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## Everybody Admiring Our Millinery

Nowhere else can you find such elegant and economical hats—gems of the millinery art—we employ the very finest trimmers, we use the best materials, we place before you Hats and Bonnets, the equal of which you cannot find in this part of Ontario.

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headwear as at present, style  
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## LADIES OF THE MAPLE CITY AND THEIR GOOD WORK

Annual Meeting of the Home of the Friendless Society—En-  
couraging Reports Submitted—Officers Elected  
for the Ensuing Year.

The ladies of the Home of the Friendless held their annual meeting in the council chamber, Harrison Hall, yesterday afternoon, with the following ladies present: Mesdames Stevens, Ferguson, Fleming, Laird, Eberts, A. Richardson, Stegman, Jno. A. Walker, A. McDonald, Ryan Tyhurst, and Misses Kingston and C. Ryan.

The ladies of the society cannot be commended too highly for the excellent work they are doing in caring for the poor of the town. Last year they have had unbounded success in their work. Mrs. Stevens, president, Mrs. Fleming, treasurer, and Miss Ryan, secretary, have proven to be excellent officers, and the greater amount of the praise for the year's work is directly due to these three energetic and faithful workers.

Dr. Battisby, who was present, opened the meeting with a short prayer, after which the reports from the different officers and committees on the year's work were read. In addressing the meeting, Mrs. N. H. Stevens, the retiring president, said:—

"In the natural course of time this society has at last reached its majority or its coming of age year. In another month it will be 21 years since its organization and we are pleased to say that some of its promoters are yet active interested members. The public charity done by the ladies in 1881 was confined entirely to the home proper, and the inmates under its roof. Some few years later \$2,000 was granted to the ladies for the maintenance of the Home, and outside poor of the town. Since then there has been a gradual expansion of responsibilities and the ladies have charge of all the public charities of the city, such as the providing of fuel, provisions, clothing, etc. the expenses of railroad passes, funerals, hospital, physician, etc. We pay no rent out of the public funds. The work of distribution is attended to by five ladies, each taking charge of one of the five wards and the poor are well looked after."

"During the past two years the factories of Chatham have given employment to all persons who are willing and able to work, and the city has been in such a prosperous condition that the demands for help have not been so great and we are able to show a greater balance in the bank by about \$300, than ever before. During the summer the ladies decided to hand to build a verandah to the south side of the Home, and the ladies were asked for from the city contractors, but no offers were received, and the builders having already contracted for as much as they could to take owing to the scarcity of carpenters and the building of the verandah has to be postponed. This year our society mourned the loss of a good and kindly physician in the death of Dr. Beckus. We have been fortunate, however, in securing the services of Dr. Musson as city physician."

"I cannot close without thanking the ladies of the society for their kindness and consideration to myself during the three years I have had the honor of being their president, and now at the close of my term of office, may serve you those succeeding and may serve you more efficiently than I have been able to do."

Miss Ryan, the secretary of last year, read the following report:—

CHARITY, THE GOLDEN RULE.  
To the Chairman and Ladies of the Home of the Friendless we are glad to furnish an account of progress and growth.

The Home has sheltered within its walls many of our aged and infirm citizens as well as some from the country, aiding and comforting them in their declining years.

We have at present 10 inmates in residence, 30 admitted to the home, and provisions to be made for 100 from one day to several months, nine of whom were there previous to last year, one aged man paying board.

We have furnished outside the home food and provisions to 139 persons in all, 60 white and 79 colored; 123 Protestants, 16 Catholics, 223 wood orders, given 377 grocery orders from 25c to \$1.00; 16 R. R. passes to the travelling poor, 12 hospital patients. Also educating one deaf and dumb boy at Belleville Institute.

Charlotte Ryan, Secretary.

Mrs. Laird, chairman of the Religious committee presented the following report:—

Milk.....	41.07
Hardware.....	13.25
Groceries.....	238.66
Printing.....	7.08
Insurance.....	31.25
Waterworks.....	16.82
Hospitals.....	124.16
Miscellaneous.....	44.50
Railroad passes.....	57.20
Cash in Bank.....	1007.10

Three hundred dollars of this is in the savings department of the Chatham Loan & Savings Company, interest also on Mrs. Garner's bequest \$33.48 interest. The Sherwood legacy is for railway passes and Mrs. Garner's is for improving the Home.

Mrs. R. G. Fleming, Treasurer.

Mayor Sulman then presided over the annual election of officers. They were elected as follows: President—Mrs. Stegman. Vice Pres.—Mrs. Ferguson. Rec. Sec.—Miss Ryan. Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Brady. Treasurer—Mrs. Fleming. Spec. Treas.—Mrs. Eberts. Religious committee—Mesdames Laird, Snook and McDonald. Advisory Board—Mesdames J. A. Walker, Scame, Ryan, Ball, Rutherford, Richardson and Messrs. Houston, Walker, Dr. Battisby, the Mayor and the Finance committee of the City Council.

## COAL FAMINE

The hard coal situation has reached the critical stage in this city and those who have not purchased their coal find themselves in a serious predicament. Many are contemplating burning wood this winter, but what's the use of considering this. Wood is as scarce as coal and if the roads continue in their present condition, there will be no possibility of the farmers being able to relieve the scarcity of fuel. J. L. Scott has some hundred tons or so, but he has sold it all to his customers at \$5 per ton. Mr. Gilbert has a few tons of nut coal left which he is still holding at \$9.50 per ton.

## THE MAYORALTY

The decision of Mr. Wm. E. McKough to acquiesce in the requisition of the citizens, soliciting his candidature for the mayoralty, in all probability completes the lists—as far as the campaign for the chief magistracy is concerned—and leaves with the electors nearly three months in which to consider their verdict.

There may be something to be said against the lengthy campaign—there is this to be said, and said strongly, in its favor.

With ample time the electoral jury may give the fullest consideration to the claims of each candidate upon their suffrages; they may review their respective public records; they may weigh well the influences which brought about their candidature; they may estimate their intrinsic worth, their integrity, their business abilities, their energy and enterprise, their value to the city's progress and prosperity—AND A TRUE VERDICT GIVE.

There has never been a time in the history of Chatham when the affairs of the city needed an honest, fearless, vigorous and business-like administration more than at the present. We are now close to the absolute necessity of squarely and honestly facing a number of serious civil problems. Among the matters which the Mayor and Council of 1903 must adjudicate are the Bell Telephone franchise, which expires next year, the probable paving of Queen and other streets, and many more large municipal contracts. These issues must be met, and it means hundreds of dollars to the city whether they are met in a straightforward, progressive, business-like spirit, or whether the necessities of the situation are made the excuse for intriguing and wire-pulling and a policy of make-shift or compromise.

The earnest and emphatic requisition of every ratepayer and civic patriot to-day is, WANTED—AN HONEST AND BUSINESS-LIKE COUNCIL FOR 1903.

And more especially must this be the case in the selection of the executive head of the municipality, the man who will guide and direct the deliberations of the aldermen, whose influence will prove paramount in the consideration and decision of important public problems.

For this honorable and responsible position the people of Chatham want a man who stands above petty politics and silly sympathies; they want a man who will be fearless and upright in the discharge of all his public duties; they want a man who will be loyal to the best interests of those he represents; they want a man, who, sooner than countenance any shady manoeuvre or give assent to any individual wire-pulling, not distinctively devoted to the public weal, WOULD RENOUNCE HIS OWN PERSONAL AMBITIONS AND TENDER HIS RESIGNATION FORTHWITH.

The Planet believes that in the candidature of Mr. McKough the requisitionists have secured such a man, and in tendering him our hearty support this journal believes it is acting for the best welfare of the city at large, for the conserving of honesty, vigor, economy, enterprise and progress in public problems and municipal policy. And, moreover, we believe that, in electing him as head of the municipality, the people of Chatham will do honor to themselves and to their city.

## MAPLE CITY COUNCIL WILL START A WOOD YARD

Will Buy 2,000 Cords if Possible and Sell for Cash at Cost—  
Lake Erie Offers City \$2,000—More William Street  
Pavement—New Street Scraper to be Bought.

The Lake Erie Railroad offer \$2,000 cash in lieu of car shops.

Ex-City Engineer McNab's salary was ordered paid up till Oct. 6.

Ald. Mounter hopes soon to open Patterson avenue through to Queen street.

The city will go into the wood business. If they can get it, 2,000 cords of wood will be purchased.

The city will purchase a street scraper for use in cleaning the mud from the city pavements.

A wooden block pavement will be laid on William street, from Colborne street to Stanley avenue.

Finance Committee cut down the Board of Works' estimate and as a result the Board of Works account is overdrawn.

The Dominion Paving Co. wrote that they would make no extra charge for using cement as filler for William and Sixth street pavements in place of tar.

Trees in Tecumseh park are doomed. Ald. Fleming appointed in the summer to mark the trees to be taken out should meet and do its work.

A deputation from the Library Board visited on the council and asked the latter body to promise an expenditure of \$1,800 per annum on the Library so as to get an additional grant of \$3,000 from the city.

A largely signed petition was received asking that the blind alley be closed on the S. S. of King street, and east of the market, be opened through to William street.

The petition was referred to the Finance committee and the Board of Works.

Ald. Taylor was the only absentee at the council meeting last evening. The session was a busy one.

Accounts from Quinn & Patterson, totaling \$3,805 were not certified to and were referred to the Board of Works. The accounts of James Eech's \$1.75, and John Piggott & Sons \$39.25 were referred to the Board of Works.

John Piggott & Sons wrote calling attention to bid holes in King street between Dr. Holmes' residence and LaCroix street. Referred to Board of Works.

Ald. Mounter said that these holes had already been filled.

A petition for a wooden block pavement on William street from the S. S. of Colborne street to the north side of Stanley avenue was received. The petition was sufficiently signed and was referred to the Engineer to report on.

The account of J. & J. Oldershaw, \$91.04, was referred to the Board of Works with power.

Ald. Cowan—I heard some comments passed on some items in that account. I am not reflecting on Mr. Oldershaw.

Alderman Mounter.—The Board of Works will be pleased to receive any information you have.

Ald. Mounter read a letter from the Cleveland Stone Company, quoting prices of sandstone to replace the broken slabs in front of the Chatham Loan Co. Referred to the Board of Works.

The accounts of J. H. Oldershaw, \$39.06, and A. A. Jones, \$2 were referred to the Board of Works.

King, Cunningham & Drew wrote offering a street scraper that would clean the mud from the pavements. The price was \$165 and the machine was offered free for a week on trial. Referred to the Board of Works.

A request from Mrs. Barner, Poplar street, to trim trees, was referred to the Chief of Police.

Ald. Fleming said that he had been looking through the park, and now was the proper time to mark the trees that should be taken out. He asked the clerk to notify the men to the committee appointed for this purpose to meet and do their work.

The request of Mrs. Bedford, Selkirk street, to trim trees, was referred to the Chief of Police.

A petition was received requesting that the alley back of the stores on the S. S. of King street, between the market square and William street be opened through to William street. The right of way through the Smith estate would have to be purchased from S. M. Glenn. The petition was signed by J. P. Rutherford, J. C. Wanless and a large number of others.

Ald. McGough said he would like to see this matter discussed. The many who had signed the petition were perhaps not aware of the actual cost, which would be in the neighborhood of \$1,000. This alley being opened would allow the city in for paying a share of the brick pavement and the sewer on William street. Ald. McGough favored laying the matter over or else having the work done under

local improvement. A great number of citizens who were not benefited at present, would have to pay for the work if the city undertook to do it.

Ald. Cowan—Can it be done under the Local Improvement Act?

The Mayor—Yes.

Ald. Thompson said that only those in the immediate neighborhood would be benefited. The party holding the property, was only holding it for speculative purposes. If this blind alley was opened up, others would have to be.

Ald. Mounter said that he would like to see this matter considered. He had no objection to the petition being referred to the Board of Works, but he preferred that it be referred to the Board of Works and the Finance Committee to discuss how the alley should be opened and who should pay for it.

Ald. Marshall seconded Ald. Mounter's motion that the matter be referred to the two committees named and the motion carried.

Geo. Shoemith, Head street, wrote requesting remission of taxes on property he had purchased on Head street. Referred to Finance.

The City Solicitor's bill as taxed, was read. It showed a reduction of \$361.41. Referred to Finance.

The Dominion Paving Co. wrote stating that they would make no exchange for using cement as a filler in place of tar on the Sixth and William St. pavements provided they were notified in time. Referred to the Board of Works.

The deeds of the Smith lot on Victoria avenue and the Waddell lot on Water street, were accepted by the council. These lots were purchased to secure earth for filling in for granite pavements.

O. B. Hulin's request to trim trees was referred to the Chief of Police.

On motion of Ald. McGough, seconded by Ald. Marshall, a deputation from the Public Library Board, consisting of Chairman Thibodeau, Albert Sheldrick, and Theo. Scullard, was heard. They requested the council to pass a resolution promising to spend \$18,000 a year on the library maintenance in order to secure an additional grant of \$3,000 from Andrew Carnegie. The council are already pledged to spend \$1,500, and an additional \$300 is asked for.

Thomas Scullard first addressed the council. He said that the Board would require more than the \$15,000 they were getting from Mr. Carnegie and they had been offered \$3,000 more by the same donor if Chatham would guarantee to spend \$1800 per annum upon the maintenance of the library. The Board had been successful in the past. The cost to the city would not be \$1800, as \$200 was received from the government grant, and about \$115 from fines and carriages. The county council were also offering to pay for the privilege of residents of Dover, Raleigh and Harwich townships using the Library.

Albert Sheldrick followed Mr. Scullard. Mr. Sheldrick had studied up the cost of maintenance of the library. He found that the average amount paid by Chatham during the past ten years was \$1,350, the average government grant was \$206 and the average from fines and fees was \$115.51. The greatest expenditure was in 1893, when the library cost the city \$2,361, and the lowest was in 1901, when the library drew from the civic coffers \$1,270.

It was expected that the cost of fuel and light in the new building would increase. Mr. Sheldrick went into figures on the contract showing that it would require nearly \$3,000 to complete the building after the \$15,000 was expended. This, three thousand dollars could be secured in one of two ways—by issuing debentures or by the council promising to spend \$300 more in maintenance than the \$1500 they had already promised to spend. Mr. Sheldrick said that gas fixtures had been overlooked in awarding the contract.

Chairman Thibodeau endorsed what his colleagues had said.

Ald. Marshall said that in order to bring the matter up for discussion, he would move that a new resolution be passed by the council and a copy forwarded to Carnegie.

Ald. Marshall said he was sorry that the extras bill was so large, but he was sure that this public library of officials were doing the best they could. Borrowing money on debentures was too costly, and to accept Carnegie's offer appeared to be the best solution of the trouble.

Ald. McGough said he was in sympathy with the Library Board, but if there were any possible way of avoiding going further into debt he would like to see the Board adopt it. Ald. McGough suggested raising the money by a concert. The tax rate now was within a mill and a half of the rate which could be legally levied and next year the debentures of the Chaplin wheel Co. would have to be paid. The Mayor suggested that a committee be appointed to talk the matter over.

Ald. Mounter asked that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee, and it was so referred.

Chairman Mounter of the Board of Works reported recommending—That R. H. Humphrey's request for extension of sewer on Wellington street to his premises be granted, he to pay for the work.

That Jas. Glenn's request for the

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Kent Bakery  
Phone 186 - King St.

## G. W. CORNELL

DENTIST

Cor. 6th and King Street.  
Over the Bee Hive.

## Local Briefs

Greatest \$1.00 hat sale on earth at the cut rate clothing store, Garner block.

Dr. Reg. V. Bray is in Hamilton to-day in the interests of the Wabash Railway.

There will be a special practice of the bugle band of the 24th Regiment this evening.

A genuine fur hat worth \$2.50 for \$1.00 at the cut rate clothing store, Garner block.

Another lot of Black Satin skirts, according to pleats and frillings, two styles at \$1.00 a pair new arrivals in cutting late at \$1.25 a pair \$2.00 at this clean & Jacques.

There was no quorum at the Board of Health meeting called for yesterday afternoon. Chairman Richards, Chas. Hadley and the health inspector, were the only ones present.

Commencing tomorrow \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.00 black and colored Derby and Fedora hats for \$1.00 each at the cut rate clothing store, Mrs. Kiley's old stand, Garner Block.

The school children of St. Joseph's Separate school will give a grand concert in St. Joseph's Hall, Cross St., Friday October 10 8 p.m. Reserve seat plan will be open at 10 a.m. in the hall.

At the recent opening of the fine new "King Edward Collegiate Institute" at Toronto, Hazel Blewett, daughter of Jean Blewett, and a Kent county girl, was chosen to give the greetings. Toronto papers give the young lady great praise for the creditable manner in which she performed her part.

Just in front of Robert Riddell's shop on William street is a post. Perhaps there is nothing remarkable in that, but there is something out of the ordinary about the post. To all appearances it is just an ordinary tie post, and it is, except on wet nights. Then it is charged with electricity and anybody who inadvertently rubs against it is liable to get an electric shock. The boys have fun. One of them with a pair of rubber to keep his feet from the ground will touch the post with one hand and touch a passer-by with the other. When the pedestrian jumps the boys think it lots of fun and laugh loudly.

## DIED IN DETROIT

Miss Charlotte E. Miller, King street, received a telegram last evening from Miss Louisa Wong of Detroit stating that Chas. Wong died at 8 o'clock last evening. Charlie has been ill for some time with small pox but it was thought that he was recovering. Charlie is an old Chatham boy and an ex-C. C. I. student. After leaving the Collegiate he entered the service of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. Of late he has been in the employ of the Marquette Transportation Co. He was ever a popular boy in Chatham and his many friends will be grieved to hear of his untimely death.

## Advertising Our Removal

To our new store at corner of Fifth and King Sts., on Oct. 15th. We offer you this week our entire stock of Rubber Goods at jobber's prices.

### Fountain Syringes

The Diamond Fountain Syringe which we sell at \$1.00 will this week be sold at..... 65c.  
Queen Quality Fountain, guaranteed two years, ordinarily sold at \$1.50, this week..... \$1.15.  
Queen Quality No. 3, worth \$1.75 for..... \$1.25.

### Hot Water Bottles

Queen Quality, guaranteed two years. No. 2—worth \$1.50 this week..... \$1.15.  
No. 3—Worth \$2.25, this week..... \$1.50.

### Combination Bottle and Syringe

Diamond, worth \$1.25, this week..... 90c.  
Queen Quality, No. 2, worth \$2.50, for..... \$1.25.  
Queen Quality, No. 3, worth \$3.00, for..... \$2.25.

### Enema Syringes

The Ottawa, worth 60c, for..... 40c.  
The Excelsior, worth 80c, for..... 60c.  
The Capital, worth 90c, for..... 35c.  
The Family, worth 85c, for..... 65c.  
The Diamond, worth \$1.25, for..... 90c.

### Atomizers

and all other Rubber Goods, including COMBS and anything made of rubber—25 per cent. off.

**A. I. McCall & Co., Ltd., Druggists**

## WILLIAM E. M'KEOUGH WILL CONTEST MAYORALTY

The Retired Alderman Accedes to the Petition of Six Hundred Representative Ratepayers—The Requisition and His Reply.

Wm. E. McKeough, the late chairman of the civic Board of Works, has been presented with the following requisition:

It is our desire that you consent to be a candidate for Mayor for the ensuing year, and in the event of your acceptance of the nomination we pledge you our support:

N. H. Stevens.  
T. A. Smith.  
John Piggott.  
William Ball.  
Robert Gray.  
Rev. J. J. Ross.  
Arch. Park.  
T. K. Holmes.  
Thomas Brady.  
Fred. F. Quinn.  
James Dillon.  
J. B. Stringer.  
A. Westman.  
J. W. Carswell.  
Josia F. Scott.  
R. J. Dunlop.  
Rev. T. H. Henderson.  
Henry Jacobs.  
O. B. Hulin.  
S. F. Gardiner.  
The T. H. Taylor Co., per W. J. Taylor.

J. B. Rankin.  
S. O. Scott.  
W. G. Betts.  
W. S. Marshall.  
B. Shupe.  
J. W. Humphrey.  
A. McDonald.  
G. Lamperd.  
John Hendershott.  
B. Blonde.  
C. Bechard.  
George Pritchard.  
A. Stevenson.  
W. T. Piggott.  
J. R. McGregor.  
James Fleming.  
W. Dell.  
James Bruckin.  
C. M. Cooper.  
John J. Neahr.  
J. C. Weir.  
T. Bourassa.  
T. A. McCormick.  
F. Dell.  
J. C. Macklem.  
James Sheffield.  
P. G. Piggott.  
John King.  
Edwin Bechil.  
William Hill.  
Eugene Hess.  
W. McGregor.  
Walter Thomas.  
R. C. Bradley.  
T. Wangelheim.  
John Burns.  
W. H. Carswell.  
James W. Degge.  
H. V. Cameron.  
E. Fitzthomas.  
W. J. Pickard.  
John Foster.  
Edward Loney.  
Harry Johnson.  
James Gemmill, Jr.  
Wm. D. Oliver.  
Westland Gragg.  
James Connolly.  
H. Arnold.  
E. Pritchard.  
J. H. Snell.  
A. Sullivan.  
C. Matthews.  
F. Sullivan.  
J. H. Shaw.  
John Ion.  
W. Thacker.  
Jacob Bloude.  
C. W. Nickerson.  
J. C. O'Rourke.  
James Rhody.  
H. Hutchinson.  
James Dyer.  
E. Richard.  
M. Daniels.  
Hugh Carr.  
George Sharp.  
Andrew Fox.

Robson Brown.  
F. Spencer.  
D. Watson.  
Hamilton Nicholls.  
D. Bardwell.  
A. M. Robert.  
F. C. Knight.  
W. T. Simpson.  
V. J. Alley.  
W. A. Moore.  
Frank Daniels.  
George Deline.  
Joseph Thibodeau.  
A. Jacques.  
R. Downswell.  
Samuel Towl.  
J. W. Plewes.  
A. M. Lafferty.  
F. Marx.  
Bud P. Gibson.  
Luke O. Wheeler.  
H. C. Naylor.  
G. T. Guthridge.  
D. B. Gerver.  
G. H. Walters.  
W. W. Snider.  
L. L. Nicholls.  
Chas. Mount.  
C. L. Lamson.  
W. Avichouse.  
W. P. Drew.  
W. J. Kenny.  
C. J. Ratley.  
Thomas Drew.  
J. T. O'Keefe.  
J. C. Pritchard.  
John McCorvie.  
D. A. Hutchison.  
Edwin Bell.  
Thomas Watt.  
J. Bagnall.  
P. S. Coate.  
Thomas Hughes.  
H. W. Bloom.  
George Nagle.  
J. W. Shackleton.  
James E. Scott.  
Walter Perry.  
John Corvill.  
Albert Miller.  
John Head.  
A. R. Coltart.  
K. Schwender.  
W. J. Moore.  
Herman Baxter.  
Lewis Keane.  
Walter Branton.  
W. H. Williams.  
George Currie.  
William Williams.  
James Brown.  
Geo. W. Thomas.  
Daniel Moore.  
W. S. Healy.  
C. Buchanan.  
William Bass.  
Joseph Laprise.  
Thomas McKie.  
James Innes.  
William Robertson.  
Samuel Smith.  
J. L. Wilson.  
J. Piggott, Jr.  
R. H. Humphrey.  
Albert Piggott.  
A. F. Piggott.  
A. E. Raspin.  
Charles Dingman.  
George Park.  
Wm. P. Shillington.  
E. B. Surby.  
John Hamlett.  
Thomas Maitreville.  
Charles McClellan.  
J. O. Sterling.  
William Irving.  
Frank Morris.  
James Darling.  
David Moore.  
Ex. Matthews.  
Loren Arnold.  
William Alcorn.  
C. Bechard.  
Frank Daniels.  
George Oventon.  
C. A. Terry.  
John O'Hara.  
Albert Mills.  
John Atley.  
Peter Morgan.  
E. Green.  
L. Starks.  
S. A. Maugs.  
Charles Rayner.  
Charles Trudell.  
M. Swain.  
Art. J. Cartier.  
M. J. O'Neill.  
William Wilson.  
Thomas Vince.  
James Pritchard.  
Geo. J. Dunkley.  
A. Patterson.  
J. H. Martin.  
E. J. White.  
Thomas Orr.  
Samuel Barron.  
Harriet Thoma.  
E. A. Patterson.  
James Richmond.  
John Swan.  
Charles E. Beeston.  
Thomas M. Kime.  
T. Emerson.  
E. Abraham.  
R. W. Baxter.  
C. Morrell.  
W. Lemon.  
V. Wemp.  
S. Way.  
Jacob Ryan.  
W. H. Benson.  
W. E. Cole.  
A. Pike.  
Nathan Barnes.  
Frank Cartier.  
John Edmondson.  
James Ritchie.  
S. Montgomery.  
John D. Thompson.  
O. I. Dolson.  
H. Burgess.  
L. Walker.  
Joseph Handysides.  
Franklin Christner.  
John A. Hildreth.  
Francis St. Amour.  
D. C. Clements.  
Fred. W. Ward.  
J. H. Tyrrell.  
W. G. Terry.  
Captain E. Crowe.  
James Handysides.  
A. H. Skirving.  
John G. Moore.  
Alex. McDonald.  
Sam. Trotter.  
Wm. H. Crowe.  
James Rankin.

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## CONTINUED SPECIAL SALE OF DRESS GOODS

Here are the newest and most up-to-date dress goods at prices usually asked for old stock. Its the same old story—backward weather, too many dress goods, we must clear them now or never, and if price will be but here at the end of this Great Sale.

### New Zebelline at 85c per yard

10 pieces new zebelline, 58 inches wide, all the leading shades, with white camel's hair, solid and two-tone grounds, our regular \$1.25 material, on sale at per yard 95c.

### New Cher.Ols Serges at 60c per yard

5 pieces of black all wool chev.Ols, thoroughly shrunk and finished, 48 inches wide, our regular 65c cloth, on sale at per yard 50c.

### New Venetians at 80c

6 pieces heavy faced venetians, 56 inches wide, in black, brown, navy, cardinal, castor and greys, our new 85c cloth, on sale at per yard 60c.

### New Colored Serges at 25c

5 pieces all wool colored serge, 42 inches wide, medium wales, a splendid cloth for children's dresses, our new 40c line, on sale now at per yard 25c.

### New Habit Suitings at 29c

9 pieces costume weight habit suit-ing, in shades of brown, green, navy and grey, may be made without lining, our new 35c and 40c lines, on sale now at per yard 29c.

### New Black Taffeta at 69c

1 piece untearable black taffeta, 22 inches wide, all pure silk, perfect dye and finish, a beauty for fine dress skirts or waists, our new 90c line, on sale now at per yard 69c.

## Staple Specials This Week;

### For Children's School Dresses

Extra heavy reversible dress flannel, in black and red, black and white, and black and blue shades, choice range of patterns, regular 12 1-2c value, selling at per yard 10c.

### For Men's Shirts

Women's and children's undergarments, good heavy plain or twilled grey flannel, this season's make, warranted all wool, unshrinkable, at per yard 20c and 25c.

### Blankets

Special for this week, 20 pairs all wool cream blankets, fancy blue borders, heavy thick nap, warranted unshrinkable, 60 x 80 size, regular \$3.00 per pair, for \$2.50.

Other makes, superior in quality and finish, pure wool, fancy colored borders, at per pair \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00.

### Comfortables

If you can't buy coal, comforters are a good warm substitute; you can at least sleep in comfort.

Special large sized comforters, fancy coverings, lined with colored cheese cotton, filled with pure white batting, at each \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.50.

### For Warm Underskirts

Heavy all pure wool factory flannel, in brown and black, blue and black, red and black, and black and grey stripes, at per yard 35c.

### White Bed Spreads

Three specials for fair week, 10-4 and 11-4 sizes, choice designs, at each \$1.25, \$2.50 and \$3.50.

### CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

## The Event of This Week--Austin & Co's.

## Grand Fair Display

Our store will be the centre of interest for the masses this week, for that thrifty and substantial element of our city whose love for well-dressed appearance is tempered by the need of considering its cost. If you are recklessly rich, we shall probably not interest you, but if you are one of the vast majority, if your life is a struggle to make your income suffice for your comfort and leave a little laid by for a day of need—then this is the place that should draw you, and we shall be glad to extend you a most cordial welcome.

### Men's Suits and Overcoats

Enough to please every fancy and suit every purse will be found in this stock. Men's stylish sack suits and nobby top coats; hundreds to choose from. All priced to save money.

Others ask \$6.50 for our \$5.00 The \$10 kind for \$7.50 \$12 grade for \$10 \$15 values for \$12

### Dress Your Boys Well

At least part of the time, that is. No boy can have fun if his clothes are always too good to play in. Neither is he happy if he can't occasionally dress up. Here are some hints to fit both requirements; blue worsted serge suits, sizes 5 to 10 years, very special \$2.95.

Double breasted nobby tweed and worsted suits, sizes 7 to 13 years, a great assortment of handsome new styles from \$2.50 to \$4.00.

### Men's and Boys' Underwear

Direct from the Makers. Case after case of underwear has been opened and marked and is now ready for selling. We never had such values—boys' fleeces underwear, all sizes, 25c; men's special fleeces at 40c; a garment; extra quality all wool Scotch knit, all season fancies, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00. Handsome qualities up to the fine imported lines.

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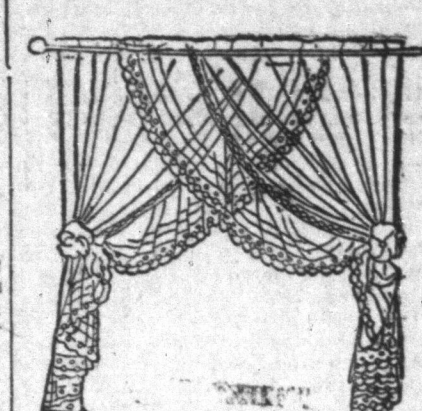
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If you want style try our Dress-maker

**C. Austin & Co.**

Cash, One Price Only

## Lace Curtains and Draperies



### Buffed Lace Curtains

The greatest values we have ever offered, new edges and insertion, nicely made and good styles, 10 designs at from \$1.75 up to \$5.00 a pair.

### Lace Bed Set

New lace spreads, with large new bolster piece, scalloped flounces, large renaissance medallion and renaissance edge insertions, at \$5.00, \$6.75, \$7.00, up to \$25 per set.

### Couch Covers

Oriental reversible covers, 54-60 and 68 inches wide, exceedingly handsome patterns at \$5, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$9.00 each.

### Drapery and Furniture Fabric

50 inches wide, reversible fabrics, for portieres, with Roman and Bagdad stripes at 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c and \$1.00 per yard.

50 inches wide, heavy fabrics, suitable for furniture coverings, wall hangings, etc., including the choicest of this season's designs at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 up to \$5.00 per yard.

We will be pleased to furnish estimates for easy corners, bed room boxes, and special pieces, as well as recovering any article in furniture at modest cost.

## Carpets! Carpets! Carpets!

Extra heavy pile, rich effects in English Wilton, put on your floor at per yard \$1.25 and \$1.25.

Best English Velvet Carpets, new designs and colorings, put on your floor at per yard \$1.15 and \$1.15.

Durable Ingrains—Embracing every line in the trade, at per yard from 25c to \$1.00 and \$1.00.

We make and lay free of charge, all carpets at 50c or over per yard. 4 and 5 frame Brussels—The best that skill can produce, laid on your floor at per yard 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Our Special Floral carpet is to be seen in eight select designs, made and laid at per yard 75c.

Our Linoleums, are direct from from Scotland; heavy wear resisting goods, at per square yard 50c, and 60c, up to \$1.25.

Floor Oil Cloth—25 pieces of new goods to choose from at per sq. yard 25c, 35c, and 40c.

## Portieres, Entirely New

We have placed on sale the broadest assortment of portieres that will be found in the west. This lot contains newest American designs, some striped some figured, others with satin and tapestry borders, embroidered, cord edged, etc., at from \$2.25 up to \$20.00 per pair.

## Japanese Mattings

Every quality, of the highest serviceable floor covering, shown and marked as extra value, with neat stripes and check patterns, with cotton warp, at 10c, 12 1-2c and 15c. At so handsome floral and oriental patterns at 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, and 50c per yard.

## A Few Ideas About Women's Coats

You'll find these ideas attractively expressed in the new coats. The tailoring is noted for its thoroughness and excellence; it has a finish that is hard better. Many are of the plain tailored and tastefully stylish. While short jackets are always popular, you will probably see more of the three-quarter and full length coats.

## A Few of Fashion's Favorites

At \$10, and \$13.50 and \$15.00 black, or fawn Newmarkets of Frieze or Beaver, lined to the waist, or lined throughout, collars of velvet or cloth; seams all double stitched, bell sleeve or turn back cuff.

At \$7.50—Black Frieze jacket 45 inches long, lined throughout, trimmed with stitching.

At \$10.00—Jacket of fawn, black, grey or navy, 36 or 42 inches long, with or without yoke, high roll collar, or turn down collar, of cloth or velvet, and distinctly stylish. While short of cloth or velvet.

At \$13.50—42 inch jacket of fawn beaver, pointed yoke of fine cording and trimmed around the bottom with rows of cording, lined with mercerized sateen.

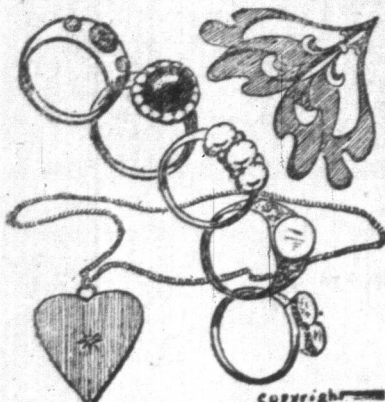
At \$13.50—Ladies full length fitted coat with flounces lined throughout with fine mercerized sateen.



Perhaps you have observed that the European beet crop this year has been practically ruined by the cold, wet weather. As no doubt you are aware it has been the very large beet sugar crop that has kept the price of sugar so low. Cane sugar came in the competition with this other sugar and the price HAD to go down.

We have felt for some time that the price was lower than it could be refined for, and that the next change would be upward. There have been two small advances within the past ten days, and while it does not amount to much as yet, we think the tendency will be to much higher prices.

**H. Malcolmson**



## Golden Opportunity

To buy rings of gold is presented. I am showing the largest assortment of rings, twin stone, five stone and cluster DIAMOND and other rings ever shown in Chatham, and the prices are really the lowest that has ever been offered. There is something about my rings that brings forth exclamations of admiration from all who see them. I want everyone who likes looking at really pretty things, there is no obligation to buy, but should you wish to do so my prices will make it easy for you.

**E. J. MacIntyre**  
Leading Jeweler and Optician,  
King Street.



Become interested in your own welfare and take a course in  
**PHYSICAL CULTURE**  
Perfect Health and Physical Development  
attained by

**Nature's Only Remedy**  
Every faculty of the body renovated, every muscle strengthened and developed. Do not drug out a miserable existence, but live and enjoy life as it is intended. Renew your body with new blood, become immune against disease, drive all humors from your system. Constipation, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Insomnia, Liver and Stomach Trouble, Nervousness, Lost Vitality, and many other ailments positively cured. Both sexes between the ages of ten and eighty are enlisted.  
For further information address  
W. H. ROBERT, Chatham, Ont. - P. O. Box 245

Citizens can make an extra favorable impression on visitors to the city during the fair if they will decorate their house and business places with flags and bunting for Wednesday and Thursday next.

## Trousers Wear Out

Before the rest of the suit, usually, and its the best kind of economy for a man to have enough to allow frequent changes.

## You Can Buy More

Trouser satisfaction here for your money than elsewhere. Fall fabrics are on display—all the swell patterns.

**MORLEY & CO.**  
Merchant Tailors.

**DR. A. W. THORNTON**  
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Telephone Office 154.  
Residence 255.

## Removal Sale!!

OF  
**CORSETS**

H. C. Straight Front Corsets, newest shapes, reg. \$1.50, \$2.25 and \$3.00, to clear at 75c.  
B. & C. Wright Bust Forms, regular \$2.50, for \$1.50.

**Mrs. J. E. Weldon**, King St. East.

## Births, Marriages and Deaths

### MARRIED.

**WICKHAM-TIGHE**—On Saturday, Oct. 4, at Winnipeg, Meneta Winnifred (Mame) fourth daughter of Mrs. W. H. Tighe, of Chatham, Ont., to Captain Chas. W. Wickham, of Regina, N. W. T.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Fax Foy spent Sunday with his sister, in Dover.

Tom O'Rourke is spending a couple of days in Detroit.

Miss LeRoy has entered the Dental office of Dr. Thornton.

Miss Marge Kerr, of Detroit, spent Sunday at her home in this city.

Dr. T. H. Wyllie, of Dr. Thornton's office, leaves to-morrow for Toronto.

William Trotter, of Wallaceburg, visited friends in the city on Saturday.

Cider Press to Rent! Apply to Louis Staniewicz, Harvey St., near LeRoy.

Found, on Queen street, a shovel, owner can have same by paying for this advertisement.

Jack Morrell, of Detroit, formerly of this city, was in the city yesterday.

For Sale—Sixty (60) healthy spring chickens. Highest bidder by card addressed to box 7 takes the lot. 3

William Seaman, of Charing Cross, was registered at the Rankin House yesterday.

The Christ Church Guild will hold their annual tea on Thursday, Oct. 9th. An attractive program will be given.

Miss Florence Bogart, Cross street, has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Windsor.

Wanted—Good girl for housework. Highest wages. Apply, Mrs. P. S. Coate, 3 Riverside Terrace.

Percy Bedford, of Walkerville, is visiting his parents, Selkirk street. Mr. Bedford is an old C. C. I. boy.

Paul Brady, a sailor in the U. S. navy, was in the city to-day. He left for his station at Benton Harbor to-day.

Miss Harry Ellis formerly of Thorncliffe, who has been visiting friends at Dawn Mills returns to Saint Ste. Marie, Mich. this week.

Wylie Braden, who is engaged in wiring the best saw factory of Dresden, for electric lights, spent Sunday in town.

Col. Jas. E. Morin, Ex. M. P. P., Registrar of Welland County, and uncle of W. J. Towhey of the C. C. I. died suddenly at Welland this morning.

Wm. Drader is having unloaded at the Rankin Dock one of the best eagles of lumber that ever reached the city. Its value is about six thousand dollars.

Mr. Wickens, an employee of the Dowling Company, has moved his family from Hamilton, and they have taken up their residence on Murray street.

Lost, on Monday 6th, in evening, between seven and eight o'clock, half an old gold wired eye glass, between King street, and the Gray Carriage Works. Finder will please leave at Dr. W. H. Tye's office, King street.

The Maple Leaf Pleasure Club will give their second of a series of ten parties to be held in the Oddfellow's Auditorium next Thursday evening, September 9. The invitations given are for the full term. The Club wish to thank all who were present at the last dance.

### End Neuralgia's Agony.

Have you failed to get permanent relief? Are you almost frantic with neuralgia pain? If so, why not use Polson's Nerviline? It is the only neuralgia remedy that has never failed to cure even the worst cases, and it will surely cure you. Five times the strength of other remedies, it penetrates the tissues, and drives out the pain instantly. Quick relief, sure cure. Large bottles 25c.

## Green Gidger

We have it, the genuine Jamaica Ginger Root just as it grows on the islands. We are selling it freely and as our supply is limited we advise you to secure some of it NOW, it is used for making Pear Marmalade or Pear Ginger as some call it, and as pears are very plentiful and cheap, the cost of making one of the most delicious preserves we ever tasted (and we claim to be judge of anything good to eat) we would like to sell you a

**1-4 lb. for 10c**

as a trial, remember when you buy a 1/4 lb. Green Ginger Root you pay for what you get, when as in buying the preserved kind you are paying for a pound of sugar that is worth 5c and don't get near as good Ginger in strength as it seems to lose both strength and flavor when preserved.

**Try the Green Kind!**

**Geo. A. Young**

**Our Grocer 'Phone 151**

## WORLD OF SPORT

### BOWLING

In the first round of the singles played yesterday afternoon, S. Smith beat W. W. Turner by a score of 15 to 14.

In the first round of the doubles O. L. Lewis and J. H. Gordon won from N. Pinsonneault in a very exciting contest by a score of 14 to 7.

### FOOTBALL

The High School and Business College Football teams clash on Tecumseh Park this evening at 7:30. Both are confident of success and the contest will be an unusually good one.

Practices of the city football team are called for to-morrow and all other evenings this week to prepare for the games with Sandwich, on Saturday, which is the first game in the Peninsula League series for the Walker cup.

## THE DISTRICT.

### DRESDEN

Perry, O'Dell & Dees' Comedians played to a crowded house at Wilkesburg last night. They played Dresden to-night, and go to Chatham for the two nights of the Chatham Fair. The show is worthy of everything good that can be said.

### THAMESVILLE

Oct. 6.—Miss Addie Spennenburg, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Carrie Harmer.

Fred Brambridge has secured the position of baggageman at the G. T. R.

R. G. Lind, of London, is in town to-day.

Mrs. W. F. Lawrence has suffered a relapse and is again severely ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ferguson returned yesterday from a three weeks' trip to Manitoba.

Mrs. Elias Graves received the sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Moses Hutchison, which occurred in London yesterday. Mrs. Graves left for London this afternoon.

W. L. Underwood, of London is in town to-day.

Mrs. Cryderman spent Saturday in Chatham.

W. Irvin returned on Friday from Manitoba.

B. B. Sainsbury of London, is in town.

Chas. Wallis of Bay City, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Cryderman.

Mrs. J. N. Harmer and Miss Carrie, spent Saturday in Chatham.

J. C. Ellison and Jas. MacFarlane, Florence, were in town on Saturday.

Walter Humphrey, of Detroit, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. (Rv) Mustard leaves to-morrow for Colorado, where she will spend the winter. Mrs. (Dr) Stewart will accompany her as far as Chicago, and will spend a few days with friends there.

Miss N. Mayhew and Miss J. MacFarlane are visiting Bethwell friends.

Miss Blanche Eagleson, of Dresden, is the guest of Miss Ethel Richards.

The Young Bachelors' Club will give an assembly in Mayhew's Music Hall on Wednesday evening, Oct. 15. Music will be furnished by E. Pritchard's orchestra, of Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Steinhoff returned from their honeymoon trip on Saturday, and leave for their new home in Simcoe to-morrow.

### Thinner Than a Nail.

Spending every day, as much energy as you make, and if the balance goes a little further, well you get thinner. Not wise to get that way longer. Better use Ferrozone, you will digest more—a little gain the first week, but the gain keeps growing. Not quite so thin! Keep right on, only don't use Ferrozone too long or you will get too fat. Then your blood will be rich, your heart strong, you won't puff so much, you won't get tired quickly. Fat, blood, strength, you have them all with Ferrozone. Sold by McCall & Co., Chatham.

## BOYS TO DRILL GIRLS TO COOK

Problems Discussed at Meeting of the C. C. I. Board Yesterday.

**Boys Will Tackle Target Practice—Good Recommendations by Principal.**

The Collegiate Institute Board met yesterday afternoon in Harrison Hall with Chairman Edwin Bell, Rev. Dr. Battisby, John Liddy, Thos. Scullard, Sandy McVean, Dresden, Dr. Thornton and S. B. Arnold present.

The matter of a monitor at the school, which had been referred, was reported on by the committee as being settled, the appointment to be in the hands of the Principal and English masters at \$5.00 per month. The repairs and additions to the commercial department at a cost of \$30.00 were discussed and the purchase of the book to complete the set. The matter was referred to the Property committee to confer with Mr. Peterson and have power to dispose of the matter.

Principal Peterson also recommended the purchase of a Peter's target for the use of the cadets in shooting. The cadets will buy their own ammunition, which the Government supplies at the nominal price of \$1.00 per 1,000 to encourage rifle practice.

The Property committee, on motion of Messrs. Fleming and Scullard, were given the power to place the target and take precautions as to dangers incurred. The difficulty was brought up as to whether the target could be placed in the school yard.

Mr. McVean thought it was not allowed in the limits.

Chairman Captain Bell said it was all right if done under military regulations, which over-ride local by-laws.

Principal Peterson communicated to the Board, recommending that the matter of manual training be discussed. He also received a communication from the Principal of the Woodstock high school, where it had been in vogue for a year, saying that it was a great success as far as they had gone and many improvements and additions were being made by them this year.

Mr. Scullard said that the inspector of high schools, Mr. Seath, had spoke to him of it when he was in Chatham and was greatly in favor of it.

S. B. Arnold thought it was a very good thing, as he was greatly in favor of practical education.

On motion of Dr. Battisby, seconded by S. B. Arnold, it was referred to internal management of the school and the property committee to co-operate with Mr. Peterson and report at the next meeting of the Board.

Sandy McVean—Well, what domestic science is included in that?

Someone—What is domestic science?

Chairman Bell—That is cooking, etc.

Dr. Battisby—What do we know about it?

S. B. Arnold—You're the best judge of that when it is on the table.

Laughter.

The committee agreed to meet and visit the school on Friday, October 17, at 3:30.

The report of the school was read as follows:

Form	En-rolled	Average
Form 4.....	81	28
Form 3B.....	47	45
Form 3A.....	44	41
Form 2B.....	51	47
Commercial.....	45	43
Form 1B.....	45	41
Form 1A.....	45	41
Total.....	271	253

Mr. Peterson reported the school wished to thank Secretary-Treasurer Cline for five fine large photographs handsomely framed. The subjects of the pictures are "The Arch of Titus," "The Arch of Constantine," "The Ruins of the Forum," "Palazzo Trevisani," "The Old Place, Florence," and "The Falls of Terni," Italy. A hearty vote of thanks was given Mr. Harris by the Board for the pictures.

Mr. Peterson also informed the Board that the Literary and Musical Society of the school were putting on a series of educational entertainments this season and asked the Board to be patrons of the course.

On motion of Messrs. McVean and Thornton a committee was appointed to look after the winter's fuel.

The following accounts were ordered paid:

Creedman Typewriter Co., type-writer.....	\$90.00
Creedman Typewriter Co., repairs and supplies.....	12.00
W. J. Kenny.....	15.50
Clyde.....	1.50
Con. E. Shaw.....	8.00
S. Hadley Co.....	30.00
Miss Craddock, monitor.....	3.00

Dr. W. R. Hall has removed his office from Victoria Block to his new building on Sixth street, next door to the Fire Hall.

Lost! On Wednesday, Sept. 24th, between Colborne St. and Wellington St. W., a pearl crescent pin with small heart in centre. Finder will be rewarded by returning to this office.

### WEST SHORE TO NEW YORK.

Through sleeping car to New York and Boston via Wabash and West Shore roads, leave Chatham at convenient hours and make fast time through to destination. Passengers are landed at West 42nd Street and Franklin Street, New York. Convenient to business houses and steamer docks. Ask for tickets via West Shore. Oct-25

## Peninsular Fair Specials

--- AT ---

### "THE GORDON STORE"

While we welcome our citizens every day, visitors from a distance will Fair week receive special inducements to invest in seasonable bargains, here are a few:—

#### Black Goods, 50c Specials

In basket weaves, satin cloths, solici, alpaca cashmeres, serges, brocades, chevots, with many other lines of beautiful black goods from 25c to \$2.00.

#### Colored Dress Goods, 50c Specials

Drape-de-panne, the new fabric, chevots, 54 inch homespun and zebelines.

#### FURS Fare Week, 48 Bargains

In Astrachan Collarets, 6 only at \$3.50—15 at \$3.75—12 at \$5.00—15 at \$6.00—right now is the best time to buy Furs before the frosty rush. We are stocked with everything, ask for anything, here it is, we guarantee satisfaction.

#### Women's and Children's Coats, Specials

30 bargains in Spruce Reefers, for 3 to 6 yrs. well made and nicely trimmed, for... \$1.25  
20 only, Ladies' Coat Coats, all sizes, real dandies..... \$5.00  
Splendid Raglans, Newmarkets, Three Quarter Coats, New York styles.

20 piece fleeced back wrapperettes, all colors, at per yard..... 10c

80 pairs fleeced blankets, gray or white, rest for the weary, per pair..... 75c

21 black merized saten petticoats, at \$1.00 and..... \$1.80

3 dozen bath towels, 54 inches long, Fair specials at..... 25c

## MILLINERY Right for The Fair

Right in fashion, right in making, right in prices. There's new interest in hand this week—many new Parisian Hats. See our Shepperless Shape of heavy cloth effects, trimmed with shaggy felt and handsome wings.

Standard Designers  
Are a Delight 10c

**William Gordon**

Standard Fashions  
Are Superior

October 4th, 1902

## Our Ladies' Shoes

.. FOR ..

**\$1.50**

Is a Laced Dongola Kid Boot, made on the newest, most up-to-date last, Extension Soles, Patent Leather Toe Caps, Military Heels, Double Soles, no shoddy, clear sole leather throughout.

We have never before shown as good a shoe for the price, you say so when you see them, sizes 2 1/2 to 7.

### Best Grade

### Rubbers

To Fit All Sizes.

**Geo. W. Cowan**

Sole Agents

For Chatham.

## It's Not a Dream

But a fact that our Special Sales are trade winners and money savers.

### SATURDAY WE SHALL SELL

3 lbs. Fresh Assorted Mixed Biscuits, 25c.  
Mixed Pickles, in bottles, 3c. each.  
6 Boxes Sardines for 25c.  
7 lbs. Jersey Sweet Potatoes for 25c.  
7 lbs. Fresh Rolled Oats 25c.  
Lemon Biscuits, 8c. per lb.  
Special Blend Coffee, 25c. per lb. try it.

If you are looking for wedding or birthday presents in China or Glassware, call and see us. We are clearing out a lot of these goods, and will give you back 10c on every dollar's worth you buy.

Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets at the same low prices that have made so many sales.

**John McConnell,**

Park St.

'Phone in your order to 190

## BREECH LOADING GUNS!

Shooting Coats and Vests

Cartridge Belts, Bags and Pouches, Gun Cases and Covers, loaded and empty Shells, Ely, Trap and others, black or smokeless. Fishing tackle in great variety.

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## Ald. Cowan Declares Himself

Chatham, Sept. 26, 1902.

Election of the City of Chatham.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have been requested by a large number of ratepayers from every section of the city to allow my name to be put in nomination for the mayoralty for 1903.

My friends are of the opinion that as mayor I will be in a better position to continue the work I have in hand as chairman of the Industrial Committee, and secure for the city other factories with which I am in communication.

Having been a member of the Council Board for a longer time than any other who is now an aspirant for the position of mayor, and having been chairman of the Industrial committee since its inception (which position has involved a large amount of labor and considerable expense to me) I feel that I am quite justified in according to the wishes of my friends, I am therefore a candidate for the high and important office of mayor of my native town for 1903 and I most respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

I am, ladies and gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

GEORGE W. COWAN.

## Economy of Coal

is important in a

## Range or Heater

you will get best results from the  
**Jewel Heaters**

... and ...

## Jewel Ranges

They are satisfactory every time.

## WESTMAN BROS. CHATHAM

### FOR SALE

Two storey brick house and three lots for \$1,300. A snap.  
Two storey frame house, all conveniences, for \$1,800. A bargain.  
Two storey frame house, large lot and large stable, \$650. Yours if you come before October 15th.

We have a few houses to rent.

**DUNN & MERRITT,**

Phone 295.

All kinds of floral and decorative work done at the Victoria Avenue Green House. 'Phone 181. tf

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To the Building Directly  
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Grand opera House,  
Chatham.

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is the greatest labor saver you can have in your house. Saves money, too, and all this without any sacrifice of utility. Come to our office. It costs nothing to learn about it.  
Stoves Sold At Cost.

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## WHERE TWO WAYS MET

By Julia Truitt Bishop

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"Ye reckon he'll know ye?" asked the fat old woman who was putting a cunning patch on a much worn white garment.

"Know me?" cried the thin old woman, with something that was almost a blush on her faded cheeks. "Well, I don't know anything that would keep Jimmie from remembering me. Any two people that knew one another like we did and were engaged for two long years—"

"Like as not ye won't know him," said the prosaic fat old woman, trying another patch under another hole and considering it with her head at one side.

Now it was that the thin old woman smiled. "Jimmie was tall," said she musingly, looking out at the window, "and a mighty handsome young man. Everybody said so. I didn't come to his shoulder. I always liked tall men. When we went out together, people said what a fine looking couple we were."

The old woman at the fire sniffed again.

"That was thirty year ago," she said, with distinct sarcasm. But the listener in the window looked up with glistering eyes.

"Yes, don't it seem funny that it's so long?" she asked. "I have to most shake myself to make myself believe it's true. Why, I don't feel any different. It's just the same old me that used to think everything Jimmie did was right. I reckon he would hardly have known I was alive," she went on musingly, "if he hadn't happened to get hold of that copy of the Clarion with the notice of my buying that five acre piece back of the spring, and then he wrote to me—such a respectful, dignified letter, Miss Bangs—and we have been corresponding ever since. His letters show that he is still unchanged. If we only like one another when he comes today—if we only do—then we are to be married at last after all these years. I've had an independent life, but I would feel kind of good, after all, to have a big, strong man to de-

pend on. I don't care how independent a woman is. She gets kind of lonesome once in awhile."

"There's a knock," said Miss Bangs, deliberately folding up her work and rising.

"Mr. Hamilton?" said the maid of all work, throwing open the door.

Miss Alethea stood still for a moment, dullness settling down upon her. Then she sank into a chair.

The man before her was gray. He wore glasses. There was a stoop in his shoulders, so that he was not so tall as he had been. In that dreadful moment of revelation she cried desolately within herself. "He is old—oh, he is old!"

"I would never have known you!" she cried involuntarily in her great bewilderment. "How you have changed!"

He had been staring at her, but now he passed his hand across his brow.

"I was about to say the same of you," he said. "The years have not stood still with you."

She scarcely heard him. She was slowly realizing that the man with whom she had been corresponding of late months was a stranger to her.

"I believe women change more rapidly than men," he was saying when she fastened her attention on him again. "It is on account of their indoor life, I suppose. I am just about as strong and active as I ever was."

Miss Alethea sat still and looked at the floor.

"The weather's quite cold out, isn't it, Mr.—Mr. Hamilton?" she asked, with a manifest effort.

"Not so cold as it was yesterday," he replied, with an effort on his own part. "Of course you will take dinner with us?"

"Well, I don't know that I can," he replied, with his embarrassed eyes on the doorknob. "I put up at the hotel, and—they'll expect me back to dinner."

And the absurdity of this was so evident that she threw up her head and laughed at it. He caught sight of the motion in a fleeting glance. That had been one of the ways of her girlhood, a charming little way when the head was crowned with a wealth of brown hair and the blue eyes sparkled and the lips were red. Then he dropped his head with a groan.

"I must go, Miss Alethea," he said.

"I will be in town several days, and I'll see you again."

"Well," said the confidential friend who had happened to come with him to the hotel, "did you see your face of the olden time?"

"Yes, I saw her," he retorted irritably, turning his face away. "And I am going to leave town this evening. I cannot see her again."

"What's the matter?" questioned the friend in amazement.

"Why, man, she's old," said Mr. Hamilton, recklessly flinging his belongings back into the trunk which he had fatuously brought with him in the expectation of remaining many days.

"Well, it's my opinion that you're no schoolboy yourself," said the friend rudely, after which it will be readily understood that the two quarreled and that the friend took himself off without delay.

"Well?" questioned Miss Bangs crossly. Mr. Hamilton had been gone a long time, but Miss Alethea had just come in, complaining that the glare of the sun in the window had hurt her eyes.

"Well," said Miss Alethea, with her face turned away, "I found Mr. Hamilton looking changed. He's—he's looking much older and more broken than I expected to see him. I don't care to meet him again. I think I'll go up to Springville this evening and spend a week with Jeremiah's folks."

A tall, gray man with a little stoop in his shoulders paused beside the only seat in the car that had but one occupant.

"Is this seat taken, ma'am?" he asked, and when she shook her head he sat down. He had been there several moments and the train was well under way before he noticed the thin, white little hand that lay upon the top of a satchel in her lap, and a small, old-fashioned ring on one of the fingers.

Then his eyes leaped, startled, to her face. She recognized him at the same moment.

"Jimmie!" she cried, the old name slipping out before she could think.

"Alethea!" he said, and a thrill of warmth and color swept suddenly back over both hearts.

"I had to take a little run up the road—on business," he said mendaciously. "Let me lower this shade; the sun's in your eyes."

How red and womanly she looked! How dainty she was in all her belongings!

"I am going to Springville—on business, too," she said shyly.

How thoughtful that was in him to pull down the blind! How long it had been since any one had been thoughtful for her!

"Do you know," he said, looking at her attentively, "you have really changed very little. I should have known you anywhere—now that I have a chance to observe you closely."

"Oh, I have changed far more than you have!" she cried generously.

He moved a little nearer. His sleeve touched her arm. What talk was this about youth having fled? She could feel that sleeve against her arm making sudden summer in her soul.

"Going up to Jeremiah's for a few days?" he said. "I wonder if you would let me go along with you? I was always friends with Jeremiah."

She looked up and smiled at him, and her eyes fell. But the swift smile had effaced so many of the years that he cried with a rush of the old time tenderness:

"I declare, Alethea, you haven't changed at all!"

He wasn't mean.

The whip-flicking hero of this story had driven an irascible old fellow a good three mile journey in London. When the fare climbed stiffly out and slowly produced a big pocketbook, cabby drew a deep breath and prepared to be sarcastic. A watchful constable standing near prevented all thought of his relieving his feelings by the use of picturesque terms.

Cabby watched his fare make a lengthy mental calculation of the distance he had been driven, select the exact legal fare, count it twice over, and then proffer it to him with an expression on his face plainly indicative of "Now, then, you dare dispute it and I'll take your number!"

But cabby didn't dispute it. Instead, he promptly accepted it, but slipping his hand into another pocket he produced a farthing, which he handed to the fare.

"What's this for?" demanded the old fellow.

"One farden, currant coin of the realm, sir," said cabby, gathering up his reins. "I drew you just the exact distance represented by air of that there shield under the three mile you reckoned. I ain't got no air farden about me, but it don't matter. You can keep the change. I ain't mean. Goodby, sir, and God bless you. Gee up, 'orse!"—London Answers.

A Levee-side Goldfish.

At a country house last summer I saw quite a unique friendship, writes a correspondent of the "The cat of the household, a magnificent Persian Tom, goes, when thirsty, to a large glass bowl in the drawing room, wherein a goldfish disports itself, and there seems to have an interesting tete-a-tete with its finny friend—drinking the other's health, I suppose. The lady of the house told me that a week or two previous to my visit the cat had been unwell and could not be induced to leave its quarters in the kitchen. It was noticed that the fish also seemed sickly and refused to nibble the crumbs and seedlings thrown to it, but not for a moment did any one dream of associating its indisposition with the absence of the cat. When, however, master Tom appeared on the scene again, with quite an elastic step, the fish became itself once more and is now as frisky as ever.—London Chronicle.

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NOT A KEEN FISHERMAN.

The Record of His Majesty as an Angler Is Not Startling.

There is an interesting article in The Fishing Gazette by the editor, Mr. R. B. Marston, on the Royal Family as anglers. The King, it seems, is not a very keen fisherman, not half so keen as his brother, the late Duke of Edinburgh, or his son, the Prince of Wales, but it is quite a mistake to suppose his Majesty has never taken any interest in fishing. He has fished in the Highlands, and when as Prince of Wales he rented Aberfeldie on the Dee he used to fish for salmon now and then, though as old Donald Morgan says, his Majesty was a real enthusiast. Lord Knollys, however, recently informed Mr. Marston that the King on one occasion caught a 21 lb. salmon on the Floors Castle water on the Tweed. As regards the Queen, we have long known that she is a keen disciple of Isaac Walton, as is also Princess Victoria, and they often fish together when in Scotland. Her Majesty has killed salmon in Ireland, and so dandy is his Majesty's fishing, that he is successful in landing one. Last month the young Princes tried their hands at the trout in a Norfolk stream, and Prince Albert (aged 6) got a brace, and Prince Edward (aged 7) half a brace, with the fly, March Brown and Black Gnat. The fact that they were able to send a trout to the King, who was then staying at Sandringham, and a brace to their parents in London, afforded them as great pleasure as the catching of the half-pounders. They have taken as many as fifteen or twenty roach each on an evening.

## SEVEN YEARS IN BED

This Wonderful Case Borders on the Miraculous

Nothing Like it Has Ever Been Heard of—in Newfoundland, Where The Story Comes From it Has Created a Profound Sensation.

Cottel's Cove, New Bay, Newfoundland, Oct. 6.—(Special).—This part of the island has been thoroughly aroused by the marvellous cure of a man named Joseph Boon.

For eight years the man had been ailing and for seven years of this time he was unable to work. He had Back Ache and Kidney Complaint, in fact he was all pains and aches. He had been treated from time to time by several doctors and although he always carefully attended to their several prescriptions exactly as ordered by them, he got no relief, but was slowly growing worse.

Finally he went to the Hospital, where he remained for seven months, only to be sent home as an incurable case.

He has tried every remedy he could hear of, electric belts, liniments, oils and other medicines, but all of no avail. No one ever thought he could ever be well again.

However, one day he picked up a newspaper containing an account of how Mr. Richard Quirk, of Fortune Harbor, had been cured of Lumbago by Dodd's Kidney Pills. After reading this Mr. Boon made up his mind to try this remedy and at once began a treatment.

He used altogether twenty-one boxes before he was able to go to work again, but now he is able to attend to his daily duties as strong and vigorous as any man along the coast.

Mr. Boon is a fisherman and is at present engaged at lobster fishing with no thought whatever of his old time Back Ache and other pains.

The people here regard this cure as little short of miraculous.

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## FLOWING BEES.

Interesting and Practical Methods of Well-Coming Among the Tykes.

How many people know that there are spots in this country where workmen are not only willing, but eager, to put in a good day's labor for nothing, in order to show their welcome and good-will towards a new-comer?

It sounds too good to be true at this time of day, says London Answers, when everybody one meets seems to be ever "on the make," from the waiter at the restaurant to the office boy, who never hurries unless you promise him "something special."

If you are intending to go into the farming line it would appear that the district around Richmond, in Yorkshire, is one of the best places to settle down in, for then you may come in for that extraordinary warm day known as "flowing day." It is a strange custom, of ancient lineage, and was exercised not long ago by the neighboring farmers in favor of Mr. T. C. Hutchinson, of Bradbury, Durham, who had taken a big farm at Skeby, near Richmond. The jovial, hospitable Tykes who were to be his neighbors, resolved to give him a rousing welcome and to make a "flowing day," by which is meant that they would spend a whole day together in plowing his land for him to start with. No less than 44 teams of horses, with plows, arrived from surrounding farms and set to work on Mr. Hutchinson's new land. It was believed to have been almost a record welcome, even in hospitable Yorkshire, which is saying a good deal.

It is curious to note that this institution of helping the new or anxious farmer has been carried into our colonies, and is a well known practice in Queensland. Probably it was some good Tyke who carried it out there with him from the old land. At any rate, Mr. H. W. Gibson, a recent settler there, found that he had had his "lines cast in pleasant places" not long ago, for when he was so incapacitated by illness as to be unable to get his land ready by seed time, the neighboring farmers arranged to give him a "flowing day," as all his children were too young to undertake the work of the farm.

They accordingly assembled at the appointed day in good time, and soon got fifteen plows to work upon the land, with the result that they prepared over thirty acres of Mr. Gibson's farm ready for the sowing of wheat, and when that delighted gentleman later did his heart good to see the splendid practical help that his neighbors had given him.

It is not long ago since the hundreds of "hands" at a big Halifax factory offered to work a month for nothing in order to help their masters at the mills to tide over a period of great anxiety in financial matters. There had been an excellent spirit existing for long years between masters and workmen in this particular mill, and when it became known that the firm was in difficulties from various causes, the large number of employees, soon called a meeting and determined to come to the rescue of those who had so often helped them.

The outcome was that these ordinary workpeople offered, as stated, to work for a whole month without wages, which meant a saving to the firm of thousands of pounds. It was a noble offer to come from poor people, who were actually dependent upon those same weekly earnings for their very bread, and the firm appreciated the offer deeply. But they, unfortunately, found it impossible to accept.

It is quite a common custom in several villages in Lancashire and Yorkshire for the people to give their services to prepare a house, so far as the cleaning goes, for a home-coming bride. They will undertake the labor of cleaning, whitewashing, papering, and so forth, without expecting a farthing's worth of reward, merely as a sort of greeting to the woman who is coming among them as a new wife.

In similar fashion, the girl friends of a bride of the working classes on the border seldom let her work to pay for their own bridal array and finery. They invariably work themselves, and pay for the wedding outfit of the fortunate one of their number who is about to enter the "holy bonds of matrimony."

Kitchener's Staring.

Stories about Lord Kitchener are just now bulking largely in most of the journals. His Lordship's pet starting, which was a known character in Pretoria, is the subject of some of these. A correspondent of Navy and Army relates the following about this sagacious creature:

This bird, for the time being, was the apple of Lord Kitchener's eye. He always had it near him, and often, when some difficult problem of the campaign troubled him, he would be seen standing in front of the cage, cigar in mouth, gazing at the captive bird. One day an idea struck him. It seemed that the pet was in poor spirits. Lord Kitchener conceived the idea that the bird was lonely—that it required a mate. In a moment the whole of the headquarters was in a ferment. Imperial interests were of a secondary consideration. Staff officers who had not a moment to call their own were out hunting through Pretoria for a mate for the pet of the chief, who had steadfastly refused to allow any of his married officers to be joined by their mates while in service.

Women Wanted in South Africa.

The lack of British women in South Africa is one of the most serious facts with which the statesman has to grapple, says The London Mail. It is vital that a carefully directed emigration of women from England should be organized by the state. A writer in The Quarterly Review reckons that 3,000 British women are needed a year to meet the emergency, and this is a total which it should not be difficult to find in England, where we have a very large excess of women.

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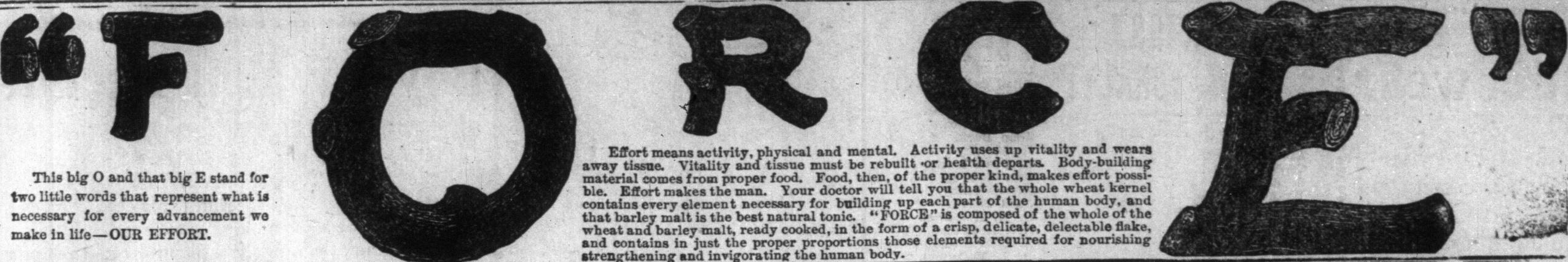
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With a delicate rustle,  
Falls into a circle that thins;  
The leaves creep away one by one,  
Riding in hollows and ruts,  
The light wheels slow from the sun,  
And glaze where the corn stood,  
And strays over the plain,  
Touching with patches of gold  
The knolls and the hollows,  
Crosses the lane,  
And slips into the wood;  
Then flashes a mile away on the farm,  
A moment of brightness blue;  
Then the gold glimmers and vanes,  
And is swept by a dervish of grey,  
For cheek by jowl, arm in arm,  
The shadow's foot with the shine,  
The wind roars out from the elm,  
Then leaps tiger-sudden—the leaves  
Shower up into heaps of gold,  
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**FAMOUS GOODWOOD.**  
Something About a Historic English Race Course.  
The Goodwood race course is quite unique. It is a long way from a station and is not near any town, says the London Tatler. It is on a hill the top of which is shaped like a horse-shoe, the space between the two horns being represented by a deep ravine. The course runs round the horseshoe, the start being at the end of one horn and the finish at the end of the other. The result of this is that the equestrians who on other courses contrive to see both start and finish by the simple process of riding across while the race is in progress cannot do so at Goodwood. They must elect which they will see and remain there. On the other hand, the course is very easy to follow with glasses.

The races as an institution are comparatively modern, but there must have been hunt races and matches on this course since the days of William III., when we hear of the Goodwood hunt as in existence. In 1800, however, the then Duke of Richmond made a new course, which is practically the completed, and in order to celebrate this a regular meeting was got up by the duke with the assistance of the hunt and some officers of the Sussex militia and yeomanry, and prizes to the value of about £1,000 were put up. This meant a good sum in those days. This was the first Goodwood meeting of importance, and from that year it became an annual event.

**A Walking Fern.**  
Most ferns are confirmed travelers. New fern leaves grow out from the underground roots some distance away from the old plant. The average observer scarcely notices this, but there is a native fern that steps off at so lively a pace that its odd habit has long been known to one of the "unending entertainments of the woods. The walking fern often carpets ledges and tops of shaded rocks. The slender, tufted leaf fronds are singularly fernlike in appearance. They squirm about and "walk" by declining their joints and growing. In time clusters of new leaf fronds spring from such rooted tips. By and by some of these, too, bite the earth and, taking root, start still other colonies, which in turn will continue the progress again and again. Naturally, with the lapse of time, the connection between the older tufts and the younger becomes broken, yet one sometimes finds series of three or four linked together, representing as many steps in the pretty ramble.—Country Life in America.

Common sense is instinct, and enough of it is genius.—H. W. Shaw.

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Self-laudation abounds among the unpolished, but nothing can stamp a man more sharply as ill-bred—Buckminster.

**Sketch of Duncan Campbell Scott.**  
Mr. Scott's poetry is distinguished by marked beauty of diction, elevated imagery and a rare tranquility of thought. But moral passion stirs strongly within him, as witness that poem, "The Heart of the World," and the lines of "The Dame Regnant." He is an idealist, and implicitly acknowledges a transcendent source for the profound effect the contemplation of nature makes upon him. Mr. Scott saw the light in 1862. He was educated at the public schools of the city and at Stansfeld Wesleyan College. He entered the Canadian civil service in a minor capacity and has risen to the position of chief clerk and accountant in the Department of Indian Affairs, a position he still retains. He has long had a connection with American periodicals, and a recognized place among the younger poets of his time. In 1893 he published his first volume of verse, entitled "The Magic House and Other Poems." Five years later a second volume appeared from the press of Copeland & Day, Boston. The lines above are extracted from this collection, which is named from the initial poem, "Labor and the Angel."

**When the Globe Was Young.**  
We confess that it is with some gratification that the circulation of The Globe has reached a point altogether unprecedented in the experience of Canadian journals. We are now circulating one of the tri-weekly and weekly editions united, a little of six thousand, and are daily receiving large additions to our list. We believe that our number of subscribers is double that of any paper published in the North America. We can remember the time when the circulation of two thousand for a Canadian newspaper was considered very large then it was three thousand and four thousand were not to be reached; and now that The Globe has arrived at six, we see nothing difficult in attaining ten thousand and nothing impossible in twenty.—From The

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## MEDICAL.

DR. J. P. SIVELWRIGHT—Office and residence, 117 King street, (over Backus' Harness Shop) telephone 236. Night bell.

## DENTAL.

A. A. RICKS, D. D. S.—Honor graduate of Philadelphia Dental College and Hospital of Oral Surgery, Philadelphia, Pa., also honor graduate of Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Toronto. Office over Turner's drug store, 26 Rutherford Block.

## LODGES.

WELLINGTON Lodge No. 46, A. F. & A. M. G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

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J. B. RANKIN, K. C.—Barrister, Notary Public, etc., Victoria Block, Chatham.

W. F. SMITH—Barrister, Solicitor etc., Office, King Street, west of the Market. Money to loan on Mortgages.

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A New Issue of the Subscribers' Directory

For the District of Western Ontario, including the Chatham Exchange, will be issued early in September. Orders for new connections, changes of address, changes of names, duplicate entry of names, etc., should be placed at once to ensure their appearance.

F. D. LAURIE, Local Manager

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Cold weather seems to be the order of the day, warm underwear is a necessity, we make a specialty of Ladies' and Children's Underwear. We handle nothing but the best makes and bring them direct from the best underwear factory in the Dominion. Not only does this factory surpass all other Canadian factories, but it holds first place in America for their celebrated "Scotch knit" lambs wool underwear.

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**Vaudeville**

A change of programme for each night.

**10 BIG ACTS**

Including some of the funniest sketches ever produced on the stage.

**Prices 25c, 35c and 50c**

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is now complete in all lines, and every pair warranted to give entire satisfaction if fitted on at this store.

**PEACE'S CASH SHOE STORE**

4 Doors from Market

McCoig & Harrington, auctioneers, have received instructions from C. W. Wright, of Dover, to sell his farm stock of implements on Tuesday Oct. 14, as advertised elsewhere. This sale will give farmers a splendid opportunity to replenish their stock.

### BIG SUCCESS

Was the Anniversary Tea Meeting and Entertainment of Victoria Ave. Church.

The twenty-fifth annual tea meeting of the Victoria Avenue Methodist church was held last evening in that church. It was a grand success. The ladies deserve the credit for the success; they worked hard to make it one and were well rewarded. The Sunday school hall, where the magnificent repast was served, was elaborately decorated with bunting and flags, the work of the well known artist in that line, John Carter. The ladies whose endeavors were crowned with success were: Mrs. James Holmes, Mrs. T. T. George, Mrs. J. C. Fleming, Mrs. Jas. Brackin, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Mrs. Burrows, Mrs. L. Jackson, Mrs. McGarratt, Mrs. Groves, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Pake, Mrs. T. Brown, Mrs. Harry Bloom, Mrs. R. Blackburn, Mrs. McArthur, Mrs. Wadell, Mrs. J. W. Dyer, Mrs. Houser, Mrs. Braddon, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Wrigley, Mrs. Horning, Mrs. Pardo, Mrs. D. W. Crow, Mrs. John Grandbois, Mrs. Keeley, Mrs. Robinson and Miss Sylvester.

The fare was most tempting and the courses many, but it was not necessary that it should be so as one of the partakers said, one would be charmed into eating by the pretty girl waitresses to say nothing of the boys with their white coats and aprons. After the repast adjournment was made to the church, where a most pleasing program was rendered by some of the best talent of the city. Rev. T. T. George made a fine chairman. The program was:

Choir—Choir, "Springtime Praises."

Vocal solo—W. H. Brackin.

Address—Rev. Mr. Cobblehead.

Vocal solo—Mrs. S. C. Walker.

Recitation—Miss Edna Hicklin.

Vocal solo—Miss Edith Dolsen.

Address—Rev. S. Bond, of Dresden.

Vocal solo—Will Miller.

Vocal solo—Miss Blanche Baxter.

God Save the King.

### MISS ETHEL WEBSTER

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**Children Cry for CASTORIA**

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**MR. McKEOUGH ACCEPTS.**

To the above requisition Mr. McKough this morning replied as follows:

Chatham, Oct. 7th, 1902.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I thank you most heartily for your requisition to become a candidate for the mayoralty for 1903, and for the assurance of your support in placing myself in your hands. I have every confidence in your support, and during the years I shall endeavor to fulfill the various duties of the office to the satisfaction of all concerned.

I do not claim to have been the sole means of bringing any factories to our city, but in conjunction with many others I have done my share in that particular, and I preferred to have represented you as alderman. I have faithfully served you to the best of my ability. While much of my time and thought have been occupied in the interests of the city, and in the position of chairman of the Board of Works, I may have done what has displeased some, but what I have done, has been done, as I thought, for the best interest of the city, and my recent resignation which resulted in relieving the city of the services of the late engineer, although occasioning me sincere regret was, I considered, the wisest course to adopt, as I was unable to conduct the department to which I had been assigned honestly and freely in what my convictions told me were your best interests, and I preferred to be relieved of a service that could otherwise only become unsatisfactory to you and deeply disappointing to me.

I desire to see Chatham prosperous, and with a due regard for economy, I shall do all in my power to promote new industries, encourage old ones, improve our streets and beautify our city, and make it the best city of its size, and the cheapest one to live in, in Canada.

Again thanking you for the assurance of your support, I remain, Very faithfully yours, W. E. McKEOUGH.

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from Chicago via the Chicago & North-Western R'y every day during September and October. One-way second-class tickets at very low rates from Chicago to points in Colorado, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, British Columbia, California and various other points. Also special round-trip Homeseekers tickets on first and third Tuesdays, August, September and October to Pacific Coast and the West. Full particulars from nearest ticket agent or address B. H. Bennett, 2 East King street, Toronto, Ont.

**FUEL FOR THE POOR**

A meeting of the ministers of the city was held yesterday morning. Rev. Dr. Battisby presided. There were present Revs. McCosh, Cobblehead, Ross, Knowles and George Rev. Dr. Battisby and Rev. Rural Dean McCosh were appointed a deputation to wait on the council and have the following resolution submitted:—"That in view of the serious scarcity of fuel, the council be kindly requested to take into consideration the advisability of purchasing, if possible a supply of wood to be sold at the lowest possible rates to relieve the distress anticipated during the coming winter."

**ANOTHER ATTRACTION FOR THE PENINSULAR FAIR.**

On Wednesday, the second day of the big fair, the 24th Regiment will march out in their full strength, accompanied by their full band. They will escort the Hon. J. Israel Tarte out to the exhibition grounds, where a grand review will be held, immediately in front of the grand stand.

**Children Cry for CASTORIA**

### A GOOD PRESCRIPTION.

Laughter as a Stomach Cure and an Aid to Health.

Worry is but one of the many forms of fear, so that worry tends to the production of indigestion. Indigestion tends to put the body of the subject in a condition that favors worry. There is thus established a vicious circle which tends to perpetuate itself, each element augmenting the other.

It is necessary to secure a cheerful, wholesome atmosphere for the dyspeptic. He should eat his meals at a table where there is good fellowship and where funny stories are told. He should make a great effort to contribute his share of this at the table, even if it be necessary, as it was in one case under my care, for him to solemnly and seriously collect funny paragraphs from the press, and at first interject them spasmodically during lulls in the conversation at the table. The very efforts and determination of the man to correct his own silent habits at table to correct his feelings of discouragement and worry, were in themselves a promise of success. The effort made was adequate to the obstacles to be overcome. He succeeded, and the spectacle of that man trying to be funny at table when he felt thoroughly discouraged and blue is one we shall never forget.

Laughing is in itself also a useful exercise from the standpoint of digestion. It stirs up all the abdominal organs, it increases the circulation of the blood, it increases peristalsis, it increases the secretion of gastric juices. Five minutes' deliberate laughing after each meal would be an excellent prescription for some people.

### THE BIRTH OF JAPAN.

**Curious Legend of the Creation Handled Down by the Japanese.**

The following is the curious legend of the creation as it is told in Japan: Clouds formed the bridge on which once god Yanzanhi and his spouse Yanzuma stood pondering on the riddle of existence, whether the beginnings of worlds and the beginnings of life lay slumbering in that sea of chaos. Yanzanhi, apparently more enlightened than philosophically inclined, selected his shimmering spear and plunged it into the black and seething flood. Pulling it up again, he discovered seven salt drops on its diamond point, which, dropping, condensed and formed the island of Cusokosima.

Thereupon Yanzanhi and his spouse selected the spot of earth which had thus been created as their permanent dwelling place and peopled it with innumerable genii of animal and plant life and spirits of the elements. And around this "palace of immortality" rose eight other islands—Awadasi, the island of foam; the mountainous Cho, Yamato, blessed with fruit; Yuo, unsurpassed in its beauty; the quaking island Takosui, Sudo, rich in copper and gold; Yki, one of the pillars of heaven, and Oki, surrounded by three satellites.

Such was the birth of Japan, of that curious land of Fusiama, with its amiable population of artist artisans, its graceful tea-houses, its glistening silks, its grotesque dwarf trees, its white cranes and dreamy lotus ponds.

**The Tired Foot.**

A lady was watching a potter at his work whose one foot was kept with a "never slackening speed turning his swift wheel round" while the other stood patiently on the ground. When the lady said to him in sympathizing tone, "How tired your foot must be," the man raised his eyes and said: "No, ma'am; it isn't the foot that works that's tired. It's the foot that stands. That's it."

If you want to keep your strength, use it. If you want to get tired, do nothing. As a matter of fact, we all know that the last man to give a helping hand to any new undertaking is the man who has plenty of time on his hands. It is the man and woman who are doing the most who are always willing to do a little more.

**The Man and the Wave.**

Once upon a time a man was telling a tale of woe that unravelled his matrimonial experience.

"It was all on account of a little dainty handkerchief," he said. "The first time that I saw the girl and before we had been introduced she waved that bit of lace at me, and I was carried away. It was a fall in love and then matrimony. But, alas, that delicate handkerchief was no index to the girl's nature, and I found myself wrecked on the sea of matrimony."

Moral—A man may be carried away by a wave and wrecked without going near the water.

**Wanted a Lower Key.**

Spatts—My love, I wish you would alter the key of your voice.

Mrs. Spatts—What's the matter with it?

Spatts—Oh, nothing; only from the expression of Eliza Jane's face after our recent argument, I'm certain it fits every keyhole in the house.

**Superstition.**

Parson (visiting prison)—Why are you here, my misguided friend?

Prisoner—I'm the victim of the unlucky No. 13.

Parson—Indeed! How's that?

Prisoner—Twelve jurors and one judge.

Diamonds are worth \$300,000,000 a ton. Remember this and don't pay a cent more.

The population of Russia doubles from natural increase once every sixty years.

## Boys' Warm Reefers

School-boys sizes; 22 to 32 inches. The famous T. & D. make that boys and their mothers know so well by cheerful experience. When we build for boys we leave nothing to chance. Sewing and cloth alike are planned for the requirements of the "strenuous" life.

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We are showing heavy black and brown Frieze Reefers, wonderfully good for the money, well lined and well made, at **\$2.50**.

Better lines; serges, naps, storm-loving beavers and curls—at easily graded prices up to **\$4.50**.

**Thornton & Douglas Limited.**

## COUNCIL START WOOD YARD

Continued from First Page.

Filling in of William street be granted to the extent of grading the street at present and that the matter of filling in be left till the William street pavement is completed.

That the account of Robert Cooper be paid.

That the street cleaning machine of King, Cunningham & Drew be given a fair trial and purchased if satisfactory. The report was adopted.

Ald. Mounter said that the machine was necessary as it was impossible to get men to scrape these streets.

Ald. Fleming said he had always favored a street sweeper and hoped that now the market square would be kept clean.

Ald. Thomson didn't know whether Ald. Fleming was alluding to him or not, but the market pavement was the cleanest in the city.

In reply to Ald. Cowan, Ald. Mounter said that the Board of Works had already notified the contractors to start the work on La Croix street at once, and they would move there from centre street if they were not already engaged on the work.

The balance of the council proceedings will be found in to-morrow's issue.

## Theatrical

Perry, O'Dell & Dee's Comedians, at the Opera House to-morrow and Thursday nights, will undoubtedly draw big crowds, as the cast is very strong, being made up of some of the best comedians and dancers of America. Ada Hart, with her illustrated songs deserves notice, and also Heath and Exilia with their gun juggling and sharp shooting.

## FOR THE POOR

**Rev. Dr. Battisby Submits Suggestion for Securing Fuel During the Winter.**

"The coal famine is going to make fuel of all sorts expensive," said Rev. Dr. Battisby to the Planet yesterday. "And I would suggest that the Mayor and city council bring in four or five hundred cords of wood and sell it at the cost price. Another thing which would alleviate the famine would be the trimming and thinning out of the trees of the city."

"Why, it wouldn't hurt a bit if every other tree in the city was cut down, and made into cordwood. We would not miss the trees a bit, they are making the place like a swamp, they are so thick."

"It is the trees that have a good deal to do with the sickness and then, again, they keep the roads in sad condition all the time."

"There are some trees down Park Street opposite my residence, which are two feet thick and would make a couple of cords of wood for the poor."

## WOMAN LEADS BOXERS

Victoria, B. C. Oct. 6.—Advice have been received from China of the increase of Boxerism both in Szechuen and Chi Li. In Szechuen the Boxers 10,000 strong attacked Cheng Yu, the provincial capital, and there were some sanguinary fights in the streets.

The Boxers of Szechuen are led by a woman, Liao Kuan Yin, who is alleged to be one of three sisters who were arrested at Tien Tsin during the rebellion of 1900, it being said that they were the Boxer "Goddesses." Letters from Prince Tuan, Yung Lu and other Boxer leaders were found in their possession. This woman, who is described by Chinese papers as being handsome, had attracted 10,000 Boxers to her standard.

It is estimated that 1,500 native Christians have been killed in this province. In Chi Li the Boxers are secretly drilling every morning before daylight even in the vicinity of the capital.

Wanted—Two young men who have some knowledge of typework or presses, at The Planet office, if

## WON BY A SONG

A Chicago Wife Deserted Her Husband For a Modern Troubadour.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—The Inter Ocean says: Charmed by the love songs of a modern troubadour, whose humble vocation was that of a driver of a bakery wagon, Mrs. Freda Krueger, wife of Henry Krueger, the proprietor of a grocery store at 1881 Elston avenue, is said to have deserted her husband and three children to follow the fortunes of Henry Ganzel, whose voice won her heart.

After vainly attempting to find a clue to the whereabouts of his spouse and the man for whom she gave up everything, the husband yesterday applied to Capt. Gibbons, of the central police detail, for assistance. Detective Driscoll, who was assigned to the case, believes that the eloping couple have left the city.

Krueger's story to the police was like an old Italian romance with modern settings. Visiting his grocery store as the clerk of a bakery, Krueger says Ganzel laid siege to his wife's heart, and finally won it by singing to her daily after he had brought his customary load of bread and cakes. Ganzel did not confine himself to popular love ballads, but carefully chose selections from the opera as well.

Ganzel is 25 years old. Occupants of his boarding house say that after his day's work he devoted the evening to singing. He possessed a clear tenor voice and seemed familiar with many operas. He talked little with his fellow-boarders, and gave them to understand that he did not want their companionship.

Four weeks ago Ganzel visited Krueger's grocery store in Elston avenue, which was a new attraction, and after depositing the bakery goods he quickly left the place. The next day he returned, and this time Mrs. Krueger was in the store alone. Ganzel was humming a tune, and when the woman heard it she asked him to sing.

"I am very fond of music. Won't you sing for me?" she asked.

Ganzel complied with her request, and then left with the wife's request that he return the next day. He visited the store when the husband was down town or in his home above the store, according to the statements of the neighbors. Krueger one day heard the young man singing, but at the time he says he did not dream that by his song the bakery driver was winning the affections of his wife.

Last Monday the husband says he entered the store while Ganzel was in the midst of a love song. Mrs. Krueger was seated close to him and young man, her arm on his shoulder and looking affectionately into his eyes.

When the husband appeared Ganzel left the store hastily and Krueger reproached his wife. The next day Mrs. Krueger disappeared.

Minard's Linalum is used by Physicians.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—Girl for "general house" work; no washing; good wages; also a chore boy. J. W. White.

WANTED—A good girl in a small family. Good wages, apply at the Planet Office.

LOST—On Monday, October 6th, an "A Shank," with the mouth piece of a B. corner, between the post office and Thibodaux & Jacques store. The finder will please leave at the C. P. R. Hotel and receive reward.

**The Chatham Loan & Savings Co**

Capital \$1,000,000

Money to Lend on Mortgages. Borrowers wishing to erect buildings, purchase property or pay off incumbrances should apply personally and save expenses, secure best rates and other advantages.

Money advanced on day of application. Deposits of \$1 and upwards received and interest allowed. Withdrawals issued for a 6 and 9 years, bearing interest payable half yearly.

**S. F. GARDINER Manager.**