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The Reliable Store
Thos. Stone & Son
The Reliable Store

Handkerchief Sale!

(A Foretaste of Holidays)

Lasting Four Days, Commencing WEDNESDAY

We have just received from the makers in Switzerland and Ireland our complete Christmas assortment of Handkerchiefs. In order to anticipate the holiday rush for these goods, and to enable you to make your selection early and in comfort, we decided to hold a **Four Days Special Sale** commencing Wednesday and closing Saturday night.

If price is any inducement for you to buy early, the inducement is here to a high degree. The values we offer during this sale are very exceptional, and it will pay you to take advantage of them.

We have a splendid assortment of Ladies', Men's and Children's Handkerchiefs, put up 3 and 6 in a box. The boxes are very pretty and attractive with lithograph and photograph covers. There is a fancy Christmas card in each box with "Greetings." These boxes are priced specially for this sale:—

Fine H. S. Lawn Handkerchiefs, put up 3 and 6 in a box, at per box
15c., 20c., 25c., 30c.

Ladies' Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, put up 6 in a box, at per box
75c., 90c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 6 in a box, at per box
\$1.70, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75

Ladies' fine lawn, pure linen, and fancy embroidered hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 6 in a handsome plush trimmed, metal mounted box, at per box—
75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75

SALE COMMENCES WEDNESDAY.

Children's Colored Picture Handkerchiefs, special at **2 for 5c.**

Ladies' pure linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, narrow hems, hand drawn very special at **3 for 25c.**

Very Special.

25 dozen ladies' fine white Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, mostly scalloped edges, made of fine materials and beautifully embroidered, (some few are slightly imperfect) regular value 25c each—on sale very special
15c.

A special assortment of fine Irish linen handkerchiefs, marked for quick selling at this special sale at each
50c., 65c., 75c. up to \$2.00

Souvenir Silk Hdkfs., with the Canadian emblem and the word "Chatham" embroidered on the corner, a pleasing gift to mail—special at **50c.**

RETURNS FROM THE SOUTH

E. Fremlin Popular C. P. R. Agent Had A Very Enjoyable Trip

TALKS TO THE PLANET

Mr. E. Fremlin, the genial local city ticket agent for the C. P. R., has just returned from a two weeks' tour in the Sunny South, where he attended the annual convention of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association, held at Mobile, Ala. This was a record year with the association. Two hundred delegates attended the convention, and 24 candidates were initiated.

"We had a very enjoyable time," said Mr. Fremlin in an interview with a Planet reporter. "During the convention at Mobile, were tendered a banquet by the Mobile and Ohio railway. At this banquet, Col. Russell, president of the C. P. R., made an eloquent speech, making many complimentary references to the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association. At the conclusion of the banquet we were given a swell ball."

"Leaving Mobile, we next went on our way to New Orleans, passing through the district which was recently visited by the terrible storm, about which the papers have been telling us the past few days. It would be impossible to describe the immense havoc wrought by the floods. Railway tracks, telegraph poles and all were torn from their beds in places and carried miles away. Telegraph and telephone poles were flattened, and we saw huge steamers which were washed up, stranded high on dry land. Trees were lying flat as far as the eye could see, and buildings were down all over the country."

"We were next entertained by the Louisville and Nashville R. R., which system runs along close to the Gulf of Mexico. All along this route are beautiful winter resorts, where the wealthy from the large cities spend the cold months. People flock to this place from every state in the Union. The forests of pine and oak in this district are something immense, and the chief occupation of the inhabitants is tapping the pine trees for turpentine and resin. Alabama state to the traveller appears to be nothing but a wilderness of corn and corn, and outside of the towns and villages one never sees a dwelling house that is fit for human habitation. Illinois is much the same. Through the rural sections houses are scarce, and the conditions of the farms would shock the thrifty farmers of our country. There seems to be nothing but corn as far as the eye can see, and the country does not appear to be as well populated as one would expect it to be. In all this trip it was remarked that we saw nothing to compare with our own beautiful country, and when we reached Canada again it was good to look out once more on the nice, even fences and the well-tilled land."

"The L. & N. R. R. tendered us a banquet at the Mongolia hotel at Pas Christian. This is a beautiful winter resort situated close to the Gulf. Here I saw some of the most beautiful driveways I have ever looked upon. The road-bed is made of ground oyster shells, perfectly white in color, while to the sides, the closely mowed grass and the green pine tree hedges form a most eye-entrancing color scheme. It

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A PRETTY WEDDING

Miss Lydia Br. adwent and Nelson Burk United in Marriage By Rev. T. Dobson Of Tilbury

From Our Own Correspondent.

Tilbury, Nov. 19.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents on Thursday last, 15th inst., when Miss Lydia Maude Broadbent, daughter of Andrew Broadbent, of South Buxton, became the bride of Nelson Howard Burk, of Blenheim. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Dobson, of Tilbury, in the presence of one hundred and twenty-five guests. The wedding march was played by Miss Grace Randall, of Chatham. The bride looked charming in a gown of white organdie trimmed with baby ribbon, and was attended by her sister, Miss Hattie Broadbent. The groom was attended by Simon Bart. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome fur-lined coat. Mr. and Mrs. Burk left in the afternoon on a wedding tour to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, and on their return will reside near Blenheim. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Dobson, of Tilbury, in the presence of one hundred and twenty-five guests. The wedding march was played by Miss Grace Randall, of Chatham. The bride looked charming in a gown of white organdie trimmed with baby ribbon, and was attended by her sister, Miss Hattie Broadbent. The groom was attended by Simon Bart. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome fur-lined coat. Mr. and Mrs. Burk left in the afternoon on a wedding tour to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, and on their return will reside near Blenheim.

Mr. Morris, of Merlin, conducted services in the English church here yesterday. Rev. Mr. Dobson administered the communion in the English church at Merlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wanda, of Chatham, are the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Henderson, Tilbury North.

Miss Ethel Godbolt and Mr. Lovell, of the Crown Bank, Comber, spent Sunday here, the guests of Miss Frankie Lee.

Alfred and Noble Prendergast, and Jcs. Reynolds, returned on Saturday from a hunting trip to Muskoka.

Mrs. Sharp, who has been visiting her son, Dr. Sharp, has returned to her home in Delaware.

Mrs. C. Reams, of Chatham, has been visiting friends here the past few days.

Miss Holmes, Middle Road, Tilbury West, left Saturday night on an extended trip to Calgary.

THE BENEFIT CONCERT

Chathamites are promised an artistic treat in the benefit concert which will be tendered to Mrs. John Cooper on the 20th of this month. Among those who will appear on the program is Mrs. McMullen, violinist.

Who made such a favorable impression in Chatham at a recent given in the Elks Auditorium by Mrs.

Mrs. McMullen, violinist.

Cooper. Mrs. McMullen will appear several times on the program, and those who heard her before will be pleased that she is returning again. She is one of the most artistic violinists who has ever appeared in Chatham, and is particularly good in obligato work.

FINE HORSES

The sale of imported Clydesdale colts, held on the local market Saturday by Messrs. McCoig and Harrington, proved most successful. The thirty head which were sold realized nearly \$9,000, and the sales were made to some of the most prominent and influential farmers in the county. The horses were imported by S. J. Prouse, of Ingersoll.

MR. BARNES HONORED

On Saturday afternoon the employees of the Defence Iron Works presented Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Barnes with two chairs on the event of their departure for Toronto. Mr. Barnes is leaving Chatham to take the position of mechanical superintendent for the Canadian Gas Power & Launches Co., Limited, the new company formed by the amalgamation of the Toronto Gas & Gasoline Engine Co., and the Defence Iron Works, with which Mr. Barnes has been connected since its formation.

THE REASON.

Why do you call your auto "she"? Because it is always breaking down at critical moments, raising the devil most of the time and keeps me "broke."

STRIKE GROWS DANGEROUS

Disorder Renewed on Hamilton Streets On Sunday

CHASE CARS INTO BARN

Hamilton, Nov. 19.—With the withdrawal of the Ontario railway and municipal board Saturday evening, all hope of settlement of the street car strike has been abandoned for the present.

The company yesterday notified Mayor Biggar that it would start its cars out at 8 o'clock Monday morning. The mayor told the company that it could do so at its own risk, as the police had to have a little rest and they could not be on duty again until 10 o'clock.

The company also made another demand for the calling out of the militia. The mayor again refused to do so. The company says that it will insist upon the soldiers being called out, and will probably apply to Judge Snider.

In spite of what the mayor told the company, the policemen said last night that they had been called out for 8 o'clock in the morning.

Disorders Renewed. Although the cars were not molested much since last Monday, the disorders were renewed yesterday, and the cars were chased into the barns. Near the corner of Locke and King streets a rail was placed across the tracks and spikes were thrown along the York street tracks.

The cars started out about 10 o'clock yesterday morning and ran until they were chased in at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rotten eggs and stones were thrown at a car near the corner of James and Main streets.

The strike-breakers and detectives, ten in number, armed with clubs, stopped the car, stepped off, and, with vile epithets, dared the crowd to come on. The detectives tried to catch those who had thrown the missiles, but the guilty ones were swallowed up in the crowd of about 2,000 that, quickly collected. The leader of the strike-breakers dashed up to the scene in a buggy and ordered his men to get back on the car and take it out of the crowd. The whole police reserve of forty men was called out to disperse the gathering.

A Boy Arrested.

Jack O'Connor, Harriet street, 19 years of age, was arrested on the charge of throwing a brick through a car window. The alleged offence was committed in front of the city hall.

The union handed out an official statement yesterday, expressing pleasure with what the Ontario railway and municipal board had done to settle the trouble. The statement expresses the opinion that if the company had wanted to act fairly and have the strike settled the board could have fixed matters up. The men, through the board, asked the company to submit a proposition, but it did not do so.

TORNADO IN SOUTH

Railways Damaged Through Washouts and Five Lives Lost.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 19.—Telegraphic and telephonic communication received yesterday from points in Mississippi, Arkansas and Tennessee for a distance of several hundred miles report that territory to have suffered Saturday night and early yesterday from a destructive rain and windstorm.

About five lives are known to have been lost, and great damage to property and crops. Railroad traffic from Memphis is demoralized by numerous washouts and many trains have been stranded.

The greatest damage occurred in the central and delta regions of Mississippi.

Churches Down At Winona. Chicago, Ill., Nov. 19.—At the office of President Harahan of the Illinois Cent. Railroad, the following despatch was received yesterday.

A severe storm passed over Winona, Miss., last night, about 8 o'clock, blew down Calvary Church and the Christian Church, took the roof off the cotton compress and blew in the front of the postoffice. The storm also damaged a number of residences. No lives were lost.

Worst Blizzard In 25 Years. Winnipeg, Nov. 19.—Winter has set in with a rush, and a snowstorm has raged over the west during the past few days, which was characterized by a prominent C.P.R. official last night as the worst in the history of twenty-five years' railroading. Traffic is almost completely tied up.

Success the fruit of labor.

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Fire Insurance Risks taken in the Law Union and Crown Insurance Co. of London, England. Assets exceed \$25,000,000.

Desirable Houses and Lots for Sale

3 or More Houses to Rent.

Office: King Street, (upstairs) opposite Reliance Loan Co. Building.

BRIGHT SERVICES

Harvest Home Services in Christ Church Marked By Splendid Music

Rev. Dr. McCarroll, rector of Grace Church, Detroit, preached in Christ Church last evening on the occasion of the harvest home services. Rev. Rural Dean Robert McCosh conducted the morning services. Large congregations were present on both occasions, and the voluntary offerings contributed amounted to quite a satisfactory sum.

Rev. Dr. McCarroll preached a strong sermon at the evening service, taking for his text the words, "How much owest thou my Lord?" He spoke of the indebtedness of the nation and the church to the Almighty and His many mercies and favors, which had been bestowed so lavishly during the year just passed, for which all should be duly thankful.

The musical service was especially pleasing, and has since been very favorably commented upon by all who were present at the services yesterday. At the morning service Mr. Kovington sang a solo in very acceptable style, and the Te Deum was sung to an entirely new and thoroughly delightful setting. The music was composed by Mr. Kovington's father, of England, and Mr. Kovington supplied each member of the choir with a copy. During the offertory the "Holy City" was rendered by three members of Lorrman's orchestra under the direction of Choir-master Philp.

At the evening service the solo "Come Unto Me Ye Weary" was very capably rendered by Miss Barassin.

ONE POINT OF VIEW.

A prominent local bank manager is responsible for the following story which a Planet reporter overheard him relating this morning.

The banker's little daughter attends the Convent school, and this is how the banker became acquainted with the details. The other day one of the Sisters had a class lined up and was putting questions to them.

"Now, children, can you tell me what is the highest form of an animal life?"

There was a pause. Evidently the question was a stunner.

Presently a little tot put up her hand.

"Well, what is it?" put the instructor.

"Please, Sister," replied the enthusiastic youngster, all a-quiver with excitement, "please, Sister, it's a giraffe!"

WANTED IT LARGER.

The widower looked at it with the most tender interest.

It is her very self, he exclaimed; her large nose—the sign of goodness.

Then bursting into tears, he added: Oh! She was so good! Just like the nose a little larger!

The more friends a man has the more money he lends.

A man is called selfish not for pursuing his own good, but for neglecting his neighbor's.

THE DOMINION BANK

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT.

E. B. OSLER, M. F., PRESIDENT. W. D. MATTHEWS, VICE-PRESIDENT. C. A. BOGERT, GENERAL MANAGER.

Capital, paid up \$3,000,000

Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits 3,639,142

Total Assets 45,000,000

A general banking business transacted. Special facilities offered to Farmers, Merchants, Cattle Dealers, Market Gardeners, Municipalities, Corporations, Traders and Individuals. Sale notes collected at lowest rates and advances made thereon.

Savings Department—Interest allowed at highest current rates on deposit of ONE DOLLAR and upwards, compounded half yearly.

W. O. ARMSTRONG, Manager.

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I have given the fitting of children's feet my personal attention ever since I have been in business. The result is I have got the children's trade in the city, and it is growing every day. There isn't a careful mother hereabout who does not come here as soon as she knows that I make a specialty of fitting children. It is true economy, too, for my shoes wear longer, keep their shape better and look nicer than cheap shoes carelessly fitted.

Only the good kind of Rubbers for Little Folks.

GEO. W. COWAN

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Our Annual Stock is Now Complete

Boys Own 1.75

Girl's Own 1.75

Chatterbox 90c

Cottager and

Artisan 40c.

Child's Companion 40c.

Call early, select your color and we will keep them for you till Christmas. You know how hard it is to get just the color you want later, when our stock is depleted.

Have You Ordered the Christmas Globe?

If not please leave your order at once, as we have word from the publisher that the edition is nearly exhausted.

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New Hair
Ayer's Hair Vigor makes the hair grow because it is a hair-food. Feed the hair-bulbs, and the hair grows. That's nature's way, and that is all there is to it. Strong and healthy hair stays in, keeps soft and smooth, and grows thick and heavy. Then aid nature with Ayer's Hair Vigor. A little of it often does great things. There's genuine comfort in a handsome head of hair.
J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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Neat, clean up-to-date skilled Workman-Ship, Cozy Reading and Smoking Room provided in connection for the use of patrons
King St., Chatham, 2 Doors East of Market.

Aunt Mary's Home Made Bread
Aunt Mary extends to you her thanks for responding to the call. In using of Aunt Mary's Bread, Again, I thank you, one and all.
Aunt Mary has met with great success. Even better than she expected. The quality will be maintained. And nothing will be neglected.
On each loaf of Aunt Mary's Bread, There is a label on the top, Which plainly indicates to you A loaf from Aunt Mary's shop.
To those who wish a daily supply, Please have our wagons call. The demand Aunt Mary will meet—She can make enough for all.
Jos. Waterhouse.

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National Portland Cement
THE CEMENT OF QUALITY ONE GRADE—THE HIGHEST.
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One half of the world's happiness is solved. Then a person really learns to mind his own business. Yes; but it's the other half that causes the most trouble! What's that? Getting other people to mind theirs.
When a girl begins collecting poetry on love there has come across her path a hero.
When passion is on the throne reason is out of doors.



This label guarantees them all. And you find it in

"Progress Brand" Clothing
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NERVOUS and WEAK
COULD NOT SLEEP AT NIGHT
To the thousands of people all over this land who are tossing on sleepless pillows night after night, or who pace the bedroom floor with nerves unbinged, and to whose eyes sleep will not come,
MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS
offer the blessing of sound, refreshing slumber.
They restore the equilibrium of the deranged nerve centres, and bring back the shattered nervous system to perfect condition.
Mrs. Wm. Richardson, Pontypool, Ont., writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I was troubled at times with my heart, felt weak and nervous and could not sleep at night. I have taken several boxes of the pills and am wonderfully improved.
I have recommended them to others and they have found them just what they needed."
The price of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills is 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers or will be mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

As the Boy Saw It.
An Englishman tells the story of a boy who saw an exceedingly bowlegged man standing in front of a hot fire. Finally he could restrain himself no longer and said, "Hey, mister, you'd better get away from there; you're warpin'!"
PRINCE ARTHUR—New smart Autumn style; comfort-band for easy scarf tying. 1 1/4 inches at back, 2 inches at front, perfectly comfort-fitting because made in Quarter Sizes.
Made of Irish linen; shape-sewed to launder perfectly; fortified where wear comes, so last longer and fray least.
20c. Each Demand the brand 3 for 50c.

Noah's Advantage.
Mrs. Noah was complaining that her clothes looked as if they had come out of the ark.
"On the contrary," returned her spouse, "they have just come across the water."
Herewith he congratulated himself on the cheapness of imported gowns.

They Knew Him.
Knox—It seems that Grapher's acquaintances are all very shrewd people. Jenks—Did he tell you that? Knox—He implied as much. He announced the other day that he doesn't owe anybody a dollar.
Feminine Amenities.
"Yes, dear, I was married last month. I'd like you to call on me and see the pretty little flat I have."
"I've seen him, my dear!"
Every being that can live can do something. This let him do.—Carlyle.

THE DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY.
In 1873 Sir Francis Hincks Was Convicted of Signing False Return.
It has probably been forgotten by many, but in 1873 Sir Francis Hincks, ex-Governor-General of Canada, was tried and convicted under the criminal code for signing as president of the Consolidated Bank of Montreal a return by the bank that did not truly set forth its assets and liabilities.
Popular sympathy was with the aged knight, but the court charged against him and the jury found him guilty. A few extracts from the charge of the court may not be devoid of interest.
His lordship instructed the jury that it was for them to determine whether the return was false and deceptive; "but having done that, something else remained behind. Assuming that it was false, they had to ascertain whether it was wilfully made, and if they were of opinion that the accused was deceived or misled, that he had consented to the return in good faith, and knew nothing of its falsity, and to doing all this had exercised the diligence which he should have exercised as a manager, then, although the return might be false, they would have to acquit him."
"If, on the other hand, taking into consideration the fact that he was a paid president of the bank, had access to it, and should have known where he stood and was thus reckless; if they believed that he acted with gross criminal negligence, their duty was plain. If, as proven, they should think that Sir Francis had been misled by the usage of other bank presidents, even if that was the case, the return was false and deceptive."
"It was most difficult to prove in such a case as that against Sir Francis that he knew all about it, but they must consider that from his position he should have known of the transactions, and they had a right to infer that he did know, and in that way they could bring the knowledge home to the accused."

READ AND YOU WILL LEARN
That the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice endorse and recommend, as the most efficacious, safe and reliable, the ingredients entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia, indigestion, biliousness, chronic bowels, torpid liver, or biliousness, chronic bowels, and all catarrhal diseases of whatever region, name or nature. It is also a specific remedy for all such chronic or long standing cases of catarrhal affections and their resultant, as bronchitis, throat and lung diseases (except consumption) accompanied with severe coughs. It is not so good for acute colds and coughs, but for lingering, or chronic cases it is superior to any other medicine. It contains Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Stone root, Mandarilla root, Queen's root—all of which are highly praised as remedies for all the above mentioned affections by such eminent medical writers and teachers as Prof. Harkness of Jefferson Med. College; Prof. Hare of the Univ. of Pa.; Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennington, Vt.; Prof. J. C. McCall, M. D., of Chicago; Prof. John King, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., of Hahnemann Med. College, Chicago, and scores of others equally eminent in their several schools of practice.
The "Golden Medical Discovery" is the only medicine put up for sale through druggists for like purposes, that has any such professional endorsement—worth more than any number of ordinary testimonials. Open publicity of its formula on the bottle wrapper is the best possible guaranty of its merits. A glance at this published formula will show that "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no poisonous or harmful agents and no alcohol—chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine being used instead. Glycerine is entirely unobjectionable and besides is a most useful ingredient in the cure of all stomach as well as bronchial, throat and lung affections. There is the highest medical authority for its use in all such cases. The "Discovery" is a concocion of glyceric extract of native medicinal roots and is safe and reliable.
A booklet of extracts from eminent medical authorities, endorsing its ingredients, mailed free on request. Address Dr. E. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

It is a waste of time to argue over an order which comes from headquarters.
FATAL BLOOD POISONING.
Frequently follows the use of cheap corn salves and plasters. The safest is the best and that's "Putnam's," which has a record of fifty years' success. Refuse substitutes for "Putnam's," which costs 25c. in every drug store.
It seems peculiar that most women want to live long, but they have no desire to be old.

MORE DETAILS ARE UNEARTHED
Ontario Bank Holiday Investigation Is An Eye Opener
DIRECTORS SEE CRISIS

Toronto, Nov. 17.—The last days in Ontario Bank history, days intervening between the time of the complete realization by the directors that a crash was inevitable, and the fatal morning on the stock exchange when the collapse of the shares conveyed to the world the knowledge, hitherto jealously guarded, within the inner circles, were made known to the public at large for the first time yesterday in the proceedings before Magistrate Denison.
Frank H. Pope, chief clerk of the head office, and most trusted of all the staff by the general manager, since it was he who was assigned by McGill to deal with his correspondence while the manager was absent, gave to light that which had, up till then, been a hidden chapter.
Crisis Confronts Directors.
It was on Sept. 1, that the directors, or some of them at least, were confronted with a crisis in the affairs of the bank. To the emergency meeting called purely on the initiative of Mr. Pope and Transfer Clerk Chenoweth, there came Directors Flett, Harcourt, Curry and Walton. President Cockburn and Director Donald McKay were absent from the city.
If Manager McGill had not taken any vacation last summer, it is more than likely that the Ontario Bank would still be holding up its head among banking institutions. There would have been no break in the market price, no closing of the doors, and no absorption into the Bank of Montreal. Mr. McGill would still be manager, and would be free to come and go, not permitted to move about solely by virtue of \$100,000 sureties.
A Holiday Investigation.
But Mr. McGill took an extended holiday during July and August, and while he was at New York and Saratoga, investigation was being made of certain large accounts in his security ledgers. For months back, Messrs. Pope and Chenoweth had nursed suspicions that had been aroused through casual glances into the accounts. In the absence of the manager, they had time and opportunity at their command.
What they discovered confirmed their belief that all was not well under the consulship of Charles McGill. A number of New York brokerage firms were dealing with large amounts, had been for years; yet there was nothing to show that any securities were held, or that interest or dividends had been paid. The sums totaled well on to a million dollars, and included \$485,000 debited to Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co. and \$229,000 to Cuyler, Morgan & Co.

THE DIRECTORS ASTONISHED.
The directors professed themselves astounded, and would not believe. The Government report for August was prepared for signature about Sept. 10. It was agreed that it must be signed, or a lapse of confidence would ensue. The directors would only acknowledge suspicion, and required verification. Donald McKay had been kept in ignorance of the situation because it was thought it would prove too heavy a blow, and he signed the report, unaware, so Mr. Pope declared, of any possible falsification.
Then came a conference between the board and McGill, of which no details have come out, the writing off of \$316,000 as "bad debts," and the subsequent developments.

Bank Inspection N. G.
Robert B. Caldwell, inspector of the Ontario Bank for years, was examined at length, and the significant facts drawn forth that there had been practically no inspection whatever of the head office books. Before two annual meetings, at least, the inspector asked McGill to allow him to look over the books. The manager put him off with excuses, and Mr. Caldwell reported so to Mr. Cockburn, who promised to see McGill. But, apparently, nothing was done.
The whole trend of Mr. Caldwell's inspection indicated that the system of bank inspection is of the lowest order, and some ironical comments were made thereupon by the court, who suggested inspection by the Government.

Rank U. S. Mezt.
Ottawa, Nov. 17.—The Canadian commercial agent in St. John's, Nfld., forwards a statement that, in spite of the steps recently taken by the American Congress to vindicate the quality of United States meat products, consignments of barreled beef and pork from the States have recently been reaching St. John's in an unsound, old and generally inferior state. It bore the regulation government mark as first-class.

Successful Balloon Trial.
Mantes-Sur-Seine, France, Nov. 17.—M. Lebaudy's new dirigible balloon, La Patrie, constructed for the aerostatic division of the French army, had a successful trial here yesterday. The airship was manoeuvred over the plains for ten miles and back to the starting point, being aloft an hour and fifteen minutes, with five men in the car. War Minister Picquart was present.

H. W. Grigg Dying.
Montreal, Nov. 17.—The condition of Horace W. Grigg, the young Toronto man, who was held up by a highwayman in West Montreal Tuesday night, has grown worse, and he is at death's door.

Peary Sails For Sydney.
Chateau Bay, Labrador, Nov. 17.—The Arctic steamer Roosevelt, with the Peary expedition on board, which was delayed here by fog and head winds, sailed yesterday for Sydney.

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PRESIDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY.
In 1873 Sir Francis Hincks Was Convicted of Signing False Return.

It has probably been forgotten by many, but in 1873 Sir Francis Hincks, ex-Governor-General of Canada, was tried and convicted under the criminal code for signing as president of the Consolidated Bank of Montreal a return by the bank that did not truly set forth its assets and liabilities.
Popular sympathy was with the aged knight, but the court charged against him and the jury found him guilty. A few extracts from the charge of the court may not be devoid of interest.
His lordship instructed the jury that it was for them to determine whether the return was false and deceptive; "but having done that, something else remained behind. Assuming that it was false, they had to ascertain whether it was wilfully made, and if they were of opinion that the accused was deceived or misled, that he had consented to the return in good faith, and knew nothing of its falsity, and to doing all this had exercised the diligence which he should have exercised as a manager, then, although the return might be false, they would have to acquit him."
"If, on the other hand, taking into consideration the fact that he was a paid president of the bank, had access to it, and should have known where he stood and was thus reckless; if they believed that he acted with gross criminal negligence, their duty was plain. If, as proven, they should think that Sir Francis had been misled by the usage of other bank presidents, even if that was the case, the return was false and deceptive."
"It was most difficult to prove in such a case as that against Sir Francis that he knew all about it, but they must consider that from his position he should have known of the transactions, and they had a right to infer that he did know, and in that way they could bring the knowledge home to the accused."

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The idea that the man who goes on a railway journey takes his life in his hand and is rather more likely than not to meet with an untimely death at the first curve the train negotiates is scarcely borne out by the fact that the chances against any one passenger meeting his death on the railway are 38,000,000 to 1. This immunity from disaster reflects considerable credit upon the companies, but still more upon engine drivers and signalmen, whose skill and care are the main factors in the safety of the passenger.—London Court Journal.

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Glady's—Mamma can't see anybody today. She's upstairs with the new baby. You see, they sent her a girl when she'd ordered a boy, and she's so disappointed she's sick.
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NEW YORK CHURCHES.

Trinity and the Land It Occupies Valued at \$12,500,000.

Trinity church is valued at \$12,500,000. This estimate includes the land occupied by the churchyard. It is in the most valuable part of New York, if not in the most valuable division of property in the world.
St. Paul's church is valued at \$5,500,000.

Grace church, at what was once described as the head of Broadway, is valued at \$650,000.

The First Presbyterian church, on Fifth avenue, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, is valued at \$750,000.
St. Mark's church, on Second avenue, an old landmark in that neighborhood, is valued at \$275,000.

The Marble Collegiate church, Fifth avenue and Twenty-fifth street, is valued at \$1,000,000.
The Church of St. Paul the Apostle (the Paulist church), at Fifty-ninth street and Columbus avenue, is valued at \$700,000.

The West Presbyterian church, on West Forty-second street, is valued at \$450,000. St. Thomas' at \$1,700,000 and the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, 9 and 11 West Fifty-ninth street, at \$1,000,000.

The valuation of the Temple Emanuel is \$1,530,000. Of St. Patrick's cathedral \$6,000,000, of the B'nai B'rith synagogue \$300,000, of the Temple Beth-El, at the corner of Fifth avenue and Seventy-sixth street, \$1,300,000, of the Broadway Tabernacle, Broadway and Fifty-sixth street, \$700,000 and of the Christian Scientist church, Central Park West and Sixty-eighth street, \$300,000.

PRACTICAL PICTURES.

Odd Parlor Ornaments and a Very Substantial Dinner.

There is a practical minded millionaire who has invented a substitute for valuable pictures which it is hoped will not commend itself to others. He has had a large number of bank notes framed, and these are hung upon the wall where the pictures should be.

In the drawing room is one frame that contains a bank note for \$100,000, and he says: "There is the money in case I find a picture which is sufficiently valuable to pay that price for it. Meanwhile the note tells its own tale and saves me from explaining to my visitors that 'this picture cost so much,' as most other rich men do."
"The chief pleasure of these collectors appears to arise not from the beauty of the work, but from the fact of it; then why not have checks or bank notes for a large sum hung on the walls, as I do? Besides, I find that it is much more interesting to my visitors, for most of them look long and carefully at the bank notes who would but glance at the work of art."

This eccentric man gave a dinner on the same principle. In the soup plates there was no soup, but sovereigns; for fish were served five-pound notes, for game checks and for sweets shares in a thriving company, and there was not a guest who did not enjoy this entertainment more than any he or she had ever before been present at.—London Truth.

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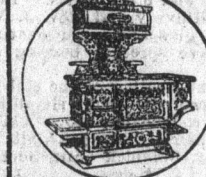
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Toronto, Nov. 19.—11 a. m.—Fresh westerly winds, fair, and colder, a few local snow flurries. Tuesday, fair and cold.

LOCAL

T. A. Smith is in London to-day on business.

Fred. Ward spent yesterday in Thamesville.

N. H. Stevens is in London to-day on business.

P. W. Stone, of Merlin, was a city visitor Saturday.

Miss Verlin Lamont spent Saturday in Wallaceburg.

James Pritchard is in Thamesville to-day on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Spill have returned to their home in Essex.

R. L. Gosnell, of Glenheim, is spending the day in the city on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Park returned last evening from a trip to the Eastern States.

Mrs. J. T. Chapman and daughter Geraldine have returned to their home in London.

Miss Minnie Scott, of Portland, Maine, formerly of this city, who has been on a trip to Mobile, Ala., is visiting Mrs. Jos. Turner, Raleigh St.

Mr. S. Stephenson is spending the week in Toronto on business. He was accompanied by Mrs. and Miss Stephenson, who will be the guests of friends in the Queen City during their stay there.

Those who attended the meeting of the Young People's Society of the First Church last Friday evening, were favored with a splendid solo, "Forsake Me Not," which was beautifully rendered by Miss Hope Rankin. Miss Rankin is one of the Maple City's most talented young singers, and her solo was much enjoyed and appreciated.

ATTEND NEW YORK HORSE SHOW WEST SHORE EXCURSION.

A splendid opportunity will be afforded to attend the famous New York Horse Show, as West Shore Railroad announces a \$9.00 round trip rate from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo to New York on November 20th, tickets good returning on or before United States Thanksgiving Day, November 29th. Good on all trains. Address L. Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge St., Toronto, for further information.

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THE ARNOLD SOCIETY

The Arnold Memorial Society held their regular meeting at Kent Bridge on Saturday night. There was a large and representative attendance from all parts of the county. The report of the treasurer showed a good balance on hand with all expenses of last picnic paid and the Society in a flourishing condition. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Ex-Reeve J. C. Williams, of Howard, president; Albert Arnold, ex-councillor, of Howard, vice-president; F. L. Arnold, of Kent Bridge, secretary; Sol. Arnold, of Louisville, treasurer.

A number of matters pertaining to the family were dealt with, after which all enjoyed a well served banquet at Frederick Arnold's residence.

MACAULAY CLUB

The Macaulay Club held a very interesting meeting on Saturday evening, when the subject of "Why men do not go to church," was thoroughly discussed. The evening was opened by Ald. Thomas Scullard, who delivered an excellent address on the topic of the evening, and this was followed by addresses from all the members present. The discussion was a spirited one and many were the causes attributed for this common failing on the part of the men of Chatham and other cities. Rev. A. H. MacGillivray and Rev. J. W. Hoyt were present at the meeting and also gave speeches bearing on the subject.

At the next meeting of the club a debate, "Resolved that simplified spelling is a laudable move which should be generally adopted," will be given. Perry Chinnick and Hector Jackson are the leaders.

A FINE SERMON

Rev. W. S. Rutledge, the able and earnest pastor of Park St. Methodist Church, delivered a most effective and interesting sermon at the evening service in that church yesterday. The attendance was very large, and it has come to be a recognized fact that Rev. Mr. Rutledge delivers his best sermons in the evening.

Last night Rev. Mr. Rutledge's theme was the church's efforts to conquer individual sin. He held that this was the only practical way to aid in alleviating the misery of the world. It had been held by several writers he said, that the social evils were the greatest which Christianity had to deal with. He proved quite conclusively to his hearers that if all people were individually induced to live rightly, there would be no such thing as social evils. It was men and women themselves who influenced society, not society which influenced men. He also criticized the writers who had said that property would make better men. He had been proven on various occasions that property was men's undoing. Right living and right thinking by individuals themselves was the only road to the complete salvation of the race.

During the service a duet was rendered by Miss Hollinrake and Mrs. Bogart.

LEHIGH VALLEY REDUCES PASSENGER FARES.

To take effect November 1st, on and soon thereafter as possible, the maximum rate per mile on the Lehigh Valley Railroad will be on the basis of 2 1-2c.

This will not change passenger rates now based on charge of less than 2 1-2c per mile.

Interchangeable mileage books, which are now sold at \$30.00, will be sold at \$25.00 with a rebate of \$5.00 on each 1,000 mile book instead of \$10.00, as at present.

THE SESSION WAS LONG

Judge Houston Sits All the Morning At The City Police Court

SOME VERY TOUGH CASES

The Police Court docked this morning was not very lengthy, but it was twelve o'clock before the Court finally adjourned, and only two cases had been considered and both of these stood adjourned.

A man named Phillips was arrested on a charge from Westman Bros. of scouring a horse under false pretences. Phillips came from Dresden, and his wife, who took the affair quite hard, was in the Court room throughout the whole proceedings. After the hearing of some of the evidence, the case was adjourned until this afternoon at four o'clock, when it will be completed.

ANOTHER HORSE CASE.

Front, who was up on a similar charge, from Wm. Lucas, was remanded until Wednesday. The parties were not ready to go on with the case this morning.

WELL KNOWN OFFENDER.

Jimmie Burns, who is well known in Police Court circles, was arrested Saturday evening on a charge of assaulting J. H. Broad. The offense is claimed, took place on the 6th of October. James will come up at four o'clock. This morning he asked the officer in charge if the man who laid the charge would come to see him as soon as he arrived. He told the officer that he wanted to see what he looked like. It was not known whether Jimmie wanted to see if he was still disfigured, or whether he was ranging in a strong bluff that he did not know anything about an assault, and did not know the man who is laying the charge. Magistrate Houston will see that they are introduced, and he may have something important to say after the introduction.

HAS A RECORD.

A young man named Cowan—as he gave it to the police—came up this morning. Cowan's right name is Bavin and his home is in London. He was arrested a few days ago for being drunk and disorderly. At that time, Mr. Houston was out of the city, and Ald. Scullard, who was acting Mayor, remanded him until today. He pleaded hard with Mr. Scullard to be allowed to go this time and said that if he were allowed his freedom, he would leave the city and would never come back. Mr. Scullard thought that the case should be dealt with by the magistrate, and so remanded him. He will come up this afternoon at four o'clock. Bavin acknowledged to the authorities that he had been up in the London Police Court several times. He evidently has a record. Before he was arrested on the present charge he was warned by Chief Holmes that he would be arrested for vagrancy if he did not get to work. He evidently preferred booze to work.

AN HONEST LABORER.

Dr. Duncan was a stranger at the Police Court this morning. He had a medicine case a few days ago, and it was found by Foreman Etches of the civic laborers' gang, and handed in at the Police Court. The doctor was notified and he was pleased to claim his property.

A RAILWAY WRECK

Four People Injured, Two Seriously, In Derailment At Georgetown.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—Four people were injured, two of them seriously—four cars were derailed and the front of one locomotive was considerably smashed up in a wreck on the Grand Trunk at Georgetown at 2 o'clock Saturday morning. The damage is estimated at between three and four thousand dollars.

Conductor John Armstrong, Allandale, and brakeman H. Scheever, Allandale, of No. 83, were seriously injured and taken to the Guelph Hospital. Brakeman Fred Peters, Stratford, and fireman R. Mulhead, Stratford, received slight cuts and bruises.

Brakeman Killed Near Meaford.

Meaford, Nov. 19.—Frank Coleman, a brakeman on a Grand Trunk freight train, was instantly killed by striking his head on an overhead railroad bridge on the old line of the Grand Trunk here about 8 o'clock Saturday morning. Deceased was about 24 years of age and an Englishman, the only relative in this country being an uncle living in Bracebridge.

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WRECK OF ALGOMA STR.

Crew Of The Theano, However, Gets Off In Boats

SOO STEAMER IS SUNK

Sault Ste. Marie, Nov. 19.—The Algoma Central steamer Theano with a cargo of 2,000 tons of steel rails for the Grand Trunk Pacific at Fort William was sunk three miles from Thunder Cape.

The boat struck a small island while trying to make the harbor Friday night, and being washed by a heavy sea, sank in deep water. The crew succeeded in getting off in lifeboats, and reached Port Arthur in safety.

No Trace of Vessel.

Port Arthur, Nov. 19.—No trace of the steamer Theano could be found by a party who went out to the scene of the wreck yesterday morning on the Whaler. Only floating oil and bubbles coming to the surface of Lake Superior indicated the spot where a wreck had taken place. The steamer, with her cargo of rails, had gone to the bottom of the lake. At that point the water is 17 feet deep, and there is no likelihood of the boat being recovered.

Simla May Be a Wreck.

The tug Bowman, sent out to search for the crew, came across a large amount of wreckage, portions of which were painted green. As the steamer Simla was green striped it is believed that she was wrecked.

MacKay Boat Ashore.

Owen Sound, Nov. 19.—Word was received here yesterday afternoon that the new steel freight carrier, Winona, of the B. O. & A. B. MacKay line is ashore on Duck Island, south of Manitoulin Island.

The Winona, which is off the dry dock only a few weeks, having met with a similar misfortune about six weeks ago, left Owen Sound on Friday evening at 5:30 o'clock, bound for Fort William with a cargo of cement. In a blinding snowstorm early Saturday morning, the Winona went ashore on one of the Duck Islands, about 100 miles from Owen Sound. The big steamer landed well up in shallow water.

Bow Badly Broken In.

After some time the boat pulled off with her own power, but the bow was found to be badly broken in and the forward compartment filled with water. In this condition the boat sought shelter, and in a small bay the bow of the boat was beached. With a change in the wind the steamer would be in danger of being driven ashore.

Some of the crew reached the mainland and went to Providence Bay, 45 miles distant, where they notified the owners in Hamilton. The Winona is a new boat, having been brought out from the old country early in the summer. She is in charge of Capt. Dix.

The storm, which is raging on the lakes at the present time, is the worst of the year, and a number of vessels are in danger here.

A telegram was received here yesterday by the wife of Capt. Pearson of the steamer Theano, ashore at Thunder Cape, Lake Superior, advising her of his safe arrival in Fort William.

Paton Anarchist Stabs Rossi.

Naples, Nov. 19.—An anarchist named Lagana, who returned here recently from Paterson, N. J., by way of London, last night stabbed and killed the famous sociologist, Giovanni Rossi, of the University of Naples, because Rossi, in a recent lecture, condemned anarchist crimes as barbarous. The murder has produced general indignation, as the victim was held in high esteem.

Will Arrest Mayor.

San Francisco, Nov. 19.—Mayor Schmitz, after a season of six weeks European travel, will return to San Francisco a prisoner. When the steamship Patria, with the mayor on board, reaches New York harbor, Nov. 22, it will be met by a detective from San Francisco district attorney's office, who will take Mayor Schmitz in charge.

Switchman Fatally Hurt.

Brantford, Nov. 19.—Geo. Atkins, a switchman employed in the Grand Trunk yards, was seriously injured about 1 o'clock yesterday morning. He was signalling an incoming freight when the yard engine backed down on him, inflicting internal injuries. His recovery is thought to be doubtful.

Endorse Labor Candidate.

Hamilton, Nov. 19.—The Liberals at their convention Saturday night decided not to place a candidate in East Hamilton and practically endorsed the Labor candidate, Allen Studholme.

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WANTED—Teacher for Union S. S. No. 3, Camden and Chatham; duties to commence Jan. 1st, 1907; salary \$400; applications to be in by the 1st of December. Apply, stating qualifications, to Finley Reid, Sec.-Treas., Dresden P. O., Ont.

FOR SALE—Tenders will be received for the purchase and removal of the building formerly used as the Klondyke Hotel, on Saturday, November 24th, 1906. Address to Herbert Mount, Esq., or to the undersigned, J. L. Wilson & Son, Architects, Chatham.

WANTED—Teacher for S. S. No. 7, Chatham Township, male or female, must hold a Normal certificate; duties to commence Jan. 3rd, 1907. Address: H. A. Lang, Sec.-Treas., Darrell P. O.

WANTED—Teacher for S. S. No. 17, Chatham Gore, Protestant, holding first or second class certificate. References required; state salary. Apply personally or address Thos. Richardson, Sec.-Treas., Box 79, Wallaceburg.

WANTED—Teacher for S. S. No. 4, Camden Township; Protestant preferred; duties to commence with the new year. Apply, stating experience and salary expected to J. W. Badder, Sec.-Treas., Wabash P. O.

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Western City Lodge, I. O. O. F.,
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Sons of England, in their hall, at
8 o'clock.

Gay Bros' Minstrels at the Brisco
Opera House, 8.15.

Young People of Christ Church
elect officers at the S. S. Hall, at 8.

The Hoo-Doo Order of the Faculty
Four meet in their chambers at 7.30.

Young People's Society, lecture
hall, William St. Baptist Church, 8
o'clock.

LOCAL

Smoke Lord Lake Cigar—10c.

Percy Moss was in Wallaceburg on
Saturday.

F. Mayhew, of London, is in the
city to-day on business.

Messenger boy wanted. Apply to
W. E. Rispin, 115 King street.

O. L. Lewis is in London to-day
on business.

Arthur Martin spent Sunday in
Wallaceburg.

J. Gelson, of Toronto, spent yester-
day in the city.

Col. J. B. Rankin is in Toronto to-
day on business.

Miss Anna Clements spent yester-
day in Wallaceburg.

Matthew Wilson, K. C., is in Lon-
don to-day on business.

Wm. Milner, of West Lorne, spent
Saturday in the city.

B. N. Simpson, of Pt. Lambton was
in the city yesterday.

I want two strong boys to learn
timemaking. See me about it at
once. J. C. Wanless.

Choice Cannel Coal and Listings,
for your fire grate. Fleming, Till-
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Miss M. E. Western, of Harwich,
has taken a position as cashier at
the W. H. Hall & Co. store.

W. E. Benson left for Moncton,
New Brunswick, this morning on
business for the Canada Flour Mills.

Bridge, Whist, Five Hundred,
Duplicate Whist and Progressive
Euchre Score Cards for sale at The
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Mr. Thomas Ross, of Lansdowne
avenue, is erecting a fine new resi-
dence on his property on Taylor ave-
nue.

Wanted—Competent and experi-
enced stenographer and assistant
book-keeper. Must be accurate and
reliable at figures, and used to book
work. Apply at once. The S. Had-
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Miss Levi Anderson and family de-
sire to thank their friends for the
many kindnesses shown them during
the long illness of their husband and
father, and also at the time of his
death.

Evening classes at Business Col-
lege open every Monday, Wednesday
and Friday evenings. No entrance
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The special announcement appear-
ing on the last page of this issue
will interest many who could not
get served at the big sale of Stone
The Hatter. Mr. Stone thinks it only
fair to the hundreds of his friends
who went away unserved on ac-
count of the crush, should have an
other opportunity to get in on the
big reasonable bargains, and as the
contractors are not quite ready to
go on with the remodelling, he will
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week. Read the price list.

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Mrs. J. Holmes, Queen street, is
quite ill.

Ray Countworth, of Winnipeg, is
home on a visit.

S. Stephenson is in Toronto on
business to-day.

Herb Dehn's, of Tilbury, spent Sun-
day at his home here.

J. N. McCoy, of Wallaceburg, was
a city visitor Saturday.

The Abbe L. Andrews and the
Azov arrived in port this morning.

Wanted, at once, general house-
maid; small family; good wages.
Apply Box A, Planet.

Bargain days at Crump's; great big
bunches of fresh cut chrysanthem-
ums for ten cents.

A. F. Mahler and Mrs. E. Church,
of Detroit, were city visitors yester-
day.

Fair of Nations Ball, Elks Audi-
torium, Wednesday, November 21st.
Finzel's orchestra. Tickets \$1.00.

Mrs. D. E. Eckert, of Toronto, has
returned to her home after a visit
to friends in this city.

Wanted—Two or three good cabi-
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Underwear at 50 Cents.

The Underwear we are showing at this price is really marvellous. No such value could be possible, except under-buying under regular prices. White, cream and natural vests and drawers, regular 65c to \$1.00, Mill End Sale, 50c.

A Golden Opportunity

to buy Underwear, best qualities at half-price. All perfect goods, the price made possible by buying immense quantities underprice.

Women's Vests and Drawers

42 doz Merino Vests and Drawers, wool and cotton mixed, open and closed, drawers ankle length, vests full sizes, shaped at waist, nicely finished, reg. 50c value, Mill End Sale, 25c.

Women's, Misses and Children's

53 doz. Women's, Misses' and Children's Vests and Drawers, cream and natural, all wool and merino, also extra quality fleece lined vests, all nicely shaped and perfect in every way, regular prices 50c, 65c and 75c, Mill End Sale, 30c.

COATS AND FURS AT Mill End Prices.

25 only coats at \$10.00. These coats represent the best values that any store could possibly put on sale at this remarkable price—our customers have so generously responded to our **MILL END SALE** we want to do something very extra. Black kersey coats and light tweed coats, best styles and best materials. Come early Saturday morning for best choice as only 25 coats will be sold at this price—the regular prices are \$12.50 to \$15.00. Mill End Sale \$10.00.

FURS AT BARGAIN PRICES.

5 Neck Scarfs different Furs, regular \$5.75 to \$6.50 for \$4.45.
8 Neck Scarfs different Furs, regular \$7.50 to \$10.00 for \$6.50.
7 Neck Scarfs different Furs, regular \$10.00 to \$12.50 for \$8.50.
6 Neck Scarfs different Furs, regular \$13.50 to \$15.00 for \$10.00.

You will need to see the above Fur qualities to really appreciate the excellent bargains. These are our regular stock Furs and represent cut prices that the Ladies of Chatham will be quick to take advantage of. When we advertise a thing you may believe it's true—come and prove it.



Linens at Mill Prices.

1 case of Linen Table Damask, red stripe border, extra nice for breakfast clothes, they come in lengths from 1 1/2 yds. to 7 yds., they are easily worth 60c per yd., Mill End Sale, 33c yd.

3-4 Bleached Damask.

If one linen bargain is better than another this one is the best—72 in. wide, nice floral pattern, extra heavy, could not possibly be sold for less than 50c, but we are bargain-giving, Mill End Sale 35c yd.



72 in. Table Damask 45c.

Full 3-4 Bleached Table Damask, suitable for best table use, beautiful designs, extra heavy weight, pure linen, it's good value at 65c., Mill End Sale, 45c yd.

Towels and Towelling Cheap.

10 doz. Towels, good size and good quality linen, huckabuck and oatmeal patterns, always sold for 12 1/2c., Mill End Sale, 9c each.

Instead of Monday Bargains We Continue Our "MILL END SALE" All This Week.

No Better Hosiery Anywhere Than We Are Showing at Less Than Half Price.

Spring Samples 15c.

4 complete sets of Travellers spring samples, plain and lace lisle in tans and black, fine cotton in tans, brown and black, also Misses' and Children's hose for evening wear, or it will pay you to store them for next summer. Regular values 35c to 65c. Mill End Sale 15c.



HANDKERCHIEFS FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Thirty-five dozen very choice Swiss embroidered handkerchiefs extra fine quality and beautiful embroidery, for the same qualities as these you would easily pay twice or three times the price we are asking. Our best handkerchief bargain. All perfect. Mill End Sale 2 for 25c.

FANCY COLLARS AND BELTS.

All suitable for Christmas giving or for your own needs. Less than half the regular prices they are mostly samples with some clearing lines of Christmas novelties.

5c.

At 5c you have a chance to buy some pretty turn-over collars of lace and embroidery, some pretty turn-overs added to this lot worth 15c to 25c. Mill End Sale 5c.

10c.

This lot represents some very pretty collars and tabs in lace and embroidery many different kinds, but the price is less than half. Why pay 25c when we are satisfied with 10c, Mill End Sale 10c.

15c.

At this price we are showing some beautiful collar tabs, mostly planeau lace in some very pleasing effects—you'll not be sorry if you lay in a good supply of these. Mill End Sale 15c.

25c.

This price represents a lot of collars and belts the contents of one table—you'll find collars that are worth over 50c. Belts in silk worth up to 75c. Mill End Sale 25c.

Mill Ends

—OF—

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ART CRETONNES 8c. Yd.

Rich Colorings for curtains, couch or draperies, or for covering clothes boxes, good designs, besides they will wash, regular 15c the yd., Mill End Sale, per yd., 8c.

PLAID DRESS GOODS 8c Yd

Does your little girl want a plaid dress? You can buy it with little money now. We have five choice patterns in fancy Plaid Dress Goods, bought under the regular price special for this sale, Mill End Sale, per yd., 18c.

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Striped Flannelette, white, red, pink and blue, Saxony Flannelette, excellent qualities at less than the mill prices. The prices are per yd. 5c, 6c and 8c.

ENGLISH FLANNELETTE 11c.

10 pieces of best quality English Flannelette, extra heavy, specially made for shirting, quiet stripes and neat colorings, always sold for 15c yd., Mill End Sale 11c yd.

CANADIAN FLANNELETES 8c YARD.

30 inch Canadian Flannelette extra good quality the 10c kind, pink and white, blue and white, and grey and white stripes, we cleared a lot of pieces to get the prices right for our sale—that's the reason you only have to pay 8c instead of 10c. Mill End Sale 8c yd.

WRAPPERETTE AND CASHMERETTE 8c

34 pieces of fine wrapperette and cashmerette for waists, kimono and children's dresses. You have paid 12 1/2c to 20c per yard for the same goods, but the price is only 8c during our Mill End Sale 8c.

25c MOLETTES FOR DRESSING GOWNS 15c.

10 only, pieces of heavy French Molettes in beautiful rich colorings, just the thing for dressing gowns, bath robes and kimono, make a dressing gown for a Christmas present, nothing nicer. Mill End Sale 15c yd.



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Pure Wool Homespuns in stylish overchecks, in colors claret, myrtle and navy, 58 in. wide, per yd. \$1.35	Priestley's Chiffon Venetians, in green and navy, 45 in. wide, per yard. 75c
Nobby dark grey Tweeds and Homespuns with stylish overchecks, 58 in wide, at per yard \$1.50	British n-m-spot Venetians, guaranteed not to cockle, spot or shrink, 45 in. wide, special for stylish suits and skirts, in colors navy and brown, per yard. 85c
A beautiful collection of 44 inch Tweeds, in dark greys, black and white, navy and greens, for odd skirts at per yard. 50c	French Chiffon Broadcloths, in colors garnet, navy, brown & green, for correct costumes, 56 in. wide, at per yard. \$1.50

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—AT—
Campbell's Removal Shoe Sale

75 Pair Men's Patent Colts in Button, Blucher and Bal Cuts, all sizes, regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 shoes now on sale for \$2.98

Bring your feet with you and get fitted. This is a snap for high grade foot wear buyers.

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Have been authorized to offer for sale at once the Van Allen property on Head Street East, eleven lots, two brick houses. Snap here for someone, as the price is away down.

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Know that saving your cents is the beginning of building up a fortune. Our ad. will help you to save money, we think. Let us fill your order, please.

Lemon Peel, 15c. per lb.
12 lbs. Sweet Potatoes for 25c.
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New Raisins, select, 12c. per lb.
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3 10c. bottles of Extracts for 25c.
Honey Syrup, 50c. per gal.
6 bars Comfort Soap, 25c.
7 lbs. Rolled Wheat, 25c.
Fresh Sausage, 10c. per lb.
Head Cheese, 10c. per lb.
25 per cent. off all Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets, China Lamps, and Glassware. This is the best offer. Come and buy your Christmas presents at our Clearing Sale. The goods must go.

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Most any day now, when you have time to spare, we would like to put our time against yours and show you the correct ideas in Fall and Winter Wearables.

You may look at all the New Suits and Overcoats—try on as many as you wish—ask the price—ask any other questions that may suggest themselves.

Then look at the Fall Shapes in Hats, the New Neckwear, Shirts, Gloves and all the fresh things in Toggery.

Look as long as you like. We'll agree not to say a word about your buying. Our proposition is to show you.

GEO. MEYNELL
3 Doors West
from Market....
KING ST. CHATHAM

Seranton, Pa., Nov. 19.—One trainman was killed and several others injured as the result of a collision between an empty engine and an east-bound milk train on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad at Lehigh last night.

Stratford, Nov. 19.—Samuel Robb, aged 17, fell down the cellar approach to a store at Mitchell, and striking his head against the cement wall, was rendered unconscious for six hours. Concussion of the brain followed, and his memory is a blank.

London, Nov. 19.—Official advices received here confirm the recent reports of the serious illness of the Shah of Persia. It is said that his death may occur any day, or that he may linger for months. He is suffering from kidney trouble.

Gananogue, Nov. 19.—David Taylor, who has been missing from his home since Wednesday last, was grappled for near the railway wharf and his body was found by Charles Wand in about 20 feet of water. He fell off the wharf while under the influence of liquor.

Cork, Ireland, Nov. 19.—Addressing a meeting Saturday to further the conversion of Queen's College, Cork, into a university for Munster, William O'Brien said that he and his wife intended to bequeath all they were worth toward the endowment of a Cork university.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Viscount Aoki, the Japanese ambassador, contemplates a trip to the Pacific coast to study the condition of the Japanese in the far Western States, with special view to learning the exact causes of the friction between Californians and his fellow countrymen.

Renovo, Pa., Nov. 19.—An express train on the Pennsylvania Railroad from Buffalo for Philadelphia was wrecked near here Saturday. The train ran into a switch engine and Engineer John C. Lovett of the express was badly scalded by escaping steam and died in a hospital.

St. Catharines, Nov. 19.—During a heavy windstorm yesterday afternoon, two of the big concrete piers which are used to carry the electric power transmission lines were broken in two. The wires in falling struck the metal roof of the paper mills, and for a few minutes there was a vivid display of light and flame.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 19.—One of the resolutions reported at Saturday's session of the labor convention here asked that the federation's platform of principles be embodied in the records. Then it developed that the American Federation of Labor has no definite principles, a revelation which moved several of the delegates to make angry protests.

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LETTERS

ON PRAYER MEETINGS.

To the Editor of The Planet:
With your kind permission, and if you can pardon such an intrusion on the valuable space of the G. H. J., I wish to write an open letter to the prayer meetings of our churches. As our city is mending its ways, at considerable expense, and the wretched mudholes of our streets are being made solid footing for man and beast, can we not also mend our spiritual ways somewhat? Suppose we begin at our prayer meetings. A remark by a friend that when he visited them after long absence he finds just about the same few souls gathered together and the same old brethren leading in prayer in the same old way as in days of yore, which means we are still doing business on the same old stand, in the same old way, but the business seems rather dull. Everything about our churches has improved with the times, the ministry, the music, the social, intellectual and religious departments have made marked progress, while our spiritual devotion to God and the winning of souls has not prospered in proportion, and I think we all agree "that these things ought not so to be." You may ask how can we get out of our spiritual rut; are the pastors doing their level best? some will say: others point to deacons, elders, class leaders, local preachers, etc., and wonder what ails them. What are our Charity committees, Ladies' Aids, Mission Societies, Christian Endeavorers and Leagues, etc., doing about it? It is so easy to begin to find fault where no blame is attached and forget that personal pronoun I may be at fault after all, and that perhaps quite unwittingly. To improve our condition, the engagement of a first class evangelist, united services, an increase of organizations, etc. Well, we have had all that, and we do thank God for all the good done. A more natural and simple spiritual and scriptural way is (see Acts 8, 4, and 5, 42) for church members to get personally filled with the Spirit for personal work. Let us learn a lesson from our political campaigners, where men have their

mass meetings, ward meetings, etc., but almost every capable man, woman or child also does their share toward electing their party candidate. So when our churches get into a financial rut, every effective person, male or female, young or old, is commissioned to solicit personally, and every little counts. We have our church boards for every purpose, but no board of men or women for such spiritual work as winning souls from sin to God. I believe the majority in our churches are willing to do any duty God may call them to, but a lot of us need power and training as to the best way to secure the vote and influence of our fellows, that Jesus Christ may be elected to the throne of their hearts, defeating and dethroning all competitors. Suppose our pastors were to call a meeting of their churches and to ask for volunteers to do this personal hand to hand canvass from day to day, as the Lord directs and

gives the opportunity, and all who shall seek equipment from Him for such work, make our weekly prayer meetings be the place to report, council, pray and plan, from week to week year in and year out—because this election to Eternal Life is always on—and we shall have added to His church daily such as are being saved, thus our prayer meetings would become rich times of refreshing from the presence of the Lord, to say nothing of the blessed effects on the life of each worker. The real vital essential for such personal work is "more love to the Christ." This God waits to impart, shall we ask Him for it? W. M.

OLD PROVERB.

There is an old proverb that a man becomes what he eats.
Then I suppose all the cannibals will be missionaries in time.

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Watch for the Grand Street Parade at noon day of show.
Seats on sale at Brisco's.
Prices—25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

Special Announcement!

The ten days Remodeling Sale of Stone, the Hatter, was an unqualified success. As everybody knows, the crowds were enormous. In spite of an extra large staff of clerks it was impossible to serve all who came to buy.

HUNDREDS WENT AWAY UNSATISFIED

In consideration of this, and the fact that the contractors are not quite ready to start remodeling, Mr. Stone announces that he will continue the **SALE ALL THIS WEEK.** The same discount and price list, and the same sweeping reductions in all lines of clothing and furnishings. Price List:—

Men's Handkerchiefs, regular 10c and 20c, sale price 7c and.....	10c
Men's heavy wool sock, regular 25c, sale price.....	19c
Men's heavy cashmere hose, regular 25c, sale price.....	19c
Men's 25c suspenders, sale price.....	17c
Men's 50c suspenders, sale price.....	38c
Men's all wool underwear, regular \$1.50, sale price.....	98c
Men's 50c fleece lined underwear, sale price.....	39c
Men's \$1.00 fleece lined underwear, sale price.....	79c
Another lot of Men's all wool underwear, regular price \$1.25, sale price.....	89c
Men's all wool sweaters, sale price.....	1.13
Men's \$3.00 all wool sweaters, sale price.....	2.25
Children's wool toques, regular price 25c, 35c and 50c, sale price 17c, 23c and.....	37c
Men's 50c neckwear.....	30c
Men's 25c neckwear.....	19c
Men's 50c leather mitts.....	39c
Men's 25c leather mitts.....	19c
Fine kid and Moc Gloves lined and unlined, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50, sale price.....	98c
Men's stiff and soft front colored shirts, regular 1.25 and 1.50, sale price.....	98c
Men's colored shirts, regular 75c and 1.00, sale price.....	59c
Men's white unlaundried shirts, regular price 50c, sale price.....	35c
All our men's fine stiff and soft hats, regular 2.50, 2.75 and 3.00, sale price.....	2.19
105 only Men's Stiff Hats in Black and Brown, all sizes, regular \$2, \$2.50 and \$3, sale price.....	89c
Men's overall and smocks, all 50c lines for.....	39c
" " " all 75c lines for.....	69c
" " " all 1.00 lines for.....	89c
Men's heavy working trousers reg 1.25 and 1.50 sale price.....	89c
Men's extra fine trousers, 3.00, 2.50, and 4.00 lines, sale price.....	2.89
One lot of men's pea jackets, worth 6.00 to 8.00, sale price.....	4.98
87 only Men's working suits, 7.00, 8.00 and 9.00 regular, sale price.....	4.98
400 Men's business suits regular price 10.00 and 12.00, sale price.....	7.89
300 Men's Fine Suits, worth \$18 and \$20, sale price.....	13.98
Men's Overcoats, regular \$10.00, sale price.....	7.89
" " " \$12 and \$14, sale price.....	9.88
" " " \$16 and \$20, sale price.....	14.98

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