Toronto, July 30, Light to moderate winds, mostly westerly, fine. Tuesday, moderate southwest and west winds fine, and very warm.

### LOCAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Innes are at Ha-Ha Bay.  
Carl Fleming returned to Chicago today.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cornell are in Muskoka.

Mrs. Ferguson left St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday.

Mrs. Thos. Reubel entered St. Joseph's Hospital today.

Miss Fanny Wells is in Winnipeg, the guest of Mrs. Agar.

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George Jacques, of Detroit, is visiting his father, Chief Jacques, Lacroix street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bail, Victoria avenue, leave tomorrow on a holiday trip to Parry Sound.

Bert Scott, of the Bank of Commerce staff, St. Catharines, is visiting his parents, Park Ave. East.

Some of England, Niagara Falls, Civic Holiday, August 9, \$2.40 return, good for all regular trains on August 10th.

An unfortunate woman, committed as insane from Blenheim, will be heard before Judge Houston at county court today.

W. A. Moore, chairman of the Sons of England excursion committee, left Sunday for the Falls to make arrangements in regard to reduced rates for excursionists on S. O. E. excursion on Aug. 9th.

Arthur Martin, the boy soprano, of Wallaceburg, is visiting at the residence of Wm. Drader, Dufferin Ave. He has just returned from travelling with Guy Bros' Minstrels. At Holy Trinity Church, last evening, he sang "Our Life is Like a Stormy Sea," in splendid style.

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## THE BOY HEDGING

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That He and Gerald Sifton Killed the Latter's Father—More Damaging Evidence.

London, July 30.—In the examination into the Sifton murder case Saturday both prisoners appeared to be on good terms. The boy will go into the witness box at the trial, it has been announced, but he will say that while he made certain statements to McLeod, the high constable, he did not understand their meaning or the consequences they might bring upon him. The only witness on the stand Saturday was Martin Morden, who told of Sifton's having come to the city to get him to assist in getting rid of the deceased.

Sifton said that the old man was to be married to Mary McFarlane in the morning, and he wanted to know if the witness could not go out to Arva and influence Mary not to have anything to do with the deceased. He said Mary was in trouble, and Morden said that under those conditions he would have to do with the girl. Sifton asked him if money would not be an inducement, and Morden answered that it would not. Sifton went on to urge Morden to go into the morning and help put up a hay track for the old man, and he said that if a part of the track could be laid on the deceased's falling on him two or three rap on the head with a hammer would finish him. It was a rather bad business for a person to tackle alone. Sifton put his hand into his pocket, and drawing out a vial, he asked Morden if he knew what was in it, and Morden replied that he knew too well. Sifton said: "If one thing will not do it another will." Morden supposed it was strychnine, as it was crystal-like in appearance, as Sifton said. Sifton said the old man and Mary would never marry, and Morden told him to let them go ahead if they wanted to. Sifton would not consent to the wedding. On the afternoon of Sifton's death Morden saw Walter Herbert in London township, and in conversation about the supposed accident, Herbert said that Mary McFarlane had accused Sifton and him of doing the old man.

Witness testified that Sifton afterwards told him he did not carry out his plan because it was too risky. He also said he had heard the Mordens were kicking up a fuss. If it was money they wanted to keep their mouths shut he would give them \$1,000 between them. Martin declined to touch a cent. He then asked Martin to find out what was in the second will which was in Edgar Morden's possession. It was brought out that Edgar wanted the witness to see if he could get Sifton to make an offer for the will made by the deceased the evening before he met his death.

The purpose of the visit to Sifton was to ascertain what could be drawn out of Gerald, but Martin said that after threats made to James and Edgar by Sifton he did not know whether it would be safe for him to go to the house.

A parliamentary paper has been issued showing that the Emperor of China's first appeal for assistance and mediation was made to the British Government.

At the inquest into the case of the G. T. R. fatal accident at Madoc Junction, Conductor Kerr and Engineer Maybee of the Madoc train, admitted they were to blame, having forgotten about the Peterboro train.

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## THEY SURRENDER

Five Thousand Boers Lay Down Their Arms.

Terms Were First Asked and Refused, Then They Yielded.

London, July 30.—The following official despatch has been received from Roberts:

Pretoria, July 29.—July 26th, Mas-Donald fought a rear guard action with the enemy from early morning until dark, nine miles outside of Naauwpoort, in the Bethlehem hills, resulting in his effectually blocking Naauwpoort neck to the Boer wagons.

Hunter reports that the enemy twice checked his advance by holding strong positions on two necks, one of which was taken before dark by the Scots, the Royal Irish, the Wiltshire and the Leinster regiments. Our casualties were only five or six. The second neck was taken during the night by the Scots and Guards, without opposition, the enemy retiring close to Naauwpoort.

Prisoners taken stated that 1,200 burghers would surrender if guaranteed that they would be treated as prisoners of war and not as rebels. As a result of these operations Prinsloo, commanding the Boers, asked, under a flag of truce this morning, a four days' armistice for peace negotiations.

Hunter replied that the only terms he could accept would be unconditional surrender, and until these terms were complied with, hostilities could not cease. I expressed my approval, and told Hunter on no account to enter into negotiations.

As I am writing a telegram has come from Hunter saying that Prinsloo had written a second letter expressing willingness to hand over himself, with his men, rifles, ammunition and other firearms, on condition that the horses, saddles, bridles, and other possessions of the burghers will be guaranteed them and they be free to return to their homes.

I have replied that the surrender must be absolutely unconditional, that all rifles, ammunition, horses and other possessions must be given up, and that the burghers will be considered as prisoners of war. I added that Prinsloo's overtures will not be allowed in any way to interfere with Hunter's operations, which must be continued until the enemy is defeated or has surrendered.

A later despatch from Roberts, dated July 29, confirms the surrender of Prinsloo, with 5,000 Boers.

Dr. Edgar Grafton, of Montreal was drowned at Berthier, on the St. Lawrence while swimming.

**NOW HEARD FROM**

German and Japanese Legations in Peking Send Word.

Attacks Ceased on July 12—Americans and British Trapped and Killed 1,000 Chinese.

Washington, July 30.—The secretary of state has received a despatch from Consul Fowler. Fowler says: A letter from the German legation dated July 21, has been received at Tien Tsin. The German loss is 10 dead and 12 wounded. The Chinese ceased their attack July 12. Byron von Ketteler's body is said to be safe. The Austrian, Italian, Dutch and Spanish legations are destroyed and the French partially. A letter from the Japanese legation dated July 22, arrived at Tien Tsin July 23. Ten battalions of Chinese shelled the legations consecutively from June 20 and stopped July 17, but may renew. The enemy are decreasing. The German, Russian, American, British and half the Japanese and French legations still defended. Japanese say they have food for six days, but little ammunition. The Emperor and Empress are reported at Peking.

KILLED 1,000 CHINESE.

Tien Tsin, July 22, via Shanghai, July 30.—The latest advices from Peking, under date 12, say the legations are holding out. The Chinese attacked the legations on the night of July 10, but were led into a trap by the Americans and British, and 1,000 of them were killed. Afterwards they continued bombarding the legations more freely.

"We are defending ourselves against the Chinese very well, but now the attack has stopped. We will keep up to the last of the month, although it will be no easy task. The Japanese casualties are: Killed—Kozima, diplomatic attaché, captain and one student, and also a few marines. Wounded—Five or six. Slightly wounded—Very many."

New York, July 30.—A despatch to the Herald from Che Foo, July 27, says: The Japanese consul at Tien Tsin sent a runner on July 15 to Peking. On the 19th the runner left Peking, bringing a cipher telegram to the Japanese government. It reads:

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## LOVE'S TRIUMPH.

A STORY OF LOVE AND WAR.

BY MARY J. HOLMES.

Author of "Lena Rivers," "Edna Browning,"  
"Tempest and Sunshine," Etc., Etc.

Maudie had been in Rockland three weeks, and Rose was already as much in love with her as if she had known her all her life. At first she had dreaded a little to meet the fearless heroine of the mountains. A girl who had held a revolver at the hands of both Federal and Confederate soldiers, in the night, had ridden twenty miles on horseback to conduct a party of refugees to a place of safety, and had guarded the entrance of the cave in the face of a furious mob, must be something very formidable, or, at least, something very different from what a thing like all Rose's ideas of what a lady gently born should be; and both Rose and her mother had waited nervously for the arrival of one who, they felt sure, was to be the wife of Tom. Nothing definite had been said upon the subject since Arthur died, but it was tacitly understood by all parties that Maudie de Vere was, sometimes to be paid her attentions which could only be paid to his fiancée.

In a great flutter of spirits, Rose had heard of Maudie's arrival at the Montclair House, and immediately after dinner had driven down to see her, accompanied by Will, who, if possible, was more anxious than herself to pay his respects to Maudie. She was kneeling by Charlie's couch when the party entered, but she rose at once and came forward, with the most beautiful carnation staining her cheeks, and a look of modesty in her brilliant eyes. She wore a long, trailing dress of heavy silk, and stood so erect, and held her head so high, that she seemed taller than she really was—taller than Tom, Rose feared; but as he stepped up to her, she saw that he had the advantage of her by at least four inches, and thus reassured, she drew a long breath of relief; then, as thoughts of all her husband and brother had been saved from by this heroic girl came over her, she sprang toward Maudie, and winding her arms around her neck, sobbed hysterically, but never spoke one word.

"What is it? What are you crying for?" Maudie asked, petting her as if she had been a little child.

"Oh, I don't know. The sight of you who have done so much for the war and been so brave, makes me seem so little, so small, so mean, beside you, Maudie de Vere," Rose replied, brokenly, and she hugged the sobbing little creature, whom from that moment she loved so fondly.

She, too, had dreaded this meeting, for she knew that Rose Mather and her mother were both women of the highest culture, and she felt that they might criticize, and perhaps condemn, one who had lived so long among the pines of North Carolina and the mountains of Tennessee. But Rose's manner disarmed her of all fear, and in a moment she resumed that unconscious air of superiority to all else around her, which was a part of herself. Quietly and with the word which best suited her looks and her manners, and Rose paid homage to her as to a queen, and told her that she loved her, and how much she had thought of her, and how anxious her mother was to see her, and how happy they would all be when Jimmie and Annie came home.

There had been daily visits to the Montclair since then, and Mrs. Carleton had met the beautiful Maudie, and mentally approved of Tom's choice. Charlie too had been petted and caressed, and his blue eyes opened with wonder as he saw what northern women were like, and remembered his prejudice against them. He liked the northerners, he said, but he was loyal to the southern cause, and listened, with flashing eyes and crimson cheeks, to all he continually heard of the sure defeat and disgrace of the Confederacy.

Matters were in this wise when the day came on which Annie was expected home with Jimmie. Great preparations had been made for that arrival. In Rockland there were more than one prisoner who had been nursed by Annie Graham, and her name was spoken with reverence and love by the very worst men who walked the streets. They had not made a demonstration in a long time, but they were going to make one now, and the honors which poor George saw in fancy awarded to himself were given to his wife, Jimmie, too, whose terrible sufferings had excited so much commiseration, was to have his share of consideration. Bill Baker, who had been home for a week, and was as usual the most active spirit of all, suggested that when they flung out the banner on which was inscribed, "Honor and welcome to Annie Graham," they should give three cheers for Mr. Carleton, too. "Hein," as he said, "that they are about as good as one."

Prompt to the moment when it was due, the throng swept round the Rockland curve and stopped at the depot, where a large concourse of people was gathered. They had not expected the Widow Simms, and when her green veil and straw bonnet appeared on the platform, the foreman of the group looked a little disappointed, while the widow's face darkened as she saw the waiting multitude, and guessed why they were there.

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Annie appeared by this time, and at sight of her the tongues were loosened, and drawing shouts of welcome greeted her on every side. The flag bearing her name was held aloft, the cannon in the adjoining field sent forth its bellowing roar, and the band struck up the sweet refrain of "Annie Laurie," while the voices of the Andersonville prisoners, who had been Annie's charge, sang the last line:

"And for bonny Annie Graham I would lay me down and die."

Surely this was a coming home which Annie had never looked for, and with her face flushed with excitement, and her eyes shining with tears, she stood in the midst of the shouting throng, gazing wonderingly from one to the other, and realizing nothing clearly, except the firm clasp of her arm.

It was Jimmie's hand, and Jimmie himself leaned upon her, as the crowd coupled his name with hers, and hurried for "James Carleton and Annie Graham."

"And the Wilder Simms—I swan if it's fair to leave her out. She did some tall nussin' down to Annapolis," Bill Baker said; and then the widow was cheered, and she acknowledged the compliment with a grim smile, and wondered when folks would quit making fools of themselves, and if Susan wasn't up there, somewhere, in the jam. Of course she was; 'twas like them Ruggleses to go where the doins was."

And while she shook the hand of her neighbors, she kept her eyes on the watch for Susan, and felt a little chagrined that she did not find her. Susan was at home in the neat little house which John had bought with his captain's wages, so carefully saved. The same house it was at which Annie Graham had looked with longing eyes, in the commencement of the war; and in the pleasant chamber which overlooked the town there was a little boy who had been in Rockland only a week, and whose existence was as yet unknown to the widow. They purposely kept it from her, so she had no suspicion that he was expected; and the first genuine feeling of happiness she had known since Isaac died she experienced when she was ushered into Susan's room, and the little red-faced thing was kneeling up on her knees, and looking askance at the new house, and neat furniture, and the pretty curtains, as so many proofs of "them Ruggleses" extravagance; but she was not proof against the white face which, from the pillows, smiled so kindly upon her, and called her "Auntie." And she was guilty of kissing her daughter-in-law, even before she saw the baby, her first grandchild, whom Susan called Isaac, although she hated the name, and had tacked on to it Adolphus, with the hope that the future would adjust the name into Adolph, or something more fanciful than the good, plain Bible Isaac. And while the widow kissed and wept over her grandson, and felt herself growing young, and soft, and gentle again, the crowd around the depot had dispersed, a part going to their own homes, and a part following the soldiers and band which escorted Annie Graham and Jimmie Carleton to the Mather mansion, where everything had been made so beautiful for them.

It was pleasant coming home, and a most ample compensation for all the weariness and privation which Annie, as hospital nurse, had endured, and she felt that far more was awarded to her than she deserved.

"Mr. Carleton was the one to be honored," she said, and her soft, blue eyes rested upon the pale, tired man, who, exhausted with his journey and the excitement, lay down at once upon the sofa, and pitied, and cried over his poor white face, and long, bony hands, which were almost transparent in their whiteness.

Maudie was not one of the party at the Mather mansion that night.

"You ought to be alone the first night," she said when Rose insisted that she should join them. "Tomorrow I will come around and call on Mrs. Graham and your brother."



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she had been greatly interested in all the arrangements, and was curious to see the woman who had almost been her rival, while Annie was quite as curious to see her, the heroine of the mountains. In her letters to Annie, Rose had purposely refrained from mentioning Tom's name with Maudie's, so that Annie was ignorant of the real state of things. But she did not remain so long.

"Is she so very beautiful?" she said to Rose, when, after supper, they were all assembled in the parlor, and Maudie was the subject of conversation.

"Ask Tom," he can tell you," Rose replied, and by the conscious look on Tom's face, Annie guessed the truth at once.

That night, when the two brothers were alone in their room, Tom said to Jimmie:

"Well, my boy, I've kept my word—I've waited a year or more. I've given you every chance a reasonable man could ask. Have you made a proper use of your privilege? Would it do me any good to try and win Annie now?"

"You can try if you like," Jimmie said, with a smile.

And then Tom told him of his hopes concerning Maudie de Vere, and Jimmie said to him, sadly:

"Don't you remember I told you once you had had your day? But some lucky dogs have twice, and you, it seems, are one of them."

### CHAPTER XXXVIII.

The next day brought Maudie de Vere, looking as handsome in her black dress, with her coquettish drab hat and long drab feather tipped with scarlet, as she reminded Annie of some bright tropical flower as she came into the room with the sparkle in her brilliant eyes, and the deep, rich bloom upon her cheek. She had regained her health and spirits rapidly within the last few weeks, and even Jimmie, who seldom saw beyond Annie's face and soft blue eyes, drew a breath of wonder at the queenly girl who completely overshadowed those around her so far as size and form and physical development were concerned. But nothing could detract from the calm, quiet dignity of Annie's manner, or from the pure, angelic beauty of her face, and as the two stood holding each other's hands and looking into each other's eyes they made a most striking tableau, and Mrs. Carleton thought, with a thrill of pride, how well her son had chosen.

That night, as Maudie was walking back to the hotel accompanied by Tom, he asked her again the question put in the cave of the Cumberland.

"I understand about Arthur," he said; "but he is dead; there is no promise now in the way. I claim you for my own. Am I wrong in doing so?"

That Maudie's reply was wholly satisfactory was proved by the expression of Tom Carleton's face when at last he stopped at the door of the hotel, and by the kiss which burned on Maudie's lips long after he had disappeared down the street.

The next afternoon, while Tom was with Maudie, and both Mrs. Carleton and Rose were out on a shopping expedition, Annie sat alone with Jimmie in the pleasant little room which had been given to him as a place where he would be more quiet than in the parlor. Annie had been playing with Rose's boy, the little Jimmie, a handsome, sturdy fellow of nearly a year old, whom the entire household spoiled. He was already beginning to talk, and, having taken a fancy to Annie, he tried to call her name, and made out of it a tolerably distinct "Annie," which brought a blush to Annie's face, and a teasing smile to Jimmie's.

"Come, sit by me a moment, Annie," Jimmie said, when the child had been taken out by his nurse. Sit on this stool, so—a little nearer to me—there, that's right," he continued, in the tone of authority he had acquired since his convalescence.

He was lying upon the couch, and Annie was sitting at his side, and so near to him that his long fingers could smooth and caress her shining hair, while his saucer eyes fastened themselves upon her face, as he asked "when she would really be the auntie of the little boy who called her now by that name."

"Not till you are able to stand alone," was Annie's reply, and then, for the first time since her return from Andersonville, Jimmie spoke of that episode in his life at New London, when little Lulu Howard had stirred his boyish blood, and filled his boyish fancy.

Perhaps he wanted to tease Annie, for he said to her:

"I did like that little blue-eyed Lulu—that's a fact. I used to think about her all day, and dream about her all night. I wonder where she is now."

"What would you do if you knew?" Annie asked, and Jimmie replied:

"I believe I would go miles to see her, just to know what kind of a woman she has developed into. I trust she is not like her aunt. I could not endure her. She struck me as a hard, selfish, ambitious woman, terribly afraid lest the world generally should not think Mrs. Scott Belknap thought herself to be."

Annie's cheeks were very red by this time, and his heightened color to a canoe widely different from the real one, Jimmie drew her face down to his, and kissing the burning cheeks, said:

"Of course I should take you with me, when I went after little Lulu."

"You would hardly find her if you did not," Annie said, while Jimmie looked inquiringly at her.

Annie had only been waiting for Jimmie to speak of the little Pequot, before making her own confession, and she now said to him abruptly:

"Did Lulu look any like me?" "Why, yes, I've always thought so, only she was younger and had short hair, you know, and short dresses, too. Annie, Annie, tell me—was she—do you—were you?" Jimmie began, raising himself upright on the couch, as something in Annie's expression began to puzzle and mystify him.

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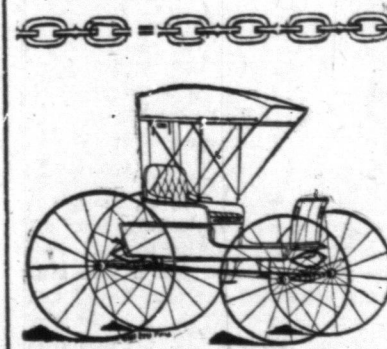
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"Of course, you understand that not all pawnbrokers take everything; there are men who advance money on nothing but watches and jewelry and diamonds and pictures and that sort of thing and who wouldn't give anything on the handsomest satin-lined overcoat that ever was, because it isn't in their line. They have no place to put such things; no conveniences for taking care of them. And then there are pawnbrokers doing a general business who take all sorts of things, watches and banjos, boxing gloves and silver spoons, practically anything and everything that offers. They might occasionally run across something that they wouldn't take, as I did with the skeleton, but not often; there's practically nothing but what they will take, and practically nothing but what is offered at one time and another."

"On some things the amount advanced is very small; but still I've got things in safe that I never should get my money back on if I had to sell them. You'd suppose it would be easy for the pawnbroker to give on a thing no more than he could get for it if he had to sell it, and so it would be; but as a matter of fact he may give more than he could get back. He would be probably by circumstances, and by his judgment of the person offering the goods."

"I might have a customer bring in a diamond ring that I would lend so much on, whatever it was, and that would be a safe loan; the ring would be good for it if it was never reclaimed. But may be the next week the same customer, hard up and needing money, would bring in a pair of trousers, spotted and worn, not worth much if you had to sell them. And very likely I would lend more on those trousers than I could ever get for them; lending that because he's a customer and I want to accommodate him, and want to keep him as a customer, and because the chances are that he'll take the trousers out again; but if he doesn't why then I'm out."

"The question of whether a man who wants a loan is likely to redeem what he offers is often taken into account. It is a common thing for the pawnbroker to look at the man, maybe a stranger, and lend on his judgment of the value of the thing the man puts down on the counter. Of course, he makes mistakes in this, but he takes the chances, and I suppose he often gets it right then not. There might come in here you, or anybody, needing money, with an old-fashioned key-winding watch that I could not get \$1 for, and want to borrow \$15, and very likely I'd lend it though I know I never could get my money back if the watch wasn't redeemed. But I know, or I think I know, at a glance, whether he will redeem the watch or not, what sort of a man he is, and how much he values the watch for its associations; and I go according to my judgment."

"No doubt as a general proposition, the pawnbroker gets out to lend on things no more than he could sell them for; there are times when instead of making money he loses it; what he tries to do is to get a profit as the net result."

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS

The ice in the lemonade isn't always what it is cracked up to be.

Many an otherwise truthful dentist claims to extract teeth without pain.

A desire to attend strictly to one's own business is a difficult art to acquire.

Experience is a sort of pocket compass that few people think of consulting until after losing their way.

A girl may mean well when she offers a young man a generous slice of her angel cake but he is never sure of it.

"Much learning maketh a man sad," says one proverb, and another says, "A little learning is a dangerous thing," so what are you going to do about it?—Chicago News.

The man who loved and lost didn't get his presents back.

When a woman has no troubles of her own the chances are she will go over to a neighbor's and borrow some.

The man who never made a blunder is a poor one to have in a responsible position.

Attend to trifles to-day. The more important matters will come in due time.

When you hear a man complaining that he is tired of life the chances are that he never made any good use of it.

A philosopher says that every failure is a step toward success. This explains why some men become richer every time they fail.

Matter of Memory.

The man who was attempting suicide was now sinking for the third time.

Of course it was necessary hereupon that he recall everything in his past life in the space of one instant.

"Again my accused bad memory!" he hissed, and waded ashore in much chagrin, which was in nowise lessened by the derisive laughter of the spectators.

Expansion Policy.

Customer (to Mr. Isaacstein)—This coat is about three sizes too big.

Mr. Isaacstein (impressively)—Mine friend, dot coat make you so proud you will grow into it.—Harlem Life.

## PIMPLES CURED BY CUTICURA SOAP

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My face was covered with a pimply, ruptured, and itching skin. After using CUTICURA SOAP for two weeks my skin made a remarkable change, all the pimples went away, my skin getting as soft as velvet.

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I was troubled with pimples, especially on the chin and forehead. I tried several home remedies, but as they proved to be of no value, I decided to use CUTICURA SOAP, and in six weeks I was entirely rid of them.

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My face was covered with pimples and blackheads. Some would heal, and others would be full of white matter. The blackheads would be all over my face. I spent about ten dollars for soaps, medicines, etc., but they never did me any good. I tried CUTICURA SOAP, and it only took three cakes to cure my face.

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If we were to put ourselves in the place of other persons, jealousy and hatred would fall away; and if we put others in our place, there would be a great diminution of pride and conceit.—Goethe.

Sentenced to Death.

"You are in the last stages of Consumption," were the words of doom heard by Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C., from her doctors, "but she began to use Dr. King's New Discovery," writes E. L. Daughton, "of that place, and was wholly cured by it. She is now a stout, well woman." It is the supreme cure for desperate diseases of lungs and throat. Infallible for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Etc., bottles at A. I. McCall & Co's drug store.

War suspends the rules of moral obligation, and what is long suspended is in danger of being totally abrogated.—Burke.

Blown to Atoms.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life, which is a gentle, harmless, gently stimulates liver and bowels to expel all poisonous matter, cleanses the system and absolutely cures all chronic diseases by letter, 25c. at A. I. McCall & Co's drug store.

The love of man to woman is a thing common and of course, and at first partakes more of instinct and passion than of choice; but true friendship between man and man is infinite and immortal.—Plato.

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To benefit others Rev. J. T. W. Vernon, of Hartwell, Ga., writes: "For a long time I had a running sore on my leg; I tried many remedies without benefit, until I used a bottle of Electric Bitters and a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which cured me sound and well." Sores, Eruptions, Boils, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum show impure blood. Thousands have found in Electric Bitters a grand blood purifier that absolutely cures these troubles. Satisfaction is guaranteed or money refunded by A. I. McCall & Co. Large bottles only 50c.

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## STRAPPED TO A CHAIR

Frank Donnelly's Parents Leave Him All Day Confined in a Garret.

Bridgeport, Conn., July 28.—With his hands and feet strapped to a chair and his body in a position which forced his head over the back of the chair, Frank Donnelly, 12 years old, was found yesterday afternoon in the attic of his home, on Summer street. The room was tightly closed, and the sun beating down on the roof, made it seem like an oven. The boy was rescued, after seven hours of torture. He was nearly exhausted. His parents had left him there for punishment.

A neighbor who heard stifled cries coming from the garret of the Donnelly house, knowing that the boy's parents were out all day at work and that the house was locked, complained to the police. Policeman Hatch was obliged to force a window to enter.

The boy was hauled to the chair so tightly that the strap cut great wedges in the flesh on his legs. He was so weak that he responded in feeble tones to the cheering words of the policeman. Hatch removed the straps and cords and carried the boy out into the air. The boy's throat was so parched that it was some time before he could utter intelligible words. Then he told the policeman that his parents had left him in that position before they went to work in the morning to punish him.

When the police visited the Donnelly to ascertain why this method of punishment had been adopted, they explained that Frank was an incorrigible child and had given them much annoyance, getting into all sorts of mischief while they were at work. Mrs. Donnelly told him a few days ago that if he did not change his habits she would "teach him a lesson" that he would remember. The boy ran away that day and failed to come home at night. Yesterday morning he entered his home early and his mother seized him and took him to the garret, where his father bound him to the chair.

They closed the attic door so that his shouts would not be heard while they were about at work. Superintendent Birmingham warned the parents that they would be arrested if they inflicted such punishment on the boy again. Frank was told that if he continued his misconduct he would be sent to the State Reform School for Boys.

TOLD BRIEFLY

The number of persons born blind averages sixty-five in every 1,000,000.

Artificial yawning should be resorted to in cases of sore throat, burning of the ears, catarrh and like trouble.

Eighty thousand elephants are required annually to supply the world with ivory. Most of them come from South Africa.

At Queen Victoria's table an odd custom, which originated in the time of George II., is preserved. As each dish is placed upon the table the name of the cook who prepared it is announced.

The amount of gold coin in actual circulation in the world is estimated by the Bank of England officials to be about 865 tons.

Runaway horses are unknown in Russia. When an animal bolts the driver is pulled, and the horse stops as soon as it feels the pressure on its windpipe.

Cigars are given to soldiers in the Italian army as part of their daily rations.

France, with a population of 39,000,000, has a fighting force of 2,000,000 men, able to appear in the field at very short notice.

One of the unique institutions of Kansas City is State Line street. Kansas City is located in the border line between Missouri and Kansas, occupying a liberal stretch of territory on each side of the boundary. The Missouri laws prohibit gambling within its borders, while Kansas is famed for its prohibition laws. A choice array of gambling resorts lines the north side of State Line street, and on the south side, while the opposite side of this thoroughfare in the State of Missouri, is made up chiefly of saloons.

WORTH KNOWING.

Liberia has consented to having a United States coaling station in its waters.

The great lakes of the St. Lawrence system have an area of 47,000 square miles.

According to Salt Lake City figures, the number of Mormons now in existence is 260,000.

The mortality in Rome has been reduced within a few years from 25 per thousand to 15 per thousand.

Twelve years ago one sailor out of every 100, on an average, lost his life by accident. Now the proportion has been reduced to one in 256.

The curfew is a recognized institution in twelve municipalities in New York, according to the annual report of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

British nobles are the only one in Europe who ever wear coronets on their heads, and the sole occasion when they do so is at the coronation of the sovereign.

In New England the abandoned farms are being planted with nut trees, and the worked out ground is being turned into a nourishment enough to cause the walnut, butternut and chestnut to flourish abundantly.

Passenger cars for coaches, as they are usually designated in early days were simply stage coach bodies mounted on four wheels, as time progressed several were linked together, thus forming a "train."

Wood pulp paper as military clothing is used by the Japanese troops. It is marvelously tough, and has an appearance that might well be regarded with satisfaction for summer wear. It holds stitching uncommonly well, and its warmth is undoubted.

One pound of sheep's wool is capable of producing one yard of cloth.

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## SCYTHE IN THE PINE TREE.

A Curious Reminder of the Son's Going to the War, Never to Return.

Thirty-eight years ago young Augustus Bliss, of Warwick, quit cutting brush on his father's farm, hung his scythe on a pine tree and went off to war. The soldier boy never came back, and the scythe has never been taken down from the tree where he hung it, but has become imbedded in the growing pine until it is a fixture. This pathetic reminder of the great civil struggle is a familiar sight to members of the Shemott Club of this city, as the tree stands near the club's comfortable quarters in Blissville, a hamlet just across the North Orange line into Warwick.

When young Augustus Bliss left home and parents, to fight his country's battles, Blissville was a busy centre of small industries, traces of which remain to tell the story of the shifting of the scene of manufacturing from the small country hamlet to large centres. The tree has witnessed all these changes, has seen the mill standing near slowly falling into decay, the population changing, but still the scythe hangs there, summer and winter, a mute testimonial to the devotion to duty that animated young Bliss. His father, Milton Bliss, was engaged in building the dam standing by, and sent his son to cut some briars that were in the way of stone that were needed. After the briars were cut the scythe was hung on a small pine tree near, probably without a thought of how long it would remain there.

In a day or two Augustus Bliss went to the front, having enlisted for a three year term of service in the army some time previous. The young soldier never came back. He was but eighteen years old when he enlisted, August 4, 1862, in Company H, Thirty-sixth Massachusetts Regiment. While with his regiment in the South, he was overtaken by a fatal disease and died in an army hospital at Mildale, Miss.

The circumstances of his contracting disease were very sad. He had gone to get water for his comrades, and his company had orders to march while he was gone. He tried to overtake them, and the over-exertion was more than he could stand, and he was taken ill with fever before he had been in battle. He was not brought home for burial, but his name is on the roll of honor on the soldiers' monument at Orange.

In all these years no one has meddled with the scythe. It has hung there a symbol and visible reminder to his father of his son's devotion to duty. As the tree grew, the scythe has become imbedded in the wood, until it is a part of the tree. The snath, which has been forced off the scythe by the growing tree, is supported in its original position by a small framework. The woodwork of the tholes has yielded to the action of the elements and fallen away. Around the tree, which is probably a little over a foot in diameter at its base, has been erected a railing—Springfield Republican.

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"Large sores covered the head and face of our child," writes C. D. Labill, of Morganton, Tenn., "that no treatment helped till we used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly cured her." Infallible in eruptions, Bruises, Accidents and Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. at A. I. McCall & Co's drug store.

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It Causes a most Peculiar Street  
Car Accident at Toledo.

Toledo, O., July 30.—Eleven or more  
people were injured in a street car accident  
last night, one, Mrs. Ott, fatally and two  
others very seriously. Three of them were  
slight and their names were not learned.  
The accident was a peculiar one. A blinding  
flash of electricity followed by a cloud  
of smoke and cries of injured passengers  
as they were tumbled into the street, attracted  
the attention of belated passersby. The in-  
juries are of such a character, that they are  
in every instance extremely painful.

The car was provided with the usual two-  
light circuit, but the crew are of the opinion  
that during yesterday's storm lightning  
struck the short circuit and cut it out.  
This left but one circuit protected with  
the connecting wires subject to a cut-out  
or an over-charge of electricity. Just  
how the explosion occurred is not known,  
but the circuit fuse blew out with a crash,  
the car was instantly filled with the lurid  
flashes of electric fluid, and cries of pain  
and astonishment were followed by men  
and women falling over each other out  
of the car.

### BASBALL.

There are nine sad-faced and melancholy  
young men wandering around this office to-  
day, who are beginning to realize that base-  
ball cannot be played on last year's reputa-  
tion and no practice. The Planet team  
captured the city league championship in  
1900 it will be remembered, and when last  
Saturday the Schizocarpus local nine who  
have been cleaning up in these parts of late  
—challenged them, they forthwith jumped  
into their uniforms, waltzed onto the dia-  
mond and—learned a few things.

Of course on the Schizocarpus' team they  
did not expect to meet two ex-international  
leaguers in the persons of Klock, of the  
Chatham, and Thompson, of the Fort  
Huron, or one or two other gentlemen whose  
position on the High school team might be  
open to question—but let that pass. The  
Planet team was defeated mainly through  
their inability to hit Miller, their erstwhile  
comrade, who pitched a phenomenal game,  
and their aptitude for misjudgments and  
error-making. They early gave up the  
struggle and their pitchers saved themselves  
by tossing up for the opposing batsmen  
to make merry with.

However, Captain Brackin has the right  
idea. He calls for practice before further  
contests, and if the Planet representatives  
get properly in shape, he will ask for an-  
other game, when the Schizocarpus may be  
assured of getting a good run for their  
money.

The young lad, who did the tallying for  
our opponents, registered the struggle as follows:

SCHIZOCARPS.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Anderson, 1b.....	6	1	1	0	0	0
Bates, 1b.....	5	2	2	7	0	0
Klock, c.....	4	3	1	17	2	0
Thompson, 2b.....	2	3	1	0	2	0
Robert, 3b.....	3	2	1	0	0	0
Miller, p.....	5	0	1	0	0	0
Bowers, ss.....	3	2	2	2	0	0
Oldershaw, 3b.....	5	2	1	0	0	1
Rankin, 1b.....	5	1	2	0	0	0
Totals.....	38	16	12	27	7	2

PLANET.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sowerby, 2b.....	3	0	1	1	1	1
Reid, 3b.....	5	0	0	0	0	1
Philp, ss & p.....	3	1	0	3	7	1
Northrup, 1b.....	0	0	12	0	2	0
Smith, 1b.....	2	1	0	1	0	0
Anderson, c.....	3	1	0	5	0	3
Brown, r.....	3	0	0	0	2	2
Bowers, r.....	3	0	0	1	0	0
Brackin, p & ss.....	3	0	0	1	4	2
Totals.....	29	3	0	24	12	12

Schizocarpus..... 1 1 2 2 4 0 6 —16 12-2  
Planet..... 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 —3 0 12

Summary—Two base hits—Thompson  
Bowers. Three base hits—Bowers—Stolen  
bases—Smith, Klock 2, Bowers, Oldershaw,  
Anderson, Thompson, Rankin. Bases on  
balls—by Miller 4, by Brackin 2, by Philp 2.  
Struck out—by Miller 17, by Brackin 4,  
by Philp 2. Hit by pitched ball—by Miller 2,  
by Brackin 3. Passed balls—Klock 2,  
Anderson 6. Time 2 hrs.

National League:  
Boston 2, Pittsburgh 9.  
Chicago 8, Philadelphia 4.  
St. Louis 6, Brooklyn 8.  
Cincinnati 2, New York 3.

Eastern League:  
Syracuse 7, Springfield 2.  
Providence 3, Rochester 5.

American League:  
Chicago 10, Buffalo 3.  
Kansas City 6, Detroit 2.  
Milwaukee 5, Cleveland 0.  
Indianapolis 10, Minneapolis 1.

Sunday Games:  
Syracuse 7, Springfield 9.  
Milwaukee 4, Cleveland 0.  
Minneapolis 6, Indianapolis 9.  
Chicago 6, Buffalo 8.  
Kansas City 5, Detroit 4.



**Never Too Much**

and often we do the store an injustice  
by making the price too little. But  
it's all right as long as our customers  
get the benefit. It's the rule here to  
divide profits with you. We have  
put on sale this week 60 pr. Women's  
Lace Shoes same as above cut, also  
60 pr. Button—bought to sell at \$1.75  
—but to divide profits with you we  
have marked them to clear at  
\$1.50 a pair.

**The Boston  
Shoe House**  
**J. L. Campbell**  
Seller of New Shoes at Low Prices.

### Dr. A. W. Thornton

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Providence 3, Rochester 10.

National League.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Cent.
Brooklyn.....	49	28	.636
Philadelphia.....	43	36	.551
Pittsburgh.....	42	38	.525
Chicago.....	40	38	.513
Boston.....	37	40	.481
Cincinnati.....	36	43	.456
St. Louis.....	33	42	.440
New York.....	29	45	.392

American League.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Cent.
Chicago.....	49	33	.598
Indianapolis.....	45	36	.556
Milwaukee.....	47	41	.534
Buffalo.....	42	45	.483
Cleveland.....	41	44	.482
Kansas City.....	41	49	.456
Minneapolis.....	37	51	.420

### Modern and Up-to-date Facilities.

We possess all the modern and up-  
to-date facilities necessary for con-  
ducting a reliable and first-class drug  
business. When you favor us with  
your doctor's prescription, our best ef-  
forts are directed to make that pre-  
scription what your medical adviser  
intended it should be—professionally  
correct in the minutest details.

Paine's Celery Compound  
is giving marvellous results to sick  
people all over Canada. The wonder-  
ful cures effected by Paine's Celery  
Compound during the past year  
speaks volumes in favor of the great  
medicine. Thousands who suffered  
from rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous  
troubles and dyspepsia now sing the  
praises of the medicine that brought  
a speedy cure and gave them health  
and strength.

C. H. G. & Co., Druggists, 307  
King and Fifth streets, Chatham, Ont.  
J3 6M to A27.

### TILBURY.

July 30.—P. Shaw and daughter, of  
Leamington, visited relatives here on Satur-  
day and Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Munro and children leave to-  
day on a month's visit in Owen Sound.

Rev. J. C. McQuarrie, of Valletta, occupied  
the pulpit in the Presbyterian church here  
yesterday morning.

Mrs. W. C. Crawford and Miss Sadie  
Campbell leave to-day for a trip down the  
St. Lawrence.

Miss Bell Shaw is visiting in Leamington.

The regular meeting of the W. G. T. U.  
will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3.30 at  
the home of Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

The Daily Planet is on sale at John-  
son's Drug Store.

### Science and Skill.

The progressive druggist should be  
thoroughly conversant with the sci-  
ence of the profession he follows and  
skilled in its minutest details. We are  
practical chemists and druggists; our  
dispensing department is so managed  
and fitted up that accuracy is contin-  
ually guaranteed. We respectfully so-  
licit a visit.

For the Weak and Run-down.  
We call especial attention to Paine's  
Celery Compound, our best selling  
medicine. It is a true health and  
strength restorer for weak and run-  
down people. It gives that buoyancy  
of spirits and nerve energy that are so  
needed in the hot and depressing wea-  
ther. Paine's Celery Compound  
stands far above all other remedies for  
the cure of disease.

J. W. McLaren, Druggist, 54 King  
street, Chatham, Ontario.  
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### DRESDEN.

Mrs. Sandy McVean left this morning for  
Kingston.

Mrs. Garrett, of Chatham, is the guest of  
Mrs. Hamilton Wadsworth.

Mr. Ties, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs.  
Wallace, Victoria Ave.

Special collections for the relief of the  
famine sufferers in India were taken at  
Christ Church yesterday.

Miss Lillie Hicks, of Detroit, has returned  
home after spending a week with rela-  
tives in Dresden and Florence.

A. V. Pentland leaves to-morrow night  
for his home in Bude, Cornwall, England.

## Big Pieces Off the Price

We have gone through our stock and laid  
out several lines of summer suits on which we  
have cut the prices from \$1 to \$3 per suit.

Youths' \$5 Suits for.....	\$4 00
Youths' \$7 Suits for.....	\$5 00
Youths' \$8 Suits for.....	\$6 00
Men's \$8 Suits for.....	\$6 00
Men's \$9 Suits for.....	\$7 00
Men's \$12 Suits for.....	\$10 00

These are all this season's goods, new and  
up-to-date in every respect and were extra  
value at original prices.

Bicycles Suits, 20 per cent off.

## Thornton & Douglas

Victoria Block. King and Fifth Streets.

### Chatham's Millinery Store

CHOICE

### SUMMER HATS

One special line Trimmed Hats, trimmed with Chiffon, Ribbon, Ties, Flowers, Foliage, worth from \$2.50 to \$4.00, for.....	\$1.98
One very special line, worth from \$2.00 to \$2.50, for.....	\$1.00
Table of odds and ends, your choice for.....	\$1.00

### C. A. COOKSLEY, Opp. Market

### Swallowed His Destination.

A Clevelandder who made a trip to  
Washington says that much as he was  
impressed by the beauty and grandeur  
of the national capital and its sur-  
roundings, the thing he will remem-  
ber longest was a remark he heard  
made by a colored deckhand on one  
of the handsome boats that take daily  
trips up and down the Potomac.

These boats stop at many of the pic-  
turesque little Virginia and Maryland  
river towns that dot the banks of the  
historic river and take freight ship-  
ments to and from Washington. One  
of the things shipped from one of the  
Clevelandder rode on was a goat of the  
sort that delights the average small  
boy. The Clevelandder was wandering  
about the boat, interested in the dif-  
ferences between the Potomac river  
boat and the Lake Erie craft, with  
which he was familiar, when he no-  
ticed the colored deckhand standing  
almost motionless before the goat,  
which was tied to one of the supports  
of the upper deck. He was scratching  
his head and apparently very much  
puzzled.

"What's the matter?" the Cleveland-  
der asked the deckhand.  
"Why," answered the colored man,  
"de goat done eat up whar he gwine to."

The goat had simply chewed up and  
swallowed the tag on which was the  
address to which he was being ship-  
ped.

**The Bitter Bit.**  
"See that party with the jag sitting  
in the corner of the car?" said a con-  
ductor who was riding to the car barns  
in a Zoo and Eden park car to the con-  
ductor in charge of the car.  
"Yep. He's got a heavy bundle," was  
the answer.

"Well, take this counterfeit half dol-  
lar with you when you collect his fare.  
A passenger passed it on me a month  
ago. If he gives you a dollar, you can  
show it on him."

The conductor of the car took the  
lead half dollar, entered the car, and  
the man with the jag held out a silver  
dollar and received the counterfeit half  
and 45 cents in change.

"Worked like a charm," said the con-  
ductor as he reached the platform.  
"Here he comes now. He wants to  
get off."

The drunken man wobbled to the  
door and unsteadily descended from  
the car.  
"Now we'll split up," remarked the  
conductor of the car as he drew the  
dollar from his pocket. And as both  
of the conductors gazed at the silver  
dollar they gasped in unison: "We're  
up ag'in it! It's a counterfeit dollar."

### Baleena Eating Elephant.

Stark naked savages, with long,  
greased plaits of hair hanging down to  
their shoulders, were perched on every  
available inch of the carcass, hacking  
away with knives and spears, yelling,  
cursing and munching, covered with  
blood and entrails; old men, young  
men, prehistoric hags, babies, one and  
all gorged or gorging, smearing them-  
selves with blood, laughing and fight-  
ing. Pools of blood, strips of hide,  
vast bones, blocks of meat, individuals  
who had dined not wisely but too well  
lay round in bewildering confusion,  
and in two short hours all was finish-  
ed. Nothing remained but the great  
gaunt ribs, like the skeleton of a ship's  
wreck, and a few disconsolate vultures  
perched thereon.—E. S. Grogan Before  
the Royal Geographical Society.

### ERIEAU NOTES.

Will Davey and family are rustating at  
the Eau.

Miss Lulu Elliott, of Ridgeway, spent  
Sunday with her friend, Miss Allie Sam-  
son, Drumtochty Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ratley spent Sunday  
at Thursville.

Mr. and Mrs. Somerville spent Sunday  
with Mrs. Homer Turner, Jubilee Cottage.

Mrs. Andrew McPhillips, of Jackson,  
Mich., spent Sunday at Sandy-Knowe.

Miss Jean, Weatherston, of Hamilton,  
who has been visiting at Sandy-Knowe,  
left on Saturday to visit Mrs. Dagnieu,  
Dover.

Mrs. Nevills and children, of Chatham,  
are visiting Mrs. Logan at the Eau.

Albert Tew is visiting James Longmore.  
Mr. and Mrs. Titus, Mr. and Mrs. Step-  
henson, Miss Margaret Bennett and Harold  
Titus spent Sunday at Drumtochty Lodge.

Will and Harry Shillington spent Sunday  
with the crew of the Beatrice, Commodore  
Riddell, Capt. Fred Outridge and Mate  
Lester Heath.

Ma'thew Wilcox and family Sunday-  
ed at the pavilion.

In case of any one falling off the  
pier there is no need of a "what-  
ever" handy of speedily helping them. Some-  
one should place a couple of life-lines  
there which could be thrown out in  
case of necessity.

The fishing during the past week  
has been very poor.

Chief Young received his new elec-  
tric vapor launch on Saturday. On  
Sunday the Chief, Bert Jones, E. B.  
Jones, T. J. Rutley, Will Rutley, Miss  
Will Rutley, Miss L. Rutley and Miss  
N. Young were on board during the  
trial trip, and all pronounced her  
splendid. The craft is 16 feet in length  
with a beam of four feet. She is fin-  
ished above the water in red oak, nat-  
ural wood is fitted with a two-horse  
power gasoline engine and speed of  
six miles an hour is claimed for her.

The name, the Winkie, is on her bow  
in brass letters. She was made by the  
Transect Boat Co. of St. Joseph, Mich.,  
and is the first craft of the kind to  
make her appearance at the Eau.

The Scorpion, a pleasure yacht, of  
Erie, Pa., is anchored at the Eau.  
Commodore Harper has finished  
painting his fleet.

Will Mann and family are spending  
their vacation at the Eau.

### GRAND AUCTION SALE

Crawford House, Windsor

Of 100 room hotel furnishings, consisting of  
parlor suites, 75 sleeping rooms, office fur-  
niture, silverware, dining room furniture,  
kitchen range and utensils, bedding mat-  
resses, etc. Everything must be sold. No  
reserve. Now is the time hotel men, room-  
ing house and private families to furnish up.  
It will pay you to attend this sale. Don't  
forget the date.

Wednesday, August 1, 1900  
at 10 a.m. sharp at the Crawford House, and  
continue until everything is disposed of.

JOHN H. McCONNELL,  
Auctioneer,  
Windsor, Ont.,  
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