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BUTTERICK PATTERNS THOMAS STONE & SON FASHION SHEETS FREE

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits

YOUR CHOICE at almost HALF PRICE

By actual count there are just a dozen of these Suits, representing the following colorings, light and dark fawn, light and dark gray, brown and black, in sizes 32, 34, 36 and 38. The Men Tailors who made these Suits are masters in the art of clever fit and pronounced style—no garments that have been made or shown in Chatham this season can equal in material, design or fit, these New York styles. Most important of all, most irresistible of all are the prices, we're going to clear them out in one day, that explains it.

Regular \$18.00 Suits on Friday at	-	\$12.00
Regular \$17.50 Suits on Friday at	-	\$11.00
Regular \$14.50 Suits on Friday at	-	\$7.00

AT QUARTER OFF
Your choice of any Ready-to-wear Skirt in the store, on Friday at..... 25 per cent off regular prices

THOMAS STONE & SON Direct Importers, 78 and 80 King St.

He Wants a..... Necktie, You May Depend On That.

For no matter how many neckties a man may have, he's always glad to get more. Part of the pleasure of giving is in the choosing; being sure of HIS pleasure, add to your own by making selections from our choice assortment of

HOLIDAY NECKWEAR
25c to \$1.00

We call special attention to our line of 50c Silk and Satin Puffs, Tecks, English Squares, Ascots, Imperials, Four-in-Hands, Bows, Wales Ties, etc. Color combinations that will please every taste—patterns that include exclusive designs in stripes, dots and figures. Larger variety and better quality at 50c than you'll see anywhere else.

THE 2 T'S = TRUDELL & TOBEY SLATER SHOE AGENTS

Chinaware From France

A well known fact is that the finest China is made in France. Once a year we import some very choice pieces of decorated Haviland China. No cheap gilt or printed goods, but all hand decorated and finished in gold. Our stock for this year is now opened.

"The Ark" Window and For Prices Assortment

Cups and Saucers, per dozen.....	\$18.00
Teapots, per doz.....	\$14.00
Breakfast Plates, per doz.....	\$18.00
Sugar and Cream, 3 pcs.....	\$3.50
Spoon Trays, each.....	\$1.75
Cake Plates, each.....	\$2.00
Violet Decoration and Gold Stippled Haviland China	
Cups and Saucers, per doz.....	\$6.00
B and B. Plates, per doz.....	\$3.00
Berry Sets, 13 pcs.....	\$5.00
Pudding Dish, 3 pcs.....	\$4.00
Chocolate Pots, each.....	75c and 90c
Spoon Trays.....	\$1.25
Muffin Dish, covered.....	\$1.25
Comb and Brush Tray.....	\$1.25

Make your choice soon and we will keep it until Christmas for you.
H. MACAULAY

Dr. Patterson

Dentist
First Class Work. Very Moderate Fees. Office next Lawyer Atkinson's, King St., three doors west of Market.

HOW THEY RAN.

The following shows the vote in the aldermanic contest last year, the first nine candidates having been elected: McKough, 985; Stephens, 878; McCraig, 845; Sullivan, 828; Scane, 784; Fleming, 760; Liddy, 694; Marshall, 684; Taylor, 629; Hendershott, 531; Cooper, 388; Mount, 278.

STANLEY BROWN'S LECTURE.

Toronto Saturday World, Nov. 11th, 1900.—In Massey Hall on Saturday night, a splendid audience listened with rapt attention to one of the most interesting lectures ever delivered in Toronto. It was by Mr. Stanley McKewen Brown, the war correspondent, and his subject was: "With the boys through Africa." Colonel Ryer, who has but recently returned from the scene of hostilities, acted as chairman, and the band of the 48th Highlanders discoursed sweet music. The affair was under the auspices of the 48th Highlanders and patronage of Lieut.-Col. Macdonald and officers of the same regiment and was a great success. The Western City lodge has secured the services of Mr. Brown for the afternoon and evening of Wednesday, Dec. 5.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

FROM OVER THE OCEAN

Very Latest Cable News.

FRANCE WON'T INTERFERE

THAT IS THE INTIMATION ON PAUL HAS RECEIVED—THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The conversation which former President Kruger had with the French minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, yesterday, was confined to the former sounding the latter as to the probable attitude of France in certain eventualities. Mr. Kruger did not press for a definite statement, and the conversation lacked preciseness. M. Delcasse let it be understood that France had not changed her attitude since he explained the government's position in the chamber of deputies last March. France will not take the initiative in intervention in South Africa, but will not discourage any other country from so doing. On the contrary, it is taken under such conditions as appear to her to merit acquiescence. Mr. Kruger did not formulate any proposition, and did not intimate that he intended to, but it is believed he will take the first official diplomatic step at The Hague. It is not known whether he will ask Holland to propose mediation or open other and less clearly defined negotiations.

THE CHURCH WAR

Ritualists Make an Offer of a Compromise.

London, Nov. 28.—The proceedings of the round table conference summoned by the Bishop of London for the discussion of burning questions agitating the English Church have been published in authentic form. The nearest approach to a compromise was the offer of Lord Halifax and Canon Gore to accept the first Prayer Book of Edward VI as an alternative in the communion service, and to dissolve the English Church Union, a High Church body which has excited the hostility of Low Churchmen. The impression is strengthened that an enlarged convocation, with ancient rights fully restored.

KRUGER GETS EXCITED

When Told That Great Britain will Never Agree to Arbitration.

London, Nov. 29.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail, wires that he had a conversation with Mr. Kruger yesterday, and that the Boer statesman grew excited and vehement when the reporter hinted that England would ignore all attempts to secure arbitration, and would fight any combination of powers rather than give up the republic. "Mr. Kruger insisted," says the correspondent, "that Mr. Chamberlain had signed The Hague convention and could not withdraw. He said that, England had earned a just punishment, and that if there was a God, she would be punished." There is some comment on the ar-

rival in London of Sir Henry Howard, the British minister at The Hague. It is officially explained that Sir Henry is taking a holiday, but it is admitted that his presence in this city is not altogether unconnected with the approaching arrival of Mr. Kruger at the capital of Holland and the promised demonstrations, which, naturally, would be very embarrassing to the British representative were he at the Dutch capital.

MOUNTED TROOPS

Badly Needed in South Africa to Chase The Boers.

London, Nov. 29.—A despatch from Edenburg, Orange River Colony, dated Nov. 24, says—The Boers are most active between the railroad and Basutoland, south of Ladybrand, Thabanchu and Bloemfontein. Gen. De Wet and former President Steyn are near Deventersburg. It is believed they are preparing for a descent on Cape Colony for recruits and supplies. As a counter move two battalions of the Guards, Grenadiers and First Coldstream, hold all the fords of the Orange River from Ailwal North to the Orange River station. But small parties of mounted Boers are able to cross the river almost anywhere. The British have great need of more mounted troops, the capture of De Wet being hopeless without them.

GILHULY--WELLWOOD.

A Popular Young Couple United in Raleigh.

St. Patrick's Church, Raleigh, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday, the 28th inst., when Miss Mary Ada Gilhuly, daughter of Jos. H. Gilhuly, was married to James Wellwood, Rev. Father O'Donnohue officiating. The bride looked charming in a costume of blue Venetian cloth with white and blue taffeta trimmings. She wore a large blue picture hat and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Minnie O'Rourke, who was prettily attired in a blue cloth trimmed with lace and white satin. The groom was attended by his cousin, James Lewis, late of Calgary. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, where a number of immediate relatives and friends sat down to a sumptuous and well served dinner. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent in the many pastimes and amusements indulged in at such a gathering. Both bride and groom are among the most popular of Raleigh's young people, and we are glad to see them taking up their residence amongst us. Their new home will be on the 11th Con., Raleigh. That every blessing may be their's in their wedded life so happily begun is the earnest wish of their numerous friends. The estimation in which the young couple are held is shown by the many costly presents enumerated below: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gilhuly, fancy chair; Mr. S. L. Wellwood, silver fruit dish; Mrs. S. L. Wellwood, dinner set; Frank H. Gilhuly, gold pie knife and silver meat fork; Miss Minnie and John M. O'Rourke, pie spread; Miss M. Hickey, parlor lamp; Jas. H. and Thos. C. O'Rourke, tea set; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Drew, parlor lamp; Miss Lena Laky, fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. S. Wellwood, Jf., half-

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Rubbers



Here's the whole meat of the rubber matter.—If you want rubbers to wear they've got to fit

Fit is as necessary for good wear as quality is. We carry in stock the very best quality, from the makers of the highest grades of rubber footwear, yet to get the best wear out of them, they must fit. It's easy enough giving everybody a perfect fit when there is such a variety of sorts and shapes as you can see here. We carry in stock seventy different sizes, running from Infant's No. 4, through Misses', Youths', Boys', Women's, and to Men's No. 13. We have over one hundred different kinds of Rubbers, so we can fit every fancy and every foot.

Geo. W. Cowan

CHATHAM, ONT.

dozen bread and butter plates, Sales & Halliday, manicule set, Burr & Tuskey, silver pie knife, Misses' Ellis and Cassie Hill, china tea set, Albert and Ida Murphy, silver biscuit jar, Frank and Harry Crump, large parlor lamp, Mr. and Mrs. Burke, silver butter dish, Frank Gilhuly, carving set, Jas. Lewis, water set, Geo. Wellwood, set desert spoons, Misses' Agnes and Mary Lee, table cloth and napkins, Mr. Donohue, set bouquet holders, Mabel Wellwood, porridge set, Willie and Maggie Gilhuly, silver butter dish, Frank Sanberry, table cloth, Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

The Northway Co., Limited The Busy Cash Store. The Northway Co., Limited

FRIDAY at THE CASH STORE

This has been by far the busiest November in the history of this store. To-morrow we will finish up the months business with a long list of extraordinary bargain offering. Every item on the list is new, fresh and seasonable and represents genuine economy. Many others equally as good, find no room for mention in print. Come to-morrow and supply your needs from these unusual prices.

4 pcs. Imported Art Muslins, choice patterns, perfect colorings, reg. value 7c and 8c per yd., Friday.....	5c	reg. \$3.50, size 27x44 in., special each.....	\$3.00
3 doz. Cushions, feather filled, good cambric covering, size 18 x 18 in., Friday each.....	25c	reg. \$5.00, size 26x72 in., special each.....	\$4.50
4 doz. Ladies' Flannellette Gowns, made from fine heavy quality flannellette, in fancy blue, pink and gray stripes, fast colors, extra full sizes, with yokes, worth regular 60c, Friday.....	50c	500 yds. Floor Oil Cloth, splendid range of new patterns, good wearing quality, 1, 1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 yds. wide, at per square yard.....	25c
Ladies' Tailor-made Suits, 5 only, latest style suits, fine heavy quality covers cloth, in dark gray and brown shades, well tailored, best grade linings, made to retail at \$25.00 to \$40.00, special Friday.....	\$4.95	Children's Silk Bear Tams and Bonnets, very pretty styles, in assorted colors, sold reg. at \$1.25 and \$1.50 each, Friday.....	90c
5 only, Tailored Suits, fine all-wool Scotch homespun, in plain and small checks, fawns, grays and brown shades, latest American cut, rich remain satin lining in coat, latest style skirt, best mode lining, velvet facing reg. value \$12.50 to \$15.00 suits, Friday.....	\$5.90	3 doz. Ladies' Plannel Lined Petticoats, fancy moire stripes, with deep lined full, full width, 38, 40 and 42 in. long, special Friday each.....	98c
RUGS—Rich Moquette Rugs, handsome designs, exquisite colorings, made from finest dyed yarns, deep heavy pile, reg. \$1.25, size 18x36 in., special each.....	\$1.00	Tafeta Silk Waists, rich heavy quality, bright finish, handsomely made, with fine tucks and hemstitching on front, back and sleeves, point dress, cuffs, fitted lining, ruffled collar, in black and rich cardinal shade, worth \$6.50, Friday at.....	\$5.50
		Ladies' Jackets, sweeping reductions, all new up-to-date styles, in black, cardinal, fawn and blue, reg. \$8.50, \$9 and \$10, clearing Friday at.....	\$5.00

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO., CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE

The Planet

STEPHENSON Proprietor.

HON. GEO. E. FOSTER FOR LEADER.

Bystander in the St. John's, Que., News has no doubt who should lead the Conservative party and offers this reason for the hope that is in him: "The immediate leader of the Conservative party must be the Hon. Mr. Foster, for whom a seat will be found. It would be an incalculable loss to the party, to the country, should this man disappear from public life. As a financier, as a debater, he is without a peer in parliament. As a critic he reaches the breadth and seriousness of the leaders of the opposition in the imperial parliament, for while he pours ridicule upon his opponents he also deals with the issue with the sense of dignity and responsibility. He is thoroughly informed, not merely upon political questions, but upon subjects which have a literary and philosophical interest, and while he can manipulate figures and make them eloquent, he is equally at home with the academic subject, treated at leisure, with polished periods, with classic diction. He has, moreover, made himself felt in a remarkable manner, both in office and in opposition. He was always the ablest exponent of the Conservative policy. He insisted upon the traditions, upon the dignity and national importance of the Conservatives. He had eloquence and investive, but chiefly he presented an orderly argument in so lively and attractive a manner that he was always listened to throughout his longest speeches with the utmost interest. In opposition his power of sarcasm and invective found free vent, and he made use of them to the full. A man like this cannot be spared. A man like this must be given the supreme place. Other men may advise, may be trained for eminent service, but Mr. Foster is the man who will give the party value and prestige in the house and before the country."

WANTS TO SHARE THE HONORS.

A cloud small as a woman's hand has appeared upon Galt's municipal horizon, and whereunto it will grow none can tell. "Portia" has written to the Reporter entering a plea for the election of a lady to the mayor's chair. "Why not a mayoress?" she asks, and proceeds:

The men of Galt have monopolized the good things long enough. It's our turn now. I am a woman, and consider myself just as intelligent as any of the august gentlemen who have sat and squabbled within the railing that separates the rulers from the rabble in the city council chamber. I have paid taxes for years, have voted for the same period. I have voted for others, and now they are voted for me. Neither Mayor Vair nor Ald. Hawk has a divine right to the mayor's chair, and on behalf of my fellow-women I demand reparation for the studied and systematic way in which we have been ignored in years past. In at least one of the American states women participate in local government, and so far from away from Toronto you find them on the school board. If in the United States, why not here? If in Toronto, why not in Galt?

Now, Mr. Editor, on nomination day you and the other male monopolists will be confronted by a woman's ticket for mayor, aldermen and school trustees. These blatant bipeds, these men who consider themselves safe with their fraternal societies, but who are not defenceless in this respect. We have almost equal influence with these benevolent organizations and, besides, are in closer sympathy with such benevolent bodies as the W.C.T.U., the W.F.M.S., W.H.A.S., Dorcas societies, King's Daughters, Ladies' Aids, and a dozen others, which in motive and majesty transcend the Independent Order Oddfellows, Canadian Order Oddfellows, Ancient Order Foresters, Independent Order Foresters, Canadian Order Foresters, Ancient Order United Workmen, Woodmen of the World, Knights of the Marcebones, Knights of Pythias, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, etc., etc.

WILL PREMIER ROSS LEAVE PROVINCIAL POLITICS.

The Toronto Mail says that there has been a rumor afloat in political circles that Hon. G. W. Ross would leave within a year or two to leave the Ontario Government and enter Dominion politics once more. This, according to several prominent Liberals, is the explanation of the Premier's action in stamping both Ontario and Quebec for Laurier during the recent campaign. Neither Sir Oliver Mowat nor Mr. Hardy even took the active part in Federal politics that Mr. Ross did during the past campaign. The Mail and Empire learned yesterday on good authority that in a few months' time Mr. Ross will hand over the Premiership to one of his colleagues and enter the Dominion Cabinet. The cabinet minister who will retire in his behalf will be Hon. David Mills, who will give up his portfolio and his seat in the Senate to go on the bench of the Supreme Court. A shift will necessarily be made in the cabinet owing to the fact that Mr. Ross is not professionally competent to fill Mr. Mills' post of Minister

RHEUMATISM

No sure cure is yet known for chronic rheumatism. No man living can cure it always. He can try. If he fails he can try another way.

There are many ways. Some harmless; others worse than the rheumatism. Better not take the chance of quack medicines.

Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil cures rheumatism only by crowding it out by vital force. If that succeeds, it succeeds; if that fails, it fails. It never does any harm.

We'll send you a little to try if you like. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

of Justice. He will, however, enter the Senate.

There are several reasons which would induce Mr. Ross to take the step above outlined.

In the first place his health is not good, and a seat in the Senate would relieve him of the strain of holding an absentee's difficult constituency.

In the second place, Mr. Ross is a comparatively poor man, and in the very probable event of the defeat at the polls of the Provincial Liberal administration he would have nothing to fall back upon. Therefore, a Dominion portfolio is an alluring bait for the Premier.

In the third place the Liberal party in this province is demanding a readjustment of the Dominion cabinet representation from Ontario. At the recent election Sir Richard Cartwright was too ill to do effective work. Mr. Mulock cost the party many votes wherever he spoke. Mr. Paterson thundered in vain, Messrs. Mills and Sutherland delivered no speeches, and wherever the latter entered a constituency to organize it was a signal of Conservative victory. The oratorical ability of Mr. Ross is unquestioned, and the Liberals feel that he would be of material strength to them on the stump. He left the House of Commons in 1883 to become Minister of Education in Ontario, and has always maintained a deeper interest in Dominion issues than any of his colleagues.

In the event of Mr. Ross resigning the Premiership, it is probable that Hon. Mr. Stratton will strive to be his successor. Mr. Stratton is ambitious, and is not likely to be satisfied with any other position in the cabinet. His chief rival would be Hon. J. M. Gib-

Mayoralty

To the Electorate of the City of Chatham

Ladies and gentlemen: I am a candidate for mayor for 1901, and I respectfully ask for your vote and influence.

Faithfully yours, W. E. McKEOUGH Chatham, Ont., 19th Nov., 1900 ALDERMEN.

To the Electors of Chatham. Ladies and Gentlemen: At the urgent request of several representative citizens I have consented to offer myself as a candidate for alderman for 1901.

I would like your support. Yours, W. F. SMITH, Barrister.

To the Electors of the City of Chatham. Ladies and Gentlemen:

It is my intention to again offer my services as Alderman for 1901. I trust that my record as alderman during 1896 and 1897, and as chairman of the finance committee in the latter year is such as to entitle me to your confidence. If elected, I will, as before, strive to look after the city's interests to the best of my ability, and I respectfully solicit your support.

Yours faithfully, S. B. ARNOLD.

The Chatham Loan & Savings

COMPANY.

38th--Half Yearly Dividend--38th

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of six per cent per annum upon the paid up capital stock of this Company, has been declared for the current half year, ending December 31st, 1900, payable at the Company's Office, on and after January 2nd, 1901. The transfer books will be closed from 21st to 31st December inclusive. By order of the Board, S. F. GARDINER, Manager, Chatham, Nov. 20th, 1900. Minard's Liniment Cures Rheum, etc.

son, who of late years has become notoriously indifferent to personal honors, and is expected to drop out of politics altogether in a few years' time.

Om Paul is only wasting time seeking intervention. He can never hence be more than a Dutch uncle to the Transvaal.

Because the lifeboats at Point Pelee were not fit to put in the water the entire crew of the schooner Maunee Valley perished. There is blame in this matter somewhere. Where does it lie?

Don't leave off buying your Christmas presents till the last week. The best things will be snapped up early and it is pleasant trading when the crowd is not too great. Just watch The Planet's advertising columns and buy early.

Candidates for municipal honors would do well to give the people some inkling of their policy. Is the new paving system to be continued? Are we to have a new Market house? Are water rates to be lowered? Will these unhealthy shade trees be thinned out? All these are interesting subjects for enlightenment.

A western editor tells in the St. Louis Republic of the origin of the great merchant house of B. Nugent & Co., of that city. The head of the firm started in business at Mt. Vernon, Ill., in 1872, on borrowed capital. After having bought a stock of goods Mr. Nugent's first step was to contract for three columns of space for a year in the local newspaper, saying that it was great luck to find a town in which no other merchant advertised. In two years he had made enough money to start two other stores, one at St. Louis and the other at Sedalia, Mo. In both cities he was a heavy advertiser. Now Mr. Nugent is a millionaire, and credits his success largely to newspaper advertising.

THE WONDERS OF THE WORLD.

Philadelphia Record.

It is estimated that the following are the 14 great wonders of the world: Those of the Old World were:

- 1. The Egyptian Pyramids, the base of the largest covering 111-4 acres of ground.
2. The Mausoleum, erected by Mausolus, king of Caria.
3. The Temple of Diana at Ephesus.
4. The walls and hanging gardens at Babylon, said to have been 87 feet high and 400 miles long.
5. The Colossus of Rhodes; a brazen statue of Apollo, 105 feet in height.
6. Statue of Jupiter Olympus at Athens, made of ivory and gold.
7. The Pharos of Ptolemy Philadelphia, a lighthouse 500 feet high on the island of Pharos, in Egypt.

The wonders of the new world are:

- 1. The art of printing.
2. Gunpowder.
3. The use of optical instruments, such as the telescope and microscope.
4. Steam engine.
5. Locomotive machinery.
6. The use of iron and steel.
7. Photography.

LOVE WITH A VENGEANCE.

By Flora Lean Slabby.

"No," she said, as her eyes snapped like a loose board on a fence during a Kansas cyclone.

"I can never marry you, there is one deep chasm between us. You have persistently refused to bridge it over. I love you even as the enchanting Juliet loved the gallant Romeo. In my dreams I see you from the time mamma puts me to bed until I have to get up and build the fire in the morning. If some one should hit me in the head with a brick, the shock would not be greater than I now feel as the time comes for us to part forever."

The young man stood there like a lamp post. Not a muscle moved. For at least two minutes not a single sign of life was visible. Then drawing a match from his pocket and brushing away a sympathetic mosquito that had begun to bore a hole in the back of his neck, his lips parted, and from them fell the words, "But--"

"Cordelia, with me your word is as sacred as a Sunday liquor law. If you say you won't marry me, there's no appeal. Your decision goes. Just the same, I'd sooner die than tell me the reason for your peremptory declination of my hand and heart. Haven't I taken you a tandem ride every Sunday for weeks and weeks?"

"Yes, George, you have," and the sweet young creature broke down and sobbed like a child who had been run over by a fire engine. "But--"

"Haven't I given up playing the races, and devoted my entire salary of \$425 per week to your sole enjoyment?"

The tears flowed faster and faster down those tawny cheeks, until a pool formed at the feet of the young couple compelling them to move away to keep out of the wet. "All that is true, dear George," she gasped, and then clutched violently at the picket fence to avoid swooning away. "But--"

"Haven't I even quit going to the baseball games, and given up a pleasure that to me was almost life itself?" Gathering herself together for one supreme effort, and swallowing a large-sized sob that was working its way up from within her, Cordelia nerved herself for the gigantic task of telling all. Her whole being was so violently agitated that she ceased chewing the bank of grass in her fine Italian mouth and forgot to enquire if her hat was on straight. With deliberation and forced composure she turned her crimson eyes upon the pale face of the devoted George. Then she gave forth the words that sealed his doom.

"George, it's true that you have been kind to me. I'd sure you have given up pleasures as dear as summer hotel rates in order that my wishes

Christmas Furniture



St. Andrew's Anniversary Concert

Friday Evening, Nov. 30th. A TALENTED AND VERSATILE COMPANY OF SCOTCH ARTISTS HAS BEEN ENGAGED FOR THE OCCASION. MISS MARY WALDRUM, MR. DONALD MCGREGOR, MISS ADELAIDE MCCLELLAN, MISS GEORGIA SAGE, MRS. MARSHALL. Soprano, Baritone, Elocutionist, Highland and Fancy Dancer, Accompanist.

Admission 25, 35 and 50 Cts. JAS. McLACHLAN, Secy.

OVERCOATINGS

FOR 30 DAYS. WE HAVE A LARGER STOCK OF CLOTHES THAN EVER BEFORE SUITABLE FOR OVERCOATINGS AND FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS WILL OFFER SEVERAL LINES OF HANDSOME GOODS AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES.

ALBERT SHELDRICK

MERCHANT TAILOR. OPP. GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

might be gratified. 'Tis true, that you have turned the current of your young life into a canal that flows parallel with mine. But-- Here the words choked her again. Her face became the color of a tiger lily then merged into a tint like that of the beautiful passion flower. In an instant she recovered and blurted out: "But you won't wear Cowan's shoes. That shows you are not in it with Algeron McGinnigles. He wears them, and him I will marry." When the ambulance reached the spot, George was found to be wearing Minard's, and even upon the present day he is so idiotic that he refuses to buy Cowan's shoes.

REFLECTION. "Wait for me at heaven's gate," sang the silly sentimental young man. "No," murmured the girl. "I don't want to stand around outside forever."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

WE have received a large assortment of handsome Tables, Sideboards, Bedroom Suits, Rocking Chairs, Cabinets, etc., suitable for holiday presents. Owing to the large demand for this class of goods during the holidays, we frequently find ourselves out of special lines that we are unable to re-order in time for Christmas and we would suggest if you intend making such purchases to call at once and make your selection. Your purchases will be put aside for you until the holiday. You can get what you want now and can save money by buying while we have plenty of time to serve you properly.

Hugh McDonald

King Street, Chatham. Opposite Garner House.

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THE PROBABILITIES.
G. N. W. Special.
Toronto, Nov. 29—10 a. m.—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, cloudy; light sleet showers in some localities. First day, moderate to westerly winds, fair and mild weather.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Wm. Kelly, Lorne avenue, was taken to St. Joseph's hospital to-day.
Gentlemen wanting a Suit or Overcoat, see Webb, the Tailor, quick.
Miss Mary Waddick, Raleigh township, entered St. Joseph's Hospital on Wednesday.
Latest American Fad—Neckwear and Mothers to match. See The 2 T's window.
Fred Trudell, of The 2 T's firm, is receiving the congratulations of his friends on the addition of a daughter to his family.
Robt. L. Cook, of the Chatham Football Club, left last evening for Detroit, where to-day he plays centre forward for the Detroit team in their match against Toronto.
Miss Blanche Baxter has been appointed organist and choir director of the Victoria avenue Methodist church.
Miss Baxter is one of the Maple City's most accomplished vocalists, and will assume her duties immediately.
Hear the ladies' quartette—Mrs. John Cooper and Misses Clara Blight, Lillian Simpson and Ada Ross—sing unaccompanied at the Sacred Concert in the William St. Baptist Church on Tuesday evening next.
A magnificent program of sacred selections, including solos, duets, trios, quartettes, choruses, and will be arranged for the concert production in William St. Baptist Church on Tuesday evening. A silver collection will be taken.

Ad. Salgan entertained a number of his friends to a duck supper Tuesday evening, at Hall's cafe. There were present, besides the host, W. S. Richards, Chas. Hadley, M. J. Pike, W. W. Seaman, Dr. Hild, Dr. Tye, Fred Quinn, and Will Jahneke.
A couple of changes in the Washburn time table came into effect this week. Express No. 8, going east, leaves at 2:45 p. m. instead of at 2:30 p. m., and No. 9, going west, leaves at 1:18 a. m. instead of at 1:51 a. m.
J. B. Rankin, Q. C., left for Winchester this afternoon in connection with a drainage suit. As he will be away for several days Col. Holmes, D. A. G., who was to have come here on Saturday to take over Tecumseh Park, has been asked to defer his visit.
The investigation of the claims against the insolvent Banner Printing Co. was adjourned at three o'clock yesterday. No cases were settled. The date of resuming will be set by the Master, when the bank claims and other unadjusted accounts will be dealt with.
It is said that next year the Government will erect a fine brick armory on Tecumseh Park. As the site of the present drill shed is out of the way some of the military men think that the point which the bowlers now occupy would be the proper place. On the other hand, the bowlers say the corner where the cricketers play would be the most conspicuous.
Gen. Agent Tibbott says that no cars are left on the tracks on Colborne St. except between Adelaide and William Sts. He has never been asked to take these cars off the street, although some of the aldermen delight in talking about them at the council board. He further states that the Lake Erie has now got its trucks in such shape that cars can be loaded and unloaded on railway property. The company have only placed the cars on the street at the request of local shippers.
TOM MARKS COMING.
Marks Bros' No. 1, company, with Tom Marks in charge, comes to the Grand the week of Dec. 10th. This company is now in its second week at the London Opera House, where it is playing to the capacity of the house at every performance. The papers say that the company is much stronger than in previous years.

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The Dresden school has been closed on account of illness.
Miss Susie Allison, of Blenheim, is in the city the guest of Miss McCormick.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kay, Detroit, are guests of Mr. Wm. McKeough, Head street.
Michael McCarthy and Miss Rose Oliver were united in marriage last evening at St. Joseph's presbytery. The young couple were supported by Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Coyne. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal couple were driven to the residence of the groom's mother, where a bounteous wedding dinner was partaken of and the balance of the evening pleasantly spent. Mr. McCarthy is a popular young Maple City barber and his many friends were tendering him their congratulations this morning.

A FINE CONTEST.
The concert committee of the Sons of Scotland met at the C. P. R. Hotel last evening. Wm. Robertson presided at the meeting. In addition to the chairman there were in attendance P. D. McKellar, Dr. Charteris, F. W. Charteris, Adam Taylor, Robert Eiddell, John Cumming, Wm. Rennie, Jno. McKay and others. The sale of tickets was reported good, and there is every prospect of a good attendance at the concert. Details in connection with the concert and the discussed and final arrangements made.

Half-a-dollar Well Spent.
If it is not your habit to buy an illustrated book for your family's Christmas reading, try the experiment. "Toronto Saturday Night's" Christmas, sixty pages, full of stories and pictures, will interest everyone and widen the vision of all as Canadians. Four pictures suitable for framing, one of which, "Ephraim's" Christmas, is an exact reproduction of the coat of arms and best picture in the world. No where else can you get the same value! Five dollars' worth of the best art and literature for 50 cents. Get it from your newsdealer, or from The Sheppard

LITERARY NOTES.
OUTING FOR DECEMBER.
True to its mission, but with an ever widening and improving choice of subjects, of authors and of artists, Outing's Christmas (December) Number, increased in size and extra illustrations, (including a colored frontispiece), gives large space to big game, sports and subjects welded into our country life. "The present, distributed in big game in America," by George Bird Grinnell, is the article of a student of the situation, strikingly illustrated by E. W. Deming. The very title, "Bob White—the story of a quail," by Charles H. Morton, "On the trail of a wild turkey," by Edwin Sandys, and "The old-time prairie chicken hunt," by Emerson Hough, are sufficient to indicate their specialties.

McCLURE'S MAGAZINE FOR DECEMBER.
The curious charm of the East holds every imaginative mind that from afar interprets in part by experience, yet only the more subtly perceived, dominates those that have dwelt long in the Orient. In this treasure field the richest gems, as well of realization as of romance, are ready for that author who has the art of their setting. Rudyard Kipling won his first fame by short stories in India, stories at times tragically prosaic, at times marvelous and mystical, always pregnant with force. And now again Kipling has chosen India as the theme of his maturer work. In McClure's Magazine for December appears the first installment of "Kim," the latest and the most important novel of Kipling's pen. From the beginning it reveals itself as a masterpiece, worthy alike of its theme and of its author.

The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green House is sufficient proof of the excellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Telephone 181.

THOSE TEXT BOOKS.

Parent Does Not Think the Principal of the C. C. I. Has Answered His Complaint.

Chatham, Nov. 29, 1900.
To The Planet.—Apparently my letter of a few days ago has awakened the ire of the respected principal of the C. C. I. and in a very weak letter he attempts a reply. I use the word attempts advisedly for certainly no sane person would imagine the screed signed "Principal C. I." had in any degree answered my letter and I am more than surprised that a man holding the position he does would father such a puny effort. Not one word does he utter about the Wilson Taylor arithmetic or the money that was thrown away on the purchase of that book. Did I touch on too tender a spot or what is wrong? If the introduction of that arithmetic was justifiable why not continue its use? Surely our C. C. I. needs the best text books that can be produced and if this book was the best, why was it not authorized and used?
And now as to the Grammar. If the old one answered for such purposes, why was the "must get one" mandate issued? Was it simply because it was found necessary to make some change or pretence to be doing something that the new grammar was ordered to be purchased for such purposes? As this is a democratic country but I was not aware until the appearance of your letter that the views or wishes of a majority of pupils governed the text books that are used in our C. C. I. Surely the principal must be joking when he makes this statement. I have in my possession an old Kirkham grammar used when I was a boy. A number of other parents have probably the same book. We give these to our children and it is found that a majority in a certain room have Kirkham's grammar. Presto! Change; the whole room, must get Kirkham. Majority must rule you know.

Again, why was not a half holiday given on Pte. Gurrie's return home? Had a vote been taken nine-tenths of the pupils would have voted for such a purpose. As the majority must rule according to the standard laid down, why was not this vote taken and the holiday given. Majority rules, you know. Seriously, if this idea of the masses (December) Number, increased in size and extra illustrations, (including a colored frontispiece), gives large space to big game, sports and subjects welded into our country life. "The present, distributed in big game in America," by George Bird Grinnell, is the article of a student of the situation, strikingly illustrated by E. W. Deming. The very title, "Bob White—the story of a quail," by Charles H. Morton, "On the trail of a wild turkey," by Edwin Sandys, and "The old-time prairie chicken hunt," by Emerson Hough, are sufficient to indicate their specialties.

WHY A CLIPPED DOG WAS NECESSARY.
A funny incident is related in connection with the proceedings before the referee on the Banner claims. Where "claims" were shown, they were allowed, where they were personal accounts they were disallowed. When the referee was going over the account he saw some account with two items for clipping a dog.

"What could a newspaper want with a clipped dog?" demanded Mr. Hodgins.
"OK, that is easily explained," said Major Rankin, "You see, they required a certain amount of ferocity, and as they couldn't get enough in the paper, they got this animal for the office."

"Was it necessary that the animal should be clipped?" asked the referee.
"Yes, Your Honor. They still found that the account furnished sufficient ferocity with both the paper and the dog, and as a last resort they got the dog clipped to resemble the British lion."

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.
Corn is still coming in at the warehouse in large quantities.
Miss Maggie Smith left last week for Dungeness, where she will be the guest of Mrs. (Rev.) McNaught.
The river seines are working now, and large shipments of fish are made daily.
An Xmas entertainment for the Sunday school is being talked of.
The Young People's meeting every Thursday night is well attended.

Miner's Liniment—Lumberman's Friend.

Calendars For Mailing Abroad

Our stock of Christmas Calendars, Booklets and cards is now ready for inspection. Persons desiring to mail Calendars abroad may make selections now.

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From 10c to \$2.00 Each
Entirely new and exclusive designs in mechanical and other novelties.

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ALL BUT \$3,000

Of the Stolen Dominion Bank Bills Have Been Recovered.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—The Dominion Bank bills found in possession of the prisoners at Detroit, and which have been identified as part of the \$10,000 Dominion \$10 notes stolen at the time of the Napanee bank robbery, are not the only notes recovered since the robbery, as seems to be believed at Windsor, where Simpson and Mathews will get \$60. An officer from the Dominion Bank, said this afternoon that of the unsigned notes \$7,000 worth have been recovered at various times, and that only \$3,000 worth are unaccounted for, including thirty bills found at Detroit. The bank pays 20 per cent of the face value of these bills, when recovered, as a reward so that the Detroit officers who made the arrest, instead of getting \$2,000, which was the full reward for the recovery of the \$10,000 of unsigned bills taken, will get \$60. An officer from the Dominion Bank will attend the proceedings at Windsor, on Tuesday next and identify the bills.

MORE MONEY FOUND.
Windsor, Nov. 29.—The people who have been defrauded by Simpson and Mathews passing forged \$10 Dominion Bank Bills on them, will get their money back. Magistrate Bartlett holds that in one of the cases provided for by statute whereby the money found on a prisoner may be used to make good his frauds. If the \$425 found on them by the Detroit police were not enough, there is still left \$210 found on Simpson by Jailer Sparks when the prisoners were handed over to his care to await their preliminary examination before Magistrate Bartlett on December 4.

Property for Sale
We are instructed to sell that desirable city property, Lots Twelve and Thirteen, west side of Lacoste Street. On lot Twelve is a modern dwelling and barn, and is planted with fruit and ornamental trees. Will be sold in One or Two parcels.
SCANE, HOUSTON, STONE & SCANE
Nov. 3, 1900.

Shorthand and Typewriting.
Miss F. Wells will re-open her classes in Shorthand and Typewriting on and after November 1st, 1900. P. O. Box 180; residence, 99 Victoria Avenue.
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TURKEY WON'T FIGHT.
Report That She Would Declare War Against the U. S. Unfounded.
Vienna, Nov. 29.—The morning papers publish nothing in corroboration of the report that a council of the Ottoman ministers had been held in Constantinople for the purpose of considering a declaration of war against the United States in view of the presence of the U. S. battleship Kentucky at Smyrna. On the contrary, the report receives no credence whatever.

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Have you seen our display of Furs? Style and beauty greet the visitor on every side, elegance and richness at every turn. Good honest worth and merit in every article no matter how small the price, and representing the best efforts we ever made. Remember we never sacrifice quality or price, and remember also we have only one price, we don't make a fur jacket \$35 and before you go out tell you that seeing it's your that you can have it for \$27. We mark in plain figures, just the lowest price possible and stick to it.

Ladies' Jackets
An immense range to show you this year, all sizes in both short, medium and long. Astrachan Jackets, prices from \$30, \$32.50, \$35, \$30, \$33, \$35 up to.....\$45.00
SEE the handsome range of Electric Seal Jackets we are showing at \$33, \$35, \$37 and.....\$50.00
Small Furs
Capes and Capelines, Gauntlets and Mitts, in a large number of styles and combinations of Furs, Capelines that are attractive and have the quality, at \$6.50, \$8, \$10, \$12.50, \$17, \$20, \$25 and.....\$30.00
Capes, a big range of size and lengths in Astrachan Capes, prices from \$10, \$12, \$13, \$16, \$18, \$20 and.....\$25.00

Our Special Dress Goods Sale.....

Extra busy here now, some lines already sold out. Such extraordinary values in fashionable up-to-date goods meets with ready response. Here are a few picked at random from the showing this week:—

Homespun Flaid, 2 pos. 42 in. wide, all wool, in pretty mixed green and gray, dark and light gray, our reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Heavy Tweed Suiting, 4 pos. heavy, dark tweed, in fawn, brown, gray, Oxford gray, 40 in. wide, pure wool, just the right goods for separate skirt, our reg. price 69c, sale price.....58c
Frieze Cloth, 3 pos. all-wool Frieze, 54 in. wide, in black, Oxford gray and navy blue, suitable materials for rainy day skirts, we would be pleased to show them, our reg. price \$1.50, sale price.....\$1.19
Covert Cloth, 6 pos. 42 in. Covert Suiting, in pretty gray and brown, all pure wool, desirable goods for suit or separate skirt, our reg. price 50c, sale price.....42c

Interesting Linen News

We have one of the largest, and best selected linen stocks in the city. Almost anything you want can be had here.

36 in. Handkerchief or Dress Linen, pure grass bleached, extra fine quality, soft finish, at per yd. 50c, 55c and \$1.25
60 doz. Pure Bleached Table Napkins, assorted patterns, choice designs, 1 and 2 sizes, all new clean goods and best qualities, at per dozen from \$1, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.65, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50 to.....\$5.00
All kinds of special cream hoseycomb towel, at each.....5c
A better and larger cotton towel, pure bleached, at each.....10c
Four different kinds of linen towels, fringed or hemmed ends, buckaback or damask make, at each.....12 1/2c
A much better and larger towel at each 15c and.....20c
A special range of fine bleached damask towels, hemmed stitched or knotted fringed ends, with fancy open work at each 25c, 40c 50c and.....65c
36 in. pure bleached drawing linen, soft finish, round even thread, at per yd 40c and.....50c
42 in. and 45 in. extra fine drawing linen, fine soft thread, at per yd.....60c
42 in. slip linen, just out, suitable for d'oyies, centre pieces, sideboard scarfs, etc., polka dot pattern, at per yd.....55c
An excellent assortment of applique goods, consisting of D'oyies, Scarfs, Centre Pieces, Bureau Covers and Shams, all at reasonable prices.
Special values in all the linen crach toweling, 16 to 18 in. wide, with or without borders, at per yd. 85c, 90 c and.....10c
15 in. fancy checked glass toweling, worth 60c per yd., for.....5c
22 in. extra heavy cut toweling fancy red border, at per yd.....10c
Special 22 in. pure bleached huck toweling, for bedroom towels, at per yd. 25c
Special 70 in. half bleached table damask, choice patterns, at per yd.....35c
An excellent assortment of patterns in a 62 in. half bleached table damask, all pure linen, very special value at per yd.....50c
70 in. bleached damask, excellent finish, polka dot pattern, at.....90c
Napkins to match, 2 sizes, at.....\$2.50
70 in. extra special pure grass bleached table damask, fleur-de-lis patterns and others at per yd.....\$1.00
Napkins to match, 2 sizes at.....\$2.50
2 sizes, at per doz. \$3 and.....\$3.25
A choice new range of pattern table cloth for the Christmas Trade, beautiful design, 8x10 and 8x12 sizes, with napkins to match, prices reasonable.
An excellent assortment of fringed and hemmed stitched d'oyies, also centre pieces, tray cloths, runners, lunch cloths, colored fringed napkins and several other linens too numerous to mention.

Remember Our Great Clearing Out Sale of Ladies' Jackets.....

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For a Nobby Overcoat
Somehow a patron once is a patron always with us.
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In Canned Goods

Also, you will find here everything you could wish. We just mention this because our advertisements have been and will be largely devoted to Christmas goods.

- Canned Tomatoes, 3 cans for 25c.
Canned Corn, 3 cans for 25c.
Canned Beans, 3 cans for 25c.
Canned Peas, 3 cans for 25c.
Canned Pork and Beans, 10c a can.
Canned Beets, 10c a can.
Canned Asparagus, 25c a can.
Canned Soups, 18c to 40c a can.

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NEW YARNS At Sulman's Beehive

We have laid in a large stock of choice yarns for this winter. We make a specialty of yarns and wools and have a better assortment than any other store in Western Ontario. Just a few prices—

- Beeshive, per skein, 10c
Scott's Finest, 10c
Scott's Finest, superior, 80c
Woolen Saxons, per bunch, 15c
Sulch's Saxons, per bunch, 25c
Rock Saxons, per bunch, 15c
Gobi Saxons, per skein, 10c
Andalusian, per skein, 10c
Berlin, per skein, 10c
Zephyr, per skein, 10c
Jew Wool, all shades.

At Sulman's Beehive

Garner House Block.

WERE THEY "SHOOK UP"?

London Free Press: The two prisoners, Simpson and Mathies, who were circulating the Dominion Bank bills, stolen from the Napane branch in Detroit on Monday, claimed they got the money by gambling in this city, and that they had been "shook up" by the police here, meaning that they had been obliged to "square" them. It would be interesting to know if such statements are true. The chief of police owes it to his force to interview the scoundrels, and ascertain if there is the slightest element of truth in either of the assertions. The men are now in Windsor.

Minard's Liniment - Relieves Neuralgia.

MUSKOKA IS SAFE

The Conservative Majority Officially Placed at 1:22

Powassan, Nov. 29.—The official statement of the vote in Muskoka and Parry Sound in the recent general elections was made here last night. It gives McCormick, Con., 2,637; Watson, Lib., 2,515—majority for McCormick, 122.

NIPISSING ELECTION

Conservatives Will Rely on Court's Decision in the Matter.

North Bay, Nov. 23.—Nomination for the representative of Nipissing in the House of Commons was held in the court house yesterday. H. C. Varin, returning officer, presiding. C. A. McCool, Liberal, was the only person nominated, and was declared elected by acclamation. The nomination was largely attended, and everything passed off orderly. After the close of nomination a mass meeting was held in the opera house, at which Hon. W. Mallock, Postmaster-General, Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick, Solicitor-General, Hon. Senator Casgrain, Hon. J. M. Gibson, C. A. McCool and others were present and addressed the meeting.

WALLACEBURG.

Nov. 29.—Rev. T. W. Charlesworth and family left yesterday for London which will be their future home.

Claude McLougall, who has been working up near Michipicoten district is home visiting his parent.

The steamer Comfort of Sombra was in Port yesterday.

Miss Jennie Stephenson, formerly of this town, now of Petrolia, is visiting friends in town.

E. Judson was in Sombra this week papering.

We are pleased to see Dr. Standish able to walk again after his accident a few weeks ago.

Al. Rae was in Chatham yesterday renewing old acquaintances after seeing the hardships of South Africa.

THAMESVILLE.

Nov. 29.—George Grainger, jr. and Wm. Boam have gone to Walkerville to work.

Miss O'Neil will spend Thanksgiving at home it being Thanksgiving day in Detroit.

Mr. Cherry, of Toronto, is in town.

Mrs. Smith, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. H. White.

Mrs. Ed. Joyce is visiting her mother at Bothwell.

Warden Davidson has issued invitations for the Warden's supper at the Rankin House, Chatham, on Dec. 6th.

Programme for St. Andrew's Concert, Friday, Nov. 30th.

Highland Flings—Miss Sage.

Within a Mile of Edinburgh—Toon—Miss Mary Waldrum.

The Gordons' Revenge for Wauchope's Death—Miss McMillan.

Lang Lang Syne—Mr. McGregor.

The Story of the Gridiron—Miss McClelland.

The Banks of Loch Lomond—Miss Waldrum.

The Battle of Stirling—Mr. McGregor.

Between Part I. and II Miss Sage will dance the "Butterfly Dance."

I'm Over Young to Marry Yet—Miss Waldrum.

Elizabeth and Leicester—Miss McClelland.

The Highroadman's Toast—Mr. McGregor.

Young Canada was There—Miss McClelland.

Will ye no' Come Back Again—Miss Waldrum.

Shaun Trevis—Miss Sage.

When Scotland Found Her Fame—Mr. McGregor.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Peter Rutherford is around again attending to business.

D. R. McGavin has a large quantity of Hard and Soft Wood for sale.

Joe Oldershaw came in from the Eau Claire yesterday. He had a nice bag of ducks, mostly canvas backs.

The circulation of books in the new students' library at McKeeough school commenced yesterday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies of the Home of the Friendless will be held to-morrow, Friday, at three o'clock in Harrison Hall.

Mr. Donald McGregor, a young baritone of Toronto, will make his first bow to a Chatham audience at the St. Andrew's concert on Friday next. In his rendering of the old Scotch songs Mr. McGregor has already established a good reputation.

All people wishing to spend Christmas with their friends in the Old Country should call on W. E. Risping and make their steamship arrangements, as he is agent for the lines crossing the Atlantic, and will give best possible rates.

Amongst the wedding presents received by Mr. and Mrs. David Latimer on the occasion of their wedding yesterday, was a beautiful chair from the Park street Methodist Sunday School and a handsome carving set from the employees of George Stephens & Co.

WILL APPEAR SATURDAY.

Another instalment of Dr. McKeeough's description of his trip abroad will appear on Saturday. It is unnecessary to say it will prove an instructive and entertaining as the previous chapters. The Doctor has the rare gift of being able to make a descriptive article also entertaining.

Others on the subject are interesting. But few can combine the two and do it well. This faculty Dr. McKeeough appears to possess to a marked degree, and the descriptions he has already written of his trip have been widely read and generously commented upon.

TO KILL HIS WIFE.

Cyrus Kemble, Near Niles, Made a Desperate Attempt.

She Escaped From Infuriated Man After a Struggle.

Niles, Mich., Nov. 29.—While temporarily deranged, Cyrus Kemble, a wealthy farmer, residing a mile to the south of this place, is said to have attempted to kill his wife yesterday. For some weeks Kemble has been worrying over the prospect of real estate deal. He has been trying to exchange Niles property for Chicago real estate. His wife, being a part owner of the property, refused to consent to the transfer. He went to a local depot expecting to meet a Chicago real estate dealer, but the latter failed to put an appearance. He returned home, and his wife noticed he acted queer. He went into the cellar and returning, is alleged to have struck his wife on the head with a blunt instrument.

Mrs. Kemble says: "I was trimming my hat when he came in and struck me on the head with a blunt instrument. He cut out his hair terribly and his hands and clothes were covered with blood. I thought he had shot himself, and knew that he wanted to kill me. I fought him, and after he had been unsuccessful in throwing me down the cellar way, I broke away from his grasp and ran to Mr. Stewart's who lives in the next house. My husband was following me. Mr. Stewart helped me. I was brought back and here I am."

Kemble evidently attempted to dash his own brains out in the cellar before he attacked his wife, as he was terribly cut about the head. Mrs. Kemble is also badly cut up, and is in a serious condition. Kemble is in custody. The affair has created a great sensation, as the family is one of the best known and most respected families in Berrien county.

A GRAPE FAMINE.

Frost has played such havoc with the grapes in Essex and Kent counties, that, instead of exporting largely, the growers are raising grapes for their own requirements. Mayor Girardot, of Sandwich, a big wine grower, has been compelled to go far afield for his grapes. After buying up everything he could find on the mainland, he bought all the grapes grown on Pelee Island, with the exception of about 15 tons, and now he is making up the deficiency by importing large quantities from New York. This proceeding is unprecedented, and is very much like carrying coals to Newcastle.

COMING CONVENTION.

A Definite Announcement as to the Date Expected Shortly.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—Up to a late hour yesterday afternoon J. P. Whitney's call for a convention of Conservatives upon provincial matters had not been received in the city, but it is not thought that he will delay action much longer. A rumor of an early session of the legislature has had the effect of increasing the anxiety of those favoring a convention that an early date be fixed in order that the Opposition may go upon record upon the platform which may be laid down and upon which the party will appeal to the electorate at the next general election. Every preparation has been made at headquarters for issuing the call when the leader gives the word, and a definite announcement may be expected any day now.

Hon. Geo. E. Foster was in the city and had a conference with Mr. Taylor, the Conservative whip, and Mr. Barker, M. P. of Hamilton. No statement was given out, but it is understood that Mr. Foster is quite willing to accept an Ontario seat should one be provided for him.

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MURDER CHARGED

Against a Well-known Druggist of Toronto.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—Joseph Hazleton, a well known city druggist, who has long been closely watched by the police on suspicion of taking part in illegal operations, will have to face a charge of murder when he appears in the police court on Friday. He has been under arrest for ten days on a charge of performing a criminal operation upon Mrs. Martha Milne, of 60 Albany avenue. The woman, who had a husband and three children, lingered between life and death for several days at the Western Hospital, but died last night. The attending physicians have stated that her death was due to the operation, and the woman herself, before death, made an affidavit implicating Hazleton.

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Rich and Poor Alike Suffer From Catarrh in This Climate.

All observant physicians have noticed the enormous increase in catarrh disease in recent years, and the most liberal and enlightened have cheerfully given their approval to the new internal remedy, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets as the most successful and by far the safest remedy for catarrh yet produced.

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All druggists sell the tablets at 50 cents for complete treatment.

DRESDEN.

Nov. 29.—Miss Ethel McKim is quite sick with diphtheria.

The school is closed to-day as a safeguard against the spreading of diphtheria.

Mr. Hatch, hardware merchant, of Whitby, and Theodore McGiverty, barrister, are here for a few days' sport.

Mr. Pelette, piano tuner, of Chatham, is in town.

The sporting men report shooting rather dull, owing to the scarcity of quail.

The Woodmen of the World will attend their anniversary service next Sunday, which will be held in the Baptist Church, North Dresden. Rev. J. Yonston will conduct the service.

Jos. Wright has had his ice house thoroughly refitted.

TILBURY.

Nov. 29.—Vinnie Pook, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister here, Mrs. S. Sloan.

R. H. Smith was in Windsor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith are spending to-day in Detroit.

The ladies of St. Francis' Church are giving a chicken supper in the basement of the Separate school to-night.

Miss Della Peltier is visiting in Detroit.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's drug store.

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VOTE ON REVISION.

Presbyterians Will Tabulate Returns Next Week.

Washington Nov. 29.—The general assembly committee of sixteen of the Presbyterian Church will convene at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church in this city next Tuesday to tabulate the returns from the Presbyteries on the subject of the revision of the confession of faith, and to formulate a recommendation on the subject for action by the next general assembly in May. The meeting will continue until Thursday or Friday with probably three sessions a day. The question to be considered, according to Rev. Dr. Radcliffe, of the New York Avenue Church, will affect only the church officers, as neither the ministers nor the lay members subscribe to the creed literally. The chief issue, he said, was to make the seventeenth century creed conform to that of the nineteenth century. It is said that of the 200 Presbyteries only 172 have voted on the question; 129 have declared for the change, while 46 have gone on record as opposed to any change whatsoever.

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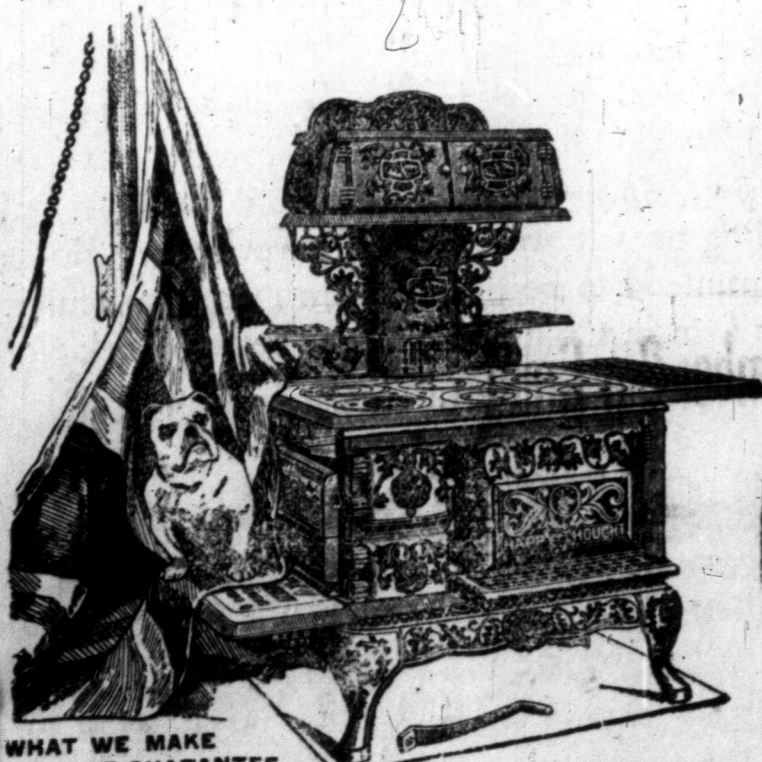
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THE DISTRICT.

GLENWOOD.

Wesley Liddle and wife, of Renwick, visited relatives here this week. Gordon Hickey has returned from Cross Forks, Pa., where he spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Winnett, who have been visiting in the village, returned to London on Tuesday.

I. L. Ainslie is in Chatham at present under medical treatment.

Messrs. J. Shepley and W. Crawford, of Cross Forks, Pa., spent a few days last week with the former's parents here, before going to spend the winter in Gladstone, Mich.

TILBURY.

Nov. 27.—Miss Desmaris and Charles Reaume, both of Tilbury East, were married in St. Francis' church this morning.

Before Magistrate Wilson yesterday a case between M. Mifflin and J. W. Fields, blacksmith, was heard. The case involved a dispute in the matter of wages. The affair being somewhat complicated, the magistrate reserved his decision.

Miss Gertrude Sager has returned to her home in Dresden, after a few days' visit with Mrs. W. A. Johnston here.

WHEATLEY.

Mrs. Fox, of Tacoma, Wash., is visiting at T. M. Fox's.

A. E. Lonsbury spent Sunday in Detroit visiting friends.

Mrs. Spooner, who has been ailing for some time, died on Tuesday. The funeral service took place on Wednesday. We sympathize with those bereft.

At the residence of Wm. Wigfields, on Wednesday, his youngest daughter was married to Everett Watson. We extend our congratulations.

The advanced price of pork is causing a large shipment of hogs.

Evangelist Hathaway is at present conducting revival services at Trinity.

P. A. Gahan, who has been sick with pneumonia, has also contracted typhoid fever. Mr. Gahan will aspire for the reeveship, and we sincerely hope his sickness will not bar his way from being our coming reeve.

As to the honors of the county council we must say that in our opinion Arthur Lamarr, of this place, should be persuaded to accept of the nomination, would be elected.

EAST BRANCLIF.

The Crowe brothers, of the North Branch, are engaged husking corn for C. Jenner.

The day school entertainment will be held in the school-house on Friday night, Nov. 30th. Admission 15c. or two for 25c.

J. Booth and G. Mickle made a shipment of hogs last week.

J. N. McCoy is in the field for reelection as county commissioner. His East Branch friends will stay by him. As Mr. McCoy is a first-class man in the council no doubt he will be re-elected.

The hum of the threshing machine is a thing of the past in our neighborhood, and the engineer has gone to Dresden to retire for the winter.

Chas. Tassie, who has had an attack of fever, is somewhat better.

Some of the farmers shipped their sugar beets to Marine City. They were landed on the banks of the Sydenham at certain points. Several barges and schooners were engaged conveying them to the factory.

Miss F. Richardson visited Wallaceburg friends this week.

Mrs. L. Hayward has been confined to her room during the past few weeks with an attack of neuralgia.

FLORENCE.

John Young has now in stock in his store flour and barrelled salt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gordon and Miss B. Morrison were in London last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnston have returned from visiting relatives in Saranac.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman MacRoberts have removed from Ridgetown to their own residence in town.

A. Randall left for Chatham on Monday last, where he has secured a position.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mills and son arrived from New Mexico on Saturday last to reside in town. Mr. Mills is in very poor health.

The funeral of the late Robert Greener, Zone, took place last Saturday afternoon. The remains were interred in St. Matthew's cemetery.

Rev. Mr. Diehl officiated.

The Diamond Orchestra gave a grand concert in Rutherford Hall last Thursday evening and one at Chatham on Monday. The company play the latest music in everything, and a splendid program was rendered.

BLOOMFIELD.

There was a party of 45 young people at the residence of Walter Willcox, River road, Raleigh, and they danced in a pleasant style till three o'clock in the morning. R. Cartier and Harry Stringer furnished the music. All had a good time.

Miss Carrie Sullivan spent Sunday with friends at Bloomfield.

LOUISVILLE.

A concert will be held on Dec. 4th in the school house. James Clancy, M. F., will occupy the chair. A good program will be offered.

Miss Maggie Austin, of Appledors, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. D. Arnold.

Mrs. Wm. Merritt is seriously indisposed.

UP THE CREEK.

Mrs. Donovan has bought the estate of the late Dennis Donovan. Price paid \$2,000.

The Rev. Mr. Robertson, McKay's Corner, occupied the pulpit of St. Paul's Sunday.

Martha Stewart is in Botany under the care of Mrs. Martinson, a specialist on disease of the eye.

Jim McCormick is having a stiff argument with his old relatives foe, rheumatism.

Thomas Masterton has left for his home in Omaha after a month's sojourn here.

W. Richardson went to Alvinston on a brief visit Saturday.

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George Meredith, Port Lambton, has returned to finish his work on the creek.

The third of the autumn series of the H. R. C. matches was shot Saturday the weather conditions were of the meanest: kind for rifle shooting, a dull light with a drizzle of rain and snow, a driving wind of six full feet. Yet in spite of all these the veterans showed their ability to gauge with astonishing accuracy.

	10yds	200 yds	400 yds	Tot
A. McCormick	21	21	23	65
Sec. McCormick	21	21	23	65
J. McCormick	23	21	23	67
R. Robertson	20	20	22	62
J. McKellar	20	20	20	60
M. Wilson	22	20	18	60
W. Ferguson	20	19	16	55
A. Everitt	19	20	11	54

CHATHAM TO NEW YORK.

The trains from Chatham to New York via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley leave at 9:02 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Passengers going by Lehigh Valley are landed in New York uptown near all first-class hotels or downtown near all European steamship docks, saving passengers for Europe a long and expensive transfer. For tickets, Pullman, and further information call at Grand Trunk city or station ticket office.

N 17 to 30 do.

MORPETH.

Jas. Wilkinson, who is at present attending the Model school at Chatham, has been engaged to teach the Raglan school for the ensuing year at the salary of \$400.

Miss Grace Higgs has gone to Windsor where she will spend the winter with relatives.

Rev. Mr. Higley, of Bleheim, preached missions sermons in St. John's and Trinity churches and at St. David's church, Clearville, yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Taylor is confined to the house at present from the effects of a severe attack of stomatitis.

The many friends of Mrs. Harry Sifton, of Palmyra, formerly Miss Alice Pearce, Talbot street, will regret to learn of her serious illness.

A Christmas tree under the auspices of Erie Sabbath school, lake shore road, will be held on the evening of the 20th of December.

Arthur McCain, of the village, who has been sick for several weeks, was able to be out on Saturday.

Wm. Smith, over the creek, is drilling for gas. If he does not succeed in getting gas he will have to secure a fine well of water.

Ralph Stronach, who fell and was seriously injured several weeks ago, is still confined to the house, but is now considered out of danger.

Mr. Leger, a well-known resident of the school house, S. No. 1 on the evening of the 17th of Dec. E. J. McIntyre, Chatham's comic singer, is expected to be present. The proceeds will be in aid of Trinity Church Sabbath school.

Wm. G. Galbraith, of the lake shore road, had the misfortune to fall on a hay knife recently cutting one of his arms at the joint so severely that it is feared he will lose the use of it.

Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Hooper, Mrs. David Wilson, Miss Dora Walters and Miss Mary Sifton, Talbot St., attended the Sabbath school convention held in Chatham last week.

THAMESVILLE.

Nov. 26.—Miss Sarah Ferguson returned home Saturday.

R. Ferguson and D. Sherman have returned from Dawn where they have been quail shooting.

Blanche, the little daughter of A. P. McCracken, died on Friday and was buried Monday. This is the second child Mr. McCracken has lost within three weeks.

On Friday evening W. A. Mayhew was given a farewell supper by the members of P. J. Mayhew's store. Mr. Mayhew is leaving there to take a position in E. S. Hubbell's hardware store.

Services were held in the old Presbyterian Church Sunday for the last time. At the evening service the choir sang the anthem, "The Lord is Watching Over His People," very effectively.

Will Powle has returned to his home in Erie.

Sullivan Hubbell has returned from Michigan, where he spent the summer.

Geo. Mayhew, on Saturday, shipped five beautiful English and Golden pheasants to a Toronto purchaser.

EIGHTH CON., RALEIGH.

On Wednesday last Geo. Jordan had an auction sale of his valuable live stock, which he could not winter on account of his feed being burnt last month. He disposed about 20 head of cattle at prices ranging from \$30 to \$50, several young horses at good prices, and a number of pigs. Mr. Jordan had fine animals, as he has spent many years in improving his stock, and a number of persons took advantage of this opportunity of improving their stock.

Mr. Haskel and family, who have been residing on the old Ferguson farm, have recently moved to Pennsylvania.

Mr. Brown has purchased a driver, Louis Thorn, of the 8th, has returned from the South, where he disposed of a carload of apples, realizing good prices for them. We understand he is intending taking up his residence at that place shortly.

Mr. Fleming, teacher, has begun preparations for a school concert to be held shortly before Christmas.

Warren Martin conducted services at Wesley last Sunday during the absence of the pastor, Mr. Redmond, who officiated at Park St. Methodist Church last evening.

Messrs. Cameron, Flook and H. Wood purchased Jerseys at Mr. Everitt's sale.

We understand that Arthur George has re-engaged with Mr. Wemp for another year.

CAMDEN.

Municipal matters are getting lively in Camden. It is reported that Jas. Blackburn, ex-assessor, and William Elgie, a young and popular ex-councillor, will cross swords for the position of reeve. Mr. Elgie will make a careful and economical reeve and is a general favorite with old and young.

APPLEDORF.

O. Arnold is spending a few days in Toronto the guest of Wm. De Verney. Our popular teacher, Richard Asher, has secured the Best Line school in Dover, and Miss Mary Wilson succeeds him.

Look out for the great coming concert to be held in Louisville in the near future.

There will be no literary club at Appledorf this year, as the members have joined another club at Eberts; but we are confident that the meeting of this club will be as successful as before.

Mrs. Thackeray of Illinois spent Sunday and Monday with her niece, Mrs. Stanley Appleb.

Nov. 27th.—The subject of debate at the Union society at Eberts for Thursday evening is: Resolved that the novel reading of the present day is injurious. The last debate was resolved that is more happiness is present than in possession. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. This society will hold weekly meetings, which will be held on Thursday's.

BUFFMAN'S CORNERS.

Owing to bad roads and bad weather the attendance at church was small on Sunday.

J. Morrow has purchased a new piano of the Hamilton make.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Huffman are making a visit to Staffordville this week.

J. D. Depencier and family, of the 3rd concession, paid a visit to the neighborhood this week.

Miss McDougall, of Bleheim, is spending a few days in the community.

The children of the S. S. are preparing for their entertainment to be held Christmas Eve.

Mrs. Geo. Huffman is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia and biliousness, but is now improving.

Mr. Huffman lost one of his best horses week ago.

The choir here will sing next Sunday evening at Zion Church, it being the anniversary service of that church. Rev. F. E. Mastell will preach there morning and evening.

Rev. W. R. Vance spent last week in Toronto attending the annual theological conference held in Victoria University. Among other lectures were three on Theism by Borden P. Bowne, of Boston. Prof. Bowne has made a world-wide fame in his answers to Herbert Spencer's great evolutionary theories.

S. S. No. 3, RALEIGH.

Report of review examination for month of October:

Class IV.—W. Drury 688, Flo. Hitchcock 690, A. Riley 626, Annie Lee 409, L. Wilson 497.

Class III.—Irene Olsen 710, Annie Ould 491, Albert Smith 487, Francis Holt 383, Lizzie Bonning 357.

Class II.—Ernest Chrysler 498, R. Macfar 384, Georgia Hitchcock 337, Martha Montgomery 270, G. Chittam 249.

Part II, Sen.—Pearl Drury, Margaret Dejean, Mabel Holt, P. Legue, Edith Bonning.

Part II, Jr.—Flo. Lee, Hazel Chrysler, Nellie Sullivan, Norma Wardell, Ges. Legue.

Class I, Sen.—Lucy Drury, Myrtle Leggett, G. Montgomery, E. Leggett.

Class I, Jun.—Nellie Ould, Ray Edwards, Grace Lee, Rose Wardell, Edith Wardell, Frank Montgomery, Clarence Bonning, Roy Edwards.

Aggregate attendance for month, 666.

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- George Lenordmurdock—1 horse. Francis Drake—40 acres cleared, 1361 wild, 2 yoke oxen, 6 cows, 4 young cattle, 4 horses. John Paddock—7 acres cleared, 93 wild, 3 cows, 2 horses.

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German Society Now Led By a Divorced Woman.

Berlin, Nov. 29.—Emperor William has at length been compelled to withdraw his strict rules against the appearance at court of ladies who have figured in the divorce courts.

She runs a Swell Restaurant in Partnership With a Lady Man. London, Nov. 29.—Lady de Gray, wife of the only son and heir of the enormously wealthy Marquis of Ripon, will henceforth find the doors of the well-known hotel manager, Ritz, with the object of rendering herself financially independent of her husband, and of his parents, who seem to have become tired of paying the debts which she is constantly bringing up.

REBUKE TO GOULD. Anna de Castellane May Soon Become a Catholic, It is Claimed. Intended That It's to Snub Brother George for Checking Count Boni's Extravagance.

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