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BIG NEW INDUSTRY LANDED

INDUSTRIES ARE COMING

Council Of The Board Of Trade Is Now Ready For All Business

More Industrial Propositions Considered—Boom Is Under Way

The inaugural meeting of the council of the Chatham Board of Trade was held last night in the Board chambers in the new market front building. The members of the council present were, President Robert Gray, Secretary C. H. Mills, Ald. Westman, Ald. Austin, Mayor Stone, Archie Park, John Park, ex-Mayor G. W. Cowan, ex-Mayor Manson Campbell, ex-Ald. J. T. O'Keefe, Chas. Hadley, W. E. Rispin, W. T. Shannon, J. Simon, Jas. Fleming, B. Bloude, W. H. Taylor, A. C. Woodward, Frank Malcolmson and J. G. Kerr.

The new Board room is well appointed, but not any too large to accommodate all the members of the council. In cases of general meetings the City Council chambers in Harrison Hall will be used. The meeting last night was a long and very important one. Space to-day will only allow of a brief outline being given of the various matters taken up.

The selection of the committees who will have charge of the various departments covered by the Board, was taken up after the conclusion of routine business. The various committees were appointed with the utmost unanimity, and the selection resulted as follows, the chairman's name being mentioned first in each case.

Industrial — Ald. Westman, M. Campbell, A. Park, with the members of the Industrial Committee of the City Council, and President Gray, who is, ex-officio, a member of all committees.

Railway — W. H. Taylor, J. Wadell, S. Stephenson, S. Glenn, Jas. Fleming, W. E. Gundy, S. Stone, J. Park, W. R. Landon, G. W. Cowan, L. Tillson, F. Malcolmson, J. T. O'Keefe, Dr. Fisher and John Pigott.

Mercantile — Ald. Austin, S. Stone, Wm. Gordon, A. D. Westman, John McCorvie, W. C. McArthur, W. N. Morley, Wm. Anderson, Hy. Northwood, Geo. Witherspoon, Jas. Massey, H. Malcolmson, G. W. Cowan and F. H. Briscoe.

Finance — W. T. Shannon, J. Simon, Mr. Armstrong, J. G. Kerr, N. H. Stevens, J. Massey and W. Pringle.

Manufacturers' — W. R. Landon, B. Bloude, W. A. Hadley, N. H. Stevens, J. M. Park, John Pigott, W. H. Taylor, W. M. Drader, Mr. Cornelius, D. S. McMullen, A. Chaplin, James R. Gray, A. Byram, R. Milner, and J. S. Black.

Printing — W. E. Rispin, E. Fremlin, Fred. Briscoe, Dr. Fisher, G. W. Sulman, W. W. Sbane and D. McLachlan.

Membership — J. Simon, S. Stephenson, F. Malcolmson, A. D. Westman and Geo. W. Cowan.

Auditors — J. S. Black and A. F. Falls.

Mr. Cornelius, of the Wolverine Mfg. Company, who will shortly locate here, was present and applied for membership to the Board of Trade. His name was brought up by Ald. Westman, who, seconded by Mr. Shannon, moved that Mr. Cornelius be admitted. Unanimously carried.

Mr. Cornelius made a short address, in which he outlined the facts given in another column of to-day's Planet.

It was moved by Ald. Westman, seconded by Mr. Simon, that the council of the Board of Trade endorse the proposition to bring this new industry here, and that the members pledge themselves to do all in their power to aid in carrying the by-law—Carried.

Secretary Mills brought up the matter of house numbering and other preparations which will have to be made before Chatham can secure free mail delivery. Mr. Mills said that this matter is now being considered by the Government, who intend giving free mail delivery to towns and cities having a population of 10,000 or over and the necessary post office revenue. Chatham should be prepared when the opportunity comes, and the first step, which must be taken is that of numbering the houses in the city. It would also be necessary to put in an application for the delivery.

Mayor Stone said the matter of numbering the houses was at present under way with the City Council, and that he would instruct the City Clerk to put in Chatham's application for free delivery at once. The matter was referred to the Finance committee of the council of the Board of Trade and the City Council.

Manson Campbell, for the special

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Splendid Work Done By Board Of Trade

Ald. Westman's Scheme To Secure A Grand Rapids Concern Carried To A Most Successful Issue

To Ald. Westman, assisted as he was, very materially, by the officers of the newly organized Board of Trade, falls the credit for giving the people of this city a chance to accept one of the very best looking industrial propositions ever presented in the Maple City.

The Wolverine Manufacturing Company, of Grand Rapids, have an extended trade in Canada. They have a very large plant in their American home, in fact they are one of the most prosperous firms in that city. The concern is controlled by Messrs. Lewis A. and Harold C. Cornelius, two hustling and capable young business men. A short time ago it was announced that they were contemplating the erection of a plant in Canada, similar to the one in Grand Rapids. When the first announcement was made, Chatham had no Board of Trade. This city was not even considered, at first, by the company when they were thinking of where they could locate their Canadian factory.

When the announcement of the proposed new plant became public property, several Canadian cities got after it. Among these was Niagara Falls. The company considered that of all the cities they had received overtures from, Niagara Falls was the most suitable. They were thinking seriously of the offer tendered by that city.

Then Chatham came on the scene. The Board of Trade was being organized, and at the first meeting, Ald. Westman, who knew of the intended action of the Grand Rapids company, suggested that Chatham should, even at such a late date, make a bid for this concern. Even the members of the Board of Trade, optimistic and enthused as they were, looked upon the proposition with a little doubt, realizing that Chatham's chance was at best a late one.

Some of them looked upon Ald. Westman, as overly enthused, and possibly a little excited, but they were not going to dampen the ardor of a man who had the spirit which they were trying to instill into the mind of every Chathamite, even if he did have it in a somewhat exaggerated degree. There was only one thing to do—and that was every thing. They would put up a stiff fight against all odds. They went after it with the sole idea of getting it. No sooner had the wires commenced to hum, than every member of the Board of Trade verily believed in his heart that the industry was already landed, and it was this spirit displayed by every one which eventually turned the tide in Chatham's favor. They played trumps on every trick, and went to the limit at every play.

A deputation, consisting of Ald. Westman, Robert Gray and Mayor Stone, went to Grand Rapids to interview the firm. This city could not have sent a better delegation. The best they could get was a promise that the firm would send a representative to Chatham to look over the ground. They knew that if they were enough, and they came back to Chatham highly elated.

The representative came—Mr. Cornelius—and before he left, the agreement was signed. As he said at the Council meeting, he found Chatham an ideal place for his new industry, and besides this he found, here, the most congenial and wide awake lot of business men that he had ever

Record Time Was Made In The Landing Of This Industry

Chatham's boom was not long in starting.

A few days ago the Board of Trade was re-organized. At that very meeting Ald. Westman, chairman of the Industrial Committee of the City Council, brought an industrial proposition before the members of the Council of the Board of Trade was held after the organization meeting, and it was decided to send a deputation at once to the firm mentioned by Ald. Westman, who were thinking of establishing a branch factory in Canada. A few days later, the deputation, consisting of the Mayor, Robert Gray, of the Board of Trade, Ald. Westman and Mayor Stone called upon this firm, at their place of business, Grand Rapids, Mich., and the three men from the Maple City "boosted Chatham." The result was what always follows prompt and energetic action. Mr. Cornelius, one of the firm, was induced to pay a visit

to Chatham, and look around. Early this week he arrived, and was taken in tow by the members of the Board of Trade. He decided to locate here, and yesterday the agreement was drawn up, and the by-law, which will have to go to the people, is now in the course of preparation. It will be submitted some day in May, and there is no doubt about it passing. By the first of January, 1908 Chatham will have completed a new industry, which will guarantee the city that they will employ at least 25 men, but which, it is expected, will in a short time be giving employment to at least 100 citizens of Chatham. This new industry will manufacture brass goods and plumbers' supplies.

This is only the first. It is a good beginning. Chatham's Board of Trade has proven that it is alive one. Its officers are men who do things, and they are not going to stop now. Watch Chatham Grow!

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CHATHAM GIRL MEETS DEATH

Miss Carrie Burton Was Killed In Goldfield Nevada

Shot By Accidental Discharge Of A Gun—Was Well Known Here

Miss Carrie Burton, formerly of this city, but recently of Anderson, Indiana, was killed in Goldfield, Nev., by the accidental discharge of a revolver. She was acting as the private secretary to L. L. Patrick, the largest mining broker in Goldfield. She was 21 years of age and leaves besides her father, four sisters and one brother.

A Goldfield paper giving a more complete account of the killing of Miss Burton, states that she was returning from the post office about nine o'clock. Fred. Gleason, a deputy sheriff, came up Columbia street riding a horse and leading another. The lead horse became unmanageable and while endeavoring to control the animal a 45-caliber revolver was dropped from the deputy's belt. The gun was discharged and the ball struck Miss Burton's left shoulder, penetrating her neck and severing the jugular vein. She ran three or four steps and fell unconscious to the sidewalk with blood spurting from the wound. Witnesses to the accident hastened to her side and she was removed to a drug store, where she expired a few moments after the accident.

The ball crashed through a plate glass window of the Arcade restaurant and the shattered glass cut the face of Miss Dorothy Heck, causing her to scream that she was shot. For a time it was feared a double tragedy had occurred.

Deputy Sheriff Gleason was so overcome by the tragedy that he broke down and his frame shook with sobs as he leaned against his horse. He was assisted to the sheriff's office by two brother officers. A coroner's jury was empanelled at eleven o'clock and the affair investigated by Judge Solomon. The jury returned the following verdict:

CORONER'S VERDICT.
"The deceased, Miss Carrie Burton, a native of Chatham, Canada, aged 20 years, came to her death on the 20th day of April, 1907, in this county, by a gunshot wound caused by the accidental discharge of a gun carried by Fred Gleason, a deputy sheriff, said gun falling from his person while he was riding a horse. The impact with the ground caused said gun to be discharged and a bullet from said gun entering the body of deceased caused her death."

"R. L. GOLBURN," Foreman.
Mr. Gleason was released from custody upon the announcement of the verdict. He is a married man, 40 years of age, and a warm personal friend of Governor Sharpe, of Nevada. He carries a commission as deputy sheriff and is considered one of the most cautious and fearless officers in the state's employ. The killing of an innocent girl has almost prostrated him.

Miss Burton was born in this city and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Burton. Mr. Burton at that time conducted a fishing business on the Lake Shore. His wife died here, and eight years ago he went to Indiana with his children. Charles Burton, of Northwood Survey, is an uncle of the deceased girl.

Miss Burton will be remembered here, where at one time she was quite popular, and her many friends will be sorry to learn of her sad death.

SHIRT WAIST FACTORY COMES TO CHATHAM

At last night's meeting of the Board of Trade Ald. W. H. Westman announced that he is negotiating with an outside firm who are thinking of locating a shirt waist factory in Chatham. The company will be incorporated at \$40,000, and they wish to get \$10,000 subscribed locally. The hands employed at this factory will be mostly girls, and they will employ twenty-five to start with. It has been suggested that the city rent the upper portion of the market building to this firm till they succeed in obtaining a larger site, and have their factory completed. No definite arrangements have yet been made, but Ald. Westman will report on the matter in the course of a few weeks.

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BOWYER ANSWERS QUESTION "HAS WHITNEY MADE GOOD?"

Capable Young Member From East Kent, Thinks As An Independent Conservative That Ontario Government Deserves Confidence

The following article was contributed to the Toronto Sun by Phil H. Bowyer, M. P. of East Kent, in answer to a question asked him by that journal, "Has Whitney made good?"

Has Whitney made good?

That is the question which the intelligent, independent electors of Ontario may be expected to ask themselves as the term of the first Legislature under the new Government approaches a close.

I have been asked by The Sun to give an answer to the question from the standpoint of an independent Conservative. In doing so I shall confine myself to a few of the more important features of the case as it presents itself to my mind.

BASIS OF POPULAR GOVERNMENT.

The matter which is of most vital importance to a self-governing community is that elections shall be honestly conducted. Unless the ballot-box is regarded as sacred, the foundation on which our whole superstructure rests becomes insecure. If tampering with ballot boxes, and with the machinery of elections in general, goes far enough, popular government ceases to be a reality, and becomes a sham—a pretence. I need not do more than refer to the condition of things in this regard before the change in government took place. The switching of ballot boxes by deputy returning officers, acting under false names, in West Elgin, and the hiring of a gang of persons, carried by the Minnie M. to outlying polls in the Soo election, were parts of a general system under which government by the people was being replaced by government by the plugger and personator. We have had four bye-elections since the new Government came into power, and not in one single case has there been so much as a breath of suspicion cast on the fairness with which these contests were conducted. If the Whitney Government had nothing else on which to base its claims for a renewal of confidence it would be justified in asking for renewal on this one ground alone.

THE MAKING OF CITIZENS.

Next to purity of elections, the most important factor in the preservation of a self-governing community is efficiency in public education. It is necessary that the rising generation be prepared in the primary schools of the Province for the ordinary business life. It is doubly necessary that the system of education be such as will fit the citizens of to-morrow for the duty devolving upon all members of a community in which the principle of popular government prevails. An efficient system of education is necessarily costly, and it is, therefore, the duty of the Government of the day to see that this cost is kept within the narrowest possible limits. An honest effort is being made in this direction by the Whitney Government. Under the Ross Government there was no uniformity of text books, and the books themselves were unduly expensive. With lack of uniformity, parents moving from one school section to another might find themselves under the necessity of buying almost a completely new outfit of books, thereby adding largely to the expense of moving. Under the new administration there will be a uniform system of text books all over the Province, so that books used in one class in Kent County will be equally useful in the same class in any other county in the Province. Moreover, the Government by taking power, ensure that these shall be supplied to pupils either from a Government printing house or from a private establishment, at as near cost price as possible. Evidence given before the Text Book Commission, which recently inquired into this matter, justifies the belief that by this means the annual cost of books used by pupils will be reduced to the extent of twenty cents per head, or \$100,000 a year for half a million pupils in the primary schools.

The Government has realized that the salaries of teachers in primary schools have, for years past, been ruling at a lower level than the payment for services of a similar nature in other callings. Under these circumstances salaries of teachers were bound to advance, and advance will

be accelerated either by means of the formation of a union of teachers among themselves or by legislative action forestalling such action. Recognizing this fact, the Government has increased the grant made from the general Provincial revenues to rural schools by \$200,000 a year, the object being to ease off the burden which will necessarily be imposed upon supporters of these schools.

BETTER TRAINING OF TEACHERS.

At the same time, the Government is taking steps to increase the efficiency of teachers in primary schools. With nearly one thousand of such teachers holding third class, or still lower certificates, the need of improvement was manifest. Even our second and first class teachers, who



PHIL H. BOWYER, M. P. P.

have had Model school training only, are not all as efficient as they ought to be. They may have the knowledge, but they have not received the benefit of sufficient expert training in the best means of imparting to others the knowledge which they themselves possess. With a view of developing the faculty for the imparting of knowledge steps have been taken to provide for a year's training in a Normal school of all future candidates for the profession of teaching. With this year's training in the art of teaching itself, the future possessor of a second or first class certificate should be much more efficient than those teachers of to-day, who have had merely a Model school training.

HANDING OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

The management of public property belonging to the Province ranks high among the more important duties resting upon the Government. We have in this Province almost untold wealth in forests, mines, and water. It would be a comparatively easy thing for a Government, located as this is, far from the centres of population, or to divide a large portion of it among its friends and political supporters. Under the old Government, pulp lands, making up a large proportion of the value of our public property, were disposed of by order-in-Council, and the Legislature was afterwards asked to sanction what had been done. Under the new Government everything is put up by public auction. An illustration of the value of the change made in this respect is found in the fact that the old Government disposed of the Montreal River concession by while the new Government, on getting the property back again, was able to sell, by public auction, the rights to cut for \$300,000, together with an increase in the stumpage dues on all timber taken off.

Under the old Government, again, the annual cost of mineral location in Cobalt Lake were disposed of for a mere trifle, while the present Government, by calling for tenders, has secured over a million for the balance of forty acres.

Under the old Government, indeed, the Province received practically nothing in the way of revenue from the mineral lands in New Ontario, under the new Government we receive in royalties on mineral taken from the right-of-way of a small section of the Temiskaming Railway alone 25 per cent. of the gross returns, and we have, too, the principle of public ownership applied to what is believed to be the most valuable location of all—the Gillies lake—thus insuring that for every dollar in value found there the people of the Province will receive full return. NO BOUNTIES UNDER WHITNEY.

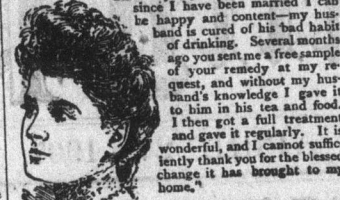
When the present Government came into power bounties were being paid from the Provincial Treasury on iron produced from iron smelting works in Ontario, and on sugar produced in the two sugar beet factories of the Province. Strong pressure was brought to bear upon the Government to renew these bounties, particularly on sugar beets, but there has been no renewal, and to-day not one dollar of public money is going to either one of these private enterprises. In this respect, at least, the Whitney Government has made good all that was said in the late election by its supporters in denunciation of the principle of public aid for private enterprises.

RAILWAY SUBSIDIES AND TAXATION.

In the matter of railway subsidies,

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while the Government has not, perhaps, held as strictly to the line as some of us would desire, still it has not deviated far from the line. The only grants made up to the present session were one of \$75,000 to the Bruce Mines and Algoma Railway and \$265,000 for a line connecting Manitoulin Island with the main land. Even this latter was not a land grant, but merely a renewal of one granted by a previous Government. Moreover, there were special circumstances which might excuse, if they do not justify, the grant in this case. There are 10,000 people on Manitoulin, who in winter can make their way to the front only after a drive of from twenty to nearly one hundred miles, much of this over the ice. At the session just closed the only new subsidy voted was one of \$5,000 for the purpose of aiding a line of a few miles to connect the town and port of Thessalon with the Soo branch of the Canadian Pacific. Compare this with the grant by the late Ross Government, in one session, of \$400,000 in cash and 1,200,000 acres of land for the Port Arthur branch of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Moreover, the present Government has cancelled a portion of the grant made to this Port Arthur branch, and has refused to renew the land grant made to the Lake Abitibi branch of the Canadian Northern.

In railway taxation, again, while the Government has not gone so far as I think it should have gone, it has at least doubled the amount under the previous Government. Moreover, it has given from the revenue it has collected from the railways, \$180,000 to the municipalities of the Province. Under the old Government, not one dollar was received by municipalities from this source.

It is universally admitted that the license law is being more thoroughly enforced under the new Government, than it was under the old. Not the least of the things for which the Government can take credit is the appointment of a general inspector in the person of the Rev. Mr. Ayers, a well known temperance advocate, to see that the law is enforced in local option districts.

THE MAIN POINT.

After all, though, the chief claim of the present Government for a renewal of confidence is found in the general change of tone and sentiment throughout the Province. No person now goes to bed at night fearing that by morning he may find that a Cap. Sullivan has walked off with a timber limit, or that he may read of some new election scandal similar to that of West Elgin or the Soo. Everybody has confidence that with Mr. Foy as Attorney-General the law will be properly enforced; that with Mr. Cochrane in control of public property, the land and mineral estate of the Province will be honestly administered, and with Mr. Whitney as chief of the Government honesty and efficiency will mark the whole conduct of the public service.

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.

Canadian Association in Conference at Temple Building, Toronto.

Toronto, April 26.—The Canadian Fraternal Association are in session in the Temple Building, President C. A. Lapp of Brighton presiding.

Wednesday Counselor Lyman Lee of Hamilton read a report regarding the insurance legislation passed in the last session in the interests of fraternal societies, and to several court cases.

Secretary-Treasurer William Montague of Hamilton reported finances to be in good condition.

C. A. Gower of Lansing, Mich., secretary-treasurer of the National Fraternal Congress, gave an address, to which J. A. Peterson, K. C., and F. G. Inwood replied.

Committee reports will be received to-day.

CHAMBERS GETS SIX YEARS.

For Assault at Peterboro—Toronto Man With a Bad Record.

Peterboro, April 26.—Fred Chambers, alias Frank Cameron, of Toronto, who pleaded guilty to three charges of wounding Levi Thorndyke, Pat King and Gilbert Blesard at the Royal Hotel in this city on April 17, and of assaulting Constable McHenry, was yesterday sentenced to six years in the Kingston penitentiary. The prisoner got three years on each of the three charges of stabbing, two of the terms to run concurrently. Chambers has a bad record.

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PRETTY AND EASY TO MAKE.

The Method of Working is Shown in the Illustration—Mostly Done in Buttonhole Stitch—Mercerized Thread and Cotton Floss Used.

Wallachian embroidery is the newest comer in the field of needlework, and because it is most decidedly pretty and easy to do it will without doubt find many admirers. The detail illustration shows the stitch employed and the method of working, the buttonhole stitches being slightly slanted toward the top of the petals so as to turn the corners nicely, the rings being worked in straight, even stitches. The centers of the rings are usually punched with a stiletto and the needle always put into the hole thus made.

A strand consisting of four or five threads of a very fine mercerized cotton may be used for the work, as in the detail shown, or a single thread of a coarse, loosely twisted luster cotton. These luster or mercerized cottons come in such a large variety of colors and in so many different weights that nowadays one does not experience the slightest difficulty in obtaining any desired combination of color.

In the second illustration a most effective sofa cushion is shown. A rather coarser cream colored linen forms the background, and the work is done with the same fine floss used for the detail illustration. Brilliant nasturtium shades running from a medium orange to a dark, rich yellowish red are used for the flower forms which are arranged in groups on all four sides of the cushion, while the long petals which radiate from four buttonhole squares in the center of each corner are done in several shades of green.

The entire design is carried out in the buttonhole stitch with the exception of a narrow band or stem which forms a connecting link between the corner and side figures. This band is heavily outlined, and the space between the outlined lines is filled with a series of dots worked at regular intervals.

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DISTRICT

NORTH ORFORD.

S. Ellis spent Saturday in Chatham.

H. Patrick returned from his sister's on Sunday.

T. Hogg, owing to ill-health, will have a sale on Wednesday, April 24th.

E. and B. Livingston have begun work on the Robt. McPherson farm.

D. Brown has purchased a manure spreader.

J. Smith is hawing timber for Mr. Norton's barn.

D. Culnan, owing to a sprained sprained knee, is using a crutch.

The East Kent Teachers' convention will be held May 22nd and 23rd, at Chatham.

ENGLISH SPAIN LINIMENT removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and blemishes from horses, blood spavin curbs, splints, ringbone, swellings, stifles, sprains, sore and swollen throat, coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by W. W. Turner.

CEDAR SPRINGS.

The next meeting of the Cedar Springs branch of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. (Dr.) McCully on Thursday, May 16, at three o'clock. A round table talk on bacteria will be conducted by the president. All the members are urgently requested to be present, as it is the last meeting for the membership year. All ladies are cordially invited, whether members or not.

Herbert McDowell, of Erie Eau, paid his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McDowell, a visit on Sunday.

Charles Dibley and bride, of North Cedar Springs, attended church here on Sunday evening.

A very old resident of the Gore Line passed away on Saturday in the person of Mrs. John Albert. The old gentleman has the sympathy of the community in his sad bereavement.

John Russell, our genial egg and produce buyer, seems to have opposi-

tion this spring in his business, Mr. Paisley, of the village, and Mr. Holland, of Blenheim, both having rigs on the road.

George Ramsdale and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McDowell on Sunday.

The stork visited the home of Mr. Lou Maynard on Friday and left a bouncing baby boy.

Andrew Ransom has completed a fine cellar for Robert McClatchie.

Mr. Kennedy exchanged pulpits with the minister from Oury on Sunday night.

ITCH, Mange, Prairie Scratches and every form of contagious Itch on humans or animals cured in 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion. It never fails. Sold by W. W. Turner.

BEAVER MEADOW.

The farmers are starting to work on the land this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders spent Sunday with friends in Sarnia.

Miss Olive Veil and Mrs. Jennings were the guests of Mrs. B. Molton Wednesday last.

P. Sullivan has been breaking a colt this week.

Ed. Unsworth has purchased a fine team.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Wise have returned home after spending a few days with Mr. Wise's parents at Leaside.

Theodore McDermid is on the sick list.

A number of young people attended the prayer meeting at Mr. Child's last Wednesday evening.

John Pretty, of Thorncliffe, was in Beaver Meadow on business Tuesday last.

G. Veil has returned home after spending Easter with his sister at St. Thomas.

Miss Liddy Unsworth has returned home after spending a few days in Sarnia.

Perry Shaw was here on particular business last Thursday. We were all glad to see Mr. Shaw looking so well after his trip West.

The Latter Day Saints have started revivals at Mr. Shaw's on the 9th concession.

FAMOUS BRIGAND.

Man Who Defied the Troops For Over Forty Years.

The death is announced of Bellacoscia, a famous Corsican brigand, at the age of 80. He was one of the last and one of the most famous of his "profession."

He was always at home except to the gendarmerie. A visitor was much struck when Bellacoscia introduced to him his relatives, a cousin mayor of this town, another mayor of that, and a brother a non-commissioned officer in the Republican Guard.

But Bellacoscia was quite a gentleman in his profession. He engaged in a vendetta when quite young, and made a stronghold in the mountains near Bastia. For forty years he overawed peasants and gendarmes alike, but in 1892 surrendered. The reasons for his surrender and for the low sentence passed against him—compulsory residence in Marseilles—are obscure.

Bellacoscia soon escaped from Marseilles, and when President Carnot visited Corsica two years later he was active as before. His niece intervened on his behalf, and with the help of the deputy, they laid their case before M. Carnot rather dramatically in front of a village town hall where M. Carnot was to be received. A few minutes later the deputy and the niece were able to tell the brigand, who was watching from a window opposite, that his pardon would be granted.

Since then Bellacoscia has divided his time tilling the ground, hunting the wild boar, and telling his reminiscences.

TAX ON BACHELORS.

Hessians, Who Live In Single Blessedness, Pay For Luxury.

A tax on bachelors has been imposed by the Lower House of the Hessian Parliament.

The bill, which came into force on April 1, provides, in view of the prevailing dearth of food, rent, etc., for an annual supplementary grant to be given to persons in the employ of the state whose incomes do not exceed \$500 per annum. The grant varies between \$40 and \$60. As the bill stands, however, bachelors who have only personal responsibilities are to receive only one-half the grant. A clause in the original bill ordained that persons in the employ of the state, who neither are nor have been married, shall receive only half this amount; but an amendment was passed granting the full sum to bachelor employees who have been married for parents, relatives or adopted children.

The Hessian Government does not favor the amendment, as it will necessitate inquiries into the private affairs of employees, but it will probably accept the situation if the Upper House agrees with the Lower House on the subject.

It is stated that locally the preference shown to married over bachelor employees of the state is approved, and considered fully justified, as officials are manifesting an ever-growing disinclination to marriage.

Will Support Canada.

The London Standard says that at present we can only assure the Canadian people that the pending negotiations with the Government and the United States will be closely watched here, and any reasonable protests which they may make or complaints that Canadian opinion has not been adequately consulted will receive strenuous support.

The Morning Post regrets the circulation of sensational rumors regarding the colonial conference by certain sections of the Unionist press, and suggests that the informal conference of Premiers announced by the Express was probably founded on the old report, which may well be true, that the Premiers of Canada and Australia intend to take advantage of the occasion to devise a system of preference such as has already been arranged between the Commonwealth and South Africa.

Replying to the Express representative's question as to whether it would be possible for the colonial Premiers to get together and develop a scheme of intercolonial preference, Mr. Deakin said all things are possible.

Hidden Treasure.

Many New Zealanders find it profitable to dig for hidden treasure. That for which they dig, however, is not gold or Captain Kidd's ill-gotten wealth, though it has a dull yellow color. It is kauri gum, a resinous substance which is the produce of the kauri pine trees.

The gum can be secured from the trunks of trees while they are alive, for it protrudes in lumps, but it is especially profitable to dig for it in the soil about the stumps remaining after the trees have been cut down. Sometimes chunks weighing as much as 100 pounds are taken up from the ground.

Digging for kauri gum is profitable, for the gum is used in the manufacture of varnish, and apparently it is one of those products of nature whose place cannot be filled by anything else which has yet been discovered.

Gaiety Needed.

Writing on the decay of "English as she is spoken" nowadays, Lady Violet Grenville, in The Graphic, says: Much of the sparkle of language and the precision of language and the delicacy of idea which it embodies. A careless thinker is also a careless speaker.

I read not long ago the axiom that the sense of humor militated against worldly success, and I verily believe that is the sentiment cherished by most people. Yet true, wholesome, appropriate, playful wit comes from gaiety of heart.

Just now we want all the gaiety we can get, not in jest, but in earnest, for the world is so full of gloom and darkness that it is the sentiment cherished by most people. Yet true, wholesome, appropriate, playful wit comes from gaiety of heart.

FREE TO YOU.

If you have Rheumatism, any Kidney or Bladder Trouble, or think that these organs are affected, write for our valuable booklet. Free to you, and tells all about



The Gentle Kidney Pill.
The Claffin Chemical Co. Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

GOT A PAIN IN YOUR BACK?

You get a pain in your back, and you wonder what is the matter. You perhaps pay no attention to it. Backache is caused by imperfect action of the kidneys, in fact, is the first sign of kidney trouble to follow.

The kidneys, proper, are composed of a close network of fibrous tissue, interlaced with tiny elastic fibres. Their object is the excretion of the uric acid, and other poisonous matter composing the urine, from the blood.

They are continuously at work to preserve the general health of the body and most people are troubled with some form of kidney trouble, but do not suspect it.

Some of the symptoms are: A feeling of weakness in the small of the back, sharp pains in back, puffiness under the eyes, and swelling of the feet and ankles, urinary troubles such as suppressed urination, excessive urination, cloudy, thick or highly colored urine, etc.

Mr. J. L. Whiting, Oshawa, Ont., writes: "I suffered for two years with kidney trouble. I had terrible pains in my back, hips and legs. I could not sleep and had a poor appetite. I took four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, and the pains left me, my appetite returned and I now sleep well. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from kidney trouble."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

Emperor to Receive Peasants.
St. Petersburg, April 26.—The Emperor to-day will receive 20 peasant deputies belonging to the Right party and to the Moderates, who will present him with an address, expressing their desire to work in harmony with the Emperor, and their hope of a speedy introduction of a system of general education.

Hundred Buildings Burned.
Miller's Falls, Mass., April 26.—One hundred and twelve buildings at Lake Pleasant, two miles from here, were burned yesterday, causing a loss estimated at \$115,000.

CONSTIPATION CLOGS THE BOWELS

No other cause produces so much sickness as constipation, and therefore it is dangerous to allow the bowels to become clogged up. Bad blood, dyspepsia, headaches, biliousness, boils, pimples, and piles, are all caused by constipation.

Avoid all of these troubles by the use of

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS,

nature's remedy for all diseases of the stomach, bowels and blood. It acts on the bowels and promotes their free and regular action, curing constipation and all troubles which arise from it. It has been on the market for over thirty years so you are not using a new and untried remedy. B.B.B. has cured thousands of others and will cure you. Mr. B. Woodcock, Nashua, Bridge, N.H., writes: "For over two years my wife was troubled with constipation. She tried several physicians but could get no relief, but after taking three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters she was completely cured and is to-day in good health. My wife and I cannot speak too highly of B.B.B."

Canada's Fiscal Policy.

London, April 26.—(C. A. P.)—The Times, commenting on Canada's fiscal negotiations with European countries, says they indicate not only the loss of the fairest opportunity that has yet presented itself for welding the Empire, but the beginning of fresh economic developments, of which the Times cannot lightly predict the end.

Part of the art of doing things is to attempt but a little at a time.

PATERSON'S COUGH DROPS

Quick relief and certain cure for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, and all irritations of the mucous membrane of the throat. Delicately flavored. Physicians recommend them. Ask for the three-colored label. THEY WILL CURE.

SANTAL-MIDY

Standard remedy for Gleet, Gonorrhea and Runnings. In 48 HOURS. Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

Value of Victoria Cross.
The intrinsic value of the Victoria Cross, the most highly prized decoration in Army and Navy, is about 1,124. It was instituted by Royal Warrant on January 9, 1856, as a reward of gallantry for all ranks, and the first presentation (of sixty-two crosses) was made by the late Queen Victoria in person on Friday, June 23, 1857. It is in the shape of a Maltese cross, and is made to this day out of metal from old Russian cannon captured at Sebastopol.

WORLD'S CHAMPION FASTERS.

Reptiles That Indulge in Long Periods of Abstinence.

The biggest snake in the Zoological Gardens, London, the great, many-colored, reticulated python, who measures eighteen feet from head to tail, and boasts of a circumference of waist almost equal to that of a man, has recently been showing notable signs of unrest, suggestive of awakening appetite. He has been known recently to uncoil and rearrange himself three times in one day, and on occasions he has even lifted his small, flat head and shot out his vicious, forked tongue at admiring visitors.

It is believed that the reticulated python will shortly condescend to take a meal, and, as he has not eaten anything whatever since the early days of last September, which, even for him is a very long fast, that is an event of considerable importance in the Gardens.

Doesn't Get Thin.

The fasting exploits of Herr Sacco are child's play compared with those of the king of the reptile-house. It is seldom indeed that he goes less than six months between his meals, and he has been known to refuse food for ten months. Moreover, unlike professional human fasters, his long periods of abstinence have no perceptible effect on his birth or temper.

The keepers have long since given up worrying over the eccentricities of his appetite. His meal, when he takes one, is a live goat—for the python will not eat dead food—and once every three or four months a goat is put into his cage, in order to see if he is hungry. More often than not the goat spends a pleasant half-hour in the cage, after which he is taken out, and never knows the danger he has been in.

Good-Bye Billy.

The custom of putting live goats into the cage is quite free from any suspicion of cruelty. If the goat is to be sacrificed, its death is as sudden as it could be by human agency. The little flat head of the python starts swiftly upwards; there is a sudden, awful whirl of the great, glittering body, and the goat is mangled to death before there is time for it to experience anything in the nature of terror. The subsequent preparation and swallowing of the meal is, of course, a longer process. Visitors are not permitted to see any of the snakes or pythons fed.

It may not be generally known that the larger snakes, in swallowing their food, dislocate some of the bones in the throat. Owing to the formation of the throat, once the snake starts swallowing he must continue to do so until he has completely swallowed the object upon which he has rashly begun. This has been the cause of the loss of several valuable snakes in the reptile-house.

Wool Goss Down.

Formerly it was the custom in the cold weather to cover up the snakes at night with blankets. But it was found on several occasions that a snake, attacked by hunger in the night, started on the corner of his blanket, and had perforce to continue. In the morning the keeper found a dilated snake and no blanket. Although the digestion of the serpent is equal to most things, it was found that the loss of a blanket generally entailed the loss of a snake, so the blankets are now discontinued.

Cinch For Big Snakes.

The same unfortunate swallowing difficulty has before now been the cause of one snake eating another. Two of them would start on opposite ends of a piece of food. When they met in the middle they were, unfortunately, unable to stop, and one snake had to disappear inside the other. Sometimes the smaller snake swallowed the larger.

It would be interesting to know whether it is customary among snakes to settle who shall be swallowed by arbitration, or whether the victory goes to the strong.

The dismay of the keeper may be imagined to find, on visiting the cage in the morning, one well-fed-looking snake, with the reptile equivalent to a smile on his face, and no sign of his companion.

Spanish Police Source.

There is no truth whatsoever in the story according to which Alfonso XIII. has entrusted Inspector Arrow, one of the heads of the detective department of Scotland Yard in London, with the reorganization of the Spanish detective police. It is perfectly true that Inspector Arrow has retired from the service of the Metropolitan police in England and has gone to Spain. He has taken service, however, not at Madrid but at Barcelona, where he is now employed at a salary of \$6,000 a year by an association of the leading merchants of the place. Barcelona, besides being the most important commercial centre and busiest seaport of the peninsula, in one word, the Liverpool or New York of Spain, is likewise a nest of crime which the municipal and state police seem powerless to hold in check. The outrages of one kind and another which are so constantly occurring there have begun to affect the prosperity of the city, and that is why the leading merchants have formed an organization for the purpose of not only protecting themselves and their interests but likewise with the object of driving the criminal population from the city. The news will prove somewhat of a disappointment to those who had looked forward to a reorganization of the Government police at Madrid, which furnished such a striking demonstration of its inefficiency at the time of the tragedy which marred the wedding of the King and Queen of Spain last year.

Value of Victoria Cross.

The intrinsic value of the Victoria Cross, the most highly prized decoration in Army and Navy, is about 1,124. It was instituted by Royal Warrant on January 9, 1856, as a reward of gallantry for all ranks, and the first presentation (of sixty-two crosses) was made by the late Queen Victoria in person on Friday, June 23, 1857. It is in the shape of a Maltese cross, and is made to this day out of metal from old Russian cannon captured at Sebastopol.



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DISTRICT

VINEGAR HILL.

Miss N. Campbell spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. John Russell. B. Johnson spent Sunday at Dover. Archie Russell is on the sick list. The first auto of the season passed along the Ridge Road this morning. The Women's Institute will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. (Dr.) McCully.

J. Merritt has purchased a fine new buggy and harness.

FATAL BLOOD POISONING.

Frequently follows the use of cheap corn salves and plasters. The safest is the best and that's "Putnam's," which has a record of fifty years' success. Refuse substitutes for "Putnam's," which costs 25c. in every drug store.

CROTON.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Frank Jones, near the village of Florence, who committed suicide last week while laboring under a fit of temporary insanity.

Service was held in the church here on Sunday afternoon last. Mr. Baxter, Kent Bridge, visited friends in Dawn recently.

Mart. Craig purchased a horse from James Sayer.

Building operations are progressing favorably in this section.

Mrs. Thomas Houston visited Mrs. Bloom, of Con. 11, recently.

C. Mackintosh has been tiling for S. Crowell.

Mrs. Zeke Paul and daughter were in the village Saturday.

Dick Tiffin has finished his job of ditching on the 11th line.

T. Bolton has purchased some hay from Jonas Christner.

The Misses Grieves, dressmakers, of Florence, visited under the parental roof over Sunday.

Charlie Lawrence, of Dawn Valley, visited his brother at Sandy Hall on Saturday.

The young folks of this vicinity have parties quite often.

Tom Skinner was a Florence visitor Saturday.

Charlie Childs is driving a four-horse team in his spring work.

Most Clements is doing a good business in his tile yard.

There was a mistake in the item which appeared in The Planet from Camden to the effect that D. M. Healy was moving to Camden. He is not moving there.

This is a very late, backward spring, and the farmers will have to hustle when it does turn warm.

Percy Toddock is working for John Lang for a few days.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1907.

BUILD UP CHATHAM!

A vote for the new industrial by-law, when it comes out, means a boost for Chatham. The by-law will carry because there are no knockers here.

HOUSE NUMBERING.

The question of house numbering has been disposed of in a very unsatisfactory manner by the members of the City Council. For a number of years the people of this city have greatly felt the necessity for this work. It has been brought up upon several occasions, and different Councils have made a pretense at dealing with it, only to let it drop again without arriving at any definite or satisfactory conclusions. This, notwithstanding, is a very important matter, and it is a disgrace that it has not been systematically dealt with long ago. Lengthy and empty discussions which ultimately end with the presentation of excuses for doing nothing, get the citizens nothing. This kind of treatment is not what they want nor expect.

Conditions now are the same as they were years ago when Chatham was a struggling town. It is practically impossible for a stranger entering the city to be definitely directed to any residence or place of business in the whole city. Besides, it is a great inconvenience to the people right in the city. It would be a surprise to many to know what amounts of money are lost yearly by Chatham merchants and business men, who have to deal with the general public, through the valuable time spent in hunting up the addresses of their customers, to whom they have to deliver goods. The complaints from these alone would more than warrant the immediate establishment of a complete numbering system.

Only the other day The Planet was approached by one of the city's most prominent business men—L. E. Tillson—a man who is delivering orders of coal every day during the winter, and ice throughout the summer months, and he made the statement that it would pay him to personally bear the expense of numbering the houses of every one of his customers. He figures that the convenience which would follow to him afterwards would soon make up the amount of the outlay required for the work, as he would save the money he is losing under the present conditions. He went farther, by saying that if there was in existence a proper chart of the city to work on, he would be willing and anxious to undertake his part of the work immediately.

This gives some idea of the anxiety of the citizens to have this work done. There are no doubt many merchants in the same position as Mr. Tillson, and yet matters are still drifting along in a loose and indifferent fashion.

The present Council has left the matter with Engineer Jones, to prepare a chart of the city during his spare moments. Judging from the work which is heaped on the shoulders of this official in the way of public works, electric light and waterworks business, it will be some time before he finds himself idle enough to think of street numbering. But according to the last decision of the Council, the citizens will have to wait.

There is another feature which should be considered. Mayor Stone had the right idea when he suggested that the Council should get a proper census of the city. It is common knowledge that a few years ago there were many empty houses in Chatham. It was practically no trouble to get a house to rent in almost any location. Since that time innumerable houses have been built, the old ones still remain, and now it is almost impossible to get a house of any description for rent. The empty houses in Chatham at the present time can be counted in a very few minutes. In spite of all this there is very little increase in the census statistics handed in each year.

The Government announces that they are considering the granting of free mail delivery to all cities with a population over 10,000. Chatham wants a mail delivery, and there is a general feeling that as far as population is concerned this city qualifies. According to the figures on record, however, it does not. The census this year has not been handed in, and this of course may create some change. If it does not, there is evidently something wrong.

House numbering is necessary for a mail delivery, and for many other

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"Royal Crown" Witch-Hazel Toilet Soap

It's a medicated soap and a toilet soap—two soaps in one, for the price of one.
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reasons. Chatham's census, in the face of existing circumstances, should show a larger population—large enough to land a mail delivery. There is a problem here which requires an immediate solution.

WHAT IS NEWS?

In a recent editorial the Orillia Packet calls attention to a matter of some interest to all publishers of newspapers, but more particularly to publishers in the smaller towns. The Packet strongly deprecates the habit prevalent among some sections of the public of sending in for free publications, as items of news, what is in reality nothing but advertising.

The Packet declares that it will refuse free publication to "all advertising notices of meetings, concerts, socials and such like where there is any monetary consideration, in the form either of an admission fee or a collection, as well as all business announcements connected with any sort of organization." The Packet points out that very often economical committees decide to "save the cost of getting out bills by putting a notice in the paper," thus making the publisher's paper the vehicle for rebelling the job department. "Insult is added to injury," says the Packet, "when the advertising notice is accompanied by an intimation that it will 'help to fill up'."

The indignation of the Packet is but just. A firm stand should be taken on the matter by all business-like publishers. It may be a trifle hard at times, to distinguish between what is news and what is advertising, but a safe guide is the method adopted by the Packet as mentioned above. No reasonable person will attempt to dispute the fact that whenever money is one of the objects of any meeting, social or concert, and the promoters thereof wish the public to know about it in advance, it is a business transaction for which advertising is required, and any newspaper space occupied by it should be paid for. When it is over, and a matter of local history, then it becomes news, and the publisher thinks his readers are interested in hearing about it—Printer and Publisher.

The new Board of Trade is a hummer! Ald. Westman knows a good thing when he sees it, and he knows how to get after it.

Talk Chatham as long as you can breathe, is Ald. Westman's motto. It is a good one, and he has shown that it helps the city.

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AULD LANG SYNE

FROM PLANET FILES OF HALF A CENTURY AGO

Taken from The Planet files from June 27, 1867, to July 4, 1867.

Saturday was a busy day in town, and we question if any other place of its size in the Dominion could show a more crowded market or a better display of garden, dairy and other produce than the Chatham market afforded on that day. There was a large supply of delicious strawberries, which sold readily at 15 cents a quart. The first green peas of the season were also for sale and were quickly disposed of.

The London Gazette contains the announcement of Lord Monck's appointment to be viceroy of the Dominion of Canada. It reads as follows:

Downing Street, June 4. The Queen has been pleased to appoint Viscount Monck to be Governor General of the Dominion of Canada and after the first of July, 1867, under the provisions of the Act 30 of Victoria, chapter 3, for the union of Canada, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick, and the Government thereof, and for purposes connected therewith.

The English Parliament enacted in 1770 that, "Whoever shall impose upon, seduce and betray into matrimony any of His Majesty's male subjects by scents, paints, cosmetic washes, artificial teeth, false hair, Spanish wool, iron stays, hoops, high heeled shoes, or blemished hips," should be prosecuted for witchcraft, and that the marriage should be null and void.

Two young men by the names of Knight and Napoleon opened the grave of Mrs. McDougall, an old lady aged 80 years, who was buried in the cemetery at Wallaceburg. The act was done on Wednesday night. Young Knight was engaged as an apprentice with Lalonde, an undertaker of Wallaceburg, and when Mr. McDougall called for the coffin the boy gave it to him. Lalonde then told the boy that he would hold him responsible and that he must pay the money himself or get the coffin. The boy could not pay for the coffin so went to work and dug up the remains of the old lady. He placed her back in the rough casket and laid the soles over her again, and then journeyed to the undertakers with the casket.

The expedition to follow Dr. Livingstone's track to Lake Xosasa, left England on the 10th of June. Sir Roderick Murcheson has every hope of Livingstone being alive, and at

any rate the present expedition will follow up the discoveries of the latter.

The Free and Open Churches Association has been formed in London, England, with Tom Hughes, member of Parliament, as its president, the object being to make the sittings in the churches free to all comers.

Two Protestant missionaries have just made a tour of from 2,000 to 3,000 miles in the interior of China, report an open door everywhere for preaching and the sale of Christian books.

A well known physician at Albany called upon a lady the other day to administer medicine. He commenced operations by kissing her, lady lifted up and told her husband, husband called a lawyer, lawyer dropped a note to the physician, physician responded, pleaded guilty to the kiss, asked pardon, paid \$50, and left for home.

In Paris a widow of 45 summers married a young man aged eighteen. By her first husband she had a son whose age at the time of her second marriage was twenty-one. She recently died, and by her will left her fortune to her son and husband, as her husband was not of age, her son was appointed his guardian.

A detachment of Royal Canadian rifles arrived at Quebec on Saturday last from St. Johns, N. F., by the steamer St. George, consisting of 70 men, 33 women and 61 children.

A Mrs. Wilkins, a resident of Balclish, dropped dead in front of Mr. McCully's drug store this afternoon. An inquest will be held.

The Great Western Railway will, on Thursday, run an excursion to Detroit. Round trip tickets \$1.50.

Seventy persons were released from the city jail at Chicago one day last week to make room for later comers.

A Constitutional Association has been formed in South Oxford. The second and third articles of the constitution read as follows:

2. To unite moderate men of all parties in such a manner that, by combined action, their political influence may be brought to bear in every political contest.

3. To use its best endeavors to extend those principles which will be most certain to insure to us the glorious privileges of British subjects, and to strengthen the golden chain of British connection.

Larder Lake Goldfields

As stated in my news letters last summer I then began investigating the Larder Lake district north of Cobalt. I have done so thoroughly, and from personal investigation on the ground, the employment of reliable engineers and a corps of experienced prospectors, I and my associates have now ample proof of the great value of this field.

We know so surely what is there (and what immense possibilities there are as well) that we have already put nearly \$500,000.00 cash into the field.

Our employees on the ground number nearly one hundred, and our stamp mill will very soon be in operation.

I am a practical mining man, and I need hardly say that we would not put in such money and work unless fully justified.

The width of the veins or reefs in sight, and the values they bear when each width is considered, is extraordinary. In Africa such reefs are probably mined when bearing but a few pennyweights of gold to the ton—at Larder Lake average assays from across many reefs run ounces of gold to the ton. An ounce is equal to 320, and the cost of mining and milling should not exceed \$2.50.

I and my associates see many millions of dollars of clean legitimate profits before us in these goldfields.

By forming a company, putting up our hard cash, as stated above, and getting in first, we have secured thirty-seven forty-acre claims which we believe to be the cream of the Larder Lake Goldfields.

Our present stamp mill is a small one. We want a larger mill—from 100 to 200 stamps—and we must spend money in opening up our large acreage.

We have put in considerable money, and, indeed, would carry the whole thing ourselves but that, like everything else, we have other interests as well to take care of.

We are therefore affording others the opportunity of joining us and sharing with us the large profits we are going to make—profits from dividends, and also from the increase of market value in our stock.

Our Company is known as the LARDER LAKE PROPRIETARY GOLDMINE, LIMITED, and among the directors and gentlemen identified with it are the following:—Col. C. Sterling Ryerson, Ex-M.P.; Senator L. V. Urey, Lieut.-Col. A. N. Worthington, Member Dominion Parliament; T. Herbert Lennox, Member Provincial Parliament; Chas. H. Waterous, Ex-Mayor of Brantford; E. P. Bucke, of "Granby" fame; Dr. D. H. Piper, of London; P. Kirkgaard, M.B., Member National Geographical Society; Sylvester Jenckes, President Jenckes Machine Company; William Farwell, President Eastern Township Bank; C. P. Brown, of Toronto; Dr. Preston, Member Provincial Parliament, and others of like standing.

For the purposes mentioned above a limited amount of stock is offered by the underwriters (Canada Mines Limited) at their first ground floor price of \$1.00 per share. This is being subscribed for rapidly, and the next allotment will be at a materially advanced price. The stock will then be listed on the exchanges and placed on the New York and Boston curb, when, as in every proposition I have been connected with, it will, without doubt, command a legitimate market at a still higher price.

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HERE AND THERE.

More Glory For the Jumper Frock
Shepherd Plaid Suits.

The jumper frock has in a measure taken into the glory that was formerly bestowed upon the shirt waist suit and abounds in a variety of styles. Some very pretty frocks of this description are made up in plain colored linens trimmed with elany and tord lace, the little lingerie blouse being adorned with the same pattern.

Many of the spring tailor made gowns are of a large shepherd's plaid cloth, the skirt arranged in six wide



CHIMES WITH SQUARE YOKES—5088.

plaits from the hips and the hem finished with a bias strapping of the cloth.

The panamas are here again, but a great many fabrics adopt the name. The old time bunting is seen, too, but under newer titles.

Striped materials will vie with checked fabrics for the first position, but for morning costumes plain satin finished mohairs as well as plain cloths still remain in favor.

The big French dressmakers have been buying up quantities of mohairs for use in tailor made dresses for spring and summer travelling gowns. So say people deep in the secrets of the dry goods trade who have recently come from Paris.

For summer dresses marquisettes, ninos, grenadines and chiffon voiles, both plain and in self colored checks and other fancy effects, will be popular.

The chemise illustrated is of linen muslin and is a charming material for summer wear, being fine and soft without any bulkiness. The neck in the design is cut square and trimmed with beading and German valencien lace. JUDIC CHOLLET.

WHAT TO WEAR.

Natty Chiffon Shoulder Capes—Lace Coats Smart.

There are a number of styles in small shoulder capes to wear with this white spring of chiffon ruffles over foundation of silk. There is no collar, thus giving an opportunity to display the handsome collar of the gown.

Lace coats will be just as popular next summer as they were last season. They are of three-quarter length, light



SLIM SHIRT WAIST—5607.

fitting and are not becoming unless one is slender. The sleeves are short. Then there are lots of bolero jackets in all the fashionable laces.

The imitations of laces used for tailored frocks are numerous and to be distinguished from pure linen only by the difference of shading in the more difficult tones, such as flamingo, apricot, etc. The manufacturers have "handed" us some delicious shades of lemon, though, and a semitailored frock in an imitation linen has a smart plaited skirt inset with medallions of machine embroidery further embellished with tiny buttons and wash braid. Accompanying the skirt is a little square Eton jacket plaited and lace trimmed, worn over a blouse of lawn.

The curved yoke is seen on the new spring suits. There is still the wide-shoulder effect with sleeves of the kimono shape, wide and loose like the sleeves of the orient.

Narrow Swiss embroidery makes a pretty collar. Two pieces may be joined with insertion at the edge. Velvet bands trimmed with lace medallions also make good collars. The neckpiece that comes with the average ready made waist is seldom dainty enough to be worn, so a more elaborate arrangement is substituted.

Here is one of the new plain shirt waists. It is made perfectly plain and depends upon the little Marie Antoinette frills for chicness. It is hardly necessary to add that only rather heavy materials make up well in this design. JUDIC CHOLLET.

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ELECTRIC LIGHTS BAD BEACONS.

Lizard Lighthouse Often Invisible When Other Lights Are Seen.

London, April 26.—The familiar complaint of the unsuitability of electric lamps for lighthouses is again made. At the Government enquiry into the stranding of the steamer Suevic, the marine superintendent of the White Star Line and other nautical witnesses declared that the electric light at the Lizard was sometimes obscured by fog when lights in the houses ashore on the same level were visible. They contended that electric lamps in lighthouses were not comparable with oil lamps, and said that the former might actually add to the dangers of the coast.

RESIGN FROM THE WORRY CLUB.

Life is a rush, but we can't all get there together. In consequence, we worry—can't help it because nerves are weak, vitality is burnt up and there's no worrying power left. Cut out the worry part, and Build Up! Let Ferrozone help you. It's a most strengthening nutritive tonic. Fills the blood with iron, supplies building material for worn out organs, generates the sort of vitality that makes you want to do things. No medicine more helpful for men, women and children who need strength and staying power. Try Ferrozone, 50c. per box at all dealers.

nurse, Th. disappears.

Philadelphia, April 26.—Friends of Miss Eva Haggerty, one of the prettiest nurses in the women's hospital, are greatly worried over her disappearance from the hospital early Wednesday morning.

Two weeks ago Miss Haggerty, who had come here from Brockville, Canada, was taken ill, and Mrs. C. V. Brown, sister, was to have arrived yesterday to take the nurse back to Canada. The last seen of Miss Haggerty was on Wednesday morning, when she was noticed gathering up her clothing and going into the hallway.

PROMINENT MANUFACTURER SPEAKS.

In Vanleek Hill, Ont., no one is better known than Geo. S. Watson. When he says "Cattarrhoxone is a real cure," depend on it being so. "My wife," he writes, "was subject to bad attacks of throat irritation and bronchitis. Many remedies were tried, but few proved at all useful. Cattarrhoxone was different. It seemed to get right at the sore spots and brought relief quickly. We have found Cattarrhoxone an absolute cure for bronchitis and catarrh. Nothing cures more quickly, so get it to-day; two sizes, 25c. and \$1 at all dealers.

Three Strikes—250 Out.

Toronto, April 26.—Over 200 picture framers and gilders and 20 marble and granite workers went on strike yesterday, making the fourth strike pending in the city at the present time. The Employers' Association will conduct the strike for the master gilders, pledging no conciliation. The staff of the Gibson Marble and Granite Co. struck in protest against the employment of a non-union man. The steel metal workers employed at the new amusement park struck yesterday in protest against the employment of Campbell, a witness for the employers a few years ago. Campbell was discharged and the men return to-day.

New Corners to Canada. London, April 26.—(C. A. P.)—During January, February and March 23,464 emigrants went to Canada, 7,400 of an increase.

EVER HAVE CRAMPS?

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CHURCHES

HOURS OF SERVICE

The services in all the churches in the city are held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., except the following:—
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.
Campbell A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.
St. Joseph's R. C.—7.30, 9.00, 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.
First Baptist—11 and 7.30.
Union A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.

NOTICE TO PASTORS

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p. m. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

INTERNATIONAL S. S. LESSON FOR TO-MORROW

(By Dr. R. A. Torrey.)
Joseph Faithful in Prison—Gen. 39, 20; 40, 15.

Golden Text—"Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life.—Rev. 2, 10.

Ten years have passed and Joseph has grown from a lad of 17 to a man of 27. He has maintained his integrity and purity in the midst of Egyptian corruption and peculiar temptation to sin. Jehovah was with him and gave him prosperity. Loyalty to God lay at the foundation of his purity of character. He was not afraid to profess his religion in the face of the wicked. But his purity of life and loyalty to God brought upon him the hatred of an unprincipled woman, who tells an infamous lie about him. Potiphar must have doubted his wife's story and not imprisoned him. It was a dark day for Joseph, but he had the sure promise of God to comfort him and assure him that better days were ahead. He was being made like our Lord.

There was one friend of his whom they could not shut out from him—Jehovah. Better still, he had a palace without God. He was proving that no one can harm the man who is a follower of that which is good. Jehovah Himself showed kindness to Joseph and gave him favor in the sight of the keeper of the prison. Joseph was given a position of authority in the prison. This prisoner was appointed its deputy governor. As Potiphar, his former master, had found out his God-given ability, so also did the keeper of the prison, and he committed to his care all the other prisoners.

Character, ability and the favor of God will tell anywhere. The man who honors God, He will honor, even in jail. Joseph's position would help to train him for the larger authority. God sends His servants to strange schools. Joseph was trusted because Jehovah was with him. The man who has God's company is always perfectly trustworthy. Jehovah made all that he did to prosper. Here there is the great secret of real prosperity, to have God with us. He was with Joseph because of his loyalty and obedience to Him, and He is just as ready to be with whosoever wills to do His will to-day, as then.

CHURCH NOTES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.
Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, pastor.

The Story of a Medicine.

Its name—"Golden Medical Discovery"—was suggested by one of its most important and valuable ingredients—Golden Seal root.

Nearly forty years ago, Dr. Pierce discovered that he could, by the use of pure, triple-refined glycerine, aided by a certain degree of constantly maintained heat and with the aid of apparatus and appliances designed for that purpose, extract from our most valuable native medicinal roots their curative properties much better than by the use of alcohol, so generally employed. So the new world-famous "Golden Medical Discovery," for the cure of weak stomach, indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, or biliousness and kindred derangements was first made. It ever since has been without a particle of alcohol in its make-up.

A glance at the full list of its ingredients, printed on every bottle wrapper, will show that it is made from the most valuable medicinal roots found growing in our American forests. All these ingredients have been selected from the best of the leading medical experts of Europe and America. A little book of these endorsements has been compiled by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., and will be mailed free to any one asking same by postal card, or letter addressed to the Doctor as above. From these endorsements, copied from standard medical books of all the different schools of practice, it will be found that the ingredients composing the "Golden Medical Discovery" are liable to cure not only for the cure of the above mentioned diseases, but also for the cure of all catarrhal, bronchial and throat affections, accompanied with catarrhal discharges, hoarseness, sore throat, lingering, or hang-on-coughs, and all those wasting affections which, if not promptly and properly treated, are liable to lead to consumption. Take Dr. Pierce's Discovery in time and persevere in its use until you give it a fair trial and it is not likely to disappoint you. Too much cannot be expected of it. It will not perform miracles. It will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. It will cure the conditions that lead up to consumption, if taken in time.

Christian Science Services

Sunday 11 a. m.
I. O. O. F. Block, Second Floor
Strangers Welcome

Anniversary Services will be conducted to-morrow, when the Rev. Prof. Kilpatrick, of Knox College, Toronto, one of Canada's greatest divines, will preach. Special music will be rendered, and strangers will be made welcome.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.
Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Fourth Sunday after Easter.
Rev. Robert McCosh, rector.
The rector will conduct the services and occupy the pulpit on both occasions to-morrow. Rev. W. H. Celles will assist.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

The Holy Sacrament of Baptism will be administered to-morrow afternoon at 2.30.

Bible Class for men in the church every Sunday afternoon at 3.

Christ Church Young People's Guild meets every Monday night at 8 o'clock.

ST. ANDREW'S.

Rev. Dr. J. R. Battisby, pastor.
The pastor will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow, taking as his morning subject, "Daring Unbelief," and in the evening he will preach on "The Sports and Pleasures of Youth and How to Regulate Them."

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

HOLY TRINITY.

Fourth Sunday after Easter.
Rev. J. W. Hodgins, rector.
The rector will preach on both occasions to-morrow.

There will be a special service for the Oddfellows to-morrow evening. Church Guild will meet on Monday evening at the Rectory.

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet on Thursday.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

The Holy Communion will be administered the first Sunday in the month at 11 a. m., and the third Sunday at 8.30 a. m.

Baptism any Sunday at 4 p. m. when previous notice has been given.

PARK ST. METHODIST.

Rev. W. L. Rutledge, pastor.
The pastor will preach on both occasions to-morrow. Subject for the morning, "The Blessed Life"; evening, "At the Fork of the Roads."

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer service on Wednesday evening at 8.

Services as usual to-morrow.

Prayer meeting to-morrow morning at 10.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

VICTORIA AVE. METHODIST.

Rev. F. E. Malott, pastor.
The pastor, Rev. F. E. Malott, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow, taking as his morning theme, "The Building You are Putting Up." In the evening Mr. Malott will preach on "My Wish for the Young People of Chatham"—a last message to the young people of the city.

Classes meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock and 12 noon.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

LATTER DAY SAINTS.

Elder R. C. Russell, of Arthur, Ont., who has been conducting special missionary services during the past week to large and interested congregations, will occupy the pulpit to-morrow morning and evening, and will preach at 11 a. m. on "Which is the Sabbath?" In the evening at 7 o'clock the subject will be "Exposé of Utah Mormonism."

Religio Society every Sunday evening at 8.15.

Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Regular weekly prayer service on Wednesday evening at eight. Question box at the door.

SALVATION ARMY.

Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a. m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m., Christian fellowship meeting at 3 p. m., soul-winning service at 7.30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

CAMPBELL A. M. E.

Rev. B. Roberts, pastor.

Class meeting at 12 noon.

The pastor will conduct the service and preach in the morning, and evening.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

UNION A. M. E.

Services will be held as usual to-morrow.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST.

Services will be conducted to-morrow as usual.

Sunday School at 2.30.

FIRST BAPTIST.

Rev. W. T. Nickerson, pastor.

The pastor will preach on both occasions to-morrow.

Sabbath School at 12.30.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

B. M. E.

Rev. C. M. Walker, pastor.

The pastor will preach on both occasions to-morrow.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at 8.

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Thousands of Women Write Dr. Hartman to Complain That They Never Feel Wholly Rested, That They Are Always Tired.

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Albion Place, Nott Road, Paterson, N. J., writes:

"I suffered five years with my spine and pains in my back."

"I consulted you, fortunately, and in fourteen weeks was cured by the use of Peruna and following your advice."

"I can now do my own work. I cannot thank you enough."

"I cannot tell you how happy I am. No family should be without Peruna."

Suffered Years With Pain.

Mrs. Ida Germain, 531 Manhattan Ave., New York City, writes:

"For many years I suffered with pains in the pelvic organs. I was unable to find relief, as no doctor could help me."

"I read of your wonderful Peruna and decided to give it a trial. I took it for some time and obtained much relief."

Strong Again.

"Now I am strong again and have a good appetite. Peruna has relieved me of a chronic ailment, and I therefore recommend it to all women."

Always Tired and Weak.

Mrs. E. A. Connolly, 527 Garner St., Kansas City, Mo., writes:

"I have suffered for years with stomach trouble, so that I could eat hardly anything. I was tired and weak all the time."

PELVIC CATARRH CAUSES MANY AILMENTS.

There are so many women who are tired all the time. They get up in the morning tired and drag themselves around wearily all day.

They have pain in the back and dragging sensations which seem to weigh them down as though carrying a burden.

Many women are undoubtedly suffering with systemic catarrh. The proper remedy for them to take is Peruna.

The catarrh has invaded the whole abdominal and pelvic organs. Through mucous discharges they are losing vitality every moment.

The food they eat and the sleep they get is hardly sufficient to keep up with the incessant drain on their vitality.

The only hope for betterment in their cases is the complete removal of the catarrh.

For this Peruna is recommended by Dr. Hartman. It relieves catarrh wherever located in the human body—in the thorax, abdomen or pelvis.

"This was caused by indigestion and female trouble. I suffered agonies and was afraid to be left alone."

Completely Exhausted.

"At times I was afraid to stand on my feet and to attempt to do any housework was out of the question."

"One day I read an advertisement of Peruna and its wonderful cures and I decided to try it."

New Life and Vigor.

"My husband brought home one bottle and before that bottle was half gone I felt new life and new vigor."

"That tired, hopeless feeling left me, I began to eat and my food nourished me. I could walk and do my work without fainting."

Peruna's Wonderful Work.

"I took several bottles during the summer and fall and cannot praise it enough for the wonderful work it did for me."

"When I feel tired or nervous from any cause, a few doses of Peruna cure me."

"I hope every man and woman who suffers will give Peruna a trial and be as grateful as my husband and myself."

Doctored a Year.

"Miss Anna McGinn, 161 Plain St., Providence, R. I., writes:

"I wish to let you know of the good your medicine has done for me. I had what the doctors called heart trouble."

I had been doctoring for a year before I tried your Peruna. I suffered the most with pain in my head."

A Friend Advised Peruna.

"One day a friend of mine told me of your Peruna, so I got a bottle. After a week's use of it I began to feel better."

"At first I could not eat, sleep or work, but I have at last found that the medicine that would cure me was your Peruna."

A New Woman.

"My face has a good color now. I am a new woman. I thank you very much."

Followed Dr. Hartman's Advice.

Mrs. Viola Marshall, 420 West Mason street, Springfield, Ill., writes:

"Two months ago when I sought your advice, I had gotten so weak that I had to lie down most of the time."

Praising Peruna.

"I began taking your Peruna and now I feel like a new woman."

"I shall never cease praising Peruna, nor thanking Dr. Hartman for his kind advice."

DISTRICT

WABASH.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cutler, of Thamesville, spent Sunday at the residence of Mr. Joe Phillips. The farmers are mostly through seeding.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, of the Maple City, are visiting in this vicinity.

Mrs. Daugherty has returned home, after visiting her daughters.

Mr. Walker, of Chatham, was in this vicinity on Friday.

Mrs. David Wilson was collecting missionary money last week.

Mrs. Tiffon, of Chatham, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. George Kelley and family have gone to Chatham, after visiting in this section.

Mr. Wallace Burweil has purchased a new democrat.

Christen McKerricher has returned home from Chatham.

Mrs. Levi Truesdale returned home on Sunday, after spending the week at her mother's.

Mr. William E. Kelley, of Chatham, was in this vicinity last week.

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LOCAL

Dry hard wood at Fleming & Tillson Company.

Geo. Watt, drover, of Thamesville, is in the city to-day.

Lorne A. Ripley, of London, spent Thursday in the city.

A new Ford automobile arrived yesterday for Mrs. Rutherford.

Thomas McBrien, of Thamesville, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Nate Cornwall, the Thamesville game fancier, is a city visitor to-day.

Mrs. John McVean and son, of Dresden, are in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Switzer, of Dresden, were in the city yesterday.

There was only one case in Police Court this morning. A drunk was fined \$1 and costs, \$5, in all.

Allan Campbell, of Tilbury, has returned to his home, after spending a few days in the city, before leaving for Seattle.

Mrs. Hanley, of Thamesville, spent the week end with her daughter Martha, of E. A. Mounter's confectionary.

A. McLean has accepted a lucrative position in the West after taking a three months term at the C. B. C.

Mrs. Robert Maxwell, of Port Credit, Ont., who has been in Sarnia, is on a visit to her brother, Percy Evans, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Richard Pritchard, Grand Ave.

A rather peculiar incident occurred at the Roller Rink last night. A bird's egg fell from one of the rafters, alighting on a lady's hat. It was at first thought that the egg was thrown by someone in the gallery.

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JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION

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Review

Norfolk, Va., April 27.—The Jamestown Ter-Centennial Exposition—a land and water display such as never before was attempted in this country or on foreign shores—was opened yesterday with that pomp and ceremony which always attend an event where the President of the United States is a central figure and diplomatic representatives of foreign nations, governors of States and like dignitaries are honored guests and participants.

President Roosevelt reviewed from the deck of the yacht-cruiser Mayflower the war vessels anchored in Hampton Roads. He reached Discovery Landing, having been transferred in a naval launch from his yacht, shortly before noon, and amid applause from the thousands gathered to voice their welcome, he was received by the exposition management.

Then followed the program for opening to the public the enterprise commemorating the 300th anniversary of the first English settlement in America.

Salute of 300 Guns.

At sunrise the ceremonies were begun by the United States artillery firing a salute of 300 guns to usher in the day. This was a signal for the "band of humanity" to railroad trains, street cars and boat lines, which from that moment poured people into the grounds.

It was some minutes before President Roosevelt could proceed with his address. The people repeatedly gave vent to their enthusiasm. As he pressed the gold button which formally opened the Exposition, it was the signal for the unfurling of a thousand or more flags on the various buildings. At the same time a signal was given to the warships, and all fired a salute. When the echoes of the last gun died away all of the bands on the Exposition grounds played the "Star Spangled Banner," the troops presenting arms, and all persons present baring their heads.

After the review the naval detachment returned to the vessels and the army detachments went to camp. Captain John Smith, the post at the Exposition grounds.

Pressed the Button.

The pressing of a button in connection with the opening of an exposition was not so important a function in itself as has been expected. On account of the unreadiness of the buildings and the grounds, there was little machinery to set in motion, and many of the buildings had not been supplied with flags to be unfurled. The coldest and most backward spring in the annals of Virginia, marked by severe rainstorms in the past month, is responsible for the opening ceremonies being marred by incomplete structures and uninstalled machinery. May 15 has been fixed as the day when the directors hope to be able to open all features of the show.

The day opened cloudy, but by 8 o'clock the sun shone forth and a strong breeze from the southeast soon drove the clouds beyond the horizon, leaving a clear sky. The breezes sweeping across Hampton Roads also tempered the heat, which had a tinge of mid-summer in it by the time the President landed on the Exposition grounds.

President Was Early.

Norfolk, Va., April 27.—The Mayflower, bearing the President and Mrs. Roosevelt and party, arrived at the head of the column of war vessels yesterday morning almost an hour before the usual call for quarters. The American flagship Connecticut, Rear-Admiral Evans commanding, boomed out the first guns of the Presidential salute, the other American ships and the foreign vessels immediately following.

The Mayflower headed toward Norfolk, passing along the outer line of foreign ships, the crews of which were drawn up in close order along the forward and upper decks and superstructure and stood at attention.

The first of the British ships encountered was the Roxburgh, then the Hampshire, and next the Argyll. President Roosevelt was especially interested in the flagship Good Hope, and exchanged personal salutes with Admiral Neville, who stood on the bridge.

The Good Hope, together with the German Imperial flagship Roon, were assigned berths to the right and left of the Connecticut. These three flagships formed a triangle, where the Mayflower at the end of the review dropped anchor. The President received the flag officers of the American and foreign warships, who then proceeded to the Exposition grounds. The President, in a small launch, followed.

Civil War Veteran Dead.

Brookville, April 27.—A civil war veteran, J. Bolton, has passed away at his home in Morrisstown. He joined B. Co., 106th N.Y.V., in 1862, and in June of the following year was made a prisoner of war at Martinsburg, Va., being held for nearly two years. He was a native of Ontario, born at Lansdowne in 1832.

Four Killed In Mine.

Seattle, Wash., April 27.—In an explosion yesterday in the Morgan Slope Mine at Black Diamond, four men were killed and five were fatally hurt. Fourteen other were severely injured.

Saints' Church To-night—"Divinity of the Book of Mormon," by Elder R. O. Russell.

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MARKETS

The local market this morning was a large and busy one, both inside and out. A noticeable feature of recent Saturday markets is the large number of fine fish offered for sale. Previously it was almost impossible to buy a good fish on the Chatham market. This morning there were herring and white fish in plenty, and all at reasonable prices.

Potatoes were quite plentiful on the outside market and were selling at \$1 a bag. Seed potatoes were selling at 75 cents per bag. Mrs. Drury, of Raleigh, brought the first early chubarr on the local market this morning. She was asking 20 cents a bunch for it.

Following is the full price list:

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, per lb., 25c to 30c.
Cheese, per cake, 25c.
Cabbage plants, per box, 20c.
Chickens, each, 45c to 50c.
Ducks, 30c to 40c.
Eggs, per dozen, 15c.
Geese, 50c to \$1.50.
Geese wings, per pair, 5c.
Honey, in rack, 30c; in pail, 55c.
Hedgehog, per lb., 10c.
Turkeys, 75c to \$3.50.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Apples, per peck, 20c.
Carrots, per peck, 15c.
Cucumbers, in brine, 25c to 40c 100.
Cauliflower, 15c.
Cabbage, 5c to 10c.
Green onions, 3 bunches for 10c.
Honey, per quart, 5c.
Lettuce, three heads for 10c.
Lard, per pound, 12c and 13c.
Margarine, per bunch, 5c.
Mixed pickles, per bottle, 15c.
Maple syrup, per quart, 35c.
Onions, per peck, 20c to 30c.
Pop corn, per dozen, 10c.
Potatoes, per bag, \$1.
Parsnips, per peck, 15c.
Beets, per peck, 15c.
Peppers, per doz., 8c to 10c.
Pork, per pound, 9c and 10c.
Popcorn, popped, per quart, 5c.
Rhubarb, per bunch, 20c.
Savory, per bunch, 5c.
Squash, each, 10 to 25c.
Sage, two bunches for 5c.
Tobacco, per bale, \$2.
Tobacco, per bunch, 5c.
Tomato plants, per box, 20c.
Thyme, per bunch, 5c.
Turnips, per peck, 15c.
Tobacco, 5c a hand, or per lb. 10c.
Vegetable oysters, per bunch, 5c.
Water cress, per bunch, 5c.

FISH.

Herring, two for 25c.
White fish, 50c to \$1.

HAY.

Hay, per ton, \$15.

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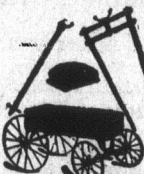
We handle only the high-grade Gasoline, and deliver it in any part of the city. 'Phone 297.

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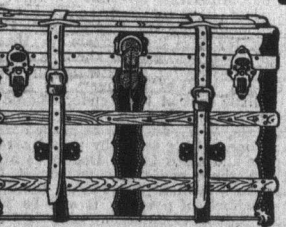
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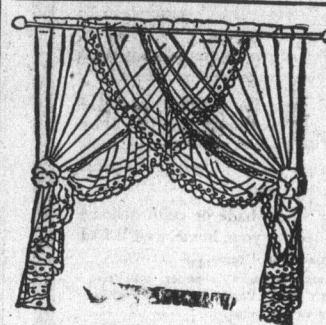
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BRISCOS'

HOUSE CLEANING TIME!

New Curtains and Draperies.



You have some. No doubt you want to replace this housecleaning, and you know now just what they are. The parlor, dining-room, library, kitchen, or bedroom curtains, and probably you want some little fixings over mirrors, doors, dressers, etc.—some dainty nets and frilling, or a new drapery for the arch. Whatever your wants are, don't wait until you are finished housecleaning. You'll have better assortment now.

NEW LACE CURTAINS, \$1.00, \$1.25 AND \$1.50.

EXTRA VALUE.

Our range at these prices seldom fails to please even the most particular. Each style is very attractive—designs the newest—qualities the best. The threads used in these curtains give every confidence of service. Ask to see some at these prices. They come in 52, 54 and 60 in. width, all 3 3/4 yds. long, finished with overlocked stitched edge, in the newest floral and conventional designs, very lacy effects, similar to much higher-priced goods.

NEW LACE CURTAINS, \$3.26, \$3.50. Cable Net.

At these prices we are showing a big range in cable net and Nottingham, Brussels, Madras and Irish point effects. These are all made of nets that give satisfactory service, 52 to 46 in. width by 3 3/4 yds. long, in white and ivory. They are finding great favor with our customers. See assortment at these prices.

NEW LACE CURTAINS \$4 AND \$5. Cable and Brussels Net

Another fine assortment of Cable and Brussels net effects at \$4 and \$5. See them.

A BIG SPECIAL IN BOBBINETTE CURTAINS

We opened up this week a line of Bobbinette Curtains that every good housekeeper should see before they decide what to buy.

27 pairs Frilled Bobbinette, prettily trimmed with lace and insertion, 2 1/2 yards in length, usual width, specially adapted for Bedroom use, and exceptional value \$1.25 pr.

Bobbinette by the Yard

A special collection of patterns in a range of prices from 15c up to 40c a yard

MEN, LISTEN!

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT

AUSTIN MEN'S STORE

Because the AUSTIN CLOTHES FOR MEN AND BOYS are Made Right, are Bought Right, are Sold Right, are All Right.

Drop in and See! New Lines Opened Up This Week!

See King St. and Market St. Window Displays.

Special Suit Selling and Displaying Saturday and all next week.

Choose blindfolded, you can't choose wrong at Austin's. Select what you like, you have the best protection here. Your money back if you want it.

The happiest clothes for the happiest men, You will always be happy if you join the Austin army of well-dressed men.

Character, Style, Value.

These are the manifest features of the Austin Suits for Spring. These are the prevailing styles and clothes shown for the season just ahead.

Dressy grey worsteds in plain, neat checks overplaid in single and double-breasted sack coats, vests cut a little lower and trousers made full. Big range of black and blue serges, worsteds and chevrons.

Men's Suits, \$5 to \$20

Men's Top Coats, \$7.50 to \$16.

Men's Rain Coats, \$7.90 to \$15.



Make it a point to see The

\$2 HATS

before you buy, sold by Hat Stores at \$2.50.

All Styles Fedoras and Derbys.

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KENT COUNTY'S LARGEST RETAILERS

Seed Potatoes

25c a peck

We have some very fine Early Rose Potatoes from the east for seed. They will be a much better change than the local potatoes.

ENGLISH JELLIES

4 packages 25c.

MIXED BISCUITS

15c a pound

SPECIAL CHOCOLATES

25c a pound

SPANISH ONIONS

5c a pound

DRY ONIONS

5c a pound

NEW CABBAGE

10c to 20c

Our pure Cream of Tartar Baking Powder will make your cake light and nice—25c a pound

H. Malcolmson

ENGAGEMENT RINGS

If you are engaged don't fail to have a ring to commemorate the fact. A ring is most appropriate as a token of love, admiration and friendship. Our stock of rings embraces all the latest designs. Particularly notable for value is a Pearl Ring set with fine stones, all fully matched, at \$5.00.

POILE - Jeweller

Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

See The Oxford Natural Gas Range.

We have samples of 3 different styles of these gas ranges in our window and we are sure you will admire their fine appearances as much as we do.

Certainly no range can give better satisfaction nor can any range show so many good points of merit. Ask any of the people who are using them. They will quickly tell you that they are strictly right.

We shall be glad to have a chat about gas ranges with you and also any other kind of gas fixtures, burners, lights, etc. that you may need.

Everything for burning natural gas

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THE UP-TO-DATE HARDWARE MAN.

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NEWEST DESIGNS

The most captivating styles of the season at the most reasonable prices.

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KING STREET

TO-NIGHT

Holy Trinity Church Choir practice at 8.
Choir practice, First Presbyterian Church, at 8.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, April 27—11 a. m.—Variable wind; time with a little higher temperature to-day. Sunday, easterly winds, about the same temperature, and some showers.

DIED.

NEWCOMBE—On Friday, April 26th, 1907, Clifford Arthur, youngest child of Frederick Newcombe, aged 4 years and 14 days.
Funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the family residence on Baxter St. to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

LOCAL

Chas. Jackson leaves in a few days for the west.

CARPETS taken up, cleaned and relaid. Phone 440. Queen St.
Grand March and Band at Tecumseh Roller Rink on Tuesday night. Everybody's coming.

Wanted!—Stenographer; must have experience; good pay. Apply W. F. Smith, Barrister.

Don't miss seeing the Art Gallery. Old-fashioned concert, Christ Church S. S. Hall, Tuesday, 30th.

For sale—One Guernsey gas range, one sewing machine. Apply to Mrs. Westlake, Forest street.

Mrs. Stevens, Adelaide St., has returned from a few days' visit in Dresden.

LOOK! Phone 440 and have your carpets cleaned before the rush. Queen St.

Old-fashioned refreshments served, Christ Church S. S. Hall, Tuesday, 30th. Home-made Candy sold.

Miss Nettie Dewey, of Blenheim, spent Friday in the city calling on friends.

STOP! READ THIS! The Carpet Cleaning Works is the only place to thoroughly disinfect and clean your carpets. Phone 440. Queen St.

Found—In front of General Hospital, a bunch of keys. Owner can have same by paying for this advertisement.

Chas. DeCov, of Blenheim, is visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, Adelaide St.

Wanted—At once, first class pant or vest maker; highest wages. Apply to Webber & Somerville, Tailors, Chatham, Ontario.

To rent or let on shares to first class party, 100 acre farm two miles from city in township of Harwich. Good buildings. Apply Smith & Smith.

Rev. F. E. Malott will preach a farewell sermon to the Young People of Chatham to-morrow night. The music for this service promises to be unusually good.

Anniversary services in First Presbyterian church, Sabbath next, April 28, conducted by Rev. Prof. Kilpatrick, of Knox College, Toronto, one of Canada's eminent divines. Special music. Strangers cordially welcome.

The Knights and Ladies of the Maccabees will hold a mammoth pedro social in the Auditorium on Friday, May 3rd. Six prizes will be given. Cake and coffee. Everybody come. Tickets 15c. Music.

Wanted, young girl to assist in office work; one who has taken the collegiate commercial course preferred; experience not necessary. Address in own handwriting Box 26, Planet.

The 88th anniversary of the Independent Order of Oddfellows will be celebrated by attending divine service at Holy Trinity church, Victoria avenue, next Sunday evening. Every Oddfellow is requested to be present.

The monthly meeting Ladies' Assisting Society will be held at Mrs. S. F. Gardiner's, William St., Monday, April 29th, at 3.30.

Geo. Rouse, St. George street, has bought the splendid hack and horses from D. Donoham. Mr. Rouse is well and favorably known in this city and vicinity, and no doubt will make a good cabman. His many friends wish him success.

A pianoforte recital will be given by Mr. James Galloway, A. R. C. O., in the Christ Church Sunday School Hall on Friday evening, May 3rd, at eight o'clock. Excellent program. A. Hinzman & Co.'s Grand Pianoforte will be used. Tickets may be obtained at Glassford's Piano Store. Tickets 25c.

Cheap rates west—The special one way home seekers tickets now on sale to the west, the Northwest and Pacific Coast, will be taken off sale after April 30th. Parties intending to go to Calgary, Edmonton, or any point in the Northwest or to California and British Columbia, should make application at once to W. E. Rispin, city passenger and ticket agent, 115 King street.

Dr. Neil Smith

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MAC McLEOD,

Formerly of Thornton & Douglas

Car choice cannot equal just arrived. Fleming, Tillson & Co.

Large, handsome lilies 25c.; magnificent spiraea 25c.; at Victoria Avenue Green Houses. All plants delivered.

The Ladies of St. Joseph's Church will hold a box social in their hall on Cross St., Wednesday evening, May 1st. Everybody come and enjoy a pleasant evening.

All the best kinds of washing machines and wringers at Dissolution Sale prices. George Stephens, D. H. Douglas. Phone No. 6.

The sale of Thursday excursion tickets to Detroit and return via Grand Trunk Railway will be resumed for the season on Thursday next, May 2nd. Tickets good going any train Thursday, returning Friday fare \$1.00; Saturday to Monday tickets \$1.50, commencing May 4th. Apply to W. E. Rispin, city passenger and ticket agent, 115 King street, or at depot.

MAY WILL BE A VERY STORMY MONTH

The weather prognostications for May, as outlined by Rev. Irl R. Hicks, predict the probability of "many and heavy storms." This, he says, applies to all sections of the country. We are promised rain, wind and thunderstorms from the 1st to the 3rd. From that date till the 6th there is to be unseasonable cold in extreme northern sections, with possible sleet and snow, sending a cool wave over most parts of the country. Along about the 9th we are told to expect high temperature and thunderstorms. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, the 12th, 13th and 14th, are named as dates of severe storm probabilities, with warm, humid atmosphere, low barometer and southerly winds. About the 20th a probable cycle of rain, wind and thunderstorms may make things uninteresting. The outlook for Victoria Day, May 24th, is not very encouraging for Canadians, presaging "probable danger" and destructive hail storms, with sudden reversion from extreme warmth to unreasonable cold. From this on to the end of the month the outlook presented is a prolonged spell of threatening, stormy weather. However, despite the continuous bad weather performance we are threatened with, The Times ventures to predict that we'll have many beautiful, sunshining days that Prof. Hicks seems to have overlooked.

THE DOMINION BANK

The Dominion Bank will in future pay interest on Savings Deposits four times a year, namely, March 31st, June 30th, Sept. 30th and Dec. 31st, at Highest Current Rates.

CARD OF THANKS

John Cryderman wishes to convey his most sincere thanks to his many friends for the kind expressions of sympathy extended to him in his late bereavement.

CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS.

Via Canadian Pacific. Meeting Imperial Council, Nobles Mystic Shrine, Los Angeles, Cal., May 6th to 11th. Official route of Canadian delegates. Round trip tickets at very low rates will be sold April 27th to May 2nd and May 7th to May 15th. Final return limit July 13th, 1907. Choice of routes going and returning. Favorable stopover arrangements. Full particulars furnished on application to E. Franklin, City Passenger Agent, corner of King and Fifth Sts., Chatham, Ont.

SAN FRANCISCO A YEAR AFTER.

San Francisco, with its wonderful growth of the last twelve months, the brilliant sunshine of a glorious California spring, is not the least attraction of a Pacific Coast trip. The Shriners' convention at Los Angeles will attract many. But to the many more, the people who wisely count the cost, and appreciate a bargain, the Canadian Pacific Railway's special excursion rates offer even a greater attraction. Tickets from Toronto to San Francisco and Los Angeles and return are on sale at low rates, good going April 27 to May 2 only; return limit July 31. Full information at city ticket office, corner King and Fifth streets. E. Franklin, C. P. A., or write C. B. Foster, D. P. A., Toronto.

A man's fortune is naturally built upon the "rocks."



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is the vast difference that our friend is trying to impress upon the minds of the caged city dwellers. Also the chances for

REAL ESTATE

in the suburbs—building sites that mean, if bought now, a saving of not less than one-quarter of the price. If ready cash is not available, our sliding scale of monthly payments will help you to the desired end, either for securing your own home or as land for investment. We can't promise present prices much longer.

50 choice lots for sale on Elms Sub-division. Ten-minute walk from Post Office. If you are looking for a safe investment, buy now, as Chatham is going to boom this summer and the prices of these lots will astonish you before the season is over, so drop in the office and pick out one before it is too late.

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THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

At the Brisco Theatre—
Moving Pictures—April 26-27.
Marks Bros.—April 29 to May 4.

MARKS BROS.

Marks Bros., supporting Miss Gracie Marks, will be the attraction all next week at the Brisco Opera House. The company is strong in new plays and specialties, including singing, dancing, moving pictures and illustrated songs. They have been playing to packed houses all along the line and the notices speak in glowing terms of their performance. On Monday evening the entire strength of the company will be seen in "The Ragged Dicks." Special scenery is carried for this production.

At the opening performance free admission will be granted to any ladies who are accompanied by persons having purchased a reserved seat ticket before six o'clock that evening.

During the week a novel advertising scheme will be introduced. It is as follows: At each performance coupons will be handed to every person attending, and they are requested to sign their names on same, deposit them with the manager, and on Saturday night at the close of the engagement a \$5 gold piece will be given to the lucky person whose name appears upon the first coupon drawn from the box.

Change in United States

Subscription Rates

The Planet, in common with all other newspapers of Canada, has been notified by the Postoffice department at Ottawa that on and after May 8th next, the rate of postage on papers entering the United States will be changed from one-half price of The Daily Planet sent to the cent for every four ounces or fraction of four ounces.

This means that single papers entering the United States will each require one-cent postage, that parcels of papers sent to one office will be four cents a pound.

In view of this, after May 8th the price of The Planet sent to the United States will be \$5 per annum. There is a reduction in the actual price of the paper of over \$1, as the postage the publishers will be obliged to pay will be \$3.12 a year on each subscription. The Weekly Planet will be \$1.50 per annum, strictly in advance.

TILBURY OIL LANDS.

We offer for sale the royalty and fee in the south halves of lots numbers four and five in the ninth concession of the Township of Tilbury East, in the County of Kent, Ontario, containing together two hundred acres, known as the Harwood Marshall farm, at present operated under three oil leases covering respectively one hundred acres, fifty acres, and fifty acres each. Full parcels of leases, production of oil, and general improvements on the farm may be had on application either personally or by mail. Applications should be sent in at once. Dated at Chatham, Ont., April 19, 1907.

HOUSTON & STONE,
Barristers, etc.,
Chatham, Ont.

Garland and Souvenir coal cooking ranges at Dissolution Sale prices. Entire satisfaction guaranteed with either kind. George Stephens, D. H. Douglas. Phone No. 6.

Minard's Liniment cures Colds, etc.

SOME OF GORDON'S SELL QUICKS

DRESS GOODS

Priestley Black Taffeta Cloths—the most popular weaves, this season's wear, fine finish, light weight and wide width and specials at 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c and \$1.00.

Priestley's Black Wool Voiles

The stylish summer weaves, 1907 just arrived. A complete range at 39c, 50c, 60c, 90c, \$1.15 and \$1.25.

A Bargain Table

Inspect this table of Dress Ends, between 40 and 50 styles to select from in the leading colors and weaves, values from 50c to 75c, all per yard 37 1/2c.

Wash Goods

Lawn, Linon, Lonsdale and Nainsook Ends, in lengths from 1 to 5 1/2 yards per yd. from 7c to 10c.

Fine American Gingham

In Check, Stripes and Plain Chambrays, per yard 10c to 15c.

Fine Mercerized Checks

Surpassing silk in some ways for Waists or Dresses, per yard 16c to 35c.

Dutch Prints, Ducks, Galateas

For Boys' Blouses and Rough Wear, just the thing, per yard 10c, 12 1/2c to 20c.

Prints and Muslins

The best stock of these goods we have ever shown, from 5c to 50c.

SHIRT WAISTS

A respectable White Lawn Waist, long or short sleeves, open fronts, 3 rows of insertion, worth 50c to make it, for 48c.

Fine Lawn and Linon Shirt Waists, wide insertion and laces, sold for \$1.25, only 98c.

The Best Shirt Waists to be had from \$2 to \$5.00.

Long and Short Gloves

Long Lisle Gloves, 50c to \$1.00. Short ones 25c.

Long Silk Gloves, in black, white and colors, at \$1.00.

Kimonas

Just in, rich Japanese patterns and styles, as well as the neat small patterns, 50c, 85c to \$1.50.

Raincoats

The newest and most stylish garments. No ladies' outfit complete without one of Gordon's Guaranteed Raincoats, black, grey, fawn and checks, in cravenettes and silk.

White Waistings

Demand for these goods increases all the time. We show the most dainty weaves of the newest and neatest in White Waistings at old prices because, bought ere the advance in cotton goods we want you to see and price them ere the nicest are gone.

May Standard Patterns

Every Lady her own Dressmaker—with these Paper Patterns and the Designer at 50c a year, delivered at our desk, you are independent.

WILLIAM GORDON

THE Maple City Creamery

Churned nearly five hundred pounds of butter yesterday, after being shut down a few days to repair and improve the boiler and make other necessary changes to get everything in first-class shape, to install the machinery for bottling milk, cream and buttermilk for family use.

Just think of your bread, meat and milk; being exposed to the STREET DUST these windy days, but there will be NO DUST in the bottled milk you will get from

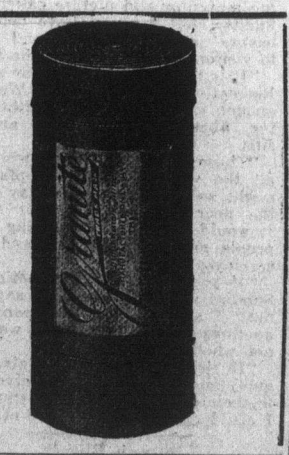
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This roofing has been found to be in a perfect condition after being on a roof for over 20 years. It is absolutely fire proof, and presents an attractive appearance.



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OPPOSITE MARKET.

OUR FAREWELL SALE!

On account of having two Stores I find I will have to dispose of "The Good Luck Store" as I cannot manage the two stores, therefore every shoe is going at a sacrifice price.

Ladies' Dress Shoe, vicid kid, patent enamel, Blucher and Bell, also patent leather. Regular \$3.50 to \$4.00, going at \$2.25.
Ladies' Shoes (box calf), Ladies' Gaiters, Ladies' Oxfords and Slippers. Reg. \$1.35 and \$1.50, going at \$1.00.
Men's Patent Enamel Corona Colt, Blucher and Bell cut, oak soles.
Some Leather-lined Goodyear Welt. Reg. \$5.00. No better in Canada. Selling at \$3.50.
Men's Gaiters, heavy box calf, selling at \$1.15.
Men's Gaiters, fine box calf. Regular \$2.50, selling at \$1.65.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' SHOES GOING AT A SACRIFICE SALE.

M. SHAPERO.

WE CANNOT FORCE

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To buy goods, but our prices appeal to your reason, convincing you by proving the fact that you save money by leaving your order with us.

20 lbs. Granulated Sugar 1.00.
13 lbs. New Prunes 25c.
2 cans Peas, 1 Corn, 25c.
Cooking Figs 6c. per lb.
3 cans Blueberries 25c.
6 bars Comfort Soap 25c.
Table Syrup 50c. per gal.
Soda Biscuits 7c. per lb.
7 lbs. Rolled Oats 25c.
Clothes Pins, 1c. per doz.
Smoked Shoulders, Hams, Rolls, Backs and Bacon.
Still clearing out our Crockery and China at prices that sell the goods.

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purchase a Waltham Watch when they are the best.

In 1854 the whole output of the factory was 375 in actual use.

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This should be sufficient guarantee.

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Important Notice.

There being so many imitations of this successful Tea, all leaving the dealer a larger profit on their sale, it is of the utmost importance that you should avoid disappointment by watching for the registered name

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On Every Genuine Packet.

BLACK, MIXED OR GREEN
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GOLD LABEL.....60c PER LB.
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ANNUAL SALE 15,000,000 PACKETS
HIGHEST AWARD ST. LOUIS, 1904.

FIRED ONLY JOKES.

The Way Judge Thatcher Dodged a Challenge to a Duel.

Documents in the Congressional Library at Washington show that when the establishment of the mint was under discussion in Washington's time there were some amusing debates in congress concerning the devices the coins should bear. There is one account of a squabble over the design for the silver dollar.

It appears that a member of the house from a southern state bitterly opposed the choice of the eagle on account of its being the "king of birds," and hence neither suitable nor proper to represent a nation whose institutions and interests were wholly inimical to monarchical forms of government.

Judge Thatcher in reply had playfully suggested that perhaps a goose might suit the gentleman, as it was rather a humble and republican bird and would also be serviceable in other respects, as the geese would answer to place upon the dime.

This reply created considerable merriment and the irate southerner, considering the humorous rejoinder an insult, sent a challenge to Judge Thatcher, who proudly declined it. The bearer, rather astonished, asked, "Will you be branded as a coward?"

"Certainly, if he pleases," replied Thatcher. "I always was one, and he knew it, or he would never have risked a challenge."

The affair caused much mirth, but was finally adjusted, cordial relations being restored, the irritable southerner concluding that there was nothing to be gained in fighting one who fired nothing but jokes.

THE BRITISH BREAKFAST.

Trying in Its Monotony, Though the Food is Substantial.

A distinguished author once described an unripe persimmon as a fine incentive to generosity, since we would rather give it to another than eat it ourselves. And perhaps the English breakfast may be likened to the early persimmon.

Monotony is the keynote of the early meal in a British household—not but that the food is good and substantial, but there is a sameness year in and year out about the dishes that is trying indeed to an American. Here is a list of eatables and drinkables made up from the breakfast menu of ten middle-class English households and ten pure-English hotels:

Porridge, served with sugar and milk; ham and eggs, eggs and bacon, grilled ham, boiled and poached eggs, fried sausages, dried fish (herrings or baddocks), dry toast, white or brown bread and butter, marmalade or jam, tea or coffee.

The man or woman who has been accustomed to break the fast with wheat cakes and maple sirup, followed by a bluefish and a juicy porterhouse or pork tenderloin, helped out by freshly ground coffee, cranberry jelly, Virginia honey and a choice of a hundred or more delights in the way of bread and freshly baked cakes, sits down to breakfast in England with a sigh.

British Domestic Evils.

Divorces are, happily, rare in society circles. Separation by mutual consent, however, grows more frequent every year. Everyone has upon his or her visiting list husbands and wives who never meet if they can help it, but between whom there has never been an open breach. Incompatibility of temper is the usual cause, and the reason for that is one imagines, the still common custom of encouraging the younger generation to marry before they have begun to approach years of discretion.—London Tribune.

Rectory and Compensation.

The new Compensation Act, thinks The Liverpool Post, seems to have many strange ramifications. It seems that the rector or vicar of a church will be responsible for any injury that his assistant curates, vergers, or lay readers may incur in the discharge of their duties, and accordingly they are making provision for insuring against liability.

LOYALTY TO THE EMPIRE.

Premier of Transvaal, Lately Against Us, Talks Common Sense.

Before Gen. Botha became head of the Transvaal Ministry he made a statement meant for publication in England. He declared: "British supremacy will be safer in the hands of the Boers than in those of cosmopolitan capitalists. The questions of the flag and of supremacy have been settled for all time. They are both now outside politics. We are now concerned with our domestic



GENERAL BOTHA.

affairs. Having got free government, our natural desire is, and our sole endeavor will be, to so govern that the country shall prosper and the two races be drawn together. At Vereeniging I signed the treaty of peace. I then solemnly accepted your King and your flag. They are now our King and our flag. People talk about our hostility to the mines.

"We simply object to the men who run the mines also running the country. Had I wished ill to the mining industry as such, I had the fullest opportunity during the war of wrecking the works along the Witwatersrand reef. I recognized then that my people must look to the mines for help, and as I protected the mines then so shall I see that they are not injured now. This talk of wholesale Chinese expatriation regardless of consequences is nonsense. I say emphatically that nothing shall be done to embarrass the mines so far as unskilled labor is concerned. We want to pursue a just and liberal policy. It is an accepted principle that English shall be the compulsory language. As regards education generally, we are prepared to work on the basis of the compromise which was reached fifteen months ago by representatives of the Volksites and the official representatives of the Government."

AN AMOROUS GIANT.

Forbidden Introduction to a Giantess He Finally Wins.

All the elements of romance are bound up with the story of love of Olive Darril, an Australian giant, for Miss Mariell, the Tyrolean giantess.

Mr. Darril is the son of a wealthy farmer of Wagga Wagga, New South Wales. He is 24 years of age, 8 feet 3 inches high, and broad in proportion. Miss Mariell is 8 feet 3 inches high, and passably good-looking. Darril fell in love with Mariell at Vienna, and determined to marry her, but her manager proved obdurate. He followed her to Berlin and London, and last week attended nearly every performance at the Hippodrome.

The climax came on Thursday, when it is alleged that Darril stood up in the stalls and addressed the object of his affections before the astonished audience. The first surprise of the interruption over, the officials requested Mr. Darril to desist, and he left the theatre. On Friday night although he had purchased tickets, he was refused admission to the Hippodrome.

Yesterday Darril was introduced to Mariell in the Angel Hotel at Guildford. The giant followed Mariell in a motor-car and overtook her at Surrey town, where in spite of the renewed opposition from the manager he was introduced to the lady, who shook hands and smiled on him encouragingly. Surrounded by their friends the couple took lunch together, and Mr. Darril seized the opportunity to advance his suit. He left the manager consented to write to Mariell's parents and ask whether they would permit the young couple to become engaged.

Bishop for Sunday Games.

The Bishop of Carlisle declared himself in favor of Sunday games in the course of a speech which he delivered at Carlisle recently at a meeting in support of the national Sunday observance movement.

"I am distinctly in favor of opening museums and picture galleries on Sunday, but I would have people of leisure act as custodians and guides to visitors to these places," he said.

"It is the same with Sunday games. Recreation is not a sin. We have enough sins in the world without going about manufacturing artificial sins."

"Those people, however, who have all the week in which to play golf might well go down on Sunday among the poor and join in their games. It would be a beautiful thing if the people met their servants and other employees on Sunday."

"If you ask me if banqueting on Sunday is right, I should say it is not. I am not sure that many banquets on any day of the week are not wholly wrong."

"If rich people want to give banquets on Sunday, let them give them to their servants and other employees. I could see some sense in that."

Bulrush Church.

The first place of worship in Western Australia was unique in two respects—the material of which was built, and also the devotion to which it was devoted. This remarkable building was made at Perth by soldiers, shortly after their arrival in 1829, and was composed almost entirely of bulrushes. In addition to its use on Sundays for divine worship, it occasionally served as an amateur theatre during the week, and during the whole time as a barracks.

OUR MANNERISMS.

Traits We Own That Are Annoying to Our Friends.

It may be only a way of speaking, a way of looking or some little mannerism that offends.

Of course one doesn't always realize the results caused by doing things "our way," but that doesn't excuse us.

Think out how you look when you tell something disagreeable which is unnecessary and uncalled for. Think out if often you don't try the patience of your friends with a continued history of your ways and weakness and whether, after a while, it does not take the form of nagging.

And even from those we love nagging is something very difficult to bear. A great sin is often forgotten, but these continual little annoyances, these continual disagreeable mannerisms and the insisting of doing things always in your own way, these little "queernesses," are just as wrong as the greater sins of people who have greater temptations.

Many a boy has drifted from home and happiness on account of a nagging, suspicious mother, his future ruined.

Who is to blame?

Many a girl has turned down the primrose pathway of vice for lack of some kind little word of appreciation. Some sickening influence has often driven far apart those who should be very near together.

It may not be "your way" to speak these little words of appreciation or to do the considerate, helpful, aspiring things.

But is that an excuse?

Why not cultivate it? Don't you think your ways and little queernesses are just as wrong as the greater sins of people who daily have to meet the greater temptations?

A CROCHETED RATTLE.

Pretty and Harmless Plaything For the Baby.

Cast on fifteen stitches, first row plain, second row puri, third row plain, fourth row puri, fifth row puri, sixth row plain, seventh row puri and eighth row plain. Repeat these eight rows until twelve ribs are worked. Now put ten stitches on the third needle and work twenty-four ribs on the remaining five stitches and cast off, dropping the middle stitch and letting it run



A BABY RATTLE.

the whole way down the strip of work. This forms holes through which the ribbon is run. With the ten stitches left on the third needle do two strips in the same way.

Sew the ring on the end of center strip and a bell on each of others. Run a piece of ribbon into each strip and tie into pretty bows at the ends. Tie a bow of ribbon at the end of broad piece of knitting, with two bells on the loops. Finish off at the top with a bow of ribbon a little wider and sew a safety pin on the back to fix to the baby's dress.

Dinner Desserts.

Spanish Cream.—One-half box of gelatin, one quart of milk, the yolks of three eggs, one small cup of sugar. Soak the gelatin in the milk for an hour, then put it on the fire and stir well as it heats. Beat the yolks lightly with the sugar. Add to milk and beat to the boiling point, stirring all the time. Strain into a mold and flavor with vanilla.

Trifle.—Take stale cake, cut in small split squares, put whipped cream between and layer of preserved fruit over the top. Cover with cream and fruit. Served with preserved raspberries it is delicious.

Marshmallow Confection.—One-half pound of English walnuts chopped fine and added to a pound of marshmallows cut up. Mix these together. Take a pint of cream and whip it until stiff. Stir into it the nuts and marshmallows; also a quarter of a cup of candied cherries chopped fine. Flavor with a few drops of vanilla. Set on the ice an hour or two before serving.

A Hint to the Cook.

When making pastry, leave the edges quite untouched. The air in the paste causes the flakes, so it must not be pressed out. This rule holds good when making all kinds of pastry.



After a man has worked on the railroad for a year

or two, he begins to notice that his "kidneys have gone wrong." The urine gets highly colored—there is frequent desire to urinate—bad headaches—stomach upset—sharp pains in the back—swollen hands and feet—Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, Neuralgia.

It is the constant motion of the train that brings kidney trouble. The vibration loosens the ligaments—strains the muscles—weakens the kidneys so they cannot do their work properly.

Gin Pills

Cure Kidney Trouble.

They give new strength—invigorate muscles and ligaments of the kidneys—take away the bad effect of so much riding.

Railroad men say that there is nothing like Gin Pills for that biting pain in the back and through the hips—for painful and scanty urination—and especially for Rheumatism and Sciatica. You not only feel that Gin Pills are doing you good—you SEE it. Gin Pills have the peculiar property of turning the urine BLUE. A few hours after taking them, the urine changes color—thus showing that Gin Pills have reached the kidneys and bladder and are already making you well.

Just to prove our confidence in these wonderful pills, we will send you a free sample if you write and mention this paper. Do it now. Regular price, 50c, or 6 boxes for \$2.50.

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THE TOWN OF RAYMOND.

Youngest of Its Size in the Dominion of Canada—Great Sugar Beet Raising Centre in Alberta.

Raymond, Alberta, is the youngest town of its size in Canada. In 1903 the townsite was a bare prairie. Now it contains 500 residences, stores, warehouses and public buildings, and has a population of 2,500 people.

It is the headquarters for some of the largest ranching and cattle enterprises in the Canadian West, and of the Knight Beet Sugar factory, the only one of its kind in Canada west of the Great Lakes.

The factory represents an investment of \$500,000, and has been in operation for three years. In 1904 this factory sliced 11,900 tons of beets and manufactured 3,160,000 pounds of sugar. Bags on bags of sugar are kept in store.

Price of Land Increasing. It seems odd to talk of "beet lots," but the soil and climate of Southern Alberta are especially adapted to the growth of the vegetable in question, and land in the vicinity of the sugar town is rapidly increasing in price. Ranch land is worth \$4 and farm land \$6 per acre.

The sugar beet, while necessitating considerable labor in its cultivation gives a first-class return to the farmer, and it now seems certain that within a short time large areas in Southern Alberta will be devoted to its production, and in the near future several large factories will be in operation turning out sugar in great quantities. Sugar beet raising is past the experimental stage. Beets last year produced from \$30 to \$75 an acre, on well cultivated lands. Forty dollars is an average profit on beet fields. Sugar beets in Alberta contain 2 per cent. higher than in the States. Most of the growers are raising from two to five acres, some as high as twenty. The soil after the first year yields fifty to sixty tons per acre.

Sugar Factory's Capacity. The sugar factory has a capacity requiring 400 tons of beets per day. These are contracted for at \$5 per ton, though the sugar factory itself owns 260,000 acres. A great deal of hand labor is employed, children working in the fields thinning out the rows. The Mormon men hand over the money they earn to their wives, who are the financiers of the family. Raymond is the headquarters of the Taylor Stake of Zion, according to Mormon definition. This denomination has built a meeting house which will seat 1,500 people, and eventually they will erect a tabernacle and temple. Prohibition of the liquor traffic prevails in the town.

Process of Manufacture. The beet sugar served in the hotel at Carleton tastes the same as any other, though it was rather finer in quality than some. The processes of making the sugar are many and various. Dumped from the wagon the beets are carried into the flume, and thence into the washing receptacles. After a thorough cleansing they are cut up into what is called "cosette."

Then they go to the "diffusion" machinery, where they are put through several processes, the juice of the beet being extracted from the water. Clarification by chemical processes then takes place, and the juice is boiled in receptacles from which the air is exhausted, the clear, white sugar being the eventual result. Molasses is a by-product, and the pulp remaining is put into a silo for cattle.

Sending Wheat to Japan.

Raymond has other claims to distinction, or will have at some future date. The Milling and Elevator Co. which has a 40,000 bushel elevator only 14 months after the first sod was turned, was grinding wheat and sending it to Japan. Now the company has trade in China, Australia and Vancouver, besides supplying the home demand. Some of the farms have yielded fifty bushels of wheat per acre. The winter wheat yield has increased from 22,000 bushels in 1903 to over a million bushels this year.

Some people seem to think that loud talk makes a sound argument.

People who sow no joy are first to complain when they reap none.

Minard's Liniment cures Colds, etc

DISTRICT

MITCHELL'S BAY.

A grand surprise party was given to the Misses McDowell on Monday evening by a number of their young friends. A jolly good time was spent with music and singing.

The Methodists are to give their anniversary tea on April 29. Anniversary services will be held in the church April 28, conducted by Rev. Mr. Brown, former pastor of this circuit. The tea on Monday evening will be followed by a splendid program.

KENT BRIDGE.

John Norton, who has been spending a few days at his home here, left for California this week.

Alcohol

not needed

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a strong drink. As now made, there is not a drop of alcohol in it. It is a non-alcoholic tonic and alterative. Ask your own doctor about your taking this medicine for thin, impure blood. Follow his advice every time. He knows. Trust him. We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our preparations. J.C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

BOY BURGLAR'S OUTFIT.

Arms and Make-Up of Leader of Juvenile Band.

An amusing story of the exploits of Frank Taylor, the boy burglar of Robin Hood Lane Station, who was charged with shooting at Mr. Damon, a solicitor, of Carleton, was told recently.

Taylor was caught in Mr. Damon's house, and when his story of having entered it by mistake was not believed, he fired a shot at Mr. Damon from a revolver, and attempted to escape. He was captured after a struggle, in which he bit Mr. Damon's hand severely.

Edwin John Barrett, 14 years old, was also arrested as one of his accomplices, and he made a confession in which he declared that he had accompanied Taylor on ten expeditions, the object of which was robbery. He said that Taylor forced him to accompany him, and stand outside while Taylor entered the houses.

The police stated that they found the following articles in his room:

A pair of handcuffs.
Black velvet coat, with ruffles and trimmed with lace at the cuffs.
Pair of jack boots with spurs.
Three sword bayonets.
Three air guns.
A breech-loading fowling piece.
Several wigs and moustaches.
A theatrical make-up box.
They also found a large quantity of sensational literature, and they learned that the boy had taken lessons in wrestling and in the use of firearms.

I never have known a fool yet who didn't think he was remarkable for his wisdom.

Marie Antoinette's Books.

The unhappy Queen Marie Antoinette possessed an important library of 4,712 volumes, consisting of plays and romances, little books a la mode, the works of Pascal, Bossuet, Fenelon, Bourdaloue, Massillon, Boileau, Rousseau, Corneille, Moliere, Voltaire and many others. She loved music passionately and had a large collection of operas in eighty-nine numbers. The bindings were by Blazot and were uniform in red morocco, with the arms of France and Austria stamped upon them. The execution of the work was poor and the decadence in the art of binding evident. The glories of the art of Padeloup and the Deromes had passed away, and the revolution effectually killed whatever knowledge remained of the ancient skill of the bookbinders. Half a century later saw its revival in France, and the art has since flourished both there and on English soil.—London Spectator.

How Beetles Defend Themselves.

Beetles have other defenses than their carapace, such as nauseous or caustic liquids, which they expel on provocation, and, strange to say, certain beetles actually exude their blood, charged with noxious products. The practice is confined to the chrysomelidae, some of the timarchae and adonitidae, the coccinellidae and the meloidae. The blood of the coccinellidae has a strong, disagreeable odor like that of the whole insect. That of the timarchae is odorless, but has an astringent flavor, and in the case of the Timarchae primitivus is venomous. The blood of the meloidae contains much cantharidine.

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FOR BILIOUSNESS.
FOR TORPID LIVER.
FOR CONSTIPATION.
FOR SALLOW SKIN.
FOR THE COMPLEXION.

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CURE SICK HEADACHE.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close High—Chicago Lower—Live Stock Markets—Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, April 25. Liverpool wheat futures closed today 1/4 to 1/2 higher than yesterday and corn 1/4 higher.

At Chicago May wheat closed 1/2 lower than yesterday; May corn 1/2 higher and May oats 1/2 higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Following were the closing quotations to-day on Winnipeg futures: Wheat, April 77 1/2 bid, May 78 1/2 bid, July 80 1/2 bid, Oct 82 1/2 bid, April 38 1/2 bid, May 37 1/2 bid, July 37 1/2 bid.

Leading Wheat Markets.

	May	July	Sept.
New York	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Detroit	81 1/2	82 1/2	84 1/2
Toledo	80 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
Daunt	83 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
St. Louis	81 1/2	82 1/2	84 1/2
Minneapolis	81 1/2	82 1/2	84 1/2

Toronto Grain Markets.

Wheat, spring, bush	80 1/2 to 81 1/2
Wheat, hard, bush	80 1/2 to 81 1/2
Wheat, soft, bush	80 1/2 to 81 1/2
Barley, bush	75 1/2 to 76 1/2
Oats, bush	55 1/2 to 56 1/2
Rye, bush	65 1/2 to 66 1/2

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, April 25.—Wheat, spot quiet, No. 2 red western winter, 6s 2 1/2d; No. 1 California, 6s 4 1/2d; futures, steady; May, 6s 6 1/2d; July, 6s 4 1/2d.

Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed new, 4s 7 1/2d; do, old, 4s 7 1/2d; futures, firm; May, 4s 7 1/2d; July, 4s 7 1/2d; Sept., 4s 7 1/2d. Lard, prime western, in tins, 4s 4 1/2d; American refined, in tins, 4s 4 1/2d. Cheese, American, white, 10s 1/2d; do, colored, nominal. Bacon, Canadian, steady, 5s 1/2d; short ribs, steady, 5s 1/2d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Butter, quieter, with a few easier undertones; unchanged, receipts 6414.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 2887.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 33,038.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Are Steady—Hogs Sharply Lower at Buffalo.

LONDON, April 25.—Liverpool and London cables are steady at 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9c to 9 1/2c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, April 25.—Receipts of live stock at the city market since Tuesday, were 96 car loads as reported by the railways, composed of 374 cattle, 1477 hogs, 113 sheep and lambs, with 500 calves and 1 horse.

Exporters.

Only a few lots of exporters were on sale and these sold from \$4.00 to \$5.25 per cwt. Export bulls sold from \$5.75 to \$4.25.

Butchers.

George Routledge, who bought 255 butchers' cattle for the Harris Bros. Company on Wednesday and Thursday, quoted prices as follows: Loads of good to choice cattle, at \$4.70 to \$4.80; fair to good, \$4.40 to \$4.60; good cows, \$4.10 to \$4.30; medium cows, \$3.80 to \$4.00; common cows, \$2.75 to \$3.50 per cwt.

Feeders and Stockers.

Harry Murby reports too many light filled cattle, as being offered, for which there is no demand. Drivers are warned not to touch this class of cattle as the farmers of Ontario have had an experience of feeding them at a loss that they will not soon forget. Mr. Murby, who bought about 100 feeders to-day, reports prices as follows: Steers, 1100 to 1200 lbs, each, at \$4.00 to \$4.75; 1200 to 1600 lbs, each, at \$4.25 to \$4.50; 1600 to 2000 lbs, each, at \$4.50 to \$4.75; stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, each, at \$2.50 to \$3 per cwt.

Milch Cows.

There was a fair trade in milkers and springers at prices ranging from \$30 to \$55 each, the best selling at \$40 to \$50 each. Not many cows sold over \$35.

Veal Calves.

Prices were easy, owing to large receipts. Prices ranged from \$3 to \$6, with a few new milked at \$5.50 per cwt. The bulk sold from \$4 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts were light, and prices firm. Export sheep, \$5 to \$6 per cwt; yearling lambs, \$5.50 to \$6 per cwt; spring lambs sold at \$4 to \$6.50, each.

Hogs.

About 1500 hogs were bought by Mr. Harris at unchanged quotations. Selects, \$6.40 and lights at \$6.15 per cwt.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, April 25.—Cattle, firm; prime steers, \$6.75 to \$6.25.

Veals—Receipts, 350 head; active and steady; \$5 to \$7.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 4300 head; active and 10 lower; heavy, \$6.75 to \$6.90; mixed and Yorkers, \$6.50 to \$6.80; pigs, \$6.75 to \$6.90; roughs, \$5.75 to \$6.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9000 head; active and steady; lambs, \$5.50 to \$7.50; a few \$7.75.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Beef—Receipts, 1657. Feeding steady, with 25 cars expected for Friday's trade. Dressed beef, in full demand, at 7 1/2c to 9 1/2c per lb. for native sides, with extra beef selling as high as 9 1/2c.

Calves—Receipts, 205. Market, steady, but no good veals offered. Medium calves sold at \$6.25; culls, \$5.50 to \$6.25. Fat calves, \$6.25 to \$6.50; city dressed veals, 8c to 11 1/2c; country dressed, 6c to 10c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2750 head; 1 1/2 cars on sale; nothing doing, but sellers holding for steady prices.

Hogs—Receipts, 10500; market, steady. State and Pennsylvania hogs quoted at \$7.15 to \$7.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 8000; steady to 10c lower; common to prime steady, \$4.25 to \$5.80; cows, \$3.25 to \$5; heifers, \$3 to \$5.50; bulls, \$3.50 to \$4.60; calves, \$2.75 to \$5.75; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$5.25.

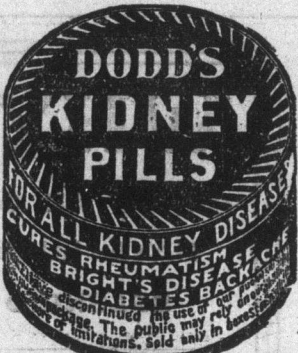
Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; 5c to 10c lower; choice to prime heavy, \$6.50 to \$6.55; medium to good heavy, \$6.45 to \$6.47 1/2; butcher's weights, \$6.30 to \$6.35; good to prime, mixed, \$6.45 to \$6.50; packing, \$6.30 to \$6.45; pigs, \$5.40 to \$6.40; bulk of sales, \$6.45 to \$6.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; steady; sheep, \$4.25 to \$6.25; yearlings, \$5.25 to \$7; lambs, \$6.75 to \$8.70.

RIOTS WERE PUT DOWN.

Trouble Ended At St. Lucia, British West Indies.

St. Thomas, D.W.I., April 26.—Advices received here yesterday from Castries, Island of St. Lucia, British West Indies, where serious rioting was reported to have occurred, indicate that the trouble is ended. Discontented laborers and porters created serious disturbances at Castries during the afternoon of April 23, and business was suspended there Wednesday. During the rioting several persons, including the manager of the Colonial Bank, were injured. The Governor of the Windward Islands, Sir Robert Llewellyn, arrived at Castries Wednesday, went through the town and personally enquired into the cause of the disorder, with the result that it was confidently believed that an amicable settlement has been arranged.



The Queen's Sole Intimate.

Oddly enough, despite the affection with which she is regarded by the people, Queen Alexandra has no circle of friends. Miss Knollys, who never leaves her day or night, has been described as "the Queen's only friend in England." Her Majesty has many acquaintances, but no friends. Most queen-consorts have a little coterie of their own, and usually have a direct influence upon a certain section of society. But Queen Alexandra exerts no influence whatever.

Indigestion Can't Stay where Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets are arrayed against it. Thomas Smith, of Dover, Ont., says: "I am delighted with them—from almost the first using I have been entirely relieved of the pains of indigestion—I have the greatest confidence in the Tablets and heartily recommend them to any and every sufferer from stomach troubles." 35 cents. 96 Sold by W. W. Turner.

Miner's Treasurer Decamps.

Sydney, N.S., April 26.—The local police have sent circulars throughout the Dominion, asking for the arrest of John C. McNeil, treasurer of the Miners' relief fund.

McNeil disappeared some time ago, and an examination of his books showed a shortage of \$1000.

Fire In Convent.

Quebec, April 26.—Fire did considerable damage to the second floor of the Bon Pasteur Convent early yesterday morning.

A QUESTION OFTEN ASKED.

Why so many people feel worse after taking pills than before? Troubles of the digestive system are not remedied unless the action of the bowels is regulated. In using Dr. Hamilton's Pills you are scarcely conscious of having taken medicine. Although very mild, Dr. Hamilton's Pills do regulate the bowels, stimulate normal action of the glands, and create neither nausea, griping or violent action. Positively guaranteed for biliousness, indigestion, stomach, liver and kidney ills. For a safe family pill rely on Dr. Hamilton's. 25c. per box at all dealers.

Steamer May Be Total Wreck.

Halifax, N.S., April 26.—The Norwegian tramp whalerback steamship Universe, 2,300 tons, from New York in ballast, for Montreal via Louisbourg, was wrecked at 2 o'clock yesterday morning at Seal Cove Head, Dover Bay, six miles from Canoe. The captain, officers and crew, 23 in number, were saved and are now at Canoe. The vessel is full of water and will probably be a total wreck. A dense fog prevailed at the time of the accident.

HORSEMEN, READ THIS.

I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT in my stables for over a year, and consider it the VERY BEST for horse flesh. I can get, and would strongly recommend it to all horsemen.

GEO. HOUGH.

Livery Stables, Quebec, 85 to 103 Ann St.

Steel Roof Saved Mill.

Sault Ste. Marie, April 26.—The loss by Wednesday's fire at the Soo Pulp Mills will not exceed \$100,000. The pulp grinders were intact and can be replaced when new flooring is laid.

Without the steel roofing, which was built last summer, pulp mills Nos. 1 and 2 would have been gutted, and the Soo would have been without electric light last night. The steel roof allowed the firemen to get on top and they were enabled to reach the fire.

There are 250 men out of work.

The girl is the mother of the woman just as "the boy is the father of the man." The period when the womanly functions begin is one to be carefully watched and considered. Irregularity or derangements at this time may be promptly met and cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. But neglected at this critical period may entail years of future suffering. "Favorite Prescription" acts directly upon the womanly organs, giving them perfect vigor and abundant vitality. It removes the obstructions of health and happiness, and delivers womanhood from the cruel bondage of "female weakness."

Well recognized authorities of all schools of medicine have nothing but praise for the ingredients of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Send Dr. R. V. Pierce at Buffalo, N. Y., for free booklet giving ingredients and what medical authorities say about them. Not a patent medicine, but a "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce—who makes the diseases of women his specialty. It has forty years of cures back of it.

Disaster usually follows in the wake of too much self-assertion.

SUMMER COSTUMES.

Vertical Tuckings on Wash Dresses.

Linon Frocks.

Sheer muslin dresses next summer will be inset with vertical tuckings of lawn or mull in a delicate pastel shade. The tailored linen coat and skirt will hold their own again, and the lingerie frock of lace and hand embroidery is more popular than ever. Indeed, any



simple muslin if treated with hand work even in the form of tucks has a cachet all its own.

Embroidered batiste robes in delicate shades, with bands of insertion to match, are a feature of summer fashions.

Picture weddings are the order of the day, both brides and bridesmaids' gowns and hats showing the particular features which were supposed to attach themselves to the portraits of the famous old masters. In the matter of material, too, the bride of today no longer adheres exclusively to the conventional duchess satin, and chiffon, tulle and lace and crepe de chine are frequently employed in the construction of the bridal robe.

Lace is more fashionable than ever, and the soft lace ties, bows and jabots are immensely becoming and popular. A band of Valenciennes insertion with a narrow edge to match makes a charming tie, the ends finished with a wide ruffle of the same lace. Rare old pieces of laces are making their appearance in this guise.

The waist illustrated is a charming variation of the jumper style just now so much in vogue. It is an exceedingly attractive model and can be made plain or elaborate, as desired. The bodice pictured is of shantung pongee.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

VANITY'S VISIONS.

Frocks For Summer Days—Cover Costs In Favor.

Linen coat and skirt costumes are every bit as smart and necessary for a complete outfit as they were last season. There should be one or two white suits in a wardrobe and as many colored ones, but white looks coolest. All white has been so popular that a colored linen suit in a delicate shade is a relief.

Black frocks are to be much in evidence in the summer, of course in soft

Pure as sunshine—not the faintest suggestion of anything but Salt—clean, delicate-tasting. That's WINDSOR SALT.

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A LITTLE TOO HASTY.

Plaintiff Settled Case For Less Than Jury Would Have Given.

St. Thomas, Ont., April 26.—At the Spring Assizes before Mr. Justice Anglin and jury the case of Charles Patterson, of Toronto Junction, C.P.R. fireman, who was so terribly scalded and injured in the wreck on Wabash diamond, east of this city, has occupied several days. A great array of expert medical evidence was given by Toronto and London physicians as to permanent extent of Patterson's injuries, who asked \$20,000 damages from the Wabash. The jury had been out for four hours when the plaintiff, whose solicitor was out on another case, and without his advice, decided to settle with the Wabash solicitor for \$3,400 and pay his own physician's bill, the Wabash to pay all other costs.

It was learned afterwards that the jury had about decided to give plaintiff a verdict of between \$7,000 and \$8,000 for injuries received.

There's no danger of Typhoid Fever as long as you drink

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THE MONARCH OF MINERAL WATERS

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A Problem In Golf.

Two young ladies were making their first essay at golf. "Dear me," said the first young lady, "what shall I do now? My ball is in a hole." The second young lady took out a book of instructions. "Let me see," she said, turning the pages, "I presume you must now take a stick of the right shape and get it out." "Oh, yes, of course," said the first young woman. "See if you can find me a stick shaped like a dustpan and brush."

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

WOMAN'S TRIALS

Can be Banished by the Rich, Red Blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Actually Make.

The health and happiness of growing girls and women of mature years depends upon the blood supply. There is a crisis in the life of every woman when there are distressing headaches and backaches; when life seems a burden and when some women seem threatened with the loss of their reason. It is at this period that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills prove a blessing to women. Every dose increases the richness and the redness of the blood supply, and this new blood strengthens the organs, enables them to throw off diseases and banishes the headaches and backaches and dizziness and secret pains that have made life a burden. There are thousands and thousands of growing girls and women in Canada who owe their health and happiness to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mrs. James McDonald, of Sugar Camp, Ont., is one of these. She says: "I was badly run down, felt very weak and had no appetite. I suffered from headaches and backaches and a feeling of weakness. I could scarcely drag myself about and felt that my condition was growing worse. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and got a dozen boxes, but before they were all used I had fully regained my health, and was able to do my household work without the least fatigue. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been a great blessing to me."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People from any medicine dealer or by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50. If you are weak or ailing gives these pills a fair trial—they will not disappoint you.

MOONSHINING.

More Illicit Still in New York City Than in Kentucky.

"Don't talk to me about moonshining in Kentucky," said the internal revenue agent. "There's more moonshining going on all the time in little old New York than could be done in ten Kentuckys. In the crowded sections of the east and west sides stills spring up right along and for awhile conduct a flourishing business in the low grade whisky they manufacture. You see, it doesn't take much trouble to equip a still with corn and yeast and start in to make the mash, which is finally turned out as a pretty poor sort of whisky. The great difficulty is in getting rid of the peculiar smoke and odor from the stills without exciting suspicion. This is usually attempted by running the still in connection with a dye shop or some other chemical enterprise as a blind. We keep watch on all such establishments and have the town well covered by sharp-eyed and sharp-nosed agents besides. We are constantly arresting these small moonshiners and sending them to jail. But enough spring up in their places for you to say with safety that, as I say, there's more moonshining going on in New York city right along than there could be in ten Kentuckys."

Health and Beauty.

With the exception of those who directly inherit some physical disorder, every woman is allowed to start life with all the machinery of her system in perfect working order. She begins the life journey well equipped with all she needs of health and strength—beautiful skin and hair, bright eyes, white teeth. But, as evening comes, how often does she find those good things fading. Shadows are creeping into her face. Why must the brightness and charm go so soon?

It is not that they must. They go because she has wasted her life power. She has carelessly allowed it to go. With her glorious inheritance from nature she could have lived through all these years without disturbing one charm, only adding to the innocent thoughtlessness of youth the grace and dignity of matured womanhood—advanced womanhood.

The practical side of health and beauty is the cure one takes of natural gifts, the free, inimitable beauty that nature planned and for which there is no substitute. It is far easier to keep one's beauty than to restore it. The rule to keep it is but one—proper living. In this age, as in every other where beauty was taken into account, there is plenty of opportunity to abuse and waste one's gifts, and women usually seize it. Besetting every path are temptations of idleness and carelessness—that is, to be idle and careless in looking to one's physical needs. Very often, by the way, these are crowded out by the stress of other matters—business, household, pleasure.

What, then, is proper living? Here is the formula, the simplest thing in the world and the hardest to follow: Regularity of living, early to bed and early to rise; regular meals and good, wholesome ones, neither too much nor too little; regular daily exercise, enough to set the blood leaping through the veins; a daily bath, fresh air, sunshine, faithful care of the hair, skin and teeth, no matter how tired one may be, and, last, a patient, cheerful heart in spite of the clouds that sometimes obscure the way. This is the formula and is to be used all day long and every day in the year.—Philadelphia Record.

For the Complexion.

One writer on the care of the complexion says that no astringent tonic surpasses cold rain or distilled water. Dip a soft linen rag into the water, slap the face gently with it for five minutes every morning and see what happens. It stimulates the circulation, she says, and the activity of the circulation is precisely that which produces the clearness and brilliancy of skin so much desired.

Little Helps.

Old glove fasteners may be used by sewing on skirt waist band and skirt for the desired supporter. Wornout hose supporters can be sewed by the side to bottom edge of belt on back of skirt on either side of closing, making a most satisfactory skirt adjuster, which never tears the waist and never beads or slips out of place.

Varnished Wall Papers.

Varnished wall papers may be wiped with a mixture of paraffin and warm water, half a pint of paraffin to a bucket of water. Use a soft flannel cloth wrung fairly dry, and afterward polish with a piece of cheesecloth.

Four hours is the longest interval during which children should go without food in the daytime, and something, if only a drink of milk and a biscuit, should be given them before going to bed.

In mending household linen the most satisfactory way to do is to mend it before it is sent to the laundry, not when it returns, starched and ready for use once more.

A Russian physician has discovered that warts can be removed by simply concentrating upon them the rays of the sun with a convex lens.

No receptacle for soiled clothing should be kept in a bedroom.



MRS. M. C. STEVENSON.

She Collects Archaic Relics For the Government.

Mrs. Mathilde Cox Stevenson is one of the clever women in the employ of the United States government in its departments at the national capital, and the particular work in which she is engaged, while of a very interesting nature, demands talent and ability of a high order.

Mrs. Stevenson collects archaic relics for the United States national museum. She accompanied her husband most of the time for thirteen years while he was collecting data in connection with the Zuni Indians. Together they visited many of the Pueblo tribes and were initiated into the organizations of the Indians in order that they might become perfect in their knowledge of Indian life. Since the death of her husband she has been connected with the bureau of ethnology at Washington and is regarded as one of the most valued members of the corps. She knows the Rocky mountains quite well and is acquainted with all the western tribes of Indians.



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comes in as a makeshift. If the furniture is light and the matting is not to receive hard usage, it will last fairly well, but a careless servant may make a bed or bureau roughly and break the straw, which will soon give way to make a hole that cannot be repaired. Matting is not suitable for a boy's room, where nothing is so good as a bare floor and rugs. The finest kinds of mattings are better when sewed together in breadths as wool carpets are sewed, but the heavier and the cheaper sorts are

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19	" " " " " "	30.00	24.00
20	" " " " " "	37.00	30.00
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For All
The New

TOWN IS IN HANDS OF MOB

Police Fired And Wounded
Several of the
Rioters

Shops in Castries Wrecked
—Market Looted and
Persons Beaten

New York, April 27.—A despatch from Castries, Island of St. Lucia, says:—The speech of the new British Governor having been construed as encouraging to the aspirations of the workmen, the coal carriers organized an agitation for a big advance in wages and struck work. They intimidated all who were willing to work and were joined by the rabble. All coal was stopped.

There is here only a small police force, inadequate to repress disorder or to protect property. Being pressed by the rioters they fired on the crowd and wounded four persons. The police and special officers were confined to their barracks and the town was left in the hands of the mob. Several shops were wrecked, the market was looted and several persons were beaten.

The general public was not molested. The coal carriers formulated their demands and the merchants were compelled to yield. The advance in wages is considered ruinous, but work has been resumed. Castries is now quiet.

News of the burning and wrecking of sugar estates is now coming from the country. Armed police are preventing rioters coming into the town.

NEW INDUSTRY LANDED

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should be impressed upon the rate-payers. There is not much danger of the by-law being lost on account of votes being cast against it. There are few in the city, if there are any, who will vote against it. The trouble, if any, will be to get the vote out. The by-law will have to get a certain number of the eligible vote, or it will be lost, no matter how large the majority may be. Every voter in the city should remember—and the fact cannot be sent home too often—a vote which is not cast, is practically a vote against. Chatham is on the eve of a great boom, and every citizen should take a pride in helping that boom along. Now is the time to start to build up Chatham, and the best way for each citizen to feel that he is doing something to benefit the city, and therefore himself, is to be sure to vote for this by-law, and see that his neighbors vote also.

INDUSTRIES COMING

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committee appointed to aid in securing the subscriptions for the C. W. & L. E. extension to the lake, reported progress. The company needed all the assistance they could get from the citizens. He pointed out that each subscriber is entitled to a share in the company's stock to the amount of his subscription. A committee, composed of Messrs. Kipp, Kizer and O'Keefe, has been appointed as trustees of the subscribers' monies. The total amount already subscribed was \$95,000.

ROUTINE MATTERS.
It was decided that the council of the Board of Trade shall meet the first Friday of each month, and that general meetings of the whole Board shall be held on the first Friday of every second month.

W. A. Winterstein was appointed assistant secretary at a salary of \$100 a year, with a free office.

The Secretary of the council of the Board of Trade wrote, referring to the committee on Railways and Transportation.

An Indiana firm wrote, asking the names of evaporator and green apple concerns operating in this city. The secretary was instructed to furnish this company with a list as requested.

The Monetary Times wrote, soliciting advertising.

The Canadian Textile Handbook Company solicited an order for their directory.

The International Press Clipping Bureau of Chicago wrote, stating that they could furnish the Board with daily reports of new industries seeking locations, at a cost of \$4 per year.

Nine years ago I had catarrh of the stomach and dyspepsia, which three doctors failed to even relieve. A bottle of Merrifield's Veteran's Sure Cure cured me permanently. I have been well ever since.—James Pettypiece, Northwood, Ont. Mr. Merrifield, Your Veteran's Sure Cure cured me of rheumatism of many years standing, and also of catarrh of the stomach, when I had no hope of getting better. It is the greatest of medicines.—James Ferguson, Inwood, Ont. \$1 and 50c bottles sent anywhere on receipt of price. The V. S. C. Medicine Company, Limited, Chatham, Ont.; W. K. Merrifield, Manager, Seane Block, King street.

The diamond, in sufficient heat, will burn like a piece of charcoal.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

GRAFTERS IN GOVERNMENT

Robitaille Denounces Pro-
posals to Give Away
\$8,000,000

Opposes The Grant to
Bridge Co. As "Fraud and
Steal"

Ottawa, April 27.—The House wasted the day in debate. Mr. Barker (Hamilton) delivered an arraignment of the Government respecting electoral fraud.

Mr. Robitaille (Independent Liberal, Quebec) denounced the act to give \$8,000,000 to the Quebec Bridge Company. It was a shocking fraud and steal.

Mr. Fielding and Mr. Foster followed. Mr. Sproule keenly analyzed the recklessness at Quebec.

Mr. Fielding admitted that \$700,000 could not be accounted for, but promised more careful supervision hereafter. This did not satisfy Mr. Robitaille, who insisted that the whole scheme was rotten with graft.

Mr. Power (West Quebec) answered Mr. Robitaille with considerable heat, but Mr. Robitaille urged the Government to be careful about giving away this \$8,000,000 to the men at Quebec who had only contributed \$30,000.

Mr. Power will prorogue Parliament to-day at 3 o'clock. There are 100 bills to receive the royal assent making nearly 200 during the session.

MEN RETURN TO WORK.

Fernie Coal Miners Resume Labor
Pending Investigation.

Ottawa, April 27.—When the House of Commons met yesterday morning, Mr. Lemieux announced that the late telegrams from Fernie indicated that the conference had failed to bring on an agreement between the parties, but the miners have decided to return to work pending the investigation.

(Hear, hear.) He said he had received late Thursday night the following telegram from Mr. Mackenzie King:

"Fernie, B. C., April 26.—Different interpretations on yesterday's proposition at conference to-day, consequently failure to agree. Executive Board now holding meeting with Fernie miners to have miners return to work, pending investigation. Will wire result later."

The following telegram was received yesterday morning from Mr. F. H. Sherman:

"Fernie, B. C., April 26.—Sessions of week resulted owing to misunderstanding of industrial disputes. District Executive having failed to agree with operators, have decided to advise miners to resume operations immediately. This advice has been accepted by Fernie men. Have reason to believe that operations will be resumed at all mines in this district as soon as possible. Will refer all our disputes to Investigating Board, believing your Government want to see justice to all parties.—F. H. Sherman."

Mr. Lemieux added that he had received a telegram from Sir William Mulock stating that he would leave for Fernie last night instead of to-day.

MARRIAGE BILL KILLED.

Mr. Borden Condemns Government
for Extravagance and Corruption.

Ottawa, April 27.—Messrs. Lavergne of Montmagny, Devlin of Nicolet, Martin of St. Mary's, and Devlin of Wright put up a strong opposition during the third reading of the bill to authorize the invalidation of certain marriages of minors. They took the ground that it would be objectionable to Catholics, who were opposed as a matter of conscience to divorce on any shape. Moreover, the bill had been hastily introduced, and little opportunity given for its consideration.

Mr. Devlin of Nicolet made a somewhat vigorous protest against the bill going on, and moved that the committee rise, which would have the effect of setting aside the legislation this session. Mr. Lancaster of Lincoln supported Mr. Devlin's views.

Mr. Brodeur and Dr. Reid, Conservatives, opposed the bill, the latter thinking it unfair of the Ontario Government to ask its passage at this stage. He said it was an outrage for the Federal Government to present it.

The motion that the committee rise then carried, the bill thus being killed. On motion to go into supply, R. L. Borden moved a strong resolution, condemning the Government for the increased expenditures, equivalent to \$22 per head of population, or \$170 for every family of five persons. The resolution also made reference to the disclosures in the public accounts committee of improper expenditures, and to electoral corruption that had been established.

Division took place shortly after one o'clock, when Borden's amendment was defeated by 91 to 45, a straight party vote.

Battle in the Senate.

In the Senate last night, there was an unpleasant encounter.

Senator Ferguson, replying to Senator McMillen's remarks on the provincial subsidies, twitted him with having once resigned from the Senate, only to be defeated for the Commons, and dared him to test public feeling again. He added that Senator Ferguson had not been inflexible. From the department over which he had presided in Prince Edward Island there had been a mysterious disappearance, which had never been accounted for.

Senator Ferguson: That is a slanderous and libelous statement, and I demand that the words be taken down.

Senator McMillen said he had made no statement reflecting on Senator Ferguson, who continued to demand that the words be taken down.

Mr. Speaker said that the expression of Senator McMillen, as far as he had proceeded before being interrupted, seemed to contain an insinuation. Senator McMillen: If it is taken

that an insinuation has been made, I withdraw it.
Senator Ferguson said nearly all Senator McMillen's statements were inaccurate. One inaccuracy was that he had resigned from the Senate, and had been defeated in a contest in Prince Edward Island.
He promised to have Senator McMillen's and Hon. Mr. Scott's speeches well circulated in Prince Edward Island.

FROM BRITAIN TO CANADA.

Fast Line of Steamers Under Consideration By Sir Wilfrid.

London, April 27.—(C. A. P.)—Premier Laurier's presence in London has been taken advantage of by the promoters of the Blackstock Bay to Halifax route to Canada.

A long conference, the Canadian Associated Press understands, has taken place between Sir Wilfrid and the promoters, during which the Premier enquired minutely regarding the proposal.

It is said the promoters did not receive much substantial sympathy from Laurier, but the C.A.P. is assured on good authority that the project of a fast service, with steamships equal to any New York route, is receiving most earnest consideration, and that possibly before Laurier leaves an important announcement in connection with the establishing of a fast line of steamers to some port in England may be made.

Sir Frederick Borden, interviewed by the Canadian Lloyds declared the premiums required here on St. Lawrence business are too high, in view of the Government's improvements to the St. Lawrence.

A Wellington, New Zealand, despatch says the Attorney-General states there is considerable prospect that, through Premier Laurier and Sir J. Ward a mail service may be arranged via Vancouver.

LARDER LAKE GOLD

Blue Bell Pushing Ahead

New Liskeard, Ont., April 26.—The Larder Lake stamped still continues and is growing from day to day. Excitement runs high owing to the statements and reports from mining engineers and miners coming out of the wonderful finds and strikes made in that district.

The Blue Bell Company started two large crews of men from here to-day with complete outfits for establishing camps and commencing active development, preparatory to installing twelve stamp mills upon their properties, which are reported to be marvelously rich. It is claimed this company will be the first to send out gold, and that the results will astonish the outside world.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of one and one half per cent (1 1/2 per cent) for the current quarter, being at the rate of six per cent per annum on the capital stock of this bank, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the head office and at the branches on and after Thursday, the 10th day of May next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 1st to the 15th May, both days inclusive. By order of the Board, D. M. STEWART, General Manager

Toronto, 30th March, 1907. R. A. WILLIAMS, Manager Chatham

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Silk Flounced Petticoats \$2.58

Just think of a fine deep Silk Flounced Petticoat with lustrous top, worth every cent of four dollars, and made in black, navy, cardinal, reds and pale blue, Monday \$2.58.

Umbrellas 58c

Only about forty Umbrellas in the lot, Austrian covers, good frames and horn handles, reg. \$1.00, Monday 58c.

Curtains Poles 19c

6 ft. Curtain Poles, in oak or mahogany with mountings complete, reg. 25c, Monday 19c.

Best Japanned Hair Pins 2 boxes 5c

100 best Japanned Hair Pins in a box, 4 sizes to the box, reg. 5c a box, Monday 2 for 5c.

Handkerchiefs 6 for 25c

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, good size, soft finished lawn, ready to use, all widths of borders, Monday 6 for 25c.

Linen and Cotton Dept.

Contribute liberally towards the Monday Bargains.

Good Sheetting 28c yard

Even if cotton is away up in price we are able to offer these 5 pieces of 8-4 sheeting at a saving of 7c a yard, that's a lot on sheeting these days, reg. 35c sheeting, Monday 28c yard.

Dish Towelling 9c yard

19 inch Pure Linen Check Dish Towelling, in either red or blue check, a special purchase and for Monday the price is per yard 9c.

Victoria Lawn

10 pieces Victoria Lawn, extra good weight, regular 20c, Monday 13c yard.

Velveteen Binding 5c bunch

3/8 yard of Velveteen Binding, cut on bias, greys, blues, greens and black, enough in each bundle to bind a dress, Monday 5c each.

One Hundred and Seventy-Five Lawn Waists Monday 79c

175 lovely Lawn Waists, pleated and tucked, embroidery fronts, in several choice patterns, all sizes, waists that are good value at \$1.25 and \$1.50, Monday 79c.

H. W. Ball & Co.

King St., Chatham

Marguerite Embroidery, 22c

10 pieces only, new patterns of Corset Cover Embroidery, 18 in. wide, with deep embroidery work and beading, only 10 pieces or 175 yards to be sold at this price—Monday 22c yard.

Allover Laces 55c Yard

12 pieces of Allover Lace, in white, cream, ivory and Paris colors, some nice patterns for lace waists, regular 65c and 75c, Monday 55c.

Fancy Ribbons 19c

Lovely Dresden and other Fancy Ribbons, pure silk, a splendid variety of spots, stripes and Dresden, 5 to 8 in. wide, reg. 25c to 65c, Monday 19c.

Buster Brown Collars 5c

A 5c price on these Eton and Buster Brown Collars to make a quick clearance, always sold at 15c or 2 for 25c, Monday 5c each.

Cushion Cords 15c

We have just received another lot of Cushion Cords and Tassels—full lengths for any cushion, in plain colors and combination color, a cord for any color cushion, reg. 25c, Monday 15c each.

15c Dress Linings for 8c

Dress Linings, in light, mid and dark grey, also brown, black and evening shades, reg. 12 1/2c, 15c and 20c, Monday 8c yd.