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PRICES

That Demand Your Attention

Goods that you want at prices less than you expect to pay—that's what makes this January sale of ours so interesting, and that is what is making it so successful. Here is a list of saving chances for you around our center counter. **Come and See.**

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Girls' Fleece Lined Vests and drawers, extra serviceable quality, fine soft finish, all sizes, on sale
35c. quality sizes for..... 23c
50c.
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10 per cent. Off
Any of these beautiful Lamps. These prices are spot cash.
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SAMPLES IN WINDOW.
Prompt delivery of goods.
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NOW IS THE TIME TO ADVERTISE

TERRORIZED WINNIPEG

Doings of Mysterious Highwayman of Jesse James Type.

Held Up Six People, Entered Six Small Stores, and Disposed of Five Revolvers All in an Hour and a Half—Got \$50 From One Clerk and Small Amounts on Street Held-Ups—Police Have No Clue.

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—A desperado of the Jesse James type, terrorized the north end of Winnipeg Saturday night, when, in the course of an hour and a half, he held up at the point of a revolver six people and entered a similar number of small stores, in one of which, at least, he secured from the clerk \$50.
He started operations about 5 o'clock, when he entered Zimmerman's pawnshop on Main street, and asked for cartridges. He returned at 6, when Zimmerman was alone and asked for a 38 calibre revolver. When he got a revolver he started to load it. Zimmerman, suspecting he intended to try and hold him up, seized it.
He then went out and repeated the plan at Weir & Co's hardware store, where there was only a clerk at the time. He took from him \$50.
On Maple and other unfrequented streets he then held up six people. From one man he got \$15, from another \$5, and small amounts from others.

He entered several other stores and bought more revolvers, apparently to rob, but there were too many people in.
He then went to a pawnshop and got rid of his revolvers, five in number. At the pawnshop he gave the name of Fred Johnson, Albion Hotel, Winnipeg.
It is thought he got away on a freight train. The police have apparently no clue.

NOTED BANK ROBBER.

O'Connell, Who Escaped Many Years Ago, Brought Back to Prison.

New York, Jan. 15.—The Hamburg-American Line steamer America, arriving Saturday night, bringing among her passengers as a prisoner in charge of Capt. Saemann, Charles F. O'Connell, the famous bank robber, who escaped in 1899 from Clinton Prison, at Dannemora, N. Y., where he still has eighteen and one-half years of a sentence to serve. O'Connell is now 40 years of age. He has just been released from a German prison, where he served thirteen years for a robbery committed in that country following his escape from Dannemora. O'Connell snatched \$2,500 from the paying teller of the Fifth National Bank at 23rd street and Third Avenue, on Sept. 10, 1888, and escaped, but the same afternoon took \$4,450 from the Commercial National Bank, in Wall street, and was captured. He escaped from Dannemora, the only prisoner who ever accomplished that feat, two weeks after his imprisonment. Recaptured, he got free again and surrounded in his flight at Plattsburg, was shot in the leg. In a hospital, convalescing, he made a rope of bed covers and escaped a third time, reaching Canada, where he robbed the Bank of Quebec of \$25,000 and the Bank of Montreal of \$7,000, and fled to Europe.

He stole \$24,000 in his usual manner in Baden, Baden, and subsequently the banker whom he had robbed, called his arrest in Frankfurt-on-the-Main, where he was living expensively and was known as "the American millionaire."

Safes blown at Peterboro.
Peterboro, Jan. 15.—Burglars broke into Ald. Robert Hicks' office Saturday night and knocked the knob off the safe. A heavy charge of nitro-glycerine was inserted and the safe blown. Sixty dollars in bills and silver was secured. The front portion of the premises was badly shattered. Mr. Hicks, who lives near by, heard the explosion and looked out of his window, but seeing the lights burning in his office supposed everything was all right.
Manager Roth committed for Fraud.
Montreal, Jan. 15.—Max A. Roth, the manager of the Canadian Finance Co., was Saturday committed by Judge Desnoyers to stand his trial on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences by means of "fake" telegram to Sylvia Naud, who had borrowed money from the company.

Mr. Lowes Wins.
Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Ex-Senator McClelland, chairman of the board of appraisers, rendered his decision Saturday in the case of the four horses belonging to W. R. Lowes of Brampton, Ont., that were seized at Niagara Falls for undervaluation. After searching investigation and hearing both Appraiser Hill and Collector Brendel, who raised the question and had the horses seized, the chairman decided on all points in favor of Mr. Lowes and the horses were released.

To Regulate Insurance.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—United States Senator Dryden has revised his bill contemplating government control of insurance, and will reintroduce it in the Senate to-day. He has followed very closely the investigation by the New York legislative committee, and now expresses the belief that his bill will correct practically all of the insurance evils exposed by the New York inquiry.

Yankees Entertain British.
Manila, Jan. 15.—The entertainments provided yesterday by the enlisted men of the American fleet for the men of the visiting British squadron, comprising a dinner and a vaudeville show, were attended by two thousand persons. Admirals Noel and Trevelyan were present. The British squadron sailed yesterday for Saigon.

CLEVER FAKIR

The Alleged Cattle Buyer Travelling Through the Province, Visits Harwich

The current issue of the Farmers' Advocate, on Jan. 10th, gives publicity to the actions of a clever fakir, who is travelling through the Province pretending to purchase stock, etc., and incidentally borrowing sums of money from the farmers. Under the name of R. H. Reid he went through Elgin County, saying he was a breeder from Bruce County, wanting to buy stock.

A week ago, under the name of Duncan, of Toronto, he visited Harwich, presumably purchasing Jersey cattle. He made a sale, on paper, with W. W. Everett, but, speaking to The Planet this morning, Mr. Everett said he promised to send a draft for the amount of the purchase, which had not been shipped. He was not successful in borrowing money, Mr. Everett said.
The man is described as about 40 years of age, 5 ft. 6 in. in height, 140 lbs. in weight, with dark hair and mustache. He was well dressed in black and wore a stiff hat and prairie wolf overcoat. He spoke with a foreign accent, probably French, and was left-handed.

POLOE COURT

Louisa Jane Turner, who is charged by Miss Malady with theft, appeared before Judge Houston in the Police Court this morning. The case was adjourned until the 25th of January. Mrs. Turner came up on Saturday, when the case was adjourned until to-day. She is out on bail.
Cornelius Wright, who was charged with leading his wife, will come up next Monday for sentence. Mr. and Mrs. Wright have "made up" and are now living peaceably together. It is expected that he will be allowed to go out on suspended sentence after paying the costs. If no more rows occur before Monday.

S. S. TEACHERS

The seventh regular meeting of the city S. S. teachers will be held in Christ Church S. S. Hall on Tuesday next at eight p. m., when Wilson Taylor, B. A., Bible class teacher of Park street church, will give an address on the "Qualifications of the Ideal Sunday School Teacher." No doubt this important subject will be ably treated by the lecturer of the evening. Let there be a large rally of the S. S. workers at this first meeting of the year 1906. A registration of all the members of the class will be taken by the superintendent, D. S. Paterson, B. A., for the information of the Provincial Association.

CHURCH AND STATE.

Archbishop of Paris Won't Permit an Inventory of Church Goods.
Paris, Jan. 15.—Cardinal Richard, Archbishop of Paris, has addressed a circular letter to the priests of this city, in which he declares that he will never permit the tabernacles to be opened for the agents charged with making inventories of church goods, and instructing them to declare on their words of honor as priests the number and the value of sacred vessels, but on no account to open tabernacles.

Nearly all the bishops, including the most moderate of them, have issued letters similar to that of Cardinal Richards. The order to make an inventory of church goods is looked upon as a mistake by all except the most violent of the anti-clericals, and is believed by some persons to be the beginning of a real conflict between church and state.

Mayer After the McCurdys.
New York, Jan. 15.—It was reported Saturday that Attorney General Mayer will bring suit against Richard A. McCurdy, former president of the Mutual Life Insurance Co., to recover part of the moneys paid to him as salary. It is authoritatively said that the increase which Mr. McCurdy got a few years ago from \$100,000 to \$150,000 a year was not legally authorized. It was also reported that the Attorney-General would probably bring an action against his son, Robert McCurdy, and his son-in-law, Lewis E. Thebaud, to recover at least in part commissions that were paid to them.

Funeral of Dr. Harper.
Chicago, Jan. 15.—The body of William Rainey Harper, late president of the University of Chicago, was placed yesterday in a vault of Oakwood Cemetery. The final resting place, however, will be on the university campus, where it is planned to build a memorial chapel and crypt. The floral tributes were numerous and included wreaths from President Roosevelt, Emperor William of Germany and many other distinguished persons.

Going to Have a Belt.
Port Arthur, Jan. 15.—Port Arthur is to build an electric belt line around the town at once.

WANT CHATHAMITE

A. R. McRitchie, B. A., of the C. C. I. staff, has been offered the science mastership of the Pembroke High School at a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

When the heart is won the understanding is easily convinced.

GOOD WIFE,

TRUE MOTHER

Rev. J. W. Hoyt Delivers Excellent Address in Baptist Church.

The Services were Largely Attended Yesterday—Ordinance of Baptism Administered in the Evening.

"A Good Wife and True Mother" was the subject of the sermon preached by Rev. J. W. Hoyt in the William street Baptist church last night to a crowded house. Mr. Hoyt began a series of sermons a week ago for the evening services on Women of the Bible, and last night he preached the second sermon of this series, taking his text from Gen. 23, 2, which sets forth the life and character of Sarah, the wife of Abraham. The preacher proceeded to show the qualities and traits of character which made Sarah a good wife to Abraham and a true mother to Isaac, and drew many useful lessons and important truths for the women of to-day as home makers and home keepers. In his own opinion, the speaker said, a man's goodness and greatness depends largely upon the goodness of his wife. In history and biography we read much about our forefathers but very little about our foremothers. The history and biographies have been written largely by men about men and nothing has been said farther than a passing word about the part the wife and mother has played in the life and character. If the influence of the mothers and wives were extracted from the lives of great men, there would have been no greatness. If a man has a wife at home a sympathizing friend, who shares with him every joy and grief and bears with him every burden, he can face the world's frowns with a smile and fight its battles confident of ultimate victory. But if the wife turns against him and the home after the day's work and disappointments offers only criticism and repining the strongest man will succumb under such treatment unless he is supported by the everlasting arms of Jehovah. A good wife is the best gift of God, and a bad wife is the best agent of the devil. The Reformation owed as much to the loving ministry and encouraging words of Catherine as to the brave, thundering speeches of Luther. It was the gentle spirit of Spurgeon's invalid wife that gave tenderness to the heart and tones of the great preacher. Moody's mastery over men drew more than the world ever knew to the mastery of quiet love of which he delighted to be the servant at home. The greatness of Abraham's character and life reflects only the goodness of his wife Sarah.

Sarah was not only a good wife, but she was a true mother and seemed to realize all the responsibilities of motherhood. Abraham is mentioned in the Scriptures as commanding his children well, and there is

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Just A Word

—ABOUT—

Toilet Paper

There are as many qualities and grades of Toilet Paper as there are of cloth or any other large articles of merchandise.

There is paper put into rolls and called toilet paper that is nothing but common manilla paper. Beware of that kind, it will clog the sewers and make an expensive job for the man of the house some day.

There is ONE grade however superior to all others; made by the J. C. Wilson Co. of Montreal, and it comes in plain and perforated rolls and flat pads. This is the only kind we sell, as 25 years' experience has demonstrated beyond a doubt that this is the best and most superior quality on the market.

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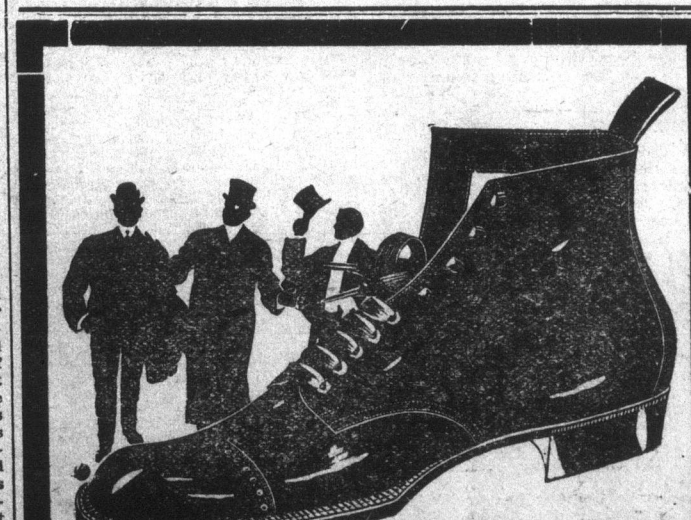
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Geo. W. Cowan

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MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1906.

SUNDAY FUNERALS.

Sunday is the clergyman's busy day. Many pastors preach twice, besides teaching a Bible class and conducting one or more auxiliary services. No wonder the Ministerial Association objects to Sunday funerals. They mean the crowding of fresh duty on the clergyman on the very day that he has the least time to spare for extra work.

But Sunday is for the general public the most convenient day for funerals. To most of those who wish to pay "the last tribute of respect" by their attendance, it is more convenient to do so on Sunday than on any other day. That is the reason why funerals are so often unduly hastened or delayed in order that they may take place on Sunday.

A pastor hesitates to refuse requests from families in his congregation to officiate at funerals on Sunday, for a refusal would be likely to be misunderstood, would cause pain and probably give offence. Therefore other Sunday work is put aside in order that the pastor may perform a duty which in many cases he secretly resents as unnecessary and unreasonable.

Is it not practicable to make some arrangement by which Sunday funerals could be held and yet the busy pastors relieved of the necessity of attending them when it is inconvenient to do so? Why not appoint a cemetery chaplain whose duty it would be to officiate at all funerals in the cemetery when no other clergyman is present? The selection of a form of funeral service should present little or no difficulty, for there are no essential differences in the funeral rituals of the Protestant churches. All are modelled on the beautiful and impressive service of the Anglican church.

With an official chaplain always on duty city pastors could with good reason decline to interfere with their regular Sunday duties in order to officiate at funerals.—Hamilton Herald.

THE STAGE

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At The Grand—
Devil's Auction—Jan. 15.
Queen of the Convicts—Jan. 18.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

Charles H. Yale's "Everlasting Devil's Auction," one of the most enduring and beautiful spectacles, will be the attraction at the Grand tonight. The patrons of the Grand Opera House ought to know the play by heart this time, since it comes with the regularity of the seasons, and it is one of the wonderful features of the show that the better the people know it, the better they like it. There is but one "Devil's Auction," and this, the twenty-fourth edition, is the crowning triumph of its career.

A MELODRAMATIC MASTERPIECE

In the way of a dramatic feast, Theodore Kramer's new and original melodrama, "Queen of the Convicts," is pronounced strong and appetizing meat, plentifully spiced throughout four acts and eleven scenes with clean comedy and cute fun.

The title is appropriate, as suggesting the incidents of devoted but impulsive and credulous love, apostasy, villainy, reckless passion, base treachery and heartless deception upon which it is founded, and the constantly deepening shadows of which are lightened by interspersed laughter, and finally dissipated by the confusion and punishment of crime, and the triumph of truth and justice.

The box office testifies to the fact that in "Queen of the Convicts," Manager F. H. Briscoe has added another big hit to his long score of theatrical successes.

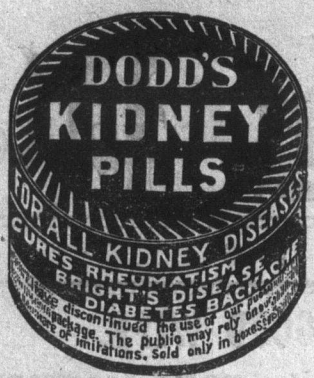
This attraction will appear at the Grand on Thursday, January 18th. Prices 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the West Kent Agricultural Society will be held on Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock.

The directors will hold their annual meeting in the morning, when the reports of the year will be received. This society has had a very prosperous year. After all expenses have been paid there is still a surplus in the bank of \$600. Much credit is due the directors and the capable secretary for this splendid showing.

An artist can always paint his wife if she doesn't paint herself.



Local Briefs

Skates sharpened at Briscoe's.

Mrs. O. L. Lewis has returned from Petrolia.

Miss Anna Faubert has returned from a trip in the west.

O. K. Watson, of Ridgetown, was in the city on Saturday.

E. L. Wedge, of Blenheim, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Rev. J. W. Hodgins exchanged pulpits yesterday with Rev. J. F. Parke, of Amherstburg.

Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire—a nice, glossy finish. Try it. Drew & McCallum.

Roger Hutchinson, school teacher, of Stewart, spent Saturday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Boulton, of Wallaceburg, were Chatham visitors on Saturday.

Mrs. James A. Ferguson, of North Buxton, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. H. J. Nordmeyer, of St. Louis, Mo., has returned home.

The design work turned out by the Victoria Ave. Green Houses always pleases, as particular attention is paid to that part of the business.

Ernest Richards, of Rothwell, who obtained high honors at the C. B. C. business examinations last year, has secured a position on the teaching staff of the College. His duties commenced this morning.

The Tilbury council has decided to transfer its banking account from the Canadian Bank of Commerce in this city to the Merchants Bank of Canada, Tilbury, for the better convenience of the ratepayers.

Miss Isabella A. McLennan, who spent six months visiting her cousin, Mrs. James A. Ferguson, of North Buxton, has returned to spend a month with her sister, Mrs. H. J. Nordmeyer, of St. Louis, Mo., before sailing for Australia.

The District Court of the Ancient Order of Foresters will be held in this city on Tuesday, Feb. 6th. The session will last two or three days.

Wm. Henry Clements, of Dover, is District Chief Ranger, and the Courts in his jurisdiction are: Sarnia, Petrolia, Dover and this city.

J. W. Shackleton was in Dover on Friday receiving the completed work on the First Concession mechanical drain, the machinery for which was furnished by Park Bros. of this city.

This is the new pumping scheme which will drain about 600 acres of land. The work cost \$1,000 and was engineered by Mr. Shackleton. Everything was found to be in first class shape and complete in every detail.

A Trite Saying.

It is a trite saying that no man is stronger than his stomach. Dr. Pierce's "Discovery" strengthens the stomach—puts it in shape to make pure, rich blood—helps the liver and kidneys to expel the poisons from the body and thus cures both liver and kidney troubles. If you take this natural blood purifier and tonic, you will assist your system in manufacturing each day a pint of rich, red blood, that is invigorating to the brain and nerves. The weak, nervous, run-down, debilitated condition which so many people suffer from, is usually the effect of poisons in the blood; it is often indicated by pimples or boils appearing on the skin, the face becomes thin and the feelings "blue." Dr. Pierce's "Discovery" cures all blood tumors as well as being a tonic that makes one vigorous, strong and forceful. It is the only medicine put up for sale through druggists for like purposes that contains neither alcohol, nor harmful habit-forming drugs, and the only one every ingredient of which has the professional endorsement of the leading medical writers of this country. Some of these endorsements are published in a little book of extracts from standard medical works and will be sent to any address free, on receipt of request therefor by letter or postal card, addressed to Dr. R. C. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. It tells just what Dr. Pierce's medicines are made of. The "Words of Praise" for the several ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicines are composed, by leaders in all the several schools of medical practice, and recommending them for the cure of the diseases for which the "Golden Medical Discovery" is advised, should have far more weight with the sick and afflicted than any amount of the so-called "testimonials" so conspicuously flaunted before the public by those who are afraid to let the ingredients of which their medicines are composed be known. Bear in mind that the "Golden Medical Discovery" has the badge of honesty on every bottle wrapper, in a full list of its ingredients. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, invigorate the liver and regulate stomach and bowels.

Dr. Pierce's great thousand-page illustrated Common Sense Medical Adviser will be sent free, paper-bound, for 31 one-cent stamps, or cloth-bound for 50 stamps. Address Dr. Pierce as above.

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The marriage tie is too often a slip knot.

Theory brings a satisfying feeling until fact faces it.

THINK WELL OF CHATHAM

Detroit Paper Discusses
Maple City's Fine Hockey
Club

Tilbury Also a Dark Horse—A Very Interesting Competition

The Detroit Free Press of to-day says:—
The Border Hockey league season opened last week when two games were played. In the first game of the season here, D. A. C., on poor ice, which marred the beauty of the game greatly, defeated the fast aggregation from Chatham, Ont., by the score of 3 goals to 2. Essex met Amherstburg at the latter town in a very unsatisfactory contest, which resulted in a protested tie, 3 points each side, play being discontinued several minutes before time in the second half. The game will have to be played again at some later date, and will not count in the league series.

As yet, Tilbury, the remaining league team, has not been seen in action, so it is hard to get a line on the playing abilities of the respective teams. It is planned to take a bunch of D. A. C. rangers across the border to-morrow evening, as Tilbury is a very patriotic town and there is generally something doing with a hockey game on. This will, perhaps, be the most critical game for the locals this year. Tilbury always had a pretty fair team, and even when last town was in the O. H. A., playing the fastest teams in the province, it was rare that a defeat was suffered on home ice. Every player knows the rink and ice thoroughly, and the fact that it is scarcely more than third regulation size, handicaps a visiting team greatly.

Captain Bruce Richardson, of the Tilbury team, in a conversation the other day stated that the team would be weaker than last year. He even hinted that Tilbury hadn't a look in against Chatham or D. A. C., but the talk appeared more as a flint than anything else. Tilbury generally has the team when it comes time to line up.

DOPE ON THE BORDER LEAGUE.

That Chatham aggregation will bear watching in the future. They are heavier than the locals and equally as fast, their fault being principally inferior shooting, which, of course, will improve with practice.

They were at a disadvantage here on account of the soft condition of the ice, which always tells against a heavy team. They have a fast forward line, and a pretty good defense. Grace in goal showed excellent judgment and saved his net on many occasions, as shots that looked like ties. A few games on good ice will put the Chatham team in condition for most anything in the league.

There is one thing certain and that is that D. A. C. will have to play with the locals go to Chatham, as they are a game lot of boys over there.

Essex and Amherstburg are well matched, though how either would compare with the other league teams is a mere conjecture. The Amherstburg line-up is the same, practically, as that of last year. At that time a local team, including several players of the present D. A. C. organization, gave Amherstburg a sound trouncing, both at the McDougall avenue rink and on their home ice. D. A. C. is much stronger than the Detroit team of last year, and unless Amherstburg has improved greatly, the locals should have little fear of either of these towns.

If weather conditions are favorable from now on, the D. A. C. team will be kept pretty busy, a couple of exhibition games a week, besides the league series, are planned. Friday night the Marlboroughs will be at the D. A. C. They are a local organization of considerable ability and promise to furnish a lively competition.

LOCAL SKATERS SHOULD WAKE UP.

While it is perhaps unfair to make criticisms in view of the poor showing the weather man has made this season, it is nevertheless discouraging to note the indifference with which local skaters look on their opportunities. President Kealey, of the D. A. C., at an enormous expense, has fitted out the finest open air rink in the middle west, probably the greatest ice area west of Montreal. The ice was in good condition last week, but the attendances were poor. The whole D. A. C. athletic field is one great rink, well lighted and provided with every convenience possible. There is a large warming room where skaters may be adjusted, cloak and check rooms, apparatus for sharpening skates and every appliance of an up-to-date rink. With proper weather, there is little reason that the rink should not be well patronized.

Members of the D. A. C. team are requested to report at the club house at eight o'clock this evening.

BOARD OF THANKS

I desire to publicly express my thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance to my late husband during his illness, and for their great kindness and assistance to myself and children in our late bereavement.

MRS. ARTHUR ROY.

The marriage tie is too often a slip knot.

Theory brings a satisfying feeling until fact faces it.

The Northway Co., Ltd. Seven Stores The Northway Co., Ltd. JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

BLANKETS—

Full bed size, clean pure yarns—
\$3.00 white wool blankets at \$2.48.
\$4.00 white wool blankets at \$3.48.
\$5.00 white wool blankets at \$4.48.
\$6.00 Scotch wool blankets at \$4.90.
\$7.00 Scotch wool blankets at \$5.90.

GREAT FUR BARGAINS—

Every fur piece in stock clearing at Sale Prices.

50c AND 75c WAISTINGS 36c YARD

Printed all wool French flannels, all wool fancy satin cloths, printed French cashmeres, in handsome designs, regular 50c, 65c, and 75c yard, Sale Price 36c.

75c WASH SILKS AT 49c YARD

Rich quality Ivory Habutai silk, 27 inches wide, the regular 75c grade, Sale Price 49c.

LADIES' \$2.00 WAISTS \$1.19—

4 dozen stylish waists in cream and colored lustrous, Panama cloths, etc., prettily made and trimmed, sizes 32 to 42, regular \$1.50 to \$2.00 each, Sale Price \$1.19.

FRENCH FLANNEL WAISTS

98c.—
Fine, pure wool French flannel, in plain colors, prettily made, regular \$2.00 to \$2.50, clearing at Sale Price 98c.

MILLINERY BARGAINS.

Everything in Ladies' and Children's Millinery, clearing at half price, and in many instances Quarter Price.

BARGAINS FOR MEN

SHIRTS—
75c and 90c fine colored shirts. Sale Price 49c.
75c and \$1.00 white shirts. Sale Price 49c.
Men's \$1.00 heavy wool top shirts. Sale Price 69c.
Men's 40c Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs. Sale Price 19c.
Men's 25c Pure Linen Handkerchiefs. Sale Price 15c.

Men's 15c Linen Handkerchiefs.

Sale Price 10c.

Men's Heavy Wool Sox, a pair.

Sale Price 12-1-2c.

Men's Fine, Pure Cashmere Sox.

Sale Price 25c.

Men's 50c Ties, five styles.

Sale Price 25c.

Men's 25c Ties, assorted styles.

Sale Price 12-1-2c.

Men's \$1.00 Neck Mufflers.

Sale Price 50c.

Men's 50c Scotch Knit Shirts and Drawers, each.

Sale Price 12-1-2c.

Men's Ribbed Scotch Worsted Sox (black).

Sale Price 15c.

MEN'S AND BOYS CLOTHING.

The best values in the city. Before you buy get our Sale Price.

Seven Stores The Northway Company, Ltd. Two Factories

THE LETTER BOX

THE IMMORTALS.

To the Editor of The Planet:

Dear Sir,—Long ago history tells of a race of kings who kept the same regiment for guards so long that the rest of the army dubbed them The Immortals. And now we find history repeating itself in Chatham in the case of the assessors, Mr. Gonne and Mr. French have had this work so long that they appear to have arrived at the conclusion that the assessorship is a mutual preserve for which no other should apply.

To emphasize this, it is said they have made a compact that bars all other combinations. Practically they must have decided that they are twins, or else a mutual admiration club of the Gaston and Alfonso order.

When walking on the street you observe Mr. French's back seems the same slope as Mr. Gonne's, and Mr. Gonne's the same slope as Mr. French's. When they go into a house Mr. Gonne asks Mr. French if so and so is a fair valuation. Mr. French agrees that it is. Mr. Gonne does the writing and quizzing; Mr. French agrees that he should, and talks about it.

Now a separation of these two might possibly mean to Mr. Gonne a deduction from his assumption of the knowledge of values, as the other fellow might claim that he did not know it all. To Mr. French it might mean that he would have to work at calculating values if capable.

These changes would undoubtedly interfere with pleasant associations. Consequently they take the position of "Gaston and Alfonso." Mr. French will not act without Mr. Gonne, Mr. Gonne will not act without Mr. French. So when they are approached by the Council we find Mr. French saying, "What to Mr. Gonne saying, after you Gaston, beg pardon, Mr. Gonne; and Mr. Gonne saying, after you Alfonso, beg pardon, Mr. French. But the picture is not complete till we have the Mayor and four of the aldermen on their knees before the two of them, joining in the chorus, "after both of you." Great gods and little herrings, gaze and gasp.

Yours ever
SHAKESPEARE.

BARGAINS IN MEDICINE.

A woman once wrote us that she was not going to buy Scott's Emulsion any more because it cost too much. Said she could get some other emulsion for less money. Penny wise and pound foolish. Scott's Emulsion costs more because it is worth more—costs more to make. We could make Scott's Emulsion cost less by using less oil. Could take less care in making it, too. If we did, however, Scott's Emulsion wouldn't be the standard preparation of cod liver oil as it is to-day.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Toronto, Ont.

Charity is often kept in the family, many friends.

Waterhouse's Bread

TRY OUR NEW BRAND
Aunt Mary's Home-Made Bread

We have installed in our bakery a new machine to mix the dough and another to mould the loaves, and remodeled our shop into a thoroughly up-to-date bakery.

We make a cleaner and better bread than can be made by hand.

Try Our Aunt Mary's Home-Made Bread It Is Perfection

JO'S. WATERHOUSE

THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA NEW TRAIN—BEST ROUTE.

The Los Angeles Limited, electric lighted, new from the Pullman shops, with all latest innovations for travel comfort, leaves Chicago 10.05 p. m. daily, arrives Los Angeles 4.45 p. m. third day via Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line and the Salt Lake Route. Pullman drawing room and tourist sleeping cars, composition observation car, dining car, a la carte service. For rates, sleeping car reservations and full particulars, apply to your nearest agent, or address, R. H. Bennett, 2 East King St., Toronto, Ont.

Good deeds ring clear through the heavens like a bell.

MESSERS. C. C. RICHARDS & CO.

Gentlemen—Last winter I received great benefit from the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT in a severe attack of La Grippe, and I have frequently proved it to be very effective in cases of inflammation.

Yours,
W. A. HUTCHINSON.

The blue of heaven is much larger than the cloud.

Sunlight soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

DISTRICT DOINGS

WALLACE BURG

Jan. 13.—Mrs. W. D. McRae gave a very pleasant At Home on Thursday afternoon, at which a large number of ladies were present.

Miss Bella Stewart entertained her Sabbath school class at her home last evening.

Mr. Thor. Napden, of Sombrs, is guest of his cousin, Miss L. Power.

Miss Mooton, of London, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Atkinson.

Mr. Geo. Grover has been appointed President of the Methodist Epworth League, through the resignation of Mr. Alex. McConnell, who will leave in a few days to accept a position as travelling salesman for a large flour mill at St. Thomas. Mr. McConnell has been a very active worker in the Epworth League and Sunday school and has also been much in social circles.

He will be greatly missed by his friends.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

MONDAY, JAN. 15

The Play that has broken all records
CHARLES H. YALE'S everlasting
Devil's Auction

24th Edition and Best Ever. Truly Wonderful Performance. Everything new but the title.

3 European Specialties
3 Wonderful Transformations
3 Magnificent Ballets
3 Stupendous Electrical Effects
40 People in the Cast
And a Host of Other Good Things

PRICES: 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Thursday, Jan. 18th

P. H. Sullivan announces Selma Herman in Theodore Kramer's Sensational Comedy Drama.

QUEEN OF THE CONVICTS!

At Popular Prices—25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Seats on sale at Briscoe's.

MPHERSON'S LIGHTNING HITS

Toronto, 9th Jan. 1906.

Notes of the circulation of the "Queen of the Convicts" interest—\$19,427.

Deposits in the "Queen of the Convicts" interest—\$1,427.

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OF CANADA.

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King Street, Opposite Market

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Deposits of \$1.00 and Upwards Received.

Interest Paid Four Times Per Year . . .

W. WALLACE BRUCE, Manager

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DENTISTS
Corner Sixth and King St.
Over the Bee Hive.
Phone: Office 317. Residence 442

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Jan. 15.—11 a. m.—Strong winds and gales, easterly to southerly, with rain. Tuesday, strong westerly to northwesterly winds, turning colder with local snow falls or flurries.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

A. Oullette, of Tilbury, spent Saturday in the city.

J. C. Ellison, of Florence, was a Chatham visitor on Saturday.

Stewart Thompson has been appointed as constable in Duart.

D. W. Kett, of Tilbury, called on his Chatham friends on Saturday.

John Anderson, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday and to-day.

Fred. Bechard, Sr., of Duart, is the guest of Henry Gerber, of this city.

His honor Judge Dowlin, is holding Division Court at Elnheim to-day.

Mrs. John Romance, of St. Thomas, is visiting friends in the Maple City.

J. L. Wilson has returned from a business trip to Tilbury, Leamington and Goderich.

Webb the Tailor is cutting prices. Don't look at his window; it might cost you a suit.

The I. O. O. F. and the S. O. E. try conclusions in the carpet ball bowling series this evening.

Mrs. Ed. Burgess, of Chicago, is visiting Mrs. John Watson, Edgar street, for a few days.

Messrs. Frank and Geo. Malcolmson leave to-day for Jamaica. They will be away for about five weeks.

Mrs. Dowdall and daughter, of Washington, D. C., were registered at the Rankin House yesterday.

Stanley Bogart, of Indianapolis, Ind., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bogart, Cross St.

Man Wanted—Married, to work on a farm, one who understands farming. Address or apply to J. H. Simonton, Mercer street, south of Fair Ground, Chatham.

The sale of home-made books at Mr. Geo. Heyward's store, on the 24th and 25th of this month, will be held by the Senior Guild of Christ Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sheldon left yesterday for Muskegon, Michigan, where they will attend the funeral of the late H. W. Lowes. Deceased was Mr. Sheldon's brother-in-law.

Wise buyers took advantage of the 2 Ts sale Saturday. People were waiting on the street in front of the store for the opening hour, which was eight o'clock.

The banns were published in St. Joseph's church for the marriage of Miss Mary Taylor, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Taylor, Queen street, and Mr. Michael O'Mara, of Chicago.

We are so busy to-day we had no time to write our ad. Come in and we will give you the advantages of our sale in men's suits, overcoats, trousers, gloves and underwear. The 2 Ts.

SAD DEMISE

Mrs. John Glassford, McKeough avenue, passed away very suddenly yesterday.

Deceased attended church a week ago yesterday and when she went home she was suddenly taken ill and lost consciousness. She never revived and never regained consciousness and passed away yesterday morning. Deceased was an estimable lady and was highly respected by all who knew her.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Regrets rarely mend a wrong done by another.

PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Anna Farrell, relict of the late Christopher Farrell, passed away yesterday in the 77th year of her age. Deceased has resided in this county for 50 years and was universally esteemed and respected.

Her husband passed away 35 years ago. Two sons and two daughters survive. They are Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. James Rankin and Christopher and John.

The funeral will take place to-morrow to the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Minard's Liniment for Sale Everywhere.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Waterman's Fountain Pens. Ink, large and small bottles, Sterling Silver Berry Spoons, Cream Ladies, Bon-Bon Spoons and a beautiful line of Cut Glass at moderate prices.

E. J. MacINTYRE

Leading Jeweler and Optician . . .

PIONEER GONE

Mrs. McDonald of Harwich Passes Away, After a Busy and Useful Life

Mrs. Janet McDonald, one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of the county, passed away yesterday in the 91st year of her age. Deceased has been quite poorly for the last couple of years and for the past four or five days has been confined to her bed with heart failure and general weakness. Death finally came yesterday and found her waiting and ready to answer the call.

Mrs. McDonald was born in Inverness, Scotland, and came here with her husband 60 years ago. Since then she worked hard and faithfully in establishing her home here and she has led a most useful and successful life. Some time ago it was the privilege of The Planet to publish a lengthy interview with Mrs. McDonald on the early pioneer days in this county. She was found to be most intelligent and bright and it was surprising to find such an excellent memory in a woman of her advanced years.

Mrs. McDonald was probably one of the best known residents of the county and she has many friends who will be sorry to hear of her demise. She was bright and cheerful to the last and passed away quietly and peacefully.

Last summer Mrs. McDonald visited in Chatham for a few days and was quite strong and active. Her extreme old age, however, was beginning to tell and since then she became weaker and weaker.

Her husband, the late Donald McDonald, pre-deceased her 18 years. A family of four sons and four daughters are left to mourn her loss. They are Geo. McDonald, Ridgetown; Dr. McDonald, Detroit; Andrew McDonald, of the 5th concession, Harwich, and James, on the homestead; Mrs. Gray, of Cedar Springs; Mrs. Hugh McDonald and Mrs. Somerville, of this city; and Miss Janet at home.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock to the Maple Leaf cemetery. Rev. Mr. Gowan will conduct the obsequies.

MACAULAY CLUB

The Macaulay Club held an interesting meeting at the club rooms on Saturday evening. President Dr. Musson occupied the chair and an excellent program was provided. S. B. Arnold contributed an excellent essay, while Chas. E. Beaton gave a most enjoyable reading.

The debate was upon the subject: "Resolved that conscription would be beneficial to the British Army." Crown Attorney Smith led the affirmative and Fred. Stone the negative. Decision went to the affirmative.

ANNUAL MEETING

The report of the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, recently held, appears on page 3 of this issue. This institution has had a most prosperous year, as will be seen from the reports received. It is a worthy bank, sound in every way. The report is a complete one and worthy of the perusal of every reader.

THE FAST TRAINS

To California are run over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours other line. No change of roads, no detours, "The Overland Route" all the way. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. Inquire of H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada, or F. B. Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue, Detroit.

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A TALK ON COLDS

Did you ever stop to think that it would be a good idea to have a cough cure in the house so you could "nip in the bud" that cold that you feel coming on? How often we hear it said: "I have taken cold; I feel it in my bones." Yes, they will feel it all over by to-morrow. How much easier it would be to get a bottle of Shiloh and have it so you can stop it. Yes, and you don't have to take a whole bottle to get results, either.

TRY FREN-AL

The new Cold Tablet—a positive cure. Contains no quinine. Guaranteed.

A. I. McCALL & CO., LTD.

Phone 178 DRUGGISTS.

BUTCHERS ROBBED

Thieves Entered Mr. Capman's Store at Noon To-day and Got \$4.00 in Money.

During the noon hour to-day, thieves entered Joseph Capman's butcher shop on Thames St., and relieved the cash register of about \$4 in small change.

Mr. Capman and his butcher, R. J. Brod, both go to dinner at twelve o'clock. They locked up the store, as usual, to-day, taking precautions to firmly fasten the rear entrance. When they returned, they found the back door open and the cash missing.

The robbers had forced the back door and crawled on their hands and knees to the register, took the cash and escaped the way they came.

P. C. Donaghy is now working on the case. Mr. Capman suspects that the deed was done by parties who are well acquainted with the store. An unsuccessful attempt to break into this store was made one day last week.

Last Friday night, also, Mr. Putnam's butcher shop on Queen street was entered in the same way, and a keg of lard, a keg of butter, a roast of beef and some change from the till were taken.

DAIRYMEN CONCLUDE.

D. Derbyshire, M. P., Re-Elected President—The Butte Experts.

Peterboro, Jan. 13.—The Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Convention was brought to a close yesterday morning with the re-election of D. Derbyshire, M. P., president. The other officers are:

First vice-president, John R. Dargavel, M. P. Elgin; second vice-president, G. G. Pugh, Kingston; third vice-president, T. B. Carlow, Warkworth;

fourth vice-president, J. H. Singleton, Newboro; directors, Ed. Kidd, North Gower; William Eager, Morrisburg;

Levi Patton, Brockville; James Whitton, Wellman's Corners; Alex. Hume, Menle; Henry Glendenning, Manilla;

hon. director, T. D. Young, Central Smith; secretary, R. G. Murphy, Brockville; treasurer, John R. Dargavel; auditors, Morden Bird, Sterling; F. W. Brenton, Belleville.

Some idea of the growth of the butter export trade was given yesterday morning by J. W. Mitchell, superintendent of the Kingston Dairy School. The exports for last year were \$9,000 packages more than in 1904, and 225,000 packages more than in 1903. The price obtained was three and one-half cents in excess of the figures for 1904.

The speaker in Eastern Ontario has kept pace with the expansion, there being an increase of 25,000 pounds in the average output of twelve creameries which had reported.

The special committee on licensing factories believed in a thorough measure of inspection of cheese and butter factories and dairies, and will petition the Ontario Government for legislation to ensure factories, dairies, etc., being kept in a clean condition with a pure water supply.

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

GLASSFORD—On Saturday, Jan. 13, 1906, Louise, beloved wife of Angus Glassford, aged 67 years and two months.

The funeral will take place at 2.30 on Tuesday, 16th inst., from the late residence, Forest street, to the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

FARRELL—On Monday, January 15, 1906, Mrs. Ann Farrell, in her 77th year, relict of the late Christopher Farrell.

The funeral will take place Tuesday, 17th inst., from her late residence, Louise street, at 3.30 p. m. to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

McDONALD—At her home, 6th Concession, Harwich, on Sunday, Jan. 14th, 1906, in her 91st year, Janet relict of the late Donald McDonald.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, Jan. 16th, at two p. m. to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

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January Fashion Show Free

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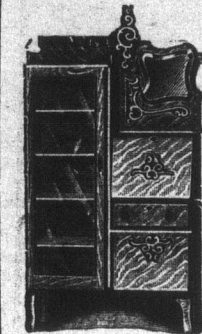
NEW IDEAS PATTERNS

Combination Bookcases

Ladies' Secretaries

IN OUR JANUARY SALE

Once considered a luxury, but now looked upon as a necessity in every well appointed home. You can save more than three times the amount your money is earning in the bank if you buy from us during January. These are not clearouts on lines to be discontinued but the very best goods in the store.



Combination Bookcase, made of the finest selected quarter cut golden oak, highly polished, new design, neatly hand carved, bent glass door, adjustable shelves, shaped British mirror, regular price \$35.00, January Sale Price \$31.50.

Combination Bookcase, solid quarter cut golden finish, polished, bent glass door, adjustable shelves, bent glass door, large British mirror, worth \$18.00, \$9 price \$16.50.

OUR LEADER combination bookcase, made of solid quarter cut oak, finished golden, polished, shelves for books, secretary finely finished inside and out, sold in most stores at \$16.00. Our regular price \$14.50, January Sale Price \$13.50.

Linoleums at Little Prices

For those who have not already taken advantage of our Linoleum Sale we again quote the prices that will continue through January:—

3 patterns 50c	Linoleum for 44c per yard
6 " 65c	" " 55c "
4 " 75c	" " 62c "
3 " 85c	" " 65c "
2 " \$1.10	" " 85c "
2 " \$1.25	" " 95c "

All Linoleums Laid on Your Floors at These Prices

In the Austin Clothing Store Our Great January Clearance Sale



Is one of surprises to men who pay cash. They find that "Austin's" methods are different. Other clothiers promise much in the announcements.

In this store we give more than we promise as you will find by investigating these.

\$15 and up Overcoats now \$12.00
\$12.50 to \$13.50 " " 9.99
\$10 to \$12 Overcoats now \$7.50
\$7.50 to \$8.50 " " \$6.49
\$6.50 to \$7.50 " " \$5.00

All This Winter's Styles

Important Notice this Week of Our Special Sale of

Men's and Youths' Suits

Commencing Saturday morning January 13th, we place on sale all our Men's and Youths' Suits, over 400 strong, at greatly reduced prices.

See East King St. Window for Samples

\$5.00 Men's Tweed and Serge Suits now \$3 95.
The \$7 50 Suits now \$4 98
The \$10 to \$12 Suits now \$7.50
The \$12.50 to \$13.50 Suits now \$9.99.
\$15.00 and \$16.00 Suits now \$12
These prices will echo throughout the city. Come and get first choice



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67 Varieties

Of Biscuits, gives you lots to choose from. They are always fresh too, as we always get them in tin, and many of the varieties we get every week.

You can depend on the high quality of our Biscuits also, only the best of flour and fine creamery butter goes in.

SALTED BISCUITS, 15c a pound

PLAIN BISCUITS, 15c a pound.

MIXED BISCUITS, 15c a pound.

FANCY BISCUITS, 20c to 40c a pound.

MIXED TAFFY, 15c a pound.

OUR SPECIAL CHOCOLATES—25c a pound, are extra nice.

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OUR...
WORK SHOP

We want you to get in the habit of thinking of us whenever you have anything in the way of tinmithing and plumbing.

We have the most up-to-date tools and machines and we employ only skilled mechanics. Then, we give every job our personal supervision in order to insure perfect satisfaction.

When you need us just phone us, write us or come personally and we shall be glad to give you our order of immediate attention.

Tin, galvanized, copper and sheet iron work of every kind. Sanitary plumbing, hot water heating, hot air heating, steam heating.

J. C. Wanless

THE UP-TO-DATE
HARDWARE MAN.CHATHAM'S ONLY
MILLINERY STORE

Rousing values for This Week.
We have a nice lot of Trimmings Hats from \$1.98 to \$1.98.
A Special Line on sale at \$1.50 this week.

O. A. OOKSLEY, King St.

BURROWS & LORRIMAN,

UNDERTAKERS
and Embalmers. Opposite P.O.
Open Day and Night.

DR. A. A. HICKS

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Office: 26 King St. East, Over
Turner's Drug Store. Phone 357

TO-NIGHT

Western City Lodge, I. O. O. F.,

at 8.

Sons of England, in their hall at

8 o'clock.

Epworth League, Park St. Church

Lecture Hall, at 8.

"The Devil's Auction," Grand Op-

era House, at 8.15.

LOCAL BUDGET

The sale proved very satisfactory

to us Saturday. The 2 T's.

Charles Butler, of Thamesville, was a

visitor in the city on Saturday.

Thomas D. Living, of Road Eau,

was a visitor in the city on Satur-

day.

Geo. T. Barry and Leroy Roberts,

of Wallaceburg, were Chatham vis-

itors yesterday.

The installation of officers for

Western City Lodge, No. 93, will take

place this evening.

You may, after all of your misgiv-

ings, be "able to buy it." Read the

want ads. in The Planet and find out.

J. W. Smith, of Stewart, was reg-

istered at the Garner House on Sat-

urday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Waffle, of Dres-

den, called on a few of their Chat-

ham friends on Saturday.

At eight o'clock sharp Saturday

morning The 2 T's sale began.

Crowds were seen in the store all day

long.

At the Park street Methodist

church last evening Mrs. Milton

Bogart sang a solo, which was much

appreciated by a large congregation.

The solo part in the anthem was

acceptably taken by Garfield Hall-

man.

The 2 T's sale Saturday was the

biggest in their history. No wonder;

the prices they sold their suits and

overcoats at should bring wise buy-

ers to their store. Sale ends Jan.

31st.

Messrs. Aitken, Watson & King re-

turned last evening from a week's

visit in Montreal and Ottawa. In

Ottawa they attended the annual

banquet given by the Canadian Rail-

way Accident Insurance Company

and were presented with a gold

watch for having the largest increase

in business for the year 1905.

The funeral of the late James

Dillon, who died in Detroit, took

place yesterday from St. Joseph's

church to St. Anthony's cem-

tery. It was largely attended by

sorrowing friends and relatives. De-

ceased was a son of Michael Dillon,

of this city, to whom the sympathy

of the community is extended.

ODYSSEUS

The Greek hero hewed his couch out of the rugged oak, and strewed upon it the woolly skins of sheep—Greek history.

Human nature loves vast contrast. When reading the passage the mind involuntarily wanders to that edition—de-luxe of the bedroom—

The Ostermoor Mattress

THE
McDonald Furnishing Co.

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LEADERS IN CARPETS AND RUGS.

January Whirl of White
AT THE GORDON STORE

Our Great White Sale opens Monday, Jan'y 15th. Underpriced White Under-muslins in great variety and at special prices during this sale to attract early buyers.

\$1.00 Ladies Gowns at 79c.
25c Corset Covers at 19c.
\$1.75 Ladies Skirts at \$1.29

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Mr. J. G. Steen, formerly in the coal and wood business here has, by assignment dated Jan. 10th, 1906, assigned all his book debts to me and that the same are now payable to Mr. R. L. Brackin, my solicitor, at his office over the Canadian Bank of Commerce, King street, Chatham. As the business is being closed up it is desirable that all accounts be paid in at once.

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Paper Makers Organize.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—Representatives of the paper and pulp manufacturers of Canada have formed a section of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Carl Rindorf of St. Catharines was elected chairman, and F. J. Campbell of Windsor Mills, secretary.

Perish From Cold.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 15.—Reports have reached here from the Klondike stating that several men have been frozen to death at Dawson City. The mercury has reached 60 below zero.

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Says They Must Die.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 13.—The Supreme Court of Mexico, according to information received yesterday, declined to grant a stay of execution received yesterday in the case of three Americans, Maston, Richardson and Hart, recently sentenced at Chihuahua to be shot for murdering several persons to secure life insurance. Executive clemency will now be asked. Richardson was at one time a resident of Belleville, Ont.

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TO STUDY THE PYGMIES

PROFESSOR STARR'S QUEST IN THE WILDS OF AFRICA.

He Will Seek Information About the Race of Dwarfs Who Live in the Forest Fastnesses of the Dark Continent—Little People the Subject of Much Speculation—Their Strange Customs.

Africa is still a continent of mystery. Though Livingstone and Stanley and other explorers have penetrated some of its darkest corners and the railroads and telegraph have invaded some of the countries on its coasts, there yet remain vast stretches of territory in its interior which are practically unknown regions. Scientific men are eager to push their inquiries among these dark and unexplored portions of the world and bring forth knowledge for the enlightenment of the race. It was to Africa that Professor Starr went to study the habits



PROFESSOR FRIDRICH STARR.

of monkeys, and now Professor Friedrich Starr of Chicago university has gone there to study that remarkable tribe of little people, the Batwa pygmies.

These little people have been the subject of much speculation. When did they come from? To what other branches of the human race are they related? Are they first cousins of the monkeys, and will Professor Starr's discoveries bear on the theory of the late Mr. Darwin on the descent of man?

The professor believes the pygmies have been an unchanged race from their creation and are not a degenerate people. He says they are in no sense apish, as sometimes supposed, and they are not as small as the people described in Gulliver's fictitious travels, for their height ranges from three to four and one-half feet. Nor are they really a new discovery. There is mention of them in the Homeric poems, and the Greek historian Herodotus wrote about them some 2,400 years ago. However, his story of them came to be regarded as fabulous, and when Paul du Chaillu in 1861 told of finding such a tribe his word was doubted. But the report was confirmed by Stanley a few years later. Recently six specimens of the tribe were taken to London and placed on exhibition there.

In going into exile for a year among the strange little folks of Africa Professor Starr takes some risks, for wild beasts abound in the forests where they live. The professor will establish his headquarters over 1,000 miles in the interior in the Belgian Congo protectorate and will carry on his investigations under the protection of the monarch of that region, King Ndombé, who is copper colored and over six feet in height. The Batwa pygmies pay him tribute. They are sun worshippers, their span of life is short, few living longer than forty years, and they develop quickly. They marry at nine, and usually a man has but one wife, whom he buys from her father with spears and other weapons.

There are few more enthusiastic students of ethnology and anthropology than Professor Starr. He is remem-



HOW PROFESSOR STARR AND A PYGMY COMPARE IN SIZE.

bered in Auburn, N. Y., where he was born in 1858, as a boy with a great fondness for bugs and butterflies. Soon after his graduation from Lafayette college he took up field work in ethnology, became head of that department in the American Museum of Natural History in New York and after service as instructor at several other institutions was chosen in 1893 as a member of the faculty of Chicago university. He is quite eccentric, holds rather pessimistic views in regard to the fair sex and was once almost taken hawked by Indians because in the performance of a certain ceremony he refused to kiss a dusky belle of the tribe.

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Denmark Claims Nelson.

The Danes maintain that Admiral Nelson was one of their race, despite the fact that he was born in England. They point out that the name is Danish and that many Danes were settlers in East Anglia. They consoling themselves over their defeat at the battle of Copenhagen with the thought that the victor was one of their own race. At least one Scandinavian historian refers to his family as "one of the most brilliant examples of noble English families descended from the Northmen."

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At the close of an address during an electioneering campaign in Ireland questioners were invited. A man was making for the platform when he received a whack over the head with a stick. He was stunned and had to be carried out amid an uproar. When order was restored the chairman rose and blandly asked:

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Notice of Annual Meeting of the West Kent District Agricultural Society.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the West Kent District Agricultural Society will be held in Harrison Hall, in the city of Chatham, on Wednesday, January 17th, 1906, at the hour of one o'clock p. m.

A. J. DOLSEN, President.
HENRY ROBINSON, Secretary.

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Liberals Triumphant in Twenty-One Out of Twenty-Six Seats—Conservative Majorities Aggregating 17,369 Disappear in Liberal Majorities Aggregating 34,090—Hamar Greenwood, a Canadian, Wins, and Sir Gilbert Parker Holds His Seat.

London, Jan. 15.—(C. A. P.)—Ex-Premier Balfour is defeated, and Winston Churchill is triumphant—twenty-one out of twenty-six seats taken from the Conservatives. These are the great trade sweep with which polling began on Saturday. The actual figures are even more astounding. Not only did the Conservatives fail to gain a single seat to offset their repeated losses, but whereas they started in twenty-one ridings with majorities aggregating 17,369 in their favor, they finished with majorities aggregating 34,090 against them.

The voting covered forty seats, and the result, when analyzed, shows that the Conservatives retained only five out of twenty-six, while the Liberals added



MR. BALFOUR.

seventeen to the twelve they had already. The Labor party had increased its holdings from two to six. The Liberal vote as, with one exception, where Labor won there was no Liberal in the field.

The Liberal majorities in the seats held increased from 8,042 to 23,150, the average Liberal majority being 1,635.

Prominent among the victors were two Canadians, Sir Gilbert Parker again led the Unionist cause with a success at Gravesend, his campaign having been conducted on lines of advanced tariff reform. He had a three-cornered fight, which resulted thus: Parker, 3,102; Geary, Liberal, 1,413; MacPherson, Liberal, 873. At the last election it was a straight party fight, Parker's majority being 728.

Then Hamar Greenwood joins the ranks of the Canadians in the Imperial Parliament, heading the poll as Liberal candidate for York City, with a population of 100,000. He has been campaigning in the city for about two years, and it is reported that over 1,000 canvassers working on his behalf during the last few days. York has two members, and at the last election two Unionists were returned unopposed. The result this time is: Greenwood, Liberal, 6,413; Faber, Conservative, 6,108; Butcher, Conservative, 6,904; Stuart, Liberal, 4,573.

What Lancashire says to-day, England will say to-morrow, is an old saying, as Liberals are now fond of recalling. What a Manchester, a Lancashire city, said seems likely to be the most remarkable feature of the whole contest. In the east division, repre-



HAMAR GREENWOOD.

sented by Mr. Balfour since 1886, his majorities, ranging from 398 to 2,463, the Conservative leader has gone down before the lawyer, Horridge, by 1,980. In the northwest division, Conservative since 1886, by 1,471 majority. Winston Churchill wins by 1,241. The northeast division changes from a majority of 706 Conservative, to 2,432 for Labor. The south division gives 4,222 for the Liberal, changing from 1,272 for the Conservatives. The southwest division, from 1,619 for the Conservatives, gives 1,226 for the Liberals. The north division increases the Liberal majority from 26 to 2,454.

The great revolution is attributed to the free trade sentiment of the cotton trade which centered, and the work of Churchill, who has been organizing upwards of two years. The defeat of Mr. Balfour was a great surprise. Everyone expects another seat will be readily secured for him.

The fact of the woolen centre, Bradford, the cotton centre, Salford, and the carpet centre, Kidderminster, declaring solidly for the Liberals had on important bearing on tariff reform.

Mr. Wyndham, a former Minister, has increased his majority at Dover.

Returned by Acclamation.

The following are the candidates who were returned for the new British

WHO IS YOUR TAILOR?

If we are not why not give us a chance to be? We have an Ordered Clothing Department that has won us hundreds of satisfied customers during the past year.

We keep a full range of fabrics in this department the year round. You can come now and see as large a collection of English, Scotch and Canadian Suitings, Overcoatings and Trousers, as we had at the beginning of the season.

SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$15.00 AND \$20.00
TROUSERS, \$4.00 AND \$5.00.

Thornton & Douglas,
LIMITED.

House of Commons by acclamation at Saturday's nominations.

Liberals.

Sir J. Kitson, Yorkshire.

S. M. Evans, Mid-Glamorganshire.

George Lambert, Devon.

Thomas Richards, Monmouthshire.

John Wilson, Durham.

Unionists.

Rt. Hon. J. Gilbert Talbot, Oxford University.

Sir W. Reynell Anson, Bt., Oxford University.

Rt. Hon. Sir Edward Henry Carson, Dublin University.

James Henry M. Campbell, K. C., Dublin University.

Gustavus Wilhelm Wolff, East Belfast.

Free Trade Unionist.

Hon. Frederick W. Lambton, Durham.

Nationalists.

Augustine Roche, Cork.

William O'Brien, Cork.

Joseph P. Nannetti, Dublin, College Green.

Patrick O'Brien, Kilkenny.

John Edward Redmond, Waterford.

Ald. Michael Joyce, Limerick.

How They Stand Now.

By A. P. A.—Although but sixty seats are now filled out of 670 required for the new Parliament which meets at Westminster Feb. 15, the composition of the House as shown by the results declared up to midnight is as follows: Liberals, 29; Unionists, 14; Laborites, 6; Nationalists, 7. This includes twenty-four candidates who were unopposed and the two candidates elected at Ipswich Friday.

The returns for Grimsby which were polled to-day will not be declared before Monday, and the elections at Cambridge University, which commenced to-day, will continue until next Thursday.

Balfour Admits Gravity of Defeat.

Mr. Balfour Saturday night addressed a gathering at the Conservative Club. He acknowledged the gravity of the disaster, but predicted short life for the Liberal Government. He urged the Unionists to continue to work for the party and the future reversal of Saturday's results.

Mr. Thomas Gardner Horridge, who defeated Mr. Balfour in the election for the Parliamentary representation of the eastern division of Manchester, was called to the Bar in the Middle Temple in 1884 and was created a King's Counsel in 1901. He is the son of John Horridge, of Bolton, and has long identified himself with the Liberal policy in England.

To-day's Voting.

Seventy-three constituencies will vote to-day, including twenty in London, and all those in Leeds and the other important centres in which the

seats of members and former members of the Cabinet, and of a number of prominent men of both parties are involved.

Hamar Greenwood.

Hamar Greenwood, who heads the poll at York, and so effects a Liberal gain, is a native of Whitby, who went to Toronto University, and afterwards taught school outside the city. He went to England to "see the country," became a temperance speaker, then a Liberal orator, and two years ago Liberal candidate in rather a remarkable way. Headquarters offered Sir Henry Cotton, an old Indian official, worthy but prosy, to the York Liberals. Sir Henry went to York to be seen and heard. Greenwood was sent with him, to enlighten the meeting. It was a case of love at first sight—for Greenwood. Mr. Greenwood is a brother of Mr. W. H. Greenwood, managing editor of the London (Ont.) Free Press.

EARL EATS OFF TIN.

Governor-General Proposes J. R. Booth's Health in Pannikin of Tea.

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—The finale of the Canadian forestry convention, which took the form of a trip to J. R. Booth's limits on the Madawaska was a delightfully pleasant experience.

Leaving Ottawa Friday night on a palatial Grand Trunk train with lateral colonial dining car attached, the run to the limits was made in the night. The pleasure of the trip was enhanced by the presence of Lord and Lady Grey and Miss Sybil Grey.

On arrival at the limits, shantying was in all its phases, and a genuine shanty-fare enjoyed, there being no trifling vice-royalty eating off tin plates with the rest. The pannikens were filled with tea, and his excellency proposed the health of J. R. Booth, which was drunk with enthusiasm. Mr. Booth, in reply, was reminiscent, and told of buying the immense limit 51 years ago for \$45,000. He has not a dollar, but the Bank of British North America financed him, and since then he has out from one to one hundred and fifty thousand logs every year since.

R. L. Borden and others also spoke. On the way home a meeting was held on the train, at which votes of thanks were tendered the Grand Trunk and Mr. Booth.

"You don't always preserve a reputation by marking it. Handle with care."

A fool and his money are lucky never to have gotten together in the first place.

The Jar of Coughing

Hammer-blows, steadily applied, break the hardest cough. Coughing, day after day, jars and tears the throat and lungs until the healthy tissues give way. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral stops the hard coughing, heals the torn membranes. We have no secrets! We publish the formulae of all our medicines.

The Urban Bankrupt Sale

Don't wait until the last moment to secure a bargain of high class merchandise at the very lowest prices. Time is getting short now to do the balance of your trading.

Best quality Raincoats, dark and light, \$6.00 value for \$3.99.
Best quality Black Sateen Skirts, \$1.25 value for 70c.
Best quality Black Cashmere Hose, 50c value for 19c.
Best quality Black Cashmere Hose, 50c value for 39c.
Best quality all wool latest style Golf Coats, \$3.50 value for \$1.48.
Best quality Ladies Vests and Drawers, 50c value for 39c.
Best quality Motor Caps, \$1.00 value for 49c.
Best quality Parasols, \$1.00 value for 67c.
Best quality Parasols, \$1.50 value for 99c.

We are clearing out this week our stock of Fine Lace Curtains at less than wholesale prices.

Furs at Less than Manufacturer's Prices
Cloth Jackets at One-half Price

THE URBAN BANKRUPT STOCK SALE,
GARNER BLOCK,
GEO. RICHARDSON, Manager.

MISTAKEN IN AGREEMENT.

Guelph Printers Strike Because They Thought 8-1-2 Hours Work Saturday Violated Their Agreement.

Guelph, Jan. 15.—A strike over a very trifling matter occurred amongst the printers of The Herald and The Mercury on Saturday afternoon. Last October a new agreement was entered into between the bosses and men, in which practically all the demands of the latter were granted. An eight-hour day was to go into effect at the first of the year, providing no abatement of the eight-hour day was entered into elsewhere in Canada (in event of which a similar modification should be conceded here), and in April a further increase in pay was to be made, in a number of places in Ontario, the same conditions applied in Guelph.

The men thought, however, that they were entitled to an eight-hour day on Saturday, and without referring the matter to the proper authorities for consideration went out on strike for the purpose, if possible, of gaining their desired end. W. S. Dingman, Stratford, representing the smaller city daily publishers' association, has had correspondence with President Lynch of the International Typographical Union, in which the latter supports the local union. The notices as to the hours of labor were posted up in the offices on Saturday afternoon, and the men quit work on the instructions of the president of the Guelph Union.

The bosses say that no demand had been made for the eight-hour day on Saturday, and that the agreement provides that in event of any differences the question of dispute should be referred to arbitration, and hence the action of the men was unwarranted.

The Hamilton Printers. Hamilton, Jan. 15.—The printers and newspaper proprietors will meet this morning at 8 o'clock, and it will be settled then whether there is to be a strike or not. The job printers have been granted an increase from \$12.50 to \$14 a week, and the bosses are willing to give the "ad" men the same, but the employers have refused to give the machine operators an increase. The machine operators got \$13.50 as the minimum, and want another dollar a week. The employers are firm in their refusal.

The Printers' Strike at New York. New York, Jan. 15.—The New York Typothetae reported Saturday: That the end of the second week of the printers' strike finds the members of the Typothetae better equipped to carry on their business than at any time since the men walked out.

At the office of Typographical Union No. 6 it was stated that the situation remained unchanged.

WITTE WARNS THE DOUMA.

Any Tampering With Privileges Granted Means Breaking Up.

London, Jan. 15.—Although the Russian situation has apparently greatly improved, the latest news from there is disquieting. There are many indications that the Government has decided on a full reactionary program with the virtual abrogation of the concessions made in the Czar's duma proclamation. Such a policy can, of course, result only in a renewal of the struggle on a scale of violence as yet unapproached.

A St. Petersburg correspondent, telegraphing Saturday evening, says the Conservative newspaper Slovo, which has close relations with the Emperor's brother-in-law, the Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovitch, announced that at the last conference of high personages of the empire at Tsarskoe-Selo, which was presided over by the Czar, Count Witte declared for the maintenance of the autocracy in full force. If the duma sought to transform itself into a constituent

assembly, he said, it would cease to be a national representation convoked by the Czar and become merely a revolutionary meeting, which would be dispersed.

Count Witte declared that he is convinced that the Manchurian army will loyally enforce the restoration of order. The Emperor is reported as having been impressed by Count Witte's confident report.

The independent community, however, especially the financial section, regards the immediate future without confidence.

STRANDED ON RIVER ISLAND.

But Runaway Couple From Gananoque Don't Wait For Rescue.

Kingston, Jan. 15.—To-day M. Parland telephoned from Gananoque stating that the soldier and the young woman who disappeared from the International Hotel there on Sunday night had just been discovered on Leak Island, three miles from Gananoque. They had been exposed ever since on that uninhabited island.

Some people who were going to Gananoque saw the man, who made signs for help. It seems that the man and woman started out in a boat owned by Mr. Munro. The ice was forming, and they could not get across the river, but managed to reach the island. A message at 3:30 said: "A relief party went to Leak Island, but the birds had flown to Grindstone Island." A fire was smoldering, and the party will likely be sent on by Chief Ryan.

Lake Tie-Up Predicted.

Sault Ste. Marie, Jan. 15.—Captain Thorn, organizer for the Lake Pilot's Protective Association, which is affiliated with the Longshoremen's Association, says that every boat belonging to the Lake Carriers' Association will be tied up next summer unless the latter association recedes from the stand it took at its Detroit meeting this week not to engage mates belonging to any labor association. The longshoremen will assist the pilots by refusing to handle freight for any Carriers' Association boat.

Negi at Tokio.

Tokio, Jan. 15.—Gen. Negi, who arrived here yesterday from Manchuria, was given a popular reception similar in enthusiasm to that accorded to Admiral Togo.

Natural Gas At Edmonton.

Edmonton, Jan. 15.—Natural gas was struck within the city limits yesterday in a well of the Northwestern Gas and Oil Co., at a depth of 1,454 feet.

Stabbed Eleven Times.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 15.—The Korean War Minister, who is staying at the Hotel De France here, had a narrow escape from assassination Saturday at the hands of a young Korean, said to be the Minister's interpreter. The would-be assassin stabbed the Minister eleven times with a knife.

Tariff War Is Certain.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—Secretary Root and Secretary Shaw frankly admit that they have been beaten in their efforts to avert a tariff war with Germany, and that unless Congress steps into the breach the country can only learn by dire experience the opportunity which it has missed.

At 65, Cuts His Throat.

Napanee, Jan. 15.—Charles Waller, aged 65, residing at Mike's Bridge, three miles from here, committed suicide Saturday night by cutting his throat. Deceased leaves a widow and several children. He has been demented of late.