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Our buyer has just returned from a ten day trip through Canadian factories and wholesale houses and literally tons of goods are following him to Chatham. These purchases of Canadian domestics, together with our enormous importations from the Old Country go to make up a stock superior in every respect to any we have ever shown.

New Dress Goods New Furs
New Linens New Linoleums New
Oil Cloths New Carpets New
Curtains New Gloves and Hosiery
New Silks New Draperies
New Blankets New Comforters

Everything new and interesting throughout our big store, and we are anxious to show you through. Come and see us.

DRESSMAKING

Our Dressmaking Department, under the management of MADAME SKIRVING, is now open. As usual, orders will receive careful and prompt attention.

As the manager of our new dressmaking department we are this season introducing Miss Wright. Miss Wright has been eminently successful in her dressmaking career, and we recommend her with every confidence to our customers. In this department we make suits, costumes and dresses at \$5.00 to \$7.50, and make a specialty of shirt waists and separate skirts.

SPECIAL NOTE: Please note that we do not make up in either dressmaking department materials purchased outside the store.

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When you get inside of a Piccadilly Suit

IN our new line for Fall and Winter you'll find that individuality and smartness found only in high-priced garments. They appeal strongly to the wise man, because they are honestly and carefully made, which means durability and satisfaction to the wearer. It will be decidedly to your interest as a buyer of Men's Clothing to examine this new line at

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WANTED AT THE ARK DINNER SETS

Which we are selling so cheap now at this store. Our immense stock gives such a variety that you can get just the kind of a set you want, at such a low price in Semi-Porcelain or China, latest style and decoration, a 97 Piece Set for **\$6.00**

A more Highly Decorated Set Costs a little more money. You get the Best Goods at lowest prices in THE ARK.

Phone 159

H. MACAULAY

NO BARGAIN SAY BOARD

School Trustees Refuse to Countenance Reciprocal Insurance Deal with Their Appointee

Trustees to Visit and Inspect Schools
— Mr. Clements of McKeough School Resigns After Long and Efficient Service

Chathamites are enjoying the present cool weather, but they will be alarmed to hear that the frosts are already commencing to come. The first one came at the meeting of the Public School Board last evening. Trustee William Robertson brought up a small matter of insurance. "Then," came the frost — a killing frost.

"I have a small matter that I promised to bring before the Board," Mr. Robertson started out, bravely enough. "It is in connection with the fire insurance on the new addition to the Central School. J. W. Humphrey, as you know, is the chairman of the Public Library Board and is the School Board's nominee for the position he holds. He very kindly granted the Board permission to use the auditorium of the Library as a class room, and for this generosity on his part he thought he should get a piece of the insurance on the new addition to the Central. I think that his claim to a piece of the insurance is one worthy of my support."

Mr. Robertson thought he detected crookedness and said, "Don't you think there is somewhat of a little bribery in that?"

Mr. Heyward—I think Mr. Humphrey has got a good fat snap in being elected by us to that Board. If he had kept sawing wood at the Library Board instead of meddling in School Board elections he would have been doing something more in the line of what he should have done. I will not vote him five cents worth of insurance. We have lots of other insurance men—good insurance men—in the city to give our insurance to. Mr. Robertson—I thought it might be well to divide up our insurance.

Mr. Heyward—Our insurance is well divided up now.

Mr. Heyward—I don't think there is much need to slice it up any more. Mr. Robertson—Well, I was asked by him to bring this before the Board.

Mr. Heyward—Well, you can go back and tell him that we turned him down.

And the nodes of satisfaction that went around the Board showed that the majority of the trustees were with Mr. Heyward.

There were present at the meeting Chairman Morley, and Trustees Robertson, Paxton, Benson, Leafestey and Heyward.

D. C. Clements wrote, resigning his position as janitor of the McKeough School.

Mr. Heyward explained that Mr. Clements was going into business, but would not quit until next spring. He thought it would be hard to replace Mr. Clements during the winter months. He thought Mr. Clements should be paid more money to keep him until next spring, as he is a good janitor.

Mr. Robertson thought the board was being run up and he thought they could get another man to do the work as satisfactory as Mr. Clements, for the same money.

Mr. Paxton thought that Mr. Clements was getting enough money now.

Mr. Benson was of the opinion that the Board should employ another man, but also favored leaving the matter in the hands of the managers of the school, by whom the board should be largely guided.

Mr. Leafestey favored accepting Mr. Clements' resignation.

Mr. Heyward was willing to abide by the decision of the board, but believed an effort should be made to retain Mr. Clements, who had proved himself a capable and efficient official.

The resignation was accepted and the secretary was instructed to advertise for a new janitor, his duties to start the first of October, the application to be in by the 19th of September, addressed to the Chairman of the Board. Salary \$40 per month.

The managers of McKeough school were empowered to select the janitor from the applicants.

The Finance committee reported in favor of the payment of the following accounts:

CENTRAL SCHOOL.
Teachers salaries.....\$ 559.57
W. W. Small..... 83.32
A. Edwards..... 45.84
Central Drug Store..... 2.06
W. W. Small..... 12.00
K. Brooks..... 10.00
The Steinberger Hendry Co. 25.00
Waterworks..... 53.00
D. C. Clements..... 12.08

McKEOUGH SCHOOL.
Teachers salaries.....\$ 339.98
D. C. Clements..... 91.66
Central Drug Store..... 1.50
O. I. Dolson..... 45
J. W. Dyer..... 2.70
Wm. Gordon..... 50
The Steinberger Hendry Co. 8.00
W. W. Small..... 10.00
C. N. Cooper..... 15.00
D. C. Clements..... 11.76

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TAKE NO BLAME

New Members of This Year's Council Claim They Received no Report on the Inefficient State of Electric Plant

Ald. Potter, in conversation with a Planet reporter this morning, as a member of this year's Council, stated his position on the matter of electric lighting or, rather, the lack of adequate electric lighting. "Neither this year's Council or the Property committee of this year's Council, has had any report whatever from the Supt. of electric lighting on the condition of the plant. I, for one, did not know it was in disrepair and bad shape, and, as a member of this year's Council, I refuse to take any responsibility for the disgracefully inefficient service prevailing at the present time."

The matter was discussed informally around the corridors at last night's abortive meeting of the City Council. Ald. Edmondson was of the opinion that last year's Council had received a report from the superintendent, showing that the plant was inadequate, but the new members of the Council were firm in their decision to take no responsibility for that which had not been brought to their notice.

REGT. OUTING

Complete Arrangements are Being Made to Give the Boys in Red an Excellent Time—Will go to Belle Isle

Everything looks favorable for the outing which will be given to the members of the 24th Regiment at Belle Isle Park on September 19th. Adj. Coltart received the following letter this morning from the City Clerk, of Detroit, which speaks for itself:

September 5, 1905.

Capt. W. A. Coltart,

Adj. 24th Regiment:

Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of yours of the 31st ult. requesting permission for the 24th Regiment to use Belle Isle Park Sept. 19th next. I have referred your communication to the commissioner of Parks and Board of Parks, Robert E. Bolger, requesting him to issue a permit and to notify you regarding the matter. You will no doubt hear from him in a day or so.

Very respectfully yours,
GEO. T. GASTON,
City Clerk.

MUST PAY

Farmer Mansell, of Tilbury, Must Settle the Wages of His Hired Boy Croft and Legal Costs

In the County Court this morning Judge Houston gave judgment allowing the wage claim of the boy Augustus Crofts, against W. H. Mansell, of Tilbury, for the full amount of \$22.43. In addition Mr. Mansell will be called upon to pay \$15.17 in costs.

The judgment of the court was decidedly caustic concerning the conduct and evidence of the defendant. It had been shown that he had used profane and unseemly language to the lad and that he had sought to withhold wages which were due him. O. L. Lewis appeared for the lad Croft, and J. G. Kerr for the defendant Mansell.

BLOCKING STREETS

Police Officer Tom Groves Has a Few Words of Warning for Some of the Young Men of the City

Police Officer Tom Groves has a word or two for the young men of the city who make a practice of coming up town at night—especially on Saturday—and holding conferences with their friends on King street.

"The young men in Chatham are pretty well behaved," remarked Mr. Groves, "and we have no serious complaint on their conduct. The by-law prohibiting people from spitting on the sidewalk is well observed, and it is easily seen that the young men themselves try to behave properly."

"There is one thing, however, should be drawn to their attention, and that is the practice some of them have of standing in front of store windows. A whole line of young men will line up on the street with their backs to the windows, shutting out the view of the window from pedestrians. It must be annoying to merchants who take great pains in dressing their windows to have them blocked up in this manner. Around the front of the Garner House and the Merrill House this practice is very annoying to pedestrians. We do not wish to be hard on the young men, and I am sure when this is drawn to their attention they will stop it without any further warning."

NEW TEACHER

Over-Crowded Condition of C. C. I. Occasions Further Increase of Staff—A Passage at Arms

A somewhat stormy passage-at-arms is reported from the special meeting of the C. C. I. Board yesterday afternoon. The session was suddenly called as the result of the opening of the Collegiate, when throngs of pupils presented themselves for admission and it was found that the teaching accommodation was totally inadequate.

Five members of the Board presented themselves for a patient wait. Six are required for a quorum, but none arrived. Finally Rev. Dr. Battisby was telephoned for. On his arrival, however, he refused to take any part in the proceedings, claiming that a few members of the Board had no right to meet by themselves and decide upon matters. The latter alleged that the doctor had been notified and that immediate action was compulsory. Chairman Richards explained the case.

It was then decided that another room must be opened up in the building, and the Board decided to engage another teacher, applications to be considered at a special meeting to be held next Wednesday.

NEW OFFICERS

Several Lieutenants For the 24th to be Gazetted in the Next Few Days—Meeting of Officers

The early completion of the new armory and the near approach of the Fall drills is putting much enthusiasm into the 24th Regiment. The meeting of officers in Colonel Rankin's offices last evening was largely attended and every evidence of enterprising advancement was revealed in the proceedings.

Five new Lieutenants will be gazetted within the next few weeks—a unique and pleasing feature being the taking of a commission by Color Sgt. Geo. Smith, who has done such splendid work in the non-coms. since the organization of the Regiment.

Matters affecting the Regimental and Bugle Bands were discussed and left with the Band committee with power.

Arrangements were perfected for the Regimental outing and the Commanding Officer announced the early commencement of the Autumn drills. The Regiment this Fall promises to be overstrength.

OPEN IT UP

Chatham Township Council to Extend Taylor Ave.—Agreement With Chatham Wagon Co.

O. L. Lewis, solicitor for the Chatham Wagon Co., Limited, this morning filed with the county clerk copies of by-laws by the Company, and the Chatham Township Council, by which Taylor Ave. will be opened up to the River Thames.

Under the by-laws the Company give the Council land sufficient to open up Taylor Ave. to the river in consideration of the Township closing Park street from the river road to the river and deeding it to the company.

TAKE ACTION

City Board of Health Will Compel Removal of G. T. R. Hog Pens

There were present at yesterday's meeting of the City Board of Health the Chairman and Dr. Bray, Chas. Hadley and W. R. Baxter.

The construction of a sewer on Centre street was recommended.

In view of the fact that the City Engineer had been served with an injunction against proceeding with the proposed sewer on Pine street and Park avenue to St. George street, it was decided to construct the sewer from Pine to Queen on Elm street. The Chairman and Medical Health Officer were appointed to confer with the solicitor with a view to taking action against the G. T. R. Co. to compel them to remove their hog pens from the city.

Misses Irwin and Felton, of Mindeapolis, who have been the guests of Mrs. Stover, Larwell avenue, for the past six weeks, left today for Toronto and the Falls before returning home.

Word has been received in this city that Mrs. Walter Webber was badly burned on Saturday by the explosion of a gasoline stove at her home in Milrose, Mass. Mrs. E. A. Mounter and Mrs. W. Nichol, of this city, are sisters of Mrs. Webber. She has also many friends in this city who will be sorry to hear of the accident.

PARADA AGAIN SUCCESSFUL

Second Presentation of Pretty Parada Outdoes the First in Splendor

Choruses Vie With One Another in Producing the Best Amateur Performance Ever Seen Here On To-Night

Last night's production of Parada was even more successful, if possible, than that of the opening night. Any slight stage fright the performers may have experienced the first night had worn off and the different choruses put on their stunts with a vim and dash that carried everything before it and completely captured the audience. Not a hitch marred the evening's performance, and throughout the audience the remark was heard that Parada was head and shoulders above any amateur production that has been witnessed in Chatham for some time.

The program was slightly changed from that of the night before, the opening piece being "Bees and Flowers," which took the place of "The Fairies." Eight very young ladies, Misses Helen Cowan, Sewall Woodward, Beatrice Westman, Jean Hall, May Dolson, Vivian Wells, Grace Young and Clara Robert—quite aptly represented the bees—around which buzzed the bees—Sylvester Hadley, Willie Baxter, Bonnie Holmes, Lyle Kime, Terrance Robert, Bertram Robert and Robert Cowan. "The Fairies" will appear to-night.

It is regrettable that last night's audience was not so large as it should have been. Nevertheless, it was enthusiastically appreciative. It is to be hoped that during the remainder of the week Chathamites will attest their appreciation of the good work engaged in by the Ladies of the Hospital and the efforts of the performers by turning out and according both the hearty support they undoubtedly deserve.

The performances will be continued every night this week, Friday excepted, and a matinee will be given Saturday. This will afford the children an excellent opportunity of seeing their playmates who are taking part in the performance.

No estate can make him rich who has a poor heart.

School Books.....

And School Supplies of every kind and description can now be secured at reasonable prices from our large and well assorted stock. Chatham and Kent County people are in a position to secure their School Books and Supplies in much more desirable shape than other Canadians because they have the largest stock to select from that is carried in Canada. We pride ourselves on the fact that we can supply any book used in the

High School Model School Public School Separate School

Our values in Scribblers and Exercise books, Pencils, Etc., cannot be beaten anywhere. We give good qualities at reasonable prices. Use Sulman's special Scribblers and Sulman's special Exercise Book and you have the best Books made for School use.

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MR. CLANCY'S APPOINTMENT.

It is a tribute to Mr. Clancy's worth and ability as a public man that, on the occasion of his well-deserved appointment to the responsible position of Provincial Auditor, the press of both parties are unanimous in approval.

The Toronto Globe, the Liberal organ, says editorially:

"It has fallen to the lot of the Whitney Ministry to appoint Mr. Sproule's successor, and there will be no disposition on the part of Liberals seriously to find fault with the selection of Mr. Clancy. He began his Parliamentary career as a member of the Ontario Legislative Assembly, of which he was always a hard-working, unassuming, and courteous member. If fault was ever found with him specially it must have been by the officers of the Audit Department, on account of his persistent requests for financial returns, the compilation of which considerably increased the clerical work of the staff. If nemesis overtakes him hereafter in the form of similar trouble caused by his former political opponents, the recollection of what he made others undergo will probably enable him to submit to the retribution with a certain grim humor that is an excellent preservative of good temper. Mr. Clancy's municipal experience before he entered the Assembly, and his work as a member of the House of Commons since he left it, will both tend to qualify him for the office of Auditor. The technique of his new duties may be mastered more easily than the broader outlook might have been acquired."

The Mail and Empire makes the following editorial note:

"Mr. James Clancy, ex-M. P., who has been appointed Provincial Auditor in the place of Mr. Sproule, promoted to the position of Deputy to the Provincial Treasurer, will certainly be a valuable acquisition to the Finance Department. Mr. Clancy has a special knowledge of the finances, for before entering the Federal House he was the financial critic for the then Opposition. Apart from that, Mr. Clancy has a natural aptitude for financial matters of a public character. The choice will commend itself to the province, and will certainly be justified by events."

GOOD OLD PRINCIPAL IGNORED.

Toronto News.
The disappearance of provincial rights as an article of Liberal faith is shown even more clearly by the comments on the situation in Saskatchewan than by the autonomy bills. It is openly argued that Mr. Haultain has forfeited his claim to the premiership by offending Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The Sunco Reformer treats this extraordinary doctrine, although good many by their silence, seem to have the grace to be ashamed of the violation of a fundamental Liberal principle.

BAD FIRE

The grocery store on the corner of Lorne avenue and West street, belonging to Augustus Berard and occupied by Mr. Barr, was completely destroyed by fire Sunday morning about 8.30 o'clock. It is not known how the fire started.

The grocery stock was completely destroyed. Mr. Barr had \$250 insurance.

THEY MADE THIS COUPLE HAPPY

Dodd's Kidney Pills doing Good Work around Port Arthur

Mr. Dick Souvey and Wife Both Had Kidney Troubles and the Great Canadian Remedy Cured Them.

Port Arthur, Ont., Sept. 4.—(Special)—That Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the kidney ills of men and women alike has been proved time and again in this neighborhood, but it is only occasionally they get a chance to do double work in the same house. This has happened in the case of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Souvey, a farmer and his wife, living about seven miles from here. In an interview Mr. Souvey said:

"My wife and myself have used Dodd's Kidney Pills, and have found them a big benefit to our health. We had a gripe two winters and were exposed to much frost and cold. Our sleep was broken on account of urinary troubles and pain in the kidneys. We each took six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and now enjoy good health."

The worst thing about an obstacle is that it is always in the way.

TELEPHONE TALKS.

TO TELEPHONE USERS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

The statements given in our last "Talk" tell the story of the result of Municipal competition in Glasgow. The municipality, operating a service at charges fifty per cent. lower than the rates charged by the National Company, is hopelessly behind the Company in number of subscribers, and consequently, in the value of its service to the public. The difference between the two services is increasing rapidly day by day.

Judged by another standard set up before the Special Committee, the capitalization per subscriber, Glasgow after three years' operation admits a capitalization at the end of the fiscal year of 1904 of \$136.60 per subscriber, while the Bell Telephone Company of Canada after twenty-five years' operations has a capitalization for its exchange service of only \$92.00 per subscriber. Glasgow is even now expending another half million of dollars in rebuilding its telephone plant, which has not been included in the previous statement.

These facts and figures which we have given regarding Glasgow's service are taken entirely from the evidence of the Chairman of the Committee of the Glasgow City Council which has charge of their Municipal Telephone plant.

Of the financial results, different contentions have been set up. We need not enter upon this point, "time will tell." No evidence has been offered that the other four municipal telephone ventures have been even as successful as the Glasgow one. Sufficient undisputed facts have been given to show that Great Britain, either in Government or Municipal administration of the telephone, does not offer an example which Canadians should be anxious to follow.

We shall draw a few conclusions in our next.

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA.

THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage
and all the men and women
merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At The Grand—
Faust—Sept. 8.
Peck's Bad Boy—Sept. 12.
The Isle of Bong Bong—Sept. 18.
Floradora—Sept. 22.
Isle of Spice—Sept. 25.
Down By The Sea—Sept. 27-28.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

ELABORATE.

Faust, as presented by Porter J. White's company at the opera house Wednesday evening, was fully up to the expectations of the large and select audience that was present.

The acting of the entire company was of the highest order, and the stage effects were perfect. The scenic and electrical display has never been surpassed in this city.

It was a magnificent spectacle with many scenes of enchantment, but the broken scene, with the lost souls in torment, was gruesome enough to make one resolve to attend divine service every Sunday for the next year.

Marysville, Ohio, Evening Tribune.

Porter J. White's magnificent production of Faust appears at the Chatham Grand on Friday, Sept. 8. Seats selling now.

WHEN SEVEN MEN DIE.

You know at least one of them had Consumption. At first it was only catarrh—but it was neglected. When "Catarrhoxone" cures so quickly it's foolish to suffer. It's a shame to keep on sniffing and hawking. Catarrhoxone goes direct to the cause of the disease, — that's why it's so dead certain to cure. It stops the cough, prevents that disgusting discharge, clears phlegm out of the throat in five minutes. Very pleasant, and safe, too; get Catarrhoxone from your druggist to-day.

WHEEL STOLEN

A. H. Patterson, the hardware man, has a sharp look in his eye these days. He is looking for some one but the man he is looking for is not anxious to see Mr. Patterson.

Last Friday Mr. Patterson left his Crescent wheel at the foot of the stairs leading to the I. O. O. F. Auditorium. When he came down the wheel was gone and he has had to walk ever since. A. H. says he does not like walking when he knows some one else is riding his wheel.

Another bicycle was stolen at the Fair Grounds last Monday evening. Some one had evidently witnessed the lacrosse game and it made him so tired that he wasn't equal to the walk up town and had to borrow somebody's wheel.

Got the Trazz.

Young Thorne (to his ideal)—And your name is Rose? What a sweet name Rose is! Rose—I am glad you like it. But—but I do not want to be a rose without a Thorne.

What could a fellow say after that?

She Knew.

Edith—You don't know how glad I am to see you, Clara, dear. Clara Dear—Oh, yes, I do. Johnny told me he heard you say you would rather die than see me again.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

E. Davis spent the holiday in Dresden.

Try Drew & McCallum for Screen Windows and Doors.

Moraviantown Fair, October 17, 18, 19 and 20.

Smoke Quail on Toast Cigars—5c. Clear Havana filled.

Mrs. W. H. Cathcart, of Joseph St., is very ill.

Lots of good ten cent Cigars, but only one best—the Lord Lake.

T. B. Dundas, of Wallaceburg, was in the city Monday.

For quality and workmanship, Sugar Beet Cigars, 5c., have no equal.

Hwerb Hall, of Cleveland, formerly of this city, is visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Campbell, of Blenheim, spent Tuesday in the city.

Byron Tiffin, of Con. 13, Gore of Canada, is building a fine brick residence on his farm.

Tickets to Toronto Exhibition Sept. 4th, good to return Sept. 12th, \$3.50, from W. E. Rispin, 115 King street.

Mrs. Will Hamilton and daughter, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Reid, Stanley Ave.

Tickets to Toronto Exhibition Sept. 4th, good to return Sept. 12th, \$3.50 from W. E. Rispin, 115 King St.

Mr. and Mrs. Staples, of Peterboro, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Cunningham.

The horse reported stolen from Jerry Orizer, of Zone Township, on Monday, was recovered the same evening.

Mrs. Ross W. Peckford and Master Lyle have returned from a few days' visit with Mrs. Myron Blackburn, of Dresden.

A. P. Bennett has resigned his position with the Dominion Express Co. and has secured a situation with the G. T. R.

Miss Mae Hamilton, of Hamilton, has returned home, after spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Reid.

Ted Bogart, an old Chatham boy, now living in Indianapolis, spent his holiday with his parents on Cross St.

The harvest home social given by the Ladies' Aid Society of Bethel Church, Zone Township, on Monday night, was well attended. Receipts were over \$60.

For Toronto Exhibition W. E. Rispin will issue for all trains tickets on September 4th, at \$3.50, and on all other days, commencing August 28th, at \$5.30, all tickets good to return until Sept. 12th.

L. L. Couzens, of Cleveland, Ohio, manager of the Cleveland Printing & Publishing Co., is visiting his father-in-law, J. H. Enell, Lorne avenue.

Mr. Couzens with his wife and two daughters will return to their home after visiting friends in London, Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

THE TONIC OF HEALTH

Must be more than a stimulant — must be a food as well. There is one medicine that is both a food and a tonic, it aids digestion, promotes assimilation, converts food into nutriment, builds up nerves, blood, brain and bone. That tonic is Ferrozone, which contains exactly what a run-down system needs. Ferrozone supplies oxygen to purify the blood, phosphorus to develop the brain, iron to harden the muscles. No wonder it makes such vigorous men and women. You'll eat, sleep, think and feel better by using Ferrozone; try it now. Fifty cents buys a box of fifty chocolate coated Ferrozone tablets, at all dealers.

The farmer who craves his corn may be said to box his own ears.

The Northway Lt'd. Co.,

The Busy Cash Store

The Northway Co., Lt'd.

Our Dress Making Dept. Is being Crowded with orders for Fall Gowns. Had you not better arrange about yours? It's time now.

Special Buying Chances At Our Staples Counter

Our Millinery Department Is again in full swing preparing for our Fall Openings. Early Orders will receive prompt and careful attention

Flannellettes 5c. Yard—Full 29 in. wide, fine soft fleecy finish, wide range fast color stripes, a regular 7c. Shaker, our special at 5c.

Heavy Flannellettes 8c.—Heavy fast color stripes in light and dark colors, 31 in. wide, suitable for any purpose, special a yard, 8c.

Flannellette Special 9c. Yard—34 inch. wide, excellent quality, fine soft finish, large range of stripes in light and dark colors, our special leader, a yard, 9c.

Plain Flannellettes—Fine Saxony finish, light med. and heavy weights, colors white, cream, sky, pink, cardinal and grey, matchless values, at a yd., 5c, 6c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12½c and 15c.

English Eider Flannellettes for Kimonos, Sackie or Wrapper, fine heavy quality, 28 in wide, soft fleecy finish, in range of new patterns and colorings, special a yard, 25c.

Towelling Specials—18 in. Twill Grey Crash, heavy firm weave, worth 10c. a yd., special at 8c.

At 10c Yard—Fine pure Linen, Irish and Scotch Crash Towellings, 18 in. wide, very special a yard, 10c.

18 inch Cotton Crash, good firm weave, bleached or brown finish, matchless values, at a yd., 12½c.

Towelling at 12½c., superior qualities in Crash and Huck, 18 in. to 20 in. wide, bleached or brown finish, matchless values, at a yd., 12½c.

Huckabuck Towellings, fine pure linen, bleached finish, 18 to 27 inch wide, special a yd., 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c.

English Bleached Cotton, fine long cloth finish, full yard wide, two special lines, the best values in the city at a yd., 8 and 10c.

Fine Cambric, 10c yd., full yard wide, fine Lonsdale finish, worth 12½ yd., special at 10c.

Horrocks' English Long Cloths, superior quality, full 36 in wide, even, round thread, grass bleached, the best all round bleached Cotton that's made, two special lines at a yd., 15c and 12½c.

Apron Checks, 36 in. wide, strong Apron Checks, fast colors, plain or bordered, special a yd., 10c.

Apron Checks, 12½c., 36 to 40 inches wide, fine heavy quality, fast Indigo dyes, plain or bordered, special a yd., 12½c.

Apron Ducks, 38 in. wide, Indigo blue Ducks in spots and small figures, with fancy borders, fast dyes, special a yd., 14c.

Check Apron Linen, 38 in. wide, medium and small checks, in fast Indigo blue and white, warranted in color and wear, special a yd., 20c.

Seven Stores The Northway Company, Ltd. Two Factories

DISTRICT DOINGS

TILBURY

Sept. 6.—Miss Nellie Milton, of Talbotville, is the guest of Mrs. E. J. Jones.

Fred Lang, of Essex, was the guest of Gordon Richardson this week.

Mrs. Henry Powell and daughter Villa, of Essex, were visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Annie Campbell left yesterday to attend the Ursuline Academy, Chatham.

Mrs. W. Jackson and daughter Minnie, who have been the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Campbell, Prospect street, returned to their home in Toronto yesterday.

A large number of candidates received their first communion in St. Francis church here on Monday morning.

Miss Mamie Anderson left yesterday on a two weeks' visit with relatives in St. Thomas.

Misses Olive and Laura Mathers returned to Chatham yesterday to resume their studies in the Convent there.

Walter Cresswell, of Essex, visited friends here this week.

Princess and Robbie Wilson left for Chatham to attend the Collegiate Institute there.

Personal.—Men should know that the only perfect and safe Vacuum Appliances are manufactured and controlled by the Erie Medical Co., 94 Mohawk St., Buffalo, N. Y., who administer in connection with its interior and exterior remedies, having a world-wide reputation for weak men. Write to-day for sealed circulars and proofs.

BLENHEIM

Sept. 2.—The twelve young ladies chaperoned by Mrs. J. M. Denholm, who occupied the house next to the store, at Erieau for two weeks, returned home yesterday.

Mr. A. W. Bell is in Toronto this week, combining business and pleasure together.

The annual meeting of the Kent Farmers' Produce Company was held in the Township Hall on Wednesday afternoon. Great interest was manifested, a large number being present.

The old board of directors were elected with one addition, Mr. W. Saddington. They are—President, Jas. Clendenning; directors, John McDougall, H. T. Sterling, J. B. Muckle, J. B. English, N. C. Sinclair, T. H. Nicol and Wm. Saddington.

On August 16, Mr. Norman Cummings, of Guilds, and Miss Alice Gosnell were married at Walkerville Methodist church.

Miss Elda Ransom has taken a position as cashier at Mr. A. W. Bell's store.

Mrs. John Henderson and Mrs. Wm. Stratton returned on Tuesday from visiting relatives at Ottawa, Brockville and other eastern points.

The Public school will re-open for the fall term on Tuesday next, Sept. 5th.

The harvest home services in connection with the Presbyterian church will be held on Sept. 17th. Rev. A. W. Hare will conduct both morning and evening services.

Sidney Burke is at St. Catharines this week attending the High Court of the Independent Order of Foresters as delegate from Court Harwich, No. 98.

A lacrosse match took place yesterday afternoon between the Juniors of Blenheim and Chatham. The game resulted in favor of Blenheim by six goals to two.

Bert Holland left this week for Chesaning, Mich., after spending two weeks vacation with his parents here.

Mrs. Geo. Greer, of Lucknow, and

Mrs. B. Carson, of Gorrie, are visiting their sister, Mrs. John Phair. Miss Nora Clark has taken a position as milliner at New Haven, Mich., and will leave in a few days for that place.

Our local electricians, Messrs. C. E. Wharran and C. F. Gibson, are busy wiring several houses that are being built.

Miss Annie Bacon, of Pandora Rebekah Lodge, is in Toronto this week attending the Rebekah Assembly of the I. O. O. F. While away she will visit at Belleville, Madoc and other eastern points.

The regular monthly fellowship meeting will be held in the Methodist church to-morrow morning, Sunday, beginning at 10 a. m.

The members of Erieview, No. 115, K. O. T. M., are requested to attend on Monday evening next, as important business will be transacted.

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Toronto, Sept. 6.—11 a. m.—Moderate to fresh west to north winds, fair and cool. Thursday, moderate variable winds, fair and cool.

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

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 65.
Lowest during night, 55.
This morning, 57.
Barometer, 29.45.
Direction of wind, northwest.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Fred. Dunkley is in Walkerville this week.

Miss Jahnke has returned from holidays spent in Cleveland.

Ald. J. A. King is on a business trip to Toronto and Brantford.

Mrs. Walker Bunnell, of Blenheim, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Charles Blackburn, of Windsor, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Raleigh street.

The Latest Fad—The cutest little Photos in the city, over VonGuten's Jewelry Store.

C. S. Coatsworth, of Romney, was a guest at the Garner House yesterday.

Lady Martin left yesterday for Three Rivers, P. Q., to resume her studies.

Get The Habit.—25 Photos for 25c. in five different positions, over VonGuten's Jewelry Store.

Miss E. Anquetil has returned from a holiday trip spent in St. Thomas and at Port Stanley.

Harold Emery, after spending his vacation here, left yesterday for St. Therese College, Montreal, P. Q.

Miss May VonGuten and Mrs. G. L. VonGuten, of Blenheim, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mayor Cowan is attending the Municipal convention in Montreal. He is expected to return Friday.

The joyous look on the face of Herbert Grant, of Selkirk street, is occasioned by the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chinnick, of Rome, Ga., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Miller, Harvey street.

Mrs. John Cartier returned from Dresden last night. She did not know of her husband's accident until she reached the city.

Thoussin Martin, of Lacadie, P. Q., who has been visiting his nephew, D. M. Martin, King street, left for his home yesterday.

Colonel Sam Holmes leaves to-day for Strathroy, where he will act as a witness in a lawsuit respecting a cow. Mr. Holmes bid upon the cow in question at an auction sale and is asked to testify as to its condition.

SERIOUS MISHAP

John Cartier, who was injured during the course of the ball game on the park Monday morning, is slightly improved to-day. None of his ribs are broken, as at first reported, but his internal injuries are severe. It will be some time before he will be able to leave the hospital.

John was playing his position at third base when a player on the Detroit team, while trying to make the base, collided with him, with the result reported.

OUTSIDE LIMITS

A strawstack belonging to Robert Dunlop, of Raleigh, was burned about one o'clock to-day. The fire alarm box on the corner of Harvey and West streets was pulled, but the firemen could not reach the fire with a stream, so the truck only drove down to the conflagration and lent Mr. Dunlop rubber sheets to protect another stack which was in danger.

The fire caught from a spark from a threshing engine which was at work.

THE DAY'S DEATHS

The death occurred Monday of Elizabeth Askin, wife of Alexander Askin, St. Clair street, at the age of 69. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, to Maple Leaf Cemetery, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Neilly.

The funeral of the late William Pollock, who died in New Mexico, took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Otha Hammond, Wellington St., to Maple Leaf Cemetery. The funeral cortege was a very large one.

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STRONG TALK FOR MAYOR

Trustees Deal With Mayor Cowan's Charges at Board Meeting Last Evening

Mr. Benson Says Statements are Incorrect as to Estimate for Heating Central—Mr. Robertson Says It's a Shame

Mayor Cowan stirred up a hornet's nest about his ears when he attacked the Public School Board at the last meeting of the City Council. The Mayor drew attention to the sale of some school property made by the Board and pointed out, what he called mis-management somewhere in expenditures.

Trustee Wm. Benson took exception to the remarks of the Mayor and at the School Board meeting last evening he undertook to say a few words in response.

"Of course you have all seen in The Planet the roasting that Mayor Cowan handed out to this Board," said he. "I suppose we have got to take it, but there are a few corrections I would like to make in order to set the Mayor right in his facts. He put emphasis on the estimated cost of the heating of the Central school. He said we asked for \$12,000 for the heating of the Central school, which is not correct. Such incorrect statements are misleading to the public. I have since heard the Board criticized for not patronizing the Chatham Steam Heating Company, as their figure is lower than \$12,000.

Mr. Robertson—The matter is hardly worth noticing. Mis-statements should not be noticed by public or private people. These things count for nothing. It shows the good head a man has got when he makes such statements without foundation. And to think the Chief Magistrate of our city made such statements! It's a shame.

"It reminds me of a little story I heard once about a little dog baying at the moon," remarked Mr. Paxton. "There is no use stopping the dog, because he can't hurt the moon."

And here the matter was dismissed and the next order of business taken up.

RECORD RUN

The Defiance Iron Works are turning out some very fine and very speedy launches. One of these—measuring 21 feet six inches and having a beam of five feet six inches—is on exhibition on the river. A short time ago with a party of twelve on board the craft made the 20 mile run to the lighthouse in two hours and 21 minutes. It was thought that this would stand for a record, but yesterday it was surpassed when the run was made in two hours and eight minutes. This stands as a record for a four horse power engine propelling a boat of that size.

The officials feel quite elated over the success. Wm. Myers, one of the company's experts, was in charge of the engine, and Wm. H. Crow, a disinterested party, did the steering and timed the trip. The launch is by no means a racing boat, being thoroughly equipped for family use, making the record all the more enviable. The company has a splendid exhibit at the Toronto Exhibition, in charge of H. H. Milburne, their Toronto representative.

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Lieut.-Governor Forget Turns Down Mr. Haultain.

Premier of Saskatchewan Has Nothing to Say as to Cabinet Possibilities—The "Machine" Has Its Way, But There Are Some Surprises For Mr. Scott As Soon As the Fight Opens—Haultain the Man.

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—Walter Scott said late last night that he had been called upon by Lieut.-Gov. Forget to form the first administration for the Province of Saskatchewan. He said that he could make no announcement as yet as to his Cabinet, as that was still



WALTER SCOTT, PREMIER.

in process of formation. He added that it will probably be several days before he will issue a formal statement as to policy. He said he knew nothing of the Cabinet slate widely circulated in the city yesterday, and was altogether non-committal as to the composition of the future Government.

Haultain, the Man.

Yesterday's tragic pageant, from which the principal performer in the person of the late territorial Premier, was practically eliminated, has thoroughly awakened popular opinion on the subject, and even in such a



HAULTAIN, PASSED OVER.

Grit stronghold as this city, the general consent is that Haultain is being shamefully treated by the machine. There is not the slightest doubt that the opinion of the coming campaign will see an astonishing rally of popular enthusiasm in this Province for the champion of Provincial Rights. The Liberal machine has done its best to make the issue a straight party fight, but already this attempt has miserably failed. It can be stated with absolute confidence that so soon as the fight opens some great surprises will be sprung upon Scott and his friends.

Takes Oath, Then Resigns.

Ruthven, Sept. 6.—Frank McCharles of this village, one of the recently appointed customs department men, and assigned to Walkerville, handed his resignation to Dr. Smith, collector at Windsor, almost immediately after taking his oath of office. He found at the last minute that the remuneration was not what he supposed it was, and decided to remain here where he has a fine farm and a good business.

Premier to Visit Cobalt.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—Premier Whitney proposes going into New Ontario and viewing the landscape. He leaves this week for Temiskaming, accompanied by Mrs. Whitney and daughter, Hon. Dr. Pyne and Mrs. Pyne, A. H. N. Colquhoun, Hon. Frank Cochrane, Hon. Dr. Willoughby, J. L. Englehart and C. B. Smith, the two last being commissioners of the Temiskaming Railway.

Appointment Not Made Yet.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—Premier Whitney and the Hon. W. J. Hanna give the statement that Dr. Snider of Waterford has been appointed superintendent of the Toronto Asylum an emphatic denial. "Not one step has been taken toward making the appointment," said the Premier.

Two Killed and 22 Hurt.

Denver, Sept. 6.—Word reached here early yesterday that a Burlington freight train ran into the second section of a passenger train at Brush, about 35 miles from Denver. A colored cook and one passenger were killed, and 22 passengers were more or less injured.

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Janitor for McKeough School. Applications to be addressed to W. N. Morley, Esq., Chairman Public School Board, until 19th September, 1906. Wages \$40 per month.

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Boys' Odd Socks—Very special values, all sizes, 25c, 50c, 75c, 90c.

Boys' Odd Undershirts—Very special values, all sizes, 25c, 50c, 75c, 90c.

Boys' Odd Collared Shirts—Very special values, all sizes, 25c, 50c, 75c, 90c.

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Boys' Odd Suits—Very special values, all sizes, 25c, 50c, 75c, 90c.

Boys' Odd Dresses—Very special values, all sizes, 25c, 50c, 75c, 90c.

Boys' Odd Hats—Very special values, all sizes, 25c, 50c, 75c, 90c.

Boys' Odd Shoes—Very special values, all sizes, 25c, 50c, 75c, 90c.

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WOMAN DRUNK

A woman from Pain Court was a Police Court visitor this morning. This morning shortly after twelve o'clock officers Groves and Dodson found her asleep in a rig on Fifth street. Upon closer investigation it was found that she was helplessly drunk.

The policemen thought she did not look very comfortable sleeping in a rig so they took her to the station and allowed her to spend the balance of the night reposing peacefully on the soft boards in one of the cells.

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Miss Maud S. merrill, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Someville, Stanley Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Proctor Ward and daughter have returned to Portage la Prairie, after spending a month with friends in the city.

Wm. Norton, Raleigh street, left this week for Toronto, where he will in future reside. Mr. Norton has secured a position travelling for a Toronto concern.

Mrs. Frank Winkler, of Saginaw, Mich., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Robert, Third street, for the past week, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Courtney, of Dresden, were visitors in the city yesterday on their way home from Walkerton, where they have been visiting their son Bert.

Colored kids are the nicest thing you can give your friend for a souvenir, providing they are the new Fall wristband style from the Urban Store.

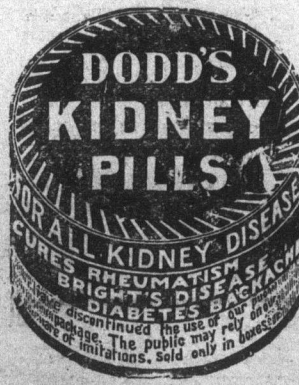
Sydney Northwood, of Wagon Mound, New Mexico, arrived in the city last evening and will spend a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Northwood, Head street.

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Miss Queenie Holmes, formerly of this city, now secretary of the State Normal school of Marquette, Mich., returned home to-day after spending a few days with Chatham friends.

To the Members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, Royal Arcanum, Macabees, I. O. F., and other fraternal insurance orders.—If worried on account of the increasing rates for your insurance, drop me a line and I will send you an illustrated book, giving valuable information. Enclose two cent stamp. Chas. T. Duffie, 389 West Grand Boulevard, Detroit.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Taylor, of Rocky Ford, Col., will be shocked to learn of the death on Monday morning of Sharon N., their only child, aged eighteen years. Mrs. Taylor was formerly Miss Bessie Nichol, of Chatham, and Mr. Taylor was at one time editor of The Planet.



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WORLD OF SPORT

BOWLING

As a result of yesterday's tournament on the local lawn Chatham retains the much coveted VonGutten trophy. Rinks from Erieau, Thamesville and Blenheim were in the competition.

In the morning Chatham defeated the Erieau representatives by ten shots. At the same time Thamesville downed Blenheim. In the afternoon Chatham's and Thamesville's two rinks were pitted against each other. At the conclusion of play Chatham was nineteen up on both rinks.

BASKETBALL

One of the fastest games of the season was played in Bothwell on Labor Day when the Bothwell nine defeated the combined teams of Wardsville, Newbury and Glenoe by the score of 5-1. Henry O'Keefe, of this city, played for the winners.

The Chatham nine and the Mayflower aggregation of Detroit played a double header Monday. The first game was played on the Park in the morning and, at the end of seven innings the score stood six all when an adjournment was made for dinner. An unfortunate occurrence connected with the morning game was the accident by which Jack Cartier sustained three broken ribs. He was playing on the third sack when a runner from second collided with him. The unfortunate player was removed to Hotel Sanita and taken thence to the hospital.

THE AFTERNOON GAME

This was played at the agricultural grounds after the lacrosse match. The Detroit nine administered a shut out to the local ball losers to the tune of 11-0.

THE TURF

Jack Glassford's horse easily took first money in the 230 race at Tilbury yesterday. "Bob" Hales' "Victoria Belle" was second. This was the first race for "Victoria Belle" and made an excellent showing.

The Bothwell races held on Labor Day were entirely successful. The track was in good shape and each event well contested.

2.20 Class.

1. Mattie Weaver, b. m., McMaster.
2. Rolling Joe, c. s., J. Hare.
3. Annie V. Bryno, br. m., Wade.

2.50 Class.

This event went to five heats before it was finally won by Berthena Bars, Brewer, Bothwell.

2. Olly Bob Mills, Petrolia.
3. Gamey, Dr. Henry, Dutton.

Best time—2:34 1-4.

Colt Race—2-years—Half mile.

1. Sadie Barr, Brewer, Bothwell.
2. Master Tom, McIntyre, Glenoe.
3. Sweet Marie, Gordon, Glenoe.

Best time—1:23.

Running Race.

1. Burly Bob, b. g., De Graw, London.
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THE MARKETS

There was a very good market this morning. Some dairy produce and a considerable quantity of vegetables and fruit. The prices were practically the same as on Saturday.

Following is the full price list:

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, per pound, 22c to 25c.
Cheese, new, 10c to 25c a cake.
Ducks, each, 38c to 40c.
Eggs, per dozen, 15c to 17c.
Honey, each, 10c to 12 1-2c.
Spring chickens, each, 25c to 30c

VEGETABLES.

Beans, lima, 15c quart.
Butter-beans, per quart, 5c.
Beets, 2 bunches for 5c.
Cabbage, each, 3c to 5c.
Carrots, per bunch, 2 for 5c.
Celery, per bunch, 10c.
Cauliflowers, each, 5c to 10c.
Cucumbers, small, per 100, 15c to 20c.
Cucumbers, large, per doz., 5 to 6c.
Egg plants, 5 to 15c each.
Green corn, 3 for 5c, 5c to 7c.
Marjoram, per bunch, 5c.
Muskellons, each, 7c to 20c.
Onions, small, 3 bunches for 10c.
Onions, large, 3 bunches for 10c.
Onions, pickling, per quart, 8 to 10c.
Onions, pk. 25c.

Parsnips, 3 bunches for 10c.
Potatoes, 15c peck; 75c bag.
Parsley, 2 bunches for 5c.
Peppers, green, per dozen, 15 to 20c.
Peppers, red, per dozen, 12c.
Pumpkins, each, 5c to 15c.
Rhubarb, 3 for 5c.
Squash, yellow, 2 for 5c.
Squash, Hubbard, each, 5c.
Squash, Turpin, 5 to 10c.
Sage, per bunch, 5c.
Savory, per bunch, 5c.
Turnips, per peck, 10c.
Tomatoes, per pk 10c, per bu 35c.
Thyme, per bunch, 5c.
Watermelons, 10 to 20c.

FRUIT.

Apples, per peck, 15c to 25c.
Blackberries, 2 boxes for 25c.
Crab apples, 15c pk.
Elderberries, 4c to 5c qt.
Grapes, per basket, 50c.
Pears, per peck, 25c.
Peaches, per basket, 25 to 40c.
Plums, blue, 45c.
Plums, Green Gages, bsk., 50c to 75c.
Plums, Burbanks, bsk., 45c.

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Licensed District of West Kent

Notice is hereby given that Theophilus Sylvain, of Dubuque, in the township of Dover, has made application for permission to transfer his tavern license for the premises known as the Dubuque Hotel, at Dubuque, in the Township of Dover, to Zephire Emery, of the township of Dover, and that said application will be considered at the meeting of the Board of License Commissioners to be held at the Inspector's rooms at Harrison Hall, in the City of Chatham, on the fifteenth day of September at the hour of 10 a. m.

All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

N. MASSEY, License Inspector.

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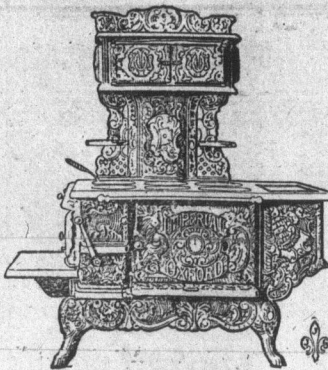
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VICTORIAN STILL ON ROCKS.

Every Effort Is Being Made to Float the Big Ship.

Montreal, Sept. 5.—The turbine Victorian is still in the identical position on the rocks and there is no change in the depth of water in her hold. The wreckers are continuously at work on the vessel, but that so far the efforts had been directed to making preliminary preparations for attempting to move her.

The steamer now has at her side ten 15-inch pumps, several powerful wrecking tugs and lighters with a capacity of 2,000 tons, besides a schooner for the use of the wreckers. It was expected that pumping would commence last night and 1,100 tons of cargo will then be removed.

The Leyland liner Virginian is lying off Crane Island in her original position, filled with water. Her agents will not say definitely what disposition they will make. Reliable information has been obtained, however, to the effect that the Leyland line has already made preliminary arrangements for the sale of the wrecked steamer to the salvagers. She is an old boat and her bottom is said to be completely gone.

Brant Registrar Resigns.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—William B. Wood, registrar of deeds for the County of Brant, has resigned his position to return to mercantile life, claiming that he can more than double his present income by doing so. Mr. Wood represented North Brant in the Provincial Parliament from 1886 to 1895, and is still but little past the prime of life. He was a Liberal and held the position of Government whip while in the house.

DR. CLARK RETIRES.

Dr. Fred. S. Snider New Superintendent of Toronto Asylum.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—The appointment of Dr. Fred S. Snider, ex-M. P. P., as superintendent of the Toronto Asylum for the Insane, though not officially announced, has been made by the Ontario Government. The present superintendent, Dr. Clark, placed his resignation in the hands of the late Government before the election, and it is said secured the promise of the position for a relative, the position not to be filled until after the election.

After the change of Government Dr. Clark tried to pull back his resignation, but was told that it would have to stand. Dr. Snider was elected in 1902 for North Norfolk, but was unseated, and in the bye-election that followed was defeated by E. A. Little by 100 majority, who also was unseated. Col. Atkinson, the present member for North Norfolk in the Legislature, defeated Dr. Snider by 381 in the general election of this year.

Lord Strathcona Will Lead.

London, Sept. 5.—(C.A.P.)—At the great Edinburgh volunteer review by the King, Lord Strathcona will march past at the head of the Eighth Scottish V. B. Liverpool Regiment, of which he is honorary colonel.

Yellow Fever Bulletin.

Now Orleans, Sept. 5.—Yellow fever report to 6 p. m. yesterday: New cases, 58; total to date, 2,082; deaths yesterday, 5; total to date, 292. New disease centres, 16. Cases under treatment, 321. Discharged, 1,469.

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NATURE'S WORK.

Properly Selected Marriages Not Always a Guarantee of Strong Physical and Mental Offspring.

The improvement of the human race by properly selected marriages is a subject which periodically crops up for academic discussion in medical and scientific literature. It has even been dignified as a science under the name of eugenics, says Medicine. The end may be desirable, but there are two defects in our knowledge of the subject which will forever prevent any practical suggestions.

No one knows what type will be the best for survival in an unknown future environment. We often see the extinction of the families of parents whom any physician would have pronounced ideal, but their children lacked resistance to the invasion of pathogenic organisms or there was some other defect which made them easy targets for climatic causes of physical decay. On the other hand we quite often find that parents, below par physically have fine families. Mr. Pipp is not a mere artistic creation.

In the second place it is not at all certain that the strongest are necessarily the best for the future. Typhoid fever seems to delight in removing its splendid specimens and light touching the more frail. A large physique may also be an actual encumbrance. Gorilla like muscles are now as wholly out of place and as useless as are the long arms of our ancestors, and as it was unaccountable to support them, these types of men were crowded out by the weaker. Likewise, parents now useful may become useless and therefore detrimental, and in a period of stress the type would perish while the survivors would be those we consider weaklings.

The curious unions which take place, apparently defying explanation, must be the result of law such as we find in every biologic phenomenon. About the only thing we know certainly is that man has the same instinct found in the lower animals to select a mate who is more or less different from himself. Every dog fancier knows this. Species survive by selection of the average specimens as a rule, for wide variations generally perish, and the only living animals are those which have inherited this tendency to mate with opposites.

Wide variations do not even originate new species, for these arise from survival of types, not from the average. The same law governs man's survival. Should like types mate, their common characteristics may be so exaggerated as to be harmful and the line perish. Incest is unnatural, because races die out from in-and-in breeding and surviving types are all descended from those who had opposite tendencies. Exogamy, or the selection of mates from other tribes, was the next step and became universal, for no other tribes were so vigorous and consequently they perished.

The ancient biblical moral laws against consanguineous and endogamous marriages are merely the expression of inherited instincts. Man-kind being then descended wholly from those who naturally marry their opposites, the present tendency is a natural law. It is evident that those of great intelligence to marry those of less than the average, for the offspring revert to the better average. Only occasionally do exceptionally able people marry their equals to produce those remarkable families, all of whom are noted. It is evident that we try to improve the race we will violate the natural law upon which our existence is based.

Artificial matrimonial selection has been tried, though the results were disastrous. The Onedia community was based upon the idea that eugenics was a science. Unfortunately the leaders failed to realize that the men and women who joined in such an abnormal life must have been abnormal themselves. Though they tried to select proper physical mates there was less attention paid to the mental and nervous side. The last report of the experiment was published some years ago and it merely referred to the expense saddled upon the state in caring for so many of the offspring in the public asylums.

The only practical side of eugenics which concerns the medical profession is the fact that advice is now and then requested as to whether a certain proposed alliance is desirable. It is solely a question as to whether there is ability to fulfill the role and survive. Rarely is there any reference to the viability or vigor of the future offspring, but should it be a vital question as in royal marriages, it is settled upon a general survey of each family and eugenics is not involved in the least.

The tendency to be average or normal is a fact which biologists have not sufficiently investigated. Every feature from the normal, whether we call it a variation or modification, must be due to a new cause. It cannot be causeless. If in subsequent generations this cause is removed the abnormality will not reappear. We have long given up the idea that disease is inherited, for we know it never appears if the cause is excluded.

This tendency to be normal is a biologic law of such paramount importance to physicians that it is astounding there is less heard of it. The influence of the environment in changing organisms is becoming more and more recognized, and heredity reduced to a mere tendency to do as the parent did in like conditions. It wholly explains why defective parents, if they live in a healthy, normal manner may produce fine offspring. The children have not been damaged as the parents were. Instead of excluding such parents from matrimony by eugenic theories, the whole trend of investigation must be in the direction of discovering and removing the cause of the defects.

Personal hygiene must derive many rules from embryologic investigations. By advocating proper methods of living we will do more good in the way of human betterment than by tampering with matrimonial instincts. It will be best to let the young folks follow the natural laws which have so far kept the world stocked with types good enough for nature's purpose. They would tell us to attend to our own affairs anyhow.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

CHARING CROSS.

Rev. Mr. Salton, of Charing Cross, attended the social at Cedar Springs on Wednesday Aug. 23rd.

Geo. Wilson has strengthened his granary by putting in new foundation blocks.

Mrs. McEachern left Thursday for Detroit, in which city she will make her home.

Mrs. I. Smith, of St. Thomas, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Walker.

Miss Lida Tyrill, of Chatham, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Mabel Jenner.

Mrs. Weir, of Chicago, is visiting Mrs. Weir, of this village.

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A number of the young boys of this vicinity will leave for the West in a few days.

Mrs. Maurice Doyle and Mrs. Mike Masterson spent a flying visit with friends on the eight last Friday.

The ice cream social given by John Doyle on Thursday evening was a great success in every respect.

Joseph J. Doyle has taken a situation in the Kent Mills and in future will reside in the city.

Mrs. Masterson and her daughter Mrs. Mike O'Neill, of the city, visited at James Doyle's on Friday.

James Dillon, of Raleigh, spent Sunday the guest of James Francis Doyle.

Hillard Ross and Will Deacon are doing the bulk of the threshing in this neighborhood.

It is reported that a wedding will take place on Oct. 1st.

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DAWN VALLEY.

Miss Luckem, who has been visiting Mrs. James Karr, has returned to her home in Adair, Mich.

The infant son of Wm. King has recovered from his recent illness. Mr. James Phair, who was laid up at home with three ribs broken, caused by a fall, has returned to his work on board schooner McEvoy.

Mr. Gordon McDonald, who taught at No. 19 last year, has been visiting friends in the section. He is looking well, and we learn has secured a good school next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Fleming and children spent Sunday at Keith. Mr. James Hazzard, Dresden, spent Thursday with his daughter, Mrs. Will King.

Mrs. Henry Barber, Detroit, and children are visiting at the home of her father, Mr. Malcolm McDermid, 2nd concession. Miss Jean McDermid is also a guest under the parental roof.

Mrs. James Stinson, who was visiting friends in Thamesville, returned on Friday accompanied by Mr. Stinson's little niece.

Mrs. James Karr and her gr. Miss Nooks, of Petrolia, visited at Dawn Mills last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Master Willie Taylor, Detroit, spending his holidays on the farm of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McDermid.

Some people seem to keep their reflections on ice.

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THREE JURORS CURED

Of Cholera Morbus with One Small Bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Mr. G. W. Fowler, of Hightower, Ala., relates an experience he had while serving on a petit jury in a murder case at Edwardsville, county seat of Claiborne county Ala., He says: "While there I ate some fresh meat and some soured milk and it gave me cholera morbus in a very severe form. I was never more sick in my life and sent to the drug store for a certain cholera mixture, but the drug- gist sent me a bottle of Chamber- lain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy instead, saying that he had what I sent for, but that this medi- cine was so much better he would rather send it to me in the fix I was in. I took one dose of it and was better in five minutes. The second dose cured me entirely. Two fellow jurors were afflicted in the same manner, and one twenty-five cent bottle cured the three of us." For sale by all druggists.

Splinter Pierced Brain.

Buckingham, Que., Sept. 5.—At Mac- Laren's sawmill yesterday, a splinter flew off an edger and struck Joseph Hayes under the chin and penetrated his brain. He expired almost instantly. Deceased was 38 years of age, and leaves a widow and several children.

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"I feel as if I should fly to pieces." How often those words are on a woman's lips. They express to the uttermost the nerve racked condition of the body, which makes life a daily martyrdom.

If this condition had come suddenly it would have been unbearable. But the transition was gradual. A little more strain each day on the nerves, a little more drain each day of the vitality. Any woman would be glad to be rid of such a condition. Every woman tries to be rid of it. Thou- sands of such women have been cured by Dr. Pierce's treatment with his "Favorite Prescription" when local doctors had entirely failed to cure. "Favorite Prescription" contains no opium, cocaine or other narcotic.

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Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH
PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Considering how cheap they are, com- plements saw an immense amount of wood.



Some people are honest because it is troublesome to be otherwise.

If poverty is a blessing in disguise, the disguise is so perfect that you would never suspect it.

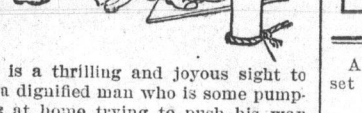
Never judge a man by his clothes. He may have another suit at home, but the chances are, of course, that he hasn't.

One trade that follows the flag is naturally the fighting trade.

It makes the man who is afraid he will yield to temptation so if none is thrown in his way.

The man who invented the fountain pen has just died, but the fellows who invent words to fit the occasion when it won't work are still with us.

When a girl is about sixteen, she thinks the reason all men do not work at soda fountains is because they can- not get the jobs.



It is a thrilling and joyous sight to see a dignified man who is some pump- kin at home trying to push his way through the crowds in a strange city.

Sometimes a man does not see an opportunity that almost bumps into him because a pretty girl is passing on the other side of the street.

After a man has learned the ways of the world it doesn't increase his opinion of the world to any alarming extent.

All in the Business.

The drummer in the country town speaks highly of the little place. He thinks that when he settles down and quits the high, nerve killing pace that he will take his child and wife and settle with them in the woods— In fact, be one of them for life, because he wants to sell them goods.

He thinks their water is the best that he has tasted anywhere. And he has traveled east and west. And knows the finest draft is there. He doesn't drink it to excess. If amber fluid is not shy. But he is willing to express Opinions that will make them buy.

The girls, he thinks, are far more fair than in the next jerkwater town. The men are handsome, true and square. The scenery should bring renown; The town a future great will find. Has prospects, any one could tell. Forgetting not to keep in mind That he is there with goods to sell.

When he goes home he says, alas, That life is dull and commonplace Out in the tall and untamed grass. He doesn't say it to their face— Oh, no; he lies with might and main To make the business come his way While longing for a friendly train So he can make his get-away.

Saw Her First. "She never kissed a man in her life." "She doesn't know what she has missed." "Possibly, but the men know what they haven't."

Knew the Marks. "The girls cannot fool him in regard to their ages." "No?" "He is on to all of the latest wrinkles."

So Simple. It is easy enough if you're going some- where. To juggle the railroads out of a fare; You can beat them for money, marbles or chalk. Would you know how to do the trick? Well, walk.

Acrobatic Feat. "He thinks he is eligible to member ship in the turners' society." "On what grounds?" "He always turns his cuffs."

Wins the Jobs. "She is fitting herself for a position to apply for a job as typewriter." "Patronizing a shorthand school?" "No, a beauty doctor."

May Cost Later On. Things that are free are little worth— At least so we are told— But, oh, the only thing on earth Worth having is not sold: The lover's kiss is always true, And it is good enough for me.

Why She Hatched Up. "What in the world did she ever marry that man for?" "Well, she thought he would be a good man to tie to."



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According to Scripture. A certain tailor of very strict prin- ciples was in the habit of excusing the faults of his assistants only in they could justify themselves by Scripture. One day a woman entered his shop and asked to see some material, but refused to buy it because it was too cheap. After showing her some other goods, the assistant brought back the same material, this time asking a higher price, whereupon the customer bought it. Afterward, the proprietor, who had witnessed the transaction, re- proved his assistant severely. The lat- ter, remembering the rules of the es- tablishment, replied: "Oh, it's accord- ing to Scripture all right. She was a stranger and I took her in."

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Florence—Oct. 5-6.
Glencoe—Sept. 26-27.
Highgate—Oct. 13-14.
Harrow—Oct. 10-11.
Muncey—Oct. 10-11-12.
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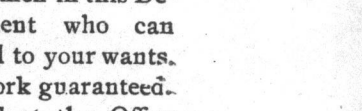
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Hope For a Lasting Accord Expressed
By the Chief Plenipotentiaries—
Last Scenes of All in the Treaty
of Portsmouth—Salute of 21 Guns
and Ringing of Church Bells Usher
In the Peace.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 6.—The treaty of Portsmouth was signed shortly before 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the conference room of the navy general store at the navy yard. The signing of a national salute of 21 guns was the signal which told New-castle that the peace of Portsmouth was an accomplished fact, and the church bells were soon pealing forth a joyful refrain.

The Russian plenipotentiaries reached the yard at 2.45, and received an ambassadorial salute of nineteen guns. The Russians went at once to their private offices to await the arrival of the Japanese, who did not reach the navy yard until 3 o'clock. Baron Komura and Mr. Takahira were also saluted with 19 guns as they entered the yard.

It was just 3.45 when the plenipotentiaries entered the conference room from their respective offices. They bowed to each other and took their accustomed seats at the long table.

Signing the Treaty.
When the delegates were seated, Mr. Sato handed Mr. Witte the Japanese copies of the treaty. At the same time Mr. Plancon placed the Russian copies before Baron Komura. Almost at the same moment the two men selected pens from the centre of the table and signed their names, first to the French and then to the English text. The copies were then signed by Baron De Rosen and Mr. Takahira. Mr. Sato returned the Japanese copies for the signatures of Baron Komura and Mr. Takahira. Mr. Witte and Baron De Rosen affixed their signatures to the Russian copies and the treaty of Portsmouth was signed, the ceremony being completed at 3.50.

Up to this moment no word had broken the silence of the conference room. Throwing his pen aside, Mr. Witte, without a word, reached across the table and grasped Baron Komura's hand. His conferees followed, and the Russian and Japanese delegates remained for a moment in silence, their right hands tightly clasped across the conference table. The war was over—Russia and Japan were once more friends.

Baron De Rosen was the first to break the silence. Looking straight at Baron Komura and Mr. Takahira, he began by saying that he wished, on behalf of M. Witte and himself, to say a few words. He then said, "I continued the ambassador, 'an act which will have forever a place in the annals of history. It is not for us active participants in the conclusion of this treaty to pass judgment on its import, and significance. As negotiators, we have the duty of having signed as well as the Empire of Japan we may with tranquil conscience say that we have done all that was in our power in order to bring about the peace for which the whole civilized world is longing. As plenipotentiaries of Russia, we fulfil a most agreeable duty in acknowledging that in negotiating with our hitherto adversaries and from this hour our friends, we have been dealing with true and thorough gentlemen to whom we are happy to express our high esteem and personal regard. We earnestly hope that friendly relations between the two Empires will be henceforth firmly established, and we trust that His Excellency, Baron Komura, as Minister of Foreign Affairs, and one of the leading statesmen of his country, will apply to the strengthening of these relations the wide experience and wise statesmanship he so conspicuously displayed during these negotiations which have now been so auspiciously concluded.'

A Lasting Peace.
Baron Komura replied expressing like regard for the Russian plenipotentiaries. The treaty of peace which they had just signed was in the interest of humanity and civilization and he was happy to believe that it would bring about a firm, lasting peace between two neighboring Empires. He added that it would always be pleasant for him to recall that throughout the long and serious negotiations which he and his colleagues had invariably received from the Russian plenipotentiaries the highest courtesy and consideration, and finally he begged to assure their Excellencies, the Russian plenipotentiaries, that it would be his duty, as well as his pleasure, to do everything in his power to make the treaty in fact what it professes to be in words—a treaty of peace and amity.

In Secret.
At the conclusion of Baron Komura's remarks, M. Witte arose and said he desired to see Baron De Rosen and the Japanese plenipotentiaries alone for a few minutes. What transpired in that final conference of the peacemakers the world may never know. The plenipotentiaries had refused to discuss it even to their secretaries.

Terms of the Treaty.
The Peace Treaty opens with a preamble that His Majesty the Emperor the autocrat of all the Russias, and His Majesty the Emperor of Japan, desiring to close the war now subsisting between them, and having appointed their respective plenipotentiaries and furnished them with full powers which were found to be in form, have come to an agreement on a treaty of peace, and arranged as follows:
Article 1 stipulates for the reestablishment of peace and friendship between the Sovereigns of the two Empires and between the subjects of Russia and Japan respectively.

Article 2—His Majesty the Emperor of Russia recognizes the preponderant influence of Russia from political, military, and economical points of view of Japan in the Empire of Corea, and stipulates that Russia will not oppose any measures for its Government, protection, or control that Japan will deem necessary to take in Corea in

conjunction with the Korean Government, but Russian subjects and Russian enterprises are to enjoy the same status as the subjects and enterprises of other countries.

Simultaneous Evacuation.

Article 3—It is mutually agreed that the territory of Manchuria be simultaneously evacuated by both Russian and Japanese troops, both countries being concerned in this evacuation, and their situations being absolutely identical. All rights acquired by private persons and companies shall remain intact.

Article 4—The rights possessed by Russia in conformity with the lease by Russia of Port Arthur and Dalny, together with the lands and waters adjacent, shall pass over in their entirety to Japan, but the properties and rights of Russian subjects are to be safeguarded and respected.

Article 5—The Governments of Russia and Japan engaged themselves reciprocally not to put any obstacles to the general measures (which shall be taken for all nations) that China may take for the development of the commerce and industry of Manchuria.

Japs Take the Mines.

Article 6—The Manchurian Railway shall be operated jointly between Russia and Japan at Koung-Tcheng-Tse. The two branch lines shall be employed only for commercial and industrial purposes. In view of Russia keeping her branch line, with all rights acquired by her convention with China for the construction of that railway, Japan acquires the mines in connection with such branch line which falls to her. However, the rights of private parties or private enterprises are to be respected. Both parties to this treaty remain absolutely free to undertake what they deem fit on expedient ground.

Article 7—Russia and Japan engaged themselves to make a conjunction of the two branch lines which they own, at Koung-Tcheng-Tse.

Article 8—It is agreed that the branch lines of the Manchurian Railway shall be worked with a view to assure commercial traffic between them without obstruction.

The Sakhalin Clause.
Article 9—Russia cedes to Japan the southern part of Sakhalin Island as far north as the fiftieth degree north latitude. Together with the islands depending thereon. The right of free navigation is assured in the bays of La Perouse and Tartare.

Article 10—This article recites the situation of Russian subjects on the southern part of Sakhalin Island, and stipulates that Russian colonists there shall be free and shall have the right to remain without changing their nationality. Per contra, the Japanese Government shall have the right to force Russian convicts to leave the territory which is ceded to her.

Article 11—Russia engages herself to make an agreement with Japan giving the Japanese subjects the right to fish in Russian territorial waters of the sea of Japan, the Sea of Okhotsk and Behring Sea.

Article 12—The two high contracting parties engaged themselves to renew the commercial treaty existing between the two Governments prior to the war in all its vigor, with slight modifications in details and with a most-favored nation clause.

Pay For Prisoners.

Article 13—Russia and Japan reciprocally engage to reimburse the prisoners of war on paying the real cost of keeping the same, such claim for cost to be supported by documents.

Article 14—This peace treaty shall be drawn up in two languages, French and English, the French text being evidence for the Russians, and the English text for the Japanese. In case of difficulty of interpretation the French document to be final evidence.

Sovereigns to Sign.

Article 15—The ratification of this treaty shall be countersigned by the Sovereigns of the two States within 50 days after its signature. The French and American Embassies shall be intermediaries between the Japanese and Russian Governments to announce by telegraph the ratifications of the treaty.

Two additional articles are agreed to as follows:

A Time Limit Set.
Article 1—The evacuation of Manchuria by both armies shall be complete within 18 months from the signing of the treaty, beginning with the retirement of troops of the first line. At the expiration of the 18 months the two parties will only be able to leave as guards for the railway 15 soldiers per kilometer.

Article 2—The boundary which limits the parts owned respectively by Russia and Japan in the Sakhalin Island shall be definitely marked off on the spot by a special limitographic commission.

A Secret Treaty?

New York, Sept. 6.—The Bingham, England, Post reports that the Foreign Office has been advised of a secret treaty between the Czar and Kaiser as an answer to the extension of the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

BLOODSHED IN RUSSIA.

Elizabethopol, Caucasus, Sept. 6.—Sanguinary fighting has occurred between Tartars and Armenians in the Village of Khankendi. There is great alarm here. All the Armenian shops are closed, and troops are patrolling the streets day and night.

Kutais, Caucasus, Sept. 6.—A conflict between nobles and peasants occurred to-day in the Village of Grandlet. Eleven persons were killed or wounded.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 6.—A despatch from Tiflis, received yesterday, says: The whole of the southeast Caucasus is now terrorized by Tartars. Details from Shusha show a considerable part of the town was soon in flames. According to an official estimate over 200 houses were destroyed.

Three Men Throw Bomb.
Helsingfors, Finland, Sept. 6.—A bomb was exploded early yesterday outside the head police office. Nobody was hurt and three persons concerned in the explosion escaped in the darkness. All the windows of the police office and all those of the adjoining buildings were smashed. The bomb was filled with small pieces of iron.

To Improve Cities.

Montreal, Sept. 6.—The American Society of Municipal Improvements is holding its twelfth annual meeting in Montreal.

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The report was adopted.

Mr. Robertson brought up a very important matter in connection with the trustees visiting the schools to get in closer touch with the work being done there. He thought that a committee of two from the different managers of the schools should be appointed at each meeting to visit their own schools at least twice a month and to report to the Board on what they saw.

His scheme was unanimously adopted by the Board, every one of the trustees present speaking in favor of it. Inspector Park also highly commended the idea. It was one that would be welcomed by the teachers and would be beneficial to the Board.

Messrs. Heyward and Morley were appointed for the McKeough school and Messrs. Paxton and Benson for the Central for the month of September.

Mr. Morley—I have always thought it unnecessary to visit the schools as we have such an excellent inspector—Hear, Hear.

Mr. Heyward—I only hope you will change of once in awhile and send the Central school managers over to the McKeough school, because we have over there the best looking lot of teachers to be found on the face of the earth.

And not a member of the Board disputed what he said.

It was decided to have the kindergarten room at the McKeough school thoroughly cleaned and the matter of carrying it out was left with the managers of the school.

Mr. Paxton, for the special committee of himself and Mr. Robertson on the improvements to the Central reported the sewer in first class condition. New sanitary arrangements have been placed in the basement. Desks have been purchased from Coltart & Wilson, and while the new rooms are being completed

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one of the classes is being held in the auditorium of the library. The improvements to the McKeough school are almost completed.

The report was adopted. Mr. Morley—I don't know what we would do without these two members on the Board. They have acted as committee, inspectors and everything.

The Board then adjourned.

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