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FIFTY YEARS OF PROGRESS

If you are a resident of the City of Chatham or County of Kent, this store has been prominently before either you, your parents or your grandparents for the past fifty years.

Started in a Small Way

It kept on growing and growing and still grows faster than ever. Every month shows an increase in the business done over the preceding month of a year ago.

This is Not by Chance

But the result of a well laid foundation in the years that have gone by, of straightforward dealing and reliable goods.

It's Easy for Us to do Business

Everybody knows that "Stone's" goods are always the best, and that no misrepresentation is allowed in regard to them, and that our guarantee goes with every article sold, and your money cheerfully refunded if you want it.

This is a Safe and Profitable Place to do Your Trading

Quality is the first consideration everywhere—then price, which we guarantee to be as low as others for inferior qualities.

We're After Your Trade

And we'll get it, too, if placing before you the most stylish goods in the finest qualities at the lowest prices is any inducement. We promise you courteous treatment and prompt delivery.

OUR IMPORT of British, French and German goods are now well to hand, and now is just the right time to select your new gown.

Thomas Stone & Son

A Big Smash In Prices

At Westman Bros'. Clearing Sale of

Screen Doors, Refrigerators, Hammocks, Ice Cream Freezers, Rustic Lawn Seats, Lawn Chairs, Flower Stands, all at

25 Per Cent. Off

Regular price. Come and get some of the bargains.

Westman Bros., Chatham, Ont.

AN IRON BED

Is a good kind to have. It is always clean and neat, easily washed and no attraction to vermin. We have them in white, and other colors, with ornaments at the corners and knobs. They are the best value in the market.

See Our Large Assortment.

Hugh McDonald

Dealer in Furniture, Upholstering and Carpets. Opposite the Garner House.

Local Briefs

O. Pape, Head St., has a good Bb. tenor horn he wishes to sell.

Last Band Concert to Rond Lau Friday, Sept. 12th.

Adam Howes a C. B. C. student of last session, has secured a position with E. S. Hubbell, of Thamesville.

Capt. Wilson, of the local lacrosse club, has written to St. Thomas for a game.

The firemen wish to thank Mr. Drader and James Glenn for boxes of cigars.

Miss Burns has opened classes in china painting. Studio, Thames St., opposite greenhouses.

E. A. Stevenson, a student of the C. B. C., last year, has secured a lucrative position in the D. M. Ferry Co. Detroit.

The Colby-Scott Co., Stock Rick makers have three cargoes of lumber on the way here, one of which is expected today.

The evening service in the First Presbyterian Church, which has been held at 7.30 during the summer, will be held in future at 7 o'clock.

I. L. Davis received a paper from Serbia yesterday, in which it is announced that Serbia will have a Carnegie Library. It will cost \$13,808.

Rev. R. McCosh, rector of Christ Church, will preach the anniversary and Harvest Home sermons in Trinity Memorial Church, Exeter, to-morrow.

The Junior League of the Park St. Church will re-open on Thursday afternoon next, at 4.15 o'clock. All boys and girls from 7 to 16 are invited.

There will be an emergency meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. P. & A. M., G. R. C., on Monday evening at 7.30, for the purpose of conferring degrees.

Dr. Sivewright has received a picture of his son Oscar, who is at present mining in the Klondyke. The picture was taken in front of Oscar's cabin.

Don't place your order for stoves or stove furniture of any kind, until you see what Quinn & Patterson have got. Their assortment is complete, and their prices are right.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Rae, Wellington St., which was to have taken place this afternoon, has been postponed until after the arrival of her son from Rainy River.

Rumormongers when you want a buggy or harness, that Quinn & Patterson have a good assortment, of these goods, and they are guaranteed to be the best on the market.

Miss Ella McDiarmid, a student of last term in the C. B. C., is assisting Mr. Powers in the Shorthand Department. Miss McDiarmid is a former public school teacher, in Middlesex.

There was a motion in the Judge's Chambers yesterday morning to strike out the defence in the Stuart vs. Scott promissory note case. It was postponed till a week from today.

Miss Webster and Mrs. S. C. Walker have been engaged to sing in the Methodist Church, Thamesville, on Friday, Sept. 19th, at a sacred concert given by the ladies of the church.

The young people of the Park Street congregation will tender a social reception to their new pastor, on Monday evening, 15th inst. All willing to assist will meet next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss Bessie Dobson, of Southampton, a student of the C. B. C., has been named to the city yesterday on her way to Merlin, where she has secured a position as bookkeeper and stenographer for J. N. Halliday.

The Kent Canning Company will commence work on Monday, when steady employment will be given to a large number of hands for several weeks, thus distributing a large amount of money for wages and material. Our local industries deserve encouragement.

D. McLaughlin, of the C. B. C., has received word from a man in British Columbia, who was a student at the C. B. C. 21 years ago. This ex-student sent her catalogue, and intends to send his son to the college.

The anniversary services of Park St. Methodist church will be conducted on Sunday, Oct. 26th, by a former well known pastor, Rev. R. J. Treleaven, now of Toronto. The annual tea will be given the following evening.

The Kent Canning Company propose packing apples this season and will pay the highest price for hand-picked winter fruit—Spices, Baldwins and Greenings—to be delivered at the factory about October 1st. Apples must be free from bruises and not wormy. Barrels or other packages will be returned.

Thursday evening, by the Rev. Dr. Battisby, at the manse, Mr. Bruce Steel, late of Fletcher, was married to Miss Eliza Harwood, daughter of John Harwood, 6th concession, Raleigh township. Miss Harwood was assisted by her sister, Miss Dora, and Mr. Cecil Harwood, brother of the bride, acted as best man. We join with their many friends in wishing them a happy journey through life. Mr. Steel has recently joined the firm of Scott & Colby.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barassin have returned from their holiday trip to Winnipeg, much benefited in health. Mr. Barassin says that the C. P. R. boats that run to Port Arthur are like floating palaces. "Everything is so nice and up-to-date. All the berths were taken, and some people had to lay around in the cabin. While in Winnipeg, Mr. and Mrs. Barassin were the guests of William Ozard, formerly of this city."

MISS ABRAHAM APPOINTED MCKEOUGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

First Lady Assistant Will Assume Duties Until Christmas—Mr. Brackin's Resignation Accepted—He Explains his Position—Ex-Principal and Trustee Heyward Have a Tilt.

The long expected storm over the resignation of Principal Brackin, of the McKeeough school has broken and is over—the resignation has been accepted and Miss Abram has been appointed principal until the end of the year.

This storm has been brewing for some time and the outburst finally came at the meeting of the Board last night. It started with the reading of the resignation by Secretary Macnabb. In his letter to the Board Mr. Brackin expressed his regret at having to make the move, and thanked his many friends who had assisted him in his work. He made special mention of his staff of teachers, who were under his charge, and hoped that their future lives would be marked with the brightness, happiness, and success which they certainly deserved.

After the reading of the resignation Mr. Brackin addressed the meeting. He said—

"I understand that certain unpleasant remarks have been made about the manner in which my resignation has been tendered, and, as I wish to have my resignation accepted, I will explain the remarks so that they will not interfere with the acceptance."

"It has been said by some of the members of the Board, that I knew that I was going to leave the service some time ago, and that I delayed for a certain purpose. Now, gentlemen, I want to make that right. I have always been treated fairly by the board and in my turn have tried to act straightforwardly. This is the first time I have appeared before you in any way for the last 23 years."

"The Monday after school closed I went to Detroit, and in Windsor I met a gentleman from an eastern firm. His name was quite accidental. He has been at me to accept a position with his firm for the past seven or eight years. In the course of our conversation he renewed his old offer. I did not accept them, and told him if he wanted me he would have to come up higher in the matter of salary. He went home and I did also, and nothing further was done."

"In the meantime, Mr. Stephenson, of The Planet, wrote to this firm in the matter of advertising and received the reply that they had no agent here. He advised them to appoint an agent and they replied that they were after a man for Chatham, they also asked Mr. Stephenson what he knew about a man named Brackin (myself)."

"He is his turn told them what he knew of me. I received a telegram on the 22nd of August from the man I met in Windsor, asking if I could meet him the next day. I went to Woodstock on the 23rd and came back on the 25th. I then tried to find Mr. Campbell to tell him how matters stood, and find out if the Board were willing to release me. He had gone to Detroit. So on the 27th of Aug. I spoke to Dr. McKeeough about it."

"So you see I did all in my power to let the Board know as soon as possible that I intended to resign."

"It has been said that I held back my resignation in order that my first assistant might receive the appointment. If I had wanted to do this I would have done so as generally done in cases of this kind—I would have come to the Board and asked for a four months' leave of absence on account of poor health. This, no doubt, would have been granted, and the question would have arisen as to who would relieve me. My first assistant would naturally take my place for three or four months. At the end of that time I would say that I was not able to resume my duties. The first assistant in the meantime, would have given complete satisfaction, and would not doubt, be appointed to the position. So you see if this were what I was working for, I would not have resigned as I have done."

"Mr. Heyward—I am one of the trustees who have said that the resignation was not put in in the proper manner. For the simple reason that you told me some time ago in my office that you had been offered the position, I said on the street that your resignation should have been in long ago. You said you were offered a position at \$1,200 a year—"

Mr. Brackin—I did not tell you that. Mr. Heyward—You told me that in my office."

Mr. Brackin—No, I did not. Mr. Heyward, resuming his seat—Then I have no more to say."

Mr. Brackin—What about that bet of the hat? That's another thing I would like to hear about."

Mr. Heyward—Yes, about the bet for the hat. When you came into my office and told me about the position offered to you, you said you would resign if your salary was not made equal to that of Mr. Plewes."

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ing Miss Abram. He believed in promotion where possible.

Mr. Benson moved an amendment to the amendment, that Miss Abram be appointed until the end of the year at a salary of \$750 per year, and that the Board advertise for a principal to be engaged when Miss Abram's term expires. In the meantime the Board will be in a position to see how Miss Abram manages the principalship. This was seconded by Mr. Robertson.

Mr. McCordie then withdrew his motion and Mr. Benson's motion to appoint Miss Abram carried.

Yeas—McCordie, Paxton, Benson, Robertson and McKeeough.

Nays—Heyward, Cornish, Morley and Bray.

The Board will advertise at once for applicants.

A communication was read from J. W. Plewes, thanking the Board for the raise in salary given him. It was received.

The matter of an advance of \$50 to J. L. Wilson & Son on the plans for the McKeeough school additions, was referred to the managers of the school with power.

It was decided, on motion of Mr. Cornish, that the children of both schools be allowed to see the laying.

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BUMBLE BEES BOTHER BUNCH

Gathering of Staid Chatham Citizens go Through Numerous Antics.

Ald. Taylor and Barrister Lewis Had the Most Fun, Barring the Bees.

Bees haven't anything particular to do with a holiday generally, but they had a lot to do with the outing of the party who spent Labor Day at St. Luke's Club. William Gordon, George Stephens and some more spent the holiday at the club. They went fishing in the morning and, even knowing their number, A. C. McKay volunteered to see that all should bring home fish, and he then caught fish enough so that all could show a good string. He even went further, and gave an example as to how fish stories are made, by catching one fish on two hooks. On his line were two hooks, each baited and placed about two feet apart. A half-pound perch came along and got hooked on both baits.

After dinner Mr. McKay nailed a target to the ice-house and shot at it to see what kind of a pattern his gun would make. This was about the time that the Bumble Bees helped to make the outing interesting for the members of St. Luke's Club. The bees had their home in the sawdust in the ice-house just behind where the target was nailed. Mr. McKay didn't know this. At least he doesn't admit that he did.

Eli Charron, the keeper, wanted his gun tried, so he handed it to Mr. McKay and went down to nail up a target. The bees were pretty well worked up by this time and some were holding a vigilance meeting on the outside. Eli, by moving quickly, got the target up.

Joe Toulouse, another punter, was the next to desire to have his gun tested. The bees were mad by this time and Joe didn't get the target up at all. He came back to say, however, "Gee, those bees are hot."

Ald. George Taylor had watched the bees make the Frenchman run. There is nothing that the star twister of the Aldermanic baseball team likes better than to go up against real opposition. He had never seen the bees that he was afraid of, so he took a target and walked down to nail it up on the wall behind which was concealed the home of the honey makers. The bees had got tired of holding indignation meetings by this time and had gone in to see if their home was all right. They heard Ald. Taylor tacking up the target and came out to see what he was doing. They came fast and many.

Ald. Taylor wasn't afraid of them, however, and chased the bees all over the lot. It wasn't Ald. Taylor's fault that he ran. He had to keep up with the bees. They were really trying to get away, but Ald. Taylor wouldn't let them. He boldly pursued them all over the grounds, to the general amusement. In his great anxiety to successfully chase those bees, the worthy alderman took off his hat and as he wildly struck at the maddened insects he captured one alive in his hat—quite intentionally, of course—for Ald. Taylor wanted to show that he could capture those bees alive, and, anyway, a live Bumble Bee is worth any number of dead ones. The baseball pitcher forgot all about the "live bee" in his bonnet and put his hat on his head. The motion of the hand that took that hat off was the quickest on record, and Ald. Taylor came up from the last round with the bees smiling heavily.

By this time the bees were real annoyed at the way Ald. Taylor had chased them, and this explains what happened to Lewis.

He had been in the club house taking a nap—yes, it was a nap, not a nap—and he came out at this juncture. He knew nothing about the bees or how Ald. Taylor had made them mad. When he learned about the bees being tested he wanted his tried, too; so he good-naturedly and innocently walked down to tuck up the target. The bees met him half-way, and the manner in

which the barrister made a bee-line for home threw into the shadow all his records while playing centre field for the Aldermanic aggregation of baseballers.

The bees caught Mr. Lewis and one stung him on the ear. Lewis and one stung him on the ear. Lewis and one stung him on the ear.

At first Mr. Lewis was real mad at the way the rest laughed. Sam Perrin smiled so much that he fell off a bench and made such an impression on the earth's surface that his friends are now able to say he has made his mark in the world. N. B. Stevens was kept busy sewing on buttons for an hour afterwards. George Stephens had to be slapped on the back to ward off hysterics. William Gordon was actually heard to laugh out loud. George Taylor smiled so broadly that the people up at the Joy Club thought it was an earthquake. W. E. Risley calmly and suggested that Mr. Lewis find some other place than a bee's nest to nail up targets to. A. C. McKay smiled a Scotch smile—about three fingers—and remarked that if Mr. Lewis would train down a little, he might be able to outfoot the bees in future.

When Ald. Taylor offered to buy the hides of all the bees that O. L. Lewis would capture, that gentleman saw the humor of the situation—he actually saw the joke, and is laughing yet.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6.

GERMAN THOROUGHNESS.

Germany has set the Dominion Government an example by which it should profit, comments the Hamilton Herald.

Because Canada has given a trade preference to Britain, Germany imposes the maximum tariff on Canadian products. United States products are admitted into Germany on more favorable terms. But Canadian No. 1 hard wheat being the best wheat in the world, United States shippers have been mixing some of this superfine wheat with their own in order to improve the quality of the latter. This trick the German officials have found out, and so the decree has gone forth that on such mixed wheat the maximum duty must be paid in German ports.

This German thoroughness is altogether admirable and worthy of imitation. What's the use of having a discriminating tariff if it can be evaded? When the German Government undertakes to put into effect any regulation, you may depend upon it that the thing will be done.

German methods should be adopted to prevent the evasion of the Dominion preferential tariff. It is a notorious fact that the tariff is systematically evaded, and has been ever since it was put in force, and the evasion is done chiefly by German manufacturers and their agents in Britain. Indeed, it is a matter of doubt whether the British preference is of more benefit to British than to German producers. The latter send over their "made-in-Germany" goods to Britain, the labels are removed, and the goods are reshipped to Canada as British goods and get the benefit of the one-third rebate.

This evasion should be checked. It may be impossible to stop it, but it can be checked by more thorough customs inspection here and by the employment of detectives in Britain.

THAT'S WHAT.

Toronto Telegram.

The whole name of this glorious country is better wear for Canadians than half the name of the best continent on earth. Canada should be ashamed of the journals which set up a peevish whine over every reference to the United States as "America."

THE REAL EMPIRE BUILDERS.

Stratford Herald.

Conservatives can look with peculiar satisfaction to the rapid advancement going on throughout the Dominion, particularly in Manitoba, the Northwestern territories and British Columbia. The satisfaction is derived from the fact that their party laid the foundation deep and firm for the advance, progress and prosperity, now everywhere apparent.

HUSTLING TEDDY.

Louisville Courier-Journal.

Teddy is a hustler. He sticks his pants in his boots, rolls up his sleeves, spits on his hands, and goes to work like a common, spoils politician. Where be his fibes now about the "offensive partisan" Where, oh where, the Song of Civil Service Reform? To-day he is at Newport, smuggling things with the four hundred. Tomorrow he'll be out in Colorado, whooping things with the cowboys. Meanwhile old Beef Trust laughs, and says to himself, "Teddy's all right."

WELL EQUIPPED.

Toronto News.

Not only does our new general officer commanding know the material he has to deal with, from the work done under his own observation, by the Strathcona Horse and Mounted Rifles in South Africa, but he also knows the strong points of the Boer methods, for he often beat that slim individual at his own game. Added to this, he has the training of a British officer, which will enable him to supplement discipline and the scientific handling of large bodies of men to the training

General Debility

Day in and out there is that feeling of weakness that makes a burden of itself. Food does not strengthen. Sleep does not refresh. It is hard to do, hard to bear, what should be easy, vitality is on the ebb, and the whole system suffers.

For this condition take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It vitalizes the blood, gives vigor and tone to all the organs and functions, and is positively unequalled for all run-down or debilitated conditions.

Hood's Pills cure constipation. 25 cents.

of our militia in the best methods of defensive warfare, suitable for and adapted to the country.

THE LINE OF DIVISION.

Acheson Globe.

The world seems to be divided into two classes; those who board and envy those who keep house, and those who keep house and envy those who board.

ON BAD TERMS WITH HIS FACE.

Chicago Record-Herald.

When asked the other day to pose for a photograph J. Pierpont Morgan said he wouldn't do it for \$5,000,000. Oh how that man must hate his face.

SEVERE.

Alexandria Glengarian.

Some cheerful idiot expresses through the columns of the Ottawa Citizen, the belief that three returning members of the South African contingents who have boozed their money, soaked their railway tickets and become stranded at various points, should be assisted from the patriotic fund. Such characters are a disgrace to their uniforms, and should rather be sent down as vagrants.

REJUVENATED WOMEN.

Pearson's Weekly.

It is an extraordinary, but inconceivable fact that some women when at the age when most people die undergo a sort of natural process of rejuvenation—hair and teeth grow again, the wrinkles disappear from the skin, and sight and hearing reacquire their former sharpness. "A Marquise de Mraheau is an example of this rare and remarkable phenomenon. She died at the age of 86, but a few years before her death she became in appearance quite young again. The same change happened to a nun of the name of Marguerite Verur, who at the age of 62 lost her wrinkles, regained her sight and grew several new teeth. When she died ten years later her appearance was almost that of a young girl.

Scots In American History.

It is a noteworthy fact in American history that of the four members of Washington's cabinet Knox of Massachusetts, the only New Englander, was a Scotch-Irishman; Alexander Hamilton of New York was a Scotch-Frenchman, Thomas Jefferson was of Welsh descent, and the fourth, Edmund Randolph, claimed among his ancestors the Scotch earls of Murray. New York also furnished the first chief justice of the United States, John Jay, who was a descendant of French Huguenots, while the second chief justice, John Rutledge, was Scotch-Irish, as were also Wilson and Iredell, two of the original associate justices; a third, Blair, was of Scottish origin. John Marshall, the great chief justice, was, like Jefferson, of Scotch and Welsh descent—Charles R. Hanna's "Celt in America."

A Choice of Hymns.

When the English troops in South Africa were daily expecting the announcement of a peace settlement with the Boer leaders, a worthy dean telegraphed to Lord Kitchener from the Orange River Colony, saying, "As I am the acting chaplain and conducting divine service in many camps tomorrow, may I ask if the hymn 'Peace, Perfect Peace,' would not be a most appropriate one to give out to be sung?" And the great "K." wired back, "Please yourself, but I think 'Onward, Christian Soldier' quite as good."

Irish Language of Lovers.

The Irish language is above all others the language of lovers. You may find in French or Spanish or Italian superlatives or diminutives of endearment, but you will never find anything so soft, so sweet, so subtle, so sad and sometimes so rapturously extravagant as you will find in the Irish language.

We are apt to load the duties of life with schemes which prove a dead weight.

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Special Notice

Owing to the tremendous rush of business this week we have been unable to make our first display of Fall Clothing (ready-to-wear.) As stated in this space, we will not disappoint you, having received 15 cases of

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Sucking Poisonous Wounds.

Among all people the sucking of the wound has ever been considered the most effective remedy of immediate application for snake bites. In Africa a cupping instrument is employed in emergencies of the kind to draw out the poisoned blood. The ancients followed the same methods, and when Cato made his famous expedition through the serpent infested African deserts he employed many savage snake charmers, called "psigili," to follow the army. They performed many mysterious rites over men who were bitten, but the efficacy of their treatment appears to have consisted in sucking the wounds.

A Mute's Bent.

The Courier de Paris relates that a party of men, sitting in front of a boulevard cafe, were recently approached by a man who had a clarinet in his hand and who said: "Gentlemen, excuse me. I have to make my living, but I suppose you would rather give me a sonnet to hear me." They took the hint. He repeated this performance several times till one day one of the men said he felt like hearing a tune and asked him to play. "I am sorry," said the man with the clarinet, "but I cannot play a note."

Not Work to Preach.

A minister who used to preach in Somerville had a little boy. A few days before his father left the city to go to his new parish one of his neighbors said to the little boy, "So your father is going to work in New Bedford, is he?"

The little boy looked up, wondering "Oh, no," he said, "only preach."

The Dead Sea.

The daily average of 6,500,000 tons of water is received into the Dead sea from the Jordan. There is no outlet, and the level is kept down by evaporation only, which is very rapid because of the intense heat, the dry atmosphere and the dry winds which are constantly blowing down from the gorges between the mountains.

Good Reason.

"I wonder," began the man with the investigating mania, "what makes babies cry?"

"Probably," muttered in the practical fellow, "contemplation of some of the things they're in danger of being like when they grow up."

Must Be Good.

Young Husband—My dear Melanie, I must say that this pudding tastes very bad.

Wife—All imagination, dear; it says in the cookery book that it tastes excellent!

The Solid Hoofed Hog.

There are some solid hoofed hogs in the world, but they are few and far between. Darwin has a great deal to say about such pigs in his "Origin of Species," as there were only three in England at the time he wrote this book.

The solid hoofed hog is not a freak of nature, as many suppose, but a genuine case of reversion to a primitive or ancestral type. It seems that, unlike the prehistoric ancestor of the modern horse, which has four toes or hoofs, the old cloverleaf, from which animal all members of the swine family are descended, had a solid hoof, and in the course of ages, as the old parent form died out and the modern wild boar, domestic hog, peccary, etc., were evolved this solid hoof became through what Darwin calls "adaptation" and "natural selection" divided up into two parts, so that all modern hogs are cloven hoofed. Occasionally, however, a hog is born with the old original solid hoof of the primitive hog ancestor, thus demonstrating the tendency in all animals to revert now and then to the parent form.

Dumas' Wealth and Poverty.

Alexandre Dumas' rise to wealth and luxury was almost as marvellous as that of his most celebrated hero. He built a magnificent chateau, which he named Monte-Christo. There he entertained all comers, friend and stranger alike, with more than oriental magnificence and sometimes with oriental mystery. His purse was open to all who sought it, and the day came when he experienced Timon's fate without acquiring Timon's disposition. He could not become a misanthrope, though his fortune disappeared almost as suddenly as it came, and then he learned the ingratitude of men. His last days were passed not in poverty, but in narrow circumstances. He left Paris in the fall of 1870 just as the German army was closing in to besiege it and when France was feeling its deepest woe. To the last he preserved his gaiety and youthful spirit. "I had but one napoleon in my pocket when I first came here," he said. "I go away with two, and yet they call me a spendthrift!"

Wade Hampton's Slaves.

It is related of General Wade Hampton that on one occasion he was riding along a highway that led through one of his numerous southern plantations when he met a slave of fine build and appearance. He drew rein and said: "You are a likely fellow. Who do you belong to?" "Wade Hampton, sir," "Ah! And who is Wade Hampton?" "Please, sir, master, you may be from de north, 'cause Mas Wade Hampton is de berry fust gunman in de south."

A Royal Tallman.

For 400 years the Hohenzollern family has possessed a peculiar talisman in the shape of a black stone set in a ring, each head of the house having passed the charm on to the next in succession for many generations. Frederick the Great is said to have found the ring sealed in a package with instructions as to its preservation and transmission written by Frederick I. Precisely what value or significance attaches to this carefully treasured bit of jewelry it would be difficult to say. Tradition says that a huge toad hopped into the royal presence centuries ago with the stone held in its mouth. As to whether the golden setting in which the stone is now preserved is due to the forethought of the intelligent toad or to the afterthought of the Hohenzollerns tradition fails to enlighten us.

Floorwalking.

Head Floorwalker (severely)—I heard you tell the lady she would find the ribbons at the third counter to the left. New Floorwalker—That's where they are.

Head Floorwalker—Yes; but you should have told her to go to the right past the necktie bargain counter, turn to the left past the stocking bargain counter, then three counters to the right past the silk skirt bargain counter, and so on. You'll never make a floorwalker.

One Definition of It.

"What do you consider domesticity in man?"

"It is the trait of wanting to stay home when his wife wants him to go out with her."

"And what is domesticity in woman?"

"That is the trait of being willing to stay home when her husband wants to go out without her."

Fond of Books.

R.—Is your boy fond of books?
D.—Very. I gave him a copy of "Robinson Crusoe" the other day, and he got lots of fun out of it.
R.—I didn't know he could read.
D.—He can't read, but he tears the pages out and makes boats of them. Oh, yes; he's fond of books!

Saving His Father's Hair.
Lord Charles was often troubled by impudent acquaintances, who begged for some of his father's (the Duke of Wellington) hair. On such occasions he said to an old servant whose hair was like the duke's: "Sit down, John. I must cut off another lock!"

The eggs of silkworms can withstand, without injury, a temperature of 58 degrees below zero.

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Saturday Specials at the New Store

It's economy to trade at this store. In buying our stock of New Fall Goods we have tried in every way possible to make it profitable for our patrons. Every yard of fabric, every garment and every article that is offered here is thoroughly good and the best to be had any where for the price we ask. Shrewd buyers will be quick to see the advantages of coming here to do their Saturday trading. Truly these are rare money-saving opportunities.

Ladies' Half Sleeve Vests at 50c-10 doz.

ladies' fine, soft, elastic knit Vests, finished yokes, half sleeves, usually sold at 80c to 100c each, special at... 50c

Blankets at 85c a pair-40 pair extra

large size Flannellette Blankets, heavy fleecy quality, in white or grey with fancy bordered ends, usually sold at \$1.25 a pair, special at... 85c

Ladies' 40c Cashmere Hose at 25c a pair

60 doz. fine English Cashmere Hose, ladies' sizes only, in assorted narrow and wide rib, seamless, spiced heels and toes, excellent value at 35c to 40c a pair, our Saturday price... 25c

A Ribbon Bargain-480 yds. rich, pure

tartan silk Ribbons, 4 in. wide, in every wanted color, sold regular in all stores at 25c yd., our Saturday price... 15c

Men's Overall Pants at 90c-5 doz. men's

heavy Tuck Pants, pencil wearing quality with double seams and riveted seams, assorted sizes, regular 80c special at... 60c

Men's Suits, the New F. Styles-Nob-

by all-wool Tweeds, in newest patterns, extra well tailored, best

class linings, sizes 35 to 44 in., won-

derful values at \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00 and... \$10.00

New Dress Goods-The finest collection

and best values you are likely to see this season. Broad-

cloths, Zebelines, Coverts, Homespuns, Mohairs, Cheviots, Serges, Vicunna's, etc. in fact everything that's new and desirable is found in this stock.

Ladies' Fall Jackets-The new styles

are here—hundreds of them—genuine "Northway made" garments, the kind that keep their shape and fit like a glove. Come in and see them, the values are the best we have ever offered.

Men's Pants-Fine pure wool Tweeds

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Men's English Clay Worsted Suits-

Fine pure wool and thoroughly shrunken, material made in latest fall styles, extra well lined and finished, all silk stitched, sizes 35 to 44 in., in black or indigo, two special lines at \$10.00 and... \$14.00

Silk Special-1 pc. heavy, double

faced pure Peau de Soie Silk, the best silk made for skirt or dress, superior weight and quality, the best \$1.25 silk in Chatham, special at... \$1.00

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French make and dye, 22 and 24 in. wide, splendid wearing qualities special at \$1.00, 85c, 75c, 65c and... 50c

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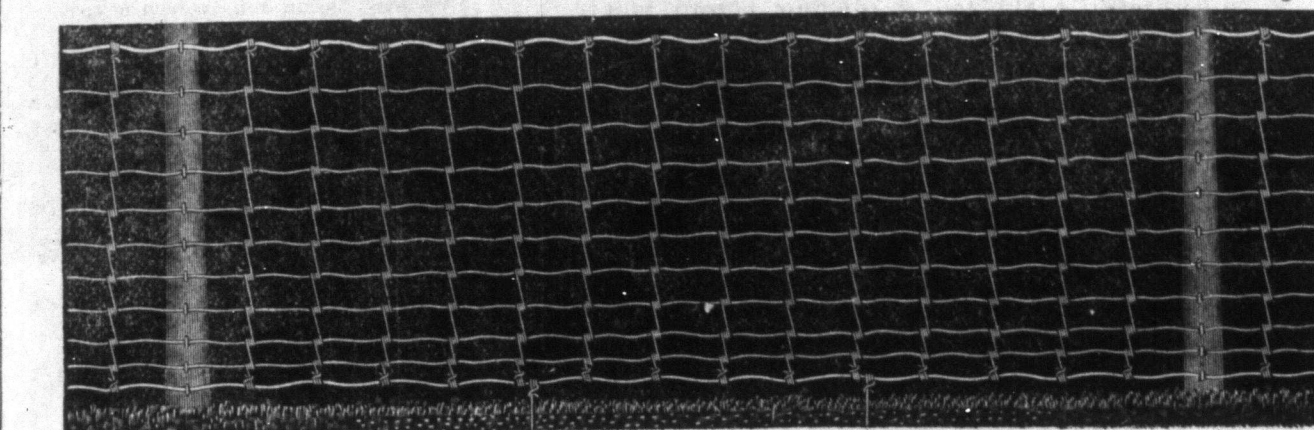
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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, Sept. 6-10 a. m. — Strong winds and moderate gales, southeasterly to westerly, showers this evening and to-morrow, with local thunderstorms.

Sunday, strong westerly winds, generally fair.

Cautionary storm signals are displayed at all lake stations.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

TO-NIGHT.

Bathing excursion to Erieau, C. P. R. Station, at 8.10.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Lemon pies this evening at Richards.

Last Band Concert to Port Lambton Monday, Sept. 15th.

Lady Cakes—its delicious. Try it, at Richards.

On and after Monday, Sept. 15th special Round Trip Passenger Fares will be withdrawn.

The West Kent Agricultural Association holds its annual exhibition on October 7th, 8th, and 9th.

The special male choir for Park St. church Sunday evening, 14th inst., will have 40 voices. Practice to-morrow at four o'clock.

Coulters, 10 cents per dozen, superior to all others, at Richards.

Owing to the continued cool weather, the Gas Company will discontinue the day service of electric current, for fan motors this evening (Saturday).

October 7, 8, and 9, are the dates for the West Kent Fair this year, and the public may confidently expect the best fair ever held in Chatham.

The 24th Regiment Band left on the 2.30 P. M. train this morning for Toronto, where they give a concert this afternoon and evening.

A son of George Jordan, while driving to a party at Mr. Brown's 8th con. Raleigh, was thrown into the ditch by his horse and rendered unconscious for several hours.

All the buildings on the exhibition grounds have been repainted and overhauled, and everything will be in new readiness for the fair on October 7th, 8th and 9th.

Capt. Dr. Scott, of Mount Clemens, came up to the city in his yacht Le Gronde to-day, with Geo. Zimmermann, Detroit; Harry Lichtig, Mount Clemens, and Wm. Kelly, attorney, Mt. Clemens.

Mrs. S. J. Mills, Centre street, died this morning at 10 o'clock, after an illness of nine months, from cancer. The late Mrs. Mills leaves a family of five sons and one daughter.

The funeral takes place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Warren Martin will conduct the services.

City Property For Sale

Two story frame house on brick foundation, contains double parlors, dining room, kitchen, pantry, upstairs three bedrooms and bathroom with all fixtures in. Grate and mantle, gas, electric light, City water, central heating. Price \$1200. A snap for the one who comes first.

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Personal Pointers

Geo. Gray and Will Taylor moved in from Erieau yesterday.

Harold Spafford, is visiting his parents, Park avenue, west.

Dan Brook, of Cleveland, is visiting Dan Aquilino, Grey street.

Percy Morley leaves to-day on a trip to the Toronto exhibition.

Michael Healey is spending a few days with friends in Buxton.

Mrs. (Dr.) Baskerville, visited Mrs. A. Park at Erieau on Thursday.

Ernie Maggs, of Chicago, is visiting his mother, Joseph street.

John Hind, who was injured by a fall yesterday, is improved to-day.

Graham Small, who has been visiting here, has returned to Walkerville.

Fred Crozier, of Detroit, formerly of this city, came up on the boat to-day.

Miss Annie Dunn has returned from a two months' visit with her brothers in Holton.

Miss Aggie Phillimore, Wellington street, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Miss E. Boyce, formerly of this city, now of Detroit, is visiting friends in the city.

Blue Ruin John Lee, M. P. P., of Highgate, was a Chatham visitor on Thursday.

Harry Hewson, of Detroit, formerly of Chatham, is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. Barfoot and son, John, of Dufferin avenue, left yesterday on a trip to Toronto.

L. E. Tilson has moved in from Erieau, where he and his family have been summering.

Mrs. Fleming, Wellington street, who has been quite poorly, is able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller, of Little Rock, Arkansas, were guests in the Maple City Thursday.

Miss Pearl Pope, who underwent an operation on her nose and throat yesterday, is doing nicely.

Harry, the infant son of H. Fields, Delaware avenue, who has been very ill, is now out of danger.

Goldwin Russell underwent a critical examination on his nose in St. Joseph's Hospital Thursday.

James Smith, of William Gray and Sons Co., Ltd., has returned from a week's visit at his home in London.

Mr. Kimmis, Chief of Police, Niagara Falls, wife and daughter, Maud, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zink, Van Horne street.

Mr. McRae, a nephew of W. D. McRae, of Wallaceburg, was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday suffering from typhoid fever.

Henry White, an old Chatham boy, but now of Cleveland, is visiting with friends and relatives in this city.

Mr. White holds a lucrative position with a commission house in Cleveland.

Miss Clara Miller, an ex-student of the C. B. C., was a visitor in the city yesterday, and called at the college.

Miss Miller is now holding an excellent position in Detroit, with the Brownell & Humphrey Company.

THE MARKETS

There was a very good market to-day, there being a large supply of all seasonable products. The prices remain practically unchanged.

Following is the full price list:—

IN THE SHEDS.
Eggs, 13c. per doz.
Quickens, each, 25c to 35c.
Butter, per pound, 15c to 20c.
Ducks, 25c to 30c.

VEGETABLES.
Green corn, per doz., 7 to 10c.
Summer squash, 3 for 10c.
Bage, a bunch, 5c.

Red currants, per qt., 5c.
Carrots, two bunches for 5c.
Potatoes, per bag, 90c.
Peas, per basket, 25c.

Cabbage, per head, 3 to 5c.
Tomatoes, per box, 8c.
Harvest apples, per peck, 10c.

Cucumbers, per doz., 8c.
Celery, per bunch, 10c.
Cauliflower, per head, 5c.

Plums, per basket, 40c. to 15c.
Pears, per basket, 25c.
Honey, per rack, 13c.

Thimble berries, per box, 10c.

FIFTY AGAINST TWO.

It is not reasonable to expect two weeks of outing to overcome the effects of fifty weeks of confinement.

Take a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla along with you. Three doses, daily, of this great tonic will do more than anything else to refresh your blood, overcome your tired feeling, improve your appetite, and make your sleep easy and restful.

HONORED HIM

The Friends of Capt. Mowbray Make Appropriate Presentation on eve of His Departure.

Captain, Wm. Mowbray, late Adjutant of the 24th Kent Regiment, and member of the C. C. I. staff, left this afternoon to assume his new duties in Upper Canada College, Toronto.

Capt. Mowbray has been a resident of the Maple City for the past three years, during which he has proved himself an energetic and enterprising young citizen.

Mr. Mowbray was a member of the C. C. I. League, and has been very instrumental in organizing and building up the regiment.

Yesterday afternoon a few of Capt. Mowbray's friends, representing scores of others, met him in the parlors of the Hotel Garmer and presented him with a pair of opera and field glasses as a small token of remembrance.

Capt. Mowbray was completely taken by surprise. James Fleming delivered the address on behalf of the gathering, and Frank D. Laurie made the presentation.

After expressing appreciation of the gift, he spoke of the regret he experienced in leaving his friends in Chatham, whom, he was assured, he would never forget.

There were present at the impromptu gathering—Jas. Fleming, A. E. Jewett, B. W. Creighton, A. W. Larmer, F. D. Laurie, H. W. Anderson, C. H. Gunn, A. A. Harrison, Dr. Geo. Musson, D. Douglas and others.

Captain Fred Stone entertained the officers of the 24th Regiment at his home last evening, the occasion being in honor of one of their number, Capt. Mowbray, who is leaving for Toronto.

Capt. Mowbray has been acting adjutant in the 24th Regiment, but he has been forced to resign owing to his acceptance of the position of English Master in Upper Canada College, Col. Rankin, Major Schofield, Capt. McLaren, Capt. Massey, Capt. Cornell, Surgeon Tye, Capt. Stone, Lieut. Coltart and Lieut. Mowbray were present.

The informal military gathering to bid farewell to Capt. Mowbray. Advantage of the occasion was taken to present Capt. Mowbray with a handsome dress suit case. After luncheon addresses were given by the commanding officer, Colonel Rankin, Major Schofield, Capt. McLaren, Capt. Stone, all of whom paid a high tribute to the popularity of the acting adjutant in the regiment, and also each speaker referred to his efficiency as an instructor both of pupils and of soldiers.

The gathering individually regretted his departure from Chatham but were pleased at his advancement in life and they were glad that Capt. Mowbray had been chosen to fill one of the most responsible positions in one of the leading educational institutions in the province. This eclipsed any regret that the officers present had on account of Capt. Mowbray's removal from the city and the regiment.

Merangie layers—something new, 20 and 25 cents each, at Richards.

MISS ABRAM APPOINTED

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of the corner stone of the new library and the children be dismissed at three o'clock.

For the Model School committee Dr. Bray reported that there were 30 in attendance at the school, and that the Model School Inspector would be here shortly.

Mr. McCorvie reported that a bulk tender, \$1,900, had been accepted for the repairs of McKee's school.

The question of fuel came up, was discussed to some extent and referred to Supply committee.

"When did the Finance committee meet?" asked Mr. Cornish.

"It met to-night," replied Dr. McCorvie.

Mr. Morley—"It's the only committee that does any work."

Mr. Cornish—"I was looking over the accounts and found only a few certified to."

Secretary Maenabb—"The rest were verbally certified to."

On motion of Morley and Benson, the accounts were passed.

Those present at the meeting were Chairman (pro tem), Dr. McKee, and Trustees Bray, Paxton, Benson, Robertson, Cornish, Heyward, McCorvie and Morley.

Graham and white Tea biscuits—5 cents per dozen, at Richards.

Vacancy For County Student at Agricultural College.

By an act of the Ontario Legislature "Every county in Ontario is entitled to have at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, during all College terms, one student in attendance, without the payment of any tuition fee." There is now a vacancy for such a student at the college, and candidates for this vacancy are requested to apply to

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WORLD OF SPORT

BASEBALL

HIS VALEDICTORY.

"I have been waiting with the expectation of getting a game on with Tilbury," said Peter McAuley, manager of the C. M. C. "They owe me a game, but have offered me the large sum of \$10 to go out there and us to pay our own expenses, railroad and hotel fares."

"I have decided to disband for the season, with our record for 1902 as follows:—

Defeated Wallaceburg 14-4.
Defeated Highgate, 18-0.
Defeated the Bunkers, 18-10.
Defeated Dresden, 4-3, 11 innings.

Defeated Leamington, 10-5.
Defeated Walpole Indians, 8-5.
Lost to Bloomer Girls, 8-7.

"In the four games Roy Miller pitched for me he struck out 83 men an average of about 14 strike outs per game."

"I wish to sincerely thank all the citizens and merchants and also the press for their kindness and fair play to my club and myself."

"But I've quit the game. I am fully decided on that," said the veteran manager of the Champion baseball team of West Kent.

LITERARY SOCIETY

A literary society has been formed at the Model School, and will hold a session every Friday afternoon, at which musical and literary selections will be given. The society was formed yesterday, with the following officers:—

Honorary President—J. W. Piewes.
President—Chas. Heath.
Vice-President—Miss Robinson.
Secretary—Miss Maggie Bennett.
Treasurer—Miss McKinnon.

THE DISTRICT.

ERIEAU

Sept. 6.—Every day sees more cottages closed ready for the winter's storm, and the once lively resort is taking on an air of desolation and desolation. The season, practically over and, save for duck hunters, the visitors are few. This year has been a poor one on account of the constant rain during the first part, and though now the weather is beautiful the short days and cold nights are not tempting to many. Another week will be the last of the gaieties and silence will reign for another long winter.

Mrs. A. Fails is spending a couple of days in the city.

Will Taylor, of Chichester, has moved his family to the city.

George Gray and family left for the city, after a vacation here.

The passengers on the five o'clock train were treated to a good laugh when the train passed the junction at Chatham. On one of the seats around a maple tree on the Cemetery road—

otherwise Lovers' Lane—a couple sat in happy oblivion to all that was small and an aburn head which was in view made known the owner to the observers. Those who saw had been young once themselves and they realized that the young law student and the daughter of a professional man were not exempt from the little trivialities that make up life.

The Winona was in commission this afternoon and made the trip into the lake, under the able command of Messrs. Kerr and Arnold.

Mrs. and Miss Oldershaw returned to the city, after visiting Mrs. E. B. Jones.

Mort. Sheldon spent the day here. The band concert was particularly enjoyable. The band excelled itself both in appearance and music, and all who heard it feel sure that the boys will honor themselves, their regiment and their city, and know that they need not fear competition with any musical organization the Queen City can produce.

Now that the season is over a vote of thanks should be given Conductor Crounham, whose kindness and good nature have made life easier for those who journey back and forth.

Crounham has been exceedingly kind and obliging to all and has won for himself a warm place in the hearts of the residents of Erieau.

Henry Dugan will move to the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pen. Harper and Misses Tena and Lena spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Will Harper.

Mr. Barnette, of Fairview cottage, caught a fish which measured thirty and a half inches.

BARBER SHOP AT ERIEAU.

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

For your cakes for Sunday you should go to Richards.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Alex. Forbes and R. Tooley, of Wallaceburg, were here on Thursday and Friday of last week, inspecting the sugar beet crop which is reported to be very fine in this section.

Mrs. Howe is visiting in Wheatley this week.

Mrs. Forbes entertained the ladies of the W. S. M. S. of the Presbyterian Church, Tilbury, to luncheon on Thursday.

Donald Stewart and Miss Stewart, of Detroit, spent Sunday at Holland House.

Misses Edith Peck, Lizzie Forbes, Laura Creech, Florence Kontze, Vida Dawson, Laura Reynolds and Stewart Forbes, are attending the C. C. I. They take the 2.07 a. m. train, and return by the 4.25 p. m. train.

Mrs. Scott spent Sunday and Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Wright, of Selton.

Miss Forbes was called to Chatham last week.

Washing Powder

At present there are a great many Washing Powders on the market, all claiming superiority over all others. We have 2 or 3 new ones, but have tried them first and can recommend either one to you. Our latest is Cyclone, a powder especially adapted to curtains or fine goods, as it does not require rubbing so that the articles washed last that much longer—Naphtha, another powder that has no equal for washing clothes. We also have Electric Soda Powder, Pearlina, Gold Dust, all these powders have proven themselves First-Class.

Geo. A. Young
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MONEY TO LOAN—On Land Security, at from 4-12 to 5 per cent., on borrower's own terms of payment. Apply to J. G. Kerr, barrister, Office, Fifth St., Chatham. 6m

WANTED.

GIRL WANTED—Apply at the Office of Mineral Bath. 1w

MILLINERY APPRENTICE WANTED—Apply to Wm. Foreman & Co. 2td

WANTED—A good boy, who wants to become a printer, Apply at the Planet office. 1w

WANTED—A young lady for office work; must write a good hand and have knowledge of book-keeping. Apply in own writing, to box, 200, Chatham, Ont. 3td

GIRLS WANTED—For dining room kitchen, at the Teanum House, in Thamesville. Very highest wages will be paid. Apply at once to Geo. J. Watt, Thamesville.

TEACHER WANTED—A male or female teacher, having a second class certificate, for R. C. S. No. 7, Dover South, qualified to teach French and English. State salary expected. Treasurer, Dover South P. O. 25w

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE—Gas engines—two seven horse power. Apply at The Planet Office. 1w

FOR SALE CHEAP—A Bb. tenor horn in good condition. Apply to Oscar Papp, Head St. West.

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., and six lots on Maple St. Apply to Mrs. Tinsman, Victoria Block, or The Planet.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Two warehouses adjoining the G. T. R. tracks, Chatham, Capacity 6,000 and 4,000 bushels wheat respectively. Apply to Bank of Montreal. mw1af

SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria avenue, and six on Maple street. For full particulars apply to S. Stephenson, Planet Office. 1w

FOR SALE—A few desirable houses and lots in the city; also some good farms at low prices and easy terms of payment. Apply to J. A. Walker, barrister, King street. 1m

TO RENT—Two connected rooms in The Chatham Loan & Savings Co. block, adapted for offices or living rooms. Apply to The Chatham Loan & Savings Co. office. 1m

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—North half Lot 7, Con. 3, Township Chatham; also south half Lot 7, Con. 3, Township Chatham. Address with best offer, J. E. Jarvis, Box 216, Chatham, Ont.

FARM FOR SALE—About 133 acres, Lot 27, Con. 5, Somers; brick house, frame kitchen and woodshed; barn, 37x70; hay barn, 30x50, and other buildings. Good water. Half-way between Dresden and Wallaceburg. All clear and under cultivation but 30 acres best. Will be sold on easy terms and full particulars. Address, ROBERT TASSIE, Charltonville, P. O. 3w1ad

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—A suburban property, containing three acres of land, on the north side of the River Thames, about half a mile west of the Aberdeen bridge. A good frame house and stable and other outbuildings all in good repair. A nice variety of fruit—apples, pears, peaches and cherries, together with a selection of small fruits. For further particulars apply to Miss Rice, on the premises. 4td 4w

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11 cases of new Dress Goods and Trimmings, fresh from London and Glasgow, have just been placed into stock. All the newest materials are here represented. Our aim is to suit you in any line you may require, from the 12½c Melton to the finest Worsted or Zebeline. Our friends are now inspecting our new stock. Come along and get posted on the new styles.

New Zebelines

54 inches wide, pure wool and camel's hair. This material is shown in plain and fancy designs and will be one of the season's favorites. We show lines at per yard 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and.....\$1.65

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Of pure Botany Wool, 32 to 36 in. wide, a cloth with rich covert finish, especially designed for fine tailor suits, at per yd. 85c, \$1.00 and.....\$1.25

Fancy Wool Suitings

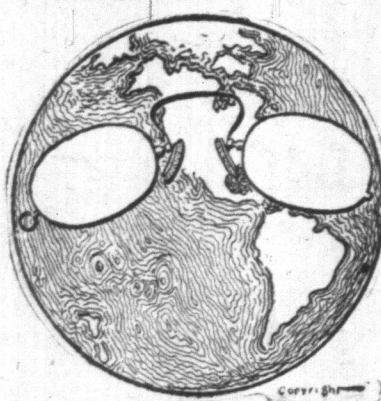
Navy and white and black and white stripes, checks and dots, a pure wool material for separate skirts and tailor suits, at per yd. \$1.00, \$1.25 and.....\$

Sweeping Day...

Comes around each week with the regularity of clockwork, and sweeping day requires a good broom. It is hard enough work anyway, and we make it as light as possible by providing good brooms.

SCRUB BRUSHES, 15c, 20c, 25c.
WHISKS, 15c each.
GOOD BROOMS, 25c each.
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People do not neglect their eyes. They preserve their sight if possible, regardless of what people may think about their wearing glasses. Don't wait until the sight becomes defective, and eye strain, with the attendant evils of headache and neuralgia, is a source of trouble.

Call and have your eyes scientifically examined free of charge.

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Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c to 40c per pound.
Fruit, Lemon or Mixed Biscuits, 3 pounds for 25c.
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3 large cans Mustard Sardines, 25c.
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Tapioca, 7c per pound.
McLaren's Jelly Powder, any flavor, 3 packages for 25c.
Mop Sticks, 10c each.

OROGRAPHY

We have a lot of pieces of China and glassware to clear out before the Fall goods come in. To do so to-night we shall have 5, 10 and 25c tables. The goods will all be marked away down so that it will be no trouble to sell.

Reduction Sale in Dinner Tea and Chamber Sets during the day.

McConnell's

Park St.

Phone in your order to 190

To Contractors

Bulk and Separate Tenders will be received at the office of the Architects up till 1 o'clock p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 10th, 1902, for the erection of a Brick House, to be erected on Queen St. south.

Address all tenders to J. M. Gardiner, Esq., Chatham, Ont.

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SATELLITE

Oh, if we could only read the backs of the cards!

Did I hear anybody mention railroad cattle yards?

That tailors' strike should soon be brought to a close.

It may seem strange that a tailor strikes in his business, but it's true.

I wonder if the striking tailors are trying to button-hole the merchant tailors.

I think it was real mean of the Baner's Benedict to slight the Danish Blonde.

The husband said he pined for peace, so the wife went out and picked up pine cones.

If it wasn't for the school board I don't know what this G. H. J. would do for sensations.

South Africa seems to have robbed the Canadian boys who went there, of their manhood.

It is said that the influence of the tailors' strike on fall suits will be a "checked effect."

If the striking tailors press their suit they will surely win, possibly without putting in the effort.

All have their preferences in regard to young ladies, but mine just now runs towards Danish Blondes.

Those striking tailors ought to cut quite a figure. It, of course, is the union figures they want to cut.

It has been said that "a stitch in time saves nine." The tailors evidently read it "a strike in time saves nine."

The people who visit the Toronto exhibition to-day, will get real music. The 24th Regiment band is playing there to-day.

With a lady principal at McKenough school no doubt the men trustees will take a greater interest in the school.

No, dear Abigail Yes, fashion plates are not made of breakfast china, but they do break the men who try to follow them.

I would like to know what Roosevelt thought when his coachman tried to run down a trolley car. He should ride in an automobile.

It only takes one man to make a strike, and I can prove it. It has always been granted that it takes nine tailors to make a man, and the striking tailors in Chatham number nine—See.

Roy Tobey says he has seen the King, and Queen. That's nothing. I know some fellows right in Chatham who see kings and queens every night, but they are generally in the other fellows' hands.

I shouldn't think that the employees of the factory would find much trouble in securing a spokesman to thank the Gray Co. for that outing. I reckon there are lots of fellows lying around the works.

A Kalamazoo seer claimed to have foretold that President McKinley would be killed by an Anarchist. He wasn't believed. He, then, to show that he could foresee things, said last July, that President Roosevelt would have a narrow escape from death in September.—And still these prophet people are not believed.

"OF COURSE."

Monk threw an apple core, Tickner threw a stove bolt core and now the authorities are trying to get at the core of the trouble.

Dear Satellite, can you tell me how to prevent my boy climbing trees in my yard. He tears his clothes and I am afraid he will hurt himself.

Yours,

COUSIN MMBGX.

Cut down the trees and plant whipple trees.

Eat Richards' Bread.

Children's Headwear

We have just received the Largest and Most Complete stock of Children's Bonnets, Dresses and Cloaks in the City. They vary in prices.

Children's Bonnets, 25c to \$2.00
Children's Dresses, 50c to \$5.00
Children's Cloaks, \$1.00 to \$5.50

Mrs. J. E. Weldon, King St.

DISTRICT DOINGS. WALLACEBURG

The Uncle Tom Cabin Co. will give a grand noonday parade on Monday.

DRESDEN

Sept. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Reid, of Wallaceburg, and two little sons, are visiting with Mrs. Reid's father, Mr. Draper, Victoria avenue.

Howard French, of Chatham, who has been visiting with his aunt, Mrs. S. H. McWhin, for the past few days, returned home last evening.

Mrs. Morley Carscadden and guest, Mrs. F. Hicks, of Detroit, spent yesterday in Chatham.

Miss Mabel Leonard leaves on Monday to visit Toronto, and Mrs. (Dr.) Lockhart, of King.

School Board met last evening. We are pleased to see Mr. Randal Boylan able to be out after his second serious illness.

The Uncle Tom Cabin Co. here on Tuesday, should be greeted with a packed house.

Choice plums at Somerville's. All this week.

BLENHEIM

Sept. 6.—Mrs. Geo. Bounsell and daughter, Bella, and Miss P. Bounsell, are spending this week in Cleveland.

Mrs. Labadie, and Miss Sara, spent to-day at the Eau.

Miss E. Groves, of Chatham, is visiting Miss Stewart.

Mr. Hubbell, who has been manager of the Bank of Commerce here for some time, has been promoted to the home office, Toronto.

Mrs. J. Sheldon and family have returned home after spending the summer at Erieau.

Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. play here on Wednesday next. They carry 40 people, and travel in their own special train of palace cars.

Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town once a month; if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collector calls, he must remit direct to The Planet Office, Chatham, as we will not be responsible for monies paid to carriers.

Choice Plums at Somerville's. All this week.

TILBURY

Sept. 6.—Mrs. W. A. Hutton spent to-day in Detroit.

Detroit baseball team was defeated here yesterday afternoon by the local club by a score of 20 to 8.

Mrs. (Rev.) T. Dobson, returns to-day from an extended visit with relatives in Lisakow.

Allen Campbell, returned to College in Montreal this week, after spending his vacation at his home here.

There will be no service in the Methodist church here to-morrow, as extensive repairs are being made to the interior and exterior of the building.

Miss Tom Richardson has returned from a visit with Mrs. J. S. Earl, Toronto Junction.

W. C. McGregor is taking a course of both treatment at Chatham Sanatorium.

Mrs. (Dr.) Scott, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. J. Montgomery, Cathart street.

C. Leatherdale, of Coldwater, Muskoka, has been engaged as clerk in Johnston's drug store.

The new incandescent electric light plant has been installed at the power house.

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If the world seems cold to you, Kindle fires to warm it;

Let their comfort hide from view. Winters that deform it.

Hearts as frozen as your own To that radiance gather;

You will soon forget to moan—

If the world's a wilderness, Go, build houses in it.

Will it help your loneliness On the winds to din it?

Raise a hut, however slight; Weeds and brambles smother;

And to roof and wall invite Some forlorn brother.

If the world's a vale of tears, Smile, till rainbows span it.

Breathe the love that life endears, Clear of clouds to fan it.

Of your gladness lend a gleam Unto souls that shiver;

Show them how dark sorrow's stream Blends with Hope's bright river.

—Lucy Larcom.

District Dashes

Labor Day was not observed as a public holiday by Dutton merchants.

Miss Green, the blind evangelist, was married on August 27 to Mr. Gould, of Glencoe.

Peter Wilson, of Dunwich, who is in his 99th year, cradled a swathe round a wheat field on Aug. 15.

George Hunter and son, Harry, returned Thursday from their North-west trip. They report having a splendid time and enjoying themselves immensely. Harry says, "It is a great big grand country."—Ridgetown Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Landon, of Chatham, spent Sunday and Monday in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Simpson, Mr. Landon, who is an old Ridgetown boy, is manager of the Chatham Wagon Works.—Ridgetown Dominion.

W. K. Merrifield and wife spent Thursday here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scane. Mr. Merrifield called on several old friends during the day, and expressed himself greatly pleased with the town's appearance, the stores, residences and particularly the new municipal buildings.—Ridgetown Dominion.

"Yes, I have shaved some very old men," remarked P. Melon, the barber, as an old Howard pioneer stepped out of the chair in his shop yesterday.

"One day last week," continued the knight of the strap and razor, "I shaved my oldest man. He was Malcolm McPhail, who resides—with George Colman, near Mull. Mr. McPhail has passed his 94th milestone and looks it, but is a fine intelligent old Scotch gentleman. Many of my customers are men ranging in age from 75 to 85 years.—Ridgetown Dominion.

Since the runaway accident a year ago, when Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, of Sarnia township, were thrown from their rig and injured, the directors of the Sarnia and Florence Race Co. have not allowed Mr. Thos. Doherty to ride on the road with his automobile. At that time it was claimed that the machine was the cause of the accident, and the court assessed damages against its owner.

Last week a writ was issued in a suit begun by Mr. Doherty to establish his right to ride on the road, Mr. A. Weir being retained as counsel.

At a meeting of the directors of the road held on Saturday morning, the matter was discussed pretty fully. It was decided to leave it in the hands of the president, Mr. Thos. Kenny, and the solicitor, Mr. Hanna, to arrive at an amicable settlement if possible, failing which the directors will fight the case.—Sarnia Canadian.

MEN AND WOMEN WANTED!

100 women wanted at once to pare apples; also 30 men and boys. Call at Park St. or Park Avenue West Evaporators. Mahler Bros. 2d

THE CHATHAM FAIR

The directors of the West Kent Agricultural Association this fall are looking forward to the success of an exhibition in the history of the association. For the last three years the exhibitions have shown steady and very marked improvement, and so successful have they been from the financial standpoint that all back interest has been paid up, all prize claims promptly paid, and the floating liability reduced \$1400.00. Under these very encouraging conditions the directors felt justified in making some very necessary improvements to the buildings on the grounds, so that when the public visit the exhibition this year on October 7th, 8th and 9th they will be greatly surprised at the hand-appearance presented by the buildings. The main building and all the smaller buildings have been repainted and generally renewed, the stock sheds thoroughly overhauled, and the track is being put in excellent condition.

The entries are already beginning to pour in, and to facilitate the work of the secretaries it is hoped and expected that all entries will be made as early as possible. The spaces in the main building are being rapidly taken up, because, owing to the immense crowds that have visited the fair during the past three years merchants and manufacturers have fully realized the advertising value of good displays.

Intense interest is being taken this year in the trials of speed. About \$1200 in purses and prizes is offered for competition, so that the public may expect very interesting and exciting events.

This exhibition is the "County Fair" and is the best advertisement our county can have of its great prosperity, and for this reason, if for no other, should be supported and encouraged by every resident.

Let everybody turn out this year on Oct. 7th, 8th, and 9th, and make the best fair in Western Ontario a huge success.

For great Industrial Fair at Toronto, commencing on September 1st, W. E. Rispen, City Passenger Agent Grand Trunk R'y, will issue return tickets, Chatham to Toronto, from Sept. 2nd to 12th inclusive at \$5.50 each, all tickets good returning from Toronto on or before September 15.

Choice plums at Somerville's. All this week.

Our years are comparatively few, and we live through each day only once.

J. L. Scott is now ready to deliver what coal he has on hand and will be obliged by his customers sending in their orders without delay. Office Fifth street phone 109. tf

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A NEW METHOD

By Which Music Study is Made Easy for Children.

Miss Margaret Houston, of this city has shown commendable enterprise in studying the new music method which is rapidly making its way in the east, and is now taught in nearly every state of the Union. This method has been invented and patented by Miss Katharine Burrows, of Detroit, Mich., who has been before the public for many years as an educator, and who has devoted most of her life to the study of children.

The Burrows method was built up for children, and for the actual study of the needs, preferences, character, and even the whims of children. The authoress has taught a musical kindergarten for many years, during which she has composed songs, invented games and constructed apparatus too numerous to mention or describe, and of these only the most valuable have been retained. Everything that was dull, cumbersome, ineffective, or unchildlike has been abandoned, and what remains has been tested through and through, and its value proved beyond a shadow of doubt. There is nothing in it that is not agreeable and entertaining. It is not built on mere theories. It is not the inspiration of a day. It is, on the contrary, the cream of five years of special effort, and the fruit of many years of toil and study. The results speak for themselves.

Miss Burrows' plan of teaching aims at the development of all musical faculties together, not excluding technique at the expense of intelligence, or vice versa. Her plan is to do all the theoretical teaching by means of games, each game having a corresponding song, the one illustrating the other, for example: The keyboard is called "Miss Keyboard's School," the song beginning in this way:—

Miss Keyboard was a school mistress Who many years ago, Had some thirty-eight, some black, And some as white as snow.

Dear me, Miss Keyboard said one day, Whatever shall I do? These girls and boys are so alike, I can't tell which is who.

The remaining verses describe the division of the keyboard into treble and bass, and the naming and arrangement of the octaves. While the scholars sing this, one little girl points out the treble and bass, and otherwise illustrates the words of the song on a wooden keyboard hung on the stage. The songs for the lines and spaces are also illustrated by taking off little colored blocks, which hang upon the keyboard.

Perhaps the most strikingly original feature of Miss Burrows' method is the game and song called "The Twelve Scale Boys."

The Scale Boys had a father old, A Major he, both strong and bold; Who, when his sons were twelve, all told, Said: Soldiers they must be.

So Major Scale twelve seats did buy Of blue no brighter as to outvie, All other soldiers who might try The Scale Boys to outshine.

While the pupils sing the rest of the verses telling the adventures of the twelve Scale boys, two little girls write out the twelve scales on the blackboard, while a third points out a series of blocks with pictures drawn for the purpose, thus impressing the formation of the scales on the minds of the children in a way that they can never forget.

Miss Houston will open classes September 8th, 1902, at the studio of Miss Barbara MacNaughton, Pitt street, North Chatham.

Dr. W. R. Hall has removed his office from Victoria Block to his new building on Sixth street, next door to the Fire Hall.

Band Concert at Port Lambton on Monday Night! tf

ASSIGNEES SALE

Under and by virtue of an Assignment for benefit of Creditors of the Estate and Effects of Clide P. Wilcox, of the City of Chatham, Auctioneer, there will be sold by Public Auction, on the Laundry Premises of the Chatham Steam Laundry, on the East side of Sixth Street, in the City of Chatham, on

Monday, September 8th, 1902

at the hour of 12 o'clock noon by Mr. A. B. McColg, Auctioneer.

The Machinery and Effects of The Chatham Steam Laundry, including the Engine, Boiler, Washers, Manglers, Ironers, and all other appliances used in said Laundry, business and on the premises. Also one covered Laundry Wagon.

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A. A. HICKS, D.D.S.—Honor graduate of Philadelphia Dental College and Hospital of Oral Surgery, Philadelphia, Pa., also honor graduate of Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Toronto. Office over Turner's drug store, 26 Rutherford Block.

LODGES.

WELLINGTON Lodge No. 46, A. F. & A. M. G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

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

ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN.

Kindness to loved ones can best be shown by taking steps to shield their future from the cold charity of the world. Do not delay, but obtain a beneficiary certificate in some benevolent society, and bear in mind that the A. O. U. W. is the best institution of the kind in existence. There is a steady increase in our membership, and nothing but good news comes to us from the Order wherever existing. Visiting Brethren heartily welcome.

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

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J. B. O'LENN—Barrister, Solicitor, etc., Conveyancer, Notary Public, Office, King Street, opposite Merchant's Bank, Chatham, Ont.

SMITH & GOSNELL—Barristers, Solicitors, etc., Harrison Hall, Chatham; Herbert D. Smith, County Crown Attorney, R. L. Gosnell.


WILSON, PIKE & GUNDY—Barristers, Solicitors of the Supreme Court, Notaries Public, etc. Money to loan on Mortgages, at lowest rates. Office, Fifth Street, between Wilson, K. C. W. E. Gundy, J. M. Pike.

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"Sufficient Unto the Day is the Evil Thereof."

ANTICIPATING TROUBLES A SIN

In This Discourse Rev. Dr. Talmage Shows That a Dread of Future Evil is Dishonoring to God, Because It Implies a Doubt Whether God Will be True to the Trust We Have Placed in Him.

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Chicago, Aug. 21.—The common disposition to meet trouble is shown to the wise and un-Christian in this discourse by Rev. Frank E. Witt Talmage on the text Matthew 24: 34, "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof."

Christ is giving counsel, which recalls the faithful dying man once gave to his children. After calling his sons and daughters to his bedside the dying father said: "My children, I have seen a lot of troubles in my time. I have seen so many troubles that I have become completely worn out, and that is the reason that I am now dying, when I ought to be in my physical and mental prime. But the saddest part of it is that most of my troubles have been imaginary troubles. They have been unnecessary troubles. They have not been troubles of the imminent-to-day, but the visionary-to-morrow. They have been troubles which would never have bothered me unless I had gone forth and hunted them out of their lairs and troubled them. The things that have given me most concern have been the things that never happened. So I charge you, my dear children, if you would serve God with your best physical, mental and spiritual powers, always obey the words which Christ spoke in his famous sermon: 'Take, therefore, no thought for the morrow, for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof.'"

My glorious text teaches almost exactly the same lesson that Dr. Beecher once presented when he said: "All time is divided into three parts: the past, the present and the future. The past belongs to gratitude and regret, the present to contentment and work, the future should belong to only hope and trust." It teaches that a dread of future evil is dishonoring to God, because it implies a doubt whether the good God will be true to the trust we have placed in him and whether he will really keep the promises he has made to his people. It teaches that after a Christian has done his best, his level and conscientious best, he should then joyfully and confidently leave the future in God's hands, and in God's hands alone. It teaches that no matter how hopeless, humanly speaking, may be the outlook, if we know and trust God we should let our gospel faith chase away all the doubts and worries and fears that fret and tease and tantalize us in reference to the future, even as the rising sun scatters the darkness and the impetuous winds of the night. It comes that no matter how dark and threatening may be the shrieking tornadoes of trouble the gospel rainbows should be big enough to arch the widest of horizons and bright enough to smile through even a shower of falling tears.

Anticipated troubles rarely happen. By this statement I do not mean that if a man would cease to worry he could get a divine passport which would protect him forever from the rough hand of trouble. The cup of sorrow must be pressed against every human lip. The old eyes, as well as the young eyes, must become fountains of tears. Death angel as well as birth angel must flap the wing over a Pharaoh's palace as well as over the poor man's hut. The village church bell, which can throb for joy in a wedding chime and swing its clapper to ring out a Christmas carol, is the same bell that can toll out a slow, melancholy dirge. The house of feasting must become the house of mourning. The grange blossoms and cyresses must grow side by side. It is by troubles that God trains his children to do the work for which they were intended. It is by the broken heart that he is able to make his songsters and songstresses sing their sweetest music.

In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred the troubles which did you the most serious damage were those troubles which, as a tiger, leaped upon you unexpectedly from ambush, not the troubles that lay crouching and glaring and threatening you in broad daylight in the open pathway just ahead. Those serious troubles came to you as the little pygmy was supposed to have come to the king of old. When they pygmy asked the great monarch for permission to rule over all the lands which his little, short limbs could cover in three steps, the royal consent was deservingly given. Then the insignificant dwarf immediately sprang up into the stature of a huge giant. With one stride the giant stepped across the land, with another stride the giant stepped across the seas, and with a third stride the giant lifted his sledge hammer fist and swept the trembling king off his throne. Your troubles, to use a familiar comparison, came like a clap of thunder and a stroke of lightning out of a clear sky. They came as a thief, not by day, but by night, in a way and at a time you did not expect them.

Let me illustrate how your troubles came in an unexpected way. Two of your three children were born physically strong. Every movement of their limbs, every smile of their red lips, every look of their dancing eyes, bespoke perfect health. They could run up the mountain side as swiftly as a gazelle chased by the dogs. They would climb a tree almost as quickly as a squirrel would seek his nest in the old orchard trunk. Then those children would sit laughing and singing and swinging upon one of the branches. But,

though two of your children were born physically well, the third was born a poor, helpless invalid. You, the mother, worried about that third child from the day he was born. For years not a night passed in which you did not arise two or three times to go to the crib and give the necessary medicines. Did your worry about that child do you any good? Did your troubles come in the way you expected? Today your two children who were once strong are dead. Diphtheria in one week slew them both. Your invalid daughter, about whose health you worried, has overcome her invalidism and grown into young womanhood. She is now married and has children of her own. Your troubles came, but the panther leaped upon the victim from the rear and did not lie crouching in the open pathway ahead.

As a business man you have often worried about this, that and the other thing. You have worried about whether the firm that had bought your goods would pay for the goods they bought. You have worried about the tariff laws and the elections. You have worried about the rival concern which settled on the next block. You never thought that a worse trouble could come to you than the loss of your store. You never thought that your own health could break down and that you would have to resign from the firm and sell out. Trouble came into your life, but they invariably came in the way and at the time you did not expect.

If this premise is true, is it not time for you to stop your fretting? Is it not a senseless occupation to be worrying about certain troubles which in all probability—judged by the past—will never afflict your life? Do you not feel that the old English proverb is right, which declares, "You must not cross the bridge until you come to it?" In the journey of life you will find many bridges down. You will discover that the spring sweepings of the world are the bankings upon which countless abutments were placed. But in all probability the bridge you worry most about will be firm enough to stand strong enough to bear all your weight, although you may have to wade into other angry waters a little farther on.

Anticipating troubles is a sin, because the present duties of life tax almost every man's physical and mental resources to the utmost limit. We read with sorrow and admiration about the pathetic struggle Sir Walter Scott made in his old age to pay off his debts. For a foolish investment he became responsible for something like \$600,000. With his magic pen he went to work. He worked during the day. He worked while he lay in bed. He worked when walking in the street. He lived and worked for the one purpose, that of being able to say he owed no man a penny. But while he worked he worried over this debt that one day his physician came to him and said, "Sir Walter, if you do not cease worrying you will die." With that the magician of Abbotsford looked up and gave a wan smile as he said: "Why, doctor, as long as I am hanging over my head I cannot help worrying. I know the worrying is killing me. But you might as well go and tell my cook to order the water in the kettle not to boil so hot, and my brain not to worry."

But Sir Walter Scott, toiling to pay off his debts by the use of his pen, did not have to work any harder than thousands and hundreds of thousands of men and women have to work to meet the responsibilities of the present time. Take, for illustration, the ministers of our generation. Last week I received a message from a certain gentleman, who politely informed me that "the preachers of our time, as a rule, lead an idle and an unoccupied existence and that there is nothing for them to do." Nothing for the average preacher to do? Why, the average preacher to-day is working as hard as ever beast of burden worked under driver's lash. He is working so hard that from Monday morning to Sunday night he has no rest, physically on the strain all the time. I tell you that the preparation of two sermons and the meeting of the many duties of the pastorate combine to make a heavy task, a task which gives but little time for the sleep and recreation that are necessary for physical well being, but the average preacher has no more demands made upon his time than the average doctor, lawyer, editor, merchant, clerk, wife or mother. Almost without exception all people are working up to their physical and mental limit, yet, strange to say, though most people are working as hard, comparatively few break down from overwork. God gives to all of us strength enough to meet the duties of the present day, but God does not give to any one strength enough to meet the duties of the present day and those of to-morrow at the same time. So most people when they break down do not break down from overwork, but, like Sir Walter Scott, from worry, and from worry alone.

As worry racks the physical frame so that the tired mind is unable to think clearly, as it overtaxes the nervous system until the ganglia, or nerve centres, become imperfect, like the telephone when the wires have become broken or crossed, as worry paralyzes the digestive organs until they refuse properly to assimilate the food upon which the human body is dependent for the sustenance of life, as it is the forerunner of all the fatal diseases by which the human race is invalidated and destroyed, so it is an awful sign for you to fret and worry about the future and destroy your life's usefulness and influence. Can you not as true Christian men and women go forth to meet the duties of the present day and leave the visionary future in God's hands? Worry about a harmless, an insect-like annoyance, a buzzing irritant, a hap-hazard playful habit. It is a sin which has destroyed more victims than have ever been slain upon the field of battle or ground to pieces between the upper and the nether millstones of persecution and slander.

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Beware how you allow its fatal poison to enter your sinful heart. Anticipating trouble is a form of intellectual and spiritual sin by which some men are blinded to the appreciation or enjoyment of present blessings. Because of this sin they cannot thank God for their loving wives and devoted children. They cannot thank God for the food they eat and the clothing they wear. They cannot thank him for their opportunities of usefulness and for health and life. They are always thinking of something they might have had; of something that might be taken away. They have no gratitude in their hearts to God for anything. Every kiss he gives in it for them the sting of a scorpion. Every sunbeam is eclipsed by a dark cloud. Every song has in it the echo of a requiem and a death rattle. Every moment is for them a pallbearer clothed in black walking by the casket of a stenchful corpse.

In order to overcome this sin of worry I want you to try an experiment. Every hour of every day try to think of the blessings God has given to you instead of trying to remember all your troubles. If you have a poor memory, I want you to take a long sheet of paper and write those blessings down as you think of them, and then every little while take up this paper and read over the list. You are going to be surprised, overwhelmingly surprised, at the great number of blessings you can put down.

Troubles cannot be rightly anticipated because we cannot rightly anticipate the grace God will give to his believing children, by means of which we shall be able to overcome our troubles when they arrive. For proof of the abundant grace and strength that are given when most needed, let me point you to the many wonderful, glorious and triumphant Christian death-bed scenes that have been recorded. When Dr. Donne was dying, he said, in answer to a question: "I am as happy on earth as I can be, and as sure of glory as I am in it. I have nothing to do but step out of this bed into heaven." When Senator Foote of Vermont was dying, he looked at the last and cried: "I see it! I see it! The gates are wide open! Beautiful! Beautiful!" As a Senator of Washington City lay dying he cried out: "Oh, if I had a voice that would reach from pole to pole, I would proclaim it to all the world! Victory! Victory, through the blood of the Lamb!" But when we hear of wonderful death-bed scenes we are apt to say to ourselves: "I do not



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See how anybody could be happy because he is going away, while those who are near and dear to him are clinging to his side."

But, friend, the reason you cannot understand the glorious triumph of the dying Christian is because you cannot understand the infinite amount of divine re-encouragement which is given to God's children at the time the death angel comes. You cannot understand how that divine re-encouragement is able to let them look straight through the dark clouds of mystery into the face of Jesus, whose parting lips tell them all is well. When your future troubles come, and they must come, God's grace, if you are a believing child, will be sufficient for you. God's grace, the infinite amount of which you cannot now estimate, will go with you down into the depths of sorrow, "though the waters thereof roar and be troubled, though the mountains shake with the swelling thereof."

Anticipating trouble is a sin, because it exhibits a lack of gospel faith to the unbelievers around you, who might otherwise be willing to believe in the atoning, saving, inspiring and recreating power of the blood of the Lamb. Talk as we may, we cannot get away from the overwhelming fact that every professing Christian is as a city set upon a hill for all unbelievers to look at and to be guided by. It has been said that no cook or chambermaid or butler or other employee ever entered the house of Philip Brooks but he or she became a Christian, if not already one, through the influence of that great and good gospel minister of Boston. So our Christian lights cannot be hidden under a bushel. If they are false lights, the world will see that they are false and will despise them; if they are true lights, the world will follow those lights. What we say and do will influence others in reference to what they say and do for or against Christ. If, as a true, simple faith, we can trust Christ in reference to the future both temporarily and eternally, then others will say: "That religion which makes him so happy is good enough for me. I will trust Christ, also because that man has an inspiring faith which I lack." But if, by worrying and fretting about the future, we show that we do not trust Christ, then others will say: "His faith does not stand the test. That professing Christian is no better off than I am. I shall not try to seek a Christ whom that man cannot trust."

But no man can safely let the future take care of itself unless he deals right with the present, and no man can deal right with the present unless he deals right with God, or, rather, let God deal right with him. Are you and I in touch with Jesus Christ so that Christ can and will take charge of our future for us? If we are, we are eternally all right. If we are not in touch with Christ, we are eternally all wrong. But, my brother, if your present relationship with Christ is not all right, then I beg of you not to stand still until you can press against the loving heart of the forgiving Saviour. Will you draw close to Christ's bleeding, wounding side? Will you, as a little child, encouraged by Christ's love and the strength he gives you, look up into the face of your Heavenly Father and say, "Thy will, O Lord, and not mine be done? Will you believe me? Will you trust him? Will you commit your present and therefore your to-morrow into his care?"

He who shuts his heart on his fellows cannot open it to his God.

Keeping Friends.

There is nothing so very difficult in making friends; the trouble is to keep them. Pleading manners and a taking way will always win admirers, but a lasting friendship must be built upon a firmer foundation than a transitory smile, an hour of high spirits or even great physical beauty. Of course it is a pleasure to feel that one is favored by some radically beautiful woman, but unless there be genuine congeniality between the two concerned the time will come when passive loveliness will cease to be attractive. To retain friendship one must be continually on the watch and not let the familiarity that comes from a lengthy knowledge of the other's life breed the contempt that so often follows a close intimacy.

To retain either friendship or love the illusions must not be dispelled. Do not, because you feel sure of your ground, let the commonplace enter in and monopolize the everyday affairs. Let the halo of sentiment hover over even the prosaic affairs of daily life, for once dispelled they can never form again, and in the one glimpse of the material side of the intimacy may be utterly destroyed a relation at one time thought to be eternal.

A Snug Fit.

An English tourist in the highlands tells the following amusing story: He was traveling one day last summer by rail in the north of Scotland, and at one of the stations four farmers entered the train. They were all big, burly men and completely filled up the seat on the one side of the compartment.

At the next station the carriage door opened to admit a tall, cadaverous individual with about the girth of a lamp post. He endeavored to wedge himself in between two of the farmers, and finding it a difficult operation he said to one of them: "Excuse me, sir; you must move up a bit. Each seat is intended to accommodate five persons, and according to act of parliament you are only entitled to eighteen inches of space."

"Aye, aye, my friend," replied the farmer; "that's a very good for you that's been built that way, but you cannot blame me if I have been constructed according to act of parliament."

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"THE LAND OF THE SUNSET"

Some Impressions of a Chatham Citizen who is Touring in Southern California.

Editor Planet:—

Most people who come from Denver make a point of impressing on you that Denver is over 5000 feet above the level of the sea, and people in Denver lose no time in acquainting you with the same fact. Not satisfied with telling it by word of mouth to the strangers that come within their gates they carve it in stone and display it in the streets, just as passersby should be without this valuable information. On several of the buildings the legend is carved on the corner stones "One mile above sea-level." I had heard so much about this that I had

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that a certain tall chimney was the

largest in the United States, that

a certain restaurant was the

largest restaurant on one floor in the

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receives some reflected glory.

According to the Scotch proverb it is

well to have a good conceit of oneself,

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services in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church both morning and evening to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. J. J. Ross, of the William St. Baptist Church, will be at home to-morrow and will conduct the services both morning and evening.

The Lord's Supper will be administered after the morning service. Morning subject, "Eating and Drinking Damnation," evening, "The Lost Christian." At 3:15 to-morrow afternoon Mr. Ross will re-open his services.

Rev. A. B. Selver, after preaching, class meeting will be held. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

Services will be held in the A. U. M. P. Church to-morrow as follows:—

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Selver. After preaching, class meeting will be held. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

Services will be held in the First Baptist Church to-morrow as usual, Rev. A. J. Cromwell, preaching on both occasions. At 8:30 p. m. the holy communion will be administered, and all the members are requested to be present.

Campbell A. M. E. Church, Rev. T. H. Henderson, B. A., pastor, will officiate on both occasions to-morrow. Special music at both services. Seats free and all are welcome.

Services will be held in the Saints' Auditorium, near Aberdeen bridge, at the usual hours to-morrow.

Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a. m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m. Christian fellowship at 3 p. m., soul winning service at 7:30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

The evening service in the First Presbyterian Church, which has been held at 7:30 during the summer, will be held in future at 7 o'clock.

The monthly fellowship meeting will be held in Park St. Methodist Church to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Rev. R. McCosh, rector of Christ Church, will preach the anniversary and Homecoming services in Trinity Memorial Church, Exeter, to-morrow.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Campbell A. M. E. S. S. will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Class meeting in connection with the A. U. M. P. Church is held every Tuesday evening.

The B. Y. P. U. of C. E. will meet on Friday evening at eight o'clock. All young people are invited.

Christian Endeavor in Campbell A. M. E. Church to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Weekly prayer meeting in St. Andrew's Church, Exeter, hall on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

St. Andrew's Church Sunday School and Bible Class to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Christ Church S. S., which has been held in the morning during the summer, will be held in the afternoon for the future. Teachers and scholars will kindly be in their places at five minutes to three to-morrow afternoon.

Park St. Methodist Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Sunday School will be held in the First Baptist Church at 12 o'clock to-morrow.

The Sunday School of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church is held every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Prayer meeting in connection with First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Park St. Methodist Sunday School meets to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

J. W. Humphrey's Bible Class for ladies meets every Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the wing of the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church.

When an old bachelor likes babies all the women say it's a shame he never married.

God will not ask us by what gate we entered to the heavenly road.

Deuteronomy is a sort of last will and testament of Israel's great prophet, Moses. It is often quoted by our Lord in His teachings. Jesus Christ was and is the divine antitype of whom Moses was the type. Never man spoke like this man. The people were astonished at His doctrine. Notice Satan's institutions. Idolatry is Satan's plan of worship; to burn the worshiper's child in the fire before an image—Deut. 12, 31—his divination, sorcery, wizard, witch, or other medium with spirits his revelation; but are all abominations to God. We need a revelation; God has provided one by a Prophet, Priest and King, our Lord Jesus Christ. He is the object of our worship. He makes atonement with His own blood. The Son of God, by His character, His teachings, His works, His word and Holy Spirit, reveals God and His love to man. Jesus says, "Come unto me," God says, "Call upon me in the day of trouble and I will answer thee." What folly, what an insult to God for man to give that which is holy unto dogs and cast pearls before swine, when He yearns over us as a father pitieth his children. "I will arise and go to my Father" is the direction put into our heart and mouth by this wonderful Prophet. What dupes of the Devil we must be to go elsewhere.

Church Notes.

The Rev. J. M. Nicol, of Wallaceburg, will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church on both occasions to-morrow.

Christ Church—Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity—Rev. T. E. Ten Eyck, rector of Memorial Church, Exeter, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Battisby, will preach in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. G. H. Cobblehead, M. A., B. D., will conduct the services and preach in the Park St. Methodist Church to-morrow.

Rev. T. Beverley Smith, rector, will conduct the services and preach both morning and evening in Holy Trinity Church.

Rev. H. Kennedy will conduct the

services in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church both morning and evening to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. J. J. Ross, of the William St. Baptist Church, will be at home to-morrow and will conduct the services both morning and evening.

The Lord's Supper will be administered after the morning service. Morning subject, "Eating and Drinking Damnation," evening, "The Lost Christian." At 3:15 to-morrow afternoon Mr. Ross will re-open his services.

Rev. A. B. Selver, after preaching, class meeting will be held. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

Services will be held in the A. U. M. P. Church to-morrow as follows:—

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Selver. After preaching, class meeting will be held. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

Services will be held in the First Baptist Church to-morrow as usual, Rev. A. J. Cromwell, preaching on both occasions. At 8:30 p. m. the holy communion will be administered, and all the members are requested to be present.

Campbell A. M. E. Church, Rev. T. H. Henderson, B. A., pastor, will officiate on both occasions to-morrow. Special music at both services. Seats free and all are welcome.

Services will be held in the Saints' Auditorium, near Aberdeen bridge, at the usual hours to-morrow.

Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a. m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m. Christian fellowship at 3 p. m., soul winning service at 7:30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

The evening service in the First Presbyterian Church, which has been held at 7:30 during the summer, will be held in future at 7 o'clock.

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Notice is hereby given that a special general meeting of the shareholders of The Chatham Binder Twine Co. (Limited), will be held in the Auditorium of the Oddfellows' building, in the City of Chatham, on Saturday, 19th day of September, 1912, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

(1) To consider and confirm a by-law passed by the directors on the 27th day of August, 1912, for creating and issuing 3,000 shares, (\$30,000) of the unissued and unsubscribed capital stock of the company, as preference stock, giving the same preference and priority as respects dividends up to 5 per centum per annum and otherwise over the ordinary stock. Such preference stock to be issued to those persons only who are holders of ordinary stock in the said company.

(2) To ratify, confirm, amend or alter by-laws passed and acts heretofore done by the present directors.

(3) To approve and ratify all proceedings taken in an action brought against four of the old directors, namely, M. J. Wilson, Lawrence Howland, Samuel Bullis and Alister McKay, for the protection of the shareholders and the Company's interests, against a "Warning" published by said four old directors.

(4) To consider the position and interest of the shareholders in the two suits brought by the said four old directors or through their action, and the costs of such unnecessary and unwarranted proceedings, and the irrevocability of the present directors to have costly and useless litigation stopped.

(5) To consider any other matters relating to the Company's affairs. By order of the Board of Directors, J. J. ROSS, Secretary.

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