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You will Buy —THESE— TUESDAY

The money-saving enjoyment is delightfully refreshing. You will have a chance on Tuesday of securing some very special lines of seasonable goods at greatly reduced prices. Shop as early as possible for sometimes the lines are cleared very early, and we cannot always replace them.

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8 pieces fine Swiss Brussels Net, Applique and Tambour effects, slightly soiled, regular price 45c. and 50c., on sale Tuesday at 25c.

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Pretty effects, in panel patterns Fish Nets, extra value, on Tuesday 15c.

Fine Bobbinet Curtains,

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3 yards long, made of Wash Brussels Net, frill edged with lace, and insertion set in, very special Tuesday at per pair, \$1.85

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Tuesday at \$2

Two yards Square Tapestry Table Covers with heavy fringe all round, in excellent shades of greens, reds, blues and maroons, exceptional value at \$2.50, Tuesday sale price, \$2.00

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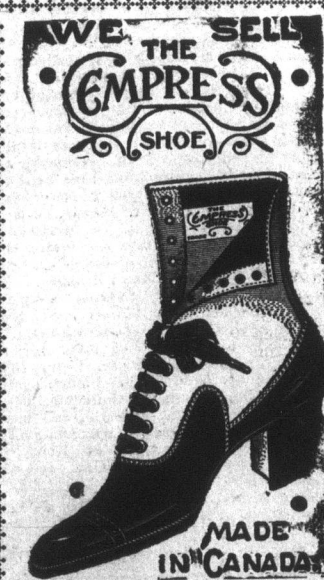
Fine White Book Muslins, some with fancy White Figured borders, some with insertion set in, and others perfectly plain, all with deep full frill, very special values at per yard, 25c.

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Mattings at Per Yard, 12 1-2c.

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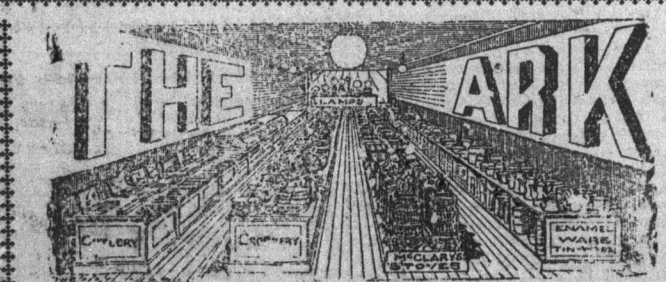
When ladies wear short skirts for morning or country dress, and evening gowns are usually sheer and light. Shoes are a most conspicuous part of the wardrobe. They should be correct, fashionable and attractive.

OUR Empress Shoe

or our \$3 and \$3.50 Empress Shoes have all these qualities—they fit every type of foot, and conform to every demand of dress.

This is a Favorite Store for Women's Shoes...

TURRILL The Shoe Man
Repairing Done at Store.



Notwithstanding the great advance in the price of copper, we are selling on Saturday three dozen

Perfection All Copper Teakettles

Nickleplated at \$1.20 each. We will not likely be able to repeat this offer.
Also on Saturday a beautiful line of Gold Striped, Ten Piece Toilet sets, regular price \$5 on Saturday \$4.25. Samples of goods in The Ark Windows.

H. MACAULAY, 80 KING STREET
... SPOT CASH ...

BUNGALOW PROJECT

The plan for the Big Bungalow Benefit production at the Grand Friday evening opens at the Central Drug Store on Wednesday morning at ten o'clock. To-day tickets are being delivered to the subscribers and all are urged to secure the best seats by reserving early. Any other than the subscribers desiring tickets can have same delivered by phoning Manager Briscoe's office prior to four o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

The universal interest which is being taken in this splendid project ensures a bumper house and the program arranged is an exceptionally fine one. Excellent musical selections will be contributed by the following artists, Miss H. Edythe Hill, Miss Florence G. Stephenson, Miss Lucy MacKellar, Miss Verna Heyward and Mr. W. H. Brackin.

The second part of the program will be particularly interesting, being the presentation of the Trial Scene from the "Merchant of Venice," elaborately staged and costumed, by members of the Macaulay Club under the direction of Mr. V. S. Lane, B. A.

His worship, Mayor McKeough, will preside on this occasion.

KENT REGIMENT VISIT CHURCH

Attend Holy Trinity in a Body and are Welcomed by the Rector.

A Splendid Sermon and Excellent Music—Col. Rankin Addresses the Soldiers.

The soldiers of the 24th Regiment paraded to Holy Trinity Church yesterday morning. The day was delightful. It was a bright spring morning and a large number of Chathamites were out in their Sunday attire to watch the soldiers march.

The service at the church was much enjoyed by the officers and men of Kent's own regiment. The musical part of the service, rendered by a full choir, under the leadership of the choir director, Stanley W. Bell, was much appreciated. Rev. T. Beverley Smith delivered an excellent address from the text, "Thou shalt not say to thy Father, and He shall presently give me more than twelve legions of angels."

"But how, then, shall the Scriptures be fulfilled, that thus it must be?"

Mr. Smith pointed out that Christ had uttered these words when the great cup of sorrow was presented to him to drink to the dregs. It was for Christ to say whether he would put it away or take it up.

Mr. Smith said that he wanted the soldiers to think of the surrender of Jesus. His refusal of the power of deliverance. In life, there were many chances to give up what rightly belonged to the one surrendering his rights to it. The man who was always taking all he had, right to take in life, was often touched with suspicion and a shade of baseness. Jesus Christ had looked to the power that was His and then had put it aside because it would render null all that had been done for the salvation of mankind. All good things had their counterparts. There might be imitation of surrender of lawful possessions or the renunciation of legitimate enjoyments. The giving up of the latter often had a bad effect, only served to whet the appetite for them and led to excesses when indulged in. It was not for self-chastisement that Christ went to the cross, but that the reason for His coming might be accomplished.

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HYDRANT BROKEN

The fire hydrant on the market square at Wellington street corner was badly damaged by a farmer's wagon being backed into it. Fire Chief Pritchard was notified and it is being repaired. The hydrant could not be used to so badly broken," said the Chief, "and farmers and others should be more careful."

The Y. L. M. S. Minstrel parade will start from the drill shed to-morrow at 12 o'clock noon.

MEN OF THE LABOR UNION HOLD BIG RALLY AT THE GRAND

Large and Enthusiastic Gathering on Saturday Evening—Visiting Representatives—Clever Addresses—Vigorous Talks by Ex-Mayor Smith and Ald. Martin.

"We are not the ones who use the force. It is the last thing we think of; but when the manufacturers grind us down and refuse to give us a hearing we are forced to use the last resort—that is a strike."

This was one of the strongest points made by J. B. Lennon at the Trades and Labor Union meeting held in the Grand Opera House Saturday evening.

The meeting was a very large one and was presided over by Mayor W. E. McKeough. It was called by the local Trades Unions, and was in the interests of the working men of the city, to educate them and talk over the labor questions of the day, and the course which is being pursued by the unions, to relieve the condition of the workingmen of Canada and the United States. Among the speakers of the evening were J. B. Lennon, Treasurer of the American Federation of Labor, and Secretary of the Tailors' Union; J. D. Pierce, of Worcester, Mass., general organizer for the American Federation of Labor, and Wm. White, ex-Mayor of St. Paul, Minn., and Ald. Geo. G. Martin, of this city.

After a few short introductory remarks, explaining to the large audience of workingmen the objects of the meeting, the Mayor called on William White to address the meeting.

Mr. White, who has done a great deal in promoting labor unions in the city, is well known among the men and he was greeted with much applause. He spoke along a general line of education of labor and trade unions and giving many instances of the good they have done the general class. He regretted the fact that some of the manufacturers of the city had discharged good men who had the courage to strike in order to receive a betterment of their condition. He thought they had commenced a very unwise course. He referred to the recent effort with the City Council in aid of the corporation laborers, and hoped that that body would see fit to grant to the laborers under them a nine-hour day and sufficient wages to enable them to live comfortably.

"If the laborers' request is not granted by this Council," said he, "we will go on with our work of educating the workingmen and giving many instances of the good they have done the general class."

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five years ago our laborers worked on an average of ten hours a day and received an average wage of \$2 per day. Now they work on an average of eight hours a day and receive an average of \$3.75 per day, and many get as high as 75 cents per hour. This is all due to labor organization. Cigar makers are now just making double the money they used to 16 years ago. Railroad men, tailors, and other tradesmen are all reaping great benefits from unions. Our movement is charged with a good many things by Mr. Perry, president of the Manufacturers' Association.

Breaking in here Mr. Lennon wished to commend Mayor McKeough for his courtesy. Mr. McKeough, while not expressing himself on the course being pursued by the labor men, said that he was in sympathy with the general principles and tendencies of labor union. "Now don't accuse him of double playing if he refuses your request to the Council for he has not said that he would. His sympathies, however, are with the working men."

Continuing, Mr. Lennon said: "Mr. Perry says that we use force and not reason. Now, our fundamental principles are reason and peace, but if we are used unjustly and refused an opportunity to complain of our wrongs, we have to do the only thing that is left. That is the strike."

"He also says that we are law-breakers. Now I want to say that we are the most law-abiding people in the world to-day. What we are working for now is an education for our boys and girls and to keep them out of the factories. We cannot do this on the wages which are given to working men to-day."

"If we receive concessions the business men will reap the benefit. The United States was never in a better condition than it is in to-day and the working men there never received higher wages.—Applause."

"Who is doing the work among the children in the factories and striving to get an education for them? Is it the church? No. It is the labor unions."—Applause.

Concluding, Mr. Lennon said that if the City Council did not grant the present request which is before them, the trades and labor unions would get for the working men the concessions asked for.—Applause.

Mr. Price then took the floor and made a popular address, following Mr. Lennon's address.

At the conclusion of the meeting a vote of thanks to the speakers was moved by J. Stevens and Mr. Draper and passed by the meeting.

The meeting closed with "God Save the King."

BLAZE AT BRANFORD.

The Mohawk Institute Totally Destroyed.

Brantford, April 20.—The Mohawk Institute, a large three-story brick structure about a mile outside the city limits, was totally destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at \$35,000, and this is well covered by insurance. The institution is the property of the New England Company, an association formed in England many years ago for the purpose of educating Pagan Indians. The original buildings were erected about seventy years ago, but there have been additions made from time to time. There were about eighty Indian scholars in the building when the fire broke out, and they were in their beds. The spread of the fire was slow, fortunately, and everyone escaped safely. A large part of the contents of the buildings were also removed to a place of safety from the flames. The origin of the fire is not exactly known. A few days ago there was a blaze in the roof, due to a defective chimney, and as the blaze to-night broke out in about the same place, the cause was probably the same, although it is supposed that an electric wire had something to do with the fire. The blaze broke out in the roof at the west side of the building, and there was nothing to stop it. An alarm was sent to the city fire department, which responded, but there was no water supply available and nothing could be done to save the parts of the building which were then remote from the fire. The entire structure was burned to the ground, only the walls standing. Efforts were made to save the crematory, a small building in the rear of the institution, but were unavailing. There was very fortunately no wind blowing at the time, and the large barns were not in danger.

NO WIRELESS MESSAGES.

Temporary Interruption Owing to Breakdown of a Subsidiary Device.

London, April 20.—The Times announces that owing to a breakdown of a subsidiary device of the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy, which will, the company states, shortly be remedied. The Times' service of American marconigrams is temporarily interrupted.

LAID TO REST

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jean Angus took place Saturday morning from her late residence, 9th concession, Dover, to McVicar's burying ground, where she was reverently laid to rest at the side of her deceased husband. It was a very large funeral despite the very poor condition of the roads, showing the high esteem in which the deceased lady was held by the entire community. Rev. Mr. McIntock, assisted by Rev. Mr. Neilly, conducted the funeral service. Among the relatives present from a distance were Mr. McBeth, of Madoc; Chas. A. McKay, Nelson, B. C.; Mrs. D. McKay and son Alex., of Ingersoll, and Miss Henderson, of Lucknow.

The pall-bearers were six grandsons of deceased—Alex. McKay, of Ingersoll; R. W. Angus, city; Walter and Thomas Bennie, of Dover; and Robert and William Rankin, of Dover.

GAMEY CASE GOES ON.

WILL ONLY ADJOURN FOR SIR OLIVER'S FUNERAL.

Prosecution May Not Call Frank Sullivan—Many Defence Witnesses Already in Town.

Toronto, April 20.—The Gamey case will go on this morning at 10 o'clock, no adjournment being proposed before Wednesday, when the court will suspend for the afternoon out of respect to the late Lieut.-Governor. As arranged, the first witness to-day, after the production of the exhibits from the Ontario and Standard Banks, is to be Mr. R. A. Grant. What will follow is difficult to say, as there seems to be an impression that the prosecution will not call Frank Sullivan, and perhaps not Myers. No one anticipates the conclusion of the investigation before the middle or end of next week.

Counsel on both sides were busy on Saturday laying plans for the further development of the case. The defence will endeavor to produce evidence from the books of the Crossin Piano Company, and it is contended that Mr. Stratton's counsel have made good headway in the last day or two. Their witnesses are beginning to arrive, and it was announced last night that 30 or 40 were already in the city. Among yesterday's arrivals were Robert Thorburn, Gore Bay; Jesse Lehman, Kagawang, and W. J. Tucker, Manitowaning.

Mr. Johnson had received an advance of \$1,000 from the Clerk of the Legislature for conduct money and payment of witnesses for the defence. Mr. McPherson has not yet supplemented the \$1,500 drawn ten days ago.

LEGISLATURE TO-MORROW.

House Will Push Forward Business at Once.

Toronto, April 20.—The Legislature will resume to-morrow afternoon after the long adjournment, by which it had been hoped to avoid conflict with the Gamey inquiry. Business will be taken up at once, but it is proposed to adjourn from Tuesday night to Thursday afternoon, on account of Sir Oliver Mowat's funeral. It is intended to proceed with despatch owing to the lateness of the season. The debate on the address will be resumed, and as Mr. Whitney moved the adjournment of the debate he will doubtless deliver his speech. How long the debate will last it is impossible to say. The lack of finality in the Gamey case at this stage may have a tendency to curtail discussion. As soon as the address has been passed the estimates will be presented, and in the meantime the consideration of ordinary legislation will be prosecuted.

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Shoes for Ladies are giving universal satisfaction in every respect.

THERE is no more comfortable shoe, no better wearing shoe and more stylish shoe made.

Note the Arch Support of a

"Dorothy Dodd"

That is worth the money alone

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Could Not Sleep At Night.
Was All Run Down.
Had No Appetite.

FOOD WOULD NOT DIGEST.

Mrs. I. W. Warner, Riverdale, N.S., is glad there is such a remedy as

Burdock Blood Bitters.

IT CURED HER
AND WILL CURE YOU.

She says: "I wish to add my testimony to the many others who have spoken so highly as to the unflinching virtues of Burdock Blood Bitters. I was all run down, had no appetite, lost all ambition, could not sleep much and had terrible headache and backache, and my food did not digest properly. I saw E.E.B. advertised, so concluded to give it a trial, thinking if it did no good it could do no harm. But after using one bottle I began to feel better, and by the time I had used three bottles I was feeling like a new person. I am so glad there is such a remedy provided for suffering humanity, and cannot praise it enough for I think there is no medicine like it on the market."

....A CHANCE TO....

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We receive daily information from our Wall Street reporter that enables our customers to be on the right side, and to make money. You should be among them and stop making continual losses. We have inside information affecting a stock that will have a 20 to 30 point advance.

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Agents wanted to represent us in all cities and towns who can control trade.

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If you are looking for a home and want to visit the West you can do so with very little expense as the Union Pacific will sell one-way tourist tickets every day at the following rates from Missouri river terminals:

UNTIL JUNE 15TH
\$25.00 to San Francisco, Los Angeles and many other California points.

UNTIL APRIL 30TH
\$20.00 to Ogden, Salt Lake City, Butte, Anaconda and Helena.

\$22.50 to Spokane and Wenatchee, \$25.00 to Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, and many other Oregon and Washington points.

From Chicago and St. Louis proportionately low rates are in effect by lines connecting with the Union Pacific.

The Union Pacific has also extended territory to which round trip Homeseekers' excursions tickets will be sold as follows:

From Missouri river terminals to many points in Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado;

To many points in Wyoming, Utah, Montana and Idaho;

To many points in Oregon and Washington.

One fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip.

Tickets on sale March 17, April 7 and 21, May 15 and 19, June 2 and 16, 1903.

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Ladies' Favorite. Is the only safe, reliable regulator on which woman can depend "in the hour and time of need."

Prepared in two degrees of strength. No. 1 and No. 2. No. 1 - For ordinary cases is by far the best dollar medicine known.

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No. 1 and 2 are sold in Chatham by C. H. Gunn & Co., Central Drug Store.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

THE STAGE

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:-
Y. M. L. S. Minstrels - Tuesday, April 21.

Friday, April 24.-Athletic Bungalow Benefit, comprising the presentation by the Macaulay Club of the Trial Scene from "Merchant of Venice," and excellent musical and literary program.

Other People's Money - Monday, May 18th.
Wednesday, April 22.-Charles H. Hamilton Co.

THE CORONATION

Charles H. Hamilton, the Eminent Lecturer at the Grand, Wednesday Evening.

Mr. H. A. Hamilton, who arrived in the city Saturday afternoon in the interest of the Hamilton lecture, had the following to say to a representative of the Planet this morning: Mr. Hamilton has been greeted by large and enthusiastic audiences all over the United States and Canada. His lecture on London and the Coronation of King Edward VII. has been his principle theme this season.



CHARLES H. HAMILTON.

Why do you know, said Mr. Coleman, the clergy have interested themselves in this lecture, to say nothing about the teachers and scholars of all schools. It seems that Mr. Hamilton has been very fortunate in the selection of his points of interest in and around London, for nearly all his historical pictures receive a great amount of applause.

He was the only lecturer, who stayed in London and walked patiently during the King's illness, until his recovery permitted him to proceed with the Coronation. Mr. Hamilton was amply repaid for his waiting, for he received very fine moving pictures of the coronation, etc.

His lecture is not only of pictorial interest, but historic, which makes it very instructive, especially for scholars. His descriptions of the grand old public buildings, beautiful parks, landmarks of all kinds, superb monuments, principal streets, etc., etc., are illustrated on the screen by 150 pictures.

Seeing all these pictures the audience can't help but imagine themselves actually on the scene. Remember at Molme, Ill., during the lecture, the South Hamilton fire department is seen with moving pictures, on a dead run to a fire. A young country boy who sat down in the front row of the theatre, got up out of his seat to get away from the dashing horses, as they came tearing down the street. He really imagined himself in the street.

Oh, yes, many such funny incidents happen right along said Mr. Coleman, but don't you know that proves to us that the public is interested, and we feel gratified to know that there are so many people who appreciate a class of entertainment that is of a higher and purer standard.

As this is the only lecture on London and the Coronation that will visit Chatham, the public certainly ought to take advantage of this opportunity.

Arrangements were made by Manager Briscoe for a reduction in prices, and the following scale will positively hold for this lecture-\$10, 20, 25 and 35 cents. This is the first time Mr. Hamilton has ever given his lecture at these prices. The sale of seats is now open at the Central Drug Store, and I won't be surprised to see a packed house greet Mr. Hamilton, when he steps on the stage.

The Dominion Coal Production.

The total amount of coal produced in Canada last year was 6,685,654 tons. Canada imported in the same period, round and slack, \$3,806,129 tons, and exported 20,902,368 tons to the United States, Europe, and Newfoundland. Adding to what remained in Canada after the amount of anthracite consumed, it would be found that the total coal consumption of the Dominion was 9,353,998 tons. The total number of men employed in coal mining in Nova Scotia was 8,500. Of these 6,000 are employed underground and 2,500 on the surface.

When a woman may lack nerve force she has the power to conceal the fact.

Mother's Girl.

There exists often a very beautiful companionship between the mother and her daughter. The intimacy is frank, free and sympathetic. But some day the mother feels as if something had chilled this intimacy. The child is silent and sad, and seems to shun her mother instead of seeking her.

This change very often occurs when the young girl is crossing the border line of womanhood. She is morbid, nervous, fearful, as she enters upon this new experience.

The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription at such a time will do more than restore the normal balance of mind and body. It will establish the woman's function upon a basis of sound health, as well as improve the appetite, nourish the nerves, and promote the general physical health.

"Two years ago my daughter's health began to fail," writes Mrs. Dan Hall, of Broadhead, Green Co., Wis. "Everything that could be thought of was done to help her but it was of no use. When she began to complain she was quite stout and healthy, but the picture of good health, until about the age of fourteen, then she was the only child I had, and I must say, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was the only thing that helped her. When she had taken one-half bottle the natural function was established and we bought another one, making only two bottles in all, and she is completely recovered. Since then she is as well as can be."

The Common Sense Medical Adviser, 200 pages, in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of postage and mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Paper of To-day.

Only paper of the very best quality is now made from rags, the bulk of that employed for newspaper and book work being manufactured from wood pulp. Other materials are also coming into use to meet the enormous demand for paper, and plants which were at one time supposed to be of no economic importance are contributing their fiber to the manufacture. Among the new materials may be named bagasse, the refuse of the sugar mills, formerly a waste product save that it was employed for fuel. Rice straw, long only used as bedding for cattle, is also enlisted in the service of the paper maker.

In the meantime protests are being raised against the quality of the paper made from these substitutes for rags. It answers the purpose of ephemeral literature, but there is good reason to believe that it rapidly deteriorates and that the books made of it will have but a short life. It is somewhat humiliating for us to have to acknowledge that our modern documents cannot compare in permanence with those written on Egyptian papyrus before our own historical period began.-Chambers' Journal.

HOLDING A CIGAR.

Points in a Man's Character the Act Is Said to Disclose.

Did you ever notice the different ways men hold cigars or cigarettes? Did you ever observe how you yourself hold one?

There are about a dozen different ways, and probably no two men hold their cigars exactly alike.

A judge of human nature may pick up interesting points as to character from watching smokers.

One man will hold his cigar firmly between thumb and forefinger. He is usually a resolute, tenacious man, strenuous or merely phlegmatic, as the case may be, but never lazy. His fingers are stumpy.

Another man holds the cigar loosely between his first and second fingers. He is apt to be graceful, lazy, irresolute, a man of artistic temperament, but not a hustler. His fingers are long and tapering.

A third man will carry his cigar with the lighted end turned in toward the palm, the hand held scoop shape around it. He picked up that trick when smoking on the sly as a boy, fearing papa might break suddenly into the game. He is usually of a secretive nature and not marked by any special tendency to frankness.

A fourth will hold his cigar awkwardly, nervously gripping it and often staring at it inquisitively to see how it is burning. He is not a "natural smoker," nor is he apt to be what is known as a "good fellow." He is usually anxious to conciliate others and has not great force of character.

Watch the man behind the cigar and see if all these character drawings are not correct.

Juvenile "Blues."

Some children easily and frequently "get the blues" or become despondent. Whatever the cause may be, the tendency should be promptly corrected.

Nothing does more to make some people unhappy than the habit of forming a morbid state of mind which they unconsciously acquire in youth. Even inherited tendency in this direction can be overcome at least to a degree if taken in time. The main thing is to occupy the children's minds with some new and interesting thought as promptly as possible after the "blues" appear.

Then the less frequently will this state of mind occur. The more morbid a child is by nature the greater the need for promptly checking the tendency. The oftener the blues occur the more easily does this condition of mind recur until it becomes a habit. "How use doth breed a habit" in the child is something we parents often fail to realize.

Judging by Appearances.

"What is this?" asked the crusty boarder, peering at something in his dish, while he turned a glaring eye on the landlady.

"That, Mr. Sasseigh," explained the chafetaine of the feedery, "is one of the new predigested foods. I thought my boarders might appreciate the introduction of a novelty of some sort."

"Predigested, eh?" growled Mr. Sasseigh. "It looks prehistoric to me!"

District Dashes

Mrs. Colville and daughter, of Chatham, are the guests of the former's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Weston.-Dresden Standard.

The eleven months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simpson, Tupperville, died on Friday last of pneumonia. The remains were interred in Dresden cemetery on Sunday afternoon.-Dresden Times.

In England there are over twenty-two millions of Church of England members, one million Methodists, over three hundred thousand Baptists, four hundred thousand Congregationalists and seventy-eight thousand Presbyterians.

Wedding bells pealed forth at the home of Mrs. Humphrey, 5th constituency, north of Rodney, Wednesday, the 8th, at 4 p. m., her daughter Maggie being married to Mr. Arch. W. Gray, of Rodney. Rev. Mr. Mann performed the ceremony.

The death occurred on the 5th concession of Dawn on Sunday of Wynn Stanley Allison, the young son of Andrew Allison. The little fellow had been ill for some time with pneumonia. The remains were taken to Blenheim Wednesday morning for interment.

Early Wednesday morning the death occurred on the 1st concession, Chatham Township, of Miles Ball, at the age of 53 years, 6 months and 17 days. Deceased had been ailing for a long time, being afflicted with lung trouble. He leaves besides a wife four daughters and two sons to mourn his loss. He was a member of the Tupperville Court, I. O. F.

An aged pioneer of the Township of Deer, in the person of John Bourdeau, dropped dead on Friday morning last, just after leaving the house of a relative residing below the glass factory. About a year ago deceased moved into Wallaceburg and has since been in the employ of the sugar company, residing on the south side of the river near the factory. He was sixty-two years of age and was the father of fifteen children, thirteen of whom with his wife, are still living.-Wallaceburg Herald.

Mr. T. Bourassa is interested in and will manage the new hotel to be erected on the site of the River House, recently destroyed by fire. Mr. Bourassa states that the completed building will be in the neighborhood of \$20,000, and will be complete and modern in every detail. The plans are now being prepared, and tenders for the erection will be asked for in a few days. The work of erection will be rushed along as rapidly as possible.-Wallaceburg Herald.

UP-TO-DATE FARMING.

A Chatham Township farmer has recently discovered that by planting onions and potatoes in the same field in alternate rows, the onions become so strong that they bring tears to the "eyes" of the potatoes in such quantities that the roots are kept moist, and a big crop is raised in spite of drought.

DESERVES A PENSION.

Our esteemed citizen, Mr. John MacGregor, passed his fiftieth birthday Saturday. Mr. MacGregor, who has seven sons capable of making a living at harnessmaking, came to Ridgeway eighteen years ago and has been identified with the harness-making trade ever since. By strict attention to business and honest dealing he has built up a substantial trade. For the past three years he has been a member of the Public School Board, the present year being secretary. He is also treasurer of the Presbyterian Sunday school, and financier of Howard Lodge No. 8, A. O. U. W.-Ridgeway Plaindealer.

The Efficiency of Jane.

Lady Aberdeen, whose interest in Canada has never flagged, lectured recently before the Society of Arts in London on "Women in Canada."

In the course of her remarks, she has several times made a substantial Canadian woman, after a very close intercourse and friendship with them might be summed up in the word "efficiency."

In whatever situation or circumstance you find a Canadian woman, she was her husband's helpmate. Lady Aberdeen told an illustrative anecdote. "On one occasion, when the Governor-General and I were traveling across Canada, we were to dine one night at a house remarkable even among Canadian homes for its charm and beauty, presided over, as it is, by one of the most attractive of mistresses. We arrived and met with the warm welcome we knew awaited us. A recherche repast was laid out before us, and we were waited on by so trim a parlour-maid, so deft in her movements, so irreproachable in her cap and apron, that Lord Aberdeen felt constrained to compliment our hostess on the result of her training. 'Oh,' said the lady, 'I am so glad you think Jane did well. I would like you to tell her so presently.' And when that 'presently' came, what should we discover but 'Jane' arrayed in evening dress, and proving to be the daughter of the house, who, in consequence of the unexpected departure of the servant, had had not only to wait at table, but to cook the meal, with the assistance of her mother, an adept in such matters."

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Every Farmer

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These two lines are the best in Canada. Their buggies have steel corners, leather trimmings and heavy leather tops. They have the latest designs, and are without doubt the strongest and lightest running buggy in America.

Rudd's Hand-made Harness is guaranteed hand attached throughout. They manufacture and sell six thousand (6000) sets of harness every year, and they can afford, by buying large quantities to put better leather in their harness than small concerns.

We took three first prizes out of five at the Fall Fair, and the harness is the best that can be bought. Be sure and call and get A. H. PATTERSON'S PRICES ON BUGGIES and HARNESS before you purchase.

He is Agent for the FROST & WOOD MACHINERY, NEW AMERICAN CULTIVATORS, AVERY CORY PLANTERS and WOODSTOCK WAGONS, and he can save you more money than any other dealer in Chatham, and his goods are the latest and best.

A. H. Patterson's
Three Doors East of the Market, King St.

"I have formed a trust with the people" - To use me once is to use me always
Blue Ribbon Tea

Put up Black Mixed & Ceylon Green

INITIATIVE NOTICE.

Asphalt Block Pavement and Glazed Pipe Sewer.

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the city of Chatham will proceed, under section 669, of the Municipal Act, and under the General Local Improvement By-Law No. 377, 1899, to construct an asphalt block pavement on a concrete bed with sand cushion and combined concrete curb and gutter on King street from the bend at Dr. T. K. Holmes' residence to Robertson avenue, and Robertson avenue from the south side of King street to the north limit of the Windsor road (River road), width to be 21 feet 6 inches over all and a twelve inch glazed pipe sewer on King street from Lacroix street to manhole at Inches avenue, and a 12 inch glazed pipe sewer on King street from bend at Dr. Holmes to Lacroix street manhole, all to be considered as one work or improvement, after the expiry of one month after the last publication of this notice for two weeks in the Chatham Daily Planet and the Chatham Daily News, and the assessment of the costs of such work made upon the real properties to be benefited thereby, unless the majority of the owners of such real properties, according to the last revised assessment roll, representing at least one-half in value thereof, petition the Council against the last publication of this notice.

City Clerk's office, April 11th, 1903.
W. G. MERRITT,
Clerk of Chatham.
First published April 11th, 1903.
Last published April 18th, 1903.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed separate or bulk tenders will be received until noon, April 24th, for the erection of a three-story brick addition to the factory of Wm. Gray & Sons. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Batley & Son. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. The tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and left at the office of the architects.

WM. GRAY & SONS.

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GREAT TEA DRINKERS.

The Maritime Province people use about six pounds of tea per head to an average family. They are also said to be good judges of tea, and this must be a strong recommendation for Red Rose, which is the principal tea used.

A first-class timepiece ought to improve with time.

A. O. U. W.

Charity, Hope and Protection are the three cardinal principles of our Order. By a combination in the character of each member of these three attributes we have men of noble mien working together for a common good. These features should commend the A. O. U. W. to every man desiring safe insurance. Our meetings are well attended and full of interest. Absent brothers miss a treat. Come out and bring that application! Visiting Brothers Welcome! A. E. SAUERMAN, J. R. SNELL, M. W. Recorder

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COLONIAL REMEDY

No taste. No odor. Can be given in glass of water, tea or coffee without patient's knowledge. Colonial Remedy will cure or destroy the diseased appetite or alcoholic stimulant, whether the patient is a confirmed tippler, social drinker or drunkard. Impossible for anyone to have an appetite for alcoholic liquors after using Colonial Remedy.

Indorsed by Members of W. C. T. U. Mrs. Moore, Superintendent of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Ventura, Cal., writes: "I have tested Colonial Remedy on very obstinate drunkards, and the cures have been many. In many cases the remedy was given secretly. I cheerfully recommend and endorse Colonial Remedy. Members of our Union are delighted to find a practical and economical treatment to aid us in our temperance work." Sold by druggists everywhere and by mail.

Price 5c. Trial package free by writing or calling on Mrs. M. A. Cowan (for years member of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union) 2224, St. Catherine St., Montreal. Sold at

DAVIS' DRUG STORE.

Garner Block, King St., Chatham.

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Has been running many months. It has earned a good reputation through the results accomplished. People are realizing every day that a visit to us means honest advice, intelligent service and a saving of money. You cannot get a poor fit to glasses because we don't do business this way.

Our Testing is Free.

Think of learning the truth about your eyes without cost. The plain simple truth. If your vision is correct we congratulate you. Existing defects we correct at a satisfactory price. Come in for an eye talk when down town.

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Jeweller and Optician,

Fine Watch Repairing a Specialty

SIGN OF BIG CLOCK.

KING ST., CHATHAM.

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

Parisian Steam Laundry Co.

TELEPHONE 20.

A Talk on Clothing.

This store has taken an advanced and aggressive position in the retailing of Men's apparel. We have ignored all the antiquated, inconsistent and unjust methods and conditions that afflict the Clothing business to such a great extent. We come to the public with the most simple, straightforward and equitable trading proposition imaginable.

We offer for its consideration this great storeful of positively new, thoroughly dependable Clothing in all grades, for men—the best ready-for-service apparel that Canada's greatest tailors produce.

We pledge our prices to be the lowest it is possible to place on such good clothing. We are certain that no store adhering to "credit," "premium" or "discount" selling methods can possibly duplicate our values.

For every dollar brought to this store we give a full dollar's worth of clothing—nothing else—and we don't consider the dollars ours until the purchaser has worn the clothing and knows it's right.

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Slater Shoes**

G. W. CORNELL DENTIST

Corner Sixth and King Street.
Over the Bee Hive.
Phone 317.

Local Briefs

W. E. Gundy is in Ridgeway to-day on professional business to-day.

Misses Bertha and Mabel Birch, who have been visiting in the country for the past week, returned home on Saturday evening.

Prof. Reynor, of Toronto University, one of the most entertaining and talented literary lights in the Dominion, will deliver a lecture next Monday evening in the Park street Methodist lecture hall on Tennyson's "In Memoriam." Prof. Reynor enjoys a universal distinction as a lecturer and his interpretation of the immortal poem will be keenly enjoyed by all literary students.

ONE PLEADED GUILTY

Five lads, all under the age allowing their names to be published, appeared before Judge Houston in the County Court this morning. The boys were charged with interfering with a semaphore on the Lake Erie Division of the Pere Marquette, just south of the city limits. One of the lads pleaded guilty and the others were released. Judge Houston reserved judgment for a week on the lad who pleaded guilty. Detective Skirving was present. He states that the boys have been very troublesome to the railroad men in the east end of the city and he hopes that this will be a lesson to them.

JIMMY BURNS' CHANCE

James Burns, who pleaded guilty to the charge of burglarizing Jas. Bowlin's barber shop on Park St., was arraigned this morning for sentence. J. W. Schorr, the great American horseman, wants young Burns to train him for a jockey, and has made a contract with his parents to take him for five years. Judge Houston decided to give the boy a chance and released him on suspended sentence, so that he could have an opportunity to accept the chance offered him. Young Burns is a brother of Tommy Burns, the famous jockey. J. W. Schorr is one of the most noted American horsemen. His stables are at Memphis, Tenn. In the contract, Mr. Schorr agrees to give Burns his board for five years. The lad also gets the following amounts per month during the five years:—First year \$5, the second \$10, the third \$15, the fourth \$25, the fifth \$40.

FARMS FOR SALE.

142 acres in Harwich Township, one mile from city limits, large brick house, good barn, stable, granary, corn crib, silo, &c. &c. Evergreen around farm, two orchards, soil a sandy loam, all the drained, artesian well, one of the best farms in the county.

50 acres in Harwich Township, house and two log stables. Fenced. 50 acres in Chatham Township, new frame house, stable and granary, all cleared. A snap.

200 acres in Tilbury East, house, barns, stables, and other buildings of all kinds. This is an excellent farm and will be sold at a bargain.

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Lifebuoy 5 cts.
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Three Stores. 16 King St., Chatham.
Dresden, Ont.

FOOD IN TIME OF WAR.

Royal Commission Appointed to Investigate.

London, April 20.—A Royal Commission has been appointed to consider the desirability of adopting measures in addition to the maintenance of a strong fleet, by which Great Britain's supplies of food can be better secured. The movement which has led to the appointment of this commission began in 1896, but it was not until the beginning of the present year that it became at all vigorous and influential. Two representative meetings were held in London recently, with the object of drawing public attention to the fact that war with a great power would endanger the nation's food supply. A deputation which was appointed to wait on the Premier insisted that it was wrong to break out the people of this country would, to say the least of it, be driven to direct straits, and Mr. Balfour, although he did not take a pessimistic view of the matter, thought that good reason had been shown for holding an official inquiry into the subject.

The Prince of Wales takes as much interest in the question of the nation's food supply as the King does in London's housing problem, and his inclusion in the list of commissioners gives every satisfaction, especially to those who have not forgotten his famous Guildhall speech and his return to Victoria, and his warning that Britain must wake up.

MAJOR-GENERAL HUTTON.

May Resign His Command in Australia—Cause of Trouble.

Victoria, B. C., April 20.—News was brought by the steamer, Miera from Australia that Major-General Hutton, in command of the Australian forces, will probably resign in the near future, as a result of the manner in which the forces of the Commonwealth have been dealt with politically in cutting down appropriations and in other ways. Sydney papers publish rumors of his impending retirement. There has been considerable friction between General Hutton and the Victorian Government, as a result of his summary retirement of Lieut.-Colonel Reay, a militia officer who is news editor of The Melbourne Evening Herald. This paper criticized the appointment of an officer to the Victoria militia, and Lieut.-Colonel Reay was questioned by the General regarding the criticisms. Refusing information, he was dismissed from the service.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Rev. Father Dupont of St. Paul de Joliette.

St. Paul de Joliette, Que., April 20.—Rev. Father Dupont, the Cure of this place, lost his life in a fire that destroyed the presbytery early on Saturday, and deep regret prevails throughout the parish. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it seems that the priest being unwell had kept a fire in his bedroom. When found the remains lay near the door, as if an attempt had been made to get out. The servant, who slept in another part of the house, managed to escape, but he can give no reason for the fire. The church was saved. Father Dupont was 60 years of age and had had charge of this parish since 1893.

IN A BURNING STABLE.

Joseph Bouchet of Laurier, Man., Loses His Life.

Winnipeg, April 20.—The stables of Joseph Bouchet at Laurier were burned down on Friday night. In attempting to rescue his horses from the flames Bouchet lost his life. He entered the stable once successfully, but upon re-entering, the building collapsed, and he was cremated. He was one of the most prosperous farmers in the "strait."

Ill-treatment of Prisoners.

St. Petersburg, April 20.—The official newspaper at Tiflis reports that a riot has taken place in the Village of Souchi, in Black Sea district. The peasants stormed the prison to demand a post-mortem examination of a prisoner who died. They asserted he had been beaten to death by the police, but according to the police certificate, he died from brandy drinking. The peasants ordered the police and liberated the prisoners. The post-mortem proved that the prisoner's death resulted from blows, and the guilty police officials have been punished.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Port Hope citizens are taking action to establish a hospital.

Friday, May 8, has been proclaimed Arbor Day in Manitoba.

Montreal carpenters will continue negotiations for a while before striking.

The C. P. R. will build about 200 miles of new railway in the west this summer.

The house at Pretoria owned by ex-President Kruger was sold at auction for \$20,000.

Bellefonte market tolls for the ensuing year have been leased to W. E. Vandervoort for \$2,500.

The Daily Telegraph estimates the British national debt at \$800,000,000, compared with \$625,000,000 in 1899.

Sir William Van Horne has not yet decided whether he can accept the Chairmanship of the Transportation Commission. He speaks highly of the Government of Cuba.

At Victoria, B.C., Hon. Joseph Martin was operated on yesterday afternoon. He endured the operation better than expected, and it is now confidently believed that he will recover.

It is reported that the Government are considering a proposition to guarantee the interest on the cost of constructing 100 miles of the Canadian Northern Railway in the district between Irwood and Prince Albert Railway, taking in return a mortgage on the line when built.

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The Coming Minstrels Under the Auspices of the St. Joseph's Young Men's Literary Society.

PROGRAM.

Opening—"Old Kentucky Home." Interlocutor's Introduction—Mr. Fred. E. Quinn.

Overture.
A Bunch of Songs—By the Whole Company, introducing the Bugle Band of the 24th Regiment.

Talk—Mr. Vic. Robinson.
Song—"Don't you Hear Dem Bells"—Mr. Vic. Robinson.

Ballad—"Colorado Kate"—Mr. Wm. Angus.
Remarks—Mr. Burney Weldon.

Song—"Why He Don't Eat Lamb No Mo"—Mr. Harry Massey.
A Few Words—Mr. Wm. Chrysler.

Ballad—"The Sea is the Home for Me"—Mr. James Trotter.
Song—"Do You Blame Me for Loving that Man"—Mr. Jno. Glassford.

A Joke—Mr. Bruce Redick.
A Little Talk—Mr. Douglas.
Ballad—"Queen of the Earth"—J. Rhody.

One or Two Expressions—Mr. J. Glassford.
Another Talk—Mr. Thos. Fairbanks.

Song—"They Ain't No Use of Askin' Cause You Know the Reason Why," Mr. Wm. Chrysler.

Talk—Mr. V. Robinson.
Song—"Well, You Needn't Come Home," Mr. Burney Weldon.

Part II.
Selection—Opera House Orchestra.
Scottish Dance—Mr. Wm. McPherson.

Instrumental duet—Messrs. Guy and Roger Philip.
Comed Sketch—"Il Travatore," Messrs. B. Weldon, W. Chrysler.

Bones Specialty—Mr. F. Chaplin.
Gymnastic and Contortionist Performance, Tilt and Ward.
Grand Finale—Glassford's "Plantation Scene," composed of funny choruses, step dancing, singing and musical quartettes, etc., etc.

ARIAS A PRISONER.

Defeated Honduran President Violated Treaty of Capitulation.

San Salvador, Republic of Salvador, April 18.—According to advices from Tegucigalpa, the Honduran capital, the capitulation of the defeated President Arias, who was put in power by Gen. Sierra to exclude the President-elect, Gen. Bonilla, was signed through the intervention of the foreign Consuls assembled and declared that the treaty had been violated. Arias was then pursued, captured, and taken back to Tegucigalpa a prisoner.

CHICAGO MARKETS

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

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All pure wool, for natty spring and summer wear, black and all new shades, 46 inches wide, at per yd. 50 cents.

SNOWFLAKE CANVAS

Light and sheer for spring and summer dresses, all the popular shades with white flake, 44 inches wide, at per yard 50 cents.

WOOL VOILES

A dainty sheer fabric for fancy costumes, black, street and evening shades, 46 inches wide, pure wool, at per yard 75 cents.

WOOL CREPOLINES

In black only, the very latest novelty for fancy skirts or dresses, pure wool, and fast dye, 44 inches wide at per yard 75 cents and \$1.00.

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For wedding or evening dresses, in cream and fancy shades, bright, sheer finish, very dainty, 42 inches wide wide at per yard \$1.25.

BROADCLOTH

Fine English broadcloth for ladies' tailored costumes black, navy, brown and all the popular shades, pure wool, 54 inches wide, at per yard \$1.00.

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Young men of 15 to 19, have long ago discovered that the **Austin Clothing Store** takes particular pains in the matter of clothing for them. It is simply because we know that the usual clothing store neglects clothing in these sizes as a rule, or simply provides for it in overgrown sizes of boys' clothing. We consider it a far more serious matter, and while we realize that the boys of these ages do not want conservative styles worn by older men, we provide clothing that is thoroughly smart in its character, absolutely correct and handsomely tailored producing garments that particular young men are delighted to find.

The splendid growth of our Young Men's Clothing Business proves that young men appreciate clothing that is made particularly for them.

The handsome **Worsted Suits**, the new military cut, the three Button, Botany Serge Suits, single and double breasted sacks, **\$7.50, \$8.50, \$10, \$12 to \$15.**

Men who wear coats up to 37 in. chest measurement can be fitted in these suits and save money. The styles are thoroughly correct in every detail.

We're Enthusiastic over our Carpets.

SECOND FLOOR.....

We've right to be, for never before, have we had such an assortment. The stock is broad, superb splendid. Every grade possesses some feature of taste and individuality that enhances its beauty. Prices! They incline very much your way. They're lower than carpets of equal quality are usually sold.

English Axminster just opened. This weave is shown in many exclusive designs in shades of green, fawn and rose. Sure to please at \$1.50 per yd.

Kidderminster Velvet Carpets that have a reputation for service second to none, and in a range of patterns each distinctly artistic, making one of the most desirable of floor coverings at our special price of \$1.15 per yd.

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English Tapestry Carpets—A superb assembly of tapestry carpets await you. The values are unequalled, the patterns are exquisite for price, 75c, 60c, 50c, 40c, 35c and 25c per yd.

English Five Frame Brussels in novel designs. A special pattern shown in small spray and blossoms with 3 1/2 border, also in floral and oriental in correct spring shades at \$1.25 per yd.

English Four Frame Brussels—This weave always forms the foundation of a carpet stock and recognizing that we have provided accordingly. Here are fifteen patterns complete with borders in all new shades and designs at \$1.00 per yd.

Balmoral Carpets with borders complete, a finely woven body, carpet that will stand the wear and tear of living rooms in a great range of designs at 75c per yd.

Reversible Ingrains, select patterns, 36 inches wide, pure scoured yarns: 3 ply, pure wool \$1.00 per yd. 2 1/2 ply, all pure wool, 90 and 85c per yd. 2 ply, all pure wool, 75 and 65c per yd. 2 ply, wool filled 65 and 55c per yd. 2 ply, part wool filled, 50c yd. 2 ply, unions at 40, 35 and 25c per yd.

All carpets at 50 cents per yard or over made, and laid with out extra charge.

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RAISINS, selected, 10c. a pound.

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RESIDENCE 285.

Advertisers should bear in mind that the Daily and Weekly Planet reach 5,000 families every week.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, April 20—10 a. m.—Moderate to fresh northerly to northwesterly winds, fine to-day. Tuesday, not much change in temperature.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:
Thermometer 37.
Highest yesterday 59.
Lowest yesterday 34.
Direction of wind, southeast.

TO-NIGHT.

Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8.
City Council, Harrison Hall, at 8 o'clock.

Park St. Methodist League, S. S. hall, at 8.
Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. P. & M. C. R. C. Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 8 o'clock, sharp.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Big Minstrel Show to-morrow night at the Grand.
Alfred O'Rourke, Jeffrey St., is quite ill.

S. F. Dennis, Raleigh St. is slowly improving.

Remember Mrs. A. Heyward's sale, April 23rd. See advt.

W. H. Eberle, Lorne Ave., is building a fine residence on Grey St.

Note the Big Minstrel Program in another column for to-morrow night.

There is a big advance sale of tickets for the Y. L. M. S. Minstrels to-morrow night.

"Original," Chatham's Union Cigar, the best five cent cigar in Canada. Sold only by Bates Bros.

Thibodeau & Jacques have passed the customs Friday 422 dozen of plain and lace hosiery imported from Chamnitz, Germany.

The students of the Soranton Correspondence School in this city intend forming a baseball club and entering the city league.

Wanted, at once, two boys to work in trimming shop. Apply Wm. Gray & Son.

An advertiser wants good pasture in different parts of the county, of fifty acres and upwards. Applications sent to this office will get prompt replies.

Wanted, at Once! Two painters. Apply to the Blonde Lumber and Manufacturing Co.

W. J. Rhodes, Raleigh Tp., was in the city Saturday. He has a cable rig and is drilling for oil on the farm of his brother, 8th Con., Raleigh.

Vic Robinson and Jack Glassford are old right comedians. See them on the end at the Y. L. M. S. Minstrels to-morrow night.

Wanted—Sew Machine and Drill Press hands. Only first class men need apply. Highest wages. Apply at Garner House, Tuesday, between 7 and 9 p. m.

H. N. Brown, who has been spending a few weeks with his brother, Robert J. Brown, Queen St., left this morning for Buffalo to resume his position on the Str. Steel King, of the Gilchrist fleet.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. W. J. Bedford to sell all her household effects at her residence, Water street, opposite the goal, on Tuesday, April 21st, at one o'clock sharp.

The oil well at Charing Cross, on the Boyce farm began to flow yesterday. The oil in the hole has stood quite high and yesterday it came to the top and began to overflow. The oil just bubbled over and that was all.

George Archer traded a liver-colored cocker spaniel to Mrs. Etta Rodgers. He then whistled to the dog and the animal went home with the man. Mrs. Rodgers laid an information against Archie, and he settled by paying \$5. costs of the court.

An emergent meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. P. & M. C. R. C., will be held this Monday evening, April 20th, at 8 o'clock, sharp, for the purpose of conferring degrees. The chairs will be filled by Past Masters, and a cordial invitation is extended to visiting brethren to be present. At the conclusion of the work an hour will be spent in a social way.

Baby Must Have a Pair

We have just placed in stock a very fine range of Drop Stitch and Polka Dot Hosiery for children in all sizes. Fast Colors, Good Weave. Prices low. Try a pair.

MRS. J. E. WELDON

Chatham's Millinery Store!

JUST IN SOME LOVELY NEW SILK AT 30 AND 50 AND HAT TRIMMINGS... SEE OUR \$3 HATS, THEY ARE FINE.

COOKSLEY'S

Opposite the Market Square.

Ladies' collars, all sizes and heights at The 2 Ts.

Mrs. Wm. Hickey, of Merlin, is visiting friends in the city.

City Engineer Jones put the scrapers in operation this morning.

A crowded house will greet the Minstrels at the Grand to-morrow night.

Wm. Boulton, of Wallaceburg, sang a solo in St. Joseph's church last night.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Scott took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

Reserve your seats at the Central Drug Store for the Y. L. M. S. Minstrels to-morrow night.

The Glick Stock Co. left this morning for St. Thomas after putting in a week at Wallaceburg.

Bernie Weldon will sing "You Needn't Come Home," at the Y. L. M. S. Minstrels to-morrow night.

"Original," Chatham's Union Cigar, the best five cent cigar in Canada. Sold only by Bates Bros.

Architects J. L. Wilson & Sons are getting out plans for a new brick residence for Hugh Garrett, Dufferin avenue.

J. W. VanThyl, M. J. Woodward, Geo. Woodward and James McCourt, oilmen of Petrolia, arrived in the city this morning.

The lacrosse boys of Wallaceburg hold a dance in Wallaceburg for their benefit to-night. A number of Chathamites will attend.

Miss M. B. Abraham returned to the Toronto Normal School to-day after spending the Easter holidays with her parents at Underwood Farm.

On Sunday morning G. P. Scholfield received a message announcing the serious illness of his mother, and left by the afternoon train for Toronto.

The storekeepers in the neighborhood of William street, corner of King street, wish to thank the police for keeping the street clear Saturday night.

Mrs. R. V. Bray and Miss McKellar sang "Consider the Lilies" as a duet at Christ Church last evening. In the morning the Easter Sunday music was repeated.

The wardens of Christ Church will be in the church to-morrow afternoon from three to five to meet any who desire sittings or pews. They will try to meet the wishes of all applicants as to prices, location, etc.

Percy Mitchell, son of James Mitchell, Park street, left yesterday for Winnipeg, where he has accepted a position with a large shoe firm.

"Perce" has been employed with G. J. Peace and lately with George W. Cowan in the shoe business and has been a general favorite with his many friends, who will be sorry to hear of his departure, but will wish him every success in his new sphere.

Wheeling Tours

In Great Britain they have a better appreciation of the bicycle, because they have found wherein its greatest charm lies—touring through the country districts. Why there is not more of this done in Canada is astonishing, for certainly there are many beautiful districts through which these tours may be taken, and, without doubt, the best way to take in their beauties is on wheels.

A vacation of one or two weeks used in this manner will have a lasting beneficial effect on one's health. It will be a holiday to remember through the winter months.

Many a man loses what little energy he has while waiting for a rich relation to die.

CHOOSING A SUIT

Is a delicate matter. You want that which is going to be popular. We selected a variety so that all may be satisfied. You'll see one here you like.



MORLEY & CO., FINE TAILORING

Window Drapery ... Depot

Making it worth your while to Brave the Weather and the Mud.

Millinery....

Amongst the thousands who admired our Easter Windows, hundreds of Ladies were charmed with its Millinery Beauties, so select and approved, that our Spring Hats have been booming ever since, and their style, tone and richness give as much satisfaction to the wearers as though they paid twice as much as other productions. See our New Sewell Ribbon Hats, our Ladies' tony pretty black Hats, our Children's Flops at \$1.25 to any price, and Children's School Hats.

Dress Goods

Everything new and nobby. Mistrell Cloths, Voile de Paris, Etamines, Satin Zibelines, plain and embroidered Crepe de Chenes, &c.

Waistings....

White Mercerized Pancy Waistings in 3 yard patterns of 75c each. All the new Fancy Wool Waistings in evening shades, embroidered, &c.

GET YOUR STANDARD DESIGN FOR MAY TO GENIS.

See Bargain Table of Towels 15c and

Wm. Gordon.

MAY STANDARD FASHION SHEETS AWAIT YOU NOW

WORLD OF SPORT

FOOTBALL

Manager W. McK. Messer has called for a practice of the team to-night at 6.45, and desires that all show up, as the league season opens in less than a week.

Kent Bridge opens the season at Darrell next Saturday, and the following Friday Chatham plays at Kent Bridge.

Captain Sissons, of the local club, while in Toronto, met quite a number of Varsity football boys. The Varsity club wishes to arrange a game with the Chatham team.

The new uniforms for the team will be here about the end of this week.

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Cincinnati..... R.H.E.
Cincinnati..... 300000100-4 8 3
Pittsburgh..... 00001112-5 11 2

At St. Louis..... R.H.E.
St. Louis..... 000004000-5 5 6
Chicago..... 010400000-5 5 6

At Philadelphia..... R.H.E.
Philadelphia..... 000000130-4 13 4
Boston..... 204000200-8 11 3

At New York..... R.H.E.
New York..... 000033000-6 10 4
Brooklyn..... 000100000-1 1 2

At St. Louis (Sunday)..... R.H.E.
St. Louis..... 00021-3 9 9
Chicago..... 00000-0 1 1

At Cincinnati (Sunday)..... R.H.E.
Cincinnati..... 000002110-4 9 4
Pittsburgh..... 300030000-8 7 1

At St. Louis (Sunday)..... R.H.E.
St. Louis..... 000000000-0 0 0
Vell and Phelps. Umpire-Emile. Attendance, 12,000.

EXPECTED IN GERMANY.

Canada's Action Did Not Cause Surprise.

Berlin, April 20.—Canada's imposition of a surtax on German goods was, seemingly, not unexpected in Ministerial quarters here, where the step is not regarded as changing the trade relations to any great extent, since Canada recently has only been buying such articles from Germany as were not obtainable elsewhere. The preferential tariff accorded to Great Britain already had placed Germany at a disadvantage. Nothing is likely to be done by the German Government, as it is recognized that it is nothing more than might have been expected from Germany's exclusion of Canada from the most-favored-nation treatment. In any event, the German Government will not protest until Chancellor Von Buelow returns to Berlin.

SIR CHARLES RIVERS WILSON.

President of the Grand Trunk Sails For New York.

Liverpool, April 20.—Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, President of the Grand Trunk Railroad of Canada, and Lady Wilson will be passengers on the Cunard Line steamer "Campania," sailing from this port on Saturday for New York.

Will Not Give Home Rule.

London, April 20.—Premier Balfour, in a letter to an inquirer, emphatically repudiated any intention on the part of the Government of giving home rule to Ireland.

WE BOOM

Lace Curtains

Lace Curtain Centre

The Gordon Store

Rain Coats & Umbrellas

Stylish seasonable shower proof Ladies' Coats, long or short from \$5.00 up.
Umbrellas and half size, gloria silk covers, warranted, self openers, from \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 upward.

15 Dress Skirts at \$3.00

Special attraction will be 15 rainy day or long Skirts of light and heavy materials and stylish finish at \$3.00 each.

Silk Jackets

The newest spring dress jackets are Monte Carlos of black taffeta silk, very stylish, nobby and becoming. We sell them.

Hermesdorf Cotton Hose

The fast black, the finest finished Ladies' Stockings to be had for 12 1/2c. Boys' Heavy Cotton Hose, guaranteed blacks, at 10c and 15c per pair.

Pills and Sarsaparilla

The best vegetable pills you can buy are Ayer's Pills. And the best Sarsaparilla is Ayer's. Two grand family medicines.

GOOD SUGGESTION

It has been suggested that it would be a graceful act honoring the memory of the late Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Oliver Mowat, that the Mayors of all the cities in the Province should attend the funeral in a body.

The suggestion, which is a good one, is being acted upon by other municipalities. Chatham's City Council meets to-night and, it is hoped, will send our Mayor to represent the Maple City.

PRESENTATION

Thomas Wangerheim, of Piggott's, left this morning for Brantford, where he has secured a more lucrative position. Mr. Wangerheim learned his trade with the Piggott firm, and last Friday the employees met at five o'clock in the afternoon and presented him with a silk umbrella, accompanied by the following address:

Chatham, April 17, 1903.

Thomas Wangerheim,

Dear Sir,—On learning that you are about to sever your connection with us, we feel at our duty to convey to you some idea of our sincere regret that such is the case. At the first intimation of it we hoped it only a groundless report, but we are now forced to accept it as a material fact. We are at a loss for words to express our feelings in regard to such a change. As a fellow workman you have indeed displayed the greatest manliness in every respect, and we have always been able to look on you as an example worthy of being copied. As a foreman we can say we feel it an honor to work under the instructions of a man of your ability and temperament, and we feel sure that if your future employees are men of judicious minds and liberal hearts, you will have no trouble in filling the position assigned to you.

Now, sir, we ask you to kindly accept this gift, not for its value, but as a slight token of the high esteem in which you are held. Wishing you health and prosperity in your new sphere, signed by employees.

PSYCHIC PALMIST.

Mme. Bayla, the adept palmist from Paris may be consulted on business, marriage, love affairs, sickness, travels, etc. Astonishing revelations. Here for a few days only. Ladies 50c, gents 75c. Room 8, Hotel Garner. 2

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.



Sunlight Soap will not injure your blankets or harden them. It will make them soft, white and fleecy.

The shadow of suspicion fears nothing so much as the sunlight of truth.

Coughs, colds, soreness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All drug stores.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder dusted in the bath, softens the water and disinfects.

The less a man thinks or knows about his virtues the better we like him.

Serofula is a bad thing to inherit or acquire, but there is this about it—Hood's Sarsaparilla completely cures even the worst cases.

CREAM DRESS GOODS

In all the newest weaves are to be found in our dress goods section.

25 cts.

—TO—

\$1.25

Crepe-De-Chine
Basket Cloth
Twine Cloths
Irish Poplins
Silk Lustres
Etamines
Volles
Granite Cloths
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Silk Flannels
Albatross
Glorias
Serges
Bedford Cord
Cashmeres

NEW MILLINERY ARRIVING DAILY

THIBODEAU & JACQUES

MOTH INSURANCE

The season is so early that the protector of Furs, Woolens and Winter Clothing will demand more than usual care in defending them from moths. We have everything for which there is ever a demand.

Moth Balls,
Camphor Gum,
Moth Bags, &c.

and some comparatively new ones that are equally effective against moths, but without the strong odor.

Perfumed Lavender
Moth Cedar

is a perfect moth preventive and leaves the articles free from every odor, but the faint suggestion of lavender.

W. W. TURNER,
DRUGGIST,
28 King Street. Phone 221.



"That 'ired Feeling"

It gives the carpenter and builder when he uses poor tools. There is no necessity of it when you can buy the very best that is made at bed rock prices from our superb stocks. The very best tools and hardware at prices that cannot be duplicated. Try us for your next order.

J. C. WANLESS.

4 Doors East of Market.
Phone 65. King St.

Sale of Ditching

The work on the repair of the Dyer Drain, in the Township of Dover, including five bridges and estimated at two thousand dollars, will be sold on Tuesday, May the 5th, 1903, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Sale to take place where the drain crosses the eleventh concession road. Contractors will be requested to make a deposit of five per cent. as security.

PETER CRAWFORD,
Commissioner.

"Better out than in"—that humor that you notice. To be sure it's out and all out, take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is never to forget it.



VARICOCELE

If you are tired of being experimented upon, you will find my Latest Method Treatment a guaranteed cure for varicocele without use of knife or loss of time. It absorbs the swollen condition, restores the parts, thereby bringing back lost powers, if you take my treatment, you pay when cured.

Thousands of you have stricture and do not know it; if you have been indisposed, or improperly treated, or notice a smarting sensation, unnatural discharge, weak organs, or back, nervous debility, or if you are not the man you should be, it may be the cause of stricture. If you are in doubt, call and see me as I will examine you free of charge; my Latest Method Treatment absorbs the stricture, thereby making cutting or stretching unnecessary, and you pay when cured.

MY LATEST METHOD TREATMENT is a positive cure for all Chronic, Private, Nervous, Delicate, Blood, Skin, Kidney, Liver, Bladder Stomach, Female troubles. REMEMBER each time you call you see me personally, or each time you write I receive your personal attention; if you cannot call send for blank, perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call.

All Medicines for Canadian Patients Shipped from Windsor, Canada.

DR. GOLDBERG, 205 Woodward Ave., DETROIT, MICH.

Cut Your Fuel Bill By Using a Gas Cooking Stove

You will save the cost of the stove in a short time. Hundreds of users in this city have proved it. No unnecessary labor or discomfort.

Stoves of all sizes for Sale on Easy Terms.

THE CHATHAM GAS CO. Limited.

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Radley's Cough Cure

25c per Bottle Is the best preparation on the market for Coughs and Colds.

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ALL THE LATEST SPRING NOVELTIES IN Hats, Veilings, Laces, &c. Children's Wear, a Specialty.

MRS. J. B. KELLY

Opp. GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

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

FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

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

Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 ft., good stable, \$1100.00.

House and lot, 9 rooms, \$1050.00.

House and lot, 5 rooms, \$400.00.

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

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

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 40 acres. Good house, new stable and granary, \$2500.00.

Two acres in suburbs of Chatham, \$1500.00.

Valuable suburban residence, 11 rooms; with seven acres of land. Good stable, \$3000.00.

Apply to W. F. SMITH, Barrister.

Fresh Meat, Bologna, Butter and Eggs, Bread, Cakes and Soda Biscuits. Everything good in an up-to-date grocery.

A. B. SELVEY

Murray's Block, King St.

CATCHING AN EDITION.

A Reporter's Efforts to Get His Story on the Wire.

News of the blowing up and sinking of a steamboat on the Ohio river reached the office of a Pittsburg paper one evening some years ago. The city editor sent a young reporter out on a search for the facts. The search developed into an adventure such as any newspaper man may tumble into at any hour of the day or night. World's Work tells the story:

He hurried to the station and caught the first westward bound express. When the train had started, he learned that it did not stop within sixty miles of his destination.

A cautious hint from a Pullman porter apprised him of the presence of a division superintendent on the train, and in a few minutes he received an order from the conductor to stop the train for him.

Reaching the station late at night, he asked the telegraph operator to remain until he returned. Then he walked several miles, got his "story" and hurried back to the station, only to find that the operator had disregarded his request and closed the office.

Time was creeping into the morning hours and he had the prospect of all his work coming to naught unless he secured an operator to get the story to his newspaper office. He tramped about the dark village and found that the operator lived several miles away. Unsympathizing country folk could not be induced to rouse themselves.

Thinking hard, the young reporter walked back and forth on the platform of the station. Huddled against the station he saw the sleeping form of a tramp. He kicked the hobo and offered him \$5 to make the trip for the operator.

The man got to his feet.

"Do you want an operator?"

"Yes."

"Well, I'm a bum, but I was an operator. If you can get into that station, I'll send your stuff, but I won't touch a door or a window myself."

Knowing that the newspaper would gladly pay damages, the reporter took a cudgel, broke the window and climbed in. The tramp clicked off the story, and it reached the office in time to go to press.

THE EARS.

Large ears, drooping at the top, belong to persons more animal than human.

In human beings of low or debased mental standard the ears are large and flabby. Note those of idiots, cretins, etc.

Ears in which the "hem" is flat, as if smoothed down with a flatiron, accompany a vacillating mind and cold, unromantic disposition.

When there is no lobe and the ear widens from the bottom upward, the owner is of a selfish, cunning and revengeful disposition.

Large round ears with a neat "hem" around their border, well carved, not flat, indicate a strong will and a bulldog tenacity of purpose.

When the ear is oval in form, with the lobe slightly but distinctly marked, it indicates for its owner a lofty idealism, combined with a morbidly sensitive nature.

The person who has an ear with a rounded, ovate top is almost without exception one with a placid disposition and a nature that pines to love and is loved in return.

Mice That Substist on Scorpions.

Among the queer forms of animal life that inhabit Death Valley is a mouse that has acquired such a taste for scorpions that they form its entire bill of fare. The scorpion carries its formidable armament in the end of its slender, elongated abdomen in the shape of an exceedingly venomous, hooked sting. When disturbed, it elevates this in the air and goes in search of its disturber. But it is comparatively slow in its motions, while mice are proverbial for their quickness the world over. The mouse learned many generations ago where the scorpion carries its weapon, and when he meets it he leaps at the uplifted abdomen, takes off the sting at a single bite and proceeds to make a meal of his helpless prey. It is supposed to be the only animal that relishes scorpions.

Earache.

A simple, harmless and infallible cure for earache is effected by making a small funnel of stiff paper and saturating a ball of cotton the size of a hickory nut with chloroform and dropping it into the funnel; place the small end of the funnel in the ear, draw a long breath and then blow the breath into the large end of the funnel. The fumes of the chloroform are thus carried into the ear, and all pain ceases at once.

There Are Exceptions.

"Do you mean to say," he inquired indignantly, "that there never was a woman who could keep a secret?"

"Oh, not at all," he protested earnestly.

"To the contrary, there was Lot's wife, who never up to the present day has revealed what she saw when she stopped to take a farewell glance at the town she was leaving."

A Real Trouble.

Cordella—I am always worried when I am buying new clothes.

Cordella—Why?

Cordella—Oh, I can't decide whether to look stylish and be uncomfortable or to be comfortable and look a fright.

Convinced.

"A great deal may be said on the subject," said the prolix person.

"That," said the weary author, "is the one point on which you have convinced me."—Washington Star.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine

Carter's

Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

Wm. Wood

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and so easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

FOR HEADACHE, FOR DIZZINESS, FOR BILIOUSNESS, FOR TORPID LIVER, FOR CONSTIPATION, FOR SALLOW SKIN, FOR THE COMPLEXION.

Price 25 Cents. Purely Vegetable. Fac-Simile.

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

HOW A COLT GROWS.

From Ungainliness He Develops Grace and Beauty.

The development of a spindly legged colt into a full grown horse is an interesting process to watch. In "Horses Nine" the author describes an instance in this way:

And an unhandsome colt he was. His broomstick legs seemed twice the proper length, and so thin you would hardly have believed they could ever carry him. His head, which somehow suggested the lines of a bootjack, was set awkwardly on a ewed neck.

In time the slender legs thickened, the chest deepened, the barrel filled out, the head became less ungainly. As if to make up for these improvements, the colt's markings began to set. They took the shapes of a saddle stripe, three white stockings and an irregular white blaze covering one side of his face and patching an eye. On chest and belly the mother sorrel came out rather sharply, but on the rest of him was that peculiar blending which gives the roan shade, a color unpleasing to the critical eye and one that lowers the market value.

The Death of Kenith.

The death of Kenith, the half mythical king of Scotland, was one of the most remarkable in all history—that is, if it can consistently be called a historical fact. According to the story, Kenith had killed a son and brother of the warlike Fennella. She for revenge caused Wilts, the most ingenious artist of the time, to fashion an automatic death dealing machine, a wonderful statue filled with hidden springs, levers, etc. When finished and set up, this "brass image" was an admirable work of art. In its right hand it held a basin and in the left an apple of pure gold, both set with diamonds and other precious stones. To touch this apple was to dare death, it being so arranged that one guilty of such vandalism would be immediately riddled by poisoned arrows shot from loopholes in the body of the statue. Kenith was invited to come and inspect the wonder, and king-like and just as Fennella had hoped he tried to pluck the precious imitation fruit. The moment his hand touched the incrustured jewel he was filled with poisoned arrows, dying where he fell.

Don't tell a woman of the flaws you find in her complexion.

A woman always insists that her version of a story is correct.

ST. THOMAS MAN GIVES ADVICE

Tells His Friends to Use Dodd's Kidney Pills for Kidney Pains

Lew Dake, well known Hotel-keeper, Gives his Experience with Canada's Great Kidney Remedy.

St. Thomas, Ont., April 19.—(Special).—Everybody in St. Thomas and the surrounding country knows Lew Dake, proprietor of the Dake House and one of this railway centre's most popular citizens, and many people know that for years he was the victim of a very aggravated form of Kidney Disease. To-day he is a sound, healthy man. He used Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Speaking of the matter recently, Mr. Dake said:

"I had been troubled for over five years with my Kidneys and pains in my back. Nothing I used could give me any relief till finally on the advice of a friend I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"By the time I had finished one box the pains and Kidney Disease were gone. That is over five years ago now, and as I have had no return of the trouble since, I think I am safe in concluding that the cure was permanent."

"I advise all my friends who are troubled in the same way to use Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all stages of Kidney Disease from Pain in the Back to Bright's Disease.

THE NEWGATE AUCTION.

Relics and Fittings of London's Historic Prison Knocked Down to the Highest Bidder—A Dickens' Re-Enactment.

The Newgate pigeons, which have been for years the only feature of innocence or picturesqueness about the old prison, looked down from the high walls upon a very strange sight to-day, says The Pall Mall Gazette of Feb. 6, 1903: In the exercise ground, where so many actors have trod their parts in the long tragedy of Newgate, a brisk auctioneer was setting the fittings which have been accumulated in the work of demolition. To keep up the figure of speech, it was an auction of stage "properties." But what a stage! The grimy old walls towered up to a dull sky, and grime which had never been disturbed for a century or more lay about in clumps, in cracks, in holes and bars, panelings, railings, and doors lay about in heaps, and the audience wandered in and out of the old walls and corridors like business-minded vultures in a gruesome place.

Mr. Herbert Hooker, who acted for Messrs. Douglas Young & Co., commented with a simple eloquence on the historic associations of the lots, and the unique interest which attached to the day's event in the long and varied history of London.

First came several heaps of paneling and benches, and then a pile of prison chapel, and those fetched prices varying from half a guinea to a pound or so. Each time the auctioneer called out the result of one challenge and the subject of the next, his man rapped smartly with a stick upon the fresh lot to attract attention. Meanwhile people stood around Mr. Hooker's impromptu platform, consisting of the wreck of an old gas stove, with a few planks across it, and the old chapel pulpit frowned from an eminence alongside him as if to admonish those present of the majesty of law, both human and divine, even in the midst of ruins.

The starting bids as a rule were paltry, as if they came from scoffers with light hearts and light pockets. But every now and then the bidding went up at a bound, and Lot 10, a cluster of old cast-iron columns and bars with ornamental heads, removed from the chapel gallery. Anywhere else the same lot might have brought a third of the sum; but something is due to history, and what one buyer called the "hannals" of crime. Another and more fascinating commodity was a couple of old wooden cupboards formerly used for records and jailers' fittings. One measured 3 feet by 20 inches by 14, and had an iron facing upon its oak walls; the other looked like the relics of a well-worn kennel, so it did not impair the offers for its more important fellow. This is believed to be the cupboard from which Dennis the hangman took the keys, (vide "Barnaby Rudge"), and it brought the handsome sum of £12 10s. The sale began to take serious proportions.

A couple of doors leading to the men's and women's galleries in the jail chapel brought £3 7s. 6d. and £4, respectively, but the reason that the women's fetched the larger sum lay in no spirit of gallantry; it was merely that it was on show, and the other had not been removed. The painted iron railings which divided the sexes in the chapel brought £9, and a few oak timbers from the chapel roof brought £8 on account of their charred surface ever since the Newgate fire in the Gordon riots. Two massive oak and iron bound doors, with rather more bolting and fastenings than door, brought £5; two more, rather less decorative, £2, and another, the sum of the series, fetched £4 10s. At this stage of the proceedings a group of spectators created a diversion. The planking on which they were standing tipped up and slipped them off. There were fainting, and the company's laughter betrayed a smack of nervousness. The utmost that could be said for the old chapel stove by way of association was that the auctioneer was standing on it. It fetched £3. The solid pew which once held condemned prisoners and their warders went for £3 5s.; they looked, though the auctioneer guaranteed them complete, like a stack of rejected firewood. The pew of the jail Governor fetched 11s., and a pile of sundries, ranging from beds and sun-blinds to prison notice boards and a plate rock, were equally various in the moderate prices they fetched.

Then penology, criminology, and a number of other hobbies had their turn in stimulating interest for a set of nine plaster heads was put up, taken years ago from criminals just taken from the scaffold. They included Bartholomew and Larney, whose records are in The Calendar, and with a fine indifference to the scene, they were held up high by the broker's men, with the same air an old-time executioner might have put on when he held up a fresh-cropped head and proclaimed it as the head of a traitor. The nine fetched 5 guineas. After that a couple of horizontal boilers, at £225, seemed to bring the sale down to everyday prose, and a set of doors, at a pound apiece, seemed to shut out speculation for a time.

Then came the main cast-iron entrance gate through which the prison van used to enter with all concomitant locks, plates, bolts, stays and drawers complete. These, weighing several tons, went at £12. Just as well-known and twice as gruesome were the leg-irons over the main door and execution door, and these fetched £8 10s. and £15, respectively. The word execution, with the help of an auctioneer, served to mark the difference in the bids. The main doors to the Governor's house were knocked down for £30 to Messrs. Chubb because of the rare old Bramah lock thereby affected. Other old oaken doors brought prices like £9 10s., £4 10s., £10, £4 4s., £5, and £25. A strange steel casement and shield provided for the main door after the Gordon riots brought only £5 6s.

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"Will you look at that?"
Miss Davidson swung around on her swivel chair and held an open letter toward "Katherine Howard, Editor Woman's Page," known in private life as Jack Higgins.
He took his feet down from his desk and his cigarette from his mouth, which small incivilities lose their impotency in the good chumship of newspapermen, even if he had not been her cousin and privileged, and read aloud:

New York, Oct. 7.
Dear Miss Howard—Will you please advise me through your valuable column which I read daily with much pleasure—how I can possibly obtain an introduction to a most attractive young lady in the office across the street from mine? I am sure she is good and bright and lovable from her looks, which I study surreptitiously from my window every day. But seeing through a glass darkly is most unsatisfactory—she is so tantalizingly near and yet so far. I am a young Jeweler of twenty-seven—father left me a good business—a Yale graduate—a good family and honorable intentions, but how can I let her know all this? She is not the flirting kind, and I might wait years before finding a mutual friend to introduce us. Yours anxiously, PERCIVAL R. C.

"Uh-huh," grunted "Miss Howard," puffing new life into the dimming light of his Turkish, "like scads of others we get, isn't it?"
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"Looks familiar," Jack ruminated, gazing thoughtfully into the smoky side street. His glance fell upon a white lettered sign on the window opposite. He chuckled. "By Jove! I see it all, cousin. He is your conquest across the way, who probably labors under the impression that you are Miss Howard—these are my laurels stolen from me. He is standing in the window over there now, waiting, most likely, to see how you take his deep laid plot."
"Who? Conquest! I have no"—began Miss Davidson innocently, but she flushed pinkly all over her pretty face and stopped short under Jack's amused scrutiny.

"Now, Jo, dear, don't try to fool your Uncle Jack. It's my private opinion that every woman's heart is a Marconi receiving apparatus that registers faithfully every answer to her own charms."
"Jack!" This time the tone was indignant. "You couldn't think I'd flirt with a stranger!"
"Never, my child. You misread my metaphor. Well, I'll let you answer the letter. Tell him 'Faint heart never won,' etc.," he added teasingly, taking up his blue pencil to begin the makeup for the next issue of the woman's page.

"I shall certainly give him some good advice," she returned, with a toss of her shapely head.
Accordingly the next day's issue of the Evening Arrow published the letter of "Perceval R. C." at the head of the "Cupid's Column." Below it was the chilling editorial reply:

"Would refer you to a wiser authority, the national proverb—first, 'Appearances are deceitful'; second, 'Fate brings together those destined for each other.' Don't meddle with destiny." Which journalistic wet blanket, however, seemed not to have the intended cooling effect upon its recipient, for he opened his window every afternoon thereafter just the same and whistled loudly to a newsboy below to "bring up two Arrows."

Having in due time received them, he set down on the brown window sill and ostentatiously perused the entire woman's page. Across the way the assistant editor thereof dimpled and twinkled over her desk and her muckle brush, though her head was studiously turned away from the street.

Miss Davidson prided herself on her rigid sense of justice, but sometimes it was sorely tested. It was her duty to open and read all letters and the manuscripts for the daily prize story of 500 words. These last she assorted into three piles—good, possible and impossible. The first were published, the second turned over for another reading and final decision to the editor, "Miss Howard." The last were returned to the writers.

She came upon one which she unhesitatingly pronounced good and was about to place it on the first pile when the name and address of the author caught her eye.

She recognized them as belonging to a woman who was "second reader" on a well known magazine and who had only the week before rejected a story which Miss Davidson had submitted for publication. Her cheeks burned anew as she recalled the curt sentence scrawled across the usual printed "declined with thanks" slip which rouses all the evil passions in the literary temperament:

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She took a rejection slip from a pigeonhole in her desk. Chance had put revenge into her own hands. She dipped her pen into the violet ink and poised it above the slip. Then she paused. This was the Sumter shot of the war between "civilities," which she detested, and justice. Another moment of hesitation, then Victory perched on the banner of the blind rodress.

She laid down the dried pen and tossed the census bell over to the desk of the editor, saying briefly:

"Better run that one tomorrow."
"All right. Whatever you say goes."
"May I see Miss Howard?" asked a deep voice at the door of their cluttered den two days later. Jack Higgins looked up from his sheaf of proofs and recognized "Perceval R. C." "I am Miss Howard," he said coolly. "What can I do for you?"
"Oh—I-I thought"—stammered the visitor; then recovered himself, catching in his embarrassment at the first straw, which happened to be Jack's Greek letter fraternity pin. "I say, I am an Alpha Omega too." And he gave him the grip. "My name's Clifford. I have a message of thanks for you from my sister, Mrs. Smith, whose story took your ten dollar prize yesterday; also the receipt for your check."

Jack's eyes twinkled as he sized up this persistent suitor. "Gad, I'll help him out," was the mental result of his scrutiny. He waved his hand toward the desk by the window where sat a very red cheeked young woman.

"My cousin, Miss Davidson, attends to that, Mr. Clifford," he said. And that was the way Fate introduced them.

The way that arbitrary old dame finally disposed of them might be guessed from a pretty scene enacted on the afterdeck of the Etruria as she swung out of the North river one hot day last summer.

The man had just brushed off with a surreptitious gesture another stray grain of rice from his coat collar. With his companion he found a sheltered seat under a gangway while the other passengers bustled to their various staterooms to dress for dinner.

"As through a glass darkly, Percy," murmured the girl dreamily while together they watched the gray line of shore recede from view till twilight fell across the purple sea.

"But now"—he glanced around to see that the deck was clear, then bent his handsome face to hers—"but now, darling, face to face."

The almanac, properly so called in its origin, is not merely a device for keeping people in mind of the progress of the year. It is an attempt to show what destiny has in store for us as indicated by the position of the stars in any particular year, and as, according to astrological lore, the destinies of men are ruled by the different aspects of the planets, so also the human body is subject to the influence of the constellations through which the sun appears to pass in his yearly course.

A French almanac of 1810 gives a diagram of the human body surrounded by all the signs of the zodiac and indicates the various organs and members over which these signs have power, and this for a guide pour les saignes, or to show at what periods blood may be let with safety. But the same almanac also gives directions sensible enough for the avoidance of the plague which would not be found fault with by a modern fashionable physician:

Who would keep his body in health And resist the infection of the plague, Let him seek joy and sadness far, Avoid places where infections abound And cherish joyous company.

A few examples exist of almanacs of this character before the invention of printing, although none, it is believed, earlier than the twelfth century. But some of the earliest specimens of printing are black printed German sheet almanacs, which are chiefly concerned about blood letting.—All the Year Round.

Early Time Systems.
The gnomon, the predecessor of the sundial, was probably one of the earliest devices for the reckoning of time, and it may reasonably be concluded that the Egyptian pyramids, with their great altitude, formed part of a design for timekeeping by the shadow thrown on the desert sands. The obelisk, too, in all probability served the purpose, for as a matter of history an obelisk at Rome was actually used for a sundial in the time of Emperor Augustus.

If we could step on board of a Malay prau, we should see floating in a bucket of water a coconut shell having a small hole in the bottom through which the water by slow degrees finds its way into the interior. The hole in the shell is so proportioned that the shell will sink in an hour, when the man on watch calls the time and sets it afloat again.

The Chinese have a water clock in use at the present time, which invention they ascribe to Hwangti, who lived, according to their chronology, more than twenty-five centuries before Christ.

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SIR OLIVER MOWAT.

DEATH OF THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR
OF ONTARIO.

The End Came on Sunday Morning
at Government House—A Long
and Distinguished Career.

Toronto, April 20.—Sir Oliver
Mowat, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario,
died on Sunday at 9.45 a.m.

Peacefully, almost imperceptibly, the
semi-conscious sleep in which Sir Oliver
Mowat has lain since Wednesday
night became at six minutes to 10 yesterday
morning the dreamless slumber of death.
The aged statesman was surrounded by his family, all of whom
had remained within call since they
were summoned to his bedside at midnight
on Wednesday, a long vigil of
eighty hours. They were Sheriff and
Mrs. Mowat, Mr. Arthur and Mrs.
Mowat, Mr. C. R. W. Biggar, K.C.,
and Mrs. Biggar, Mr. Thomas Langton,
K.C., and Mrs. Langton, and Miss
Mowat. Dr. Primrose and Dr. Temple
were also present. Sir Oliver did not
regain consciousness. His vitality,
the physicians said, was wonderful,
and his life simply ebbed away.

The first public announcement of the
death was the half-masting of the flag
on Government House, and it was not
long before on all public buildings and
many private ones flags were at half-mast
and spread the news throughout the city.

Premier Ross called at Government
House in the afternoon, and it was after
a conference with him that the above
announcement regarding the state funeral
was made. This morning the
Premier will arrange with Colonel
Otter the details of the ceremony. The
members of the Legislature, City
Council and other public bodies and
also many societies will attend. There
will be a military escort, composed of
a detachment of Royal Canadian Dragoons,
mounted. It was not thought
advisable to parade all the city regiments.
At the request of the family six
members of the Toronto Caidness
Association will act as bearers. They
are Messrs. D. Rose, sen., Past President;
Wm. Banks, sen., President;
Daniel Ross, Vice-President; Donald
Irving, Treasurer; D. A. Rose, jun., and
Gilbert L. Sutcliffe.

The City Council meets this afternoon
in regular session, but the Mayor
said last night he thought they would
adjourn till Thursday. He intends
to request the citizens to suspend business
during two or three hours on the
afternoon of the funeral. The Legislature
will assemble to-morrow afternoon
and proceed with business, but
when they rise will adjourn over Wednesday.

Oliver Mowat was born at Kingston on
July 22, 1820. He came of good Scotch
stock, being one of the Mowats of
Bucholzie, Caithness-shire, Scotland, the
restorers and owners of the ancient
castle of the Vikings in Scotland. His
father, John Mowat, was a soldier, who
had seen stern service under Wellington
during the Peninsular wars with
France. His mother was Mary
Levack, also of Caithness. The
elder Mowats lived at Carisbay, which
place they left in 1816, coming to Canada
and settling in Kingston. The fruit
of the marriage was five children,
three sons and two daughters. Oliver
was the first child. He was educated
at private schools in his native city,
one of his teachers being Rev. John
Cruikshank, at that time held in high
esteem as a teacher of youth. Among
his fellow-pupils were two men who,
with him, were afterwards destined to
play high parts in Canadian politics,
Sir John A. Macdonald and Hon. John
Hillyard Cameron. At the age of seventeen
he left school and entered the law
office of his former school friend, John
A. Macdonald, who, being five years his
senior, had been admitted to the Bar
and had begun to practise his profession.

Mr. Mowat's public career may be
said to have begun in 1857, when he
was elected an Alderman for St. Lawrence
Ward, in the City of Toronto. He
again sat in Council in 1858, as a
representative from St. James' Ward.
His name as a civic legislator will be
associated with a measure which he introduced
and carried through, "to provide
for the better administration of the
affairs of the corporation," which
was known as "Alderman Mowat's by-law."
His entrance into the wider
sphere of politics came at the same
time. In 1857 he resigned his commission-
ership and ran for the House of
Assembly for South Ontario. His
opponent was Joseph Curran Morrison,
whom he defeated by the large
majority of nearly 800 votes. Although
he had in early life been surrounded
by Conservative influences, he himself,
as one biographer puts it, "those
that broad-minded Liberalism of
which he has ever since been so
able an exponent and so steadfast a
promoter." The Macdonald-Carter
Conservative Administration was then
in power, and Mr. Mowat soon found
himself at issue with many of its
measures.

The third and greatest period of
Oliver Mowat's public career began in
1872, when he left the Bench to re-
enter politics as Premier of his native
Province. During his retirement from
public life the confederation of the Dominion,
in laying the foundations of
which he had taken an active part in
1864, had become an accomplished fact.
It remained for him to assume an office
as head of that union's greatest Province
and to hold it continuously for a
longer period than had ever been done
in any self-governing country in the
world. His descent from the Bench
and re-entrance into practical politics
occasioned a good deal of discussion
at the time among those who seemed
to think that the purity of the judicial
ermine must to some degree be contaminated
by the change. The answer
to these criticisms, if any be
needed, is to be found in the record of
24 years as Premier of the Province,
which Oliver Mowat afterwards earned.

INDIGNANT COLONISTS.

COMPELLED TO PAY FREIGHT
ON THEIR TENTS.

Arrival of Rev. Mr. Barr—Prairie
Fires North and West of Saskatchewan.

Saskatoon, April 20.—Seventy Barr
colonists held an indignation meeting
on Saturday morning and discussed the
charge of an extra dollar on the tents
supplied, the alleged extortionate prices
asked by local dealers for stock, and
the prospects of the railway reaching
Saskatoon during this year. No action
was taken. The colonists bought tents
for ten dollars, but Mr. Barr's agent
here was instructed to collect an additional
dollar for freight. Some took
the tents without asking leave, others
paid the extra charge under protest.
Rev. S. M. Barr arrived on Saturday
night, and no demonstration was made.

At the general meeting held on Sunday
Mr. Barr made a proposition that
owing to the congestion of freight
the settlers should give him power to
make an agreement with the railway
releasing the company from claims for
damages on the goods now in eighteen
cars on the siding, provided that the
company would open all of the cars for
distribution at once. The members
of the colony refused to accede to this,
although a large majority were in favor
of it. In answer to the threats that
the settlers would break into the cars
and secure their goods, Mr. Barr said
that the Mounted Police would shoot
down any man using violence. As a
result of the meeting the start for Battleford
may be delayed four days. Five
thousand parcels of goods are still in
the cars. Four hundred tents, besides
many shacks, are now up.

The settlers are in great fear to-night
because of the prairie fires, which line
the horizon on the north and west, and
are coming very close. It is not
thought that the fires will reach the
camps.

A DESPERADO KILLED.

End of a Man Charged With Five Murders.

Bakersfield, Cal., April 20.—James
McKinney, the outlaw, was shot and
killed here Saturday. Deputy Sheriff
Tibbitts was also killed, and Constable
Packard was dangerously hurt.
Sheriffs Kelly of Kern, Collins of
Tulare, and Leovin of Arizona Counties,
with Officers Wills and Burt Tibbitts,
Gus Tower, and Ciry Marshal
Packard, surrounded McKinney today
in a Chinese house. Will Tibbitts and
Packard approached McKinney in the
house, and ordered him to surrender.
McKinney answered by shooting. Will
Tibbitts was shot through the stomach
and died soon after; Packard was
shot through the neck and shoulders
and dangerously wounded. Burt
Tibbitts, a brother of the dead Deputy
Sheriff, shot McKinney through the
mouth and neck, killing him. The
house was a regular fort. In the
place with McKinney was Hul Hulse,
a desperado. Hulse would not obey
the order to come out of the barricaded
house, and the fire department was
ordered to the scene. Hulse then
gave himself up, and was taken to
the county jail. Another accomplice
of McKinney was known to be in
the house where the battle took
place, but he would not surrender, and
the house was set on fire, and the man
was soon smoked out and taken to jail.
McKinney was accused of having committed
five murders.

SEVENTY TURKS KILLED.

Insurgents Restored to the Use of
Dynamite.

Salonica, April 20.—A sanguinary
fight has occurred at the village of
Opela between revolutionists from
Palanka and Turkish troops. After the
encounter had lasted some time, and the
revolutionists were getting the worst of
it, a dozen of them being killed or
wounded, they resorted to the use of
dynamite, and hurled bombs among the
Turks, seventy of whom were killed or
wounded by the explosions. In the
panic which followed the revolutionists
broke through the Turkish cordon and
escaped.

Berlin, April 20.—A despatch from
St. Petersburg of semi-official origin,
published in The Cologne Gazette today,
says:—The Russian Government is
convinced that, acting in conjunction
with Austria, it will be able to prevent
further complications in Macedonia.
Both Governments are confident that
the Porte will carry out the work of
reform and, if necessary, actively suppress
the rebellious Albanians. There is
no indication of military preparations in
Russia, as reported, and at present
there is no cause for anxiety. As to
the politicians who are advocating Russian
military intervention, clearly they have
no connection with the Russian Government,
which like the Austrian, desires peace
and the maintenance of the status quo
in the Balkans.

Valetta, Island of Malta, April 20.—
The British battleship Victorious, which
had been ordered to Greece, owing to
the threatening aspect of affairs in the
Balkans, sailed during the night for
Volo, Greece.

BANK BURGLAR KILLED.

Surprised While at Work and Shot
Dead by a Citizen.

Wampum, Pa., April 18.—In a battle
following an unsuccessful attempt
to rob the First National Bank here
early to-day one man was shot and killed
and another seriously wounded. The
dead man was one of the burglars, and
he has not yet been identified. The
wounded man is Henry Wintghy, a
baker, who surprised the burglars while
at work. His injuries are serious, but
not fatal.

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