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" 75 " " 65c
" 85 " " 75c

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July Clearing Sale
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TOGO TRIES TO SINK FLEET

Desperate Scheme to Destroy Port Arthur Ships—Bravery of Japanese Sailors.

Desperate Hand-to-Hand Fight at Mo-Tien-Lien Pass—Bloody Bayonet Encounter.

St. Petersburg, July 6, 1.30 p. m.—A few nights ago Admiral Togo attempted to repeat the Japanese exploit with torpedo boats at Wei Hai Wei during the China-Japanese war, by sending torpedo boat destroyers into the harbor of Port Arthur for the purpose of sinking ships at their anchor again, but the attempt ended in disastrous failure. Four torpedo boat destroyers succeeded in creeping into the harbor, which was not protected by booms, but only one escaped; two were sunk by the shore batteries, and one was crippled. The reckless bravery of the Japanese in going to almost certain destruction excites nothing but admiration here. The channel at Port Arthur was so tortuous that it was regarded as unnecessary to have a boom. On account of the difficulty of getting into the harbor, the fleet is considered in naval circles to be fully as daring as that of the Japanese torpedo boats in a storm, and covered with ice, were jumped over booms protecting that harbor and destroyed Chinese warships. So far as known the Japanese torpedo boat destroyer did not even succeed in launching torpedoes. Another lot of naval reserves, numbering two thousand will be called out shortly. The exact date of the attack is not ascertainable, but it is said to have occurred Saturday. To further details are obtainable. Though it is believed other destroyers participated in the attack only four, however, succeeded in getting in. The method whereby this information reached the authorities is not disclosed. A despatch received from Vladivostok this afternoon does not mention the Russian squadron.

HAND TO HAND FIGHT.

Tokio, July 6, 11 a. m.—Supplemental despatches indicate that the fight at Mo-Tien-Lien Pass, July 4, was a desperate hand-to-hand affair. A majority of the Japanese injured were wounded by bayonets. The Russians surrounded the outposts of the Japanese, who fought until relief came. The Russians left 53 dead and 4 wounded. The Japanese left 19 killed and 38 wounded. It is believed that the Russians sustained greater losses during the pursuit than in action.

General Kuroki's headquarters in the field, via Fusan, July 4, July 4 two battalions of Russian cavalry attempted to break through the Japanese outposts at the northern entrance of Mo-Tien Pass. Before daylight they surrounded an outpost of forty men at the foot of a hill, and charged the trench above. A bloody encounter with bayonets, lasting a quarter of an hour, ensued. The Russians attacked the trench three times, but were driven up the valley by a Japanese reinforcement, leaving many dead and wounded. An observer saw fifty lying in front of the trench. St. Petersburg, July 6.—The Petrovsky Liako published a despatch from Liao-Yang announcing that an engagement has occurred at Ta-Teh-Kiao, during which Russian cavalry under General Samonoff, supported by a battery of horse artillery, dislodged a Japanese force from the heights in face of a heavy machine gun and musketry fire. The Russians, it is added, pursued the Japanese, and inflicted heavy loss upon them.

BIG BATTLE ON.

London, July 7.—The Liao-Yang correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, in a despatch dated July 7, 1 a. m., says: "A battle is proceeding twenty-five miles from here. Numbers of wounded are being brought in from the mountains. Evidently the engagement is a severe one. It is believed that the Japanese are continuing their advance with the object of cutting off Mukden."

PONY MISSING

The St. Paul Despatch says:—"Chat," a tiny Shetland pony only one month old, was missing when the circus train was ready to pull out of St. Paul last night. The pony could be found nowhere, though a systematic search was made of the wagons and cars which had remained during the day in the railroad yards at the foot of Eagle street.

The police were notified, but no trace of the missing pony was discovered last night. It is thought that some time during the day or last night the pony was taken from its car. No one had been seen carrying the animal away, but it is thought that some of the numerous boys who visited the train yesterday stole it.

"Chat" was born at Chatham, Ont. Even a dead past may sometimes come to life.

REFUSED HIM

British Premier was Declined a Hearing on the Floor of the Commons.

London, July 6.—In the House of Commons to-night the Government succeeded in carrying through the first part of its closure program on the licensing bill, but Premier Balfour was denied a hearing, his frequent attempts to speak being drowned by loud cries of "Gag." Finally Mr. Balfour, after hopelessly facing the tumult, sat down.

This is said to be the first time in a modern British Parliament when the Premier was refused a hearing on the floor of the House of Commons.

THRILLING RIDE

Everyone in the city knows that Pete Cowan is one of the best story-tellers in town—but he climbs up the ladder and gets busy with his shoe stock whenever Tom Smith walks into the store now. Tom doesn't look to be much at telling stories but Pete has to admit that the barber has got him floored—and that is saying the best for the barber.

Pete was standing on the street corner with a crowd of fellows telling a little yarn—that is, a mild one for Pete—when along strolled the barber. The conversation switched to ice boats and Tom had the words.

"Did I ever tell you about the ride I had in an ice boat?" asked he. Some one who hadn't really heard the story but who evidently knew Tom, said, "Yes," but the speaker didn't notice the interruption and continued.

"I was over to Pelee Island with my friends," "punch" Pallette, and Bob Scratch and had to take a boat load of wine to Kingsville in an ice boat. It was an awfully cold day but the people in Kingsville were waiting for the wine. Our iceboat was 76 feet wide, and 109 feet long and we had on board 130 barrels of wine. It was the fastest ride I ever had in an ice boat. There was a good stiff wind blowing and we went the distance 16 1/2 miles in exactly 12 minutes.

Some one gave a sigh but Pete was looking at the speaker green with envy.

"While we were on the trip we were going so fast that when we came to a crack in the ice 38 feet wide, we jumped right over it before we noticed it."

Here followed a long pause for effect. No one spoke except Pete, who murmured out, "Gee whizz, what a dandy!"

"Then we were going so fast," continued Tom, "that when we were getting near Kingsville we couldn't stop at the shore and we ran up a mile and a half on the bank and didn't lose one barrel of wine. Punch, Bob and I got so scared going that he walked back and Bob Scratch and I had to take the boat back all alone."

Another pause for effect and Pete broke in with "Did-D-Did you say it was wine you had—"

When he got to the end of the Gaelic arbor broke out again. He was not satisfied with "yours sincerely" or "affectionately." How miserably the English tongue fitted the arbor of the Gaelic heart! He wound up with words in Irish which meant "with everlasting love from Francis."

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She was cross-examined by the defendant, who conducted his own defense and denied ever promising to marry her; and suggested that she knew very little about Gaelic.

"Well, it's your own teaching Mr. Burke," she replied.

The jury awarded her \$1,000 damages.

LOVE-MAKING IN IRISH GAELIC

Cost a Dublin Man an Even \$1,000—Taught Ancient Tongue.

Some of the Celtic Expressions Were of Excessively Tender Nature.

Dublin, July 6.—The reading of love letters partly written in Gaelic caused great amusement during the hearing of a branch of promise action here.

Mr. Moloney, opening the case for the plaintiff, Margaret Delaney, described how love for the ancient Irish tongue led to her engagement to Frank Burke, the defendant, who is an inland revenue officer, formerly stationed at Kilkenny.

Burke spent his spare time in promoting the spread of Gaelic and in supporting the Gaelic league, the local branch of which Miss Delaney joined. The pair were thrown much in each other's company, defendant becoming her instructor in the beauties of the old language. Finally he proposed and was accepted.

Twenty-five letters passed between them endearing Gaelicisms being in most of them. In 1903 he asked for his letters back "to get a reference from them." Then he married somebody else.

The two letters which Miss Delaney still possessed were read in court. The first did not commence with "Dear Maggie" or anything of the sort, said Mr. Moloney, but began "Maghraid, astore," which meant "Maggie, my treasure."

The letter went on—"Last night I was disappointed and glad at not meeting you—glad you did not venture out on such a cold night, and yet very much down in the mouth that you could not be out. However, 'Aroon'—that meant 'oh, great love,' said counsel—"I hope to make up for that little fast some day very shortly."

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LIBRARY BOARD

The regular monthly meeting of the Public Library Board was held last night, with Chairman A. Sheldrick, J. U. Thibodeau, Capt. S. M. Smith, Dr. C. R. Charteris, W. Anderson, Fred Stone, J. W. Humphrey and Secretary Twopeny present.

Routine business only was transacted. The globe wrote asking for a picture of the library. It was decided to have one taken.

J. G. Sten's coal account amounting to \$102.25 was ordered paid. The gas account, \$4.56, was also ordered paid, as were also small accounts of the Ark and S. Hadley Co.

Wm. Plumridge was given the contract for frosting a number of cakes, for \$1.50, on condition that he do the work within a week.

The Finance committee presented a very satisfactory report for the last half year, the first in the new building. The report showed the library to be in a first class financial condition.

It was decided to draw on the city treasurer for the usual \$125. The Librarian's report was as follows:—

New borrowers, 80.
Books given out, 1,357.
Central School circulation, May, 273.
Central School circulation, June, 190.

Cash for fines, \$4.57.
Cash for cards, \$1.50.
Total, \$6.07.

The report also gave a list of books asked for by the public.

DRUNKEN MAN'S DEED

New York, July 6.—Angered because his wife endeavored to keep him from entering a saloon while he was in a protracted spree, Harry her a blow east side bartender, a woman pitched across the bar, and when several onlookers reached her side she was dead. Roland was seized and would probably have been badly used but for the timely arrival of the police, who hustled him away to the station.

PARKER LIKELY

United States Democratic National Convention Met, Organized and Adjourned.

St. Louis, Mo., July 6.—The Democratic National Convention met today and listened to an extended speech from Representative John Sharp Williams, its temporary Chairman, appointed the committees necessary to perfect a permanent organization, and adjourned. In a session lasting two hours and fifty minutes one striking incident overshadowed all other proceedings. That was the enthusiastic and prolonged cheering which greeted the name of Grover Cleveland. While the outburst which greeted the name of the former Democratic President before its fast syllable had fallen from the lips of the temporary Chairman was noteworthy in its effect, it was magnified by contrast with the greetings accorded the actual persons of men who stood for all that has been opposed to Mr. Cleveland during the last eight years.

Jas. K. Jones, of Arkansas, Chairman of the National Committee, went on the platform and took his seat unnoticed. Practically no greeting was given him when he faced the convention with gavel in hand.

There were other stalwart lieutenants of the Nebraska man who entered the hall unacclaimed, and, lastly, Mr. Bryan himself, who for the first time during two national campaigns was greeted with silence.

The greatest significance was attached to the showing made by the Conservatives. Their absolute control of the convention is no longer doubted, even by those who have heretofore declined to be convinced. The nomination of Judge Parker for President is assured beyond any possibility of defeat.

Chas. F. Murphy, the Tammany leader of New York, to-night made this statement: "It has been alleged that I concede the nomination of Judge Parker. I do not. I stand just where I have stood for the past few days. I have not changed my opinions or my attitude."

READY TO OPEN

Great Irish Cathedral Cost \$2,500,000—Will Be a Most Impressive Ceremony.

Dublin, July 6.—The solemn consecration and reopening of St. Patrick's Cathedral at Armagh, the Primatial See of Ireland, will take place on Sunday, July 24, and promises to be the most important happening of the Catholic Church in Ireland that has taken place in many years. Cardinal Logue, who will on that same day celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of his consecration as Bishop of Raphoe, will officiate at the ceremony proper, while the Archbishop of Dublin, Monsignor Walsh, will preside at the high mass, and Archbishop Healy, of Tuam, will preach the consecration sermon.

Among the prelates who will assist in the sanctuary will be Cardinal Vannutelli, who will come especially from Rome to represent the Pope; Archbishop Bourne, of Westminster, and the Bishops of Liverpool, Birmingham, Portsmouth and Aberdeen, together with hundreds of clergymen from every part of the world, the United States, Canada and Australia furnishing a very large number. The Duke and Duchess of Norfolk and several Catholic members of the British aristocracy have also promised to attend the ceremony.

The foundations of the Cathedral were laid in 1840 by Dr. Crolly, then Archbishop. The temple was dedicated in August, 1873. More than 100,000 persons attended this ceremony, and 20 prelates, headed by the late Cardinal Cullen, were present in the sanctuary, while the preacher for the occasion was the celebrated Dominican orator, Fr. Thomas Burke, famous for his lectures and sermons all over the world.

For four years the work of completing and decorating the interior has been in progress under the supervision and in accordance with the plans of the most eminent architects of Ireland. The most skilled artists have been employed in the work with such success that the perfection of the altars, mosaics, screens, pulpits and organ has evoked the admiration of even the most critical visitors. The total cost of the building is placed at \$2,500,000, which have been collected all over the world.

FELL SIXTY FEET

Peterboro, July 6.—At noon today, when six of the working girls belonging to the dry goods establishment of Richard Hall, Sons, took the elevator at the fourth story, the cable suddenly parted and the lift fell to the basement, a distance of about 60 feet. Nora Fitzgerald suffered a broken arm and leg; Ida Sherman, severe injuries to the spine; Josephine Delaire, leg broken. The elevator boy had an arm broken. The injured were conveyed to the hospital, and it is not supposed that any are fatally hurt.

Sir H. E. Taschereau had Privy Council rules amended to prevent delays complained of by the Canadian Bar.

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Sells Windows Blinds and Shades cheaper than any other dealer in the county.

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THURSDAY, JULY 7.

A FOREIGN OPINION.

The Scotsman, one of the leading "foreign" journals published north of the Tweed, after reciting the facts of the Dundonald incident now so familiar to readers of the Citizen, makes this comment:

The first remark which occurs to one on reading what has taken place is that Lord Dundonald has presumably taken every means of verifying his facts. He had to be absolutely sure of his ground before opening his mouth on such a subject. Even when this has been done, the wise course in at least three cases out of four of suspected political interference is to keep silence; or at least not to address the ear of the public before that of one's official superiors. Lord Dundonald did not follow the rule of discretion. Presumably he was perfectly well aware that his words at Montreal would bring him into collision with the political powers, and would probably lead to his being himself "scratched out" of the command in which he has shown so much interest and done so much good work.

The tone adopted by the Premier and his colleagues at once raised the affair to the position of an important question of politics, constitutional usage, and military discipline. It will be felt by many that this also was unnecessary. The indiscretion of the Canadian Premier will seem to them not less conspicuous than that of the commander-in-chief of militia. Canada, it was said, would not submit to be "dragged out" by Lord Dundonald referred to first as a "foreigner," although the phrase was afterwards altered by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to "stranger." There was no occasion or need to use any such inflammatory words. The dispute was between the Canadian Government and an officer subject to its orders who had taken it upon him to criticize and censure. But even if the appointment or dismissal of the commander of militia lay with the Imperial Government, the reference would not have been a happy and gracious one; and one cannot help thinking that the Canadian Premier, in bringing Lord Dundonald to task, had an eye fixed upon the electors of the eastern province, and that the defence of his colleagues and of the principles of constitutional government might have been conducted in another way. The retirement of the officer who has so ably organized and raised the efficiency of the militia of the Dominion was probably inevitable; but it might very well have been possible to keep the bitter spirit of party from manifesting itself so openly.

Whether Mr. Fisher's action was wrong or not, Lord Dundonald's course was not justifiable. The general impression will be that he did the right thing although in the wrong way; and he may likely feel that the personal sacrifice it has entailed is more than balanced by the national good it gives some promise of securing. The Dominion has had its attention powerfully directed to the evil of allowing "political wiles and political schemes" to interfere with military efficiency; and the Government has made formal profession that "a non-partisan militia service" is an end to be worked for.

THE ORIGIN OF EVIL.

In a communication to the New York Sun, which the editor honors by placing it at the head of the editorial page, Goldwin Smith writes as follows of "The Origin of Evil."

"The General Slocum disaster, falling like the Tower of Siloam on a number of innocent victims, has turned the thoughts of many of your correspondents to the origin of evil. The origin of evil is a part of the mystery of the universe, as to which all that can be said is that it is a mystery still. Materialism offers no solution. A material origin of being not only is not proven, but is unthinkable. We have no apparent reason for assuming that the evidence of our physical senses, however aided by science, is a complete account of the universe, or more trustworthy than the instincts of a moral nature which speak of something beyond.

"We are apt to think of evil as a separate existence, embodied in Satan or Eblis, and disputing the world with good, embodied in the Deity. But all things, good or evil, are alike parts of the constitution of the universe. The same thing may be good in one aspect or in one relation, evil in another. The evil is in a certain sense the condition of the good. Human virtue is the fruit of effort, which implies an opposing force, in itself an impediment to good, and so for evil. If we try to think

of virtue without effort, the result is seraphic insipidity, from which Milton's angels are redeemed only by the antagonism of Satan.

"The General Slocum disaster reminds us, by the way, that the law of nature—that is, physical sequence—will hardly serve in place of de-throned Deity. It lacks the indispensable complement of a judiciary. The hundreds who perished had broken no law, whatever the man whose action caused the fire may have done. Invariable sequence there may be, and we may be vitally concerned in observing it. But there can be law, in the proper sense, without judicial discrimination. What breach of law did nature visit by the earthquake of Lisbon or the eruption of Mount Pelée?"

Those who insist that evil and suffering come as the result of the violation of some law of nature, might probably answer that the victims of the Slocum disaster were punished for trusting their lives on a boat that was a death-trap. The investigation so far has shown that the Slocum was so managed as to invite disaster. There was practically no provision against fire. The man who deliberately places his life in danger violates the first law of nature, which is self-preservation. The fact that the man exposes his life in ignorance of the danger, is no excuse in the eyes of nature, which punishes ignorance as severely as wilful disobedience. The man who trusts his life on board a boat like the Slocum, practically unprotected against danger, in a sense violates the laws of nature, as much as does the man who eats a poisonous fruit not knowing it to be poisonous. Both suffer for their ignorance. If it be said in reply that it is unjust to punish the innocent for ignorance which perhaps is unavoidable, the answer is that that is nature's way, and we must accommodate ourselves to nature rather than attempt to argue her into a change of method. If a child puts its hand on a hot stove, we are not startled at the consequences, nor do we start moralizing about the laws of nature, their justice or injustice. We are familiar with the fact, though the child was not, that a hot stove will burn, and will burn, whether the child be innocent or not. We are familiar with such incidents, and therefore they do not shock. Yet it is quite as natural that a ship which is a death-trap should bring suffering and death to its innocent passengers as it is that a hot stove should burn an innocent child. But we are not familiar with disasters like that of the Slocum, and they are of such magnitude that they appall us. When a child is injured by an exploding fire-cracker, we do not begin to moralize. We are familiar with such incidents. We know that the cracker is liable to explode, and injure the child, whether the child is innocent or not. The law of nature governing the explosion of the fire-cracker takes no cognizance of the child's innocence, and we are not shocked because it does not. When a similar law of nature operates to produce a Lisbon earthquake or an eruption of Mt. Pelée, resulting in a great calamity, then we are shocked, and we immediately proceed to discuss the origin of evil. We are shocked because the phenomenon and its results are unusual.

Of course, all this sheds no light on the origin of evil in a world supposed to be governed by a Divine Providence intimately concerned in its affairs. How to reconcile the operation of what are called the laws of nature with this Divine Providence—that is the great problem. As Goldwin Smith puts it, all that can be said is that it is a mystery still.

"TWO YEARS IN OTTAWA."

"I care nothing about etiquette, gentlemen. I've been two years at Ottawa."

This was a sentence used by Lord Dundonald in his Montreal speech, which has been the occasion of so much recent political excitement. To those who knew anything of the atmosphere of Ottawa with its petty intrigues, and tinsel social sham, the words of the noble lord have a meaning that cannot be understood by the general public. "Two years in Ottawa, gentlemen," are fraught with significance that no other words could impart. Two years among the little statesmen, with their little partisanship, with their petty objections, with their small and numerous jealousies, with their sordid ambitions, with their petty and with their "dignity" in contempt, and danger of being offended. Two years in such an atmosphere is enough to shake a backbone. "statesmen" to say nothing of a sensitive, Scottish nobleman, accustomed to move in the dignified atmosphere of integrity and honor. —Winnipeg Tribune.

ABUSES OF PATRONAGE.

Our system of appointments, whether civic, provincial or national, is entirely bad, patronage being looked

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upon in all quarters as the perquisite of persons in certain positions. This worst of all the fruits of the system of our neighbors we have thoroughly grafted into our system and into our whole national conscience until we have come to regard any service we render our country as constituting a claim for some position, whatever our fitness, and to feel injured when a Government makes any appointment for any other cause.

WORLD OF SPORT

BASBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At St. Louis—First game. R.H.E.
St. Louis..... 3 9 2
Cincinnati..... 0 3 2
Batteries—Taylor and Gearhart; Harpe and Schlei. Umpires, Moran and Zimmer.
At St. Louis—Second game. R.H.E.
St. Louis..... 6 11 0
Cincinnati..... 3 9 1
Batteries—Nichols and Gearhart; Kellam and Schlei. Umpires, Moran and Zimmer.
At Boston— R.H.E.
Brooklyn..... 5 8 2
Boston..... 2 8 3
Batteries—Garvin and Ritter; Pittinger and Needham. Umpire, Emigle.
At Pittsburgh— R.H.E.
Pittsburgh..... 3 10 2
Chicago..... 4 7 0
Batteries—Flaherty and Smith; Wicker and Kling. Umpire, O'Day.
At Philadelphia— R.H.E.
New York..... 12 13 1
Philadelphia..... 3 9 5
Batteries—Mathewson, Ames and Bowerman; Fraser, McPherson and Doan. Umpires, Johnstone and Carpenter.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Washington— R.H.E.
Washington..... 0 7 3
Boston..... 3 10 9
Batteries—Jacobsen and Kittredge; Young and Orger. Umpires, Dwyer and King.
At New York— R.H.E.
New York..... 7 7 0
Philadelphia..... 1 8 5
Batteries—Hughes and McGuire; Plank, Bruce and Powers. Umpire, Sheridan.
At Cleveland—Both games scheduled here to-day between St. Louis and Cleveland postponed on account of rain.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Toronto— R.H.E.
Toronto..... 1 7 3
Rochester..... 4 2 2
Batteries—Mills and Rauh; Faulkner and McAuley. Umpire, Egan.
At Baltimore— R.H.E.
Baltimore..... 7 14 0
Jersey City..... 0 2 5
Batteries—Adams and Hean; Rivers; Eason and Carriach. Umpire, Sullivan.
At Providence— R.H.E.
Providence..... 2 4 1
Newark..... 1 8 2
Batteries—Fairbanks and Beville; Hesterfer and Shea. Umpire, Callahan.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Won. Lost. P.C.
New York..... 49 17 742
Chicago..... 28 26 593
Cincinnati..... 36 27 571
Pittsburgh..... 35 29 540
St. Louis..... 33 31 518
Brooklyn..... 28 42 400
Boston..... 26 42 385
Philadelphia..... 16 47 256

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Won. Lost. P.C.
Boston..... 42 22 658
New York..... 40 23 635
Chicago..... 39 28 582
Cleveland..... 32 27 542
Philadelphia..... 28 33 458
St. Louis..... 27 35 435
Detroit..... 27 35 435
Washington..... 11 51 177

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Won. Lost. P.C.
Buffalo..... 33 21 611
Baltimore..... 34 22 607
Jersey City..... 33 23 589
Newark..... 28 28 500
Montreal..... 25 28 490
Toronto..... 27 30 474
Providence..... 24 30 444
Buffalo..... 15 39 283

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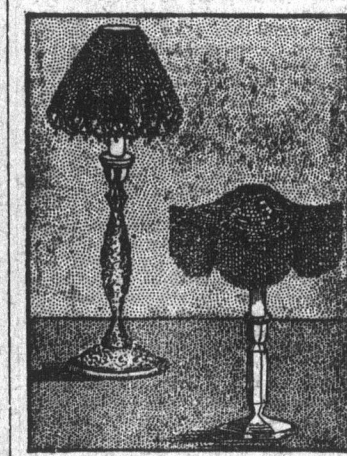
The Way to Get It Clean and Give It a High Polish.

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

BEAD CANDLE SHADES.

They are Easily Made and Produce a Charming Effect.

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



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

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

Made of Bamboo.

In a house where I visited recently I saw all sorts of useful things made from bamboo—supports for small tables, footstools, bookcases and curtain poles. Sometimes the bamboo was split. Then it made a neat finish to cretonne covered boxes or where a bit of colored matting had been transformed into a durable splasher or backing to a corner seat. The mistress of the pretty little house, who is an adept with hammer and nails, told me that every bit of bamboo came from the handle of a discarded broom. "A bamboo handled broom," she explained, "is so light and easy to use; besides, it costs no more than a heavier one. Then when the broom is worn out I have always a handle I can make into something or other."—Good Housekeeping.

A Famous Beauty's Cosmetic.

One of the most famous beauties was Ninon de l'Enclos, whose complexion was the envy of the ladies of the French court. Many were the compounds they tried to produce a fairness of skin and a rosy blush to equal hers, but in vain. The secret of Ninon de l'Enclos was one which neither she nor her chemist—in those days great ladies kept their chemists—would part with. It was only after her death, at the age of ninety, that Maitre d'Ornard told what had kept his mistress' complexion fresh and beautiful. It was rain water, pure and simple.

A Woman Coal Miner.

There is only one woman coal miner in Missouri, and she has but one arm. Miss Minnie Petrie began to work in the mine of her nephew, Theodore Petrie, near Fulton a few years ago because he could not get as many men as he wanted. The first day she worked she wore feminine clothes; but, finding them unsuitable, the next day she wore an old suit of her nephew's, and, attired in men's clothes, she has been digging coal ever since. She is fifty years old.—Kansas City Journal.

For the Baby's Crib.

The problem of keeping drafts away from a baby who has reached the "kicking" age is thus solved by a mother with a constitutional aversion to the nightgowns with feet attached. She made a little nest of the crib by lining the sides with quilted saten tacked firmly in place. The coverlid was provided with the strings and was tucked after baby had been put in. This afforded him plenty of room to move about, and yet not the slightest draft could get in by way underneath.

THE MEN DO

Some people say men don't read dry goods "advs." Maybe they don't read them all. Pity them if they had to—but they read ours—we know they do. They tell us so, besides they come in and buy the things we advertise. Here are buying opportunities that should bring them in crowds FRIDAY morning.

MEN'S 20c SOX AT 12 1-2c A PAIR—

10 doz men's plain and fancy drop-stitch 1-2 hose, seamless foot, double heels and toes, fast black, sizes 9 to 11, regular 20c a pair, clearing Friday at

75c WORKING SHIRTS AT 50c—

10 doz heavy black and white drill shirts, extra well made, cut full sizes, guaranteed colors, sizes 14 to 17, regular 65c to 75c each, clearing Friday at

75c FRENCH BALBRIGGANS AT 50c EACH—

8 doz men's real French Balbriggan shirts and drawers, superior quality and finish, regular 75c each, all sizes Friday at

\$1.00 MOLESKIN PANTS AT 83c—

7 doz men's extra quality moles-

ant, in r ng o'd rk stripe, strong-

ly made, well sewn, regular \$1.00 a pair, Friday,

MEN'S BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR

25c EACH—

Fine summer weight shirts and drawers, natural color, assorted sizes, regular 35c each, special Friday at

75c OVERALLS AT 48c—

6 doz cottonade duck and denim overalls, regular 60c, to 70c a pair, Friday at

MEN'S 50c STRAW HATS AT 10c EACH—

4 doz men's and boys' fine straw hats, assorted styles, regular 25c, 40c, and 50c each, clearing Friday at

28 ONLY MEN'S SUITS—

Fine imported plain and fancy worsteds, serges and Scotch tweeds, this

season's correct styles, superior linings and finish, black, navy, Oxford and mixtures, regular \$12.00, \$18.00 and \$14.00, clearing Friday at \$9.95.

46 ONLY MEN'S SUITS—

Fine pure wool tweeds, our own make, and guaranteed in every particular—quality, style, patterns and workmanship—medium and light weights, good assortment to select from, sizes 35 to 44 inches, regular \$8.50, \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$11.00 a suit, clearing at Friday

34 PAIRS MEN'S FINE PANTS—

Imported tweeds, hairline worsteds, etc., latest cut, extra well tailored, regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 a pair, clearing Friday at

46 PAIRS MEN'S TWEED PANTS—

Solid wearing all wool quality, good range of patterns, in all wanted sizes, regular \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50 a pair, clearing Friday at a pair \$1.38.

SEVEN STORES The NORHTWAY CO'Y, Limited TWO FACTORIES

EXCURSION TO NEW YORK JULY 14th.

\$10.25 return from Suspension Bridge and Buffalo to New York, good 15 days with privilege of trip on Hudson River boats in either or both directions between Albany and New York. Write Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge St., Toronto.

Almost every great result has a small beginning.

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Write Louis Drago, 69 1-2 Yonge St., for information about New York Central excursion, July 14th to New York City.

All great work consists of small deeds.

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Via Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line. Chicago to Denver, Colorado Springs, and Pueblo, daily throughout the summer. Correspondingly low rates from all points east. Only one night to Denver from Chicago. Two fast trains daily. B. H. Bennett, 2 East King St., Toronto, Ont.

CORNS GROW BETWEEN THE TOES.

But can be cured without pain in one day by Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor. This standard remedy never burns the flesh—it is entirely vegetable in composition and does not destroy the flesh. Use only Putnam's as it's the best.

Upholstering

Geo. E. Embrey can be found in future at C. Austin & Co's Dry Goods Store. Orders for Upholstering and Carpet Laying will have prompt attention.

Geo. E. Embrey

ROSES

And all High-Class Flowers, Floral Designs and Sprays a Specialty.

Tuson

Floral Artist, Windsor

Orders taken at Tschirhart's Music Store, opp. the Market, Chatham, Ont., where will be found at all times a large assortment of Cut Flowers at lowest prices.

Fire, Life and Accident.

Money to loan at lowest rate of interest.

GEO. K. ATKINSON

Phone 346 5th Street, Next Harrison Hall.

Glenn & Co.,

WILLIAM ST.

import direct the finest Ceylon, Assam and China Tea, Black Gunpowder and Young Hyson, Best English Breakfast Tea, 35c and 40c.

WANTED

BOARD—With or without rooms. Apply Mrs. S. Hicklin, Murray St.

HORSE WANTED—To drive for the summer. Good care will be taken of it. For further particulars apply to box 137, Chatham, Ont.

WANTED—Furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, about July 10th. Address H. W. Mann, Chaplin Wheel Co. 10t

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; no washing or ironing. Apply to Mrs. W. E. Rispin, corner of King and Lacroix Sts. 1t

A CANNASER WANTED—Samples free or returnable, freight charges prepaid, exclusive territory, regular customers. Salary or commission. No security. Write quick. COOPER, Drawer 551, London, Ont.

WANTED—Men wanted to learn barber trade; only eight weeks required by our system of constant practice; tools furnished; diplomas given. Full tuition \$25. Call or write. Detroit Barber College, 277 Jefferson avenue, Detroit, Mich.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

HOUSE FOR SALE—On Grant street, for particulars apply to Thomas Scullard, or at this office. 1t

FENCE FOR SALE—In good state of preservation. Apply to Thomas Scullard, Victoria Avenue. 1t

TO RENT—Rond Eau furnished cottage, by the month or season. Lots for sale at Centerville. James Glenn.

HOUSES FOR SALE—A house on Grant St., and house and lot on Victoria Ave. For particulars apply to Thomas Scullard, Victoria Block, or to this office. 1t

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT—75 acres, s. w. h. lot 17, con. 10, Dover with good frame house, stable and granary; good water; one mile from Dover Centre and in the best farming section in the County. Liberal terms. For full particulars apply to Archie Gillespie, Rhinocerosville, box 144, or to John Henderson, Dover Centre.

HOUSE AND THREE LOTS FOR SALE—On Poplar and Baldwin Sts. being composed of lots No. 2, Sub. 24. The house has a brick foundation, good cellar and is within a short distance of Head street; will be sold cheap and on easy terms of payment. Apply to Chas. A. Terry, Head street, or address Chatham, E. O. 1t

FARM FOR SALE—North east half of lot 16, Front concession. Township of Harwich, 133 acres. All cleared, clay loam, two good sized frame houses. Large frame barn and cattle shed; stable and driveway combined; granary and implement house. Buildings all in good repair; about five acres of orchard; artesian well, windmill and pump; three other wells. Price \$3,000.00. Apply on the premises to Mrs. John J. Wainth, or to W. F. Smith, barrister and solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

FOR SALE

House and lot on the corner of Victoria Avenue and Amelia Street. The house is in good repair with modern conveniences, including bath electric light and gas. There is also a good cellar, barn and fruit orchard. The lot has 136 feet frontage on Victoria Avenue by 255 feet on Amelia Street, extending to Lydian Avenue, and is the highest location in the city.

The property, if desired, will be divided, making two lots on Victoria Avenue and two on Amelia Street.

Also a lot and frame house with brick foundation, in good repair, on Lydian Avenue.

Also lots Nos. 3 and 4 on Elizabeth Street.

Also a house and two lots on Peter Street, Bothwell, known as the R. Martin property.

Apply to J. C. Fleming, Executor Banning Estate, at the County Treasurer's Office, Harrison Hall.

BOOKS FOR SALE—A complete set of the New Webster's Encyclopedia Britannica, cost \$84.00, and will be sold very cheap, as the owner wishes to use the money. Samples are at The Planet Office for inspection. 2w

MONEY TO LOAN

ON LAND MORTGAGES at lowest rate of interest. I also have a few farms for sale. I also sell buggies and carriages. Call and see me and get my prices, and you will save money by doing so. Henry Dagnan, Chatham.

Money to Loan

ON MORTGAGES—4-12 and 5 per cent. Liberal Terms and privileges to Borrowers. Apply to LEWIS & RICHARDS

MONEY TO LEND

ON LAND MORTGAGES ON CHATTELS MORTGAGES OR ON NOTES. To pay off mortgages. To buy property. Very lowest rates. J. W. WHITE, Barrister. Opp. Grand Opera House, Chatham.

SOMETHING NEW..

Two new houses for sale at \$1000 each, fine location, bath room, City water. Also other houses from \$500 up to \$3700, and 25 building lots in various locations.

\$3200. will buy a 33 acre farm with good orchard 6 miles from City. \$2200. secures a farm of 60 acres, 8 miles on city.

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FLY TIME

This is the season of the year that you are bothered with flies. Protect yourselves against the Pest by letting us take your order for Screen Doors and Windows. Leave word at our Office or phone 52 and we will call and take measurements and have Screens placed in position promptly.

BLONDE Lumber and

Lumber Dealers and Builders and Contractors.

Line, Cement AND Cut Stone.

We keep the best in stock at right prices.

JOHN H. OLDERSHAW,

The Great July Sale —OF— Shirtwaist Suits and Lawn Shirtwaists

will continue at nearly half price until every one is sold out.

Suits from \$3.25 and up
Shirtwaists at 69c up to \$3.50

The Urban Store

GARNER HOUSE BLOCK
Primeau & Peltier

DRS. CORNELL & FISHER

DENTISTS
Corner Sixth and King St.
Over the Bee Hive.
Phone 317.

TO-NIGHT.

Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., Temple, at 8.
Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., will meet at 8.
Meeting of Water Commissioners, Harrison Hall, at 7.30.
Pugle Band will meet for practice in the room in the drill shed at 8.
A special meeting of the degree team of the Catholic Order of Foresters at 8.

Local Briefs

No light on Lorne avenue last night.
Mrs. Ryan, Adelaide St., moved to the Eau this morning.
W. H. James, of Austin's, is spending the day in Windsor.
A. M. Elliott, of Bothwell, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.
George Moore, North Chatham, is spending the day in Detroit.
W. C. Newman, of Ridgeway, was a visitor in the city yesterday.
W. D. Wiley, of Dresden, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.
R. L. Gossnell, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday on legal business.
Coal and wood most reasonable and best at J. Gilbert & Co.'s, telephone 119.
Howard Scott, Supt. of Crown Grain Co., Winnipeg, is visiting his father, J. L. Scott.
For the balance of the stock of Hammocks and Refrigerators, A. H. Patterson is offering them at cost.
Miss Mary Griffith, of Manistee, Mich., has returned to her home in this city, where she will spend her summer vacation.
Mrs. Frank W. Phelps gave a dinner on Tuesday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Laura Williams, St. Thomas. Covers were laid for ten.
Health Inspector Mounter would do well to inspect the pile of manure on Barthe street. This is even worse than turning the city streets into a lumber yard.

Physical Culture, Massage and Electricity

If you want to know more of the facts of Clear Brain, Firm Muscle, Easy Digestion, Deep Breathing, Clear Skin, Self-Knowledge and Freedom from Sickness, Call or write to
W. H. Robert,
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PURSE BARGAINS

We have just received a large assortment of Purse and are showing the largest stock in our history. We bought them at our own price and will give bargains on Saturday of this week and all next week.

Watch our Window.

A. I. McCall & Co.,
LIMITED,
DRUGGISTS,
Cor. King and Fifth St.

Sterling Quality Footwear

No matter what the price you want to pay for your shoes, whether \$1, \$2, \$3, \$4 or \$5, you will find the very best in its class is here.

We pay as much attention to the buying of the cheaper grades as we do to the best lines we handle.

Inspect our footwear before buying and you will never regret it.

PEACE'S

is the place for Solid Footwear

We are still offering reduced rates in

CHINA, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,

DINNER, TEA, TOILET and GLASS SETS and FANCY LAMPS

A big snap in bowls, vegetable dishes, salt and pepper shakers, and many other lines.

DAVID BRENNAN,

Directly Opposite the Market, King St., Chatham.

Briscoe's bicycle repairs and delivery. **Jonas Gossnell** is suffering from a sprained arm.

Kalamazoo caskery by express to-day at Northwood's.

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

Found a gentleman's watch. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.

City Treasurer Fleming was busy to-day writing out the consolidated debt debentures which have been sold to W. C. Brent, Toronto.

James L. Weir brought to this office this morning a branch out from an apple tree in his yard. On the branch was an apple over an inch in diameter and several blossoms.

N. H. Brown, of Chatham township, who was committed by Squire Shaw, of Thorncliffe, on a charge of non-support paid by his wife, was released from custody yesterday by his solicitor, G. G. Martin, depositing \$200 as surety. Mr. Martin will take proceedings to quash the commitment.

St. Peter vs. Dover, motion was made before Judge Devlin this morning to quash the action for want of prosecution. Motion enlarged till the 18th inst. Thos. Scullard for plaintiff, Wilson & Co., contra. This case is an action for damages sustained by Agnes St. Peter from a fall owing to a defect in the road.

PARIS GREEN

know that you want a best and why not have it when it costs no more than the ordinary.

25c a lb.

The Crystal Pharmacy.

J. H. DENNIS,

PROP.

Successor to Ed. T. Jones.



Additional Items of Interest

The Interest in This Red Tag Sale Continues Unabated

Stocks of many lines are sold out, but others are taking their place. If you have a want in the Dry Goods way you will find it pays you to visit this store

Stirring Price Reduction on Seasonable Wash Goods

No old Goods—Everything this Season's Buying—Every piece of Wash Goods marked at a price to clear.

At 15 from 25c

100 yds. Summer Zephyr, black ground with flake effect and small white stripes, extra fine and sheer, 25c. value, cut price 15c yd.

Black Muslins

Here's your chance to buy a nice cool dress for the hot days. Black Lace Striped Muslins in a big variety of patterns, marked at special clearing prices:—

15c. value at 12½c yd.
12½c " 10c "
25c " 20c "
18c and 20c values at 15c yd

White Vestings

For separate skirts or waists, with a highly mercerized finish, fancy weave, choice scroll designs, regular 50c. value, cut price, 30c

White Dainties

For children's dresses, ladies' waists or cool kimono's, in small stripes and checks, our regular 20c cloth to clear at 16c yd.

Ladies' Belts—Special Red Tag Belt Sale of 25c, 50c and 75c Belts, including crush leather, velvet, Silk and Elastic Belts, Red Tag Price, 19c

Embroideries—50 pcs. of Embroideries and Insertions, all this season's patterns, in Muslin and Lawn, regular 20c. and 25c lines, Red Tag Price, 14c

Ladies' Neckwear—New York Neckwear in all the new styles and colors, only about 3 dozen left, your choice of this 35c. Neckwear at Red Tag Price, 25c

Music Rolls and Purses—Ladies' Music Rolls and Purses of fine grain leather, regular 75c. and \$1.00 lines, Red Tag Price, 69c.

BLACK FIGURED LUSTRES

25 Pieces of Black Figured Lustres, 40 to 44 in. wide of an unusually brilliant, fine quality, in just the weight for wearing at this season of the year, for Skirts, Travelling Gowns and House Dresses. You save a Third on the regular prices during the Red Tag Sale.
40 in. wide, a special line of Black Figured Lustre, Red Tag Price, 20c
42 in. wide in spots and fancy figured Lustre, Red Tag Price 30c
42 and 44 in. wide, in very pretty designs, Red Tag Price, 35c and 38c
42 and 44 in. wide in Fancy Brocade and Spots, special at Red Tag Prices, 40, 50 and 60c

JULY PRICES OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

The choicest of the choice is here—the daintiest, the best fitting, the most pleasing Muslin Underwear that you ever picked from at either regular or special prices

69c—Ladies' Gowns of fine white cotton with yoke of insertion and cluster tucking, finished with ruffle in neck and sleeves

69c—Misses' Cambric Gowns, V neck, wide hemstitched pleats in yoke, neck and sleeves trimmed with embroidery

\$1.25—Of Cambric, with square yoke of insertion and braiding, trimmed around neck, yoke and sleeves with embroidery

\$1.69—Of Cambric or Muslin, low square neck, yoke of lace or embroidery insertion, long or short sleeves

DRAWERS 25c—Of fine Cambric with wide ruffles, finished with hem and 2 wide tucks hemstitched. **50c**—Of Cambric, with ruffles of wide embroidery

89c—Of Cambric, with deep muslin ruffles, trimmed with wide Torchon insertion and lace

CORSET COVERS 12½c—Plain tight fitting corset covers, low round neck. **25c**—Full front or tight fitting corset covers with lace or embroidery trimming

50c—Full fronted corset covers, trimmed down the front, with 4 rows Torchon insertion, neck and sleeves finished with lace

73c—Of Cambric with deep muslin flounce, trimmed with ruffle of wide Torchon lace

93c—Of Cambric, with flounce of deep embroidery

\$1.25—Of Cambric, with graduated flounce of muslin embroidery, bow knot design

\$1.48—Of Cambric with wide muslin flounce, trimmed with two rows of wide insertion and ruffle of lace, dust ruffle

\$2.68—Of Cambric with graduated flounce of embroidery, finished at top with row of insertion

SPECIAL PRICES ON DINING ROOM FURNITURE

Solid Oak Sideboard

Height 6 ft. 10 in., case Top 22 x 50 in.; Mirror 18 x 30 in., German bevel, top drawers and door panels are quarter cut oak. Regular price \$20, Special Sale Price, \$16.25

Sideboard, Natural Grain Ash, Golden finish, 6 x 6 ft. high, top 21 x 48 in., Mirror 18 x 30 in. bevelled, worth regularly \$16.50, sale price \$14.00

Solid Oak Dining Table

Golden finish, has 5-4 in. legs, and extends to 8 ft. They are good value at \$11.50, but we place them on sale at special price of \$10

Hardwood Dining Table

Hardwood Extension Dining Table, Golden Finish, extends to 6 ft. Special Sale Price, \$4.75

Dining Chairs from 35c to \$7.50 Each

Solid Oak Dining Chairs, excellent design, leather pad seats, 5 small and 1 arm, regular price \$16.00, Special Sale Price, \$13.00

China Cabinets and Parlor Cabinets

At Special prices during this sale.

Clothing and Men's Wear

No matter when your vacation is coming, you'll need things that we put off buying till our stocks and your time and money are short.

SUGGESTIONS:—CUT THIS OUT. Straw Hats, from 25c to \$2.00; Caps, from 25c to \$1.00; Belts, from 10c to 75c; Dusk Trousers, special 98c; Bathing trunks and suits, 10c to \$1.00; Negligee and Outing Shirts, 50c to \$1.50; Wash Vests, \$1.00 to \$2.50; Thin Underwear 25c to 75c; Summer Sox, 10c to 50c.

THIS SPECIAL RED TAG SALE OF \$10.00 and \$11.00 Men's Suits at \$7.49.

Is giving very genuine satisfaction, as was distinctly intended. It is a carefully prepared temptation, not a lot of odds and ends and almost anyone can find just what he would like, no matter what they may be. Every garment was made specially for us, and we think this is a good way to advertise them.

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OUR SLICED DRIED BEEF Is Delicious

Cured just right, not too salty, tender and juicy, it almost melts in the mouth.

30c a pound.

SLICED JELLIED HOCK, 18c lb.

SLICED PRESSED BEEF, 15c lb.

SCOTCH FRESH HERRINGS, 2 cans for 25c.

HERRINGS in TOMATO SAUCE 2 cans for 25c.

MIXED BISCUITS, 10c a lb.

MIXED BISCUITS, 15c a lb.

FANCY BISCUITS, 20c a lb.

RICH MILD CHEESE, 12c a lb.

FINE OLD CHEESE, 18c a lb.

H. Malcolmson

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CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker Northwood Block, Chatham, July 7, 1904—

Wheat—OPEN HIGH LOW CLOSE

July (new) 85 90 88 90

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Lard..... 705

July..... 712 720 710 717

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Is your husband seriously ill?

Oh, no. I think he's safe for the present. The doctor says he hasn't discovered yet what's the matter with him.



"The Handsome Silver Trophy, presented by the Free Press Printing Company, of London, Ont., to the Western Ontario Bowling Association, for Annual Competition in Association Match."

Self-praise seldom gets a man a job.

Noticeable Features

Character is what you want in your new Suit, features that can't help being noticed, and say that an expert tailor made your clothes.

Gentlemen fully appreciate the noticeable style touches a **Master Tailor** can put on a suit.

Prices Moderate

Tailors.... **MORLEY & CO.** Importers

DR. A. W. THORNTON
DENTIST.
Office over A. I. McCall & Co's
Drug Store, Cor. King and Fifth Sts.
Telephone.
Office 164, Residence 285.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, July 7.—11 a. m.—Moderate easterly winds, mostly fair and cool, with scattered showers. Friday, variable winds, fair and cooler.

Detroit, July 7.—Forecast—Lower Michigan—Fair Thursday and Friday except showers in the southeast portion of light northeast winds.

Upper Michigan—Fair Thursday and Friday; warmer Friday; variable winds.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 78.

Lowest during night, 61.

This morning, 65.

Barometer, 29.45.

Direction of wind, east.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Gordon's great muslin sale is now on. Finest goods, 15c to 25c values, at 9c yard.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jefferson, who have been visiting at the home of C. W. Wright, Brook St., returned home to-day.

Lost—On Monday, 4th, a Bank of Commerce endorsed cheque, drawn in favor of E. Lafferty, on June 30, by Mr. T. R. Harris, Sec.-Treas. Collegiate Institute, for \$50.00. Payment of same has been stopped.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Pickett took place this afternoon at the Maple Leaf cemetery. It was very largely attended, showing the high esteem in which the aged lady was held by her friends.

The Chatham City B. M. will (with a permit) give an excursion to the E. N. on Monday evening, July 18, and Friday, July 22. Train will leave C. P. R. station at 7:20; returning, will leave E. N. at 11 o'clock. Fare, 30 cents.

Great sale of muslins at the Gordon Store; 7,500 yards, 15c to 25c values, at 9c yard.

BOWLING

The finals in the bowling tournament were played off yesterday on the local bowling green. These games were to have been played on the first of July but the rain prevented the playing.

Ridgetown won out from Chatham in the finals for the Sutherland trophy. J. W. Webb's rink were the runners up but failed to win the final game.

The Chatham rink skipped by A. H. VonGuten were successful against Ridgetown in the final game for the Banner-News trophy. It looked for a time as if Chatham would be beaten, as at one period of the game the opposing rink was 10 shots ahead on 7 ends. At the conclusion of the game, however, Mr. VonGuten was one shot up, and won out.

There was a good attendance of spectators and much interest was taken in the result.

TENNIS

Bothwell and Chatham were matched at the Tennis Court yesterday afternoon, when Bothwell came off with the final honors by a score of 5 to 6. The game was a good one. Bothwell went ahead at the start, but the Chatham boys gained on them near the end, not enough, however, to come off victorious. The following were the results:

Fraser and Dennis, Chatham, beat Reddicumbe and Finckan.

McLeod and Gunn, Chatham, beat Vincent and Ellison.

McMurrick and Kelly beat Rispin and Musson.

Puddicombe, Bothwell, beat Fraser, Vincent, Bothwell, beat McLeod, Chatham.

Ellison, Bothwell, beat Gunn, Chatham.

Dennis, Chatham, beat Finckan, Bothwell.

Musson, Chatham, beat Kelly, Bothwell.

Dr. McMurrick, Bothwell, beat Rispin, Chatham.

Final score—Bothwell 5, Chatham 4.

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PASSED EXAM.

Results of the Recent Kindergarten Exams—Five Chathamites Successful.

(Special to The Planet.)

Toronto, July 7.—The Educational Council has received, and to-day approved, the results of the Boards of Examiners for the normal college and kindergarten examinations.

For assistants' certificates the following Chathamites were successful:—

E. McCrae, A. McLean, M. Shackleton, L. Walker and V. Watson.

Misses McLeod, Shackleton, Walker and Watson were students at the Central School Kindergarten, and Miss McCrae at McKee's School.

.....SOCIETY.....

CHARMING SOCIAL EVENT.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized last evening at seven o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bright, Wellington street, when Miss Flo, their daughter, was united in marriage to Willis T. Parsons, M. D., of Cleveland.

The bride was one of Chatham's prettiest and most popular young ladies, although for some time past she has been a trained nurse in Cleveland.

The bride looked beautiful indeed in crepe de chene. Mrs. Geo. Merritt, her sister, was matron of honor, and a little niece, Miss Gladys Merritt, was a very pretty flower girl.

Mrs. John Cooper sang, in good voice, "Faithful and True," from Lohengrin, while Mrs. A. T. McDonald, of New York, played the wedding march.

The drawing room where the pretty ceremony of the Church of England was performed by Rev. Rural Dean McCosh, was decorated very tastefully with flowers.

The bride was given away by her father, Howard Parsons, brother of the groom, was best man.

The ceremony over, all adjourned to the dining room, which was beautifully decorated in green and white, where a sumptuous wedding dinner was served.

Many were the congratulations and wishes for a happy and prosperous future showered upon the happy couple.

The many and costly wedding gifts evidenced the good wishes of their numerous friends. They left last evening for their future home in Cleveland, Ohio.

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JAPANESE FOLKLORE.

Lafadio Hearn Gives Another Glance Into Its Mystic Beauties.

Mr. Lafadio Hearn has given us another glance into the mystic beauties of Japanese folklore, in a small volume of twenty tales, as weird as those of Edgar Allan Poe. With poetic sympathy, he has translated these strange legends which form part of the more or less ancient literature of Japan. Mr. Hearn's work is that of an interpreter, and is art of the highest class. It is simple and graceful in style, and the narration is of one who, understanding both the East and the West, transmits fine intuition from one to the other, with, as it were, the class of the hand. The "Kwaidan" are pretty tales, and take a lasting hold on the imagination. Among them is the story of Aoyagi, a beautiful peasant girl living with her parents in a lonely hut on the top of a mountain. She was wooed and won by Tomotada, a valiant young samurai in the service of the Prince of Noto. But her parents refused to consent to the marriage of their daughter to one so much above her in position, and so presented the girl to the noble, young samurai "for an humble handmaid." Before the deeply smitten Tomotada could obtain his prince's permission to marry Aoyagi other trials occurred, which were, however, happily united. After living together in great happiness for five years, the story goes on to relate how one day the young wife was filled with great pain, and begged her husband quickly to repeat the Nembutsu prayer, as she was dying. Tomotada tried to allay her fears, but without result.

"No, no!" she responded; "I do not imagine it; I know! . . . And it was needless now, my dear husband, to hide the truth from you any longer; I am not a human being. The soul of a tree is my soul; the heart of a tree is my heart; the sap of the willow is my life. And some one at this cruel moment is cutting down my tree; that is why I must die!" With another cry of pain she turned aside her beautiful head, and tried to hide her face behind her sleeve. But almost in the same moment her form appeared to collapse in the strangest way, and so sink down, down, down, until she lay flat on the ground. Tomotada had sprung to support her—but there was nothing to support! There lay on the matting only the empty robes of the fair creature, and the ornaments she had worn in her hair; the body had ceased to exist.

Tomotada shaved his head and became a Buddhist priest, and one day in his travels he reached the spot where first he had met Aoyagi. There was nothing to mark the place except the stumps of two old willows, two old trees and one young tree, that had been cut down some time before. Beside the stump he erected a memorial tomb inscribed with holy texts, and there he performed many Buddhist services on behalf of the spirits of Aoyagi and her parents.

Can You Improve This?

It is not very well known that in the hall of one of the great colleges of England there hangs a framed inclosing a few sentences of which Abraham Lincoln is the author. They are considered the best English that has ever been written. We might read them over and call them very simple indeed. And they are so simple that any child who reads at all can read and understand them. That is one thing that makes them great. It was a very simple and plain that made Lincoln himself great.

Now, here is a little paragraph by Lincoln which he made a rule of his conduct. Suppose you try to write it over and see how much you can improve it. See if each word is the right one and try to find a better word for the place. Notice how simple this is. All but two are words of a single syllable:

"I am bound to win, but I am bound to be true. I am not bound to succeed, but I am bound to live up to the light I have. I must stand with anybody that stands right, and stand with him while he is right and part with him when he goes wrong."

Organized London Ruffianism.

When the curtain fell on "The Bride and the Bridegroom," by Arthur Law, at the New Theatre, London, on a recent Thursday night, a hand of ruffians in the gallery tried to start a riot or a panic. It was the most disgraceful scene witnessed in a London theatre in many years. Mr. Wyndham tried to quell the row, but he was hissed, "bood" and "bood" until finally he had to summon the police. After the ruffians were ejected he told his audience that in future he would take means to protect them from organized disturbance. The row lasted twenty minutes and was said to be due to dissatisfaction over the exclusion of Mabel Terry Lewis from the curtain call. What London managers need on a first night are just about one dozen New York policemen, with just two "high balls" apiece under their belts. The rioters would last then about thirty seconds.—New York Paper.

Mileage of African Railways.

The following table shows the mileage of African railways, with the exception of the "Cape to Cairo" project, that are either in operation or under construction at the present time:

Districts.	Miles of Surveyed Railway and Definite Projected.	Building.
Tunis-Algeria	2,361	600
Senegal-Soudan	278	224
French Guinea	342	342
British Guinea	35	163
Trovy Coast	280	280
Gold Coast	42	82
Dahomey	42	497
Sierra Leone	42	143
Lagos	249	1,243
Belgian Congo	221	221
Portuguese Congo	221	221
German West Africa	4,350	4,350
Cape Colony	288	644
Uganda	288	288
Madagascar	288	288
Total	7,967	4,229

Good Balcony Plants.

For the balcony, Cobaea scandens, a very rapid creeper, is excellent. Good pot plants from seed sown last autumn will make a much quicker growth than spring sown seedlings. The fine bell-shaped blossoms of this plant are pale green when they first appear, changing to a deep purple in a few days, and the long sprays of foliage which it throws on all sides are very decorative in themselves. One good plant will cover several square yards of ironwork, and the bright yellow flowers of Tropaeolum canariense harmonize delightfully with the sombre purple of the cobaea.

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With Other July Clearing Sale Bargains

WILLIAM GORDON

Foot-Binding in China.

Women are certainly the inferior sex in China. A man does not leave his father and mother to cleave to his wife, but he demands that his wife shall become the absolute slave of his parents while they live. The bride is chosen by the parents and a man seldom knows anything of her before marriage.

For a long time the women of China have submitted to the torture of foot-binding, and have toddled about on nothing more than a peg in the slowest and most painful manner. It has always been considered a beauty, this was deformed foot for a woman, and a man chooses his wife for her small feet rather than her beauty.

Imagine a woman tottering through life on a two and a half inch foot. In a certain sense it makes women captives, yet not altogether for one sees them on the streets and even working in the fields almost minus the pedal extrem

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FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE.

The noble woman of whom Longfellow wrote the lines that follow has just passed her eighty-fourth birthday, having outlived almost all her contemporaries. It is half a century since her work in the hospital of the Crimea made her famous throughout the English-speaking world.

Longfellow, in a note, says: At Pisa the Church of San Francesco contains a chapel dedicated lately to Santa Filomena; over the altar is a picture by Sabatelli, representing the saint as a beautiful nymph-like figure floating down from heaven, attended by two angels bearing the lily, palm and javelin, and beneath, in the foreground, the sick and maimed who are healed by her intercession.—Mrs. Jameson, Sacred and Legendary, lib. II., 209.

Whether a noble deed is wrought, Where'er is spoken a noble thought, Our hearts in glad surprise To higher levels rise.

The tidal waves of deeper souls Into our inmost being roll, And lift us up unawares Out of all meaner cares.

Honor to those whose words or deeds Thus help us in our daily needs, And by their overflow Raise us from what is low!

Thus thought I as by night I read Of the great army the dead, The trenches cold and damp, The starved and frozen camp.

The wounded from the battle-plain In dreary hospitals of pain, The cheerless corridors, The cold and stony floor.

Lo! in that home of misery A lady with a lamp I see, Pass through the shimmering gloom, And lit from room to room.

And slow, as in a dream of bliss, The speechless sufferer turns to kiss Her shadow as it falls Upon the darkening walls.

As if a door in heaven should be Opened and then closed suddenly, The vision came and went, The light shone and was spent.

On England's annals, through the long Hereafter of her speech and song, That light its rays shall cast From portals of the past.

A Lady with a Lamp shall stand In the great history of the land, A noble type of good Heroic womanhood.

Not even shall be wanting here The palm, the lily and the spear, The symbols that of yore, Saint Filomena bore. —Longfellow.

RISE AND FALL OF CONSOLS.

Something About a Favorite Form of English Investment.

Consols form a very accurate barometer of our national life, says The London Daily News. When trade is good, and the general outlook hopeful, the price rises; when the future seems unsettled, either commercially or politically, it falls.

At the moment of writing, owing to heavy municipal loans and a variety of other causes, the price of Consols is lower than it has been for thirty-eight years.

Like many other terms used on the Stock Exchange, where time and words are precious, "Consols" is a handy abbreviation. Just as the War Loan is known as "Khakis," and Central London Railway shares are called "Tubes," so "Consols" is a colloquialism for consolidated Annuities—a fund which dates from 1751. By a statute passed in that year a variety of Government stocks were thrown into one fund, consisting of day of £590,000,000, or nearly three-quarters of our entire national debt.

A large proportion of this vast amount is, however, "locked up"—that is to say, purchased and held as a permanent investment, bringing in a regular income, and only a comparatively small amount is usually available for negotiation. As in the case of other stocks, the price per £100 varies, according to supply and demand.

For the lowest price on record we have to go back to 1797, when the Spanish war sent it down to £47 10s. The other extreme was reached in 1896, when it rose to £113 17s. 6d.

The entire management of Consols, in common with the rest of the national debt, is vested in the Bank of England, which acts in this respect as the agent of the Government. The bank keeps all the accounts and pays the dividends; and it is a peculiarity of this fund that a seller must attend at the bank, either in person or by attorney, to sign the transfer book. The amount of work thus caused is amazing; but some idea of its vastness may be derived from the fact that many thousands of the quarterly dividends are for sums like 1s. or 1s. 6d.

These, as well as the larger amounts, are paid by post in the form of money order or cheque, unless the proprietor of the stock gives notice that he intends to make personal application.

Many years ago Consols paid eight per cent. interest. This rate gradually decreased, and in 1888 Mr. Goschen reduced it to 2½, and arranged for a further reduction to 2-3 in 1903. That is why Consols are sometimes facetiously called "Goschens."

Could, Not Would.

Referring to the nineteenth birthday of the Baroness Burdett-Coutts it is recalled that at one time it was currently reported that the great Duke of Wellington wanted her for a wife.

When the report reached the Water-loo hero he made this comment: "I said Miss Angela Burdett-Coutts deserved to be a duchess, not that I would make her one." On hearing what the famous soldier said, Miss Burdett-Coutts remarked quietly, "I think His Grace should have said could instead of would."

Too Ready With the Knife.

Sir Frederick Treves, the eminent English surgeon, recently delivered an address in which he took the view that the knife is used too hastily in many cases of appendicitis.

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CURE SICK HEADACHE.

An Extraordinary Memory.

At the Glasgow congress on psychology Professor Mueller of Goettingen told of a certain Dr. K. who within a few seconds was able to work out the square of any number of five figures given to him. He was also able to learn by heart and repeat a row of figures 204 in number within twelve and a half minutes. Professor Mueller asserted that no such memory for figures had ever been known, the record having been 204 figures in seventy-five minutes.

Onion Sandwiches.

Onions eaten raw, with bread and butter, make a capital complexion clearer and nightcap, especially for the nervous person, inclined to lie awake at night and to wake up dishearteningly early in the morning. Slice the onions thin and sprinkle lightly with salt to take off the raw, crude taste, and have the bread thin and a good deal of butter.

Sir Edwin and a Poem.

Sir Edwin Arnold had one very painful experience as a poet, writes a correspondent. He wrote a poem and sold the copyright to a stranger, whom he too hastily assumed to be the editor of an American magazine. When he next saw his work it was being used as the advertisement of a proprietary medicine.

Good Arrangement.

"Say, Mrs. Jackson, ma wants to know why you don't come around and do her washin'?"

"Yo' tell yo' ma dat my ole man's in jail now, an' I don't hab to wuk so hard like I did befo'."

The Limit.

Mrs. Muggins—My husband is a perfect crank. Mrs. Huggins—All husbands are, my dear. Mrs. Muggins—But fancy a man who complains that his mustard plasters are not as strong as those his mother used to make!

A Mind at Ease.

Mr. Manley—Well, darling, I've had my life insured for \$5,000. Mrs. M.—How very sensible of you! Now I shan't have to keep telling you to be so careful every place you go to.

Turn Time Backward.

Be Young Again.

At last there is hope for the army of young, old, middle-aged men who either through early indispositions, late exposures or exposure to them, are now reaping the harvest of their folly! At last you are free to face with the realization that nature cannot be deceived, neither does it forget the wrong done it, whether through ignorance or otherwise, but the punishment always corresponds with the amount of abuse committed. Do not, however, despair, for the great specialist, who can give you the best and most reliable advice, has found out that you are not what you should be, if you have stricture, prostate trouble, sexual weakness, varicose, lost manhood, blood poison, hydrocele, enlargement of testis, impotency, rheumatism, kidney trouble, heart disease, nervous debility, etc., write at once to Dr. Langton, and he will send you his method of curing these diseases free of charge. He has received fourteen diplomas, certificates and licenses from colleges and boards of medical examiners, which should convince you as to his standing and ability. His acceptance of a case for treatment is equivalent to a cure, and he never accepts an insurance or treatment, and should you decide to doctor with him, remember:

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The doctor realizes that it is one thing to make claims and another thing to back them up, so he has made it a rule not to ask for money unless he that you will willingly pay him a small fee. You will see, therefore, that it is to the best interest of every man who reads this to write to his doctor at once and confidentially lay your case before him. He sends his method as he has booklet on the subject, containing the 14 diplomas and certificates, which he will send you free of charge, and he will send you his method of curing these diseases free of charge.

Build Up the Flock.

It will pay you to send to some good breeder and get a setting of eggs to spring to build up your flock next year.

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CRUISE OF THE SEA GULL.

First Canadian Cargo to Natal, Africa, Was a \$2,500 Loss—From Toronto to the Port of Durban.

This is the tale that was told to me by a battered and shattered son of the sea. To me and my mistress, Miss Green, When I was a guileless young marine.

While the Transportation Commission is traveling about the country gathering information on this important question, many opportunities occur for reminiscences of earlier days of transportation in Canada, and few are better qualified to speak of these than Mr. Robert Reford of Montreal, says The Globe. On one of these occasions Mr. Reford gave a most interesting account of his experiences as a merchant in Toronto, where he conducted business in the Market nearly fifty years ago. At that time a line of four schooners of about 450 tons ran for three years between Liverpool and Canada, the business being conducted by the firm of Capt. Frank Jackson of Toronto, who suggested this vessel out with a cargo for Port Natal, now Durban, South Africa, where the captain had a friend, through whom he felt confident a very profitable sale of the cargo could be made.

"Well, but," said Mr. Reford to the captain, "what will we load her with?" and at the captain's suggestion he loaded the cargo, about 300 barrels of whiskey, at that time selling for about 25 cents a gallon, and a quantity of general merchandise were added. A seafaring commander was secured at Quebec and the voyage began. After a long delay in the doldrums at the equator the Sea Gull reached Cape Town, where she had the misfortune of losing her anchors in a storm. A similar experience was also met at Port Elizabeth.

The schooner finally arrived at Port Natal in a storm, which carried her 200 miles away. Returning she was again driven past the port, but made it on the third attempt, running straight into a little stream, which left her high and dry when the tide went out.

Now was Captain Jackson's chance to make a fortune by the sale of his cargo, but, alas, the population of Natal had little use for lumber or whiskey. The natives had risen, and the white population were in terror for their lives, their greatest desire being to be taken away. The lumber seemed useless for anything but coffins. It was unloaded, and sugar, rum, ostrich feathers and baboons shipped in its place, besides 50 passengers anxious to be taken anywhere else. With this cargo and the whiskey still on board the return voyage was made to Boston. Whether from the presence of the ripening whiskey on board or otherwise Mr. Reford did not explain, but the monkeys behaved so badly that only two reached America alive. And after discharging the cargo at Boston the Sea Gull returned to Toronto, where the baboons were turned over to delight the juvenile portion of the population.

Mr. Reford added that the loss on the venture was not more than \$3,500.

Such was the tale that was told to me by that modest and truthful son of the sea: And I envy the life of a second mate, The sailor's life, and the sailor's mate, For he's not like some of the swabs I've seen, As would go and lie to a poor marine.

CANADIAN LAW AND ORDER.

Element Not In Sympathy With Canadian Ideas Taught a Lesson.

A private letter from Fernie, gives some interesting particulars of one aspect of the recent fire which destroyed a large portion of the town. The fire began when the fire was in progress, the town containing an element not in sympathy with Canadian ideas of law and order, and an unlimited supply of liquor being obtainable. Special constables were sent to the fire, but the fire was soon filled. The situation still was serious. One of the higher employees of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company is Major J. G. Langton, late of Toronto, the commanding officer of No. 2 Army Service Corps, Toronto, formerly adjutant of the 20th Battalion Rifles, and prior to that an active non-com. in the Queen's Own. Major Langton volunteered his services. He was given a number of men and took charge of the fire district, which contained much valuable property.

Major Langton converted the Police Court into a guard-room, procured distinguishing badges for his special constables, and persons authorized to be inside the fire lines, and then cleared the district of all others. That done, he established a cordon of armed sentries around the fire area. Going back to his non-com. days, he posted the sentries and took out the relief himself. This process began in the afternoon, and by night the place was very quiet, the moral effect on the foreigners being unexpectedly great. The Chief of Police then used the remainder of the special constables for patrolling the town outside of the burned district, and there was not the slightest trouble.

On the ensuing day there was some talk of mobbing the guardians of property. The precautions were renewed, and at 10 p.m. Major Langton doubled his sentries and placed a larger reserve in the guard-room; while the police kept the crowd moving.

The night passed quietly, the alarm being a fresh outbreak of the fire in some debris. The guard turned out and for two hours fought the fire.

The people out here never realized before what a little display such as we made could do in the way of aweing the lawless element," writes an eye-witness. It is expected that the events of the two nights will give a stimulus to the projected organization of an independent militia company.

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A Valuable Tooth.

William Archer in the Fortnightly Review, tells an amusing story of the economy practiced and necessary in the early days of the Norwegian theater at Bergen. It was in 1849, when Ibsen and Bjornson were creating the national drama. A lady had been engaged for the part of "second old woman" when it was discovered that her elocutionary powers were impaired by the fact that she had lost one of her front teeth. Impoverished as she was, the management came to the rescue and bore the expense of the necessary dentistry. When she retired, however, after two seasons, she had to leave the tooth behind her, the example of the dentist's art being the property of the theater. The management was too poor to part with it!

The Eye of a Pianist.

A pianist has to cultivate the eye so as to see 1,500 signs in one minute, the fingers to make 2,000 movements and the brain to understand all these signs as well as direct all these movements. In playing Weber's "Moto Perpetuo" a pianist has to read 4,541 notes in less than four minutes, or about nineteen a second, but the eye can receive only about ten consecutive impressions a second, so that in quick music it seems that a player does not see every note singly, but in groups, probably a bar or more at one view.

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A PIONEER'S EXPERIENCE.

Alas, McIntyre, of Egremont Township.

Tells of His Early Life Cutting

Out a Forest Home.

Alex. McIntyre of Egremont Township, came to Canada in 1851. Mr.

McIntyre stayed a short time in Cheltenham, then he came to Egremont, took up the farm where he still owns a big log shack in the heart of the bush, moved in when there was only a canvas hung up for a door and the wolves would be howling around at night, like to tear it down, but he always kept the ax, "the sword of defence," near at hand.

There was then no neighbors, no roads; one did not know where the roads would be, as the land was not yet surveyed; the only way of traveling was by marking the trees with the ax, so that one could return the same way.

The nearest place where the newcomer could sharpen his ax was at a Mr. McDougall's, who lived where Mr. Dan Murphy lives now, three or four miles away, who had a griststone.

The nearest place to get groceries was up the Owen Sound road; one Cochran kept a little store there. It goes by that name yet. There is a small burying ground there.

Heard Wolves Howling.

The first winter he started off one day to get his ax sharpened, and also get some groceries. Striking across the bush, the crust on the snow would carry him. As he was about two miles from home, he heard a pack of wolves on his heels, as he supposed. His first thought was that he would be killed, so he removed parts of his clothing and hung them up in a tree, his bonnet along with the rest. Perhaps somebody might come along and steal them. Then he set his back against a tree, the ax in hand ready to fight to the last. To his great relief they took another route, being after a deer instead of a man. In going through the bush one could often see deer carcasses where they had been killed by the wolves and partly eaten.

The next spring he bought two hundred of flour and fifteen bushels of potatoes from a person in Arthur Township. The next job was to get his purchase home, as the river was flooded and there was no bridge, only a tree chopped down across the water, which was very high in the spring, and the tree would be floating on the water. Still he had to face it. The farmer brought a horse as far as Mr. Samuel Wallace's on the other side of the river, the farm now owned by Mr. Canton, about two miles away by the road; he had to take it, but there was nothing else for it, and to carry it all on his back. He had to make several trips across the river, expecting every trip would be the last, as the log was swinging so, but he got it all over. The next thing was to carry it all home, and he persevered until he got it home. He used himself up so that he had to take a rest on the broad of his back on the bed.

Left Family in the Woods.

In the summer time he used to go down the country to work, leaving his wife and two little children in the bush. He worked in one place for eleven dollars a month, and now man have the cheek to ask thirty dollars a month.

In the winter time he used to cut down as much of the bush as the dull ax would allow him, and he had cleared a little patch, enough to sow a little wheat and plant some potatoes. It happened one bright moonlight night, when the grass was full grown, that he was aroused out of his sleep by hearing tramping about the house. Thinking it was a black bear that he had which had broken into the grain, he got up, partly dressed and went out. As he looked around he saw what he thought was the steer down amongst the grain. He picked up a stick, and went to give him a good "whack" before he got out, these being only a slash fence in those days to protect the crop, and he hurried after him through the grain, the stick raised in the air ready to give him the full weight of it, but as they both got over the fence in quick succession the supposed steer stood up on his hind legs with his back against a tree, and his pursuer directly saw that it was Mr. Bruin he was chasing. So he called to his neighbor, he had one then, to come out with a gun, as he had a bear standing up against a tree, and there was a fine chance to put a ball through him. But the neighbor, thinking he was safest where he was, said, "Well, Sandy if you want to leave him alone." He also made the excuse that he could not find the powder or balls for the gun. After trying both coaxing and scolding the neighbor till he was tired he had to give it up. He backed to the fence, keeping his eye on the bear all the time. When he got near enough he threw himself over. Mr. Bruin at the same time letting himself down on all fours, disappeared in the bush.

His First Grist.

His first grist was the product of the first wheat he cut. He threshed some of it by spreading sheets and quilts on the ground, and by tying two sticks together he made a flail with which he knocked the grain off the straw, then he cleaned it by winnowing it in the wind, the way they used to do in olden times. When done he had three bushels. This he had to carry on his back all the way through the bush to a doctor's Mills, which as everybody knows, are between three and four miles away. The grist had to be got home again in the same way. When he had his first yoke of steers broken in he was asked to go for a doctor. So he hitched the steers into the jumper, a rig that was used instead of a sleigh, made with his own hands, not a nail in it or iron of any kind about it, and off he started away down to Arthur, just as anyone would do now with a horse and buggy. On the way he had an accident. When he told his errand, the other said: "Well, Sandy, if they know in the old country that you were going after a doctor with a pair of sticks, they would have a good laugh."

Finding Through the Bush.

Another time he and his neighbor's boy started off with the steers and the jumper, with two grists, one for each family. In going away they were all right, for it was daylight, but in coming home it was dark in the bush and they had a torch with them made out of cedar bark, but they had not proceeded very far when the torch went out and they were left in the dark. What was to be done but plod along the best way they could? Mr. McIntyre went on ahead feeling for the road, while the boy came behind with the steers and the load, with a rope tied to their horns to guide them. They traveled along that way for quite a while, but when they went back to inspect, the jumper was empty, the reason for bowel disorders being at hand suggests this item. For sale by All Druggists.

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Little girl, you who are so insistent that I tell you fairy tales now, wait till you are grown up and married, and then you'll hear fairy tales in plenty.

Two of a Kind.

Mrs. A. Cerdity, you have accepted Henry for your husband, and you don't approve of him. Her Daughter—That's all right, mother. Neither does he approve of you!

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Every day we hear of someone being taken with pneumonia. The only preventive is to get strong and keep your body healthy. Take Ferrozone, which makes the rich, red kind of blood that nourishes and stimulates the entire system. "I was all run down and an apt subject for pneumonia," writes A. B. Charters, of Burlington, "when I tried Ferrozone. I didn't believe it was possible for Ferrozone to build me up so quickly. In a few days my appetite improved, color came into my cheeks and I felt stronger. I gained eight pounds and regained my old time vigor through using Ferrozone." Try Ferrozone, it assures health. Price 50c.

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She—I am afraid you shall have trouble with servants after we are married. He—I won't mind that, dear, as long as I have you.

Life without laughter is a machine without oil.

FOOLS USE WASHES AND SNUFF.

Thinking perhaps they will cure Catarrh, but no one ever heard of a genuine cure of Catarrh by such means. There is just one prompt and thorough cure for Catarrh, and it is fragrant, healing Catarrh, which goes right to the root of the trouble. It destroys the germs, heals the inflamed membrane and cures the long standing. I experimented for years with Catarrh remedies, but found Catarrh the most rational and satisfactory," writes W. J. McEachern, of Waterville. "It cures for all time. For a sure cure use only Catarrh. Complete outfit, \$1.00; trial size 25c.

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A rolling stone always takes a downward course.

No man or woman will hesitate to speak well of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets after once trying them. They always produce a pleasant movement of the bowels, improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. For sale by All Druggists.

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WORLD OF SPORT

BASBALL

Arch. Sterling, of the Nifty nine, was released last night by Thomas Glover, captain of the team and Geo. Mahon is filling his place as short stop.

CARPET BOWLING.

R. A. WON.

The Sons of England and Royal Arcanum had a good match last night at the Royal Arcanum rooms, L. O. O. F. Temple, resulting in a win for the R. A.'s.

The score—

Rank No. 1.

S. O. E.—B. McCauley, J. Pool, B. Longley, skip—8.

R. A.—R. H. Hoig, L. M. Lafferty, L. E. Tillson, skip—18.

Rank No. 2.

S. O. E.—J. Dyer, R. Tipping, J. Ions, skip—14.

R. A.—G. B. More, J. Edmondson, G. S. Heyward, skip—19.

AQUATIC

SCHOLES WON HIS HEAT.

Henley, July 6.—In the semi-finals for the Diamond Sculls to-day L. F. Scholes, of the Don Rowing Club, Toronto, beat F. S. Kelly, the holder.

Later, the main attraction on the regatta program to-day was the meeting between L. F. Scholes, of the Don Rowing Club, Toronto, and F. S. Kelly, Oxtan, in the semi-final for the Diamond Sculls, in which the Canadian sculler defeated Kelly, the holder of the trophy, by four lengths, in nine minutes and eleven seconds.

Kelly led for a mile, when the Canadian, putting on a splendid spurt, gradually wore out his opponent, and rowed him down. Opposite the grand stand the Oxtan was exhausted, and stopped. The winner met with a great reception.

His success was quite unexpected, the expert almost unanimously having foretold a victory for Kelly. Scholes struggled over the line much distressed. Kelly was unable to row his boat off the course, and was drifting fainting into a launch.

To-morrow Scholes and Clough, of the London Rowing Club, meet in the final, while the Winnipeg will contest in the final for the Steward Cup with Third Trinity, Cambridge.

From a social viewpoint the regatta to-day was a great success, immense throngs of people being present.

GREAT REJOICING AT TORONTO.

Toronto, July 6.—There was great rejoicing in local rowing circles this morning at the announcement by cable that Lou Scholes, of Toronto, had defeated Kelly, the Australian, in the semi-final at Henley for the Diamond Sculls. There seems to be no doubt entertained here now but that Scholes will win the final, as Kelly had been looked on as his strongest opponent.

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THE COMING TO CHATHAM ON SATURDAY, JULY 9, OF THE UNITED ADAM FOREMAN AND SONS BROTHERS GREAT SHOWS recall to mind the fact that they were the first, and are practically the only ones to make the bicycle a tangible big feature by paying fabulously fat salaries to encourage its popularity and dexterity in its use.

All the professional performing cyclists of the past made their debut and won popularity in the eyes of this noted aggregation, to be this season surpassed and superseded by the new and phenomenal leaders in their time, including Prodigious Porties, who makes a bike leap across a chasm fifty feet in width; Diavolo, who loops the loop on a bicycle, and "Cyclone" a recent foreign find, carded as a cycling paradox. Try to walk around the walls of your parlor with your body parallel to the floor and you may get some idea of what he accomplishes at every performance, in riding and rising on an absolutely perpendicular line up the circular inside of "The Devil's Chimney," the diameter of which is less than twelve feet, within which restricted space he is compelled to generate the tremendous force and to acquire sufficient speed for the accomplishment of a feat, which, before his appearance, would have been pronounced a sheer impossibility. At a superficial glance, "The Wild Wheel Whirl" act, introduced by the show in question at Madison Square Garden, New York, might appear almost identical with that of "Cyclone," but when it is considered that its performers were aided by a slanting circular track, while he starts from the ground straight up, it can be seen that the difference in the two performances is essentially as phenomenal as that represented by a walk up hill and one up a perpendicular precipice.

With the arrival of the militia at Sydney the strike leaders have given orders that no more attempts be made to prevent men going to work in the steel works.

THE YOUNG VULTURE

HE IS WILLING TO FIGHT BEFORE
HE IS ABLE TO FLY.

The fledgeling has wonderful strength of bill, is courageous and aggressive and is as quick almost as a flash of lightning.

In the south there is one bird which everybody knows whether he is a nature student or not. I refer to the turkey vulture, or turkey buzzard, as most people call him. This bird seems to be an ever present feature of the southern landscape, for look upward when you will you may see him sweeping the sky with outspread wings, wheeling in broad circles or soaring in graceful spirals, with seeming never a stroke of the mighty pinions for hours at a time.

One day I saw a vulture sailing thus, says Ernest Harold Baynes in the Boston Herald, and I carefully marked his flight until he descended near the white clouds and disappeared near the edge of a distant wood. Supposing that he had come down to feed on some carrion—a dead horse perhaps, which had been dragged just outside of the woods and left—I made the best of my way to the spot where I lost sight of the bird, that I might be a witness to the feast.

I arrived at the wood, but neither bird nor carcass could I see. Then I bethought me that this was the month of May, and that perhaps the buzzard had a nest thereabout. I hunted under the bushes along the side of fallen trees and in some old stumps which were standing near, but not a feather was to be seen.

Presently I spied a log which lay somewhat apart in the shadow of some shrubs, and as I approached it out from somewhere came a big turkey buzzard, which quickly disappeared behind the trees. On coming up to the log, which was a large one, I found that it was hollow, and in the cavity there were two eggs, which doubtless belonged to the vulture which had just departed. They were considerably larger than the eggs of a domestic hen, and in color they were dirty white, heavily spotted with chocolate brown. I left them that I might have an opportunity to study the young.

The next time I visited the hollow log the parent birds were not in sight, but in the nest I found two downy fledglings, which could scarcely be called pretty. They were in every way less attractive than young hawks of the same age. They expressed their disapproval of my presence by a weak growling sound.

I could not visit the spot again for some weeks, and when I did one of them had disappeared. The other was no longer in the hollow log, but standing at a little distance, and I was interested to see the change in his appearance. In the first place, he had grown tremendously; the down which had formerly covered the whole body was now confined chiefly to the head, neck and under parts, and the rest of the bird was clothed with firm black feathers. He looked fat and well fed.

I reached out my hand and caught him by one wing. But here he had a surprise for me, for he seized my finger in his hooked bill and with a turn of his head twisted off a bit of the flesh before I had time even to object. After hurriedly cleansing the wound I again advanced on the enemy, who was game enough to satisfy any one and came to the attack with open bill. Of course he was not dangerous in the least, for he was very young and could not even fly, but for a fledgeling the grip he could give with his bill was astonishing.

However, I picked him up, took him home and tethered him in the garden with a strap to one leg. The first night he ate a good meal of liver, and after that he took almost any kind of meat that was given him. I let him have carrion whenever it was convenient, but at other times he ate freshly killed frogs, fresh beef, opossum and even fish.

One night soon after I had brought him home I went out to see how he looked when he was asleep. It was so dark that his black plumage was not visible against the grass. All I could see of him was a white spot, his head, as it hung near the ground. I approached very quietly and was within five feet when something happened. Out of the darkness there came a flash of white straight toward me with a speed which caused me to step quickly backward, and at the same instant there was a startling, rustling sound, accompanied by a guttural growl, which for a moment I did not recognize as the voice of the young vulture.

Altogether it was a most startling phenomenon, and, although I realized in a moment that the bird was in some way the cause of it, I do not know even yet just what happened. This much I know, however, that the bird rushed at me, growling with all his might, and that the flash of white was the white down of the body uncovered by the opening of the black wings.

The rushing sound was, I think, caused in some way by the wing feathers or tail feathers, or both, but whether by dragging them along the ground, or otherwise I cannot tell. I tried on several occasions to find this out by approaching the young vulture when there was just light enough for me to see what happened, but he would never act in just the same way unless it was quite dark.

No doubt this is some provision of nature to protect the bird when it is young and helpless, and I can testify that it is a good one, for I am sure that few night prowling animals would care to pursue their investigations after being given so startling a reception.

SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE

St. Thomas on Wednesday, July 13. Watch out for the Tecumsehs.

J. W. Pewes' Cooking School Cookery will get you if you don't watch out.

I wonder if the St. Thomas team are very much afraid of the Tecumsehs.

If scissors could only talk, they would probably make cutting remarks.

The Eau isn't a bad place to spend your evenings. It takes you away from the busy turmoil of city life.

Being somewhat of a lacrosse enthusiast, I would like to know if I will feel like hollering next Thursday or not.

I wonder if my foreign friend, School Trustee Paxon, has been Dunced. I haven't seen him for some time.

SARCASM.

The Satellite purchased a cheap black watch the other day and one of my friends wanted to know if I belonged to the Black Watch. This was somewhat of a reflection on the size of the timepiece.

A SAFF STORY.

Mrs. Margaret Thompson of London, who died many years ago, by her will directed that in her coffin should be buried all her handkerchiefs and sufficient of the best Scotch snuff to cover her body. This she preferred to flowers, as "nothing could be more fragrant and so refreshing to me as that precious powder." Further, the six greatest snuff takers in the parish of St. James, Westminster, were to be her bearers. Six old maids, each bearing in her hand a box filled with the best Scotch snuff to take for their refreshment as they walked, were to carry the pall. Before the corpse the minister was to walk, carrying and partaking of a pound of snuff. At every twenty yards a large handful of snuff was to be delivered to the bystanders, while at the door of the testator's house were to be placed for gratuitous distribution two bushels of the same quality of snuff.

Earthquakes and Pestilence.

From early times pestilence has been regarded as one of the accompaniments of earthquakes. Nor is this perhaps a mere figment of superstition. Many instances of epidemics following upon earthquakes are on record, says the Lancet. Thus in 557-59 A. D., earthquake years, Constantinople was visited by a pestilence, and in 615 A. D., after more than a decade of seismic disturbances which extended from Japan to the Mediterranean, the whole of Italy was visited, according to Sigonius, by a fearful epidemic, of which the nature is not recorded. Old writers, such as Von Plenciz, an authority on the Lisbon earthquake of 1755, were wont to attribute the proneness to disease exhibited by whole populations during earthquake season to shaken nerves begotten of prolonged suspense and broken rest at night.

A Clever Special Pleader.

Sir John Byles was a clever special pleader as a lawyer. In his young days he appeared in a breach of promise case to defend a man who had married another woman. Sir John cross examined the plaintiff thus: "Did he not promise to marry you when his father was dead?" "Yes." "Is his father dead?" "No." "Then that is my case. The defendant's wife may die before his father or afterward, and he may outlive them both, when it will be time for him to fulfill his promise."

It is also recorded that Sir John rode a horse called Business so that his clerk might conscientiously tell on callers that his master was out on business.—London Standard.

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DISTRICT DOINGS AIN'T YOU

BLENHEIM

July 7.—Mrs. A. Russell and daughter, of Sheldrick St., are visiting at Mr. W. Russell's, Raleigh township.

The local team of bowlers, who went to Chatham yesterday to bowl in the tournament were drawn against a London r.n.k. which defeated them.

Mr. Jack Sheldon, of the Queen's Hotel, Ridgetown, visited Blenheim friends on Tuesday.

Mrs. S. C. Walker, of Chatham, and her Blenheim pupils assisted by Miss Breen, elocutionist, of Windsor, and Mr. Trotter, of Chatham, held a very successful concert in the Methodist Church, on Tuesday evening last.

Miss Ida Tobey, Chatham, is visiting Blenheim friends this week.

Mrs. Ed. Townsend, who has been visiting relatives here since Xmas, leaves for her home near Strathcona, Alberta.

Miss McTavish, of Palmyra, is visiting at Mrs. Teetzel's.

Mr. Fred Gales has disposed his butchering business to J. L. Rose, who will conduct the business in the same stand.

The lacrosse boys go to St. Thomas on Friday to play a C. L. A. game with Athletes.

On Tuesday, July 12th—Orange-men's Day—the Bugle Band Team, from Chatham, play here. This will be the first C. L. A. home game on our grounds.

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