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HER IMPRESSIONS LEAVES THE CITY

Mrs. Barth Says That Chatham is an Ideal City—Gives an Interview

Mrs. Barth, of New York, a former newspaper woman, who has been spending the last few days in the city, has the following to say of Chatham ladies:—

You want me to say something about the people that I have met here during my stay. If you were to ask me what I thought of your homes and your women, ah! there I feel I can start as Miss Remington did last night at the Garner Hotel. I bow most profoundly and say a la Japonaise; I hang on your eyelashes. I really do want to express my admiration of your women. I have never in all my travels met a more delightful reception nor a more gracious treatment. As a perfect stranger to everyone, with nothing but my card of introduction to explain the nature of my call, I was made more than welcome, and every opportunity was given me to explain my business. In other words, my work, which is a most difficult task at best, was turned into a delightful privilege. I shall long remember the hospitality of the ladies of Chatham and their interest and kindness to a perfect stranger.

Now, to say something about your homes: they are delightful—ideal. Each one in their turn seems to express culture, taste, refinement of its mistress—the flowers, the rugs, the statuary, and everything which goes to make home beautiful—wherever your eye may turn. Then the universal interest which seems to be uppermost in all their minds—the Fair of All Nations, a most worthy cause for every woman to put her whole heart and soul into. It shows the tenderness of the woman as we wish to always find her—lovable, gracious and unselfish.

REAL ESTATE AT A BARGAIN

House, two lots and stable—ideal. Each one in their turn seems to express culture, taste, refinement of its mistress—the flowers, the rugs, the statuary, and everything which goes to make home beautiful—wherever your eye may turn. Then the universal interest which seems to be uppermost in all their minds—the Fair of All Nations, a most worthy cause for every woman to put her whole heart and soul into. It shows the tenderness of the woman as we wish to always find her—lovable, gracious and unselfish.

New house and two lots adjoining city, \$650.
Modern house, west Chatham, \$1,350.

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Dr. Bell Presented With a Surgical Case by Local Medical Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Chatham Medical and Surgical Society was held in County Clerk Jonas Gosnell's office, Harrison Hall, last Friday evening, commencing at eight o'clock.

There were present, Dr. R. V. Bray, Sullivan, J. L. Bray, Fleming, T. K. Holmes, W. R. Hall, J. H. Duncan, O. R. Charteris, Bell, Musson, K. Holmes and J. W. Rutherford.

The President and Secretary were instructed to draft a letter relative to the position of the society in connection with the Canadian Association for the prevention of tuberculosis, and to forward the same to the meeting at Ottawa on March 28.

Dr. Duncan gave a verbal report on a case of carbolic acid poisoning, and the treatment applied. Some very interesting discussion was indulged in by all present.

Dr. J. L. Bray gave a brief outline of some of the suggestions or proposed changes which the medical council, of which he is a member, have under consideration. The council, he said, will appear before the Legislature, during the present session.

Dr. R. V. Bray then, on behalf of the society, presented Dr. Chas. Bell, who is leaving shortly for Australia, with a handsome surgical bag.

Dr. Bell thanked the society for their kind gift, and said that his relations with the medical men of the Maple City have always been most pleasant, and the gift they had seen fit to present him with would serve to carry his thoughts back to the meetings of the society, and be a reminder of the kindness he has always experienced at the hands of the medical men of Chatham.

All the members present spoke in the highest terms of Dr. Bell professionally, and as a man, expressing the hope that he and Mrs. Bell would have a pleasant and safe voyage.

The secretary expressed regrets from Drs. Agar, J. P. Rutherford and Geo. T. McKeough, on their inability to be present, and saying they joined in extending to Dr. Bell the heartiest of good wishes.

Dr. T. K. Holmes will present a paper at the next meeting of the society, which will be held in April.

A woman will work a week on a gown in order to look pretty two hours.

A STRANGE COINCIDENCE

Rev. Mr. MacGillivray Runs Across Evidences of Banwell's Escape

STAYED IN SAME HOUSE

Rev. Mr. MacGillivray, pastor of the First Church, tells of a rather peculiar coincidence which occurred during his stay in Nashville, Tenn., while attending the Students Convention held in that place last week.

At the time when the Canadian delegates arrived, all the best available hotels in the city were taken up, and Mr. MacGillivray with others was forced to put up at quarters that were not altogether as congenial as they might be. However, the genial Chatham clergyman was fortunate in later being informed of a better class lodging place, where there was a vacancy.

On the first day of his stay at this place, he was informed by the mistress of the house, that she had only met one other Canadian besides himself in her life. She said that this gentleman had stopped at her place about a month previously, and had brought his wife with him. Both were quite young, she said, and while they were at her place they seemed particularly anxious that no one should see them. They rented rooms in the basement, and seldom ventured out on the street. They had quite an amount of baggage with them, and one mysterious looking grip which the man never cared to leave out of his sight. He appeared to have quite an amount of money with him, all of which was Canadian, so that when he settled up with her he always had to go out and have it changed for American currency.

Mr. MacGillivray is convinced that the mysterious young couple must have been Banwell, the runaway bank clerk of Toronto, and his wife.

WAS REPORT TAMPERED WITH?

Ugly Rumors in Connection With Teachers' Salaries Report

WILL BE INVESTIGATED

An ugly rumor is being circulated on the street to-day to the effect that the report on the Teachers' salaries presented at the last meeting of the Public School Board, the full text of which appeared in the columns of this journal, was not presented in the same shape in which it was left at the conclusion of the meeting of the Salary committee, who were appointed to recommend certain increases.

It seems the report, after it was drafted, was left in a down town office, to be typewritten. In the process of the typewriting, it is claimed, evidences of a fine Italian hand are prominent and certain changes are said to have been made in the text, and allegations against a certain individual are to be made. The question seems to be, were the changes made through clerical errors, or through premeditation on the part of this individual?

The rumors have assumed a very serious aspect and the matter should be dealt with seriously by the Board. Investigations of a minute character are in order and the individual referred to should either be acquitted of this serious charge or proven guilty, and, in either case, shown up in his true light.

If the party is innocent the individual should not be kept under the ban of this accusation.

CHATHAM MEN GET WARNINGS

Some Secret and Savage Society Causes Uneasiness in Two Homes

SEE ROMANS VIII AND 34

Manager Fred. Brisco, of the Grand Opera House, was last week in receipt of two rather peculiar messages or warnings as the case may be. These came in the shape of post cards through the mail. They were addressed to Mr. Brisco in a rather scrawling Spencerian hand, and the correspondence side of the cards simply contained the following line: "Romans VIII., 34."

The text, on being looked up in the Bible, is found to be as follows: "Who is he that condemneth? It is Christ that died, yea rather, is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who also maketh intercession for us."

What reference this text has to Mr. Brisco, no one has been able to fathom.

Strange as it may seem, on the same days as Mr. Brisco received these messages, another gentleman, who works in the Gray factory, was in receipt of post cards bearing similar weird inscriptions. This man paid little or no attention to the first card, until on the same evening, as he was passing along the street to his home, he was surprised to hear someone repeating the text. He looked around. No one was in sight.

He was further startled on the evening after he had received the second card, to hear a loud pounding at his front door, in the dead of the night. On going down, he could see no one, but cold chills did a zig-zag stunt up and down his spinal column, and a low, mocking laugh resounded a short distance from his domicile.

Both Mr. Brisco and the gentleman last referred to are anxious to discover who the author of the strange messages may be.

THE NEW RAILWAY

Farmers and Other Residents in East Kent May Own and Operate an Electric Line

An electric road to be owned, controlled and operated under the direction of the farmers and other residents of East Kent, is an enterprise seeking a charter from the Legislature through the instrumentality of their representative, Mr. P. H. Bowyer, M. P. P.

The road is to serve a large agricultural community at present without travelling and shipping facilities. The proposed route extends from the Electric Lighthouse, through Road Eau Government Park to Morpeth and thence to Ridgetown, Thamesville, Dresden and Wallaceburg. Mr. Bowyer presented the bill for its first reading yesterday.

The provisional directorate includes Messrs. B. W. Willson and Robert Hamilton, of Ridgetown; Dr. Stewart, of Thamesville; Mr. D. A. Gordon, M. P., of Wallaceburg, and Mr. H. D. Smith, of Chatham.

H. D. Smith, one of the directors of the road, in conversation with The Planet this morning said:

The road will start at Government Park piers, and will proceed through the Park along Lake Erie to the Morpeth dock, thence it will go along the Erie street road to Morpeth, Ridgetown and Thamesville, covering the best bean growing district in this county. Then it will pass through the best growing district, through Dresden, Florence and Wallaceburg.

"The road as a north and south proposition is one that is absolutely without competition, and has been desired by the people for many years. It gives connection with the Trunk lines east and west—the P. M., the G. T. R., the M. C. R. and the C. P. R.—thus giving the farmers one of the best railway services in the Province.

"The promoters of the road are confident of success. It is thought that the road will be a success both both as a passenger and freight proposition and a summer road. This will open up Government Park and make it the most popular summer resort in this county.

"East Kent people may rest assured that the road will go through if they give it reasonable assistance in the way of rights of way, over land, and the crossing of bridges, etc., lighting, heating, telegraph and telephone franchises."

SEATS TO-MORROW

Seats go on sale to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock for the Sophie Brandt Opera Co., the season's best musical offering. A glittering musical frivolity, "A Madcap Princess." The cast includes 60 people—catchy music and a grand beauty chorus.

Some men do the hardest kind of work trying to make others work.

Some watches are not worth the time it takes to wind them.

A SNAP...

...IN...

CUSHION

TOPS...

I bought the exclusive control of a line of Cushion Tops when in New York, the greatest snap I ever saw. The top and material to work it for 25c.

We usually sell the top alone for 25c. With this line we throw in the material. We have

Five Beautiful Patterns

And the quantity we have will only last a week. Come early and get your share. This line has been advertised in the Ladies' Home Journal and several other periodicals, and is a great bargain.

SULMAN'S

BEEHIVE,

P.S.—This is the last ad. we will have in of bargains till after Wall Paper Trade is over. We are going to tell you something about Wall Paper next week. We have the stock and it must be sold.

SULMAN'S

BEEHIVE,

YES!

Mistakes that have influenced the lives and fortunes of many have been made by saying Yes when we should have said No. We ask you for your Grocery Order. You will make no mistake in saying

YES!

- 20 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.
- 1 doz. Cucumber Pickles for 12cts. (spiced).
- 2 Cans Salmon, 25c.
- 7 Bars Mowse's Best Soap, 25c.
- 25c Wash Board for 20c.
- 22 lbs. Best Yellow Sugar for \$1.00.
- 3 lbs. Prunes for 25c.
- 1 Tin Sunlight Baking Powder for 10c.
- 3 10c. Bottles of Extract Vanilla or Lemon, 25c.
- 10c Boxes of Magic Starch Polish for 8c.
- Smoked Shoulders, 12½c in the whole

NO

mistake will you make if, looking for dishes, you see our stock being sold at cost. We have a large assortment of Dinner, Tea, and China Sets, China and Glassware. The bargains are yours. They must be cleared out.

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Aunt Mary is very trim and neat. She always makes good things to eat. As you have often heard it said, She makes the very best of bread.

See her twin loaves, two in a pan. Would tickle the palate of any man. Of dyspepsia you will have no dread. If you eat Aunt Mary's Homemade Bread.

If you get a loaf at the grocery store, You will be sure to want some more. Or stop the wagon that's painted red. And get a loaf of Aunt Mary's Bread.

Jos. Waterhouse

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S. F. GARDNER, Branch Manager

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S. STEPHENSON, PROPRIETOR.

TELEPHONES
Business Office 53. Editorial Room 102.

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THE TREATING HABIT.

During the present session of the Legislature at Toronto there will come up for discussion a bill dealing with the liquor question, which will be of great interest to both temperance and liquor advocates.

This bill is a prohibitive measure against the habit of treating and is introduced by Mr. McNaught, the recently elected member for North Toronto. While this may be viewed by some as a difficult subject to deal with, it is a radical reform which, if passed, will do much to lessen the amount of drinking and should generally be looked upon with favor.

The features of the bill are three: To make it a punishable offense for one man to buy a drink for another, to accept a drink bought by someone else, and for a bartender to offer drinks free.

This system has already been introduced in men's clubs and elsewhere, and wherever it is in force it gives satisfaction to everyone. Just what form the bill will assume has yet to be determined, but there seems to be no doubt that something along these lines will be established in the statute book.

In the States this question is also receiving consideration, and the following clipping from the Ohio State Journal at Columbus, Ohio, shows that Ontario is not the only place where steps are being taken to overcome this pernicious habit:

"Strength of the temperance sentiment was shown by the favorable report to the House yesterday of the anti-treating bill of Representative D. D. Spangher, of Henry. When introduced, the bill was considered to belong to the freak class, but has been taken seriously. As it goes to the calendar to be voted on in a few days at farthest, it forbids treating in saloons or wherever liquor is sold. Not only is no patron of a saloon allowed to treat, but the prohibition applies to the bartender, who cannot give away a drink nor can he permit anybody to treat at his bar."

"No person can accept a drink knowing someone else is to pay for it. A notice of the law must be posted in every saloon. Treating is made a misdemeanor with penalty of a fine of \$1 to \$10 for the first offence; \$5 to \$50 for the second, and \$100 for the third."

Mr. Phil. Bowyer, of East Kent, made a fierce onslaught on the new Assessment Act in the Legislature. The Record can only wish more power to him.—Windsor Record.

A GOOD GAME

A game of carpet ball was played in the Workmen Hall on Friday evening between the I. O. O. F. and Workmen and resulted in a win for the Workmen by a score of 26 to 21. This game does not count in the League series for the trophy. The score follows:

A. O. U. W.—Rink No. 1.
H. Conbeer,
James McLean,
A. Sauerman, skip—14.
A. O. U. W.—Rink No. 2.
J. Grandbois,
R. Dunlop,
Harry Barnes, skip—12.
I. O. O. F.—Rink No. 1.
A. Heath,
H. Smith,
M. Side, skip—12.
I. O. O. F.—Rink No. 2.
J. T. Walters,
J. E. Oldershaw,
J. W. Webb, skip—9.
Score—I. O. O. F. 21; A. O. U. W. 26.

Perhaps, the Worst.

One of the most distressing things one can suffer from is bladder trouble. Its nature, often, causes people to silently suffer.

We don't ask you to tell us of the irritation, the catarrh, the scalding—we only say, you will be prudent in trying Bu-Ju, the Gentle Kidney Pill.

Kidney troubles do not stand still. Unless steps are taken, worse will ensue. You take no chances in trying Bu-Ju. Should it fail, you can have your money back—but it won't fail. Only three cents a day.

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The dog that spends all of his time barking never buries many bones.

While perseverance is barring the door against reason, danger crawls in at the window.

STOMACH CURE

An Easy Way from Standpoint of Convenience

The so-called cures for indigestion are almost as numerous as the victims themselves, and scarcely a day passes without the hopes of thousands of sufferers being raised by the discovery of some novel method of cure for this prevalent disease. Until a combination of unusual remedies, heretofore but little known in this country, was made in Mi-o-na tablets, no certain cure for indigestion had been found, and it is therefore hardly to be wondered at that our leading druggists who have the Chatham agency are selling large quantities of Mi-o-na.

Mi-o-na is a guaranteed cure for

all diseases of the stomach excepting cancer. If you have pains or distress after eating, headache, belching of gases, taste in the mouth, dizziness, heart-burn, specks before the eyes, furred tongue, sleeplessness, backache, debility or weakness, it shows that the stomach needs to be strengthened with Mi-o-na. Just one little tablet out of 50 cent bottles before meals for a few days and you will soon regain perfect health and strength.

If you cannot obtain Mi-o-na of your druggist, it will be sent by mail, post paid, on receipt of price. Write us for advice on your case from a leading stomach specialist which will be sent free. The R. T. Booth Company, Ithaca, N. Y.

THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Grand—
Her Only Sin—March 12.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

"HER ONLY SIN."

Miss Olga Nethersoll, the noted English actress, when questioned as to the reason she chose dramatic characters of such dubious morality, in which to exhibit her power, is quoted as having said, that they were the only roles which gave her the scope for action of the emotional order, in which she is so famous, and that she would be glad to portray pure and more exalted studies if any dramaticist could provide them for her, and still give her opportunities for emotional acting of a higher order. Mr. Lincoln J. Carter, in his play of "Her Only Sin," which comes to the Grand Opera House to-night, has appreciated and surmounted the very difficulty of which Miss Nethersoll speaks. In "Her Only Sin" he has created a personage, that of the self-sacrificing mother, that attains just as thrilling climaxes as all the "Zazas" and "Zazas" and "Du Barrys" and still remains pure and undefiled.

Some exceedingly clever character work are shown in the play. The character of Adolphus Bond, the eccentric little English barrister, is one of the most pleasant bits of comedy work that has appeared on the stage.

Very flattering press comments and enthusiastic receptions were given the production during its run in the large cities, and Chatham theatre-goers should not fail to attend the Grand to-night.

THE SOPHIE BRANDT OPERA CO.
At the Grand Opera House on Friday, March 16th, America's Favorite Prima Donna, Miss Sophie Brandt, and her company of sixty, will present the successful romantic Opera Comique, "A Madcap Princess," an operatic version of "When Knighthood was in Flower."

Real comic opera is not often seen in these days. The name having been made to apply to so much coarse and vulgar horseplay that the memory of the original, bright, clean and wholesome style of entertainment has become little more than a shadow.

The opera, it is claimed, is mounted sumptuously, and the exact accuracy of the historical costumes is vouched for. All these attractions and the original clever company, it is promised, will be offered during the engagement here.

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SCOTT & BOWNE, Toronto, Ont.

A serious fire occurred between Highgate and Ridgetown on Tuesday afternoon, when the storey and a half frame house owned by John J. Gosnell was destroyed by fire with most of the contents. At the time of the fire Mrs. Gosnell and her daughter were alone. Mr. Gosnell and the hired man being away. Mrs. Gosnell was in bed, being ill. Albert Herman and Alex. Doherty were passing at the time and the alarm was given. With the assistance of neighbors Mrs. Gosnell was removed to a place of safety, but the house was burned to the ground; \$85 in cash was lost with nearly all the contents of the house. The loss was estimated at about \$2,500 with an insurance of \$1,100.—Ridgetown Dominion.

No nation can be destroyed while it possesses a really good home life.

We all make too much of our difficulties.

Minard's Liniment cures Dandruff.

LOCAL

50,000 Marbles at Briscoe's.

Wm. Hicks, of Merlin, was in Chatham on Saturday.

A. Bounce, of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor Saturday.

C. A. Milburn, of Highgate, was a city visitor on Saturday.

G. R. Smith, of Newkirk, was in Chatham on business Saturday.

E. J. Johnson was in Chatham from the Burg on business Saturday.

Thomas D. Irving, of Rond Eau, was in Chatham Friday on business.

Try Waterhouses Aunt Mary's home-made bread—for sale at McCorvie's Grocery.

Mrs. R. Chrysler and her two daughters, of King street east, were Detroit visitors Saturday.

Peter Coughell has sold his farm of 100 acres, near Guilds, to Thomas Burns for \$8,500.

Mrs. H. Garrett, Duluth street, leaves this week to spend a short time with her daughter in Toronto.

Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire—a nice, glossy finish. Try it. Drew & McCallum.

Letters from Mr. Bosworth, William street, who is undergoing treatment at the Battle Creek Sanitarium, state that he is rapidly improving.

Carnations, Lilies, Tulips, Hyacinths, Azaleas, the best and cheapest, at Victoria Ave. Green Houses. Phone 181.

In the debate, "Resolved that women have more influence than men," held at the meeting of the Victoria Avenue League last Friday, the affirmative were victorious.

Mort and Fred Sheldon and Harry Massey left Saturday morning for Edmonton, N. W. T. A large number of friends accompanied the boys to the depot to bid them farewell.

Daniel Robinson gave a farewell "stag" at his home on Baxter street Thursday evening, in honor of his friends, the Messrs. Sheldon and Harry Massey, who left Saturday morning for the West.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES

The March number of "What to Eat" is on sale. It should be a valuable number to housekeepers, containing as it does many dainty and useful receipts for dishes that can be made at this season. Every housekeeper dreads having to cater for her family in March, which is, as she styles it, "between seasons," when the weather is getting too mild to enjoy the heavy foods that are essential in winter, and before the fresh spring delicacies are on the market. "What to Eat" will prove to be a friend indeed to her.

Success for March opens with "Crossing the Ocean in a Palace," a description of the "Amerika," one of the floating palaces of the Hamburg American Line. "Five Million Women Now Work for Wages," by Juliet W. Thompson, touches on some of the many fields now open for women workers. The magazine also contains many short stories, poems and papers of interest on numerous subjects.

The National Monthly and Canadian Home, which is published by the National Publishing Co., Toronto, is to hand. The contents are Current Events at Home and Abroad, Burning of the Brush, Chap. IV, serial story; Camera Cameos or French Quizzes, illustrated; The Legend of the Indians Grace (poem), illustrated; The World of Print, selected articles from the World's periodicals; Fashion Department, illustrated; The Evolution of a Box, illustrated; March Menu and Recipes; Helps for Housekeepers. The subscription price has been reduced to \$1.00 per annum.

The February number of The Girls' Own Magazine has been sent us by Messrs. Warwick Bros. and Butler, of Toronto, who are the publishers in America. The Girls' Own, which is edited in England, is different to the magazines published in this country, in that it deals solely with topics that are of interest to girls. In addition to the story section there are several departments, such as needle work, art, literature, etc., are taken up. In fact every girl will find her own particular corner in its pages.

WHAT'S IN McCLURE'S.

There is a good deal in the March McClure's that you don't want to miss. Miss Ida M. Bartlett's "Comical Machiavellianism" brings home the law morals that have built up great corporations and business houses, showing how the axioms of Machiavelli's "Prince," although pretty strong even for Italy of the Medici, form the catechism of the

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In our Curtain Department you will find over 500 pairs of fresh new Curtains to select from, besides an immense stock of New Curtain Materials of every description by the yard. Our Seven Store Buying and Seven Store Selling enables us to quote you prices on these goods that are simply impossible for ordinary stores to offer you. Come in and see the New Spring styles—compare the values—we'll be satisfied with results.

Lace Curtains

50c. a pair, 3 yards long, good strong Nottingham Lace in new designs, overlapped edges, special a pair... 50c

Lace Curtains 75c. a Pair in light lacey effects, also new Fishnet designs, 3 yards long, 48 in. wide, overlapped edges, special a pair... 75c

Lace Curtains \$1.00 a Pair—3 choice designs, 3 yards long, 50 in. wide in fine lace overlapped edges, the best styles and best values we have ever shown, at a pair... 1.00

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An unusually large stock to select from, representing every style, size and coloring. We invite you to examine them.

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Size 3 x 3 1/2 yds. for... 5.90

Size 3 x 3 1/2 yds. for... 6.90

Size 3 x 3 1/2 yds. for... 7.90

Size 3 x 4 yds. for... 6.50

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Size 3 x 4 yds. for... 8.90

Size 3 x 4 yds. for... 10.00

Size 3 x 4 yds. for... 11.00

Size 3 1/2 x 4 yds. for... 8.90

Size 4 x 4 1/2 yds. for... 13.50

Rich Velvet Rugs

Size 3 x 3 1/2 yds. for... \$18.90

Size 3 x 4 yds. for... 20.00

Size 3 1/2 x 4 yds. for... 23.60

Ayrian Art Squares

Size 2 1/2 x 3 yds. for... \$8.50

Size 3 x 3 yds. for... 10.00

Tapestry and Brussels Rugs

Size 3 x 2 1/2 yds. for... \$5.90

Size 3 x 4 yds. for... 8.90

Size 3 x 3 1/2 yds. for... 12.50

Size 3 x 4 yds. for... 15.00

Japanese Rugs

RICH ORIENTAL STYLES.

Size 3 x 6 feet for... \$2.25

Size 6 x 9 feet for... 6.50

Size 7 1/2 x 10 1/2 feet for... 9.50

Size 9 x 12 feet for... 12.50

Size 10 x 14 feet for... 16.50

Japanese Runners, for halls, etc.

Size 3 x 6 feet for... \$2.25

Size 3 x 9 feet for... 3.25

Size 3 x 12 feet for... 4.25

Size 3 x 15 feet for... 5.50

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A LITERARY FEAST.

The March number of The Four-Track News opens with a beautifully illustrated and interesting article of "Green Mountain Villages" from the pen of G. Marion Burton; from this Vermont scene we are transported to Hawaii, where Katherine Pope tells us something of "The Island of Welcome"; L. F. Brown writes a comprehensive description of "The Delaware Water Gap"; and Frank Cramer takes us on a short trip "In Bethlehem"; "Quaint Old Marion" is a description of that Massachusetts town by James F. J. Archibald, and is especially full of human interest; "Michigan's Venice," by Hugo Eichsen, is a strong word picture of the St. Clair Flats, with particularly effective illustrations; "The Capital of the North," by H. V. Ross, is descriptive of Ottawa.

These are but a few of the many articles that make up the March Table of Contents in this interesting magazine. There are also the usual departments, poems, humor and valuable facts, all of which are illustrated by exceptionally artistic half-tones.

The Four-Track News is one dollar a year, or ten cents a copy, and can be had of George H. Daniels, Publisher, 37 East 42nd Street, New York, or at any news-stand.

MARCH CANADIAN MAGAZINE.

Quite properly, the aim of the editor of The Canadian Magazine seems to be to produce a truly national publication, with contents as valuable to the readers of one province as of another. The March number is characteristically broad. The opening article gives a picture of the part played by the Mounted Police in the life of the Yukon—distributed mail, succouring the unfortunate, collecting Government dues, feeding the Indians, patrolling the rivers and creeks and enforcing justice. The illustrations are attractive. There are two rather serious articles, "Protection and Canadian Prosperity," by W. K. McNaught, past president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, and "The Nemesis of War," by Henri Restelle. On the whole, the number is most attractive, the departments adding much to the variety of interest.

KEITH'S MAGAZINE.

To those who have not as yet subscribed to Keith's ever popular magazine at \$2 per year would say that the household is hardly complete without this publication. It contains not only the latest ideas in the building line, but also includes interior treatments of every description, and has easily proven to those now on the subscription list that the magazine is worth many times the money value expended.

WEDS AND DIES IN TWO MONTHS

George A. Sherriff, Who Married Miss Fulford, Dead After Operation.
Brockville, March 10.—George A. Sherriff, son-in-law of the late Hon. Senator Fulford, died at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

He had not been in good health for several months, but was only in the hospital a few days. Montreal specialists and local physicians performed an operation in the hope of saving his life, but it was of no avail. He was 31 years of age and was born at Brockville, being a son of ex-Ald. Charles J. Sherriff of the Sherriff Manufacturing Co.

He was married on Jan. 10 of this year to Miss Martha Fulford, youngest daughter of the late Senator Fulford. He was a member of the Brockville Football Club in 1900, when the team won every match in the Quebec Rugby Union. He was also an expert carman. Mr. Sherriff had spent the past three years in New York, holding the position of auditor for the New York Ontario and Western Railway.

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Why spend months and months at a shop where you do nothing but hem, overcast, sew on hooks and eyes, etc., for weeks and weeks and then after you are through what did you learn about cutting? Absolutely nothing! For you will know more how to cut out a dress at the end of the year than you did the first day you went there. We teach you how to use a system the first day you are with us, after that you commence cutting. We teach you how to put together not only the lining, but all the outer goods in coats, skirts, suits, wrappers, sleeves, in fact everything in dress-making, including sailor collars, berths, belts, girdles, etc. We teach you how to cut and put together everything in the fashion books, from the plainest shirtwaists to the most elaborate toilette. Whether you be the wife or daughter of a farmer, laborer, mechanic, merchant or millionaire, you should learn dressmaking. No accomplishment you can acquire will prove to you of such everyday, life-long value as a practical knowledge of dressmaking. Consider what you will be able to save by being able to make your own garments. We have taught girls, who after taking a course with us, have started a dressmaking shop and run it very satisfactorily.

We have taught over 1,500 girls in this way within the past 4 years and all said they were more than satisfied after completing the course.

Charge for full course is only \$10.00, to be paid when through it satisfied. And we also give to each person a system worth \$5.00 free. No pay in advance and none at the end, unless you are thoroughly satisfied.

We will teach at Chatham from Mar. 9th to Mar. 22nd, 10 days from 8.30 to 5. All wishing to learn, or for full particulars, come to see us at the Garver Hotel, on Thursday, March 8th between 10 and 5 o'clock.

THE MISSES ELLISON,
Instructors in Dress Cutting,
Stratford.



District

EAST BRANCH.

The Sydenham is unsafe for crossing.

Fred Teeter had a bee on Friday hauling brick from Lindsayville for a brick and cement foundation under his barn, which he purposes erecting in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynch are spending a few weeks with her father, Isaac Shaw.

Miss Jennie Seward returned home on Thursday from a six weeks' visit with her cousin, Miss Buckner, of Tillsonburg.

Miss Brush and Miss Mickle spent a few days last week at the home of R. Mickle.

Austin Hazzard is able to be about again.

Miss Jennie Richardson, who has taught so successfully for the past

year and a half in S. S. No. 18, Chatham Tp., has tendered her resignation, to take effect at Easter.

Mr. Bradshaw, of Wallaeburg, was on their East Branch on Friday taking orders for cream separators.

GUILDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Jenner and daughter Jean spent Sunday in Charing Cross.

Mr. Ross Cumming spent Sunday in Ridgetown.

Mr. Geo. Evans and family, of the Back Ridge, moved last week on the Samuel Todd farm, which he purchased last fall.

Miss Mabel Wright, of Blenheim, spent Sunday with Mrs. A. W. Wiley.

E. S. Flint has sold the farm that he purchased last spring, to John Bennett. Since selling, Mr. Flint has bought the Benjamin Bennett 100-acre farm from Fred McDonald.

A large number of flocks of wild geese have been seen this time of the year.

Bowser Shows His Authority

He Undertakes to Make His Neighbors Clean the Snow Off Their Walks.

IS MET WITH OPPOSITION

Overpowered at Last by the Denizens at the Suburb and Dumped Into a Snowdrift.

[Copyright, 1906, by McClure, Phillips & Co.] It had been snowing all day long, and when Mr. Bowser reached home at 6 o'clock in the evening "the beautiful" was nearly a foot deep on street and sidewalk.

"Well, this has been a storm," said Mrs. Bowser by way of salutation.

"Yes, I am glad of it, I have been waiting for just such an opportunity."

"How do you mean?"

"There isn't a sidewalk cleared between this house and the corner. There won't be for two days. It was so all last winter. As soon as I can swallow my dinner I shall clear our own walk, and then I will try to find out whether we have laws and ordinances in this town. I think I'll astonish some folks within the next two hours."

"If you will leave the walk until morning I'll hire a couple of boys to clean it off. If you go out there and work for an hour you'll be all bunged up."

"The walk will be cleaned tonight," said Mr. Bowser in aggressive tones.



MR. BOWSER WAS A HUSTLER.

"Not only our walk, but those of our neighbors. I haven't got so superannuated that I can't do half an hour's work with a snow shovel without its bunging me up."

Mrs. Bowser said no more until they were half through dinner. Then she observed:

"No one begins cleaning off his walk until it stops snowing."

"It was beginning to let up when I came in," replied Mr. Bowser.

"Aren't you afraid that working with the snow shovel will give you a lame back?"

"Look here, woman, can't you let a matter rest? I told you when I first came in that I was going to clean our walk. When our walk is cleaned I am going to make it my business to find out why other folks don't clean theirs. Nothing you can say or do will prevent me."

"But how can you boss other folks around?"

"Wait and see. There is an ordinance that says the walks shall be kept clear of snow. I obey it. I will see that others obey it."

"And raise a row and have your name in the papers again?"

"I don't care 2 cents for all the papers in the United States. If I have to obey the snow ordinance, other folks shall escape. Last winter, when hardly a walk around us was cleared, a great big fat policeman came along and threatened to have me in court because about a shovelful of snow remained on ours. Let the discussion end right here."

It did. He went upstairs and got on an old suit and then armed himself with the snow shovel and began work. The storm had about ceased, and three or four householders on the other side of the street were also seizing the opportunity. Mr. Bowser was a hustler with the snow shovel, and at the end of three-quarters of an hour he struck hard pan all along the walk. He was complimented on his enterprise by the few pedestrians abroad, but he was grimly silent. When his labors were finished he stuck his shovel into the snow and walked through the gate of the next house on his right and up the steps. It was a new family, and he didn't even know the name. His ring at the bell was answered by a little man of peppery look, who saluted:

"Well, sir, what is it?"

"You have a sidewalk out here," replied Mr. Bowser.

"And what of it?"

"It is covered with a foot of snow."

"Any fool can see that."

"The ordinance says you shall clean it off."

"The ordinance be hanged! Who are you, sir, that you come here and tell me what I must do?"

"My name is Bowser, and I live next door. I have just cleaned my walk, and dog my cats if I'm going to wade through your snow because you are too

lazy to clean it off. You either get out here with a shovel and bump yourself or I'll have you in court tomorrow."

"What? What's that?" shouted the peppery little man as he danced around.

"You dare to come here and threaten me? Off my steps and out of my yard, you old guy, or I'll give you the boot!"

Mr. Bowser went. He knew that he could chew the little man up in two minutes, but he also realized that a row so near home would bring out Mrs. Bowser and the cat. He left the yard and entered that of the people on the left. He knew that their name was Blunt, but he didn't know much else about them. It was Mrs. Blunt who answered his ring.

"Madam, is your husband home?"

"What's that to you?" was the reply.

"I haven't come here to collect a bill, and I am not a detective looking to arrest him."

"And do you mean to insult us?" she demanded as she looked around for a broomstick.

"By no means. I simply wanted to ask your husband when he was going to clean the snow off his sidewalk."

"Oh, I see. And is that any of your business? Do you think that we are idiots or children that we can't attend to our own affairs? If my husband was home he'd give you a lift into the street."

"If your husband was home I'd tell him a thing or two," said Mr. Bowser.

"The idea that!"

But the idea didn't pan out. The door was slammed against his toes, and he had to turn and descend the steps. He knew the second house on his left to be occupied by a family named Holt. The husband was cross eyed and the wife red headed, but Mr. Bowser did not take these things into consideration. Mrs. Bowser and the cat appeared at his own door, and Mrs. Bowser called to him that she smelled smoke in the house and wanted him to come home and look around for fire, but he waved her away and proceeded to make his third call. The man and his wife had just been having a hot dispute as to whether the earth was round or flat, and they both answered the door in hopes that it was a tramp whom they could kick.

"Well," queried the Holt family as Mr. Bowser entered the hall.

"Did you know that it had been snowing all day?" he asked in reply.

"Certainly."

"And that there is a foot of snow on your walk?"

"Sure, Mike."

"And that it is your duty under the ordinance to clear it off?"

"Not by a darned sight! If our snow bothers you clear it off yourself."

"Do you mean to say that you will let it lie there for the next three or four days?"

"We do. It can lie there for the next three or four years."

"By thunder, but it won't!" exclaimed Mr. Bowser as he turned away.

"You either get out with your shovel within fifteen minutes or I'll have you hauled into court and smartly fined."

He was told to go to that land where snow melts as fast as it falls, and he waded down the steps and out of the yard. Mrs. Bowser made another effort. She said she thought the gas meter was out of order and all the water pipes busted and that if he didn't attend to things right away there would be an awful tragedy, but Mr. Bowser couldn't be turned from the path of duty.

He was standing at his own gate and drawing a long breath for another call when the peppery little man and his wife rushed out from one side and the cross eyed man and his red headed wife from the other, and at the same time two men pedestrians came along. It wasn't a conspiracy nor a put up job, but all jumped on Mr. Bowser at once. He fought gamely, but he was overpowered. He was lifted up and driven head first into a snowdrift, and one of the men seized the shovel and added more snow, while the others packed it down. It was ten minutes after they disappeared before the buried man resuscitated himself and entered his own house.

"Well, what about the ordinance?" asked Mrs. Bowser.

"Not a word from you—not a single word!" he whispered as he pointed a finger at her. "I see your fine Italian hand in this, and I know my remedy. Tomorrow morning, woman—tomorrow morning we consult our respective lawyers and you go home to your mother!"

M. QUAD.

His One Chance.

He—Can't you give me just a little encouragement?

She—Why, yes. A girl friend of mine told me the other day that she'd marry any old thing.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

An Autocrat.

"Do you really mean to say that your judgment is never in error?"

"No," answered the czar. "I don't mean to say it, but I regard it as necessary to discipline that everybody shall pretend to think it."—New York Life.

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A TRAINED NURSE

After Years of Experience, Advises Women in Regard to Their Health.

Mrs. Martha Pohlman

of 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a

graduate Nurse from the

Blockley Training School

at Philadelphia, and for

six years Chief Clinician

Nurse at the Philadelphia

Hospital, writes the letter

printed below. She has

the advantage of personal

experience, besides her

professional education and

what she has to say may

be absolutely relied upon.

Many other women are

afflicted as she was. They

can regain health in the

same way. It is prudent

to heed such advice from

such a source.

Mrs. Pohlman writes:

"I am firmly persuaded,

after eight years of experi-

ence with Lydia E. Pinkham's

Vegetable Compound, that

it is the safest and best medi-

cine for any suffering woman

to use."

"Immediately after my

marriage I found that my

health began to fail me. I

became weak and pale, with

severe bearing-down pains,

fearful backaches and fre-

quent dizzy spells. The doc-

tors prescribed for me, yet I

did not improve. I would

bloat after eating and fre-

quently become nauseated.

"I had pains down through my

limbs so I could hardly walk.

It was as bad a case of

female trouble as I have ever

known. Lydia E. Pinkham's

Vegetable Compound, how-

ever, cured me within four months.

Since that time I have had occasion to recom-

mend it to a number of patients suffering from all

forms of female difficulties, and I find that

it is considered unprofessional to re-

commend a patent medicine. I can honestly

recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable

Compound, for I have found that it cures

female ills, where all other medicine fails.

It is a grand medicine for sick women."

Money cannot buy such testimony as

this—merit alone can produce such re-

sults, and the ablest specialists now

agree that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-

table Compound is "the most universally

successful remedy for all female diseases

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When women are troubled with ir-

regular, suppressed or painful periods,

weakness, displacement or ulceration of

the female organs, that bearing-down

feeling, inflammation, backache, bloating

(or flatulence), general debility, indiges-

tion, and nervous prostration, or are beset

with such symptoms as dizziness, faint-

ness, lassitude, excitability, irritability,

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MADE BRANTFORD FAMOUS.

Prof. Graham Bell is a Guest of "the

Telephone City."

Brantford, March 10.—More than 200

attended the annual banquet of the

Brantford Board of Trade at the Kirby

House last night.

The principal attraction was Prof.

Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the

telephone, who delivered an address in

which he outlined the events leading

up to his invention in 1874 and the first

transmission of speech over actual

wires in 1876.

He declared Brantford was the home

of the telephone, and that the first ac-

tual transmission had occurred here.

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LOCAL

W. T. Piggott is a Detroit visitor to-day.

Hugh Malcolmson is in Hamilton to-day on business.

Miss G. Somerville is visiting in Detroit to-day.

James E. Gray spent Friday in Sarnia on business.

J. Fleming, of the Sutherland-Innes Co., is in Toronto to-day.

Judge Woods condition is reported as being much improved to-day.

Fred. Ward, of the G. T. R. depot, was visiting friends in Petrolia on Sunday.

Duke Koffge, of Detroit, is the guest of his parents, at Stanley avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Leitch, of London, and M. McLaughlin, of Grand Rapids, are visiting D. McLaughlin, William street.

G. J. Wanless spent Sunday in the city, the guest of his brother, J. C. Wanless, who has been confined to his home for the past few days through illness.

Willie, the little son of E. J. Auvahe, Harvey street, is afflicted with a severe attack of pneumonia. The little fellow's condition was reported to be very serious this morning. He passed away this afternoon.

The Gospel Temperance meeting in the Auditorium yesterday afternoon was provided over by A. Hall, and an address was delivered by E. E. Parrott. Two solos were rendered in excellent style by Mrs. S. C. Walker.

W. J. Moore, of Moore & Benson's, is dispatching a carload of household effects to his new home in Bathurst.

His two sons, Alvin and Norval, leave for Toronto to-night on their way to the Northwest.

Wm. Walker, well known in this city, now with the Canadian Express Co., Berlin, Ont., called on city friends to-day. Mr. Walker had been visiting his parents at Charing Cross over Sunday.

Mr. W. L. G. Small, while not quite so well yesterday, is slowly regaining his strength, and with the balmy spring days so close at hand will undoubtedly soon be his old self again.

Mrs. Elizabeth Little, an aged resident of the House of Refuge, passed away Saturday morning. The deceased, who was 88 years of age, had been a resident of the institution ever since it was first erected. Friends in Bothwell claimed the remains, which have since been conveyed to that place.

James Downie, of Harwich, held an auction sale of farm stock a few days ago, and on Saturday he called at this office and said he never before realized what a great advertising medium The Planet was, and that he largely attributed its success to the publicity he gave the sale through its columns.

McGaug & Harrington, auctioneers, realized over \$1,800 for the sale of his stock.

The guessing contest at Somerville's shoe store closed Saturday evening at six o'clock. The correct number of slips of paper in the box was 2,218, and Miss Mamie Pritchard, of Head street, was the winner of the adult's prize. Miss Pritchard's guess was 2,221. The school's prize was won by Percy Gray, of Gray street, whose guess was 2,199.

Rev. Mr. MacGillivray, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, based his sermons yesterday on his trip to the Nashville convention. In the morning he gave a talk on the striking features of the convention, and in the evening spoke of the aim of the convention, which was to evangelize the whole world during the present generation. Good congregations were present at both services.



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NEW BOARD FOR 'VARSITY

Commission's Report Recommends 13 Appointed Members

SENATE REMAINS SAME

Toronto, March 12.—Since the year 1827, when the first university charter was granted by the crown, the cause of higher education has advanced along lines well adapted to result in the final establishment of Toronto as the educational centre of Ontario. To accomplish that desirable end there needed to be eliminated all points of sectarian difference and a free and elastic constitution fitted to further the federation and affiliation of other universities and colleges originating to meet special requirements, yet at one in their desire to promote the highest type of general culture. The act of 1901, which in a measure recast and embodied the best features of previous statutes, proved to be in some respects deficient, and the time at last arrived for the preparation of a statute of a act, condensing the whole legislation relating to university education with such improvements and extensions as experience has found to be necessary and advisable.

In September last the Provincial Government appointed a commission for the purpose of reporting upon the present administration of the university and the nature of the act, which should now be passed. The commission is composed of Chancellor Meredith, chairman, Professor Goldwin Smith, Rev. Canon Cody, J. W. Flavelle, Byron E. Walker and the Rev. D. Bruce Macdonald—A. H. U. Colquhoun being secretary. Although it has not yet formally reported, its recommendations have evidently been made known to the Government, and a bill has been introduced which will in all probability pass the Legislative Assembly during its present session.

It will no doubt prove to be a measure of a thoroughly exhaustive character, as indeed was only to be expected from the deep interest Premier Whitney has always taken in the educational system of the province.

New Board of Governors.
A leading feature is the constitution of a new board of governors, which will be accorded the whole powers over the university and University College, which are or may be now exercised by the crown—except so far as expressly reserved. The special powers conferred are of the widest description, but a check is afforded by the provision that the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may remove any of the elected members. The board will consist of the chancellor and president of the university, who are the only ex-officio members, and of thirteen other members, appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

The Senate.
The composition of the senate has been altered to some extent, and its powers and duties revised and extended, but it remains substantially as it now exists. A similar remark applies to convocation, but a new departure is made by the constitution of a "Council of the Faculty of Arts" with power to fix and determine the courses of study in arts subject to the approval of the senate. Like councils are also to be created for each faculty of the university and a council for University College. The object of these provisions is to give the faculties equality in the courses and the maintenance of a proper standard of instruction.

Enforcing Discipline.
Enforcement of discipline is placed in the hands of the Caput, a committee composed of the president of the university, the principal of University College, the heads of the federated universities and colleges, and the deans of the faculties of the university. The Caput will, in addition, fix the time-tables for lectures and other instruction, and deal with all matters assigned to it by the governing board or the senate.

The position of the president as chief executive officer is improved and strengthened, and he is given power to suspend any member of the teaching staff of the university and of University College—reporting his action to the board, with his reasons. He will also recommend all appointments, promotions and dismissals. Similar powers are given the principal of University College who will, however, report his reason for action to the president.

Revenue.
It is understood that the Government have in contemplation the setting apart of certain areas of crown land as part of the endowment of the university, and as a further provision to pay to the board a percentage of the receipts coming from the provincial succession duties.

Another interesting item is that the board may facilitate the removal of Trinity College to Queen's Park. The bill also unites the School of Practical Science to the university, and constitutes it the faculty of applied science and engineering. A new college affiliated with the university is the Western Canada College of Calgary.

The bill, which will extend to 150 clauses or so, makes many minor amendments on the present governing acts, and it is safe upon the provincial statute book.

New P. O. Inspector.

Ottawa, March 12.—Ex-Mayor Campbell of London has been appointed postoffice inspector for the London district, vice Hopkirk, superannuated.

Holland Remanded.

London, March 12.—(C. A. P.)—Chris. Holland was again remanded Saturday owing to the non-arrival of the papers in the case.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

"THE ARK" ...SPECIAL... BARGAINS

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A full line of things you require in the kitchen. Ask for the Bargain Counter. Spot cash.

H. MACAULAY

Phone 159

Next Meeting in Vancouver.

Ottawa, March 12.—The Canadian Forestry Association has decided to hold a summer meeting in Vancouver, if satisfactory arrangements can be made with the railway companies.

Going to West.

Kingston, March 12.—Hiram Keech, Frontenac street, has left for Winnipeg and western points to act as Federal Government inspector of seeds and binder twice.

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FOR SALE—30 acres, 6 miles from Chatham, near electric road, 12 acres of good bush, good frame house; 100 acres in Euphemia, all under cultivation, good house and barn, price \$3,000, on easy terms; and two brick houses, 2 acres attached to each, can be bought for less than houses cost. Apply to M. H. McGavin, McGavin's Stables, Market Square, Chatham, or at his residence, St. Clair street.

FARMS FOR SALE—I have 75 acres in the Township of Dover, 13th concession, owned by Ed. E. Wemp; also 96 acres in the 5th concession, Dover, owned by L. King; 50 acres in the 5th concession, Dover, owned by Julius Bechard; 50 acres in the 5th concession, Dover, owned by L. King; 40 acres on River Road, Dover, owned by John David. I also have money to loan on land mortgages at the very lowest rate of interest. Henry Dagneau.

FOR SALE

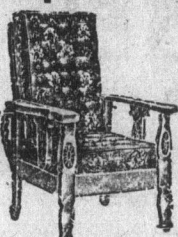
Choice building lots for sale on Lowe and Poplar Streets. The lots are 56 by 120 ft. to an alley 14 feet wide at back. They are all tiled drained and covered with choice fruit trees, namely: Peaches, pears, plums, cherries and apples. They will be sold at a bargain. They are nicely situated, being only one block from paved street and electric cars. THOS. M. FRENCH, Ursuline Ave.

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Another shipment of Spring Jackets
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Smyrna Rugs Half Price

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One of them moved to Toronto. There he made some good marmalade, and last fall we had the chance of buying what he had left, and took it. Since then our customers have been asking for more.

While in Toronto last week I bought what he had made this spring—about twelve dozen jars. It was not quite ready to ship, but we expect it here some time this week. Those who have had it know how delicious and pure the marmalade is. To those who have not tried it, we can tell you truthfully you are missing one of the very best things.

35c a Jar.

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C. B. C. NOTES

The latest additions to our Business Department are Miss Kathleen Fraser, of Wallaceburg, and Miss Bertha Stephenson, of Neneh; and to the Shortland Department Mrs. E. J. McDonald, Chatham; Mr. Van Gossell, of Ridgeway; Miss Maud Bolton, of Wallaceburg, and Miss Ethel Stinson, of Croton. Miss Marion Middleton, of Ridgeway, who was with us a while last year, has returned to continue her shorthand studies. Miss Nellie Dillon, who has been in the Business Department, started the work of the Shortland Department this week. Miss Sophia Sullivan, of the Shortland Department, has taken a position as stenographer with the Hadley & Co., city. Mr. Arthur Doyle, one of our office stenographers, has accepted an excellent position with the Mulford Advertising Agency, Detroit. Mr. Stanley McHardy, a student of the Commercial Department, is also with the same firm in the capacity of bookkeeper. Miss Verlyn Lamont, of this city, and a student of our Shortland Department, has secured a position with the Bookkeeper Publishing Co., Detroit.

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BIRTHS - MARRIAGES - DEATHS

DIED.

FINN—At Windsor, on Friday, Mar. 9th, Mrs. Finn, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Drew, 10th Con., Raleigh. The funeral took place upon the arrival of the 8.15 a. m. Michigan Central Railway train at Fletcher this (Monday) morning, to the Roman Catholic Church, 10th Con., Raleigh.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Mar. 12—11 a. m.—Moderate to fresh northerly to westerly winds, fair and colder to-day and on Tuesday a few local snow flurries, low night temperature.

Supplied by W. W. Turner.

YESTERDAY.

Seven a. m. 29
Nine a. m. 29
Maximum 32
Minimum 27

TO-DAY.

Lowest during the night 16
Seven a. m. 16
Barometer 29.68

TO-NIGHT

Skating at the Rink!
"Her Only Sin," Grand, at 8.15.
Western City Lodge, I. O. O. F., at 8.
Public School Board, Harrison Hall, at 7.45.
Revival service, Park St. Church, at 7.45.
Sons of England, in their hall, at 8 o'clock.
Epworth League, Park St. S. S. Hall, at 8.
Talk on Egypt, Christ Church S. S. at 8 o'clock.

LOCAL

To-night! Lincoln Carter's best production—Julia Gray, in "Her Only Sin."

Annual meeting of Chatham Lawn Bowlers' Association, County Clerk's office, at 8.

Probate of the will of the late Andrew Wilson has been granted to O. L. Lewis, the executor.

The Young Men's Club will meet to-night in Victoria Ave. Church. A good program has been prepared.

This evening Miss Ermatinger will give a talk on Egypt in Christ Church S. S. Hall. Silver collection.

An Irish tea will be given in St. Andrew's S. S. Friday, March 16th, from 8 to 9. Admission 15 cents.

Sheriff Gemmill and Magistrates J. McMullen and D. Kerr were busy on Saturday drafting out the jurors for the June sessions.

Don't miss the treat of the season, St. Patrick concert, March 19th. Hear H. R. McDonald sing "Mavourneen"; Susie McGill sing "Killicreevy"; Mrs. S. F. Shannon, of Port Huron, is visiting in the city and will visit friends in London before returning home.

Rooms wanted, for light house-keeping, in private house, for retired gentleman and his wife; with no children. P. O. box 712, Chatham.

C. D. Kent, of the Standard Bank, who underwent an operation in the General Hospital on Thursday, is progressing favorably.

The Advisory Board of the Children's Aid Society will hold their regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 4.30 o'clock in County Clerk Jonas Gossnell's office.

Auction sale of household furniture, Thursday, March 29th, commencing at one o'clock, at residence of Mrs. Frank Ryall, corner of Victoria avenue and Barthe street. Everything must be sold.

J. A. Northwood, of Mt. Clemens, is visiting relatives in the city. Mr. Northwood is an old Chatham boy who has met with success since he left Chatham. He is now manager of a large hotel in Mt. Clemens.

Illustrated lecture with over 100 views on Holland, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland and France by Rev. J. J. Ross, Friday, March 16th, in William street Baptist church. Admission 10 cents.

Mr. Waterhouse, the Park St. Baker, has in the past contributed verses to the columns of this paper. The poetic muse has again inspired him, as our readers will note in another part of our paper. This time it is his most popular brand of bread, Aunt Mary's Home Made, that forms the subject of his verse. He reports the demand for it as being greater every week than it was the preceding week. It is quite evident that his attempts to furnish the best bread that can be made, regardless of cost to him, are being crowned with success. See his advt., and give him bread a trial.

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See Julia Gray, the great emotional actress, in Lincoln J. Carter's great play, "Her Only Sin."

Mrs. G. A. Pedler, of Oshawa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Northwood, William street.

James Scott, a drunk, was fined \$2 and costs in the Police Court on Saturday for being drunk and disorderly. He paid \$6 in all. The young man was charged with assault settled his case out of Court by paying \$2 and costs, \$5.25 in all.

The Planet is in receipt of a letter from Roger Philp, who is now living in Jackson, Miss., in which he gives a graphic description of the cyclone which passed over Meridian, Miss., on March 3rd. In this cyclone twenty-four persons were killed and twenty-three injured. The property loss was about two millions. Roger witnessed the cyclone and said it served at least to wake the people up in that district. Roger wishes to be remembered to his many friends in this city.

The Young Men's Conservative Club held a very enjoyable musical and literary evening in the Oddfellows Temple on Friday evening. There was a large crowd present and a very enjoyable time was spent by everyone. Several songs were given by Geo. Gant, selections by the Christ Church male quartette, and recitations by Messrs. Crump and Northwood. Several speeches were also delivered by different members present. Refreshments were also served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Asher, aged 70 and 69 respectively, will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, Monday evening, March the twelfth at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Hart, Detroit. They were married in Dover Ont., in 1856. From here they moved to Detroit, where they have lived for sixteen years. They have five children, Mrs. Chas. Burkinshaw, Mrs. Thos. Hart, Mrs. Wm. Risk, Mrs. Louis Brinker and John Asher.

THE IDEAL HOME

Rev. F. E. Malott preached last night in Victoria avenue Methodist church to a large congregation on "The Ideal Home." The text was taken from I. Kings xiii. 7, "Come home with me and refresh thyself."

After speaking of the place and value of the home and the forces that are at work in our day to break up the home, the speaker gave a description of the "Ideal Home."

Five points were emphasized: It will be a centre of religious influence; a duly regulated home; a centre of intelligence affording refreshment for mind as well as body; a place of peace and shelter from the world where the heart's best qualities are called out; a hospitable home, sharing its refreshment with the homeless ones within reach of its influence.

The sermon was aptly illustrated throughout and many needed lessons were imparted. A strong plea was made for better homes.

The music was appropriate and was unusually good.

ENJOYABLE TIME

A very enjoyable time was spent at the "at home" given by the Young Conservatives' Club in French's Hall on Tuesday evening to hear "the boy member," Mr. H. S. Clements, M. P. for West Kent.

Mr. Clements, who is a strong supporter of "National Policy" principles, dwelt at some length on the tariff question and gave several reasons why he thought that there should be a higher duty placed on imports, particularly farm products from the United States. He also gave some good pointers on party organization, which was the immediate object of the club. Other speakers were Mr. George A. Stewart, of Strathroy, and Mr. Raymond, of London. Songs were given by Miss Margaret Fin-
Saxsmith. The accompanist was Miss Helen Hurst. Mr. A. J. Sullivan, president of the club, occupied the chair in a creditable manner. The hall was crowded.—Glencoe Transcript.

KABO CORSET DEMONSTRATION

Ladies who visited the World's Fair at St. Louis, will remember what a centre of attraction the beautiful display of THE KABO CORSET COMPANY was, and the unanimous praise heard in their favor from all who had worn them. This was most gratifying, but the fact that THE KABO CORSETS received from the judges the highest award and the GRAND PRIZE, above all competitors at this

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Even Orillia has sent down a deputation with a view to securing a Normal school. Buxton you are next.

Since Chatham put in its application for a Normal school, nearly every milk-can station in the Province has followed suit.

Hands off our Normal school, you jay towns!

Keep out of the money lender's g-r-a-s-p.

A Windsor man went into a jewelry store and substituted genuine diamonds in the show case with fake ones. It was a kind of a counter-feit.

The Growler has commenced pasting Bible texts on his bill-board publication. However, it is right in Abe's line since a lot of lost souls come his way.

Some unknown party has been sending out mysterious, unsigned post cards. It is also evident that some unknown party has vacant lots in the region of thinkdom.

Dr. Tyernam, in an interview in one of the Winnipeg papers, says that he has washed his hands. It would be interesting reading if the doctor would now give an interview telling how he got them dirty.

A REMARKABLE BOY.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. George, a fine son, Dec. 6; the same to Mr. and Mrs. Lorain Davis.—Gallipolis, Ohio, Journal.

This is the season of listlessness, headaches and spring disorders. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a sure preventative. Makes you strong and vigorous. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of Andrew Wilson, late of the Township of Dover East, in the County of Kent, Carpenter, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to R. S. O., 1897, chapter 129, section 38, and its amending acts, that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Andrew Wilson, who died at the Township of Dover East, aforesaid, on or about the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1906, or having such claims or demands against his estate, are required to send by post prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned solicitors herein for Osric Leander Lewis, the executor and trustee named and appointed in the will of the said Andrew Wilson, their names and addresses, and full particulars in writing of their claims and statement of their account, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

And further notice is hereby given that after the tenth day of April, A. D. 1906, the said Osric Leander Lewis will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that the said Osric Leander Lewis will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not then have received notice.

Dated at the city of Chatham this 12th day of March, A. D. 1906.

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The Chatham Malleable Steel Co. have received an order for a large shipment of their Excelsior fence hooks from an eastern firm.

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PARTHENON LODGE, No. 267, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C.; first Wednesday, Masonic Temple, King St. J. SMITH, W. M.

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WELLINGTON LODGE, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Seane Block, King St., at 7:30 p.m. Visit ting brethren heartily welcomed.

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RECALLS OLD DAYS.

Unearthed Medal of 1775 Struck in Upper Canada to Commemorate Golden Wedding.

A unique memento of early days in Upper Canada, a medal struck to commemorate a golden wedding came to light in a most curious way recently. Mr. Williamson, of Sackville street, Toronto, was standing on a log watching the work of enlarging the waterworks reservoir at Creemore, Ont., when the log rolled and threw him to the ground. In attempting to save himself he put out his hand against the sandy bank, when his hand came in contact with a hard substance. When he regained his feet he looked at it closely, and discovered that it was a bronze medal about as large as an American silver dollar.



On the reverse there appear the words: "To celebrate the fiftieth anniversary, Upper Canada, 3rd October, 1825." The inscription is surrounded by a floral wreath, probably orange blossoms.

No person about Creemore could give any information about the medal or how it came there.

William Dummer Powell, to whom this relates, was born in Boston in 1755, and came to Upper Canada with the United Empire Loyalists. He was one of Lord Simcoe's first officials, and was successively Judge of the Common Pleas, Chief Justice (following Chief Justice Osgoode), and Speaker of the Legislative Council. The historians of the time say that the Chief Justice and Bishop Strachan were the real rulers of Upper Canada for many years.

The medal is now the property of Mr. J. W. Dalziel, Edgely, P. O.

A New Twain Story.

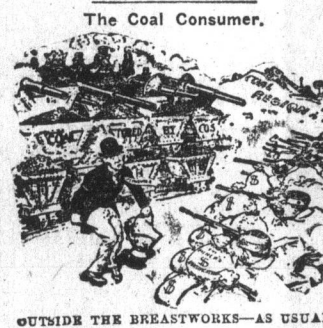
"The last time I saw Sarah Bernhardt," said Mark Twain recently, "was in Hartford, Conn. I never think of that occasion without recalling an amusing incident in connection with it."

"My daughter, who lived with me, knew two Frenchwomen, both of them much reduced in circumstances. When first they heard of the coming of Bernhardt, however, they began saving pennies, and by the date of the actress' appearance had the requisite \$10."

"Then, however, their consciences began troubling them. They had known extreme poverty, and it seemed to them little short of criminal to spend so large a sum at the theatre when it might be used to help the needy. We have no right to purchase a luxury," said one of the two, "with the only money that we could afford to give to the poor." The other agreed, though her heart ached at relinquishing the promised treat. "Let us do right, even if it be hard," she cried.

Mark Twain paused, and his eyes twinkled.

"So they did," he continued at length. "They gave the \$10 to two Yankee old maids who resided on the edge of the town, and the old maids invested it in two seats from which to see Bernhardt."



OUTSIDE THE SMELTERWORKS—AS USUAL.

Makes Lens Like Fish's Eye.

Prof. W. Wood of the department of physics of the Johns Hopkins University has announced that he is at work on a lens which is said to be built on the principle of the eye of a fish, making use of the refractive qualities of water as well as glass in the design of the lens. With this apparatus it is possible to make a photograph which will include an angle of 180 degrees, a feat which has never before been possible except by the use of a camera which was built to make a sweep of the horizon by a circular motion.

The greatest possibility in this direction with a stationary camera has been 110 degrees. The lens construction is said to be far superior to any wide angle lens which has ever been devised, not only in the respect that it covers a great field but also in that it has great depth of definition.

The professor recently delivered a lecture on the new lens, but said that he was not in a position yet to go into the details, but would do so at an early date, and promised that there would be more interesting developments of which he could say nothing until such time as he was protected by patents.

Parisian Politeness.

There is a thin coating of ice on the pavement, and the horse shivers and one of them falls, but is not hurt. It is so slippery that her efforts to raise herself are in vain.

The coachman takes off his triple caped coat with a chivalrous air and with a gesture a la Raleigh spreads it before the feet of the poor beast. Then he takes off his leather cap, shows his jolly red face and with a low bow addresses the animal, "Madame, will you do me the honor?"

And "madame" rises with difficulty, and the two, supporting each other, go off amid the cheers and applause of the delighted crowd.

Stupid are they who stoop to folly.

If You Suffer

From Germ Troubles, Please Learn What Liquozone Can Do.

Thousands who were sick—like you, perhaps—are well to-day because of Liquozone. Many had doctored long. Many were discouraged because other treatments had failed. But they were treating germ diseases with remedies which do not kill germs.

We offered to buy them a bottle of Liquozone—just as we offer you. They did with it what other remedies failed to accomplish. And those countless cured ones—scattered everywhere—are now telling others what Liquozone has done.

Kills Disease Germs.
Contact with Liquozone kills any form of disease germ, because germs are of vegetable origin. Yet to the body Liquozone is not only harmless, but helpful in the extreme. That is its main distinction. Common germicides are poisons when taken internally. That is why medicine has been so helpless in a germ disease. Liquozone is exhilarating, vitalizing, purifying; yet no disease germ can exist in it.

The virtues of Liquozone are derived solely from gases. They are generated from the best producers of oxygen, sulphur dioxide and other germicidal gases. The process of making requires large apparatus, and from 8 to 14 days' time. The object is to so fix the gases, and to combine them, as to carry into the system a powerful tonic-germicide.

We purchased the American rights to Liquozone after thousands of tests had been made with it. Its power had been proved, again and again, in the most difficult germ diseases. Then we offered to supply the first bottle free in every disease that required it. And over one million dollars have been spent to announce and fulfill this offer.

The result is that 11,000,000 bottles have been used, mostly in the past two years. To-day there are countless cured ones, scattered everywhere, to tell what Liquozone has done.

But so many others need it that this offer is published still. In the last few years, science has traced scores of diseases to germ attacks. Old remedies do not apply to them. We wish to show those sick ones—at our cost—what Liquozone can do.

Where It Applies.
These are the diseases in which Liquozone has been most employed. In these it has earned its widest reputation. In all of these troubles we supply the first bottle free. And in all—no matter how difficult—we offer each user a two months' further test without the risk of a penny.

THE STORY OF NICKEL
A MODERN MIRACLE—STONES CONVERTED INTO BREAD.

Following the Ore Through the Smelter Until the Finished Product Is Reached—This Is Known as Matte, Which Carries About 60 Per Cent. of Nickel and About 22 Per Cent. of Copper.

Copper Cliff, March 8.

In our last letter describing the process of smelting ore we saw the important part that water plays. Your guide further informs you that two of the things which more than anything else are necessary in modern smelting are wind and water. "If I were to ask you," your guide goes on, "what is the heaviest thing that passes through these furnaces, you would naturally answer 'ore.' But in reality there are nearly twice as many pounds of air blown into these furnaces through the pipes that we call tuyeres as of anything else. The air serves two purposes. First of all, it keeps the coke burning, and so generates heat. Then it burns the iron, or a large portion of it, which is in the ore. Just as you have seen a blacksmith hammering a bar on an anvil causing the sparks and shreds of glowing iron to fly around, so the air, rushing into the furnace, burns the iron and sets it free, while the quartz rock, which you saw added, seizes this iron and unites with it to form slag."

Out of the furnace at this end flows matte and slag. Matte contains copper and nickel with a little sulphur and iron. The slag contains the rock that was in the ore, the rock that was added, and a little of the iron that was in the ore and was burned out. Both of these substances fall together into a large tank, which is called a "settler." The matte is heavier than the slag, and so sinks to the bottom. The slag flows off into the slag cars, one of which always stands on the truck below each furnace. The slag is carried out to the dumping ground. As it cools it forms good solid ground, on which it is hoped some day to erect new shops and offices.

The matte, as already explained, sinks to the bottom of the "settler." As you watch an electric crane comes moving slowly down the building, carrying an enormous pot which it carefully deposits in front of the "settler," fittingly under a clay-lined spout. At the end of this spout a steel bar sticks into the "settler" near the bottom. The furnace men pass a hook over the end of the protruding bar, and bending to their work snipe it on either side with heavy sledges. In a few seconds a stream of molten metal breaks from the top hole. Slowly it runs at first, blood-red and thick. Then it falls with force, sparkling in a brilliant orange-colored cascade.

As the metal falls beneath you the tapper watches it critically. "It is high grade," he says.

"How do you know that?" you ask.

"Well," he replies, "if it runs out cold-looking and thick like this," and he points to the glowing stream, "that's good stuff. But if it runs out thin, and there are sparks, then it is low grade." It goes up the converted baffle, and then you see—

He does not finish the sentence, but jumps to a sheet-iron shield which he throws across the stream in front of him. In his left hand he seizes a long iron rod, on the top of which a pointed wad of clay is fastened. Watching his chance he carefully places the wad of clay in position, rams it home and closes the spout. Along comes the crane, drops its tentacles or hooks, which attendants fasten to the sides of the pot, which is now filled with glowing metal. Slowly the pot is lifted up and carried down the long building till it reaches a curious barrel-shaped vessel with a gaping mouth. That, your guide informs you, is a Bessemer converter. The word, perhaps, conveys no meaning to you, but he explains that years ago Sir Henry Bessemer discovered that if you melted pig iron and blew air through it you could burn out the impurities and turn out first-class steel. About twenty years ago it was discovered that the same principle was applicable to the metallurgy of nickel.

The pot of molten metal, which the crane has just brought down the building, is poured into the mouth of the converter, which is a barrel-shaped steel vessel lined with quartz and clay. It seems a trivial matter, as in fact all the work done by the crane seems trivial; but here is a vessel containing five tons of molten metal emptied into another vessel as easily as you would pour out a dipper of water. After the converter has received the contents of the pot it slowly lowers its mouth until it is within about eight feet of the floor, to permit a man to throw in a stick or two of cordwood. Then the blast is turned on and the converter tips back until the mouth is brought under a hood which fits closely over it and gath-

ers "fire sparks and flame into" the smokestack.

"The converter," your guide informs you, "will blow for about two hours while the iron is burning out. As the iron burns it unites with the quartz in the lining of the vessel and forms slag." When the converter has done its work the product is carried outside and poured into long iron moulds, where it is allowed to cool and harden. After it has become cold in the moulds it is broken up with sledge hammers into slabs about three inches thick. That is matte. That is the finished product so far as Canada is concerned. It carries about sixty per cent. nickel, and twenty-two per cent. copper. The rest is mainly sulphur, the iron having mostly disappeared in the smelting. In this state it is shipped to the refinery in the United States, where the copper and the nickel are finally separated.

"How much matte have you made to-day?"

"Well, let us see: 22 tons last night, and 18 to 18 tons to-day, with probably two or three more before the shift changes—say, 40 tons for the 24 hours. It is not as high as has been done, but the rock is not the best. We will do better when we get into a new bed."

"Simple, isn't it?" your guide remarks, and you are tempted to answer, "Yes, when you know how."

Then your guide becomes reminiscent. "Yes, when you know how. But it has taken time and courage and money to learn how. Three years ago there was nothing here where we stand, but a rocky hillside and a swamp. It took money and brains to effect the change. It took more. It took faith in the future. It took brains and money and perseverance to produce the nickel. It took ability, foresight and courage to find the market and to seize it. If we cannot cause two blades of grass to grow where but one grew before, we make two pots of matte where there was less than one before, and to some extent we have accomplished the miracle of turning stones into bread."

So far we have been tracing the history of the successful development of the nickel industry. It is an inspiring story; but it is only part of the history of Canadian nickel. There is another story, much less encouraging, but scarcely less interesting. The woods around are full of the evidences of failure. To make the story complete both sides of it must be told. Something about the other side will be given in the articles of this series that are yet to appear.

When a woman's sentiment extends beyond a limited circle it becomes common-place.

CUT OUT THIS COUPON
Fill it out and mail it to The Liquezone Company, 434-434 Wabash Ave., Chicago.

My disease is.....
I have never tried Liquezone, but if you will supply me a 50c bottle free I will take it.

ABCD Give full address—write plainly.

Note that this offer applies to new users only. Any physician or hospital not yet using Liquezone will be gladly supplied for a test.

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If you need Liquezone, and have never tried it, please send us this coupon. We will then mail you an order on a local druggist for a full-size bottle, and will pay the druggist ourselves for it. This is our free gift, made to convince you; to let the product itself show you what it can do. In justice to yourself, please accept it today, for it places you under no obligations whatever. Liquezone costs 50c. and \$1.

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These are the diseases in which Liquezone has been most employed. In these it has earned its widest reputation. In all of these troubles we supply the first bottle free. And in all—no matter how difficult—we offer each user a two months' further test without the risk of a penny.

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and \$1.

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CURE THE MOST EXTREME CASES

Stoie in the Kidneys Cannot Stand Before Dodd's Kidney Pills

Mr. S. A. Cassidy, of Ottawa, Per-

manently Cured After Years of

Suffering by the Great Canadian

Kidney Remedy.

Ottawa, Ont., March 12.—(Special.)

While all Canada knows that

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the standard

remedy for all Kidney Complaints,

it may surprise some people to know

they cure such extreme cases as

Stoie in the Kidneys. Yet that is

what they have done right here in

Ottawa.

Mr. S. A. Cassidy, the man cured,

is the well-known proprietor of the

Bijou Hotel on Metcalfe street, and

in an interview he says: "My friends

all know that I have been a martyr

to Stoie in the Kidneys for years.

They know that besides consulting

the best doctors in the city and try-

ing every medicine I could think of,

I was unable to get better.

"Some time ago a friend told me

Dodd's Kidney Pills would cure me.

As a last resort I tried them, and

they have cured me.

"I could not imagine more severe

suffering than one endures who has

Stoie in the Kidneys, and I feel the

greatest gratitude to Dodd's Kidney

DISTRICT

BLLENHEIM

March 10.—The proprietor of the

basket factory, Mr. Wm. Ferris, and

his assistants are kept busy prepar-

ing material for their use during the

coming basket season.

Miss Peters is visiting her sister,

Mrs. F. S. Bounsell, Chatham, over

Sunday.

The regular monthly meeting of

the town council was held this week.

The fire department gave notice

of the resignation of James Tedford

and the appointment of A. G. Shil-

lington in his place. A petition was

read from H. Winters and others on

McGeorge street asking for an elec-

tric light, which was granted. A

by-law for the appointment of a local

board of health was as fol-

lows: The Mayor, Clerk and George

Thompson, one year; P. Haggart,

two years; John Cocker, three years.

Messrs. G. M. Baird and C. Senior

were appointed auditors for 1906.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGregor ex-

pect to move in their residence on

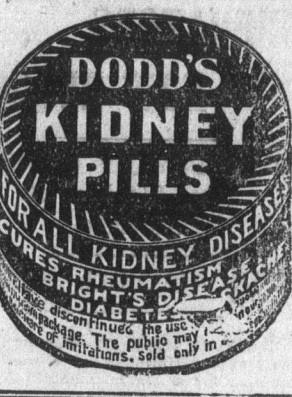
Victoria street on Monday next.

Frank Lawrence, who has spent

the last year at North Battleford,

Sask., is home on a visit to his pa-

rents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lawrence.



Her Feet Too.

"That new saleaday," said the blond

at the ribbon counter, "has false hair

and teeth."

"Yes," replied the brunette, who con-

descended to sell handkerchiefs occa-

sionally, "and it seems that's not the

only thing. I heard her complaining

that she hadn't had a chance to get off

her feet all day."

PROVED IN MOUNT FOREST.

Every doctor in this town tried his

best to relieve Mrs. J. Withom, of

Astoria, none succeeded. "For years,"

she states, "I was a dreadful

sufferer; nothing gave relief. At last

I found it necessary to have

all the doors and windows open to

get my breath. When in despair I

heard of Catarrhzone, I used it and

now I am perfectly cured." This

proves beyond doubt that any case

of Asthma is curable with Catarrh-

zone. No remedy so pleasant, none

so absolutely certain to thoroughly

cure: try Catarrhzone yourself; it's

gumputated.

She Works at Home.

Hicks—I understand Mrs. Bias has

learned how to keep her husband at

home. Wicks—Nonsense! Bias is out

with "the boys" nearly every night.

Hicks—You misunderstand me. I mean

the work she does at home keeps him.

She's a dressmaker, you know.

WATER IN YOUR BLOOD.

Lots of people have thin, watery

blood—they eat plenty but don't digest.

When digestion is poor, food isn't

converted into nourishment—in

consequence the body rapidly loses

strength. To positively renew health,

nothing equals Ferrozone. It excites

sharp appetite—makes the stomach

digest, forms it—restoring blood.

Abundant strength is sure to follow.

If you need more vitality, extra en-

ergy, better nerves, then use Ferro-

zone, the medical triumph of the age.

Fifty cents buys a box of fifty cho-

colate coated Ferrozone tablets.

To Stand His Trial.

Ripley, March 10.—The preliminary

inquiry into the charges against Geo.

Fletcher was held in the Town Hall

yesterday afternoon. A bench of

magistrates, Fletcher was committed to

stand his trial on two different charges:

of stealing a barber's hydraulic chair,

a mirror, about one dozen razors, two

sets of hair clippers, and other para-

phernalia of a barber's outfit, the prop-

erty of Angus McLean, whose place

was burned, and of stealing double

and single harness from George Brooks

Township of Huron.

HER SKIN WAS YELLOW.

"I had only to try Dr. Hamilton's

Pills to appreciate their merit,"

writes Miss Annie S. Bryce, of Wood-

stock. "My system was out of order.

My blood was weak and thin. I had

a nasty, murky complexion. My skin

was hard and dry. The first box of

Dr. Hamilton's Pills made a complete

change. I felt better at once. Health-

thy color came into my face. After

about three weeks I was cured." Dr.

Hamilton's Pills effect an easy cure.

Try these good pills, 25c. per box, or

five boxes for \$1.00; at all dealers.

Rain Maker For the Yukon.

Dawson, March 10.—Charles Hat-

field, rainmaker, of Los Angeles, Cal-

ifornia, has been engaged to produce

rainfall here next summer, and is to

get \$10,000 from the Canadian Govern-

ment if he induces the clouds to give

up enough water to supply the needs

of miners in this section.

"Cleanliness is next to godliness."

Dirt and depravity go hand in hand.

This is just as true of the inside of

the body as of the outside. Constipa-

tion clogs the body and clouds the

mind. Constipation means that cor-

ruption in breeding in the body, poi-

soning the blood with its foul eman-

ations, befogging the brain with its

tainted exhalations. Constipation is

the beginning of more diseases

than, perhaps any other single dis-

order. The consequences of consti-

pation are legion. Headache, pain in

the side, shortness of breath, undue

fullness after eating, coldness of the

extremities, nervousness, indecision,

lassitude, dizziness, sallowness, flat-

ulence, and a score of other ailments

are directly caused by constipation.

Cure constipation and you cure its

consequences. The quickest cure of

this evil is obtained by the use of Dr.

Pierce's Pleasant Pills. They are

small in size but wonderful in result.

They cure permanently. They con-

tain no injurious ingredients. The

use of them does not "loosen the pill

habit." Ask your druggist for them.

Send 3¢ in stamps, the ex-

pense of mailing and postage, and

receive Dr. Pierce's Common Sense

Medical Adviser, in paper covers. This

work contains 1008 pages and 700 il-

lustrations. For 50 stamps it can be

addressed Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo,

N. Y.

Even the tattooed man objects to

being called hard names.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps,

but is best when used in the Sunlight way.

Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

Even in an automobile a poet can-

not do without lines.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures

Close Lower—Live Stock Markets

—The Latest Quotations.

Friday Evening, March 9.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day

5/8d lower than yesterday, and corn futures

5/8d to 3/4d higher.

At Chicago, May wheat closed 3/8c lower

than yesterday, May corn 1/4c lower, and

May oats 3/4c lower.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

The following were the closing quotations

to-day at this market: March 72 1/2c bid,

May 74 1/2c bid, July 75 1/2c bid.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

Duluth 75 1/2c

St. Louis 74 1/2c

Detroit 72 1/2c

Minneapolis 70 1/2c

Toledo 68 1/2c

New York 53 1/2c

Grain.

Wheat, spring, bush, 60 1/2c to 61 1/2c

Wheat, fall, bush, 60 1/2c to 61 1/2c

Wheat, red, bush, 60 1/2c to 61 1/2c

Wheat, white, bush, 60 1/2c to 61 1/2c

Barley, bush, 52 1/2c to 53 1/2c

Oats, bush, 38 1/2c to 39 1/2c

Rye, bush, 48 1/2c to 49 1/2c

Powder, bush, 60 1/2c to 61 1/2c

Blackwheat, bush, 53 1/2c to 54 1/2c

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, March 9.—Wheat—Spot nom-

inal; futures dull; March 6s 5/4d, May 6s

4 1/4d

WM. FOREMAN & CO., IMPORTERS

An hour spent at Foreman's is time well spent if you would be fashionably dressed this spring.

THE NEW GOODS

Shown by this Store will be sure to please every Admirer of Goods, Style and Beauty.

Have you inspected the rich stocks of New Goods for spring, that have been gathered to this store from the British Isles, France, Germany and Switzerland?

If not, come any day or any time in the day from 8 a. m. until 6 p. m. or Saturday evenings until 10 p. m. You'll always find a courteous staff ready and willing to introduce the new goods to you.

Come and get better acquainted with FOREMAN'S GOODS. No need to buy because you look.

New Dress Goods, Silks, New Wash Goods, Embroideries, Laces, Gloves, Hosiery, Ribbons, Corsets, Linens, etc.

WM. FOREMAN & COMPANY.

AMUSEMENTS

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

MONDAY, MARCH 12

MR. CARTER

PRESENTS

Julia Gray

AND

THE CRITERION PLAYERS

In a Farewell Tour of His

Remarkable Play

Her Only Sin

As presented by them for over 1,000

times.

N.B.—Attraction guaranteed by local

management.

Prices—25c, 35c, 50c, and 75c.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

America's Famous Prima Donna,

SOPHIE BRANDT,

in the glittering musical frivolity,

"A MADCAP PRINCESS."

An operatic version of when knight-

hood was in flower as produced over

250 times at the Knickerbocker

Theatre, New York.

Great Cast.

Catching Music.

Grand Beauty Chorus.

Sixty People

Prices—\$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c,

and 25c.

You Have Heard

About the smile that won't come off. Such a smile must be proof against adversity, trouble, and all the "slings and arrows" of outrageous fortunes.

That smile suggests the PAINT THAT WON'T COME OFF; a paint proof against wind and sun, and all the arrows of outrageous nature—the name Sherwin Williams Paint

WESTMAN BROS.,

SOLE AGENTS.

FOR SALE.

Beattie Farm, situate Township of Tilbury East. Contains 150 acres, 120 cleared. Good buildings. Price only \$4300. City and Farm Property bought, sold or exchanged. Money to Loan on Mortgages. Fire, Life and Accident Insurance. For particulars apply to SMITH & SMITH, Real Estate and Insurance Agents.

NOW IN COMMAND

Capt. Charles Kingsmill Appointed to the Battleship Dominion.

Toronto, March 12.—Capt. Charles E. Kingsmill, son of the late Judge Kingsmill, and a nephew of Nicol Kingsmill, K. C., has been appointed to the command of His Majesty's battleship Dominion.

A cablegram to this effect was received by Mrs. Kingsmill on Saturday afternoon.

The Dominion, which was launched last summer is one of the largest battleships afloat, and has been in command of Capt. Marks up to the present time. It belongs to the Atlantic fleet, and will be remembered as having conveyed the remains of Hon. Raymond Prefontaine from France.

Capt. Kingsmill has been connected with the royal navy since he was 13 years of age.

Two Cents a Mile Promised.

Boston, March 12.—President Mellen of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, at the monthly meeting of the directors here Saturday made the statement that it is his purpose to reduce the passenger tariff to the minimum rate of two cents a mile upon all the company's lines, and that the new tariff be in effect by next October. Mr. Mellen says that the directors have already authorized the reduction on certain lines in Connecticut.

Good Seal Season.

Quebec, March 12.—A despatch from Etang du Nord, Gaspé County, says: Reports received Saturday from various points indicated that 9,000 seals were taken at different points on the Magdalen Islands that day. This is considered a most auspicious opening season for seal fishing, and hunters predict the season will show a large catch.

Macassa Makes Toronto.

Toronto, March 12.—Saturday at 1.15 p. m. the Macassa sailed into Toronto, just four hours after leaving Hamilton. Friday she ground through a channel in Burlington Bay and also through several inches of ice from Queen's Wharf here to the Yonge street slip on Saturday. Capt. Cooney got a silk hat for being the first one in.

Million Dollars For Relief.

Rome, March 12.—Premier Sonnino Saturday introduced a bill in the Chamber of Deputies for an appropriation of \$1,200,000 for the sufferers from the earthquakes in Calabria, thus completing measures looking to regeneration in the south which are without precedent since the kingdom of the two Sicilies joined united Italy.

London "Subway" Opens.

London, March 12.—The Danter street-Waterloo "Tube," one of the late Charles T. Yerkes' group of railroads, was opened to public traffic Saturday. The new artery, the length of which is 51-4 miles, runs north and south. The construction of the road was commenced in 1898.

900 Killed or Wounded.

Manila, March 12.—Associated Press telegrams from Zamboanga say that the attack on Mount Dajo commenced on Monday. There were four days of hard fighting, during which it is estimated that 900 persons were killed or wounded.

Recount in Kinistino.

Regina, March 12.—The recount in Kinistino, applied for by D. R. Shadd (Conservative), has been completed, but the result is unchanged. Sander-son's majority is 552.

Mutineers to Die.

Bobrinsk, Russia, March 12.—Thirteen soldiers of the local garrison have been sentenced to death for mutiny.

Soldiers Have Measles.

Kington, March 12.—Several of the members of A Battery are in the hospital with measles.

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1,100 PERISH IN A MINE

Explosion and Fire in Coal Pits at Courrières, France

STORY OF CATASTROPHE

Paris, March 12.—The worst fears as to the enormity of the mine disaster in the Courrières district of the Pas-de-Calais Saturday morning have been realized. The death list numbers 1,100, and the whole of the region stands appalled at the terrible tragedy which has brought sorrow to 6,000 mothers, wives and children.

The last great mine disaster in France occurred in 1885, when 292 persons were killed and 80 injured, but that and all others sink into insignificance before Courrières. The vast mortuary camp is under military guard, 400 soldiers having arrived there to assist in holding in check the crowds of distraught mourners. For a time hope had been held out to the people that tapplings on pipes by the imprisoned men had been heard, but gradually this hope vanished, and the people demanded admission to see the bodies, and even threatened to break through the cordon of troops, who had the great est difficulty in keeping the crowds from the pit.

One man named Sylvestre succeeded in entering the mine, but he never returned. It is believed he grouped about inside until he was overcome by the gasses and perished. It is reported that a rescue party numbering 40 had been cut off by the caving in of one of the galleries.

Relief Measures.

Minister of Public Works Gauthier, Minister of the Interior Dubief, and the secretary of President Fallieres remain on the ground endeavoring to comfort the distressed families of the miners.

President Fallieres has given \$2,000 to aid in relief measures. The Ministry will add a further sum to this, and the Chamber of Deputies will be asked to vote \$100,000 for the purpose of alleviating distress.

Ministers Gauthier and Dubief have received complete details of the catastrophe from M. Lavaurs, the director of the mine.

"Of 1,800 miners who were down in the pits when the explosion occurred," he said, "75 were working in pit No. 1, 482 were in pit No. 3; 571 in pit No. 2, and the remainder in pit No. 10. Those taken out were as follows: From pit No. 4, 190; from pit No. 3, 15 escaped through pit No. 11; 490 came up from pit No. 2, and 74 from pit No. 10. A number of these were injured and some of them have since died. At the present moment over 1,000 men remain imprisoned."

Another director declared that the imprisoned men numbered 1,100.

Minister Dubief enquired: "Have you still any hope?"

To this the director replied: "No, I believe all of them are dead."

This was whispered into the ear of the Minister, in order that his words might not be overheard by the pale-faced miners who stood anxiously about the mine building waiting for an official view on the state of affairs.

Then the Ministers listened to a graphic description of the scene in the mine by Leon Cert, one of the men rescued, and who is still suffering from the terrible effects of his experience.

"I was working with a gang when the explosion occurred. The foreman immediately shouted for us to follow him, and dashing into a recess in the gallery we were followed by a blast of poisonous gasses which rushed by, however, without effecting us. We remained there for eight hours when, feeling that suffocation was gradually coming upon us, we attempted to escape. We crawled in single file toward the shaft, but several of the men dropped dead on the way, including my nephew on my back for 40 minutes and succeeded in saving him. It took us eight hours to reach the shaft."

For the time being the mine building has been transformed into mortuary chamber, and all about in it, lie the carbonized and almost unrecognizable bodies of miners which were taken there as brought up from the mines.

Heartrending Scenes.

Heartrending scenes are witnessed. The women with children in their arms attempt to break through the cordon of troops which form a lane through which the body-bearers proceed to the mortuary chamber.

Some times the burden consists of a mere heap of burnt flesh, and in nearly every case the body is terribly lacerated. Only one-half of the bodies recovered have been identified.

Despite the danger incurred, the volunteers, who include a number of those who were successful in escaping at the time of the explosion, do not hesitate to descend the shaft. Some of them have been down more than a dozen times.

One of them, after having brought up 14 bodies, was suffocated on his 15th attempt, and it is feared that other fatalities among the volunteers will follow, as the air in the mines is still impregnated with noxious gasses.

Replying to an inquiry as to whether hope remained for the finding of more men alive in the mine, an engineer who had been down the shaft, said: "It is scarcely possible. The state of the galleries is such that clearing them will be a difficult task, while the flames were so fierce that many of the victims must be reduced to ashes."

Troops in Readiness.

Moscow, March 12.—A military train with machine guns, is held in constant readiness at the railroad station in case of emergency to suppress troubles in the country and neighboring cities.

General Strike.

Helsingfors, Finland, March 12.—The Socialists of Finland are agitating for a general strike to show the discontent of the people at the existing conditions.

It comes hard to lose a soft berth.

OPERATORS NOW REFUSE

All the Demands of United Mine Workers of America

JOHN MITCHELL SILENT

New York, March 12.—The propositions of the United Mine Workers of America for a readjustment of wages and conditions in the anthracite coal fields, as a whole, have been denied by the committee representing the anthracite operators. As a counter proposition, the operators suggest that the awards made by the anthracite coal strike commission on established upon which they were established by the commission, and the methods established for carrying out their findings and awards, shall be continued for a further term of three years from the first day of April, 1906. The present agreement terminates March 31 of this year.

Announcement of the anthracite operators decision and their counter proposition was made last night in a long, formal statement. In every instance the contention is made by the coal fields either that conditions in the coal fields do not warrant the changes proposed by the miners, or that the questions at issue already have been passed upon by the strike commission.

In conclusion, the statement says: "It is not to the interest of employers or employees, nor of the public, to have the mining business as well as the general business and comfort of the people, seriously disturbed by these yearly contentions."

Mitchell is Silent.

President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America left yesterday for Indianapolis, where he goes to prepare for the convention of the mine workers March 15. Mr. Mitchell declined to say anything regarding the reply of the operators refusing the demands of the miners.

None of the other members of the miners' committee would talk. Prior to Mr. Mitchell's departure there was a lengthy meeting of the miners' committee.

INFORMATION POURS IN.

Public Fully Interested in the Coming Insurance Investigation.

Ottawa, March 12.—Public interest in the forthcoming investigation respecting life insurance is indicated by the volume of correspondence being received by Henry T. Ross, secretary to the commission.

The prevailing wish expressed is that the commissioners be fully into the workings of the different companies and their methods of doing business, and it is understood that some information considered to be of use in that connection is being volunteered.

The commission is fitting up permanent offices in this city, and the site is that, so far as possible, the sitting should be held here.

However, Montreal and Toronto, where the head offices of several companies are located, will have to be visited, representations having been made that only by going there personally can the commission readily get at the facts.

The enquiry commences on Wednesday.

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HAD BIG VICTORY

U. S. Troops Win Battle on Top of High Mountain—Artillery Hoisted by Block and Tackle.

Manila, March 10.—Major-Gen. Leonard Wood, commander of the division of the Philippines, reports as follows from Jolo, capital of the Sulu Islands:

"A severe action between troops, a naval detachment and constabulary and hostile Moros has taken place at Mount Dajo, near Jolo. The engagement opened during the afternoon of March 6 and ended on the morning of March 8.

"The action involved the capture of Mount Dajo, a lava cone two thousand and one hundred feet high, with a crater at its summit and extremely steep.

The last four hundred feet were at an angle of sixty degrees, and there were fifty perpendicular ridges covered with a growth of timber and strongly fortified and defended by an invincible force of Moros.

"The army casualties were fifteen enlisted men killed, four commissioned officers wounded, and thirty-two enlisted men wounded. The naval casualties numbered 32.

"The constabulary casualties were three enlisted men killed and 13 wounded. All the defenders of the Moro stronghold were killed. Six hundred bodies were found on the field.

"The action resulted in the extinction of a band of outlaws, who, recognizing no chief, have been raiding friendly Moros, and who, owing to their defiance of the American authorities, had stirred up a dangerous condition of affairs.

"The artillery was lifted by block and tackle a distance of 300 feet into a position on the top of the crater. Brigadier-Gen. Bliss and myself were present throughout the action.

"The officers and men engaged highly commend the Moro constabulary, who did excellent work. Their casualties numbering seventeen out of the force of forty-four engaged."

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HOCKEY.

Saturday's Record.

Exhibition.

Eastern Stars... 8 Western Stars... 7

Montreal Vics... 9 N.Y. St. Nicholas 4

Ottawa... 12 Quebec... 5

Wanderers... 15 Shamrocks... 1

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The Lucky Guesses 2,221 and 2,199

Mr. W. E. Smith, who counted the slips of paper in our Guessing Contest, found the dish to contain 2,218 pieces.

Miss Mamie Pritchard, Head, guessed 2,221 and won the \$3.50 shoes.

The school children's prize of a \$2.00 pair of shoes was won by Master Percy Gray, Grey St., on a guess of 2,199.

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