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CHANGED DEPOSIT SLIPS.

WHAT THE BANK OFFICIALS SAY.

Gamey Said He Found the Missing One in His Glove, But That is Not the Original—Evidence About His Visit to Buffalo Shut Out—The Cases of Alleged Contempt of Court—Manitoulin Witnesses Questioned.

Toronto, April 29.—The attention of the Gamey Commission yesterday was directed to three matters—the alleged contempt of court by The Mail and Empire and World newspapers, a further enlightenment of Mr. Gamey's doings with deposit slips, and the position which Mr. Gamey took when seeking the votes of his constituents last May.

The defence next put in evidence as to Mr. Gamey's position politically during the election campaign of last spring. Their witnesses, over a dozen, testified that Mr. Gamey had announced that he would pursue an independent course, supporting any good measure for Manitoulin that the Ross Government would propose; that after The Globe interview on January 30 Gamey expressed surprise at the people saying that he had taken the course he frequently said that he would not be like Mr. Campbell, who, a Conservative, sat for five years with his hands tied.

The cross-examination was directed to show that Mr. Gamey said he would support any good measure proposed by the Government; that this was the usual custom of any candidate for political honors; that Mr. Gamey might still be a Conservative, even if he supported a Liberal measure for the good of Manitoulin; and that Mr. Gamey had strongly denounced what he called the corruption of the Ross Government.

The court then resumed the consideration of Mr. Gamey's transactions with a \$500 deposit slip in the Ontario Bank on Saturday, April 18. Mr. Howarth, recalled, was questioned at some length about the marks on the deposit slips which Mr. Gamey returned, but his evidence was not conclusive as to whether or not they formed his initial "H."

Mr. James Brown, accountant, said his attention was called by the teller to the slip, with the denomination changed from hundreds to others and not added up. The messenger, Mr. Barton, was sent out and returned with Messrs. Crossin and Gamey. Gamey said: "You must be mistaken. The slip I got from the teller." Mr. Brown replied that it was not, and Mr. Gamey persisted for some time that it was. Finally when Mr. Gamey saw they were positive, he said it must have been lost. Mr. Howarth went to the factory with Mr. Gamey, but failed to find it. Mr. Gamey came back in the afternoon, and, producing a slip, said that he had found the missing one, which had slipped into his glove.

He asked to have back the one he left in the morning. The witness replied that it had left his possession. Mr. Gamey asked to get it and send it to Mr. McPherson's office. Mr. Gamey returned a fourth time with Mr. J. M. Might, and said it would be all right to send it to Mr. McPherson's office. At first he took the second substitute handed in as the original. The cross-examination with regard to these substitute slips was directed to show that they were not copies of the original, because one was not added up, and neither had the ledger folio or the file mark.

Chancellor Boyd remarked impatiently that the questions were of no importance, for it was not a criminal investigation.

Mr. A. W. Barton, messenger, who was sent to the Crossin factory after Mr. Gamey, said he asked for the slip he took away from the Ontario Bank. He said he had the original. Gamey left and would exchange. Gamey said the one with the four denominations was the one he got out of the bank and also put back. He replied that it was not.

Mr. Crossin was present and said that the slip in the four denominations was in his own handwriting. At his suggestion they went back to the bank, but could not find the original. Later in the afternoon Mr. Gamey came back, and, having apologized for the trouble, said he found the missing one in his glove and had returned it.

In cross-examination he repeated that Mr. Crossin had said that the slip which Mr. Gamey had first substituted was in his own (Crossin's) handwriting. He was positive that he was not mistaken and that the handwriting referred to was not on the original, but on the substitute which he took to the factory.

Mr. Walter Barwick, K.C., counsel for the bank, said that when the circumstances were explained to him he informed Mr. McPherson what Mr. Gamey had done, and asked Mr. McPherson to get the slip back. Later in the day when he learned all the circumstances he informed Mr. Johnston. He did not think at all that Mr. McPherson had the slip, but he communicated with him as Mr. Gamey's solicitor.

In the afternoon further evidence was given regarding Mr. Gamey's politics during his campaign and after. The cross-examination followed the same lines as in the morning.

Mr. Turner, President of the Conservative Association of Manitoulin, pro-

duced the report of the Conservative Executive on Feb. 16 sent to The Globe by Mr. Gamey. This report was in Mr. Gamey's own handwriting and stated that Mr. Robinson had said in the meeting that Gamey promised last spring to take an independent stand if the Government were sustained, and, moreover, that Gamey had received many Liberal votes on that account. This was the point the defence sought to prove by these Manitoulin witnesses. The court then adjourned.

MORNING WEDDING

A very happy event took place at 8.30 this morning in St. Joseph's Church, when Miss Pauline Wigzell, of Wigzell's confectionery, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Harry Crump, of the same establishment. Miss Mamie Clancy, of Detroit, made a charming bridesmaid, while Jeanne Crump, brother of the groom, was best man.

The happy couple left at noon on their honeymoon to Buffalo and other points east, and on their return will take up their residence on Wellington street. Both young people are well and favorably known in the city and their many friends join in wishing them every happiness.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT,

STRIKE AT MONTREAL BECOMES THREATENING.

The Police Overpowered—One Vessel's Crew Stood Prepared to Shoot—A Jeering Crowd Watch Non-union Men at Work.

Montreal, April 29.—Mayor Cochrane and the Police Committee held a conference about 1 o'clock and decided to order Lieut.-Colonel Gordon, the district officer in command, to call out two regiments of infantry and one regiment of cavalry, commanding them to proceed in all haste to the waterfront, where the police had been overpowered by a mob of striking longshoremen and sympathizers. A number of special Magistrates were sworn in, with instructions to read the riot act should the mob attempt further violence.

The soldiers began to muster early in the afternoon, but it was 8 in the evening before a march out was made. By that time the trouble seemed to be over, but protection of property was considered necessary.

Trouble began this morning, when gangs of non-union men attempted to unload the cargoes of the steamers Monterey and Alexandrian. The steamers lay about 400 feet apart, and each was guarded by police, mounted and on foot. A mob of 500 or more longshoremen, zealous to prevent the unloading of the ships, marched back and forth between the steamers, and kept the police in constant action. For a time the crowd contented itself with looking on and commenting sarcastically upon the work of the men unloading. These men were new to the work. The trucks they used had not been oiled since last fall. The sun was hot and dust flew in blinding clouds across the wharves. It was not long before a couple of the men picked up their coats and crawled under the ropes and in another second were lost in the crowd. This was greeted with a yell and a burst of cheering. That was the start. The yelling kept up. A hurdy-hurdy of jeering comment was hurled at the men at work, and the strikers began to gain ground. Presently a spirited malcontent smashed a board on a policeman's head, and a general rush followed. The police stood their ground well, and managed to prevent the crowd from breaking the lines. But the lesson was not a pleasant one, and the appearance of the men looked so determined that it was decided to abandon operations. That naturally appeased the strikers, but it did not satisfy the steamship men, who were under contract to deliver their cargoes and take on more. Prominent vessel owners waited on the Mayor and Police Committee, and the result was the order to call out the militia.

A ship liner set fire to a part of the cargo taken from the Alexandrian and was placed under arrest.

A non-union workman was dragged from the gangways, severely beaten and thrown into one of the slips. He was rescued.

The meeting of the union broke up about midnight, and from what could be learned there will be a clash in the early morning. The men dispersed quietly. Every opening in the reversion wall which divides the city from the wharves is guarded by a company of soldiers with fixed bayonets.

The strikers succeeded in dragging the gang planks away from the Alexandrian, which forced the men to quit work. They tried the same manoeuvre with the planks of the steamer Carigan Head, but the captain ordered his officers to threaten to fire, and immediately a half dozen revolvers were levelled at the assailants. The captain then promised instant death to the first man who would attempt to disturb the planks. The result was a victory for the sailors.

The master carpenters held a meeting to-night, and at a late hour it was given out that the men would be asked to submit their differences to arbitration.

PREMIER ROSS' BUDGET.

CASH BALANCE IN THE BANKS AMOUNTS TO \$1,621,292.

Excess of Assets Over Liabilities \$1,939,262—Estimated Expenditure \$4,537,428—Estimated Revenue \$4,403,372—New Asylum for Epileptics in Oxford County—Survey of 53 New Townships to be Undertaken.

Toronto, April 29.—"New occasions teach new duties" may be said to have been the keynote of the budget speech delivered yesterday by Premier Ross in his capacity of Treasurer of Ontario. Early in the afternoon he made several interesting statements, one being that the Government would shortly establish an Asylum for Epileptics in Oxford County, and that the Penetang Reformatory would be transformed into an asylum for the aged and harmless insane. The Temiskaming Railway is expected to reach New Liskeard by the autumn of 1904, while the outcome of the explorations for coal was regarded with some hope. The financial statement showed estimated receipts for 1903 of \$4,403,372, which, with cash on hand, will make \$5,818,883, while the estimated expenditure so far is \$4,537,428. The assets are \$7,824,208, and the liabilities \$5,884,946, leaving a surplus of \$1,939,262.

Lieut.-Col. Matheson, the financial critic of the Opposition, followed, and estimated a deficit last year of \$209,000 on ordinary revenue and expenditure, and that it would be larger this year. When he concluded the House witnessed the sudden collapse of the debate. Mr. Whitney deferred further discussion, and the House, going into supply, made considerable progress.

The following statement shows the situation in tabulated form, on the lines of Premier Ross' speech:—

ASSETS.

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| 1.—Direct investments | 59,389 76 |
| Drainage debentures | 89,756 60 |
| Tile drainage coupons | 18,043 37 |
| Municipal drain. asses. | 25,572 50 |
| Sault Ste. Marie debent. | 190,922 23 |

2.—Funds held by the Dominion on behalf of Ontario, bearing 5 per cent.—

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| U. C. Gram. S. fund. | 212,789 94 |
| U. C. building fund. | 1,672,291 41 |
| Land improve. fund. | 124,555 13 |
| Fund created under act of 1884 | 2,848,288 52 |

Common school fund created by the act of 1884 on behalf of Ontario and Quebec, bearing 5 per cent. 2,562,115 38

Upon basis of 1901 census, Ontario's share being—

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| 2.—Bank balances | 1,469,690 85 |
| Current accounts | 187,773 49 |
| Special deposits bearing interest | 1,227,721 25 |

1,415,510 74

\$7,824,208 97

LIABILITIES.

1.—Balance of account current with the Dominion from Confederation to date, including Common School fund and other transfers, capitalizing the Dominion's liability assumed by the Dominion, the capital having been apportioned to the Provinces under various awards, with interest upon the said account current, and including interest as between Ontario and Quebec, as finally adjusted

2.—Railway certificates—present value—

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| —Annuities certificates—present value— | 2,230,122 25 |
| —Annuities certificates—present value— | 1,782,521 29 |

3.—Common School fund collections by Ontario, from 1st January, 1902, payable to the Dominion, in trust for both Provinces—

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| Less Ontario's share upon basis of last census | 5,568 18 |
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4,396 15

\$5,884,946 18

Surplus of assets, after deducting liabilities—

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| ESTIMATED RECEIPTS, 1903. | \$1,939,262 79 |
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Subsidy—

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| Interest on capital held, and debts by the Dominion to Ontario | 235,000 00 |
| Interest on investments | 90,000 00 |

Crown lands department—

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| Public institutions | 125,000 00 |
| Education department | 65,000 00 |
| Public institutions dept. | 100,000 00 |
| Provincial Secretary's dept. | 100,000 00 |
| Cannal revenue | 300,000 00 |
| Succession duties | 245,000 00 |
| Supplementary revenue tax (on and 25 Vic.) | 275,000 00 |
| Tavern and brewers' licenses | 15,000 00 |
| Law stamps | 2,500 00 |
| Alms tax | 45,000 00 |
| Fisheries | 4,000 00 |
| Assessment of patients | 4,000 00 |

Total estimated receipts—

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| Cash balances 31st Dec., 1902 | \$1,621,510 74 |
| Total | \$5,818,883 54 |

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE, 1903.

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| Civil government | \$339,448 00 |
| Legislation | 139,350 00 |
| Administration of justice | 425,655 39 |
| Education | 925,241 96 |
| Public institutions maintenance | 320,915 00 |
| Colonization and immigration | 14,325 00 |
| Agriculture | 285,850 00 |
| Hospitals and charities | 225,647 38 |
| Repairs and maintenance | 62,750 00 |
| Public works | 82,597 00 |
| Colonization roads | 145,450 00 |
| Charges Crown lands | 255,175 00 |
| Refunds | 40,195 19 |
| Miscellaneous | 191,652 75 |

Total—

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| Total | \$4,537,428 28 |
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EVENING WEDDING

Last evening at 7 o'clock the home of Mrs. Robt. Martin, Wellington St., was the scene of a very pretty but quiet wedding, when her youngest daughter, Annie Margaret, was united in marriage to James T. Blowers, of Schenectady, N. Y., to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, played by Miss L. L. Martin, of Detroit. The bride entered the drawing room leaning on the arm of her brother, D. Martin.

The pretty bride was becomingly attired in her going away gown of blue snow flake, carrying a shower of bridal roses, and was assisted by Miss Nesbitt, of Detroit, who was gowned in blue silk with etamine overdress. The groom was supported by the brother of the bride, R. G. Martin. Dr. J. R. Battisby, of St. Andrew's Church, officiated.

After the ceremony the party partook of a daintily served luncheon. Many and costly were the gifts received by the bride, showing the popularity and esteem in which she was held, among them being worthy of mention a beautiful candelabra and timepieces from the employees of the firm of R. Martin & Son.

The happy couple left on the 11.06 train for their future home in Schenectady, N. Y.

Victim of Robbers.

Los Angeles, April 28.—George L. Mills, manager of the Syndicate Loan Company, who had been missing since last Wednesday, has been found dead in an empty house here. The hands were tied and the head had been crushed in from behind. His jewellery was gone, and he evidently had been killed in a hold-up.

Whitby's New Paper.

Whitby, April 28.—Mr. C. A. Goodfellow, of the firm of Goodfellow Bros., proprietors of The Midland Free Press, will publish here next week the first issue of The Keystone. It is to be an independent newspaper.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Additional warships have been ordered to join the British fleet in Asiatic waters.

Two French fishing smacks foundered in the channel, and fourteen men were drowned.

Andrew Zilco was caught in the pulley in an elevator at Fort William and received shocking injuries.

C. Arthur Pearson, proprietor of The London Daily Express, has purchased The St. James' Gazette.

The Government have approved Lord Dundonald's plan for the organization of a guides' corps in connection with the militia.

Victoria University has granted honorary D.D. degrees to Rev. Levi Curtis, Rev. Dr. Lane and Rev. John McDougall.

A new decree issued by the Venezuelan Government will, it is believed, put a stop to immigration and the introduction of foreign capital.

New York liquor dealers are entering upon a campaign of revenge against those responsible for the imposition of increased license fees.

David Hogg, an employee of the Canadian Cotton Company at Hamilton, dropped on the street while walking home from work and expired.

Herbert the sixteen-year-old son of Major Cooke of Stratford fell down the elevator shaft at the McLaugh Furniture Factory and was killed.

Mr. Harding, barrister; Mr. O'Brien, publisher, and Mr. Schwoob of Stratford deny the statements made in Nelson's affidavit in Buffalo in reference to themselves.

The plant of the International Salt Company, located at South Chicago, with three boats lying in the Calumet River, were burned last night. The loss is estimated at \$1,250,000.

Mrs. Fred Earl, of Pontiac, who has been visiting Mrs. Geo. Clements, returned home to-day.

Girl's Strap Slipper.

A large variety of Girl's Strap Slippers has been put into stock at prices from

50c. to \$1.00, sizes 3 to 7½

75c. to \$1.25, sizes 8 to 10½

\$1 and \$1.25, sizes 11 to 2

These are the best we have ever offered for the money.

DOROTHY DODD LADIES' SHOES.

PEACE & CO. Sole Agents.

The Planet

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29.

FOLLY AND FLOWERS.

It took seven cars to transport the flowers for the late Vanderbilt wedding, and a covered wagon guarded by detectives to take the wedding presents where they could be placed on view. In this unostentatious way do our sly plutocrats pay homage to American industry and contribute lavishly for its support; but ignorant and caviling critics across the water berate the Newport ceremony as "a strange perversion that makes the office of the priest subordinate to that of the dressmaker." This is saddening.—Jackson Press.

TEMPERANCE IDEA.

Judge Pollard, of one of the St. Louis police courts, is trying a new plan of reform on the prisoners who come before him. He is not a drinking man, but he is willing to accept the excuses of prisoners that they were drunk when they committed offenses.

His method of accomplishing reform is peculiar, but we see no reason why it should not be effective. He imposes a fine and then makes a few remarks about the consequences of over indulgence in liquor. He asks the culprit whether he will abstain from drink for a year, or go to the workhouse, where it will be impossible to drink. Of course the prisoner says he will quit voluntarily, and he is made to sign a pledge. Then the fine or sentence is suspended, to become operative if the man breaks his pledge.

We believe such pledges would be generally kept. If the plan works out successfully it should commend itself to other cities. The problem of dealing with drunkenness is one that must soon receive more consideration. The practice of fining a man for becoming intoxicated accomplishes little good. It deprives the man's family of money they need and probably causes him to get drunk again. If drunkenness can be prevented by the courts instead of being merely punished, countless other crimes will be avoided.—St. Thomas Journal.

STRONG PREDICAMENT.

John Burns, who said in the British House of Commons the other day that "industrial America was hell with the lid off," was evidently in earnest. In explaining his strange expression he said, "I spoke from personal knowledge and from reading everything available on the subject, including the report of the Moseley commission. Industrial America is a slaughter-house, a Golgotha."

"American employers play Napoleon's game. Napoleon told every soldier he had a marshal's baton in his knapsack, knowing that there was only fifteen marshals, and that vain, futile ambition would lead the men to sacrifice themselves in the hope of achieving the unattainable."

"A great deal of the American emigration to Canada is due to discontent among the American workmen. This frightful condition of affairs prevails because not only the Senate and the House of Representatives, but also the state legislature are in the hands of the combines, trusts and Pierpont Morgan. Here we won't stand the treatment of such a state of affairs."

"Relatively the British workman is vastly better cared for than the American, but even here there is still an enormous opening for improvement."

"America is more backward than any other civilized country in the treatment of workers."

This ought to make interesting reading for our American friends.

PRAISE FOR MR. BORDEN.

The following appreciation of Mr. Borden's speech, in reply to Hon. Mr. Fielding, appears in Hon. Mr. Tarte's correspondence in La Patrie: "The leader of the Opposition replied this afternoon to the Finance Minister, and he made, without contradiction, the best speech of his parliamentary career."

"He went straight to the point. He pronounced himself without any ambiguity in favor of a protective policy for all of our national industries."

"You will do him this justice, I know, in putting his declaration before your readers, as it is of the first importance, that the citizens of Canada should give to this vital question of the tariff their best attention."

"Such a subject is away above party feeling, for it remains to be seen what we will do for the future. The past is past, and we must look out for the morrow."

"It is a splendid thing to see a public man give loyally to the country the result of his reflections and

Difficult Digestion

That is dyspepsia. It makes life miserable. Its sufferers eat not because they want to—but simply because they must.

They complain of a bad taste in the mouth, a tenderness at the pit of the stomach, a feeling of puffy fullness, headache, heartburn and what not.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cured Joseph F. Laine, Flanagan, Ky., who writes: "I was troubled with dyspepsia for a number of years and took medicine that did me no good. I was advised by friends to try Hood's Sarsaparilla which I did and it put my bowels in perfect condition, gave me strength and energy and made me feel like a new person."

Hood's Sarsaparilla Promises to cure and keeps the promise. Beware of substitutes. Buy Hood's and only Hood's.

his experience, with a view to develop the progress and increase the happiness and prosperity of the nation.

"Mr. Borden expressed in the most energetic manner the opinion that we can, and that we should, manufacture here a large proportion of the things which we buy abroad. It seems to me that there can be no doubt on this point, and it appears to be the strangest thing possible that there are those who refuse to see matters in this light."

To-day Pope Leo XIII. has reigned twenty-five years, two months and seven days, thus being the second pope who has completed "the days of Peter," whose reign as the supreme pontiff of the church and vice-regent of Christ tradition fixes at the term mentioned.

A Sad End.

"Wot's become uv dat redheaded bell hopper wot always said he could guess wot people wanted by de way de bell rung?" asked the hotel porter of the head bellboy.

"He hopped a call from four eighty-six yesterday mornin'," explained the head bellboy. "He took up a pitcher uv ice water because he said the bell rung like it was a thirsty call."

"Well, dere was a guy from Kentucky in dat room, dat's all."—Judge.

Good Enough For Him.

Hewitt—What became of that fellow who was always telling people to go to grass?

Jewitt—He took his own medicine at last.

Hewitt—How was that?

Jewitt—He married a grass widow.—New York Herald.

Very Good.

Kind Father—My dear, if you want a good husband marry Mr. Goodheart. He really and truly loves you.

Daughter—Are you sure of that, pa?

Kind Father—Yes, indeed. I've been borrowing money of him for six months, and still he keeps coming.—Stray Stories.

Rubbing It In.

Grasping—Yes, I'm a self made man. Cynicus—Well, I must say you are entitled to a great deal of credit for your charitable act.

Grasping—What charitable act?

Cynicus—Relieving the Lord of the responsibility.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Be not disturbed about the future, for if ever you come to it you will have the same reason for your guide which preserves you at present.

THE ODD PENNIES.

For the sake of saving odd pennies don't buy an inferior emulsion when you really need Scott's Emulsion.

The difference in price is pennies. The difference in results is pounds—pounds of new flesh—and days of strength and comfort.

Those who have lost flesh can regain it more quickly by means of Scott's Emulsion than in any other way.

Send for Free Sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto

To have all day that pleasant feeling start with

Magi Caledonia Waters in the morning.

J. J. McLaughlin

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Good Dressers.

Good dressers have acquired the habit of looking to this store for their clothes. It's a good habit, too. Our garments are built by the cleverest craftsmen that have ever threaded a needle or handled a tailor's goose, and they bear the marks of exclusiveness and individuality. We can place you on the list of the good dressers of this community without charging you high prices for your clothes.

We have lots to show you that's new in Suits—Top Coats, Trousers, Hats and Caps. The new things will tell their own story, and you'll find it very interesting.

Men's Suits, \$5 to \$15
2-Pc. Suits 1.75 to 4.50
3 " " \$3 to \$6.50

We cannot show you patterns on paper. Call and see for yourself.

Meynell's

Three doors west from market, King St.

Language is a solemn thing; it grows out of life—out of its agonies and ecstasies, its wants and weariness. Every language is a temple in which the soul of those who speak it is enshrined.

If all the time wasted in dreaming of to-morrow was spent in making to-day tieher and more beautiful, there would be little room for discontent.

Fifteen Minutes to Nature.

Flooded with gold, shadowed in purple, flecked with crimson and orange, the valley with its broadly flowing river stretched before us. We dismounted at the top of the bluff, reached by a gradual slope easily climbed, stacked our wheels and threw ourselves on the grass to enjoy this wondrous picture painted by a Canadian sunset, and to deep breathe the evening summer-scented air. And as we watched, our thoughts sped out and up, and the strains of some grand organ, nature's wondrous beauty drew us out of ourselves, carried us away from the memories of the sordid, discouraging, grinding toil and dust of the city—gave us a glimpse of better things, of the joy of living, courage and new energy. And a breeze, invigorating and freshening as a breath from the goddess of life, fanned our faces while we lay, and watched, and rested. Yet a bicycle ride of fifteen minutes had transported us from the city's heat and roar of this haven of beauty and rest.

FROM THE WEST

Roy Tobey, of the firm of Trudell & Tobey, has received a letter from his brother Fred, who was formerly a school teacher at Louisville, but who left a short time ago for Northwest. Fred is now situated in Saskatoon, Sask., and likes the country very much. In his letter he says:

"The last three days have been very cold and it snowed very hard all the time. To-day it is milder and the snow is fast disappearing so we expect to be able to go land seeking shortly. To-day we walked out three miles while Mr. Moore drove to see a farm of 320 acres with 60 acres ready for crops and a small house and barn. The owner is a German man and rather hard up, but the price is quite high, \$11 an acre. We are preparing to start towards Battleford, where the best land is reported to be."

"The 'Doughs,' of whom there are many, are very much inclined to be dirty, but are very honest and observe the Sabbath far better than civilized Christians. The old settlers say it is safer to buy a beast from a Douk than a white man, as the Douk will display its faults first and then its virtues, while a white man will make good points out of weaknesses if possible. They have 152 Sundays in the year, and in those days they do nothing but chores."

"Lots in Saskatoon that sold for \$40 last year are worth \$200 to \$300 an acre now. The town is growing at a very rapid rate, but whether the boom will be a South Sea bubble or not I do not know. J. F. Cairns, my old C. C. I. teacher, says he thinks it will be another Winnipeg failure for some, as there are so many new stores going up. He has a first class up-to-date grocery and bakery, employs five clerks, including bakers, and is making money hand over fist. Everything is two prices, and as the people have to eat he reaps the benefit. He just opened up last December. He is well liked, and keeps himself very much at his work. He got a carload of potatoes and fruit last Wednesday and sold nearly the entire carload before it reached his shop."

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Notice to Contractors.

Bulk and separate tenders will be received at the offices of the undersigned architects, addressed to W. F. Robertson, Esq., marked tender for church at Valetta, up till 7 o'clock p. m., Friday, May 15th next, for the several branches of work required in the erection of a brick Presbyterian Church. Plans and specifications to be seen at the offices of the architects, and at the residence of the secretary of the Building Committee, on and after Thursday, April 30th, 1903. The lowest or any tender not necessarily to be accepted. Building Committee provides all building stones, bricks and sand delivered. James Ross, Esq., Chairman; W. F. Robertson, Esq., Secretary Bldg. Com.; J. L. Wilson & Son, Architects, Chatham, Ont.

TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed, separate or bulk tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon, Saturday, May 2nd, for the erection of an addition and alterations in the Garner House, plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. V. Rutley & Son, architects, the tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and left at the office of the architects. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed separate or bulk tenders will be received until noon May 1st, for the erection of a three-story brick addition to the factory of M. Campbell Co. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Rutley & Son. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. The tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and left at the office of the architects.

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Notice to Contractors

Bulk of separate tenders will be received at the offices of the undersigned architects, addressed to W. F. Robertson, up to seven o'clock p. m., Thursday, May 14th, for the different trades in the erection of a church in Tilbury Township. Plans and specifications to be seen at offices of architects and addressed to the secretary.

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The Perversity of Dynamite.

A resident of Baltimore owned a farm situated at some distance from the city, of which he was very proud. But the land was rocky, and the owner became anxious to get rid of some of the boulders. The Baltimore "Sun" tells how he decided to accomplish this work, and rouses for the story as being "absolutely true in every detail." The gentleman had a resourceful workman on the place who suggested the use of dynamite. "Don't like to fool with the stuff," was the reply. "Too dangerous."

"Oh, that's all right," said the farmer, cheerfully. "There's no danger if you go about it right. I've used it many a time, and haven't been blown up yet. If you'll pay for it I'll get it and blow out the rocks."

The owner of the farm agreed. He gave the hired man the money and a long and elaborate lecture about being careful, and then sent him to Baltimore. He had some misgivings, but his state of mind was bliss compared to what it would have been had he known the truth. The hired man is conscientious. His motto is ever "Duty before pleasure," although he usually adds, "but plenty of pleasure after you've done the duty." He had no sooner got to town than he made directly for a place where dynamite is sold. He bought generously, for there were many and large rocks. He also purchased a lot of fuse and some percussion-caps. That was the duty. Next came the pleasure.

A package of concentrated ammunition was not a large one, and could be carried under the arm very easily. It was the way the hired man did carry it. It was a beautiful day, and he determined to make the most of it. First he strolled along the crowded streets. Had anyone knocked the package out of his grasp, the newspapers would have had "scare-heads" the next morning; and the hired man would not have read them.

Next, the man took a ride on a trolley car, and deposited the package of dynamite under the seat. The car bumped along, but nothing happened.

He went to a restaurant for supper, and deposited the bundle on the floor, then placed his feet on it. The restaurant is still intact.

Then the young man went to the theater, he and destruction arm in arm, as it were. His seat was in the gallery, and he put the dynamite under the seat. He was one of the most enthusiastic spectators, and when the house rocked with applause at the rescue of the heroine, he stamped his feet and clapped his hands with the best of them. Just why that playhouse did not soar aloft on the wings of the heavens can never be explained. That is one of the queer things about dynamite. It will act in a certain way ninety-nine times, and in a very different way the hundredth time.

When the play was over, the hired man picked up his dynamite and boarded a train for home. The next day he blew up the rocks, and the dynamite was just as good and just as lively as the best dynamite ever manufactured.

Somewhat Mixed.

A. H. Savage Landor, in his latest book of travel, "Across Coveted Lands," relates an amusing railway incident that occurred in Russia while he was en route to Persia. "Unable to get at my towels packed in my registered baggage, and ignorant of the Russian language," he says, "I enquired of a polyglot fellow-passenger what was the Russian word for towel, so that I could ask the guard for one. 'Palatinski' said he, and I repeated 'Palatinski, palatinski,' so as to impress the word well upon my memory. Having enjoyed a good wash and a shampoo, and dripping all over with water, I rang for the guard, and sure enough when the man came I could not recollect the word. At last it dawned upon me that it was 'Palatinski' and 'Palatinski' I asked of the guard. To my surprise the guard smiled graciously, and putting on a modest air, replied: 'Palatinski niet, paruski' (I do not speak Latin, I speak only Russian), and the more I repeated 'palatinski,' putting the inflection now on one syllable, then on the other, to make him understand, the more flattered the man seemed to be, and modestly gave the same answer. This was incomprehensible to me, until my polyglot fellow-passenger came to my assistance. 'Do you know what you are asking the guard?' he said, in convulsions of laughter. 'Yes, I am asking for a palatinski—a towel.' 'No, you are not!' and he positively went into hysterics. 'Palatinski means 'Do you speak Latin?' How can you expect a Russian railway guard to speak Latin? Look how beamed the poor man is at being mistaken for a Latin scholar! Ask him for a palatinski, and he will run for a towel! The man did run on the magic word being pronounced, and duly returned with a nice, clean palatinski, which, however, was little use to me, for I had by this time got dry by the natural processes of dripping evaporation."

A Girl's Piggery.

Six years ago a daughter of Dr. W. Seward Webb, in order to show her business ability and to obtain a little additional pocket money, took a little "fiver" in stock breeding on Shelburne Farms, Dr. Webb's country seat on Lake Champlain. She invested \$20 in a brood sow, and with her father's permission made arrangements with the shepherd to care for the sow and the pigs. As there was an abundance of skim milk, this was given her without cost, but all the grain fed was charged for at market prices. From this single investment she cleared \$90 the first year, \$200 the second and \$300 the third. By this time the stock had so increased in number as to outgrow its quarters, and was proving so profitable that Dr. Webb thought it advisable to buy her out. So at the end of the fourth year he took over the stock at market prices, and gave her a check for \$700, which represented the year's profits. From this start the present piggery has been developed, which is the most profitable department of the place. Last year two hundred pigs were sold, averaging from 250 to 300 pounds in weight, and bringing one-half cent per pound more than the ruling market prices because of the superior conditions under which they are kept. The piggery is a model of its kind. The building is in keeping with the others on the place in exterior style, and the interior is finished with hard pine, cement floors and iron troughs with fixtures. "Country Life in America."

"Did you find Mrs. Smiley a good entertainer?" "Splendid! She makes you feel away from home at once."

"WILFUL WASTE"



That old copybook maxim finds its most forceful application in the waste of vitality, which is called "burning the candle at both ends." A woman is often tempted beyond her strength by domestic or social demands. Some day she awakens from this waste of strength to the woeful want of it. She has become weak, nervous and miserable. For weak, nervous, run-down women, there is no better tonic and nerve than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It restores the appetite, quiets the nerves and gives refreshing sleep. It cures local diseases peculiarly womanly which undermine the general health. It makes weak women strong, sick women well.

"No doubt you have forgotten me, but after reading your letter you will remember me," writes Mrs. Annie E. Moring, of 237 1/2 Avenue, S. W., Roanoke, Va. "In the year 1897, I wrote to you for advice, which you gave me free of charge. When I wrote to you I was a wreck; I could not walk for pains in my abdomen, I could not sit down, lie down, or get any ease at all. I had what was called the best doctor here, but did not get any better until I went through a course of your medicine. I took eight bottles each of 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and ten bottles of the 'Pleasant Pellets.' I tell you the medicine made a cure of me."

Weak and sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence is held as strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

THE STAGE

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—
Other People's Money — Monday, May 18th.
Rowland & Young—May 4-9.

When the sails slap the ship's stern
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SUNLIGHT SOAP
is made of pure fats and oils
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It is pure soap that
gives absolute satisfaction.

TO THE CHILDREN

W. H. Robinson, secretary of the Horticultural Society, distributed 700 packages of aster flower seeds among the children of the Separate and Public schools on Monday. The seeds are given by the Horticultural Society, with the intent of beautifying the city, and the child showing the most beautiful bouquet of flowers in August, when a flower show will be held, will receive a prize. Horticultural societies in other cities distribute the flowers at a cost of two or three cents to the children, but the Chatham society delivered them free. The Horticultural Society is to be highly complimented on its enterprise.

SUFFERED FOR SIX YEARS

**Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Mrs.
Huffman of Napanee.**

And Now She Recommends Them to Other Young Ladies or Married Women.

Napanee, Ont., April 26.—(Special).—That Dodd's Kidney Pills are one of the greatest boons ever conferred on suffering womanhood is the experience of Mrs. John C. Huffman of this place. For the benefit of her sister women she has given the following statement for publication: "I had been troubled for about six years with Kidney Disease and the pain was so great I could not stand it. I could not entertain any company. "One night when I was feeling miserable, I read some wonderful cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills and I decided to try them. The first box brought an improvement and by the time I had taken six boxes I was completely cured. "I can recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to any person suffering from Kidney Disease and I make this statement hoping it will help other young ladies or married women."

Mrs. Huffman is married and has many women who have proved that many female complaints are the result of disordered kidneys and are as easily cured by using Dodd's Kidney Pills.

DISTRICT DOINGS. TILBURY

April 23.—Mr. and Mrs. McGeecham, who were, being out the "International" the past two months, left this week for Leamington.

Miss Mabel McKibbin spent Monday in Chatham.

Rev. Mr. Forrest, of Leamington, visited friends here yesterday.

E. Dore, of Hamilton, was in town yesterday.

Miss Brookie spent yesterday in Detroit.

Miss Bessie McLean leaves to-morrow on an extended visit with relatives in Petrolia.

DRESDEN

April 23.—John Dobbins is here from the Northwest visiting his many friends. In spite of his age, Mr. Dobbins is in the best of health and looks as youthful as he did on his removal from here nearly 20 years ago. He is 86.

Roy Westfall left for Detroit yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt and family have removed to Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Yonston were in Mitchell's Bay yesterday.

The forty hours devotion which has been held in the R. C. church here, ended last evening.

Rev. S. Bond is in Montreal and Ottawa.

It is reported that Dresden's streets are not to be sprinkled this summer and the merchants are complaining.

Clarence Huff and Miss Annie Windover, two of our popular young people, were married to-day. Congratulations.

WALLACEBURG

April 23.—Miss Mona Hyde, Court-right, who has been the guest of Miss Edith McRae, returned this week to her home.

There was not a large house to greet Father Kelly, who lectured in the Opera House Monday evening last. Those who attended, however, speak very highly of the lecture. Father Kelly is a very clever and fluent speaker and has a very pleasing manner. The subject of the lecture was, "The Law of Equality."

Mrs. Chas. McRae left this week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Robertson, at Pontiac, Mich.

Miss Dupuy, of Sombra, is the guest of Mrs. John Murphy.

Miss Kate McRae is a visitor in Detroit this week.

John Roos, former manager of the sugar factory, left last week, after calling on Wallaceburg friends.

F. Lewis held a dancing class and assembly in the Opera House last evening. A large number attended.

BLENHEIM

April 23.—Mrs. P. Burse has returned home, after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. Moore, of Chatham.

The annual vestry meeting of Trinity Church was held this evening at 7 o'clock. The auditors read their report for the past year, which was very satisfactory.

F. Bounsell, of Chatham, spent the day in town.

A very successful "At Home" was given by the Oddfellows and Daughters of Rebekah to their friends, at their lodge rooms to-night. A long program was rendered by local talent, which was much appreciated by the large number present. The Imperial Orchestra was in attendance and favored the audience with some splendid selections.

Miss Rose Sheldon spent the day in Chatham.

The funeral of Mrs. John Crookshank took place to-day to Evergreen Cemetery. Many beautiful floral offerings marked the esteem in which the deceased was held by all. They included a cross from the members and adherents of Trinity Church, a wreath from Misses Edith and Hazel Banks, and a wreath from the Knights of the Macabees, of which order Mrs. Crookshank was a member.

Mr. Wallendorf, of Ridgeway, is in town on business.

George Bounsell has received word that his son Eric, who has been suffering from typhoid fever, is much improved.

CHATHAM CENTRE.

Rev. Mr. Forrest, a former pastor, preached in the Presbyterian Church here last Sunday.

Success again came to the Darrell football team last Saturday in their game with Kent Bridge.

Misses Carrie and Maggie Rowe spent last Saturday and Sunday with the Misses McKerrall, at Appleton.

Joe Wallace, of the 4th Con., was a guest of Wm. Somerset last Sunday.

George Bryan, of Darrell, passed through here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melrose, Jr., of Chatham, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards here last Sunday.

PALEIGH.

Rev. Mr. George preached to a large congregation in the Hall on Sunday previous to his departure for the Northwest.

Robert McRitchie is thankful to the pathmaster for having scraped the eighth, but says the seventh needs something done also.

Mr. Johnson, who recently moved here from Bothwell, is now nicely settled.

Mrs. McGaffie, of Bothwell, is visiting her son at Alderville.

Roy Johnson and Robert McRitchie, of the oil fields, spent Sunday at their homes in Bothwell.

T. Deakon, of the Greyhound drilling outfit, is looking after his lease on the Gravel, and will move there in a short time.

Mrs. West Wilson, of Chatham, spent a few days last week with her parents here.

D. Brown spent Sunday with some of his friends near Fargo.

NERVOUSNESS

Accomplices caused by weak unhealthy nerves, are responsible for many ailments and suffering thus any other disease. If you have a secret drain from early abuse, later excesses or exposure, you cannot expect healthy nerves while your vitality is being wasted. Do not seek out a miserable existence on account of your follies, you are not safe until cured—nature never excuses—no matter how young, old or innocent one may be.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Have you pains in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity, but it is color, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity or you may have more deposits or brice dust colored sediment; give your condition immediate attention, or more serious complications will set in. My treatment guaranteed a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you

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Higher prices than \$2.50 are being asked for this class of hats elsewhere, and that is the reason why we have been called upon to supply so great a demand. All the proper blocks and shades.

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Prayer meeting, city churches, at 8 o'clock.

"C" Company will drill at the drill shed at 8.

Court House, No. 6244, A. O. F., Odd-fellows' Temple, at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

H. M. Pardo, of Cedar Springs, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Robert J. Wilcox, of Oil Springs, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rankin, Sr., Dover Centre, were in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mallory, of Blenheim, were guests in the city yesterday.

Roadmaster Harry Morris, of the Lake Erie, was in the city yesterday on business.

Lawn Mowers and Clippers at great bargains, at A. H. Patterson's, three doors east of the market.

Mr. Stover, who has been attending the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Toronto, has arrived home for the holidays.

You want Lace Curtains! See the assortment at Thibodeau & Jacques.

All prices, 25c up. Special at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

The schooner Ontario left last evening for Sandusky, Ohio. The vessel was towed to the mouth of the river by the tug D. W. Crow.

An examination for discovery took place today in the case of Ward Stanworth vs. Vick Robinson. This is an action to cover costs. O. L. Lewis appeared for plaintiff and Geo. Sayer contra.

Mr. Hobson, one of the foremen in the employ of the firm of Jno. Pigott & Sons, has returned to his home in Woodstock. Mr. Hobson severely lacerated his hand last week, but the injured member is getting along nicely. Mr. Hobson is expected back the latter part of the week.

The Executive committee of the Park street Methodist League met last night and arranged the topics cards and perfected their committees. A joint meeting of the Executive committees of both Methodist Leagues will be held to-morrow night to endeavor to work up some enthusiasm in the city over the League Rally, which will be held this summer in Detroit.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

Two story frame house on brick foundation, parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, inner kitchen, 1 bedroom downstairs and 2 upstairs, clothes closets, city and soft water, for cooking, stable.

Two-story frame house on brick foundation, parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, 3 bedrooms, clothes closets, summer kitchen, gas for cooking, stable.

Two-story frame house, nearly new, on brick foundation, double parlors, dining room, kitchen, pantry, cellar, one bedroom downstairs and three upstairs, clothes closets, bath-room, all fittings in gas, etc.

Back business for sale.

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COUNTY DIRECTORY

A pocket directory for the County of Kent has been compiled by H. D. Smith, County Attorney, that will prove of much value not only to the members of the legal profession, but to the public generally. It contains a complete list of the Government and Municipal officers for the County, dates of the different court sittings for the year, limits and extent of the Division Court, as well as a number of suggestions to magistrates and constables. The County Attorney is to be congratulated upon the completion of the work, which, it is to be hoped, will be issued during the early part of each succeeding year.

LOCAL LEGAL

In the Court of Appeal, before Moss C. J. O., Oler, MacLennan, Garrow, MacLaren, J. J. A. Wigle vs. Township of Gosfield South—M. Wilson, K. C., and A. H. Clarke, K. C., for defendants, the corporation of the Township of Gosfield South, and T. Laughton, for plaintiffs, the corporation of the Township of Gosfield North, appealed from the judgment of the County Court, awarding plaintiffs compensation for injurious affection of lands by the diversion of water by a drain. J. P. Mabee, K. C., for plaintiffs, opposed appeal. Not finished.

MRS. NEAL MURDERED.

Verdict Throws Suspicion on Two Bank Robbers.

St. John, N.B., April 29. A verdict was reached last night in the inquest into the death of Mrs. Neal, the old woman who was found with her skull crushed in on the Lancaster road, March 13. The jury found that she was assaulted and died as a result of the assault, and that evidence pointed strongly to Harry Brown and John R. Woodworth as the perpetrators of the crime. Brown and Woodworth are the men who, subsequent to March 13, robbed the Granville Ferry, N.S., bank of \$3,100, were captured and sent to Dorchester Penitentiary. Brown is serving a twelve-year sentence.

THE MARKETS

There was a very good Wednesday market this morning. Vegetables were offered in fairly large quantities at unchanged prices. Eggs brought from 10 to 11 cents a dozen, and butter from 26 to 22 cents a pound. A few chickens were offered at from 35 to 45 cents each.

Following is the price list:

IN THE SHEDS.

Eggs, per dozen, 10 to 11c.

Butter, per lb., 21 to 22c.

Chickens, each, 35c to 45c.

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS.

Lettuce, per pound, 25c.

Green onions, 15c bunches for 10c.

Rhubarb, per bunch, 5c.

Sage, per bunch, 5c.

Carrots, per peck, 10c.

Onions, per peck, 20c.

Parsnips, per peck, 15c.

Turnips, per peck, 10c.

Eggs, per lb., 15c.

Cabbage, per head, 5c to 10c.

Apples, per barrel, \$1.50 to \$1.75.

Potatoes, per bag, \$1.50.

FISH.

White fish, 15c per lb., dressed.

Lake Huron trout, 10c per lb.

Yellow pickerel, 10c per lb., dressed.

Sturgeon, 10c lb., dressed.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by L. J. Atwater, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, April 29, 1903

OPEN HIGHEST CLOSE LOWEST

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A WARNING.

To feel tired after exertion is one thing; to feel tired before is another.

Don't say the latter is laziness—it isn't; but it's a sign that the system lacks vitality, will run down, and needs the tonic effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

It's a warning, too—and sufferers should begin taking Hood's at once.

Buy a bottle to-day.

Auction Sale of City Property

There will be offered for sale, by Andrew Thomson, Auctioneer, at the Garner House, on Tuesday, May 12th, 1903, at 2 p.m., part of lots 156 and 157, on north side of Park St., in the City of Chatham, having a frontage on Park St. of 84 feet 6 inches, and a depth of 208 feet.

This property has upon it a good one-story frame dwelling containing 6 rooms, hall, in good repair. It is well situated and will make a good home.

For terms and particulars see large posters or apply to the auctioneer.

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Vendors' Solicitors,

London, Ont.

MUNICIPALITY OF RALEIGH

Take Notice that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Raleigh will meet in the Township Hall, on Monday, the 11th day of May, 1903, at 10 a.m., for despatch of business.

By order, **A. E. ROBINSON,** Clerk.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

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CARRY A COMPLETE STOCK OF

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Lath,
Shingles,
Cedar Posts,
&c.**

If you are going to build we will save you money. We take care of trades either for complete buildings or supply Lumber and Mill Bill as required.

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TURKEY RAISING

Col. Sam. Holmes is going into the turkey raising business. Mr. Holmes has decided that raising turkeys is a good way to raise the wind, and he is going to ascertain whether his decision to provide the people of England with their Christmas dinners will be a profitable undertaking or not. The colonel expects to raise 500 turkeys, which he will be willing to sell at from \$1.50 to \$2 per turkey, and has some intentions of utilizing these birds of food to feather his own nest. During the past few weeks Mr. Holmes has been buying all the hen turkeys he could secure, and he has now about 40. These have been placed upon the colonel's Harwich farm, which said possession will soon be as famous for turkeys as the Kentucky farms are for horses.

For the past several years Mr. Holmes has been raising grasshoppers. His friends wondered what his purpose was. He even endeavored to improve the breed of grasshoppers in the township, and at last succeeded in securing a good standard variety of grasshoppers, which variety is now known as the Holmes Hopper. His friends have ceased wondering what he was going to do with the grasshoppers. At first they thought he was only raising them for bait for use at the Joy Club, but now they know the reason why. Mr. Holmes is going to utilize the grasshopper as food for the turkeys. And this is only part of the great scheme for providing the people of England with an elegant Christmas dinner. Their holiday dinner will consist of grasshoppers; only they won't recognize the little insects in the fine bird turkey which they will eat.

MORNING MEANDER

The solitary gentleman, of undoubted powers of observation, who attracted attention by wheeling through the city at an early hour this morning (i.e. 5.30 a.m.), was a Planter, man looking nothing in general and everything in particular. This fact is merely mentioned to show how early The Planet men rise in the morning.

The early observer sees any number of interesting things. The weather was propitious, and the day gave promise of a bright sunny day. The air was fresh and so was the colored man who was noticed swiping wood from an unprotected woodpile.

The majority of persons in sight were women and they were nearly all rustling around looking for kindling. The Public Library and other buildings in course of construction were marked for the early housewife seeking a means of boiling the family kettle. The platform at the G. T. R. station looked its own late. The boards were covered with rice and had Sherlock Holmes sighted this rice he would have known that a popular newly married couple had left by rail on the night before and had gone east. Sherlock would have seen that the couple was newly married because of the rice. That they had gone east because the rice was at the east end of the station where the east bound train stops. That the couple were popular because there was so much rice. That they had left the night before because the rice had been tramped by the passengers from the early morning trains. Sherlock might have noticed a few other details, but he didn't.

In the Park, The Planet man found a young lad shooting robins with a shotgun. Having ordered the boy to stop and having read the lad a lecture the paper man watched for a few minutes the "early birds" fishing with worms from the Park dock and catching sheepheads, carp and other fish. Then, leaving the pleasure of others, he turned and wended his way to breakfast with a brand new appetite that kept the waiter busy waiting.

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Two Big Attractions for This Week

Our Silk Sale of Taffetas, Peau de Soie, Bengelines, Mer-veilleaux, Louisenes and fancy silks, lines always sold at 65c, 75c, 85c and \$1.00. All displayed on counters at 50c a yd.

End of the month Remnants of broadcloth, canvas cloth, friezes, homespun, chevrons, etc. for walking or fancy skirts from 3 to 4 yards in each. All marked to save you from 50c to \$1.00 on each length.

See our sure-fit skirts priced from \$2.50 to \$5.00.

LACES AND VEILINGS

It would be hard to imagine a more general use of laces than has been called forth by this season's fashions. Veilings in sorts for summer wear and lace collars are also included.

We have a superb showing of novelty laces and medallions, the latest style for dress trimmings. Prices from 25c to 75c per yard.

12½ and 15c laces at 10c per yd. Net ground laces from 3 to 5 inches wide mostly in the cream and ecru shades.

VEILINGS

WOMEN'S VEILS

Fancy made-up veils in black and black and white, price 35c.

Chenille and velvet dotted veilings also plain and fancy meshes in a variety of effects and combinations in black, white and black and black and white, price 50c per yd.

Lace Curtains and Draperies

Almost every house will need one or more pairs of Lace Curtains to make it look as you want it to during the next few weeks. Whether you want one or a dozen pair, or want to pay 50c, \$1.00, \$5.00 or even \$20.00 a pair, we have the stock here that will please you, the largest range of patterns and the largest range of prices we have ever shown. Some very special values at the several price steps between \$1.00 and \$5.00 a Pair.

Tapestry Curtains are prettier than ever, and what is still better, values are better and prices are lower than we have ever shown. See our big specials at \$5.00 a Pair.

CARPETS—Our stock is an exceptional one, you need to see it in order to appreciate the immensity of it. Not a mere sprinkling of each kind, whole ranges of patterns in Ingrains, Three-plys, Tapestries, Brussels, Velvets, Wiltons, Axminster and Rugs. Rugs in Wools, Rugs in Tapestry, Rugs in Brussels, Rugs in Wiltons, Rugs in Axminster. We are fully prepared to supply all your carpet needs, and to do it a decided advantage to you. Remember its no trouble to show carpets at this store.

...In the Clothing Department...

Spring Styles!



Yes time has been called on your winter garments, and the moths are hungry waiting for them. **The Spring Suit** and jaunty **Top Coat** are more comfortable and look better. You need not fear any tailor's exorbitant bill staring you in the face if you come here for your outfit, as hundreds of other level-headed men are doing. You'll get the same choice goods, the same perfect fit, the same degree of elegance that swell tailors boast about—and our prices are actually only half what any really good tailor will charge you. If you are some tailor's customer just come in and let us show you through our stock. Your own eyes, your own judgment will convince you of the truthfulness of our claim.

\$10.00—Men's handsome Worsteds Suits in plain and fancy, pretty new effects, full range of sizes, 34 to 42.

\$12.00—The swellest range of fine fancy Worsteds Suits, neat checks, stripes and overplaid, new shading effects

OUR GREAT ANNUAL SPRING PANT SALE THIS WEEK : : : : :

Over **1500 Pairs** to choose from, consisting of all the new coloring effects for this season in Tweeds, Serges, Worsteds, plain and fancy, full range of sizes, prices range from

...75c. to \$3.50...

The in-between popular prices at **\$1, 1.50, 2 and \$2.50**, very special.

THE BEST \$1.00 SHIRT VALUE ...IN CANADA...

We have just received our complete range of the **W. G. & R. Shirts** in soft and stiff bosoms, separate cuffs, every color warranted, sizes from 12½ to 18, very handsome patterns.

C. Austin & Co.

Boiling Water

Is necessary to the making of Tea. Yes, but not water that has boiled for half an hour, or more. The water should boil, but only for a few minutes then use some of our English Breakfast Tea (black) at 40 cts. a pound and you will have a delicious cup of Tea.

MOCHA and JAVA COFFEE, 40c a lb.
"AMERICAN" BLEND COFFEE, 35c a lb.
BRAZIL COFFEE, 25c a lb.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, April 29—10 a. m.—Showers; local thunderstorms this evening and to-night. Thursday, fresh to strong winds, shifting to northerly, showery and much colder.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:
Thermometer 52.
Highest yesterday 74.
Lowest yesterday 49.
Direction of wind, south.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Cecil Moore is laid up with the mumps.

F. C. Crawford, of London, is in the city to-day.

Alex. Skokke, of Selton, was in the city yesterday.

Robt. Tait, of London, is a Maple City visitor to-day.

Arthur Green, who is visiting in Pontiac, is quite ill.

Commissioner W. D. Sheldon continues dangerously ill.

W. J. Kenny, stationer, is in London to-day on business.

Spalding's official baseball and football guides at Brisco's.

W. M. Drader is in Bay City, Mich., on a few days' business trip.

J. T. and B. Bridgewater, of Dresden, were in the city yesterday.

W. J. Moffatt and son, of Tilbury, were visitors in the city yesterday.

W. M. Drader shipped two cars of staves to Silper Springs, N. Y., to-day.

Wm. Dyer, of the Rowland & Young Comedy Company, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.

Are you brightening up your home this spring? Prism paint will help you. Geo. Stephens & Co.

A. McDonnell, C. E., left yesterday for Cornwall in connection with the River Aux Raisin dispute.

Lawn Mowers and Sewing Machines repaired and guaranteed at Cuyler's repair shop on Queen St., next C. P. R. track.

Mrs. E. A. Hughes, of Brantford, who has been visiting Mrs. Doherty, Richmond street, returned home last evening.

Joe Marshall, of Chicago, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall, Queen street, leaves to-night for Chicago.

Private sale of household furniture now going on. Everything new and must be cleared out by Thursday night; good bargains. Residence Herbert Fisher, Prince street.

You are afforded a rare chance to purchase the best works at the auction sale of F. F. Quinn's books in the Garner House Block, Thursday and Friday nights.

Geo. Banner, section foreman at Ringold, left to-day for Woodstock, where he has been appointed yard master. Mr. Banner has been most popular with all who knew him.

The officers of the 24th Kent Regiment and the Macaulay Club will banquet Capt. Edwin Bell, LL. D., on Friday evening at the Hotel Garnier.

A number of lads were noticed robbing robins' and other birds' nests in the vicinity of Lacroix street last night. There is a bad crowd of boys collects every night in the vicinity of Harvey and Lacroix streets.

F. F. Quinn's handsome library will be on exhibition Thursday and Friday in the vacant store in the Garner House Block. Intending purchasers can make their selections, and special provision will be made for the comfort of ladies. Auction sale each evening.

The Hamilton and London Synod held its annual session at Knox Presbyterian Church, Woodstock, this week. The Chatham Presbytery was represented by Rev. Dr. Battisby and D. McMillan, Chatham; Rev. G. Munro, D. D., Ridgeway; Rev. John McInnis, Thamesville; Rev. D. N. Robertson, B. A., Botany.

John McCorvie received word this morning that his brother Edward was gradually sinking and his death was only a matter of hours. He has been suffering for a long time from paralysis of the throat. Mr. McCorvie left for Mull to be near his brother at the end. Mrs. McCorvie, of Windsor, is also at Mull with her brother.

STAMPING, STAMPING

We stamp Shirt Waists in many pretty patterns at reasonable prices. Our new Grape design. Protection Collars are only 25c. and 35c. Dainty Embroidered Shirt Waist Fronts all prices.

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Chatham's Millinery Store!

COME AND SEE OUR

FLOWERS.

We have some splendid values in Rose Wreaths, American Beauty Roses, Red Poppies, and a beautiful assortment of foliage in all shades at

COOKSLEY'S

Opposite the Market Square.

Gordon Doherty is much improved to-day.

The schooner White Oak will leave for Cleveland to-night.

Mrs. Benetau, of Dover, who underwent a critical operation in St. Joseph's Hospital, has returned home.

Last season's styles in black and colored Derby and Fedora hats worth \$2.00 and \$2.50 for \$1.00 each at The T's.

Lawn Mowers from \$3.00 to \$12.00, guaranteed to work satisfactorily, at A. H. Patterson's, three doors east of the Market.

The steam barge City of Mount Clemens came into port this a. m. She was laden with coal for the Canada Flour Mills Co. and hailed from Loraine, Ohio.

A meeting will be held in T. C. O'Rourke's office to-night to decide whether or not the Y. M. L. S. minstrels will go to St. Thomas on May 25th.

Wanted, French correspondent. One who operates typewriter rapidly, and writes shorthand. Good opening for competent person. Address Brown Bros. Co., Nurserymen, Limited, P. O. Brown's Nurseries, Ont.

There will be a full rehearsal of the orchestra and degree team of the Chatham Ensamble to-night at 8 o'clock in preparation for the official visit of Grand Patriarch Spackman, of Essex, to-morrow night.

W. C. T. U. school of methods, Thursday, April 30th, in hall over library; afternoon session 2.30. Refreshments will be served. Evening meeting 8 p. m. A good program has been prepared. All are welcome. Silver collection.

The sale of household furniture at Mr. F. F. Quinn's was well attended and good prices realized, as Mr. Quinn says lots of printer's ink and an auctioneer that understands his business, success is absolute.

The trick bicycle man who appeared at the Grand yesterday afternoon, met with a serious accident while performing in front of the Central Drug Store. He ran into a farmer's wagon and smashed his wheel completely. Luckily he escaped without serious injury.

Fred. Wood has received a letter from his son Sidney. The latter has returned to the vicinity of Calgary from Edmonton and is visiting for a few days with James A. Watt.

Mr. Wood lived on Selkirk street opposite Fred. Wood's residence and three years ago left for the West. He has now a fine ranch and Sidney Wood is enjoying his visit with Mr. Watt very much. He has secured a situation on a ranch adjoining Mr. Watt's place and will soon enter on his duties.

For some years considerable litigation has been going on over the construction of the Russum Drain that passes through four townships—Gosfield North, Mersea, Maidstone and Tilbury. An amicable settlement was at last reached and last week the Chatham Dredging Co. was awarded the contract, that was signed by S. T. Martin, manager at Woodlee.

This drain starts in the Township of Gosfield and runs to Lake St. Clair, the outlet being at Belle River. The amount of the contract is about \$18,000.

The reports of the Theological examinations of Victoria University published yesterday give us the information that Rev. J. H. Osterhout, B. A., of this city, has successfully completed his course and the degree of Bachelor of Divinity was conferred on him last night. He was graduated from the University of Toronto in 1900, obtaining the degree of B. A. with second class honors in the Department of Honor Philosophy, since which time he has been pursuing the B. D. course, which he completed this year, obtaining a combined average on 40 subjects of about 70.

Manager Fred Barrett, of the Stars, has issued a challenge to the Tilbury baseball team. Manager Barrett is getting uniforms for his team.

HAS RESIGNED

S. T. Martin, whose successful management of the Chatham Dredging Co. has exceeded over a number of years, ever since the formation of the company, has resigned, and has been succeeded by Wm. Whitebread, a resident of Wallacburg for many years, but who has for some time been living in Loraine, Ohio. Mr. Martin retains his interest in the company and will continue to act as treasurer, but he found his many other interests required his whole attention.

Mr. Whitebread has been a contractor for several years in the same class of work, and he will doubtless sustain the high reputation the company has always upheld under the able management of his predecessor.

There will be offered for sale at public auction, subject to a reserved bid, at the Rankin House, Chatham, at 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, May 13th, 1903, part of N. 115, in the city of Chatham, being the property lying between the lands of The Chatham Gas Co., Limited, and those of Dr. T. K. Holmes.

On the land in question there is a large two story frame house, with furnace, bath, etc.

For terms and conditions of sale apply to

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Appearance

If you want to make a presentable appearance at home or abroad you need the services of a good reliable tailor. Remember, no two men are built alike, and ready-made clothing cannot give perfect satisfaction for this reason. Every man has a peculiarity of his own; unless he has this taken into consideration his clothes cannot possibly fit him.

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BLACK DRESS GOODS AND COLORED

54 in. Black All Wool Cheviots, regular 75c. goods 50c. per yard.
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Agent for May Designer **WILLIAM GORDON** Use Standard Fashion Patterns

WORLD OF SPORT

THE GUN

A meeting of the Maple City Gun Club will be held in the Garner House Friday evening.

THE TURF

TWO NEW ONES FROM NEW YORK

Mr. J. E. Seagram, M. P., left Ottawa last week for the purpose of bringing one or two good race horses for the Waterloo stable to race at the O. J. C. meeting at Woodbine, Toronto, next month, and also to make arrangements for the engagement of a first class jockey for the twelve days' racing there.

Mr. Seagram had an agent at the Washington meeting, but there was nothing there good enough for the Canadian turf king. Mr. Seagram wants to buy a couple of handicap horses that can win here, and also win on the New York tracks, in good company, and he is not averse to getting the price he wants for \$8,000 or \$10,000 per head. The purchase has to be made this week, as stake entries for the O. J. C. meeting close a week from next Saturday.

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Brooklyn—R. H. E.
Boston 10 10 10 0 0 4 5 0
Brooklyn 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 2 3 1
Batteries—Fitzinger and Kildee;
Evans and Vickers. Umpire—Carruthers.
Attendance, 2,500.

At New York—R. H. E.
Philadelphia 10 0 0 0 3 10 7 15 2
New York 5 0 0 0 0 12 12 15 3
Batteries—McFetridge and Zimmer;
Taylor, Cronin and McGinnity. Umpire—Hamm. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance, 3,200.

At Cincinnati—R. H. E.
Cincinnati 0 0 0 0 0 3 6 9 11 3
Chicago 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 4 8 3
Batteries—Ewing and Bergen; Lundgren and Kling. Umpire—Johnston and Holliday. Attendance, 3,000.

At St. Louis—R. H. E.
St. Louis 0 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 7 7
Pittsburgh 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 2 5 3
Batteries—McFarland and Weaver; Doherty and Smith. Umpire—Emalle. Attendance, 3,115.

AMERICAN LEAGUE SCORES.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
New York 10 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 5 5
Philadelphia 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 7 7 0
Batteries—Howell, Wolfe and O'Connor;
Well and Schreck. Umpire—Carruthers and Hassett. Attendance, 6,133.

At Cleveland—R. H. E.
Cleveland 0 3 1 1 0 1 0 6 6 13 5
St. Louis 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 13 3
Batteries—Cass and Bemis; Powell and Kahoe. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance, 13,807.

At Detroit—R. H. E.
Chicago 1 0 0 0 2 0 2 1 6 10 3
Detroit 0 0 1 0 2 1 0 0 4 8 3
Batteries—Patterson and McFarland;
Klison and Buolow. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance, 4,925.

At Washington—R. H. E.
Washington 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 4 8 2
Boston 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 2 5 3
Batteries—Townsend and Clarke;
Drill, Young and Criger. Umpire—Conolly. Attendance, 4,224.

Manager Fred Barrett, of the Stars, has issued a challenge to the Tilbury baseball team. Manager Barrett is getting uniforms for his team.

EXAMINE THE VALUES

In Our Wash Goods Section

Beautiful Gingham in newest stripes and checks, lovely colorings - 15, 12 1/2, 10c

Prints, light and dark patterns, Blues, Reds, Pinks, Lilacs, Browns, etc., at - 12, 10, 8, 5c

A special range extra Heavy Print, regular 12c for 10c

Shirtings, dark and light patterns, 5, 8, 10, 12 1/2, 15c

SPECIAL QUALITY FAST INDIGO AT 12 1/2 CENTS

A full range of our Celebrated Fast Color Mackinaw Shirtings at 15c

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WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

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L. E. CURL, OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

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On farm and city property. Terms to suit borrowers. Apply or write to

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Money to Loan on Mortgages at 4 1/2 and 5 per Cent.

FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 feet front by 208 feet deep, \$1100.00.

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 ft., good stable, \$100.00.

House and lot, 9 rooms, \$1050.00. House and lot, 5 rooms, \$400.00.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 50 acres. All cleared. Good house and barn, \$3100.00.

Farm in Township of Harwich, 200 acres. Large house, barn and out-buildings, \$12,000.00.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 40 acres. Good house, new stable and granary, \$2250.00.

Ten acres in suburbs of Chatham, \$1500.00.

Valuable suburban residence, 11 rooms, with seven acres of land. Good stable, \$2000.00.

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Young wife was almost distracted for he would not stay at home so she had his LAUNDRY done by us, and now he ceases any more to roam.

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Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

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Until further notice, HAROLD W. SMITH of Toronto, will be at Wm. Gray & Co. Factory.

EVERY SATURDAY to purchase horses. The highest cash prices will be paid.

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No person with a house or other building over one story high should be without a good ladder. You should have them for

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25c per Bottle

Is the best preparation on the market for Coughs and Colds.

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A Traveller's Wonder.

"This," observed Wu, as he lifted a box-like affair from his trunk, "is one of the greatest wonders of America."

"It doesn't look very wonderful," commented Tsi Ann, tucking one foot up where she could sit on it and the throne at the same time.

"No, but even in America no one can understand it," Tsi Ann.

"Don't put that thing to my ear," cautioned Tsi Ann. "Is this another of those telephones?"

"O, no. This is worse than the telephone. It is a gas meter."

"A gas meter? What does it do?"

"The consumer."

"How does it work?"

"That is a mystery. It is only known that it works always and untiringly. It works while you sleep and while you wake. It never stops. It is constructed after the Newtonian theory of creation. It has something in it that just keeps it whirling on and on, at so much per revolution, and nobody knows what keeps it moving, and nobody can stop it."

"That's funny."

"Funny, yes. But very sad in America. Listen to it. Hear it running right above the Confucius and the 800 gods of the Pale Green Mountains! The gas company never will get the chance to read what this meter has recorded."

"But," said the Empress, "is there no escape from this in America?"

"None."

"It must be worse than manifest destiny."

"Wu," remarked Tsi Ann, with that intelligent smile which has enshrined her in the hearts of curious collectors. "Wu, I am glad you were sent to America. At one time I almost had decided to become civilized."

"So had I," acknowledged Wu, "but the bite of the dog, as the foreign devils put it, will cure the hair."—Chicago Tribune.

A Queen's Thoughts on Love.

The Queen of Roumania's latest literary production is entitled "Whispered Words." The theme she touches on is love and marriage, and here are a few of her reflections:

The moment the thought of patience flits through the mind in marriage, the marriage has, strictly speaking, ceased to exist, because love has vanished, on which alone this relationship can be built up and preserved.

For that which we fully fathom stands not in need of patience; it comes to us as a thing of course, natural, simple and clear.

Unto love every little foible and peculiarity is dear. Every sacrifice is welcome to love, which never feels it as such.

In presence of the world no doubt it is proper that forbearance should be exercised, and it is meet that the eyes of outsiders should not catch a glimpse of the misery of an unhappy union.

Marriage has but one sole end, to bring children into the world, and to shield them until they can protect themselves.

If we could bring ourselves to look upon marriage as a holy sacrifice, an act of perfect self-abnegation, we should make much greater progress.

In marriage people fancy they can throw off all restraint, heedless of the fact that when they act thus their shortcomings assume colossal dimensions, and their good qualities dwindle to nothingness.

In marriage, more than in any other form of relationship, one should never throw the reins aside, but always keep a firm hand upon one's will.

An unseasonable yawn is sometimes enough to produce a whole drama.

She Had an Aim in Life.

"Penelope, have you any plans for the future?"

The father, a distinguished physician, looked sternly at his daughter. "You are only a girl," he asked this question.

"Yes, sir," she answered.

"You say it makes you homesick to stay away from home, Penelope. That is a consideration hardly worth mentioning. Homesickness soon passes away."

Your sister is in her last year at college to which I wished to send you, and you will not be alone, at least for a year, and at the end of that time you ought to be able to get along nicely by yourself."

Penelope tapped the floor impatiently with her foot.

"I won't go, papa," she declared. "There is no use talking about it. I'd rather die!"

"You are growing up, Penelope," sighed the good doctor, "apparently without any idea of the value of time or the earnestness and reality of life. You don't care for useful work, you do nothing to improve your mind; you spend your hours in frivolity; you seem to float idly along as if there was no serious end or aim in living except to get what selfish pleasure you can get out of it. Yet you say you have plans for the future. What are they?"

"I am going to be a society lady," said Penelope.

A Drum From the Emperor.

The "Era" tells an interesting story of Madame Mimie Hauk, the celebrated prima donna, and the Emperor William I. of Germany. She was singing at the Berlin Court Opera, in Donizetti's "Daughter of the Regiment." The Emperor, after the opera, called her into his presence and told her she had sung very nicely, but that her drumming—as the daughter of the Regiment she had to play the drum—was very bad. Next morning drum-major of the First Grenadier Regiment called at her hotel and said he had come to give her a drum lesson. The diva was bound to accept the instruction, and learned the whole art of drumming in a couple of dozen lessons. Then the Kaiser sent to ask how she was getting on, and hearing that she had made excellent progress, he commanded a performance of "A Daughter of the Regiment." Madame Hauk acquitted herself excellently in the drumming scene, and the Kaiser complimented her warmly, sending her next day a real official military drum with a silver plate and inscription.

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One of the things that shocks one most is the discovery that there are fashions in pieties as well as petticoats.

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SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR, DENVER, 1903.

The Passenger Department of the Chicago & North-Western Railway has issued a very interesting folder on the subject of the Christian Endeavor meeting to be held at Denver, July 9th to 13th, together with information as to reduced rates and sleeping car service, as well as a short description of the various points of interest in Colorado usually visited by tourists. Sent 2-cent stamp to W. B. Knielern, Passenger Traffic Manager, Chicago, for copy.

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I think that we can afford to let the Mayor go to Toronto again. His trip only cost \$81.86.

I don't think that the alleged scraping of the roads made them much worse than they were.

The sun sets just beyond King street west. I guess that's why this new pavement scheme came to be hatched.

Yesterday afforded a good opportunity for the display of spring millinery and it was certainly taken advantage of.

If those opposed to the King street west pavement succeed with their counter-petition, I suppose it will just be a case of asphalt blocked.

There is no truth in the rumor that the Satellite of this G. H. J. is getting up at six a. m. every morning and working in the garden. Mayor McKeough's landscape gardening prize. The rumor is a base canard.

Suicide With Lots of Money.

Highland Falls, N.Y., April 28.—The body of a man apparently 21 years old was found to-day hanging from the limb of a tree in the woods of the Government reservation, near the tracks of the West Shore Railroad. He had \$7.45 on his person, but nothing to lead to his identity. He was light-complexioned and smooth of face. His clothing, which is in good condition, bears the trade mark of a Norwalk, Conn. firm.

HEART DISEASE

A Trouble Much More Common Than is Generally Supposed.

A healthy person does not feel the heart at all. If the heart makes itself felt it is a sure sign of some one of the many phases of heart trouble. Some of the symptoms of heart trouble are shortness of breath, trembling of the hands, violent throbbing or fluttering of the heart, sharp spasms of pain, oppression on the chest, dizziness and clammy sweating, irregular pulse, and the alarming palpitation that is often felt most in the head or at the wrists. Of course people suffering from heart trouble haven't all these symptoms, but if you have any of them it is a sign of heart trouble and should not be neglected for a moment.

Most of the troubles affecting the heart are caused by anaemia, indigestion or nervousness, and when any of these causes lie at the root of the trouble it can be surely cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. You mustn't trifle with common medicines, and above all you shouldn't further weaken your heart by using purgatives. You must cure your heart disease through the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. You can easily see that this is the only way to save yourself. The heart drives your blood to all parts of the body. Every drop of your blood flows through your heart. If your blood is thin or impure your heart is bound to be weak and diseased; if your blood is pure and healthy, it will naturally make your heart sound and strong. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new, rich, red blood. And that new, rich, red blood strengthens your stomach, stimulates your liver, soothes your nerves and drives out of your system all the disease-causing elements that disturb your heart. This has been proved in thousands of cases. Here is a case in point. Mr. Adelard Lavoie, St. Patrice, Que., says: "For nearly three years I was greatly troubled with a weak heart, and in constant fear that my end would come. I had to stop my work. While at my worst a neighbor advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I did so, and they simply worked wonders in my case. I used only half a dozen boxes when I was able to return to my work, strong and healthy, and I have not since had any sign of the old trouble."

We would again impress upon those who are ailing that they must get the genuine pills with the full name, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People," on the wrapper around every box. Sold by all dealers or by mail at \$2.00 a box or six boxes for \$12.50 by writing to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Powers and Venezuela.

Washington, April 28.—Venezuela and the allies have agreed upon the terms of the protocol submitting to the Hague Tribunal the question of preferential treatment, and this convention will be signed next Monday.

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AWAKENED HER HUSBAND.

Set Fire to the Bed to Make Him Get Up.

Mount Vernon, N.Y., April 29.—Fire at 10.30 o'clock last night caused a panic in the three-story frame tenement house at 4 West Sixth street, in which about twenty families live. The flames started in the apartments of Mr. and Mrs. Greener. The firemen soon put out the flames, and then Policeman Harry Conklin took Mr. and Mrs. Greener to the station house. The husband was charged with disorderly conduct and intoxication, but against the woman Conklin a charge of arson was laid. This she cheerfully admitted, and explained to the Sergeant that she had been trying to rouse her husband for an hour by less effective methods, and finally set fire to the bed to force him to get out. He got out. Both had been drinking.

BRITAIN IN DOUBT.

Wants Further Information of Russia's Move.

Pekin, April 29.—China has given Russia what the officials describe as a final and definite refusal to accept her demands regarding Manchuria.

London, April 29.—Replying to a question put by Earl Spencer, the Liberal leader in the House of Lords, today as to whether he could lay on the table the despatches in regard to the communications reported to have passed between the Russian and Chinese Governments, Foreign Secretary Lansdowne said the question is now engaging the most serious attention of the Government. There was some doubt regarding the actual facts of Russia's proposal in regard to the evacuation of Manchuria, and he hoped the silence he was bound to maintain at present would not be of long duration.

AFRAID OF MAFIA.

Trouble Regarding a Jury in the Famous "Barrel" Murder.

New York, April 28.—The Coroner's inquest in the murder of Benedetta Madonia, the "barrel" victim, for which Tomaso Pello is now suspected of being the principal, began before Coroner Scholer and a jury yesterday. When Coroner Scholer went into the courtroom there were only eleven men in the jury box. Considerable difficulty was experienced in securing a jury. Several of the men served with subpoenas left them in the Coroner's office and departed. Coroner Scholer, in speaking of the trouble, said: "I think the men are afraid to serve on the jury owing to the Italian case. I think that they fear the Mafia Society, and if they find that they have evidence enough to hold them for the Grand Jury, that they (the jurors) might sustain some injury from the gang."

St. Michael's Golden Jubilee.

Toronto, April 29.—The celebrations in connection with the golden jubilee of St. Michael's College began yesterday morning at 10 o'clock with a celebration of the Pontifical High Mass in St. Basil's Church by the Apostolic Delegate. It was a very impressive service. Father Murphy, robed in white, came first, carrying the Processional Cross, and attended on either side by an acolyte bearing a lighted candle. The Bishops and Archbishops followed, garbed in their purple robes. Behind were the deacons of the hour, and then, preceded by his Archiepiscopal Cross, his crozier and mitre, walked Mgr. Sbarretti. The dignitaries in the procession passed into the sanctuary of the edifice. There were, besides the Apostolic Delegate, Archbishop O'Connor, Archbishop Gauthier, Archbishop Duhamel, Bishop McEvay, Bishop O'Connor, Bishop Dowling, Bishop McDonald, Bishop Lorraine, Mgr. Heenan, Vicar-General McCann, Vicar-General Conroy (Ogdensburg), and Dean Egan.

Bishop O'Connor of Peterboro' preached from the text, Psalms cxviii, 66: "Teach me in goodness, discipline and knowledge." His Reverence said the present occasion was of great importance and would mark the beginning of a new era for Catholic education in Ontario. The Bishop referred to Catholic higher education. It meant, he said, the instruction of the children of those within the fold of the church not only in secular matters, but religious as well. He deplored the fact that Catholic young men sometimes attend non-Catholic universities, which had the effect of undermining their faith. It would be best, he thought, for all Catholic young men to go to Catholic universities. The Catholic universities wanted to compete with the Protestant colleges, so that the men they turn out will receive equal recognition. The Roman Catholic colleges are, they considered, superior as far as religious and moral training was concerned, but unfortunately not their equal by far in a financial way.

Bush Fire Near Fort William.

Port Arthur, April 29.—A fierce bush fire is raging at the mouth of the Kamistiquia River, Fort William. As the Imperial Company's tanks are situated at the mouth of the river great anxiety is felt for their safety. A high wind is blowing.

Lord Minto at Toronto.

Toronto, April 29.—His Excellency the Governor-General, with the Countess of Minto and party, arrived in Toronto last evening and were officially welcomed on arrival by Lieut.-Governor Mortimer Clark, Mayor Urquhart and Ald. Ward.

Marriage of W. R. Hearst.

New York, April 28.—Congressman-elect William Randolph Hearst, proprietor of The New York American, New York Evening Journal, Chicago American, and The San Francisco Examiner, was married here to-day to Miss Millicent Wilson, daughter of George H. Wilson, President of the Music Company of this city.

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