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Carpet and Wall Paper Sale

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\$10.00 Coats for \$5.00

39 of them from which to select. Handsome Tweeds and Black Beavers. Very correct "Empire" and loose back styles. All sizes.

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Carpet and Wall Paper Sale



## January Sale of Men's and Women's Fine Shoes...

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6 Pairs of Men's Velour Calf, Blucher, regular \$4.50, sale, \$3.50

17 Pairs of Just Wright, Patent Colt Boots, reg. \$5.00, sale, \$4.00

19 Pairs Men's Box Calf Lace Boots, Bal. or Blucher styles, regular \$3.50 for \$3.00

17 Pairs Men's Patent Colt Blucher Shoes, regular \$4.00 for \$3.50

SEE WINDOW THIS WEEK.

ALL REGULAR SHOES SOLD AT 10 PER CENT. OFF

## TURRILL

THE SHOE MAN

NOW IS THE TIME TO ADVERTISE

## GOES HOME DISCOURAGED

Mr. Kizer Thinks Electric Railway Has Been Unfairly Dealt With

Say Aldermen Will Block Extension to Lake Erie in the Spring if They Do Not Grant Concessions

Mr. Kizer, Sr., of Towanda, Penn., one of the men who provided considerable capital towards the establishing of the Chatham, Wallaceburg & Lake Erie Electric Railway, left yesterday for his home, having spent a few days in the city, conferring with the City Council in an attempt to arrive at some satisfactory understanding in reference to the Third street bridge question, and on general business in connection with the railway.

The result of his conference with some of the aldermen has been very discouraging and unsatisfactory to Mr. Kizer, and he is quite bitter in his expression of what he terms the unfair treatment received by the company from the hands of the Council. Speaking to a Planet reporter yesterday Mr. Kizer said:

"I think it is about time the true facts of the matter were revealed. The public are ignorant of the harsh, and unduly strict, manner in which the Council has treated us over the many questions that have arisen since the line was started.

"The money was mostly brought here by myself and one or two others, although local capital has been invested to a considerable extent. I have financed the thing from the beginning, worked hard to get local and outside money into the way, and have done my best to further the work for the public's sake as much as for my own interests.

"We are perfectly willing to work hand in hand with any company which may offer to complete the line, or, will entertain any fair proposition from the Council over any matter. Only yesterday a gentleman who had offered to advance us a large sum, backed out because the board of the bridge affair when the fire hose was turned on our employees. Something must be done right away if we are to go on with the work in April, and unless the Council take prompt action in the matter of allowing us the use of the bridge and paying us the bonus due, the line will stop just where it is, no extension or improvement being possible for lack of capital.

"I am disappointed by the conduct of the Council and will not do another thing in the way of furnishing capital.

"In the matter of the bridge the Council passed a by-law which allowed us to run passenger cars over it providing it was strengthened. We willingly did this and have run cars according to our promise, but now that the question of heavy goods traffic has been brought up, we are handicapped, for the Council will not allow us to strengthen the bridge still more in order to render a heavier service possible, nor will they meet us half way on the matter of building a new bridge altogether. We offer to build a new bridge providing the Council will pay half of the total cost, the same to be paid in credit, yet not only do they refuse us co-operation on this point, but they will not pay us the bonus of \$35,000 which was promised us when we completed our track from here to Wallaceburg.

"There is no use in disguising the true state of the company at the present moment. They have no more money left to carry the line to the Lake Shore nor can they raise capital in the States. The reports of the Council's many boycotts have got into the papers on the other side and financiers are scared to invest in the concern."

## VERY PECULIAR

W. B. Wells Loses One of His Most Valuable Dogs Under Most Suspicious Circumstances

W. B. Wells lost his best dog yesterday, evening under peculiar circumstances. He was let out of the yard about 5:30 and was found in the kennel dead at 6:30.

Sekirk Solus, or Limit as he was frequently called by dog men—amongst whom he had hosts of admirers—was one of the best field dogs ever seen in these parts. He won 3rd in the international all-aged stake in 1903, when he was not thoroughly broken, 1st in the same stake in 1904, and 1st again last year. The last two years he ran he was in a class by himself, no other dog being near him. Although a small dog—30 lbs. in condition—he had great speed, range and endurance, coupled with a fine nose and good style on point.

Mr. Wells feels the loss keenly, as such animals only come once in a breeder's lifetime. He is sending the stomach to Toronto to have the contents analyzed.

## LOOK AFTER WATER PIPES!

Commissioners Will Not Grant Rebates on Account of Defective Plumbing

Busy Meeting of Water Coms. Last Evening—They Will Add Improvements to Plant

Last night was rebate night at the meeting of the Water Commissioners. Applications were received from four residents asking for rebates, owing to excessive charges on the meter. All of the water was not used in each case, but it went through the meter and must have passed through leaks in the pipes caused by defective plumbing.

"This is not the place to come with these complaints," said Mr. Sheldon. "People should not be called upon to pay for more water than they use, but the Commissioners should be paid for the water that passes through the meter. It costs money to pump the water that has been wasted. The people with these grievances should come on the plumbers, whose fault it is, and make them pay for it."

"When the plumbers take out their licenses they agree to indemnify the city and customers against any loss through defective work on their part," remarked Secretary Weir.

"However, we have made a practice of going half way on the first case, but if a person asks for a rebate more than once their only course is to go to the plumbers the second time," continued Mr. Sheldon.

"People should watch their meters and see that they are not using any more water than the reading on the meter shows. If the meter reads too high then there must be a leak in the pipes and it is time to send for a plumber. It seems a funny thing that a man can have a big leak in his pipes and never know it."

"What I would advocate for Chatham is a plumber inspector—a man to go around and inspect and pass every job of plumbing before it is accepted. The plumbers here are robbing the people every day by putting in defective plumbing and that is why we hear of so many broken and frozen pipes."

The following accounts were reduced owing to leakages in water pipes: Geo. Stephens & Co., from \$40.69 to \$4.00; Judge Peil, from \$20 to \$5; A. McKay allowed rebate of \$2.40; Mrs. Ryan, from \$6 to \$2.

There were present at the meeting, Chairman Sheldon and Dr. Cornell.

The following accounts were passed: McKeough & Trotter, \$43.12; W. M. Drader, \$4.03; T. H. Taylor Co., \$7.59; Buffalo Motor Co., \$37.30; Waterworth Mfg. Co., \$13.88; Lake Erie Coal Co., \$385.57.

A. M. Wickens, Chief Engineer of the Canadian Casualty and Boiler Insurance Co., Toronto, reported he had inspected boiler No. 3 at the pumping station, and at present it is in good shape.

The Pittsburgh Meter Company asked for further information re complaints about their meters used in Chatham. Some of the patrons claim that the meter runs too fast. Secretary Weir's statement showed balance in bank, Dec. 30, \$1,962.87; receipts during month, \$1,249.59; total \$3,212.26. Expenditures, \$2,062.83; balance, Jan. 30, \$1,149.43. Total, \$3,212.26.

Ald. Massey, representing the Property committee of the City Council, appeared before the Commissioners, asking them to co-operate with the Council in installing a small lighting plant to light the pumping station. This will also enable the Council to add two more street lights. The scheme was approved of by the Commissioners and it will now come before the Council for their approval.

His Highness The Bey Plays at the Grand Thursday, Feb. 8.

Manager Briscoe is being congratulated on every side for securing "His Highness the Bey" to play an engagement here next Thursday evening. Every local social function that has been billed for this date is being postponed. One of the largest houses of the season is assured, as the management have already received orders for tickets from Wallaceburg, Dresden, Blenheim and Wilbury. Special trains are being arranged for from all nearby points.

"His Highness the Bey" is a big musical comedy success in two acts, carrying ten musical comedy stars and forty others, including the famous Broilers and Big Beauty Chorus.

Popular prices will prevail, which are from twenty-five cents to one dollar. Seats go on sale Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

It invigorates, strengthens and builds up. It keeps you in condition physically, mentally and morally. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

A. J. McCall & Co.

## LOOKS LIKE A COAL WAR

Counter Proposal of Cost Operators is Rejected

United Mine Workers Demand a Full Settlement or None—May Result in Strike of Organized Labor

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 2.—Rejection of the counter proposal of the coal operators of the central competitive district by an almost unanimous vote of the national convention of the United Mine Workers, and the adoption of a resolution offered by Secretary W. D. Ryan of Illinois, placing the miners on record as a unit on refusing to sign an agreement for any district until an agreement was signed for all districts under the jurisdiction of the United Mine Workers, yesterday created a situation which, in the opinion of the officers of the miners' organization, will result in a disruption of the joint agreement and possibly a great strike of organized labor throughout the country.

Immediately following the rejection of the operator's proposal, the miners' convention set about providing means for accumulating a strike fund of \$500,000, in addition to a like amount now on deposit in international district and sub-district treasuries of the miners' organizations.

Men, as if to seal their position, the national convention adjourned sine die. Delegates who choose to leave for their homes last night. Others remained for the final session of the joint conference to-day. This will be the formal adjournment of the interstate joint conference.

In this last meeting lies a possibility for a settlement of the dispute.

DENIAL OF HON. S. C. BIGGS.

Says Agreement Was Not Made With Mrs. McDougall.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—S. C. Biggs, K. C., in an affidavit filed at Osgoode Hall yesterday, says that the policies on the life of the late Alfred McDougall were assigned to him in trust for the Ontario Government, as set out in an affidavit already filed in this matter. He acted as representative of the Government in obtaining the assignment of the policies.

"I say," declares Mr. Biggs, "that no arrangement was made, and no understanding was come to by or with my knowledge or consent, as alleged in the affidavit of Mary McDougall and Mary G. M. McDougall, to the effect that criminal proceedings should not be taken."

"I received my instructions from Hon. Geo. W. Ross, then Premier of the province, and to the best of my knowledge and belief there was no understanding expressed or implied between the Government and any member of Mr. McDougall's family or any other person, to the effect that a transfer of these policies involved relief from criminal prosecution."

PAULINE

Pauline continues to attract much attention at the Grand this week.

His exhibitions of hypnotism and mental telepathy are very clever, and in every way his performance is an entertainment of great merit.

Much merriment is caused nightly by the antics of local boys who, under Pauline's suggestions, conduct themselves in a most surprising manner.

HERE was an old chap once who was troubled with insomnia. He was advised to try counting—he did—counted up to 89,347, without stopping. "Did you go to sleep then?" he was asked. "No," said he, "when I'd counted that far it was time to get up." And he added a few other things about the man who gave him the advice. That seems to be the way with some stores, too—they will try anything that will along to bolster up business.

We have a fixed policy nearer our goal every day.

The Perfect S...

What we say about weather strips! depended on to the last still. Don't Argue, Prove it. Geo. W.

## Ladies, a New Thing...

Cheaper Than Silk and Just as Nice

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For working cushions, etc. We have every shade and sell it at

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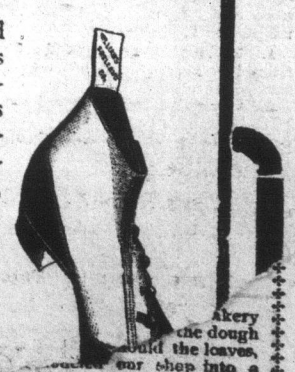
### M. SHAPERO

Our New Store which has been opened lately at No. 2 Alexandra Block, opposite Rankin House, has a full line of Ladies' Skirts, which we are making a specialty of this line.

We want you to know, if money-saving is anything to you, that there is big profit in coming to us. Our lines of skirts are made up in the very latest spring styles. Our styles are dated three months ahead. They are made of the best English Tweeds.

Broadcloths, Frieze, Venetians, Ladies' Cloth, Homespuns, Luttrell, Voiles and Curvas Cloths and a lot of others. We also carry a line of Misses' Skirts, which will all be sold at low prices. Regular \$7.50 for \$4.98; \$5.75 for \$3.25; \$4.50 for \$2.49; \$3.25 for \$1.98; \$2.50 for \$1.49; \$2.25 for \$1.25.

We also have a department for Ladies' Tailoring, making to order Suits, Shirts, Suits, Skirts and Blouses. We also make Waterproof Coats. We guarantee our work.



Try Our Aunt Mary's Home-Made Bread It is Perfection

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## MR. FISHER'S APPARENT INDISCRETION.

At the last colonial conference, Sir Wilfrid Laurier distinctly stated that Canada would increase the preferential rate to Great Britain in return for tariff favors from the mother country. Mr. Fielding has repeatedly, in his budget speeches, held out to parliament the hope that Great Britain would sometime show her appreciation of the preferential tariff by reciprocating. In his latest budget speech the finance minister hinted that the time for reciprocity in favor of Canada had arrived and made a veiled threat that unless some movement of that sort were made the Canadian preference might be modified or withdrawn. In a speech delivered last autumn Sir Wilfrid Laurier said: "My vindication of the preference policy was given in the heart of the empire at London at the colonial conference, when I declared that I and my colleagues were ready to make a trade treaty. We said, 'We are ready to discuss with you articles on which we can give you a preference and articles on which you can give us a preference. We are ready to make with you a treaty of trade.'"

In the face of these declarations, the Hon. Sydney Fisher, a member of the Laurier cabinet, now confesses to his joy that the British people have declared against imperial preferential trade, and to his satisfaction that "the Chamberlain bubble has been pricked."

It is hardly probable that the premier has changed his opinion so suddenly as to now share those of Mr. Fisher. It is still more improbable that Mr. Fielding's views have undergone so sudden a change that, although in the last session of parliament he said that the Canadian Government and people regarded Mr. Chamberlain's propaganda with sympathy, he now rejoices with Mr. Fisher over the "pricking" of the "Chamberlain bubble."

But it is, of course, just possible that these changes of opinion have occurred. If they have, then Mr. Fisher doubtless spoke with the consent and concurrence of his colleagues. If Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Fielding still think as they did last year, Mr. Fisher should resign. As the Herald said yesterday, Mr. Tarte was dismissed from the cabinet for indiscretion less glaring than Mr. Fisher's appears to be.—Hamilton Herald.

## WORTHY CAUSE

City Sunday School Association is Engaged in an Excellent Work in Chatham

The eighth fortnightly meeting of the City Sunday School Association Training Department was held on Tuesday night in Park St. Methodist S. S. Hall. A round-table discussion was had on the practical topics of "How to secure a more regular attendance on the part of some of the pupils," and "How to encourage a better preparation of the S. S. lesson at home," in which Messrs. D. S. Peterson, C. Austin, J. W. Shankleton, F. Collins, P. Ward, W. Martin, Miss Dowd, Mrs. Fraser and Mrs. Charteris took part.

Miss Hope Rankin contributed a well rendered solo, after which Mr. Warren continued his interesting exposition of the Tabernacle with illustrative charts, dealing with some of the vessels used.

The next meeting will be held in the First Presbyterian S. S. Hall, when W. Taylor, E. A., will teach a "Model" lesson.

During the evening the St. Andrew's S. S. New Year's pledge was read and favorably received. We reproduce it below:—

1. I promise to attend Sunday School as regularly as possible during the year.

2. I promise to spend at least one-half hour in preparation of the lesson each week, and to bring my Bible to school every Sunday.

3. I promise to close my eyes during prayer and give a reverent attention to the same.

4. I promise to join heartily in the singing.

5. I promise to give a quiet, careful and respectful attention to the class while the lesson is being given.

6. I promise to memorize the 3 Cans Blueberries, 25¢ per doz. 7. 1 lb. Pails of Jam, 48¢. 8. Packages Jelly Powder, 25¢. 9. Pickles, 10¢ per bottle. 10. 1 lb. Granulated Sugar, \$1.00. 11. 1 lb. Raisins, 10¢ per doz. 12. 3 lbs. New Prunes, 25¢.

A trial order will convince you that our goods are right.

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Booklets on General Diseases, Private Diseases, Women's Diseases, etc. Free of charge.

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## THE STAGE

ALL THE WORLD'S A STAGE AND ALL THE MEN AND WOMEN MERELY ACTORS.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At The Grand—  
 Pauline—Jan. 30, for 5 nights.  
 His Highness the Bey—Feb. 8.

Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

"His Highness the Bey," the noteworthy musical comedy success, comes to the Grand Opera House from a phenomenal run of five months in Chicago. Teeming with catchy musical numbers, this attraction caused a sensation in Chicago and will be seen here on Thursday, Feb. 8th, with a company of sixty people.

"The Bey," which was termed "the show with music," holds the record at the La Salle Theatre, Chicago, for length of run.

There is not a dull moment in the

place from the rise to the fall of the final curtain, and Chatham theatre-goers will have an opportunity on the above date of enjoying a splendid performance. These are some of the songs which may be heard whistled about the streets of Chicago any hour of the day or night: "Louie," "I'm Going to Leave You," "The Gallop," "Kitty and the Owl," "Land of Nod," "Honolulu," "Julie Dooley," "Orange Blossom Land," "Gypsy Maid," "Sweethearts of Boyhood Days," "Dance of Nations," "Butterflies," "Drink to the Glorious Night," "Mormon and the Rainbow," and "Stories of a Summer's Night."

Not to be overlooked, for they contribute much, are the "Broilers," as the dancing girls are known. Out from the production would be incomplete. These agile dancers execute the most difficult steps with perfect ease and grace.



THE DUTCH GIRLS  
 HIS HIGHNESS THE BEY

## BENNER—HOUSTON

One of the prettiest house weddings of the season took place at Alvin's on Wednesday, Jan. 24th, 1906, at "River Side," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Houston, when their second eldest daughter Janet B., was united in marriage to Frederick W. Benner, of Alvin.

At six o'clock the bride, leaning on the arm of her father, entered the parlor to the sweet strains of Lohengrin's wedding march played by Miss Parthena McLaughlin. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Gunn, of Wyoming. The bride looked charming in a gown of embroidered Swiss with lace trimmings and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and smilax. Miss Minnie Houston, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and wore a dainty frock of muslin with palest blue tracery and carried pink and white carnations, while Mr. Charles Benner, of Ridgeway, ably supported the groom.

The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome gold watch and chain, and to the bridesmaid a pearl stick pin.

After the ceremony the guests adjourned to the dining room, which was beautifully decorated with evergreens and roses, and partook of a sumptuous repast. The evening was spent in music and social intercourse prior to their departure to their new home.

The citizens band played a number of selections and enjoyed a share of the wedding cake. The wedding presents were many and costly, showing the high esteem in which the young couple are held.

Guests were present from Chatham, Ridgeway, Rodney and Alberta, N. W. T.

## MOTHER

## AND CHILD.

Let the mother take Scott's Emulsion for the two; it never fails to benefit them both. One can eat for two, but nourishing two is a different thing. It calls for a degree of internal strength that the average woman lacks. People of luxury are not very strong by habit; overworked people are weak in some functions from exhaustion or their surroundings. Scott's Emulsion can be depended upon to overcome such conditions. It is a wonderful food for a mother and child.

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The fellow who never makes way for others is pretty sure to make his own way.

The horizon of life is broadened chiefly by the enlargement of the heart.

## CARPET BALL

The A. O. F. and C. O. F. played a game of carpet ball last evening in the Workmen Hall, which resulted as follows:

A. O. F.		C. O. F.		
B. Longley,		S. Bullis,		
Ed. Cape,		Jas. Rankin,		
John Head,		J. McLean,		
Skip	24	Skip	10	
Wm. Wood,		Jas. Green,		
Wm. Palmer,		Robert Weaver,		
Jas. Dyer,		J. Doyle,		
Skip	22	Skip	11	
Score: A. O. F. 46; C. O. F. 15.				
Referees, H. Green and A. E. Lentz.				
Scorers: G. Arnold, A. Newkirk.				
About 25 witnessed the game.				
The standing of the Carpet Ball League:				
WON LOST TO PLAY PER CT.				
S.O.F.	5	2	13	.715
A.O.F.	7	3	10	.700
A.O.U.W.	5	3	12	.625
I.O.F.	2	3	15	.400
S.O.S.	2	4	14	.334
C.O.F.	1	7	12	.125

## DISTRICT DOINGS

## THAMESVILLE

Feb. 1.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sims, on Tuesday morning, a son.

Mrs. Beet is visiting her daughter in Simcoe.

Mrs. Ripley is confined to the house through illness.

Walter Mayhew has returned from Detroit.

Miss Jennie McGeachie is visiting Mrs. Christine Mowbray, Botany.

Miss Annie Laurie spent a few days in Botany.

Milton Cryderman led the debate last night, affirmative. The debate was left open and much interest was shown and good arguments brought forth.

A fine large specimen of crab was secured in the pit yesterday.

Thomas Sims has gone to Toronto to attend the Press Association.

Four out glass water bottles were brought home from London by our curlers, also a pair of curling stones.

Miss Kate Eger has returned from Winnipeg.

A large congregation attended the Baptist church last night.

Miss Florence McDonald spent Sunday at her home in Ridgeway.

## DARRELL.

A few of the Darrell boys had a live pigeon shoot on Friday last, the number of birds being seven apiece. Lester Gregory won first money by killing five, Melvin French, second with four, the others killing two or three apiece and hurting some.

A number of the boys could have done better if they had not been so tender hearted.

We are pleased to welcome Mr. Krieger as a visitor among us. He purposes taking back a carload of horses.

A quiet wedding was celebrated last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. Edward Pugh, when John A. Fisher and Miss Lavina Pugh were united in marriage by the Rev. Mr. Macfarlane, of Louisville.

Isaac Gregory has recently purchased a fine Shire colt from B. French.

George Forsythe, of Harrow, an old Darrell boy, has been spending



## The White Carnival

Opened To-day



And already we see that we didn't guess a bit too boldly—the sales during the first few hours of the day prove that this is to be the most phenomenal of sales.

In preparation for this sale we sent buyers through every market where goods could be found. When the great shipments of garments and fabrics arrived we added every short and broken line of white merchandise left from our greatest season of selling—and then we clipped the prices—which was quite possible and easy, for we had planned and purchased with a keen eye for a bargain—so that never, in all the history of this city, have such superb garments and fabrics been offered for such little sums.

You cannot afford to miss this sale—neither can your friends. Just look over this list—then come and see the matchless value each item represents.

## Gowns

At 50c.—

Cambric gowns, yoke trimmed, with 10 fine tucks and 7 rows Swiss insertion, neck and sleeves trimmed with cambric frills.

At 75c.—

Good quality, yoke with 12 fine tucks, 2 rows cambric insertion, fine embroidery and frills on neck and sleeves.

At 1.00—

Cambric gowns, full cut, 4 groups fine tucks and 4 rows fine insertion on yoke, neck and sleeves, trimmed with wide tulle lace and finishing braid.

At 1.25—

Empire gowns, fine cambric, large collar, front and sleeves trimmed with wide Swiss embroidery and finishing braid.

## Corset Covers

At 10c.—

Marguerite style, good quality cambric.

At 19c.—

Fine Cambric Marguerite Covers, neck and sleeves trimmed with tulle lace and ribbon.

At 25c.—

Fitted covers of fine cambric, trimmed with Swiss insertion and embroidery.

At 29c.—

Marguerite covers, neck and sleeves trimmed with Val. lace, heading and ribbon.

At 29c.—

Fine Nainsook and Cambric, beautifully made and trimmed, at each 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and up to \$2.75.

At 29c.—

200 yards of fine twill ivory waist silk, 27 inches wide, superior quality, regular 75c yard, for 39c.

At 29c.—

Rich silky quality, 44 inches wide, plain and in small figures and spots, at a yard 50c.

At 29c.—

600 yards fine Victoria lawns, 42 inches wide, worth 16c yard, for 12 1-2c.

## 800 YARDS BENGAL SHEETING—

Half bleach finish, full, even, round thread, full 36 in., regular 11c yard for 8 1-2c.

At 29c.—

21-4 yards wide, heavy, round thread, pure bleach, regular 30c a yard, for 23c.

At 29c.—

32 in. fine Swiss Organdie, in pink or white, 40c value for 25c.

At 29c.—

75c. ORGANDIE FOR 50c.—

Fine French Organdie, 66 in. wide in sky or pink, regular 75c yard, for 50c.

At 29c.—

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Rose, pink, fine quality, regular 60c yard, for 25c.

At 29c.—

WHITE MARSEILLES QUILTS—

Fine quality, large size, choice designs, worth \$2.00 each, for \$1.18.

## The Northway Co., Limited

the week visiting his many friends in this vicinity.

There will be no service in French's Methodist Church, Sunday, as the count of the quarterly meeting at Louisville, Sunday school will be held at three o'clock, instead of 1:30, as usual.

A lazy liver may be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. A sick man, all right for the back of a lazy man. But it would be a savage as well as a stupid thing to beat a weary man or a starving man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging liver it is a great mistake to ask it with drastic drugs. In nine-tenths cases out of a hundred a torpid or sluggish liver is but a symptom of an ill-nourished body, whose organs are weary with overwork.

Let your liver alone. Start with the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Put them in proper working order, and see how quickly your liver will become active and energetic. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvellous cures of "liver trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the defection of other organs.

THORNCLIFFE.

Miss Gertrude Smith returned to her home in Detroit after visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Doline, for the past few weeks.

Mrs. W. Kendall is attending her father, who is somewhat worse again.

Miss Mary Pumphrey is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall.

Rev. Mr. Mitchell has spent the week visiting friends in town.

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Local Improvement Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the City Council of Chatham intend to pass a By-law or By-laws under the provisions of the Municipal Act and of the City's By-law respecting local improvements and special assessments therefor for the levying of special rates or assessments to pay for the construction (and the temporary loans obtained therefor) of works mentioned in the first column of Schedule "A" below; and the total cost of the respective works is shown in the second column, and the portion thereof assessed by the city and to be paid out of the general fund is shown in the third column of said schedule, and the difference between the total cost and the portion assessed by the City represents the amount to be raised by special assessment.

And that a statement showing the lands liable to assessment for the cost of the respective works aforesaid, and the names of the owners thereof as far as they can be ascertained from the last revised assessment roll, and a measurement of the frontages of such lands and of the lands exempt from taxation, is now filed in the office of the clerk of said City and is open for inspection during office hours.

And that a Court of Revision will be held on MONDAY, the 12th day of February, 1906, at the City Council Chamber, in Harmon Hall, in the City of Chatham, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of hearing complaints and appeals against the proposed assessments or accuracy of the frontage measurement, or any complaint which persons interested may desire to make and which is by law receivable by the Court.

Any party desiring to complain or appeal to the Court of Revision shall within the time required by law, give to and leave with the Clerk of the City a written notice of such complaint or appeal, specifying the grounds therefor.

SCHEDULE "A."

Description of Work	Actual Cost of Work	Amount Assessed by City
A Granolithic Side-walk on the E. S. of Lacroix Street, from Lorne Ave. to Grey Street.	318.15	113.72
A Granolithic Side-walk on the W. S. of Hilliard Street, from Hilliard Street to Forest Street.	533.75	191.67
A Granolithic Side-walk on the W. S. of Inches Avenue, King St. to Harvey Street.	626.35	80.32
A Plank Sidewalk on the N. S. of Cornhill Street, St. Clair St. to Sheldon Avenue.	258.99	12.70
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Must Bear Signature of *Dr. Carter* See Pac-Stamp Wrapper Below.

Very small and so easy to take as sugar.

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The Russian Elections.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—The pre-election activity has reached an acute stage. Candidates of various parties are coming into the open and all factions in public life are taking an active interest in the campaign. The only effective boycott of the preparations seems to be that which is due to the apathy of the commercial classes and other conservative and unprogressive elements.

Imported From Canada.

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—A special officer from the Department of Commerce and Labor at Washington yesterday served subpoenas on a number of iron moulders, requesting their appearance in Cleveland. These men are said to have been illegally imported from Canada by Altman & Co. of Canton, Ohio, to take the place of striking employees.

DIED SUDDENLY OF HEART DISEASE.

How frequently does a head line similar to the above greet us in the newspapers. The man, woman and child of the American people has a strong tendency to lead up to valvular and other affections of the heart, attended by irregular action, palpitation, dizziness, smothered sensations and other distressing symptoms. Three of the prominent ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made are recommended by some of the leading writers on *Materia Medica* for the cure of just such cases. Golden Seal root, for instance, is said by the United States Dispensatory, a standard authority, "to impart tonic and energizing power to the heart's action." Numerous other leading authorities represent Golden Seal as an unsurpassed tonic for the muscular system in general, and as the heart is almost wholly composed of muscular tissue, it naturally follows that it must be greatly strengthened by this superb, general tonic. But probably the most important ingredient of "Golden Medical Discovery" so far as its marvellous cures of valvular and other affections of the heart are concerned, is Stone root, or *Colinus canadensis*. Prof. Wm. C. C. Phelps, author of *Fauna of Medicine*, says of it: "It not only cures a patient who was so much oppressed with valvular disease of the heart that he had to be constantly carried up and down stairs, but he recovered under the influence of this medicinal principle extracted from Stone root, and is now attending to his business. Affections of the heart, of no remedy for the removal of so distressing and so dangerous a malady. With them it was all cured, and it is fearfully wonderful that death was averted at hand." Coliculus unquestionably affords relief in such cases, and in most instances effects a Stone root is also recommended by Drs. Hale and Ellingwood, of Chicago, for valvular and other diseases of the heart. The latter says: "It is a heart tonic of direct and permanent influence."

"Golden Medical Discovery" not only cures serious heart affections, but is a most efficient general tonic and invigorant, strengthening the stomach, invigorating the liver, regulating the bowels and curing catarrhal affections in all parts of the system.

Dr. Pierce's Pills cure Constipation.

TOO FAR GONE.

And how's your wife, Pat? Sure, she do be awful sick. Is it dangerous she is? Ah, no; she's too weak to be dangerous any more.

SORE THROAT AND COUGHS.

A simple, effective and safe remedy to all throat irritations is found in *Crescote's Antiseptic Tablets*. They combine the germicidal values of Crescote with the soothing properties of slippery elm and licorice.

10c. All Druggists.

Too much money has been known to produce as much unhappiness as has too little.

TO RECOVER MONEY.

Dominion Government Sues Province of Ontario For \$1,362,935.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The Dominion Government is asking Justice Burdette in the Exchequer Court to make an order compelling this province to pay \$1,362,935.

The claim arises out of the Dominion's treaty with the Saulteaux Indians in 1873, known as the Northwest Treaty No. 3. By it 47,000 square miles of land were bought from the Indians. It is situated between the watershed of Lake Superior and the northwest angle of the Lake of the Woods and the American border to the watershed of Hudson Bay.

For this land the Indians were given \$12 for each person belonging to the tribe; \$1,500 per annum for the purchase of twine and ammunition for fishing and hunting, two hoes, a spade, one axe, one cross-cut saw, one hand saw and other articles for each family cultivating the soil and many other articles. Each chief was to receive \$25 a year and each subordinate \$15 a year and a suit of clothes every three years. An average of 2,471 Indians every year have been beneficiaries. The number within the treaty cede to the Government and outside the province is 131. The Dominion Government are suing to recover the amount paid to the Indians within the province.

The case was adjourned until March.

HOCKEY.

Yesterday's Record.

Stratford.....	9	Brantford.....	1
London.....	4	Seaford.....	0
Perry Sound.....	17	Bracebridge.....	0
Gravenhurst.....	8	Penancing.....	6
Eastern League.....			
Wanderers.....	6	Montreal.....	2
Professional League.....			
American Soc.....	5	Pittsburg.....	2
"Played Tuesday."			

G. T. R. CUTS OUT TUNNEL.

All Through Business Will Go By Way of Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 1.—The Free Press says it is the intention of the Grand Trunk to divert all its through traffic between the east and west by way of Detroit, and that the Detroit and Grand Haven division will be double-tracked to Detroit, and the line with the main line between Chicago and Port Huron; that its work will be completed by the time the Michigan Central tunnel is finished, when passenger trains will have about all that the east and the bulk of the through freight trains will be handled by Detroit.

The St. Clair (Port Huron) tunnel is a single-track tunnel. Even with electrification complete, and the elimination of the through traffic, the St. Clair tunnel will have about all that it can take care of in local point business, the business of the road is growing so rapidly.

WARNED THIEVES WERE COMING.

Belleville Police Head Off a Gang of Professional Cracksmen.

Belleville, Feb. 1.—Tuesday evening the police notified the banks and merchants that a band of thieves was supposed to be heading this way. When people came down to business yesterday morning they discovered that the bank had really arrived, and the whole sale grocery house of John Sloan & Co. had been broken into and completely ransacked during the night. The robbers got only about \$4 or \$5 in money, as owing to the police warning, the firm had removed its surplus wealth to a safer place. The police are now looking for three suspicious strangers.

Doctor Robs Canadian.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Dr. F. M. Steward Tuesday was found guilty of a charge of robbery in Judge Kersten's court. Charles Armstrong, an alleged accomplice, was found not guilty. The convicted defendant, through his attorney, made a motion for a new trial, and the court fixed bonds at \$6,000. Felix Berard, a Canadian, in October, 1905, was arrested of the physician and Armstrong on a charge that they had fraudulently obtained \$110 from him. He had convinced Dr. Steward. The latter told him he was suffering from heart trouble and said \$110 would be required to cure him. Armstrong is said to have assisted the physician in the deception. Another physician told Berard he was in good physical condition. The arrests followed.

WAR UNAVOIDABLE.

Castro Prepares to Resist French Invasion, and Will Force Apathetic Venezuelans to Fight.

New York, Jan. 31.—A Wilhelmstadt, Curacao, despatch to The Herald, dated Monday, says: "A prominent Venezuelan, who has active views on the subject, says that President Castro while supposed to be resting at Maracaibo, has been actively engaged in visiting the garrisons and preparing for an expected invasion by France."

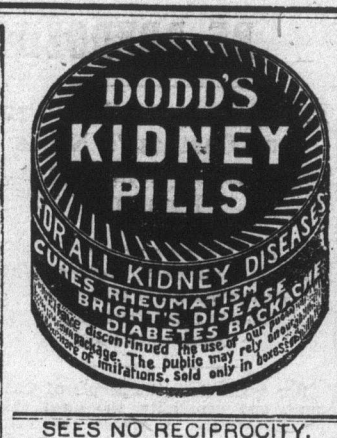
"Governors of the states have been called to the capital for instructions, troops are mobilizing and the improvement of the army has begun. The people are apathetic, but will be forced to fight, though they blame President Castro for going too far with M. Taigny."

"Conservative opinion is that President Castro is putting on a bold front at the last moment to save his Presidency from complacency with the expected demands from France for an apology and a salute to the flag."

"President Castro has sent an extremely violent note to France, and has personally appealed to the Kaiser to intervene to save German interests from Venezuela. He made the same request to England, but was refused on the ground of British cordiality with France."

"Foreign representatives here believe that war is inevitable, and contend that whatever the result of the war, the nations should take action, as by President Castro's declaration that diplomatic immunity immediately relations are severed, he refuses to send Ministers abroad reducing Venezuela to the plane of countries accorded consular officers only."

Trifling with temptation has a charm which makes it dangerous.



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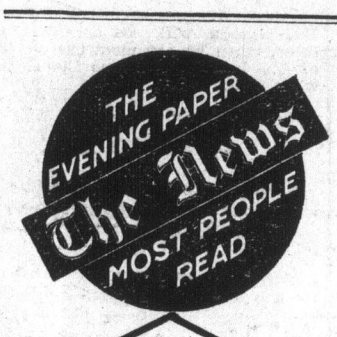
Senator McMullen Has Conference With President Roosevelt Concerning Trade Between Two Countries.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—A discussion on commercial conditions between the United States and Canada was held at the White House yesterday between the president and James McMullen, a member of the Canadian Senate, who was presented by Senator Warner of Missouri.

"A few years ago," said Senator McMullen, "a strong movement was started for reciprocity between the United States and Canada, but with us the subject now is scarcely mentioned. Our people are becoming convinced that they must look abroad for an outlet for their surplus products. Our producers are able now to lay down in Great Britain fruit, fresh meat and other perishable stuff in as good condition as we can put them into the United States. They are building up a fine export business and are very prosperous."

"If we should enter into a reciprocity agreement with the United States, we should be obliged to change our relations with Great Britain. Our people have no desire to do that. In Great Britain and in some other foreign markets Canada is a competitor of the United States."

"In other respects, our people entertain the most friendly feeling for the people of the United States. The Senator McMullen said that extensive railroad construction is in progress in Canada, and Canadians were becoming interested in railroad rate legislation. He believed that in the pending future such legislation as is now pending in the American Congress will be brought before the Canadian Parliament."



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WEATHER FOR 1905.

Temperature Two Degrees Higher Than For Average of 65 Years.

According to the returns of the meteorological station at Toronto the temperature for the year was not as low as usual, the mean being 44.5, or 2 above the average for 65 years. The highest temperature was on July 18, when the mercury went up to 92.1, and the lowest February 4, when it was 8.2 below zero. The average temperature of July 18 was 81.6, and the average of the coldest day was 0.1.

It rained 96 days to the depth of 25.82, that is, two feet two inches. This is a little below the average, which was 27.05 inches. On August 15 the heaviest fall occurred, being 3.58 inches.

Snow fell in 49 days to a depth of 53.9 inches, or four and a half feet, which was 12.9 below the average. On January 7 the heaviest snowfall took place, six and a half inches.

The first thunderstorm of the season was on February 10; the last snow storm April 21; the last frost May 21. The first frost appeared again September 25; first snow October 26, and the last thunderstorm November 26.

The heaviest wind was February 14, but the greatest velocity was October 20, when there was a gale of 64 miles an hour in the early hours of the morning.

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My Hair is Scraggly

Do you like it? Then why be contented with it? Have to be? Oh, no! Just put on Ayer's Hair Vigor and have long, thick hair; soft, even gray; beautiful hair, without a single gray line in it. Have a little pride. Keep young just as long as you can.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Liverpool Wednesday Evening, Jan. 31. Futures closed today unchanged to 1/4d lower than yesterday, and corn futures unchanged to 1/4d lower. At Chicago May wheat closed 1/4c lower than yesterday; May corn, 1/4c lower and May oats 1/4c lower.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

The following were the closing quotations yesterday at this market: Jan. 10 1/4c, May 7 1/4c, July 8 1/4c.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

New York	May	July
Wheat, spring, bush.....	89 1/2	88 1/2
Wheat, fall, bush.....	83 1/2	84 1/2
Duluth.....	83	84 1/2
Barley, bush.....	89	80 1/2
Oats, bush.....	82 1/2	81 1/2
Rye, bush.....	88 1/2	83 1/2
Flour, bush.....	73	73 1/2
Buckwheat, bush.....	33	33

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Grain.—Wheat, spring, bush, 80 7/8 to 81 1/8; fall, bush, 76 1/2 to 77 1/2; rye, bush, 71 1/2 to 72 1/2; barley, bush, 71 1/2 to 72 1/2; oats, bush, 63 1/2 to 64 1/2; clover, bush, 44 1/2 to 45 1/2; timothy, bush, 44 1/2 to 45 1/2; hay, 17 1/2 to 18 1/2.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, Jan. 31.—Wheat, spot nominal; futures, quiet; March, 6s 10 1/2d; May, 6s 8 1/2d; July, 6s 6 1/2d. American mixed, old, 4s 8 1/2d; new, 4s 2d; American mixed, old, 4s 8 1/2d; new, 4s 2d.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Jan. 31.—Butter, easy; receipts, 7844; street price, extra creamery, 24c; official price, common to extra, 16 1/2c to 20c; do, held, extras, 22c to 24c; state dairy common to extra, 17c to 20c; western factory, common to extra, 15c to 17c; western imitation, 14c to 16c; do, firsts, 17 1/2c to 18 1/2c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Firm—Hogs and Cattle Stronger at Chicago.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Jan. 31.—(Special).—Receipts 500 cattle, 100 sheep and lambs, 25 milch cows, 50 calves. The market for the trading was the renewed strength in the market for hogs and the decline in price on Monday was almost recovered. The demand from packers was good and sales of straight lots were made at \$7.65; good lots at \$7.40 per cwt, weighed off cars, numbers, but trade in cattle was slow, and higher prices were asked all round. There were no really prime heaves on the market and 4 1/2c per lb. was the top price for prime good cattle, while the common stock sold at 2 1/2c to 3 1/2c. Prime milk cows sold \$3.50 to \$4.00 each. Mr. Ritchie paid \$22 for a choice calf, or near 7c per lb., live weight; the other calves sold at \$3 to \$7 1/2c; and lambs at 6c per lb.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, Jan. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, light, market, firm; prices unchanged. Hogs—Receipts, 4500; slow, 5c to 10c lower; heavy, 5c higher on others; heavy and mixed, \$5.50 to \$5.80; Yorkers, \$5.85 to \$5.95; pigs, \$5.95 to \$6; roughs, \$4.80 to \$5.10; sheep, \$5.25 to \$4.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Jan. 31.—Beef—Receipts, 1420; steady, slow, but steady; bulls unchanged; cows, steady to 10c higher; steers, \$4.25 to \$5.75; extra, \$5.80; oxen and stags, \$2.25 to \$3.85. Hogs—Receipts, 1384; Venis, steady; calves, steady; western calves sold; veals, \$4.50 to \$5.25; choice, \$5.25 to \$5.85; \$3.50 to \$4.00; heavy stock, \$2.75 to \$3.25. Sheep—Receipts, 1384; Venis, steady; lambs, steady; fraction lower. Sheep, \$4.50 to \$5.75; extra, \$5.80; culled, \$4.50 to \$5.50; lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.75; culled, \$4.50 to \$5.50; heavy stock, \$2.75 to \$3.25.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 27,000; market steady, 10c higher; common to choice, \$3.50 to \$5.30; calves, \$3 to \$5; stockers and feeders, \$2.40 to \$3.50. Hogs—Receipts, 35,000; market, 10c higher; medium to good heavy, \$5.05 to \$5.70; butchers' weights, \$5.02 1/2 to \$5.70; good to choice heavy, \$5.02 1/2 to \$5.70; packing, \$5.30 to \$5.85. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; market, slow and steady; \$4.50 to \$5.50; yearlings, \$6 to \$9.25; lambs, \$5.50 to \$7.25.

Hamlet.

Hamlet, prince of Denmark, is, of course, best known as the hero of one of Shakespeare's greatest plays. The time when he lived is unknown. Some historians say 500 B.C., others say at 700 A.D., and others say he never lived. Shakespeare's play was based on the Danish story of Amleth, whose history is recorded in Saxo Grammaticus, twelfth century. Belle-forest adopted the story in 1564, among a collection of novels he began at that time. From him the history of Hamlet was translated, the earliest edition bearing the date 1608. The characters of Laertes and Ophelia are wanting in the original. Some events that transpired in Shakespeare's time must have brought the old legend before the poet's mind. The murder of Darnley and the marriage of his widow, Mary Stuart, to Lord Bothwell furnishes a counterpart of some portions of Hamlet. The theme of tragedies generally at the close of the sixteenth century was revenge. The tragedy of Hamlet in Shakespearean form appeared in 1601-2. His grave is shown at Elsinore, the scene of the play, and there is a garden near by called "Hamlet's garden."

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District Doings

DANTE.

Fred. Hilton, of Highland, Mich., is visiting his parents. Joe Dent moved his house to North Bothwell last week. Mr. Logan, of Florence, visited his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Randie, last Sunday.

Jonathan Randie has moved to the farm vacated by Mr. Lugsden. The local option by-law has passed the third reading, which means that three bars will be closed on the 1st of May.

Frogs are quite numerous along the ditches the last few days. Francis Posh and sister Annie visited Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman on Sunday.

Leslie Broad, of Rat Portage, is home on a visit. Fred. McAlpine spent Sunday in Bothwell. Mr. and Mrs. Will Winters entertained some of their friends on Tuesday.

Walter Rolston and Bert James are cutting logs on the Leason farm.

A PRIVATE TRAIN THROUGH MEXICO.

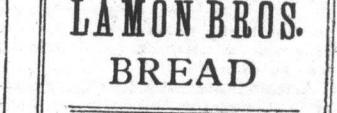
A beautiful trip—all the month of February in Mexico, the oldest country in the New World—is being organized by the Grand Trunk Railway System, leaving Montreal in special sleeping cars on the "International Limited," 9.00 a.m. January 29th, 1906. These cars will be attached to the private train leaving Chicago the following morning. Perfect arrangements. Rate includes everything. Train under special escort of the best authority on Mexico. Finest train in the world. Best and only thorough tour of Mexico offered. Particulars and descriptive matter from any agent of the Grand Trunk Railway System or from J. D. McDonald, Union Station, Toronto.

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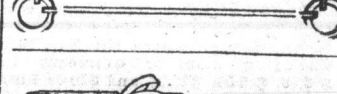
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## Local Briefs

Tilbury vs. Chatham to-night 8.15. Roy Darrell, of Sarnia, was in the Maple City yesterday.

John Badstone, of the C. P. R., is very ill with la grippe.

Frank Sheppard, Dover street, left for Ridgeway to-day on a visit.

Dons' 25 and 50 cent caps at The 2 T's sale while they last for 10 cents.

Mr. Spragg, Travelling Engineer on the C. P. R., was in Chatham last night.

Among London visitors to this city yesterday were A. W. Henry and F. W. Nichol.

\$12.50, \$13.50, \$14.00 and \$15.00 suits or overcoats during The 2 T's sale for \$10.00.

The Board of Works pay sheets for the week ending Feb. 1 amount to \$52.97.

The assessors commenced work in Ward No. 2 this morning. They have completed their work in Ward No. 1.

Gol. Sam. Halmes was up Detroit yesterday attending the funeral of the late Thomas Holmes, the young son of Thos. Holmes, of that place.

S. R. Russell and A. E. Corlett, of Park avenue west, have bought the stock of M. M. Graves, Queen street, and will commence business on Feb. 6th.

The Debating Society of No. 2, Harwich, held a very enjoyable supper last night, followed by a musical program. A pleasant social evening was spent.

Among those attending the funeral of Conductor Mahoney at London to-day are, C. and F. Callahan, W. Grant, T. Kinsella and P. O'Neil, all well known locally.

The 2 T's prophesied cold weather in February. Guess they are right. Sale continues till Feb. 10th. Choice of suits or overcoats for \$12.50, \$16.50, \$18.00 and \$20.00 lines.

The Government Inspector of Switches on the C. P. R., and Mr. Huston, Inspector of Railway Interlocking Plants, are both in Chatham to-day.

Tom Fairbanks, who has been spending a month in this city, left to-day for Winnipeg, having accepted a position as travelling salesman for a large hardware establishment.

Sergt.-Major Harry Flowers entertained about sixteen of the Non-Coms. of the 24th Regiment at his home on Lorne Ave., last evening, it being the occasion of the opening of the Non-Coms' Pedro League.

The man who caused such a disturbance near Victoria Park night before last by turning his wife and children out in the cold, came up in the Police Court this morning and was remanded until Monday to sober up. Alister McKay went his bail for \$200.

## HOCKEY MATCH TO-NIGHT

TILBURY vs. CHATHAM

AT 8.15.

Skating after Game. Rink Tickets Honored.



## E. A. Mounteer

Eat Mounteer's Royal Home-Made Bread

## E. A. Mounteer

Rink tickets honored at to-night's hockey match 8.15. Skating after game.

O. R. Burns will leave Chatham shortly to take up a position in Galt.

Suits, overcoats, underwear, gloves and caps during The 2 T's sale at 25 to 35 per cent, cheaper than former prices.

Mrs. Beaver, Mr. F. Garver, Mrs. J. Bloude and J. Perry are among the party of Chathamites who are attending the funeral of Claude Williston in Detroit to-day.

The 2 T's never carries any winter goods over. Get yourself some underwear, gloves, suit or overcoat while their sale is on.

## OIL FIELDS

Operations of Speculators in Kent, Will Soon Be Re-commenced—Prospectors Here

The Kent oil find has by no means been abandoned, and we may yet find that there is an abundant supply in this district. The splendid results that have been got in Tilbury within the past ten days has given a fresh impetus to the operators and prospectors are again attracted to this district.

To-day M. Egan, Lima, Ohio, a gentleman who has been operating extensively for the past twenty-five years, and R. L. Patterson, Buffalo, N. Y., arrived in the city with the intention of making several tests in Raleigh and Tilbury, and leases will be taken out during the next few days. It is the intention of these gentlemen to sink each well to the depth of fourteen hundred and fifty feet, as it has already been demonstrated that the wells sunk last year to a depth not exceeding seven hundred and fifty feet, are not productions of paying results. The cost for sinking such wells will be between twenty-five hundred and three thousand dollars.

To-morrow will be a big day at The 2 T's store. Everything in winter goods will be sold at a price satisfactory to all.

## PROBABILITIES

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—11 a. m.—North-westerly winds, fine and decidedly cold. Saturday, fair, with a little higher temperature.

The following figures were registered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

## THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 30. Lowest during night, 5 below zero. This morning, 5 below zero. Barometer, 29.66.

Direction of wind, northwest.

The cold weather is here at last. Guard yourself against it by attending The 2 T's clearance sale.

Sunlight is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

When a foreigner has a title he generally manages to meet some foolish woman who has the price.

The quality of our goods will equal any house in the city.

No. 1 Mixed Pickles 15c per Quart  
2 Cans Salmon 25c  
1 lb. Can Sunlight Baking Powder 10c  
1 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee 15c  
Large Can Maple Syrup, 25c  
4 lbs. Best Select Raisins 25c  
Fresh Ginger Snaps 6c per lb.  
5 Dozen Cloth Pins 5c  
22 lbs. Bright Yellow Sugar \$1.00  
6 Bars Richards Pure Soap, 25c  
Smoked Meats, Fresh Sausage, Spare Ribs, Head Cheese and Fresh Bologna for sale.

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Park St. Phone 190

## WILL RIVER

## BE DREDGED?

Local Shippers Will Present Chatham's Needs Before Hon. Mr. Hyman

Meeting Held Last Evening When Matter was Fully Discussed—Citizens are After Uniform Depth of 15 Feet

For some time the people of Chatham, and especially the local shippers, have felt a severe loss owing to the fact that they have not got proper accommodation for water transportation. Several times representations have been made to the Dominion Government, but matters do not seem to improve.

Last night a meeting of the prominent shippers of the city was held in Geo. Stephens' hardware store, when the present conditions were freely and informally discussed. Among those who were present at the meeting were Manson Campbell, Mayor Marshall, Robert Gray, W. R. Landon, W. Piggott, Chas. Hadley, W. Blight, Geo. Fielder, N. H. Stevens, Thos. Scullard, W. N. Warburton, W. M. Drader, Jas. Fleming, Frank Crow, and others.

It was decided to press the Government to dredge the mouth of the river and part of Lake St. Clair where the river empties into it, and also to dredge the river between Crow's dock and the city, making a uniform depth all the way through of 15 feet. If this work is done large sized boats will be enabled to come up to Chatham and the competition thus afforded will greatly reduce freight rates.

W. N. Warburton, who is looked upon as an authority in shipping matters, was able to give the meeting some very valuable information regarding freight rates and transportation matters.

The result of the meeting was that everyone saw the tremendous amount of benefit which would be derived by Chatham if this work were done, and a committee composed of N. H. Stevens, Chas. Hadley, W. Piggott and Thos. Scullard were appointed to interview Hon. Mr. Hyman, Minister of Public Works, who comes here to-morrow, and make strong representations to him, and urged the necessity of the Government taking up this matter at once. If possible, a visit from Mr. Hyman will be arranged for later, when he can meet the citizens of Chatham and discuss the matter with them.

## COLD SNAP

After two weeks of exceptionally warm weather the temperature went as low as five degrees below zero last night.

To-day all are wearing their heaviest winter apparel and sleighbells are jingling merrily at intervals.

The prospects of the ice deal are much brighter in consequence of this change, and should the cold snap continue, ice-cutting will commence in a few days.

Last week a wager was made in Toronto which attracted much attention. One man bet another the sum of \$1,000 that the mercury would not fall as low as zero during the whole winter. We presume that to-day he will be called upon to hand over what map appropriate is called "a cool thousand."

The brilliant sunshine makes walking fairly pleasant for the well clad, but the north-westerly winds are cold and biting in exposed places. The forecast for to-day is colder.

This is the day on which the bear is supposed to come from his hiding place, and so the old story goes, if he sees his shadow he goes back to his lair and stays there for six weeks, the weather remaining cold during that time. If there is any truth in the superstition we can certainly look for a chilly month and a-half.

Conscience that is mainly exercised within the limits of the personality, is thus set to guard, and increases the common stock of righteousness.

The monotony of virtue is probably what makes it its own reward.

**It's So Easy to Sell**  
Don't miss the bargains at our Clearance Sale of Dishes—the prices surprise those who have already taken advantage of them. Lots of Crockery, China and Lamps left. Come and get the satisfaction of buying goods at what they cost us.

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S. F. GARDINER,

BRANCH MANAGER

## THE EDITORS MEET.

Canadian Press Association Reaching Out For All Canada—Mr. A. H. U. Colquhoun Elected President.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—Yesterday the annual meeting of the Canadian Press Association was held here. President Archie McNea, Windsor was in the chair.

The report of the secretary-treasurer, Mr. John R. Bone, showed most satisfactory membership and financial condition. The receipts from fees during the year were \$104 greater than during the preceding year, and were practically double those of seven years ago. The number of certificates issued in 1905 was 296, and the fees collected \$665, compared with 164 certificates and \$236 fees in 1898. The balance on hand increased from \$600 to \$823 during the year.

"A rapidly-increasing membership," was the joyful keynote of the report of the executive, the reading of which was the first item of business after President McNea called the meeting to order. During the year 54 new members were enrolled. Five new county press associations had been formed, and it was recommended that this plan be taken up and made as general as possible.

Along with the executive's report were amendments to the constitution, moved by John A. Cooper, dealing with the admission of members of outside press associations. These provided for full and complete membership in the Canadian Press Association to such members of provincial press associations, outside the Province of Ontario, as had been affiliated with the association, on terms approved by the executive, provided that the qualifications of membership in such affiliated associations should be the same as in the Canadian Press Association. The amendments were adopted.

The president then delivered his annual address, and touched upon many matters of interest.

Some Elected by Acclamation.  
The nomination of officers resulted in several elections by acclamation. Mr. A. H. U. Colquhoun of The Toronto News was elected president; Mr. J. T. Clark of Saturday Night, first vice-president; Mr. J. R. Bone, Toronto Star, secretary-treasurer; Mr. A. E. Bradwin, Blyth Standard, assistant secretary; Messrs. G. E. Gibbard, Toronto; R. W. Dillon, St. Catharines, auditors.

For second vice-president the following were nominated: D. Williams, Colingwood; J. F. Mackay, Toronto, and L. S. Channel, Sherbrooke.

For the executive there were nominated: L. S. Channel, J. F. Mackay, J. A. Cooper, W. E. Smallfield, M. A. James, F. H. Dobbin, L. G. Jackson, J. J. Bell, J. L. McIntosh, D. Williams, W. M. O'Brien, W. J. Taylor, W. B. Burgoyne, C. H. Mortimer, E. E. Selinger, A. C. Woodward, A. T. Milgrew, C. W. Young.

Afternoon Sessions.  
The afternoon session was divided into two sections, for the weekly and daily press. At the weekly session discussion on new method machinery, illustrating the use of gasoline or steam, the cash in advance system, and other pertinent matters were taken part in. The Canadian Associated Press, its organization and benefit, was the subject of a talk by John Ross Robertson to the daily paper section. The eight-hour-day was also discussed.

G. C. Porter of Calgary introduced the subject of a better Canadian news service for Western Canada.

The annual dinner last night was attended by 100 editors and their wives. The chair was taken by President McNea, and at the guest table were Dr. Goldwin Smith, Hon. R. P. Sutherland, G. C. Creelman of Guelph; E. J. B. Fenne, M. P. P. Kingston; Rev. J. A. Macdonald and others, each of whom spoke to the formal toasts.

The photographer takes a picture before and after meals.

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5 piece Parlor Suites, mahogany finish frames, upholstered in fancy figured velours. Choice of three designs, for only \$17.50.

3 piece Parlor Suite, mahogany finish frame polished, upholstered in best quality silk. Price \$27.50.

Parlor Cabinet, new design, polish finish, eight mirrors, enclosed glass case, one of the prettiest. Price \$27.50.

It will pay you to see us for re-covering your old furniture during February. SPECIAL PRICES.

## OVER 100,000 YARDS

Of New Spring Goods Here

New Muslins, New Prints, New Dréss Goods, New Sheetings, New Linens.

Immense shipments are being opened up this week. We want to show them to you soon.

## Newly Arrived Seamless Velvet Rugs.

A handsome range of colors in Floral and Oriental designs. Prices \$17.50 to \$27.75.



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Great Semi-Annual

## Pant Sale!

Midwinter and midsummer—just between seasons, when you need an extra pair of pants—we have these clearance sales. Hundreds of pairs of pants—in fact, the separate pants stock is turned over to you for your choice.

Pants by the Ton, By the Cord, or By the Pair

Hundreds of men who need a pair of Trousers to prolong the life of a well-worn suit that they do not want to lay aside, are glad when these sales begin. The saving is all that it seems to be, for the trousers are all that we claim for them.

Pants for Working Men

Pants for Professional Men

Pants for Business Men

Pants for Everybody

Note below the regular prices and the prices during the sale.

Lot 1 at 98c.—Men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Tweed pants, sale price 98c. Pattern Tweed and plain cloth pants, good range of sizes, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50, on sale at 98c.

Lot 2 at \$1.29.—Men's \$1.50 to \$1.75 odd pants, sale price \$1.29. Neat pattern tweeds, dark and light effects, to clear at \$1.29.

Lot 3 at \$1.98.—Men's \$2.50 to \$3 pants, sale price \$1.98. Fine worsted and all wool natty tweeds, stripes, checks, overlaid and mixtures, the season's popular patterns, worth up to \$3.00, to be cleared at \$1.98.

Lot 4 at \$2.48.—Men's high class tweed and worsted pants, regular \$3.50, sale price \$2.48. New pattern tweeds, neat stripe worsteds, suitable to wear any season, very special at \$2.48.

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SLICED JELLIED HOCK, 18c a  
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pound.SLICED COOKED HAM, 30c a  
pound.SLICED SKINNED BACK, 20c a  
pound.SLICED ENGLISH BACON, 20c  
a pound.AMERICAN BRAND COFFEE,  
25c a pound.MOCHA AND JAVA COFFEE,  
40c a pound.

H. Malcolmson

WORLD OF SPORT

## HOCKEY

## GAME TO-NIGHT.

To-night, commencing at eight  
o'clock, sharp, Tilbury and Chatham,  
two of the teams entered in the  
League, will meet in a game of  
hockey at the skating rink. It is  
understood that Tilbury is coming  
here with a fast aggregation of  
players, and Chatham will by no  
means have a slow bunch on the ice.  
The game promises to be fast and  
interesting.The following is the Chatham line-  
up:Godl—Grabo.  
Pt.—Hicks.  
C. P.—Courtney.  
Rover—O'Keefe.  
Centre—Marion.  
R. W.—Earl.  
L. W.—Lawson.  
Spare—Cooper.

## GOOD CONCERT

Last evening a very successful con-  
cert was held in the E. M. B. Church,  
Princess St., where a large audi-  
ence assembled. The well-  
known soprano, Miss Margaret  
Egbert.The Rev. J. Richards acted as  
chairman and gave an excellent ad-  
dress. Miss Egbert was assisted by  
local talent, and the whole affair was  
of a most entertaining nature.GOING  
SKATING?Grand weather for it. You  
couldn't very well choose any  
better. And just think of the  
pleasant skating this weather will  
make on the rink.The next question is: Have  
you a good pair of skates with  
which to take advantage of this  
skating? If you have not, just  
come to us and we will fix you  
up quickly.Hockey Skates, 50c. to \$3.50  
per pair.

Spring Skates, 50c to \$1 pair.

Hockey Sticks, 10c to 50c  
each.Hockey Pucks, 15c and 25c  
each.We will attach the skates to  
the shoes while you wait.

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Modern house (new) in first-  
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Possession can be given on  
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## TO-NIGHT

Hockey, Chatham vs. Tilbury, Rink  
at 8.Young Men's Club, Park St. S. S.  
Hall, at 8.The Great Pauline, Hypnotist, at  
the Grand, 8.15.Conservative meeting, Oddfellows'  
Temple, at 8.Y. P. S. C. E., First Presbyterian  
Church, at 8."Magistrate" rehearsal, Macaulay  
Club rooms, at 8.K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, L.  
O. O. F. Temple, at 8.The Victoria Ave. Epworth League  
will meet in the S. S. Hall at 8.Young People's Society, lecture hall  
of William St. Baptist Church, at 8.Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U.  
W., will meet in their hall, opposite  
Rankin House.

## LOCAL BUDGET

Hockey match to-night 8.15.

Mrs. S. C. Walker is opening a  
class in Mull.O. C. Wellson, of Detroit, was in  
Chatham yesterday.L. Bricker was in Chatham yester-  
day from Waterloo.Mr. L. C. Johnson is here from  
London to-day on business.M. Egan, Leamington, spent yester-  
day in the Maple City.Mrs. Grace Kennedy is visiting Mrs.  
H. F. Kennedy, of Cedar Springs.Wanted! A lady chocolate dipper.  
Apply John P. Davis, Des Moines Mar-  
tin's old stand.Try Waterhouse's Aunt Mary's  
home made bread; for sale at Mc-  
Corvie's grocery.Mrs. Richard Sellers was in Ridge-  
town on Tuesday attending the fu-  
neral of her sister, Mrs. Bennett.For good work take your watch,  
clock and jewelry repairing to Wm.  
Mellish, King St., opposite the power  
house.Last evening the Young Men's  
Pleasure Club held a very success-  
ful dance in the L. O. O. F. Audi-  
torium. Music was furnished by J.  
Robinson's orchestra and the at-  
tendance was very large.BURROWS & LORRIMAN,  
UNDERTAKERSand Embalmers. Opposite P.O.  
Open Day and Night.

Skates sharpened at Briscoes'.

O. Wilder, of Hamilton, spent yester-  
day here.Mr. A. Sheldrick is spending the  
day in Detroit.J. Mander, of Tilsonburg, was in  
Chatham yesterday.Dr. J. T. Rutherford left Chatham  
for Big Point this morning.Mrs. L. Edmonson, of Blenheim, is  
visiting her Chatham friends to-day.Among visitors to the Maple City  
to-day is J. A. Prugoll, of London.Alex. Boushall, the well known  
Blenheim singer, is in Chatham to-  
day.A. A. Farquharson will move into  
his new residence on Inches avenue  
on Monday next.The Hotel Glasford is rapidly near-  
ing completion and will be opened  
in five or six weeks' time.Excelsior Paint will give you what  
you desire — a nice, glossy finish.  
Try it. Drew & McCallum.Mrs. S. S. Sheldon has returned  
to Mount Clemens after visiting re-  
latives in Chatham.Mr. Amos Shaw, Queen street, last  
evening entertained a number of  
friends at a very successful party.Wm. Richardson, janitor of Mani-  
toba Street School, St. Thomas, died  
suddenly yesterday morning while  
talking to his son.The design work turned out by the  
Victoria Ave. Green Houses always  
pleases, as particular attention is  
paid to that part of the business.The many admirers of Mrs. Akeel  
Egbert (nee Ida St. C. Colles) as a  
vocalist, will be pleased to know  
that she has consented to sing in  
the Park street Methodist church on  
Sunday evening.The accounts of Roderick Mc-  
Kenzie, guardian for Ernest Mont-  
gomery, a resident of Dover, who  
has recently become of age, were  
passed before Judge Bell on Satur-  
day last. The estate is estimated at  
over \$6,000. W. G. Richards appeared  
for the guardian and John M. Pike  
for Ernest Montgomery.BEAUTIFUL OF DESIGN ARE OUR  
Iron and Brass BedsWe are selling our beds at prices that speak for  
themselves. Iron Beds Blue and Green—\$2.25,  
\$3.00, \$4.75, \$8.00, \$10.00 to \$23.00.White Enamel and Brass—\$2.50, \$3.25, \$4.00,  
\$5.00, \$6.00 to \$25.00.All Brass \$18.00, \$22.00 to \$43.00. We carry  
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The balance of Winter Goods from Two Stores, in one.

New made HATS at HALF-PRICE in the newest shapes.

One Table of Good TRIMMED HATS at a Quarter  
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## DRESS GOODS

25c—Cleaning out sale of all Plain and Fancy  
Waisting Flannels, all shades, regular 50c. goods,  
Slaughter Sale, per yard..... 25c35c—Lot of Fancy Mixed Costume Tweeds,  
regular 50c. and 75c. goods, on sale now..... 35c37c—2 Pcs. Navy Homespun, 54 in. wide, regu-  
lar 75c. goods, slaughtered per yard..... 37c50c—Lot of Lustré Dress Goods, 54 in. wide,  
Silk Brilliantine finish, in Green, Brown, Navy,  
Black and White, regular 75c. goods, on sale..... 50c79c—10 Costume lengths in Scotch Tweeds,  
Heather and other mixtures, regular \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50,  
on sale..... 79c\$1.45—3 Pcs. Mantling Cloths in Fawns and  
Browns, regular values \$2.25 and \$2.50, sale price \$1.45

## FINE FURS

NECK SCARFS—Alaska Sable, natural, undyed, No. 1  
quality, special sale prices. Were \$9, now \$6; were \$10  
and \$11 now \$7.50; were \$16 now \$10.50; were \$17.50  
now \$12; were \$22 now \$15.50; were \$23, now \$16.50;  
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Continued from Yesterday.

"Towards the end of the evening, Mr. Maybourne made an excuse and went into the house, leaving us together. Mackinnon had long since departed. When we were alone, Agnes leant a little forward in her chair and said: "Are you pleased to see me, Gilbert?"

"More pleased than I can tell you," I answered, truthfully. "But you must not ask me if I think you were wise to come."

"I can see that you think I was not," she continued. "But how little you understand my motives. I could not

Thinking that perhaps she had said too much, she checked herself suddenly, and for a little while did not speak again. When she did, it was only about the loneliness of my life on the mine, and such like trivial matters. Illogical as men are, though, I had hoped, for both our sakes, that she would not venture again on such delicate ground as we had traversed before we said good-bye. I could not help a little sensation of disappoint-ment when she acted up to my anticipations.

Later she stated that she felt tired, and holding out her hand, bade me "good-night," and went to her room.

Here I can only give utterance to a remark which, I am told, is as old as the hills—and that is, how little we men understand the opposite sex. From that night forward, for the first three or four days of her visit, Agnes' manner towards me was as friendly as of old, but I noticed that she made but small difference between her treatment of Mackinnon and the way in which she behaved towards myself.

This was more than I could bear, and in consequence my own behavior towards her changed. I found myself bringing every bit of ingenuity I possessed to bear on an attempt to win her back to the old state. But it was in vain! Whenever I found an opportunity, and hinted at my love for her, she invariably changed the conversation to some other subject, and I endeavored to make the opportunity I wanted.

"How strangely little circumstances recall the past. What place does that remind you of?" I asked, pointing to the rocky hill on the other side of the fall.

"Of a good many," she answered, "I cannot say that it reminds me of one more than another. All things considered, there is a great sameness in South African scenery."

Cleverly as she attempted to turn my question off, I was not to be balked so easily.

"Though the likeness has evidently not impressed you, it reminds me very much of Salvage Island," I said, drawing a step closer to her side. "Half-way up that hill, as might well be expected to find the plateau and the cave."

"Oh, why do you speak to me of that awful cave," she said, with a shudder; "though I try to forget it, it always gives me a nightmare."

and Oxford; and, as you will now see, I got no good from either. After a college scrape, the blame for which was thrown upon me, my father turned me out of England with a portion of my inheritance. I went to Australia, where I tried my hand at all sorts of employment, gold mining among the number. Details of my life out there, with one exception, would not interest you; so I will get on to the great catastrophe, the results of which were taking me out of England when I first met you. Up to this time I had had constantly pursued me, and I had even known the direst poverty. You may imagine, therefore, what my feeling were when an old friend, man with whom I had been partner on many goldfields, told me of a place which he had discovered where, he said, there were prospects of sufficient gold to make us both millionaires half a dozen times over. He, poor fellow, was dying at the time, but he left his secret to me, bidding me take immediate advantage of it. True to my promise, I intended to set off to the place he had found as soon as he was buried, and having discovered it, to apply to Government for right to mine there, but fate was against me, and I was taken seriously ill. For weeks I hovered between life and death. When I recovered I saddled my horse, and, dreaming of all I was going to accomplish with my wealth, when I had obtained it, made my way across country by the chart he had given me. When I arrived at the spot it was only to learn that my greatest enemy in the world, a man who hated me as much as I did him, had ditched my secret from me in my delirium, and had appropriated the mine. You cannot imagine my disappointment. I wanted money so badly, and I had counted so much on obtaining this, that I had almost come to believe myself possessed of it. What need to tell the rest? He became enormously rich, and returned to England. In the meantime my father had died, leaving me a sufficient sum, when carefully invested, to just keep me alive. With this to help me I followed my enemy home, resolved, if ever a chance arose, to revenge myself upon him. When I arrived I saw his name everywhere. I found his wealth, his generosity, his success in life, extolled in every paper I picked up; while I, from whom he had stolen that which gave him his power, had barely sufficient to keep me out of the workhouse. You must understand that I had been seriously ill, for the second time, just before I left Australia, and perhaps for this reason—but more so, I believe, on account of the great disappointment to which I had been subjected—I began to brood over my wrongs by day and night, and pine for revenge. I could not sleep for it. Remember, I do not say this in any way to excuse myself, but simply to show you that my mind was undoubtedly not quite itself at the time. At any rate, to such a pitch of hatred did I at length work myself that it was as much as I could do to prevent myself from laying violent hands upon my enemy when I saw him in the public street. After I had been entertaining the devil in this fashion for longer than I could tell you, he, in return, sent one of his satellites to complete my ruin. That man—such a man as you could not picture to yourself—put before me a scheme for getting even with my enemy, so devilish that at first I could hardly believe he was in earnest. So insidiously did he tempt me, playing upon my hatred and increasing my desire for revenge, that at last I fell into his net as completely as he could wish. The means were immediately found for getting my victim into my clutches, and then nothing remained but to work out the hideous crime that had been planned for me."

I stopped for a moment and looked at Agnes, who was cowering with her face in her hand. She did not speak, so I continued my gruesome tale.

"I need not tell you how I got the man in my power, nor in what manner it was arranged that I should kill him. I will content myself with telling you that when I had got him, and could have killed him by lifting my little finger, difficult as you may find it to believe it, I saw your face before me imploring me to repent. There and then I determined to throw off my disguise, to let him know who I was, and what I intended to do to him; after that I would have bidden him go, and have left him to his own conscience. But, to my horror, when I got down from my box—for I was driving him in a cab—I found that in some devilish fashion my work had been anticipated for me—the man was dead, killed by the same fatal agency that had been given to me to do the deed. Try for one moment to imagine my position. In one instant I stood in that quiet London street, stamped with the brand of Cain. Never again could I be like my fellow men. Henceforth I must know myself for what I was—a murderer, whose proper end should be the gallows. In an agony of terror I got rid of the body—left it in the street in fact—and fled for my very life. While the town was still abed and asleep I tramped away into the country, and at a suburban station caught the earliest train to Southampton. On arrival there I booked my passage in the Fiji Princess for South Africa, and went on board. The rest you know. Now, Agnes, that you have heard my wretched story, you can see for yourself why I was so desirous of getting out of civilization as quickly as possible. You can judge for yourself whether I was right or wrong in refusing to allow you to say you loved me. God knows you cannot judge me more harshly than I judge myself.

She looked up at me with terror-stricken eyes.

"But you did not mean to kill the man," she cried. "You repented—you said so just now yourself."

"If it had not been for me the man would not have died," I answered. "No, no! Agnes, you cannot make me out innocent of his death, however hard you try."

A look of fresh life darted into her face. It was as if she had been struck by a brilliant idea that might mean my salvation.

"But how do you know that you killed the man?" she asked. "Are you quite certain that he was dead when you looked at him?"

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FLETCHER.

Mr. Miller has had his machinery  
shipped here and is drilling for oil  
on the Smith farm at Stewart.

T. Breen spent Saturday with  
friends in Chatham.

G. Lowes was buying timber from  
A. Dale for the Drader Co., Chatham.

Alex. Dale had a sale last week  
and intends moving to Chatham in  
the near future. He will be greatly  
missed by his many friends here.

We are sorry to hear of the death  
of Mrs. J. Finlin. The funeral will  
take place on Tuesday morning at  
ten o'clock to St. Patrick's church,  
Raleigh.

There was a large acreage of fall  
wheat sown in this vicinity and is  
looking fine at present.

The M. C. R. Co. is buying land  
to build the double track from Til-  
bury to Ridgeway and will start  
work as soon as possible.

Ed. A. Dillon is agent for the  
Sugar Beet Company at Wallace-  
burg and has got a large acreage  
of beets for this year in this vicinity.

Mrs. McDonald has returned from  
Ridgeway after spending a few  
weeks with her parents.

Alex. Dale had a large sale last  
Thursday. Everything sold well.  
He intends to move to Chatham.

T. Breen and W. Kiblar spent Sun-  
day on the Drake Road.

Clarence Miner is home from De-  
troit for a few days.

Fred. Feenan spent Sunday in Chat-  
ham.

We are sorry to announce the  
death of Mrs. James Finlin, which  
took place at her father's residence  
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A few of the boys attended the  
ball in Chatham.

T. Keane and J. Kelly were  
guests of Frank Dupuis on Sunday.



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yesterday held in the Foreign Office  
its first meeting since the general elec-  
tions. The Premier, Sir Henry Camp-  
bell-Bannerman, presided. The draft of  
the King's speech at the opening of  
Parliament and the legislative program  
for the session were discussed.

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health bringer known. Fifty cents  
per box or fifty chocolate coated tab-  
lets at all dealers.

**Dairymen Will Co-Operate.**  
Stratford, Feb. 1.—At a meeting of  
the executive of the Western Ontario  
Dairymen's Association, it was decided  
to co-operate with the Eastern Dair-  
ymen's Association in a request to the  
Ontario Government for legislation  
requiring all cheese and butter fac-  
tories to be kept in sanitary condition  
and inspectors appointed.

**PAIN ABOUT THE HIPS.**  
It is a common complaint with wo-  
men. The right treatment is Ner-  
viline, which penetrates to the  
seat of the pain immediately. Ner-  
viline warms and soothes the affected  
parts, draws out the irritation and  
pain, allows the patient ease after  
one bathing. No liniment so econom-  
ical and safe. Nearly fifty years in  
use, and the demand immensely  
greater every day! Nerviline must  
be good.

**Servians Show Bitterness.**  
Belgrade, Servia, Feb. 1.—The bit-  
terness felt here against Austria was  
evidenced yesterday by the action of a  
mob which invaded and burned a  
meeting of prominent merchants, held  
to protest against the attitude of Ser-  
via towards Austria. The police did  
not attempt to interfere.

**DO YOU GET BILIOUS?**  
No remedy could be more prompt  
and agreeable than Dr. Hamilton's  
Pills. No matter where you go you'll  
hear of the grand cures they make.  
Writing from Ottawa Mrs. M. E. Le-  
gore says: "For people inclined to  
biliousness and sick headache, these  
pills are a real remedy to compare  
with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. I former-  
ly had bilious attacks about once a  
month—used Dr. Hamilton's Pills and  
my health greatly improved." No med-  
icine better for men, women or chil-  
dren. Try Dr. Hamilton's Pills—25c.  
per box or five boxes for \$1.00 at all  
druggists.

**R. L. Borden Endorsed.**  
Charlottetown, P. E. I., Feb. 1.—A  
largely attended convention of the Lib-  
eral-Conservative party of Prince Ed-  
ward Island was held Tuesday. Steps  
to secure better organization were  
taken, and a resolution was unanimously  
passed endorsing the attitude of the  
leader of the opposition, that the large  
money votes at the close of last ses-  
sion be reconsidered.

**IT HEALS THE LUNGS.**  
When the antiseptic vapor of "Cat-  
tarhazone" is inhaled it spreads  
through the breathing organs, car-  
rying healing and health to the sore  
spots. An irritable throat, "Catarh-  
azone" cures in five minutes, bron-  
chitis, it soothes instantly, weak  
lungs are fed and quickly nourished  
back to health. To be free from  
colds and coughs, to avoid catarrh  
and bronchitis—use Catarhazone; it  
is prescribed by more than two  
thousand physicians in America and  
used by the people of all coun-  
tries.

Experience is  
when it comes  
the best teacher  
knows, it shows  
us how little we

**MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & CO.**  
Gentlemen—Last winter I received  
great benefit from the use of MIN-  
AND'S LINIMENT in a severe attack  
of La Grippe, and I have frequently  
proved it to be very effective in  
cases of inflammation.

Yours,  
**W. A. HUTCHINSON.**

The insolence of some men is ap-  
parent in their countenances.

**VANITY'S VISIONS.**

**Stiffening For Drop Skirts and**  
**Sleeves—Attractive Rain Coats.**

The latest stiffening for drop skirts  
is an interlining of princess haircloth  
or the curved Paquin ruffle. Drop  
skirts are tacked to the outer skirt on  
the wearer, as it is a doubtful thing to  
arrange the fold of a ten yard skirt on  
a dummy, the lines falling in such dif-  
ferent places on a form. The knack of  
making these attachments is a nice  
one. The best dressmakers fasten the  
outer skirt to the "drop" with a long  
thread of buttonhole silk, and the  
stitch is well anchored to make it se-  
cure without being in the least tight.  
A full inch of double twist must be al-  
lowed between the two skirts.  
Rain coats are particularly smart  
this season, and the touch of the de-  
cative is to be seen even in this useful  
garment. A delightful coat of this de-  
scription is in snuff brown cloth. The  
cut is an extremely full sack shape.  
The sleeve is a full leg of mutton  
rucked into almost mousquetaire wris-



SMART THREE-QUARTER COAT.

Kies. Above this is a combination cape  
and dolman sleeve starting from the  
shoulder and falling free. The neck is  
finished with a flat collar that may be  
turned up when required.

The latest stock and cravat direct  
from Paris is made of soft white su-  
ede. The very becoming and smart coat  
in the cut is intended for cloth or vel-  
veteen. It is cut with a light fitting  
bodice and a plaited basque. The roll  
collar and turn back cuffs are composed  
of black satin, over which a handsome  
passementerie trimming is laid. Of  
double width material, four and a half  
yards will be required.

**JUDIC CHOLLET.**

**ATTRACTIVE TRIFLES.**

**Amulets in Favor—Contrasts in**  
**Street Costumes—Smart Belts.**

Amulets are much in favor among  
fashionable women, and the jewelers  
are supplying many quaint conceits  
containing lucky jewels and birth  
stones. It is a question whether the  
modern woman is really superstitious  
or cannot withstand the temptation of  
the show.

In street costumes contrasts are  
greatly used. A Parisian suit that has  
been much admired is in heliotrope  
brocade, having a bolero trimmed  
with an insertion down the front and



MOIRE SILK BLOUSE.

on the elbow, sleeves of palest blue,  
embroidered in lavender and a still  
paler shade of blue.  
A striking French belt is of gray  
elastic marked with lavender and plum  
shades. It has a cut steel buckle and  
is very wide—seven inches. There are  
others of this pattern in black, covered  
thickly with jet beads and gray belts  
with cut steel.

A very new belt is of silk trimmed  
with a trelis work of gold or silver  
braids, with a buckle to match. Then  
there are belts of gathered satin, trim-  
med with gold braids, buttons and  
sashes.  
The blouse in the cut is evolved from  
the new short moire silk, displaying a  
changeable pale blue and silver effect.  
Silver buttons and simulated button-  
holes trim the surplised fronts. The  
neck finish is a high tabbed collar of  
Irish crochet lace ornamented with  
tiny blue satin bows.

**JUDIC CHOLLET.**

**We take your word**  
**for it and refund money**

**IF GIN PILLS FAIL TO CURE**

Even after you buy GIN PILLS, your  
money is yours until you say that GIN  
PILLS have done you good. Every box  
of this famous Kidney Cure is sold  
with a positive guarantee that the pills  
will give welcome relief from Backache,  
Swollen Hands and Feet, Burning Urine,  
constant desire to urinate, and all other  
kidney and bladder troubles. If you  
pay 50c for a box of GIN PILLS, and  
do not honestly believe that they have  
done you good, and are curing you of  
kidney or bladder trouble, return the  
empty box to your druggist and he will  
refund your money. And because we  
know that you want to be cured your  
simple word shall decide.

**WALKERSTON, Ont., Feb. 28th, 1905.**  
Adolph Misch, one of my customers, says of  
Gin pills:—"I have used all the different  
kinds of kidney pills and tried several doctors,  
but none of them did me any good. I got a  
sample box of Gin Pills, and since have used  
them and am completely cured."  
Peter McGarry says:—"They are the best  
kidney pill I ever used, and I would recom-  
mend anyone to buy them."

**C. W. CRYDERMAN, Druggist.**  
Buy GIN PILLS on our positive and  
unconditional guarantee of money back  
if they fail. Send us your name and  
address, mentioning in what paper you  
saw this offer, and we will send you a  
free sample box of these famous pills  
that cure. Sold by all druggists at  
50c a box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50

**THE BOLD DRUG CO. - WINNIPEG, MAN.**

**Want Four Hundred Millions.**  
Paris, Feb. 1.—Informal negotiations  
for the flotation of a Russian loan have  
again been taken up. The amount  
mentioned varies, but \$400,000,000  
is generally spoken of with the issue price  
at 90 and interest at 5 per cent.

**Widow Yerkes Marries.**  
New York, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Chas. Yer-  
kes, widow of the railway magnate,  
who died a month ago, was Tuesday  
night married to Wilson Mizner of San  
Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Yerkes had  
for a long time been separated.

**CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY**  
**THE MOTHER'S FAVORITE.**

The soothing and healing properties  
of this remedy, its pleasant taste  
and prompt and permanent cures  
have made it a favorite with people  
everywhere. It is especially prized  
by mothers of small children, for  
colds, croup and whooping cough, as  
it always affords quick relief, and as  
it contains no opium or other harm-  
ful drug, it may be given as confi-  
dently to a baby as to an adult. For  
sale by all druggists.

**Carpenters On Strike.**  
Welland, Feb. 1.—Forty carpenters  
engaged on the construction of the  
Plymouth Cordage Co.'s plant here,  
struck for an increase of five cents per  
hour, making their pay 30c. The Galli-  
van Building Co. have nearly 500 men  
on the work and the striking carpen-  
ters' places are being filled.

**AFRAID OF STRONG MEDICINES.**

Many people suffer for years from  
rheumatic pains, and prefer to do so  
rather than take the strong medi-  
cines usually given for rheumatism.  
Not knowing that quick relief from  
pain may be had simply by applying  
Chamberlain's Pain Balm and with-  
out taking any medicine internally.  
Rev. Amos Parker of Magnolia,  
North Carolina, suffered for eight  
years with a lame hip, due to severe  
rheumatic pains. He has been per-  
manently cured by the free applica-  
tion of Chamberlain's Pain Balm.  
For sale by all druggists.

**Will Explore Africa.**  
Turin, Italy, Feb. 1.—The Duke of  
Abruzzi, a cousin of King Victor Em-  
manuel, has almost completed arrange-  
ments for a voyage of discovery into  
the heart of Africa. The duke, who  
will start early in the spring, has been  
assured that the British and French  
officials in Africa will assist him in  
every possible manner.

**TERRIBLE PAINS**  
**ACROSS BACK**

**SUFFERED EIGHT MONTHS**  
**WITH KIDNEY TROUBLE.**  
**WOULD HAVE TO STAY IN BED**  
**FOR THREE DAYS AT**

**A TIME**

**Doan's**  
**Kidney Pills**  
**CURED HIM**

Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, Hazelton, Ont.,  
writes as follows: "I was a great sufferer  
from kidney trouble for eight months. I  
had terrible pains across the small of my  
back. I would have to stay in bed for  
three days at a time and could not do any  
work. I tried several remedies but of no  
avail, and also plasters but they were of no  
use."

One day a neighbor of mine advised me  
to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I was so much  
discouraged I told him I was tired of trying  
remedies, but he urged me to try one box  
as I purchased one, and before I was  
through using it, I found a change for the  
better. I got five boxes more, and I have  
had no trouble with my kidneys since. I  
would not be without Doan's Pills in my  
house."

It is really not difficult to cure kidney  
trouble in its first stages. All you have to  
do is to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial.  
They are a never-failing cure for all forms  
of kidney trouble. They quickly relieve  
the congested, overworked kidneys, and  
gradually bring them back to health.  
Doan's Kidney Pills 50 cents per box or  
three boxes for \$1.35, all dealers or The  
Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

**SPECIAL PATES TO NEW OR-**  
**LEANS.**

For the Mardi Gras Festivities at  
New Orleans, La. The very low rate  
of one way first class fare, plus \$2.25  
for the round trip, will be in effect.  
Good going February 21st to 26th,  
valid returning on or before March  
3rd. Call on agents of Grand Trunk  
Railway for full particulars.

**THE FAST TRAINS**

To California are run over the  
Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours  
quicker to San Francisco than any  
other line. No change of roads, no  
detours. "The Overland Route" all  
the way. Be sure your ticket reads  
over the Union Pacific. Inquire of  
H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James  
Building, Toronto, Canada, or E. B.  
Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue,  
Detroit.

**THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**  
**NEW TRAIN—BEST**  
**ROUTE.**

The Los Angeles Limited, electric  
lighted, new from the Pullman shops,  
with all latest innovations for travel  
comfort, leaves Chicago 10.05 p. m.  
daily, arrives Los Angeles 4.45 p. m.  
third day via Chicago, Union Pacific  
& North-Western Lines and the Salt  
Lake Route. Pullman drawing room  
and tourist sleeping cars, composite  
observation car, dining cars, a la  
carte service. For rates, sleeping car  
reservations and full particulars, ap-  
ply to your nearest agent, or address,  
B. H. Bennett, 2 East King St., Tor-  
onto, Ont.

**WANTED.**

**WANTED—At once, general servant**  
or working housekeeper. No laun-  
dry. Highest wages. Apply Mr.  
W. T. Shannon, Standard Bank.

**CANVASSER WANTED—At once,**  
for Chatham, to supply a regular  
line of customers with tea, etc.  
Apply, Alfred Tyler, Teas, London,  
Ont.

**LADY—Whose near relative has been**  
cured of epileptic fits, out of grati-  
tude wishes to send (by mail) par-  
ticulars of the cure to friends of  
those similarly afflicted. Address  
E. H. 751 Albany street, Schene-  
ctady, N. Y.

**CANCER CURED—Call or address**  
Madam Veazie, 1431-2 W. Water  
St.

**FOR SALE OR TO RENT.**

**ROOMS TO RENT—For housekeep-**  
ing; centrally located, with mod-  
ern conveniences. Address Box 24,  
Planet.

**FOR SALE—CHEAP—Sideboard that**  
cost \$125, walnut extension dining  
room table, and a cosy corner, cost  
\$35, that was only in use a few  
months. Apply at this office.

**DESIRABLE APARTMENTS TO**  
**RENT—A flat containing seven**  
connected rooms, with modern con-  
veniences, including bath room. Ap-  
ply to the Chatham Loan and Sav-  
ings Company.

**BOAT LIVERY FOR SALE—Well**  
known Boat Livery at Rondeau  
Cash business and pays 80 per cent  
of investment annually. First-  
class references. Full particulars  
on application. W. R. Fellows, Jr.,  
Prop., Blenheim, Ont.

**FOR SALE—Good 100 acre farm with**  
a handsome brick house, good barn  
and good orchard, price \$3,000; also  
2 1/2 acres in the city, good build-  
ings and good fruit, price \$1,500.  
Both on easy terms. Apply to M.  
H. McGavin, McGavin's Stables,  
Market Square, Chatham, or at  
residence, St. Clair street.

**CHATHAM REAL ESTATE**  
**AND INSURANCE BUREAU**  
Buys, Sells, Negotiates Sales  
and Manages Realty of  
Every Description.

**Money to Loan at Reasonable Rates**  
**Offers the Best System of**  
**Guaranteed Investment**  
Represents the safest Fire,  
Life, Sickness and Accident  
Insurance Companies.  
Business Solicited

**Agents Wanted to solicit and**  
collect.  
**R. A. MURPHY, General Agt**  
Murray Bldg., Chatham Ont. Phone 349

**RAILROAD TIES**

The undersigned has a quantity of  
Cedar Railroad Ties, which he has  
taken from the river. The owner can  
have them by paying for this adver-  
tisement and expenses of salvage.  
Apply to J. J. Bradley, Lot 1, Con-  
t. Township of Raleigh, or address  
Chatham P. O.

**NOTICE**

All kinds of Household Furniture  
Bought and Sold.  
Household Goods Stored in Safe  
Quarters.  
Two Stores in first class business  
locations for sale.  
Outside of City Limits—  
House and Two Lots.....\$750.00  
House and Three Lots.....\$900.00  
House and Four Lots.....\$1,000.00  
Money to Loan and Fire Insurance  
Apply to E. E. PARROTT &  
SON, Scane Block, Chatham.

**FOR SALE**  
Guaranteed investments paying 8 and  
10 per cent. interest paid monthly.  
Particulars by calling on  
**GEOR. BEECH.**  
Box 293. Room 19, Victoria Block.

**GRAND TRUNK**

Takes effect Sunday, Oct. 1st, 1905.

**WEST.**  
3.30 a.m. for Windsor, Toronto and in-  
termediate stations except Sunday  
\* 12.52 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.  
\* 4.18 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.  
\* 9.19 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and Wash-  
ington Limited daily  
\* Mixed 2.30 p.m.

**EAST.**  
2.37 a.m. for London, Hamilton, Toron-  
to, Buffalo  
12.00 p.m. for London, Toronto, Mon-  
real, Buffalo and New York.  
\* 5.18 p.m. for London, Hamilton, Toron-  
to, Montreal and East.  
\* 9.00 p.m. for London and intermediate  
stations  
\* Daily except Sunday: \* Tail.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY**  
Corrected Oct. 1st, 1905.

**GOING EAST** **GOING WEST**

\* 7 a.m. daily, ex. Sunday 1.03 a.m.  
\* 3.18 a.m. Express.....1.13 a.m.  
\* 3.32 p.m. .........3.50 p.m.  
\* This train runs daily except Sunday.  
Starts from here and remains over night.



