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Special Bargains in Our Great Inventory Sale FOR TO-NIGHT and MONDAY

Here is our programme in our Stock-taking Sale for To-night and Monday. None of these offers can be made again. So if these bargains strike you as forcibly as they will the majority of our readers, you will not neglect our earnest advice to come without fail, and the earlier the better. The advantage shows in these prices.

Imperial Shetland Floss

In white and light blue, regular price 8s, a skein, Special sale price 5s.

Bright Eye Silks

In shades of yellow, mauve, light blue, green, pink, yellow and blue; blue and white; regular price 5s, sale price 3s.

Ribbons

Six pieces of ribbon, five inches wide in cream and white, regular price 2s a yard, special sale price 1s.

Flannelette

In light blue, in fancy stripes, regular price 10c and 12 1/2c sale price 7 1/2c. Black and red striped skirting with fancy border, regular price, 12 1/2c, sale price 10c.

Handkerchiefs

Swiss and Embroidered. Regular price 25c each, special sale price 18c or three for

Turnover Collars

In white and colored embroidery regular prices from 12 1/2c to 25c.

CLEARING AT Fancy Silk Collars

Regular price 25c to 30c.

CLEARING AT

Dress Goods Remnants

In lengths from 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 yds. clearing at half price.

Black Silk Girdle Belts

Regular price 50c, for

Wrist Bags

Regular value \$1.75, sale price \$1.35

Mixed Hair Pins

100 to the box, regular price 5c

Combs

Side and back combs, regular price 50c, sale price 35c per set.

THOS. STONE & SON

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EVENING DRESS

We make a specialty of Evening Dress Suits, and carry in stock a full line of Rich and Elegant Materials, suitable for this Formal Evening Attire.

We invite your inspection and comparison of prices with other first-class houses.

ALBERT SHELDRICK

TAILOR and WOOLLEN MERCHANT
King St. near Garner House

PUBLIC NOTICE!

Genuine Gas Coke

From actual tests is found to contain as many heat units per ton, as the best quality of Anthracite Coal. At the reduced price now in effect, Gas Coke costs about two-thirds as much.

Moral: Use Genuine Gas Coke for furnace, range, grate or stove, and save money.

Chatham Gas Company, Limited.



THERE'S GREAT VALUE
in every garment we make, but it is especially noticeable in our

Winter Overcoats

made to order. The material is just right, and the garments have a "set" which particular men like. Come in and look at the cloth.

AITKEN & KOELSCHATZ
NEAR FIFTH ST. BRIDGE

LET US HAVE A PROVINCIAL HOUSE-CLEANING

THAT INSULT TO GERMANS

Was Delivered by the Ros-
site Generalissimo in
the West Elgin
Scandals.

Ross Rewarded Him for His Insults
By a Fat Appointment to the
Old Country.

The paragraph in a local contemporary last night headed, "Wanton Slur for the Germans," was so transparent as to deceive no one. It was perfectly clear to everyone in the audience—save perhaps our contemporary—that Mr. Crothers was quoting from a letter written from Rodney by W. T. R. Preston, the Rosite generalissimo in the West Elgin by-election, to Aubrey White, the deputy commissi-oner. Mr. Preston addressed him as "Dear Aubrey," and proceeded as our contemporary states, with a "wanton slur for the Germans." He also insults the Scottish electors in much the same strain. This is the same W. T. R. Preston who "hugged the machine," and who was rewarded for his infamous work, and incidentally for his insults to the German and Scottish electors, by an appointment in England at a salary of \$3500 per annum. This appointment, after such gross crimes against the electorate, and uncalled for insults to better men than himself, shows the Ross government in its true light. Our contemporary underestimates the intelligence of the German electors when it fancies that so transparent a game of bluff will for a moment deceive them. In fact, it adds its own insult to that of Preston by seeking to place their intelligence on a level with its own.

Miss Miller, the Australian evangelist, related the story of the conversion of an Australian Jewess last evening in Park St. Methodist church, to a very large audience. The speaker possesses an excellent manner of speech and gave the account of the story in a touching manner. It is soon to appear in booklet form. The evangelist will give addresses at both services to-morrow and on Monday evening will give a talk of her travels. Special music will be rendered. All are welcome.

CLANCY FOR THE CABINET

Placed Second on a List of
Eighteen Probabilities
in To-days Globe

People's Ned Clark Pays Tribute to
Clancy at Meeting in Labor
Temple at Toronto

To-day's Globe, in a report of a speech delivered last night by E. F. Clarke, M. P., the People's Ned, at the Labor Temple, Toronto, gives the names of the prominent conservatives from whom the coming Whitney cabinet will be in all probability chosen. The list is a striking refutation of Mr. Ross' charge that the Opposition were deficient in cabinet material. The fact that the name of James Clancy, the People's candidate in West Kent, is second on a list of eighteen, leaves no doubt whatever that, whoever else is chosen, Mr. Clancy will have a prominent place in the new cabinet and be one of the leaders called upon by Mr. Whitney to assist in giving Ontario, new clean and progressive government.

FAREWELL SERVICES...

BY
MISS MILLER
TO-MORROW
Park St. Church

Monday Evening
Travel Talk

BY
MISS MILLER
Music by City
Artists.

MESSAGE OF DR. THORNTON

Home From Toronto To
Work for the People's
Cause and James
Clancy

West Kent to be Honored by His Ap-
pointment to a Cabinet Position—
Government is Done.

Dr. A. W. Thornton, Chatham's earnest and able orator, has just returned from Toronto, where he has been lecturing in the Toronto Dental College.

The doctor has returned especially at this time to take an active part in the balance of the Provincial campaign in West and East Kent.

Dr. Thornton is President of the West Kent Liberal-Conservative Association, and is one of the strongest and most convincing orators on the public platform in this or any other riding. He commences to work immediately and will address a meeting at Pain Court in the interests of James Clancy this evening.

"The Government is gone, absolutely and irrevocably," said the doctor this afternoon. "Both Liberals and Conservatives everywhere in Toronto frankly state it. It is just a question as to Mr. Whitney's majority in the new house."

"My main mission in coming back is to seek, if possible, in some slight way to further aid James Clancy. Down in Toronto I learned on the best of authority that, in event of his election, he will at once become a Minister of the Crown. The advantage and honor of this distinction is one that our own West Kent cannot afford to lose, and I think our people should realize it."

"I have heard splendid reports from the Kent and my time from now to election will be cheerfully and heartily devoted to the People's Cause."

Rev. A. A. MacGillivray, of the First Presbyterian Church, will assist Rev. Mr. Henderson at his annual church rally to-morrow at 8.15 p. m. in Campbell A. M. E. Church. Come and hear him.

BOTHWELL IS FOR BOWYER

Meeting Called for Coch-
rane But Cheered for
Bowyer Last
Night.

Mr. Pike Had to Generously Appeal
for a Hearing for the Rosite
Supporters.

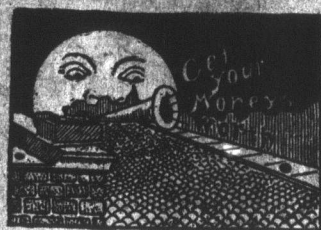
The meeting held at Bothwell last night on Mr. Cochrane's behalf was overwhelmingly for Bowyer. J. M. Pike, of Chatham, who appeared to champion the people's candidate, was accorded a magnificent reception, and the extent of the public feeling against the Ross government was shown by the fact that Dr. Samson, one of its most eloquent platform speakers, and Mayor Reycraft, of Ridgetown, a gentleman personally respected, had great difficulty in obtaining a hearing.

Dr. McMurrieb, of Bothwell, occupied the chair. The meeting was opened by Mr. Cochrane, who, though he met with no very warm reception, received a careful but undemonstrative hearing. In a brief speech he appealed for support on the ground that the Ross government should be sustained and that he was a supporter of it.

J. M. Pike followed in a forty minute address. He met with a splendid reception and his strong and logical arraignment of the Ross government was repeatedly cheered. He pointed out that the independent electors, and the best men in Liberal ranks were overwhelmingly opposed to Ross. Discussing the Temiscamingue railway, he pointed out that it should have been constructed by the Dominion government, thus saving Ontario between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000.

Dr. Col. Hegler, the former partner of the notorious J. B. Jackson, who was billed to speak for Mr. Cochrane, didn't appear. Dr. Samson followed, in a speech in which, carefully avoiding the issues of the day, he discussed the early history of the country, the boundary award and other matters which had nothing to do with the present contest. He declared that the Ontario government in its succession duty tax

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By Buying Your Wools from a Store

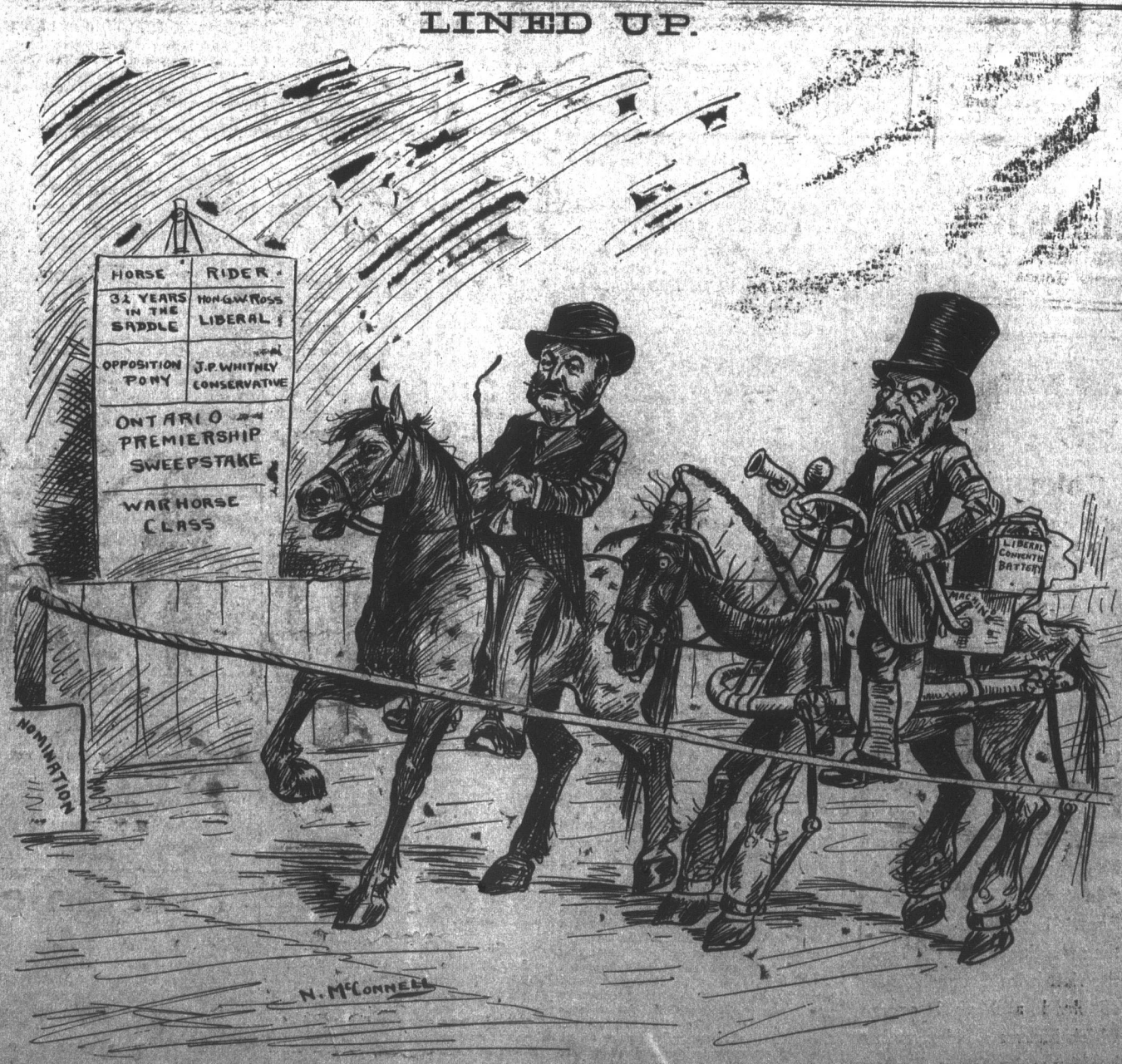
That makes a SPECIALTY of THEM. We carry the largest and most select assortment of WOOLS and YARNS in Ontario. Our trade on these goods is immense, and caused by the superior excellence of our brands, which we have been handling for fifteen years. Our old customers know them, but this ad. is to attract new customers. If you want good CANADIAN YARN we have the best made. If you want good SCOTCH YARN ours cannot be beat.

Our Berlin, Zephyr and Andalusian, etc., are made by the most noted maker in Germany.

Our Shetland Floss is beautifully done up and has that nice glossy appearance when made up. We also carry a complete line of Slipper Soles in both Hartford & Relipse Brand.

SULMAN'S BEEHIVE

King and Sixth Streets



POOPOO

MEN'S

"JUST
WRIGHT"

(PATENT COLT)

\$5 Shoes, now

\$3.50

A Big Bunch of
MEN'S and
WOMAN'S
\$1.50 SHOES

ALL SIZES AT

\$1.00

(A PAIR)

Turrill's

BIG

SHOE

SALE

KING ST.

District Dashes

Mr. McKennie, of Dover Tp., is a guest of his brother, Wm. McKennie, grain dealer, Thamesville Herald.

Mr. Neil Maynard, Ridge Road east is at the Chatham hospital, where he this week underwent an operation on his nose. —Blenheim News Tribune.

Leamington is expecting an automobile factory to be established there. Then, even the live men of that town can be expected to move automatically. —Comber Herald.

From the Calgary Review we learn that Mr. Bechman Campbell, a one time resident of this place was married on Nov. 15th last to Miss Kate Stewart, a very popular young lady of that place. —Thamesville Herald.

Sergt. Nash, who was shot in the neck by Samuel Jarvis, a burglar, a week ago, was able to leave his bed at Hotel Dieu and to walk around the room Sunday. He is improving and may be taken to his home within a few days.

Wm. Woollett, Esq., late superintendent of the L. E. & D. R. R., was presented with a cabinet of silverware from a number of the old employees of the railway. Mr. Woollett was in high esteem by those under him.

The Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, First Presbyterian church, Chatham, will preach in St. Andrew's church on Sunday Feb. 5th, conducting services in connection with the 15th anniversary of the ordination of the Rev. Thomas Natress. —Amherstburg Echo.

A freak election bet was made between two well known business men this week, by which the loser will have to ride D. Gilbert's mule from the market to the Mo's a b b ank. The mule has never been ridden, and the loser is in for a hot time. —Ridgeway Dominion.

Mr. George Essey, of Appin, brother of Mrs. A. H. Smith, Comber, died in London General Hospital last Thursday night. Deceased, whose home was in Appin, was taken to London for treatment, only a few days prior to his death. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were notified of the death early Friday and they left the funeral for Appin to attend the funeral. —Comber Herald.

Mr. W. H. Butt, son of the Rev. Mr. Butt, having secured his certificate from the St. Thomas Model School, has been engaged to teach the Stratford Public School, at a salary of \$900. Owing to an attack of grip he was unable to take charge of the opening exercises, but his sister Laura acted as a substitute. —Comber Herald.

Rugh Mortimer, Jr., of Tilbury North, aged about 12 years, was seriously injured on the 4th inst., by being kicked by a horse, Allan Washburn, a neighbor, arrived to kill hogs and was leading his horse to the stable when the young boy was kicked behind the ear. Medical aid was summoned and he is pulling through.

The Herald is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Wm. Lowe, of Spring Lake, Alberta, dated Jan. 1st, 1905. Mr. Lowe speaks of the death of Mr. H. Manley, who left Tilbury West for the Canadian Northwest a year ago, in company with Mr. Wilson Vandover. His death occurred Dec. 18th, 1904, and was caused by a severe attack of pneumonia. He was only ill a few days prior to his death, and no one, not even himself, knew that death was so near at hand. He leaves a widow and six small children. —Comber Herald.

An old resident and ratepayer in Harwich township reports that for the first time for his knowledge the proceedings for the year at the township council were opened with prayer by the reeve on Monday, the 9th inst. Mr. McCormick, the present Reeve of Harwich, feels keenly the responsibility of the work to be done this year, and the asking of Divine guidance in public work is certainly as necessary as in private affairs. —Blenheim News Tribune.

A fact that caused some comment at the annual school meeting held between Christmas and New Year's Mr. Robt. McKay did not act as chairman. For forty-nine preceding meetings Mr. McKay had been selected to preside, and had he acted this time it would have been the fiftieth. Mr. McKay is one of the pioneers of the Guild settlement, and his unbroken record of chairman for forty-nine successive annual meetings is most remarkable. —Blenheim News Tribune.

On Friday evening, Jan. 13th, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Carnes, of Guilds, celebrated their silver wedding. Among those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. George Walker, brother of Mrs. Carnes, and present reeve of Houghton township, Norfolk Co., and Mrs. Louch, sister of Mr. Carnes, also from Houghton; along with a goodly number of relatives and near-by friends. —Blenheim News Tribune.

Reeve Hickey, of Tilbury East, was in Chatham on Tuesday and is in company with the engineer and solicitor of the township met the solicitors and officials of the C. P. R. in consultation on a proposed bridge to be placed over the outlet of the McDougall and No. 1. After much consideration and considerable persuasion on the part of the reeve and township officials the railroad company agreed to put in a fifty foot span at a cost of about \$8,000. In the deal Reeve Hickey used the Cowan's new railroad act most advantageously. —Merlin Mirror.

DR. WEAVER'S TREATMENT.
WEAVER'S SYRUP
For Humors
Salt Rheum
Scrofulous Swellings, etc.WEAVER'S GERATE
Cleanses the Skin
Beautifies the Complexion.

Combined, these preparations act powerfully upon the system, completely eradicating the poison in the blood.
Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd., Montreal.

GUN CLUB.

The annual meeting of the Blenheim Gun Club was held in W. E. Hall's office on Monday evening, for the purpose of receiving the Treasurer's report, and electing officers for the ensuing year.
The officers elected are as follows:
Hon. Pres.—R. A. Gossnell.
Pres.—Thomas Taylor.
Vice-Pres.—Sam Burke.
Sec.—Treas.—W. E. Hall.
Capt.—Joseph Weatherhead.
Executive committee—Taylor, W. E. Hall, R. A. Gossnell, W. J. O'Brien and Theo. Pickering. —Blenheim News Tribune.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

After fifty years of wedded life Mr. and Mrs. John D. Carleton, gathered around them their children and grand children to celebrate the day at their home on Johnson St. on Tuesday Jan. 10th inst. Both Mr. and Mrs. Carleton are wonderfully young for their years, the former being eighty four years of age and the latter sixty-eight and a family of fourteen blessed their union, eight sons and six daughters, nine of whom are living. Daniel, of the Klondike, John, of Chicago; Charles and Patrick at home, Mrs. James Beatty, of Port Lambton; Mrs. Ulric Milord Wm. Young, Chicago, Miss Fannie and Kate at home. They also have 18 grandchildren. —Wallaceburg Herald Record.

A BOON TO CHILDREN

A medicine that will keep infants and young children plump, good natured, with a clear eye and a rosy skin, is a boon not only to mothers, but to humanity. Such a medicine is Baby's Own Tablets, which promptly cure all the minor ailments of infants, and makes them eat, sleep, play well and sleep well. You can safely take the words of the thousands of mothers who have proved the value of these Tablets; for instance, Mrs. J. R. Staddon, Weyburn, N.W.T., says: "I have proved the great value of Baby's Own Tablets in cases of diarrhoea, constipation, hives, and when teething, and I would not be without them. The Tablets are equally good for the tenderest little baby or the well grown child, and they are guaranteed free from opiates and harmless. Sold by all druggists, or sent by mail at 25 cents a box, by Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

RUSSIAN PEASANT OFFICIALS.

The Desiatnik is the lowest grade of the Russian administrative system. These peasant officials are elected to their positions by ten households, and are paid by the community, though only a nominal sum, and while they are not provided with a uniform, they have metal badges of pewter and bronze, and these they wear whenever they are engaged in an official capacity. They generally carry out their duties in a very easy unobtrusive way, says Mr. Francis H. E. Palmer in his "Russian Life in Town and Country."

"Some time since a Russian friend of mine was driving along the road in a remote district in which I was then staying, when he observed a single peasant walking in a rather peculiar manner. On approaching nearer he saw that the man was in iron, who were however, very loosely attached. Soon after, reaching a roadside kahak (tavern) he found the village policeman busily engaged with a bottle of vodka. "And where is your prisoner?" inquired my friend. "Not afraid he will give you the slip?" "What?" was the answer. "Stefanovitch give us the slip? Why, he is a neighbor of ours and we have got to take him to the lock-up, poor fellow. He would never play such a trick as that; only he got along so slowly that we were obliged to leave him behind."

A girl by the name of Lucile. Once wanted to hear a pig squeal. She pinched the pig's tail. And it let out a wail. "De-lightful, indeed," said Lucile.

A widow says a husband is better late than never.

A good bit of applause is paid for.

GROWING UP

There's something the matter with the child that fails to grow up. A child that grows up too much, however, without proper filling out of flesh, is almost as badly off. Nothing will help these pale, thin "weedy" children like Scott's Emulsion. It supplies the rounding out of flesh and the rich inward nourishment of blood and vital organs which insures rapid growth a healthy and uniform development.

...SOCIETY...

Mrs. Robert Gray gave a five o'clock tea on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Sbbald, of New York, is the guest of her brothers, Charles and William Hadley.

Miss Grace Houston, Victoria avenue, is the guest of her friend, Mrs. McLeellan, Lindsay.

Mrs. Will Hadley gave a whist party last night in honor of Mrs. Sbbald, of New York.

Mrs. A. E. Jewett entertained the bride, Mrs. J. W. Yessier, and Mrs. Lachlan Kennedy, to supper Friday evening.

Miss Edna Dennis invited a few friends to a supper evening with Mrs. Jesse Harper's guest.

Mrs. George T. McKenough entertained the young married people to a seven-hand euchre party Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Verna Heyward, corner of Murray and Adelaide streets, will entertain a number of friends on Monday evening to a five o'clock tea.

Dr. and Mrs. George T. McKenough entertained a number of their old married friends to whist on Wednesday night. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Miss Flo. Coltart, William street, entertained Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Ann Lyle. Refreshments were provided and Mrs. Lyle carried off the honors.

The Ladies' Guild were delighted with the success of the evening and are very grateful to Mrs. Holmes for her kindness in giving them the use of her home for the evening.

Dr. Will Holmes, son of County Court Clerk James Holmes, left for the West this week, where he will establish himself in some western town and begin the practice of the dental profession.

Some of the Maple City Society young ladies have been enjoying skating parties this week on a private rink on Victoria avenue. A few falls and some bruises will add to the pleasure of the sport.

The Messes Scott, Park avenue, gave a delightful thimble party on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Ann Lyle. Mrs. Harper's charming guests. About twelve of the girls were present and the afternoon passed pleasantly.

The Christ Church Guild held a very enjoyable and profitable musical at the residence of Mrs. T. K. Holmes, King street, last Thursday evening. There was a good attendance and the program rendered was an excellent one. Among the numbers of the evening were Instrumental, E. B. Arthur, Solo, Miss Barassio, Flute Solo, J. W. Wilson, Solo, Mrs. Milton Boggs, solo, Trombone solo, Roger Philp, Piano selection, Shirley Holmes, Solo, Jasper Wilson, Clarinet solo, Harry C. Philp; Solo Miss H. Rankin; and recitation, Mr. O. L. Lewis. W. T. Richards made an excellent chairman.

HIS DIABETES IS
ALL GONE NOW

Donat Laffamme Found a Cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

They Always Cure all Forms of Kidney Disease from Backache to Bright's Disease.

St. Marguerite, Dorchester County, Que., Jan. 16.—(Special).—That the most serious forms of Kidney Disease cannot stand before Dodd's Kidney Pills is being daily proved in Quebec, and one of the most convincing proofs is given right here in St. Marguerite. Donat Laffamme, whom everybody knows has Diabetes. This is one of the extreme stages of Kidney Disease and it baffles ordinary medical skill. Consequently it is not surprising that the doctor who attended Donat Laffamme could not help him. But let Mr. Laffamme tell the most wonderful part of his story himself.

"Two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me," he says. "My Diabetes is all gone and I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all my friends and to all those who suffer from it."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all Kidney Disease from Backache to Bright's Disease.

THE QUEER SECRETARY BIRD.

The Secretary bird is a South African species, though it is found as far north as Abyssinia. It builds its huge nest of sticks in low bushes or tangled underbrush. While sitting, the female secretary is fed by her mate. The young mature in strength very slowly, seldom leaving the nest till six months old.

The secretary bird differs from the other members of the hawk tribe in its exceedingly long legs. It is a bird of prey, feeding on insects, small animals and reptiles, snakes being its favorite food. These reptiles are often of the most venomous kind; but of them the secretary feels no fear, attacking them with its great and powerful wings and beating them to helplessness, after which it swallows the victims whole and head foremost. Owing to its value as a snake eater the secretary was formerly used in great numbers to Martinique, to help destroy the poisonous snakes that overrun that island.

SATCHEL OF
THE SATELLITE

Vote for James Clancy, the laboring man's friend.

The Toronto Liberal papers are giving the Kents away.

Clean Record James Clancy is busy jiling up that majority.

F. E. Evanturel conceded that West Kent will be a loss.

The jury in the South Toronto case condemned Mr. Dewart to obscurity.

You can take your ear from the ground. You can see them coming now.

When the Rossites begin to give up the Kents, there can be little hope.

James Clancy, the man with the clean record, is worthy of your support.

Robinet and Dewart are both rejected aspirants for parliamentary honors.

Mr. Dewart is the Crown Attorney who refuses to have Conservatives on a jury.

James Clancy, the man with the 20 year old clean record, is the man to support.

West Kent will have her cabinet minister in the new and progressive Government.

The B. Mistake's idea of a campaign is "You're a liar, you're a liar and you're a liar."

Reports from South Essex are bright in favor of Mr. Anderson, the Conservative candidate.

A vote for James Clancy is a death blow to the Ross, Stratton, Sullivan, Graham corruptionists.

Here I've been pulverized with seven souls and the Pulverizer is going around breaking faith.

The Leamington News is busy pointing out the upside down policy of the Ross government.

Between the Pulverizer and the B. Mistake and the Ross Government, I can't see that Archie has a chance.

How different is James Clancy's 20 year old clean record from the record of the Ross, Stratton, Sullivan, Graham gang.

It makes me smile every time I see the Pulverizer's own reports of his own speeches and the damage they do.

John Cochrane doesn't want any more Agricultural Colleges. He doesn't want Kent to have one. Who are the reactionaries now?

The reports from all over the riding assure James Clancy's election. But don't stop at that, work harder, and make the majority larger.

The B. Mistake's mis-reports of the meetings being held may fool a few Ross partisans. But not many. They remember how they served Stephens.

You don't need specs to see things coming now. It's just a matter of majority for the man with the clean record and now, clean and progressive Government.

The Leamington News, Liberal, had a two-column eulogy of the Ross Government. The News was so ashamed of the story that they printed it upside down.

Canada's criminal lawyer, Aylesworth, is engaged to defend the criminally corrupt Ross Government, arranged as it is before the bar of the honest electors of Brantford.

The reports that Elijah Dowie is running the Conservative organ is not based on fact.—The Popen, He knows, because Dowie is too busy running the Rossite organette.

If you enjoy seeing the truth pulverized in exquisite English, read the despatches received by the penguin Newsievtich from the various campaign meetings per Kneal Telegraph Co.

The Popen Newsievtich says some one "Got a Fright," at the big rally Thursday night. Yes, dear; your corruptionist friends were wild with alarm at the big crowd and enthusiasm displayed.

Even the "Hon." G. P. Graham, a member of the Ross Government, was not above making false statements from the public platform. What would he do on the quiet with provincial affairs when nobody was looking?

A. J. P. writes to the London Advertiser from Chatham, makes an appeal for a Liberal paper in Kent. And yet the Newsievtich hasn't realized that even the Rossites don't appreciate their efforts.

THE TRUTH FOR ONCE-ONLY ONCE.

I have never heard anyone hint that Mr. Clancy was not an honest man.—Newsievtich.

GREEN EYED MONSTER. Don't it splitting to think of young children reading that vulgar stuff in a certain contemporary? The Popen.

He's jealous because the public refuses to read the carefully strained literary gems supplied to him from the Kennel.

Minard's Liniment Cures Paudriff.

Come to Northway's To-Night
For These and Many Other Money-Saving
Bargains That will be on Sale

12½c PRINTS at 8c a yard—
25 pos. fine heavy Canadian and English Prints, light and dark, fast colors.
Saturday 8c.

85c and \$1 GAUNTLETS at 65c a pair—
18 pairs Ladies' and Misses' Astrakhan Cuffs Gauntlets, grey or black, kid faced, wool lined, regular price up to \$1 a pair, clearing Saturday at 65c.

BUY SHAKERS NOW—
900 yards fine heavy English and Canadian Shaker Flannels, fast color stripes, good range patterns, wide width, the best 10c quality, Saturday, 7c.

LADIES' \$1.00 FANCY COLLARS at 65c—
3 dozen Ladies' Fancy Silk Chiffon and Lace Collars, beautiful styles, regu. at \$1.00 each, Saturday, 65c.

50c and 60c FANCY COLLARS at 35c—
1 Doz. pretty Lace, Silk and Chiffon Collars, reg. 50c to 60c each, Saturday, 35c.

10c, 11c and 12½c WRAPPERTIES, 8c—
23 pos. fine heavy wrapperettes, in choice colors and designs, reg. up to 12½c a yard, Saturday, 8c.

400 YARDS GRASH TOWELLING—
warranted pure linen, reg. 12½c a yard, Saturday, 9c.

LADIES' COATS—
Regular \$5 to \$7.50, Saturday, \$3.48
" up to \$9, " 3.95
" up to \$12, " 5.90

LADIES' HEAVY FLEECED VESTS—
White or natural, the best 50c quality, Saturday 38c.

All our FLANNELETTE DRESSING SACKS—
75c and \$1 each, Saturday 59c.

All our KIMONAS and SACKS—
regular \$1.25 to \$1.50 each, Saturday 95c.

50c and 60c LADIES' FLANNELETTE DRAWERS—
Saturday 39c.

40 and 45c FLANNELETTE DRAWERS—
Saturday 28c.

75c PLAIN FLANNELETTE GOWNS—
Pink, sky, white, lace and ruffle trimmed. Clearing Saturday at 55c.

CHILDREN'S \$5 WHITE BEAR COATS at \$3.39 each—
8 only Children's white silk Bear Coats, rich quality, made very pretty with collar, cord or silk trimmed, lined throughout, assorted sizes, regular \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50 each, Saturday at \$3.39.

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS at 75c pair—
25 pairs only heavy fleecy flannel, Flannelette Blankets, grey or white with fancy borders, full size, the kind other stores ask \$1 a pair, Saturday a pair 75c.

60c WOOL CLOUDS at 35c. Each—
3 Doz. fine Knitted Wool Clouds, white or cardinal tonelled ends, regular 50c each, Saturday, 35c.

5 ONLY ALASKA SABLE RUFFS—
Rich full fur quality, large size, trimmed with 4 and 6 natural tails, regular \$10 each, Saturday, \$7.90.

8 only men's heavy drill coats, flannel lined, waterproof interlined, corduroy collars, snug, warm coats, regular \$2 to \$2.50 each, clearing Saturday at \$1.48.

50c BLACK TAFFETA SILK, 36c Yard—
400 yards rich pure French Taffeta, best black dye, bright finish, regular 60c a yd., Saturday, 36c.

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NEW MEAT MARKET

Was Opened on Saturday Last.
Jan. 14th, King St. West, Next To Dr. Tye's Recent Office.

We wish to call the attention of the meat eaters of Chatham to the fact that we are prepared to furnish a superior quality of fresh and cured meats at very reasonable prices, as we raise and feed our live stock on our farms in Dover. No middle profit to pay. Direct from the farm to the consumer.

We will also keep in stock a first class line of canned goods, consisting of corn, peas, tomatoes, pork and beans, sardines, canned salmon, bottled pickles and a special line of tins which will surprise you how we sell such fine goods at such low prices.

Headquarters for hams, bacon, lard, bologna and pork sausage, the very best always in stock.

Call and see us even if you don't want to buy. We will be pleased to make your acquaintance.

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Consult your nearest Grand Trunk Agents, or address J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto, if you desire information regarding the delightful Winter Resorts of California, Mexico or Florida. Unexcelled service and equipment.

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A lawyer may be color blind, but he knows red tape.

Tenders for Dredging, and Four Bridges.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned until two o'clock p.m. on Thursday, February 23rd, 1905, for dredging about three and one-half miles in the Rivard Drain, in the Township of Dover, County of Kent. Also for building two steel and two wooden bridges over said drain.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of A. McDonald, Civil Engineer, in the city of Chatham.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be marked "Tenders for Dredging, and for Bridges," respectively.

H. N. BECHARD,
Commissioner,
Dover South P. O.

For Sale

TWO ACRES, three-quarters of a mile from Post Office, frame house, eight rooms and cellar, stable, hen house, etc. Peach, plum, pear and apple trees; splendid place for garden.

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GOING EAST GOING WEST
"2.55 a.m. Express....."1.03 a.m.
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"3.32 p.m.".....9.42 p.m.
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7.23 a.m. for Windsor, Detroit and intermediate stations except Sunday.
12.42 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.
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The California World's Fair Route.
GOING WEST EAST BOUND
No. 1—8.45 a.m. No. 2—12.23 p.m.
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5—1.25 p.m. 11—2.25 a.m.
12—7.08 p.m. 6—1.35 a.m.
7—8.38 p.m. 8—2.49 p.m.
9—1.18 a.m.

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BUFFALO DIVISION
EFFECTIVE DEC. 5, 1904

Leave Chatham Express Express
For Buffalo and West 8.45 a.m. 8.55 a.m.
Sarnia 8.55 a.m. 9.05 a.m.
Arrive at Chatham
From
Waukegan 9.55 a.m. 2.58 p.m.
St. Thomas 8.45 a.m. 8.55 a.m.
Sarnia 8.55 a.m. 9.05 a.m.
Central Standard Time—one hour slower than city time.

E. BRITTON, D.P.A., London.
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79 Wellington Street

Across from the Market.
I have opened up in Winter's former stand, with a full line of Teas, Coffees, Etc.

Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Whole sale. Butter, Eggs and Live or Dressed Poultry taken in Exchange.

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The Value Lasts

300 in our three dollar shoes—
you find they stand a lot
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As a matter of fact we have extra value put in—
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PROBABILITIES.

Special per C. N. W.
Toronto, Jan. 21.—11 a. m.—Cold,
light snow to-day. Sunday, fair and
decidedly cold.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED.

REAU—On Saturday, Jan. 21st,
Annie, wife of the late Benjamin
Reau, aged 85 years, 4 mos.
Funeral will take place at Sandwich,
on Monday at 10 o'clock.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

J. W. Smith, of Stewart, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

J. E. Tieschbourne, of Cedar Springs, is spending the day in town.

James Horn, Jr., Delaware avenue, is dangerously ill with erysipelas.

M. Everett, of Detroit, was registered at the Garner House to-day.

J. S. Hickey, of Morlin, spent yesterday with his many Chatham friends.

John Maholland and James H. Ferguson, of Blenheim, were Chatham visitors to-day.

P. L. Ashton and J. C. Ashton, of Chatham, were registered at the Garner House to-day.

Mrs. O. L. Lewis gave a book party this afternoon. Each guest came dressed to represent a book.

Mrs. John Pritchard, Sr., who lives with her son Noah, is seriously ill with paralysis of the throat. Slight hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Joseph Watson, an employe in Drider's mill, severely fractured one of the bones in his ankle yesterday. Mr. Watson is a teamster. He will be laid up for some time.

Meeting of the General Committee Chatham C. B. L. Full report from Troop Committee at A. O. U. W. hall, Monday night. Everybody attend.

A treacherous wind hits you in the back and the next morning you have lambo. Rub often and well with Perry Davis' Painkiller, and you will be astonished to find out how quickly all soreness is banished.

Mrs. Alex. Holmer fell on Joseph street yesterday and seriously fractured her left wrist. She was walking along the street when a dog ran against her and she slipped and fell, sustaining the injury.

Hot, Cold, Medicated and Electric BATHS
Massage, Electric Treatment and Physical Culture. Try my treatment for Rheumatism and Neuralgia. Address
W. H. Robert,
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Flag St., opp. Bank of Montreal.

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MR DRUMM SPEAKS

Former Esteemed Minister in the First Presbyterian Church Condemns Ross' Administration.

Rev. A. H. Drumm, formerly of Thameville, and who for some time occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church in this city, where he earned the respect and esteem of the whole community, has come out strongly against the present Government. Addressing his congregation at the John street Presbyterian church, Belleville, he earnestly urged them not to support Mr. Ross, who had made a foolball of the temperance movement and whose administration was a disgrace to the Province.

PIONEER GONE

Annie, the widow of the late Benjamin Reau, passed away at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Bechard, at the Aberdeen Hotel, this morning.

Deceased was 85 years of age and had always lived at Sandwich, where she is well known and highly respected. The children who survive are Mrs. C. Bechard, of this city; Mrs. Coulter, of Belle River; and Henry and Albert, of Sandwich.

The remains will, this afternoon, be taken to Sandwich for burial.

THE PULVERIZER'S RENEWED LAMENT

The Second Sad Sign of the Grass and Cranky Canine.

Oh, that I hadn't gone into the law And produced affidavits of things none e'er saw:

Henceforth into trouble I'll not thrust my paw—

But, wisely, I'll hide in my kennel.

Oh, that I never had tried it again— That I had left Clancy severely alone—

That all I had promised I'd faithfully done—

And quietly dozed in my kennel.

V. L.

SOCIAL EVENING

A social evening was held in the Victoria Avenue Methodist church last evening. A good crowd was present and a most enjoyable time was spent by everyone.

A good program was given, consisting of vocal solos by Miss Annie Clements, Miss G. Irving, Miss Jackson; readings by Mr. Grover and Miss M. Cartier; instrumental solo by Miss Dottie Wilson; and an instrumental duet by Misses Maggs and Dyer.

Rev. F. E. Malott gave an address of welcome and Lindsay Parrott acted as chairman of the evening.

LOCAL LEGAL

Divisional Court, before Boyd, C. MacMahon, J., Idington, J., Osgood, Hall.

Thompson v. City of Chatham.—E. A. DuVerne and W. H. Gundy, Chatham, for defendants, appealed from the judgment of the senior judge of the County Court of York, dated 19th November, 1904, directing payment to plaintiff of \$400.00 and costs, and dismissing defendants' counter claim, in an action for the recovery of \$400, deposited by the plaintiff with the defendant corporation in lieu of bond.

The plaintiff, a manufacturer, of Toronto, in 1897 sold to defendants certain electrical machinery, which he also installed.

On the 27th December, 1897, the balance due on account was \$1,675.

At this time plaintiff gave defendants the bond of a guarantee company by plaintiff, subject to the approval by a competent officer of defendant corporation of certain matters. On the 29th Dec, 1897, the defendants agreed with plaintiff to retain \$400 the amount which is subject of suit, as a deposit, in lieu of bond, and paid plaintiff the further sum of \$275 on account of balance. The defendants alleged that the armatures in the electric plant, which were guaranteed by this deposit, burned out, whereby they suffered serious loss.

The defendants asserted that the terms of the original contract between the parties, to which the corporation assented by law, have never been carried out by plaintiff, that good supplies in accordance with variations made subsequently with out such former confirmation will not support his action. The plaintiff denied a new contract and continued acquiescence. H. A. Drayton, for plaintiff, opposed appeal. Judge.

GENTLEMEN WHO ARE BALD.

Or have thin hair, should call on Prof. Dorenwend, at Garner House, Chatham, on Wednesday, Jan. 25th, and see his wonderful device in Toupees and Wigs, worn on 65,000 heads. Don't fail to see his new invention, patented all over the world. They are a protection to the head against cold weather and other ailments and give a most natural and younger expression to the face. Remember, only one day, Jan. 25th.

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BROKERS BET

TWO TO ONE

Financial Speculators All Anxious to Place Betting Favors on Whitney Chances.

\$1,000 Placed to Cover Reputed Offer of the New Ontario M. P., but It Was Not Needed.

A prominent medical practitioner, whose name will be furnished, called at the World this morning and said he had \$1,000 to stake on the result of the election. He will take the Whitney end of the proposition.

It was reported in an evening paper that James Connors, M. P., had made an offer to bet \$1,000 on Ross. He was encountered by a Conservative betting man in the King Edward Hotel and asked to write his cheque for \$1,000 and it would be covered. Hugh Guthrie, M. P., and others were present. Mr. Connors, however, declared he had made no such offer.

Any amount of money on Whitney is being offered in the brokers' offices, but the holders can find no takers. Liberals want odds of 2 to 1 on the general result or will bet on Whitney's majority not reaching a stated figure.

A bet was offered in a broker's office yesterday that Whitney would not have ten majority. — Toronto World.

WAS ILLEGAL

Library Board for the Past Three Years or More Has Not Been Legally Organized

J. L. Davis, former secretary-treasurer of the Free Library Board, says that the board this year elected their chairman according to the terms of the statute. Formerly, the Public Library year ended on March 1st. The act was, however, amended in 1899 so that the year would end on the 31st, so that the accounts could be audited. Provision was then made in the act so that the general meeting would be held on the second Monday in January. This has been done by the Chatham Board since the act was amended. Mr. Davis says that the difficulty due to the School Board and the Council not having appointed their members was got over by leaving vacancies in the various committees for whoever should be appointed by these bodies.

The only additional information that Mr. Davis has furnished is the fact that for the past three years the Public Library Board has been electing their chairman illegally and not in accordance with the statute. This fact has not been discovered sooner is surprising. Section 9, sub-section 9, of the Revised Statutes, provides for the election of the chairman as follows: "The Board of Managers shall elect a chairman, who shall hold office for one year." The section then goes on to define his duties.

In 1899, section 25 of the Public Libraries Act, was revised, but that section refers to Public Libraries in townships and has nothing to do with section 9. The curious part of the whole thing is that the Library Board has gone on year after year electing their chairman illegally. What effect this will have on the acts of the Board during these years only the lawyers can tell.

THE MARKETS

Nervous, irritable people are very trying to live with, we speak feelingly to all such, we recommend "The D & L" Emulsion. It is prescribed by the leading physicians and used in the principal hospitals.

There was a small market this morning, no doubt owing to the inclement weather. The sheds, however, were fairly well filled with dairy produce and stuff sold readily at good prices.

The following is a full price list:

IN THE SHEDS.

Butter, 10c to 20c.

Eggs, per dozen, 25c.

Chickens, each, 25c to 35c.

Ducks, each, 30c to 40c.

Pork, 7c and 8c lb.

Beef, 5c and 6c lb.

VEGETABLES.

Carrots, per peck, 15c.

Beets, per peck, 15c.

Cabbage, each, 3c to 5c.

Cauliflowers, each, 5c to 8c.

Squash, each, 3c to 10c.

Celery, 5c to 10c.

Onions, per peck, 35c.

Potatoes, per bag, 85c.

Parsnips, per peck, 10c.

Apples, per peck, 10c to 15c.

SKATING AND HOCKEY SHOES

We have two lines that we are clearing at

\$1.50 a Pair. Sizes 2 to 5, regular

\$1.75, now \$1.50; sizes 6 to 10, regular \$2

now \$1.50.

WM. SOMERVILLE & SON.

(PEACE'S OLD STAND)

DID NOT REPLY

Ross Admitted That He Himself Takes His Glass of "Old Scotch"—Tables Have Turned.

West Middlesex is experiencing the effect of an incident which occurred at the nomination meeting at Mount Brydges on Wednesday, such as has not been occasioned in the Premier's riding for many a day. It all grows out of the tacit admission that he himself takes his glass of "Old Scotch."

The belief of the temperance friends of the Premier in his own riding as throughout the province, is that he is a total abstainer. This belief, however, has been badly and rudely shattered, now when challenged to deny that he was not an abstainer, Mr. Ross could not rise to the occasion, and make one more denial, though denials have been his stock-in-trade in this campaign.

George A. Stewart, the Conservative

Good Store

A good grocery store means very much to the busy housewife. It saves time, it saves money, it saves health. Our store is just as good as we know how to make it. We are particular about what we buy and the way we sell it.

Why not try trading here.

BLACK TEA, our special blend, 40c a lb.
COFFEE, Mocha and Java, 40c a lb.
COFFEE, American Blend, 35c a lb.
SPECIAL PRUNES, 5 lbs. for 25c
BONED HADDIES, 10c a lb.
SWEET ORANGES, 25c a dozen.

H. Malcolmson

YOUR... GOOD WILL

is necessary to the success of our business. We are constantly striving to merit the good will of every person in the county and we believe that the principles on which this store is conducted should succeed. At any rate, it has succeeded beyond our most sanguine expectations during the past five years.

Here is what we offer you:—
 COURTEOUS ATTENTION,
 RIGHT PRICES,
 FAIR TREATMENT.
 Do we win?

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"If you buy it of Poile it's right"

OUR... OPTICAL DEPARTMENT

This is the time of the year that our Optical Department should be most patronized. Do you have difficulty in reading? Do the letters run together? Do the eyes water after reading? Does reading cause a headache? Does the glasses you have give you satisfaction? If you have been unsuccessful in fitting you with glasses, consult us. Perhaps our scientific training and good experience will enable us to fit you properly.

Testing and Consultation FREE

T. W. POILE

"Optician"

Always your money's worth

Dont Miss

The clearing sale at FANCY CHINA LAMPS, GLASSWARE, 97 PIECE DINER SETS, 44 PIECE TEA SETS, 10 PIECE CHAMBER SETS.

A 5c. and 10c. Counter containing China, Crockery and Glassware will have big bargains for the people who visit our store. The above stock must be reduced, and the prices we are going to ask, will make them move out.

GROCERIES

We can satisfy you in quality and price. The business we are doing is a proof of this. New Cooking Figs, 5c. per lb.
 1 lb. Tea Sunlight Baking Powder 10c
 2 1/2 lb. Packages Fine Breakfast Food, 25c
 25c. Bars of Dish Cloth Soap for 20c
 3 Cans Blueberries for 25c
 Tapioca, 5c. per lb.
 1 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c
 3 Pounds Pickled Beans for 10c
 Maple Syrup, 25c. per Quart

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Claude Bragg is visiting friends in North Buxton.

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Mrs. J. D. Noble, of Petrolia, is a guest at the Sanitarium.

D. A. Graham, of Glenora, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

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Stoves are going to move if we have to give them away. Come and see us. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Roger G. Hutchison, of Stewart, is spending the day with his parents, on William St.

Will Wanless, of Amherstburg, is the guest of his father, George Wanless, Lorne Ave.

W. C. Estabrook, of Glenora, is spending the day with his many Chatham friends.

Miss Pearl Rutley, of London, who was the guest of Miss Frankie Kemp, this week, has returned home.

Mrs. A. M. Livingston and daughter Irene, of Melita, Manitoba, are here on an extended visit with Mrs. Livingston's niece, Mr. Samuel Orr, Bleak House, King street, West.

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KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Four Dead and Another Dying in Norfolk County.

Another Is Seriously Hurt—Doller of Saw-mill Exploded, and the Employees Suffered By Pieces of the Demolished Machine Striking the Men—All the Victims Were Married Men—Cause Will Be Investigated.

Woodstock, Jan. 21.—One of the worst boiler explosions in this district in years occurred at John Whitehead's saw-mill in the southern part of Norfolk County, early yesterday morning. As a result four are dead, one more fatally injured and another seriously hurt.

The dead are: George Asphen, George McCallum, Freeman Moffatt, Charles Panard.

Michael Asphen will not live and John Whitehead was severely injured.

All were employed at the mill, and all the victims are married men.

The deaths and the injuries were caused by pieces of the demolished engine striking the men. Parts of the iron were hurled 100 yards.

No cause is assigned for the explosion. It occurred while the engine was in operation, and the theory is that the water got too low in the boiler. The mill was completely wrecked, and the injured men were terribly mangled.

This is the second catastrophe of this nature in the section within a short time. An investigation into the cause is likely to be held.

"SUNRISE" EXPRESS WRECK.

Four Persons Seriously Hurt, But They Will Recover.

Durham, N. H., Jan. 21.—The "Sunrise" express, from Halifax and St. John for Boston, was wrecked yesterday morning a short distance west of the Durham station. Four cars were derailed and a number of persons injured, four seriously.

No one was killed. The accident was caused by a broken rail.

Those severely injured were: Miss Belle Donald, Hampton, N.B., severe injuries to head and shoulder dislocated; colored porter of Pullman car, head and shoulders lacerated, and bruised by being thrown through car window; Albert Hall, Portland, Me., head and hip injured. It is thought all of these will recover.

Rev. Mr. Brown, of Blenheim, will address the temperance meeting in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium to-morrow afternoon. A quartet, under the direction of Mr. Hallman, will give a selection, and R. W. Angus will sing a solo.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Andrew's Church will give a musicale and social evening at the residence of the Rev. Dr. Battisby, on Monday evening, Jan. 23rd, at 8 o'clock. Admission 15c.

J. N. McCoy, of Wallnesburg, is spending the day in the Maple City.

The case of Thompson vs. Chatham, was argued in the Division Court, Osgoode Hall, yesterday. Judgment was reserved. Messrs. W. E. Gundy and DuVeret appeared for the city and Drayton appeared for the plaintiff.

The Liberal-Conservatives held a splendid meeting at Charing Cross last evening. Ald. Marshall, J. B. O'Flynn and John Stuart spoke in the interests of Mr. Clancy. Mr. Marshall arraigned the corrupt methods of the Ross administration in a clear and convincing manner. John Stuart made his first speech of the campaign. He is an orator of considerable merit and his address was listened to with close attention.

Deaths By Carbolic Acid

Brantford, Jan. 21.—A Winnipeg woman committed suicide here some time during the night by taking carbolic acid. The woman, whose name was Mattie Holland, came from Winnipeg on Wednesday night's train and proceeded to an east end drugist, where her dead body was found yesterday morning. Her husband is an engineer in Winnipeg.

Mrs. Roach's Death.

Hamilton, Jan. 21.—The coroner's jury brought in this verdict last evening after hearing evidence in connection with the death last Monday evening of Mrs. D. J. Roach: "That Mrs. Catharine Roach did not come to her death through natural causes, but from causes unknown, taken with suicide, taken, we believe."

The husband admitted that words had passed between him and his wife the evening before her death. She did not eat any supper, and went to her room about 8 o'clock. Her son and husband found her dead about 9.30. The doctors who conducted the autopsy did not give positive evidence, but stated that they believed their dead did not result from natural causes.

Strathcona Is the Rescuer.

London, Jan. 21.—(C.A.P.)—At the meeting of the British Empire League, presided over by Lord Derby, a resolution was moved by Lord Strathcona, on the status in Great Britain of the offspring of marriages made in other parts of the Empire. The Council unanimously expressed the hope that the Prime Minister would give favorable consideration to the proposition which would submit their views on the question. This resolution is probably aimed to secure the recognition of marriages with deceased wives' sisters, notwithstanding which in Great Britain recently caused a strong protest from Australia.

There Will Be No Strike.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 21.—The Press today will say: "There will be no strike of trainmen on the Pennsylvania Railroad. The question at issue will be settled at a conference which will be held to-day (Saturday), between General Manager Arturberg and leaders of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen."

Pay of Mounted Police.

General Increase Discussed By the House of Commons.

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John Arnold, 9; L. T. Arnold, 8; Bruce Arnold, 7; G. N. Arnold, 7; H. J. Merritt, 5.

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Thirty-four years ago France was
ruled by the government of the nation-
al defense, which consisted of twelve
of the best known members of the op-
position under the empire. Among them
were such famous names as Leon
Gambetta, Jules Simon, Jules Favre
and General Trochu. Eleven of the
twelve are dead now, and most of
them are forgotten. The last survivor
is Henri Rochefort, who in his time
has been journalist, convict, member of
the government and Boulangier.

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DAY.

And the worst of it is you are a
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Chicago, Jan. 20.—An actual
clash between Boer and Briton hap-
pened last evening when a young
Englishwoman, Miss May Bellotti,
publicly horsewhipped Gen. Ben. J.
Viljoen at the entrance of the Coli-
seum on Wabash avenue. Gen. Vil-
joen was her former lover, and she
claims he flitted her in the most
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Will cure the conditions causing
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Murderer Blown From Cannon.
Peshawar, Jan. 20.—The Ameer of
Afghanistan ordered Reshader
Samin Jan, the murderer of the
German engineer, Herr Fleischer, to
be blown from a cannon's mouth on
the spot where he committed the
crime.

THE GREATEST FAMILY REMEDY
And one well known in most Cana-
dian homes is Nerviline, a perfect
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Charge of Grape Shot Might
Have Wiped Out Romanoffs.

Some of the Bullets Struck the Facade
of the Winter Palace Where the Czar
Was Officiating in the Festival of the
Epiphany—Emperor Nicholas Displayed
splendid Nerve—Official Account—
An Inquiry Instituted.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 20.—The festi-
val of the Epiphany, the blessing
of the waters, had just concluded at
one o'clock yesterday afternoon when
simultaneously with the salute fired
from the St. Peter and St. Paul
fortresses either a rain of bullets or a
grape shell swept over the little
chapel built out from the frozen Neva
in front of the Winter Palace, where
Emperor Nicholas and every member
of the Romanoff family were partici-
pating in the service. The missile
went high, entering windows of the
splendid row of salons along the
waterfront from which the Emper-
ess, the ladies of the court and the
members of the diplomatic corps and
the high dignitaries of the State,
army and navy were witnessing the
glittering spectacle below. Fortu-
nately the bullets passed over the
heads of all present striking the op-
posite wall and clattering down on
the parqueted floor of the white sal-
on.

Czar's Splendid Nerve.
Although the actual ceremony was
ended the Emperor Nicholas and ac-
companied the Metropolitan and
clergy as they circled the pavilion
around the chapel to bless the gor-
geous standards of the famous guard
regiments assembled there. Then the
procession moved back to the palace,
and the original program was car-
ried out. The Emperor displayed
splendid nerve. He did not show a
trace of excitement or alarm. He re-
ceived the diplomats in his cordi-
al, gentle manner, reviewed the
guard regiments on the square be-
hind the palace and subsequently
had luncheon served in the State din-
ing-room.

Czar Had An Escape.
Additional particulars show that
the Emperor had a miraculous es-
cape. There is no longer any doubt
that the missiles came from a gun
of the Bourse battery, which was
loaded with grape. Several bullets
actually struck the little open
chapel in which His Majesty was
standing, cut the staff of one of the
standards and fairly riddled the base-
ment windows of the palace, killing
a policeman outright, and wounding
an officer and three marines. Had
the gun been aimed a little lower,
the charge of grape might have wiped
out the whole Romanoff dynasty.

The Associated Press obtained the
following statement from the police
at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon:
Came From Battery.
"With the second or third shot
from the Bourse Battery on Basil
Island a very large quantity of grape
shot struck the chapel of the Emper-
or. Two entered the interior where
the Emperor was standing. The bullets
had a very low velocity. The two
which entered the chapel fell harm-
lessly to the floor. Several policemen
about the chapel were struck. With
the exception of one man named Ro-
manoff, who was severely wounded,
they all escaped with contusions. An
inquiry is being conducted by the
Grand Duke, Sergius Michaelovitch,
inspector general of artillery. It has
not yet been established whether it
was an accident or due to pre-
meditation."

The Official Account.
The official account is: "During the
ceremony of the blessing of the wa-
ters of the Neva yesterday, in the
presence of the Emperor, as the usur-
al salute was being fired, an acci-
dent happened. A charge of grape,
instead of a saluting charge, was fired
from a gun belonging to one of the
batteries stationed near the Bourse.
Some bullets struck the facade of
the Winter Palace near the Emper-
or's quarters, breaking four win-
dows. A policeman belonging to the
St. Petersburg force was wounded.
According to the information to
hand at present, no other accident
occurred. Inquiry continued."

It is now stated in official circles
that the grape was fired from one
of the guns of the 17th Battery of
the Horse Artillery of the Guard,
the most aristocratic corps in the
Russian army. It seems that at gun
practice on Tuesday a loaded shell
was inadvertently left in the gun.
Officers and Men Confined.
The officers and men of the battery
have not been arrested, but are con-
fined to barracks, and by the mili-
tary regulations are so closely under
restraint that it is impossible for the
culprit or culprits to escape until the
responsibility is determined.

Two investigations are proceeding
independently, and both are guarded
with the utmost secrecy.

On Verge of Revolution.

London, Jan. 20.—The London pa-
pers to-day, and their St. Peters-
burg correspondents, take the gravest
view of the internal conditions in
Russia.

The majority express the belief
that yesterday's incident was a pre-
meditated attempt on the life of
the Emperor Nicholas and maintain
that the strike is much more a po-
litical than an industrial movement.
In short, they consider that every
sign makes it apparent that the Em-
pire is on the verge of a revolution.
It is alleged that the St. Peters-
burg manufacturers have decided to
reject the strikers' demands, and that
the Orthodox priest, Father Gopon,
the picturesque figure who has con-
stituted himself the leader of the
strike movement, and possesses the
men's complete sympathy, threatens
to march on Sunday at the head of
100,000 strikers to the Winter Pal-
ace, with a petition for political
rights, and that he will refuse to de-
part until the document is presented
to the Emperor.

May Become General Strike.
St. Petersburg, Jan. 20.—The

A FREE PACKAGE

I want every person
who is bilious or has any
stomach or liver ail-
ment to send for a free
package of my Paw-Paw
Pills. I want to prove
that they positively cure
indigestion, flatulency,
headache, nervousness,
sleeplessness, and are
an infallible cure for
constipation. To do this
I am willing to give
millions of free pack-
ages of the pills all the
time. Sold by druggists
and sent by mail. For
free package address:

MUNYON'S
PAW-PAW
PILLS
MUNYON, Philadelphia

strike situation is causing much ac-
tiveness. There are indications of its
spreading toward a general synap-
thetic strike.

Determined efforts are being made
to cut out all the factory workers in
St. Petersburg, numbering sever-
al hundreds of thousands, including
the employees of the Russian West-
inghouse Company.

Paying the Price.
Toronto, Jan. 20.—Albert Corbett,
aged 16, to the Industrial School
for three years; James Tracy, aged
19, to the Central Prison for 18
months, and John Riley, aged 18, to
the central for two years, were the
sentences awarded yesterday by
Judge Morgan. The trio are house-
breakers.

Arch Enemy of Mankind

WHO IT IS AND HOW TO ESCAPE
HIS CLUTCHES.

SAVE YOURSELF TO-DAY.

The arch enemy of human life is
not Satan, but Pneumonia.
Consumption may number its thou-
sands, but Pneumonia its tens of
thousands; and, besides, it's much
quicker in doing its deadly work.
It strikes like cold, gets pneumonia-
ia and dies in a few days.

The only safeguard is Stuart's Cat-
arrh Tablets.
They will, if taken in time, pre-
vent pneumonia from developing.
But, of course, if you wait too late,
from a really bad attack, nothing
can save you.

That's why we lay so much stress
on the fact that a common cold is
such a dangerous thing to neglect.
You never know what may come
of it.

And nowadays, when we have at
hand, in Stuart's Catarrh Tablets,
such a safe, certain and perfect cure
for a cold, there is no excuse what-
ever for letting it run along.
Stuart's Catarrh Tablets not di-
rectly upon the mucous membranes
of the throat, but in the inflamma-
tion which is generally called "catarrh"
which inflammation is nearly always
caused, in the first place, by a cold.
As soon as you begin to sneeze,
cough and have a sore throat, be-
gin to run, fly for relief to Stuart's Cat-
arrh Tablets, they will not fail you.

Cases of chronic, long-standing cat-
arrh trouble, accompanied by dis-
charge from the nose, inflamed throat,
coughing, hawking, spitting, offensive
breath, indigestion, irritation of the
stomach and bowels, are also easily
cured by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.
In cases of long standing, however,
a cure cannot be expected in a day,
as it will take some time to build up
the weakened and flabby membranes
to their original tonic state of health.
No other tablets, or any other
medicine, will give you the real, pos-
itive, permanently curative results
that Stuart's will.

No other tablets, or any other
medicine, will give you the real, pos-
itive, permanently curative results
that Stuart's will.

All druggists sell them at 50 cents
a box.

Nothing to Fear.
Lawyer—Did the defendant to your
knowledge ever indicate another per-
son? Witness—Yes. Once I heard
him ask a woman her age.

A love of justice is simply in a ma-
jority of men the fear of suffering in-
justice.—La Rochefoucauld.

The popular view of the relation of
the blood to human character and
conduct is marked in many a fami-
ly expression. We speak of there be-
ing "bad blood" between people at
enmity, of "blue blood" as indicating
nobility, of "black blood" as describ-
ing a treacherous nature, and in
many another phrase mark our be-
lief that in the mental, moral and
physical life, the blood is the life.
The one basis of a healthy, happy
and useful life is pure blood. With
the blood pure, disease has no per-
manent lodging place in the system.
For this reason, the use of Dr.
Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery
rides the body of diseases which have
their origin in impurity of the blood.
It absolutely purifies the blood, car-
rying off the waste and poisonous
matter, increasing the action of the
blood making glands, and building up
the body by supplying the blood in
quantity such as is essential to a
condition of health. It saves ninety
eight people out of every hundred
who give it a fair trial.

Time marches on with a sneer for
those who try to hold it in check.

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North Western Line runs through
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ing cars to points in California and
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Lowest rates. Choice of routes.
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Some sins show a soft heart rather
than a hard heart.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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PERT PARAGRAPHS.

A man can run for office without
money, but not far.

Trouble can't trouble long the man
with a good digestion.

Can you imagine a patron tipping the
waiter in one of these raw food restau-
rants?

A man will cheerfully acknowledge
his mistake if he made wrong change
in the other fellow's favor.

The pessimist
with a pile of
money is the
most useless crea-
ture on earth.

Faith is some-
thing that is easy
to find and hard
to lose.

It is unlucky to see a bill collector
over your left shoulder.

They never call it a match factory
because a matrimonial bureau sounds
so much nicer.

A bad habit is much harder to get rid
of than a bad dollar.

Talk about the first baby's nose get-
ting out of joint when the second baby
comes, it is nothing to what happens
to the husband and father when the
first baby drops around.

A man can generally file down his
conscience to fit whatever brings him
in a profit.

Chained Down.
A poem or a story.
Up where the peaks were dizzy,
And leave behind a noble name
To keep the goings by.
And, daily thwarted, he grew sadder
Because he couldn't find a ladder.

He noticed other play the part—
Observed of the observing—
His wife said were not half so smart
Nor nearly so deserving.

While he seemed doomed to be a dweller
Just one small flight above the cellar.

He longed to write a noble play,
A poem or a story.
But couldn't think of things to say,
Which shut that gate to glory.

And so he'd sit up nights to ponder
How to reach the heights up yonder.
On how to reach the heights up yonder.

As insects build up combs,
But still he couldn't find the way
To where they gave out laurel.

And all that he was ever able
To do was run a lively stable.

Cooking For Thrashers.
Women city reared may have their
little pleasures that are all right in
their way, but they never know the
joy of cooking for thrashers.

When a gang of men who have been
toying all day with wheat sheaves and
grain sacks sit down to a grunting ta-
ble, you understand why it grained as
soon as you see them attempt the im-
possible task of filling their faces.

By the time they are through the
festive board looks as though the Jap-
anese army had swept over it, follow-
ed closely by a Kansas cyclone, for
thrashers are just bright enough to
know that food is put on the table for
the purpose of being eaten.

When one small woman who weighs
about ninety in the shade has cooked
for a gang of thrashers and washed
the dishes for about a week she feels
that she has had fun enough for one
year and has earned a ticket to the
circus.

Getting the Effect.

"I wonder how it feels to be a poet?"
"Were you never busted, with the
rent and the gas bill both overdue?"

Seeking Information.
"Mr. Latetayer, do you intend to
marry big sister?" pointedly asked the
young irrepressible when he by a little
stratagem caught the young man alone.

"Well," replied the suitor, "I must
say that is a rather embarrassing ques-
tion."

"I suppose it is, but pa said he would
give a nickel to know, and I am out
after that bunch of money."

She Needs It.
"Laws against carrying concealed
weapons should be rigidly enforced."
"Oh, I don't know. It would be a
great cruelty to deprive women of their
tongues."

Important Catch.
"Jackson has just returned from a
fishing trip."
"Did he catch anything?"
"Only the train for home."

Unlabeled.
"Who goes there, friend or foe?"
called the man in the darkness.
"Neither: it's your wife, you old fool!"
came the reply.

An Addition.
"All is fair in love and war."
"Yes, and in gentlemen's agree-
ments."

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It never fails to cure a SIMPLE
COLD, HEAVY COLD, and
all BRONCHIAL TROU-
BLES.
Large Bottles \$1.00. Medium Size 50c.
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Endorsed by all who have tried it.

Front Sharing Up to Date.

Up Boston way a well known retail
furnishing goods store has introduced
a decidedly novel system of refunding
money to purchasers. A few days ago
this New England enterprise an-
nounced that in honor of its 15th
anniversary a departure from conven-
tional methods would be made. The
annual date was duly observed by of-
fering something for nothing in every
department. In other words, "extra
special" bargains were available at ev-
ery counter.

On the morrow this proclamation
was published:

"Lucky day was yesterday. All por-
sons having made purchases in our
store on November — upon presenta-
tion of their sale slips will receive back
in cash every cent spent here on that
day. Present them at the cashier's
desk. The treat is on us. This is our
birthday gift to you."

Can "down east" be eclipsed?—New
York Press.

Nothing Else

So Good as Bu-Ju.

READ WHAT MRS. S. JONES OF 5

CARLISLE ST., TORONTO, SAYS:
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Clifford Chemical Co., Windsor, Ont.:

Gentlemen: I have had no benefit
from anything I have taken equal to
"Bu-Ju." I have received great relief
and trust that by continuing I shall
entirely lose the Rheumatism from
which I have suffered so long. I shall
do my best to tell my friends.

Yours truly,
MRS. S. JONES.

Mrs. Jones has gone through the ex-
perience of thousands of others. She
has suffered as millions of patient
women are suffering all over the
world until they find the proper reme-
dy. Mrs. Jones found it in Bu-Ju, the
Kidney Pills, and naturally feels like
telling her friends and the public gen-
erally of the benefit she received so
that they too may be cured.
Rheumatism is only one of the many
maladies that result from disordered
kidneys and Bu-Ju is an infallible cure
for Rheumatism if taken as directed.
All druggists sell Bu-Ju. Do not con-
tinue to suffer; try it and you will
be benefited.

Great Men.
It is a matter of common observation
that at the passing of the great men of
each generation there is a pessimistic
feeling prevalent that "there were giants
in those days." But the feeling
has never had any warrant in the ac-
tual deficiencies of the coming gen-
erations. Orators have come and gone,
and statesmen have come and gone,
and sometimes their immediate suc-
cessors have not been discernible. But
in time the men have emerged who
have taken their places and who have
improved upon the patterns they left.

Suffered Intense Pain
Around The Heart For<

TO OVERAWE STRIKERS

Russia Takes Drastic Means to Keep Down Workmen.

Official Petition From Suffering Workmen Begging the Czar's Mercy—Prayer to Die if Not Relieved From Present Disabilities—Over 100,000 Men Now "On Half the City in Darkness, and Newspapers Closed Down."

St. Petersburg, Jan. 21.—With the Russian capital seemingly on the verge of an imminent revolution, thousands of workmen parading the streets, agitators and fanatics sowing the seeds of disorder, half the city in darkness and without fire protection owing to walk-outs, the situation was hourly growing more desperate when the authorities decided last night to adopt energetic measures to preserve order, prevent rioting and over-awe the violent-minded, and the same time seeking to placate the striking workmen by offering satisfaction to their demands in so far as they were just and reasonable, thus acting with combined firmness and moderation.

Increase City Garrison.
The government last night augmented the garrison of the city with 2,500 cavalry and 1,000 infantry from Tsarok-Selo and filled the streets, especially in the disaffected quarters, with heavy patrols of soldiers. The refusal to permit a demonstration of workmen to present a petition to the Emperor at Tsarok-Selo made it known that the great demonstration planned for Sunday, with its unlimited procession, and an outbreak will not be permitted to take place.

Will Offer Compensation.
At the same time, acting in conjunction with a conference of employers, it has been determined to offer concessions in the terms of employment which the employers declared the great majority of the workmen would be inclined to accept if they were guaranteed protection from the more violent faction. Late last night, when the petition to the Emperor was rejected, the workmen, the leader of the workmen, had been quietly spirited away from his headquarters and taken into custody in furtherance of the plan to disorganize the elements that are threatening the peace of the city.

Even Expect Peace.
The authorities believe that by these steps they have the situation well in hand, and announce that they expect a peaceful solution of the problem. The situation had entered an acute stage yesterday and the strike had assumed an open political phase. The day was one of intense excitement. Mill after mill and factory after factory closed. Thousands of workmen paraded the streets, and when their colleagues refused to join them broke down gates and forced out the men. The whole industrial life of the city was paralyzed and every printing office in St. Petersburg was closed.

Over 100,000 Men Out.
One electric light plant and one water plant have shut down and over 100,000 men are out. Throughout the day workmen's meetings were held, at which incendiary speeches were made and the wildest threats being uttered as to what would come if the authorities and employers failed to meet their demands. The general dread was increased by reports that the workmen in the wildest districts had killed, killed and other large cities in the interior might join in the movement. While the Government and employers temporized the telegraphers and railway employees threatened to join the strike, paralyzing the communications of the country. Many foreigners are preparing to send their families abroad. A newspaper in St. Petersburg has been forced to suspend publication owing to the strike.

Proclamation Issued.
St. Petersburg, Jan. 21.—A proclamation has been issued this morning forbidding all assemblies, parades or other demonstrations in the city, and warning all persons to abstain from any acts of violence and other private individuals to avoid gatherings, as the authorities are determined to break up and disperse meetings imperilling public safety. The proclamation is printed in The Police Messenger, which is the only publication appearing this morning, the police having forced the printers to remain at work until the paper appeared.

WANT CHANCE TO LIVE

Russian Workmen Petition to the Czar in Present Crisis.

The following is the text of the strikers' petition to the Emperor:
"Sir, We, workmen, inhabitants of St. Petersburg of all classes, our wives and children and indigent parents, come to you, our sovereign, asking for protection. We are poor, persecuted, burdened by labor beyond our strength. We are insulted, treated not as men, but as slaves, we are taught to bear their cruel fate in silence. We have no voice in the laws which plunge deeper in the mire and deprive of our rights. Uninstructed, afflicted by destitution and injustice, we are perishing. We have no strength left."
"Sir, we have arrived at the extreme limits of endurance, we have reached the terrible moment when death is to be preferred to continuation of our intolerable sufferings. We have left our work and informed our employers that we will not remain until our demands are conceded. We have not asked much; we have asked but for means of livelihood, without which life is a burden, and labor continual torture. Our great request is that our masters should investigate our case. They have refused. We have been denied the right to put forward our claim, it being held that such right is not recognized by law."

"After referring to the eight hours day and other points of their case, the petitioners continue: "Any one of us who dared raise his voice in the interests of people of the working classes, has been thrown into prison or transported. Kindness and good feeling have been treated as a crime. The bureaucracy has brought the country to the verge of ruin in a shameful way. It is hating it to its downfall. We have no voice in the heavy burdens imposed; we do not know for whom or why this money is wrung from an impoverished people, and we do not know how it is expended. This state of things is contrary to divine laws, renders life impossible. It were better that we should all perish, we workers and all Russia. Then good luck to capitalists and exploiters and poor, corrupt officials, robbers of the Russian people."
Assembled before the palace, we plead our salvation. Refuse not thine aid and raise thy people from their tomb. Give them means of working out their own destiny. Rescue them from intolerable official domination. Throw down the wall that separates free thy people; order that they may rule the country with thee. Create for the people the happiness wrenched from us, leaving us nothing but sorrow and humiliation."
"We pray your Majesty graciously to receive our demands, which are inspired by a desire for your Majesty's and our welfare, and the consciousness of necessity of escape from an intolerable situation. Russia is too great and her needs are too varied and numerous for officials only to rule. National representation is indispensable, as only the people themselves know the country's real needs."

Cannot Reach the Czar.

The above petition was to have been presented personally to Emperor Nicholas. A detachment of workmen endeavored to see His Majesty at Tsarok-Selo, and appeal to him to come to the winter palace Sunday, to be present at an immense demonstration of the industrial classes. It was planned to have all the workmen in St. Petersburg, headed by their leader, the priest Gapon, in full gorgeous garb, march to the palace and assemble in the great parade ground in front of the palace and there present the petition to His Majesty. The demonstration, however, will be refused admission to the Tsarok-Selo. The Government believes this will render a meeting on Sunday impossible.

Princesses Plead for Justice.

Princesses Dronskaya, Sakolskaya, Oubanski, Kinskaya and Shamskaya, representing the nobility of the Government, of Minsk, have petitioned the Minister of the Interior Sviatopolk-Mirsky on behalf of whole of the northwestern districts of Russia for equal rights for all nationalities and classes in the Empire. The Minister has replied that the question has already been decided.

TO INVESTIGATE.

Origin of the Firing Mystery Related to a Special Commission.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 21.—A special commission under the presidency of Gen. Ktiro, commander of the Artillery Corps of the Guards, has been appointed to investigate the origin of the firing of Thursday. The report published in America by a news agency of the suicide of a battery commander of the Winter Guard, from which the shot is supposed to have been fired, is unfounded.

In the midst of the fever of excitement yesterday over the strike situation, the shooting of the Winter Guard on Thursday is attracting secondary consideration. Sensational reports of a widespread conspiracy and wholesale disaffection in the army seem to be absolutely without foundation.

Mission That Missed Aim.
Grand Duke Sergius Mikhailovitch, in his preliminary report, shows that the calson of the battery contained charges of grape in readiness for a possible emergency, such as to take the streets in case of rioting, one of which was introduced in the gun, in front of the saluting guard. The guards are under arrest and their antecedents are being examined, and it is impossible to learn whether anything important has yet been discovered.

The military authorities are inclined to believe that the incident was the work of two men, one of whom inserted the missiles while the other trained the gun.

British Steamer New Condemned.

Nagasaki, Jan. 21.—The British steamer Lethington has been condemned by the naval prize court at Sasebo. The Lethington was captured on Jan. 12 on the Tushima Straits with a cargo of coal said to be for Vladivostok.

To Dam Port Arthur Harbor.

Tokio, Jan. 21.—It has been proposed to dam Port Arthur harbor at the entrance and pump out the water preparatory to saving the Russian war vessels.

Rescued On Way to Marseille.

Shanghai, Jan. 21.—General Stoussel and the large number of paroled officers and others who arrived here Thursday on board the French steamer "Audouin," left Shanghai yesterday for Marseille.

Nearly 20,000 Kow Hiks.

Tokio, Jan. 21.—It is stated that there are 18,558 sick and wounded Russian prisoners at Port Arthur. Of these 3,657 are connected with the navy.

Celebrate Fall of Port Arthur.

Tokio, Jan. 21.—The business men of this city celebrated the capture of Port Arthur yesterday. Speeches were made by the premier, Count Katsura, Vice-Admiral Togo and the Ministers of War and the Navy.

Jap Guns Added To.

Huanshan, Jan. 21.—A considerable increase has been noticeable the last few days in the range of Japanese artillery. This fact affords ground for the belief that part of the heavy guns used in the siege of Port Arthur have been sent north.

CHRONIC WRONGDOING

Balkan Committee Wants U.S. Aid For Turkish Reforms.

Indicates That Britain May Take Measures to Make Them Effective, and Committee Asks President Roosevelt For American Support in Reference to Armenia and Macedonia—Conditions Call For Interference of Civilized Nations.

London, Jan. 21.—The Balkan committee, of which Jas. Bryce is president, is memorializing President Roosevelt, by letter, urging American support of any action Great Britain may take tending to bring about more effective reforms in the Christian Provinces of Turkey.

The memorial refers to the President's remarks in his recent message to Congress regarding Turkey and Armenia, saying that conditions in the Macedonia Provinces call for no less active interference on the part of civilized nations, and concludes: "If you in behalf of American people would make known your approval of such proposals and intentions to co-operate with and support the British Government, with or without the active support of other powers, you would thereby strengthen the hands of the British Government and the determination of the British people and thus secure that real reform which to our American kinsfolk in itself is desirable for the simple and sufficient reason contained in your message to Congress, namely, the cessation of chronic wrongdoing."

C.P.R. SCALE OF INCREASES.

Despatchers and Telegraphers Get Advances of From \$2 to \$10.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—C. P. R. despatchers and operators appear to be well satisfied with the result of the protracted negotiations on the score of wage increases. The advances run all the way from \$2 to \$10 per month.

On the main lines east of Chalk River, first year despatchers will now get \$100 per month, with an increase of \$5 for the second and \$10 for the third years.

On the branch lines, first year despatchers are to receive \$90, with increases as above.

West of Chalk River, the scale is \$105, \$110 and \$120 for the three years, while for White River and west it is \$110, \$115 and \$125.

For telegraphers other than train despatchers and linemen, \$45 will be the minimum for agents and operators on the main line east of Chalk River, with \$43 on branch lines, with dwelling, light and fuel included.

Without these latter, the minimum will be \$50 and \$45 respectively. Telegraph operators will not get less than \$45 on the main line and \$43 on the branches, while the minimum for linemen on both main and branch lines is \$47.

West of Chalk River, \$47 is the least for an agent and operator, and west of Carleton Place, with, in each case, the added items above referred to. Without them the minimum is \$52 and \$58 respectively, and for telegraph operators \$47 and \$53.

Linemen in either of the two districts will receive \$60 as the lowest. Train despatchers will be allowed three weeks vacation yearly, and other telegraphers of four or more years' service two weeks.

The revised salary scale for relief telegraphers shows a substantial advance.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any information that will lead to the capture of the man who cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

POLLING PLACES

The following are the polling subdivisions for the city and the deputy returning officers who have been assigned to each division:

1—Thompson's, Head street, N. E. Rutherford.

1B—Geo. Keeley's, Head street; Peter McNaughton.

2—Scott's office, Thames street; John Ferguson.

3—Police Station; Col. Martin.

4—Frank Snook's grocery, Adelaide street; A. J. Wilson.

5—Mr. Willie's house, Colborne street; E. B. Smith.

6—Moore's School House, King and Princess streets; Joseph F. Scott.

7—Old Town Hall; Alex. Hall.

8—Office of Aitken and Wilson; J. U. Thibodeau.

9—Olderhaw's office; A. H. White.

10—Harry Jacques' grocery; C. R. Hancock.

11—McKay's candy store, Queen street; Fred Olderhaw.

12—Mrs. Calvey's house; John R. Snell.

13—Mrs. Lawrence's house, William street; Joseph Stirling.

14—Waterhouse's bakery; W. O. Bentley.

15—Patrick Kelly's house, Pine street; James Northwood.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

LAURIER AND ROSS.

Dominion and Ontario Premiers Speak From the Same Platform—Former Says He Believes in the Latter.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The fact that the Premiers of Canada and Ontario appeared last night on the same platform, drew one of the largest political gatherings ever held here. The Russell Theatre was crowded with about 2,500, including many ladies, and then the doors were closed. Several hundred were turned away. The candidates, Messrs. May and Laurier, spoke briefly, after which Sir Wilfrid was called on.

Speaks As An Elector.

Sir Wilfrid was cheered to the echo. In fact he got an even greater ovation than Premier Ross, although the latter evoked considerable enthusiasm at different times in his speech. Sir Wilfrid said that as a citizen of Ottawa he was an elector of Ontario. As such he had certain duties to perform, and in the performance of them he was there to say a good word for the man who he said "had not been carried away from his moorings by the campaign of mud-slinging." Since Confederation, Sir Wilfrid said, the Conservatives have always been the party of campaign, vilification and abuse of Liberal leaders while in the active arena and eulogization after the fact. Mr. Ross, he said, was getting the same treatment. He would hoped the people of Ontario would pay no more attention to the cry this time than they had in the past.

Believes Him Honest.

He believed Mr. Ross was an honest man, and that it was not his fault that there had been ballot irregularities, but now that such have been brought to light it was his duty to reform them. In conclusion, Sir Wilfrid said he had read the press on both sides of politics, and had seen nothing to cause Liberals to transfer their allegiance to Mr. Ross. He would be said, stood by his old friend, Hon. G. W. Ross, and would give him his vote on Jan. 25.

Hon. George W. Ross was also given a great ovation when he rose to speak. He dealt lightly with the charges of corruption, did not even mention Gage, and made the plea that while the Liberals admitted there had been improper practices the other side was as bad or worse. He decried the Conservatives to any act of maladministration or any corruption directly traceable to the Government, and repeated the charge that the Conservatives are devoid of a policy.

Coalition Not Authorized.

Referring to the overtures for coalition made to J. P. Whitney by Hon. J. M. Gibson, the Premier said that while a crisis may arise when men should put aside their political prejudices and unite to save the State, the overtures to Mr. Whitney were wholly unauthorized. Mr. Gibson, he said, had been one of a number of Liberals who considered coalition with the Conservatives as their only chance of saving the country. Mr. Whitney without any authority from the Premier or any obligation on his part to abide by anything that might have been proposed "regarding our integrity," he said in conclusion, "but don't forget in the hurry-gurdy cry of corruption that no man's castle has been attacked, no religion assailed, but that everywhere there was one object, one motto, to build up Ontario."

Huber Claims the Seat.

Berlin, Jan. 21.—There was considerable excitement yesterday, caused by the report that the nomination proceedings on Wednesday were irregular, and that according to the Electoral Act the independent candidate was elected by acclamation. It is claimed by the independent candidate, Allen Huber, that according to the act the returning officer should have allowed only one hour for the election, whereas he allowed three hours, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.; that there were no nominations handed in to the returning officer within the first hour after his nomination, thus electing him by acclamation, and that his nomination was in at 11:02. The facts of the matter are these: The returning officer allowed three hours for nominations, between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. According to the time taken by the returning officer, the returning officer's clerk, he received Mr. Huber's nomination paper at 11:20, Mr. Moore's at 11:55 and Dr. Lachner's at 12:15, all of which were within the hour after the preceding one. No stool is being taken in Mr. Huber's contention.

Backed Out Howard.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—Albert E. Hacker has been appointed by the Ontario Government, license inspector for the City of Toronto, in the place of Fred G. Inwood, who resigned to accept the secretaryship of the Ontario Liberal Association. Mr. Hacker's appointment dates from Jan. 13 and he will start on his duties at once. The salary is \$1,400 a year. Mr. Hacker has been twenty years with Hunter, Rose & Co., and is a member of Typographical Union.

Married One Too Many.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—John Harry Haines is accused of bigamy. Annie Mary Haight married him at Richmond Hill, July 23, 1896, and in 1904 he married Emily Howlett of Newmarket, but deserted her. Her action for non-support attracted the attention of his first wife. Haines is a brakeman. He was remanded for a week.

Rescued Committed.

Philadelphia, Jan. 21.—Gesseler House, in which a possession an infernal machine was found, was given a hearing yesterday and committed to prison to await requisition papers from New York.

Expelled From the Union.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 21.—Delegate Randall of Wyoming, who charged President Mitchell with having sold out to Colorado miners, was yesterday expelled from the United Mine Workers of America.

ICE CARNIVAL

Brilliant and Delightful Scenes at the Regiment Rink Last Night—The Prize Winners.

The skating carnival, under the auspices of the Non-Coms. of the 24th Regiment, at their rink on Teumseh Park last evening, proved a unique, brilliant, and altogether delightful affair.

The rink was prettily decorated and brightly lighted, and during the evening a fine Regimentsal Band discoursed excellent music. Long before the hour of commencement the rink was thronged with interested spectators and much interest was taken in the carnival.

There were over fifty costumed entries and the task that confronted the judges was a most intricate one. Lieut. Col. J. B. Rankin, Geo. S. Hayward and John Waddell were the judges, and amid the animated and enhancing scenes it must have been a difficult task to make selections.

Finally, however, the awards were made as follows:—

Best lady skater—Miss Ruby Gordon, Wallingford, representing a mountaineer.

Best dressed lady—Mrs. Wake, as a flower girl.

Best dressed gentleman—T. Stephenson, as a Mandarin.

Most humorous representation—Fred Sheldon as a travelling minstrel.

Special Prize—Mrs. Mallory, of Detroit, as a Hindu.

Among the other representations were his Satanic Majesty, Rip Van Winkle, the Fencing Girl, Fairy Queen, Japanese Girl, Clowns, Dutchmen, Indians, Court Jester, etc., etc.

The carnival was such a pronounced success and so thoroughly enjoyed that it is hoped that the Regiment will hold another before the end of the season.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Quote Refrigerator Beef Higher—Hog Market in U. S.

London, Jan. 20.—Live cattle are quoted at 11c to 12 1/2c per lb.; refrigerator beef at 10 1/2c to 10 1/4c per lb.; sheep at 12 1/2c to 13 1/2c per lb.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

Receipts of live stock at the city market were eight cars—94 cattle, 196 hogs, 71 sheep and 8 calves.

TORONTO JUNCTION LIVE STOCK.

Receipts for Thursday and Friday were 10 cars—170 cattle, 107 sheep, 489 hogs and 1 horse.

Total receipts for the week were 60 cars—100 cattle, 80 sheep and lambs, 480 hogs and 1 horse.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

Jan. 20.—Receipts, 400 head; fairly active; largely steady; prime steers, \$10 to \$12; shipping, \$4.75 to \$5.25; butchers, \$4.25 to \$5.10; heifers, \$3.50 to \$4.75; cows, \$2.50 to \$4.15; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.25.

Veals—Receipts, 500 head; active; 25c to 50c higher; \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Hog—Receipts, 1,200 head; active; 5c to 10c higher; heavy, \$4.85 to \$4.90; mixed, \$4.80 to \$4.85; Yorkers, \$4.65 to \$4.80; pigs, \$4.50 to \$4.60; rough, \$3.90 to \$4.50; stags, \$2.75 to \$3.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,000 head; active; lambs and yearlings, 10c to 12c higher; native lambs, \$6.50 to \$7.75; Canada lambs, \$7.25 to \$7.50; yearlings, \$6.50 to \$6.80; ewes, \$5 to \$6; wethers, \$3 to \$5.50; sheep, mixed, \$2.20 to \$3.75.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Jan. 20.—Beaves—Receipts, 1,000; steady, slow; lower; bulls and steers, \$5.75 to \$6.75; cows, \$5.75 to \$6.75; mixed, \$5.75 to \$6.75; exports to-morrow, 500 beaves and 500 quarters of beef to 85 cents; stags, \$2.75 to \$3.25.

Calves—Receipts, 85; veals, about steady; quality considered; western and Maryland calves, \$4.50 to \$5.50; rough, \$4.45 to \$4.55; light, \$4.40 to \$4.55; bulk of sales, \$4.50 to \$4.60.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,000; good to choice vealers, \$3 to \$6.00; fair to good, \$2.50 to \$4.00; native lambs, \$5.75 to \$7.75.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; good to prime steers, \$5.70 to \$6.25; poor to medium, \$5.70 to \$5.80; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; mixed and butchers, \$4.40 to \$4.50; heavy, \$4.40 to \$4.50; light, \$4.40 to \$4.50; rough, heavy, \$4.45 to \$4.55; light, \$4.40 to \$4.55; bulk of sales, \$4.50 to \$4.60.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,000; good to choice vealers, \$3 to \$6.00; fair to good, \$2.50 to \$4.00; native lambs, \$5.75 to \$7.75.

Canada May Now Compete.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 21.—It is a queer wind that does not blow good words from the mouth of P. W. Mackenzie, vice-president of the Dominion Coal Co., stated yesterday that should the present strike of the German coal miners continue, it will probably have the effect of increasing prices of coal in this country.

The strike has already raised the price of British coal considerably, and if the strike continues the result will be that British ships, which carry cargoes of coal as ballast to Canadian ports at a low rate, which, on account of the preference, can be landed here with profit, competing successfully with the Canadian article, will be unable to obtain their coal at a cheap enough rate to render it profitable to export hither.

Contract For Big Smelter.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—Mackenzie & Mann have made a contract for the erection of a pig iron smelter at Port Arthur with a capacity of from 150 to 300 tons daily, and to be ready by Oct. 1. The smelter is to aid in the development of their iron properties along the O.N.R., between Port Frances and Port Arthur. About 1,000 men will be employed in the enterprise.

LADIES LOOK YOUNGER.

Which is the desire of one and all. Take the trouble of visiting Prof. Dorenweld's private show rooms, at Garner House, Chatham, on Wednesday, Jan. 25th, and see the many beautiful creations in Styles of Home Hair Coverings, Wigs, Bangs, Switches, etc. Remember, only one day, at Garner House, Jan. 25th.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

LOOK FORWARD

Storms will come and that overcoat you've tried to make do may be done. We are making things lively in the overcoat section just now, and we think we can prove to you that this is the proper time to buy an overcoat. If price has anything to do with it you will certainly have to give in. Styles are just as good as ever, and there are plenty to choose from.

\$15.00 Overcoats for \$10.00

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only taxes estates worth \$100,000—a manifest inaccuracy which Mr. Pike at the close of the meeting took care to point out, since succession duties were charged on estates even below \$10,000. Dr. Samson was repeatedly interrupted, and at one juncture Mr. Pike had to request the audience to let him go on with his speech.

L. J. Reycraft followed. He made the statement that the government had no connection with the Sullivan timber limit deal—a declaration which the audience howled down. Mr. Reycraft had great difficulty in going on with his speech, and Mr. Pike had again to interfere on his behalf.

At the close of the meeting the cheers for Bowyer completely eclipsed the feeble efforts of Mr. Cochrane's supporters. The meeting was overwhelmingly for Bowyer.