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CHATHAM ONT., MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1904

#### Results of Expansion on

# Children's-Coats

When our buyer was in London, England, and Berlin, Germany, during the summer, he placed an order for more than double the quantity of Children's and Girl's Coats we usually buy. This extra stock combined with our immediate need of money for the West has resulted in the pricing of these coats lower than you have ever had the opportunity of buying such styles and qualities. We have an immense stock for you to select from and every desirable style size and color represented. If you want a cloak for the infant or a coat for the girl of 16 years, it is here for you at our Expansion Sale price

#### Children's Coats

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#### Children's Coats

Children's Reefers made of heavy twilled serge cloth, in navy and cardinal, trimmed with braid and metal buttons, belted, all sizes, specially priced at \$2.75.

Children's Reefers made of heavy reversible covert cloth, deep cape collar, navy blue, pip d with leather, specially priced at \$6.00.

Babies Coats made of white bear cloth, with warm lining, deep cape collar, white pearl buttons, specially priced at \$2.75.

pearl buttons, specially priced at \$2.75.

Babies Coats made of white bear cloth, with deep cape collar, white silk applique trimming, lined, special priced at \$3.25.

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We were never so busy in our Millinery Department as we are this season. Paris buying makes our styles exclusive, cleaver trimmers give the up-to-date finish to our hats and our hats and our anxiety to obtain quick returns makes our prices lower than ever.

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> Rugs for \$36.00 \$40 31.50 27.00 22.50

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Mercerised metallic striped sateens mercerised moreens, and fancy striped skirtings, 30 to 40 in. wide, splendid goods for fall and winter petticoats, worth regular 45 to 75c a yd,, special Expansion Sale price is 25c.

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New shapes and correct types of wide lace collars are on sale and clearing fast at these prices:-

65c Lace Collars for 65C

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#### EXPANSION SALE ON **Dress Goods**

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#### 75c Dress Goods for 48c.

New fashionable Dress Goods in hopsack weaves, zibilines, flaked goods, canvas cloths, etc., regular value 60 to 75c a yard, Expansion Sale price is 48c

#### \$1.25 Dress Goods for 63c.

56 in. Homespun Dress Goods, heavy tweeds and friezes in black, navy, ox-ford and lighter effects, regular value \$1.25 and \$1 a yd., Expansion Sale

#### price is 63c. \$1.00 Dress Goods for 68c.

This lot comprises Venetian Cloths, flaked cloths, and tweed effects in navy, brown and every good fall shade, regular value 75c to \$1 per yd., Expansion Sale price is 68c.

#### 50c Dress Goods for 25c.

Pretty Plaids for children's dresses and waists, heavy suitings and all wool in navy, brown, cardinal, etc., regular prices 35c to 50c a yd., Expansion Sale price is 25c.

#### \$150 Silks for 73c

New fancy Silks for waists or for fancy work in new and exclusive designs, many of them just arrived, in pretty stripes, bracades and floral ef-fects, regular prices \$1 to \$1.65 a yd., Expansion Sale price is 73c.

Members of the Canadian Dry Goods Purchasing Syndicate, we save you Dollars.

#### THE REOPENING

Delightful Services at Christ Church The Vested Choir Contributed Much to the Services.

re-opening services held in Christ Church yesterday were pronounced by everyone who attended them the most impressive services ever held in the Maple City. Apart from the re-opening of the church from the re-opening of the church building, which has been re-modelled and overhauled during the last couple of months, the occasion was marked by the first appearance of a vested choir in the Maple City. Everyone present, besides enjoying the able sermons given by Principal Waller, of Huron College, was thoroughly delighted with the excellent music rendered by the choir of 50 voices under the capable direction of J. W. Wilson.

The old church has undergone great The old church has undergone great improvements and a visitor to-day would hardly recognize it as the same house of worship. New seats have been installed, an enclosed entrance has been made from the Sunday school to the church building, all of the walls and woodwork have been re-tinted and re-grained, the choir gallery has been taken away, the organ moved down stairs, and the choir seats placed directly in front of the chancel, and new furniture has also been placed in the chancel. The edifice has now the appearance of up-to-date English church.

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The crowds which flocked to the service yesterday were enormous. In the morning every available seat was taken and in the evening it was found necessary to place chairs in the aisles and many were standing and then accommodation could not be provided for everyone and many were an anxious discussion followed. A

of his remarks he referred to corrup-tion in Government.

"If we are to have 'Showers of Blessing,' said he, "we must see to it that the men we elect to represent us in Parliament are men of high and undisputed moral standing in the community. These men are acting for us and we by electing them to office are endorsing their actions. See to it that we have honest, up-right men to represent us and then we will have a Government that will give us showers of blessing."

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In the evening he preached a very eloquent sermon on a text from the tenth verse of the eighth Psalm, "I had rather be a door keeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness."

At both services reference was made by both Mr. Waller and Mr. McCosh to the serious and, it is thought, fatal illness of Bishop Baldwin. The Bishop was to have been present to preach the opening services but he now lies ill at his home in London. Special prayers were offered for him at both services. Mr. Waller also complimented the congregation upon the work they fiave done in their church building and Mr. McCosh also expressed his gratification at the improvements made.

The vested chair made a deen and

vements made. The vested choir made a deep and The vested choir made a deep and lasting impression. This is a new idea in church worship in Chatham and it is evidently a popular one. J. W. Wilson, the capable leader, who has managed and directed the choir from its beginning, deserves unlimit-

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### STEPHENS MEN IN QUANDRY

Now Think a Bluff Writ Would Be the Best Way Out of the Difficulty-Others Think It's Playing With Fire.

Mr. Purser Approached and Threat-ened with Proceedings—Replies He Will Not Evade the Truth.

able comment on the fact that, unlike Mr. Stephens, who was specially invited to meet the charges when they were made, these three gentlemen do not shirk the issue and forthwith accepted the invitation to be

This prompt acceptance nonplussed the Stephens coterie, a large faction of which is already dissatisfied with the character of the defence which has finally been decided on, after a

an anxious discussion followed. A Rev. Principal Waller, of Huron further plan was suggested as possi-Rev. Principal Waller, of Huron College, preached two excellent sermons, which were greatly enjoyed. Rev. Rural Dean McCosh, the rector, and Rev. W. H. G. Colles, assisted in the services. In the morning Mr. Waller preached from the text "Showers of Blessing." In the course of his remarks he referred to corruption in Government. the matter probed by the courts was not to be desired. However, on Saturday it was urged to take this step, as it was pointed out that the write could be withdrawn after election and further investigation thus stayed. Others were much opposed to this course as playing with fire. Then it was hard to tell whether Messrs Purser and Boyer would not come back at Mr. Stephens with a serious charge of endeavoring to corruptly influence their actions in the Dover Council. Opinion was much divided, and it was impossible to arrive at any decision, the matter being left in abeyance. It is said, however, that one individual was appointed to interview Messrs. Purser and Boyer and seek if possible to endeavor in some way to get them to withdraw their charges against Mr. Stephens and opposition to the railroad corporation. This individual was authorized to threaten them with the writs if other means failed and try every possible chance to get the Stephens men out of their dilemma.

> Reeve Purser was in the city on Saturday and this morning and firm-ly repeated his intention to accept Stephens invitation to be present

from its beginning, deserves unlimited praise for the work he has done. Mr. Wilson has a reputation to sustain in Chatham as a musical director, and this, his second attempt on music directing, has been fully as popular and creditable as his first. The choir marches in singing at the conclusion of each service, thus producing a reverential and solemn impression. Music of a special order was presented at both services yesterday. Besides the singing of the regular service, which in itself is heavy and difficult, a solo was rendered in the morning by Miss May Peate, one of Chatham's most pro-

#### FORMER PASTOR

Rev. F. H. Larkin Conducts Impressive Anniversary Services at the First Presbyterian Church.

The anniversary services held in the First Presbyterian Church yesterday First Presbyterian Church yesterday were most successful in every respect. Rev. F. H. Larkin, B. A., B. D., of Scaforth, the former esteemed pastor of the church, preached two magnificent sermons, and the choir, under the skilled directorship of E. B. Arthur, rendered special music, including exquisite solos by Mrs. John Cooper, Mrs. Milton Bogart and John R. Smith.

The church was decorated with flowers and foliage and was crowded on both occasions. In the evening it was necessaryu to requisition chairs

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Great interest is being taken in the meeting of George Stephens at Pain Court to-night, at which Herbert S. Clements, Reeve Purser and Councillor Boyer have been specially invited to be present. There is much favor-

#### MEETS WITH SUGGESS

The following from the Interior, religious paper, published in Chicago, refers to Thornton Denhardt, an old Chatham boy, and a graduate from the Chatham Collegiate Institute. Mr. Denhardt is a student at Yale, but has been preaching during the summer months at Galesburg, North Dakota—

"Through the administrations of Mr. Thornton T. Denhardt, a student Mr. Thornton T. Denhardt, a student from Yale, the struggling church of this place has been enabled to build a church edifice, which by his personal enterprise, at this date is under fair headway. For years since the erection of the manse, the Ladies' Aid Society have been hoarding their mites, for this cause, and it would seem as if this strong, energetic character had been sent this summer to realize it, and untiring has been his industry. Only those whose homes are here knowing the conditions, can realize fully how indefatigable has been his industry to accomplish such results. The church when completed will cost about \$2,400. At his other results. The church when completed will cost about \$2,400. At his other charge, Broadlawn, the people have secured money to renovate the church inside and out. Mr. Denhardt will enter in a few days the senior class of McCormick Theological Seminary. The church hopes for his return here next summer."

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 17.

#### SIR WILFRID'S VISIT

It must be frankly admitted that the apparent lack of interest and enthusiam at the Liberal meeting at the curling rink on Saturday was partially due to faulty arrangements Either the rink is totally unfit for the holding of public meetings or the erection of the platform at the side instead of the end of the building was a bad blunder. Whatever the cause, scarcely a third of the people who went to the meeting were able to hear. The result was that many left, while the moving around and talking prevented others from listening, dampened the enthusiasm and caused the meeting to result somewhat flatly and prove distinctly disappointing to the promoters who worked so zealously for its success.

worked so zealously for its success. Before Sir Wilfrid Laurier had concluded his address, which he unmistakably abbreviated, the rink was searcely two-thirds filled.

And yet, even allowing for the discomfortures resulting from the faulty arrangements, it is undeniable that the visit of Sir Wilfrid failed to arouse the enthusiasm of yore. It was distinctly disappointing to his friends. For the picturesque spectacle of the procession, the gaily bedecked parade and the three bands, the local workers are to be complimented. It was elaborate and impressive and must have been very expensive. Everything was done to create enthusiasm without avail. Not acheer was heard along the whole route from the station to the rink if one excepts the solitary whoop of our friend Contractor Richard Paxton, of the Rond Eau Government work, which rang out with startling shrillness on the quiet ambient air. At the meeting the gathering absolutely declined to enthuse, applause was weak and infrequent, the encouragement being initiated throughout by President Stone and the Liberal workers on the platform. Compared with former receptions of the Liberal chieftain, compared with the reception recently accorded Mr. R. L. Borden, the Liberal-Conservative leader, the Liberal of the Liberals of West Kent. George Stepheus, the Liberal conditions and that he need not astion recently accorded Mr. R. L. Borden, the Liberal-Conservative leader, Saturday's meeting was ominous. It bespoke, if we mistake not, the fact that the people of Kent are no longin accordance with the doings of the late Government at Ottawa. Such things as the Jackson appointment, things as the Jackson appointment, the Dundonald exposure and the un-holy alliance with the discredited Boss-Stratton-Sullivan Government— to none of which did Sir Wilfrid venture to even allude—with the gigantic Grand Trunk Pacific corporation graft, have evidently alienated the

Wilfrid was greeted with a sir willria was greeted with a good attendance from both political parties. He has been a picturesque figure on the political stage for a quarter of a century; an orator of the first rank and a man of much personal charm of manner. But—and we regret to say it—Sir Wilfrid has aged and failed considerably. His outward seeming grows less magnetic with the lapse of years. He has lost a great deal of the vigor which once

a great deal of the vigor which once characterized his platform deliverances. Though he still speaks with his old time fluency he avoids the oratorical flights which in other days distinguished his speeches.

It is not a harsh criticism to say that Sir Wilfrid gave those of his Chatham audience who could hear him, little food for thought. He declared that the Grand Trunk Pacific guestion was the chief issue of the question was the chief issue of the campaign, but he made no attempt to meet squarely Mr. Borden's clear and definite arguments thereon. Wise-ly he steered around them and kept clear of definite figures. He contendsed himself with assuring his hearers that the road would cost less than fourteen millions.

To the declaration of Sir Wilfrid

that this scheme is the chief issue, Conservatives will lend hearty assent. On that question we are content to stand our fall.

Borden and Public Ownership.

Laurier and Corporation Interests.
Which shall it be?

Vote for Clements and Willson!

The sunshine was outside and the frost within.

Those must evidently not be the men the people cheer for.

The Liberals themselves might surely have rounded up enough to fill

### BAD ARRANGEMENTS HANDICAP SATURDAY'S STEPHENS RALLY

Big Curling Rink Was Partially Filled But Scores Could Not Hear the Speakers-Sir Wilfred Laurier's Address Abbreviated Accordingly-A Charming Personality-Discusses Generally the Grand Trunk Pacific Grant—A Pretty Presentation.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier visited this city on Saturda; and was warmly welcomed by the Liberals. The Conservatives, too, turned out in large numbers and it was fitting that they should, thus showing that they were above the more smaller party politics and were ready to turn out and give greeting to the man who has oc-cupied the premier's position for eight

The rink was well filled Saturday

of the Liberals of West Kent.
George Stepheus, the Liberal candidate for West Kent, upon being introduced said that he need not assure those present that the large gathering afforded him pleasure. It was a pleasure also to have Sir Wilfrid Laurier present. He was the man of whom it might truly be said "He made Canada." In 1896, when he came into power, Canada began to prosper and this prosperity had continued in a much greater degree than it had under 18 years of national it had under 18 years of national policy. In 1896 and before trade was at a standstill these were the days of the soup kitchens. To-day was the day of the full dinner plate and the factories of the country were rushed with orders. In 1896, the imports with orders. In 1896, the imports were two hundred and thirty-nine millions of dollars. In 1903, they were four hundred and sixty-seven millions an increase of two hundred and twenty-eight millions. The export trade too, showed a more than gratifying increase. In 1896, Canada exported one hundred and twenty-one millions

#### MAKES MEN **SOUND AND STRONG**

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DR. S. GOLDBERG.

The possessor of 14 diplomas and certificates, who wants no money that he does not earn. There must have been a lot of "foreigners" at that Liberal meeting, judging from its funereal quietness.

They say you could have had a braw bonspiel at the curling rink on Saturday. Thermometer zero and lots of great ice.

Can it be that the Stephens party invited Herbert S. Clemeats to their Pain Court meeting to get up a little enthusiasm? Saturday's chilling was a tough lesson.

Coming right on top of the other frost, when the great military expert, Sid Fisher, deigned to visit us, it is a little hard on the few faithful.

The possessor of 1s diplomas and certificates, who wasts no money that he does not earn, in order to convince patients that he has the ability do as he says, Dr. Goldberg will accept your case for treatment, and you need not pay our case for treatment, and you one cannot have any such as the pay in case for treatment, and you on pay in case for treatment, and you one cannot pay our case for treatment, and you one cannot pay our case for treatment, and you of pay in case for treatment, and you one cannot pay our case f

of dollars' worth of produce and mer chandise. In 1903, she exported two and twenty-five millions. This was an increase in seven years of one hundred and four millions in seven years. Canada stood at the head of other countries. She had an increase of 107 per cent., Japan came next, and Cape Colony next. The United States was fourth with 47 per cent. increase, less than half the increase in Canadian trade, Mr. Stephens said

had come to hear the Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Mr. Stone, in introducing David A. Gordon, the candidate for East Kent,

that he didn't consider it wise to occupy their time further as they

Gordon, the candidate for East Kent, said he was the man who went down and forced concessions from the railroad companies for his sugar factories and for this reason was a good man to represent East Kent.

Mr. Gordon said that as a Canadian he was proud of the feelings voiced here to-day and one should be proud of the presence of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Hon. Mr. Patterson. On the occasion of Sir Wilfrid's last visit in 1896. Chatham had muddy On the occasion of Sir Wilfrid's last visit in 1896, Chatham had muddy roads, dingy store windows and few manufacturing concerns. To-day, after seven years of Liberal rule, Chatham hade finely paved streets, half a mile of store fronts that would be a credit to Detroit and not only that she had factories that had been enlarged and enlarged again. The county of Kent was a fine county. It produced a greater variety of pro-It produced a greater variety of pro-ducts than any other county in the province. It also produced a great-er and better variety of fruits than any other county and these fruits could be put up and sweetened with sugar made from the products of this county at the Wallaceburg factory.

Mr. Gordon said that he had heard that the night after the visit of Mr.

R. L. Borden all the corn and the beans in the county had been frozen. He also said that Mr. Borden had two policies, the Grand Trunk Pacific was one, scandal was the other. Mr. Gordon also accused the Conservative don also accused the Conservative party with not sticking to the truth. The chairman then introduced the Premier. Little Mary Stone, daughter of Fred Stone, presented Sir Wilfrid with a bouquet at this stage and received a kiss in return. In opening, Sir Wilfrid said that he thanked his stars that he visited the city of Chatham under such hance

thanked his stars that he visited the city of Chatham under such happy auspices. The sun shone and the sky skiled. On every occasion of his visits to this city the elements had been kind. When he came eight years ago it was the month of June. The weather was so perfect that they had held a meeting on the park at 10 o'clock at night. If the weather were always like this, and from his visits always like this, and from his visits he could not say otherwise, he could wish for nothing better than the op-portunity to take up his residence here for the rest of his life.

Apparently, and judging from the gathering present, there were none who repented of having elected Mr. Stephens. If some faces looked a little long, they must belong to the people from East Kent, who had not had the privilege of sending a sun-porter to the government. He would expect one this time, however, as the gerrymander | had been done away with and the County of Kent was now within its natural boundaries. He expected two Reformers would be elected in Kent. He didn't say that the Liberals hadn't made mistakes. They were not infallible, but in general results they had been successful. He asked that their record be compared with that of their traducers. pared with that of their trauders. Then the charges against the Liberals were like the weight of a feather as mountain of eniquity. It against a mountain of eniquity. It was the results of the policy, not the mistakes, that should be looked at. The charges of the Conservatives Continued on Page 3.

#### DOINGS DISTRICT

#### BLENHEIM

Oct. 17.—The canning factory, which started up a few weeks ago, has shut down owing to the dullness of the markets.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shillington are spending a few days at Mr. W. Mitton's, Thamesville.

Orlo Jacklin is again quite sick.

Mr. F. McCallum has rented Mr. Geo. Thompson's brick residence on Sheldrick street.

Mrs. Langford is slowly recovering from her severe illness.

Those who attended the re-opening services at Christ Church, Chatham, yesterday, were highly pleased with the renovation and the musical portion of the service. tion of the service.

About four hundred attended the

Liberal demonstration at Chatham on Saturday.

TILBURY

Oct. 17.—Special prayers were offered last evening in the English Church for the recovery of Bishop Baldwin, of London, who was stricken with paralysis Friday night. At the evening service a telegram was read announcing that he was not expected to live throughout the night.

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#### YEN STORES The NORTHWAY CO'Y, Limited **FACTORIES**

rived here for the late Ed. McVean, who was killed last week in a rail-way wreck in Mississippi. The med-als had just been issued from the British mint and the poor fellow was destined never to see them. The destined never to see them. The Queen's medal contains five bars with the names of the battles in which deceased participated as an atrilleryman —Belfast, Diamond Hill, Johannesburg, Driefontein and Cape Colony. The King's medal contains two bars—South Africa, 1901, and South Africa, 19 2. They are handsome works of

The St. Francis Church bazaar op ens here to-morrow evening.

The silex walk contractors complete

perations to-morrow. operations to-morrow.

Thos. Mason, of Tilbury North, late of Tilbury, leaves this week with his family for Windsor.

There will be three polling booths

There will be three polling booths; opened here on election day, for the first time, the additional one being in Reaume's blackshop, north of the M. C. R., where Frank Hall will act as deputy returning officer. For the first time since the village has been incorporated, Clerk Wilson has been displaced, and Chas. Trudell will act as returning officer in his stead, while E. Giroux will officiate in the fire hall.

Mr. Mallory, of Drayton, is visiting his son here, C. H. Mallory.

H. G. Powell leaves this week for Essex, where he draying business. where he has purchased

#### CATARRH OF THE STOMACH A pleasant, simple but safe and effectual cure for it.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to inbeen considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a
full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour
or watery risings, a foundation of
gases, causing pressure on the heart
and lungs and difficult breathing,
headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the
mouth, coated tongue and if the in-

mouth, coated tongue and if the in-terior of the stomach could be seen

it would show a slim, inflamed condition.

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#### STEPHENS RALLY

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vere so trivial that they could not b counted in the grand display.

Amongst foes as well as friends there was not one who did not feel more proud of Canada in 1904 than they did in 1901. Our ancestors had come from far away and had brought with them a love of the land of their birth Canada in the old days was dear to us, but love for our country increas-ed as Canada advanced.

ed as Canada advanced.

Eight years ago Canada was unknown in Great Britain. To-day that
name is a household word in every
part of the United Empire. The Coaservatives claimed that one cause was pervatives claimed that one cause was responsible for this. They gave the Liberals no credit. They said, "It is the work of Providence." Sir Wilfrid was ready to agree with them. Providence always worked through human agency and if Providence chose the Liberals instead of the Conservatives, as the agents, he didn't servatives, as the agents, he didn't see why the electors should interfere with the work of Providence. The first of the measures that lifted Can ada from a position of inferiority was the Preferential tariff given to

was the Preferential tariff given to the goods of Great Britain in 1897. The Hon. Geo. E. Foster, late min-ister of finance of the Conservative party, speaking of the preferential tariff in Toronto lately would not give the Liberals any credit for thinking it out. He said they stum-bled on it. The Conservatives had 18 years in office and had never made so hanny a stumble. The Liberals 18 years in office and had never made so happy a stumble. The Liberals had inaugurated the preferential tarifff because they thought it would improve the trade relations between England and Canada. Whether they had stumbled on it or invented it, in April, 1897, the Liberals faunched it as their policy and Canada had at once became famous. It brought above once become famous. It brought also national dignity and honor to Canada, Prior to that time the name of Canada had been anknown in Europe, Now it is known on the continent. Something soon occurred in reference to this policy. Old treaties were dis-covered with Germany in reference to the trade made in the old days and almost forgotten. The British Government were petitioned to do away with these treaties. They re-fused. In that same year Sir Wil-frid had been called to England. It frid had been called to England. It was the year of the Diamond Jubilee. When he landed in Liverpool, he put the question of doing away with these old treaties before the people of Great Britain. The question was taken up and discussed at public meetings and in the press, and two months arterwards the treaties were done away with. This created a sensation all over Europe. The small colony of Canada had forced Great Britain to take that course. In Europe there were thousands of men who had never heard of Canada.

Governments always have their dif-

Governments always have their difficulties. The Liberals had had theirs. They settled one troublesome question in question in 1896 and they have settled others that arose.

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They had had trouble with Germany. When Great Britain negotiated a treaty with Germany, the latter country said that they would not give Canada the same preference that they did Great Britain. They insisted on imposing on Canada a discriminating tariff. The Liberals protested and negotiated and waited not be ed and negotiated and waited, not be cause they loved Germany, but be-cause they loved England more. For three years they negotiated with the German Government to have the discrimination reduced and, failing, Canada in 1903 imposed a duty Canada

He had heard Mr. Borden talking about scandals. Except one or two bad appointments that had been made. Sir Wilfrid saw nothing for which the Liberals could be blamed and they were too small to bother discussing. He had come, however, to discuss the

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ailway question and to take issue with everything told by Mr. Border Every inch of the road would be of the road would be on Canadian soil the road would be on Canadian soil and it was a commercial necessity. When the Liberals launched their railroad policy, Mr. Rorden first took the position that he would not have the railroad as proposed but that he would have a line from the Atlantic to the Pacific by purchasing part of the Canada Atlantic and assisting the Canada Northern to complete its road. This policy had never excited the enthusiasm of his followers and was This policy had never excited the enthusiasm of his followers and was abandoned. He next suggested that the Intercolonial be extended to Georgiau Bay. That lasted three months, He then proposed that the railroad be built from the Atlantic to the Pacific but that it should be owned and operated by the Gevernment. The Conservatives said that Liberals proposed to build the road for the Grand Trunk and supply 9-10 of the capital while the Grand Trunk Pacific supplied 1-10. The country furnished nearly all the G. T. P. got all the profits. This was not so. The terms of the contract were that the road should be divided into two sections. One section from into two sections. One section from Winnipeg to the east should be built by the government and be leased by the Grand Trunk Pacific and the rent the Grand Trunk Pacific and the rent should be enough to give, three per cent, on the cost of the road. The government expected to borrow the money at three per cent, and the part of the road would cost seventy millions. Thus the rental would pay for the cost of the road and the cost to the county wouldn't be one cent. to the county wouldn't be one cent.
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That was the eastern section. In regard to the other section from Winnipeg to the coast, the Grand Trunk Pacific was to build the road and the Government was to give a guarantee for 3-4 of the cost of construction, Across the prairies in some places the cost would not be more than \$13,000 a mile. Of course, there was always a chance that the man who endorsed would have to pay but the Government never expected to pay. Throughout the west, settlers were flocking in and as the country grew, the road would pay. The Liberals didn't expect that the road would pay for the first year or so. It would take some years before it would pay interest on the capital. The seven years' interest would be about 13 1-2 millions, which sum was less than the surplus last year. Mr. Borden became economical since the purse was no longer in their hands. Mr. Borden's plan was to build the road at an estimated cost of one hundred millions and let the country pay for it. Therefore Canada would have to borrow one hundred millions. The country now has to pay the interest on the Intercolonial. It has never borrow one hundred millions. The country now has to pay the interest on the Intercolonial. It has never paid a cent of interest on the capital invested. It has never paid running expenses. The Intercolonial has been operated for twenty-five years at a cost of two hundred and ninety-two millions and only eighty-four millions have been received in revenue. In the face of this exampple of government operation, they had a man ask-

ing to construct a larger road.

The intercolonial had been man The intercolonial had been managed by the best men the country had produced. Alexander McKenzie managed it for three years, Sir Chas. Tupper, Sir John A. Macdonald, John Haggart and Mr. Blair all tried their hand but without success. Whether it was managed by Grits or Tories the result was always the same, always a deficit. Mr. Borden said that he was going to change all this and make the Intercolonial pay, but

ment operation, they had a man ask-

where could he find men superior to Alexander McKenzie, Sir Chas. Tup-per, Sir John A. or the others. It wasn't the men who were deficient was not the men who were deticient but the system was wrong. A rail-way managed by a Government couldn't be operated as successfully as one owned by a company. The Conservatives were very proud of their party. When Mr. Borden undertakes to say that he would have a railroad managed by the Govern-ment, he goes back on the policy of their party. The Liberals never offered any opposition to Sir John A. Macdonald when in 1881 he gave his reasons why the Government should not own the C. P. R.

Sir Wilfrid in conclusion said that

frid didn't think that any furthe legislation should be enacted.

Stephens gave it the denial it deserved. Mr. Stephens had promised refutation of the charge and he would give it at a meeting to beheld at Pain Court. Monday night, and the man who made the charge had been invited to be present. Tuesday it was expected that the evidences furnished would be published in the press and circulated all over the country. Mr. Stephens had trusted his reputation

seemed to be a certificate that Mr. Stephens was now very well known indeed. Afterwards Sir Wilfrid spoke words in French to his compatriots and the meeting closed with the usual cheers.

he hoped to live long enough to see the road in full blast and operation and carrying the products of Canada all over the world.

When Sir Wilfrid had concluded the Rev. Constable Brown, of Blenheim, who occuped a seat on the plat-form, rose and asked Sr Wilfrid the same question he had asked Mr. Borden, i. e., what the prohibitionists might expect of him and his party if returned to power. Sir Wilfrid said that when the Liberal convention met in Ottawa in 1893 the question of prohibition was considered. Many were in favor of prohibition Many were not. He himself was a temperance man but not a pro-hibitionist and in the ranks of the Liberal party there were both. Therefore it was decided that a plebiscite would be taken and if a sufficient majority justified it, the country should be given prohibition. The plebiscite had been taken and there plebiscite had been taken and there was a small majority of 10,000 in favor of prohibition, but the vote was very small. Sir Wilfrid said that although Quebee had voted very strongly against the plebiscite still there could be found parish after parish where there was prohibition. After the result of the plebiscite was made known, then the matter was made known, then the matter was meferred to the provinces for themselves to settle. So long as public opinion remained as it was Sir Wilfrid didn't think that any further

The Hon. Mr. Patterson spoke at some length. He said that the Liberals had broken all pledges but had carried out the promises they had made, as nearly as they could. The Liberals hadn't reduced the national debt, but they hadn't increased it, although they had spent more than the Conservatives. Although the national debt hadn't been reduced in total still it was smaller per head of population than in 1896. The duty too had been reduced. In 1896 there was an average duty paid of \$18.20 on every \$100 worth of goods brought into Canada. Now the average is \$16. Mr. Patterson repeated the figures in reference to trade that George in reference to trade that George Stephens had already given. He also repeated what Sir Wilfrid Laurier had said in regard to the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Fred Stone, at the conclusion of Fred Stone, at the conclusion of Mr. Patterson's speech, said that during the past few days a charge had been made against the Liberal candidate, Mr. Stephens. According to Mr. Stone it was not a political charge but a "mean personal charge." Mr. Stephens gave it the denial it deserved. Mr. Stephens had accorded the serviced of Mr. Stephens had accorded to the serviced of Mr. Stephens and the serviced of Mr. Stephens had accorded to the serviced of Mr. Stephens had accorded to the serviced of Mr. Stephens had accorded to the serviced of Mr. Stephens and the serviced of Mr. Stephens had accorded to the serviced of Mr. Stephens and the serviced of Mr. Stephens had accorded to the serviced of Mr. Stephens and the serviced of Mr. Stephens and the serviced of Mr. Stephens and the serviced of Mr. Stephens are serviced of Mr. Stephens and the serviced of Mr. Stephens are serviced of Mr. Stephens and the serviced of Mr. Stephens are servi Stephens had trusted his reputation in the hands of his constituents for

a week with perfect confidence.
R. H. Sutherland, of Windsor, spoke in eulogy of Mr. Stephens. He said four years ago he hadn't known Mr. Stephens but he knew him now. This

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W. D. Samson, of Blenheim, were city visitors on Saturday.

J. S. Black and Frank Malcolmson

left this afternoon for a short visit to the St. Louis Exposition.

E. E. Newman, Jas. L. Baird and Walter Mills, of Ridgetown, are re-gistered at the Garner House to-day. E. G. Thompson, Mrs. Thompson and Miss Thompson, of Blenheim, were guests in the city on Saturday. It was announced yesterday in Holy Trinity Church that the annual harvest thanksgiving services would be held on Sunday next, Oct. 23rd, but that owing to the Bishop's illness the date of the parish social would not be announced at present.

A temperance meeting was held in

A temperance meeting was held in the I. O. O. F. auditorium yesterday

both morning and evening and Rev.
Mr. McQuarrie, of Valetta, addressed
the meeting in the afternoon. This
evening the annual tea meeting will
be held, when Dr. Thornton will give a lecture on "Ireland and the Irish." Rev. Mr. Thompson is the pastor of this prosperous church.

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W. H. Jamieson, of Blenheim, spent Saturday in town W. J. McDonald, of Duart, spent Saturdfay in the city

F. A. Cleminson, of Comber, was in the city on Saturday. J. M. Hess and Thos. Ferry, of Wal-

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sullivan, of Glencoe, spent Saturday with Chatham friends.

D. T. Gilles and ladies, of Muir-kirk, were registered at the Rankin House on Saturday. Edward Kelley and G. Leonard, of Wallaceburg, were guests at the Rankin House on Saturday.

The Gray Cup lacrosse match, on Tuesday, between the Chatham and Thamesville teams, will take place on Tecumseh Park, starting at 4 p. m. Reg. Pleasance, a talented pupil of Samuel I. Slade, sang an O'Salutaris St. Joseph's church last evening. Mr. Pleasane has a splendid voice well trained.

The final lacrosse game for the Gray cup will be played on Tecumseh Park next Tuesday at four o'clock, between the Chatham and Thamesville teams. It promises to be

#### THE REGISTRATION

grand game.

The registration this year was larger than it has ever been. Both sides worked industriously and thoroughly and with the result that a larger number were registered than ever before, since registration was inau-gurated. Over nine hundred were registered this year as against 785 in the provincial elections in 1902. Judge Houston registered the most. He en-rolled 254, James Holmes was next with 250 and Judge Bell was third with 219.

#### SAD DEATH

the I. O. O. F. auditorium yesterday afternoon at a quarter after four o'clock. Rev. F. H. Larkin and E. E. Parrott gave addresses and R. W. Angus sang a solo. There was a good attendance at the meeting and all who were present enjoyed the service.

The annivefsary services of the Merlin Methodist church were held yesterday. Dr. A. W. Thornton, of this city, addressed the congregation both morning and evening and Rev. Mr. McQuarrie, of Valetta, addressed the meeting in the afternoon. This strength of the meeting in the afternoon. This strength is addressed the teaching profession. Two weeks A very sad death occurred this

the teaching profession. Two weeks ago he was taken ill with pneumohia and to-day he passed away to the Great Beyond. He was well liked by all who knew him and a general favorite. favorite.

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Mr. O'Leary Sees Many Changes in the Maple City After Forty Years

Martin H. O'Leary, of Adrian, Mich Martin H. O'Leary, of Adrian, Mich. is visiting friends in town and renewing acquaintance with the friends of his boyhood days. Mr. O'Leary has prospered since leaving Chatham and is now in the employ of the United States Government, being superintendent of the free delivery system at Adrian. This takes in the country as well as the city. Postmaster Sam Barfoot, W. B. Wells, Ted Reardon, W. R. Baxter, George Wanless and Tom Guttridge are all old friends. It is 40 years last January since Mr. O'Leary left Chatham. He is much impressed with the present up-to-date condition of Chatham. He came here in 1852 and left in 1864. Mr. O'Leary saw the sewer on King, street laid saw the sewer on King street laid and afterwards the cobble stone pave-

saw the sewer on King, street laid and afterwards the cobble stone pavement laid. He has seen the town hall in the old market lighted with candles before the days of lamps. He says that the old market building is a blight on the city to-day and he was surprised that Chatham hadn't replaced the old wreck around which he played as a boy. He remembers when William Gray founded the present large business. In those days the boys played baseball on the lot back of the market. They played then with a soft ball. Mr. O'Leary used to be the catcher.

There is another thing which he has noticed that Chatham is lacking and that is the numbering of the houses. He found it very difficult to find his old friends even when he knew the street all for want of numbers on the houses. "Chatham will have to have the houses numbered before you can have a free mail delivery," remarked Mr. O'Leary, "and I can't see why she hasn't got one now. My father used to have the toll gate on the Fifth street bridge and as a boy I collected toll. There are many changes and many faces are missing. I remember once Ned Green, constable, got stabbed fourteen times in the shoulder by a man whom he was arresting. William street was then called the Plank Road by reason of being laid with planks. whom he was arresting. William street was then called the Plank Road by reason of being laid with planks. I saw the Prince of Wales, now King Edward, when he was here in '59."

#### THE GAMBLER

The Rev. Dr. Battisby in the course of his sermon last night, dwelt upon the evils that beset young people and referred especially to gambling. He said that he understood that there said that he understood that there were dens in this city where young men gambled till the early morning and on Sunday. The Doctor further stated that did he but know such to be the case for a fact and the location of the dens he would expose the men who ran them. Gambling had an evil influence not only on the person who gambles but also on society. The gambler is a disgrace to his family and as soon as his employer finds out that the young man gambles, he dismisses him.

#### MONEY IN SHOES

While no one for a moment believed the sentiment of the old rhyme, "There was an old woman who lived in a shoe," it turns out that "There was an old man wno had his living in

was an old man who had his living in a shoe."

That old gentleman is William Baby, the prominent Maple City broker. Mr. Baby, it appears, has been going around with his money stored away in his shoes. (This is no reflection upon Mr. Baby just because he has a fot of money).

On Saturday he walked into George Maynard's cobbling establishment on King street west, near Third Street bridge, and left a couple of shoes to be repaired. Mr. Maynard, who had lots of work on hand, threw the shoes into a pile of others and continued his work.

About half an hour had elapsed

About half an hour had elapsed when Mr. Baby came rushing into the shop and enquired anxiously,—
"Have you touched those sho

"No," replied Mr. Maynard, "I did not think you were in a hurry for

"No," replied Mr. Maynard, "I did not think you were in a hurry for them."

"Well, I wasn't, but I am in a hurry to get them now! Give them to me!" replied the excited visitor. The shoes were handed out and Mr. Baby proceeded to take out \$103, which was stored away in the toes of the shoes, while Mr. Maynard stood looking on, his eyes gradually assuming the appearance of saucers.

"My!" gasped the cobbler, "what a time I could have had with that hundred and three if I had only found it!"

Now customers of this popular cobbling store wonder why it is that every time a fresh pair of shoes are brought in, the proprietor takes them immediately to the window and searce them carefully, inside and out, before he lays them aside.

Vote for Clements and Willson! ++++++++++++++++++++++++

#### GRAND OPERA HOUSE

3 NIGHTS COMMENCING

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# Bad Weather Coming....

which demands good strong SCHOOL SHOES for the BOYS and GIRLS.

WE'VE GOT THE BEST SCHOOL SHOES in s:ock now that we ever had, and at small prices, too.

Our Lines at \$1 25 and \$1.50 are extra good quality.

SCHOOL SHOES ...

POLICE PROTECTION

To the Editor of The Planet:

The burglaries so frequently perpetuated on the stores on the outskirts of the city has led to suggest the following method for supplying all parts of the city with adequate police protection. As all improvements throughout the city are paid for by frontage tax, why should not the policing of the city be paid for in the same way. At present we have an excellent police force so far as it goes but it does not go far enough; its numbers do not admit of it. Would it not be better if it was arranged so that the great central business portion of the city should be taxed for the policing of their district and the outlying sections be taxed for at least, night protection for their districts. It seems to me that this would be dealing more fairly with the people than by taxing all parts of the city as at present, for a police force whose duties confine them almost exclusively to the central section. It looks to me that by this To the Editor of The Planet: almost exclusively to the central sec-tion. It looks to me that by this method all parts of the city will be much more efficiently policed, and at but very little, if any increased

In the mean time while this propos tion is being municipally digested, don't you think that if a copy were sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier it might assist him in arriving at a fairly accurate idea as to what Mr. R. L. Borden means by "Adequate Protection."

W. K. MERRIFIELD.

FOR MOOSE, DEER, PARTRIDGE, Or other hunting "Get your gun ready" as shooting is approaching. Single fare rate from all Canadian stations on Grand Trunk to North Bay, and intermediate points, Mat-tawa to Nipigon and Garen River now in effect, to points south of North Bay to Severn, including Mus-leds Lakes Lake of Rays Penetana. North Hay to Severn, including Mus-koka Lakes, Lake of Bays, Penetang, Midland, Lakefijed, Coboconk, Hali-burton, single first-class fare tickets will be on sale Oct. 22nd to Nov. 3rd. All tick its valid returning until Dec. 10th. Call on W. E. Rispin, C.

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We handle Coal and Wood, Wholesale and Retail. All orders receive prompt attention Tel. 253. Cor. William and

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### Rubber Goods

We wish to draw attention to the display of Rubber Goods in our window. Quality is the first \$ consideration, and our prices are as low as we can make them.

Our New Hot Water Bottle

It is of finest quality maroon rubber, with an improved handle 🖫 for convenience in filling and carrying, and we guarantee it for two years. The price is

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COOD NEWS OF

# Blankets and Comforters

all at a time when housekeepers are beginning to think of their Fall supplies of heavier bed-clothing and be it noted, the prices these Blankers and Comforters are now marked are much lower than they would be if we had bought the same goods to-day. Special lines we are showing.

#### White Blankets

AT \$3.00 A PAIR-

Extra fine wool, blankets, clean yarns, long thread, very soft make, pink borders, 60x80 in, special for light covering.

AT \$3.50 AND \$3.75 A PAIR-

Choice pure Canadian wool blankets, made of fine soft yarns, very clean, unshrinkable, thoroughly scoured, sizes 64 x 82 inches and 62 x 82 inches, fancy pink borders. AT \$4.50 AND \$5.00 A PAIR-

Strictly pure wool, blankets, made of fine selected wool, unshainkable, thoroughly washed, fancy borders, large bed sizes, 7 and 8 lbs. AT \$5.50 AND \$5.75-Sandringham blankets, pure wool, "selected," unshrinkable, thoroughly scoured, free from specks, full bed sizes, pretty borders, 8 and 9 lbs., special \$5.50 and

Special quality, comforters, well quilted, top and bottom of English sateen, fancy designs and choice combination colors, "ventilated," 60x72 in and 66x72 inches, at each \$4,50, \$5.00, \$5.75, \$6.50 and

Comforters

SILKOLINE COMFORTERS-

AT \$2.00 AND \$2.25 EACH\_

AT \$2.50 AND \$3.00 EACH-

Both sides covered with fancy coverings, good filling, 60x70 inch, at

Special value comforters, top and bottom, of fancy silkoline, white filling, asorted colors, 60x70 inch.

GREY WOOL BLANKETS-In grey and white and brown and blue mixtures, good heavy quality, at per pair \$2.40, \$2.75, \$3.25, \$3.75

SOME STRIKING WEAVES IN

#### DRESS SUITINGS

for fall wear. One of the important features of our offering of new tailor-made Suitings for fall is a group of Cheviot Mixtures pretty tweeds and homespuns. It is a miscellaneous gathering in a way, and yet each pattern may be had in a wide range of colors. Some of the materials are especially suitable for Shirtwaist Suits, others of a heavier texture for coat and skirt suits.

48 to 50 inch all wool Cheviots in black, brown and navy blue, price per yard 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. 54 inch all wool Flake Tweeds in brewn, blue, grey and black, price per yard, 75c

54 inch all wool Homespuns in browns, greys, black and navy blue, price per yard. 75c and \$1.00.

54 inch all wool fancy flake Homespun in green, brown, navy and grey, price per yard 95c.

#### More New Carpets and Rug Carpets

Just placed in stock ready for inspection. They comprise a range unequalled for choice colorings and designs in every dependable weave.

In singlish Wilton at \$1.20 and \$1.40 per yard

Brussell at 75c, \$1, \$1.25 per yard

Balmoral at 75 per yard

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Tapestry at 25,35,40,50,60e per yard

In Canadian Ingrain at 25c up to \$1 00 per yard

All Carpets at 50c and over per yard, made and inlaid free of extra charge.

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### The Newest Style in Raincoats

These smartly made garments had better be called general utility coats; for there is no end to their usefulness. For fa'l rains, for dust, for travelling, to put en at any time, so cover up some home gown, when you want to go somewhere quickly—there is no substitute for these useful and convenient Raincoats.

These are a few of the new styles, in the best shades of tan, olive and oxford.

\$12.50-In light shades, with deep cape, military design, full sleeve, gathered to cuff.

\$12.75-Of Oxford cravenette, pleated back, straight front, full sleeve, stitched straps over shoulders, belt-

\$14.50-Oxford and Olive shades. heavy cravenette, new blouse effect over girdle formed by tucking, col-lar strap, finished with inlaid strap of vervet, full sleeve, tucked above cuff.

\$15.00-Of cravenette, in Olive \$13,50—Of very heavy cravenette, shades, blouse with circular skirt, Oxford tweed effect, Dolman capes over sleeves, belted and trimmed with strapping.

#### Our New Overcoats



Our new Winter Overcoats are ready for your coming. Such a fine lot you never saw. Even our own people dif-

fer as to the most attractive style. "This will be the banner seller", says a salesman.

"No, this one will", says another.
"Both wrong, Her's the star coat", says another. And so it goes, all the styles are so good that no one can pick the best. But it is the private opinion of the writer that for young men, at least, the full comfortable long coat at \$10 and \$12, which hangs so beautiful from the shoulders, yet feels so light when on, will outstrip them

\$7.50, \$10 up to \$13.50 or \$15 00 To the Price Range—But See the Coats

Delighted patrons are doing a great deal of advertising for us but we want you to see these handsome coats be-

#### The Tourist Overcoat

The Tourist Overcoat is a great favorite. If a coat can confer distinction on the wearer, a "Tourist certainly does. It's a long, wide shouldered coat, loose fitting in the back, where it is confined by a belt. It is made from choice fabrics, some quiet fabrics, broken plaids, checks and stripes, in medium and nearly weights, some are single breosted, some double, some have velvet collars

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Is the name of our Baseburner stoves, and they certainly deserve their name Brilliant in appearance, perfect in construction and economical in use makes } them a favorite with

every user. We should be very glad to have you come in and let us show you where. in they are so success, a ful. Two sizes, with or without oven. Prices to suit your pocket book

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FOR A HUNTING TRIP

And one which will bring you the best results, spend a few days in the Temagami District, reached via Grand Trunk Railway. This district abounds in moose and other large Call on Grand Trunk Agents. or address J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto, for de-scriptive and illustrated booklet, entitled "Haunts of Fish and Game," which gives full information as to game laws, and the best districts to

J. D. McDONALD, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

Register! Register!! Register!!! ONE MORE NEW YORK EXCUR-

SION.

The New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company announces one more low rate excursion to New York and Suspension Bridge and Buffalo the going trip to be on October 20th and the return to commence not later than October 29th, The fare is to be \$10.25, Mudson River Steamers included if desired, Call on or write Louis Drago, Canadian Passengs er Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge Street, To-ronto. Phone Main 4361, 2 3 6 6t

Minard's Liniment — Lumberman's Friend.

#### **FU-NIGHT.**

City Council, Harrison Hall at &

Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8 o'clock. Tea-meeting in First Presbyterian Church, from six to eight; program

#### THE LUCAL BUDGET

Vote for Clements and Willson! Central School Fair, 3 days, 15c. W. A. Johnson, of Tilbury, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends. See what your children are doing at the Central School Fair, Tickets

Call up phone 440, and have your Carpets thoroughly disinfected and

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Campbell, of

Turrill, The Shoe Man, is sole agent for the Lr. A. Reed, Cushion Sole

T. F. Hennegan and J. A. Quinnell,

E. Blake Arnold, draughtsman at the Blonde Lumber Co., was able to resume his duties this morning.

white feet, answers to name of R reward offered at Planet office. William Drader lost a valuable horse Saturday night, through in-

The Ladies of St. Joseph's Church

will give a pedro social next. Toesday night. Refreshments will be served. Admission 15 cents. 2

Probate of the will of the late Anna Laura Day, of the township of Raleigh, has been granted to Eliza-beth Humphrey and Frank Humphrey. Coal—Call up 54 for the best Scranton coal, well screened, also Massillon and Cannel coal on hand for immedi-

general committee of the city fraternal orders' carpet ball league until further notice, which will be given in the sporting column.

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

Coughing is an outward sign of inward disease.

Cure the disease with

Shiloh's Consumption Cure The Lung

and the cough will stop.

Try it to-night. If it doesn't benefit you, we'll give your money back. Prices: S. C. WELLS & Co. 307 25c. 50c. \$1 LeRoy, N. Y., Toronto, Can.

#### **Good Overcoats** Are Always Made to Order...

If we were not certain that were true we should be in the ready-made clothing business. The large tailoring business we have built during the past years is the best evidence of the appreciation of our tailoring by good dressers.

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Are unconditionally guaranteed in every respect—fit, style and wearing qualities. They are not only well tailored and perfect fitting, but the best trimmings are always used. The Newest Fabrics are Here

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Park St. Methodist League, S. S. hall, at S. Sons of England, in their rooms, at

Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M. G. R. C., Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7.30, sharp.

Ald. E. A. Mounteer left this morning for Brantford and other eastern

Cowan's cocoa will be served at the Italian Cafe, at the Central School F. J. Fox, and A. G. Leadbeater, of Wheatley, were visitors in the city on Saturday.

clean.- T. E. Orr

H. J. McDougall and J. H. Fraser of Wallaceburg, were in the city yes

terday.

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Fletcher, were visitors in the city on Saturday.

T. F. Hennegan and J. A. Quinnell, of Wallaceburg, were in the city on Saturday.

Rev. J. W. Hoyt and wife are attending the Baptist convention in Toronto this week.

Mrs. E. C. Gammage has returned from visiting Mrs. Scribner, London, who is very seriously ill.

Lost, brindle bull dog pup, has four

Hamation, The horse was worth \$200.

Arthur Brown, Wm. Loop, Bert Hartrick and James Wallace, of Leamington, were in the city yester-

will give a pedro social next Tues-day night. Refreshments will be served. Admission 15 cents. 2

An illuminated picture of Central School was the centre of attraction Saturday night. It is in G. W. Sulmar's window.

The Ladies of St. Joseph's Church

ate delivery. Steen & Montgomery, opposite post office.

There will be no meeting of the

ing, for the purpose of conterring the third degree.

Thomas Bartley, of Kent Bridge, has a cider press that is run every Wednesday and Thursday. Parties having apples that they want to put into cider can have them pressed at a small cash consideration.

Mr. and Mrs. w. D. McRae, Wallaceburg, were registered at the Rankin House on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. McRae were on their way home from their honeymoon, which was spent in eastern cities.

S. Poole.
Ladies—Misses Edith Holmes, Amy
Boles, Gertie Tighe, E. Hales, P.
Boetts, Nita Bounsail, F. Glass, Verna
Heyward, Edna Dennis, May Peate,
May Taylor, E. Baraassin and Helen
Thomas.
Tenors—Messrs. Watson, Russell,
Wrigley, Bounsail, C. Gaudeon, O. K.
Lawson, H. Hughes, T. Waddoll, J.
Reeves and R. W. Angus.
Basses—Messrs, J. W. Plewes, Chas.
Wregg, M. Sheldon, C. Higley, G.
Higley, A. Glassford, W. Head, R.
Ball, H. Hoy, H. Anquetil and J. W.
Wilson.

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Unshrinkable Underwear

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Wool. Price as per size.

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We begin Underwear at 2 for 25c.

Prime Fleeced Lined at 50c Heavy Wool Ribbed and Fleeced Lined

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The finest lines yet, in all Wool, Union. Knit Plush and Heavy Cotton,

Use Only 14 Teaspoonful of Armour's Extract of Beef for a cup of Beef Tea. Yes, some require a whole teaspoonful— but they are not Armour's. ARMOUR'S

Extract of Beef s the different and better kind. (teontains all the strengthering properties—all the rich delicious flavor—of prime roast beef.

Test it yourself—see how much more tasty soups, sauces, and grayles are and how much longer it lents—when you use ARMOUR'S. Sold by all Grocers and Druggists TORONTO.

#### DR. A. W. THORNTON

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

Ross Hicklin spent Sunday in De

Carloads of exhibits at Central School Fair.

F. G. Morley, of Windsor, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Miss Baldwin, of Toronto, is visitng with Mrs. Baldwin, Hilliard St. W. C. Newman, grain merchant, of Ridgetown, was in the city to-day. Apple pickers wanted. Apply to the Northwood Wholesale Co., Chatham. Central School Fair, 2 nights, Thursday and Friday.

E. E. Newman, manager of the Traders' Bank, Ridgetown, was in the city to-day.

F. M. Syer and B. M. McDonald, of Thamesville, were visitors in the city on Saturday. Coal !- A. R. Crow is selling genu-

ine Scranton Pea Coal, same as oth-Lost, in Chatham, post office key for box 431. Finder will please leave same at this office. ers, at \$5.50 per ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Brace, of Peterboro', have returned home, after a pleasant visit with their daughter, Mrs. Black, Lacroix St.

The Wallaceburg Sugar Co. has given a barrel of sugar made from Kent County beets, to the Central School Fair. It will be converted into candy and creams. This gift from Mr. D. A. Gordon is by way of advertisement. Lost—On Aug. 14 last, a small leather hand-bag, containing bottle and a number of vetinary instruments. A liberal reward will be given for their return to The Planet office, or to Dr. Pingle, of Dover Centre.

Ald. John Edmondson considers that Ald. John Edmondson considers that he wasn't fairly treated Friday night. The meeting was called for 7.30. Mr. Edmondson was there at that time and patiently waited till 7.45, but his colleagues not showing up he went away. Then later, when he wasn't there, the meeting was held. Mr. Edmondson says that he has always considered the Mayor's time valuable, as he has always been in his place on time.

#### THE REOPENING

mising contraltos and a clever pupil of Samuel I. Slade. Miss Peate sang exceptionally well. She has a pure contral to voice and gives promise of contracto voice and gives promise of becoming one of Chatham's foremost singers. In the evening Willie Hoig, one of the choirs boy sopranos, gave a solo. Willie is a pure soprano and sang remarkably well. R. W. Angus, another pupil of Mr. Slade's, also sang The Ninety and Nine in the evening. Prof. Walter Dolman, the talented organist, performed his important part faultlessly. Mr. Dolman is an organist of exceptional ability and organist of exceptional ability and Christ Church is fortunate in having his services. He played two excellent voluntaries at each service, one at the opening and the other during the offertory, and his accompaniments to the solos and chorus singing

ments to the solos and chorus singing were perfect.

The man who deserves the credit for the formation of this vested choir is Rev. Mr. McCoh, the popular restor of the church. Mr. McCoh has for of the church. Mr. McCe h has advocated this move for some time and has worked faithfully and earnestly in securing the surplices and yestments, and arranging the services to suit the choir. He is indeed deserving of great praise for his work with the choir and also for the great ork he is doing in the church. The choir is composed of fifty to see, who are as follows:

The special collection which was ked for yesterday amounted to bout \$1,000, which was considered ghly satisfactory.

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Fine Furs Not the kind that creeps up to your Now your speaking. Furs for Men, Women and Children.

knees and elbows. Penman's Unshrinkable or Watson's Unshrinkable Elastic Ribbed Tiger Brand. We carry Men's Fur Overcoats of four ifferent kinds. Prices from \$18 to both brands in stock and have never known a wearer to grumble, but al-

Heavy Cloth Overcoats, Fur Lined

Ladies' Fur Jackets & Coats. Never since Adam and Eve wore furs has there been anything more cosy, and becoming than our Furs. Our 18c, 25c, 36c, 50c. and heavy plush from 50c. to \$1.00, in colors grey, satisfied patrons are our best advertisements, and to satisfy in every way insures success. We guarantee the goods right and the prices right, from \$14.00 to \$135.00.

Fur Neckwear from \$45.00 to

Elastic Unshrinkable Tigar Brand, 75c Watson's Fine Unshrinkable Elastic Rib Pure Wool, sizes from 34 to 44, \$1.25 Fur Trimmings of all kinds. No extra charge for garments made

Repairing done promptly

#### Millinery

No where in the Dominion from the cording to size.

Boys' Fleeced Lined, Union and All Atlantic to the Pacific is Millinery more up to date than in Chatham. No where in Chatham surpasses the Gor-don Store Millinery for giving confident satisfaction every way. our Handmade Toques, Chick Tur-bans, Lady Minto's, Camels Hair Hats, School Girl's Hats, and all the new Girl's Black Tights, Plash Sleeping colors and pretty shapes in Children's

#### bress Goods

All the popular and siylish weaves for this season. Fancy Mixtures and Tweed effects, and Cravenette Goods.

per yard, 50c. to \$1.50. Venetians, Kerseys, Empire Cloths, New Flaked Effects and Costume Cloths with plenty of warm woollen goods for school wear at 25c

#### Ladies Shirtwaists

Taffata Silk Woists, Black or Champagne, all the latest trimming, range from \$3.00 to \$5.00.

Beautiful White Silk Berthe Waists, trimmed with fine Valencinnes.

Choice Color Stripe French Flan-nel Waists, gold button trim, nobby. Very new and nice Waists of Fancy

Velvet, Dotted, genteel shades. Outing Flannels and Cashmere Flecced Waists from 50c, 75c to \$1.90. Golf Jackets, heavy wool, from \$1

#### Big Top Shirts

This season we carry the Hudson Bay Knitting Co's Top Shirts—the finest and best Woollen Working Shirts ever sold—just what men of Kent require. Neck sizes 15 to 17, 85c to \$1.35.

A small book presented with each

NOVEMBER STANDARD WILLIAM GORDON. ALL STANDARD PATTERNS SHEETS FREE

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# Drug Store Sale

Owing to our closing our Dresden Branch we have this week added about \$3000 worth of goods to our already very large stock. This fact, with a tremendous new Christmas line coming, has induced us to make a special sale. This Sale will continue until November 1st, and applies to everything in our store except Drugs and Optical Goods.

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33½ per cent. Discount on all Leather Goods including:—Purses, Wallets, Hand and Chain Purses, Portfolios, Card Cases, Cigar Cases, Travelling Companions, Razor Strops, etc.

Drugs and Optical Goods.

25 per cent. Discount on all other lines including:-Tooth Brushes, Cloth Brushes, Hair Brushes, Combs, Perfumes, Sponges, Rubber Goods, Soaps and everything else except

We have only one object in having this sale and that is to reduce our stock. The goods are perfect,just as good as what are coming for our winter trade.

#### A. I McCALL & CO. Corner King and Fifth Sts. 1 DRUGGISTS

#### BURGLAR BOYD PAYS HIS RESPECTS

Boyd, the burglar, was seen yester-day morning about one o'clock on King St., by an acquaintance, and after taking a good "rubber" to see if a cop was in sight, moved on toward Fifth St. bridge, presumably to meet his pal, Trembley, in North Chatham. He said to his acquaintance, "Give my respects to the turn-key," meaning, of course, our Kent County official. For cool, consolidat-ed nerve this takes the ccake.

#### ALLEGED HE PAID MONEY

deserving of great praise for his work with the chor and also for the great ork he is doing in the church. The choir is composed of fifty to ces, who are as follows:

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Ladies—Misses Edith Holmes, Amy Boles, Gertie Tighe, E. Hales, P. Eberts, Nita Bounsall, F. Glass, Verna Heyward, Edna Dennis, May Peate, May Taylor, E. Baraassin and Helen Thomas.

Tenors—Messys. Watson, Russell, Wr.g.'ey, Bounsall, C. Gaudeon, O. K. Lawson, H. Hughes, T. Waddell, J. Reeves and R. W. Angus.

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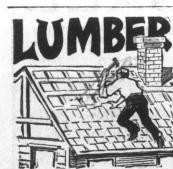
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decades of masterly dexterity and cunning, the friend of dukes, princes and even kings, who marvelled at his strange accomplishments and permitted him to fleece them and go unpunished, he contrived to become an analysis and to be stranged to be s punished, he contribute to become an acknowledged power in Paris and to make of pocket picking, so long recognized by criminals as the meanest and least manly form of crime, a "leading feature" of his sinister trade.

feature" of his sinister trade.

Now that he has finished his devious career the police of Paris will rest easier, for he was the torment of the department and the despair of every inspector who sought to fasten crime inspector who sought to fasten crime upon him. He is not dead, it is true. He is not even within the grip of the law, but in the hopeless ward of an insane asylum he is eking out his days trying to convinee his keeper that he is of royal blood, a Bourbon king by right and heritage, and that he is destined to restore the monarchy to France. Even in these days of incurable insanity his gallant bearing is enhanced rather than diminishing is enhanced rather than diminishing is enhanced rather than diminished. He is the Beau Brummel of the sanitarium, and his manner is as winsome, his laugh as merry, and his joke as apropos as in the old days when he hobnobbed with aristocrats and cheated and robbed them without suspicion or disfavor.

EARLY LIFE A MYSTERY.

William was the only name by which this extraordinary thief was known, and nobody seems to know whether it was a patronymic or a given name. His life preceding his advent to Paris remains a myster. given flame. His life preceding his advent to Paris remains a mystery, and he guarded it always as jealously as he did the details of the great thefts which he committed. He had an infinite contempt for bungling criminals and always refused to associate with the "camaille." As his wealth increased he rapidly assumed the manners and affected the society of the rich and noble. He seemed to take on their characteristics by mere contact and during the early manifestations of his peculiar hallucination many of his associates and friends began to believe that percination many of his associates and friends began to believe that perhaps he was of noble origin. His love affairs were as numerous and as audacious as his social and criminal adventures, and he was seldom unsuccessful in his pursuit of women. In the shops of Bon Marche he was also familiar, and to the shop girls and clerks at least, a welcome figure. He spent money lavishly, bought of the bravest and best and never argued or haggled over prices or the bravest and best and never argued or haggled over prices or change. With the proprietors, however, he was not so popular, for on almost every occasion his visits were followed by the disappearance of jewellery and valuable trinkets. He was arrested on suspicion more than once and within a few moments of the time when watch or diamond brooch had vanished but the police never had vanished, but the police never "got the goods on bim."

MASTER OF LEGERDEMAIN.

Many ignorant detectives attributed some supernatural power to this uncatchable thief, but all admitted that he was a master at sleight of hand, and so adroit that he might have rivalled Hermann as a "magi-cian." He was wont to brood sor-rowfully over the only defeat he ever sustained, the only failure that could be governed grainst him. It was one

liam began a series of operations which show his versatility. He selected the names of well known men registered at the hotels and telegraphed their wives at home: "Am

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n trouble. Keep it secret; am lock-ed up here as Paul D. Hart; tele-graph me \$250 qu.ck." He scattered these broadcast and a

number of distressed wives sent the money. One came at once and finding that her husband had in fact left the hotel came to the prison. "Hart" sent out word that he could not bear to have her see him in distributions.

game was up. He was searched and about \$809 which he had obtained in this way was taken from him. He was put on trial and convicted with-out difficulty and sentenced to four

years.

In the early years of his association with noble gamblers and sporting men he was popular and much sought after for the thrilling descriptions of his own unique but al-ways criminal deeds. He had an elo-quent, convincing way in discourse, his repartee was instantaneous and brilliant, and he was recognized as an authority in matters of fashion, sport and entertainment. On one occasion he was invited to dine at the house of a certain Duke, where over the nuts and wine he proceeded to the nuts and wine he proceeded to recount a few of his most notable achievements. His recital of the peculiar finesse, the psychical alertness, the sensibility of touch, the instantaneous thought, the ability to acr and think at one and the same second, so delighted the Duke that he chatted till past midnight with his fascinating guest, and at parting bade him welcome to his house. The next day the noble and hospitable host found that William had robbed him of his watch, his purse, and the diamond cuff buttons which he had worn at dinner, but so delighted was he at the supreme skill as well as daring displayed by the as well as daring displayed by the thief that he forgave the rascal and even patronized him afterwards. THE "SEAL MIRROR" RING

There seems to be no doubt that he invented or devised the "seal mirhe invented or devised the "seal mirror" ring, for he used it for years with apparent profit. It was nothing more than a heavy gold ring set with a broad, flat, dull colored seal, not unlike a turquoise, except deaded of hue. By turning the seal around inside of his hand he was able to disclose his cards to his partner and their mutual plan. But he soon abandoned this device, perhaps for the reason that he never liked a conreason that he never liked a federate. In other ways he went to the most extraordinary lengths, both in expenditure and ingenuity, and for a time there was a story current among the police of Paris that William, through inrocent agents, actu-ally supplied the gambling houses, which he frequented with the cards used by the public who played there, There seems to be no other explana-tion of the apparently miraculous manner in which he could always di-vine the contents of his opponents' "hands." When his acquaintances would no longer contest with him he not only offered to teach them "his game" but robbed them in the bargain. Until a few days before his retirement to the sanitarium he continued to practice pocket-picking with unfailing success.

A FEAT IN SHOPLIFTING.

Perhaps the most ingenious per-formance of William's life was that by which a shopkeeper was literally made to rob himself. The famous thief was often embarrassed after purloining a diamond or some valuable jewellery to get out of the store before the cry of "police" was raised and the doors all locked. He succeed in arbitrary to get out of the store before the many jewellery stores. ed in robbing so many jewellery stores that it became practice to lock all doors the moment anything was missed, and, thus sure that the thief cian." He was wont to brood sorrowfully over the only defeat he every sustained, the only failure that could be scored against him. It was one day in a crowded aisle of the French Exhibition that ill luck and disgrace overtook him for a space. He had deftly inserted his hand into a lady's pocket, when his index finger was suddenly seized with a violent cramp. He tried to withdraw his hand, but the spasm in his digit caused it to crook so that it caught in the edge of the pocket and attracted the victim's attention. She screamed "Pickpocket," and a gendarme, who was standing almost at hand, and who probably knew William quite well, seized him and dragged him off to prison.

While in prison awaiting trial William began a series of operations which show his versatility. He so warned that the theft had been reads. into the coat pocket of the owner of the store. That worthy, already warned that the theft had been made, rushes outside the store, calls "police" and has his pocket picked by William's confederate, who rushes up with the curious crowd that can always be suddenly assembled in a Paris

Street.

This ruse is no longer a mystery to the detectives of the great city, but it seems likely enough that the famous William contrived it, and it is certain that he applied it with great success for some years. "Coarse work" on the part of a young woman confederate caused him later to choose the outdoor part of the scheme, and fashionably attired female was searched trequently thereafter for just such the outdoor part of the scheme, and fashionably attired female was searched frequently thereafter for just such losses as William was so fond of bragging about. He successfully worked, if he did not originate, another effective idea for successful theft. It was to munch an apple while examining uncut gems. As he was quite apt to buy a stone or two anyway,he was always well attended and he seldom failed to get a gem or two stuck into his apple before suspicion was aroused. By that time he had tossed the core into the street, where his partner had picked it up and made away in safety, leaving William paying for what he had purchased and inveighing indignantly against being searched.

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THE SAME CAT.

R. V. Wolf, agent of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company in Middleton, N. Y., has a cat that he has for months been trying to get rid of. She has been given to farmers who have taken her miles away to their homes, time after time, but she has never failed to put in an appearance a bin at the Wolfe man-sion, after brief absenses. The oth-er day Mr. Wolfe went to New York. er day Mr. Wolfe went to New York. He put the cat in a bag and placed it under the seat of a car. When the train reached Sterlington, Mr. Wolfe dropped the cat out of the Window. Sterlington is forty miles from Middleton, Mr. Wolfe transacted his business in New York and went home. This was on Tuesday. When he went home to supper on Thursday night and sat down by his Thursday night and sat down by his shearthstone there was the same cat. She got up, rubbed herself on her master's legs, and purred in a way that showed how she appreciated his little joke. Wolfe sat down and seemed dazed for a minute. Then seemed dazed for a minute. Then he stroked the cat fondly, but respectfully and said, "You can stay here as long as you live, if it's a hundred years. Pl get a gold collar for you and tie it full of red ribbons. Pussy, you're a dandy.

RULES TO PREVENT CONTAGION

There are a few simple rules whose observance will reduce the chances of contagion. These rules should be fol-lowed by all, but it is particularly important that children in every hold, and especially children in schools, should be taught their signi-ficance. The most important rules

Do not spit on the floor not put the fingers in the Do not wet the fingers in the mouth

for the purpose of turning the leaves of books, especially library books, in-asmuch as book leaves are sometimes the lurking places of disease bacteria.

the lurking places of disease bacteria,
Do not put pencils in the mouth.
Do not put money in the mouth.
This is extremely important, because
money is liable to come in contact
with all sorts of people and to become contaminated with many kinds
of disease bacteria.
Do not put into the mouth anything that another person has had

thing that another person has had in his mouth. This refers to gum, apple cores, candy, whistles, bean blowers, drinking cups, etc.

Turn the face aside from others when coughing. This will sometimes prevent contagion passing from one person to another, inasmuch as the breath in coughing distributes disease

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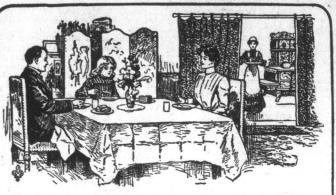
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# Township Councils.

CHATHAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

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The regular meeting of the township of Chatham council was held at the township hall on Monday, the 3rd October, pursuant to adjournment, and the notice to the Charlton drain cut-off ratepayers in that behalf. The members were all present and the minutes of last meeting were read and adopted and signed by the read and adopted and signed by the cut of motion the meeting was adjourned, and the court of revision on the Carleton drain cut-off assessment was proceeded with as a majority of the ratepayers on said drain were present. The evidence was heard and after considering the same the following resolution was passed;

Tampleton—George, that the following Templeton—George, that the following resolution was

rempleton—George, that the following changes be made in the engineer's assessment for the construction of the Carleton drain cut-off—that the n w qr lot 14, con. 9, be transferred to the Carleton drain Improvement, west of the cut-off, that \$44.00 be reduced from the assessment on the n e qr of lot 14, con. 9; that the n w qr of lot 15, con. 9, be reduced \$20; that the s w qr of lot 17, con. 10, be reduced \$10, and that the said reduction be placed prorata over the whole assessment as thus amended, and the court of revision be finally closed.—Carried.

The revision of the engineer's assessment on the improvement of the Carleton drain west of the cut-off was then proceeded with.

The assessment was examined and the evidence considered and the following resolution passed;

Templeton—George, that the engineer's assessment for the improvement of the Carleton drain be changed as follows; that n hf of the sh off lots 11 and 12 in the 10th con. be struck off; that the s qr of lot 11, con. 10, be reduced \$50.00; that the ehf n hf lot 13, con. 9, be raised \$10; and that the following lands omitted by the engineer, be assessed; the s e qr lot 8, con. 10, \$10; the n w qr lot 14, con. 9, \$30, that the difference be placed over the whole assessment on the lands and roads as thus amended, and the court of revision finally closed.—Carried.

General business was then taken up. The reports of W. G. McGeorge, C. E., on the repair of the 9th con. drain and on the repair of the Stephen drain were received and read. On motion of Couns. Templeton and George the said drainage reports were adopted and the by-law to provide for the same provisionally adopted and ordered to be printed in the Dresden Times newspaper, and that a court of revision on the engineer's assessment be held at the township hall on the 7th day of November, 1904.

W. W. Merritt presented a written notice to have the Everitt Creek drain repaired.

A letter was read from the law firm of Lewis and Richards stating that they intended to proceed with a legal action, for

on the same with a view to its repair.—Carried.

McGeorge—Abraham, that the commissioner of the 5th div. is empowered to have a tree cut down that is in a dangerous condition on the 5th conroadway at lot 9.—Carried.

Templeton—George, that the offer made by Alonzo McLean re the settlement for arrears of taxes against se pt of lot 12, con. 4, Gore of Chatham, and that the clerk notify the county treasurer to withdraw the said land from sale.—Carried.

Templeton—Abraham, that Couns. George and Irwin are hereby appointed a committee to wait upon the township of Camden council and to arrange some drainage matters be-

pointed a committee to wait upon the township of Camden council and to arrange some drainage matters between both townships.—Carried.

Templeton—George, that as there has been complaint received that there are certain bars in the Britton drain that prevent a free flow of water, the clerk notify the commissioner to have the said bars and obstructions memoved and the cost charged to the drain.—Carried.

Abraham—Irwin, that J. W. Frown be appointed to collect the taxes for the 1st div. at a salary of \$140, and that Wm. Vance be appointed to collect the taxes for the 2nd div. for 1994 at a salary of \$150, and that the clerk prepare a by-law confirming the said appointments, to be read at next meeting of council.—Carried.

Templeton—George, that H. Cumming is appointed to let and superintend the work of repairing the Carleton drain west of the cut-off, according to the plans and specifications of the engineer, and that Adam Irwin be appointed commissioner on the Carleton drain construction.—Carried.

Resolutions were passed ordering

win be appointed commissioner on the Carleton drain construction.—
Carried.

Resolutions were passed ordering payment of the following accounts;
Blonde Bros., material for bridge over Big Oreek cut-off, \$60.10; D. C. McDonald, grave for Pangburn, an indigent, \$3.50; Co. Registrar, registering by-laws, \$8.00; F. Judson, painting sign, Tupper-ville bridge, \$6.00; A. H. George, swinging Tupper-ville bridge, \$20.00; Geo. Craven, cut-ting weeds and thistles along road-way, \$5.00; Gibert Hebert, barying dead hog, \$1.00; W. G. McGeorge, final inspection of Tupperville wing bridge, \$6.00; W. G. McGeorge, survey and award Clyde ditch, \$16.00; W. G. McGeorge, survey and report \$th condrain, \$17.50; W. G. McGeorge, survey and report \$th condrain, \$17.50; W. G. McGeorge, survey and report \$th condrain, \$17.50; W. G. McGeorge, survey and report \$th condrain, \$17.50; W. G. McGeorge, survey and report \$th condrain, \$17.50; W. G. McGeorge, survey and report \$th condrain, \$17.50; W. G. McGeorge, survey and report \$tephen drain, \$22.50; Jas. Chapman, 2-3 value sheep killed, \$16.60; A. Faubert, 2-3 value sheep killed, \$16.60; A. Faubert, 2-3 value sheep killed, \$16.60; K. Weaver, sheep inspector's fees, \$3.00; E. H. Moir, goods for indigent, \$16.50.

Meeting adjourned.

A. McArthur, Clerk.

A Chinese Bensaties

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#### DOOM TO THE RUSSIANS

60,000 Men Fell in the Battle of Shakhe River.

Seven Days Consecutive Fighting and th Battle Not Over Yet-Appalling Sacrifice of Life Makes Even the Victori Nation Sad-40,000 of the Dead Ar Russians-Kuropatkin's Praise of th

London, Oct. 17.-At the close of the seventh consecutive day of fight-ing between Mukden and Liaoyang, the battle was still raging, the Rusthe fierce onslaught of the Japanese The sacrifice of life has been appalling. Estimates of the Russian losses alone in killed and wounded, at the end of the sixth day's fighting conceded at 30,000, while in not improbable that it as gregated at that time 40,000. Jap anese official reports estimate that 10,000 Russian dead were left on the field of battle up to the night of Oct. 14, and claim that the Japanese losses are small by comparison with those of the Russians. General Kuropatkin's report to Emperor Nicholas depicts the desperate character of the fighting and praises the valor of the troops, indicating, how-ever, that he is hard pressed, with the result in the balance. All hope of succoring Port Arthur this season has been abandoned. St. Petersburg has an unconfirmed report that the Japanese general, Nodzu, has been seriously wounded. A question of interest in St. Petersburg is the fate of General Kuropatkin as a factor in the Russian military situa-

St. Petersburg, Oct. 17.—The latest reports from the battle are of Sunday afternoon and evening, when the Russians are carrying on a heavy rear-guard fight, evidently retiring in Mukden. Generals Oku and Nodzu were concentrating for another blow on the Russian right, where the fighting is described as having been furious. Gen. Nodzu is reported to have been wounded seriously, but this can-not be confirmed. From the military point of view, the most bitter disappointment is in the knowledge that the roverse seals the defeat of the heroic defenders of Port Arthur, who are now without hope of succor from the outside world.

War's Appalling Tragedy.

Tokio, Oct. 17.—There is a strong appeal for peace in the appalling tragedy which is now under enactment in Manchuria at the battle of Shakhe River. Both armies have fought ferociously for a week and desperate fighting still continues. It is probable that the death-roll will be largely, increased before the finel largely. increased before the final shot is fired. The preliminary reports indicate that about 60,000 men of both sides, the larger portion of Russians, have been either killed or

wounded.

A telegram received from the Manchurian headquarters late yesterday reports that the fighting has ceased on the front of the right and the centre armies, but that it continues before the left army.

Shocked By the Slaughter.

Even the Japanese, to whom great victory is of paramount portance, seem to be shocked by the slaughter of their enemies. The Japanese people are receiving the news from the field of battle calmly, and there can be heard no shouts proclaiming their victory. Few flags are

displayed. Later a jollification may be held, but many feel that no de-monstration should be made. A prominent Japanese said to the Associated Press correspondent yes-Associated Frees Control terday: "We have won a sweeping and a decisive victory, which may prove to be the salvation of our country's existence, but we regret both our own losses and the terrible note our own tosses and the terrible slaughter which our forces have in-flicted in the enemy. We regret still more the necessity which forced us to engage in this war."

Russians Now Fleeing St. Petersburg, Oct. 17.-The of-

the ghastly tragedy around Shakhe River, but even the official account, supplemented by numerous press despatches, leaves much uncertainty as to the situation. Out of the fragmentary mass of information at hand it is possible only to conclude that the costly withdrawal and re-treat from Liasyang is being dupli-cated upon an even grander scale, after more desperate fighting and heav-

ier losses. General, Kuropatkin's story leaves the Russians still tenaciously hold-ing the north bank on the Shakhe River, but the general belief that this is only the desperate finale of one of the greatest military dramas of history, and that the Russian army as a whole is retiring towards Mukden, having suffered at the most conservative estimate a loss of over 30,-

All hopes of the world-heralded advance to Port Arthur have been alrandoned. The weather conditions are even worse than during the re-treat from Liaoyang.

Latest Estimate of Slaughter.

Tokio, Oct. 17.—In the reports of the great battle; which continue to arrive from the front; the most striking feature is the terrible record of the Russian dead. Before the severe fighting on Oct. 14 General Oku's army alone recovered and buried 2,000; Kuroki buried 4,500, making the total number of Russians buried by the Japanese, with Nodzu's army atill to hear from, 6,500. Aparmy atill to hear from, 6,500. Applying the usual calculation and making reasonable allowances for the fighting of the 14th and 15th, the Russian losses will exceed 40,000. Oyama estimates that the total Russian dead left on the field, including the fighting of the 18th, is over 10,000. It has been a bigger battle than that of Liaoyang.

Kuropatkin Praises Japanes Mukden, Oct. 17.—In an informal talk which the Associated Press cor-

respondent had with Gen. Kuropatkin, in the field just before the battle commenced on the 15th, he spoke in glowing terms of the bravery of the Japanese, saying that they were a gallant foe, and also that they were most correct in the observance of the rules of war. In this respect he said it was the most pleasant war he had ever been engaged in.

#### KUROPATKIN CRUSHED BACK.

es 30,000 Dead Behind After a Fierce

Tokio, Oct. 17.-Lengthy reports from the field received yesterday, and published last evening, are as fol-

lows:
"Right Army.—The force of the "Right Army.—The force of the enemy which opposed the right flank of the right army, holding the vicinities of Tumentsu (Tumin) and Pa Passes, engaged our detachment, which was sent to Bensihu, but was unable to keep his ground on Oct. 14, and showed signs of retreat. The commander of the army then ordered the Bensihu detachment to hotly pursue the enemy toward the east and north. The detachment immediately sue the enemy toward the east and north. The detachment immediately formed itself into two detachments and pursued the enemy toward Pintaitzu and the Hsiata (Sakha?) River, driving the enemy before them. "The enemy, who had retreated, stopped at Pieniuhungpo and is fortifying that place.

Advance to Sha Biver.

"The right column of the army which has been engaging the enemy near Chiaoksientin (Chaohsin Pass) observing that the enemy showed signs of retreat, immediately gave chase toward Taichaiku, while the centre and left columns, co-operating attacked the forces of the enemy which were occupying positions near Siku Mountain and defeated them These columns immediately advanced in a line on the Sha (Sakhe?) River. "The enemy opposing the left col-

umn was about one division strong and fled in confusion towards pips. His artillery is still holding a position near Ta Pass and is bom

harding us.

A body of our supports, which had been driving a small force of the enemy before it since the morning of the 14th, took possession of the Waita Mountain. Observing that the enemy, from the movements of his wago room the movements of his wagon column, was commencing a retreat, this body of our supports immediate-ly pursued him, sending a portion of its detachment to Sungshutsizu

(Chingtuitzur)

"Centre Army.—After attacking
and dislodging the forces of the enemy which were holding Changlintzu.
Putsaowa, Tungchafen and the vicinity of these places, the centre army has been driving them north of the Sha River since the morning of Oct.

14. and has reached and now holds a line on the river.

"Left Army.—The main strength of the right column of this army was directed against Huangchiatien. It drove the enemy northward, and at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of Oct. 14 it mastered the heights in that

"The centre column, after defeating the enemy on the eminences south of Shebang, seized the positions which he had been holding."

"A portion of the centre column, which was directed against Linchenpao, co-operating with a portion of the left column, fought a fierce battle, and at 4 o'clock in the after noon stormed and captured Linchen-pac. Our forces are now chasing the

"The Russian force holding Linch enpao consisted of more than a regi-ment of infantry, with two batteries of artillery, and this force is now retreating toward Sugantai, where the Russians are halting. A portion of the centre column is pursuing the

"The forces of the enemy opposing the left wing of the left army at the left wing of the left army at Changliangpo and neighborhood, where the left column was engaged by them, gradually obtained reinforcements, and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon made a counter ettack afternoon made a counter attack, but they were successfully repulsed by our left column. The strength of the enemy opposing the left column was fully four regiments of infantry, with 10 batteries of artillery.

The report from field headquarters

goes on to say:
"From Oct. 10 to Oct. 14 the result of the continuous fighting has favorable in every direction while the enemy's strength while the enemy's strength was al-ways superior. Not only was the ene-my defeated, but he was vigorously pursued by us, our forces pressing him against the left bank of the Hun River and inflicting upon him heavy

"The guns captured number more than 30, and the prisoners taken number several hundred. Thus the object of the enemy has been completely frustrated and his offensive movement has ended in final failure.

"The corpses left by the enemy at different points are too, numerous to be easily counted. The enemy's loss cannot be easily ascertained, owing to the continuance of the fighting, but they must exceed 30,000.

"The trophies, besides the guns, include an enormous quantity of am-

clude an enormous quantity of ammunition, wagons and rifles. They are still uncounted. The Russian corpses left on the field between Oct. 10 and Oct. 13, and buried by us exceeded 2,000 in number. The bodies left after the fighting on Oct. 14 are very numerous. Our casualties Oct. 11 and 12 were 15 officers killed, 46 wound-ed and 1,250 men killed and wound-"The enemy defeated by the Sians

"The enemy defeated by the Sienichuang garrison Oct. 10 appears to have halted at Pintienshan. According to prisoners captured, the Russian force formerly stationed at Lutahotzu lost 60 killed and wounded. The Japanese loss was three officers and a few men wounded."

Russians Fight For Glery.

Mukden, Oct. 17.—There was a lull in the battle Saturday, but fighting was continued on the right. The army is southwest of here 10

miles.

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been a bigger battle than that of

Liaoyang.

The Russians were attacking on the right yesterday.

The firing to the southwest is less violent. The men are tired out and food has been insufficient. Every available man and gun is being The troops have behaved most gal-

lantly, hurling themselves repeatedly against impregnable positions. The heavy storm of Oct. 14 added to the misery of the troops. There is great depression but stolid tenacity among the men. There has been great sacrifice of officers.

The plain occupied by the retiring Russians is covered with bursting shrapnel. The gunners shoveled shells into the breaches of the guns as stokers shovel coal into furnaces. Howitzers are used by the eastern rmy. The Russian guns have superior range and burst shrapnel at

There is scarcity of reliable maps.
Two divisional commanders have lost their chief staff officers, one of them being killed, and many com-manding officers have met death heroically leading their regiments. fell near Gen. Kuro Shrapnel

patkin. He showed desperate energy and even in the darkest remained hopeful. There was a cessation of hostilities Saturday.
Neither side can stand many such

contests, the ferocity of which was frightful The Russians are now fighting as a matter of pride; Manchuria is for-gotten. They feel that they cannot stop-that they must win one bat

Last evening the Japanese seem no earer. Fires are burning to the outh. About 12 miles from here the outh. eastern army is retiring without fighting.

Baltic Fleet Sails.

Libau, Oct. 17.-The Baltic squad on put to sea at 1 o'clock vester day morning.

Copenhagen, Oct. 17.—During yesterday the Baltic squadron passed Bornholm Island in two sections. It comprised a total of six battleships,

eleven cruisers and numerous smaller craft, and was going northeast. Japs Make Canal. St. Petersburg, Oct. 17.—It is announced that the Japanese have constructed a canal joining the Taitse and Hun Rivers, facilitating transportation to Sianchan from Yinkow.

Mukden, Oct. 17.-The battle was renewed and continued throughout the night, being especially heavy at misnight. The Russians retain their misnight. The Russians retain their position along the Shakhe River, and have made frequent attacks upon the Japanese, capturing six of the latter's guns. The eastern army is helping the western forces. There has been very heavy artillery fire yeterday. The fighting is now cention the plain.

"Who Is Guilty."

Vienna, Oct. 17.—A few hours after the first news of the disaster at ter the first news of the disaster at Yentai a revolutionary broadsheet was circulated in St. Petersburg. Under the heading "Who is Guilty?" it said: "The murderers of Russian liberty hope vainly to escape Ged's punishment. A people degraded into slavery cannot do heroic deeds for their oppressors. Double and treble the army, and yet you will succumb. General Europatkin is not guilty, but the system of corruption that is dwelling in the Czar's pal

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