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## GOT DOWN TO BUSINESS

Chairman Stone Had No Unnecessary Delays At Library meeting

### RECEIVED NEW MEMBER

The meeting of the Public Library Board last evening was not characterized by the transaction of any specially important business, but the questions which did come up were all given sufficient consideration, and were dealt with in a thorough business-like manner—an example which some of the other municipal bodies might well follow.

Chairman Fred. Stone called the meeting to order at eight o'clock sharp and the gentlemen who witnessed the fall of the gavel were Messrs. Twomey, Dr. Charteris, Wm. Anderson, J. W. Humphrey, S. M. Smith and Dr. Sullivan. The latter named gentleman is the new member of the Board, appointed by the Separate School Board to succeed Mr. Thibodeau, whose resignation on Oct. 1 was introduced by Dr. Charteris, and heartily welcomed by all of the members present.

### WANTED A PICTURE.

A letter was read from A. H. Colquhoun, Deputy Minister of Education, who, in behalf of the Minister of Education, asked the Board to donate to the department a picture of the Chatham Public Library, with the names of the officers, and the details of the steps taken to secure the money from Mr. Carnegie for its erection, all of which will be placed in the annual report of the Provincial Inspector of Libraries for 1906. The request will be granted.

A communication from a book publishing company offering Demonstrations of five volumes, for \$1.00 a volume, was referred to the Book Committee.

The following accounts were passed:

Gas Co., \$7.47.  
The Library Bureau, \$15.00.  
Postage, \$1.77.  
W. W. Scane, 60c.  
Wellington Fire Ins. Co., \$18.69.  
Dr. Charteris, for the Finance Committee reported that the finances of the institution were in good shape. This was good news to the Board, and it was received with pardonable satisfaction.

### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

The following was the Librarian's report as read and adopted:  
New borrowers..... 24  
Books given out..... 1705  
Cash Received.....

For fines.....\$4.47  
Book deposits..... .30  
Cards..... 1.20  
Renewal of cards..... .50  
Loss and damage..... .70

Total.....\$7.17  
Books asked for by the public—King's Achievement, Queen's Tragedy, By What Author, by Rev. H. Benson; Lavender and Fine Lace, and Master Violin, by Reid; A Welsh Singer, by Allen; Baine; History of India (two volumes) by Lord Roberts. Books received by the Board—The King's Revolve, by Margaret L. Woods; Entomology, by Watson Folson.

There are considerable number of books to be repaired and re-bound. E. M. BARASSIN, Librarian.

### NEW MEMBER WELCOMED.

In introducing Dr. Sullivan to the Board, Dr. Charteris moved that he be placed on the Finance and Room and Grounds committees. This was carried.

Mr. Stone felt sure that he voiced the sentiments of the whole Board when he said that Dr. Sullivan's appointment to the Board was a most acceptable one. He congratulated the Separate School Board on the wisdom of their choice.

Dr. Sullivan replied briefly, thanking the gentlemen present for their kind words. He jokingly remarked that he did not see the reason why they should pick him out for the Finance committee, as finances were not his strong point. The rest of the Board, however, felt sure of excellent service from him no matter where he was placed.

Dr. Charteris (dryly)—The new members generally find it incumbent upon them to finance an oyster supper.

At this point, Chairman Stone broke in abruptly with the orders of the day, and the doctor's reply was either drowned in the confusion of further discussion, or passed over unnoticed, owing to the intense interest in library affairs displayed by the energetic members of the Board. There is no doubt, however, that the doctor intends to fulfill all the requirements of his new position.

### A VALUED BUST.

Some time ago the Toronto Globe presented the Board with a bust of the late Hon. Geo. Brown, and at a previous meeting it was decided to purchase a stand for it and place it in the library building. A sketch from the Hadley Company for an oak stand was received and considered. Mr. Blouin appeared before the Board and advocated the purchase of a nycenian marble base. It was decided very little more than an oak one, and would be far more suitable.

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## CLEVER YOUNG MAN R. R. GAMEY'S FINE ADDRESS

Fred. C. Morley Appointed Head Cashier for Great Lakes Company

Readers of The Planet, and Chathamites especially, will be pleased to learn of another former Maple City boy's success in the business world. The G. H. J. is pleased to announce that Fred C. Morley, lately a valued auditor in the employ of McPherson & Falls, of Windsor, has been appointed head cashier for the Great Lakes Engineering Co., of Detroit. This company is one of the largest ship-building firms in the United States, and at present has the contract for supplying all the steel for the tunnel under the Detroit River.

Mr. F. C. Morley is a son of Trustee W. N. Morley, of this city. He was first connected with Gray & Sons' offices here, and the Sutherland-Innes Co. He later distinguished himself as a clever accountant with McPherson & Falls, of Windsor, by whom he had been engaged for the past three years. He severed his connection with McPherson & Falls about six weeks ago, when he went on as auditor with the Great Lakes Co., recently getting the appointment as head cashier. This is one of the best positions with the company, and Mr. Morley will assume his new duties at once.

## A SCHOOL EXHIBIT

Pupils of Dresden Will Take Part in Fall Exhibition.—Two Births.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Dresden, Oct. 3.—Pupils are preparing exhibits for the Fall Fair, a corner having been given them this year for that purpose.

Miss Bertha Dohle has returned to Toronto after visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McDonald for two weeks. Miss McDonald spent Sunday with Miss Lillie Piggott, Wallaceburg. Miss Dohle, of Port Huron, and Mrs. Watt, of Chatham, were guests of Mrs. A. McDonald on Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, on Monday, Oct. 1st, a son.  
Born to Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Thornton, on Tuesday, Oct. 2nd, a daughter.

Miss Hattie McDonald and Mr. Arthur Bentley attended the Wallaceburg Lacrosse Boys' assembly Tuesday night.

Sunday next will be Rally Day in the Presbyterian Church, and Oct. 21st will be Anniversary Sunday. Rev. Mr. Ross and Miss Ross, of Rutherford, were in town on Monday.

## OVER A POOL ROOM

The Village Of Wheatley Is Greatly Excited Over The Establishment Of An Amusement House

The village of Wheatley is greatly wrought up at present over the question whether a pool room should be allowed to operate in the village or not. The whole town has taken sides on the grave question and some very hot debates are now taking place. The case was tried at Wheatley eight days ago by Magistrate Bartlett and decision was reserved. Orley Wigle is the man charged with running the pool room without a license. The fee is \$100 per table, which is rather exorbitant, but it is claimed that Wigle was willing to pay the price asked. He was refused a license, and his place without one, and consequently got into trouble with the authorities.

On Tuesday morning J. W. Hanna appeared for Wigle in the Windsor police court and the case was again put over for eight days. In the meantime an application is being made to Toronto to enforce the by-law permitting pool tables to be operated.

## THE GUN WENT OFF

A Young Lad in Dresden Meets With Painful Accident—Didn't Know It Was Loaded

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Dresden, Oct. 3.—A very serious accident occurred on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Dunn and Mr. Tuckwell were cleaning a gun, when it accidentally went off, the shot entering the leg of Willie Smale, who was standing near. The doctors have not been able to extract the bullet, and the young lad is to be sent to Chatham Hospital on Thursday morning.

### SATURDAY MATINEE

The Real Widow Browns Company play a special matinee Saturday at the Brisco Opera House, commencing at 2.30 p. m. Prices—Children 10c; adults 25c.

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## R. R. GAMEY'S FINE ADDRESS

People Of Thamesville Honored With Visit From Ontario Parliamentarian

### A YOUNG MAN'S DEATH

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Thamesville, Oct. 2.—The weather being good, Thamesville Fair was a decided success. Numbers of old residents came back to renew acquaintances. Entries at the Fair in all the departments were large and the exhibits good. Stand from 2 to 2.30 p. m., in a most interesting way, on the resources of New Ontario. All who heard him were more than satisfied and anxious to hear him again. Of politics he said little, only this—The best of us have some bad qualities, and the worst of us some good ones. Mr. Bowyer, M. P. P., and other prominent men were on the platform.

The concert by DeCov's Orchestra, Chatham, in the Opera House, last night, was well rendered. A sad death occurred this morning in the person of Martin Featherston, aged seventeen. Martin has been ill for some time, and suffered much. Father Hermon came up from Chatham this morning, as Mr. Brennan was called to Wardsville to attend the funeral of Mr. Brown. Rev. Mr. Ayerest, Toronto, is in town for a few days.

Tom Craig and Miss Ethel Craig, Ridgeway, were in town to-day.

Mr. Kennan is visiting his wife and child at Prof. Burgess.

Miss Letta Elliott, of Blenheim, made an exhibit of handsome needle work at the Fair.

Mrs. Stephenson, from London, leaves for Dresden to-day.

Wm. Buchanan, London, is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Fred Eberle's mother is very ill. Miss Hogan, of Chatham, is attending her.

E. S. Hubbell's windows attracted much attention to-day, being decorated in a most novel way. In one was a perfect locomotive. Hubbell's special 15.50. The whole locomotive was made of articles from the ware store, and was perfectly arranged. In the other window were two young bears, very much alive and active.

## DEATH OF OLD RESIDENT

Ridgeway, Oct. 4.—Another old and esteemed citizen passed away Saturday evening in the person of George W. Brown, whose parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, were the first settlers in these parts.

Deceased, who was in his 64th year, had spent his whole life in East Kent. He was twice married, and is survived by his second wife, whose maiden name was Gray.

A family of three sons, all living in the west, and one daughter, Mrs. Charles Kent, of Petrolia, are left to mourn.

Deceased held high office with the Sons of England, who attended the funeral in a body on Monday. Services were held in Mount Zion Presbyterian church and interment was made in Greenwood Cemetery.

## INVESTIGATION ASKED

Mr. Paul Morand, license inspector for Essex, against whom County Constable Henry Vanderlinder, of been making charges, including a charge that Inspector Morand purchased a drink after hours in Be-dell's Hotel at Tecumseh, has asked Chief Inspector Eudo Saunders to make an investigation. Constable Vanderlinder, it is said, asked Inspector Morand to give him \$5 for information leading to the prosecution of a liquor dealer, as former inspectors had done, and the new inspector refused. This has led to trouble between the constable and the inspector, and the latter wants Mr. Saunders to have the matter investigated. This will be done.

## CITY TIME AWRY

"What is the matter with our city time?" was the query made of a Planet reporter by Mr. N. H. Stevens this morning. "I missed a train through depending on city time this morning," he added. "I was to leave by the C. P. R. at seven o'clock. I got down to the depot before seven by city time—in fact the city bell rang seven just after I arrived. On inquiry I found that my train had been gone two and one-half minutes. It's a pity that they can't get city time regulated so that one would not be deceived in this fashion."

## IT WASN'T PHILIP

Philip McGrovy, one of the men reported to be mixed up in the wire-tapping case at Windsor, is no other than Louis McGrovy, Philip is a respected resident of this city, an employee at the Chatham Motor Works, and is a cousin of the wire-tapper. When arrested Louis used this cousin's name for some reason or other, and so the account appeared in the papers with Philip's name.

## A NARROW ESCAPE

Mrs. Baird Of Blenheim While Lighting A Lamp Starts A Fire

From Our Own Correspondent.

Blenheim, Oct. 3.—On Monday evening, whilst lighting the lamp, Mrs. Wm. Baird by some means ignited the table spread, but owing to her presence of mind she succeeded in putting out the fire with little damage being done.

George M. Baird has sold his residence on Talbot street to Joseph Muskie.

John R. Clarke, the popular lecturer and entertainer, preached at the Methodist church on Sunday, his discourses being much enjoyed by the congregations present. On Monday evening, in the Opera House, under the auspices of the Methodist church, Laurens Aid he gave his lecture entitled Hits and Misses. A large crowd was present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Newson have moved into their own home on Chatham street. Mr. and Mrs. James Keadree have moved into W. C. White's house on Front street.

Mrs. E. A. Hill and daughter have returned from visiting relatives at Toronto and other points.

The Messrs. Ethel and Florence Thompson are visiting their father, Mr. W. Thompson, Communication Road.

Miss Paine, of Galt, is visiting at D. H. Gray's.

W. Eiley, who has been driving at the different races for the past two months, has returned home.

Mrs. A. E. Edmunds and Mr. C. Travis, Listowel, are visiting at H. W. Edmunds.

A large number from here took in the Merlin Fair. All report a good time, the Fair being good in every respect.

Mrs. Blewett and daughter Hazel, of Toronto, are visiting friends in town.

## GAVE HIM A CHAIR

Mr. R. A. Williams, the genial manager of the Sovereign Bank, who responded to the call of the Rector and Wardens of Christ Church, and very kindly consented to take charge of the choir until a permanent appointment was made, was presented, by the Rector and Wardens, on behalf of the congregation, with a large easy chair, as a slight recognition of his most able and efficient services. Mr. Williams is a capable musician, being well versed in church music, and the choir showed the result of his able training in the excellent rendering of the service.

## Two China Snaps!

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Beautiful Cake Plates 10c. Each.

Fancy Salad Bowls 10c. Each.

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## ILL-TREATMENT OF WITNESSES.

We have received a letter from Inspector Stark, secretary of the Chief Constables' Association of Ontario, in regard to the ill-treatment of witnesses, and especially in regard to the case dealt with by The Star the other day. The Inspector acquits the lawyer in the case of the intention to insult the witness, and we are sure his estimate is correct—that the lawyer is a good-natured practical joker and spoke thoughtlessly. At the same time we cannot help asking what would happen to a good-natured practical joker in the witness box. How would the warning voice of the counsel thunder through the court room? "Remember, sir, you are on your oath." How sternly would the judge rebuke the witness for his levity. Surely if a court is a solemn place, it should be solemn for all concerned. The witness has a right to be treated seriously, and to say, when he is made the butt of the wit of professionals, "Remember, sir, I am on my oath."

Inspector Stark is right when he says that the Magistrate in this case was more blame-worthy than the lawyer. As a rule, the Bench grossly neglects the duty of protecting the witness. The practice of brow-beating and ridiculing witnesses would disappear if the judge would insist upon the lawyer maintaining the serious and respectful attitude that is required in the case of the witness.—Toronto Star.

This question has often been the subject of comment in this journal, but it is felt that an extra word of caution now and then is as necessary as it is warranted. In Chatham there is not frequent cause for complaint in this respect, but cases will arise where words of caution from the Bench cannot be too firmly spoken. A lawyer has the advantage over the average witness, in that it is his business to act in court, and too often he makes unfair use of it, while the world looks on and calls it clever. Bullying witnesses with loud tones and wild gestures is a common resort of the lawyer who finds himself advocating a weak case. In such instances a perfectly honest witness is very apt to become excited, too, and may be quite innocently led into the little traps carefully laid for him in cross-examination. The effect has been that there are many men, to whom public speaking is an effort, who dread to appear in a court room in the capacity of a witness. It is not an unusual thing to find men of honest convictions and straightforward intentions contradicting their own statements when they are in the hands of a skilful examiner. In such cases there is more law than justice in the proceedings of the court. A clever lawyer is generally looked upon as one who can almost literally make a witness stand on his head, and then put words in his mouth. The position is not one which permits of a man doing his best thinking—and in this free country, a man should at least be allowed to do his own thinking.

Mr. Hyman once owed his election to pigs' feet and beer. When he became an "honorable" the standard was raised, and he owed his election to a Collins.—Hamilton Spectator.

For business-like meetings, unnecessary discussions and successful financing, the Library Board holds the record. The mention of this should, and may, benefit some of the other Municipal Boards.

"The greatest need in Canada is Men."—Stratford Beacon.

The Beacon must have been reading election records recently. It is our opinion that an equally pressing need of this country is to get rid of some of the men already in it.

"Remember, electors, that the ballot is secret and no one dare tell you differently."—St. Thomas Journal.

According to the evidence coming out in Toronto, times have changed since the Hyman election—if the Journal is right.

The following is from the Seaforth Expositor (Liberal):  
"Mr. Fielding is no spring chicken in politics. He has been a politician nearly all his life, and is one of the most astute in Canada. He had no right to close his eyes and stuff his ears so he could not see or hear what was going on in his constituency during an exciting election campaign. Besides, bribery cannot be done without the expenditure of money. The 'corruptionist' does not, as a rule, spend his own money, and there was no evidence to show that he had done so in this instance. Where did the money come from? Mr. Fielding must know this, and knowing that money had been provided, he had a right to see that it was honestly expended. If he failed to do this, he did himself and his reputation a serious injustice. The attempt, therefore, to make Mr. Fielding pose as the innocent victim of the wicked 'corruptionists' will not work. In fact, it is too thin; it is childish."

The New York Sun has the following cable from London: Writing in all seriousness a doctor develops a curious theory to explain the errors which are responsible for disasters on land and sea, such as the Grantham railway disaster, the collision of Admiral Tryon's flagship Victoria with the Canaperdown in 1893 and various episodes in the South African war.

According to the writer, at some time between the ages of 55 and 62 men lose their will power and judgment in a moment of crisis. This loss is only temporary, the psychological change taking place between the meridian of life and the commencement of age. Business men, according to this theorist, who say he has collected data to substantiate the point, show similar signs of weakness, irresolution and suspicion at the same time of life, but when they are a little older they are again reliable and wiser in counsel. Rest and patience are required.

### JUST A LITTLE BIT OFF THE TOP

Simple Simon met a Hyman  
Going to the poll;  
Said Simple Simon to the Hyman,  
Let me see your roll.

Then said Hyman to Simple Simon,  
Here's a ten-spot bright;  
Go it Simon, added Hyman,  
See that you vote right.

They are going to install savings banks in the city schools. Does this mean that the art of saving money will become child's play by and by?

In order that their bills may stand the wear and tear of being referred back and forward by the municipal bodies it would be a good idea for Haight & Fielder to make their accounts out on concrete, too.

Ye summer ice man hath taken his departure, but ye energetic cool man will see that things grow not monotonous during his absence.

Hepburn, the Lib. candidate in East Elgin got cold feet, but the generous roasting he has been given since should bring his tottles back to their normal temperature.

An eruption of mud has taken place in the European Caucases. That, nothing. Just note the volume of the same material which is being thrown out at the East Elgin Liberal caucuses in our own dear Canada.

If the Council and the School Board keep putting off the payment of Haight and Fielder's bill for sidewalk, they may find an additional sum in the way of interest charged up to them for side-stepping.

## THE STILETTO AGAIN.

The Banner wants to know where the sugar factory is that was promised this city by N. H. Stevens and Ald. Will Stone. This comes with mighty poor grace from the Banner organette, which held no opinion at all during the sugar factory campaign, but sat on the fence with a hand out each way. N. H. Stevens and Ald. Will Stone are both prominent Liberal workers, and from this distance we cannot see what the Banner's idea is in trying to treacherously knife them every chance it gets.

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## SPORT

## BASEBALL TUESDAY.

**American League.**  
At Philadelphia..... R.H.E.  
New York.....000200010-3 6 0  
Philadelphia.....01100011-4 3 0  
Batteries—Chesbro, Doyle and Thomas; Connelley, Berry, Umpire—Hurst.  
At Cleveland..... R.H.E.  
Cleveland.....10000105-7 12 3  
Detroit.....100000000-1 3 3  
Batteries—Leibhardt and Ewing; Douvan and Payne, Umpires—Evans and O'Loughlin.  
At Washington..... R.H.E.  
Washington.....001310000-3 12 1  
Boston.....000000000-0 4 1  
Batteries—Goodwin, Smith and Wakefield; Oberlin and Carrigan, Umpire—Connolly.  
At St. Louis..... R.H.E.  
St. Louis.....000000000-0 4 1  
Detroit.....100000000-1 3 3  
Batteries—Glade and Spencer; Owen and Rothgeb, Umpire—Sheridan.

**National League.**  
At Boston..... R.H.E.  
Boston.....10000100000-2 7 6  
Cincinnati.....00020000000-2 5 1  
Batteries—Proffitt and O'Rourke; Ewing and Schell, Umpire—Cahway. (Called on account of darkness.)  
At Brooklyn..... R.H.E.  
Brooklyn.....000000000-0 4 1  
Pittsburgh.....020000000-2 9 1  
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## RUSSIAN VERSUS TURK.

## A Contest in Which Ivan Won With Laughable Ease in a Very Pretty Play of Primitive Wit.

Some years ago a Russian and a Turkish officer were having a dispute as to the superiority in discipline of their respective soldiers.

"I can prove to you on the spot," said the Russian, "how perfectly our men are trained, and he called his orderly, 'Ivan!' 'Sir,' 'Go to Mehemet's, buy me a pound of tobacco and come back at once.'"

The soldier saluted, turned on his heel and went out. "Now," said the Russian officer, taking out his watch, "my orderly is walking straight to the next corner, where he must turn; now he is turning; now he is opposite the white mosque; now he is crossing the maydan; now he is at Mehemet's; now he is buying the tobacco; now he is coming back; now he is on the block below us; now he is at the door; now—And the Russian called out, 'Ivan!' 'Sir.'"

"Where's my tobacco?"  
"Here, sir."

The Turkish officer, showing no sign of surprise at the precision of this Russo-tobacco movement, promptly broke out:

"Ho, ho! My soldier can do that every day in the week," and he called, "Muehtar!"  
"Sir!"

"Go to All Effendi's and see that you bring me a pound of tobacco. My pipe is empty."  
"Instantly, sir."

Following the tactics of the Russian officer, the Turk put out his watch and went on: "Muehtar is in the street; now he is passing the palpooh bazari; now it is noon and he is saying his prayers; now he is drinking at the stone fountain; now All Effendi hails him and asks him about my health; now Muehtar is paying for the tobacco; now he is coming back by another way; now he is on our street; now he is at the door; now—"

"Muehtar!" shouted the officer.  
"Sir."

"Where is my tobacco?"  
"I haven't found my shoes yet!"

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## BRITISH SCIENTIST'S IDEA.

Man Is Groping His Way Upwards  
Says Sir Oliver Lodge—Reasons For His Conclusion.

God is one; the universe is an aspect and revelation of God. The universe is struggling upward to a perfecting not yet attained, writes Sir Oliver Lodge, who continues: I see in the mighty process of evolution an eternal struggle towards more and more self-perfection and fuller and more embracing existence—only on the part of what is customarily spoken of as creating, but in so far as nature is an aspect and revelation of God, and in so far as time has any ultimate meaning or significance, we must dare to extend the thought of growth and progress and development even up to the height of all that we can realize of the supernatural being. In some parts of the universe perhaps already the ideal conception has been attained. And the region of such attainment, the full blaze of self-conscious deity, is too bright for mortal eyes, utterly beyond our highest thoughts; but in part the attainment is as yet imperfect; in what we know as the material part, which is our present home, it is nascent, or only just beginning; and our own struggles and efforts and disappointments and aspirations, the faint gleams and twinklings of creation, these are evidence of the effort; indeed, they themselves are part of the effort towards fuller and complete and more conscious existence. On this planet man is the highest outcome of the forces so far, and so daily we here exist. Terribly imperfect as yet, because so recently evolved, he is nevertheless a being which has at length attained to consciousness and free will, a being unable to be coerced by the whole force of the universe against his will; a spark of the divine never to be quenched.

So it must have been elsewhere, amid the depths of cosmic space, myriads of times over in all the vistas of the past; the evolution of what popularly are called angels, some ascendant in the struggle, others fallen by their own rebellion. Let it not be supposed that these instinctive legends are based on nothing; they are pictorial travesties, doubtless, but they are not gratuitous inventions; if doubtful, indirectly baseless or purely gratuitous inventions would have any vitality; every living idea surely must be based upon something; these correspond to something innate in the ideas of humanity because imbedded in the structure of the universe of which that humanity is a part.

A question presses on the optimist for answer therefore. Are the rebellious and sinful not also on the upgrade? Ultimately, and in the last resort, will they, too, put themselves in time with the harmony of existence? Who is to say? Time is but eternity, is before us as well as between us, and the end is not yet. There is no ultimate in the matter, for there is no end; there is room for an eternity of rebellion and degradation and misery as well as for one of joy and hope and love. We can see that virtue and happiness must be on the winning side, while crime is a fruit of arrested development or reversion to an ancestral type; we can perceive that vice contains suicidal elements, while every step in an upward direction increases the potential energy of the moral universe; yet clearly there is no compulsion; the door of hope is not closed, but it must of free will be entered, and good and evil will be intermingled with us for many seasons yet. The law of progress by struggle and effort is not, soon to be abrogated and replaced by Nirvana. The universe is not a "being" but a "becoming," an ancient but light bringing doctrine when realized, it is in change, in development, in movement, upward and downward, that activity consists.

Such ideas, the ideas of development and progress, extend even up to God himself, according to the Christian conception. So we return to that with which we started; the Christian idea of God is not that of a being outside the universe, above its struggles and advances, looking on and taking no part in the process, solely exalted, beneficent, self-determined, and complete; no, it is also that of a God who loves, who yearns, who suffers, who keenly laments the rebellious and misguided activity of the free agents brought into being by himself as part of himself, who enters into the storm and conflict, and is subject to conditions as the soul of it all; conditions not artificial and transitory, but inherent in the process of producing free and conscious beings and essential to the full self-development of even deity.

Infinitely patient the universe has been while man has groped his way to this truth; so simple and consoling in one of its aspects, so inconceivable and incredible in another. Dimly and partially it has been seen by all the prophets, and doubtless by many of the pagan saints. Dimly and partially we see it now; but in the life blood of Christianity we see its most vital element. It is not likely to be the attribute of any religion alone; it may be the essence of truth in all terrestrial religions, but it is conspicuously Christian.

## Red Rose as Rent.

A red rose is the annual rent paid for a valuable bit of land in Southwark, the busy central quarter of southern London. The 250th payment has just been made to the governors of St. Olave's and St. Saviour's Grammar School, who are the ground landlords. The quaint custom dates from 1656, when a portion of a field belonging to the school was leased by the parish to the school for the benefit of the poor, at the nominal annual rent of one red rose. The lease was one of 500 years, so that in the natural course of things the annual red rose will be paid until A. D. 2156. The value of the land will go on increasing, green fields have now receded miles from Southwark.

Laymen as "Patrons." The Bishop of Rochester, speaking at the Diocesan Conference at Tunbridge Wells, on differences between clergy and congregations, said that in future he would submit to local patronage committees of church people any gifts of living of which he was the patron provided that the committees undertook to see that the incumbent received adequate remuneration.

# THE ECONOMICAL PLACE TO SHOP

THERE is a deal of hopefulness in this store—more than in any other because helpfulness is our chief aim. Our prices are invariably "Just a little lower" and our goods are persistently better than is the wont of other stores to give.

These little savings on every purchase—amounts up in a year's shopping—to a considerable sum. It's those benefits that bring people to this store regularly from the surrounding towns and country.

While people are buying their Fall and Winter needs—and wardrobes—the fact is more useful than at any other time.

## .....Special Attractions for Friday.....

**34 Inch Flannelettes, 9c Yard**—25 pieces fine heavy stripe Shaker Flannels, full 34 in. wide, in good range fast colors. Special a yard, 9c.

**7c Shaker Flannels at 5c Yard**—40 pcs. good quality stripe Shaker, 29 in. wide, light and dark colors, regular 7c yard, Friday 5c.

**22 pieces English Shaker Flannel**—superior quality, 33 in. wide, in range of choice fast color stripes, good value at 12 1/2c yard, special 10c.

**36 Inch Wrapperettes 12 1/2c Yard**—18 pieces fine quality in choice new patterns and colorings, for Wrappers, Waistings and Kimonos, full yard wide, 5 special a yard 12 1/2c.

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**A Bargain in Tooth Brushes**—

Friday morning we place on sale 12 dozen fine pure bistie ivory tooth brushes, assorted styles, regular 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c each.

Friday, e ch 8c

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**Men's Wool Sox, 2 Pair for 25c**—10 doz.

Men's all wool grey Sox, medium weight, seamless feet, Friday 2 pair for 25c.

**Men's 7 1/2c Flannelette Night Shirts 50c**—

4 1/2 doz only Men's Night Shirts, of fine heavy quality striped English Flannelette, fast colors, cut full sizes, neck band sizes 14 to 19 inch. Regular 75c for 50c.

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**40c Dresden Ribbons 29c yd**—5 inch wide rich pure silk quality in beautiful coloring and designs, regular 40c yd on sale at 29c.

**Teneriffe Doylies 25c**—Fine hand worked Teneriffe Doylies, 12 inch size, regular 40c for 25c.

**Long Silk Gloves**—Black or white, fine qualities pure silk, 3 special lines at a pair \$1.25, \$1.00 and 90c.

**Yard Wide Taffeta Silk \$1.00**—Just placed in stock another shipment of our famous yard wide rich black Taffeta silk, a silk that gives satisfaction in wear, no better silk shown anywhere at \$1.25 a yard our special price \$1.00.

**Ladies Cashmere Hose 25c**—Plain or assorted ribs, elastic knit, seamless feet, best dye and finish a 50 dozen lot worth up to 35c pair, clearing at 25c.

**Ladies Coats**—Another shipment of latest style garments just to hand, "Northway Made" garments leaders in quality and style at each 8.50, 10.00, 12.50, 15.00, 16.50 and \$17.50.

**An Immense Stock of Skirts**—Our skirt business is doubling up every season, and there are good reasons why we should—and are doing the skirt trade of the city. Better qualities—better styles—better fitting skirts—and the prices are not as high as most stores ask you to pay for the other kind, handsome new skirts at 2.75, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.50, 8.50 and \$9.50.

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## A Pretty Coverlet For the Baby's Carriage—Dull Toned Hats.

A coverlet for the baby's carriage is made of the finest swiss embroidered in a pretty wreath design in flower colors, lined with tufted blue silk and given a frill of hemstitched mull.

The colors of your eyes should guide you in choosing the shade that suits you best. A girl with brown eyes and hair never looks prettier than when dressed up in varying tones of brown. Bright lips and a fresh complexion can be emphasized by wearing a string of coral beads.

Hats of dull tones, suggesting their having been exposed to the sun, are the latest novelty in millinery. So



SMALL GIRL'S DRESS.

cleverly are they contrived that it is difficult to believe that the sun has not been at work upon them.

A shabby petticoat kills the smartest gown. Choose the underskirt to present a pleasing and harmonious contrast to the dress or to match the prevailing color in the hat. Study the art of holding up the skirt gracefully. Few women know how to accomplish this, and the general appearance of a costume is frequently spoiled by carelessness in this respect.

Very simple and childlike is the white china silk gown illustrated. The skirt is laid in plaits at the waist and trimmed at the bottom with graduated widths of white satin ribbon. The lace used is a pretty design in rather coarse German val. JUDIC CHOLLET.

## RAILWAYS.

## CANADIAN PACIFIC

7 a.m. for London, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary and all Pacific Coast points.  
7:30 a.m. for Montreal, Toronto, St. John, Boston and all points east, also Winnipeg, Calgary and Pacific Coast points.  
1:03 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul and all points north, south and west.  
1:13 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul and all points north west and south.  
Daily except Sunday. \* Daily.

## WABASH

GOING WEST  
No. 1—6:25 a.m. .... No. 2—12:35 p.m.  
3:10 p.m. .... 4:11 p.m.  
12:15 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.  
5:35 p.m. .... 6:13 a.m.  
9:13 a.m. .... 8:49 p.m.  
J. A. Richardson, Dist. Pass. Agent, Toronto and St. Thomas.  
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## GRAND TRUNK

1:30 a.m. for Windsor, Detroit and intermediate stations, except Sunday.  
12:52 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.  
1:15 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.  
5:50 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west.  
International Limited, daily.  
1 Mixed 2:30 p.m.

## EAST

8:37 a.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto and Buffalo and New York.  
1:00 p.m. for London, Toronto, Montreal, Buffalo and New York.  
5:18 for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and east.  
7:15 p.m. for London and intermediate stations.  
Daily except Sunday. \* Daily.

## CHATHAM, WALLACEBURG AND LAKE ERIE RAILWAY.

## ELECTRIC SERVICE

Time Table No. 5. In effect Wednesday, May 9th, 1906.

CHATHAM	WALLACEBURG	WALLACEBURG	CHATHAM
LEAVE	ARRIVE	LEAVE	ARRIVE
6:00 a.m.	8:20 a.m.	7:10 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m.	11:25 a.m.	10:15 a.m.	10:10 a.m.
11:30 a.m.	1:40 p.m.	12:30 p.m.	12:20 p.m.
2:15 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	3:20 p.m.	3:15 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	6:55 p.m.	5:45 p.m.	5:40 p.m.
5:45 p.m.	8:10 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	6:55 p.m.
7:00 p.m.	9:25 p.m.	8:15 p.m.	8:10 p.m.
9:50 p.m.	12:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.

Extra cars on Saturday leave Chatham 7:15 a.m., 1:10 p.m., leave Wallaceburg 9:00 a.m. and 1:15 p.m.

\* Except Sunday all other cars daily.

## PERE MARQUETTE

## BUFFALO DIVISION

Leave Chatham	Express	Express
Chatham and West	8:15 a.m.	4:05 p.m.
Bienheim and East	9:05 a.m.	6:10 p.m.
Arrive Chatham	9:55 a.m.	6:55 p.m.

All trains run by Eastern Standard time.

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#### PROBABILITIES

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Oct. 4.—11 a. m.—To-day and on Friday, moderate to fresh westerly to southerly winds, warm and mostly fair, but a few local showers.

#### YESTERDAY.

Seven a. m. .... 55  
Nine a. m. .... 65  
Maximum ..... 63  
Minimum ..... 50

#### TO-DAY.

Lowest during the night..... 63  
Seven a. m. .... 49  
Barometer..... 29.42

## LOCAL

Blenheim Fair is on to-day.  
Mrs. W. M. Kelly is visiting friends in Toronto.  
Art Martin, of Tilbury, was in the city yesterday.

H. E. Miller, of Walkerville, was a city visitor yesterday.  
Fine Crawford peaches \$2.50 per bushel at the King Edward Grocery.  
License Inspector Thomas Boon, of Bothwell, was a city visitor yesterday.

The Chatham baseball team play the St. Thomas team in St. Thomas to-morrow.

Westman Bros. have been awarded the contract for the plumbing and heating of the new Dominion Bank building.

A joint meeting of the trustees and Quarterly Board of Park street Methodist church will be held to-morrow evening to consider some urgent business.

Applications for the position of Health Inspector, left open by the resignation of A. T. Moutter, are coming in rapidly. They are being received on an average of four and five a day.

Saul Eagle, of Alpena, an experienced oil and gas man, is said to be prepared to make an offer of \$10,000 for a franchise to pipe this city with natural gas. Mr. Eagle will ask for a ten year franchise.

President Kipp and Mr. Kizer, of Towanda, Pa., are expected in the city this afternoon to attend the meeting of the directors of the C. W. & L. E. R. The meeting was first intended to be held yesterday afternoon, but owing to the fact that some of the out of town directors were delayed in getting here, it was adjourned till this afternoon.

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## MARY AND HER LAMB

#### No. 1

Mary had a little cough  
Of which she took no care.  
To-day her friends are weeping—  
She's climbed the golden stair.

P. S.—The lamb knew better. At first sign of a cold he bought a bottle of Radley's Cough Syrup at 25c. He is still enjoying life.

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## UNDESERVED INSINUATION

N. H. Stevens and Ald. Wm. Stone Spoke of a Sugar Factory in Good Faith

### THE BANNER'S MISTAKE

Last night the Banner published a sarcastic article, purporting to come from an influential citizen, in which the paper made inquiry as to where the sugar factory was that was spoken of by Mr. N. H. Stevens and Ald. Will Stone, some time ago. In the article the Banner insinuated that the proposition was a pipe-dream. Anyone who is personally acquainted with Mr. N. H. Stevens, of the Canada Flour Mills, knows how undeserved is this nasty insinuation from the Banner. Mr. Stevens is not the sort of citizen who indulges in "pipe-dreams." He is too busy a man, and he is widely known as a man of his word. When he spoke of a sugar factory coming to Chatham he was confident that one would be built here ere long. And to judge by what he has since said, the idea of bringing a sugar factory here has not by any means been abandoned.

Mr. Stevens saw the article in the Banner last night, but he doesn't believe in paying any attention to these nasty little hints. Speaking to a Planet reporter this morning, he said:

"There is nothing very new with regard to the proposition, but it would have looked much better if they had held their news steady till they heard from us regarding the proposition. It is a fact that the men who spoke to me about locating in Chatham, did so in good faith, and I believe that it is their intention to put up a factory, and as I said some time ago, these parties will not ask any favors from the city. I believe that the factory will be located here in due time."

Ald. Wm. Stone also had something to say about the article in question.

"I haven't the slightest doubt but that we will have a sugar factory here before long. The proposition is very far advanced," he remarked. "And I might add, that it will be no other than Mr. John Davidson at the head of it."

Incidentally, the Planet learned some time ago that parties interested were in the city, and that on occasion their general remarks seemed to indicate that they intended to locate here.

### ELKS CLUB BALL

The Elks Club will open the season with their annual ball, which takes place on the evening of Oct. 25. Invitations will be issued next week.

Secretary H. Louden has secured the services of Fennell's orchestra, of Detroit, for the occasion. The Elks Ball has always been a great success in past years, and this year it is expected to eclipse all previous events.

### LIBERALS DISSATISFIED

Ottawa, Oct. 3.—Feeling in the Liberal party is divided with regard to Mr. Tarte's appointment as chairman of the Montreal Harbor Commission. The opportunity at last is given; the stiffer Liberals resent the proposal.

Mr. Brodeur heads the wing which desires to make the appointment, and the Premier leans to that view on account of his anxiety to secure the support of La Patrie for the next election. If La Patrie took the Liberal side the Opposition would virtually have no newspaper in the Province.

Mr. Fielding and one or two English-speaking Ministers are extremely reluctant to see his appointment chiefly on the ground of Mr. Tarte's connection with the C. P. R.

### A BIG FLOW OF GAS

The Maple City Oil and Gas Company has made a big strike in the Tilbury field. This morning J. W. Aitken received a telephone message from Mr. Egan, to the effect that a gas well of between six and ten million cubic feet was struck on the Burgess farm at three o'clock this morning. The pressure is so strong that it is blowing the cuttings through the derrick, something which has not been seen before in the Tilbury field. The men have had to stop work completely. They have been working about 30 days, and have got down about 1,360 feet. This is the farthest west well in the field, and some time ago it was looked upon as a wild cat well.

The Irwin well came in yesterday, and turned out to be a good gas producer. This one was put down to a depth of 1,400 feet.

This makes four gas wells now owned by the Maple City Company—the Burgess well, the Irwin well, the Egan well and the Barry well.

The strong-minded woman would rather espouse a cause than a husband.

True greatness lies not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall.

A superfluity of ambition is almost as useless as a total want of it.

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## THE SONGS WERE MANY

A Prominent Colored Lady Entertains Her Friends and the Neighbors

### HER RECEIVING GOWN

A social event of more than usual interest took place last evening at the residence of Mrs. Brody, Patterson avenue, when that lady gave an informal reception to her friends.

The piece de resistance of the evening's program was the singing of Mrs. Brody. She sang in a rich, clear, soprano voice. The hit of the evening was her rendition of "Peter King Don't Bells." She was several times called on for an encore, which she most graciously responded to on each occasion.

Mrs. Brody, assisted by several of her little girl friends, received the guests at the door. A description of the hostess's costume on this occasion may not be amiss. Mrs. Brody wore a very becoming red satin waist, white lace collar, and a black silk skirt charmingly entrained. She wore a crown of white flowers, and a veil of clinging gossamer material, and of lively green shade. She also wore a pair of well-fitting long white gloves.

After several songs by Mrs. Brody, supper was served. It consisted of chicken and other rare delicacies. After supper there were some more singing by Mrs. Brody.

Neighbors on Patterson avenue who listened to Mrs. Brody's exquisite songs of joy and salvation last night are anxious to know when she intends to give her next entertainment. They may make engagements to be out for the evening. Mrs. Brody's singing may be inspiring, but it is not altogether conducive to sleep.

## FLAMES LAP WINE

Ontario Grape Growing and Wine Manufacturing Co. at St. Kitts Destroyed—Loss \$150,000.

St. Catharines, Oct. 4.—One of the most costly fires the Niagara peninsula has ever had occurred early yesterday morning, when the entire plant of the Ontario Grape Growing and Wine Manufacturing Co., located on the old Welland Canal, on the outskirts of the city, was entirely destroyed. George Barnes, manager and principal owner, says the loss will reach fully a hundred and fifty thousand dollars, with insurance of about \$75,000.

The cause of the fire is unknown. It was not discovered until it had gained such headway in the cellars that nothing could be done.

As the great wine vats in the cellar caught fire the wine boiled and sizzled and ran down the incline into the canal in streams which would have carried a good sized boat.

Canal Colored With Wine. It is estimated that fully a hundred thousand dollars' worth of wine was destroyed, some of it of rare vintage. The canal days ago about \$5,000 worth of sugar was put into the plant, and this was burned up with an amazing heat.

The grapes already brought in by the growers went with the general conflagration.

The grape-growers who have not yet harvested their crop will be in a bad way, as now that the Wine Manufacturing Co. are burned out there will be perhaps no place to sell them.

The burned plant is one of the largest in this country, and it is said that it will take three years for the company to get into the same position as they were yesterday. Mr. Barnes will rebuild. He has had his vineyards and wine process there for over 30 years, and for years has been the principal buyer of grapes around here.

Four thousand tons of grapes is the output of the Niagara peninsula this year.

Burns 36,000,000 Feet of Lumber. Ottawa, Oct. 4.—The fire which swept Fraser Bros. lumber yards yesterday destroyed well on to 36,000,000 feet of lumber, with loss fixed at fully \$50,000, covered by insurance. The fire jumped from one pile to another with appalling rapidity. Sections of the Ottawa, Hull and Aylmer brigades assisted the mill men and kept the mill and surrounding houses protected. All the big fire insurance companies with offices in Ottawa are interested. The lumber companies who had purchased the burned lumber included Shepard and Morse, W. C. Edwards & Co., the McArthur Export Lumber Co., Watson and Todd, and three or four big American firms.

Attempted Suicide. Hamilton, Oct. 4.—Donald Sutherland, for many years a grocer in Hamilton, attempted to commit suicide at his home on the beach yesterday morning. It is supposed that despondency over business matters was the cause of his trouble. He threatened to end his life and his wife ran out for assistance. When she returned he had cut his throat and was lying in a pool of blood. It is thought that he will recover.

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### CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAYS'S NEW DEPARTURE, PARLOR CARS ON LOCAL TRAINS.

The Canadian Pacific Steamship Express, running between Toronto and Owen Sound, has been discontinued for the season, and the parlor cars on that magnificent train will be used on local trains seven and eight, between Toronto and Peterboro, and ten and eleven, between London and Toronto. Train ten leaves Chatham at 7 a. m., arriving at Toronto at 12:15 p. m. Train eleven leaves Toronto at 4:15 p. m., arriving at Chatham at 9:50 p. m. Under the new arrangements, passengers will be able to have parlor car accommodation, if they so wish, on local trains as well as through express trains. This new departure will no doubt be appreciated by the travelling public.

Call at City Ticket Office, C.P.R., Opera House Block, for further information.

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MANICURING — Manicuring and Face Massage, Ladies' and Children's Shampooing, will be done at one of our homes. Ladies wishing to secure services, please address Miss Eva Brown, Chatham Post Office; or apply at Mrs. Lawrence's residence, William St.

### TENDERS WANTED

Bulk or separate tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned architect until Friday, October 4th, 1906, for all trades, including brick and stone work, plastering, carpenter work, painting and glazing, galvanized iron work, slate roofing, plumbing and heating and girders required to erect and complete an addition to the Public General Hospital.

All tenders to be sealed and marked "Tender for Hospital." Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. M. PIPER, Architect.

King St., Chatham.

### AUCTION SALE

The residence on the corner of Victoria avenue and Barth street, owned by Mrs. Jarvis, will be offered in public auction, on the premises, Monday, Oct. 8th, at 11 o'clock, if not disposed of before; 35 feet on Barth street and 65 feet on Victoria Ave., will be sold separately if desired, also the lot on corner of Victoria avenue and Forest street. For particulars apply to Mrs. S. M. Jarvis, Victoria avenue.

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**\$5.00**

Ladies' Jackets of heavy Cheviot in black, grey or navy, also black and grey mixtures, 42 inches long, trimmed with broad strapping and buttons.

**\$8.50**

A very popular design in grey mixture, medium shade trimmed with 3 broad stitched straps down back and 2 down front and finished with buttons.

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Of black Kersey Cloth, prettily strapped and finished with touches of velvet and small buttons.

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An assortment of handsome colorings and styles including the popular Prince Chap model, many pretty loose effects with various strapping and trimmings.

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A stylish semi-fitting model in a pretty fawnish grey mixture, fly fronted, handsomely tailored, 48 inches long.

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Of very fine black Kersey or Oxford Covert cloth 45 inches long, inlaid collar and cuffs of velvet finished with strapping and stitching.

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**Births, Marriages and Deaths**

**DIED.**

**ROY**—In the city of Detroit, Arthur, the infant son of Mrs. A. Roy, aged 1 year.  
Funeral to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 from the residence of Mr. David Moore, Adelaide St., to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

**LOCAL**

**Smoke Quail on Toast Cigar**—5c.  
Ben. Blonde is in Tecumseh to-day on business.

Manson Campbell is in Detroit to-day on business.

Walter Piggott is in Windsor to-day on business.

Wm. Drader was in Thamesville yesterday on business.

C. M. Giddings, of Rockford, Ill., is in the city on business.

James Whitson, of Dunn, was in the city yesterday on business.

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The Blonde Lumber Co. have taken a contract to build a house for A. E. Fields, Northwood; also for renovating the old C. B. C. building for Mr. K. Wiggash.

Mrs. (Dr.) W. R. Hall and daughter, Miss Edith, leave to-day for Euston, Mass., where Miss Hall will continue her studies in instrumental music, at the New England Conservatory.

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The King Edward Grocery will have a big stock of good yellow free s-won peaches Friday morning at \$2.00 per bushel.

Anniversary services will be held in Victoria avenue church next Sunday. Social evening Monday night. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Irwin, of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Wm. Irwin, of Chatham, Ont., are the guests of Mrs. Matthews, Queen avenue, Windsor.

The Louisville Baptist church people are holding their anniversary Sunday next. Mrs. S. C. Walker has been engaged to take charge of the music.

The Victoria Avenue Green Houses have just received the largest consignment of bulbs ever imported into Chatham. They are the best bulbs that can be procured. Bedding tulips \$1.25 per hundred.

Two Windsor marriages figured in seven divorce cases heard in Detroit Monday afternoon. James B. Farrington said his wife preferred the society of other men. They were married here in 1901. Farrington said he went home once and found his wife hugging another man. Divorce granted.

W. B. Bamford, Toronto, has been appointed district passenger agent for the Ontario division of the C. P. R., with headquarters at London. Mr. Bamford will have jurisdiction over the line Galt and west to Windsor, including Ingersoll and Port Stanley branches.

Mrs. S. M. Jarvis, of Toronto, will offer by auction on Monday next, as advertised, the residence on the corner of Victoria avenue and Barth street, also 35 feet on Barth street, and 65 feet on Victoria avenue. The purchaser of the residence will have the option of the land, or the land will be sold separately if desired.

A four-ton safe was shipped here last week for the Dominion Bank. On its arrival it was found that the weight had broken a hole through the flooring, as a result of which a corner of the safe was broken off, and it is thought that the wrecking train will be required to get it off. The bank management will claim damages.—Timbary Times.

**DISTRICT****TILBURY**

Tilbury, Oct. 2.—W. Adamson, of Scranton, Pa., was the guest of his cousin, J. J. Dennis, this week.

Mrs. Campbell St. left this week to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Longtin, in Bay City, Mich.

Mrs. L. Stinson returns to her home at Oroton to-day, after a few days visit with her sisters here.

Mrs. T. W. Strachan, who has been the guest of her brother, Rev. Mr. Dobson, returns to-day to her home at Belmont.

John Shaw is attending Leamington Fair to-day.

Mrs. Nelson leaves to-day to visit relatives near Peterborough.

Mrs. N. Stinson has moved her millinery establishment to James Stewart's building, lately occupied by Lawyer Shillington.

John Warnock returned last night from Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot have sold their house on Ella street and intend leaving for Detroit this week.

Mrs. Gertrude Johnson is visiting friends at Inlay City, Mich.

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Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to four o'clock p. m. on Friday, the 12th day of October, 1906, for the construction of seven steel bridges with concrete abutments on the Boyle drain, in the Township of Dover. Specifications for the work can be seen at my residence on lot 14 in the 7th concession, Township of Dover, or at John Welsh's office, city of Chatham.

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"Being so narrow and so steep, there are, of course, no camels and no carts. Donkeys do all the work and trot up and down with the strangest loads, though porters carry furniture and most of the biggest things. Up and down these streets comes an endless variety of figures—town and country Arabs, spahis in their gay uniforms, French soldiers, Italian workmen, children in vivid colors, Jewesses with heads and chins swathed in dark wrappings.

"Interesting beyond all these are the Arab women flitting like ghosts from one shadowy corner to another, the folds of their haicks concealing all the glories of their indoor dress, so that in the dimness of the French shoes and the fact that the haick is pure silk and the little veil over the face of a finer material."

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## FATE and a FOOZLER

By MARGARET MUZZEY

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All during July, Whitney progressed in Mildred Mason's favor with the approval of her small brother, Tom, a consideration by no means to be despised, when the curate of St. Jude's appeared on the scene and spoiled it all. The first intimation of change in the usual order of events came when Mildred refused to play golf on Sunday.

"When a person can play all the week," she said, "I think he ought to make a difference on Sunday."

"But it is my only opportunity to play with you, and I spend my week ends here for that sole purpose," pleaded Whitney. "I cannot understand this sudden access of conscience."

Mildred looked offended, and Whitney was about to apologize when Tom slipped a hand through his arm.

"Come and go around with me, Mr. Whitney. Mildred is a little morbid just now, but it won't last, and as they went away together Tom explained. "It is that curate chap—he came out here last Monday and spent the week—all the women are crazy about him. Heaven knows what there is about a collar that buttons behind, but girls always go down before it like ninetails."

"Was he—was he especially attentive to any one?" Whitney's voice shook.

"Sure—struck to Milly like a barnacle to a lamp-post. I thought when she saw him play golf she'd break away. It was enough to make angels bawl."

"Did you say she was pleased with?" "Couldn't drive six feet—made eleven strokes and six fizzes to the first green, then."

"But do you think she enjoyed?" "Then putted out in five. What do you think of that?"

"It was a hideously execrable, revolting spectacle! Did Miss Mildred appear interested in?"

"He drove four balls into the brook and instead of cussing like a gentleman he said, 'Dear me, what an exasperating game!'"

"It was no use trying to get any satisfaction from Tom. He talked of nothing but the curate's fizzes and failings, and the only information Whitney obtained was that the person intended to be at Windcliff every week during the remainder of the summer."

The next Saturday Whitney found Mildred more than ever enamored by the curate. She not only refused to play golf Sunday, but read a book called "Narrow Paths" all the evening.

Tom walked to the station with Mr. Whitney Monday morning and asked if there was anything he could do for him.

"Get rid of the fooling parson," said Tom. "He uses his iron like a grave-digger, and he has lost three of my new handmade pneumatics."

"I wish he was a missionary," sighed Whitney.

"In the cannibal islands," added Tom.

The following Friday Whitney received a postal card with these words: "Plot thickens. Take a vacation, Tom."

Whitney, panic stricken, went to Windcliff on the next train. He found Tom on the ninth green about to try a difficult stroke, and, laying hands suddenly upon him, asked breathlessly:

"What did you mean by that postal card?"

"Lucky you didn't grab till I had made that put. I might have jiu jitsu-ed you," said Tom. "Let's see," counting on his fingers, "four to the brook, one on to the green, that is five."

"Answer my question," Whitney shook him roughly.

"Two puts in seven. Oh, that was just a threat. Thought you better be on the spot. Here comes the fooling fascinator now."

After introducing the curate, Tom inquired anxiously:

"How is your head today, Mr. Seton?" "All right when I am up and about, thank you," turning to Whitney: "I have suffered from the most peculiar symptoms lately. When I lie down at night I have a rumbling sound in my head that prevents my sleeping."

"How do you account for it?" asked Whitney.

"It's the beastly dampness," Tom remarked. "A man here last summer began with exactly your symptoms and his doctor told him if he didn't go away from the lake quick he would be a raving maniac."

The curate turned pale.

"Dear me, I should have to leave this delightful place, but I cannot run such a risk as that."

By August so many boarders arrived that the landlady turned the boys and bachelors into the "Anne," a small cottage divided into bedrooms by thin wooden partitions, and the curate, Mr. Whitney and Tom were relegated to these quarters. Tom's room being between the other two.

Whitney passed the time playing golf with Tom, who was singularly unlike himself. Instead of being indefatigable and bubbling over with spirits, he was languid and dull. He said the bare possibility of having a fooler enter his family reduced his nervous system to a pulp.

"What on earth did you bring me here for?" asked Whitney. "I can't see anything of your sister without that everlasting parson."

"She will be tired of his symptoms before long," said Tom.

"She appears to be in love with him and his symptoms."

"She has some notion about a life of usefulness as a parson's wife. She'll drop it once he has gone."

"Catch him going," Whitney groaned. "I have hopes," said Tom.

That night Whitney lay awake with an aching tooth. He heard the curate's bed creak as the poor fellow tossed restlessly. "Roller skating in his head," thought Whitney. Then he heard Seton pacing back and forth. Presently he appeared to try sleeping again and gave forth a gentle snore. Suddenly he sprang out of bed, threw open his door, rushed madly through the hall and down the stairs. Whitney, alarmed, chased after him. Reaching the garden, he was horrified to see Seton making a full tilt straight for the lake.

Whitney picked up an apple and threw it, hitting Seton in the small of the back. He stopped and turned slowly around. His answer was upon him in an instant and, grapping the astonished cleric, threw and held him down.

"Help! Murder!" he yelled.

"Shut up," said Whitney. "I've saved your life."

"Why, it is Mr. Whitney. What do you mean?"

A young surgeon camping near the shore heard the cries and, seizing his emergency outfit, ran to the spot.

"What's the row?" he asked.

"It is the curate; he was just going to drown himself."

"Dear me," said Seton. "I was just going to take a plunge."

"At this hour?" sneered Whitney. "You doubt my word?"

The curate's blood was up; he fought and struggled vigorously. It took both men to handle him, but they got him down again. Whitney sat on him; the doctor took out his chloroform can, saturated a handkerchief and held it over Seton's face until he was unconscious.

As they lifted him to carry him in something dropped. It was a bath towel. The curate had knotted it around his waist.

"Thunder and guns!" exclaimed Whitney. "Do you suppose he really was only going in swimming?"

"Looks confoundedly like it," said the doctor grimly.

As they passed Tom's door he looked out, and, seeing their burden, his eyes dilated with horror.

"I told him he'd be drowned going in by those rocks after dark," said Tom. "He's been there every night lately."

"He is not dead—his head struck a tin can," said the doctor.

"Will it be safe for us to leave him alone?" asked Whitney.

"Safer—for us; he has not had dope enough to hold him long."

The curate left on an early train next morning before anybody was about.

Tom took Whitney into the room vacated by Seton, turned back the head of the mattress and from a slit in the ticking extracted a small box containing a spool of thread, the end of which passed through a hole in the box, then through a crack in the partition into Tom's room. The "rumbling" was produced by pulling the thread so that it unwound rapidly.

"It was like putting an incubator baby in the refrigerator," said Tom. "But fooling disgraces a club. The sure way to stop it is to remove the cause."

How Table Olives Are Prepared. Our consul at Seville reports that to prepare olives in the most palatable manner they must be gathered unripe after the first autumn showers. Properly assorted according to size and quality, they are first washed in fresh water to remove particles of earth and leaves which usually cling to the fruit.

Later they are allowed to soak in a solution of soda and potash, concentrated to between two degrees and six degrees of the Baume aerometer. If the solution be very concentrated eight to ten hours of soaking suffice; if diluted, the operation may continue for three or four days. After the solution has penetrated very nearly to the stone of the fruit, fresh water is substituted and renewed every two hours until it remains clean—a sign that the fruit has lost the caustic flavor which the solution had imparted to it. Next the fruit is pickled according to processes varying in conformity to the custom of each locality. Some use brine, others admix fennel and thyme, while not infrequently also salt and vinegar are employed. In this way whole olives are pickled. Whenever it is desired, on the other hand, that the fruit should imbibe a stronger savor of the pickle into which it is steeped incisions penetrating to the stone are made.—United States Consular Reports.

The Number Forty. Why this fatalistic forty? The superstition about St. Swithin extends not only to forty days of rain, but to forty days of drought, according as July 15 is wet or dry. Moses was forty days on the mount. Elijah was forty days fed by ravens. It rained forty days to make the flood, and the waters that covered the earth were forty days in subsiding. The ancient period of embalming was forty days. Nineveh had forty days to repent. Jesus Christ fasted forty days. He was seen forty days after his resurrection. A quarantine extends forty days. The privilege of sanctuary was for forty days. In the tale of Ahab there are forty thieves. Tiberius said that a man is either a fool or his own physician at forty. When a man wants a short nap he takes forty winks. A knight enjoined forty days of service from his tenant. In old English law the limit for the payment of a fine for manslaughter was forty days. Members of parliament were protected from arrest forty days after the prorogation of the house of commons and another forty days before the house was convened. We usually speak of a buxom widow as fat, fat and forty. A man is in his prime at forty, etc.—New York Press.



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### Measuring Hay in the Stack.

Some method of arriving at the quantity in a stack, rick, or mow without weighing it, is, at one time and another, found desirable by everyone who has to do with loose hay, says the Orange Judd Farmer. There can be no absolute rule laid down for this because of the varying compactness the hay attains under differing conditions of coarseness or fineness, moisture, length of time stacked or stored and the weight which has rested upon it.

For prairie hay stacked not less than 30 days a cubic foot square (342 cubic feet) is not uncommonly bought or sold as a ton; yet 7½ feet square, or 422 cubic feet, are often made the basis of estimating. The author is advised that in the alfalfa growing districts of the Yellowstone valley it is the general custom to accept as a ton 422 cubic feet of alfalfa hay if it has settled 30 days or more. Also that hay men find there is a noticeable variation between the different cuttings. The first cutting will fall short of actual weight more than the second while the third cutting will hold up in weight, and sometimes overrun. Prof. E. A. Burnett, of the Nebraska experiment station, thinks an 8-foot cube, or 512 cubic feet, a fair figure.

There are different methods of measuring a stack, depending upon its shape and also its size. For a long stack or rick the usual method is to throw a line over the stack measuring the distance, in two or three places, and use the average from the bottom on one side to the bottom on the other; add to this the average width of the stack, divide this sum by four, which equals one side of the square, and multiply the quotient by itself and this product by the length of the stack; this will give the number of cubic feet in the stack, which may be divided by 512, 422, or 342 in order to find the number of tons. For small, low ricks the rule is to subtract the width from the over divide by two, multiply by the width and multiply the product by the length, dividing the result by the number of cubic feet in a ton.

Perfumes Like Cooling Breezes. A pennyworth of perfume is the latest discovery for the prevention of sunstroke. It has been left for women to find the way to keep cool when the thermometer registers 87 degrees in the shade. While their male relatives partake of iced whiskey-and-soda or lager in the station bars, they surround the penny-in-the-slot scent machines.

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Lily of the Valley—Quietens nerves.

Hyacinth and stephanotis—The effect of a Turkish bath.

Perfumed toilet vinegar—Good before a dance.

Discovery of the Compass. Professor G. Hellman has pointed out that, independently of Columbus' finding, the magnetic declination must have been known on the continent from the construction of many pocket sundials provided with magnetic needles for adjusting the instruments to the astronomical meridian, and showing the declination by a line on the floor of the compass box. Three such sundials have been discovered antedating Christopher Columbus, one having been constructed in 1451. The magnetic variation must have been known, apparently, before the dawn of the fifteenth century, but by whom and where it was discovered still remain a mystery.

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## CONVICT LABOR.

Novel Plan For Its Utilization—Laborer as a Penal Colony—Fill Up the Straits.

The question of what to do with convict labor is now engaging public attention, says a writer in The Montreal Standard. Labor organizations are protesting against the labor of the various penitentiaries being employed at trades which come into contact with free and honest labor. The products of prison work are being sold in the public markets in competition with those of free labor, and to its great detriment.

From a psychological and physical standpoint convicts must be given some form of work while serving their sentences, and it is perhaps immaterial what this work may be, its products will find the way into the markets of the world. Not only are protests coming from labor organizations, but the manufacturers are equally pronounced in their opinion that prison labor should be taken out of the range of competition with free labor.

Convicts must be kept at work, otherwise penitentiaries will become mere asylums for idle and the tramp, and a haven of rest to the criminal. On the other hand, industrial interests demand a modification of the present system of prison employment. They go further and say that the manufactured articles coming from the penitentiaries should be so designated. What, then, is to be our disposition of prison labor?

The municipal authorities throughout the country have of recent years provided prisoners with work on the public highways, and the moral effect has been surprisingly good. It would be impossible, perhaps, to make such provisions for the convicts of our penitentiaries, although there is no reason why a convict should not be kept in or transferred to the local jail and made to serve his time there as an employee of the municipality. Breaking stones or making roads seems to be the best thing that can be provided these evil-doers.

## A Great Task Awaiting Labor.

For several years past the practicality of closing the Strait of Belle Isle has been much discussed by transatlantic shipping interests. The most skillful engineers in the country are of opinion that the project is a dangerous one. The Belle Isle route is feasible for navigation, and in the spring of the year, makes a passage-way for immense fields of ice that drift down with the tide from the northern seas, as a result of which the Gulf is blocked for weeks and huge icebergs find their way into the path of ocean liners south of St. John's.

The Strait is not very deep, but the current rushes through it with fearful velocity. On either side are high mountains of bare and jagged rock, and in these we have an abundance of material with which to bridge this passage of water, which is only about nine miles wide at the narrowest part.

By contract labor, the work would, as already stated, cost an enormous amount of money, but a convict labor force would be comparatively small. The suggestion, then, is to make Labrador a penal colony for Canada, and utilize prison labor in filling the Strait of Belle Isle. The colony might be divided into two camps, one on the Quebec side and the other on the Newfoundland side. The filling could thus be going on from both sides.

Moral Effect Would Be Good. With an endless haze system, if necessary, running into the convicts sent there from time to time to do penance for their crimes, this gigantic piece of work would be accomplished in the course of not very many years, and at perhaps less cost than would take to maintain the same force in the various penitentiaries. Honest labor would be given an untrammelled control of our markets.

There can be little doubt that the world would have a salutary effect upon the morals of the criminally minded throughout Canada. Four years, or whatever the period might be, of hard labor in Labrador would carry great conviction to a similar sentence to Dorchester, St. Vincent de Paul or Kingston.

The undertaking of this piece of work with convict labor would mean the centralization of that form of labor for the entire country, and would maintain a large force of guards and officials at the different penitentiaries. Crime would unquestionably be lessened, the perils of the Cabot Straits diminished and the navigation of the Gulf of St. Lawrence greatly extended in point of time.

The Fish and the Ring. Fishing is perennial in its interest and in producing curious yarns, the following being from The Mitchell Recorder: "While fishing in the river opposite Red Bluff, Willie Brown caught a pike weighing over four pounds. The young fisherman being anxious to make a meal of his catch proceeded to dress it. While removing the entrails he noticed something hard in the fish's stomach, and on opening it found a fine gold wedding ring. It is a plain band and on the inside surface are plainly engraved, 'A. C. O. M. B.' The supposition is that the ring was lost by some person while bathing in the river. A ring similar to the one in the fish was lost in the river down the stream a little over a year ago."

Called Them Love Apples. It is not generally known, says The Colborne Express, but nevertheless a fact, that there are people still living who can remember the time when tomatoes were raised merely for their beauty, as we now raise roses. While its beauty was admired it was considered the poisonous oak, dangerous to even handle except by "dark complexioned" persons. Years of acquaintance, however, wore off its superstition and a few "fool-hardy" actually owned up to having tasted the fruit. From this small beginning has gradually grown a use that makes today an industry with a combined capital of over thirty millions of dollars, which disburse millions of dollars to its employees each year and aggregates an output of two hundred and forty million cases.

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## Better Than Spanking

Spanking does not cure children of bad-wetting. There is a consulting board cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Sumner, Box W. A. N. E. Dame, Ind., will send you a mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her, to-day if you, children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child; the treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

## Superstitions of Fishermen.

English herring fishermen, many of them, remarkably superstitious. For instance, on some fishing boats whistling is forbidden, and neither milk nor burned bread is allowed on board. Furthermore, not even the name of that unlucky animal, the hare, may be mentioned, and a common method of punishing an enemy is to throw a dead hare into his boat. Some of the fishermen believe in luck attending an odd numbered crew, but the good fortune may be neutralized should one of the number have red hair.—London Standard.

Putting food into a diseased stomach is like putting money into a pocket with holes. The money is lost. All its value goes for nothing. When the stomach is diseased, with the allied organs of digestion and nutrition, the food which is put into it is largely lost. The nutriment is not extracted from the food. The body is weak and the blood impoverished.

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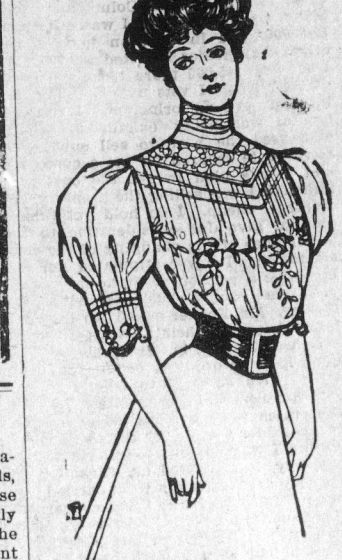
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## BOOTS AND SHOES.

Colored Shoes Not For Women With Large Feet—Irish Lace Slippers.

Girls whose feet are not of the smallest proportions will do well to leave colored shoes severely alone. Brown and black shoes are by far the safest mode for a girl who takes any size bigger than a small four. There is something very fascinating about a tiny red shoe peeping out beneath a white muslin frilly frock, while blue footwear allied to a blue gown is at most equally as dainty, but the whole effect becomes absurd if the foot is not built on the smallest lines.

The craze at present for evening shoes of Irish lace mounted over pale



EMBROIDERED BLOUSE.

colored satin is one of the chief features of the season, the heels being carried out in colors to correspond with the linings, while solitary paste buttons take the place of bows. Brocade slippers for boudoir wear carried out in the richest brocade in old French patterns represent another fancy.

To darken brown boots they must be brushed with a weak solution of ammonia or soda in warm water. After drying apply with a brush a warm solution of bismark brown, repeating till desired shade is obtained. Linseed oil will also darken. Finish with clean tallow or mutton fat, stiffly brushing.

Tan boots may be renovated by mixing a little ammonia water with half a pint of milk and bottling it. Shake well, apply with a sponge and allow to dry and then polish with a soft duster.

The lingerie blouse illustrated is tucked in tiny groups to form a pointed yoke. Below this point is an elaborately worked rose design.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## WHIMS OF THE DAY.

A New Feature in the Dress World. Princess Bathing Suits.

Real hand painting on silk is an important feature in the dress world. Flower patterns are almost invariably chosen and the most fairylike effects are obtained. The silk treated in this manner is generally applied in the form of panels or insertions for evening



SILK PINAFOR FROCK.

dresses. Medallion insertions of hand painted mousseline de soie or chiffon are likewise introduced on lace dresses.

A delightful dancing frock for a young girl is of painted muslin. The design is in pale yellow roses and foliage and hemmed with soft ivory ducal satin. Above the hem are inch wide killings both of muslin and satin.

New linens for suits and dresses and a dozen purposes—some come bleached instead of the half bleached kinds formerly used.

So popular is the princess model that even the bathing suits are being made up after that style, and so faithfully has it been copied that with the exception of the abbreviated skirt there is comparatively little difference noted.

The new watches are gayly enameled to match the gowns. Colors that do not harmonize with sartorial outfit are not smart. The works are less important, the time keeping qualities not generally considered if tones blend.

"Colibri," or hummingbird, is the newest shade of pink. It has a soft, dull tone with a suggestion of brick red in its makeup. In soft silk it is very effective trimmed with venetian lace or point d'alencon. It is much used for summer evening cloaks.

The pinaflore frock illustrated is developed in the fashionable blue and white pinking silk. Little quiltings of plain blue silk are effective as trimmings.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## WOVEN TO SHAPE NO ROUGH SEAMS

If you knew it was going to rip you wouldn't buy the kind of underwear that gives out at the seams after you have worn it a couple of times, would you?

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## MADE FUN OF PHARAOH.

The Ancients Evidently Had a Keen Sense of Humor.

The fables of Aesop prove that the ancients were not without a liking for fun, and the remains of ancient art tell the same story. Examples of artistic humor are more common than is supposed by most persons.

A drawing on a tile in the Metropolitan museum, in New York, represents a cat dressed as an Egyptian lady of fashion. She is seated languidly in a chair, sipping wine out of a small bowl and being fanned and offered dainties by an abject looking tomtom, his tail between his legs.

The cat figures largely in the ancient comic groups of animal life. In a papyrus in the British museum a flock of geese are being driven by a cat and a herd of goats by two wolves with crooks and vallets. One of the wolves is playing a double pipe.

There is in the museum of Turin a series of such comical scenes. In the first place a lion, a crocodile and an ape are giving a vocal and instrumental concert. Next comes an ass, dressed, armed and seepetered like a pharaoh. With majestic swagger he receives the gifts presented to him by a cat of high degree, to which a bull acts as proud conductor.

Another picture shows pharaoh in the shape of a rat, drawn in a carriage by prancing greyhounds. He is proceeding to storm a fort garrisoned by cats having no arms but teeth and claws, whereas the rats have battle axes and bows and arrows.

## SLEEP AND DIET.

Without Slumber Digestion and Assimilation Are Imperfect.

One of the most important functions of that mysterious physical condition we term sleep is so little understood that persons who cheat themselves habitually out of two or three hours of their natural rest every night are heard wondering with dyspepsia and maintaining. Care, even rigor, in the matter of diet seems to avail nothing, the stomach continuing in a condition of chronic revolt.

In reality the processes of digestion and assimilation are so closely interwoven with slumber that unless the required amount of sleep is taken it is impossible for the body to be nourished, if, indeed, the food undergoes the ordinary digestive changes.

It is only when the brain and the entire nervous system are practically off duty that the processes of ultimate nutrition take place. The food eaten is finally assimilated and transformed into new tissues, into blood, muscle, nerves and brain, only while the body is relaxed in slumber.

A curious illustration of this necessity of sleep is that furnished by the six day endurance races. One man engaged in these deadly tests eats five times as much as a man on ordinary labor could cram down. Want of sleep has rendered it impossible for even the enormous amount of food taken at this time into the body to form new tissue.

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A brave heart bears burdens, and courage conquers cares.

The grave is the common treasury to which we must all be taxed.

He who has no character is not a man; he is a thing.

## THE MARKETS.

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

Tuesday Evening, Oct. 2. Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 3/4d to 1/2d lower than yesterday and corn futures unchanged.

At Chicago Dec. wheat closed lower than yesterday; Dec. corn 1/2c lower and Dec. oats 3/4c lower.

## WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

At the Winnipeg option market to-day the following were the closing quotations: Oct. 74 1/2c, Dec. 72 1/2c bid, May 79 1/2c bid.

## LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

Dec. Mar. New York .. 83 .. 85 1/2c Chicago .. 78 .. 81 1/2c St. Louis .. 77 1/2 .. 81 1/2c Minneapolis .. 74 1/2 .. 78 1/2c Duluth .. 74 1/2 .. 78 1/2c

## TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, spring, bush, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2 Wheat, fall, bush, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2 Wheat, red, bush, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2 Wheat, white, bush, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2 Barley, bush, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2 Oats, bush, old, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2 Oats, bush, new, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2 Rye, bush, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2 Peas, bush, \$0.00 to \$0.00 1/2

## LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, Oct. 2.—Closing—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western white, 3s 11 1/2d; futures quiet; Dec. 3s 5 1/2d; March, 3s 6 1/2d.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, 5s 2 1/2d; futures steady; Dec. 4s 7 1/2d; Jan., 4s 8 1/2d; March, 4s 13 1/2d.

Hemp—Spot cut strong, 62s; short Irish, 52s 6d; clear bellies strong, 60s; short clear bellies steady, 47s; shoulders, square steady, 28s.

## NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Oct.



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## TROUBLES OF UNION TRUST

Former Manager Makes  
Statement to Com-  
mission

HON. GEORGE E. FOSTER

Toronto, Oct. 4.—Peter Ryan, at his own request, went into the witness box when the Insurance Commission opened yesterday and made the following statement:

"My first connection with this business was when a few years ago I was induced to put \$15,000 in an industrial enterprise in British Columbia. This led on from \$15,000 till I was out about \$200,000, and in addition to that another shareholder invested \$50,000. We borrowed \$45,000 more from the Bank of Hamilton. I was not receiving any interest and no principal. I felt my capital was being exhausted, and I expressed the wish to sell out. Mr. Leveson secured for me a customer, and I was glad to get the customer, although I was selling the property, remember, cheap. I do hold out this—I did not give due consideration to the importance of the changing of the consideration. I never stipulated nor did I receive a portion of that."

"I was doing business with Mr. Fowler. Mr. Fowler asked me to do it. I wasn't one of their Levites; I wasn't even worshipping in the temple, looking upon it as an ordinary occurrence."

"No Agency to Offer. I admit the ethics were not exalted and when you consider I was very heavily involved and I was anxious to get rid of the property, it presented an attraction to me. My arrangements were carried out in good faith, as far as I was concerned. They sued me for the \$225,000, which it is very true I received, but of which a portion had been handed back to Mr. Fowler."

"I kept no portion of the excess back; I gave them full control of the deal and a fair divide. Do not forget I was doing business not only for myself, but for four other beneficiaries."

"I regret very much my name has been bandied up and down about 'letters to Ryan,' etc. The simple substance of what I did was I made out the transfer at \$225,000 instead of \$170,000, which is done time and again by men who do not consider it wrong."

"There is no evidence which can be produced that I care about. Mr. Shepley shakes his head in my face as though there was something I kept back. My testimony in British Columbia was the truth."

"No one in the room there dared contradict me, although there was a roomful of the 'whelps.' I have given the Commission the truth of the statement."

Mr. Fowler's Accounts.

Assistant Manager Shurman of the Bank of Nova Scotia was next called and explained the account of Fowler, which had been opened Nov. 4, 1903, with \$15,000 and reduced by Feb. 9, 1904, to \$17,300, but on that day the \$13,000 cheque from Peter Ryan was deposited. By March 21, however, the account was reduced to \$431. Sums paid out included \$1,000 to Irving, \$1,000 to McCormack, \$2,500 to Foster, \$100 to Borden and \$200 to the bank. On May 11 a cheque for \$11,000 from Peter Ryan was deposited, and on June 11 Fowler deposited \$10,000, of which \$5,000 was a Ryan cheque. On July 4 a cheque for \$20,000 from the Union Trust was banked on the purchase of the Okanagan Lumber Co. On Nov. 1 and 22 other deposits of \$40,000 and \$20,000 were made by Fowler, and on like sums were paid over by the Kamloops Lumber Co. to Fowler. The sum of \$57,855.48 changed hands Feb. 1, 1905. Now only \$27.44 was left to the credit of Fowler."

Mr. Shepley went into the joint account of Pope and Fowler, beginning with the sum of \$20,000 on Sept. 2, 1903. On Sept. 8, \$14,000 was chequed out, the marks, the witness believed, indicating Mackenzie and Mann, \$2,000 went to Lafarge, and other sums were transferred to Ottawa."

Mr. Foster on the Stand.

Hon. George E. Foster was called. He said he was made an honorary member of the Foresters.

After the deal was all through, Fowler had given him an option in a portion of his shares at the par value, plus interest and expense."

"It was intended to give you an interest in the capital stock of the Kamloops Co, which was not disclosed."

"What means did you take of ascertaining the value of the property you were acquiring?"

Mr. Foster said the board had gone fully into the matter, had maps of the property and had sent two gentlemen to make a thorough examination of the British Columbia property. They reported favorably as to location and cost."

"Who were these?"

"Messrs. McCormack and Irwin. I have always regarded Mr. Irwin as a straight man and an authority on lumber, and Mr. McCormack was also a lumberman."

Irwin had dropped out rather than join in a joint note.

"There were two principles the board acted on, one that in any considerable investment, it would not be made if one or two directors strongly objected; another invariable rule was that the outside directors, representing but a small number, never insisted on a single investment which had not the assent of the Foresters," said witness.

"What was the reason for adopting that policy?"

"To undertake a profitable investment and to make money out of it for the company."

"Had you any discussion as to the wisdom of a trust company carrying on a manufacturing business?"

"Yes, I don't remember there was any objection. The board was a unit on the transaction."

actual or prospective, in any of the properties bought by the Kamloops Co. I had no interest at all, consequently there was no inducement for me to have these properties purchased. Secondly, the prices that were paid for these properties were the actual prices that went into the hands of the people who sold them, and that no inducement was ever offered to me to induce me to favor this purchase; that I never received one dollar of commission with reference to these transactions. Now, you ask me for an explanation as to a cheque paid me by Fowler?"

"Yes, and apparently from that very deposit."

"Well, I will make the explanation to which I think you are entitled."

"Not being a lawyer and having been in politics for a number of years, I am not rich, having had some difficulty in bearing up under the financial burden. From the time I left the ministry, it has not been a pleasant road for me to travel, but I have traveled it. About the year 1904-5 I had large obligations which had been incurred long before, but which came to a head then and had to be met. These obligations were on account of adventures, transactions and businesses into which I had gone. I was unable to meet these out of my own funds and had to call on a number of my old friends to assist me. At the present time I have discharged these obligations. I called on Mr. Fowler, with whom I had business transactions for twenty years."

Was a Loan.

"I did receive money from Mr. Fowler, this \$2,500 included, on account of a transaction which has nothing to do with the Union Trust Co., the Kamloops, or any other company in which the Foresters are interested."

"He paid me \$2,500, continued Mr. Foster, 'not only the \$2,500 referred to, but other sums as well. They were \$5,000, but would not exceed \$7,500. That is as near as I can say.'"

"They were not absolutely advances out of pure accommodation, Mr. Fowler and I were in other transactions, a gold mining deal. Mr. Fowler guaranteed me a certain interest. It was supposed that this interest was secured, but it was afterwards found that it would probably go to another party. This interest was worth no more than advances."

The advances had nothing to do with any commission in any way whatever."

"Did these obligations arise from business or political reasons?"

"I will explain," replied Mr. Foster. "I went into politics in 1882 and remained in until 1896, being a Member of the last few years. Afterwards I was a private member. I hadn't that peculiar ability which enabled me to get rich while attending to my political duties. I came out of politics poorer than I went in. I had to go into several business ventures, some of which I regret, some of which I am glad I did. It was only by the assistance of kind friends that I was able to carry them through and Mr. Fowler was one of those friends."

Took No Commission.

"Have you any acknowledgement of this interest you say Mr. Fowler owes you?"

"None in writing. If Mr. Fowler would hand over the interest I would pay back the money."

"Would you mind telling us if you think proper what this interest is?"

"There are a good many others interested, and I don't care to have the matter spread all over the newspapers on the report of this Commission. I give you my oath that this interest exists, and that I have never taken anything in the shape of commission on these transactions. If you are not willing to accept of it I am willing to explain to the Commission what that interest is."

The Commissioners did not press witness further.

"Do you know where Mr. Fowler is now?" asked Mr. Shepley.

"No, I saw him last in Toronto about the opening of this court. He said he was going to British Columbia—nothing more definite."

Mr. Shepley then turned to the purchase of the Okanagan property. Mr. Fowler said he relied on Mr. Irwin and Alex. Hamilton for valuation.

"Would your experience persuade you not to go into similar ventures again?" asked Mr. Shepley.

"Experience would teach me not to, chiefly for this reason—I have found it only to me unmitigated trouble and nuisance to try to manage from Toronto industries situated and operating in British Columbia. I have never had any doubt about the prospects of success," was the reply.

Prospects Were Splendid.

Mr. Foster related the organization of the land company. The syndicate knew there would be difficulty in financing it for the first three years. He himself felt that the prospects were splendid for ultimate success, and when it became a matter of getting capital, it was decided to substitute the Union Trust for outside capital.

"You were fully alive to the general objection to directors occupying dual positions?" asked Mr. Shepley.

Mr. Foster thought so.

"Is it, then, fair to say that the proposition appealed so from its intrinsic merit that your belief regarding its propriety was forgotten?"

"We were convinced it was a good investment," said Mr. Foster.

The next stage was the laying of the proposition before the board on June 3, 1903. Those present were Oronhyatekha, Sir John Boyd, George E. Fowler, Matthew Wilson, John A. McGillivray and Col. Davidson.

Says Sir John Boyd Understood.

Here Mr. Shepley stated that Sir John Boyd had been in the room when he came to his mind that the gentlemen coming in were to put up their own money.

"What have you to say to that?" he asked.

"I would not dispute Sir John, but nothing was kept back from him. I can't explain his idea."

Mr. Shepley read the minutes to the effect that a loan be made to the New Ontario Town and Farm Sites Co. Mr. Foster said the board approved of the loan in principle and fixed the amount at \$140,000, taking as security the 337 shares of bonus stock.

"Did you recall at that meeting you discussed your own personal interest in the transaction?"

"I can't remember."

"Speaking about the position of di-

rectors," said Mr. Shepley, "Is what I am after."

Boyd to Get \$1,000 Stock for Nothing.

"For its advance of \$140,000 the Union Trust Co. were to own 337 1-2 shares. Witness did not know that Oronhyatekha was to get 100 shares, but he did know that Sir John Boyd was to get \$1,000 worth of stock for nothing so that he could qualify."

Mr. Shepley read the agreement, and Mr. Foster explained it. The syndicate was to get 445 shares. Witness was to have the regular 10 shares and 7 1-2 more so to avoid division. Union Trust Co. 337 1-2 shares, McGillivray and Wilson 10 each, and Dr. Oronhyatekha 100 shares.

Mr. Shepley wanted to know how the Supreme Chief Ranger came to have these shares.

Mr. Foster said the 100 shares belonged to the syndicate, and that Dr. Oronhyatekha suggested that they be put in his name. He could give no reason for it.

"He was not holding it for the benefit of the three of you?"

"No. In some way he was holding for the benefit of the company, which might return to the owners some time."

Diverting the Subject For Stock.

Mr. Shepley asked the witness if Sir John Boyd and Schofield had subscribed for stock. Witness said that they had on the understanding that if—

"Why did these three gentlemen, Schofield, Rogers and Boyd, have to subscribe for 40 shares each?" broke in the counsel.

"That was the requirement, that they should subscribe for more than the qualifying amount."

"What was the reason?"

"They got 10 shares of bonus stock."

"Were they allowed to have bonus stock if they subscribed for 40 shares of stock?" asked Mr. Shepley.

"Yes."

Mr. Shepley asked why Col. Davidson and Mr. Stevenson were not taken into the deal, but witness could not tell.

The next minute on July 9 was read. The Great West Land Co. was the new name taken at this time, as it was thought to be a more appropriate name. The provisions of the old charter had nothing to do with it.

The exercise of the option was suggested by Mr. Stevenson, and that in March, 1904, it was carried through."

Mr. Foster explained that Mr. Stevenson raised the objection as to the keeping up of the relation between the Union Trust Co. and the Great West Land Co. His reasoning was that it was a better-looking investment for the Union Trust Co. to have a straight loan than to have control of subsidiary companies.

Mr. Shepley went back to the origin of the New West Land Co. when Pope and Fowler got the lands. Witness did not know that they had got in on the ground floor to the price.

"Did you hear about the recent information from Mr. D. Mann about the route of the Canadian Northern?"

"No; I did not."

The stock book was the next worry. Witness had 303 1-2 shares. He had originally 11 1-2 shares, and then he received 148 for his share of the 445 shares, 10 he bought from Pope and Fowler, 113; one-third of the 337 1-2 shares of bonus stock, and 14 shares, one-third share of half the stock taken out at first. Matthew Wilson had 350 shares. McGillivray had 148 shares. J. Walter Curry 5 shares, the original incorporators five shares, and Pope and Fowler 550 shares.

Witness had no interest other than was specified in the stock book.

Mr. Shepley announced that he had a telegram from George W. Fowler to the effect that he was on his way to Toronto.

GOVERNMENT WILL ACT.

Magistrate Hunt's Observations On Local Option Hotels to Have Effect.

Toronto, Oct. 4.—Premier Whitney stated yesterday that in his judgment, Magistrate Hunt's assertions as to the immoral conditions existing in connection with unlicensed hotels in East Elgin certainly called for investigation. Asked if that meant the Government would take action he replied that it had.

Mr. Hunt declared from his own observation that many of the hotels in the local option districts were no better than brothels and that the people who were aware of it and prayed for divine interference would not lay an information and allow him to enforce the law.

May Sue Magistrate.

St. Thomas, Oct. 4.—The hotelkeepers in the local option townships of Elgin are talking of taking action against Police Magistrate Hunt to compel him to prove his assertion that many of the hotels are nothing more than houses of prostitution.

Phillips Case Traversed.

Toronto, Oct. 4.—The York County Loan smashup was recalled, when Joseph Phillips, the manager, was arraigned before Judge Winchester in the sessions yesterday on a charge of stealing \$2,500. At the request of Arthur Adair, the case was traversed to the December sessions. Phillips pleaded not guilty. A. M. Hobblerlin again became bail bondsman for \$5,000.

French Fishing Boats Lost.

Haute, France, Oct. 4.—As the result of a storm in the Channel, a French three-masted vessel and a number of fishing boats have been wrecked and several sailors lives have been lost.

Lorient, France, Oct. 4.—Many fishing craft have been lost in a storm which has just swept over this coast.

Trainmen On Trial.

Guelph, Oct. 4.—Conductor Thompson and Engineer Reid were arraigned at the Guelph sessions yesterday morning for killing Engineer Farley in the Gourock G.T.R. wreck of Sept. 22. They pleaded not guilty. The trial was traversed to the spring sessions, bail being granted in \$4,000 each.

Scott Will Go to Country.

Regina, Sask., Oct. 4.—The Standard yesterday afternoon says that in order to avert the numerous election petitions that must follow on the inevitable opening up of the cases, the Scott Government will appeal to the country early next year.

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## GOT DOWN TO BUSINESS

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Got down.....  
stantial. The matter was left with the Building and Grounds committee with power. Dr. Charteris asked permission to refrain from voting on the matter, as he is interested in the company which manufactures the marble. He took no part in the discussion.

The Room committee was given power to purchase wood.

The salaries were ordered paid and the Board adjourned.

## A CHILL ON THE LIVER

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## THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)  
At the Brisco Opera House—

Real Widow Brown—Oct. 6.  
John Griffith—Oct. 11.

THE REAL WIDOW BROWN.

We all have a certain weakness for widows, especially when they are as captivating as "The Real Widow Brown," which is the Brisco Opera House on Saturday of this week, championed by the able manager, A. Q. Scammon. This amusing play is the latest bid for popular attraction from the American public, and there's no doubt that its great Berlin and London success will be duplicated here. It is a farce comedy of the most amusing type, replete with bright songs and clever dances, interpreted by some of the best artists in the theatrical world. It possesses a decidedly amusing plot, full of absurd complications and yet without a clean and pure. If you see "The Real Widow Brown," you are bound to laugh. If you don't laugh you've made a mistake, and as a panacea for the blues you should have sought a druggist's prescription and not an orchestra chair. Bargain prices will prevail, namely, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c, no higher.

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I thought she was unalterably opposed to golf.  
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