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Wednesday Sale of Muslins

Our entire stock of muslins at prices as below will go on sale to-morrow (Wednesday) at these prices:—

35c Muslins for 18c 20c Muslins for 12c
25c 18c

12 1-2c Muslins for 8c

The lot includes fine French organdies and dimities, fine American organdies and dimities, the very latest designs and colorings produced this season. This is an opportunity for you.

Prints

18 pieces, Fine English and Canadian Prints, in light to medium colors, correct designs for shirts, shirt waists or boys' wear, reg. price 10c and 12 1/2c per yd., on sale Wednesday for.... 7c

Men's Shirts

Your attention has probably been drawn to our sale of \$1 and \$1.25 shirts for 88c each. The goodly assortment that is left from this sale—in sizes from 14 1/2 to 16 1/2, in soft and stiff fronts, all are new designs and the colors are fast, will be offered on Wednesday only for 75c

Ladies' White Shirt Waists

Our entire assortment of Ladies' White Lawn, Cambric and Muslin Waists goes on sale Wednesday at

One Quarter Off
The stock represents the very prettiest styles shown this season, and all will go at these prices:—

\$1.00 waists for..... 75c
\$2.00 waists for..... \$1.50
\$1.50 waists for..... \$1.12
\$1.25 waists for..... \$1.87
\$3.00 waists for..... \$2.25

Mattings

On Wednesday we offer you your choice of our best mattings, worth 30c, 35c and 40c per yard for..... 21c
These are the genuine Japan mattings and will give you every possible satisfaction.

THOMAS STONE & SON

Strausky Preserving Kettles

Will last for years. It pays to buy the best.

See them at

WESTMAN BROS.

We have also a large stock of

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ALL AT CLOSE PRICES.

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For 3 Days
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Fresh Eggs, 11c per doz.
Smoked shoulder, sugar cured, 12 1-2 cents, whole ones, 14 cents sliced.
Fresh Fruit Biscuits, 9c per lb.
Fresh ginger snaps, 6c per lb.
Soda biscuits 8c per lb.
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Fruits and vegetables at lowest prices.
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Stoves Sold
At Once....

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Chatham Gas Co.

LIMITED.

The convention of the United Mine Workers at Indianapolis adjourned after arranging for a defence fund that is expected to aggregate nearly \$1,000,000 a month.

STILL LOVES THE OLD HOME

Edward McTaggart, of West Virginia, Has a Warm Feeling for Canada.

The Impressions he Received While on His Recent Visit to Kent County.

N. A. McGeachy has received the following letter from his cousin, Edward McTaggart of Williamstown, West Virginia.

Mr. McTaggart is a former Chathamite, having resided here 35 years ago. He paid a visit to Chatham in this spring, and spent two months here. He occupies the position of government inspector of lumber in the Washington Territory, Williamstown, West Virginia.

July 7th, 1902.

N. A. McGeachy,
Chatham, Ont.

Dear Cousin—We are at our temporary home in West Virginia. A week has elapsed since we left Chatham, since resting up. I desire to express my sentiments relative to the beauties of Kent county, and more particularly on the reception received by us, from the hands of our Canadian relatives and friends in and around Chatham, Thamesville and Dresden. I believe the counties of Kent and Essex are possessed of one of the most beautiful and fertile tracts of farming land I ever saw. Its maple groves, its rows of evergreen trees, surrounding its farms, its public roads leading in every direction from its towns and cities; great railroads running over the peninsula, coupled with its water transportation on either side, affords every advantage for the movement of its immense crops of wheat, corn and other staples, to the markets abroad.

When I left Chatham about 2nd inst., the whole wheat crop appeared to be about matured, and to be a heavy one. Your orchards were well stocked with apples and peaches, much more than appears to me here, which will command good prices. I shall apparently your only drawback is the long winters, but this is the case everywhere, each country has its difficulties, or drawbacks. I shall always cherish my recollections of my visit to Chatham, Thamesville, Dresden and Ridgeway amongst relatives and friends. The many social and amusements and entertainments we enjoyed so much.

I am somewhat impressed with the idea that it is all for the best that destiny has so arranged it, so that it falls to the lot of the freest, most enlightened and energetic people of our time, and of the same race, to have two separate and independent governments, each political system differing from the other, the one founded on democracy—the Great Republic of the world, embracing 45 states and several territories, the other a colony of the greatest naval and military power of the world—the two systems are now on trial before the teeming millions on this border line. It therefore remains for the future to decide on which is the best all round for the well-being of its inhabitants. Certain it is that the population, wealth, and development of its latent resources are far in advance of the latter. Admitting this to be true, the question arises, which of the two peoples are the most happy. This I am unable to answer. Apparently, were there no international boundary line between them, what a relief it would be, to the inhabitants of this border line, no customs officers to badge and bother the people in their traffic relations—in strikes me an increased market would be opened up to you were this imaginary line abolished. Were Quebec and Ontario members of the great republic, they would enjoy equal rights, not only with the smallest (population) but also with the great State of New York, in the halls of their national legislatures and would also exercise a potent influence in the selection of its chief magistrate, which occurs quadrennially. Be this as it may, while I am a citizen of the great Republic by adoption, yet I love old Scotia, the land of my birth, and have always entertained a warm feeling with high regard for the British Empire.

I trust, I have not expressed my feelings for patriotism too strongly, that it might appear to you as against your constancy for the Union Jack. Such is not the case, for I admire both systems of government.

We are all well and getting ready for our long trip to our Pacific home, leaving between the first and seventh of August. My family joins me in love to all our Canadian relatives and friends. Affectionately,
EDWARD McTAGGART.

GOOD SUGGESTION

Officer Groves is out with a capital suggestion. Chatting with The Planet at the landing of the summer City of Chatham last evening, he said, "I think The Planet would do well to advocate the placing of an electric arc light at the Rankin dock for use on the arrival of the boat and other special occasions. It would not be necessary to have the light burning more than about half an hour or so on the occasion referred to and would be a great accommodation and convenience to the public." The suggestion is worth the serious consideration of the aldermen.

A CORONATION LESSON

Written for THE PLANET.

King Edward's coronation day
Was close at hand—and royalty
And friends had come from far and near,
To view the sight, and share the cheer,
And all went well—till, suddenly,
(On eve of the eventful day)
The nation's heart was stricken sore,
The king lay prostrate—at death's door—
And wise men issued this decree:
His coronation cannot be.

But some seek reasons deeper still,
Why it, as yet, was not God's will
King Edward should be crowned as planned,
And published far, o'er sea and land?

Perhaps it was, oh king, that He,
(Knowing some evil threatened thee)
By lesser ill, spared thee thy late
Beloved brother-ruler's fate.

Or,—can it be! An all-wise God,
The great uncertainty to show,
Of man's proposing here below,
And, lest the homage offered thee
[In this thy hour of victory]

Make thee forget—whispered: "Come thou,
E'er England's crown rests on thy brow,
Thyself apart, a little while
From all that would thy soul beguile—
And bow, at threshold of thy throne,
To Him, by whom kings reign or come,
For thy rule best in danger's hour,
Who first do serve the higher power.

We leave thee with thy God, oh king
But loving sympathy we bring,
And prayers from all the Christian nations
Ascend in earnest supplications,
That thou should'st be restored again,
Long years to live! Long years to reign!

—LUCY SANDYS.

CARLISTS ACTIVE

Adherents of Spanish Pretender Spying on Erratic Young King.

Madrid, July 20.—Almost a sensation has been caused here by a report that the adherents of Don Carlos have found means to spy upon young King Alfonso with the purpose of discovering whether he is mentally capable.

There are all sorts of rumors respecting renewed activity in the large party which believe Carlos by rights should be King of Spain, and they appear to give additional credence to current stories of Alfonso's disrespectful attitude toward his mother and his absurd, even indecent, pretensions to the divinity of kinship which hedges his person about.

It is stated that even Sagasta, the Gibraltar of the present Spanish Government, and who is known to disapprove generally of Alfonso, has declared the disquieting tales about the youthful King to be false—something he would hardly take the trouble to do if the interests of the throne did not really demand it.

SOUTHERN TENNESSE

George McRobb, of Darrell, who for the last three years has been living in Memphis, Tenn., arrived in the city this morning en route home. During the time he has been away he has been teaming for a large stove mill. In conversation with a Planet reporter this morning, he said:

"I like the country and climate in Tennessee very much, but I cannot say that I would like to live there all my life time. Their winters, however, are better than ours; they are so much warmer. The country there is very rough. There is nothing but timber all through Arkansas, Missouri, Mississippi and Tennessee, and the country is full of saw and stove mills.

"There is hardly any farming done there. Cotton, sweet potatoes and corn are the chief products. I never saw more negroes than there are down there. White men are very scarce and are nearly all northerners.

"The people there are just as rough as the country. It would surprise you to see what quick tempers they have. It was very queer to me when I went here to notice how little it takes for the men to quarrel. They 'fly off the handle' at a moment's notice and a duel is the result. A fight with pistols or knives is an every day occurrence there and the people think nothing of it, they are so used to it. In fact fighting duels seems to be part of their lives.

"As a rule the people there are very healthy. The climate agreed with me well. When I first went there I gained flesh very rapidly, but I am not much heavier now than when I went away."

Mr. McRobb has decided that he will not go South again. He thinks Kent is good enough for him.

On the occasion of a recent Sunday school excursion, some Dover lads aged 15 years and younger, threw some bad eggs at the City of Chatham. The ancient hen fruit destroyed some ladies' dresses. The matter was reported to Major Coogan who discovered the boys responsible. The parents of the lads regretted the occurrence and settled, paying the costs, some \$7. The Major blames the boys for the trouble. He says they called the country lads hay seeds and potatoes. The latter retaliated with ripe eggs.

COUNCIL NEED DICTIONARY

Library Board Poke Fun at the Aldermen and Their Technicalities.

Robertson & McKie Awarded the Contract for Erection of New Building.

A special meeting of the Public Library Board was held last evening, with Chairman Thibodeau, and Messrs. Smith, Charteris, Davis, Twohey and Scullard and Architect Wilson present.

Chairman Thibodeau said:—"I see by to-night's Planet that the site has not been purchased yet."

Secretary Davis—They want a resolution from the Board asking for the money to buy it.

The Chairman—Why, I thought we did that before.

The Secretary—No. We just passed a resolution for them to purchase it.

—Laughter.

Secretary Davis explained in reference to the contracts that Messrs. Robertson & McKie's tender had been the lowest, but that it was above the limit, and Mr. Robertson had been asked if the sub-tenders received by the Board, which were lower than Mr. Robertson's sub-tenders, could not be used. Mr. Robertson agreed.

The differences were:—
Plumbing—Robertson's, \$225; the Board's, \$166.
Heating—Robertson's, \$1,300; the Board's, \$1,227.

Galvanized Iron—Robertson's, \$2967 the Board's, \$186.

This brought Mr. Robertson's tender down from \$15,945 to \$15,589.

The tender of Carswell, Stevens & Co., which was not complete at the last meeting, was now complete and was a little lower than it would have been had it been completed before.

Some of the members of the Board thought it should not be considered, as all the tenders should have been in by the 18th, and Mr. Carswell had been given power only to add the things he had formerly left off. Carswell, Stevens & Co's tender was \$15,593.80.

The above two tenders were the only ones considered and, after some deliberation, it was moved by Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. Twohey, that the Board accept the lowest tender, that

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GUN WENT OFF

And the Clerk who was Handling it Received Bullet in the Finger.

Another case of "didn't know it was loaded," occurred in Quinn & Patterson's hardware store yesterday afternoon.

Ed. Casey, a clerk in this establishment was engaged in showing some revolvers to a customer. After viewing a number of them the man went out. Casey then commenced to clean the revolvers and place them back in the show case.

It is the custom to keep the revolvers empty, and Mr. Casey, taking it for granted that they were empty was a little more careless than he otherwise would have been. He accidentally pulled the trigger and the gun went off. The ball struck the middle finger on his left hand, splintering it badly. Quite a commotion was caused in the store for some time.

Dr. J. W. Rutherford dressed the injured hand. It is not known yet whether or not Mr. Casey will lose his finger.

ADVANCED WORK

Record of the County Schools of East Kent—A Large Number Wrote on Examinations.

Through the courtesy of Inspector Colles we are enabled to give the following particulars as to the numbers of candidates who wrote upon the Departmental Examinations at the various examination centres in East Kent, Blenheim, presiding examiner, Mr. D. J. Campbell, principal of Highgate public school; 29 wrote on the Part I, Junior Leaving.

Bothwell, presiding examiner, Mr. Y. G. Cameron, principal of Thamesville public school, 23 wrote on Part I, and 4 on Part II, Junior Leaving.

Highgate, presiding examiner, J. A. Bannister, B. A., principal of Blenheim public school, 13 wrote on Part I, and 4 on Part II, Junior Leaving.

Thamesville, presiding examiner, H. Kelly, B. A., principal of Bothwell public school, 23 wrote on Part I, and 4 on Part II, Junior Leaving.

Two wrote on Junior Matriculation and two on Senior Leaving.

Ridgeway, Inspector Colles presiding, Junior Leaving, Part I, 31; Part II, 21; Senior Leaving and Hon. Matric., 9; Junior Matric., Part I, 13; Part II, 8. Commercial Diploma examination, 2. Scholarship examination, Miss Bertha Robinson, of Morpeth.

From the above it will be seen that a total of 188 candidates wrote in the several classes at these centres, nearly 100 of these being candidates on Part I, Junior Leaving from the public schools of East Kent. Inspector Colles says that although the Part I candidates are fairly well up in their work he expects many disappointments, owing to the unusually difficult character of the paper on English Grammar.

The average age of the Part I candidates is very low, not being greater than that of the entrance candidates in some other places.

James Sterling of Blenheim, is spending the day in the Maple City.

Cool Shoes

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The Hot
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We have a complete line of comfortable footwear in stock suitable for the present hot weather.

Ladies' Strap Slippers
and Oxford Ties,
from 75c to... \$3.00

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TUESDAY, JULY 22

THE ONE THING NEEDFUL.

This great home journal is in receipt of a somewhat lengthy communication, signed "Hughie," pointing out among many other interesting things, that the editor is "dense," "behind the times" and "possesses motives."

THE MATTER OF PROTESTS.

The Toronto Globe and other Reform papers now practically concede that Ross cannot carry on the work of government with his present aim following, but they profess to look forward with great confidence to the bye-elections, which they claim will afford the honorable gentleman a sufficient working lead.

The liberal organs in this matter are counting their chickens before they are hatched. In the first place of course, certain members will have to be unseated before any new contests take place and the chances all seem to be in favor of the bulk of such vacancies occurring in constituencies now represented by Reformers.

The Rossites went into the recent fight with plenty of money, and that they did not fail to use it abundantly demonstrated by the reports from various constituencies. The Conservatives on the other hand had to depend mainly upon the excellence of their cause and candidates, and they were not subjected to the debasing influences associated with the big campaign fund.

Suppose for the sake of argument that both sides break even in this matter, and even then the probabilities of success do not rest any more with the Rossites than the Whitneyites; indeed, many people will think not so much.

LAWLESS ATTEMPTS AT JUSTICE.

The lynching of Joshua Anderson near Owensboro in Kentucky was a deed of lawlessness for which there is no excuse, properly comments the Toronto Star. The crime with which he was charged was that of shooting his wife—a straight case of murder without atrocious details, and there was no reason to suppose that the law would fail in its duty.

The lynching of the man in Kentucky, however, was a plain act of lawlessness, done without any better reason than that the perpetrators of it sought excitement, and had a pretext for gratifying their desire in this direction. A man had murdered his wife and they took him out and lynched

him. It is pretty safe to say that those who did it were glad of the first crime as a plausible excuse for the second. If the law can be thus flouted in Kentucky, law is without effect there. If the mob can lynch men without trial, and bear no more about it, the mob can create a sentiment in another case that will prevent the execution of a criminal.

Here we have a different system. The people leave criminals in the hands of the law for punishment, and the results are sure. The first fury of popular opinion does not injure the criminal, and the popular indifference that subsequently sets in does not aid him in the least in his efforts to escape his fate. Months may elapse, but if the fickle public forgets, the courts go on with the case just where they left off, and justice is served.

A DAILY THOUGHT. Henry Ward Beecher. He is the happiest man who can carry the golden thread of boyish enjoyment farthest along through the web of life.

THE PORT HOPE GUILTESS GUIDE. Alexandria Glengarran. The Port Hope Guide man thanks a subscriber for a 6 1/2 inch strawberry. Somebody has been palming off a young pumpkin on him.

WIRELESS TELEPHONES. Alexandria Glengarran. The hello rate has been raised in Kempsville and a number of subscribers have had their phones taken out and will do their hollaring out of the front doors hereafter.

CAN'T BUY BOTH WET AND DRY GOODS. Alexandria Glengarran. The Hawksbury Post man intimates that the granting of extra licenses has caused a falling off of general business here. Too much money goes for booze.

THE RANKEST THAT HAS BEEN. Mail and Empire. It appears that Mr. Ross went to England to have it decided that he and his colleagues rank higher than members of Parliament. Certainly his Government outranks the worst Canada has known.

COL. CLARK IS A FIGHTER. Hamilton Spectator. Hugh Clark is a fighter. He will ask the full court of appeal on the soundness of Justice Osler's recent decision and he has entered a cross-petition asking for the disqualification of his Liberal opponent, Dr. Stewart.

BETTER THAN GRASS. Chicago Chronicle. Jacob Ribs is urging upon the New York City authorities the necessity of more and larger playgrounds. "Boys are better than grass," he says, referring to "keep off the grass signs," and he appeals to the philanthropic people to give the boys something more than a runway between gutters. Give us more playgrounds and there will be less need for penitentiaries."

NOT A FISH—BUT THE STORIES! Nelson, B. C. Economist. And they said unto themselves, "Behold it is the Sabbath. Let us hie to the waters of Kootenay even while it is yet morning and fish." And so they cast the line and did troll mightily, rowing the boat in divers places. And they did not hook one small bass—not even a tenor or a soprano. But the stories they told were prodigious, so that this generation, when in their day than the children of light, did wink openly and bite their thumbs, saying, "Lord how this world is given to lying."

MOTHER AND BABY. When it is found impossible for the mother to nurse her baby in hot summer weather, it is well to know that Lactated Food is a perfect substitute for the mother's milk. This life saving food is relished by the babies when milk and other dangerous foods cannot be tolerated by the weak stomach. Lactated Food should be used by every mother who would have her baby strong and happy.

Bad example spoils many good precepts.

MEYNELL'S Clothing Sale

is in Full Swing

A Few Specials... For This Week

3 pc. suits \$4.75, Sale Price \$3.49

3 pc. suits \$6.50, Sale Price \$4.39

Blouse suits, good sound

Wests, up to \$5.00, Sale Price \$2.15

Our great success is due to advertising facts.

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Children's Tans up to 50c

Vests suits, up to \$5.00, Sale Price \$2.15

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Meynell's

Three Doors West From Market, King St. Chatham

Complimentary. Miss Vera Oldmaysen was hardly to blame

For feeling as proud as a queen. On the swell hotel register after her name

The gallant clerk wrote, "Suite 16." —Athletic Standard and Times.

Her Wish. "If I had to earn my own living," she remarked thoughtfully, "I think I should try to get a position in the municipal department of contracts."

"Because that's where they receive proposals, isn't it?"—Chicago Post.

When Man. When man takes woman's place and she should go to do the work of men.

Ah, his will have a joy that we are now deprived of; there will be but little spring housecleaning then. —Chicago Record-Herald.

Woman's Way. "I would like to keep my letters, and yet I don't like to ask her."

"Well, just postscript them. 'Please burn,' and she will be sure to preserve them."—New York News.

A Task For All. No matter what you were before

The thing to aim at is to grace And dignify your present place. —Philadelphia North American.

Just a Hint. "Are they happily mated?"

"I don't think so. I overheard his wife telling him that she thought mourning was very becoming to her."—Chicago Post.

A Luxury Missed. The man who never makes mistakes

Must forfeit much delight; He cannot feel the sweet surprise Of sometimes being right. —Baltimore American.

His Capacity. "Mrs. Talkington's husband ought to be a good listener."

"He is. He can listen to nearly 200 words a minute."—Smart Set.

WARNING

The Chatham Binder Twine Company, Limited.

All persons obtaining twine from the above named Company are hereby warned against paying the purchase price of the same to Mr. J. J. Ross or any member of the new board of directors (so called) or to any of their employees, servants or agents—as such payment must be made to the Company or its legally authorized representatives.

Such payments may safely be made by depositing the amounts in the Canadian Bank of Commerce to the credit of The Chatham Binder Twine Company, Limited.

All persons and banks are further warned against negotiating or otherwise dealing with any promissory notes, cheques, or other negotiable securities of the said Company upon the endorsement thereof with the names of Arthur Leverton, as President, or J. J. Ross as Secretary-Treasurer, and from paying the proceeds thereof to the said Ross, Leverton, or any other member of the so-called New Board of Directors or their employees, servants or agents.

Persons taking binder twine or other property or owing the Company will be held strictly accountable unless they pay their indebtedness to us or our representatives or pay the money into the bank account as above mentioned to the credit of the Company.

By order of the directors. M. J. WILSON, President. T. C. SMITH, Secretary-Treasurer. Stidw

They are not a cure-all; write for our case to the Resident Physician and learn if the MAGI Caledonia Waters and Baths will benefit you.

The Northway Co's. Moving Sale

A Pronounced Success. Our Great Moving Sale which has been the means of distributing thousands of dollars worth of merchandise at ridiculously low prices, will be continued only ten days more.

- Ladies' Rain Coats, finest quality in latest styles, regular \$7, at sale price \$1.98. Fine Imported Rain Coats, our regular \$6 line, at sale price \$3.98. All our \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50 Rain Coats at sale price \$3.48.

THE NORTHWAY COMPANY, Ltd., CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE

We Save You Money

When you buy your Summer Suit from us, because being the manufacturers we are able to sell our goods CHEAPER than other tailors, and for the same reason we can show the LATEST SHADES AND PATTERNS six months before the other people get them.

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WANTED—A good, steady, single man to work at a saw mill. Apply at Planet Office. WANTED—Two or three boarders can be accommodated at Mr. A. J. Pyke's, Joseph St.

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MILLINERY—Every hat and bonnet in the store marked away down for quick selling, at less than Half Price in most lines.

Lyons black dye, the best 75c French taffeta in Canada, at sale price 58c. Men's shirts at 25c each—5 dozen good quality flannelette shirts, choice stripe patterns, fast colors, well made, sizes 15 to 16 1/2 inches, at sale price 25c.

SEWERS. Tenders will be received by the undersigned, at the City Clerk's Office, to 4 o'clock p.m. of Monday, the 28th day of July, 1902.

INITIATIVE NOTICE. Granolithic Sidewalks. Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the City of Chatham, will proceed under section 669, of the Municipal Act, and under the General Local Improvement By-law No. 337, 1899, to construct Granolithic Sidewalks upon following streets within the limits mentioned, after the expiry of one month after the last publication of this notice for two weeks in the Chatham Daily Planet and the Chatham Daily Banner-News, and the assessment of the costs of such works made upon the real properties to be benefited thereby, unless the majority of the owners of such real properties, according to the last Revised Assessment Roll, representing at least one-half in value thereof, petition the Council against the same within one month after the last publication of this notice.

THE BLONDE LUMBER & MANUFACTURING CO., Limited, Lumber Dealers and Builders.

WEDDING STATIONERY. The PLANET. Carries a large assortment of this stock. You can get what you want in short notice.

MEET MEAT SOMERVILLE'S. For a Glass of Ice Cream and Soda Water. Known as the Best in Town. Pure, rich Ice Cream, made by the most perfect apparatus in absolutely clean rooms.

INCREASE YOUR BUSINESS. By having EFFICIENT TELEPHONE FACILITIES. We quote you rates on a Private-Branch Exchange System in your Office, Warehouse or Factory. The Bell Telephone Co., of Canada.

FROM SOUTH AMERICA

Miss Maud Ferguson Receives Letter From her Brother in British Guiana.

Is enjoying his Trip Very Much -Interesting Account of the Country and People.

Miss Maud Ferguson, of this city, has received the following letter from her brother, J. G. Ferguson, who is at present travelling through British Guiana and South America: Georgetown, Demerara, June 26, 1902.

My Dear Sister Maud, -We arrived in Georgetown on June 24th, five days late, being 17 days en route. I am writing this to catch the steamer going to New York.

I am very agreeably surprised with the city of Georgetown. I say city as it has a population of 50,000, electric trolly cars (operated and owned by a Canadian company), electric street and house lighting, (we have an electric light in our bedroom and telephone in the house), and a good water supply. The stores here are first class; several departmental stores, etc., with wide doors which, in business hours, open nearly the whole front of the store onto the street. The street we are living on is a beautiful wide boulevard having a large walk and grass and trees in the centre (beautiful cocoanut palms and flowering trees that I have not learned the names of), with a wide roadway on either side. There is an immense botanical garden that I have not as yet been to see, a couple of miles in extent, which is one of the features of the town.

One of the things that strikes a stranger here are the great numbers of Coolies, who are almost as dark as the negroes. Their fantastic attire, as their striking feature. The negroes dress like the whites, but the Coolies wear nothing but a breach cloth and a loose blouse or shirt. The women wear a short skirt to the knees and loose blouse, the babies up to four or five are satisfied with what Nature gave them. The Coolie women wear rings in their noses and



Mirth is an almost infallible sign of good health. A sick woman may force a smile or at times be moved to laughter. But when a woman is bubbling over with mirth and merriment she is surely a well woman. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has made thousands of melancholy and miserable women cheerful and happy, by curing the painful womanly diseases which undermine a woman's health and strength. It establishes regularity and so does away with monthly misery. It dries debilitating drains and so cures the cause of much womanly weakness. It heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures the bearing-down pains, which are such a source of suffering to sick women.

island was effected by the eruption. There was not the slightest need for assistance (money and provisions) being sent, all the people in the effected district were past human aid; the rest were as well as they ever were. Now hundreds will flock into the town and live on charity so long as it lasts, and when it is done they will pray for another volcano so that the rich but simple Americans will again open their purses. I believe it was otherwise in St. Vincent, the people's homes being destroyed, but they escaped, so that they were in need of assistance. We were de-

Notes for sheepherders. Feed regularly as well as liberally. Give pulverized alum for scours, with wheat bran. Have water convenient for your sheep. They drink little and often. Keep the lambs growing from the start. If fat, sell them when they weigh 30 to 50 pounds. Ewes that prove poor mothers, or refuse their own lambs, might, as well go to the butcher. Do not feed lambs on rape alone, but accustom them to it gradually, when fed with other fodder. An authority on lambs for market, says pure-bred or high-grade lambs should not be kept beyond six months. In feeding shredded corn fodder to sheep, bran and oats may be mixed with the steers, to avoid any trouble that may come from over-feeding of carboaceous elements. If sheep have catarrh put them in a well-ventilated pen and give each, twice a day in their food, a teaspoonful of a mixture of equal parts dried sulphate of iron, powdered ginger and gentian roots. Feed generously of oats, bran, roots and good hay.

This, That and the Other. There is now made an opera glass which folds to the thickness of half an inch and needs no case. (Cast-iron anatomy, and blameth all expand when they cool. Most other substances contract with cold. The white poppy is the only poisonous variety. From the black poppy a sweet oil can be prepared, and used like olive-oil. A pitcher of fresh water placed in the bedroom at night is a great absorbent of poisonous exhalations; but the water itself becomes unfit for use. Out of the population of 160,000 in Hawaii nearly 90,000 are Asiatic, 60,000 being Japanese and 30,000 Chinese. There are also several thousand Porto Ricans.

Feeding Now Is a Science. In 1890 fat hogs averaging 300 pounds, 12 to 18 months old, were the result of good feeding; in 1902 ten-months pigs made 300 pounds average. Then the 200-pounds butter cow was extra fine; now 300-pound cows are not satisfactory. Giving due credit for good breeding, the change is due to a better knowledge of feeding stuff and more skillful feeding. To-day we have thousands of feeders who get about half out of feed there is in it, but, unfortunately, we have hundreds of thousands of feeders who do not get half out of the food that the skillful feeder does. The losses aggregate many millions of dollars. The farmers, dairymen, breeders and feeders are the losers.—Farmer's Voice.

Protection Against Moths. Upholstered furniture may be protected from the ravages of moths by spraying two or three times during the summer with naphtha or benzine. If you have no naphtha or benzine, a small watering pot, such as is used for sprinkling house plants, and sprinkle in April, June and August. These materials will not harm the most delicate fabrics, and the unpleasant odor soon passes off, if the article is placed in the air. Care must be taken not to carry on this work near the fire or by gaslight on account of the inflammability of the agents employed.

Moderate Bad Fern. Nowadays, men when talking to women lounge and sprawl, and cross their legs, and keep one hand in pocket while they shake hands with the other, and shove their partners about in the "Washington Post," and wallow the Kitchener Lancers. All this is a little beautiful, as it is easy to conceive. Grace and dignity have perished side by side. And yet, oddly enough, the people who are most thoroughly bereft of manners seem bent on displaying their deficiencies in the most conspicuous places.—G. W. E. Russell, in Taffler.

Bound to succeed. "I think my thirteen-year-old boy will be a smart business man when he grows up," remarked McSwilligen. "Go on with the story," replied Squidgie. "I had a ton of coal delivered the other day, and to encourage Tommy to earn something, I offered him a shilling to shovel it into the cellar. He took the contract with great alacrity, but I found out afterwards that he did not handle the coal himself."

A Point of Carpentry. Senator Platt, of Connecticut, was building a house. He had occasion to hire a carpenter, who was a plain unvarnished son of New England. "You know all about carpenter work," asked Senator Platt. "Yes, sir," was the reply. "You can make windows, doors and blinds?" "Oh, yes, sir."

Aluminum Saw Handles. Aluminum saw handles are being introduced which are said to be lighter and stronger than those of wood. There are several shapes, but they are all made of thin sheet metal worked into the desired form and supplied with perforations for the purpose of enabling workmen to get a secure hold of the tool. One of the designs offered is adjustable so that the right hand side of the handle is flush with the saw, permitting the operator to work close to the floor or in other inconvenient places.

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MOVING-DAY REFLECTIONS. They put the washbasin on the van. Above the French-plate mirror. The marble Venetian mirror. The van-man could not steer it. They scratched the grand piano's top. And left underneath the kettle. The silver platter got a wrinkle. That showed 'twas baser metal.

ears and all their wealth they (instead of depositing in a bank) make into silver bands which they wear on their wrists, ankles and arms. The men as well as the women frequently wear loose garments of East India cloth of bright yellow, scarlet, green, etc. But take all in all they are a miserable, dirty, low, degraded looking lot. To my mind the negroes are way ahead of them, only probably not so industrious. What impressed me was the smallness of the women and the slightness of the men. The big boned negroes are like giants along side of them.

The Demerara River, on which the town fronts, it being built on an angle with the sea, is about one mile wide. The Essequibo River, which empties into the sea a couple of miles up, is about seven miles wide at the mouth.

There is a great deal of Canadian produce sold here and the people are quite in touch with Canada, there being a first class line of steamers from Halifax—16 days trip. Mr. Spain says this is the best city he has been in in the South, excepting Guatemala City. It is away ahead of Fort De France, Martinique, or St. Kitts. Fort De France is the dirtiest, most miserable place you could imagine. The negroes looked wretched; they lived like Sardines packed together in lurches in old miserable hovels. The streets were narrow like Quebec and not a shade tree except on the Champs de Park. A waterfall just outside the city limits let loose every night and morning flushed the dirty open gutters on each side of the street.

layed two days at Martinique on account of being unable to get the negroes to unload the cargo. They were troubled with a tired feeling. The mixture of French and negroes produces poor results. The negroes in St. Kitts and Georgetown being much superior, better clothed, better workers and more progressive. Had we known we were to be delayed we could have spent a day at the ruins of St. Pierre, as it was we were unable to see more of them than we did from the ship. Yours truly, J. G. FERGUSON.

Mac—Where is Marron these days? Editor—He's out in the country writing a special article on how to keep cool in the city during the summer days.

I know what stars are, cried little Ethel, as she looked up at the sky one evening. And what are stars? asked her mother. Why, they are just splinters from the moon! replied Ethel.

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PROBABILITIES.
 Special to The Planet.
 Toronto, July 22—10 a. m.—Moderate westerly winds, fair and warm. Wednesday, fair and warm.
 The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:
 Thermometer 62.
 Highest yesterday 69.
 Lowest yesterday 58.
 Direction of wind, southwest.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

D. T. Elder of Sarnia, spent yesterday in the city.
 J. C. Whitney, of Wheatley, was in the city yesterday.
 James Carswell, architect, was in Wallaceburg last evening.
 F. J. Henry, of Ridgetown, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.
 J. A. McLean, of Rodney, was a guest in the city yesterday.
 Mrs. Gott, Wellington street, is spending the day in Detroit.
 J. A. McKoon of Windsor, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.
 L. M. Arnold and wife, have returned from a visit in Michigan.
 J. H. Brown, of Ridgetown, called on his Maple City friends yesterday.
 John Till left last evening on a business trip to Fort Wayne, Ind.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lloyd, of Cleveland, were guests in the city yesterday.
 Miss Ida McKerrall, of Detroit, is visiting friends in Blenheim and Chatham.
 Mrs. B. H. Carnovsky and family, Stanley Ave., are spending to-day at Erieau.
 Mrs. W. H. Judson, Dover street, has returned from a trip to Pontiac, Michigan.
 Robert Guy, of this city, has returned from a visit with relatives in Newbury.
 The Maple City Creamery shipped a car load of butter by cold storage to London to-day.
 Roadmaster Harry Morris, of the Lake Erie, was in the city yesterday on business.
 John Piggott & Sons are putting the interior fixtures in the new John Northway Co. store.
 Stonehouse Bros., Wallaceburg, have let the contract for their block of six stores at Wallaceburg.
 Mrs. Newcombe and daughter, Jean, formerly of this place, are visiting friends in Chatham and Blenheim.
 Harry Philip and Thomas Misonville, of this city, leave on Thursday for Atlanta City, Georgia, where they will spend a couple of weeks.
 The S. Hadley Co. are manufacturing the interior fixtures for McCall & Co's new drug store, where—the John Northway dry goods store is.
 W. E. Bell, manager of the People's Life Insurance Company, who has been calling on the local agent, J. J. Neahr, leaves to-day for Winnipeg.
 The armory of the 24th Regiment is being shingled and fixed up. Every evening and afternoon the soldiers practice under the direction of the officers.
 Finlay McKinley, employed at the Walker Egg and Produce Company's storehouse, smashed the end of his finger at the factory to-day while making boxes. Dr. W. H. Tye dressed the wound.
 City Clerk W. G. Merritt yesterday posted the voters' lists. Everybody should now look to see if their names are on the voters' list. Appeals in regard to the voters' lists will be received by the city clerk up to the 20th day of August.

N. H. Ruthven and family are spending the day in Newkirk.
 Mr. Joyce and family, Taylor Ave., moved to Wallaceburg to-day.
 Geo. W. Weston, of Toronto, well-known in the city, is here on business.
 W. B. Bamford, travelling freight agent for the C. P. R., is in the city to-day on business.
 Mrs. Merritt, of Blenheim, passed through the city to-day en route home from Cleveland.
 Chatham Lodge No. 29, will hold their regular meeting to-night. Every member is requested to be present.
 Miss Maud Heyward, Murray street, left on Saturday for Port Sandfield, Muskoka, where she will spend a few weeks, during her trip she called on Miss Dorothy Sheldon, who is at Gravenhurst. Miss Sheldon is gradually recovering from her recent illness.
 Hector Suitor, of St. George street, and Miss Reddie Lang, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., will be united in marriage on Friday next at the bride's home, after which they will take up their residence in Chatham, where the groom has spared neither time or expense in fitting up a house in the most elaborate style.

HEAVY WRIT NOW ISSUED

More Serious Aspect of the Chatham Binder Twine Co. Troubles.

Company Claims \$5,000 Damages Against old Directors for Alleged Injury to Business.

Lieut. Col. Rankin, K. C. counsel for the Chatham Binder Twine Co., has issued a writ against M. J. Wilson, Alister McKay, Lawrence Howard and Samuel Bullis for \$5,000 damages.
 Mr. Rankin claims that these men have illicitly interfered with the Company's business in several ways, such as taking the Company's mail from the post office, taking money from the Bank and otherwise injuring the business of the Company. Also for publishing in the local papers the article headed "Warning," telling the farmers to have nothing to do with the directors, who are now in possession of the factory, such warning being published after the injunction was dissolved.
 The plaintiff also claims \$40 for costs.

ALDERMAN'S IDEA

"There is a lot of old machinery and rubbish back of the market that ought to be taken away from there," said Ald. Archie McCoig to The Planet this morning. "Last Saturday," continued he, "I saw a farmer come in with a load of hay to sell and he could not get room to stand on the market on account of this old machinery, wagons, etc. There is a by-law preventing this, and I think it ought to be enforced and so protect the farmers who come in to sell their produce."
 "It might be well to put this before the Chairman of the Property committee."

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

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OUR DUTY TO WAR HEROES

Faces New Obligations in Returning Hosts—Many Need Work.

Urged That the State Give Veterans Preference in Filling Public Service.

London, July 21.—Attention is loudly called to the fact that the abandonment of the South African Republic, now fairly under way, means throwing on the home labor market a very large body of unemployed men. The Government has lost no time in reducing the force. A big fleet is already taken up, and within the next ten days 30,000 seamen and reservists will leave Cape Town for England. More will follow in a month.
 "The obligation now rests upon the State and upon employers of labor," says the Globe, "to make what provision can be made for these thousands of disbanded heroes; and it must be borne in mind that England has not a vast labor market like the United States in which they may seek and surely find employment. Probably large numbers would have a better chance at the Cape."
 This is a serious matter. The men will receive a month's furlough on landing to enable them to look for work. But with a multitude applying simultaneously many will be crowded out, unless befriended by the nation collectively and individually. Gratuities and furlough pay will be the only going longer. When such resources are exhausted, the choice will be work or the poorhouse—the latter a hard lot for "saviors of the country." It is urged that the State should reserve vacancies in the lower grades of the public service, and without subjecting the applicants to competitive examination. But here again a knotty problem manifestly arises.

CARDINAL DEAD

Pope Leo Greatly Distressed at the News—Cardinal Satelli May Succeed Him.

Special to The Planet.
 Rome, July 22.—Cardinal Ledochowski, prefect of the congregation of the propaganda, died this morning after a long illness.
 The Pope on learning of Cardinal Ledochowski's death, was greatly distressed and exclaimed:
 "A valiant fighter for the church and religion has gone. His memory be blessed."
 The pontiff then knelt and prayed for the repose of the cardinal's soul.
 With Cardinal Ledochowski's death Cardinals San Stefano and Parocchi are the only surviving cardinals appointed by Pope Pius.
 Cardinal Ledochowski was born at Gork in 1822, and was the descendant of an illustrious family. From the time of his domestic theological studies as a young man it was certain that he would rise in the service of the church. He would have made a great man in his own country, but when statesmanship had an outlet through the ecclesiastical life. Pius IX. recognized the brilliant Pole's ability, made him on a diplomatic mission to Madrid. Afterward he was auditor to the nunciatures at Lisbon, at Rio de Janeiro and Santiago de Chile. His first bishopric was of Thebes, in partibus infidelium. In 1867 he went to the nunciature of Brussels, where he remained four years, and in 1868 he was made the primate of Poland.

GRANDEURS OF PEAK AND CHASM

The natural attractions of Colorado are by no means confined to her mineral springs resorts, her splendid lakes, nor to her beautiful mountain parks. In whatever direction the traveller may choose by rail, if he go to the mountains, his journey is a succession of glorious scenery, varying in the characteristics of placid beauty grotesque ruggedness, or awe-inspiring grandeur. Up the canons, by heavy grades and difficult curves, are stupendous walls rising perpendicularly or gradually sloping back toward the hills, and yet again leaning forward above the chasms, as if threatening to come tumbling down, projecting rocks that hang suspended over the trains as if glides smoothly by it is a panorama of wonders and grandeur, such as belong only to the Rocky Mountains.
 To enable persons to reach Colorado resorts the Union Pacific has placed in effect during the summer months very low rates.
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 Yours truly,
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 Harbor Grace, Nfld., Jan. 8, 1902.

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Worth Remembering.
 "Of two evils I have chosen the least," and "The end must justify the means," are from Matthew Prior.
 To Milton we owe "The Paradise of Fools," "A wilderness of sweets," and "Moping melancholy and moon-struck madness."
 Christopher Marlowe gave forth the invitation so often repeated by his brothers in a less public way: "Love me little, love long."
 The poet Campbell found that "Coming events cast their shadows before," and "This distance lends enchantment to the view."
 To Dr. Johnson belongs "A good hater," and to Macintosh, in 1701, the phrase, often attributed to John Randolph, "Wise and masterly inactivity."
 Thomas Tasser, a writer of the sixteenth century, said: "It's an ill wind that turns good." "Bet- ter is thou never." "Look as thou leavest," and "The stone that is rolling can gather no moss."
 "First in war, first in peace, and first in the heart of his fellow citizens (not his countrymen)" appeared in the resolutions presented to the House of Representatives in December, 1799, by Gen. Henry Lee.

A Post Card Race Round the World.
 Mr. Edward Fulk of Guildford has just raced two post cards round the world by different routes. One he sent east via Melbourne and the other west via Ottawa. They were posted within two days of each other, but that by the eastern route accomplished the journey in seventy-six days fourteen hours, and the other in eighty-two days all but half an hour. On the portion of the card for correspondence Mr. Fulk explained his object and asked for the co-operation of his correspondents. The clerk in the post office at Fremantle, Western Australia, wrote a note across the card as follows: "Would like to know the result of the race, as the other route. This is of some importance to us if both cards are coming to Australia as there is some talk of sending our English mails, etc., via 'Frisco' we could then guess about the difference in the times." In each case the cost of postage amounted to 2 1/2 d. in British money and 2 cents in Canadian.

Revenge.
 A certain noted pianist says that whenever he feels unduly elated by favorable notices of his playing, or by individual compliments, he calls to mind "at an occasion when his pride received a fearful fall. He had been the guest with others at a suburban home for three days. The last evening was a particularly nice one, and at its close some one begged him to play a Hungarian Rhapsody by Liszt.
 "I've played two or three times," replied Liszt.
 "You think I might disturb the neighbors?"
 "I hope you will," announced the young daughter of the house, for we are perfectly sure they tried to poison our cat last week. Nothing you could do would be worse than they deserve!"

Feeding Meat to Poultry.
 When feeding meat to hens do not use that portion which is fat. The object in feeding meat to hens is to supply them with nitrogen and not fat, as the grain contains all the fat. Fat is fed to assist in any manner to provide material for eggs, but rather retards than assists laying. The cheap portions of beef such as the neck, are better for fowls than the choicest fat and lean steaks. Blood is excellent for fowls, and can be easily fed to them by mixing it with their soft food. The ordinary ground meat contains both fat and lean, and sells for about three cents a pound; but as the meat is subjected to heavy pressure at a high temperature most of the fat is removed.

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.

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Neatly trimmed with embroidery. Your choice for 25c. |
| Ladies' White Underskirts
Fine quality Lonsdale, 5 hemstitched tucks or embroidery; your choice for 75c. | Ladies' Fine Cambrie Gowns
Low necks, embroidery trimmed, sleeves also trimmed with embroidery. Your choice for \$1.00. |
| Ladies' White Underskirts
Of fine Cambrie, 4 tucks with wide frill embroidery; your choice for \$1.00. | Ladies' Embroidery Trimmed Fine Lonsdale Gowns
Empress style, reverses trimmed with embroidery or lace, sale price \$1.19. |
| Ladies' White Underskirts
Of fine Lonsdale, trimmed with two frills of torcheon lace or embroidery; sale price \$1.75. | Ladies' Fine Cambrie Gowns
Yoke trimmed with embroidery and tucks; sleeves also trimmed. Your choice for \$1.50. |

PARASOLS

Rain and shine are playing Ping Pong just now. Shine will win the set of course but rain will have his score, even though badly beaten.
 One needs to be under cover from both and here is help with smallest fee.

We have still a fine assortment of our English and American Parasols left, cheap at \$1.50, bound to clear at..... **\$1.10**
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Here we offer several odd lines of sack suits, of novelty pattern tweeds, fancy solid worsteds and chalk lines, sold regularly at \$9.50 to \$11, this week pick as you please \$7.50 a suit, all regular and stout sizes somewhere in the lot.

Boys' Nobby Yoke Norfolk 2 Pc. Suits \$2.48, Formerly \$3

This season's biggest seller, made from novelty pattern tweeds, light and dark effects, with neat yoke, two box pleats, back and front, with belt to match. This has been our favorite this season for ages 6 to 12 years; sizes are broken and we are clearing them now at \$2.48.

Men's and Boys' Bathing Suits, Shirts, Neckwear and Collars

We are showing several sorts and grades of bathing suits—but to-day we have a particular word for men whose time at the beach is limited, but who would like to own their own bathing suits, if they knew where to get a good-looking, good-fitting suit at little cost.

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Local Briefs

Band Concert at the Eau to-night! Miss Wood is visiting Miss Rena Merritt. T. Smith of Dresden is a city visitor to-day.

Miss Sarah McLeod has returned to the Maple City. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Merritt are visiting in London. Huxley Marshall has returned from a trip to Calgary and the west.

Miss Jennie Mills, Elizabeth St., is visiting friends in Grosse, Mich. There were fifty-four people registered at the bath house on Saturday.

Miss Alice Poulton, of Tilbury, returned to-day, after visiting the Misses Martin, Dover St. Miss Addie Johns has returned to Detroit after spending her vacation with her parents here.

The Salvation Army took the inmates of the House of Refuge and the Home of the Friendless with them to Walpole Island on the City of Chatham.

Ennegetic man wanted who can furnish horse and wagon and deposit \$150 cash. Permanent position paying \$18 per week and expenses. No canvassing. Delivery, Box 78 Philadelphia.

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Charles Ashwell, of Detroit, formerly of Harper's Express office, is visiting friends in town. Miss Gladys Cadman, of Owassee, Mich., is the guest of Miss Mills, Elizabeth street.

Sam Kovinski has laid a charge against Joe Seeling, son of Rodney, who has been visiting in the city, returned home to-day. Bert Miller, Harvey street, has purchased the fine road racer of P. Hansar, of Dover, for a good figure.

Three lads were caught breaking the electrical fixtures on the Park and Grey streets, and returned to the city. Fred Willoughby, who has been spending a few days with friends on Grey street, has returned to Wallaceburg.

Isackman Fred, Bennett, while driving on Victoria avenue with two passengers, struck a hole in the street opposite the residence of Mr. Stegman. The result was that one of the springs broke. W. B. Wells came to the rescue and summoned another hack.

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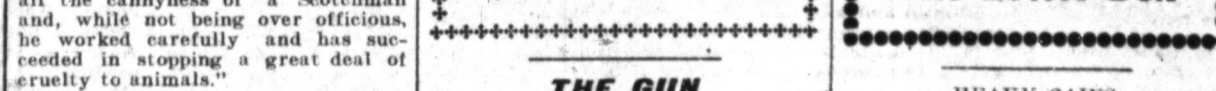
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Miss Fanny Hamilton, Detroit, is visiting Miss Barbara McNaughton. "Dad" Wright and Carl, of Leamington, are visiting in the city. Miss Nora Smith, Dresden, is the guest of Miss Laura Ingalls, St. Clair street.

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THE GUN. The result of a little shooting match at the drill shed last evening at 25 yards, 20 being the highest possible points, was as follows: Smith 16, Hutchinson 18, Anderson 15, Embrey 16, Rankin 19, McGregor 17.

BASEBALL. The Grays continued their winning streak yesterday by defeating the Bankers by a score of 7 to 0.

HEAVY RAINS. In Monday's paper it is stated that 2,056 tons of rain fell per acre on Saturday. Did you get that statement from some of our fishermen? 2,056 tons to the acre would mean a rainfall of over 18 inches of water on the level. There are 43,560 square feet in an acre, which is 3,530 cubic feet; rain water weighs 62 1/2 lbs. to the cubic foot; then 3,530 cubic feet weighs 220,270 lbs., which, at 2,000 lbs. to the ton, gives 110 tons to the acre. Then 2,056 tons is equal to a little over 18 inches depth of water all over this section. This looks a little too watery to be out of the lake. W. K. M.

VO ERS LIST, 1902

Municipality of the City of Chatham, County of Kent: Notice is hereby given, that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in sections 8 and 9 of the Ontario Voters' Lists Act, 2,056 copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said municipality to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal elections; and that the said list was first posted up at my office, at Harrison Hall, in the city of Chatham, on the 21st day of July, 1902, and remains there for inspection.

W. G. MERRITT, Clerk of Chatham. Dated July 22nd, 1902.

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seeing that I had difficulty in counting, he broke into the pause I made. "If I can read your mind," he said, "you are thinking that perhaps this offer is a deep-laid scheme to obtain your address. But, to show you that it is not so, I will leave you before you have given instructions to the driver." "I will take the cab, since you are so kind," I stammered.

With curious perversity, I was now rather sorry that he should not hear my address, because, not knowing it, there was practically no chance that we should ever see each other again.

But I could not betray sentiments so unworthy of my bringing up. In silence I allowed myself to be helped into the hansom which was to be sacrificed to me, and, with a faint murmur of gratitude, I took the purse which he had picked up from the pavement and handed to me, after wiping off a few spots of mud with his own handkerchief.

"Good-night," he said, lifting his hat. I noticed that his dark, close-cropped hair grew very nicely over his forehead, and was ashamed of myself for noticing it.

"Good-night, and thank you again," I faltered. He was moving away, as he had promised to do, without hearing the direction I should give the cabman.

In another second he would be gone. I felt the blood rushing hotly to my cheeks, and was conscious that I had called after him, not knowing quite what I intended to say. He looked at me questioningly, his hat still in his hand.

"I—only wanted to ask if—if you've told me all the reason why you followed me—I mean you?" I stammered, in great confusion.

"No," he said, sharply. "No. I have told you the true reason. But I have not told you all."

"Will you tell me now?" I demanded.

"I wish I could. But I cannot do that. It would be impossible that I should ever tell you."

He did not say this as if, with a little urging on my part, he might have been persuaded from his decision. Somehow, I knew that nothing that I could say would induce him to change his mind, and I was vexed as well as more with myself than him. "Then—good-night," I exclaimed, almost sharply.

He moved away, and I waited until he had gone too far to overtake before I made the cabman drive me to the Coburg Hotel. This was to punish myself, not him.

The hansom was briskly turned, and I was driven off at a good speed.

"What could have been his real reason?" I asked myself. The reason was impossible to tell.

My mind dwelt upon it, repeating again and again that as he had confessed, the explanation he had given was a lame one. It was not rational to suppose that a man should have sleep in the midst of an absorbing play to follow two women from the theatre—follow one of them miles away from the theatre—merely because an impulse, inexplicable and uncontrollable, had goaded him to do so. There was something behind it all.

Where was my mother? I had hopelessly lost track of her long ago. And how was I to know whether some terrible evil had not befallen her?

CHAPTER III.
My Mother Comes Home.

By this time my mother might have arrived at the hotel, to find me playing truant. If this were the case, I could picture her anger, and I shrank from the thought for the beautiful, sad woman whom I loved knew how to make herself feared as well. Yet I prayed that she might have been before me, and was ready to endure her reproaches rather than hear that she was still absent.

I fancied suppressed amazement on the face of the hall porter who helped me from the hansom, and handed up my fare to the cabman.

"Do you know if Lady Cope has come in yet?" I asked, nervously.

"I've only just come on duty, at midnight, miss," the hall porter replied. "I haven't seen her ladyship."

I felt unpleasantly sure that the big man suspected that I had been guilty of some imprudent escapade, which was anxious that "her ladyship" should not discover, and from the good-natured twinkle in his eyes, as he held the door open and watched me fly towards the lift, he probably wished me luck.

But in an instant I had forgotten him and his conjectures. I asked no more questions as to my mother's return, but hurried straight to our rooms on the second floor.

I threw my cloak over the back of a chair, and knocked at my mother's door, softly calling her name in a voice that would tremble.

There was no answer, and I turned the handle to peep in. Her room was in darkness. Perhaps, I thought, she had returned, and gone straight to bed, taking it for granted that I was safely in the house, and not wishing, for reasons of her own, to see me until morning.

"I ventured to switch on the light, which was near the door. The bed was empty, the cover temptingly turned down, a silk night-dress and robe de chambre laid ready by the maid, who would be waiting at this very moment for her delayed summons.

There was just one hope left, and I pressed the bell connected with the little room, occupied by my mother's maid, Swift.

In a moment she appeared.

"Oh, miss," she began, "I was just beginning to be afraid something was the matter. Her ladyship said you would be coming straight back after the theater."

"Then she hasn't sent any word?" I asked. "This had been the one hope I had still relied upon."

"No, miss. No word has come for me. Isn't her ladyship with you?"

"She—she has gone with a friend," I faltered, trying to make my voice sound natural, for mother was not one who would tolerate having her private affairs discussed by a servant. "I came back alone. But—I thought she would have been at home by this time, or expected till later. No doubt it is all right. Only I—I can't help feeling a little anxious."

"Oh, if her ladyship is with a friend, there's nothing to worry about," Swift cheerfully assured me. She had been with us for a long time, ever since I was quite a child. In fact, and I would

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have given much to ask her a few discreet questions, for it was just possible that she was more in mother's confidence than I was. But I put the thought behind me, and steeled myself in patience.

"You look as white as a ghost, miss," the maid went on. "I do hope you haven't got a chill. Better have a cup of chocolate, and let me get you to bed. By the time you're ready, her ladyship's sure to be here."

"I'm not at all cold, and I'm not sleepy," I protested. "I don't feel like being undressed yet, thank you. You can go to bed, and when Lady Cope comes I will do everything that she needs. If she should be ill, or really want you, why, of course, I will ring, and you can slip into a dressing-gown."

Swift murmured gratefully that she was much obliged for my kindness, and though she decorously retired, there was that in her eye which told me she did not mean to avail herself of my permission. I had spoken calmly, I flattered myself, but I had not been able to conceal from her experience that something unusual had occurred, and doubtless she intended to wait, clothed and alert, for any emergency.

Never shall I forget the next hour. Though I had said I was not cold, I shivered with a nervous trembling, and mechanically sat down by the fire, stretching out my hands towards the blaze, which Swift had stirred into renewed life.

On the mantel stood a small clock, that ticked in a whisper, and every quarter-hour uttered a silver note. The hands scarcely seemed to move; days have passed more swiftly for me than those lagging quarter-hours. I imagined my mother trapped by a villainous plot into which she had fallen; murdered even, it might be—for crude tragedy did break into peaceful life, even in this opening of an enlightened century.

As I so thought, the deep silence of the room was ruffled by a faint, all but inaudible, sound. It was as if someone outside had brushed against the handle of the door in going by. I sprang up, and, running across the room, threw the door open, just in time to catch my mother in my arms as she swayed and fell forward.

She was a Juno in height and build, while I was a slender girl, whose forehead came on a level with her chin, if we stood side by side; yet—somehow I held her.

I laid her down, and sank on my knees beside her. I was quivering all over, and for a moment was powerless to move. When I could rise, I rang the bell for Swift, and rushed to my own room for eau de Cologne.

I was back again before the maid could come, bathing my mother's forehead, and begging her to speak in a strange, weak little voice, that did

sound like my own. Suddenly she opened her eyes—those wonderful eyes, with the haunting shadow that hid their depths. She was gazing straight into mine, yet I knew that she did not see me, and felt, with an eerie chill, that she was looking through me at something else.

So near-sightedly was the expression of the white face that involuntarily I turned my head over my shoulder, half expecting to see that someone had stolen noiselessly into the room, to stand close behind me. But no one was there.

Her lips were moving stiffly. I bent over her as she lay among the cushions, and her breath, as it rustled past my cheek, was cold, or I fancied it.

"The scar—the scar!" she was whispering. "After—all—these years. What a fearful revenge! It is—my death."

"Mother!" I cried, my voice breaking into a sob. "Don't say that; you shall not die. I see here—your Sheila."

Her eyes slowly came back from that world where she had been, and she saw me at last. I could see the recognition coming like water that moves under ice; but no light of love came with it, only a sudden, bleak gleam of horror—or hate, I dared not think which.

"You—you," she said. "If it had not been for you—Her voice died, then rose again, chokingly. "To atone—," she cried, aloud. "Sheila—save—find—you must find—"

Her breath went with a gasp. She pressed her hand over her heart, half sitting up, her face convulsed with pain. I slipped an arm behind her shoulders, and laid her gently down again. She gazed, but as her head touched the pillow once more she raised both hands, laying one on each of my shoulders; and then I saw a terrible thing that almost forced a scream from my lips. I held it back by force, but my forehead was wet, and a wave of sickness swept over me.

My mother invariably wore long sleeves with her evening dresses, though sometimes, as to-night, they were of thickly shirred chiffon or gauze.

I knew the reason for this whim of hers for a whim those in ignorance of the truth might have called it. On one of those beautiful white arms of hers there was a thing to hide—the mark so ostentatiously displayed in the theater.

Now, as she lifted her arms, the sleeves fell back from the right one, cut and torn from wrist to shoulder, spotted there and there with crimson. And where the purple scar had been there was a fresh, raw burn, as if the flesh had been cauterized with red-hot iron.

"The West Wing," she panted. "The West Wing."

I knew that she strove to say something that she could not utter, and I tried to help.

"The West Wing, at home?" I asked. "Is there something I can do for you there?"

She answered only with her eyes. They seemed to say: "Yes—hundred times yes!" And having said it, they closed. Her head fell from my shoulders, and, faint and shuddering, I softly laid the poor hurt arm down by her side.

As I did so, Swift came forward. I had not heard her enter the room.

"Go and tell them to send for a doctor," I exclaimed. "Quick—she is very ill."

Swift went away again. It seemed to me that she was gone a long time, though I do not suppose it could have been more than five or six minutes.

When the doctor's forehead and bathed my mother's forehead, and hands with the eau de Cologne, but she did not speak or open her eyes.

"Have you seen her ill in this way before?" I asked Swift, when she had returned.

"Never so bad," the woman answered, in an awed tone. "But she has suffered with attacks of palpitation of the heart sometimes. She told me I was never to mention it to you, and I haven't till now. There's some medicine in the next room, I've dropped for her more than once. I think it's called digitalis. Shall I get it now, and try what it will do?"

I nodded assent; and presently Swift came back with a small bottle.

"The label's been torn off lately," the frightened maid announced. "I can't remember what the dose was. My daren't give it to her ladyship, miss. And, oh, only look at her! Her teeth are locked together. It would be hard to get her to swallow anything now."

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Our business undoubtedly is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

Rest satisfied with doing well, and leave others to talk of you as they please.

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Some have such bad luck that life seems one grand confusion game to them.

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Excesses in youth are drafts upon old age payable about thirty years after date.

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Stubb—How would you like to be J. P. Morgan?
Penn—I would rather be a London hotel-keeper during Coronation week.

Ghosts would frighten many people who are not afraid of germs. Yet the germ is a real danger. If this microscopic animalism could be magnified to a size in proportion to its deadliness it would show like a giant python, or fire breathing dragon. The one one fact to remember is that the germ is powerless to harm the body when the blood is pure. It is far easier to keep the germ out than to drive it out than to drive it out after it obtains a hold in the system. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the most powerful and perfect of blood purifying medicines. It increases the quantity as well as the quality of the blood, and enables the body to resist disease, or to throw it off if disease has obtained a footing in some weak organ. Wherever the digestion is impaired, the nutrition of the body is diminished, for the blood is made from the food which is eaten, and half digested food cannot supply the body with blood in quantity and quality adequate to its needs. For this condition there is no remedy equal to "Golden Medical Discovery." It cures ninety-eight out of every hundred persons who give it a fair trial. When there is constipation Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will promptly relieve and permanently cure.

Bertha—And so Edith has made up with Fred? How did it happen?
Constance—Oh, you see, it was the only way in which she could have another quarrel with him.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY

Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely damage the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and acts in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mistress—Mary, where is the whaik broom?
Mary—Why, mem, we were all out o' breakfast food and I had to chop it up for the master's breakfast.

Messrs. C. C. Richards & Co.

Dear Sirs,—While in the country last summer I was badly bitten by mosquitoes—so badly that I thought I would be disgraced for a couple of weeks. I was advised to try your Liniment to allay the irritation, and did so. The effect was more than I expected—a few applications completely curing the irritation, preventing the bites from becoming sore. MINARD'S LINIMENT is also a good article to keep off the mosquitoes.

Yours truly,
W. A. OKE.

Harbor Grace, Nfld., Jan. 8, 1898.

Short—If I had as much money as you have I wouldn't be so blamed stingy with it.
Long—My dear boy, that is the very reason you will never have it.

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Kerosene oil and lard will kill any lice on dogs.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

Of all studies, study present conditions.

Minard's Liniment Cures LaGrippe.

Anxiety is a destroyer of appetite.

MOTHER DOE AND HER FAWN

Picture of Animal Life in the Woods—Teaches Her Little Ones.

Hark! What's that? Looking intently toward the point, I see two tiny spotted toddlers wading out from the bushes, says a writer in Forest and Stream. Not more than four or five feet, but there they are as plain as life can make them. They are certainly not over two or three weeks old, spotted like two leopards, ears so large and awkward looking, their knees hardly seem able to support their ungainly little bodies, but happy as the children of the forest only know how to be when no danger is nigh and big mamma is present to warn and watch over them.

But where is mamma? Ah! here comes the stately old dame. First she puts up her nose out of the bushes, looks up and down the stream, sniffs the air, and, seemingly satisfied that all is well, she slowly and majestically walks out in midstream and takes a drink. The little ones by this time are coveting like two kittens, splashing the water and making a great deal of noise. Mamma is afraid evidently, there is too much noise, for she backs out of the water, and the little ones obey her instructions and reluctantly follow.

Fortunately there is quite a clearing along the left bank, and slowly and stealthily backing about ten feet up the hill, I gain a position where I can plainly see mamma and the babies without being seen or heard.

The old lady is quietly feeding, nipping the tender branches with much relish. The little ones think it is time for their breakfast, and to watch these as they pull at their sources of nourishment reminds me of a full-blooded Jersey cow with a calf. I wonder, if long years ago, there was any relationship existing between the two?

The doe is a big female. She weighs 200 pounds. She wears her spring and summer garment—her red petticoat. The duties of maternity evidently agree with her, for she is sleek and fat. Now mamma compels the toddlers to the eating, and gives the largest of the fawns a slight tap on the head to prevent his rushes for more sustenance. This furry thing promises to be a buck, for he is determined to get what he wants, but his mother is too quick for him. She strikes me the mother has an object in view. Can it be to teach her young to gain strength and surefootedness? I think so. Now the two urchins come tumbling down the hillside with an impetuosity that is undeniable. The smaller one of the two is enabled to stop just at the water's edge, but the baby buck is coming so quick and he has so little control of himself, he tumbles from the embankment and falls with a resounding splash into the water, and then begins to bleat exactly like calf, as much as to say: "Mamma, mamma, sister pushed me in the water. Come help me, I am hurt."

And now I make my mistake. The entire affair is so ludicrous, I laugh, and plaitly see mamma, and then you should see the edge. One quick look in my direction, one quicker jump into obscurity, a call for her offspring, and that settles it.

Immigration from Great Britain to Canada

Which has averaged about 11,000 yearly for five years past, increased to 17,000 last year.

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May is the month of Emeralds
June is the Month of Weddings

And we have full supply of Wedding Rings, in prices ranging from \$2 to \$10.00, made to order with dates engraved free of charge.

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The Prince and Princess of Wales start on their visit to India about the end of November.

SPECIAL EXCURSION RATES

Via the Chicago and Northwestern Railway to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Salt Lake, Hot Springs and Deadwood, South Dakota, during June, July and August. A splendid opportunity is offered for an enjoyable vacation trip. Several fine trains via the Northwestern Line Information and Illustrated pamphlets can be obtained from B. H. Bennett, Gen. Agt., 2 King Street, east, Toronto, Ont.

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WITTY SAYINGS

As Heard by Justin McCarthy, Author and Statesman.

It has always been held to be rash to attempt to reproduce witty sayings one has heard, as so much of the wit depends on the manner of the person who says them and the circumstances under which they are uttered. In spite of this I venture to set down some of the sayings of some of the witty men and women I have known, and if my readers should not find every saying quite as witty as I thought it was at the time I heard it I hope they will put down the fault to the chronicler and not to the author of the witty saying.

I was traveling once with Dick Power and some other Irish members on a night journey on an Irish railway during the storm and stress of a general election. Suddenly the train came to a dead stand at a place where there was no station. Amusement and alarm filled the minds of some of us. "What could have happened?" we asked ourselves mentally. "Could the Tories have torn up the rails?" said the Orangemen who had barricaded the line!

It took a great deal to alarm Dick Power. He quietly rose from his seat and thrust his head out of the window in the hope of finding some explanation. "What are we stopping for?" he inquired of a railway official who happened to be passing just at the moment. "It's nothing, sir," was the reply, "only we have had to detach the engine." "All right," said Dick Power, "only take care you don't go on without it!"

Dick Power once had a sharp contest for one of the Irish Constituencies. The contest was the more unpleasant to him because his opponent who was formerly a political colleague had changed his principles and gone over to the other side. Dick fought the battle gallantly, according to his usual fashion, and won the seat.

On the night when the result of the election was made known Dick was sitting with some friends in the principal hotel of the place. Suddenly in came the defeated candidate, and, casting an indignant glance at Dick, he exclaimed: "All is lost but honor!" Dick cheerily said in reply: "All right, I have got the seat and you have got the honor, so we have both got what we most wanted."

Whistler—"The Master" as his followers delight to call him, "Jimmy" as most of his friends designate him—was once painting the portrait of a distinguished novelist who was extremely clever but also extremely ill-favored. When the portrait was finished the sitter did not seem satisfied with it. "You don't seem to like it," Whistler said. The sitter confessed that he did not and said in self-justification: "You must admit that it is a bad work of art." "Yes," said Whistler, "but you must own that you are a bad work of nature."

A great friend of mine, T. P. O'Connor, is known to everybody in England and in America as a brilliant parliamentary and platform orator and is known also to his friends in both countries as a most amusing talker with a wonderful power of expressive phrase-making. Some of us were talking once about a friend of ours, a member of the House of Commons. A lady who was one of the company said it was a pity for the sake of his personal appearance that he had such very large ears. "Yes," said T. P., "and the worst of it is that while they are too large for ears they are too small for wings."

At another time we were talking of an absent friend who fancied that he had a great gift for music and likewise faculty for regenerating the world. Some one asked: "Is he always playing the fiddle?" "Well," replied T. P., "I do not know that he is always playing the fiddle, but he certainly is always playing the fiddle or the fool."

Lady Dorothy Neville, one of the wittiest women in London society, is well known to most Americans who visit London during the season.

I was talking with Lady Dorothy one day about a lady to whom I was giving high praise and Lady Dorothy seemed inclined to disparage her. "She is very clever," I said. Lady Dorothy shook her head scornfully. "But," I pleaded, "she is so very well read." "Come, come," replied Lady Dorothy with a smile, "she is evidently much cleverer than I thought, since she has been able to make you believe that she ever read anything."

One night a group of members were talking in the smoking-room of the House of Commons about a measure which it was proposed to recommend to the consideration of the Government and on which we were all understood to be in complete agreement. Suddenly a member who had up to this time offered no objection and had, indeed, sat in absolute silence—though he was well known for an extraordinary aptitude in spinning out talk on the most trivial subject—broke in with the words: "I suppose there is something to be said on the other side."

"I dare say there is," Thomas Sexton observed, "and if we had a couple of mouths to spare you are just the very man to say it; but then, you see, the matter is coming up on the day after to-morrow and there really is no time." So the little group broke up—Chamber's Journal.

Teas—Oh, I like him well enough, but it's so hard to make him understand anything. Last night he asked me several times for a kiss, and I said "No! No!" each time.

Teas—Why goodness! I should think that was emphatic enough for any man.

Teas—It certainly should be for any one who knows that two negatives make a positive.—Philadelphia Press.

"You call your parrot 'Money,' I see Money talks."
"Not at all. Don't tell any one, but I call him that because nobody about the house can make him fly as well as my wife can."—Chicago Tribune.

A Time of Anxiety and Fear for Thousands Around us

Paine's Celery Compound

Will Banish the Summer Blues and Other Distresses That Make Life Miserable and Unhappy

This is the season when we hear men and women complaining about their unhappy and half-sad condition. They find that physical and mental energy has deserted them, and they are sinking deeply in the pit of despondency.

The hot Summer weather always produces thousands of miserable feeling mortals. They lack nerve force, strength, and true vitality. They cannot rest day or night, and life becomes a burden.

The great recuperator, builder and strengthener for all weary, worn-out and suffering people is Paine's Celery Compound, now so universally prescribed by medical men. When the great medicine is used at this season of languor, despondency, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, headache, dyspepsia and digestive troubles are permanently banished, and men and women go about their duties and work with a vim, will and energy that indicate health and physical strength.

Mrs. Anna Dawson, Wilkesport, Ont., says: "I consider it a pleasure to put on record what Paine's Celery Compound has done for me. I have been afflicted with nervousness and sleeplessness. All ordinary medicines of miserable effecting met my case until I used Paine's Celery Compound. Now I never miss a night's sleep. I strongly recommend your medicine to all nervous sufferers."

"For warts on cows' udder use castor oil."

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You have been told to hitch your wagon to a star—that Nature will assist you. That's all right. There are times, however, when you should assist nature, and the spring is one of those times.

Nature is now undertaking to cleanse your system—if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla the undertaking will be successful, and your complexion bright and clear.

Faults are thick when love is thin.

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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.

J. S. BLACK, W. M.
ALEX. GREGORY, Sec.

ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN

"A man always puts his foot forward—a mule puts his backward." Putting your foot forward in the Lodge means the bringing in of an application.

Organizer Kelly will labor in our interest this week and deserves our co-operation in gaining new members. Any Brother knowing of a possible candidate should give Bro. Kelly his name so that we may have another large initiation. Visiting Brothers always welcome.

W. G. ARNOLD, J. R. SNELL,
Master Workman, Recorder.

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Whitewear Sale

We want the space the whitewear now occupies for Fall and Winter Underwear. This is your time to be economical.

Ladies' white undershirts, fine quality lonsdale, five tucks, sale price 50c.	Ladies' heavy lonsdale drawers, lace trimmed, 25c.
Ladies' white undershirts, fine lonsdale, with 9 inch tucked flounce, sale price 75c.	Ladies' lonsdale cambric drawers, 5 tucks, sale price 35c.
Ladies' white undershirts, fine lonsdale, 9 inch tucked flounce, embroidery trimmed, sale price \$1.00.	Ladies' fine lonsdale drawers, hemstitched tucks, sale price 45c and 50c.
Ladies' white undershirts, fine lonsdale, with 9 inch embroidery trim, sale price \$3.00.	Ladies' fine lonsdale drawers, 5 tucks and embroidery trimmed, sale price 65c.
Ladies' fine lonsdale gowns, Empress style, tucked yoke and revers, fine muslin trills, sale price \$1.00.	Ladies' fine lonsdale drawers with hemstitched tucks, frills insertion and embroidery, sale price 75c, 95c and \$1.25.
Ladies' gowns, fine lonsdale, with tucks, insertion and embroidery, sale price \$1.50.	Ladies' corset covers, heavy lonsdale, sizes 32-40, sale price 30c.
Ladies' fine lonsdale gowns, tucked front, embroidery trimmed collar, sale price \$1.50.	Ladies' corset covers, good quality lonsdale, embroidery trimmed, sizes 32-40, sale price 25c, 30c and 37 1/2c.
Ladies' embroidery trimmed fine lonsdale gowns, all-over embroidery yoke, sale price \$1.65.	Ladies' corset covers, very fine lonsdale cambric, embroidery trimmed and all-over yokes, sizes 30-40, sale price 50c.
	Ladies' very fine lonsdale corset covers, embroidery trimmed, sizes 32-40, sale price 65c.

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Flexible, light, strong and handsome.

Laced or buttoned shoes \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

Low shoes or Oxfords \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 per pair.

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Morton's Hardware Store

COUNCIL NEED DICTIONARY

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of Robertson & McKie, for the erection and completion of the Public Library at a cost of \$15,500, providing the contractors agree to the cutting off of \$1,000 worth of contract work as specified.

Mr. Smith moved an amendment that the firm name of Carwell, Stevens & Co., with their price, \$15,500.00, be substituted for Robertson & McKie.

The amendment lost, only the motion and second voting for it.

The Robertson & McKie tender was then, on motion of Dr. Charteris and Mr. Smith, made unanimous by the Board.

It was moved by the Secretary and Dr. Charteris that the contractors be bound to have the building complete and ready by June 1st, 1903, and that satisfactory security be given the Board by contractors.

I. L. Davis moved, seconded by Mr. Twohey, that the Secretary notify the

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BARBER SHOP AT ERIEAU.

George A. Taylor, barber, has opened a first class barber shop and will give his customers the best service.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

July 22.—The Tricemen are holding an excursion to Sarnia on August 12th, by L. E. & D. R. R.

Miss Annie Samson, of Blenheim, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Ribble, North Dresden.

The grading of the new tracks of the L. E. & D. R. R. is nearing completion.

Sandy McVean has purchased a fine new Noreheimer piano.

TILBURY

July 22.—Miss Mabel McKibbin left on Saturday to take the mineral baths in the Sanatorium at Chatham.

Mrs. Kelly, of Chatham, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Coutts, on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Coutts and grand-daughter, Katie Quinn, left yesterday to spend a few days at the East.

Mrs. (Dr.) Wallace, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Shaw, left yesterday to visit relatives in Merlin.

Burleigh Campbell left yesterday on a visit to his home in Brantford.

Bert Wilson, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday with his sisters here.

Miss A. Ouellet, of Tilbury North, and M. Mailloux, of Stone Point, were married in St. Francis' Church yesterday morning by Rev. Fr. Langlois.

Mrs. R. Hill, of Otterville, arrived on Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Waddell, Middle Road.

WALLACEBURG

July 22.—Mrs. J. Steinhoff, of Chatham, is spending a few days with Mrs. T. B. West and other friends in this place.

Fred Colwell left yesterday for Detroit.

Earnestine Santamour returned last evening, after a few weeks' visit in Detroit.

Miss Phyllis Rielly has returned, after spending a few weeks at her home in Mooretown.

Miss Kate McKay, of Wilkesport, is spending a few days with Miss Laura Power and other friends.

The Baptist Young People's Society, of Dresden, drove here last evening and visited at the Baptist Young People of this place. An enjoyable time was spent at the church, after which refreshments were served.

The band concert last evening was very well attended, as usual, in spite of the weather not being the most favorable.

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BLENHEIM

July 21.—His Lordship, the Bishop of Huron passed through town on his way to Pelee Island, where he will hold confirmation.

Miss Ida Grist, who has been visiting in St. Thomas, has returned home.

Miss Jennie Ogle, of Shrewsbury was visiting in town for a couple of days.

Many who went to the Eau this afternoon, were disappointed, as the Sr. O'Grady did not arrive owing to the stormy weather.

Miss Florence McCullough, of Detroit, formerly of Blenheim, is visiting her friends in town.

Mr. Eric Bonnell, of Blenheim, O., visited his parents at Blenheim and Erieau Saturday and yesterday.

Ernest Higley has secured a situation in Robinson & Co's.

The Lake Erie has erected a pump house at the junction.

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

Rev. T. E. Higley was in Chatham today.

Mrs. Bunnell and son Mort, have arrived home after visiting in Chatham for a few days.

Miss Belle Bussall, of Erieau, was in town today.

Mrs. J. E. Volden, of London, spent Sunday at home.

W. A. Dean spent Sunday at his home in London, after he returned.

A large number from here attended W. A. Boston spent Sunday with his parents in Chatham.

C. Bragg spent Sunday at his home in Chatham.

A large number of our citizens spent Sunday with friends at the Eau.

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THAMESVILLE.

July 21.—A. R. Smith, of London, is in town today.

T. Griffith, of Bothwell, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Holman.

J. H. Lambrook, of E. S. Hubbard's house, left Saturday for a holiday trip east.

J. J. Ross, general agent for the Confederation Life Insurance Company, Chatham, is in town today.

Lon Parker and wife, of the Tecumseh House, left yesterday for St.

Thomas and Port Stanley, where they will spend their vacation.

C. Scott, of Chatham, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Mae Freeman entertains a number of young friends to-night.

Mrs. Frank Lloyd, of London, is visiting Mrs. Lloyd.

W. J. Nelly, of Toronto, was renewing acquaintances here yesterday.

J. Glassford, of Chatham, is in town today on business.

Miss Lizzie Ferguson is spending a few days in Chatham.

Geo. Hoffman and wife returned to Pontiac today.

Miss Ada Ripley, of Dunnville, has arrived home for the holidays.

Mrs. J. Howie is spending a few days in Windsor.

E. Kelly and wife are in Chatham today.

Mrs. Halstead, accompanied by her two children, left for her home in Detroit today, after spending several months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sherman.

W. E. and Mrs. Mayhew have returned from their holiday trip.

A load of young people will picnic at the Eau to-morrow.

Edward T. DeLama, of the Base Line, Camden, was killed on the track east of here Saturday night. He was returning from the circus at Chatham and did not get off the train here. On reaching Bothwell he got off and started to walk home on the track. It is thought he laid down on the track, and was struck by the train. He was 26 years of age and unmarried and lived with his step-father, John McKinley. He is the fourth of the Hodgman family who has met a tragic death. The funeral will take place to-morrow at the Methodist church, Sharp, of Alder.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sharp, of Alder, brought spent Sunday at Richard Jackman's.

Mrs. Gillard, of Wallaceburg, returned home Saturday after a visit with Mrs. (Dr.) Stewart.

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WRITES HOME

Harry Stevens, of the Canada Flour Mills Co. Gives Interesting Account of His Southern Trip.

The following interesting letter explains itself:

Fort De France, June 30, 1902.

The Canada Flour Mills Co., Ltd., Chatham, Ont.

Gentlemen,—The S. S. Madiana sailed for me, shutting her speed off to almost to a standstill, and we had an excellent view of the ruins and the smoking volcano. The trade winds, which at this season of the year are always from the southeast, blew ashes on our clothes, for a distance of three or four miles and a fine, sticky smell was noticed by all. Arriving at Fort De France all passengers and the mate, third mate and third engineer, made arrangements to take up a colored captain to take us to the ruins in a steam tug. Among our passengers was Mrs. Wood, of Barbados, who was anxious to come along. Fort-de-France is a third engineer, being a native of Quebec, could keep us posted of their conversations and we nearly had to use force to insure safety in landing at the shore. The boat from the small row boat, I never wish to sail with such a desperate crew of men again, and know what to do if necessary.

The shore is very tropical in appearance, many nice cocoanut and banana trees all along the beach. Arriving about one mile from the shore, the extremity of the city could be seen the dividing line, buildings on one side wrecked, cocoanut trees ruined with fire and gas, while a few feet away vegetation perfect and houses intact. The house containing the woman, who had the pipe in her mouth, was pointed out by the mate in St. Kitts. Many pieces of fine mahogany furniture were washed up here from the wave from the second eruption, 20th May. Our boat had a family consisting of Capt. Carbet from Fort De France. There were also other people, including small children, running along the beach and shouting. Arriving at St. Pierre the boat yelied at four looters in the eastern part of the city, and they took to their heels in good shape. Quite a number have been shot for looting since the eruption, and the country is filled with that class of people.

Arriving on shore the streets running parallel with the shore were not as full of debris as the streets farther up, owing to the heavy rains washing them. Rain has been felt every day since the eruption, and exceedingly heavy downpours of it. Going into the city farther up I went into the church which held so many people at the time of the eruption, the clock which registered the time of the calamity as 8.10 is removed, and the building is not more than 15 feet high from the ground on any of the walls. I got some souvenirs here. I located the Martiniere Bank, which must have been a magnificent structure. Its entrance to the yard was protected by two iron gates and on one of the rods was hung a huge stone, which had fallen from one of the buildings, and the rod must have been four inches in diameter. This will give you an idea of the intense heat there must have been. The convent was up on a hill, and I had not time to go near it. Up in one house were the bodies of two people, apparently in bed. We also had other bodies on the street, and human bones, although the ash from the volcano must have buried these and a great many more. The volcano burned to clear up the stench. The rivulet that was fed by the volcano and ran through the city is dried up, and the sides of the mountain look as

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Guests Are Arriving Daily at the New Summer Resort.

The opening of the new Royal Muskoka Hotel on Lake Rosseau, Muskoka Lakes district, for the season of 1902, has been a source of satisfaction to the proprietors, and the reservations that have been made up to the present for accommodation at this resort assure the success of the venture. Guests are arriving daily, and by next week, hundreds of people will be enjoying the beauties of Muskoka with the advantage of sojourning in one of the best summer hotels in America.

Among the guests at the hotel now are prominent people from Buffalo, Chicago, New York, and other American cities, as well as many Canadians. The Ontario Government, in conjunction with the Grand Trunk Railway system, is continuing the policy inaugurated last year of restoring the Muskoka lakes with parent bass. The first carload was deposited in late Rosseau, June 20, and a finer lot of bass have seldom been seen. Last year 10,000 fish were transplanted into the Northern Lakes with much success. The fishing this year in the Muskoka Lakes is good, some excellent catches having been made, the bass weighing from two to four pounds, and pickerel from two to eight pounds.

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though a knife had hacked into it from top to bottom. Vegetation is very rapid and banana trees three feet high are growing amongst these old ruins. Many scientific men from the States have been here, and I had the pleasure of meeting Dr. Hovey and Professor Jagger on board ship. Dr. Hovey has made four trips to the volcano and Prof. Jagger is arranging to visit the mouth of the crater. Dr. Hovey told me he met the prisoner who gave that story regarding the convent, and that the prisoner is in a very serious condition of health at the present time. This man seems to be the only one who escaped death in the city proper. The crater's opening is from 1-2 to 3-4 miles across and the distance is 4200 feet above the city as against 4454 before the eruption.

Prof. Jagger says a scientist of St. Pierre school, named Lovew, was one of a committee to investigate Mt. Pelee before the eruption and the report to the governor was that there was no danger. Acting on this, the governor ordered a number of soldiers to go through the city to assure the people there was no cause for alarm. But the governor refusing to allow the people to leave the city is denied. The governor lost his life, and no one while in a row boat in front of St. Pierre. Everyone here appears to have lost relatives here, one person reports 89 relatives lost, and one even reports 114. I met some who lost all their family. The agent of the D. S. Line here told me he lost two brothers and ten clerks in their schooner, and he knows Savary and Louis DeGone, he knows Savary and Louis DeGone, and says both families were wiped out. The bank lost all their papers, but are not much poorer, as their circulation of bills was large and no one failed to claim deposits while their money was safe.

Fort de France is 15,000 population and quite a nice town, but not much of different interest than the other islands, is noticeable. Hardly anyone talks English and this place is regarded the head of the island, that has a population left of 150,000. The cathedral is very large and draped white and black inside. The statue of Josephine is erected in a large park, being fitted up. About 1500 soldiers kept getting on the boat from the small two French men of war anchored near by, and probably 15 other ships.

Our next step is St. Lucia, then Barbados, then two days' trip to Demerara without seeing land. I may get a boat out of Trinidad or Barbados and return to New York, which is a six days' voyage, but if I have to come up through these islands it will take ten days longer.

Trusting you are all well and wishing to be remembered to all, I remain Yours respectfully,

HARRY.

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A Montreal despatch quotes Major Rowe as stating that the British Government will establish army remount stations throughout Canada.

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