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Autumn Requirements

We are now right into the time of Autumn needs, such as Dress Goods, Silks, Hosiery, Underwear, Jackets, Millinery, Etc. A recent shipment just taken out of bond almost completes our stock and we are now in a position to show you a splendid assortment. Come in and see the new ideas, we are always glad, as you know, to show our selection.

Millinery

Our formal opening display of millinery will be held on Tuesday next, Sept. 24th, when Miss Hayes and Miss Cathcart will be glad to meet you and show you the result of their efforts during the past month. In the meantime we are ready with a stylish lot of New York ready-to-wear felt hats, at prices which any purse can afford to pay.

Black Dress Goods

The greatest showing of Black Dress Goods ever on these counters are here now for your inspection. 44 inch Black Henrietta, fine, glossy finish, all wool, very special at 50c. 44 inch Black Corkscrew Suiting, excellent for wear and dressy appearance, special at \$1.00. 44 inch Black German Armures, very new and stylish weaves, very special at 50c.

cial values at 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.00.

44 inch All-wool Black Wool Satens, a fine, glossy finish, serviceable and stylish, special at 50c and \$1.00.

Silks

21 inch wide, heavy black taffeta, the most remarkable values ever offered in Chatham, at 50c. Pure black taffetas, fine weight and finish, untearable, at \$1.00.

Jackets and Capes

We are now fully prepared to supply your jacket and cloak needs. In jackets we have three lengths, from the medium 26 in. to the long 43 in., and all sizes and prices in every length. Our jackets all come to us direct from Canadian and German makers, and from orders placed as late as July 30.

that we can guarantee the styles to be strictly new. We would be glad to show them to you.

Sateens and Denims

A fine collection of art sateens and denims, probably the largest ever shown in Chatham, certainly the prettiest assortment ever on our shelves. 36 inch fine finish figured art sateens, in elegant colorings and designs, very special at 25c. 30 inch French printed sateens, extra fine finish, delicate colorings and designs, special at 20c. 36 inch special reversible art denims, extra value at 25c and 30c.

Silk cords and mercerized cotton cords, in every desirable color combination, at 12 1/2c and 20c. Cambric covered elder sofa cushions, sizes, from 18 by 18 to 26 by 26, prices from 40c to \$1.75.

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IT'S DIFFICULT FOR SOME BUT EASY FOR OTHERS

We have no difficulty in pleasing all, for we sell only goods that are worth buying. You will find our

Misses' and Boys'

\$1.50 Box Calf Shoes

equal to any and much better than many.

TURRILL'S
Dealer in Canadian and American Fine Footwear.

THE PLEASURES OF DRIVING

Are only completely realized when you have a stylish turnout. It is the carriage that gives your turnout a stylish appearance. A quite, ordinary horse makes a showy appearance when dressed in a nice harness and hitched to a nobby carriage such as we manufacture.



We have the harness, too. Come and look at them. The price won't frighten you.

The Wm. Gray & Sons Co.
Limited, Chatham, Ont.

... Watches ...
Elgin and Waltham

Have you ever seen them, if not call at Jordan's Jewelry Store and see the display in the show windows. If you want to purchase you will be sure to buy one at the sign of the Big Clock.

A. A. JORDAN At the Sign of The Big Clock

GOOD RECORD

C. M. C. Baseball Club Only Lost one Game During the Entire Season.

To the Sporting Editor of The Planet:—I find it will be impossible to get any more games with any of the outside clubs and I have decided to disband the Chatham Mfg. Co. Baseball Club. I also desire, on behalf of the club, to tender the business men of the city my sincere thanks for their kind support towards the club. Signed on behalf of the club,

P. W. McAULEY,
Mgr. C. M. C. B. B. C.
Chatham, Sept. 17th, 1901.
OUR RECORD FOR 1901.
Beat Wallaceburg 8 to 6.
Beat Wallaceburg 11 to 10, innings to spare.
Beat Dresden 29 to 25.
Beat Dresden 6 to 3.
Beat Tilbury 37 to 7, innings to spare.
Beat Walpole Indians 6 to 5.
Lost with Wallaceburg 24 to 22.

The Planet sincerely congratulates the C. M. C. club on their successful season. Manager McAuley is also entitled to a vote of thanks from the community for keeping alive the healthful and invigorating amateur game. He has unsparingly devoted time, money and energy to the success of his club, and his efforts have been heartily appreciated. That the season has closed will be a source of regret to many, but the future of the local club is now assured and Chatham will have opportunity of witnessing the C. M. C.'s go after additional honors next season.

Wednesday, Sept. 18th
Grand Opera House
A DARNYAL
OF LAUGHTER
ROLAND REED'S GREATEST COMEDY
HUMBUG
Walter Hodges
Accompanied by
Annie Leonard
And a carefully selected cast.
ORIGINAL SONGS AND MUSIC
INTENSELY INTERESTING
NOTE—Positively the only appearance here of this Famous Comedy.
PRICES—75c, 50c, 35c and 25c.
Plans open Tuesday at Central Drug Store
Doors open 7:30 p. m.
F. H. BRISCO, Manager.

Farmers!

What do you need worse at this season of the year than a

Cistern

Water Tub

in sizes 5 bbls. and up, always on hand at

Blonde Bros. & Co.

ASSASSIN CZOLGOSZ INDICTED FOR MURDER OF MCKINLEY

Prompt Work was Done by the Grand Jury at Buffalo—Two Eminent Lawyers Appointed by the Court as Counsel for Him.

Buffalo, September 16.—Leon C. Czolgosz, alias Fred. Nieman, was indicted to-day by the county court grand jury for the crime of murder in the first degree, in fatally shooting President William McKinley at the Temple of Music in the Pan-American exposition grounds at 4:15 o'clock on the afternoon of September 6.

When arraigned before Judge Edward K. Emery, in the county court, the prisoner stubbornly refused to answer questions repeatedly asked him by District Attorney Penney as to whether he had counsel or wanted counsel. The district attorney then suggested that inasmuch as the defendant refused to answer, counsel should be assigned.

Judge Emery assigned Hon. Lorin L. Lewis, and Hon. Robert C. Titus, former supreme court justices of this city, whose names had been suggested by the Erie County Bar Association. Czolgosz probably will be arraigned again to-morrow morning to plead to the indictment.

District Attorney Penney presented the evidence in the murder case to the grand jury. Aside from surgeons and physicians in the case no witnesses were sworn, other than those who were in the Temple of Music and witnessed the shooting.

THE INDICTMENT VOTED.

At 4:15 this afternoon, just exactly ten days after the shooting, the grand jury voted unanimously to indict Czolgosz for murder in the first degree. At 4:41 o'clock the secret indictment was presented to Judge Emery in the county court. Then ensued a wait of an hour, but the rumor that the murderer was to be arraigned spread and in a short time the court room was crowded.

Great secrecy was maintained as to the place of confinement of the prisoner, but it is believed that he was locked up in the temporary jail at the Erie county penitentiary, where prisoners have been kept while the jail has been undergoing repairs. After the indictment the prisoner was driven from the penitentiary, a mile from the city hall, to the jail across the street from the hall.

Czolgosz was then taken under a strong guard from the jail through the tunnel under Delaware avenue to the basement of the city hall and up the stairs to the court room on the second floor. The prisoner was shackled to a detective, and another detective held his other arm; Assistant

Supt. Cusack marching in front and a number of patrolmen behind. When the prisoner was taken before the bench the crowd in the court room surged about him on all sides. They were compelled to resume their seats. Czolgosz is of medium height, of fairly good build and has light curly hair, but a ten-day's growth of beard on his face, gave him an unkempt appearance. Apparently he feigned insanity, but not stupidity, and his glance roamed about, but his eyes were always down cast. Not once did he look the county prosecutor of the judge in the face.

REFUSED TO ANSWER.

"Czolgosz, have you got a lawyer? Do you wish a lawyer? You have been indicted for murder in the first degree; do you want a lawyer to defend you? Czolgosz, look at me and answer."

District Attorney Penney fired these at the prisoner, his voice rising with each succeeding question, but Czolgosz stubbornly refused to answer. The district attorney respectfully suggested that counsel be assigned to defend the prisoner and ascertain what he had better do as to his plea to the indictment before arraignment. Judge Emery then asked the prisoner before the bench if he had counsel, but there was no answer, despite the fact that the police officer told him the judge was speaking, and that he must answer.

The court then said: "Czolgosz, you have appeared for arraignment in court without counsel, the law makes it the duty of the court to assign counsel. The bar association of the county has considered the matter and suggested the names of gentlemen of high character for such assignment. The court has seriously considered the question, and after much consideration has concluded to follow the suggestion made by the Association. The court therefore assigns the Hon. Lorin L. Lewis and the Hon. Robert C. Titus as your counsel."

CROWD SURGED AFTER PRISONER. Judge Emery directed the officers to notify the attorneys and remove the prisoner.

Czolgosz was handcuffed to the detective, who started out of the court room with him. The crowds surged after them, but found the exit barred by policemen. Outside the court room door the prisoner was surrounded by policemen and hurried down stairs into the basement, whence he was taken through the tunnel to the jail across Delaware avenue. Whether he was left there for the night, or taken elsewhere the police refused to say.

District Attorney Penney said that Justices Lewis and Titus would be notified and given an opportunity to talk with the prisoner, and that he hoped to arraign Czolgosz to-morrow.

EMPIRE'S HEIR APPARENT WELCOMED TO LOYAL DOMINION

Royal Party Arrived at Quebec Amid the Thunders of the Salute—Greeted by Thousands of Loyal and Enthusiastic Canadians.

Quebec, Sept. 16.—The Ophir arrived in the harbor this morning with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, and their suite on board, and was saluted with the firing of cannon from the Citadel and fleet of warships. The Governor-General and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who were waiting, boarded the yacht and extended the country's welcome. It was 12:30 p.m. before the royal party were ready to leave the vessel, and in the meantime a heavy squall had blown up which rendered landing somewhat difficult.

Quebec, which has been singled out for the distinguished honor of being the spot designated as the first landing place in the Dominion of Canada for the heir apparent to the British throne and his amiable consort, has royally received and welcomed their Royal Highnesses. The civic and military festivities in our old city will certainly surpass anything of a similar nature ever heretofore witnessed in the old Dominion of Canada.

The old Quebec was found to take the foremost rank among the cities of Canada in the demonstration of its loyalty. At 8:30 a. m. His Excellency the Governor-General, his staff, and accompanied by the Prime Minister of Canada, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, K. C., M. G., proceeded on board the H. M. S. Ophir. At noon the royal party landed on the King's wharf, where they were received by the commander of the Canadian militia, Vice-Admiral Bedford and staff, and some of the members of the Federal Government—Messrs. Dobell, Tarte, Fielding and

Davis. A hundred men from the British warships furnished the guard of honor. The royal party landed amidst the thunder of the royal salute from the batteries of the Citadel and from the fleet. The scene was extremely impressive. The escorts were furnished by the Queen's Own Canadian Hussars, of Quebec, and the Duke of York's Royal Canadian Hussars, of Montreal. The guard of honor at the Parliament buildings were furnished by 100 men from the 8th Royal Rifles and 100 men from the 9th Battalion, both Quebec rifle corps.

At the close of the presentation of the address at the Parliament buildings, the royal procession proceeded in the same order to the Citadel where the guard of honor to receive him was composed of 300 men from the 8th, 9th and 10th. The crowds at every point of vantage and in the streets of the royal procession was simply tremendous. To do fitting honor to the Duke and Duchess, however, Quebec has made great preparations. The decorations throughout the city are of a most elaborate nature. Flags and banners float from every house; the little, narrow streets with their old stone buildings are a mass of color; the public buildings are all handsomely decorated; arches have been erected at several points where the royal procession will pass; emblems of welcome are to be seen everywhere. At the King's wharf, where the royal party landed, four pillars decorated at the end of the wharf bears the word "Welcome." The street along the line of march from the wharf to the Parliament buildings to-day were lined on both sides with troops at a distance of a yard apart.

To-day the streets of Quebec echoed to the tread of soldiers, and to the sound of the military bands. There with flags, banners and the royal arms have been erected, and an arch

Men's and Womens' Shoes

\$1.50

We've got two lines of Ladies' Dongola Kid Shoes which we offer at

\$1.50

These lines are well put together, made of good quality dongola and with solid inner and outer soles and as much style to them as most \$2.00 shoes.

Our Men's \$1.50 Goods

Are as solid as one-fifty shoes can possibly be made. There are one-fifty shoes which would net us a larger profit, but a glance at these will show you the difference.

Peace's

Cash Shoe Store
4th Door From Market

are some 3,500 men altogether, comprising the Quebec regiment and a troop of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, under command of Colonel Lesard, and the parade is to be held on Tuesday morning.

The garden party, which was to have been held at Spencerwood by Hon. Parent and Lieutenant-Governor Jetté, in honor of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall, was cancelled by the request of the Duke, out of respect to the late President McKinley.

This afternoon at four o'clock the Duke and Duchess of York visited Laval University, where the degree of LL. D. was conferred on the Duke. In his reply the Duke spoke in very flattering terms of the loyalty and devotion of the Catholic Church to the Empire.

To-night the city was ablaze by one of the greatest illuminations ever seen here. Every public building, besides a great number of private ones, were brilliantly illuminated. But the coming feature of the evening was the display of the river. The entire fleet of ten warships, including the Ophir, being decked out from stern to stern, with an innumerable number of smaller craft were also illuminated. On Dufferin Terrace a choir of 1,000 voices, accompanied by two or three massed bands, rendered popular airs. The royal party, in addressing the whole scene from the balcony of the King's bastion at the Citadel, an unfortunate accident occurred on board the steamer Frontenac, which had been chartered by the Hon. Mr. Tarte, Minister of Public Works. Some bombs became ignited on board, causing an explosion. Hon. Mr. Tarte had his face and hands injured. Hon. Dr. Borden, minister, fell down a hatchway, injuring himself severely. His face is badly cut and burned, while Miss Fielding, daughter of Hon. W. S. Fielding, was severely injured, as was also Mrs. J. N. Virens, of Montreal, whose dress ignited, and caused her to be rather badly burned.

CORN YIELD

Farmers in Dover Have Been Particularly Successful This Season.

"I took a ride through Dover Sunday," said Col. Sam. Holmes to The Planet this morning, "and I was surprised to see so many fields of corn cut and ready to husk. The farmers all through Dover are at present very busily engaged with their corn crop, and they say that they will have a better yield than they have had for some years. The work is being mostly done with corn harvesters, which are being purchased very readily this year."

This is good news, considering the fact that during the earlier part of the season it was thought that the corn crop would be a very poor one this year.

HE WON A NEW CHAIR

A CASE WHERE NERVE AND PERSISTENCY GOT THEIR REWARD.

The Station Master Called the Division Superintendent's Bluff and Went Out Through the Door Instead of Through the Window.

Several division officials were informally congregated in the superintendent's office of an eastern railroad one afternoon when the conversation turned to the subject of elaborate office furniture, suggested by a new office chair which had been presented to the venerable superintendent by his subordinates as a birthday remembrance.

"I never see an office chair like that without being reminded of me at almost the commencement of my railroad experience," remarked the traveling freight agent.

"I commenced my railroad career as 'spare agent' for the Central Vermont back in the sixties when 'Old Man' Halloway was superintendent of the northern division of that road. I only worked about six or eight months in that capacity when I was assigned to a new station just opened near St. Albans, Vt., the headquarters of the division. I shall never forget the pride and satisfaction which I experienced in the possession of that, my first regular position. Were I to be elected to the presidency of this road tomorrow I doubt if it would afford me anywhere near the self-satisfaction that I derived from my first agency up there in the Green Mountain State. Like everything else in life, though, there was a drawback to my complete happiness, and that drawback lay in the fact that, while all the rest of my station equipment and office furniture was entirely new, the chair which they sent me, judging from its appearance, had seen several years' service at some other station before being sent to me.

"Well, that chair didn't harmonize with my ideas any more than it did with the rest of the office furniture. I immediately sat down and wrote the superintendent at some length, stating the case in all its details, which, when summarized, amounted to the fact that an old chair had been sent me in error in place of a new one, and I asked him to see that the mistake be rectified. I sent the letter on the morning train, thinking, of course, that the new chair would be forthcoming on the last train from St. Albans that night; but, although I watched every incoming train from St. Albans with anxious, expectant eyes for over a week, the coveted chair did not make its appearance.

"Thinking the letter must have been lost or mislaid, I wrote another, stating the case at more length than on the former occasion. On the following day I received my second letter back with an endorsement across the corner that a new chair could not be provided just at that time and for the present I would have to get along with the one I had as best I could. This somewhat dampened my ardor, but did not entirely discourage me in my efforts to secure the new chair. I importuned the train dispatcher at least three times a week and made it a point to communicate my want to the trainmaster, the roadmaster and every one else whom I saw and who I thought would have any influence whatever with his predecessor absolutely, and asks the present members of the Cabinet to retain their portfolios.

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Good Health

Is doubtless the highest human good. It is especially so to women, to whom it means the preservation of beauty, happiness in the home, and the enjoyment of social duties. There can be no good health for any woman who suffers from womanly diseases. Her complexion fails. Her flesh loses its firmness. Her eyes are dull. She has no home happiness, no social enjoyment.

Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures the diseases which destroy the health. It establishes regularity, drives disagreeable drains, heals inflammation, and cures female weakness. It gives good health to women, which means tranquil nerves, a good appetite and sound sleep.

"I was a great sufferer two years ago with female trouble and I wrote to you for advice," says Mrs. Mattie Hays of Tullahoma, McDonald Co., Missouri. "You outlined a course of treatment for me. I followed your directions, and now feel like a different person. I never expected to hear from you when I wrote to you. In three days after I commenced taking your medicine I began to feel better. I took twenty dollars' worth of the 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I bought it for five dollars at a time, and also four vials of Dr. Pierce's Pellets. I would not take one thousand dollars for the good the medicine has done me. I can't praise it enough. I wish all who suffer with such troubles would give Dr. Pierce's medicine a fair trial. I can work all day—doing anything, walk where I please, and feel good. Many thanks to you for your kind advice."

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

TELEGRAPH

Dr. Thom. of Woodbridge, died suddenly.

The British transport Montrose, with 960 Boer prisoners, has arrived at Bermuda.

It is stated that President McKinley's life was insured for between \$100,000 and \$200,000.

The big steel strike in the United States is settled, and the men returned to work to-day.

The Pan-American Exhibition, which was closed Saturday and Sunday, re-opened to-day.

Forty-six firemen of the steamer Southwick have been refused at Southampton on a charge of refusing to obey orders.

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Murders and Then Marries.

Augustus B. Wythe in his "Modern Alamydas" describes an interesting custom observed at Yefju, by which a long engagement is brought to a happy ending.

The betrothed pair go secretly to the outskirts of a village. The man hides himself, and the girl shrieks. The first man who comes to her rescue is seized by her sweetheart. The couple may then go home and be married, for moral sentiments demand that every bridegroom should have killed his man.

Love's Endearing Phrases.

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A RUSTY KEY.

It Cleared Up a Forgotten Murder and Haunted the Murderer.

"Small things sometimes tell big tales and unravel mysteries of long standing," said an old detective who has seen long service in running down criminals in various parts of the country. "The most singular case that ever fell under my care was a case in which a white man had been murdered in some mysterious way, and the body was put away and all efforts to locate it were out of the question. Suspicion fell on a negro, and he was arrested, but subsequently was released because of the absence of proof to connect him with the crime. The body was missing, and it was certain that the man had been murdered and robbed by some person familiar with the surroundings. The negro had worked for him, but had been discharged because of impudence.

"Ten years elapsed. All interest in the crime had died out. One day some negro blackberry pickers were seen in the vicinity of the body of a bush. Because of the growth of the bush the handle of the key was partially buried in the limb. Right under the bush the negroes found the body of a man. When the matter was reported, I was sent out to investigate the matter, and I gathered up the bones, cut the bush down and took everything to the police station. We went back over the list of missing men.

"There was a captain connected with the department who possessed a wonderful memory, and he turned up all his records in the limb of a bush. I thought to state here that the negro had remained in the community and had by his industry bought a few acres of land on which stood the house which had figured in the mysterious disappearance ten years before. 'Cut that key out for me,' said the captain, and it was cut out. He had a consultation with the chief and, without telling me where he was going, asked me to go with him.

"We traveled about four miles and drove up to a little house late in the evening. There was nobody at home. 'I guess we might as well go in,' the captain said, and, pulling the key from his pocket, he shoved it into the lock, turned it and opened the door. We waited for the negro after locking the door again, but he never returned. The house was watched all night, but the negro never came. We grew suspicious and soon learned that he had fled upon hearing of the discovery in the briar patch. Flight strengthened the evidence of his guilt. He was arrested in a neighboring state, returned, tried and convicted and finally executed.

"The key which solved the mystery had got caught in a twig that sprung up in the briar patch, and but for this fact the mystery would have never been solved."

A Great Puzzle.

In one of the old castles of northern England visitors are shown two rooms which are connected by a door. A singular mechanism. Each room is adjoined by an alcove, used as a sleeping room apartment, and the doors of the adjoining alcoves turn on a pivot in the center of the partition wall.

This ingenious device was the invention of one of the ancestors of the present proprietor, who was a great pleasure in frightening and mystifying his guests.

When one had gone to bed in the green room and the other in the blue, the doors were closed, and the visitor found himself in strange quarters, with clothes that were not his own.

It is said that this fun-loving lord lost a rich inheritance by disturbing the restful moments of a wealthy aunt, who never forgave the trick her nephew played upon her.

She Did So.

"Always," said papa, as he drank his coffee and enjoyed his morning breakfast. "Always," children, change the subject when anything unpleasant has been said. It is both wise and polite.

That evening on his return from business he found several of his flower beds despoiled, and the tiny imprint of slippered feet silently bearing witness to the small thief.

"Mabel," he said to her, "did you pick my flowers?"

"Papa," said Mabel, "did you see a monkey in the city today? We had a 'Never mind that. Did you pick my flowers, Mabel?' 'Papa, what did grandma send me?' 'Mabel, what do you mean? Did you pick my flowers? Answer me, yes or no.' 'Yes, papa, I did, but I thought I would change the subject.'"

Time Needed For a Leg's Toilet.

Insurance collectors, visiting many families daily, have odd remarks sometimes. A collector called the other night upon a railway watchman. A little girl came to the door and said, "I guess you can't see father because he's got his leg off." The collector looked sympathetic and said in a shocked voice: "My, oh, my! How did that happen?" The girl made answer: "Oh, he takes it off every night before he goes to bed. He's got a wooden leg." Her father didn't care, she added, to go to the trouble of putting the leg on again until next morning, as it required 15 minutes to adjust the straps.

Just as He Thought.

"If I were to ask you to marry me, what would you say?"

"Why, Mr. Brown," she faltered; "really this is so sudden."

"I thought so," he answered; "that's about what they all say. Much obliged." And then he said it was time for him to go.—Exchange.

An Ancient Automobile.

The archives of Antwerp show that in 1479 the communal treasurer was authorized by the magistrates of the town to pay a bonus of 24 livres d'Artois to a man named Gille de Dem as a reward for his gift to the city of a "carriage set in motion by mechanical means only."

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Bread delivered to any part of the city.

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DENTIST

Cor. 6th and King Streets

Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

James Clancy, M. P., is in the city today.

J. H. Elliott, of Windsor, was in the city today.

John Gibb, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

Joe Clark, of Vancouver, B. C., was in the city today.

J. E. Thomas, and son, Frank, are attending the Pan-American Exposition.

A second-hand safe is wanted by an advertiser. Apply at The Planet office.

Miss Benn, of Wallaceburg, has entered St. Joseph's Hospital for surgical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cochrane returned last evening from a short holiday visit to Port Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. John Croft have returned from a week's visit to the Pan-American Exposition.

Frank M. Bechard has returned from his vacation in Buffalo, Toronto, Boston and other eastern cities.

W. H. Eberle has returned from the Pan-American. While he was there he saw the late President and also the new one.

A special meeting of the Daughters of Rebekah, is called for Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the parlors of the Oddfellows' Temple.

William Henry, son of Henry Fewster, lot 3, Con. 10, Chatham Township, died Sept. 16th, aged six months and two days. The funeral will take place to-day at one o'clock to the Maple Leaf cemetery.

General Manager Woodlark and Chief Engineer Owen McKay of the Lake Erie, are in the city conferring with the City Solicitor and the City Council re the T. H. Taylor Co's and the Borden Twine Co's spurs.

Dog Lost!—A white setter, black on ears and side of neck, sore on one hind leg answers to the name of "Laddie." Any person harboring him will be prosecuted. A reward will be paid for his return to B. K. Harper, Dominion Express, Chatham.

There died, Monday, Sept. 16th, Mrs. Annie Labadie, wife of Anthony Labadie, aged 59 years 4 months and 9 days. The funeral will take place from her late residence to Big Point burying ground on Wednesday, Sept. 18th.

The Sons of England Benefit Society met last evening, with Bro. W. A. Moore in the chair. One candidate was initiated. The lodge passed a resolution of sympathy with the people of the United States in the hour of their bereavement. The entertainment meeting night will be vocal. Bro. H. Hornstead has a number of new songs for the occasion.

Your Features

Considered, of course—and your eyes helped. Spectacles or eyeglasses—as you wish. Any sort of rims you like. Please yourself. Not the slightest difference to us—or your eyes either. It's the lenses that do the good. We see that they are accurately adjusted—that they are fitted scientifically exact. And the cost will not be a cent more than it has to be. We promise you the most skillful treatment for the lowest price for which it can be done.

Examination Costs Nothing.

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BLOWN DOWN

Heavy Winds Worked Serious Loss in Western Orchards.

Thousands of dollars' worth of apples were blown from the trees in orchards throughout the western section of Ontario by the gales which blew Sunday and yesterday. The loss will be felt severely by farmers, who all had a short crop as it was. Apples were selling in the orchards at as much as \$2 per barrel.

The trees were not entirely stripped in every instance but probably none escaped altogether. Fall apples suffered more than did the winter varieties, of course. The result will be to flood the evaporators with work. Apples are much too scarce to be allowed to remain where they fall until picked up by the live stock, and the evaporators have taken the place almost entirely of the old system of drying the fruit in the kitchens of the farm-houses.

DOG INJURED

Deputy Humane Officer McGregor investigated a Canine's Case Yesterday.

The attention of Humane Officer McGregor was called to the case of a little Scotch terrier dog which was run over by a vehicle on Barthe street yesterday. It was supposed by the parties giving the information that the dog's leg was broken. It was left lying on the road during the whole of yesterday forenoon and was evidently in great pain; no one claiming it.

On enquiry and investigation, Mr. McGregor learned that, since the dog had been taken in charge by Mrs. Robert, who was giving it the best care and attention possible. Upon examining it, he found that the dog's leg was not broken, and if attended to, it would soon recover from its injuries.

The animal in question is a very valuable Scotch terrier and evidently someone's pet. It is supposed to have been lost, and after wandering around through the streets, was run down by a buggy. The owner has not yet claimed it, but will doubtless do so when he is informed of the whereabouts of his pet dog.

BOMBS EXPLODED

Accident on Government Steamer at Quebec—Three Cabinet Ministers Hurt.

Quebec, Sept. 16.—A serious accident occurred on board the Public Works Department's steamer Frontenac to-night, in which Hon. J. Israel Tarte, half the members of the Federal Cabinet had their lives endangered, while three ministers of the Crown and three ladies were injured. Mr. Tarte brought a party of friends down from Montreal on the Frontenac, and to-night, on the occasion of the illumination of the harbor, invited a number of the ministers and their friends to come aboard. The party included Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Greenhalgh, K. C., of Montreal; Mr. Clergue, and Miss Clergue, Sault Ste. Marie; Hon. F. W. and Mrs. Borden, Hon. James Sutherland, Hon. A. G. Blair, and Miss Blair, Hon. Clifford and Mrs. Sifton, Hon. W. S. and Miss Fielding, Senator Mackay, Senator Scott and Miss Scott, Mrs. Turcotte, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Clement, Ottawa, and others.

Twelve bombs for throwing showers of rockets were piled on the bridge, and some unknown means one was ignited and exploded, prematurely setting fire to the others.

Some of the ladies were wearing light summer skirts, and they were ignited, but fortunately, with the exception of Mrs. Greenhalgh, whose legs were painfully burned all escaped lightly.

A number of them rushed for safety to the wheel-house, which almost immediately caught fire. The men of the party hurried to pull them out of their predicament, and one of the rescuers, Hon. James Sutherland, had his hands badly burned.

Mr. Tarte himself, who was operating a searchlight, was thrown by the force of the explosion, and had his face badly bruised and cut and his right hand burned. Mrs. Turcotte suffered slight burns on the arms. Mrs. Borden's dress was uninjured. Miss Fielding's hair was burned.

Admiral Bedford sent a launch from the flagship to lend assistance, and the Eureka, another government vessel, also came to the rescue.

Hon. Dr. Borden had the misfortune to sprain his ankle in stepping from one vessel to the other.

The fire was quickly extinguished.

TELEGRAPH

Mr. Justice Gill, of the Superior Court, Montreal, is dead.

The Toronto railway dividend has been increased to 5 per cent.

John Magwood, of Lindsay, died suddenly, after an operation for appendicitis.

A little daughter of Samuel Conkey, of Clyde, fell into a pail and was drowned.

Postmaster Hannell, of Milton, committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver.

William Lewis, C. P. R. foreman at Montreal, fell off his balcony and broke his neck.

A by-law to grant the Berlin, Preston and Electric Railway \$20,000 for the completion of their road was defeated at Berlin by a majority of fourteen.



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THE DUKE OF CORNWALL

George Frederick Ernest Albert, Duke of Cornwall and York

Born at Marlborough House, London, June 3, 1865.

Educated at home.

Joined the training ship Britannia as naval cadet, October, 1877.

Made a tour of the world as midshipman, on H. M. S. Bacchante, 1880.

Confirmed by the Archbishop of Canterbury, 1882.

Appointed midshipman on H. M. S. Canada, 1883.

Paid his first visit to Canada 1883.

Passed as sub-lieutenant, obtaining a first-class for seamanship, 1884.

Promoted lieutenant 1885.

Served under Duke of Edinburgh in the Mediterranean Squadron, 1885-6-7.

Made commander of H. M. S. Thruside under Admiral Watson, and again visited Canada, 1890.

Became heir presumptive on the death of the Duke of Clarence, Jan. 14, 1892.

Created Duke of York, Earl of Inverness, and Baron Killarney May 24, 1892.

Married at Chapel Royal, St. James', the Princess Victoria Mary Augusta Louise Olga Pauline Claudine Agnes, only daughter of the late Princess Mary of Cambridge and the Duke of Teck, July 6, 1893.

Given honorary degree of LL.D. by Cambridge University, 1894.

Given honorary degree of D.C.L. by Oxford University, 1897.

Made commander of H. M. S. Crescent, June 8, 1898.

Promoted Rear-Admiral and Colonel-in-Chief of the Royal Marine forces, January 1, 1901.

Became ipso facto Duke of Cornwall on the death of Queen Victoria, January 22, 1901.

Also inherited the titles of Prince and High Steward of Scotland, Duke of Rothesay, Earl of Carrick, Baron of Renfrew, and Lord of the Isles, January 22, 1901.

Sailed from Portsmouth on the his tour of the Empire, March 16, 1901.

He is a Knight of the Garter, of the Thistle, and of St. Patrick. Of the highest European orders of chivalry he possesses the Black Eagle of Prussia, St. Andrew of Russia (the Elephant of Denmark, the Golden Fleece of Spain, and the Annunziata of Italy).

He is honorary colonel of the 1st (Duke of York's) Bengal Lancers; 3rd Battalion Prince of Wales' (West Yorkshire) Militia; Suffolk Yeomanry; 3rd Middlesex Volunteer Artillery; Princess Beatrice's Isle of Wight Volunteers (in which last post he succeeded her husband, Prince Henry of Battenberg); Lieut.-Colonel Queen of Great Britain and Ireland's Dragoon Guards in the German Army.

His children are: Edward Albert Christian George Andrew Patrick David, born at White Lodge, Richmond Park Midsommer Eve, June 23, 1894. (His birth marked the first occasion in English history where three direct heirs to the throne were alive at the same time.) Albert Frederick Arthur George, born December 14, 1894, Victoria Alexandra Alice Mary, born April 25, 1897, Henry William Frederick Albert, born March 31, 1899.

A POSTMASTER SUICIDES.

Milton, Sept. 16.—Postmaster St. Hannel committed suicide this morning about 10.45 in the back room at the post office by shooting himself through the head with a revolver. Death was instantaneous. He was about 45 years of age, had been in the best of health and spirits, and attended to his duties this morning, as usual. As far as can be learned, his finances are in good shape, and the cause of his taking his life cannot be ascertained. A wife and six children, the eldest 11 years of age, survive him.

A New York blacksmith has been arrested for declaring that he belonged to a society that would give \$50,000 to any man who would kill President Roosevelt.

Interesting Staple Items

You'll Always Find a Well Assorted Stock of Staples Here

New satin striped tickings, for ladies' undershirts, in dark and light grounds, with fancy colored stripes, at per yd. . . . 17c and 18c
10 pcs. plain cream shaker flannel, 28 in. wide, extra heavy nap, sold regularly at 6c., for per yd. . . . 5c
New mercerized satanas, in plain black, full 32 inches wide, superior bright finish, at per yd. . . . 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c
GRAY FLANNELS, 3 specials, 27 in. heavy gray flannels, for winter wear, in plain or twill, light and dark shades, heavy union flannel at 12 1/2c per yd. We give you a pure wool cloth, in plain or twill, these are special values, per yd. . . . 20c and 25c
New heavy cream damask table linen, choice patterns, extra fine finish, full 56 inches wide, value at per yd. . . . 25c and 30c
23 in. plain all linen glass toweling, heavy quality, with wide fancy red border, at per yd. . . . 10c
39 in. heavy all pure linen butcher cloth, for kitchen aprons, butcher's aprons and grocer's at per yd. . . . 20c
1 bale, representing about 1200 yds., full 36 in. household favorite sheeting, extra fine even weave, soft finish, free from black specks, at per yd. . . . 6 1/2c
New pink and light fancy flannelette, in stripes and small designs, suitable for babies dresses, washing colors, at per yd. . . . 10c
39 in. printed factory cotton for working aprons, in garnet, blue and brown grounds, with small patterns, at per yd. . . . 12 1/2c
New fall patterns, in black, hide and magnet twill shirts, consisting of stripes, dots and small figures, usual price per yd. . . . 15c
New straw and feather ticking, just in, in single and double stripes, plain and herringbone twills. Straw ticking, at per yd. . . . 12 1/2c and 15c
Feather tickings, at per yd. . . . 20c and 25c

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First Fall Announcement from Headquarters of Men's Ready-to-Wear Suits



Our superb garments for fall stand out boldly and alone, unrivalled and without a peer in Chatham. They are as shapely as the finest custom made, and represent the newest ideas of fashion's dictates in style and fabric. They are all handsomely tailored in full accordance with the highest authorities on correct dress and force themselves into favor by their moderate cost. They are so skillfully cut that anyone can be fitted, be he wide or narrow, tall or short, no matter what your size or taste may be we have garments here for you.

New Fall Suits and Top Coats

SUITS—Very attractive patterns, in nobby patterns, tweeds, worsteds and novelty goods. The colorings are especially handsome and every little detail of making, lining and trimming is right. Four button, single breasted sack and three button double breasted sack coats are the prevailing styles.

THE TOP COATS come of imported fabrics, all the new fall shades, and also tailored in a custom manner throughout. Fall box back, medium and long lengths, style and fit absolutely correct. The price doesn't begin to represent the values on either suit or top coat.

Faultless Fashion For 1901-2

Expert clothing buying alone enables us to give you these magnificent suits at this price. They are to be had in all fabrics, colorings and styles. They have more choice and get-up than the high price tailor ever combined in a garment. The double breasted sack and the conventional round corner sack are both shown in endless variety.

THE TOP COATS are all cut in accord with fashions, latest whims, 34 inches long, medium and extra lengths. The fabrics and the styles are the latest products of expert tailors.

Men's Superb Fall Suits and Top Coats

The careful tailoring and painstaking finish gives these garments an elegance which fails to be imitated. They are made to wear well, please the eye and satisfy the careful dresser. No merchant tailor can show nobbler suitings or overcoatings than those embodied in this line. Besides the conventional sack suit is the three button double breasted, cut with broad shoulders, full box back. They are very smart and snappy. The top coats are cut in all lengths and possess style and character calculated to satisfy the most fastidious men.

\$12.00

Men's Pure Botany Blue Serge Suits

Made from the celebrated Botany Serge, fine wall, good weight, in single and double breasted coats and single and double breasted vests, handsomely finished, wide facings and piped edges, equal to any custom tailor's work at from \$6 to \$8 more, all sizes 34 to 44, our special at

\$10.00

Men's Heavy All-wool Tweed Suit Special

Made from honest all-wool Tweeds in nice dark patterns, gray shadings, single and double breasted coats, serviceable linings, full range sizes, good wearers, very special value at

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Ground Mixed Spice, 10c 1/2 pound.
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AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Andrew Thomson, Auctioneer, has received instructions from George A. Witherspoon, Esq., to sell all of the household effects of his mother, Mrs. David Smith, Park street, third house from William street, on Thursday, September 19th, 1901, at 1 o'clock, sharp, consisting of the following:—
1 piano and drape, cost \$700, 7 odd upholstered chairs, Chenille curtains, whatnot, 2 easels, body Brussels carpet, pictures, 1 marble top table, 1 parlor lamp, 3 pair lace curtains, 1 dining room table, 1 set dining room chairs, leather seat, book case, 1 side table, sofa, 1 carpet, crumblot, mantle ornaments, 6 cane chairs, cane rocker, mantle ornaments, pictures, steel engravings, hall rack, 3 hall chairs, 1 desk, 1 coal stove, Art Garland, carpet, 1 single iron bed, mattress and spring, 1 white dresser, 1 white commode, pictures, 1 toilet set, 2 side tables, 2 hall tables, 4 rattan rockers, 6 cane chairs, 1 camp chair, 1 upholstered chair, carpet, 1 student's chair, fire screen, couch, 3 pair Chenille curtains, several pairs of lace curtains, Chenille table cloth, crumblot, camp chair, easel, hat rack, 1 Radiant Home coal stove, Famous Active range with hot air closet, cooking utensils, dishes and glassware, 1 single bed, mattress and spring, 1 lounge, 1 commode, 1 feather bed, pillows and bedding, 1 refrigerator, 1 flower stand, 1 kitchen stove, 1 clothes horse, 1 round coal stove, hanging lamp, kitchen table, and other articles too numerous to mention.
All will be sold, as Mrs. Smith has rented the house and given up housekeeping.
Remember the day and date, Thursday, September 19th, at 1 o'clock, sharp.

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A. THOMSON, JR., Auctioneer.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, Sept. 17.—10 a. m.—Fresh to strong westerly and northwesterly winds, cloudy or partly cloudy and cooler, with light scattered showers. Wednesday, northwesterly winds, fair and cool.

Local Budget

Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. If M. J. Doyle will spend next week at the Pan-American.

A. E. Green, of the Post Office staff, is in Merlon to-day.

Two good boys wanted. Apply M. Campbell Fanning Mill Co.

Robert Mercer and Herbert Rankin spent yesterday in Wallaceburg.

"Doc" Russell and "Chum" Aitkens spent yesterday in Wallaceburg.

Samuel Trotter, Head street, is confined to his home through illness.

Alex. Perry, of Pontiac, spent Sunday with relatives on Dover street.

R. H. Crump reports a pleasant time at the Pan-American last week.

Joseph Macklem gathered about a peck of mushrooms yesterday morning.

Mrs. John T. Holmes, of Tupperville, visited relatives in the city on Saturday.

Lodge rooms over the Standard Bank of Canada, with all modern conveniences, are for rent.

John Gemmill returned yesterday from a trip to the Pan-American, and resumed his position here.

Mrs. Jacob Colby who has been very dangerously ill for some time, is improving.

The schooner White Oak is expected in daily with lumber for Blonde Bros. & Co.

Ernest Kelly, lately employed at Gray's, left yesterday afternoon for Cincinnati.

Thomas Muir, of the firm of T. Muir & Sons, electrical contractors, of Detroit, is in the city to-day.

Nathan Barnes, an employee of Blonde Bros. & Co., who has been ill for the past ten days, is improving.

Mrs. J. Hamilton returned yesterday from Toronto, where she had been attending the funeral of her brother.

A few smart girls wanted at once to peel apples. Apply at Mahler Bros' Evaporating Factory, Park Ave. W.

Frank Dryden, head representative of the Westinghouse Electric Co. of Buffalo, in Ontario, was in the city to-day on business.

An extension was made in the time for the tenders for the Mineral Bath House until 8 o'clock to-night.

The trials of speed at the Fair on October 8, 9 and 10 are going to be the best ever seen in Kent. Entries show the best horses ever trotted here.

Any one contemplating papering any of their walls this fall should buy their wallpaper at Sulman's Bee-Hive. Among their fine assortment can be seen the leading shades and designs of both Canadian and American factories.

Good stock exhibits, good poultry exhibits, good exhibits in all the out-buildings, and an attractive main building are what the directors promise for the West Kent Fair on Oct. 8, 9, 10.

For Sale or To Rent, that comfortable dwelling Amelia and Baldon streets, at present occupied by Wm. Cruikshank. Possession given Oct. 1st. Apply on premises or to Scans & Co.

Christina, the little daughter of Chief Pritchard, who has been seriously ill in St. Joseph's hospital with typhoid fever, was able to sit up yesterday. She will be able to leave the hospital this week.

Commencing Sept. 16th and until Sept. 30th, train service between Chatham and Rondeau, as follows: Leaving Chatham 10.15 a. m., arriving Rondeau 11.30 a. m. Leave Rondeau 4.30 p. m., arrive Chatham 5.50 p. m.

Mrs. J. B. Sheldon, of Blenheim, has returned home after spending a short visit with her son, W. D. Sheldon, of this city. Mrs. Sheldon is over 80 years of age, but makes a point of paying a visit to Chatham once a year.

Stephen Finn, of Raleigh, was arraigned before Magistrate Houston in the Police Court on Saturday on a charge of being insane. He is now in the jail, and will be brought up again on the 18th. In the meantime he will be examined by a physician.

Mr. W. E. Rispin, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways, is selling regular six-day Pan-American Buffalo return tickets at \$6.50, good for six days, and fifteen-day tickets \$7.50. He is also advertising special harvest excursions to the Northwest, and passengers desirous of information would consult their interest by calling at his office or addressing him by letter.

DR. A. W. THORNTON DENTIST

D. D. S. Toronto University.
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Residence 256.

Herbert Terry, Baldon St., entertained a few of his friends last evening.

William Wilson left yesterday for a few days' visit with friends in Montreal.

Roy Miller and Fraser Shambles returned this morning from the Pan-American.

L. Heath returned this morning from the Pan-American. He reports an excellent time.

O. E. Hulin, who was taken seriously ill Saturday, was very much improved this morning.

When you ask for a five cent cigar you want the best. Try our "King Buffalo" and you will just another.

Mrs. J. H. Bogart and Miss Minnie Smith returned last evening from a week's visit with friends in Windsor.

Watchman Coyle, of the fire department, is again on duty. Mr. Ryall left yesterday for Leamington, on a two week's vacation.

Miss Alma Henderson, of Wardsville, was in the city on Saturday en route home, after spending a month's visit in Port Lambton.

Last year we had a good attendance. This year, the Fair will be better, and consequently the attendance should be better.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. J. Ross, Emma street, left yesterday on a two week's visit to her sister and father in Toronto. She will be gone for two weeks.

Twelve hundred dollars hung on wire is a good inducement for good horses to enter for the trials of speed at the Fair on October 8, 9, 10.

Western City Lodge, No. 93, I. O. O. F. held a good meeting last evening, when three candidates were initiated and the newly elected officers installed.

All the members of the 24th Regimental Band are requested to meet in the band room to-night, as very important business is to be transacted.

Judge Bell, County Treasurer Shambles, William Douglas, K. C., and Warden C. L. VonGuten yesterday arranged the jury to act with the fall assizes.

The directors of the West Kent Fair go out on Wednesday to inspect the buildings on the grounds and see that everything is in good shape for Oct. 8, 9, 10.

J. H. Cockburn, Walkerville, solicitor for the L. E. & D. R. R., is in the city to-day attending the examination of the plaintiff in the case of Brewer vs. L. E. & D. R. R.

C. McLeod, of Toronto, a former partner in the Harvester Works here, since when he has been in Australia, and is now employed by the Massey-Harris Co., is visiting old friends in the city.

C. M. Brandt, having handed in his resignation to the S. Hadley Lumber Co., to take effect the 30th of this month, will move to Blenheim, where he is starting a business.

He is in Blenheim to-day looking after it.

At the meeting held last evening of the committee to look into the matter of the Emma St. sidewalk, a deputation was appointed to talk the matter over with the Engineer, and send in a report at the next meeting of the Council.

The Executive committee of the Victoria Ave. League held a meeting last night, and prepared an excellent program for the temperance meeting to be held next Friday evening.

Peter Browning, of Chatham Township, was at the Police Court this morning charged with creating a disturbance at Mrs. Miller's eating house on the market. He was fined \$2 and costs, \$4.75 in all.

The lineup for the baseball game on Rondeau, at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon will be: Chatham—Bowers, Arnold, Kinney, Cartier, Sowerby, Cook, Brady, Hewson and Mount; Wallaceburg—Ellis, Appleford, Bourassa, Kelly, Clapay, Anderson, Goulton, Ellison and Hennegan.

The Peninsular Fair is booming and the merchants are responding liberally in taking up space in the buildings.

W. E. Rispin is advertising usual rates for Annual Western Excursion on Sept. 26th, 27th and 28th, to Detroit, Saginaw, Bay City, Chicago and other points, tickets good to return until Oct. 14th. Intending westbound passengers would do well to call on him.

The music of the choir of the Victoria Avenue Methodist church Sunday evening was of a memorial nature, owing to the death of the late President McKinley. The choir gave an anthem, "Thy Last Sleep," by Barnby; Miss Baxter rendered a solo "One Sweetly Solenn Thought," by Emerson; and Miss Brackie gave an instrumental rendition of "Nearer, My God to Thee."

At Park street Methodist Epworth League last evening Walter Hilman occupied the chair. Rev. D. D. D. Idle gave the opening prayer. Miss Sprentall read a paper on the topic, Clarence Terry rendered the beautiful solo "Children's Home," in an excellent manner. L. E. Brock gave a very interesting address on the Pan-American exposition, which was much enjoyed by all present.

Last—Two setter bitches, Sunday 15, one with white body, dimly ticked black, black and tan marking on ears, answering to the name of Judy. The other, black, white and tan, heavily marked black on body, head and ears, black-tan on side of face, answering to the name of Belle. Return to Victoria avenue for reward. Any person found detaining them will be prosecuted. T. C. Stegman.

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An extra fine Ladies' Coat, applique trimmed beautifully stitched, at \$15.00

DRESS GOODS—navy blue and black chevot, all-wool, 60 in. wide, extra value at per yard \$1.00

Light, dark, medium gray, fawn and black, all wool frieze, at per yard \$1.00

Black Worsted Serges, all-wool, 60 in. wide, at per yard 75c

Homespun, fawns and grays, 58 inches wide, heavy suitings, at per yard 48c

Heavy Cheviots, 44 in. wide, cardinal, fawn, gray, black and brown, at per yard 25c

FURS—A full line of Collarettes and Capelines, about three hundred to select from, at \$3.00 up

Boas, all lengths, all sizes, all prices, you should not fail to see our special in Sable Boas, from \$5.00 to \$25.00

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THE INQUEST

Enquiry Will be Made Into the Death of Julius Bourdeau on the Railroad.

The inquest into the cause of the death of the late Julius Bourdeau, who was killed on the C. P. R. track near Tilbury yesterday by No. 6 express, has been adjourned to meet on Thursday next at 7.30 p. m. in the old Town Hall.

Many theories are advanced as to the cause of death. It is claimed that Bourdeau has been suffering from insanity for some time, and that he committed suicide by standing on the track and waiting for the train to strike him. He, however, has been confined in the asylum at London, and was let out, as he was apparently perfectly well as far as his mind was concerned, so that some are caused to doubt the theory of suicide.

It is claimed that deceased was very deaf and that he stepped on the track and did not hear the approach of the train which caused his death.

Deceased was taken to Tilbury last night and will be buried to-morrow morning at Tilbury.

\$100 REWARD. \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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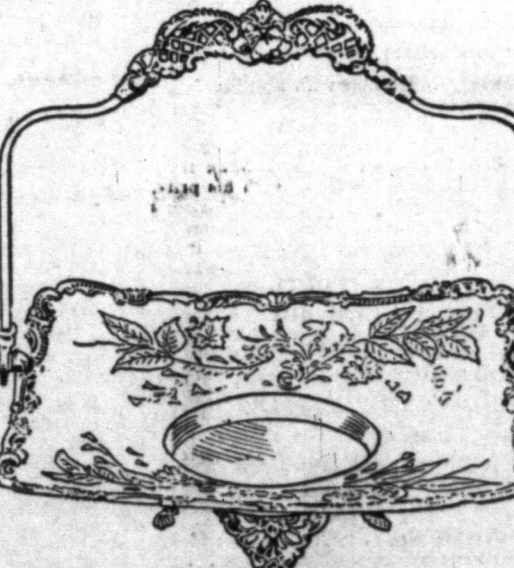
Annual Western Excursion Tickets issued on Sept. 26th, 27th and 28th. Chatham to Detroit \$1.25, Saginaw \$3.65, Bay City \$3.75, Cleveland \$3.75, Grand Rapids \$5.00, Columbus, Ohio, \$6.50, Chicago \$8.70, Cincinnati \$8.80, \$9.00.

Tickets good going on above dates and returning until Monday, Oct. 14th. For rates and further particulars call on or write to W. E. Rispin, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, 115 King Street.

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Wedding Presents

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The tax rolls for 1901 have been placed in the hands of undersigned, who will be ready to receive the taxes from all who are ready to pay. The unpaid taxes of 1900 will be collected by distress with costs from this date, and all delinquents will govern themselves accordingly.

WILLIAM RANNIE,
Tax Collector.

RICH AND POOR ALIKE use Pain-Killer. Taken internally for cramps, colics and diarrhoea. Applied externally cures sprains, swollen muscles, etc. A few substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c. and 50c.

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Frame house, two stories, 12 rooms, Lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000.00.

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Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 ft. \$800.00.

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Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet.

House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208 feet, \$1,000.

Farm in Howard, 32 1-2 acres, house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.

Farm in Chatham Township, 110 acres. All cleared. Good house, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. Will trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part payment.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 50 acres. All cleared. Good house and barn, \$3,750.

Farm in Township of Chatham, 98 acres. All cleared. New frame house. Large barn, stable, granary and drive house and other buildings, \$7,500.

Farm in Township of Chatham, 50 acres. All cleared. Good house, and barn, \$2,500.

Valuable suburban residence, 11 rooms, with 11 acres of land. Good stable, \$3,500.

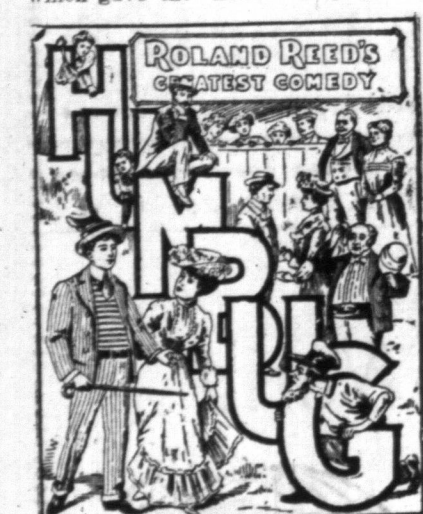
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A BIG SUCCESS.

The title of the coming comedy suggests a satire, and such it is, with more laughs to the square inch than were squeezed into "Charlie's Aunt." The author, Mr. Fred Marsden, has taken for his theme a young Jersey man who does not think the name given him by his parents, quite in keeping with his ambitions, so he christens himself, Jack Luster, a name which he has heard is the shining cognomen of one of the first families of Virginia. Armed with this trade mark of aristocratic lineage, and his ability to tell "white lies," he weds a dashing widow with much success. But, strange to say, the widow is also sailing under false colors. The comedy keeps up its respective claims to aristocratic descent, and herein complications take place which give the audience no end of fun. At least they have to come down to earth, and every body is happy, especially those who succeed in getting good seats for the performance. The comedy favors the French school, but is perfectly whole some and will especially delight the ladies.

Roland Reed's successful comedy, "Humbug," will be presented in this city to-morrow night by Mr. Walter Hodges and his associate players. The play is one of those side-splitting comedies of which "Featherbrain" probably is the first seen in this country, and which gave the American public a



ROLAND REED'S GREATEST COMEDY. "HUMBUG" BY WALTER HODGES AND ASSOCIATES.

THE DISTRICT

RODNEY.

Miss Carrie Lubner and Mrs. J. D. Patterson are attending the Pan-American, Buffalo.

N. S. Lusty and Sons have the contract for erecting a dwelling for P. McGregor.

S. B. Morris is repairing his grain warehouse.

F. G. McDiarmid, M. L. A., was in Toronto this week.

M. S. Barnes, grain dealer, has a new gasoline engine and elevator placed in his new warehouse.

Concrete foundation is being built for the foundation of the Heatherington elevator, and will be completed in a week.

Arch. McColl, census commissioner, was in town this week on business.

A. D. McGuigan has purchased a new machine for cutting ensilage.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McElchie and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Leibner have returned from Buffalo.

Wm. Morris attended the Western Fair at London last week.

Miss Annie McKay has returned from Ridgeway, where she was visiting friends for the past two weeks.

Wm. Wilson, who was formerly in hotel business here, but now of Kingsville, called on friends in town a few days ago.

Miss Lizzie Carpenter, of London, is visiting Miss Clara Brown for a few days.

D. J. Buchan shipped two cars of live hogs to Toronto on Monday.

Wm. Caver and O. Leitch, hog buyers, of Muskirk, shipped a car of hogs last week.

L. Patterson, postmaster at Cluchon, died last week after a prolonged illness from blood poisoning.

Chas. Martin, hardware merchant, was in London doing the Fair.

Wm. McKay and wife, of Youngstown, Ohio, is visiting at the residence of A. D. McGuigan and will visit his old home at McKay's Corners on his return.

EIGHTH CON. RALEIGH.

The recent rains are not altogether welcomed by the many farmers, who are harvesting their bean crops.

We are sure that Mr. Fraser will defeat any opponent by a large majority, for not only are the Conservatives here strong for him, but many old liberals talk of leaving their party to support a man who will, and can defend their interests at Toronto. Besides, all know they should vote against the Ross Government.

Mrs. Harwood is visiting relatives in Sarnia.

Miss Arnold, of Louisville, spent Sunday the guest of Miss Hattie Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Munnery visited the Western Fair, London, last week.

The League next Wednesday will be led by Rev. Mr. Thompson and his subject will be "Complete in Christ."

Neil Maynard, of Harwich, visited his sister, Mrs. Jas. Laurie, last Sunday.

Hill Aldie spent Tuesday evening

Pleasant Work

For The Long Autumn Ev. nings

Now that the long evenings have come, shortening the hours of outdoor labor, (more especially in the country) our young girls and women, will apply themselves to a great variety of work for the beautifying of the home.

The work of making new creations of old and faded garments and materials by the magic powers of Diamond Dye, and the making of stylish artistic mats and rugs for the various home rooms, will claim a large portion of time.

Now that the pretty and low priced Diamond Dye Mat and Rug patterns can be so easily procured, mat and rug making will prove one of the most popular of home occupations.

In dyeing material for the making of rugs; when you desire to restore a faded dress, skirt, jacket or suit of clothes to fresh beauty and usefulness, it is of the greatest importance that the fast Diamond Dye be used. Poor dyes bring failure and disappointment. If your merchant does not handle the Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns, we will send free to any address sheets of the newest designs. The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, Montreal.

With friends on the 9th.

D. Jordan and Oscar Noack went to Ridgeway last Friday to get Barney's outfit for making concrete basements. He has the job for the church as well as for Mr. Jordan's barn.

Mrs. Edwards, who has been quite seriously ill, is convalescent.

The Misses Hea, of Illinois, who have been visiting relatives here, left last Thursday for Chicago, where they will stop on their way home.

Bees for hauling gravel to the church were held Tuesday and Friday. On Tuesday all returned home with empty wagons, as they could not get any since the water was high.

Mrs. Morrison and Miss Aldis returned home last Monday from visiting in Toronto. They also spent a few days at the Pan-American, where they had a good time.

The officials of Wesley church held a meeting last week to make arrangements about the laying of the corner stones of the new building.

Messrs. Jas. Rhodes, sr., Jas. Rhodes, jr., and Chas. Kide, have returned from Buffalo, where they enjoyed the sights of the exhibition.

Miss Gertrude Towle attended London Fair last week. She reports an excellent time.

To put the break on the wagon going down the hill is a help to the horse, when the wagon is heavily loaded. But what driver would think of applying the brake to a loaded wagon going up hill? If he did, his sensible horse would probably balk. Many a man is in the condition of pulling a load up hill with the brake set against him. When his stomach is out of order, and the allied organs of digestion and nutrition impaired in their functions, a friction is set up which has to be overcome in addition to the performance of daily duties. A foul stomach makes a foggy brain, and the man with a disordered stomach has often to grope his way through the day's business like a man in a fog. He forgets appointments. Problems seem presented to his mind "wrong end to." This condition is entirely remedied by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It puts the stomach and digestive and nutritive system into a condition of perfect health, and gives a clear brain, a steady hand and a light step for the day's duties. When constipation clogs the channels of the body, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will work an effectual cure of that distressing disease.

DAPPER'S HEAD WORK.

Tapper—So you don't altogether like the new pastor's sermons, eh?

Dapper—No, they are too profound. They necessitate too much head work.

Tapper—Quite true. I noticed you were nodding through his entire discourse yesterday.

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That depressing "used-up" feeling and pallid face can be quickly exchanged for happiness and rosy cheeks by a course of "Climax" Iron Tonic Pills. They build up the constitution, make new, rich blood, strengthen the nerves and improve digestion. Each box contains ten days' treatment. Price 25 cents, at all druggists, or mailed on receipt of price. Address: The Dr. Hall Medicine Co., Kingston, Ont.

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"Did you ever see a cow puncher kill a rattlesnake with a knife?" said a Colorado citizen now in town. "When I first went west, I punched cattle on the Sunset ranch, one of the largest in southern Colorado. I was a tenderfoot, fresh from the east, but no swell head about me. That saved me a lot of trouble. The boys were dead willing to put me next, even to a 14-year-old broncho never halter broken. Among other things, I learned how to kill a rattler with a bowie knife. I killed one with a knife to make my standing good, but after that a gun or a pitchfork was good enough for me."

"I have seen a plainsman ride up to a small rattler, jump off his horse, kick at the waving head, avoid the strike and as the reptile came down place a heel upon its neck, coolly take a knife from his belt and dispatch it. I have also seen a live rattler thrown up on a haystack machine, and I have seen the men working on that stack jump, roll, tumble and slide to get away. They could not see the rattler; that was all. In the open they would have played with it."

"A rattlesnake is harmless out of coil. For that reason it wastes no time in getting back into coil after the spring. It will not strike unless it is perfectly sure it can reach its object. Therefore the cowboy must get into coil, reach the snake's spring. It can reach half its own length, and sometimes more. Of course the larger the snake the more coils, and the more coils the more vicious the strike."

"Dick Haynes was a young dave who would go out of his way to play with a rattler. I have seen him kill at least a dozen with a knife, and I saw him when he got saw, enormous in size, and a bulldog's jaw. Dick stopped just long enough to size up its length so as to get an idea of its spring, and then went in on it."

"The strike came like a flash of lightning. The snake struck the ground with a sound like the cracking of a whip. Dick was beside itself with rage. It lay, coil upon coil of smooth, glistening length, showing the long reach and powerful spring in reserve. Out of the coils two feet more of body and neck rose straight in the air, and above all that black, forked tongue, with glowing eyes and to and fro, waved, slightly, warily, and to and fro."

"Dick stepped in again, more cautiously. He reached the knife nearer and yet nearer to that swaying head. I knew he was getting too close, but I feared to speak to him. Then came the strike, with that marvelous dash of speed. Dick's knife flashed and the snake lay squirming, a headless thing, upon the ground."

"Let's get to camp," said Dick. "I got me in the thumb."

"We jumped for the saddles and started on a mad run for home. Dick rode with his thumb on the saddle horn and his knife in his other hand."

"If she begins to swell, off she comes," said a.

"We reached the ranch, and while Dick poured down whisky we examined the thumb. We could find nothing, not the slightest wound. The snake had struck the handle of his knife, and the strength and suddenness of the impact made Dick lose his nerve. It was a good thing for him. He never went after a rattler again without a long '44."

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"I see a Wisconsin man claims to have solved the perpetual motion problem."

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"Does it work successfully?"

"From the standpoint of perpetual motion, you bet it does."

"Have you given it a name?"

"Sure."

"What do you call it?"

"Jimmie," and it was 5 years old its last birthday.

Concession to Superstition.

"Thirteen dollars and a half seems a high price for such a comparatively short trip," said the man with the traveling bag in his hand.

"We thought people would rather pay that than \$13," replied the agent of the steamer line with an explanatory and apologetic cough.

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Saturday, Sept. 21

Read McConnell's specials to-day. It will pay you.

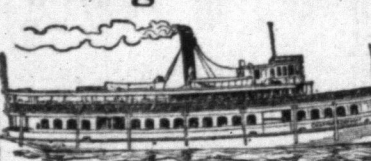
For cash we sell to-day:
5 lbs. Raisins, 25 cents.
7 Bars 5 cent soap for 25 cents.
1 gallon can of Apples, 20 cents.
1 lb. can Daisy Baking Powder 10c.
Ginger Snaps, 6 cts. per lb.
Bottled Pickles, 9 cts. each.
10 ct. packages matches 7 cts. each.
Our 25 cent Japan Tea is great value.

Our crockery stock is too large for the store. We must dispose of some of it to make room. The greatest bargain we ever offered will be made on the 7th. Come early and secure The profit is yours for that day. Dinner, Tea and Chamber sets marked down low.

Cups and saucers, china and opal ware will be sold at a great discount.

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from Chatham to Detroit, leaving Rankin dock at 7:30 a. m., returning leaves foot of Randolph St., at 3:30 p. m., Detroit time, or 4 p. m., Chatham time, arriving in Detroit about 8:30 p. m.

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One Way Trips

Leaves Chatham for Detroit on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock and leaves Detroit for Chatham on Sunday morning at 8:30 Detroit city time or 9 o'clock Chatham time.

Round Trip 60 Single Trip 30

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ACCIDENTAL OMISSIONS

Still More of them Coming to Light in the taking of Chatham's Census.

Edward Coyne and Family Were Left out on the Count Besides Others Before Alluded to.

"I think I am slightly by the government officials," said Ed Coyne this morning to The Planet scribe. "My family and housekeeper who live on Raleigh street were never called on by a census enumerator at all. Now I've got three boys, all of whom I am sure will make a showing in the world. Probably some day one of them might be Premier of Canada or mayor of Chatham or some other highly honorable position, and I think they should be included in the population of our great Dominion."

"Among others that I know of who were not included in the census was Mr. Papp and a family of five. And say, I got a guess on that Detroit Free Press Canadian population contest, and according to the late report of the census department I am about a hundred thousand behind, but if there have been as many missed in other places as there have been in Chatham, I don't think I will be far off."

It is not necessary to point out that The Planet has before given instances of this and the above is only another instance of those "accidental omissions" Commissioner Vaughn admitted had taken place.

Theatrical

A GOOD SHOW.

Manager Brisco of the Grand, has received the following communication: Guelph, Ont., Sept. 12, 1901.

Mr. Opera House, "Humbug," played here last night to fair business, but nothing like it should have. It is a nice, clean show and deserving of good patronage. Everybody in the house was well pleased.

Yours sincerely, O. A. MANNING, Mgr. Guelph Theatre.

HUMBUG COMPANY.

The London Free Press says:—On Saturday evening last Manager Loudon, of the Grand Opera House, telephoned Mr. Cairns, of the New Grand, that the "Humbug" Company, which plays here to-night, was an exceedingly clever organization, and that it could be recommended to the patrons of the local theatre. Mr. Loudon said that those who saw the performance on Saturday evening were much pleased with it. Popular prices—50, 35 and 25 cents—will prevail, and theatre-goers will have their first opportunity of seeing some of the New Grand's scenic equipment.

This company will appear in the Opera House in this city to-morrow night.

Of Humbug, the farce comedy which fills the local bill to-morrow evening, the Hamilton Herald says:

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DISTRICT DOINGS

TILBURY

Sept. 17.—Mrs. Simpson, of Merlin, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Miss Addelman, of Detroit, is the guest of her cousin here, Mrs. W. J. Moffat.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. B. Ballore is seriously ill. Warm, dry, sunny air, are all favorable. Catarrh will not cure itself. The favorable conditions above mentioned enable Catarrh to do its work in one quarter of the time. It always cures, but it cures more quickly now than at any other season of the year. Your druggist or doctor will tell you what a good thing Catarrh-ozone is. 25c. and \$1.

He's Got It Right in the Head

That's where Catarrh always sticks, until it strikes down into the lungs, then it's Consumption. Warm, dry, sunny air, are all favorable. Catarrh will not cure itself. The favorable conditions above mentioned enable Catarrh to do its work in one quarter of the time. It always cures, but it cures more quickly now than at any other season of the year. Your druggist or doctor will tell you what a good thing Catarrh-ozone is. 25c. and \$1.

BLENHEIM

Sept. 17.—Stanley Wilkie is home for a few weeks from Toronto.

T. S. Arnold, of Toronto, is spending a few days in town.

J. W. Baird was last evening chosen captain of the Macabee degree team for the balance of the year.

Blenheim merchants have become somewhat alarmed at the supply of ice becoming short, as much warm weather, is looked for.

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Wear Brain Workers.

Fagged out, ideas come as slowly as molasses. You think of things just a minute or two too late. Snap's gone! The buoyancy that made work a pleasure—that's gone, too. The doctor would tell you that you are run down, not eating enough nor digesting enough. Your stomach needs aid, your digestion needs a brace, too. Your blood requires Phosphorus and Iron that it may be formed readily. Now Ferrozone is a wonderful nerve brace and blood maker. It's food for the blood and nerves, it will make you strong quickly and permanently. Sold by McCall & Co.

DRESDEN

Sept. 17.—A team of horses belonging to Lot Hazard ran away yesterday morning and while turning the corner of Hughes and North streets the wagon overturned and knocked the horses down. The animals were unhurt but the wagon was badly smashed.

The funeral of the late Wm. Shaw, of the Lindsay Road, 8th concession of Chatham Township, took place today and was largely attended. Mr. Shaw was a very highly respected gentleman and his many friends will miss him greatly. He leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss.

W. Coupland, of Chatham, spent yesterday in town.

A sad occurrence took place in North Dresden, yesterday afternoon, when Martin Tennyson, an old resident of the town, committed suicide by hanging himself in his woodshed. The deceased claimed to be a nephew of the late Lord Alfred Tennyson, and has been on a protracted drinking spell lately. The deed is supposed to have been committed while under the influence of liquor. Tennyson was about seventy years of age. The funeral took place to-day.

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The proper feeding and nourishing of the child just after weaning should engage the most serious attention of the mother. The great majority of prepared foods produce irritation of the stomach and bowels because of improper and unscientific manufacture. This irritation of the digestive organs develops into serious complications that often prove fatal. Malt Breakfast Food is the ideal health food for children of all ages. It is free from starchy substances, easily digested and assimilated, is richer in flesh and bone producing elements than other foods, and has a deliciousness that captivates the taste of every child. If you would like to see your child grow strong, try Malt Breakfast Food for one week and note well the grand results. Your grocer can supply you.

Gentlemen.—While driving down a very steep hill last August my horse stumbled and fell, cutting himself fearfully about the head and body. I used MINARD'S LINIMENT freely on him and in a few days he was as well as ever.

J. B. A. BEACHEMIN.

Sherbrooke.

"We were very much pleased with the design you sent. It was beautiful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Telephone No. 181.

Men's New Fall Hats

It is a thoroughly interesting subject to you and to us. A man's Hat has settled his fate more than once, both in business and in social concerns.

Hat styles enough are here to enable every man to choose the most suitable. Experienced salesmen, too, who will not bother you with a lot of styles that you do not want and ought not to wear.

We care more about selling a becoming hat than a costly one. The customer who gets the right article comes back again.

A word about the goods:—

Stiff Hats

At \$1.50 there's a stiff black felt in two shapes—a small and a medium—one with union label and one without. Both have silk bandings and Russia sweat band.

At \$2.50 we show a line of the famous Christy Hats in medium shapes, lined and unlined; also some smart looking American stiff hats in good standing colors.

At 3.00, finest fur felts of high grade American make—union goods all—shapes include a fashionable square crown in two proportions, a cone shaped crown with rolling brim, also in two proportions, and Christy's best quality, in colors that will stand any weather.

Soft Hats

At \$1.00 Christy's London soft hats black and brown, large, medium and small shapes.

At \$2.00 a very neat black fedora of English make, well trimmed.

At \$2.50, a popular shape with wide brim and low crown, in black and tan; also Christy hats, small and large shapes in black and tan.

At \$3.00, Newest American ideas of union make, including a handsome new shade of brown; trimmings of black and kitchener.

Special at 75c.—A line of stitched fedoras in tan and dark gray, fashionable and right for fall wear.

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is the aim of everybody. Some are much quicker in getting up higher than others. No matter whether you are slow or fast in the ascent we can in some measure assist you if you purchase your goods from us. We have just put in a very fine assortment of the best Stoves made in the Dominion, which we have bought for cash, and you know that to get up in the world means success, and success unaccompanied by the necessary wherewithal to make success successful seems a valueless commodity. So aim to succeed by buying good goods at low prices, and if you come to us with this intention, we will certainly help you to succeed.



Geo. Stephens, Quinn & Douglas

FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION.

At an informal meeting held in the office of R. L. Gossell, barrister, Blenheim, on Saturday, Sept. 14th, it was decided to hold a business meeting two weeks from that day, making it Sept. 28th, at the same time and place. In the evening in the Town Hall a meeting will be held for the discussion of the principles involved. W. L. Smith, the well known and widely read editor of the Farmers' Sun, has promised to attend, as will also Jabel Robinson, the popular member for West Elgin.

George Stephens, M. P.; T. L. Pardo, M. P.; and J. S. Fraser, of Wallaceburg, will be invited to speak—each one in his sphere as farmer or agriculturist rather than politician. The program will be announced in full in next week's paper.

C. W. RICHARDSON, Secretary.

Acute and Chronic Rheumatism

are equally influenced by the almost magical pain-subduing power of Polson's Nerviline, equal in medicinal value to five times the quantity of any other rheumatic remedy. Nerviline cures because it reaches the source of the disease and drives it out of the system. Nerviline is an unusually good rheumatic cure, and makes many next time you have an attack. The immediate result will surprise you. 25c.

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Annual Western Excursion Tickets issued on Sept. 26th, 27th and 28th. Chatham to Detroit \$1.25, Saginaw \$3.65, Bay City \$3.75, Cleveland \$3.75, Grand Rapids \$5.60, Columbus, Ohio, \$6.50, Chicago \$8.70, Cincinnati \$8.80. Tickets good going on above dates and returning until Monday, Oct. 14th. For rates and further particulars call on or write to W. E. Rispin, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, 115 King Street.

King Buffalo is a high class cigar, that is sold for five cents at all leading cigar stores and by druggists. Jist

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TINSMITH WANTED—Apply at Westman Bros. 10

GIRL WANTED—Wages, \$2.50 per week. Apply Drawer 8, Chatham. 10td

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. Thos. Drew, Cross street. 10td

SALESMAN WANTED—By C. Austin & Co., Chatham, who can speak French and English, and has experience in staple Dry Goods.

WANTED!—Good trackmen for extra work on Lake Superior Division of Canadian Pacific Railway. Wages \$1.50 per day; board \$3 per week.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

LODGE ROOMS FOR RENT—Heated and all conveniences. Apply at STANDARD BANK OF CANADA.

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., and six lots on Maple St. Apply to Mrs. Tinsman, Victoria avenue, or The Planet.

HOUSE AND LOT TO RENT—Between Park avenue west, and Edgar street. There is a small barn on the place. Apply or address.

MRS. HARRIET YOUNG, 842w Merlin, Ont.

FOR SALE—House and lots on Grant street, centrally located, next to E. Jordan's. Will be sold cheap. For particulars address A. J. McCrae, 48 Oxford street, Toronto, or at The Planet office. 1f

FOR SALE OR RENT—S. E. part Lot 11, corner Stanley avenue (Gael St.) and Eighth street, Chatham, 126 by 120 feet. Apply to V. B. W., 103 Bay street, Toronto, or to JAMES SOUTAR, Chatham. 1m d&w

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—125 Wellington St. West; lot 56 x 208. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to Jas. A. Tilt. 1f