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WRECKED BY DYNAMITE

Train Consumed by the Flames
—Known Dead Number 19.

Horrible Accident at Harrisburg, Pa. Caused by Disconnecting of Air Hose on Freight—Rescuers Are Driven Back by Explosions and Fire, Which Consumed Men and Women—Injured Number Over a Hundred.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 12.—Nineteen persons are known to be dead and more than 100 others were injured in the railroad wreck and dynamite explosion which occurred early yesterday on the Pennsylvania Railroad in the southern part of this city. That as many persons were killed is considered remarkable, as a full boxcar of dynamite exploded directly at the middle of the heavy express train. The train carried many prominent persons, most of whom escaped with only slight injuries.

The wrecked train was the second section of the Cleveland and Cincinnati express leaving Philadelphia at 11:05 Wednesday night. It consisted of a combination baggage and smoking car, ten day coach and six sleepers. There are various stories of how the wreck occurred, but the official version is as follows:

At 1:40 o'clock the engine on an east-bound freight train was flagged by the crew of a shifting engine ahead on the same track. The engineer quickly put on his airbrakes and the train, an unusually long one, came to a sudden halt. The strain on the air valves was a severe one and a connecting air hose in the middle of the train blew out. This caused the middle of the train to "break" and the damaged cars fell over on the passenger tracks.

Just as this happened the Cleveland express came thundering up and "side wiped" the wreck. The express was stopped within its own length and the third sleeper was opposite the wrecked cars. Before any one could leave the passenger train, which was not very badly damaged, a few slight explosions occurred, and then there was one great flash and roar that shook the earth. The whole affair occurred within a period of a few seconds. Men and women came tumbling and climbing from the car windows, or crawled from under the wreckage. No one for the moment seemed to know what to do, and many of the passengers momentarily seized with terror, ran wildly about the fields on the north side of the railroad or waded into the shallow waters of the river. Realizing their safety and the danger still threatening the frightened passengers turned in and began the rescue of the living.

As they approached the wreck another explosion occurred. Seeing that the entire freight train might be loaded with dynamite, no one dared go near the wreck. Finally the railroad men, who knew the contents of the burning freight train, the way and the unfortunates followed.

Advancing fire drove the rescuers back as they were about to take others from the wreck and unfortunate men and women were seen enveloped in the flames.

W. B. McCaleb, superintendent of the Philadelphia division, said he was unable as yet to fix any responsibility for the accident. A thorough investigation, he said, is now being made.

COLES ARE POSITIVE

That Willis Passed Their House Between 6 and 7 o'clock.

Rodney, May 12.—Rigorous examination and cross-examination failed yesterday at the preliminary trial of Alexander Willis and Elizabeth Covell for murder to shake the evidence of William Cole and little Bessie Cole. Their stories, to the effect that they saw Willis passing their house between 6 and 7 o'clock on the morning after the murder, was attacked at every point, but it still stands intact, the most damaging evidence against Alexander Willis.

Other witnesses were F. A. McCullum, editor of the Rodney Mercury; F. B. Kennedy, a druggist; Rodney, and A. J. Lieberman, undertaker. His chief testimony was of a conversation he had had with Willis in the afternoon. As Willis came across the yard Lieberman remarked the nasty bruise on his forehead. "I've worse than that," said Willis, showing another wound in the hair at the side of his head. He said he had received both bruises and a slight discoloration around the left eye from a blow from his barn door. Mrs. Covell had told him three times the story of the murder, but any variations in the stories were additions in the second and third tellings. The hearing was then adjourned till Friday morning.

RELIEF FOR THE JEWS.

Measure to Give Unhoped for Concession to Jews in Russia.

London, May 12.—The Jewish Chronicle yesterday announced: "We are informed on high authority that important developments may be anticipated in the situation of the Jews in Russia. We are informed that a measure is more than under consideration, which will give unhoped for relief to Jews. Absolute freedom of movement and residence will be granted in all cities and towns, but not in villages, as the authorities are not willing to run the risk of a repetition of the Kishineff affair."

"We understand that the murder of Jews causes the Government more anxiety than of persons of other nationalities, because of the reputation it arouses in Europe."

Bombs in Safety Vault.

Moscow, May 12.—Half a dozen bombs were discovered yesterday in a box placed in a safety deposit vault.

NON-PARTISAN AND HONEST ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAW

East Kent License Commissioners Put Themselves on Record—Thousands of Dollars in Improvements Going on in Hotels—Will Consider Two Harwich Cases—A Bothwell Transfer—Phil. Bowyer's Interpretation of Premier Whitney's Policy.

An interesting incident, revealing the strength of Premier Whitney's license policy and the determination of his Government to bring about a non-partisan administration of the license laws, was one of the significant features of yesterday's meeting of the East Kent Board of Commissioners. Moreover it led Commissioner Gifford to give publicity to the definition of these principles and the absolute freedom of the Board to carry them out, communicated to him by Phil. H. Bowyer, M. P., at the time that gentleman urged his acceptance of the duties—statements that do infinite credit to the esteemed member for East Kent, the Government and the Commissioners.

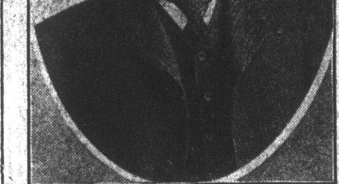
The incident in question arose out of an amusing personal experience related to the Board by Barrister J. M. Pike, who appeared in the interests of Harwich applicants. In the course of his address the clever counsel took occasion to congratulate the Board on the policy they had adopted in enforcing licenses to keep hotel and ruling against the cross-road houses that had become mere drinking booths. By way of illustration Mr. Pike related an experience which befel him while stumping through the country during the recent political campaign.

After a meeting he was called upon to put up overnight at one of the so-called country taverns. He advised the accommodation of the night, but said the limit was reached when, after waiting some time, the maid brought him two eggs for breakfast.

"They're not very fresh," she said, "but they're all you can get."

"Maybe she was a Liberal and knew you," put in the chairman, ex-Warden Sifton, smiling.

"Shouldn't wonder," was the law-



EX-WARDEN W. C. SIFTON,
Chairman of the East Kent Board of License Commissioners.

yer's laughing reply, "but my clients to-day are not."

"I am very sorry if I unwittingly called forth that response," was Chairman Sifton's prompt comment.

The policy of the Government and the policy upon which this board acts is that of a strictly non-partisan administration of the license laws. No man has either been helped or hindered in his license aspirations by his political inclinations. The principles enunciated by the Provincial Secretary, interpreted to the best judgment of this Board, alone govern such matters. To follow any other course would bring discredit on ourselves and the Government of the people which we serve.

"I am glad the chairman has so spoken," added Commissioner Jarvis. "For it is well for everyone to understand that politics have nothing to do with the business of this Board."

"It is well to make this position quite clear," commented ex-Warden Gifford, third Commissioner. "I have no hesitation in giving publicity to the statement of Mr. Philip H. Bowyer, the member for East Kent, when he asked me, on behalf of the Government, to become a Commissioner, and the statement upon which I accepted the office. It was: 'The license policy of Premier Whitney is a non-political one. Commissioners are asked only to use their best judgment in administering the law without fear or favor. Accept no political suggestions; do freely and fearlessly just what in your judgment is required for an honest enforcement of the law. Beware of all political bias and do not hesitate to stand by your principles even if an election contest hangs in the balance. For my part I admire and adhere to the Premier's policy and, as your representative, will stand or fall by it.'"

"This," added Mr. Gifford, "was the

standard set up by our member himself, and I believe our Board is prepared to carry out to the best of its ability."

MAKING HOTELS.

The new era of activity and obedience to the law has dawned among the license holders in East Kent. Inspector Boon says he never knew so much doing. In almost every licensed place in the constituency plumbers, masons, carpenters and paper-hangers are—or have been—at work. Thousands of dollars are being spent by the owners in making hotel in accordance with the decree of the Commissioners and a wonderful improvement is already noted.

Moreover, the hotel men themselves are rigidly observing the closing laws. The statement of Chairman Sifton at the inaugural meeting that the Board purposed making every first offence a last offence and not renewing the license of any man who broke the law, has had a tremendous effect as no doubt is evidenced that the Commissioners will strictly enforce their declaration.

SHAKING DICE.

Commissioner Gifford pointed out that it had come to his attention that in some bars young men had been permitted to shake dice for the drinks. This was, he believed, completely illegal, and, moreover, encouraged the most undesirable element and conduct. Young men then continued to drink more for the sake of the game than from desire. He intended to ask the Inspector to notify all hotel men that it must be stopped, or regarded by the Commissioners as a direct violation of the law, to be so dealt with.

THE HARWICH CASES.

The Board met yesterday afternoon in the town hall at Bothwell. The chairman, ex-Warden W. C. Sifton, presided, and there were also present Commissioners ex-Warden Frank Gifford and Robt. L. Jarvis and Inspector Thos. Boon.

J. M. Pike appeared for Arthur Walker and Alex. D. Forbes, of Charing Cross and Cedar Springs, respectively, to ask for a reconsideration of their cases. Mr. Pike made a strong plea on their behalf. There was no local option law in force in Harwich; these applicants held long and unblemished records; they were supported by strong and influential positions; they had good houses and kept them well, and it was not fair to punish them for the misdemeanors at the McKay's Corners and Fargo taverns, which had been so largely the cause of the Harwich vote.

A SPLENDID RECORD.

Inspector Boon, who had been asked to furnish a special report on these places, reported that they were all that had been represented on their behalf—good houses and well kept. Mr. Walker had kept his hotel for 29 years and never once had a complaint been lodged against him. Commissioner Gifford complimented Messrs. Walker and Forbes on the Inspector's report. It was exactly what he anticipated from what he knew of the men and their houses. The only point was this: Local option had been carried by a large majority and had only been set aside on a legal technicality. The people had voted in good faith and expected the law to come in force. The ballot was even more potent than petitions.

WAS IT THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE?

Chairman Sifton—The by-law was quashed because the clerk hadn't performed all his technical duties. Had he done so, there is no question that local option would be in force. If it had been carried by five votes, even by 50, it would have been a matter for consideration, but if every unpolled vote had been recorded against it, the by-law would still have carried by a large majority. I compliment Mr. Walker and Mr. Forbes on their houses and congratulate them on their records, but can we with justice go in the face of the clearly-expressed will of the people of Harwich?

Mr. Pike—Is it not an injustice to blame my clients for that vote? Was it not caused by the character of the places kept at McKay's Corners and Fargo?

Chairman Sifton—That is the only point, and it is only one of uncertainty. McKay's Corners and Fargo could never under any circumstances receive my support of the character of the places kept. They were literally notorious dives.

Mr. Pike—True, Mr. Chairman, and that's where my clients get the worst of it. They are blamed for what the other fellows have done.

DESIRE VS. DUTY.

Commissioner Gifford—Let me say I have received visits and letters earnestly urging favorable consideration to Messrs. Walker and Forbes from scores of my most esteemed friends—men whose opinion I respect, who are not awayed by faulty considerations. I can tell you I never faced anything that so worried me as my course in this matter and I regret to give offence to these es-

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teemed friends. I know Messrs. Walker and Forbes and respect them and admire the conduct of their houses. What I would personally like to do would be to give them the licenses they deserve, but it yet seems to me that my duty in face of the Harwich vote is clear.

TEMPERANCE MEN, AND DRANKS

Commissioner Jarvis—I have received over 50 letters from good citizens in the interests of Messrs. Walker and Forbes. What surprised me most was that some of the temperance people who had opposed the granting of these licenses came privately and said they had no objection. It really makes a farce of the whole thing. The character of Messrs. Walker and Forbes is all we could wish.

Mr. Pike—I am not surprised to hear Mr. Jarvis' statement. There is so much hypocritical conduct about these temperance people.

Chairman Sifton—I hardly think that is a fair expression. Mr. Pike, why sneer at the term temperance people? I am a temperance man myself, but I hope I am not a crank. The only matter that weighs in the mind of this Board is the big vote of the people of Harwich and the fact that we are here as servants of the people.

Mr. Pike—But there is no by-law in force.

Chairman Sifton—It is not the fault of the people.

Mr. Pike—There is no legal barrier to the course I ask.

Chairman Sifton—No legal barrier has entered into our consideration. Commissioner Gifford—I am told there is a revolution of feeling in Harwich. Why not ask the Council to submit the by-law again?

Mr. Pike—The places at McKay's Corners and Fargo would have an influence.

Chairman Sifton—They need not. If local option were defeated in Harwich by 500 I wouldn't consent to those places having licenses, I inspected them myself and saw enough of them to know they were dives of a most discreditable character. At the same time I admired the conduct and places kept by Messrs. Walker and Forbes.

Mr. Pike—And doesn't it look like injustice to them?

Chairman Sifton—It is a hardship, but we are servants of the people, with our duty to perform.

Commissioner Jarvis—I have been waited on by a great many respectable people, but it is wise to change our decision.

Chairman Sifton—Oh, I have no hesitation on that score. If I've done wrong, or decided unjustly I want to change it—and right it—at once.

TO RECONSIDER ON 27TH.

Commissioner Jarvis—Then, Mr. Chairman, I would favor a reconsideration of the decision on these two

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OUR ADVERTISEMENTS PAY.

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THE VERDICT OF THE RIGHTFUL JUDGES—THE PEOPLE.

That the remarkable resolution—forced through the Legislature in 1903 by a meagre majority of four by a Government which was not only in a minority of 9,000 votes in the Province, but had completely lost the confidence of the people of Ontario, almost irrespective of party, censuring Mr. R. R. Gamay and complimenting two members of the Canadian judiciary who consented to sacrifice the honor of their position by descending to assist in a political intrigue—was on Wednesday rescinded and expunged from the journals of the House, will meet with commendation and endorsement from a people who have already passed emphatically on the matter. That Mr. McCoig has definitely ranged himself with the Strattonites, the Sullivanites and the methods he condemned as "corrupt and rotten" will be noted with interest by the people of West Kent. They have good memories.

The serious phase to which attention is again turned, however, was the conduct of the judges who allowed themselves to be used for political purposes. Mr. Harcourt put himself in a ridiculous position when he pleaded for the protection of the judiciary after having, in spite of the protest of the representatives of a large majority of the Province, dragged them into the mire. What, he declares, if Sir John Boyd should resign as a result of the motion! There is little danger, but there is no doubt that any such action by the Chancellor would not be greatly bewailed by the people. Canadians desire to maintain the dignity and integrity of the bench, but they can only do so when the enmeshments of judicial positions co-operate themselves. A huge majority of the people of this Province have rejected the finding of these men who came down off the bench and submitted a "judgment" that has been pointed out to have been at variance with the facts revealed in evidence, calculated to assist a tottering administration which had furnished themselves and their families with several comfortably remunerative berths.

Judges are public servants; they are paid by the people's money—and they must be required to maintain that honorable position which the Canadian people and the British people demand of their judiciary.

The verdict of these judges, now formally wiped from the records, matters little. It was emphatically reversed by the great tribunal of the people in January last. But it is gratifying to have Premier Whitney's assurance that no more shall members of the judiciary be permitted to drag down the good name of the Canadian bench and traffic politically on its prestige.

A HUSTLER

Fred W. Tobey of Battleford N. W. T. Shows What Enterprise Can do in the North West

Two years ago when Edwin Moore and Fred W. Tobey, two of Chatham's bright young men, left for the Northwest to establish homesteads they drove 100 miles from Saskatoon to Battleford, where they established homesteads 100 miles from any railway. People at that time thought they were foolish for going so far away from railway connection. At that time there were only 30 homesteads in Battleford. The next year, in 1904, Wilton Ball, son of Wm. Ball, of this city, went up to Battleford and during that year 140 people took up homesteads in that district. This year 550 families have settled down in Battleford and the place is growing every day with every prospect that it will be a second Edmonton. In spite of the fact that it is so far away from the railroad it stands second in all of the Northwest as the best growing place.

The following from a despatch from Winnipeg will be of interest in this connection:

"C. N. R. track-layers are now within four days of Battleford, 572 miles west of here, and the train service will be inaugurated this week, which means much for that district. Passenger service opens June 4th. The immediate result is a great reduction in freight rates on the C. N. R. to Saskatoon from Montreal and Toronto, as a means of competition."

Battleford has a great future before it and is favored with excellent climate and location. There will no doubt be a rapid advance in the price of land this summer.

The reason that Battleford has grown so rapidly is undoubtedly due to the hustler and enterprise of Fred W. Tobey, who was one of the early settlers. Through his letters to English, Scottish and Canadian papers he has succeeded admirably in getting people interested in his district until now, when the railroad goes through, Battleford will be one of the most important places in the Northwest.

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ASPHALT BLOCKS

Since the recent visit of the Stratford delegation to Chatham to examine the different pavements, the City Council has realized just how far it was behind the Maple Leaf City in the matter of good streets, and a second deputation was appointed last week to visit May, Cleveland and Canton, Ohio, on the same mission. This week's Stratford "Herald" contains a report of the delegation, and it corroborates the report of Messrs. Flook, Campbell and Martin in giving preference to the asphalt block as in their opinion the most suitable pavement for city purposes.

DISTRICT DOINGS

TILBURY

May 10.—Mr. McLeod and son William were in Chatham yesterday consulting Dr. Holmes for the latter's health.

George Meggison, of Tilbury East, died Monday, aged 72 years.

J. S. Richardson has purchased ten acres of lumber for his new planing mill business here.

A large number from here were in Chatham yesterday attending as witnesses in the suit of J. H. Magee.

The celebration committee last evening decided to add bicycle races and other sports to the Victoria Day celebration of the 24th of May.

Miss Pinkie M. Fields, of Chatham, is the guest of Mrs. Winnie Powell here.

George Meggison, of Tilbury East, who died on Monday, was the father of Mrs. H. J. Caldwell, of this place.

Dan Shaffer, of the M. C. R. carpenter gang, resumed work yesterday after a ten days illness.

Mrs. Slings, of Detroit, was on Sunday the guest of her sister here, Mrs. D. H. Edmonds. They drove on Monday to Leamington to visit their mother, Mrs. Frendegast, who is dangerously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald are spending the week at Walkerville, and leave next month for their home at Kincardine, after a year's visit with Mrs. J. L. Hill.

On Tuesday 9th inst., to the wife of Felix Courcier, a son in law of J. S. Richardson was a Sarnia visitor Saturday.

W. C. Crawford was a Windsor visitor yesterday.

BLENHEIM

May 11.—Mrs. Alonzo Mitton, of Ridgeway, visited relatives here over Sunday.

The anniversary services in connection with the 4th line Methodist Church will be held on Sunday, May 14th. The sermons, morning and evening, will be preached by Dr. A. W. Thornton, of the Maple City. On Monday evening the annual tea-meeting will be held, when a good program will be rendered.

D. Peters, of Sarnia, returned to his home on Monday.

The many friends of Miss Ada Seaman will be pleased to learn that she has received her diploma from the Methodist Deaconess' Home.

Mr. Ferguson, of Delhi, has been here this week buying horses.

Mr. Burr, of Bothwell, has bought out the grocery business of Mrs. W. G. Grant, and took possession yesterday. We are pleased to welcome him to our town.

Rev. J. C. Robinson, a missionary from Japan, will give an interesting lecture, illustrated with limelight views, in the Opera House on Monday, May 15th, on Japan and its people. He has many views of where the war is being carried on.

The annual tournament of the Blenheim Gun Club was held on Tuesday last, and was very successful, many being here from outside points. There were ten events, all of which were hotly contested.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

THE STAGE

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Grand—

Macbeth—May 16.

Mr. A. R. Saunders, representative of that eminent tragedian, Mr. John Griffith, is in town and has just completed arrangements for appearance here of Mr. Griffith and his company in a stupendous revival of Shakespeare's immortal play, "Macbeth," for next Tuesday evening at the Grand Opera House.

The theatre-goers of Chatham will remember with pleasure the wonderful performance of Mr. Griffith in Faust here a few years ago.

Mr. Griffith is a Canadian born citizen, his home being Hamilton, Canada, and this is our first opportunity of seeing him in five years. Mr. Griffith has toured the principal cities of the States in this production and has been proclaimed the legitimate successor of the late Edwin Booth and Edwin Forrest in this famous role of Macbeth.

Mr. Griffith carries all his own scenic and electrical effects for the proper presentation of the play, besides having a cast of actors who are favorably known as the leaders in their class.

Seldom has Chatham the opportunity of seeing so notable a production and a capacity house should greet Mr. Griffith—our native son—on his evening's engagement here.

LOUISE RIPLEY AS LADY MACBETH.

In the engagement of John Griffith in "Macbeth," which is announced here for Tuesday, May 16th, the public will have an opportunity to see an actress play Lady Macbeth who will give to the character its fullest force and meaning, and who will more than compare favorably with the greatest exponent of this grandest of all dramatic roles. Old within the past fifty years great

successes were achieved as Lady Macbeth by Madame Ponzi, Ristori, Januschke, Charlotte Cushman and Mojeska—but these ladies were all a trifle past the prime of life, while Miss Ripley has all the advantages of youth and beauty, coupled to a dramatic instinct and delivery that leave no doubt as to her ultimate triumph and position in the dramatic world. Louise Ripley is the coming tragedienne and ere long will be one of the real leaders in her line of commendable effort. In addition to Miss Ripley, Mr. Griffith's company contains others of remarkable ability, and in its entirety the organization cannot be equalled by any of the companies of recent years who have attempted the immortal tragedies of William Shakespeare.

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25 dozen children's fine rib tan hose, sizes 5 1-2 to 10 inches, seamless double soles.
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Ten dozen ladies' fine nainsook cambric corset covers, loose or ted styles, some trimmed with rows Val insertion down front and Val insertion on neck and at others trimmed with wide Val and ribbon around neck and at sizes 32 to 40, regular 35c each.
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85c. CORSET COVERS 50c. EACH—
Fine cambric, loose style, with over front and back of fine Val insertion and Swiss embroidery in V shape, double row of chon lace around neck, forch on arms, sizes 32 to 42, regular 85c each.
Saturday Price

35c. CASHMERE HOSE 19c. PAIR—
Ladies' fine pure wool cashmere hose, full fashioned, seamless, double heels and toes, regular a pair, only slightly soiled.
Saturday Price

45c. CASHMERE HOSE 25c.—
Very fine pure wool cashmere ladies' sizes, full fashioned, double heels and toes, regular a pair.
Saturday Price

20c. SHEETING AT 15c. YARD—
Full 2 yards wide, good, heavy, bleached quality, even, round three regular 20c yard.
Saturday Price

\$1.50 BLACK SATIN UNDERSKIRT 98c. EACH—
18 dozen beautiful mercerised satin underskirts, made with ruffle flounces, tucks, pleatings, bristlings, etc., rich, silky quality, out full sizes, assorted lengths, regular \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 each.
Saturday Price

75c. GOWNS 48c. EACH—
Ladies' fine white cambric night gowns with yoke of tucks and embroidery, insertion, fine embroidery around neck, cambric ruffle of sleeves, assorted sizes, regular 75c each.
Saturday Price

75c. BLACK TAFFETA SILK 50c. A YARD—
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Ten dozen ladies' fine pure wool
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Saturday Price

SHEETING AT 15c. YARD—
All 2 yards wide, good, heavy,
with good finish, even, round
three star 20c yard.
Saturday Price

BLACK SATIN UNDERSKIRT
8c. EACH—
Ten dozen beautiful mercerised
underskirts, made with ruffles,
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full sizes, assorted lengths, re-
tail \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 each.
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Ten dozen fine white cambric
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Saturday Price

BLACK TAFFETA SILK 50c. YARD—
Heavy quality, full 25 inches
wide, light, lustrous finish, will
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value. 75c a yard.
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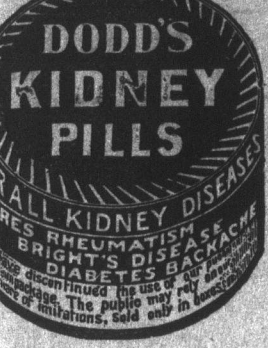
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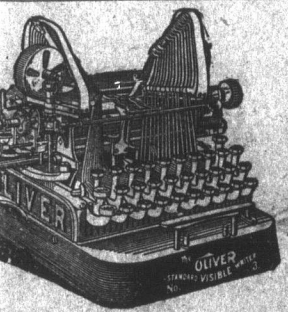
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MOVEMENT ON FOOT IN HONOR
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Indications Are That a Greater Fund
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of Any Literary Character in His-
tory—A Distinguished Committee—
City of Great Poets.

A movement is on foot in London
which is beginning to attract
attention from all parts of the world. It
has for its object the erection of a
monument to Shakespeare. From
present indications, a greater fund will
be raised for the purpose than has ever
been collected in honor of any literary
character in history.

A Monument to an Era.
Monuments, in the mind of the average
Englishman, seem post-mortem ap-
pearances of great military heroes,
or of statesmen. To many there may
appear a suggestion of sacrilege in the
notion that a poet or a playwright
should be thus commemorated. In the
case of Shakespeare, however, an ex-
ception is made. It is a fact, and an
odd fact, that he is not thought of as a
poet, or an author of plays. It is not
the playwright that the monument will
honor, but a certain force which is
connected by the name Shakespeare,
not an historical character, but an his-
torical event, an era, perhaps the most
glorious in our common history. So
great and marvelous a place does he
occupy in our hearts that an honor
done to his memory seems to be done
to the nation. The monument to the
Shakespeare monument, whatever
form it assumes, will be a monument
to a race.

A Distinguished Committee.
Some such ideas as these were elo-
quently set forth by a number of noted
men at a recent gathering in the Man-
sion House at London, called for the
purpose of considering the matter.
Among those who were present and
spoke were Lord Alvastry, Lord Rea-
dick, the President of the British Academy;
the Lord Mayor, Dr. Furnival, the famous
Shakespearean scholar; Anthony Hope
Hawkins, Bram Stoker, Sidney Lee,
Beerbohm Tree, and Prof. Gollancz, the
latter honorary secretary of the gather-
ing. Some of those who have ex-
pressed willingness to serve on the
committee which shall conduct the
movement are the Princess Louise, the
Duke of Norfolk, the Duchess of Marl-
borough, Lord Roberts, Admiral Fremantle,
the Archbishop of Canterbury, most
of the diplomatic body in London,
the Lord Mayor, the President of the
British Society, the Royal Society,
the Royal Academy and other dis-
tinguished persons. Another gen-
tleman who was present, and whose
name may not be so familiar to our
readers, was Mr. Richard Badger. This
gentleman has already contributed
£2,000 to the fund, in addition to £1,
000 for a specific purpose and £500 for
the working expenses of a public ap-
peal. Another gentleman who could
not be present sent his cheque for £500
guineas.

The City of Great Poets.
It may well be asked what has pre-
cipitated the movement at the present
time. For many years a monument
has been urged, but those interested
did not get a firm foothold until the
Shakespeare Committee came to their
assistance, and recently announced its
desire to set aside a site for the mon-
ument. The Council felt that it could
hardly resolve itself into a committee
for collecting funds, and so the Lord
Mayor summoned a meeting of those
interested. As Dr. Furnival said, it is
fitting that London, as a city, should
do something to commemorate its fame
as a home of poets, Chaucer, Spenser,
Shakespeare and Milton all lived there,
and thus the smoky, foggy old city on
the Thames has a record that no other
city ever equaled.

An Ecclesiastical Proposal.
What form the monument shall take
was not decided by the committee,
though some suggestions were made.
Prof. Gollancz said that several dis-
tinguished dignitaries of the Church
had proposed that whatever money was
raised it could be spent in
strengthening the fabric of their cath-
edrals. In return they promised that
the poet's bust should be carefully at-
tended to each year on his birthday.
As profane research had failed to pre-
cisely identify that day, they had, more-
over, agreed to supply one. It is un-
likely that this idea will be accepted,
despite the undoubted advantages to
be gained by furnishing Shakespeare
with a suitable birthday. The most im-
portant question was that which the
gathering was summoned to discuss.
This was that a great Shakespeare
temple should be erected in London
to serve the purposes of human learn-
ing, much in the same way as Dun-
stons House served those of natural
science. Most of those present seemed
of opinion that it would be impossible
to come to a definite conclusion, until
it was known how much money would
be available. Then the count could be
set to suit the cloth.

London's Most Beautiful Monuments.
Anthony Hope Hawkins voiced the
opinion of a number who dissented
from this view. He represented the
artistic point of view as opposed to the
utilitarian. He was not in favor of di-
verting a pound from the main pur-
pose, which he conceived to be the
erection of a literal monument, not a
museum, a hospital, or a lecture hall.
Beauty should be the first and served.
After the most beautiful monument in
London had been erected, the surplus
cash, if they was any, might be used
to build a hospital.

No National Thought Needed.
Lord Alvastry thought that the origi-
nal proposal, i.e., a Shakespearean
temple, which should do for literature
what Burlington House had done for
science, was the best advanced. It was
agreed, however, that more time should
be granted for a full expression of pub-
lic opinion on this subject. Reference
was made to the desire of other coun-
tries—notably France and the United
States—to contribute toward the mem-
orial, and the feeling was that as-
sistance of the kind should be cour-
teously accepted. Before very long we
may expect to hear more of the Shake-
speare memorial.

BUCCANEER PAUL JONES

NOVEL MADE PATRIOTIC FIGURE
OF SEA-GOING ADVENTURER.

Since His Death He Has Become "The
Father of the American Navy"—
United States Ambassador to Paris,
Gen. Porter, Spent Five Years in
Search For His Remains—Now Re-
warded With Success.

A peculiar illustration of the influ-
ence wielded by a popular novelist is
furnished in the despatch from Paris
announcing the discovery and ex-
humation of the remains of Paul
Jones, after a search of five years,
latterly conducted at the expense of
Gen. Porter, the U.S. Ambassador at
Paris. Whether the elaborate search
made for the body was directly in-
spired by Winston Churchill's novel,
"Richard Carvel," we do not pretend
to say, but this much can certainly be
said of the popular interest which
alone makes Ambassador Porter's
labor worth while. The novel made a
popular hero of Paul Jones a century
and more after his death. It cast over
a not particularly interesting career
the glamour of romance, and idealized
characteristics of the man. In a word,
it made a patriotic figure of a man
who was, in all that said and done, a
buccaneer, an utterly commonplace,
sea-going adventurer. A country
whose naval annals are illustrious
would blush to include in them the
name of Jones. As a matter of fact,
this hero's name was not Jones. While
he lived his name was Paul, and he
was a violent-tempered sea captain.
Since his death he has become "the

The Master of the Sea."
A very rich lady offered Garcia any
price if he would only teach her daughter.
He refused, knowing well he could
never obtain serious work from her;
but, as the mother persisted, he hit up
on a compromise. He asked the lady
to be present during a lesson, and he
undertook, if the girl still wished to
learn singing after hearing it taught,
to teach her. The lesson began. The
pupil, who seemed to the listeners an
already finished singer, had to repeat
passage after passage of the most diffi-
cult exercises before the master was
satisfied. He insisted upon the minutest
attention to every detail of execu-
tion. Mother and daughter ex-
changed horrified glances and looked
on pityingly. The lesson finished, the
master bowed the ladies out, and in
passing the pupil the young girl whis-
pered to her, "It would kill me!" Senor
Garcia, returning from the door, said
contentedly: "They will not come
again. Thank you, mon enfant, you
sang well."—London Mail.

Do Birds Sing?
A naturalist has written to prove that
birds are not singers, but whistlers;
that is to say, that their notes are pro-
duced through a tube-to be technical,
through the slit known as the glottis—not
by the help of vocal cords. But the
whole distinction is beside the point.
Any one who has seen a bird singing
will have seen both the vibrations in
his throat and the variations in the ex-
tent to which he opens and closes his
beak or mandibles; and, given these ac-
companiments, together with the pro-
duction of an inarticulate language,
whistling and singing become identical
terms suggesting a distinction. People
are accustomed to the idea that only a
few species of birds, such as the par-
rot and the jackdaw, can be taught,
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PROBABILITIES.
Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, May 12.—11 a.m.—Moderate to fresh southerly with westerly winds, a few local showers or thunder storms, but mostly fair; milder, Saturday, mostly fair and very mild.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Tickets for 23 leaves Home Made Bread for \$1.00, Saturday only, at Cooke's Home Bakery, Fifth St.

All parties who took part in that license affair should at least give their wives \$1.00 to buy 4 \$1.00 Cologers for \$1.00, or 25c. each—Saturday—at the Urban Store.

A young Englishman named Eaton was injured in the eye at Park's foundry a week ago and it was found necessary that an operation should be performed. This morning at St. Joseph's Hospital the eye was removed.

CHILDREN'S AID

The regular monthly meeting of the Advisory Board of the Kent Children's Aid Society was held in the offices of the County Clerk, Monday afternoon at half-past four, with the following members present:—Messrs. Smetona, Pilkey, Glenn, J. L. Bray, Stephenson, J. E. Oldershaw, Brady, W. E. McKough, Malcolmson, H. D. Smith and Fraser, and Messrs. Paterson, Baxter and Dr. R. V. Bray.

The executive officer, Dr. R. V. Bray, reported for the month—Visits made, 9; letters written, 22; interviews, 11; cases reported for investigation, 2, embracing 5 children. Both were investigated and remedies applied. There was no need existing to take the children. Applications for children, 4; children in Police Court, 3.

The report was adopted.

Accounts to the amount of \$62.25 were ordered paid.

The different ladies appointed to visit the councils throughout the county met with success in each place visited. Mrs. Goodland and Mrs. Young visited the Chatham T. Council on May 1; Mrs. Sheldon and Mrs. Fraser visited the Bothwell Council, May 1; Mrs. Smith and Mrs. J. L. Bray visited the Ridgeway Council, May 5; also the Howard Council, May 6; Mrs. Goodland and Mrs. Williams visited the Harwich Council, May 8.

All the Councils made grants to the Society as asked for, and for which the Society is very grateful. The executive officer will arrange for deputations to wait on the other Councils as they meet.

Donations were acknowledged as follows:—

H. D. Smith, \$2.
H. H. Malcolmson, 50c.
Mrs. Austin, clothing, 23 pieces.
Mrs. Minty, clothing, 5 pieces.
Mrs. James Holmes, clothing, 1 piece.
Mrs. Goodland, clothing, 7 pieces.
Mrs. Waugh, clothing, 7 pieces.

A branch of the Kent Children's Aid Society has been formed in Thamesville, with Dr. Stewart as president, Robert Pye secretary-treasurer, and Messrs. Fraser, Best and Hubbell as the committee.

The less experienced a man has the more advice he gives.

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OPPOSITE GRAND OPERA HOUSE

CORRECTIONS REPORT

Dr. A. W. Thornton, President of the West Kent Conservative Association, in conversation with The Planet of this morning with reference to the report of the license investigation as it appeared in the Toronto News, had the following to say:

"The report credits me with saying that Mr. J. A. Wilson declined to accept the position of License Commissioner because of the disagreeable duty of cutting off three licenses. This, however, is directly contrary to what I did say in evidence."

"What I did say in evidence was that I had consulted Mr. Wilson in regard to acting as one of the License Commissioners and that he agreed to act. In my evidence at the investigation I drew the attention of Mr. Matthew Wilson to the fact that Mr. J. A. Wilson was actually recommended by the sub-committee."

"I also drew Mr. Hocken's attention to this fact, when he was here at the time he obtained the interview with Mr. Baxter, in answer to his question or statement that many persons had refused to act."

"Let me say further that I have no desire to impute any wrong motive to Mr. Hocken. The News reporter, who, from what I saw, impressed me as a man anxious to be absolutely fair, and I can easily understand that any reporter in the great mass of evidence, rumors and reports, should be excused if he inadvertently makes a mistake. A reporter would have to be more than human if he did not make frequent mistakes in his work."

IMPORTANT TIME TABLE CHANGES ON GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY TAKING EFFECT, SUNDAY, MAY 14, 1905.

Train now leaving Chatham at 8:23 a. m. for Detroit and Chicago will leave at 8:30 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Train now leaving Chatham at 12:42 for Windsor and Detroit will leave at 12:45 p. m.

Train now leaving at 4:13 p. m. for Windsor and Detroit will leave at 4:18 p. m.

International Limited now leaving at 9:08 p. m. for Detroit and Chicago will leave at 9:19 p. m.

Going East, train now leaving Chatham at 8:27 a. m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Suspension Bridge and intermediate stations, will leave at 8:37 a. m.

Train now leaving at 2:17 p. m. for London and East will leave at 2:00 p. m., connecting at London with Pullman Sleeper to New York.

Eastern Flyer, now leaving at 5:08 p. m., will leave at 5:13 p. m.

Train now leaving at 8:50 p. m. for London will leave at 9:00 p. m.

For further information call at Grand Trunk ticket offices.

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FOOTBALL TO-MORROW

Chatham and Darrell will be the opposing teams in the football match to be played on Tecumseh Park to-morrow afternoon at half past four o'clock. This is the first game in the Professional League series.

The following will be the Chatham line-up:—

Goal—Russell.
Backs—Courtney and Asher.
Half backs—Parrott, Hicks and Piggott.
Right wing—Anderson and Angus.
Centre—Fraser.
Left wing—Parrott and Love.

Too many men shorten their days by lengthening their nights.

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THE DEAD NUMBER 95

41 Persons Seriously Injured and Several Will Die.

Over 100 Other Persons Suffered Less Severe Injuries in the Tornado at Snyder, Oklahoma—Great Suffering Among the Survivors in the Ill-Fated Town, of Which Little is Left Intact.

Guthrie, Ok., May 12.—The death list of Wednesday night's tornado at Snyder will probably exceed 100 persons. Eighty-five bodies have been recovered, a dozen persons are missing and given up for dead, and of the 41 seriously wounded several are likely to die. More than 100 other persons suffered less severe injuries. Oklahoma City yesterday sent 100 men to dig graves and seek the dead still in the ruins, and a dozen undertakers with 100 coffins. Offers of financial assistance have come from numerous cities.

It is still difficult to obtain information from Snyder. To add to the general confusion and distress, after the tornado had passed fire broke out and burned up all that remained of the buildings in one of the business blocks. So far it has not been possible to find out whether any bodies were cremated. Debris was carried northeast as far as Coopersburg, 12 miles, and it is reported that there are more fragments at that town, than in the tornado path at Snyder. About 75 head of horses and cattle were killed at Snyder.

Survivors Suffering.
There is much suffering owing to lack of provisions and places to stay. What houses remain in the town are unsafe for habitation. Besides, there is not room enough to care for the homeless. Bedding and wearing apparel are both lacking, and, despite the effort to succor the unfortunates, they are still in a pitiable condition. Many of the wounded could not be cared for or given medical aid until 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and by that time wounds were aggravated.

Dr. York of Hobart, who was active in relieving the suffering, says that 20 per cent. of the wounded will die. At 10 o'clock last night the number of known dead as the result of the tornado has reached 95. Arrangements have been made to convey all the injured who can be moved to hospitals at Oklahoma City and Lawton. A special train for both places left Snyder at 11:30 p. m. yesterday.

How Wrecked.
The havoc wrought by the tornado is astonishing. Out of a town that housed 1,000 persons, not more than a score of houses are intact, two-thirds of the buildings being totally wrecked. The storm formed south of Oklahe, near the Texas line, and took a northerly course through a well-settled region. At 8 o'clock it was observed by the people of Snyder, but the usual funnel-shaped formation was lacking, and the roar was plainly heard for some time before the storm broke. Within a few minutes the sky suddenly became dark and a terrific downpour of rain began, lasting for several minutes. Then the rain stopped almost as suddenly as it had started. For a few minutes an ominous calm followed, and then the tornado struck, tearing buildings to pieces as though they were made of paper.

PEACE THROUGH ROOSEVELT

Has Russia's Terms, Which Will Give Japan China's Land But Not Its Own Money.

New York, May 12.—A copyright London cable to The World timed 5 a. m. says:

A Tokyo despatch to The Daily Telegraph reads:

"No one here has any doubt that peace is coming through President Roosevelt's offices."

"He has ascertained that Russia desires to end the war, and the St. Petersburg Government has acquainted him with the fact that it hopes Japan will dispense with indemnity, so as to enable Russia to save her face."

"The cessation of territory is regarded as merely a loss to China and not actually to Russia."

"Much is hoped from secret negotiations and secret clauses to the peace treaty."

"Meanwhile the Foreign Ministry at Tokyo is informed that President Roosevelt has ascertained the terms that would be agreeable to the neutral powers."

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent says he knows for the fact on official sources that the peace between Japan and Russia was nearly concluded when the unexpected appearance of the Russian second Pacific squadron in the China Sea revived Russia's hopes.

Recent councils of Japanese statesmen settled the principles for the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, which will involve a new and definite policy with regard to the future of Manchuria and Korea.

JAPS HAD TO RETIRE

Cavalry and Artillery Forced Them Back and Back Again.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—Gen. Linovitch, in a despatch to the Emperor, dated May 9, says:

"Our advance posts along the line from Podgoussche to Shihouze were attacked by the enemy's cavalry on May 7. The Japanese were repulsed. They renewed the attack May 8, but were again unsuccessful."

"On May 9 our cavalry advanced in the direction of the Shahetsy mines, which were occupied by Japanese, who, in the face of our artillery fire and a timely shower of rain, were obliged to retire towards the village of Shihansou, from which they subsequently were dislodged, retiring to the village of Madoupa."

Where Russian Fleet Is.

Hong Kong, May 12.—With the arrival here last night of the first-class packet steamship Sessa from Singapore another interesting chapter is added to the war situation in the China Sea. At 9 o'clock on Tuesday evening the Sessa picked up three vessels of the Russian navy, and by 10 o'clock had passed thirty-seven of the Czar's ships about forty miles northeast of Cape Shanhoo, a little west of the regular trade route to Hong Kong.

A PAVING JOB.

No Tenders Asked—Col. Hughes Unearthed Another Instance of Substantial Reward For Services.

Ottawa, May 12.—Parliament yesterday spent two hours on a discussion of the newly-made paving in front of the Parliament Buildings. Col. Hughes found that the original contract was under \$5,000, but had been extended until it now reached \$10,000. Still no tenders had been called for. He also discovered that the company who did the work was the Warren company, of which T. C. Robbette, "a prominent supporter of this administration and candidate for Parliamentary honors," was one of the principal directors. The price paid was also an astounding one, being from \$2.50 to \$3 a square yard. That would have been reasonable if the pavement put down had been of the best, but it was merely a patent tar mixture.

Mr. Hyman said the Government intended from time to time to extend the pavement; 4,250 square yards were already laid. He did not think the price exorbitant. He took refuge behind his predecessor.

Absolute Disregard of Law.
Mr. Borden pointed out how clear the law was in the matter of advertising for tenders. An absolute disregard of the statute had been shown. He thought a statement should be brought down showing exactly when the contract was let.

Sir Wilfrid was confident that the late Mr. Sutherland would not do what was not right. He thought it unfair to pass judgment without the full facts. All contracts above \$10,000 should be let by tender and by order of council.

The Autonomy Bills.
The House then went into committee on the autonomy bills. Clause 6 was passed. Mr. Fitzpatrick introduced an amendment to clause 15, but it stood over. Clauses 17, 18 and 19, passed some days ago on resolution, were on motion of Mr. Fielding, incorporated in the bill.

Mr. Fitzpatrick suggested that clause 18 be held over until the remaining clauses were disposed of, when it could be considered with clause 2. Mr. Borden asked him for the promised explanation of the difference between the original and the amended clauses (educational), but Mr. Fitzpatrick said he was not in a position to deal with the subject at this time as he had not the papers with him.

The debate was continued until after 11 o'clock on the line that the Liberals had voted on clauses which amended the original clauses but which the Minister of Justice was not prepared to state what difference existed between them.

At 1:45 the House rose.

Drowned in a Well.
Jordan, May 12.—Alvin Honsberger, aged about 23 years, was found drowned in a well yesterday. He is supposed to have accidentally fallen in while doing work around the barn. Honsberger has only been here a few months, having formerly lived near Dunnville.

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VALUABLE INVESTMENTS

Estates carefully managed. Rents collected, etc. A frame house for sale; containing parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, two bed rooms, city water, sink, sewer, etc., price \$800.

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BOY'S CLOTHES

How about the Boy? Has he said anything about the Spring Suit? We mean the big, knee pants boy. You might bring him in and go over the line with us. We dare say the very first we show you will strike you both as being something extra good for the price. And the little boy that wears Sailors and Russians, don't forget him.

Call and see the lines of up-to-date and reliable

FOOTWEAR

WE ARE NOW SHOWING:

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A word to you about our famous dollar lines in Woman's Wrappers, Waists and Petticoats. We believe that material and workmanship used in these garments is better than any other similarly priced anywhere.

WRAPPERS \$1 EACH

A special Wrapper purchase enables us to place on sale Saturday morning, 5 doz. Print Wrappers, Black and White, Blue and White or Cardinal and White, Waist lined, extra wide Skirt with flounce, yoke is prettily trimmed with ruffle and fancy braid, the best Wrapper shown for \$1.00.

SHIRT WAISTS

Of fine White Lawn, Six styles, with Duchess closing or broad box pleat of insertion, tucks, pleats, insertion and hemstitching form the trimmings in yoke effects and other designs.

PETTICOATS

Of Black mercerized Sateen, made with deep pleated flounce trimmed with small ruffle and finished with stitched bands. Special at \$1.00.

FANCY HOSIERY

We received another shipment of Fancy Hose in Tans, Grey, Blues, and Blacks, embroidered fronts, polka dots, plains, etc. The demand seems to be for Tan Hose, both in Plain and Fancy. We show a big range of Tan Hose for Ladies and Children. A few lines:—

At 15c to 25c—Children's 1-1 Rib Cotton, fast color, double knees, spliced heel and toe, all sizes.

At 15c—Ladies' Plain Tan Hose, full fashioned, seamless, fast colors, sizes 8 1/2 to 9 1/2.

At 25c—Ladies' Polka Dot Tan Hose, fast color, full fashioned, seamless, spliced heel and toe.

50c. to \$1.00—Ladies' Fancy Hose in Tans, Greys, Blue, Black, Lace, &c. SEE WINDOW.

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Here is a Sample Quarter Oak Buffet—similar to illustration, for only \$20

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- Boys' Double Breasted 2 pc. Knee Pant Suits, strong clothes, pretty patterns—\$1.98 to \$4.00.
- Boys' Single Breasted Suits, fine and stylish Spring colors and combinations—\$1.98 to \$5.00.
- Russian Blouse Suits, the little boys swell suit, handsome effects, \$3.50 to \$6.00.
- Novelty Suits for Little Boys, more than we ever had, all the clothes \$1.98 to \$5.00.
- Boys' 3-pc. Knee Pant Suits, reliable wearing Tweeds, Serges and Novelty Cheviots, single and double breasted styles, for ages 8 to 16, price range from \$3.00 to \$7.00.
- Boys' Knee Pants, Tweeds and Serges, very special values, all sizes, 45c, 50c, and 75c.
- Boys' Shirts, with soft collar attach, in Patterns and Black Sateens, also with starch collar attached and with separate collar, all sizes, 35c, 50c, and 75c.
- Boys' Sweaters, in All Wool and Plain and Fancy Worsted, ages 3 to 16 years, very special values, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00.

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FRESH FOR SATURDAY TRADE.....

A Snap in PINE APPLES, Pines, 15 and 20c. each.

FANCY ST. MICHAEL ANGLES, 50, 35 and 40c a doz.

FANCY STRAWBERRIES, quart box.

NEW TOMATOES, 20c a pound.

NEW EGYPTIAN ONIONS, pound.

NEW CABBAGE, 6c a pound.

FRESH ASPARAGUS.

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For tickets and Pullman, call at T. R. city passenger office.

THE FAST TRAINS.

To California are run over the Pacific, via Omaha, 16 miles to San Francisco than over the Union Pacific. Inquiries to F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 J. building, Toronto, Canada, or H. G. A., 126 Woodward ave., Detroit.

Keep Minard's Liniment in your house.

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Just take a few minutes to examine your plumbing and tinning and you will be almost sure to see something that needs repairing or replacing.

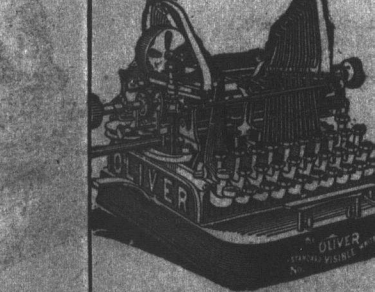
We want to impress the fact upon you that we are looking for your work and we promise to do it promptly and well.

Telephone us, No. 65, and we shall be glad to call and see.

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made in Canada, and is sold in the U.S. as in the United States. The G. T. R. and C. P. By. use Oliver typewriters for their heaviest work. All railroads and a majority of the large corporations in the world use these typewriters. Merchants who do their own typing prefer the Oliver. Ask for pamphlet or call at THE PLANET Office.

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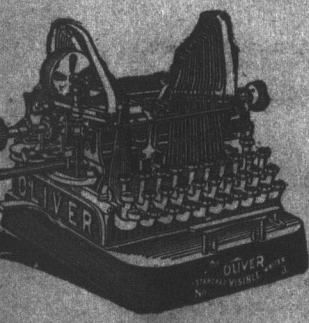
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Exquisite street Hats and lovely Dress Hats. Don't let the bad weather keep you from getting here for your May Hat. Everything that is called for in Millinery is congenial here, associated with our own original and exclusive styles and ideas offering you the widest possible selections and claiming your best attention.

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TO-NIGHT

K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, L. O. O. F. Temple, at 8.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will meet in the S. S. Hall at 8.

The Chippewas lacrosse team will practice on Tecumseh Park at 7.

Young People's Society, lecture hall of William St. Baptist Church, at 8.

Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., will meet in their hall, opposite the Hotel Rankin.

Young People's Society of the First Presbyterian Church, S. S. Hall at 8.

Dr. McKeough will deliver an address on Rome.

THE LOCAL BUDGET.

Bicycles for hire, Briscoes', Tel. 297. Printer wanted as advt. setter at this office.

W. J. Moffatt, of Tilbury, was in the city yesterday.

G. P. Schofield, of Toronto, was in the city yesterday.

Reg. Pleasence and Jim Brady spent yesterday in Detroit.

Neil Watson, of Mull, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

Fred. Williams, of Detroit, was in the city yesterday. Fred is an old Chatham boy.

First Class Stenographer wanted immediately. Highest wages paid. Apply Box 25, Planet.

A. M. Piper, Architect, is seeking for tenders for the erection of a handsome brick block on King St.

Important change of time, taking effect May 14th, in Grand Trunk Railway service west of Toronto.

Sam Mercer, formerly of the Banner, has accepted a situation in Utica, N. Y., in the N. Y. S. A. railroad office.

Many friends of Milton Bates are congratulating him on passing his second year examination on mining engineering at Toronto.

Dr. Sullivan has removed his office from King St. opposite the Post Office, to the residence on the corner of King and Third Sts.

An awful mistake was made by a Fancy Collar Mfg. by which The Urban will sell 50c and 75c Collars on Saturday for 25c. All now. See window!

Star Jarvis, of Galt, a former member of The Planet's editorial staff, is spending a couple of days with his old friends in town. He is on his way to Detroit.

Lost—A small gold chain and heart, last Friday, May 5th, between Radley's Drug Store and the Central School. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Radley's Drug Store or Planet Office.

The array in the window of the Malcolmson store is a pretty sight. The display of pine apples and St. Michael oranges is one to tempt the housewife bent on delicacies for the table.

There was a very rough and loud lot of boys in front of the Opera House Wednesday evening and there was many complaints made by the people coming out. There should be a policeman at the bottom of the stairs to stop this.

First Class Waist and Skirt Hands Wanted, highest wages paid to competent persons, apply at once. Miss Burke, Northway's Dressmaking Department.

MORLEY'S \$5.00 TROUSERS

Our many years of experience in serving the best dressers enables us to produce a style and finish in these TROUSERS, which make them positively the best value in the city.

These materials are right up-to-date, and we guarantee every pair.

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TRY TO FIND THE MARKET.

Buy from Us. For Saturday we Have:—

Strawberries, 20c Box.

Cucumbers, 8c. Each.

Radishes, 2 Bunches 5c

Rhubarb, 2 Bunches 5c

Onions, 2 Bunches for 5c

New Cabbage, 8c. a Head

Asparagus, 8c. a Bunch

Tomatoes 20c. per Pound

Pineapples, 10c and 15c each.

The King Edward Grocery.

PHONE 51.

Lawn mowers sharpened at Briscoes' Harry Young was assessed \$2 and costs, \$7 in all, for being drunk and disorderly.

John Brady, Adelaide street, was taken quite ill on Sunday. He is still in a serious condition.

Use a Gas Stove and see some cooking troubles overcome very easily. We have them, \$1.00 to \$30.00. Gas Company.

Gus Kogelschatz, Taylor Avenue, took an epileptic fit last evening and was in a serious condition for some time.

MEAT CHEAP—3 lbs. sausage 25c, 3 lbs. cooked meat 25c, 3 lbs. Ham steak 25c, pickled pork 10c. per lb. E. R. Putnam, Queen St.

The fishermen along the river were having great sport this morning. The fish were biting splendidly and the great army of the unemployed were there to catch them.

Thornton Denhardt, an old C. C. I. boy, was in the city yesterday on his way to Tupperville, where he will spend a few days with his mother before leaving for the West. Mr. Denhardt is a graduate of the McCormick University, Chicago, and has accepted a position of pastor of a western Presbyterian church.

The best thing that could ever happen any lady Saturday morning would be to wake up and find her drawers stripped of all the collars she ever bought, because the Urban Store will sell 75c, \$1.00 and 50c. Fancy Collars for 25c—all morning, afternoon and evening—an assortment of 489.

LAI D TO REST

The remains of little Norman Strong, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Strong, were quietly laid to rest yesterday afternoon. In spite of the rain the funeral was largely attended.

The floral offerings were beautiful and numerous, showing the love entertained for the little fellow. They were as follows:—

Pillow from the family. Crescent from Kathleen Bennett. Cross from Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lambert.

Wreath from Mrs. John Holmes and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Baxter. Sprays from Miss Mayme Barclay, Robie Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morley, Mrs. Hampson Holmes, Mrs. Walter Leckridge, the Central School Staff, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shephard the Misses Buchanan and Miss McFaul.

The Rev. F. E. Mallett, pastor of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church, officiated.

THE DOLLARS YOU SPEND AT THE GORDON STORE

Do you more real good than if you banked them. Fact! Notice some Spring Stimulators.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Cotton or Balbriggan Shirts or Drawers each 25 to 50c
Merino Vests or Drawers, unshrinkable, fawn color, 50c
Fine health brand Vests, the Vests are just what large Ladies like for their own summer wear, at \$1.00
Men's fine Balbriggan combination Underwear, warranted to wear, at \$1.00
Night Shirts, White Shirts, Black Shirts, Blue Shirts, Big Shirts, Little Shirts and top Shirts, from \$1.00 to 25c

PRINTS AND GINGHAMS

AT 50—The finest Prints in patterns, quality, and for to wash we have ever offered you at this price, 5c
AT 80—Yard wide Percales, warranted to color, for waists, 8c
AT 90—Angelo and Frezola Battiste, grand patterns, rich colorings, warranted to wash, 9c
AT 100—Fine checked shilling Gingham, at 10c
AT 125—Crimm's light, dark, soft and Satin finished Prints.
Canadian and American Gingham, St. Croix, Tolle DuNord, Bates, at 15c

A MAY CURTAIN CUT

Friday and Saturday we offer 25 pr. of Nottingham Lece Curtains, fine dollar styles, 3 1/2 yds., long, at per pr. only 75c

RAIN PROOF COATS

Our display of Women's wear is most effective in these goods. We sell you the latest in color, material and model and a rainproof coat is the one desirable garment to slip on for street or market wear, and is also unsurpassed as a duster, price, range from \$3.75 to \$5.00 Ladies' size, we have them for Children also. UMBRELLAS rain or shine, no better investment just now than 98c for a \$1.50 Umbrella, only a few more left for Friday and Saturday.

OUR MAY MILLINERY

Amazes maids and matrons with its rich colorings and its opposite extreme of quiet and gentility. Polo Turbans of Silk or Tuscan braids, in colors to suit your costume. We are turning out to our customers the Lingerie Hat, embroidered in exquisite French styles, the new and beautiful Broderie Anglaise creation, the coming Hat. Children's poke Hats in variety.

William Gordon

BOUGHT PROPERTY

The Chatham, Wallaceburg and Lake Erie Electric Railway Company is composed of men of thorough business ability, who are certainly living up to their promises.

Yesterday they signed articles purchasing the Baby property on King St. West from Dr. Tye's former office to the Third St. bridge, and on it they will immediately commence preparations for the erection of their power house and general business offices. This will be the headquarters of the new railroad company, and a gang of workmen will be put immediately to work tearing down the buildings which are at present on the grounds and clearing up the property for the new buildings.

The building of the road will be commenced immediately now that the company has been placed on a working basis, and it is the determination of the men at the head of affairs to have the road in running shape inside of four months. They are certainly losing no time, and it seems quite probable that the road will be ready for traffic in that time.

AN ABLE MAN

The Chatham, Wallaceburg and Lake Erie Electric Railway Company has now been formally organized and placed on a solid financial and a good business basis, and there seems at present no reason to doubt that Chatham will have a complete electric service between here and Wallaceburg in the course of about four or five months.

This means much to Chatham and to Chatham's merchants and citizens. No more will the farmers of Dover and Chatham Townships be forced to remain at home during the rainy seasons owing to the muddy roads, for they will soon have access to an electric road which will pass right past their doors. They, too, will reap the benefit.

With the coming of such happy conditions in Kent County—conditions that have been so often wished and hoped for—it is only natural to ask how they have been brought about. This is a question which is easily answered, for the railroad has been finally secured through the faithful and untiring efforts of one man, assisted as he was by a few of Chatham's most influential and progressive citizens. This man is W. N. Warburton, to whom unabated credit and gratitude is due.

Mr. Warburton is by no means a stranger in Chatham. It will be remembered that a few years ago he was general manager of the Erie & Huron Railway with headquarters in this city, and ever since he left here he has always had a warm spot in his heart for Chatham, with good wishes for the welfare of the good people of Kent.

Two years ago Mr. Warburton held a mass meeting in Chatham with a view of talking up an electric road. He did not receive much encouragement at that time and many a man would then have given up the scheme but he stuck to it with untiring energy and succeeded gradually in getting a few of the men here interested in the project. After several obstacles, which he was successful in overcoming, he now has the satisfaction of seeing material results from his faithful efforts.

It is with pleasure that those interested in the road will learn that Mr. Warburton has been elected general manager of the new road. He is a man of exceptional ability in railroad work and for the past seven years has been superintendent of the Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Electric Road, so that he fully understands the workings of an electric road, and a happier choice for general manager could not have been made. Mr. Warburton also enjoys the confidence and esteem of all who know him, and the road ahead, and no doubt will, prove a splendid business success under his able management.

The average man is quick enough to grasp an opportunity to make a fool of himself.

THESE ARE THE DAYS

Not too hot, nor too cold, but just right, to have that photo taken that you've been intending to have for some time. Don't wait until a sweltering hot day and expect to get the best. DO IT NOW! We offer you photographs of every style, at price from \$1.50 Per Dozen to as high as you wish to pay.

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MISCELLANEOUS GOODS

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GRAY'S CHINA STORE

- 144 Scrub Brushes, in fibre, bass and whisk, an excellent 12 in., brush, regular 15c, selling for 9c.
- 50 Whisks, new goods, plush binding, 11 in., long, regular 15c.; for 10c.
- 50 doz. Cups, best goods, plain White, imported stone ware, while they last, 6 for 25c, 8 sucers to match above, 6 for 5c.
- 50 doz., Plates, Breakfast and Tea sizes, also soups, 80 and 90c a doz., clearing each 5c.
- 50 Bowls, 3 1/2", a good size, regular 8 for 5c.
- 100 Jugs assorted White and printed goods, to clear we offer 1/2 off regular prices.
- 150 boxes of Tooth Picks, best goods, regular 5c., box, selling 7 for 25c.
- 100 packages 10c., Toilet Paper at 8c.
- 25 bottles of "Instant Crockery Mender," a good thing to have, "Never too late to mend," regular 25c., on sale for 15c.
- 150 large Lamp Burners, the best on market, B size, every one guaranteed to work perfectly, regular 15c., for 10c.
- 120 medium Burners, same as above, regular 12c., now for 8c.
- 50 doz., Glass Tumblers, American make, extra fire polished, regular 50c., a doz., for 40c.

GRAY'S CHINA HALL, King Street Chatham

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A Few Lines

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- A line of Embroideries and Insertions all widths, worth 10c, 12c. and 15c for 7 1/2c.
- White Vestings, beautiful goods, our 75c. qualities at 37 1/2c.; our 50c. qualities for 29c.
- Muslins and Organdies—New Spring Patterns, regular 12 1/2c. to 75c, sale price 8c. to 43c.
- The latest in Ladies' Linen Collars, 12c. to 20c.
- Ladies' String or Bow Ties, 25c. and 15c.
- Remnants of Dress Goods at Half-Price.
- Boys' and Girls' Heavy Ribbed Hose, all sizes, worth 12 1/2c. to 15c. for 10c. and 12 1/2c.
- Boys' Heavy Ribbed Double Knee Hose, sizes 6 to 10, worth 25c. for 15c. to 20c.

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See Monday's
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Announcement

This Millinery Dep't

This Millinery Department, the rendezvous for ladies who admire Millinery that is practical, yet refined, and tastefully put together, will be an especially spot on Saturday, where many new creations in Millinery that have been prepared this week for Saturday will be on view. You'll be sure to find a hat from this rare gathering of stylish hats that will be most becoming.

Saturday Hosiery Day AT THIS STORE.

Ladies' and Children's Hosiery is a Specialty at this store, and Saturday's business will be the best evidence of the faith ladies place in the FOREMAN HOSIERY. Most of the best Hosiery supplies for boys and girls are to be found at this Hosiery Store. Where do you get your hosiery? Better supply your immediate needs from this Hosiery Stock on Saturday.

Ladies Hermsdorf Black Cotton Hose, guaranteed stainless, extra, spliced heel and toe, special at a pair, 12½c

Ladies Egyptian Cotton Hose, silky finish, Hermsdorf Black, absolutely stainless, Hermsdorf Black, spliced heel and toe, double sole, very special, at a pr. 25c

Ladies Hermsdorf Black Lisle Hose, stainless, high spliced heel and toe, double sole, very special at per pair, 25c

Ladies fast Tan Cotton Hose, assorted shades, high spliced heel and double sole, very special, per pair, 25c

Ladies fast Tan Cotton Lace Hose, stainless, assorted shades, spliced heel and toe, special at per pair, 25c

Ladies' fast Tan Lisle Lace Hose, stainless, assorted shades, spliced heel and sole, very pretty patterns, at per pair, 35c

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The right kind of clothes at the right kind of prices. The kind of clothes that you and all practical men like to wear. If you don't know what you want, our showing of Spring things will help you out. If you do know what you want, you'll find it here if it's right. Splendid Hats and the best Haberdashery is our forte, as well as clothes. You know where we're located.

MEYNELL
3 Doors West from Market, King St., Chatham. THE CLOTHIER

Britain Will Not Remove Embargo.
London, May 12.—Yesterday the president of the Board of Agriculture, replying to a deputation desirous of urging him to remove the restrictions on Canadian cattle importation, said he had to think not of one particular interest, but of the interest of the general public. He admitted there was no disease in Canada, but he took his stand on the word risk. Concluding, he said as long as he was president of the Board of Agriculture he could hold out no hopes of passing such a measure as was wanted.

Pacific Cable Conference.
London, May 12.—The C. A. P. understands that the Pacific cable conference will be held at the end of the month. Negotiations are in progress whereby an important extension of the business facilities for the cable in Australia will, it is hoped, be secured. The confession of John Jackson at Vancouver of having murdered a woman in London, is not believed here. It is thought to be a device to get a free passage home.

Schooner Mist Lost.
Kingston, May 12.—The loss of the schooner Mist off South Bay Point, on the Prince Edward County coast, is reported. The fishing schooner belonged to Sodus Point, N. Y., and had been out for some days, securing the finest haul of fish she had ever carried. In a big squall the Mist sprang a leak, and before shore could be reached the boat went down and is a total loss. The two men on board escaped in a small boat.

Killing Was Justified.
Toronto, May 12.—Leonardo Montecarlo, who was tried in the Assize Court on the charge of shooting Luigi Raimondi, was discharged. It only took the jury an hour to decide he was not guilty, and that the shooting was done in self-defence. Chancellor Boyd agreed with the verdict. Montecarlo was defended by Mr. Robinson.

K.O.T.M. NOTICE
All Maccabees are wanted at the lodge room Friday night, May 12th. There is a large initiation on and all are wanted.
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NO MINISTER OF MINES

Hon. Mr. Whitney Announces His Decision to the House.

Minister of Lands and Mines Will Replace Commissioner of Crown Lands—How Hotelkeepers Were Held Up Under the Ross Administration—Compelled to Sell 168 Hours a Week to Break Even.

Toronto, May 12.—The Government's intentions regarding the creation of a new department of mines were made known in the Legislature last night by Premier Whitney. The bill will be a minister of mines as expected, but instead the Department of Crown Lands with its mines branch, will be known as the Department of Lands and Mines with a head thereof, who will be known as Minister of Lands and Mines. The same bill changes the jurisdiction of the chief of the Department of Public Works, who will be known as "Minister of Public Works, instead of "Commissioner."

Numbered Ballot Goes.
The Premier also introduced a bill to amend the Election Act, which explained that it meant the abolition of the numbered ballot. The same ballot will be used minus the number, which permits of identification.

Hon. Mr. Matheson gives notice of a bill to tax circusmen \$500 for each 20 cars. The present tax is \$100 for 20 cars or over.

Mr. Matheson will also introduce a bill extending the time for the payment of Crown taxes on patent lands.

John Smith's bill to give widows and spinners who are eligible to vote at Municipal elections the same right at Provincial elections was withdrawn after Mr. Smith had made a fine but ineffective appeal for the ladies.

The Lieutenant-Governor will attend the House to-day to give assent to a number of bills.

The License Department.
Mr. G. W. Ross withdrew his motion for papers in connection with the appointment of fishery overseers.

Mr. McDougall moved a similar motion for information regarding license commissioners and inspectors and fishery inspectors, but accepted an addition by the Premier which calls for "copies of all correspondence between the heads of the Department of Fisheries and fishery officials of the said Department." (White 2, Magown, Currie) Passed.

Mr. Whitney remarked that he would show the bill that the circular read in the House the other day was sent out by the Deputy Minister of Fisheries, without showing it to his superior officer.

Sir Oliver Mowat's Opinion.
Hon. Mr. Hanna opened up the question of the appointment of license commissioners, and quoted from the speeches of Mowat, Hardy and Fraser, in reply to Mr. Meredith, that it had been found advisable to select license commissioners from political friends.

Experience has taught these men that it was impossible to carry out the acts of the Government, except through friends of the Government. Conservatives appointed by the Liberal Government of the day had obstructed the carrying out of the License Act. A. C. Pratt (South Norfolk) knew of fishery licenses that had been refused opponents of the late Government by the officers of the Government.

Mr. Graham reminded the House that the present Government, when in Opposition, had opposed the appointment of partisans to administer the license law.

Referring to the West Kent investigation, Hon. Mr. Hanna said the Government could not be held responsible if, after exercising the best care in the selection of commissioners, a commissioner here or there did not give satisfaction, but it would be held responsible if after investigating any improper act on the part of commissioner it continued that commissioner in office.

Held Up By Commissioners.
Mr. Hanna made a sensational statement in regard to an hotel-keeper who appeared before him to ask for a license. "This man said he had been a Secretary," but he was glad there had been a change of Government. He had said, "I am here asking for a license at the price the act calls for. I have been selling liquor since 1899 or 1900. My first license cost me \$1,640. I had to pay it over to the commission, at that time I got it for a period of three months, and again and again it was renewed for a like period. I never got a license for less than \$450, and generally paid \$700. I had to sell liquor seven days in the week, and practically 24 hours a day to make the business pay. I am prepared to take a license for one year and to obey the law. All that has been charged against the West Kent commissioners is white in comparison with some of the things we know of to-day."

No Blame on Resumes.
The discussion was closed by Hon. Dr. Reaume, who explained how the fishery circular came to issue from his Department. He read a letter from Mr. Bastedo, his deputy, which said that it had been the practice of the Department in issuing fishery licenses to refer the applications to the Liberal member or defeated candidate in the riding. After the advent of the new Government, he prepared the usual circular, but in the hurry of sending it out he had overlooked the important duty of showing the Minister the draft.

The motion for the papers was then passed.

Brewers and Distillers.
Hon. Mr. Hanna introduced a bill respecting brewers and distillers and other licensees, providing for substantial license fees from warehouses of the brewers and distillers situated in places apart from the brewery or distillery, which would give an additional revenue of from \$5,000 to \$10,000. It is only legalizing what had been thought to be legal.

Several private bills were introduced and read a first time.

Third Readings.
These bills were read a third time: Respecting the London Street Railway (Hodgins); to amend the act to provide for the incorporation of co-oper-

five cold storage associations (Monteith); respecting the Neponset Mining Lands Co. (Carscallen, Hamilton); to amend the act to incorporate the Lake Superior, Long Lake and Albany River Railway (Smyth); to incorporate the Young Men's Christian Association of London (Beck); respecting the Hermina Mining Co. (Smyth); respecting the consolidated revenue fund and the raising of loans authorized by the Legislature (Matheson); for raising money on the credit of the consolidated revenue fund of Ontario (Matheson); to incorporate the United Nickel Co. of Canada (Carscallen, Hamilton).

For University.
Hon. Mr. Foy moved the second reading of his bill to amend the act setting apart certain wild lands in addition to those previously set apart for the use of the University of Toronto.

Mr. Foy explained that \$1,168 acres would be set aside, which is equivalent to four complete townships.

Mr. Gagey moved the second reading of his bill to amend the act respecting the establishment of municipal institutions in territorial districts. The bill asks for an appeal from a district judge to the judge in chambers in Toronto, and that the amount involved be reduced from \$20,000 to \$10,000.

Mr. Lucas sought an amendment providing that assignments be made either to the sheriff or to an assignee appointed by the Government. If not satisfactory to the Government, he would prefer to see it killed on the spot rather than slowly tortured by the legal committee.

The Premier was entirely opposed to a re-enactment of the old insolvency act.

Rebukes House.
Mr. Lucas withdrew the bill.

When the House was rushing through the bills promoted by private members, the Premier found it necessary to administer a rebuke to these members who neglect to advance their bills when the proper time arrives.

Mr. Carscallen (Hamilton) asked for an amendment to the Railway Act, one of the chief provisions of which aims to protect minority stockholders. When shares are disposed of, the approval of the Commissioner of Public Works will be necessary if the bill passes.

Hon. Mr. Hendrie suggested sending the bill to a select committee, and this was agreed to.

To avoid delay in judgment, when a claim in the Division Court does not exceed \$100, is the object of a bill promoted by Mr. Thompson of Simcoe, which was read a second time.

Dr. Nesbitt asked that a section of the High Schools Act, requiring the city to pay 80 per cent. of the cost of pupils from the city attending a high school outside the limits, be repealed. The bill was referred to a special committee.

Timber Berth, Block W, Algoma.
Mr. Smyth (Algoma) moved for papers in connection with the sale to C. A. McCool of timber berth known as Block W, in the District of Algoma. The order was granted.

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applicants. I have looked into the case and, while we are in no way committing ourselves to a change of ruling, I would be glad, in view of the new circumstances, and to be quite safe, if the Board would go in to the matter again.

Chairman Sifton—What is your view, Mr. Gifford?

Commissioner Gifford—I have no objection to considering it again. I don't want to do an injustice to anyone—only to my duty.

The chairman then announced that the matter of the two applications in question would be dealt with at the meeting in Chatham on the 27th inst.

VISIT THE HOTELS.

The Board then visited and inspected the two Bothwell hotels and, on resuming, announced that they found the Central in excellent condition and the Brunswick in just the reverse. They gave a conditional permission to the transfer of the latter from Mr. Maloney to Mr. Woolcott on the

latter giving an assurance to go ahead with improvements immediately, cleaning up and putting in good shape, refurnishing and putting in a new sanitary system. Mr. Maloney had allowed the house to go in bad repair and at the Bidgetown meeting the Board declined to renew his license. Mr. Woolcott, his successor, promises to proceed with the improvements at once and strictly adhere to the law.

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