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Saturday's Bargain List

Monday being Civic Holiday this store will be closed all day. Extra business must be done on Saturday. For Saturday we present you with such a varied list of bargains that what you want is sure to be in it.

Dress Goods

10 pieces black dress goods, neat, figured designs, all wool, 42 to 44 in. wide, worth regular 65c to 90c a yard, on Saturday for

46c.

20 pieces colored dress goods in silk mixtures and all wool goods, including such shades as fawn, blue, green, etc., worth regular 75c to \$1.25, Saturday,

47c.

56 in. wide twilled cheviot suiting in Oxford grey, fawn, green, light grey, very special, at

50c.

58 in. wide, all wool serge suiting in black and navy only, very special,

75c.

Silks

15 pieces Japan wash silks, crystal corded, dainty checks in sky, turquoise, pink, cardinal, etc., regular price 50c a yard, on Saturday for

35c.

Buttons

On Friday we will sell a good quality white pearl button, medium size, for per dozen

3c.

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' fine cambric, hemstitched and embroidered handkerchiefs, regular price 20c each, on Saturday 2 for

25c.

Ladies' extra fine cambric hemstitched handkerchiefs, regular price 5c each, on Saturday, 7 for

25c.

Muslins and Prints

We have a very pretty assortment of muslins left over and will sell them on Saturday, at these prices:

12 1-2c muslins for 7c.

20c muslins for 12 1-2c.

50c muslins for 25c.

15 pieces of print including light and dark colorings, small and large designs, the balance of our 8c prints on Saturday for

5c.

Muslin Dresses

3 only muslin dresses, pretty colors and patterns, in sizes 36 and 38 inch

3c.

best regular price \$5.00 a dress, on Saturday for

\$2.75.

Napkins

3-4 size dinner napkins, guaranteed pure double damask linen, regular price \$2.75 dozen, Saturday for

\$1.75.

5-8 size tea napkins, guaranteed pure double damask linen, regular value \$1.50 a dozen, on Saturday

\$1.20.

Gloves

Ladies' tan and brown lineneo gloves, with two push buttons, regular price 25c pair, on Saturday for

15c.

Skirts

Ladies' tailored tweed skirts, with full flounce flars, trimmed with taffeta bands, good shades, regular price \$5.00 each, on Saturday

\$3.00.

BOER LEADER YIELDS AND ADVISES SURRENDER

Commandant Revilliers so Reports to Lord Kitchener—A British Post Captured by Boers—More Cape Rebels Arrested—Honors for Canadians.

London, Aug. 8.—Lord Kitchener reports the surrender at Warm Baths of Commandant Revilliers, who was second in command to Beyers.

A POST SURPRISE

London, Aug. 8.—Lord Kitchener, in a despatch from Pretoria to-day, announces that a post of twenty-five men, belonging to Steinkamp's Horse, on the Sabi River, has been surprised and captured by the Boers.

A special despatch from Rotterdam says the mental condition of Mr. Kruger is arousing serious apprehension. A specialist in nervous diseases has been summoned by the government from Berlin.

MORE REBELS ARRESTED

Cape Town, August 8.—Small parties of Boers are hovering about the Dordrecht district. The British troops

are harassing them. Seven farmers have been placed in jail at Dordrecht on the charge of assisting the invaders.

ARRESTED AS A SPY

Berlin, August 8.—The Tageblatt announces that its correspondent, Herr Meirback, who was with the Boers, has been arrested as a spy by the British, and that he will be tried by court-martial at Middleburg.

V. C. FOR CANADIANS

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 8.—The Militia Department was advised from Halifax to-day that the officer commanding the British troops there has received from the Imperial authorities the Victoria Crosses won by Canadians in South Africa. The recipients of this coveted honor are Lieut. Cockburn, of Toronto; Lieut. Turner, of Quebec, and Sergeant Holland, of Ottawa. The presentations will be made by the Duke of York at Toronto, Quebec and Ottawa, respectively.



The Hit Of the Season

"Undoing of a Double"

The Great Serial Story.

Of course everybody wants to read it—that's why it has been secured by the liveliest of live papers. But there are many other bright features. To-morrow Helen Hall throws an ingenious side-light around the Evening Camp Fire at the Bau, Dianthus sees a few things that everyone else seems to have missed at the Buffalo Exposition, John W. Young, of The Planet staff, writes of his western travels from Canada's capital, Robt. S. Smyth, now doing special correspondence work for The Planet, tells of the wild and woolly West. There are other delightful contributions.

Then there is the unrivalled local news service—the service that makes this journal the envy of, and pattern for, all local competitors. No wonder—it is that The Planet has grown, and is growing, so marvelously in popularity—that its circulation nearly DOUBLES that of all its would-be rivals.

MUCH ANXIETY IS FELT FOR THE KING'S SAFETY

Scotland Yard Alert Relative to his Journey to his Sister's Funeral—Have Been Warned of Anarchist's Activity.

London, Aug. 8.—The remarkable series of postponements and alterations in King Edward's journey to his sister's funeral has already aroused considerable conjecture in England. None of the customary channels for chronicling the King's movements was taken into confidence by the officers of his household when they came with unprecedented secrecy yesterday from Cowes to Marlborough House. Indeed, the King has not sought anything like his present avoidance of publicity since the time of his mother's death. It is not due to his own wish that the present unprecedented proceedings are adopted, but only to this urgent insistence of the political section of Scotland

Yard in warning the detectives responsible for His Majesty's safety. These detectives have now been instructed to nearly double the number who attended Queen Victoria. Their chiefs have been warned for some months to expect a revival of anarchist activity during the coming winter, and organization against the emergency is now being effected. These new and more extended arrangements, especially with the continental police, have not been tested since King Edward's visit to his sister in February. It is the present desire to have time to secure the closest control of the route before the King starts on Friday. The changes in his program aim at easing the great strain the detectives admit they feel regarding his journey.

ALL-NIGHT SESSION

Voting Estimates by Wholesale Closure in the House of Commons.

London, Friday, August 9.—At ten o'clock last night in a crowded and excited session of the House of Commons, Mr. Balfour's new rule of voting estimates by wholesale closure came into operation. Lumped into "classes" more than £67,000,000 were by this scheme voted in a series of divisions before 1 o'clock this morning, the government majorities always exceeding one hundred. The House was still in session at 5 a. m.

The Irish members engaged in obstructive tactics with reference to various resolutions incidental to the final stages of the estimates, and Mr. Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary frequently moved the closure.

The House adjourned at 6 a. m., after numerous divisions under the closure. The Irish members kept up a continual opposition, but without disorderly scenes.

SHARK GOT LEG

Quartermaster's Thrilling Experience While Swimming at Hilo, P. I.

Washington, August 8.—Admiral Kempff has forwarded to the navy department an official report, thrilling in its details, of the biting off of the leg of Quartermaster S. McKie, third class, of the gunboat Annapolis, by a shark or other mammoth sea monster.

The Annapolis has been stationed off late at Hilo and on June 24 last a party was sent out for rifle target practice. Dr. Rober in command of the Annapolis states that permission was given to several of the men to go swimming while others were engaged in firing. Two of the men had been in for some time when McKie joined them and asked them if they had been able to touch bottom. Being answered in the negative, he made a dive and was gone for several seconds.

One of the seamen said he heard a gurgling sound beneath the water. A moment later McKie appeared on the surface and shouted "shark, shark." The surface of the water was covered with blood near where he came up. McKie started to swim and although crippled, reached the boat and was pulled in by his companions.

A horrible sight met their eyes, the quartermaster's leg having been bitten off near the knee. With all dispatch he was taken aboard the Annapolis where the surgeon found it necessary to amputate the limb between the knee and hip. "Admiral Kempff hopes that the quartermaster had received permission from the officer in charge to go in bathing, but the accident occurred in the line of duty. Under the circumstances the crippled quartermaster probably will receive a pension."

DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL

Coroner's Jury Finds Verdict to that Effect in the Tilbury Fatality.

The Deceased was Evidently Overcome by sleep While on the Railroad Track.

The inquest into the cause of the death of John Cameron McLean, who was killed on the C. P. R. track at Tilbury last Sunday morning, was held in Jahnke's morgue last evening. Coroner Bray presiding.

The inquest was held to clear up any mystery which surrounded his death. It was thought that at the time of death he had considerable money and a silver watch on his person, and these articles were not found on the body. This, however, was found to be incorrect. Constable McGregor went to Tilbury to investigate the matter, and learned that Mr. McLean did not have the watch in his possession when he left for Tilbury Saturday evening, it being found at his home by his son the next morning. The money was taken from him and returned to the family by one of the nurses at the hospital.

From the evidence given by the witnesses last evening there is no reason to doubt the theory that he had fallen asleep on the track with his legs stretched across the rails. He had been nursing a sick child all through Friday night, and on Saturday he was pulling flax until six o'clock in the evening. Saturday night he went to town for the purpose of doing a little business and getting a shave. Returning home he met a friend and walked down with him as far as the C. P. R. track. Here the friend went back and McLean started down the track, going home. When he had gone but a short distance down the track he was probably tired after his heavy day's work and, sitting down on the track to light his pipe, had fallen asleep. His pipe, fresh filled with tobacco, and a number of burnt matches were found near where the accident occurred. It was clearly shown that he was not under the influence of liquor at the time.

Edward McLean, the son of deceased, John O'Neill, Edward Demace, R. C. Telfer, the night operator on the C. P. R. at Tilbury, Dr. Ferguson, Dr. Rutherford, Roy Struthers and John Wellington were the witnesses sworn. McLean, O'Neill, Demace, Telfer and Struthers gave evidence alike as to seeing the deceased on Saturday night and of the finding of the body on the track. Struthers, it appears, found him first. He asked deceased how the accident happened, who replied that he did not know. He also said that he knew he was going to die and told Struthers to tell his wife to meet him in Heaven and not to worry.

The doctors gave evidence as to the severity of the accident and gave as the cause of death shock and hemorrhage, mostly the former.

After the hearing of the evidence there was no doubt in the minds of the jury that death was accidental, and they brought in a verdict to that effect.

J. Wilson, the C. P. R. claims agent, was present and took notes on the evidence. The C. P. R. railway was exonerated from any blame in the matter, as deceased was not in the employ of the railway at the time and should not have been on the track.

BRIDE FLED

Illinois Girl Scared by the Responsibility of Matrimony.

Elgin, Ill., Aug. 8.—Appalled by anticipation of a responsibility, Miss Minnie Brady, a handsome girl only 20 years old, ran away from home, leaving word to her affianced, John H. Simpson, that the engagement was broken. Preparations had already been made for one of the most elaborate weddings of the season, and it had been announced to take place Aug. 14. Parents opposed the match on account of the couple's youth, but had given a reluctant consent.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 9.

THE FUTURE OF SOUTH AFRICA.

Deeply interested financially and politically in South Africa and on the spot with special advantages of forecast, Cecil Rhodes gave his prophecy of the future of that great country at a recent public gathering at Bulwer. He is a blunt and plain speaker, avoiding city phrases, disliking to call a spade a ligno-ferruginous implement of industry, and preferring to call it a spade.

In mapping out the future of the chain of South African colonies he naturally began with that one which had himself created—Rhodesia, which is soon to pass from the charter to the self-governing stage. Then the present heavy expense of police must be avoided by the maintenance of a mounted volunteer force. On this point he was emphatic.

He pointed with just pride to the war record of Rhodesia. Out of hardly 16,000 white males, Rhodesia had sent 2,500 to fight the Boers, with the result of 500 casualties, a record unequalled in this or any other war.

Rhodes' reason for being in such a hurry to pass Rhodesia into the self-governing stage, is that he expects South African federation within four years. The present Imperial Colonial Secretary will wish to signalize his tenure of office by the accomplishment of this federation, before the death of the present British parliament. In Rhodes' view this federation will be effected not by internal attraction as in the cases of Australia and Canada, but by the external agency of the Crown, and before the restoration of self-government to the Transvaal and Orange River colony.

In his view, Northern South Africa will be the governing pivot of the politics of the whole region and group of colonies, and the Transvaal, which will rapidly recover its old wealth, will be the dominant partner. Rhodesia, in spite of the war, is in good condition with an annual output of gold of \$3,500,000 a year and large resources in coal. Natal is also in a good position. Natal, Rhodesia, Orange River Colony and the Transvaal will pull together and control the confederation. What about the Cape, the old mother colony? He makes it the target for bitter and pungent comment, very justly. From its age and historical importance it should take the lead, but its disloyal apathy, its talking about "keeping neutral," its taxing goods imported for soldiers' use and its giving aid and comfort to the Boers, have covered it with disgrace and will involve it in well merited punishment, none the less severe because indirect. It depends on railways financially. It will be side-tracked. The dominant North will divert the traffic to the ports of Natal and Delagoa Bay. Geographical convenience chimes in with this scheme, since the ports of the east coast having shorter distances to the Transvaal, will conveniently replace Cape Town and Port Elizabeth as points of import and export to Europe.

It is to be hoped that the Imperial Government will find some way of buying Delagoa Bay. They could have had it for \$50,000 before the war and its possession would have saved them millions of dollars of purchase.

When the workings of the mines are resumed, new gold mines and possibly diamond mines will be opened up close to Pretoria, where the indications are as good as near Johannesburg, but Kruger would never allow a spade to be put in the ground near his capital, fearing a turbulent mining population.

Immigration will pour in. Market gardens and cattle ranches will spring up to supply the miners. Already the vast expenditure of the British Government has left immense sums in South Africa, and when we remember that the Transvaal gold output, even under the harsh conditions of Kruger's tyranny and monopoly, had distanced all its competition throughout the world,

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what may we not expect under British rule?

Rhodes may live to see the Cape-to-Cairo railway an accomplished fact.

The Kaffir question has within the last few weeks cropped up rather seriously. By mutual consent, these formidable blacks were excluded from active participation in hostilities, but recently the Boers have so employed them.

COMPULSORY ARBITRATION.

One hundred thousand men or more are on strike, or soon will be on strike in the United States, comments the London News. Five hundred thousand people at least are directly affected by this labor war and as many more are indirectly affected. With these facts staring one in the face, who can say that the State should stand aside and let labor and capital fight it out.

The time is coming when the State must interfere and make arbitration compulsory.

No country with internal wars between labor and capital can hope to prosper. It is no timid alarmist who sees a disruption of the present industrial system if some remedy for present day ills is not speedily applied.

The only remedy in sight seems to be compulsory arbitration. That will not be a complete cure, but it will act as a present remedy, and assist in a better social condition.

THE HONORED HOARY HEAD.

The world owes a whole lot to the cheerful old men and women, comments the Comber Herald. Perhaps they don't realize all the good they are doing, but their very cheerfulness robs old age of its ugliness and solemn horrors. The young people look upon the cheerful old man and rejoice in the fact that people can feel enjoyment and glide down the opposite incline of life in comparative happiness. Since it is impossible to turn back the finger of time and retain a perpetual youth, how great is the confidence youth imbibes from the cheerfulness of jolly old age. These jolly old people light up the gloom of the yawning century, as they stand with one foot in the grave and crack a joke that marks the spots where all their earthly



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hopes and ambitions lie buried deep under a mound of sorrows, failures and disappointments. Heaven bless the cheerful old men and old age that is robbed of its smiles and cheerfulness.

SOUND SENSE.

A prominent undertaker expresses the following sentiments in a contemporary which is much to the point: "I wish a law could be passed prohibiting the barbaric custom of opening caskets in public at church funerals. It is a relic of dark ages and has no place in a civilized community. It jars on the sensibility of every tender chord, and it is something the churches and undertakers ought to combine and put a stop to. In nine-tenths of the cases it is merely a pandering to ghoulish curiosity. People who never spoke to the deceased in their life time parade around the church, gaze at the form of our loved one, then go out in the presence of death, not to talk of the good deeds done in their life, but to criticize the appearance of the poor play that death has left for once at their mercy. Death is a sacred thing. If we were going on a long journey we do not make our adieux before a gaping crowd; we ought not to be expected to bid our dead a last goodbye while curiosity stands aghast."

UNPLEASANT TRUTHS.

Ottawa Citizen.
The reason the British public received Kipling's poem so coldly is because there is more truth than poetry in it.

WILL BE FORCED TO ACCEPT.

Montreal Herald.
Mr. Andrew Carnegie has offered Montreal \$150,000 for a library. Well, we hate to take the money—but we need the library.

LOOKS LIKE IT.

London News.
The census counter will not be finished with his work until the end of this month. Canada must have a population of 5,000,000,000.

BLOWING OUR WAY.

Hamilton Herald.
The great steel strike is an ill wind for the American steel and iron industry. But it is an ill wind which may blow good to the British and perhaps the Canadian iron and steel industry.

EMPEROR OF ENGLAND'S EARTH.

London Daily News.
Il Corriere di Napoli, the most important paper of South Italy, commenting upon Mr. Chamberlain's proposal of a new title for the King, has put forward what it thinks to be the most comprehensive and shortest title possible. Its suggestion is "Orbis Britannici Imperator."

A SURE THING.

Ottawa Citizen.
The Ross administration has had three solar plexus jolts in the school-book scandal, the Dryden Dakota ranch blunder and the Veteran land grant fiasco. If the Ontario Conservatives cannot snow Ross under at the next election with these "extras" on his record they ought to go out of the business.

CONCERNING FLAGS.

London News.
Why some persons insist upon throwing out Yankee flags on all occasions cannot be understood. A British flag, innocent and inoffensive, flew to the breeze in Rochester, on Friday. A Yankee saw it, tore it down, burned it up, the crowd proclaimed him a hero, and fought for the charred remains as a souvenir. That is the way our flag is looked upon in the United States.

FIARNEY FROM THE BENCH.

London Advertiser.
That was a truly Irish compliment, which a judge in the Four Courts, Dublin, paid to a fair plaintiff, who was as charming as her daughter, who was a witness. "Gentlemen of the jury," said this chivalric jurist of the old school, "everything in this case seems plain—except Mrs. O'Toole and her charming daughter." The reporters told us that the address caused a great effect.

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Tenders will be received by the undersigned at Leamington up till noon, August 15th, for the erection of an English Church in the town of Leamington. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the architect, J. A. Maycock, at any time.

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Township Councils.

HOWARD COUNCIL.

The municipal council of the Township of Howard met on Saturday, Aug. 3rd, as per adjournment. All members present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Communications.

From Henry Watson, clerk of Orford, wishing remittance of amount due Orford in the Duffin drain, \$76.35.

From Thos. Hogg, pathmaster town line Orford and Howard, stating that owing to the gravel pit in Orford being closed could not get any unless same was scraped out of the river, and as the gravel was covered with water would not ask the ratepayers in his division to draw same, but would ask the council to scrape the bank. No action.

From I. W. Norton, asking for a liberal grant to the public library.

From D. McGee, pathmaster, asking for an extension of time for the return of his list owing to the gravel being covered with water. Extension granted.

From John Coutts, Thamesville, stating that in future the price of gravel got by the township from Mrs. Simington's gravel pit must be paid to herself and no one else.

Reports.

From the committee from Harwich and Howard re the procuring of earth for the approach to Kent bridge, July 16th, pursuant to a call of the chairman, J. McCully, clerk of Harwich, stating that on account of the difficulty in coming to an agreement with Mr. Arnold, thought it better to notify all the members of both councils to be present, all being present except James McCormick, of Harwich. W. G. McGregor, C. E. being present, stated that in his opinion the earth from either side of the approach would do for the embankment. E. P. Langford was heard, and offered to lease one-half acre of land for three years and furnish land for the piling of lumber from the old structure for \$100. F. Arnold was also heard and was willing to stand by the agreement made with the committee on May 1st, that is would furnish the earth required for \$100 or he would give up all claim for the land for the sum of \$25. The committee considered that the terms offered by E. P. Langford were the most satisfactory and accepted the same; also made order for \$12.50 to E. P. Arnold in full for all damages resulting from failure to make negotiations for said earth.

From J. C. Williams, stating that he had the Brown drain repaired at a cost of \$18.00 and that Rich. Spencer to suit amount.

Pettions.

The committee appointed to report on gravel pit and roadway leading thereto on lot 3, Con. 1, were unable to present any definite report.

From Joseph Scand and five others, wishing to make a cut-off on the 6 and 7 sideroad from the drain known as the Scand drain, same to be put under the municipal drainage act.

Accounts.

John Green, thistle inspector, \$10.50.

A. Winter, thistle inspector, No. 4, \$9.75.

Elaine, 200 voters lists, \$37.34.

W. Simpson, care of half \$42.25.

Mark Davis, 121 loads gravel, \$12.10.

J. S. Gosnell, 8 loads gravel, \$80.00.

Walter McIntyre, 50 loads of gravel, \$5.

Mrs. Simington, 50 loads gravel, \$5.

J. S. Brothwood, one day at Kent Bridge, \$2.

J. S. Williams, one day at Kent Bridge, \$2.

Geo. McDonald, one day at Kent Bridge, \$2.

E. Brien, one day at Kent Bridge, and one at gravel pit, \$4.

D. Wilson, one day at Kent Bridge, and one at gravel pit, \$4.

J. C. Balmer, one day at Kent Bridge, \$2.

E. D. Mitton, at Chatham, re legislation to schools, \$2.

Geo. McDonald, one day at Kent Bridge, \$2.

The following persons addressed the council: James Wright, in reference to overcharge on statute labor. List no. yet returned, laid over.

John Crawford, wishing to know if the thistle inspector had power to charge \$1.50 for each service of second notice, by-law allowed, \$1.50 per day.

Chas. Balhar in reference to fence of W. Osterhout, who claims to have same placed on the public highway.

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Alfred Stanton stating that he had found two dogs worrying sheep, and had same killed. Wished remuneration as per resolution.

Jno. Minshall, Neil Rose and Edward Cui in reference to sheep killed by dogs.

Mrs. Casey, in reference to culvert on McCargan as read be paid and Commissioner J. C. Williams.

A. F. Campbell re grant to the Agricultural Society.

Patrick Causgrove in reference to willows allowed to grow on Winters drain. Left with Commissioner Balmer.

Mrs. Wm. Atkinson, stating that her husband had deserted her, and as she was left with three children she wished the council to help her until she could secure employment.

Moved by Brien and Williams, that the accounts drawn on the treasurer for the same and charged to their several accounts.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Balmer, that the grievance of Chas. Balhar be left to J. C. Williams, re fence on con. 1.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Brien, that George Clark be paid the sum of \$4 as settlement for the repair of a culvert claimed to be damaged by a culvert being out of repair on 2nd concession, although the township does not consider that he has any legal claim to damages.—Carried.

Moved by Brien and Williams, that the Court of Revision on the McGregor Creek adjourn until Sept. 7, at 2 p. m., and the Buller drain at 2.30 the same day.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Balmer, that the reeve be authorized to sign the petition of Joseph Scand and others re the cut off of Scand drain.—Carried.

Moved by Brien and Williams, that the petition of Joseph Scand and four others asking for a cut off of the Scand drain be referred to and that Thos. Scand, P. L. S., be instructed to make necessary survey, plans, etc., and report to this council.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Balmer, that A. J. Winter be paid \$7.75 for 6 1-2 days serving notices as thistle inspector in No. 4 division, and that John Green be paid \$10.50 for serving notices in No. 1 division, \$5.50 against a 1-2 lot 14, con. 5, \$100 against a 1-2 lot 14, con. 5, and 60c against the w. 1-2 s. 1-2 lot 16, con. 4.—Carried.

Moved by Balmer and Wilson, that Alfred Scand be paid the sum of \$5.00 for killing two dogs found worrying sheep, as per resolution of council.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Balmer, that a grant of \$100 be made to the Howard Agricultural Society, same to be paid Dec. 15th.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Brien, that John Minshall be paid the sum of \$6.66, four sheep and one lamb killed; Neil Rose, \$32, for three sheep and four lambs killed and one lamb injured; Edward Col, for six sheep killed and two lambs injured by dogs, being two-thirds value, and charged to dog fund.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Balmer, that the report of the committee re procuring earth for the approach to Kent Bridge be received and that an order be drawn on the treasurer in favor of E. P. Langford for \$50, being the one-half portion for same.—Carried.

Moved by Brien and Williams, that the report of J. C. Williams re repairing the Brown drain be received and that R. Spencer be paid \$12.00 as per report.—Carried.

Moved by Brien and Balmer, that an order be drawn on the treasurer for a grant of \$20 be given to the Public Library of Ridge, same to be paid on Dec. 15th.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Balmer, that an order be drawn on the treasurer in favor of E. P. Langford for \$50, being the one-half portion for same.—Carried.

A by-law to raise the sum of \$12,986.27 to meet the current expenses for the year 1901, was read the required number of times and finally passed. County rate \$3,992.95; current expenses \$8,993.29, requiring 53-10 mills on the assessment to raise said amount.

Moved by Balmer and Wilson, that this council do now adjourn to meet Saturday, Sept. 7th, at 10 a. m. for general business.—Carried.

GEO. McDONALD,

Clerk.

The Military Salute.

All salutes, from taking off the hat to presenting arms, originally implied respect or submission. Of military salute, raising the right hand to the head is generally believed to have originated when the knights filed past the throne of the queen of beauty and, by way of compliment, raised their hands to their brows to imply that her beauty was too dazzling for unshaded eyes to gaze upon.

The officer's salute with the sword has a double meaning. The first position, with the hilt opposite the lips, is a repetition of the crusader's action in kissing the cross hilt of his sword in token of faith and fealty, while lowering the point afterward implies either submission or friendship, meaning in either case that it is no longer necessary to stand on guard. Raising the hand to the forehead has also been explained as a sign that the weapon hand is empty and in an inoffensive position, but this reason does not seem so convincing as the others.

Ancient Skyscrapers.

The idea prevails that skyscrapers are of modern American origin, but Professor Lanciani declares that in ancient Rome, as early as the time of Augustus, buildings 10 or 12 stories high were common. Later they are believed to have been much higher, rivaling our most modern apartment building in size and height. It is well known that at Constantinople the Emperor Constantine found his view of the water cut off by the skyscrapers erected between his palace and the water front, though he had placed his palace on high ground.

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The Englishman and His Order.

An Englishman at a Chicago hotel ordered a trap. He ordered it of an intelligent looking key clerk behind the desk. Then he went up stairs to his room to prepare himself for the drive.

He waited half an hour for the announcement that the vehicle was being sent. He began to wonder if this was an example of the American hustle and reputation had crossed the Atlantic.

Presently came a knock on the door. "Come in," bade the Englishman.

Entered a mechanical looking man in his shirt sleeves.

"Where's the hole?" was his question. "Hole?" queried the Englishman. "Here it is," said the toiler, "and I'll catch that mouse sure."

The Englishman's mouth opened in astonishment. "Mouse! What do you mean? Who are you, anyhow?"

"I'm the hotel carpenter, sir, and I've brought up the trap you ordered."

The Englishman glared. Then he penetrated his saxon wit, and he roared. He gave the carpenter half a dollar and swore the joke for once was on America.

A Beaver's Toilet.

It is an interesting sight to watch the outlaw at his evening toilet. To begin with, instead of sitting up with his large, flat, ribbed tail protruding behind him, he tucked it forward between his hind legs and sat upon it. Then with his hand he carefully combed his long hair, using both hands at the same time. There were many places, however, that could not be reached in this way, for his arms are very short and his body very large, so he combed these otherwise inaccessible places with his hind feet, using first one and then the other. The entire operation was performed with the utmost deliberation and care and occupied more than a quarter of an hour, so that by the time it was completed daylight had almost vanished.

My presence did not appear to disturb him in the least, though I sat on the ground within three feet of him that I might the better note his various attitudes, for it is not often one has an opportunity of watching a beaver at such close range.

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We received the scythe, we bequeath the mowing machine.

We received the hand printing press, we bequeath the perfecting process.

We received the painter's brush, we bequeath lithography, the camera, and color photography.

We received the handloom, we bequeath the cotton and woolen factory.

We received the gunpowder, we bequeath nitro-glycerine.

We received twenty-three chemical elements, we bequeath eighty.

We received the tallow dip, we bequeath the arc light.

We received the galvanic battery, we bequeath the dynamo.

We received the flint-lock, we bequeath automatic Maxims.

We received the sailing ship, we bequeath the steamship.

We received the beacon signal fire, we bequeath the telephone and wireless telegraphy.

We received leather fire buckets, we bequeath the steam fire engine.

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Two days before his execution a telegram was brought to him in his cell. He snatched it, and tore it open with an oath. In an instant a change came over his sullen face. He threw up his hands with a cry, and began to weep and sob. The chaplain took the telegram and read these words: "Your mother is loving you yet."

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Her Motto.

The members of a Bible class, in a New England parish were studying St. Paul's rules for Christian living, set forth in the twelfth chapter of Romans.

Among the questions asked by the leader of the class was, "What motto should be adopted when strangers are to be entertained?"

The proper answer of course, and the one given by all the members of the class, with one exception, was: "Given to hospitality."

In the class, however, there was one young person who held a different idea; that was the minister's daughter who, since she was fifteen years old, had been the head of the house, and the manager of many a difficult meal.

"I don't agree with the others," she said, firmly. "I think very often the motto should be: 'Patient in tribulation.'"

No Resemblance.

It costs nothing to be ordinarily polite, even under adverse circumstances, and it generally pays. A passenger in a sleeping car, who was tired and sleepy and wanted to go to bed, called out to a man who had just entered the coach and was hurrying through it.

"Say, isn't it about time to have these berths made up?" angrily replied the other, stopping and coming back. "Do I look like a sleeping car conductor, sir?"

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(Special to The Planet.)
Toronto, Aug. 9.—10 a. m.—Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds; fair to-day; showers or thunderstorms acting in during the night or early on Saturday.

The following official figures were registered at noon to-day at Burt's weather bureau:
Barometer 29.40.
Thermometer 80.
Highest yesterday 85.
Lowest yesterday 54.
Direction of wind, east.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Mrs. Wm. Stone left to-day for Detroit for a few weeks' visit.
Mrs. Jas. Ross, St. George street, who has been quite ill, is improving.
Miss Mae Sivewright is visiting her cousin, Miss Daisy Raymond, Detroit.

P. Welch, Head street, has returned from a week's visit with friends in Pontiac, Mich.
Misses Ethel and Jenny MacDonald, of Ridgeway, are visiting Miss Gertrude Somerville, Wellington street.

Watch for the opening chapters of The Planet's great serial story, "The Undoing of a Double," in Saturday's issue.
An ice cream social was given in the basement of the A. M. E. church last evening by the Eastern Star Society.

Prepare yourselves for a hot Civic Holiday by ordering a case of Walker's Superior Lager from F. A. Robert. See his add on page 2.

Band concert at Port Lambton every Monday, leaving Chatham 7.15 p. m. Fare 40c. Music by Excelsior Band.

Miss Maude Howard, Murray street, leaves next week on a holiday trip to Chicago and Kansas City. In Chicago she will visit Mrs. H. T. Trout.

"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.

Two young fishermen, five and seven years old respectively, were fishing in the river the other day, when the elder fell into the water. Two boatmen happened to be passing and picked him up, but while he was still spluttering and trying to get his eyes, the younger one innocently asked, "Say, Fraser, is there any fish down there?"

On Sunday the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church will be occupied on both occasions by Rev. W. H. Marquess, D. D., of Louisville, Ky. Dr. Marquess is an odd and highly esteemed friend of the pastor and Mr. Knowles places a very high estimate on his splendid and sparkling pulpit ministrations. The music at the services will be of an appropriate character.

The Signs of Weak Eyes

Tired eyes, overworked eyes, are unmistakable. You are constantly reminded that everything isn't as it should be.

Your head aches, your eyes burn and there is a dull pain behind them. Reading and sewing are decidedly unpleasant, and any work that calls for unusual eye strain you would sooner pass by.

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PRESIDENT HAS RETIRED

Rev. Robt. Sims Resigns From
the Children's Aid Soc. ety.

A Complimentary Motion Expresses
Appreciation for the Good Work
He Has Done.

The Advisory Board of the Children's Aid Society met in Christ Church Sunday School Hall last Tuesday afternoon with the following members present: Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Brady, Mrs. John Piggett, Mrs. Read, W. R. Baxter, Dr. R. V. Bray and Rev. Robt. Sims.

The executive officer reported that since the last meeting thirteen letters have been written, four visits made, three cases reported for investigation, embracing seven children, two of which were investigated and proper steps taken, one case is still under investigation, one child was up in the Police Court and the case dismissed and one child was transferred to a new home.

The report was received.
Accounts to the amount of \$35.75 were ordered paid.

Rev. Robt. Sims tendered his resignation as president of the society. It was accepted with regret and Mr. Macaulay, the vice-president, will act as president for the rest of the year.

The following resolution was then moved by Mrs. Baxter, seconded by Mrs. Lewis, and carried:—
"That the thanks of this Board be tendered to our retiring president for the capable manner in which he has presided over the Board meetings and fulfilled the duties pertaining to that office since December, 1900. The society sustains a great loss from its ranks of active workers through Mr. Sims' removal from our midst, but the many kind acts which he has spoken will long serve as a stimulus to active and faithful work on the part of the succeeding president. Our sincere wish is that wherever his lot may be cast his sympathies will still be with the Children's Aid Society and its wards, and that our Heavenly Father will long spare him to minister to the bodily and spiritual wants of neglected and destitute children."

Mr. Sims very feelingly thanked the Board for their kind resolution and felt sure that he would always look back with delight upon the time he has spent doing the work of the Children's Aid Society.

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DEAD IN CHINA

Prince Henry of Orleans Expired in
Orch China To-day.

Special to The Planet.
Saigon, French Coch' China, Aug. 9.—Prince Henry, of Orleans, died at 3.30 p. m.

CLOTHES ABLAZE

Wife of a Windsor Pastor Terribly
Burned—Slight Hope of
Recovery.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 8.—A serious and probably fatal burning accident occurred to the wife of Rev. Charles Cameron, of this city, to-day. While preparing the mid-day meal, Mrs. Cameron's clothing in some manner became ignited, and in a moment, she was ablaze from head to foot. Her screams brought speedy assistance and the flames were extinguished, but not before the unfortunate woman had been frightfully burned about the head and body. The doctors have done everything possible to relieve her suffering, but it is hardly possible she will survive. Mr. Cameron is a retired Presbyterian minister, and well known in this city.

Chas. N. Dolson, called on Andrew Thomson the other day and said that he had a barn that was built in 1797, all of oak, and which has been constant use ever since and is at present filled with hay. He also said that there is a royal oak tree in front of his house that is over 200 years old and is about five feet in diameter and that it is worth one's time to go and see it. It is on the corner of Front and Dover west.

The firemen had a run this morning about ten minutes after 10 o'clock to box 25, corner of King and Prince streets. The fire was located in the residence of Dr. McKenny, King street. A pot of tar had been left boiling on the stove in the kitchen. This exploded, causing the fire. Most of the damage was done by the water and smoke. The loss was about \$150. Alex. McKenny, while attempting to put out the fire, had his hand badly blistered with the water. Dr. McKenny, also, had his head slightly burned. The firemen were on the scene two minutes after the alarm came in.

CLEAN SHEET

Two Lads, Anxious to Secure one, have
Police Court suspended sentence
Removed.

A couple of young boys came up before Magistrate Houston at the police court this morning for sentence. These two young lads were up about year ago for fighting and were let off on suspended sentence. They came up this morning to have the sentence removed. They were each given an hour in the cells and were then let off. "The most of the people who have suspended sentences," said Magistrate Houston, to The Planet, "do not realize the position they are in should they again do wrong. In a suspended sentence, that judgment will hang over their heads all their life unless they come up themselves in the police court after an elapse of time and prove that they are leading a better life, and thus have sentence removed. The most people in the matter go and think nothing about it; as a result when they are found guilty of the next offence, the punishment is twice as severe."

HAMILTON MAN SHOT.

Tonawanda, N. Y., Aug. 8.—A man giving his name as Robert Morrison and claiming Hamilton, Ont., as his home, was shot this evening while attempting to enter the home of George Joseph, a farmer. The bullet struck the man's jaw, glanced along his left cheek, and entered his neck. Morrison does not look like a professional burglar. He claims that he was after food. He was weak and emaciated, and stated he had been recently discharged from a Cleveland hospital.

TELEGRAPH

Rev. Father Larkin, of Grafton, is dead.

John C. Carlaw was drowned at Parkside.

A hunt club has been formed at Stratford.

Crops are a failure in several provinces in Russia.

The mental condition of Mr. Kruger is causing serious apprehension.

At the Palace, Scotland, race meeting a grand stand collapsed and 40 persons were injured.

A boy named Chas. Mow, of Westminster, died of lockjaw caused by running a nail into his foot.

A little daughter of George Warner, of Stratford, was fatally burned while playing near a bonfire.

Farmers in the vicinity of Kingston are crippled through want of help. They blame the western harvest excursions.

Sanctus Dumont's balloon exploded during his experiments at Paris, and the aeronaut had a very narrow escape from death.

Edward Piper, of Littlewood, was drowned at Port Stanley. His hat blew off and he upset the boat in trying to secure it.

A drastic immigration bill has been introduced in the Australian Parliament. Disaffected or insane persons, criminals and paupers are excluded by the bill.

While landing a large maskinonge at Chemung Lake Miss Bessie Dixon, of Maple Creek, upset the canoe. She was only a few minutes in the water, but was taken out dead.

READY TO RACE

Invader and Cadillac Will Be Thoroughly
Polished.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 9.—E. H. Ambrose, of Hamilton, Ont., and Oliver Cromwell, of the New York Yacht Club, judges of the international yacht race for the Canada Cup, will arrive in Chicago to-day, and will meet E. P. Warner, of the Chicago Yacht Club, the third judge, and William Cottrill, official measurer for the club.

The final preparations for the match between Invader and Cadillac, which begins with Saturday's race, will be made when the two boats are put into dry dock, and measured for the last time.

The yachts will be given a thorough polishing on Friday, and will be floated out of the dock in the afternoon when the judges and measurer will take the water lines.

The United States Revenue cutter Morrill, in command of Capt. A. B. Davis, is in the harbor. The vessel has been detailed by order of the Secretary of the Treasury to do patrol duty during the coming races in keeping the course clear, and preserving order in the fleet accompanying the races.

A FAILURE

Reports From Dover are Very Unfavorable
Regarding Bean Crop.

Reports from a number of the farmers in the bean crop are good. The wheat crop in Dover turned out better than was expected. Mr. Laplante realized 30 bushel to the acre from his crop, and Mr. Yott 24 bushel to the acre. The reports from other farmers are also good.

The clover crop is excellent this year and the farmers who grow it this year are reaping great profits from it.

Fred Dolson, of Dover, brought 200 bushel of this grain into Chatham a few days ago and sold it to S. Glenn & Son, at \$4 a bushel, realizing \$1,800 from it. Mr. McKenley, also, of Dover, realized \$180 from seven acres grown.

This is a very profitable harvest, as one seedling will grow crops for ten years. Each season after the first the ground is simply plowed and the clover comes up again next year as thick as ever. This can be done each year for ten succeeding years.

For Sale
Large to room house, with very large lot, parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, pantry, five bed rooms with closets, summer kitchen, hard and soft water, pump, sink, cistern, cellar, drain, lots of fruit. Price very low.
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Saturday Shoppers

Will find this the most attractive place in the city to spend their money at to-morrow. We have made extra efforts to make this one of the busiest days of the year, every counter has its quota of attractions in the way of special offerings such as seldom come your way. Come with the crowds that always make this the busiest spot in Chatham. Here are a few suggestions, only a few of the many offerings awaiting you.

Cotton Hosiery Sale For Saturday

Boys heavy ribb cotton hose, stainless, plain seamless foot, double heel and toe, just the thing for good school wear, all sizes 6½ to 9½, prices according to size, reduced to per pair **12c to 18c**

Misses' and children's fine ribb cotton hose, double heels, extra fine quality, guaranteed stainless black, natural wool, double heel and toe, easy to mend, soft and pliable to the foot, sizes 4½ to 8, prices according to size reduced per pair **15c to 26c**

Ladies' plain cotton hose, full fashioned, ever fast stainless dye, cashmere sole, heel and toe, this hose is cool, comfortable and good to wear, per pair **25c**

Unparalleled Offering in SHIRT WAISTS

Immense shipments of fall goods render it imperative that we have the room now devoted to waists. To make a total clearance of the stock this week, we are going to give values such as we have never heretofore attempted.

Commencing Saturday

We offer our entire stock of WHITE MUSLIN WAISTS at tremendous reductions for such high class goods.

LOT 1.—All lines heretofore sold at \$1.00 and \$1.25, very choice designs and perfect patterns, now **75c**

LOT 2.—The balance of our high-class stock, most of these lines we sold at \$2, \$2.50 \$3 and \$4, your choice of the lot **\$1.00**

Colored Shirt Waists

These two must suffer in the clean up, so we have again reduced these into two lots.

25c

All lines that sold up to 98c now clearing at 25c.

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It does the work in half the time of other soaps; it makes the clothes clean and wholesome; it allows the housewife plenty of time to attend to other important duties.

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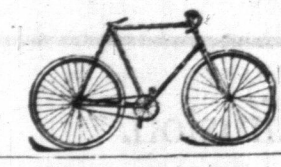
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From Capt. F. Love, Police Station No. 1, Montreal: "I have recently used Wheaton's Pain-Killer for pains in the stomach, rheumatism, sciatica, neuralgia, headache, toothache, and all ailments which beset me in my position. I have no hesitation in saying that Wheaton's is the best remedy I have ever used."

Use Internally and Externally.

Two Doses, 25c, and 50c, bottles.

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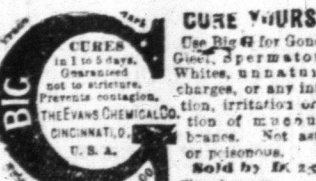


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HE WON IN A CANTER.

"LUCKY" BALDWIN MADE HIS JOCKEY RIDE SQUARE.

The Horseman Used an Argument That Made the Crooked Rider's Teeth Chatter While He Got Out All the Speed in the Animal.

In the lobby of a hotel the other evening a number of men were discussing sports and sporting men when the subject of nerve and grit came up. One of the party, a well known Californian who knew "Lucky" Baldwin in the old days, said:

"Baldwin was about the hardest man to be cheated out of anything he set his heart on getting that I ever met up with. A whole lot of people tried to put it on him in business and other sort of deals, but none of them ever succeeded in catching 'Lucky' Baldwin sufficiently asleep to make their plans stick."

"Horsemen still talk about a funny game in which Baldwin figured on one of the Chicago race tracks a number of years ago. Baldwin had brought his magnificent string of thoroughbreds to Chicago to make an effort to annex the swell stakes that were then on tap on the tracks in the windy town, and he got them home first or in the money in many of the biggest events. Well, he had one of his finest horses entered in a valuable long distance event, and Baldwin was particularly anxious to win this race, not so much for the purse end of it as for the glory of capturing the stake. His horse just about figured to win, too, and Baldwin intended to 'go down the line' on the animal's chances, not only at the track, but at all of the big poolrooms in the country. He stood to clean up considerably more than \$100,000 on the horse if the brute got under the wire first. Baldwin's regular stable jockey was taken sick on the morning of the race, and the old man had to hustle around for another boy to ride his horse in the big event. From another horseman he bought for a big round sum the release of a high grade rider, who was to have taken the mount on a thoroughbred that didn't figure to get near the money in the stake race. Baldwin gave the jockey his instructions as to the way he wanted the horse ridden, and then, when the betting opened, his commissioners dumped Baldwin's money into the ring in such large quantities that the horse became an overwhelming favorite."

"A quarter of an hour before the horses were due to go to the post a well known bookmaker, to whom Baldwin had often exhibited kindness in less prosperous days, ran to where the old man was standing, chewing a straw in his hand."

"Baldwin," said the bookie to the old man, "there's a job to beat you, and you're going to get beat. They wanted me to go in with 'em, but you've always been on the level with me, and I wouldn't stand for it. The ring has bought up your jock, and your horse is going to be scratched."

"Much obliged for telling me that," replied the old man. "I'll just make a stab to see that the boy doesn't do any scratching, though."

"Baldwin borrowed another gun from one of his stable hands (in those days he always carried one of his own about as long as your arm), and with his artillery he strode over the infield and took up his stand by the fence at the turn into the stretch. He hadn't mentioned to anybody what he was going to do, and the folks who saw the old man making for the stretch turn simply thought that Baldwin wanted to watch the race from that point of view. He did, for that matter, but he happened to have another end in view."

"Well, the horses got away from the post in an even bunch, and then Baldwin's horse went out to make the running. The jockey's idea was to let the horse's head off and then pull him in the stretch, making it appear as if the animal had tired. Baldwin had instructed the jock to play a waiting game and make his bid toward the finish. The horse simply outclassed his company, however, and he didn't show any indications of leg weariness what ever as he rounded the backstretch on the rail a couple of lengths in front of his field. Baldwin could see, however, that the crooked jock was saving the horse's head off in his effort to take him back to the rack. When the horses were still a hundred feet from him, Baldwin let out a yell to attract his jockey's attention, and then he flashed his two guns in the sunlight and bawled at the jock:

"Leggo that horse's head, you monkey devil, and go on and win or I'll shoot you so full of holes that you won't hold molasses!"

"The jock gave one look at those two guns that Baldwin was pointing straight at him. Then he gave Baldwin's horse his head, and set down to ride for all that was in him, and the horse under him cantered in ten lengths to the good on the bit. As long as 'Lucky' Baldwin was on the eastern turf after that no jockey ever tried to work one of his horses."

"Why do you speak of him as a finished artist?"

"Because he told me he was utterly discouraged and was going to quit the profession. If that doesn't show that he's finished, I don't know what does."

—Chicago Post.

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For Infants and Children.

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A Slight Defect.

A weather stained, creaking wagon drew up in front of a photographer's establishment in a Georgia town. Beneath its body a lean hound came to a standstill. A man clad in jeans trousers, homespun shirt and gaiters of coat or vest emerged from the vehicle's interior extremity. Settling his soft slouch hat on the back of his head, he adjusted his lone gallus and gave the lines to the wife and baby within. Behind them, from the dome of canvas beyond, peered, big eyed and solemn, numerous editions of the lord and master.

Entering the shop, the stranger paused before a case of sample photographs and, pointing to one, said, "Mister, what d'yer charge fer takin' pictures like that?"

"Three dollars a dozen," replied the clerk.

Thrusting his hands into his pockets, he turned thoughtfully toward the wagon, and, pointing to it, said, "I'll have ter wait a bit," he said softly to himself. "I ain't got but 'leven."

One Passenger Too Many.

A good story is going the rounds of the offices of the Metropolitan Street Railway company concerning the wonderful presence of mind displayed recently by a new conductor on one of the company's trolley cars. This particular car was bowling along up Broadway recently when it was hailed and boarded by a company inspector.

The official hurriedly counted the passengers in the car and found that there were nine. Then he cast his eye up to the register and found that there had been only eight fares rung up. He disclosed his identity to the new conductor and called attention to the discrepancy. Slowly and painfully the new hand counted over his passengers and then scanned his register.

"Begorra, an you're right, sir," he said and promptly stopped the car.

"Say," he demanded, addressing the passengers in an authoritative manner, "wan o' youse fellows' hov to git off the car-r."

Cleaning Oil Paintings.

An art journal suggests raw potatoes to clean oil paintings. Have a few potatoes at hand, each cut in halves. The fresh surface is dampened slightly with cold water and used to rub the canvas. As the potatoes show soil the surface is sliced off and the rubbing continued. This process will create a little lather, which should be wiped off as fast as it accumulates with a clean, damp sponge. When the whole canvas is cleaned, it should be washed over lightly with clean water from which the chill has been taken and finally the water carefully wiped off with an old clean silk handkerchief. Raw potatoes to clean paintings are frequently in demand by artists.

The Collection.

While lecturing his congregation rather strongly on a recent Sunday about slack attendance and small collections a minister of a church in an English city used the following eloquent and forcible sentence: "Yes, brethren, our collection of a little over £30 last Sunday included no fewer than 500 halfpennies. We all know about the widow's mite, and I am sure we are very glad to receive it; but I don't think there are 500 widows in this congregation!"

Witness My Hand.

In the early days only a few scholars, priests and clerics knew how to write. It was then customary to sign a document by smearing the hand with ink and impressing it upon the paper, accompanied by the words, "Witness my hand." Afterward the seal was introduced as a substitute for the hand, and the words used with the words above quoted, the two forming the signature. This is the origin of the expression as used in modern documents.

Just as Bad.

Educated Egyptian—You have no wonderful hieroglyphics in your country, sir; no mysterious inscriptions, no decipherable relics of an ancient literature whose secrets the wise men of the world have tried for ages to discover.

Tourist—No, we haven't any of those things, but (brightening up) we've got our "railway guides"—London Fun.

Novel Ammunition.

During the sieges of medieval times it was very common for the beleaguers to throw from their catapults and other military engines dead bodies of dogs, swine, together with pieces of horse-flesh and similar carrion into the city or castle besieged in order that the defenders might by the stench of this putridity be forced to a surrender.

Well Concocted.

"What was the matter with Proudfoot that he made such a fool of himself last night?"

"Oh, somebody had offended him unwittingly, and he was standing on his dignity."

"Oh, was he? I wondered what had become of it."

One Way of Looking at It.

Mabel—Miss Small is treating poor Johnstone shamefully!

Ethel—Oh, really, I haven't heard anything.

Mabel—Haven't you? They say she's going to marry him.

Blood oranges are sometimes artificially produced by injecting a few drops of claret through a small aperture in the rind.

A SURGEON'S BLUNDEF.

Artery Severed While Undergoing an Operation—No Longer Necessary to Use the Knife for Piles.

Saturday's paper contained the account of an accident whereby a young lady lost her life. While undergoing an operation the surgeon's knife slipped, an artery was severed, and before the surgeon knew the result of his error the patient was in a dying condition.

Every surgical operation is attended with great risk to life as well as being a severe strain on the patient's system and an expensive method of treatment. Doctors formerly recommended an operation as the only cure for piles, but that day is past, since Dr. Chase's Ointment has proven its absolute control over every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles.

Physicians who are considerate of the well-being of their patients do not hesitate to recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment, and only those having a mania for operations claim that cruel method of treatment. By promptly stopping the distressing itching and burning Dr. Chase's Ointment brings quick and lasting relief.

Rev. S. A. Duprau, Methodist minister, Concession, Prince Edward County, Ont., states:—"I was troubled with itching and bleeding piles for years, and they ultimately attained to a very violent form. Large lumps or abscesses formed so that it was with great difficulty and considerable pain that I was able to stool at this very severe crisis I purchased a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment, but had little or no faith in it, as I had tried various remedies before and to no purpose."

"Now, imagine how great and joyous was my surprise to find that just the one box cured me, so that the lumps disappeared and also the external swelling. I feel like a different man today and have not the least doubt that Dr. Chase's Ointment saved me from a very dangerous and painful operation and many years of suffering. It is with the greatest pleasure and with a thankful heart that I give this testimonial, knowing that Dr. Chase's Ointment has done so much for me. You are at perfect liberty to use this testimonial as you see fit for the benefit of others similarly afflicted."

Dr. Chase's Ointment has been endorsed by many people, including doctors and professional men, than any similar preparation the world has ever known. It is the standard ointment of the world, and positively the only actual cure for piles. 50 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

What is the difference between a bottle of medicine and a naughty boy?

One is to be well shaken before taken and the other is to be shaken and then taken.

The English "Society for the Prevention of Consumption," presided over by the Prince of Wales, was addressed by Sir William Broadbent, who stated that it was definitely known that every case of consumption began with a germ communicated from some other case. The germ was something as inherited consumption. There may be local weakness which tends to consumption, but the germ has absolutely to be planted in that soil before consumption can ensue. This ought to comfort thousands of people who have "weak chests" or "weak lungs." They are not forced victims of this dread disease. All that is needed is absolute disinfection to this deadly scourge, is to be able to strengthen the weak lungs, and build up a strong body. The answer to this need is found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It so purifies the blood and increases the blood supply, that disease is thrown off, and the weak organs are nourished into perfect health, which defies germs of every kind. People, given up by doctors, emaciated, bleeding of the lungs, with obstinate, lingering coughs, are being cured every day by the use of "Golden Medical Discovery." It is a strictly temperance medicine containing no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant.

A college education is a good thing, but many a graduate finds himself overtrained.

Pain in the Back

makes life miserable. Can it be cured? Yes, in one night. Poison's Nervine gives a complete relief to pain in the back, for it penetrates through the tissues, takes out the soreness and pain, invigorates tired muscles, and makes you feel like a new man. Nervine cures quickly because it is stronger, more penetrating, more highly pain-subduing than any other remedy. Don't suffer another minute, get Nervine quick and rub it in for sure as you were born it will cure you. 25c.

A man can be too confident in others, but never too confident in himself.

Minard's Liniment Cures Gargot in Cows.

In the human race the butcher holds the steaks.

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Dear Sirs—I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT in my stable for some years and consider it the very best for horse flesh I can get, and strongly recommend it.

GEO. HOUGH.

Livery Stables, Quebec.

Every time you complain some one thinks less of you.

There is no longer a rage for photographs of professionals.

FUN OF THE DAY.

Landlord—I just came over to tell you that I've decided to raise your rent.

Tenant (interrupting)—Well, you needn't bother about it. I've decided to move.

Landlord—Oh! I merely desired to say that I had decided to raise your porch where it seems to sag there at the corner, and also to paper the bedrooms, and, of course, you will not, since you have decided to move, care to hear anything further about my plans. Good day. I hope you'll like it where you're going.

"What would you say," began the voluble prophet of woe, "if I were to tell you that in a very short space of time all the rivers in this country would dry up?"

"I would say," replied the patient man, "Go thou and do likewise."

Barber—Why is it that you and your brothers are so bald?

Victim (whispering)—It's because our hair has fallen out.

"Cook, we haven't any milk to put in the butter cakes."

"Oh, well, mum, I'll use water; there ain't much difference."

First Beggar—Why didn't you tackle that lady? She might have given you something!

Second Beggar—I let her go because I understand my business better than you. I never ask a woman for anything when she is alone, but when two women are together you can get money from both, because each one is afraid the other will think her stingy, if she refuses. This profession has to be studied just like any other if you expect to make a success of it—see?

Mrs. Youngwife (at breakfast)—There is no bread on the table, Nora.

Nora—Sure, there's none in the house, mum.

Mrs. Youngwife (severely)—Then make some toast.

Laura—I am afraid you love another, Jack.

Jack—How can you talk that way, dearest? I've kissed you thirty times in the last two minutes.

Laura—But if you really loved me, you wouldn't keep count.

A woman enjoys nothing better than to read a letter in the presence of other women and smile occasionally.

Inexperienced Rider—What! you wish me to pay in advance? Are you afraid I shan't come back with the horse?

Proprietor of Livery Stable—Ahem! It is just possible the horse may come back without you.

Householder—I caught a man peering into my parlor window last night.

Friend—Robber?

Householder—No, rubber.

He—What do you girls call that club of yours?

She—The Analytical.

He—H'm! What do you analyze?

She—Other people's reputations chiefly.

Yest's Story and Its Application.

Senator Vest's most famous anecdote is that of Miss Bertie Allendale. It was told when the two chambers were arrayed against each other on the tariff of 1894 and the House was insisting that the country would go without any tariff at all unless the Senate were prepared to forego its own schedules and adopt those of the House.

"In my younger days out West," said Mr. Vest, "I went into a variety theatre one night."

"It was one of those primitive shows where the stage manager comes before the footlights without a coat and waistcoat and with his shirt sleeves rolled up to the elbows, to announce the next number on the programme."

"Miss Bertie Allendale," remarked the stage manager, appearing in one of the interludes, "who has entranced two hemispheres with her wonderful vocal powers, will now render, in her inimitable style, that exquisite vocal selection entitled 'Down in the Valley.'"

"A gentleman in a red flannel shirt rose in the midst of the audience and exclaimed in an impressive bass voice: Oh, thunder! Miss Allendale can't sing for green apples."

"The manager, who had started to leave the stage, halted and turned. An ugly light flashed from the eye which swept the audience and finally rested on the face of the interrupter. Raising one shoulder higher than the other, letting one hand drift significantly toward his hip pocket, and thrusting his other jaw forward in a savage way, he observed with a deliberateness which emphasized every syllable, 'Nevertheless and notwithstanding, Miss Bertie Allendale will sing 'Down in the Valley.'"

"And she did, so, likewise, nevertheless and notwithstanding, the Senate schedules will stand."—St. Louis Republic.

Get the Job.

The young man stood before the great steel magnate. A moment later the latter looked up.

He stared at the rough clothing, the muddled shoes and the unkempt hair of the youth.

"Well," he said.

The youth retained his presence of mind. He wanted a job because he needed it.

"Sir," he said, "I have come—"

He got no further. A smile irradiated the magnate's face.

"That's all right," he said; "the job is yours. I was afraid at first that you might be one of those worthless college graduates."

And when the youth, the valiant defender of his class and the pride of the university, again faced his mirror he winked expressively at his own reflection.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

DOCTORS AT SEA.

Many a man has to abandon his desk because of neuralgia. The torture sometimes is almost unbearable. E. C. Dean, city editor of the Daily British Whig, Kingston, Ontario, suffered with neuralgia in the head for twelve months. Six physicians failed to relieve him, but three bottles of Dr. Hall's Rheumatic Cure completely cured him. This great blood purifier is put up in bottles containing ten days' treatment. Price, 50 cents at all drug stores or The Dr. Hall Medicine Co., Kingston, Ont.

He that is good for making excuses is seldom good for anything else.

The Asthma's Agony.

Wakeful nights, suffocating sensations, difficult breathing. Who can describe it? This disease, partly congestive, partly the result of microbe irritation, is no longer treated by nauseous, stomach destroying drugs, but by Catarrhose, that destroys the microbe, relieves congestion and relaxes the nervous irritability that renders breathing so difficult. The medication is carried by the air you breathe to the weakest seat of the disease, and removes at once the cause. The great discovery is known as Catarrhose. Its influence upon Asthma is simply marvellous. Catarrhose prevents as well as cures, and is the only remedy guaranteed to cure. Your money back if it fails. Two sizes at all dealers, 25c. and 50c.

Where the speech is corrupted, the mind is also.

A True Brain Food.

must replace the feeling of lassitude and mental tiredness by clearness and strength of mind. Not that it goes directly to the brain, but that it goes to the true brain food must be carried by rich, red blood. If mental fatigue worries and alarms you, look not to the brain, but the stomach and assimilative organs. No remedy yet discovered possesses the power that Ferrozone has demonstrated in thousands of cases. Ferrozone does not stimulate the brain into a fitful glow, but by improving digestion, strengthening the nervous system, stimulating assimilation, giving new strength to the heart, it sends a stream of red vitalizing blood to the brain. Thus it is a true brain food. Ferrozone is sold by McCall & Co.

Experience is the extract of suffering.

Permanent Muscular Strength.

There is this to be borne in mind in these days when so many young men are giving so much attention to muscular development, in gymnastic and athletic exercises, that there cannot be permanent muscular strength if there is not blood strength.

Hood's Sarsaparilla gives blood strength, promotes digestion and assimilation, and builds up the whole system.

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Your gossip ever finds a host of friends to lecture to.

The things that interest us most are things that are not true.

\$25.00 Colorado and Return

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New and stylish Summer Millinery at less than half price. You shouldn't miss this opportunity:—

Ladies Straw Outing Hats, the latest shapes, worth regularly \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, for \$1.25.

Any Trimmed Hat at Half Price.

NEW FRENCH FLANNELS
The newest patterns and designs in French
Flannels, per yard 50c.

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Don't delay. Come with the crowds and get your choice of new and up-to-date Footwear.

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IT IS JUST RIGHT.

Leave it to your foot to judge the kind of shoe you ought to wear.

A shoe that fits right should feel right the first time you put it on.

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"Sovereign Shoes" are made right—they fit right, they look right, they are right.

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Little gents' sizes, too. Stamped on the sole,

"Sovereign Shoe."

Sold by D. Turrill and J. L. Campbell.

DEAD EMPRESS

Simple, but impressive Funeral Service at Cronberg

Cronberg, Aug. 8.—The funeral service held at Friedrichshoff late this afternoon was simple, but highly impressive. It was performed at the request of the late Dowager Empress by the Bishop of Ripon, her own chaplain, assisted by the Rev. Thos. Teigmouth Shore, canon of Worcester. The coffin stood in the death chamber, covered with a long black pall and strewn with white roses. At the foot, with bowed head and silent tears, stood Emperor William in the uniform of the Black Hussars, the regiment of the late Dowager Empress. Just behind him were the other members of the royal family, except Prince Henry of Prussia. The service was conducted entirely without music. It consisted of a portion of the burial service of the Church of England, the 90th Psalm, a reading from the first epistle to the Corinthians and the benediction. The congregation rendered the responses. Immediately after its conclusion, Emperor William and the Empress drove back to Homburg. Count Von Waldersee will arrive here Saturday to report personally to the Emperor, and it is expected he will attend the service on Sunday.

SEVEN DROWED

Steamer Kincora sunk by the Oceanic—Collision in the Channel.

Queenstown, Aug. 8.—The White Star Line steamer Oceanic, Capt. Cameron, which sailed from Liverpool yesterday for New York, via Queenstown, arrived here this morning, and reported having been in collision last night in the Irish Channel with the steamer Kincora, of Waterford, Ireland. The Kincora sank. Seven persons were drowned.

The collision occurred in a fog. The bow of the Oceanic was damaged. The Kincora was a coasting vessel of 453 tons, trading between Waterford and Limerick. She had a crew of fourteen men. The Oceanic brought the seven survivors to this port. She belonged to the Waterford Steamship Company.

Later details of the collision show that the only damage sustained by the Oceanic consists in a few dents to her port plates. She proceeded at 3.50 p. m. The collision occurred this side of Tunker, at about 1.30 in the morning. The fog was very dense. The Kincora was struck amidship. All the passengers of the Oceanic were in bed at the time, and there was some commotion until Captain Cameron assured them that there was not the least cause for alarm. Headway was kept on the Oceanic after she struck the Kincora, in order to give the crew of the latter a chance to clamber on board the Oceanic. The boats were lowered to rescue every man possible. The Kincora sank very rapidly. The Oceanic remained in the vicinity of the collision until daylight, but nothing was then visible beyond some floating wreckage.

GOOD GAME

Chatham Cricketers had Splendid Practice Match Yesterday—Aiken and Kenny Made Scores.

A practice game of cricket was played on Tecumseh Park yesterday afternoon between two teams, picked off by W. B. Wells and R. Hutchinson. Mr. Wells' side went to bat first and were all out for a total of 97, which were made principally by Marks, Aiken, Wells and Rutledge. Aiken made the score of his side—28. For Hutchinson's side, Kenny and Richardson went to bat first and before the first wicket had fallen 10 runs had been scored. The batting was principally done by Kenny who made 44, Richardson who made 17, and Batts who made 18. The fielding of George Anderson for Wells' side was a feature. Hutchinson's side won by 19 runs with three men not out. The score was as follows:

WELLS' SIDE.	
Rutherford, b. Richardson.....	15
Anderson, b. Richardson.....	1
Wells, c. Richardson, b. Hutchinson.....	10
Marks, b. Richardson.....	21
Aiken, b. Richardson.....	28
Wynn, b. Richardson.....	0
Korley, b. Richardson.....	0
Robertson, c. Odershaw, b. Richardson.....	0
Taylor, not out.....	2
Chrysler, c. Richardson, b. Kenny.....	0
H. Gordon, b. Kenny.....	0
Pepper, b. Kenny.....	8
Extras.....	8
Total.....	97

HUTCHINSON'S SIDE.	
Kenny, b. Aiken.....	44
Richardson, b. Aiken.....	17
Batts, run out.....	18
Odershaw, b. Marks.....	0
Reid, b. Marks.....	0
Foreman, b. Marks.....	0
Rankin, b. Rutherford.....	9
Byrde, retired, not out.....	7
Smith, b. Marks.....	0
Hutchinson, retired, not out.....	5
Spranger, b. Rutherford.....	2
Gordon, not out.....	0
Extras.....	12
Total.....	116

Majority for Hutchinson, 19.

THE RUSSIAN DROUGHT.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 8.—The continued drought has extended the area of crop damage, which includes the Baltic provinces. In the West Siberian and Volga Provinces an almost total crop failure is expected.

—If you are losing appetite, lying awake nights, take Hood's Sarsaparilla—it's just the tonic you need.

GOOD SHOOTING

Marksman's Competition at Leamington was Exceedingly Keen.

(Special to The Planet.)
Leamington, Aug. 9.—The big shooting tournament opened here yesterday, was largely attended and was in every way a success.

The competition brought hither the best marksman from all over Western Ontario and many parts of Michigan, and the shooting was exceptionally good. It practically proved necessary for the shooter to secure a straight score to come within sight of the prize money.

The day was ideal and the shooting throughout was exceptionally keen. Wood, of Detroit, and Chas. Scane, of Ridgeway, carried off the principal honors of the first day with splendid scores.

Several marksman from Chatham entered the lists and three of them secured a share of the prize money, viz. John Moore, A. C. McKay and Jos. Oldershaw.

The Chathamites are making arrangements with the marksman here to hold another big tournament in the Maple City early next month.

WORK OF FLOOD

Many Thousands of Chinese have Perished—Overflowing of Yang Tse River Responsible.

Victoria, B. C., August 8.—Great floods, caused by the overflowing of the Yang Tse, have caused the death of many thousands in China. The river has risen 40 feet, and for hundreds of miles that country is a great lake, with only tops of trees and an occasional roof showing.

At Anking the town is flooded, some of the houses to the roofs. At Kiu Kang the native town is flooded, and two feet of water stands in the foreign settlements. Lower down the river toward Suu Hue, the destruction was greater and boatmen estimated that 20,000 were drowned in the district. Chong Teh was wiped away by floods and 10,000 drowned there, and many other points have been inundated, involving awful loss of life and great destruction of property.

It was feared that an embankment built by Chang Sheh Tung, near Wo Chong, would break, and cause the drowning of hundreds of thousands. News was given in the Empress of Japan's advice that Hong Kong police seized, July 16, at a house in Queen's Road West, many hundred new Mausers, old hammer and needle guns, several hundred revolvers and Chinese horse pistols, with ammunition of various kinds and reloading and repairing tools. A Chinese junk owner says his vessel had been chartered by Europeans to land the arms at Samai.

GREAT GARDEN

P. F. Strong says that There is no Land Like That in Kent for Farming Purposes.

P. F. Strong, of Tilbury North, was in Amherstburg on Wednesday last, ordering building stones for a new residence. He reports to the Echo that crops are grand. He threshed 138 bushels of wheat from seven acres. Corn never was better. Part of his farm is below the level of Lake St. Clair, being part of the tract of land owned by the Big Creek drainage scheme. He bought part of the land for 50 cents per acre, and he is now selling lots for summer residences, along the river for from \$20 to \$100, and is also raising crops (they are world beaters). The G. T. R. crosses one of his farms, and the C. P. R. and M. C. R. are near at hand as also the River Thames and Lake St. Clair. Mr. Strong was for many years R. E. of Rochester and could knock the whole county council out on Ruscon drain matters. He says no man who wants to farm need go to the Northwest or lies right in Tilbury North, and look at Mr. Strong and see how he is growing younger govt to prove it. He says that Tilbury North is completely drained and gives Clerk Tremblay credit for carrying out the scheme so successfully and cheaply.

\$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 cause 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: FRANK J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

SHOT TWO ITALIANS.

Halifax, N. S., August 8.—Frank Skinner, shot and probably fatally wounded Michael Aneva and Alexander Galica at Sydney yesterday afternoon. All are Italians. The shooting was the outcome of an old grudge.

THE DISTRICT

DRESDEN

Aug. 9.—Mrs. Austin Pickard, of St. Louis, is visiting her mother, Mrs. D. Huff, Centre street.
Miss Mabel Harvey, of St. Thomas, is visiting Misses Helen and Jessie McVean.
The Vienna arrived yesterday with a load of lumber for Laird Bros.
Mr and Mrs. McIntosh of the Clifford House, with a number of others, spent yesterday at Mitchell's day.
Don't forget the firemen's excursion on August 15th.

TILBURY

Aug. 9.—Miss Maud Shaw returned yesterday from a week's visit at Oury and Merlin.
Miss Lizzie Sales, of Merlin, is the guest of Miss Shaw.
The local senior football team is expected to go to Wheatley to-day.
Flax growers generally express satisfaction with the results of the crop here this season.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holland, of Cleveland, late of Sudbury, are visiting the latter's mother here, Mrs. Coutts.
Tilbury is reported to have had another elopement on Tuesday night, when a local butcher is alleged to have eloped with his landlady.
A bazaar under the auspices of St. Francis' congregation will be continued for one week in the separate school building, about the middle of October. There are four contestants for prizes. Miss Electa Aubin, Eagan, Eliza Trudell and Alvina Laliberte. The following committee is in charge: Mrs. Phaneuff, pres.; Mrs. McKee, 1st vice; Mrs. C. Trudell, 2nd vice; Mrs. A. Ouellette, treasurer; Mrs. L. Laliberte, assistant treasurer.
The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

THE UNDOING OF A DOUBLE is the title of the thrilling serial story which opens in Saturday's paper. Get a Planet and read the opening chapters.

LOUISVILLE.

Mrs. Alfred Merritt, of this place, met with a very serious accident last Wednesday evening. She was driving the horses for Mr. Merritt to unload with the slings, when the singletrees slipped from the doubletree, and struck her knocking her down. She is in a very critical condition, and there is very little hope of her recovery. The Oddfellows of Louisville are going to have an ice-cream social on Jas. Gordon's lawn, on Tuesday evening, August 27th. They expect to have one of the best programs that can be procured regardless of expense. Mrs. Robert Biggart is visiting friends in Dresden.

One dollar will secure The Daily Planet from the present time until December first. Start your subscription before Saturday's issue and commence reading the new serial story. It's immense.

CEDAR SPRINGS.

Messrs. O. Conlin, M. Lancaster, W. Gill, H. McPherson and E. Murdoch took in the harvest excursion to the west on Tuesday. Messrs. C. and W. Trevin will go on Tuesday next. Many others talk of going, which will make labor scarce in this vicinity.
Messrs. Linley Bros. have purchased the Roe estate of 180 acres, near the intersection of the Chicago, is spending her holidays here.
The extreme dry weather is seriously affecting the bean crop.
The Union Methodist S. S. hold annual picnic at Pardo's grove to-day.
The ladies' aid of the Methodist church will hold a lawn social at the residence of Mrs. C. W. Maines on Tuesday, August 13th.

CROTON.

Harvey MacDonald purchased a thoroughbred cow last week.
Walker Skinner was moving a building in Dawn Ave. Saturday.
D. Healy visited Chatham Saturday last.
Master Stanley Hanks is visiting friends here.
Herb and Bert Biggam have returned from St. Thomas.
Wm. Smith continues ill.
Mrs. Smith and Ada, of the 11th concession, visited friends at Petroska last week.
Mr. Emery is quite ill.
There was a glow in the Patron Hall every night last week by a medicine company.
Harvest is about finished in this vicinity.

The Florence band will have a picnic on the 14th at Gunne's Grove. Several are going up to the Northwest to harvest from here.
Percy Parrell is some better.
Mr. Walkington received the prize from the medicine company.
Wm. Christner passed through the village en route for Timonville.
Advertising pays, there is not a doubt of it. Farmers in going to this city rarely ever miss perusing the columns of The Planet before going to make purchases.
John Simon will have a very fine house when completed.
Some from where took in the lot of August at Dresden.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

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Keeping

Everlastingly at it means attending to business just as sharply in August as in May or June.

This store is always in evidence, and what we are doing now with the balance of summer goods is enough to keep the trade guessing.

Anybody can see at a glance that these are bargains:—

Any Straw Hat in the store at just half the regular price.

Any Bicycle Suit in the store, regular prices of which were from \$4.00 to \$5.50, for \$2.45

Fine fancy striped Balbriggan Underwear, beautifully finished, all sizes, regular price per garment 75c, reduced to 50c

It is certainly to your advantage to pay present prices.

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Furniture and Carpets

Parlor Suites

Made of Silk Tapestry, with buttoned backs, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00.
Three Piece Suites, with Mahogany finished frames, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00.
Rug Suites of good and serviceable rugs, \$32.00, \$38.00, \$45.00, worth \$40.00, \$50.00 and \$60.00.

Bedroom Suites

A Special Line from \$10. \$12. Do not fail to see these Suites.
Polished Oak Suites, with British bevel mirrors, \$25.00, \$35.00.
We are offering a special line of CARPETS at 50c per yard, worth 60c and 65c per yard. Made and laid free of charge.

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Turn up the sole of an old shoe! You'll find it worn out in spots only.

Lots of leather unused, wasted. A few square inches only, ground away under pressure points of foot sole.

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Not so with The Resilia Sole in the \$5.00 Slater Shoe!

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Fine soft finished wovens, handsomely woven in quiet effects, and mixed stripes and checks, nicest goods in the market.

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DIVED TO DEATH.

Toronto, August 8.—John C. Carlow, a young man of 23 years of age, son of Major Carlow, formerly paymaster of the Grand Trunk railway, was drowned this evening while bathing in the lake at Parkdale. He had taken a boat and rowed out, anchoring the boat. After swimming for a bit he took a dive from the boat, and never rose again. The boat was discovered with his clothes in, and a young man named Chas. Waddell attempted to find his body, but without success. The body has not been found.

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