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Saturday Night Hosiery Sale

40 pairs of Children's Plain Black and Tan Hose, sizes 5 to 7, worth from 12½c to 20c, your choice to-night at per pair..... 5c

Ladies' Tan and Black Hose, lisle thread and cotton, worth 25c, 35c and 40c, your choice to-night at per pair..... 12½c

20 pieces Mualine, in lengths of 3 to 7 yds., worth from 12½ to 40c yard, your choice to-night at per yard..... 5c

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Ties, flowing ends, all pure silk, worth 50c each, your choice to-night at each..... 25c

Ladies' Fancy Parasols, in cream, white, heliotrope stripes, cardinal, blue, worth from \$1.00 to \$5.00, your choice to-night at..... 1 price

Ladies' Linen Skirts, in blue and natural colors, some of them slightly imperfect, worth from \$1.00 to \$2.25, your choice to-night at..... 90c each

Another Hosiery Extra

Boys' and Girls' Ribbed Hose, in sizes from 5 to 9, worth from 10c to 20c, your choice to-night at per pair..... 8c

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Shirt Extra

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Not more than 2 Shirts to one customer.

Hat Extra

Commencing SATURDAY morning, for the day only,

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will give you the choice of 224 Nobby DERBY and FEDORA HATS. All \$2.50 and \$3.00 goods. This lot of Hats is made up of lines where we have only 3 and 4 of a kind. Quite a number of Barrington Hats in this lot.

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THE 2 T'S Slater Shoe Agents

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.

"THE BUSY STORE"

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.

Money Saving Chances

At the Busy Store to-night. Read over these prices carefully and don't spend a cent of your money until you have seen the goods they represent. The time to come for these goods is when they are advertised. Come to-night if you can, if not come Monday.

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| 4 doz. Ladies' Straw Sailors, silk bands, worth regular up to 50c each, to-night..... 15c | 2 doz. Metal Belts, pulley and dog collar styles, in nickel, silver, gilt and French gray, reg. price 85c and 90c each, to-night..... 65c | 15c to 20c per pair, special to-night, 2 pr for..... 25c |
| Fancy Sailors, worth up to 90c, to-night 25c | 20 doz. Ladies' Cashmere Hose, fine seamless quality, pure fine wool, full fashioned, worth 35c per pair, special to-night..... 25c | 1 dozen only, Men's Solid Leather Belts in Tan and Brown, 2½ in. wide, solid harness Buckles, adjustable, regular 50c, to-night..... 39c |
| All our Straw Shapes, this season's best styles, worth \$1 to \$2 each, to-night 15c | Lot Ladies' Ties, silk chiffon bows, satin and P. K. puffs, assorted colors, worth up to 30c each, to-night..... 5c | 10 pos English Oxford Shirting, firm, heavy quality, choice patterns, warranted fast colors, worth 10c yard, special to-night..... 7c |
| Trimmed Hats, worth \$2 to \$3.00, to-night 75c | Shirt Waists, latest styles, white and colored, sold reg. up to \$1.50 each, to-night..... 90c | 3 pos Pure Linen Towelling, 23 in wide, bleached finish, red or blue borders, worth 13c yd, special..... 10c |
| Handsome Trimmed Hats, reg. up to \$9, to-night..... \$1.98 | All our Shirt Waists, clearing to-night at..... 40c | 10 pos English Long Cloth Cotton, pure grass bleached, extra fine quality, Cambric finish, full yard wide, worth 12½ yd, special..... 10c |
| 4 doz. Ladies' Ties, fine quality bleached finish, silk trimmed, regular 25c each, to-night..... 19c | 8 only, Ladies' Skirts, latest styles in Linen Crash, colored P. K. and Duck, sold regular at \$1.50 to \$2.25 each, special to-night..... 90c | 8 pos English Flannel, 22 in wide, heavy firm quality, extra choice patterns and colorings, worth 12½ yd, special..... 10c |
| 3 doz. Ladies' Leather Belts, assorted colors, strong harness buckles, reg. 15c and 20c each, to-night..... 10c | 50 pos New Black Dress Goods, plain and fancy, in the newest weaves, special per yd 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c and..... \$1.00 | 50 pos Heavy Shaker Flannels, in fast color, stripe patterns 23 to 32 in wide, special per yard, 50, 60, 70 and..... 8c |
| Fancy Silk Ribbons, Roman stripes and plaids, pure silk quality, 1½ in. to 2 in. wide, worth reg. 10c and 12½c yd, to-night..... 8c | 5 dozen Men's Sox, in fine natural Balbriggan with three thread soles, also best Hermsdorf black cotton hose, with double soles, sold regularly at..... 50c | Men's O'alls in Duck, Cottonade and Denim, in good patterns, well made all sizes, special at 50c, 75c and..... 50c |
| Cushion Tops, assorted styles, in woven, stamped and painted designs, on the satene, velvet tapestry and cords, reg. 50c, 75c, 90c and \$1.00 each, special to-night..... 30c | | Ladies' Parasols, clearing to-night at half price. |
| Cushion Cords, assorted colors, in silk and mercerized, special per yd. 15c and..... 20c | | |

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.

CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE.

KNOCKED HIM OUT.

Fitzsimmons Disposes of Sharkey in Less Than Two Rounds.

The Big Fellow was Hardly in the Fight—6,000 People Saw the Contest.

Coney Island Sporting Club, New York, Aug. 24.—Whipped into insensibility in less than two rounds is the story in brief of Tom Sharkey's meeting with Bob Fitzsimmons at the Coney Island Sporting Club to-night. Fitzsimmons was the victor; Sharkey the loser. Fitz said all along that when the opportunity presented itself he would prove conclusively that he was Sharkey's superior and settle accounts for the injustice done him when he met Sharkey in California four years ago. Sharkey was equally confident that he would prove to be Fitz's master in the ring. Fitzsimmons was a decided favorite in the betting, owing to his showing with Ruhlman a short time ago, 1,000 to 700 being offered on him. When the men met to-night both of them declared themselves to be in first class condition, and they certainly looked it. Fitz had taken on a few pounds in weight since his meeting with Ruhlman; but neither he nor Sharkey would tell what they actually weighed; but Sharkey looked to be about twenty pounds the heavier. When the men came together Sharkey became the aggressor, rushing fiercely and swinging wildly. Fitz had no difficulty in side-stepping out of the way. Bob soon began feinting Sharkey into leads, and when the sailor tried his round-arm blows, he left himself open, and Fitz was quick to take advantage as he stepped inside and put powerful right and left smashes on the sailor's body and neck. He stabbed Sharkey with his left, making the sailor lose his temper. The Sharkey rushed more wildly than before, missing the swings, while Fitz was getting to him with great force and using both hands. At the close of the round Sharkey, with a terrific left swing, which landed on the shoulder and neck, put Fitz down to the floor of the ring, and Tom fell over him in his mad rush. Tom regained his feet quickly, but the bell rang with Fitzsimmons still on the floor. The spectators were cheering like wild men, and when Fitz got to his feet the men shaped to go for each other, evidently not having heard the bell. The referee got in between them, sending them to their corners, and this is where Sharkey could have finished Fitz had he had two seconds more. In the second round Sharkey, having gained confidence from his knocking Fitz down in the preceding round, went for his man as if to annihilate him, but Fitz having the cooler head and better judgment, out-generated the younger man, who seemed to lose all control of himself in his frantic endeavors to land on Fitz. Fitz stepped in with a crushing right to the body and a ready left to the jaw, while the best Sharkey could do was to swing a left, which landed in the middle of Fitz's back.

Fitz's coolness never forsook him, and he watched Sharkey's wild efforts with evident satisfaction, as the sailor was leaving himself open. Fitz stepped into him and literally battered Sharkey down with the right on the body and lefts and rights on the head. Sharkey took the count and came up groggy. He staggered back to the ropes, with Fitz hot after him. Sharkey stepped in again with the right on the body, followed twice with rights and lefts on the head, and finished his work and the fight with a stunning left hook on the jaw, which sent Sharkey down and out. It was a short but hard fight, in which Fitz proved his superiority.

After the fight Fitzsimmons did not show a mark. Sharkey had a black-eye and bloody nose, but soon recovered from his knock-out punishment. The purse was \$25,000. Betting was 5 to 3 on Fitz.

All the members of the Northwest Mounted Police on service in 1885 will receive the Northwest medal.

Wanted.—At The Planet Office, old pipe and tea lead. tf

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BOYS COMING HOME.

It is Expected the First Canadian Contingent Will Soon Embark.

London, Aug. 25.—It is possible that the Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry will soon be relieved from service in South Africa. From several sources the news has come that Canada's first contingent would be kept but a short time longer in the field. A despatch from Cape Town goes to strengthen this report. Captain Maynard Rodgers, of "D" Company, was at Cape Town three weeks endeavoring to make arrangements for the early return to Canada of the regiment in which he serves. This is taken as providing a reliable indication that the Royal Canadian Regiment will shortly sail for home.

A DOUBLE MURDER.

Terrible Tragedy in Quebec Not Far From Ottawa.

A Man Shoots and Kills His Wife and Another Man—The Murderer Arrested.

Montebello, Que., Aug. 24.—A man named Stanis Lacroix this afternoon shot and killed his wife and an elderly man named Hypolite Thomas. Lacroix and his wife have not lived together for some little time, the latter residing in Hull. This forenoon she came here by train, and in the afternoon Lacroix procured a revolver and went to the house where his wife had gone on her arrival. It appears he either dragged her out or the woman ran out, when he shot her dead on the street. She was holding her small child in her arms at the time, but the child was not injured. He then shot the man Thomas, who had called at the house a few minutes before on business. Thomas walked a few hundred feet after being shot and then fell dead. The murderer then took refuge in a house close by and refused to give himself up. Later in the evening, however, he was secured. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of wilful murder against Lacroix.

TURNED HIM BACK

A Swedish Murderer Released and Sent to Canada.

The Government Was Warned in Time and Stopped Him Landing Here.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 24.—On board the steamer Assyrian, in this harbor, is a Swede named Johan M. Hannu, who was a veritable "Jack-the-ripper" in his own country. He is an ex-convict, who was serving life imprisonment for nine murders on the other side, and was released through influence and permitted to leave Sweden. A passage was paid for him to Winnipeg, but the Canadian government agent in Stockholm apprised the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, and Hannu was traced to Glasgow, and found to have taken passage for Halifax en route for his destination in the North-West. The Canadian Government instructed the immigration officials here to prevent the man landing.

Immigration Agent Clay engaged special detectives, but no trouble was experienced in singling out Hannu among the Assyrian's passengers when the steamer arrived from Glasgow. The captain of the steamer was served with an order forbidding him landing Hannu, and pleading his own bonds to take the murderer away from this port. Hannu was at once put in confinement in a strong-room on the ship.

The Assyrian sails in the morning for Philadelphia. The prisoner is a big powerful man.

A RACE IN DISPUTE.

The Outlaw and Baden Powell Meet in an Unsatisfactory Contest.

The much talked of race between the Baden-Powell and the Outlaw was pulled off yesterday, and the difference in speed of the two boats is no nearer solution as far as the respective owners are concerned that it was before the race. Both boats claim to have won and there are elaborate and extensive arguments being used by both parties to prove their assertions. E. R. Smith has a plan of the course drawn up and is always ready to show by means of his map just how the Baden-Powell won.

The start was made about 4.30. The Amaranth was sailing about and was asked to start the two boats. As Dr. Garnet Holmes' boat, however, had no anchor, it was impossible to make the start a satisfactory one and this has caused all the dispute. The Outlaw crossed the line first and the Baden-Powell 30 seconds later. The way the course was taken, the race was just three straight runs. The first leg was a quarter reach, the second a run before the wind, and the third a quarter reach. The Outlaw led all the way and finished first.

Capt. Arnold, of the Outlaw, claims that his boat started 30 seconds ahead of the Baden-Powell, and finished 1-2 minutes ahead, so that the Outlaw won by a minute, taking the time of the race. Capt. Phillimore, of the Baden-Powell, however, claims that his craft won the race by over 100 yards.

The discussion on the race was warm and it will furnish food for discussion for the next year or so.

The crews of the two boats were: Baden-Powell—Capt. Phillimore, Ar-

chie Park, W. B. Campbell, E. R. Smith.
Outlaw—Capt. S. B. Arnold, Capt. C. E. Beeston, and Will Campbell and Chas. Dunn.

August 25th, 1900

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For Shoes may be well enough as an advertising machine, still they have nothing to do with quality. We can demonstrate to you that a shoe sold by us, at from ten to twenty percent less than the pet named is just as good.

Now if you want to buy the NAME—it's all right, you can be accommodated.



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Gas Ranges and Stoves sold at cost at almost any price.

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Toilet Sets.....\$1.25 to \$2.50
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Lamps, fancy.....\$1.00 to \$10.00
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Curtain Poles all complete.....25c

The stock of Crockery is complete as we sell all kinds and sorts of plain and fancy Chinaware and common Iron Stone China. Heaps of Glassware of all kinds. A visit to this store will convince anyone that we have the goods and the prices are right.

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DAILY AND WEEKLY
Chatham, Ont.

THE RACE CRY.

The Toronto Mail has culled from three recent numbers of *Tarte's* sons' paper, *La Patrie*, some paragraphs which will in some measure show who it is that is "stirring up the race cry" in Quebec. Here is the evidence: Mr. Bergeron is to hold a Conservative picnic in his county on Sept. 23. Mr. Bergeron ought to profit by the occasion to invite Clarke Wallace, the grand master of the fanatics of Ontario, an ally so dear to his heart, to come and speak of war and imperialism.—*La Patrie* (Tarte's paper), Aug. 18.

Sir Charles Tupper is the elected chief, "accepted and venerable," of the society of "Orangeists," and he has the same title from the Conservatives of Quebec.—*La Patrie*, Aug. 21.

In the Blue-Orange alliance the Conservatives of Quebec have conceded everything to the Orangemen, who concede nothing in return. Cartier made a different bargain with Sir John Macdonald.—*La Patrie*, Aug. 21.

All the hope of the Tory party rests at this moment in making appeals to prejudice against the French-Canadians and against the province of Quebec in the English provinces, and particularly in Ontario.—*La Patrie*, Aug. 21.

Mr. Bergeron has not yet invited Clarke Wallace to his meeting. Why does he hesitate? Bring to the province of Quebec the high priest of fanaticism, that the people may hear him repeat his anti-French diatribes, which he throws into the Orange lodges. Hurry, Mr. Bergeron, that our population may see what sort of allies you have.—*La Patrie*, Aug. 21.

The Tories of Manitoba are the allies of Clarke Wallace, the News, and the Mail and Empire, and are detestable fanatics. Can you, Mr. Nantel, chain your compatriots to the borders of fanatics?—*La Patrie*, Aug. 20.

THE NEGRO ONCE MORE.

The Detroit Evening News, in discussing the negro question from the standpoint of the recent riots against the black man both in the northern cities and in the southern states, says:

A few weeks ago, before these riots occurred in the northern cities, attention was being attracted more and more to the previous disturbances of the same sort in the southern states and the democratic party was held responsible for them. If anything, the northern incidents had less provocation, but were marked by more lawless acts than those in the south. In the latter section the whites have much to fear from the great numbers of their black neighbors, who are sometimes disposed to defend by riot the criminals of their own color who fall into the hands of the law. In the north, not only are our black fellow citizens more law-abiding than the blacks of the south, but their number also is so insignificant as to present no danger whatever to the communities in which they live. A negro criminal in any northern community does not receive any sympathy from other colored men, who desire his punishment quite as heartily as the whites.

The New York and Chicago affairs were peculiarly atrocious, for in those cases the mob assaulted and beat and bruised every negro they saw on the streets because one negro had committed a crime. In the Ohio case, a downright rebellion ensued upon the officers refusing to give up a negro prisoner, and the city building was fired and dynamited, while the mob stood off and poured rifle and revolver volleys into the prison. In the south, the mobs are content to seize and punish the criminal and never attack either the officials nor innocent negroes. Mob are mobs under any circumstances and should be suppressed with a firm hand; but the southern mobs at least confine their acts of violence to persons supposed to be guilty, while the northern ones merely run amuck. It is perfectly evident that there is no great difference between northern and southern, between democratic and republican communities, in respect to treatment of the negro, when the circumstances are similar, except it be that the northern communities seem to seek violence and blood for their own sakes rather than for the summary execution of justice.

RAILWAY HYGIENE.

A very serious question for the traveller has been raised by Samuel W. Abbott in his paper on Public and State Hygiene in the United States, in the Medical Record, namely, "How far are public conveyances channels through which infectious diseases are spread?" The facts presented to his readers by Mr. Abbott and suggestions of a preventive nature are worthy of most earnest consideration by the travelling public, and more particularly by the railway and steamboat managers. The recent death of a consumptive in a sleeping car on one of the railway lines passing through Toronto gives emphasis to the contents of the Medical Record. Mr. Abbott writes:

"He Laughs Best Who Laughs Last."

A hearty laugh indicates a degree of good health obtainable through pure blood. As but one person in ten has pure blood, the other nine should purify the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Then they can laugh first, last and all the time.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
NEVER DISAPPOINTS

chastets with reference to certain infectious diseases in 1891, showed that smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever and measles were relatively more prevalent in towns situated on railway lines than where they were in those towns not so connected. Out of 2,298 deaths from smallpox which occurred in 20 years in that state, only thirteen occurred in towns not directly on some line of railway communication. The same fact was noted, though in a less marked degree in regard to diphtheria, scarlet fever and measles. Undoubtedly there are many cases of persons having unrecognized infectious disease travelling on railways; hence, measures are necessary to provide, first, for the thorough cleansing and disinfection of cars and their furnishings, especially of sleeping cars, at the ends of their respective routes of lines of travel; second, for a careful supervision of the water closets on the trains, and that they are not allowed to be used off or near the stations in cities and towns. It is quite practicable, also, and desirable, to require that some disinfectant of recognized potency be added to the water used for flushing purposes when such is provided; third, the water supply, the food supply and the ice supply used on long lines for dining cars and lunch rooms at stations should receive careful supervision. It is also desirable that the milk used on dining cars and at stations should be procured from stated parties, and that they should be held responsible for its quality and for the cleanliness of the dairies from which it is obtained; fourth, measures are necessary for the exclusion of persons sick with infectious diseases, from public conveyances (cars and steamers), and if this is impracticable, to provide for their isolation in separate cars or compartments.

Chicago has figured it out that the dogs contribute \$5,000 a year more to the city treasury than the street railways do.

In a Vineland, N. J., shoe factory a pair of ladies' shoes were turned out complete in sixteen minutes and ten seconds from the moment the skin entered the factory till the shoes were packed in a box. Electric process was used.

If it be true that Dr. Galbraith has decided to put Mr. Gordon in the field for the purpose of attempting to oust a in Bothwell, along with the latter gentleman's many other friends, we sincerely regret it. Have things gone so well at Ottawa that Mr. Gordon should allow himself to be used for the purpose of attempting to oust a really good representative?

LANGUID
children are sick children. Their inactivity and sober faces are not in keeping with robust childhood. They lack vitality and resistive power, and are very susceptible to colds and contagious diseases.

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brings new life to such children. It enriches the blood; it restores health and activity; it gives vigor and vitality to mind and body.

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Minard's Liniment — Lumberman's Friend.

Clean up your yards and get rid of the sewage if you would not have doctors' and undertakers' bills for typhoid this fall.

The stockholders of the Lipton concern recently met in London, with the yacht-racing Sir Thomas in the chair. After declaring a 12 per cent. dividend, making 22 per cent. for the year, a part being on watered stock, one conscience-stricken stockholder arose to his feet and made a plea for better wages for the beggar and exploited workers. He was hissed and jeered and told to "go to Hyde Park." Such a proposition was certainly out of the question if St. Thomas is to build another yacht fast enough to beat the American cup defender.

WHICH IS MORE EFFECTIVE.
Ottawa Free Press.
While the rich bathe in the lake, the poor bathe in perspiration.

CHATHAM HAS HAD 'EM.
Belleville Sun.

An exchange remarks that lobsters are becoming certainly scarce. This is not true of the bluefish field or the race track.

TOO MUCH OIL.
Stratford Herald.
Millionaire Rockefeller has a dyspeptic stomach. So would anyone else who had gobbled up all the oil wells on the continent.

WILL PREVENT A TWIST.
Denver Republican.
Chauncey Depew may never be the tail to the Republican party; but he will doubtless continue to be the main wag.

HIS "DIVINE" SERVICES BADLY REQUIRED.
Toronto News.

Rev. Charles McLean, alias Schlatter, the Divine Healer, has applied for a job at the local Liberal organizer's rooms. It is a big drop from Divine healer to a Liberal healer.

A FRISKY YOUNG FELLOW.
Ottawa Journal.

That giddy young performer, Sir Charles Tupper, aged 79, is billed for speeches in Ontario at thirteen political meetings in ten days next month. Sir Charles Tupper is as frisky as a two-year-old colt. He's a wonderful old man.

CHEAP RAILWAY TRANSPORT.

Citizen and Country.
For six dollars you may ride day and night for fifteen days on the government owned railways of Switzerland. If Canada owned the C. P. R., Nova Scotians might gaze on the beauties of British Columbia every year; and vice versa. The people rule in Switzerland; partisan politicians rule in Canada.

VICTORIA'S RULES.
Exchange.

In addition to modern rules for the guidance of Queen-Victoria's servants, there hangs in the servants' hall at Windsor Castle an old black-letter document on which is printed the following:

"Twelve Good Rules found in the study of Charles I. of blessed Memory.
Profane no divine ordinances.
Touch no state matters.
Urge no healths.
Pick no quarrels.
Maintain no ill opinions.
Repeat no grievances.
Reveal no secrets.
Make no comparisons.
Keep no bad company.
Make no long meals.
Lay no wagers.
These rules observed will maintain Thy peace and everlasting gain."

BEAN CROP PROSPECTS IN THE U. S.

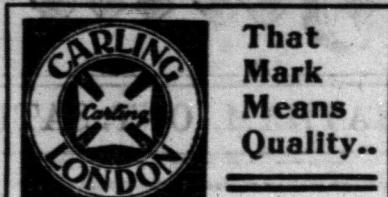
J. B. Stringer & Co.'s correspondents in New York state and Michigan writing them this week have the following to say regarding the growing bean crop.
"There is not much difference in conditions prevailing here and in Canada by information we have. The early crop of beans here will prove disappointing in quality and quantity, rust having attacked the plant, while the late crop is doing poorly. The yield will be light yield also, and excessive rains lately will almost certainly produce a heavy wasting sample, the poorest likely in years, and consequent delay getting the hand-picked article ready for market. The acreage is about a quarter larger this year than last."

From Michigan the report reads: "Acreage probable 25 per cent. over last year, weather conditions generally favorable till of late, recent rain now doing damage. Much will depend on the weather, no further rains required, when an average yield may be looked for, which is 10 to 12 bushels to the acre. Old beans are all cleared up."

AWARDED \$150 DAMAGES.

Judge Hughes has delivered judgment in the case of Mrs. Currie vs. Township of Dunwich and awarded the plaintiff \$150 damages and costs. The action was brought on behalf of the plaintiff by Farley & McLaws and was to recover damages received for injuries received by Mrs. Currie who lives on lot 19, concession 8, Dunwich, while she was walking along the highway, the latter part of January last. She slipped on the ice and broke her arm. The plaintiff claimed that the township was to blame because they allowed a pond of water to accumulate and overflow on the highway. C. St. Clair Leitch who appeared for the defendants, claimed that the township was not liable for ice formed on the highway and that the township did all they could to prevent an accident occurring.

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THE FALL FAIRS.

PENINSULAR FAIR, Chatham, Oct. 9, 10, and 11.
Western Fair, London, Ont., Sept. 6 to 15.
Camden, Dresden, October 2 and 3.
Moraviantown, Oct. 17 to 19.
Oxford, Highgate, Oct. 12 and 13.
Howard, Ridgeway, Oct. 3 to 5.
Aldborough, Rodney, Oct. 10 and 11.
Alvinston, Oct. 3 and 4.
Essex, Sept. 25 to 26.
Leamington, October 3 to 5.
Comber, Oct. 1 and 2.
East Kent, Thamesville, Oct. 1 and 2.
Merlin at Merlin, Oct. 2 and 3.
Moravian Indian Fair—At Moraviantown, October 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th.

A Veterans' Story.—Geo. Lewis, of Shamokin, Pa., writes:—"I am eighty years of age. I have been troubled with catarrh for fifty years, and in my time have used a great many catarrh cures, but never had any relief until I used Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. One box cured me completely." Price 50 cents. Sold by J. W. McLaren, 13

I was cured of Acute Bronchitis by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
J. M. CAMPBELL.

Bay of Islands.
I was cured of Facial Neuralgia by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
W. M. DANIELS.

Springhill, N. S.
I was cured of Chronic Rheumatism by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
GEORGE TINGLEY.

Albert Co., N. B.

Sir Charles Tupper has arrived at Amherst, N. S., and is the guest of his nephew, Charles T. Hillson. The Conservative convention will be held this afternoon to select a candidate for the Federal election. Sir Charles will address a public meeting in the evening.

Clover Mill

For Sale
Monitor, nearly as good as new—run only part of two seasons. Cost \$465; will sell for \$225, and take \$75 in threshing.
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1900-1901 SEASON 1900-1901

Fall Term
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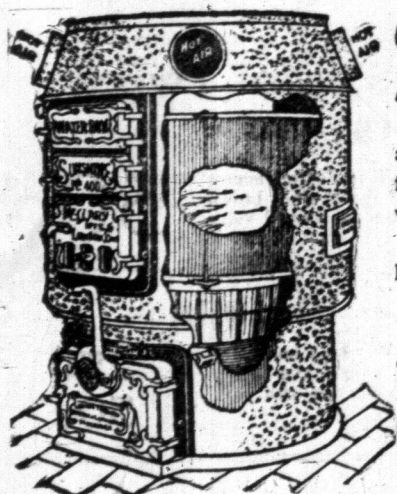
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In the Trenches From Starvation did the Garrison

At Kumassi—A Long Siege by Murderous Ashantis—Had to March Out at Last.

The writer of the following cablegram, which is the first full story of the actual siege of Kumassi, is an imperial officer who accompanied the reinforcements of Lagos Constabulary which fought its way into Kumassi the evening of April 29.

Kumassi was closely invested from April 28 till June 23, when Sir Frederick Hodgson, with most of the troops, made a most miraculous escape to the coast. The relieving column did not reach Kumassi until 15. Capt. Coast Castle, July 22—On April 18 the Hausa Constabulary from Lagos landed here under orders for 250 men to proceed at once, and with all despatch to Kumassi, where Sir Frederick Hodgson, governor of the Gold Coast, then was.

No information had been received from the governor for some days. All the troops he had to him Kumassi were the garrison of 120 men and 180 men who arrived under Captain Middleton just before the rising took place.

Preparations were hurried on. The Hausas from Lagos made a night march following the day of their arrival here. Owing to an insufficient number of carriers many stores had to be left behind. The first night the column halted at Akroful, and the next day was spent in subsidizing carriers. A short march was made, and in the evening the column reached Dunkwa.

Prabhu was reached on the 23rd. Here we waited for the stores which had been left behind. As they never came we pushed on, and on the 26th reached Monso Hill. The natives were apparently friendly so far. On the 27th two deserted villages were passed beyond Eusebia, where we found some wounded traders.

AN ATTACK IN FRONT.

At one o'clock on that day, the troops were attacked by Ashantis in front. The engagement lasted nearly an hour. There were no shots. Here Mr. Cochrane, who was wounded in the shoulder while trying to mend the Maxim.

Most of our casualties were caused by Ashantis who fired from the trees while they climbed. The forest was so dense that we could not see two yards ahead of us.

As twenty-five of our men had been wounded, we tried to remain in Bessagu that night, only seven miles from Kumassi. It was impossible to estimate the losses of the Ashantis owing to the dense jungle. On the 29th we left Bessagu, after burning it down, and proceeded on, expecting every moment to be attacked. The march was a slow one, owing to the severe powder having to be dragged by hand.

At noon we were heavily attacked both from front and rear, and on the flanks. The enemy were driven off to the rear after one and a half hours' fighting, but the position in front was very strong, owing to a stockade. Both the 450 Maxim's jammed, and ammunition for the 7-pounder ran short. After several ineffectual attempts on the stockade, the position was turned at 5 p.m. The Ashantis had all the while been firing incessantly. Captain Apin was wounded severely, having a broken arm and three wounds from slugs. Mr. Ralph was wounded in the neck from slugs. The Ashantis then came out of the stockade at 5 p.m. We proceeded to Kumassi, which was only two miles further on, where we learnt that a heavy engagement had taken place, but that the rebels were beaten off.

A SAVAGE HOST OF 20,000.

In the second attack on Kumassi the Ashantis were estimated to number 20,000. All the Europeans were now in the fort, and crowds of women, traders, and refugees were living in shelters around it.

On the 30th the cantonments were recaptured, and the men in the trenches were placed in sheltered trenches around the prison. The stockade was also occupied. The dead Ashantis, numbering 130, killed the day before, were buried, and the corpses, however, had been carried away.

On May 2 Captain Armitage with natives levies attacked the stockade by the Wesleyan mission. He was unable to take it, but inflicted heavy loss on the enemy, we having many wounded. The Ashantis subsequently evacuated the stockade, but on May 4th they returned and burned the mission.

On April 25, when the Ashantis had driven in our garrison from the cantonments, they made manholes running through the walls facing the fort, which they looped, and from this vantage fire safely on us. The walls were thick and quite impenetrable.

Kumassi was invested from April 30. The Ashantis used to spend half the night murmuring and shouting; they did this especially on the night when Capt. Middleton died, a fact which was made known to them by spies.

VAIN ATTEMPT TO BRING FOOD.

On May 16 an unsuccessful attempt was made to bring in food, there being none practically in Kumassi, one sheep being killed every third day and divided among the Europeans. On May 14 palvering took place with the rebels in order to see what terms could be made. Negotiations were broken off owing to the arrival of Major Morris of the northern territories with 250 men. He had had four days' fighting, but while negotiations were proceeding he was not attacked. Carriers going outside of Kumassi on foraging expeditions were continually killed or wounded.

On May 21, after a bombardment by the 7-pounder, a sortie was made by the garrison on the Krobo road, and also on the Accra road. Neither was successful. As our ammunition was running short it had to be burned. Mr. Leggett was severely wounded in the arm and eight men wounded.

On May 23 rations were reduced; the Europeans were cut down to two biscuits and a pound of meat, and others to one and a half biscuits and a quarter of a pound of meat. The carriers grubbed up small roots and picked leaves until the trees became quite bare.

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food, or to find the camp of the relieving column. Not finding it they returned.

The Ashanti parade was attended by 300 men, the rest could not be spared from the trenches. On the 25th Mr. Cochrane and Mr. Ralph, with 140 men, were sent out scouting. A stockade was discovered and taken. Mr. Ralph was severely wounded in the arm and ten men wounded. On the 27th Capt. Armitage went with natives towards the Mampon stockade and crawled up unobserved, followed by Hausas.

THE LAST COW.

Our last cow was killed on this day. Rumours reached us of troops on the road, which we had arranged to sweep clear of the enemy. The rumours were contradictory.

On May 29 Capt. Marshall, with 220 men, attacked Mankra, where he found the enemy too strong. Poor Marshall was shot through the heart. The rains were getting heavy. The Ashantis continued to keep up their nightly concerts.

Mr. Borthwick was now busily engaged in making bombs to throw into the Ashanti camps. The first was thrown on June 6, and another was thrown on June 8. This was reported to have landed in the middle of the chiefs when palvering as to what force should be sent against Belkwa. On June 11 a reconnaissance was made in force down the Cape road to determine the position of the stockade. It was found nearly a mile from Assafu, facing south towards Prabhu. Among carriers and civilians the death rate was twenty a day. On June 16 a rocket was sent up and a star shell. The latter was affected by the climate and showed no light. We cannot hold out much longer. On June 18 more signals were made; six common shells being fired at five minutes interval. Preparations were now being made for death or freedom.

The day on which we were to start was kept a secret, only the Governor and Major Morris knowing. Carriers were warned. The death rate now increased to forty a day, men dying when receiving rations. The trenches were used as graves. In the fort were Sir Francis and Lady Hodgson, Major Morris, Captain Armitage, missionaries and others from the villages outside, the Europeans occupying the European quarter. On June 23 we made our first start on the way down to the coast.

The escape was a miraculous one. We were assisted by Yaw Amia, the Ashanti thinking we were going by the Prampan road, and a few of the Hausas and Ekwempan, and tasted freedom after the Ofin river.

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TELEGRAPH NEWS.

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A Glencoe syndicate is negotiating for the purchase of property on Lake Umbagog to be converted into a summer resort.

John Flick, near Cainville, was fatally injured by slipping off a load of straw on a piece of machinery in his barn.

Mrs. Felix Labelle, of Montreal, was hurried to death at her summer residence at Ste. Rose by the upsetting of a lamp.

The New England Real Estate Company refused to sell Rev. R. Hatchett, of Hamilton, a lot at Union Park on account of his being colored.

George Bullock, of Bullock's Corners, the young farmer who was injured in a runaway accident on his way to Guelph, died from his injuries.

The Beaver Line R. M. S. Lake Ontario, having on board a large number of invalid Canadian soldiers from England, has entered the St. Lawrence River.

Edward Corsair, under sentence at Brampton jail for horse stealing, was given forty ears more, making six in all, for attempting to break jail and assaulting Jailor Modeland.

W. A. Gage, a prominent mining engineer, formerly of Detroit, was shot dead by Mexican bandits while on a prospecting tour in Texas. He refused to give up his money and was consequently murdered.

Nine striking metal polishers have been committed for trial at Hamilton on the charge of intimidating employees of the Hamilton Brass Manufacturing Co. Bail was furnished by their appearance.

Private R. R. Thompson, of "D" Company, First Canadian Contingent, has won the Queen's scarf, for saving, in a hail of bullets, a comrade who was lying wounded in an exposed position at Paardeburg.

Collector Milne, of Victoria, has reported to the department of fisheries that the sealing fleet this year is composed of 34 vessels, a larger number than in former years. The fleet entered Bering Sea about August 1st, and had already taken as their coast catch 16,438 seals, an increase over last year of 5,967.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

BIRTHS.

BAXTER—In this city, on August 24th, to the wife of Rufus W. Baxter, a son.

THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.

Toronto, August 25, 10 a. m.—Today and on Sunday fresh to strong southerly to westerly winds, thunderstorms at many places; but mostly fair and very warm. Monday is likely to be cooler.

LOCAL BRIEFS

\$1.58 Hat Sale to-night, at The 2 T's.

A. E. Jewett and family returned from Toronto last night.

Miss Flora C. Johnson, Sarnia, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Jessie A. Hatton.

Miss Ethel Rutherford, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Alma Smith, Selkirk street.

Miss Jessie A. Hatton, King street, east, returned home after spending three weeks' vacation in Detroit, Monrovia and Sarnia.

Miss Minnie Guy, of Toronto, who has been visiting her parents in the city for the past three weeks, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Mann, at Erieau.

Mrs. M. J. Jackson and Miss Carrie Jackson arrived home yesterday from Detroit, where they have been spending a few days with relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Humphrey returned this morning from Bridgeton and Cornwall, where she has been spending four or five weeks with relatives.

Three gentlemen who prefer riding their bicycles on the sidewalk to using the road helped the city finances to the tune of \$9 as the police court this morning. One of them had been so unfortunate as to come under the ever vigilant eye of Officer Thomas Groves who always uses his best endeavors towards augmenting the city's finances.

CONTRACT LET.

The board of works met yesterday afternoon in the city clerk's office on matters connected with the King street pavement.

All the board were present including the city engineer. It was decided to stick to the specification regarding the use of clean sand only for the concrete foundation. The tenders for cleaning the manholes were opened and it was found that John Smith had tendered at 75c per manhole, Senex Bannister at 70c and Andrew Harbert at \$25 for the whole work. As there are 70 manholes to be cleaned the contract was awarded to Harbert. Joseph Westmore was appointed inspector of the kerbing, concrete, etc., on King street at a salary of \$2 per day. F. D. Bucklin, of Detroit, applied for inspectorship of bricks. He was highly recommended by the Detroit board of works but the city board prefers to have a local man if a competent one can be secured.

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Mrs. Thos. Vince, Pine St., has returned from visiting friends in Flint, Mich.

Mrs. John Barr has returned from a week's visit with friends at the East.

Mrs. Hezekiah Wilcox, River road, Raleigh, is seriously ill at her son's residence in North Chatham.

KING STREET IS SOLID.

"Citizens told me when I first began this work on King," said Overseer Stockton this morning, "that I would never find any bottom in this street; that beneath the surface it was all quicksand, etc., etc. Now that we have dug far below the surface I find that the road bed is as hard as any I have yet encountered. It is the real hard-pan article and the pavement will be just as safe on it as on a rock foundation. We had only one cave-in on the whole street and that was during a rain. King street is O. K. as far as solidity goes, and there will never be any complaints about the pavement sinking; you can take my word for that."

WERE THEY MARRIED?

On August 2nd Charles Wesley Lisert, of Cedar Springs, and Mary Olive Ebert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Ebert, of Blenheim, left to come to this city from Cedar Springs for the purpose of getting married. At that time it was reported that they had made plans to marry at the house of a French woman named Labond, who, it is said, refuses to tell anything about it. Now it appears that a suspicion exists that no marriage ceremony was performed at all and Mr. and Mrs. Ebert are making enquiries about the matter. Their daughter is only fifteen years of age. This morning they applied to City Clerk Merritt to find out whether a return had been made to him of any such marriage, as the law requires. Mr. Merritt looked up his records and ascertained that no such return had been made. It seems now that the only way of coming at the desired information is to get it out of Mrs. Labond.

THE WEED NUISANCE.

Bill Needham, the King St. East, has a grievance, and he was eloquently airing it this morning.

"This city is just overgrown with weeds," said Bill. "I don't mean that the streets are for I think the weeds are kept well down on them, but what I complain of is the vacant lots throughout the city. I have a three acre field, and there is a lot on either side and on each a splendid crop of weeds is maturing. There will be enough seed there this fall to plant the whole neighborhood. If the weeds are allowed to continue growing, I have notified the owners but nothing has yet been done. However, when the attention of the weed inspector is called to these two lots I think that steps will be taken to have them cut."

WHAT NOT TO SAY.

Do not say, "I can't eat." Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and say, "I am hungry all the time, and food never builds me."

Never say to your friends that you are as tired in the morning as at night. If they happen to be sharp they will tell you Hood's Sarsaparilla cures that feeling.

Do not say, "My face is full of pimples." You are quite likely to be told by some one, "There's no need of that; Hood's Sarsaparilla cures pimples."

Do not say, "It is improper and unnecessary to say, 'My health is poor and my blood is bad.' Hood's Sarsaparilla will give you good blood, and good health will follow as a natural consequence."

LEAMINGTON.

Aug. 25.—Miss Edna Winters, aged 16 years, died Thursday evening, after a lingering illness of consumption.

Miss Pryor, of Rochester, N. Y., who was formerly a resident of this town, is now here visiting relatives. She is a sister of considerable reputation.

The congregation of Trinity Church, Mitchell, have approached the Rev. F. M. Holmes, of Leamington in reference to the vacant rectory of their parish.

Mrs. H. P. Jeffery, of Blytheswood, has gone on an extensive visit to Morlan, Man, where her mother and other relatives live. She is accompanied by her son.

In the baseball match between Comber and Tilbury, played last Wednesday, in which Comber defeated Tilbury by a score of 13 to 9, Comber was assisted by two of our local team. Bert Miller, trap catcher and F. Harford were shortstop.

The Wagner Fenton Tobacco Co. on Tuesday made the largest days shipment yet made. They shipped 7,000 pounds of the manufactured article, the value of which was \$3,000. It does not look as if the Empire Tobacco Co's boycott was working.

Miss Cora Brown, of Luddington, is home spending her holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Green and daughter May, of Toronto, are visiting friends in Leamington.

In the Jaws of a Lion

The gallant Major Swaine tells of being knocked senseless by a lion that lacerated his arm. His thrilling escape from the jaws of death is only equaled by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved thousands from desperate Throat and Lung troubles. "All doctors said my wife would soon die of Consumption," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn. "But your wonderful medicine completely cured her and saved her life. Satisfaction is guaranteed by A. I. McCall & Co., who give trial bottles free. Large bottles 50c. and \$1."

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SAW A SEA-SERPENT.

This Time it Was Right in the
Thames Here—Second Ap-
pearance in Three
Years.

An alleged sea-serpent was seen in the Thames yesterday morning by a crowd of citizens, including Contractor Thomas Martin, David A. Hutchison and others whose testimony may be relied on. It was moving down stream at the time and, although those who saw it could not get a very good view, they have no doubt of its identity.

"We could just see the top of its head and three or four feet of its neck," said Contractor Martin but from the disturbed condition of the water behind it we decided its body must be over a hundred feet long."

The others present told exactly the same story and also vouched for its truthfulness.

About three years ago, as Planet readers will remember, several responsible citizens who were at the lighthouse fishing saw a similar monster basking in the mouth of the river.

FRUIT SHIPPING.

The Chatham Fruit Growers' Association shipped a car-load of fruit to Winnipeg today. It consisted chiefly of apples but there were some pears in the consignment.

The fruit was from the farms down the river and the orchards about the city. Another car of fruit will be collected from the farms and shipped to Winnipeg.

Word has been received that the car of fruit shipped last week arrived in good condition with the exception of some of the tomatoes which were too ripe when shipped.

TO-DAY'S LATEST.

From some official papers which have been found it appears that the Transvaal Boers suffered losses between January 2 and June 30 to the total of over 7,000. Of these the deaths numbered 1,000.

The following despatch has been received at the War Office from Lord Roberts:—

"Pretoria, Thursday, Aug. 23.—Baden-Powell rescued one hundred British prisoners at Warm Baths on August 22, and captured 25 Boers and a German artillery officer."

"Buller's casualties August 21 were seven men killed, and Capt. Eilershaw and 21 men wounded and five missing."

"Kitchener, August 22, had eight casualties."

"While reconnoitering in the Komati Valley Rundle found 140,000 rounds of ammunition buried."

"The columns pursuing De Wet made wonderful marches. Col. MacKinnon covered 224 miles in fourteen days."

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Made from fancy English vestings, double breasted style, neat patterns, all sizes, 34 to 44, and are worth reg. \$1.25 and \$1.50, stylish up-to-date goods.

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Made from nice quality plain white cotton, plain good quality pearl buttons, extra full length and width, all sizes, very special value at.

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Made from very fine quality white cambric, handsomely trimmed in pretty shades red, white and blue finishing braid, extra length and width, the new shape collar, all sizes, they are beauties at

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Just opened up this week, made from honest wearing tweeds, neat gray and brown checks, all sizes from 22 to 33, special value at

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Nobby styles, suitable for boys and girls, just right for present season, and pretty styles in tams and caps for the wee lads, prices range

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II.—Manufacturers Ends of Canton Flannels, from 1 to 10 yds. in each piece, worth 8c, 10c, 15c yd., our special clearing price is per yd..... 6c, 8c and 10c

III.—1 piece only, 66 in. half bleached table damask, extra heavy quality, rose bud pattern, worth 50c yd..... 40c

IV.—Special, 19x19 Bleached Table Napkins, choice patterns, at per doz..... \$1.00

V.—Full 36 in. English Flannelettes, soft finish, choice range of patterns, at per yard..... 10c

VI.—Hundreds of yards of extra heavy dark Flannelette Shirts, stripes or checks, worth 12 1/2c, here only per yd..... 10c

VII.—25c White Curtain Muslins, 48 in. wide, red or yellow coin spot patterns, at per yard..... 20c

VIII.—5 dozen 20x34 in. Unbleached Honey-comb Towels, each..... 5c

IX.—New Indigo Prints, choice patterns, soft finished cloth, per yd..... 10c

X.—The best in the trade, 35 in. heavy unbleached sheeting, soft even yarns, special at per yd..... 5c

XI.—27 in. Furniture Chints, dark grounds, choice designs, worth 12 1/2c regular, good washing colors, per yd. only..... 10c

XII.—150 yds. Fancy American Check Gingham, suitable for children's frocks, fast colors, per yd. only..... 9c

XIII.—Emblematic Table Linen, half bleached, pure flax, rose thistle and harp patterns, 60 in. wide, special at per yd..... 50c

XIV.—10 dozen Fine Linen Towels, hemmed ends, were 10c, clearing at each..... 9c

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For Conspiracy and Breaking His Parole to the British.

Dewet, When Headed off by Baden-Powell, Had to Abandon His Supply Train.

London, Aug. 25.—A special dispatch from Pretoria says that Lieut. Cordua was shot yesterday (Friday) afternoon. Earlier dispatches announced that Lord Roberts had confirmed the sentence of death imposed on Cordua, for complicity in a conspiracy to kidnap Lord Roberts and kill British officers.

Dr. Leyds and the Boer envoys have sent from St. Petersburg to Lord Salisbury a strong protest against the latest proclamation of Lord Roberts, maintaining that they violate every sense of right and all the principles of international law.

Gen. Baden-Powell, according to a dispatch to the Standard from Pretoria, dated Aug. 23, headed off Gen. Dewet, preventing his junction with the main body of the enemy.

Dewet abandoned his transport and took to the hills, his commando dispersing, some trekking south.

Lord Kitchener has returned to Pretoria.

ANOTHER SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE C. C. I.

Dwight A. Walker has been successful in winning the sixth general proficiency (Edward Baker) scholarship, obtaining first class honors in Latin, mathematics, physics, chemistry and history, and second class honors in English and French. He is entitled also to a senior leaving certificate, Parts I and II. This is a very satisfactory result for one year's preparation of the honor work. Most scholarship candidates who are successful spend at least two years on this extensive and difficult course. Mr. Walker is the son of Rev. James Walker, of Louisville.

W. H. Roberts obtains first class honors at the same examination in Greek, Latin and physics. He also carries off a senior leaving certificate, Parts I and II.

F. W. Hall is awarded second class honors in English, Latin, physics and chemistry in matriculation work.

Fletcher Simples and Kindergarten musical system is now a feature of the Conservatory of Music curriculum. All interested in the system for young children may receive all information in Conservatory prospectus.

A MYSTERIOUS INCIDENT.

S. J. Watts, of Toronto, formerly an old Chatham boy, is in the city. He tells a rather odd story in regard to the death of the late Robert O'Neill, brother of C. J. O'Neill, of this city.

"About the year 1880, Mr. O'Neill and myself were engaged," said Mr. Watts, "We, however, drifted apart, he going to Chicago and I to Windsor. We corresponded for a time but, as the years rolled by, the letters became fewer and finally ceased. One day I was sitting in my office when suddenly, as if by inspiration, the memory of my old friend O'Neill came to me."

"I felt I ought to write to him, and I did so, and the next day stamped, sealed and addressed the letter. However, I never posted it. I took it to the office when I was about to post it something. I know not what, deterred me. I couldn't explain why I didn't send the letter, but the next day the papers contained an announcement of the death of Mr. O'Neill in Chicago."

"I was somewhat startled. I can tell you, by the singular coincidence, if that is what it is, I have often thought of the matter since, but can offer no tangible explanation."

A Swede named Hamm, who has committed nine murders in Sweden, arrived at Halifax on board the liner Assarian from Liverpool. He was arrested and will be sent back to England.

It has been decided to hold a big Conservative mass Meeting in Montreal on Sept. 10th, in honor of Sir Chas. Tupper and Hon. Hugh John Macdonald. The meeting, which will be held in the Windsor Hall, will be addressed by the Conservative leaders.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. If Miss E. Stark is spending a few days with friends in Meriville.

Tonight 7c, will buy any colored shirt in the 2 T's store.

The usual band concert excursion will be run to Port Lambton on Monday night.

Office Boy Wanted—Apply to Lewis & Richards, Oddfellows' Temple.

Miss Pray Pope, Adelaide street, is visiting friends in Raleigh.

Tonight 50c, 75c, and 90c. colored shirts for 2c, at The 2 T's.

Miss Smith, Montreal, and Miss McLachlan, Tilbury, are guests of their cousin, Mrs. W. Laird, Grey.

Milton Beach is making a shipment of apples and peaches to Winnipeg today.

Bert McLaren is able to be around again after being confined to his bed for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sheldrick left for Chicago last evening and will return about Wednesday.

John Bray, son of Dr. J. L. Bray, of this city, has been moved from Amherst, N. S., to London, Ont.

Miss Isabelle Morrison, of Hammond, Ind., is visiting with her cousins, the Misses Reid, Stanley avenue.

Miss Drake, of Ridgeway, who has been the guest of Miss Lou Jackson at Pine Lawn, has returned home.

A son of Rev. Mr. Brown, of Blenheim, has been successfully operated upon for appendicitis at London.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. McKee and Mr. and Mrs. James Scott Gray will sail from New York per Cunard liner Lucania on September 8th for the old land. They will be absent in Europe for a couple of months.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Mitchell, of Loch Fyne, Argyleshire, Scotland, and John Mitchell, Glenora, who have been the guests of Wm. Robertson, Baxter street, left for the east last evening.

The Ladies' Assisting Society of the Public General Hospital, will meet on Monday at 3.30 at the residence of Mrs. T. K. Holmes, King street.

J. W. Plewes, the recently appointed principal of the Central and Model Schools, is moving his household effects into the city from Wallaceburg.

Additional results of the Cambridge matriculation give the name of Elmer McKenzie for Pt. I. and E. W. Shaw for Pt. II. starred in French composition.

Miss Ida St. C. Colles is visiting with friends in Toronto, Ontario, and other points East. Mrs. Colles has returned from visiting relatives in the vicinity of London.

Tonight \$1.58 will buy one of 242 odd Derby \$2.50 and \$3, at The 2 T's.

Thos. Baker, Park St., who had two fingers of his right hand amputated by the chain of his bicycle last Thursday is much improved today.

Students competing for musical honors must enrol at Conservatory, on or before Saturday Sept. 15th, to be eligible to compete.

Mrs. J. S. O'Brien and Clara returned to Ash Arbor today after a visit to the Lake Erie R.R. to secure coaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Manson Campbell have returned from a pleasure trip to Duluth. While in that city Mr. Campbell met George Ryle, formerly of the G. T. R. offices here.

Harry Rutley, of Montreal, formerly of the C. P. R. offices here, arrived in the city today on his vacation trip. Mr. Rutley will spend a couple of weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rutley, at Erieau.

The now famous mineral well was tested Thursday evening in the presence of a large number of spectators. When the plug was removed the water shot into the air a distance of about fourteen feet.

An exceedingly large crowd took in the entertainment to the Eau Claire Hotel. Everyone enjoyed themselves. The City Band, under the direction of Harry Philip, played splendid music and then the train arrived in Chatham on time.

Nathaniel Parsons, a farmer near Jarvis, lost his life by slipping into the cylinder of his threshing machine. He went over the top of the machine and retained something gave way, allowing his leg to get into the machine. He only lived a few minutes after the accident.

The barmaids have gone from the American Hotel, Windsor. The experiment has proved a failure. J. H. Watson has purchased a half interest in the hotel, and with his entrance into the business the girls have gone.

Douglas stated that the reason they were discharged was because they could not wait on the customers fast enough.

G. H. D. Sutherland, a former Windsor newspaper man, has been appointed general manager of the Clondyke Plaster & Development Co., of Windsor, and will start to day for the company's claims at Atlin, B. C.

Upon arrival he will engage a gang of men to sluice out pay dirt which was mined last winter and afterwards will prospect a 400-acre tract of hydraulic property owned by the same company. This will be Mr. Sutherland's second trip to the gold fields.

A destructive fire was narrowly averted at A. McKillop & Sons' sawmill, West Lorne, Monday evening. Two men from London were repairing the boiler, and the fire is supposed to have been caused by a spark from a portable forge the men had been using during the day. The engine room and mill were damaged to the extent of possibly \$200.

The heroic efforts of the citizens was the total destruction of the mill prevented.

Several people in Clachan neighborhood suffered from a severe cold storm on Monday afternoon. D. D. Ferguson, of the 2nd Con., Aldboro, had his large barn struck by lightning and before anything could be done it was a mass of ruins.

All this year's grain was destroyed, together with the straw. Mr. Ferguson's barn will be very heavy. J. H. Trear, the Big Store, Clachan, also had his stable struck and damaged, tearing one corner almost off and injuring a horse.

Fire started on the roof, but was put out before much damage was done.

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Fancy Figured Silk Poplins \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50
All-wool Black Serge, special values 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1
Black Zibeline Cloths, (the latest) \$1.25 yd

Cheviots, Vigoureux, Homespuns, Veneziens, Broadcloths, Plaids, etc., in all the latest colors and shades—primest qualities at lowest prices.

New Cotton Goods for Fall Wear

Dark Prints, colors guaranteed 5c, 8c, 10c, 12c
Dark Fancy Wrapperettes 8c, 10c, 12c

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BOXERS ROUTED.

Allies Carry and Destroy a Village Full of Them.

Empress Dowager Reported to Have Returned to Peking—The Emperor Found.

London, Saturday, Aug. 25, 3.45 a.m.—Five hundred American troops participated in a signal defeat of Boxers outside Tien Tsin Aug. 19. The fact is briefly reported from Vienna. Details of the engagement come from the Reuter agent at Tien Tsin, in a despatch dated Aug. 20. In addition to the Americans the force consisted of 375 British and 200 Japanese, all under the British Gen. Howard. The fight took place at a village six miles from Tien Tsin, where the allied forces found a considerable number of Boxers, whom they engaged, killing over 300 and taking 64 wounded prisoners, who were sent to the hospitals of the allies. The village was burned. The Americans had five wounded. The Japanese six and the British none. Hundreds of Boxers fled, spears and swords were captured.

From Shanghai comes a report, qualified by the assertion that it is from purely Chinese sources, that the Empress Dowager, after proceeding on a day's journey from Peking, became terrified at the looting by Gen. Tung Fuh Shiang's troops, and went back to Peking.

A Chinese telegram from Tsaiwan Fu says that Prince Tuan has been captured by a detachment of the allies. Other Chinese messages record the formation of a provisional government in Peking, by the allies, but this appears to be a purely military measure and merely an elaboration of the scheme for dividing the city into sections for police purposes.

Li Huan Chang has received word that the allies entered Peking easily because the troops of Gen. Tung Fuh Shiang utterly refused to face the allies. According to the Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Express, Earl Li, recognizing the futility of an attempt to drive the foreigners from China, now professes conversion to reform principles.

Shanghai advises announce the receipt there of a Chinese official despatch, asserting that Emperor Kwang Su has been found and rescued by the Japanese.

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Dr. Talmage, by Original Methods, Calculates Spiritual and Earthly Values, and Urges a Higher Appreciation of Things Religious.

Washington, Aug. 19.—From Berlin, where he preached in the American church to a great congregation, comprising many of his countrymen who are traveling through Europe, Dr. Talmage sends this discourse, in which, by original methods, he calculates spiritual values and urges higher appreciation of things religious. The text is Mark viii, 36, "What shall it profit a man if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?"

Men of all occupations are to be found in the assemblies of the house of God, but in these days of extensive business operations a large proportion are engaged from Monday morning to Saturday night in bargain making. In many of the families across the breakfast table are discussed questions of loss and gain. You are every day asking yourself: "What is the value of this? What is the value of that?" You would not think of giving something of greater value for that which is of lesser value. You would not think of selling that which cost you \$10 for \$5. If you had a property that was worth \$15,000, you would not sell it for \$10,000. You are intelligent in all matters of bargain making. Are you as wise in the things that pertain to the matters of the soul? Christ adapted his instructions to the circumstances of those to whom he spoke. When he talked to fishermen he spoke of the gospel net. When he talked to the farmers, he said, "A sower went forth to sow." When he talked to the shepherds, he told the parable of the lost sheep. And now, I not right, when speaking to an audience made up of bargain makers, that I address them in the words of my text, asking, "What shall it profit a man if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?"

I propose, as far as possible, to estimate and compare the value of the two properties.

First, I have to say that the world is a very grand property. Its flowers are God's thought in bloom; its rocks are God's thoughts in stone; its dewdrops are God's thoughts in pearl. This world is God's child—a wayward child, indeed. It has wandered off through the heavens. But about 1,900 years ago, one Christmas night, God sent out a sister world to call that wanderer back, and it hung over Bethlehem only long enough to get the promise of the wanderer's return, and now that lost world, with soft feet of light, comes treading back through the heavens. The hills—how beautiful they billow up the edge of the wave white with the foam of clouds! How beautiful the rainbow, the arched bridge on which heaven and earth come and talk to each other in tears after the storm is over! How nimble the feet of the lamplighters that in a few minutes set all the dome of the night ablaze with brackets of fire! How bright the car of the saffron cloud that rows across the deep sea of heaven! How beautiful the spring, with bridled blossoms in her hair! I wonder who it is that beats time on a June morning for the bird orchestra? How gently the harebell tolls its fragrance on the air! There may be grander worlds, sweeter worlds, larger worlds, than this; but I think that this is a most exquisite world, a mignonette on the bosom of immensity. "Oh," you say, "take my soul! Give me that world! I am willing to take it in exchange. I am ready now for the bargain. It is so beautiful a world, so sweet a world, so grand a world!"

But let us look more minutely into the value of this world. You will not buy property unless you can get a good title to it. After you have looked at the property and found out that it suits you, you send an attorney to the public office, and he examines the book of deeds and the book of judgments and the book of liens, and he decides whether the title is good before you will have anything to do with it. There might be a splendid property, and in every way exactly suited to your want, but if you cannot get a good title you will not take it. Now, I am here to say that it is impossible to get a good title to this world. If I settle down upon it as a permanent possession, I may be driven away from it. Aye, in five minutes after I give up my soul for the world, I may have to part with the world, and what kind of a title do you call that? There is only one way in which I can hold an earthly possession, and that is through the senses. All beautiful sights through the eye, but the eye may be plucked out; all captivating sounds through the ear, but my ear may be deafened; all lusciousness of fruits and viands through my taste, but my taste may be destroyed; all appreciation of culture and of art through my mind, but I may lose my mind. What a frail hold, then, I have upon any earthly possession!

In courts of law, if you want to get a man off a property, you must serve upon him a writ of ejectment, giving him a certain time to vacate the premises; but when death comes to us and serves a writ of ejectment, he does not give us one second of forewarning. He says: "Off of this place! You have no right any longer to the possession. We might cry out, 'I gave you a hundred thousand dollars for that property,' the plea would be of no avail. We might say, 'We have a lien on that storehouse,' that would do us no good. Death is blind, and he cannot see a seal and cannot read an indenture. So that, first and last, I want to tell you that when you

propose that I give up my soul for the world you cannot give me the first item of title.

Having examined the title of a property, your next question is about insurance. You would not be silly enough to buy a large warehouse that could not possibly be insured. You would not have anything to do with such a property. Now, I ask you what assurance can you give me that this world is not going to be burned up? Absolutely none. Geologists tell us that it is already on fire; that the heart of the world is one great living coal; that it is just like a ship on fire at sea, the flames not bursting out because the hatchways are kept down. And yet you propose to palm off on me, in return for my soul, a world for which, in the first place, you give no title, and in the second place, for which you can give no insurance. "Oh," you say, "the water of the oceans will wash over all the land and put out the fire." Oh, no. There are inflammable elements in the water, hydrogen and oxygen. Call off the hydrogen, and then the Atlantic and Pacific oceans would blaze like heaps of shavings. You want me to take this world, for which you can give no possible insurance.

Astronomers have swept their telescopes through the sky and have found out that there have been 15 worlds in the last two centuries that have disappeared. At first they looked like other worlds. Then they got deeply red—they were on fire. Then they got ashen, showing they were burned down. Then they disappeared, showing that even the ashes were scattered. And if the geologists be right in his prophecy, then our world is to go in the same way. And yet you want me to exchange my soul for it. Ah, no, it is a world that is burning now.

I remark, also, that this world is a property with which everybody who has taken it as a possession has had trouble. Now, between my house and my church in Brooklyn there was a reach of land which was not built on. I asked what one the matter, and they replied that everybody who had anything to do with that property got into trouble about it. It is just so with this world—everybody that has had anything to do with it as a possession has been in perplexity. How was it with Lord Byron? Did he not sell his immortal soul for the purpose of getting the possession? Was he satisfied with the possession? Alas, alas, the poet graphically describes his case when it says:

Drank every cup of joy,
Heard every trump of fame;
Drank deep of love and pleasure,
Drank drafts which common millions might have quenched,
Then died of thirst, because there was no more to drink.

There is the world now. I shall say no more about it. Make up your mind for yourself, as I shall before God have to make up my mind for myself about the value of this world, and now that lost world, with soft feet of light, comes treading back through the heavens.

Now let us look at the other property—the soul. We cannot make a bargain without seeing the comparative value. The soul—how shall I estimate its value of it? Do you know that the most wonderful piece of mechanism ever put together. Machinery is of value in proportion as it is mighty and perfect. Look at the engine and the machinery in the Philadelphia mint, and as you see it performing its wonderful work you will be surprised to find how silently it goes. Machinery that roars and tears soon destroys itself, but silent machinery is often most effective. Now, so it is with the soul of man, with all its tremendous utilities, it moves in silence. Judgment, without any racket, lifting its scales, memory without any noise, bringing down all its treasure; conscience taking its judgment seat without any excitement; the understanding and the will all doing their work—loyalty, majesty, might, but silence. You listen at the door of your heart. You can hear no sound. The soul is quiet. It is so delicate an instrument that no human hand can touch it. You break a bone, but with splinters and bandages the surgeon sets it; the eye becomes inflamed, the apothecary's wash, cools it; but a soul off the track, unbalanced, no human power can readjust it. With one sweep of its wing it circles the universe and overvaults the throne of God. Why, in the hour of death the soul is so mighty it throws aside the body as though it were a toy. It drives back medical skill as an impotent. It breaks through the circle of loved ones who stand around the dying couch. With one leap it springs beyond star and moon and sun and chaos of immensity. It is superior to all material things! No fire can consume it; no floods can drown it; no rocks can crush it; no walls can impede it; no time can exhaust it. It wants no bridge on which to cross a chasm. It wants no plummet with which to sound a depth. A soul so mighty, so swift, so silent, must be a priceless soul.

You cannot test the full power of the soul for happiness in this world. How much power the soul has had to find enjoyment in friendships, but, oh, the grander friendships for the soul is the skies! How sweet the flowers here, but how much sweeter they will be there! I do not think that when flowers die on earth they die forever. In the sunny valleys of heaven shall not the marigold creep? On the hills of heaven will not the amaranth bloom? On the amethystine walls of heaven will not the jasmine climb? "My beloved is come down into his garden to gather lilies." No flowers in heaven? Where, then, do they get their garlands for the brows of the righteous?

Christ is glorious to our souls now, but how much grander an appreciation after a while. A conqueror comes back after the battle. He has been fighting for us. He comes upon the platform. He has one arm in a sling, and the other arm holds a cross. As he comes to the platform, oh, the enthusiasm of the audience! They say, "That man fought for us and imperiled his life

for us," and how wild the buzz that follows him! When the Lord Jesus Christ shall at last stand out before the multitudes of the redeemed of heaven and we meet him face to face and feel that he was wounded in the head and wounded in the hands and wounded in the feet and wounded in the side for us, methinks we will be overwhelmed. We will sit some time gazing in silence until some leader amid the white-robed choir shall lift the baton of light and give the signal that it is time to wake the song of jubilee, and all heaven then will break forth into "Hosanna, Hosanna! Worthy is the Lamb that was slain."

I argue also the value of the soul from the home that has been fitted up for it in the future. One would have thought that a street of adamant would have done. No; it is a street of gold. One would have thought that a wall of granite would have done. No; it is the flame of sardonyx mingling with the green of emerald. One would have thought that an occasional dogology would have done. No; it is a perpetual song. If the ages of heaven marched in a straight line, some day the last regiment, perhaps, might pass out of sight; but, no, the ages of heaven do not march in a straight line, but in a circle around about the throne of God. Forever, forever, tramp, tramp! A soul so bought, so equipped, so provided for, must be a priceless soul, a majestic soul, a tremendous soul.

Now, you have seen the two properties—the world, the soul—one perishable, the other immortal; one unsatisfying, the other capable of ever increasing felicity. Will you trade? Will you trade even? Remember, it is the only investment you can make. If a man sell a bill of goods worth \$5,000 and he is cheated out of it, he may get \$5,000 somewhere else, but a man who invests his soul invests all. Losing that, he loses all. Saving that, he saves all. In the light of that text it seems to me as if you were offering your soul to the highest bidder, and I hear you say: "What is bid for it, my deathless spirit? What is bid for it?" Satan says, "I will bid the world." You say, "Begone! That is no equivalent. Sell my soul for the world? No! Begone!" But there is some one else in the audience not so wise as that. He says, "What is bid for my immortal soul?" Satan says, "I will bid the world." "The world? Going at that, going at that, going! Gone! Gone! Gone forever."

Well, there are a great many people who say, "I will not sell my soul for the world; the world is an unsatisfactory portion." What, then, will you do with your soul? Some one whispers here, "I will give my soul to Christ." Will you? That is the wisest resolution you ever made. Will you give it to Christ? When? To-morrow? No; now. I congratulate you if you have come to such a decision. Oh, if the eternal spirit of God would now come down upon you and show you the vanity of this world and the immense importance of Christ's religion and the infinite value of your own immortal soul, what an hour this would be! What a moment this would be! Do you know that Christ has bought your soul? Do you know that he has paid an infinite price for it? Do you know that he is worthy of it? Will you give it to him now?

I was reading lately of a sailor who had just got ashore and was telling about his last experience at sea. He said: "The last time I crossed the ocean we had a terrific time. After we had been out three or four days the machinery got disarranged, and the steam began to escape, and the captain, gathering the people and the crew on deck, said, 'Unless some one will go down and shut off that steam and arrange that machinery, at the peril of his life we must all be destroyed.' He was not willing to go down himself. No one seemed willing to go. The passengers gathered at one end of the steamer waiting for their fate. The captain said: 'I give you a last warning. If there is no one here willing to imperil his life and go down and fix that machinery we must all be lost.' A plain sailor said, 'I'll go, sir,' and he leaped himself in a coarse piece of canvas and went down, and was gone but a few moments when the escaping steam stopped and the machinery was adjusted. The captain cried to the passengers: 'All saved! Let us go down below and see what has become of the poor fellow.' They went down. There he lay dead. 'Vicariously suffering! Died for all! Oh, do you suppose that those people on the ship ever forgot, ever can forget, that poor fellow?' 'No,' they say, 'it was through his sacrifice that I got ashore.' The time came when our whole race must die unless some one should endure torture and sorrow and shame. Who shall come to the rescue? Shall it be one of the seraphim? Not one. Shall it be one of the cherubim? Not one. Shall it be an inhabitant of some pure and unfallen world? Not one. Then Christ said, 'Lo, I come to thy will, O God,' and he went down the dark stairs of our sin and wretchedness and misery and woe, and he stopped the peril, and he died that you and I might be free. Oh, the love; oh, the endurance; oh, the horror of the sacrifice! Shall not our souls go out toward him, saying: 'Lord Jesus Christ, take my soul. Thou art worthy to have it. Thou hast died to save it?'

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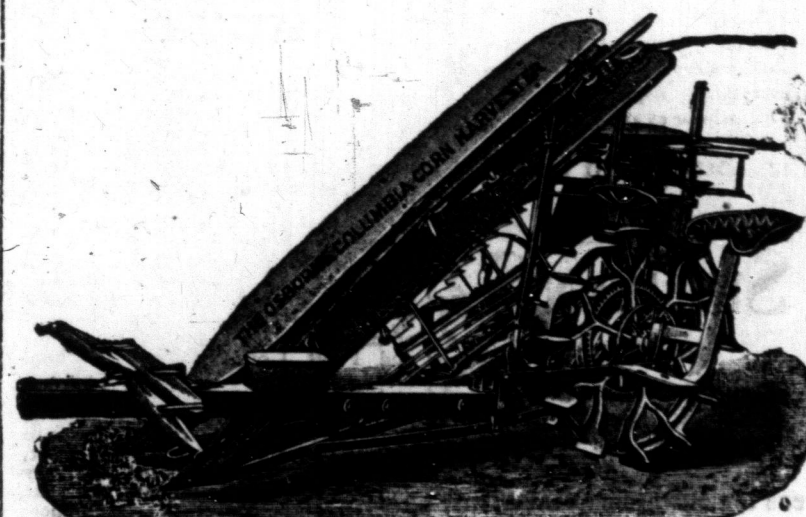
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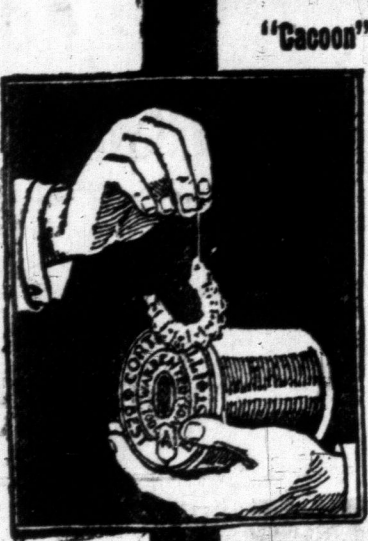
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London, Aug. 24.—The Colonial Office has made public the text of the correspondence seized at Pretoria. Besides Henry Labouchere, John Edward Ellis, Liberal member of Parliament for the Rushcliffe division of Nottinghamshire, wrote to Mrs. Solly for facts favorable to the Transvaal, and Dr. Gavin Brown Clark, Radical member for Cullinane, and former general of the South African Republic in London, wrote to President Kruger under date of August 29, 1899, of the unsatisfactory results of a conversation he had with Joseph Chamberlain, the Secretary of State for the Colonies. Dr. Clark said he thought war was inevitable, and discussed the effect of President Kruger's seizing the passes.

Dr. Clarke is condemned by the morning papers, irrespective of party. Some of the Government organs, in a black type, proclaim him a traitor of the worst kind.

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THREE GROWING CITIES.

Population of St. Louis, Indianapolis and Rochester.

Washington, August 25.—The population of the city of St. Louis, Mo., according to the official count of the returns of the twelfth census is as follows: St. Louis City, 575,238, in 1900, against 451,770 in 1890. These figures show for the city as a whole, an increase in population of 27.33 per cent, from 1890 to 1900. The population in 1880 was 350,518, showing an increase of 101,252, or 28.89 per cent from 1880 to 1890.

The population of Rochester, N. Y., was made public by the census bureau to-day, at 182,735, against 133,996 in 1890, an increase of 28,339, or 21.31 per cent.

The population of the city of Indianapolis, Indiana, according to the official count of the returns of the twelfth census, is as follows: Indianapolis City, 169,161 in 1900, against 105,496 in 1890. These figures show for the city as a whole, an increase in population of 63.728, or 60.44 per cent, from 1890 to 1900. The population in 1880 was 75,056, showing an increase of 30,389 on 40.1 per cent from 1880 to 1890.

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HERE'S MYSTERY.

One Brother Found Dead While Another is Missing.

Dead Man had the Other's Watch and Evidently Committed Suicide.

Toronto, Aug. 25.—The police are completely mystified by a letter received yesterday from William Thos. Cohen, of 423 Bawell avenue, Covington, Ky., who apparently has no doubt that his brother John has been killed in the High Park suicide. Cohen, a motor-man on the Covington railway, Cohen had been ill and had lately undergone an operation. In company with his brother John he left on a trip to Buffalo on Thursday before the Saturday on which the body was found. Neither brother has returned, and Cohen is beginning to suspect that some dark tragedy has occurred, for while the body found in High Park is that of Wm. Thos. Cohen, the watch and some other articles are certainly the property of his brother John. This is proven by the testimony of a Covington jeweler, who repaired the watch recently and kept the number and description, which fit that sent out by the Toronto authorities. The questions that are bothering the police are: What relation had John Cohen, known as John, to the finding of his brother's body so far from his home with a bullet in his head? Where is John Cohen now? Did Cohen and his brother quarrel, and is the case one of murder as well as suicide?

Refer to Krause Conservatory of Music advertisement in this issue. 1w

DRESDEN.

Aug. 25.—Miss Lottie Reynolds, of Windsor, and Miss Ada Shain, of Detroit, who have been the guests of Mrs. S. Shaw for the past two months, returned to their homes this morning. Mrs. F. E. Dabson, of London, is returned to the city this morning after spending a few weeks with Mrs. J. E. McGowan.

Miss Madge Wiley cut her foot badly on glass yesterday.

Joseph Gage and LeRoy Miller leave in a week's time for Toronto, where they will attend the College of Pharmacy. Their many friends wish them a successful college career.

Mr. Willson and Mrs. Hall, of Florence, are with their mother, Mrs. Horson Brown St., who is seriously ill. Hartland Colby, of Chatham, returned home last evening.

Mrs. Muir, of Portland, Me., is in town visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. Brush, the latter being very ill. Mrs. Burgess, of Wallaceburg, is visiting Mrs. S. Shaw.

Mrs. Sandy McVeen, Dresden, left for Kingston on Friday and will be away about a fortnight.

Municipality of Raleigh.

Take notice that the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Raleigh, will meet in Township Hall on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, 1906, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of receiving the Simpson as a court of revision on the Simpson Drain Bridge, and for general business.

By order, A. E. ROBINSON, Clerk.

Fall is Coming!

If shoes are a sign. Case upon case of the new lasts and shapes in shoes are making their appearance.

If you are going to judge shoe value by price

you must take into consideration that we buy direct from the factories and that we are not controlled by no one maker—factors that concern you more than you think, saving to you of from twenty five cents to a dollar on the price of any shoe.

The Boston Shoe House

J. L. Campbell

3rd Door East Standard Bank North Side King Street.

Dr. A. W. Thornton

D. D. S. Toronto University. Associate Dr. C. A. Snell, Honor Graduate, Toronto University. Office—First Door East of Standard Bank. Telephone 144.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Hours of Service.

First Presbyterian—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Christ Church—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Andrew's—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Holy Trinity—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
St. Joseph's, R. C.—8:30, 10:30, 7:30.
Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
William St. Baptist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Park St. Methodist—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.
Latter Day Saints—7 p.m.
Campbell A.M.E.—11 a.m.; 7:45 p.m.
First Baptist—11 a.m.; 7:30 p.m.

Church Notes.

Mr. Hugh Monroe, of Knox College, will preach at the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning and evening. J. B. Rankin's Bible class and Sunday school at 3 p. m.

Mr. Burch (student) will preach at St. Andrew's Church, both morning and evening to-morrow.

Rev. Mr. Colles will conduct the services and preach on both occasions in Christ Church to-morrow.

Christ Church Sunday school will be held every Sunday morning at a quarter to ten.

Rev. E. F. Armstrong, B. A., will preach on both occasions in Park St. Methodist Church pulpit to-morrow.

Rev. Dr. Hanson will occupy the pulpit the first Sunday in September.

Services at the Campbell A. M. E. church to-morrow as follows: Praise class at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor, A. W. Chakley. General Assembly after the morning service. Sabbath school at 3 p. m., Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

Divine service will be held in the latter day of the hall, King St., at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. to-morrow.

TILBURY.

Aug. 25.—Mrs. (Dr.) McDonald returned last night from a visit to Leamington.

Miss Florence Smith, Young St., entertained her friends Thursday evening.

Tilbury baseball club visited Wheatley street yesterday afternoon.

The street sprinkler was out yesterday, the first time in a week.

The receipts of the St. Francis Church picnic on Wednesday were \$800.

A large party left here last night by G. T. R. for Muskoka resorts.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

—You never read of such cures elsewhere as those accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla, did you? It is America's Greatest Medicine.

WALLACEBURG.

Aug. 25.—The first race for the silver cup donated by the Canadian Cycle and Motor Co. took place last evening. The time was a little over fourteen minutes, and was faster than the race of the series is to be held next Monday evening, instead of Friday as was announced.

Mrs. N. D. McRae and children, who have been in Detroit, returned home Friday evening.

Geo. Doble and W. Colwell spent Friday at Bellevue.

The last band concert of the season will be held at Port Lambton on Monday evening.

Fraser Shambhau is spending the week at Bellevue.

The evaporating factory of Landy & Pease has been opened for the coming season.

At the request of the Imperial authorities the Dominion government has issued a proclamation to Canadian transportation companies forbidding the carrying of arms and ammunition destined for the Chinese government.

Dean Lander, of Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa, and Chaplain to the Senate, is reported to be dying in England.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

Some People

Never read advertisements and others don't believe what they do read, but we're selling the goods nevertheless.

This is the season of the year when we sell for the sake of selling. Our own tailors are getting the new Fall stock ready and goods that belong to Summer are marked at a sacrifice. It's your chance to buy unusually cheap. No trouble to show goods and nobody here to pull faces at you if you don't happen to buy.

Thornton & Douglas

Victoria Block. King and Fifth Streets.

SAVED FROM DEATH

After all Hope Had Fled, by Prof. G. Stockwell, the Healer, who is Making a Short Stay in the City.

After having visited many of the large cities of the United States for many years to be in easy reach of the sick and suffering who have been given up as incurable, thousands upon thousands of whom he has saved from the grave and restored to health, Prof. G. Stockwell, has arrived in this city and taken up his residence at 60 Centre street, where he will continue the good work of restoring to health the sick and afflicted, either at his office or by personal treatment, or by the use of VITIALIZED FLANNELETS, and absent treatments. And while he will not turn away who apply for treatment, he prefers those who have been pronounced incurable by their physicians, or are receiving but little, if any benefit from medicine; such cases as no physician on earth can cure. Prof. Stockwell cures every manner of disease or affliction, and without knife or medicine.

As all great healing is done by FORCES under the intelligent action of one who possesses a knowledge of the forces, absent treatments are as effective in the curing of all manner of diseases as personal treatments, and thus distance from the great HEALER can make no difference as long as the Healer can get on a rap with the person seeking relief from disease.

For further particulars, address Prof. G. Stockwell, 60 Centre St., Chatham.

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

B. B. Osler, Q. C., the widely known Toronto lawyer, has been ill for some time from prostration due to overwork. He is reported to be recovering.

It has been decided to hold a Conservative mass meeting in Montreal on September 10, in honor of Sir Charles Tupper and Hon. Hugh John Macdonald.

Daniel Ford, proprietor of the Theatre Francaise, at Montreal, is suing W. E. Phillips, lessee, for \$30,000 for alleged carelessness in allowing the building to be burned.

The Ontario apple crop is reported as very plentiful, and likely to equal that of 1896, which was an exceptional one. This year's product is estimated at 12,000,000 barrels.

The Thirteenth Regiment Band, of Hamilton, Ont., has been offered an engagement of twelve weeks at the Pan-American Exposition, and a tour to England is another of next year's possible engagements.

It is said in Montreal that a syndicate composed for the most part of English capitalists, has been formed with a capital of \$2,500,000 for the purpose of carrying on trade in Canadian produce.

Executor's Sale of Valuable Farm Town and City Lands.

The executors of the estate of William H. Stephens, late of the Township of Chatham in the County of Kent, are offering for sale by tender the following lands:

1. Township of Chatham—North-easterly quarter, divided lengthwise of lot 21 in the 8th concession; 50 acres; northwest half of lot 22 in the 8th concession, 100 acres.
2. Township of Chatham Gore—The northwest quarter of lot 6, in the 3rd concession, 50 acres.
3. Dresden—Lots 106, 107, and 108 on Metcalf Avenue, and lot No. 7, in Block "B."
4. Chatham City—East half of lot 37, Block "O," on the north side of King street.

Tenders for any of the above lots, giving description of lot, price, and manner of payment, will be received by Ward Stanworthy, barrister etc., Oddfellow's Temple, Chatham, at any time up to Friday, the 7th day of September, 1906. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

WARD STANWORTH, Solicitor for the Executors.

WANTED

WANTED—10 or 12 acres, with or without buildings to rent. Address K. H. Bell, Tupperville.

WANTED—At once, three girls for laundry, dining room girl, second cook and chamber maid. Apply Mrs. Marshall, Idlewild Hotel, 101

TEACHER WANTED—For balance of year 1906, in school Section No. 15, Tp. Chatham, application received till August 31st 1906—please state references and salary expected, address J. A. Brown Dresden, P.O.

WANTED RELIABLE MEN—In every locality throughout Canada to introduce our goods, lacking up show-rooms on trees, fences, along roads, and all conspicuous places, distributing small advertising matter. Commission or salary \$50.00 per month and expenses not to exceed \$2.50 per day. Steady employment to good, honest reliable men. No experience needed. Write for full particulars.

The EMPIRE MEDICINE CO., London, Ont.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT

NEW HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE, on reasonable terms. Immediately, as proprietor is leaving town, apply corner Cross and Jeffrey sts. 10

FOR SALE—Grocery business, in live culture place, will be sold at a bargain, best of reasons for selling. Address "G", Planet Office.

TO RENT—House on Dorchester and Thames streets, in good repair and moderate rent, a two large spacious offices or Mr. Cowan's shoe store. 10

PHARMACY FOR SALE—Cost \$105, will be sold cheap—Address P. O. Box 511, or apply at the Planet office.

FARM FOR SALE—clean, being 25 acres of lot 23 in the 11th Con. of Raleigh, good buildings and wells, all improved. Apply to J. G. Russell, Chatham, Ont., Box 35.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—The undersigned offers his residence on the corner of Wellington and First streets, for sale or to rent—gas throughout—not ever heating, and all modern improvements. William Baby, 120

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—15 Lorne Avenue, Apply to W. H. NICHOL, King St.

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HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT—A 7 room cottage, in Park Ave., with all modern improvements, a good well, etc., etc., with either one or two acres of land. Terms moderate. Apply to JAMES CASWELL, Architect.

HOUSE TO RENT, at present occupied by S. Stephenson, Esq., corner King and Third sts., possession given 1st Sept., may be inspected now. Apply to Edwin Bell, 30 St.

TO RENT—The blacksmith shop and content situated at the corner of the 5th concession and Tupper Town line. Possession at once. Apply to a Quinlan Post Office, or at Planet.

HOTEL FOR SALE—That well known hotel, The Park Hotel, situated for sale at a bargain. This house is well situated, just opposite Tupper Park and doing a thriving business and fine stable. For particulars apply to Chas. Mount, on the premises. 12m

\$500—Will buy one and a half acres on Victoria Avenue, \$50 will buy 6 Lds in coup blocks on Maple Street. Apply at Planet office.

FOR SALE—N. E. 1/4 of Lot 25, 5th Con., Chatham Township, 32 acres, 1 offer for sale at a bargain, reason for selling an giving up farming. For further particulars apply to Hugh McKee, on prop. ry.

SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria Avenue and one on Major Street. For full particulars apply to S. STEPHENSON, Planet Office.

TWO HOUSES FOR SALE—Corner Harvey and Lacroix sts., fine garage attached, 1000 sq. ft. About eight minutes walk from Post Office. Apply to LOUIS STANWORTH, Planet Office.

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Avenue, and six lots on Maple Street. Apply to MRS. TUSHMAN, 120 Victoria Avenue, 5 line Planet Office.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—100 acres in Howard Township, 14, con. 7, 35 cleared, 3 miles North of Ridgeway, good large frame dwelling house, large barn with concrete wall and stable, plenty of water, concrete hog pens, good orchard and one of the most desirable properties in the Township—W. H. Rogers, Ridgeway.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids tenders for all the building trades, including drains, and for steam heating and plumbing separately, will be received by the undersigned architects up to 7 o'clock p. m., Saturday, September 1st, 1906. Tenders to be addressed (tender for Separate School work). Plans and specifications at the architects office, King Street, Chatham, Ont. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES L. WILSON & SON, Architects, 216-41 Box 511, Chatham, Ont.

TENDERS WANTED

Sealed tenders addressed to Windsor Bent Goods Company, Limited, Windsor, Ontario, and marked "Tenders for factory" will be received up to and including Friday, Aug. 31, 1906, for erection and completing a factory, store rooms, engine room, boiler and fuel rooms in the City of Windsor for said company.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Wm. Newman, C. E., Windsor, Ont.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WINDSOR BENT GOODS CO., LTD., Accepted at Windsor, 20th Aug., 1906. N. B. Plans and specifications cannot be taken from said office. 6d 1w.