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FANCY LINENS

We have just received a shipment of choice designs in Fancy Linens, comprising Five o'Clock Covers, Tray Cloths, Carving Cloths and Centre Pieces. These came in the regulation quality of Pure Irish Linen with hemstitched borders. Many of them with hand drawn work border inside the hemstitching. Others have elaborate corners none in hand drawn work, and some of them are embroidered as well. They have been greatly admired by those who have seen them and many sales have already been made. These goods came to us direct from the makers,

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PROTECTION IS NEEDED

Tobacco Growing May yet Become Important Industry In Kent

PRESENT YEAR'S YIELD

A Mail and Empire Staff representative visited Blenheim recently, and contributed to his paper an article on this year's tobacco yield in Kent. The following is a portion from his despatch:

"Blenheim is situated in the Township of Harwich, in the County of Kent, and is about four miles from Lake Erie. The road thither from the west passes through an excellent country with flourishing farms and many fine houses. There are tobacco fields in varying acreage all the way, but this place is at present the eastern limit of the tobacco belt. Formerly tobacco was widely grown as far as Orford, the most easterly township in the county, but for reasons before mentioned the cultivation fell off and was finally abandoned for more profitable crops. There can be no doubt that the revival of the industry and the great profit that is in it, will have the effect of making tobacco the special crop throughout the southern tier of townships in this county, where there need be no experiment to find whether or not the soil is suitable for the plant. That has long been established and needs no demonstration.

"Indeed, it is not improbable that the tobacco region will extend through all the counties bordering on Lake Erie from the Detroit River to Niagara. Many out here hold that the industry is only in its infancy yet and that that of the soil through the country eastward will show that cultivation of the leaf can be profitably carried on where it was not before deemed possible. However, those now engaged in the business do not encourage this idea. They fear that increasing the production will depress the price. Canada imports upwards of twelve million pounds of leaf annually, of which more than eleven millions come from the United States. Most of this is cigar tobacco, but how much is burley, the same as the variety raised in Canada, is not shown in the returns. Considering the amount of smoking and chewing tobacco in the plug form that is manufactured in Canada yearly, burley tobacco of different kinds must be imported in large quantities. Canada could never hope to supply the market, but could contribute so much each year as to play a very important part in production, or far greater than she does now. But protection is needed, whether an increased impost upon foreign burley entering Canada or in the shape of a decreased internal revenue tax upon tobacco manufactured from Canadian home-grown leaf. It is for the Government to decide. And it is certain that if the Liberal Government does not provide this protection it will be enacted by the Conservative Government that will certainly, after the next election, supersede the present one. A pressing concern that goes under the name of Government at Ottawa at present.

"Men interested in the tobacco business are going constantly about watching its progress and calculating upon the probable yield. Several of these gentlemen, when spoken to on the subject, have unhesitatingly said that the yield will not be up to the average.

"Mr. W. J. O'Brien, a resident of Blenheim, is a buyer who has been through the district, to one side and down the other. He has been a buyer here for some years for shipment, and, being an owner with his brother of the O'Brien cigar factory in Chatham, he is familiar with tobacco and tobacco prices. He is of opinion, as the result of his observation, that the crop will not be as heavy this year as last—that, in fact, there will be a considerable falling off, and he instances the stunted growth that I saw in many fields.

"I am only a small buyer compared to Mr. Gregory, of the Empire Tobacco Company, said Mr. O'Brien. "Down here last season Mr. Gregory expended \$50,000, besides what he paid out in Leamington, where his office is, and we cannot come up to the figure. But, in my opinion, taking present indications into account, we shall have to pay more than 9 cents this year for leaf. I wouldn't be surprised to see it go to twelve or even fifteen cents. But, of course, we shall not be able to tell until the crop comes into the market. The market for tobacco is much different under the improved methods of to-day, than it was here twelve or fifteen years ago. Then everything went. But now the leaf is graded as to quality, and classified as to price, which is bitter for all concerned. It may be that the quality of this crop will make up what it will lack in volume. But, however it may go, you can depend upon it that the planters will profit.

"Mr. O'Brien pointed out that the opening price last year was nine and a quarter, that at one time it broke to six, and then rallied again to eight and nine, the closing figures, yet even with these fluctuations the season was an immensely profitable one to the planters."

NEW FISH AND GAME PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

One Was Formed In Chatham Last Evening—Officers Elected and Several Members Enter Into Discussions.

The meeting of the Chatham Fish and Game Protective Association, which was held in the office of the Chief of Police last evening, was a very successful one, well attended, and enthusiastic, which was very gratifying to the men who have taken a deep interest in the question of our game and fisheries. Several matters were discussed, and a number of those present were quite free in expressing their views and denouncing the present way in which Canadian waters are being rapidly depleted of their fish.

This was the first meeting of the association since its formation, and the following officers were elected:

President—N. H. Stevens.
Vice-Pres.—Milton Backus, River Road, Raleigh.

Second Vice-Pres.—James McDougal, Harwich.

Third Vice-Pres.—C. W. Haviland, Chatham Tp.

Executive Committee—Wm. Willmore, Willard Merritt and Thomas Groves, City; and Arthur Fisher, Chatham Tp., and John Moore, Raleigh.

Secy-Treas.—Caleb Wheeler.
Delegates to the Convention at Toronto—W. B. Wells and Caleb Wheeler.

It was found that several new members have joined the society since it was first formed in Harrison Hall, and new men are being interested in the work every day. One notable feature of the membership is the fact that the farmers are taking

ing a great interest in the work, and many of them are joining the association. It shows that this question is an important one to the farmers. It is hoped that many of them will join in the movement to secure better protection for our fish and game.

It will be the duty of the association to hold a series of meetings and discuss several questions which will come up before a general convention. Every branch of the association will discuss all of these subjects with the object of each branch forming the conclusions it will instruct its delegates to advocate, at the convention to be held in Toronto in September during the Exposition. These questions have been obtained from a variety of sources and from persons of varied occupations.

Among these questions are those relating to game fish, as to the close season for the various members of the fishy tribe, their sale or export, and asking for changes thought desirable in connection with the present regulations. The matter of prohibiting trap nets, etc., will also find a place in the discussions. Other questions will be, System of Fishery, Overseership, etc., Combination of Fishery and Game Departments, Transportation of Fish by Common Carriers, License Fees, Licensing of Guides, Trespass, and Reciprocal Arrangements with the United States.

At this convention all of these subjects will be thoroughly discussed, and acted upon, and then resolutions will be made to the Government.

OBJECTS TO RENTING

One Citizen Thinks Rooms In Market Should Not Be Leased

HE QUOTES THE LAW

"The City Council, I understand, are going to fit up a ware-room for McGoig & Harrington in the new Market Hall," said a well-known gentleman on King St. this morning. "They may fit it up, but they will never rent it," he added.

"Why not?" asked the reporter.

"Simply because it is contrary to law, and other business men will not stand for it. It is renting municipal property to a firm who will compete with other firms of their kind in the city, and as sure as an attempt is made to do so, an injunction will be issued. Besides, the land where the building stands was granted for market purposes only—not as a stand for business men to rent from the city. You watch and you'll see there will be a noise made if they try to rent that ware-room."

"If the Council can be prevented from renting to McGoig & Harrington, then why can they not be prevented from renting to the butchers?"

"Because the butchers are doing a market business and McGoig & Harrington are not."

It might be mentioned that through this gentleman claims that there are many who object to the city deriving revenue in this fashion, his was the first and only complaint. The Planet has so far heard relative to the matter. McGoig & Harrington have occupied the Market building for some time now, and no injunctions were issued previously. They have proven excellent tenants.

GOLD IN ONTARIO

Gold has been struck in large quantities in northern Ontario, according to the information received by Mr. Cecil B. Smith, chairman of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Company. Mr. Smith has learned that a prospector from Lexington, Kentucky, the lucky finder, has located the precious metal in the Township of Playfair, north of the height of land, and about 80 miles distant from New Liskeard. The samples analyzed showed an average of about 411 ounces, or about \$8,000, to the ton. In addition, the ore carried silver to the amount of about 400 ounces to the ton. The find was made three or four days ago, and is expected to draw a large number of miners to the localities as soon as it is known.

You will never find time for anything. If you want time you must take it.

WERE NOT TIPPED OUT

Frank Mount Explains An Accident Which Did Not Happen

NEW BOAT IS A GOOD ONE

In last night's Planet, appeared an item in the local column to the effect that Frank Mount and party were tipped out in the lake, while riding the latter's new launch. Our informant, who had a relative on board, claims that he received a telephone message from the lighthouse saying that the party had met with a disaster in the lake, but that they had all been picked up safely, and hence the item.

It now appears, however, that there was no accident, as explained in the following letter from Mr. Mount himself:

Chatham, Ont., Aug. 28, '06.
To the Editor of The Planet:

Dear Sir,—In your issue of yesterday, the 27th inst., amongst your local news appeared an item, which advised that in taking out my new launch, on the first trip, that myself and party were upset in the lake. I wish to contradict this statement, as it is entirely untrue, not one iota of truth in the statement. Evidently the dreamer, or joker, whichever term you wish to use, towards the maker-up of this yarn, wished to injure me, or the Defiance Iron Works Co., who built the outfit. I am a novice in the operating of a gasoline engine, but, from the time that we left Chatham until we reached the lighthouse, our engine ran without a single break or skip, notwithstanding the fact that it had been installed late on Saturday evening, and we made the trip from Chatham to the lighthouse in exactly one hour and 42 minutes. Furthermore we took a trip of 15 miles out into the lake, and both engine and launch worked beautifully. I write this in order to contradict the statement as above mentioned.

Thanking you for the publication of the above, I am,
Yours faithfully,
FRANK MOUNT.

BUMPER TOBACCO CROPS

Windsor, Aug. 27. — The farmers throughout Essex County express joy at the abundance of rain during the past week. A short time ago the tobacco and other crops were drying up and the prospects were that the yield would be the lightest in years.

The rains have done so much good that the prices asked and given are said to be considerably higher than last year, and the 1906 crop is expected to be the bumper crop since tobacco has been grown in Essex County.

HAVE TO TRY ONE.

They say a carrier pigeon will go further than any other bird, said the boarder, between bites. Well, I'll have to try one, said the landlady. I notice a few doesn't go far.

THE BIBLE IS A HATCHET

Mrs. Carrie Nation Gets After Colorado Springs Druggists

THROUGH WITH SALOONS

Mr. Albert Sheldrick, of this city, who is now touring the Pacific Coast sends a copy of the Colorado Springs Gazette, containing a report of a sensation now created by the far famed Carrie Nation in Colorado Springs. Mr. Sheldrick states that he saw the female crusader while at the Springs.

The following is the Gazette's account of Carrie's doings: Carrie Nation, advertised as "your loving home defender," arrived in Colorado Springs yesterday, and finding no saloons, immediately started after the druggists. During her speech at the First Christian church last night, she "exposed" them, she asserted, when she produced two bottles of beer and placed them on the pulpit.

"This bottle of rotten slop," she declared, as she held it before the crowded house, "was purchased for me this afternoon by a little boy not 13 years old. He got it from the Owl Drug Store, and no questions were asked. This other bottle was bought by a clerk after the boy had been refused at another drug store. Here's evidence for your district attorney."

She then read an appeal from some Colorado Springs citizen, who urged her, if she ever came to this city, to make a clean sweep of the Pike's Peak club, as well as the Elks and El Paso clubs. But Carrie refused to undertake the job.

"I would like to clean up these places," she announced. "But I am through with smashing. I cleaned up my own back door. Now you clean up yours."

At the close of her speech she announced that she would forthwith proceed to the Owl Drug store and break the bottle of beer on the sidewalk, but upon reaching the Elk hotel, where she was stopping, she found that the boy had purchased the beer from this place and so had decided to postpone the ceremony until this morning after she has made further investigations. Mr. Ward emphatically denied that he had sold beer to a minor, and in his statement he was verified by the hotel management.

Mrs. Nation's speech at the Christian church was a severe harangue against both the Republican and Democratic parties, which she held up to be "allies of the devil," and entirely responsible for the liquor evil in the United States. She especially attacked President Roosevelt for not putting an immediate stop to the liquor traffic. While she directed her severest shafts against the Republicans, she declared that it was only because the Democrats did not have the opportunity or they would be as bad.

The Christian church was packed to the doors, and hundreds were turned away. They will be given a chance to hear the "home defender" tell how she "smashed" at 3 o'clock this afternoon, when she will speak at Stratton Park. At 8 o'clock tonight she speaks again at the First Christian church.

Here are a few of the things Mrs. Nation told her Colorado Springs audience last night:

"The Bible is a hatchet."

"I have no apology for being in jail 29 times."

"I don't smash saloons any more."

"You don't know me as I am. You have heard through the newspapers about the ridiculous, disgusting, ignorant and crazy Carrie. But the

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S. STEPHENSON, PROPRIETOR.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1906.

OUR FISHERIES.

If the Canadian cruiser Vigilant is destroying American nets set in American waters, the Canadian cruiser should stop the practice. Also it seems that some safe and sane policy should be adopted by the two countries that will prevent the incessant petty troubles over the fishing business.—Buffalo Courier.

We agree with the Courier that it is time an understanding was arrived at between the two countries regarding the fisheries, says the St. Thomas Journal in reply, but at the same time we cannot see wherein the Canadians have been great offenders. It is a well known fact that it is American disregard for the boundary line that makes it necessary for the Canadian Government to keep the Vigilant on the constant watch for poachers. Let the American Government punish offenders against the international agreement and there will be less occasion for complaint on the part of our American cousin.

POOR DREDGE SPECULATION.

It is stated that the big suction dredge, "Galveston," purchased a few months ago by the Government at second-hand, is not a success. This dredge was a failure at the mouth of the Mississippi, for which service she was built. The excuse was made that the channel in the Mississippi was too narrow for her. It seems that the Department of Marine and Fisheries paid \$150,000 for the Galveston without much inquiry. It took the chances of her usefulness with no guarantee that she would fit St. Lawrence channel. The sum of \$25,000 was voted last session to pay the expense of bringing the ship from Galveston and of repairing her at Sorel. She required more repairing than was expected, but was finally set to work below Quebec. Now the story goes that she has been condemned and withdrawn from commission and placed somewhere in cold storage. She must have cost by this time more than \$200,000.

THE USE OF A DEFICIT.

Mr. Emerson is still going about claiming that he is making or is about to make the Intercolonial pay its way. It is true that under an ordinary system of bookkeeping his deficit in the year ending last June would be between half a million and a million. It should be remembered that the Intercolonial was practically paying its way in 1896, though renewed rails were not then charged to capital. About \$700,000 was required to pay interest on the capital charges added in these ten years. But with capable and economical management more than this much surplus could be produced on the business that is now done. Other railways which did not pay their way in 1896 are paying handsome dividends now.

But if Mr. Emerson shall succeed in making the Intercolonial earn something, what will become of Sir Wilfrid's argument that government ownership is disastrous? Mr. Emerson's deficit was the Premier's opportunity. Sir Wilfrid declared in several campaign speeches that this deficit was sufficient to warn the country against any extension of the Intercolonial. Mr. Emerson's average deficit during the two years when the premier needed this argument to support this argument was more than twice as large as had ever been known before his time. Perhaps it was a deficit made to order.

The Yukon telegraph system, built by the government at a cost of three-quarters of a million, is now operated with a usual net deficit of \$120,000 to \$150,000 a year. About the time the system was completed the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Co. offered to take it over and operate the lines paying the government four per cent interest on its cost. This offer was rejected, the Minister of Public Works predicting that the line would earn more than \$30,000 net profit for the people of Canada.

It was a very large and expensive miscalculation. But now comes the statement that a large part of the system will be abandoned, and the wireless method adopted for the Yukon business. Take it altogether this record is a fine illustration of the way not to do government business.

JUST A LITTLE BIT OFF THE TOP

The melon-colic days are here.

The Highgate Monitor says that a Chatham umpire had oceans of gall. Most Chatham people have—that's how they get there.

Valparaiso has now gained the reputation of being San Francisco's greatest rival as an earthquake centre. Most other cities will not grudge it the distinction.

There is talk of another hotel for Chatham. We must find accommodation for people who are shrewd enough to want to stop in a good city when they find it.

When the Market Hall is completed how would it be to place a number of benches on the sunny side of the building for the convenience of the gentlemen of leisure who congregate there daily to talk over hard times.

The British Bowlers said that our bowlers are behind the times. There is nothing surprising about this. Any old time an Englishman away from home sees anything up-to-date and says so, there'll be two moons in the sky and a high wind.

A CALL FOR AID.

From the Philadelphia Press.
Casey—Come home wid me fur supper, Casey.
Casey—Go 'long, man! Shure, 'tis long pasht yer supper time; yer wife'll be mad as blazes.
Casey—Faith, that's why I want ye to come; she can't lek the both of us.

WHY CHEST COLDS ARE DANGEROUS.

They lead to pleurisy and pneumonia. Follow the Advice of W. H. Powles, of Powles' Corners, Ont., says: "I used to be subject to attacks and although I used most everything nothing relieved quickly till I discovered Nervine. I have used it for pleurisy and sore chest and found it just the proper thing. For Lungbo or Neuralgia it's as quick as lightning. I cheerfully recommend Nervine." The strongest, cleanest, most pain-destroying liniment on earth is Powles' Nervine, 25c. bottles sold everywhere.

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You take no risk in buying Hyomei. The complete outfit costs but \$1.00, extra bottles, 50c.

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"Man Overboard."

Charlotte Harbor, P. E. I., Aug. 27.—The Black Diamond liner Cacouna arrived here Sunday from Montreal with Second Officer Eugene Rochelle, aged 23, and unmarried, missing. He was seen on board shortly after midnight on Thursday morning last, just as the steamer was leaving her dock at Montreal. A few minutes later Rochelle could not be found.

All Saved But One.
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Aug. 27.—A night ferry boat, taking a load to the Michigan Soo Friday night, was swamped. George Hensinger, employed as a butcher with Mitchell & Co. here, was drowned. The other occupants were saved. Hensinger was about 35 years of age, and leaves a wife and child in the Michigan Soo.

Metamorphosis Fatally Injured.
Hamilton, Aug. 27.—Fred Barnes, a workman on the Burlington and Oakville line, was fatally injured early Saturday morning as a result of a head-on collision north of the place called the Beach. The accident was caused by Barnes disobeying his orders and passing the switch. He was waving his hand to a friend when the car from Hamilton crashed into his. Claude

DO YOU FEEL THE PINCH?

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GIRLS' DRESS.



No. 4165.

An attractive feature of the little girl's dress pictured here, is the fancy bertha cut in jab effect, the edges being trimmed with several rows of narrow soutache braid. The waist is allowed to blouse both at the front and back, and the closing is at the back. A yoke of all-over is finished with a standing collar, or it may be cut out in low round effect. Narrow edging is used for completing the short puff sleeve, or the lining is faced with all-over, if the full length is desired. The straight gathered skirt is made with a broad tuck and a hem completes the bottom. A pointed girle joins the waist and skirt. Shown materials such as batiste, lawn, organdie, handkerchief linen, nun's veiling and cashmere are recommended.

The quantity of material required for size 8 is 4 1/4 yards of 36 inch goods, 1-2 yard of all-over, and two yards of edging. Pattern No. 4165 is cut in sizes 4 to 12 years.

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BOTH WELL INFORMED.

An Interchange of Compliments Between Grant and Lee.

Toward the end of the war between the states the value of a well organized scout service came to be fully appreciated by the leaders of both armies. Perhaps no commanders of modern times were better served in this respect than General Grant and General Lee. Both were kept informed daily as to nearly everything that went on within the enemy's lines.

General Gordon relates that one morning toward the end of the long conflict when the Confederates, officers and men alike, were reduced to unpleasant straits for food, a captain from the Union headquarters went, under a flag of truce, with a communication to General Lee concerning the exchange of prisoners.

"General Lee," said the captain, with a smile, after delivering his message, "General Grant sends you his personal compliments and bids me assure you that he knows exactly what you had for breakfast this morning."

"General Grant must be misinformed as to this," replied General Lee, surveying the message bearer with a sad smile. "General Grant is a generous man, and if he had known what I had for breakfast I had to content myself with his. But give him my compliments," he continued, with a sudden twinkle, "and say that although I have full particulars concerning his dinner last night."

—Youth's Companion.

When a woman marries, amon to trefor him it serves her right.

Aman must become wise at his own expense.

The indulgence of grief is the blunder of a life.

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DRY FARMING.

Explanation of the Principles of the Campbell System.

What western people have become accustomed to call the "Campbell system of dry farming" consists simply in the exercise of intelligence, care, patience and tireless industry. It differs in detail from the good farming methods practiced and taught at the various agricultural experiment stations, but the underlying principles are the same. These principles are two in number:

First, to keep the surface of the land under cultivation loose and finely pulverized. This forms a soil which permits the rain and melting snows to percolate readily through to the compacted soil beneath and that at the same time prevents the moisture stored in the ground from being brought to the surface by capillary attraction, to be absorbed by the hot, dry air. The second is to keep the subsoil finely pulverized and firmly compacted, increasing its water holding capacity and its capillary attraction and placing it in the best possible physical condition for the germination of seed and the development of plant roots. The dry farmer thus stores water not in dams and artificial reservoirs, but right where it can be reached by the roots of growing crops.

Through these principles a rainfall of twelve inches can be conserved so effectively that it will produce better results than are usually expected of an annual precipitation of twenty-four inches in humid America. The discoverer and demonstrator of these principles deserves to rank among the greatest of national benefactors. He has not merely made two blades of grass grow where only one grew before, but he has made it possible to cover with wheat and corn, alfalfa and other useful crops tens of thousands of square miles of fertile land on which nothing but sagebrush, cacti, Kansas sunflowers and bunch grass grew now found.—John L. Cowan in Century Magazine.

RAINFALL.

The Processes of Nature by Which It Is Produced.

Rain, as we all know, the moisture of the atmosphere condensed into drops large enough to fall with perceptible velocity to the earth. The variation in the sizes of the drops is dependent upon the difference in the height from which they have fallen and to the amount of atmospheric distance present at the time. If they fall from great heights the drops suffer gradual division into smaller and smaller parts until they are at last converted into mist. In calm weather, with the clouds near the earth's surface, the drops are apt to be large and heavy. The formation of rain is in general a continuation or an enlargement of the processes by which clouds and fogs are formed. The deposition of moisture depends upon the cooling of the atmosphere, but concerning the precise process by which the cooling is effected various opinions are entertained even among those who have made meteorology a life study. In considering the matter we have deduced our reckonings from what is considered the best authority on the subject. From this it appears that the temperature of a given mass of warm air is lowered in the ordinary course of atmospheric phenomena by one or the other of the processes mentioned in the following: By radiation to the cold sky, by radiation to the neighboring masses of clouds or the cold ground, by mixture with cool air or by the absorption of heat in the expansion of ascending columns of air. Whatever the process may be, one thing is sure—the cooling must take place before the moisture will collect into drops of sufficient size to cause them to fall from the mass of vapor in which the constituent parts have been floating.

A Crazy Wit.

A contemporary states that while a wedding breakfast was being held in a restaurant at Fresnoes les Rungis a naval officer in uniform entered the room and was invited to preside over the feast. He made himself very agreeable, sang songs and delivered speeches. He was proposing the bride's health when two policemen rushed in and arrested him as an escaped lunatic from a neighboring asylum. It is further asserted that he thereupon politely turned to the officers and said: "I think you have made a mistake, gentlemen. 'This'—pointing to the bridegroom—'is the man you want.'"—London Tribune.

Encouraged to Sing at Work.
At the works of a firm of soap makers in England the girl employees are encouraged to sing part songs while at work. The object is to relieve the monotony. In the departments that number more than thirty girls and have not noisy machinery they are encouraged to sing during the last hour of work in the morning and in the afternoon.

A Joke.

The other day a benevolent old gentleman was stopped by a tramp, who asked for money for a night's lodging. "Well look here, my man," the old gentleman said, "what would you say if I offered you work?" "Bless yer life, sir," came the reply, "I wouldn't mind a bit. I can take a joke same as most people."

The Cure.
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TOWNSHIP COUNCILS

HARWICH TOWNSHIP.

Harwich Council met in the Hall Aug. 13th. All members were present. The minutes of the meetings of July 9th and of counts of revision the 16th and 19th were read and adopted.

Communications.

J. W. Shackleton, C. E., enclosing survey, plans, etc., of 3rd and 4th concessions road allowance, R. T. J. A. Bell, C. E., enclosing McCann D. & W. award.

Cyrus Craig, applying to have the Eastlake Drain repaired.

E. Langford, returning the check of \$10, claiming amount should be \$24 for use of lands during high water, at Kent Bridge.

T. Brady re township's portion of work on Toomy drain.

A. Cadmore, returning assessment slip, claiming he is not the owner of the property assessed to him.

T. Armstrong, returning appointment as pathmaster.

Mary and P. Crawford, re sidewalk at Erieau.

W. Graham, re staking ground for Base Line bridge.

Wilson, Pike & Gundy, re agreement with R. T. R. for W. & L. drain culvert.

Sam. M. Newcomb, applying to have the road allowance between concessions 7 and 8, L. E., opened across lots 19, 20, 21, and 22.

Huron Bridge & Iron Co., re iron contract for Base Line bridge.

C. A. Hocketts, Provincial Registrar, acknowledging half yearly returns of births, marriages and deaths.

Geo. McDonald, clerk of Harwich, stating Harwich council had accepted the offer of the county council of \$300 if Harwich and Harwich would grant a like amount to improve the East Town line.

Commissioner G. S. Gerber reported sale of work on Z. W. & Lutes drain, and a portion of the McKinley Drain.

The trustees of S. S. No. 7, wrote applying for a loan of \$1,800 for extensive repairing of school house, the same to be paid by the section in three years in equal instalments.

The Reeve and G. S. Gerber reported having purchased an acre of land from J. T. O'Keefe, for gravel pit on a 24 year lease for \$1,000. On motion of Clark and Corlett the report was adopted.

A deputation of H. Masterson, ex-Reeve McCormick and others addressed the council objecting to the opening of the 3rd and 4th road allowance at the present time.

A deputation of Joe Smyth, A. R. Patterson, requested a grant for West Kent Agricultural Society. On motion of Corlett and Gerber a grant of \$50 was given.

N. E. McGeachy and Hooper King asked for assistance in drainage along Park Avenue.

J. McNaughton and others asked aid in repairing 3rd con. road.

Henry Reynolds addressed the council re transfer of lands from S. S. No. 3, Howard to S. S. No. 12 Union.

G. S. Gerber reported refund of \$7.33 overpaid to H. Jewell for sheep killed and injured by dogs. The treasurer was instructed to accept the same.

On motion of Clark and Gerber, the application of the Trustees of S. S. No. 7 was accepted, and the clerk instructed to prepare a by-law for borrowing the said amount, \$1,800.

Gerber—Corlett, that the Commissioner of ward 3 be given permission to exceed the limit of the tile grant as stated in By-law No. 746, for the drain on the 12th and 13th sideroad, between the Howard and Scott drain.

—Carried.

The adjourned court of revision on the Wright drain was entered upon and the appeal of George Morgan considered. On motion of Walters and Gerber the court of revision was closed.

A number of accounts were ordered paid.

The Council met in Hall, Aug. 20, as per resolution of Aug. 13. All the members were present.

Minutes of Aug. 13 were read and adopted.

A communication was read from J. A. Bell, C. E., setting Aug. 23rd as date to survey Baird drain and restake other drains.

Whereas Gerber and Corlett, that the Gales award drain provided that in 700 feet along the 3rd Con. road, they may put a culvert across said road into the Cameron drain opposite the site of the 3rd Con. road.

Commissioner of Ward 3, by instruction to have said culvert of 2-foot sewer put in on the 3rd Con. road, as provided in the award.—Carried.

As the petition presented by H. Reynolds for transfer of lands from S. S. No. 3, Howard, to Union No. 12, was not addressed to Harwich Council, on motion of Walters and Gerber, the Council resolved to take no action at present.

On motion of Walters and Clark, the Clerk was instructed to notify Engineers Bell and McCubbin to survey the Eastlake drain and make plans etc., and report, if they deem the application of C. Craig sufficient for the repair.

M. Pardo and others having applied to have the Scott drain repaired. On motion of Corlett and Gerber, site stake of 45-1-2, resolved that the Council resolved to have the same repaired under section 74 of the Drainage Act.

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S. No. 7, Harwich, payable in three years; a by-law striking the rate for the year 1906, and fixing the same at 5 and 8.10 mills, were given on their several readings and finally passed.

The Proctor Drain By-law was finally passed.

Accounts amounting to \$9.50 were ordered paid.

Council adjourned.

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POLLY'S MASQUERADE

By BELLE MANIATES

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"Hillman! Hillman!" lustily called the brakeman, thrusting open the car door as the train slackened. Two of the passengers were roused from a state of passivity by this announcement and, gathering their belongings, hastened out into the cold night. One was a young girl with a city bred air and appointments; the other, a man distinguished in appearance. They both looked bewilderingly about them as the train slowly pulled out.

"This doesn't look like my recollections of Hillman," said the girl, looking about the small, deserted station. "It isn't Hillman!" said the man decidedly. "What station is this?" he asked as a railroad employee came out of the depot.

"This? This is Rollins. Hillman is six miles beyond—next stop, except the siding."

The two passengers looked at each other in mutual dismay. The girl spoke



feathered, she laughed wickedly and delightedly.

"Oh, what would Aunt Cornelia do if she knew I swore right before the new minister! She'd leave town, I do believe. I thought I liked him very well, but I don't know. I like a minister to live up to his calling, and he should not have been amused. It was frivolous in him to know so much about the world. If he weren't a minister I know I'd like him, but as he is a minister I'd like him to be different."

The next afternoon her aunt announced that she had to attend a club meeting from which she regretted to say, outsiders were excluded. Polly appeared resigned, however, and after her aunt's departure she wandered about the house seeking diversion. She found it in her aunt's bedroom in the shape of a wig, for her aunt had to resort to a false hairdresser, having lost her hair through illness.

Polly promptly donned it and surveyed herself. "I don't look unlike aunt," she thought, "only I am young and plump. We look like the advertisements for 'before and after taking.'"

In pursuance of the resemblance she tried on a black silken gown of her aunt's. She had just pinned on a long, pointed lace collar and fastened it with a huge cameo pin when she looked out of the window and saw her fellow traveler coming up the steps.

"Coming for a ministerial call. He won't recognize me in this outfit, and he has never seen aunt. I shall personate her!"

She hastened to admit the caller. "How do you do—Mr. Winters, is it not? I am Miss Cornelia Ladin. Be seated, please. I thought I was never going to meet my pastor. I was so sorry I was out when you called before."

He politely regretted the fact also and proceeded to talk of the church matters. "Hypocrite!" thought Polly. "I'll test him further."

"Mr. Winters, I don't suppose I ought to tell you my troubles, on our first meeting, but I feel I must unburden my mind and ask your advice."

"Certainly, my dear Miss Ladin. You may command and trust me."

"I have a nice visiting me—a well meaning girl, but brought up in a worldly way, and, Mr. Winters, will you believe me, she actually at times—dear me, how can I tell you—she swears!"

"No, Miss Ladin! You amaze me! It cannot be possible!"

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Hearing voices on the porch, she looked out and beheld her aunt entering in company with a man. Dismayed, she snatched the wig from her head regardless of the effect upon the minister. She had just concealed it when her aunt and companion entered.

"I made a mistake in the date, Polly. This is our pastor, Mr. Winters. My niece, Miss Lester, Mr. Winters. I met Mr. Winters on his way here."

"Well, John, what are you doing here?" asked the minister after acknowledging the introduction to Polly. Let me introduce my cousin, Mr. Winters, though I presume you have introduced yourself."

"Yes, I introduced myself," he replied cheerfully.

"Polly!" exclaimed her aunt, staring at her niece. "What in the world have you got my dress on for?"

"Why, Aunt Cornelia, I was just trying to see when Mr. Winters rang and I had no time to change."

"And do you know," said John, compelling Polly's averted eyes to meet his, "for just half an instant as you opened the door I thought you were Miss Ladin, and then I at once recognized you as the young lady I saw alighting from the train last night."

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Do not try to drive your employees ahead of you, but keep ahead of them and invite them to come on.—Success Magazine.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

THE WAY OF THE WORLD.

Loaf and the world loafs with you; Work and you work alone.

For the wise old earth Wants an easy berth.

But has labor enough of its own. Sing and your next door neighbor Will, if he's feeling stout,

Pound on your door As he hears you roar And tell you to cut it out.

Work till you get a million Safe in your ample mitt, And your ancient jokes Will amuse the folks.

And, oh, you will make a hit! Next take in wheat a flit, And when your cash is shy Every one then—

It's a way of men— Will give you the icy eye.

Purchase an automobile Speedy and red and wide, And one and all At your beck and call

Will come at the chance to ride. But if you're in the business, Holding the cars for lease, They will be shy

If it is to buy At the price of a plunk apiece.

Favors don't come for nothing; That is a mortal cinch. They are designed To be paid in kind.

Measured off inch by inch. If there is nothing in it, Then will the motley crew Throw you a brick

In a double quick And haughtily call, "Skiddoo!"

Scientific Explanation.

"The umpire must be a magnet."

"Strikes me as a cold proposition."

"Ever notice how old cans are attracted toward him?"

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Did you ever have hay fever?

No; I mean to ask, What is your salary?

If it is below \$10 a week you never have had it. If it is above \$50 of course you are a sufferer. In between those sums it is sort of optional and depends on circumstances. Suppose a man is getting \$40 a week. With that amount some people would suppose that he could buy all of the luxuries of the season, but wait and inquire into his case.

Suppose he has eight children, all hard on shoes, and a wife who is trying to keep up with Mrs. Brown, whose husband gets \$65 a week and passes. How can he afford to go sniffling about and reading half tone literature about the summer resorts? He simply can't do it and must be content with some much less expensive device.

Good to Tie To.

"There's a girl worth marrying."

"Heiress?"

"No; better than that."

"Explain."

"Says she would never try to reform any man."

Bravery Beaten.

None but the brave deserve the fair. That statement causes one to scoff, because it is so very rare.

A rich man cannot pick one off.

Of Course.

"She talks a great deal on the subject."

"Ah, her information is limited then."

Other Variety.

"He has gone wrong, though we thought him true as steel."

"Found him only true as steel, eh?"

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

The best way to make a thing unpopular is to try to make it appear popular.

The way some young men are headed it looks as if they will be mighty lucky if they are ever able to live down their future.

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We like to see other people charitable, for if then doesn't seem so necessary for us to be so.

Save your money and start a trust.

Doing one's duty is another term for being disagreeable.

Being jolted out of your self conceit may be healthful, but it is painful.

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LOCAL

Mrs. A. Bedford has gone to Toronto and Dunnville, for a month.

Miss Vera Wells, of Dresden, is the guest of Miss Winnie Colville, Hill street.

The Salvation Army Band will hold a sacred concert on Tecumseh Park this evening.

Miss Nona Judson entertained a few of her friends last evening at her home, Park street.

Mr. Reg. Gerbney, who has spent the past month at Weasel's Inn, Erieau, returned home Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Wethey, Park street, is receiving on Thursday and Friday of this week, and afterwards on the first and third Fridays.

Mrs. D. Poole, and Mrs. Wm. Oliver have returned to the city after a very pleasant month's outing at Weasel's Inn, Erieau.

Mrs. J. S. Lane and children returned last night from Leipzig, Germany, where they have spent the past year visiting Mrs. Lane's relatives. New plans are being prepared for Berlin's new opera house, to cost in the neighborhood of \$40,000, and tenders will be called as soon as completed.

The town of St. Mary's has passed a by-law to advance \$40,000 toward building a railroad from St. Mary's to Embro. The railroad will be called the St. Mary's and Western Ontario railway and is to meet the C. P. R. at Embro.

Joseph P. Egan, for many years a well known resident of Windsor, died yesterday after an illness of two years from dropsy. Mr. Egan was formerly assistant city clerk, was also a member of the city fire department at one time, and achieved considerable fame as an athlete. He is survived by a sister and one brother.

A special meeting of the Public School Board will be held to-morrow evening, to settle up a few matters before the opening of school. Another meeting will be held before the schools open, but there are several matters which need the immediate attention of the board such as the improvements which are being made to the schools.

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He Was Standing On The Rear Of A Passenger Coach
When He Fell Off—His Back Probably Broken
—Taken To Windsor

A most lamentable accident occurred last evening about 9 o'clock, at the Grand Trunk Diamond, just a short distance from this city, whereby Edward Whalen, of Windsor, is injured, probably, for life.

Whalen is a stationary engineer, and was returning home to Windsor on the express which passes through here about nine o'clock. Just after leaving Chatham, Whalen, who was riding in one of the rear coaches, thought that he would go to the rear platform of the train and get a little fresh air.

While walking on the platform he accidentally stepped off the rear of the train and fell to the ground. The train was going at a good rate of speed at the time, and the unfortunate man was given a severe shaking up, besides having his back badly injured.

A short time after the train had

passed the diamond, the signal man heard someone calling for help, and he hurried to the place from whence the cries came. He found Whalen lying between the tracks where he had fallen, helpless.

At a quarter after nine o'clock, Dr. J. L. Bray was summoned, and when he arrived he found the man in a serious condition. He was evidently suffering great pain. It was dark and the doctor found a minute examination impossible. He however did all he could to relieve the man's sufferings, and had him carried back to the station. The injured man said that he was employed by Mr. Marx, of Windsor.

Whalen was placed on a stretcher, and as he wished to go on to Windsor, a Windsor express, which was late, and arrived here about ten o'clock, was stopped and the man was placed in the baggage car and proceeded to Windsor.

It was impossible to define his injuries, both his legs were paralyzed, and his back was severely injured—probably broken.

GUARDS KILL SEVENTEEN

Havana, Aug. 28.—Col. Vale of the Rural Guards reported to the Government by telegraph last night that he had defeated an insurgent force under Gen. Guzman, near Cienfuegos, killing 17 of the insurgents.

The loss to the Rural Guards was one man and four horses.

An All-Night Fight.

A party of insurgents, commanded by Col. Sanchez, entered the Town of Befucal, Province of Havana, at 11 o'clock Sunday night, fortified themselves and fought all night against an attacking force of Government recruits and rural guards without any other result than three of the defenders of the place and one rural guard being killed.

Instructions as to Amnesty.

Gen. Montalvo, acting secretary of the Interior, has issued an order, under the direction of President Palma, instructing the Government officials in the Province of Pinar del Rio, Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara, to allow all insurgents who repent of their error to go free to their homes, excepting those who are prisoners in the hands of the Government forces and captured commanders of insurgent bands, who will be detained until the Government determines whether they are to be allowed their freedom or are to be tried by the courts. All chiefs of insurgent bands who surrender themselves to the Government forces or who surrender with their followers and their arms will also be allowed to return to their families.

Miss Palma a Field Nurse.

The name of President Palma's daughter appears on the list of women who have offered themselves to serve as nurses during the suppression of the insurrection.

There are thirty Americans among the recruits who have joined Major Clews' new rapid fire gun battalion. Rural guards yesterday arrested several prominent Liberals, including two editors of Manzanillo, Province of Santiago, who are charged with conspiracy. It is said they were about to organize an insurgent band in the Province of Santiago.

Barcelome Masro, a noted Cuban leader, made a speech at a meeting of veterans at Manzanillo Sunday, which decided to send a committee to attend a veterans' meeting which is to be held shortly in Havana.

The chief of the secret service has formally charged Senator Moron Delgado with being one of the initiators of the insurrection and with being at present one of its chief supporters. The chief claims that Delgado led the late Quintin Bandera to revolt. Delgado is the only colored Senator.

PASSED AWAY

A respected colored resident of Chatham township passed away last night in the death of Jordan McLanahan at his home on Lot 1, corner of 5th and 6th streets. He was 75 years of age and was one of the pioneer residents, having made a success of farming, in which he was engaged the major portion of his life. He leaves a son and a daughter to mourn his loss.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

BEST MAN STOLE WIFE

Paris, Aug. 27.—Henri Fabre, a retail grocer at Grenoble, wooed his prospective mother-in-law, widow of a wealthy tradesman, by the first step toward winning her daughter for his wife. He succeeded beyond his bargaining, for he won, too, the love of the mother, who, scorned, told the bride. The latter, chagrined, consoled herself by eloping with the best man.

For a week the grocer hunted the couple in vain. Then he closed his shop, shut himself up in his lodgings and committed suicide.

CIGARETTES CURE

Cleveland, Aug. 28.—Dr. Martin Friedrich, health officer of Cleveland, advises women of the smart set to smoke cigarettes if they would preserve their complexions and escape heart disease. Tea, of which society women are so fond, causes heart disease, he says, because it stimulates the heart without feeding it. No-tine is required to counteract the beverage.

The doctor has declared war on the pink tea and "green" luncheons.

CHAPTER OF CASUALTIES

Hamilton, Aug. 28.—Word was received in the city last night from Penetanguishene of the death of Minicoganishene of City Solicitor Frank MacKeehan as a result of a stroke of paralysis last Friday, from which he never rallied.

The news was a great shock to his numerous friends, who anticipated that his stay in the Muskoka district would result in his complete restoration to health. He had been ill for many months, and had not been able to attend to his duties as city solicitor for some time.

The remains will be brought here to-day for burial, but the funeral arrangements have not yet been made. The deceased was a son of Dr. John MacKeehan, who was born in Ancaster about 73 years ago. He had been engaged in the practice of law for about fifty years, and was for thirty years a partner in the law firm of MacKeehan, Gibson & Bell.

About ten years ago he received the appointment of city solicitor, and shortly after retired from the firm in order to devote his whole time and attention to the city's interests.

He was a past president of the St. George's Society, and the Hamilton Law Association, besides being a Mason. He leaves a widow and one son.

Crushed Under Wheels.

Montreal, Aug. 28.—Edmund Fortier, 27 years old, met instant death in a collision between a wagon and a street car yesterday afternoon. Fortier was trying to cross the street and was thrown from his wagon under the wheels. His head was crushed in.

Little Girl Drowned.

New Dundas, Aug. 28.—Emma, the five-year-old daughter of Gus Hartman, while picking apples near the mill dam here last evening, fell into the water and was drowned. The body was recovered in three hours.

Foreman Falls to Death.

London, Aug. 28.—Bridge Foreman Charles Armstrong made a mistake yesterday afternoon while on top of some piles at the Cove bridge and fell 23 feet, sustaining fatal injuries, dying in an hour. He belonged to Stratford, where a widow and two children survive him.

Earl Grey In an Accident.

Winnipeg, Aug. 28.—The vice-regal party left yesterday morning for Portage, where they received a hearty welcome.

Earl Grey is suffering from a slight accident which happened in Winnipeg. While standing near an electric light bulb on Sunday night, it exploded, and a portion of the glass entered his right eye. Medical aid was summoned and the glass extracted. It is hoped that no serious effects will result.

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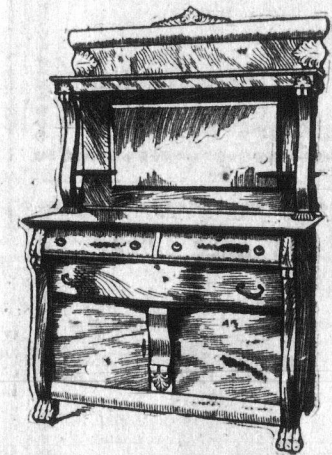
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The Salvation Army Band will give a sacred concert on Tecumseh Park at 8.

LOCAL

Smoke Lord Lake Cigar—10c.

Ald. Chas. Austin is in Toronto on business.

R. Baughman, of Windsor, is in the city on business.

Miss Jean Grover, of Sheldon Ave., is visiting friends in Detroit.

Miss A. O'Gorman is spending her holidays in Galt and Berlin.

Lewis Jones, of St. Thomas, was in the city on business yesterday.

H. Milkins, of Leamington, spent yesterday in Chatham on business.

The Public School Board will hold a special meeting to-morrow night for the consideration of general business.

Miss Grace Terry returned last evening from Essex and Detroit, where she spent a couple of weeks with friends.

Parties having accommodation for boarders should leave name, address and rates at Business College this week.

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Mr. William Foreman, Jr., left this morning on a business trip to Toronto. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Helen.

Harold McVean, assistant city engineer, has gone to Moonstown to take charge of the waterworks system which will be installed there.—Prince Albert Times.

Miss Alice Trotter has returned from Muskoka, where she spent her vacation. Miss Trotter has accepted a position as bookkeeper with McKenough & Trotter.

Last evening a number of friends tendered a launch party to Miss Lola Dunkley, whose marriage is announced to take place shortly. A very pleasant time was spent on the river and on their return to the city, the party repaired to Mrs. Shillington's residence, Wellington street, where an enjoyable evening was spent in a social way.

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PHONE 51

Smoke Quail on Toast Cigar—5c. Walter Mills of Ridgeway, was a city visitor yesterday.

Percy Shillington, of Tilbury, visited Chatham friends last evening.

Miss Annie Steinhoff has returned from a two weeks' vacation spent with friends in Toronto and Buffalo.

William Gallipool, of Plymouth, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett, Park street, has returned to his home.

Miss A. Minty, of The Planet business department, has returned from a three weeks' vacation with friends in Toronto and Peterboro.

Misses Mathele and Lula Edmondson returned last night from an extended visit to friends and relatives in St. Marys, Stratford and London.

Mrs. Roy Toby and her mother, Mrs. Mathias Moore, Park St., left to-day on a two weeks' visit to friends in Hamilton, Welland, Toronto and Niagara Falls.

The members of the Chatham and Tilbury Oil and Gas Co., held a meeting in Hotel Merrill last evening for the transaction of general business.

Their well in Tilbury is progressing nicely, and is now down about 250 feet. Next week the drillers will be working night and day shifts on the derrick.

In an account of the tournament of the Prince Albert Gun Club, published in the Times of that place, the names of J. W. Young and W. Houston, two old Chatham boys, appear among the prize winners.

Mr. Young won a pipe and a box of toilet soap, and Mr. Houston won \$3.00 in livery hire.

A man named Alfred Haight, of Dresden, was brought up before Magistrate Webster and Wright, at that place yesterday morning on a charge laid under the Charlton Act.

The little girl is colored and the man is white. The prisoner was sent up for trial, and will come up in the County Judge's Criminal Court.

He was brought over to Chatham yesterday by Chief of Police Gouyon, of Dresden, Crown Attorney H. D. Smith of this city, prosecuted.

In our report of the supposed hold-up, which was said to have occurred in the township of Harwich, near this city, it was stated that Major Coogan received the information at the residence of Mr. J. Wilson, that the young boy Terrington, who gave the information to the police, was not responsible. Mr. Wilson had nothing to say about the boy, but the Major informed us that he had learned, as a result of his trip to the township, that the information he received from the boy could not be depended upon as being authentic.

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5. Gerhard Heintzman, 7 1/3 octaves, walnut case. Practically as good as new. Regular price \$450. Sale price \$400
6. Marshall & Wendell, Albany, N. Y., 7 1/3 octaves, handsome mahogany case; splendid tone. Regular price \$400. Sale price \$350
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DARRELL.

This change of weather, after the intense heat of last week, is very much appreciated.

Rev. Mr. McKelvey has gone on a four weeks' visit to friends in Montreal. Rev. Mr. Pickard will occupy the pulpit during his absence.

Special prayer meeting service will be held in French's church every Sunday evening at 7:30.

Miss Verna Duncan, who has been ill with the mumps, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison, of Blenheim, visited Mr. William Bowers last week.

Mrs. Kitchen and daughter, of Detroit, are spending a week with John Brown and Mrs. Edwin French.

Miss Mabel Clements, of Chatham, visited Miss Etta Pugh over Sunday.

Misses Larus, Marian and Maude Hekey, of Detroit, are visiting their mother here.

Henry Wright, of Botany, was out this week last week, and purchased Tom Gee's fine span of Hackney roadsters.

The many friends of Miss Hattie French, former teacher in our school

here, will be sorry to learn that she is very seriously ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Wright, at Botany.

Threshing is the order of the day. E. Mar French is visiting friends in Dutton.

The Misses Hokey, of Detroit, who have been visiting their mother for the past two weeks, have returned home.

Miss Claire Mitton, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Abraham, has returned to her home in Ridgeway.

Mrs. Allan McNeillage and Mrs. S. Duncan visited friends in Botany one day last week.

Mrs. Robert Blackburn, of Chatham, who has been spending the past two months with her sister, Mrs. Edwin French, has returned home.

Mrs. McDonald, of Chatham, is visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Quite a number from here attended the Arnold picnic last week.

Mrs. Burke and children, of Blenheim, visited her parents here over day.

It is impossible to gauge the good there is in others by the way they talk.

MODES OF THE MOMENT.

Smart Linen Robes—Gauntlets For the Short Sleeved Gown.

Linen robes of pink, blue, green or white come in bolero and skirt form richly embroidered with elaborate designs in white.

Tulle is much used for trimming hats. A blue hat has both sides trimmed with it, bound on the edge with blue velvet and a wide plating of tulle around the crown, caught at one side with a bunch of blue ostrich feathers. A pretty purse seen in a bead shop is of white opal-like beads, held together by tiny gold beads. It is gold mounted.

The short sleeved girl will protect her arms from freckles this summer with armlets or gauntlets, which are worn as substitutes for long gloves.

Shade hats for little girls are plentifully trimmed with a curious comb-



TUSSEORE SILK GOWN.

nation of fruit and flowers, red and white currants being intermingled with apple and peach blossoms, while cherries with their own blooms are a favorite form of decoration for the large Tuscan or Leghorn flop shapes.

On all the new hats hailing from Paris the ribbon trimmings are wide. Sometimes at the back of a showery hat there is a miniature edition of the familiar nursery sash bow in wide moire or velvet ribbon.

The costume sketched is of cadet blue tussore silk. The skirt is very smart, with a conventional design worked in heavy white silk. A section of the same design appears on the front of the blouse bodice. The chemise and shoulder ruffles are of white batiste and lace. JUDIC CHOLLET.

FACTS AND FANCIES.

A Stunning Belt—Startling Colors in Shoes For the Summer Girl.

A belt of gun metal is in a flower design, the center of each flower set with a jewel.

Honesty compels the statement that for women with feet like Cinderella's stepisters the colored shoes of the season are taboo. Most of these shoes intended for day wear are in calf of a solid shade. Sometimes there is a patent leather vamp with the colored top. Every woman who can afford it will have a few pairs of colored shoes in her wardrobe and, if she is extravagant, a pair to match each gown.

Low tan shoes are much worn in the morning. The style differs only slightly from those of last summer, but perhaps there is a greater fancy for rib-



WHITE CHIFFON BLOUSE.

bon ties and pumps. The smartest style has one eyelet on each side through which is tied a large ribbon bow.

So ubiquitous has the duck skirt become that we will soon be dubbed "a nation of duck skirts." A dozen wash white waists of varying weights and three or four duck skirts, together with a lightweight woolen suit and a dressy little silk gown, make up a very presentable summer outfit.

White chiffon makes the blouse seen in the picture. The material is tucked all over. Arranged over the entire waist are geometric designs carried out in white cluny insertion. In the openings are worked cobweb stitches in pale green silk. JUDIC CHOLLET.

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American Buyer in London.

"My American accent cut me near to taxiing me just \$430 on my last trip to London," remarked a cabbie. "When I tried to buy a certain bulldog pup there the kennel man priced it at \$500, as he had me sized up as an American and, in his regard, an easy mark. I made a deal with a cabbie at the hotel stand, who went around and bought the same pup for me at \$60, a very fair price, as the dog will never be a show winner. I gave a \$10 tip to the cabbie, so I made \$430 by employing an agent who called his hansom an 'ansom' and his horse an 'orse'."—New York Sun.

Jackdaw and Magpie.

In England the daw is hardly ever mentioned but as Jack, yet daw and not jackdaw is the proper name of the species. It is suggested that the pie owes the "mag" to some corruption of Margaret or Meg. To mag is to chatter, but whether the verb was derived from the name or the name from the verb is a question. It is more than probable that the Jim Crow of America (the old name for a negro boy) was brought across from England in the days when a crow was Jim, as a swallow was Dick.—London Standard.

No Sleep For The Kidneys.

Old people are especially liable to Kidney and Bladder Irritation. The organs are weakened by age. This starts up inflammation—blood is not properly purified as it goes to the kidneys—and the bladder is unable to retain the urine properly. There is a constant desire to urinate day and night—and sound, restful sleep is unknown.

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THE GENTLE KIDNEY CURE

gives the vigor and strength of youth to kidneys and bladder. It soothes and heals the irritated surfaces—tones up the organs—enables them to do their work easily and naturally—and cures all kidney troubles.

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Egg and Bottle.

Take a bottle, egg, remove the shell, have a bottle with a large neck, add a piece of paper to the neck and light it. When in blaze put the egg on it, point down, and the heat will pull the egg with great force inside. Now put again a blazed paper in the bottle and manage to have the egg in the neck point up, and the heat will push out the egg with an explosion.

Perpetual.

"You always appear to be worried about your housekeeping," remarked the sympathetic friend.

"But really," replied the housekeeper, "there are only two occasions when I am really worried. One is when I haven't a servant and the other is when I have."

At the Art Museum.

Her Husband—That statue isn't true to nature. His Wife—What's wrong with it? Her Husband—Why, it represents a woman sitting still, saying nothing.

Is It?

Ethel—Mamma, what makes the lady dress all in black? Mamma—Because she is a sister of charity, dear. Ethel—Is charity dead, then?

The first Lombardy poplar in America was planted by Michaux in 1785.

Each tiny grain of WINDSOR TABLE SALT is a perfect crystal—pure and dry. That is why it never cakes.

He who can conceal his joy is greater than he who can hide his griefs.

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Brought to Book at Last.

Tibbie was a Scotch lass, hardworking and comely. She ruled over a grateful and supple family of New Englanders for eight years, and then announced her intention of marrying within six weeks.

"I suppose it is Rab whom you mean to marry, Tibbie?" asked her nominal mistress, referring to a tall, mild faced young Scotchman who had spent more or less time in Tibbie's spotless kitchen for the last three years.

"It is," announced Tibbie calmly. "Here he's been coming and sitting with me all these times and never a word of marrying. So at long last I said to him, 'if you've no mind to take me, Rab, you can just say so, and I'll spend no more on bright ribbons to sit up with you, but I'll take my money to buy one of those talking machines that plays tunes, after I've paid for a strip of new oilcloth to cover the floor where you've worn out the old one, and then I'll take my relesious books and settle down in quiet.'"

"Rabbe was so concerned at my dear prospects and the thoughts of my savings he said he would have me whenever I got ready."

Shooting Down the Alps on Skies.

The quest for a moral is provoked by a long list of shooting accidents in the Alps. In itself the exercise can hardly be considered more perilous than skating, though the proportion of sprained ankles and twisted tendons is higher, but when the skier seeks a distance from his base and ventures upon unfamiliar ground there are at least three ways in which calamity is liable to befall him. On a glacier he may break through the snow bridge which he is trying to shoot and be buried in a crevasse. On the hillside he may skid violently down a steep place and, unable to arrest his pace, end by skidding over a precipice. Almost anywhere, unless he knows the signs, he may skid in the tracks of an avalanche and be overwhelmed. Examples of each of these several kinds of disaster have lately been presented, and each of the disasters conveys a warning of which amateur skiers, whose name nowadays is legion, would do well to take a careful note.—London Graphic.

Sufficiently Identified.

She walked into a branch bank on upper Broadway and pushed a check through the paying teller's window.

"You will have to be identified," said he. "I don't know you, madam."

"You don't, eh?" said the woman, with fire in her eye. "Aren't you the father of the Smith family that has a flat in the Pilemire apartments?"

"Y-e-s."

"Well, I am the red headed janitress that your wife's always complaining about. When you left home this morning I heard you say: 'Emily, if our children get fighting with that old fury in the basement don't quarrel with her. Wait till I get home and let me talk with her.' Now, if you think you can get the best of an argument with—"

"Here's your money, madam," said the paying teller. And she took it and went.

Where Lincoln Put the Whetstone.

A soldier at whose house when a boy Lincoln paused in his tramps in Illinois and who lent him a whetstone to sharpen his jackknife met him during the war in Washington. Lincoln remembered the incident and spoke of the use of the whetstone.

"Ya-a-s," drawled out the old soldier, "whatever did you do with the whetstone? I never could find it. We frowed mebbe you took it along with you." "No, no! I put it on top of the gatepost—that high one." "Mebbe you did. Nobody else could have reached it, and none of us ever thought to look there for it." There it was found where it was placed fifteen years before. The soldier reported the fact to the president.

Why He Wanted a Pass.

When Jim Fisk was in his glory as a railroad magnate one day he was greatly annoyed by people asking for passes over his road for all sorts of reasons. He was well worked up when a seedy looking individual asked for a pass and asked sharply, "On what grounds do you ask for a pass?"

The applicant replied, "Because I do not want to pay my fare."

Fisk called a clerk and said to him: "Give this man a pass to anywhere and return. He is the first man that has told the truth today."

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One way second class tickets will be sold to WINNIPEG only. Representative farmers, appointed by Manitoba and Saskatchewan Governments, will meet laborers on arrival at Winnipeg.

Free transportation will be furnished at Winnipeg to points where laborers are needed. A certificate is furnished when each ticket is purchased, and this certificate, when presented by farmer, showing that laborer has worked thirty days or more, will be honored from that point for a second class ticket back to starting point in Ontario, at \$12.00, prior to Nov. 20th, 1906.

Tickets will be issued to women as well as to men, but will not be issued as half fare to children. Tickets are good only on special Farm Laborers' trains.

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ELECTRIC SERVICE
Time Table No. 5. In effect Wednesday, May 10, 1906.

CHATHAM WALLACEBURG

LEAVE ARRIVE LEAVE ARRIVE

6:00 a.m. 8:10 a.m. 7:10 a.m. 7:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. 11:45 a.m. 10:15 a.m. 10:10 a.m.

12:30 p.m. 1:40 p.m. 12:30 p.m. 12:30 p.m.

2:15 p.m. 4:30 p.m. 3:20 p.m. 3:15 p.m.

4:30 p.m. 6:55 p.m. 5:45 p.m. 5:40 p.m.

6:45 p.m. 9:10 p.m. 7:50 p.m. 7:45 p.m.

7:00 p.m. 9:25 p.m. 8:15 p.m. 8:10 p.m.

9:50 p.m. 12:00 p.m. 11:00 p.m. 11:00 p.m.

Extra cars on Saturday leave Chatham 7:15 a.m. and 1:10 p.m. Leave Wallaceburg 9:00 a.m. and 2:15 p.m.

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A Potato Novelty.

Vegetarians will doubtless hail with delight the advent of a new tuber, blue of skin and yellow of interior, which is about to be placed upon the London, Eng., market. This new potato is known as the Solanum comersonii variety, and is the result of scientific cultivation by Messrs. Sutton of Reading. It has quite a distinct flavor of its own. Epicures describe it as a combined flavor of turnips and asparagus. The plant will thrive anywhere, the wetter or more marshy the soil the better. It is claimed that its productive power is 50 to 100 per cent. over the ordinary kind.

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By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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For Samoan Governor.

The Foreign Office is considering the purchase of the house at Vallima, Samoa, formerly owned by Robert Louis Stevenson, as a residence for the governor. The house was sold by Mr. Stevenson's heirs to Herr Kunst, a merchant of Hamburg. It was partially destroyed during the native rebellion of 1888, but was rebuilt by Herr Kunst and is the finest residence on the island, situated less than an hour's drive from Apia. Herr Kunst died recently, and his heirs offered the property to the Government. Governor Self recommends the purchase of the house.

Nature has just one pigment on her palette with which she paints all the marvellous tints of the body, and that one pigment is the blood. The shell-like pink beneath the finger nails, the delicate rose of the cheeks, the cherry ripeness of the lips, the iridescent brilliancy of the eyes are all produced by the blood. Just as the permanence of a beautiful painting will depend upon the purity of the colors with which it is painted, so the permanence of beauty depends upon the purity of the blood. Paint, powder and cosmetics won't avail to preserve beauty. Beauty begins in the blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a true beautifier, because it provides for nature that pure blood with which alone she can paint. The use of this medicine will cleanse the skin, heighten the complexion, brighten the eyes, and give to face and form that radiance of health which is the greatest charm of beauty. Dr. Pleasant Pills are very effective in ridding the system of clogging residuum, which accumulates with constipated habit.

Bandman's Unique Record.

A Nottingham bandman named Robert Tomlinson, who has resigned his position in the South North Hussars Yeomanry band, has two long service medals. In 1865 Tomlinson joined the Robin Hood Rifles, with which he served until 1886. In that year he joined the South North Hussars, which he has just left after twenty years. Each regiment awarded him the much-coveted long-service badge.

Ladies, read this catalogue of charms—Bright eyes, glowing cheeks, red lips, a smooth skin without a blemish, in short, perfect health. For sale with every package of Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 25 cents.

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IN FASHION'S REALM.

WARDROBE HINTS FOR THE WOMAN WITH SMALL BANK ACCOUNT.

The Best Solution of the Problem Is to Get Few Gowns, but Have Them as Stunning as Possible—White the Safest Choice.

How to make the same style of dress do for the seashore and the mountains, for the fashionable resort and the out of the way inn? This is the question which troubles the woman blessed with rich friends and cursed with a small income. On her visits handsome and perishable clothes are required which are quite unsuitable for her little hotel or boarding house, where she goes for a month or six weeks to economize sufficiently to get a start for the coming winter. The only solution of this problem is to get just as few gowns as possible, having each one smart in itself. Quality is far more important than

quantity, for in all probability the visits will not be of long enough duration to have the one gown frequently worn become conspicuously tattered, and at the next house party it can be worn again as a new gown. One or two handsome linen gowns and a smart linen suit, together with some well fitted separate waists and skirts, should do for the morning. White is safest, as it can be laundered each week if necessary, and there is no worry about its fading or being badly done up. For the afternoon the simplest white gown is always attractive, and one of flowered ribbons or museline can, with different ribbons and separate colored lawn slips, be made to do service on a variety of occasions for the evening. A silk gown of last winter can often be made to look astonishingly well if cleaned and the lace freshened.

The white suits have lost half their charm to extravagance in the shortened length of their skirts. A white serge, seersucker or voile or tulle skirt that clears the ground four inches will stand a very great deal of service without the necessity of a visit to the dry cleaners. A special little quirk in their making this year gives them added serviceability—namely, a binding in black, royal blue, emerald green, or the latest fashion note, brown, is used as a skirt finish, this showing a narrow velvet cord below the hem, which prevents the possibility of the edge soiling and attaining that smuggy gray look which is fatal to the smart appearance of the white costume. This velvet binding is made a part and parcel of the trimming scheme in that it matches in color the collar and cuff facing of velvet which is so distinctively a feature of the season's white suits.

There are many things which can be forgotten without much loss.

Better Than Spanking

Spanking does not cure children of bad habits. There are constitutional causes for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box 4, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child; the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

Wind Velocity.

The average velocity of the wind is low, in most places between five and ten miles an hour, corresponding respectively to wind pressure of from two ounces to eight ounces a square foot. During portions of nearly every day, however, somewhat higher velocities are recorded, since the averages contain considerable periods of very light breezes occurring often within a few hours before and after sunrise and sunset. There are few days without periods of brisk breezes of from fifteen to twenty miles an hour.

Rather Caustic.

"Did you tell your father I was a humorist?" asked the tall young man with long hair.

"I did," replied the pretty girl, "and he laughed."

"Laughed? Why, I thought he used to say writing jokes was hard on the brain."

"So he did; but he says he never heard of your writing any jokes."

Henry Elliott, Esq., of Sherbrooke, N. S., Inspector and Supt. of Bridge Construction for Nova Scotia, says: "A bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT cured me of a very severe sprain of my leg, caused by a fall while building a bridge at Doherty Creek, Cumberland Co."

Ask any "JAP" that you may see, "Why the Czar, with Bear behind," had to climb a tree.

The Yanks, God bless the Yanks, says he.

They gave us Rocky Mountain Tea.

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Caught Suspected Murderer.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 27.—Thomas Collins, suspected of killing Mary Ann Macaulay at New Ireland, Albert County, was caught in the wood Saturday 12 miles from St. George. He was making for the United States border. Collins admitted having been to the house, but declares his innocence of the murder.

NEW YORK CENTRAL EXCURSION TO NEW YORK, AUGUST 28TH.

Everyone is going to take advantage of the big excursion to New York on August 28th, via New York Central, "America's Greatest Railroad."—\$10.25 for round trip from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo, good 15 days for return, and giving privilege of trip on Hudson River steamers without extra charge.

For full and detailed information write or call on Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge St., Toronto.

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New York excursion \$10. For full particulars call or phone (Main 3547) A. Leadley, Canadian Agent, 75 Yonge Street, Toronto.

Blood will tell for a blush often gives a girl away.

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ture of this season's white suits. The costumes illustrated are attractive to include in one's going away wardrobe. The evening frock is of fine white lawn made en princess. Long, becoming lines are given the figure by the use of bands of cluny lace, which also trims the rest of the gown. The other illustration shows a smart little dotted net frock elaborately ornamented with valenciennes lace.

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