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Wash Silks 25c....

Dress Making... Two Dept's

Direct from those nervy little fellows who are giving the Russians such a drubbing just now, by way of Vancouver, on the C. P. R., comes a case of Wash Silks for your Spring and Summer wearing. We must give Japan credit for making the best wearing Silk produced in the world at a low price. The mystery is how we can bring it so far and sell it so cheap. Cash and quantity do the trick.

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Wall Papers

Our new department is proving a great success. Great beyond our expectations. We have already, after three days selling, had to send down duplicate orders for large quantities.

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New cotton hosiery just arrived to-day from Germany. Ladies' and children's plain and ribbed cotton hosiery in black and tan, special values at a pair 12 1-2c, 20c, 25c and 35c.

New Dress Goods

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PHONE 159

DESTROY THE RAILWAY

Russians Are Making a Permanent Job of It This Time.

The inference is drawn that they do not contemplate recovering the situation—Natives Credit Japanese With Almost Hopeless Attempt to Transfer Bulk of Five Armies to Vladivostok in a Roundabout Way.

London, April 3.—The correspondent at Tokio of The Times says: "Reports from Manchuria show that the Russians are destroying the railway more thoroughly than ever. The evident inference is that they do not contemplate recovering the situation."

Japs' Big Undertaking.
Gunshu Pass (108 miles north of Tie Pass), April 3.—The situation here is unchanged. Gen. Mischenko has moved forward into close touch with the Japanese and keeps up constant skirmishing. Elsewhere everything is quiet.

Native reports, which may be taken for what they are worth, state that the Japanese are leaving the Russian front, only a screen, capable, with the help of the Mukden and Tie Pass fortifications and garrisons, of holding in check Gen. Linewitch, and are transferring the bulk of their five armies to Vladivostok by means of a wide movement through Mongolia to Tatsihar. Considering the great distance involved, the Japanese are bold and almost impracticable; but Japanese intonation from continual success, bold initiative and determined perseverance must be regarded. The situation affords an opportunity for Russian cavalry, which thus far has played an insignificant role, to distinguish itself by penetrating the Japanese intention. Gen. Linewitch has ordered the resumption of drills, keeping the soldiers occupied in the daytime, and music in the bivouacs at night. An energetic regime is being instituted.

Left 2,000 Troopers.
Tokio, April 3.—The following official advice has been received from army headquarters in Manchuria:

"Our scouts advanced toward Halling and collided with 300 of the enemy's cavalry at Shaulengtz, 30 miles southwest of Seling, on the morning of March 28. The enemy, 500 men strong, retreated to Halling, leaving 2,000 troopers. There are large stores of cereals at various points between Yingcheng and Sanchengzu. The situation is unchanged in the Changchun and Kirin directions."

Dangerous Scouting Feat.
With Gen. Linewitch in the field, April 1, via Pusan, April 3.—Two detachments of Japanese cavalry have returned to the army after the most extensive and dangerous scouting exploit of the war. The detachments were sent north early in January under the leadership of Col. Nomura and Major Sasagawa and each numbered 150 men. Only 100 men of each detachment returned. They explored the Russian positions west of Mukden. They encountered and eluded many forces of Russian cavalry and penetrated Gen. Mischenko's lines. They moved northward they crossed the railroad, cutting the road and the telegraph lines during the battle. Afterwards they visited Kirin and explored that place and finally returned to the army north of Kirin.

Linevitch Reports No Change.
St. Petersburg, April 3.—A despatch from Gen. Linevitch dated March 31 said no change had then taken place in the situation at the front.

Movements of Two Armies.
No Fighting is Reported From Four Japanese Forces.

Tokio, April 3.—The following report dated April 1, has been received from the headquarters of the Japanese armies in the front:

"Our force in the direction of Singling (about 80 miles east of Mukden) reports that, according to information received from the natives, a force of Russians and mounted bands, under Col. Madoloff, which has been based at Halling, has returned to the north. According to other natives, Kirin seems to be the place elected by the enemy for assembling."

"Our force at Welhuanpomen (35 miles northeast of Tie Pass) reports that there has been no change in the enemy's positions in the vicinity of Manhuahieh. There are some Russian infantry and cavalry about 32 miles northeast of Kaiyuan (25 miles from Tie Pass)."

"Our force at Changtu (40 miles above Tie Pass) reports that the enemy's cavalry outposts retreated 25 miles north of Changtu after burning the railroad station at Souastou."

"Our force at Fakoman (30 miles north of Tie Pass) reports that cavalry outposts of the enemy have been observed 30 miles northeast of that place and that mixed forces of the enemy occupy Fenghu (15 miles northeast of Fakoman). Faminechen (about 15 miles west of Fenghu) and their vicinity."

Homeless Jap Suicided.
St. Petersburg, April 3.—At the bureau established to look after the Japanese prisoners the story of the suicide of a number of Japanese imprisoned at Medvid is officially declared to be entirely misrepresented. One of a batch of 125 new arrivals who was invalided because very homesick and took his life. No complaints of ill-treatment have been received.

Russia Gets More Cars.
Paris, April 3.—The Russian Government has ordered 2,000 cars and 170 locomotives of the St. Etienne Iron Works. It is understood that they are intended for increasing the military equipment of the trans-Siberian Railroad.

Supplies for Vladivostok.
St. Petersburg, April 3.—More than 10 trains stocked with provisions and

war materials are leaving St. Petersburg daily for Vladivostok.

Russia's New Peace Terms.
St. Petersburg, April 3.—According to the peace reports circulated on the bourse Saturday, Russia will cede the southern part of the island of Saghalien, in the north Pacific, off the east coast of Asia, used as a Russian convict settlement, to Japan, and agree that Manchuria and Korea are permanently outside the Russian sphere of influence. The Chinese Eastern Railroad will be turned over to Japan for cession to China or to an international syndicate upon a consideration of \$125,000,000, which Japan will accept in lieu of indemnity.

Have Got the Money, Too.
St. Petersburg, April 3.—It is announced that the internal loan has been largely subscribed, that applicants will be allotted only 40 per cent.

To Examine British Claims.
St. Petersburg, April 3.—M. De Martens, recently a member of the International Conference on the status of hospital ships, has been appointed to examine claims for compensation growing out of the sinking of the British ship Hipsang.

RESULT OF KAISER'S VISIT.

Sultan of Morocco Declines to Accept Whole of Reform Program.

London, April 3.—A despatch from Tangier to a news agency gives a report that the Sultan already has communicated to the French Minister to Morocco his reply to the French proposals by expressing regret at his inability to accept the whole of the reform program. The Sultan, the despatch adds, agrees to institute reforms at coast ports, but claims the right to raise loans wherever it is most convenient for the country's interest.

Delights Russian Press.
St. Petersburg, April 3.—Emperor William's speech at Tangier and prospective developments therefrom engaged the attention of the Russian newspapers almost to the exclusion of peace discussions. Decided pleasure is expressed at the rocks encountered by the new Anglo-French entente.

The Russ terms the visit of the German Emperor to Tangier a demonstration against the entente and points out that refusal of Emperor William to recognize French pretensions must deeply impress the Moroccans to the disadvantage of both France and Great Britain.

Recognition of Independence.
Berlin, April 3.—The Emperor's significant words have produced a strong impression here.

The Lokal Anzeiger, in a despatch from Tangier, says that in replying to the members of the German colony Emperor William said he would make it his business to promote this trade, which was only possible on the assumption of the equality of all the powers and the independence of the land. His (the Emperor's) visit was a recognition of this independence.

BLIZZARD AROUND CALGARY.

Fears for Sheep and Even Cattle Entertained.

Calgary, April 3.—A very heavy blizzard is now raging and considerable anxiety is expressed for sheep and even cattle. The past month has been almost summerlike and seeding is actually completed, so the snow will supply moisture badly needed.

But a bad omen for the immediate future is the fact that prairie dog has not yet put out his winter fur of grey, nor donned the dark habit of spring, without which no old-timer considers permanent summer assured.

Victims of Rare Disease.

New York, April 3.—President Wm. F. Potter, of the Long Island Railroad, who has been ill about one month of cerebro-spinal meningitis, died yesterday.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 3.—Five deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis have occurred here during the past week.

Jockey Wonderly Dead.

Memphis, Tenn., April 3.—Jockey Wonderly, the London rider, was taken to a hospital Saturday suffering from a supposed concussion of the brain. While schooling a two-year-old Saturday morning he was thrown into a fence, and his head struck a post. Later, Wonderly's injuries proved fatal.

World's Highest Bridge Complete.

London, April 3.—The British South Africa Co. here has received a cablegram from Victoria Falls, announcing that the bridge over the Zambesi River, the highest in the world, was linked up at 7 o'clock Saturday morning, thus completing another link in the chain of Cape to Cairo Railway.

Must Pay For Confiscation.

Paris, April 3.—Official advice from Caracas, Venezuela, says the decision of the Venezuelan Supreme Court, canceling the French cable company's concession, was accompanied by a recognition of the principle of paying an indemnity for the canceled interests.

Paper Mills Partly Closed.

St. Catharines, April 3.—The Kinloch Mills, which were recently taken over by the W. J. Gage Co. of Toronto, Saturday laid off about half their men. The mill is overstocked and it is decided to shut down one papermaking machine.

Can't Down It.

London, April 3.—(C. A. P.)—On Friday next Col. Lockwood will move the second reading of that hardy annual, the marriage with a deceased wife's sister bill. Lord Hugh Cecil is expected to be its most active opponent.

When a woman has been surrounded by a crowd of men for an evening she pronounces herself a success.

BOMB THROWN AT LODZ

Police Officer in the Polish City Has Feet Blown Off.

Lured by Phone Message, Police Commissioner Szabalovitch Became Target for a Terrorist Who Carried His Deadly Explosive in a Basket—Accompanying Policeman Drew His Sword and Wounded the Commissioner's Assailant So He Will Die.

Lodz, Russian Poland, April 3.—Police Commissioner Szabalovitch of the second district was seriously injured Saturday by a bomb, which was thrown at him in the street.

The Police Commissioner had been summoned by telephone to come to the office of the chief of police and started on foot, followed by a policeman. The former noticed at Konstantinowsk and Zawarski streets a poorly clad man carrying a basket. As Szabalovitch approached the man suddenly hurled a bomb, which exploded with terrific force, blowing off the commissioner's foot and severely wounding him in the breast. It is feared his injuries will prove fatal.

Force of the Explosion.

The force of the explosion tore a hole in the ground two feet deep and twelve feet in circumference. The accompanying policeman drew his sword and wounded the commissioner's assailant on the head. When the prisoner was searched a loaded revolver and some cartridges were found in his pockets. He is reported to be dying from the sword cuts received.

The explosion was heard about five miles away. All the windows in the neighborhood were shattered. People in adjoining houses were thrown to the floor. Szabalovitch is hated by the Socialists. He is charged with killing a Socialist during the disturbances here in December last.

Peasant Terrorize Lithuania.

St. Petersburg, April 3.—The latest outbreak of peasant disorders officially reported is in the Wernia district of Lithuania. Regular mobs of peasants are marching through the country, pillaging estates and demolishing the houses of the land-owners. One proprietor was shot. The peasants entered Werra, wrecked the vodka shops, became drunk and terrorized the inhabitants. Troops were called for. The telegraph and telephone wires are cut, and communication with the outside world is severed.

Overshadowed the War.

New York, April 3.—A St. Petersburg despatch to The Herald says that agrarian risings throughout Russia are assuming such serious proportions that they overshadow the war. These organized disorders are the result of the spread of revolutionary literature, urging that such risings are the only means of preventing the bread-winners being sent to the war. As a matter of fact, the troubles render the proposed mobilization impossible.

FOUR KILLED, 40 INJURED.

Mob of Jewish Socialists Meet Troops in Warsaw Streets.

Warsaw, April 3.—A serious conflict occurred at 7.30 o'clock last night in Dzika street, where a Jewish Socialist society known as the Bund had organized a demonstration. The troops which came to disperse the gathering fired into the crowd, killing four persons and wounding 40 others.

The trouble began when, under the pretext of holding a memorial meeting for the late Jewish Socialist leader, a crowd of over 1,000, mostly Jews, carrying red flags, marched into Dzika street and was met by a mixed police military patrol of 20 men. The police declared the Socialists fired revolvers at them, the leaders inciting the mob to attack the patrol, which thereupon, fired several volleys into the crowd. The crowd removed all but nine of the wounded, two of whom were women. These were taken to the hospital. It is expected that two or more of the wounded will die. The police made many arrests.

To Blow Up Schools.

Conditions here are causing much uneasiness and nervousness. Hand-printed proclamations have been found in the streets, warning the public against walking near Government buildings and other places, as bombs would be thrown in these quarters. Several parents whose children are attending school in defiance of the school strike have been warned by letter to withdraw their children, as the school buildings would be blown up.

Forbids Cholera Congress.

Moscow, April 3.—The Assistant Minister of the Interior has forbidden the assembling of congress to deal with the cholera epidemic because, according to official information, the promoters of the congress intended to give it the form of a demonstration against the Government.

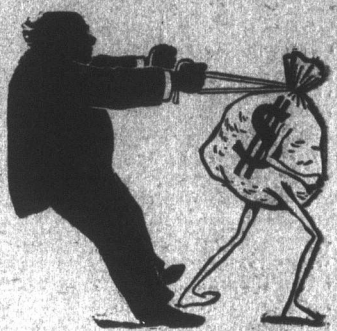
Murder Affair Was "Arranged."

Berlin, April 3.—A despatch from Tangier received here yesterday announces that the affair of the murder of a German subject named Genthe has been arranged. The two Moors who were implicated have been condemned to imprisonment for life, and the Government of Morocco has undertaken to erect a monument over Genthe's grave and compensate his family.

Francis Genthe, a newspaper correspondent and well known as a writer of hunting and military stories, was murdered in March, 1904, while traveling in Morocco.

The habit of fault-finding grows rapidly and unconsciously.

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THAT NEW ACT.

Some days ago the Herald expressed the opinion that the Hamilton assessment commissioner misconstrued that section of the new assessment act which forbids assessors giving information to citizens with regard to assessed property. Commissioner Hall construes that section to mean that no information of any sort may be given by any official of his department, and that any official who gives out any information is liable to a penalty of \$200. The Herald pointed out that the law forbids the divulging of only such information as is received in confidence by assessors in the course of their official duties, and we said that assessors were at liberty to accommodate lawyers and real estate agents by giving out information respecting real estate values and measurements, as a matter of courtesy.

The Herald's opinion is supported by that of the law clerk of the legislature, Allan M. Dymond. In reply to a letter from Mr. Farmer, of Farmer & Gould, Mr. Dymond writes that he has had a conversation with the assessment commissioner of Toronto, who says that "he has no objection to giving out any reasonable information as to the value he is placing on lands and buildings." And the law clerk gives his own opinion as follows:

"I do not think there is anything in the act to prevent an assessor from telling what value he is placing on lands or buildings. Of course he gives such information quite unofficially and merely for the sake of being obliging."

If assessors choose to oblige citizens seeking in the assessment department such information as has not been confidentially received by assessors as data for income and business tax assessments, the assessors need not fear the penalty of \$200 for obliging the citizens.—Hamilton Herald.

MR. WICKETT, ON MUNICIPAL LAWS.

In the Municipal World for April, just issued, Mr. W. L. Wickett, B. A., barrister, of this city, has a well written article of some length, treating of the "civil liability of municipal corporations," where damages are claimed in cases where accidents are due to non-repair of highways. Mr. Wickett quotes the statutes in regard to the matter, and compares the law of Canada with those in England and the United States, and shows that the laws in those countries are less stringent than the Ontario law. He submits that a municipality should not be held liable for defects in highways unless the defect "is of its own direct creation" and would have the law amended by eliminating the words imposing a civil liability. "Whatever grounds there may have existed for the imposition of civil liability on municipalities in this province," says Mr. Wickett, "it is submitted that the time has arrived for the repeal of the statute imposing such liability. Persons using highways should do so subject to the taking upon themselves the risks involved, and were such the case it is believed that the ratepayers of the various municipalities in this Province would take a greater interest in having the highways brought to a higher standard, and that municipal councils would get more sympathy from their constituents in their efforts to minimize the dangers of public travel on highways."

Mr. Wickett thinks that to attempt to improve our highways to meet the requirements of the law as it now exists would mean financial ruin for the municipality. It is abundantly evident that to make a law to apply in regard to damages for non-repair of highways is next to impossible. Sometimes a washout causes an accident, and it is obvious that to tax the municipality in such a case is unfair; yet the person injured feels aggrieved. Clearly, however, the accident was due to the natural elements, and not to neglect on the part of the municipality.—St. Thomas Times.

PRACTICE VERSUS PRECEPT.

The World, the News, the Globe and the Telegram, in this city, cannot sufficiently admire the little red school house, nor view with sufficient alarm anything having a separating influence among the children of the people. And yet, the editor of the World does not himself send his children to the public schools. Nor does the editor of the News. Nor does the editor of the Globe. Nor does the proprietor of the Telegram.

Any Boys?



If there are boys in the house, or girls either, then croup, coughs, catarrh, bronchitis, and sore throat are sure to be there, too, sooner or later. Don't crowd their stomachs with medicine, just have them breathe in the vapor of Vapo-Cresolene; they'll like it, and it will give immediate relief. In this way you put the medicine right on the place that needs it. For whooping-cough it's the perfect cure.

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PETE'S DISCOVERY.

Pete Gibson, one of the veteran conductors on the H. G. & B. and a great observer of the signs of the times, says that this March was the first time in twenty years that the sun crossed the lines at the full of the moon.

IS JUSTICE REALLY BLIND?

If justice can sentence a man to be hanged without allowing him a second trial in a superior court, why cannot justice be trusted to award \$1,000 damages against a corporation to a man who has lost a leg, without allowing the case to be carried from court to court?

DRINK IS A DISEASE.

If you know any one who is addicted to the use of intoxicating liquor, tell him that he is suffering from a disease that can readily be cured. It only requires the desire and resolve to succeed. Write to the Leeming, Miles Co., Ltd., 288 St. James Street, Montreal, for all particulars in regard to the use of Dr. Mackay's Specific for Alcoholism, that has had a remarkable success with the worst cases.

BRUTAL ACTION

The management of the Opera House has that back stairway presumably for use when there is such a crowd as was present Friday night. Two ladies and their escorts took advantage of the back stair and were coming out of the alleyway between J. B. Stringer & Co.'s and the Opera House when some fellow drove up with a van and almost ran over the ladies. The horses were more considerate than the man, as they held back despite his urgings. The fellow as he drove on brutally called out: "Get out of the way if you don't want to get hurt."

A TRUE APPETIZER AND TONIC

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Scores of leading people in this State, including editors, ministers, bankers, and their families, gladly testify to the tonic, strengthening and health-giving effects of Mi-on-a. Furthermore, C. H. Gunn & Co., one of the most reliable drug firms in this section, sell Mi-on-a under a guarantee to refund the money if it does not produce satisfactory results.

A GOOD FIELD

J. A. Carman, of Leamington, is spending a couple of days with his old Chatham friends.

Mr. Carman was a Chatham resident during the recent oil boom in Raleigh and he is now interested in the Leamington Torpedo Company in the Leamington field. This company has 13,000 acres of land in leases and has 35 producing wells with 40 drilling rigs at work. The rigs are drilling in a string from lake to lake. Mr. Carman says the Leamington field is a good one and there is all kinds of oil speculations. The other day another gusher was struck which gave up 1,400 barrels of oil during the first 24 hours. The speculators are sinking good wells every day.

The town is crowded with people and it is hard for a traveller to get lodging at all. Every hotel is filled up to the gaiters with boarders and many of the people who go there are forced to go back to Detroit to find a place to sleep. At present there seems to be every possibility of the field lasting for years.

District Dashes

In the course of a week or so Mr. I. H. Coffell and family, of Glenwood, expect to leave for Botany, near Ridgetown, where Mr. Coffell has rented a farm. His farm in Glenwood has been purchased by Mr. J. N. Halliday. Mr. and Mrs. Coffell will be much missed from Glenwood and Merlin, where they have been closely connected with church, lodge and social interests during their residence here. They will no doubt frequently visit here after removing. Mrs. Coffell has relatives near their future home.—Merlin Mirror.

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Dresden Lawn Bowling club was held in the office of Dr. Wiley last Friday evening for the purpose of organization. President G. E. Weir occupied the chair. The following officers were elected: Honorary President, R. T. Mussen; Vice-President, Rev. N. Lindsay; President, Dr. Sec. Treas., W. N. Tape; Executive Officer, G. E. Weir; Executive Committee, Officers and Mr. Dever; Lawn Committee, G. E. Weir, T. N. Wells, E. H. Dever and Dr. Wiley; Skips, Dr. Wiley, Dr. McDonald, Messrs. Weir and Wells.—Dresden Standard.

The death occurred at the family residence, Leaton, Mich., on Sunday, March 19th, of Wm. Bloom in his 73rd year. Deceased was at one time a resident in Dawn Township but has resided in Michigan for upwards of 20 years. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow and grown up family of nine children, seven sons and two daughters, also two brothers, Messrs. Robert and George Bloom, of Dawn, and four sisters, Mrs. Allan Christner, of Dawn, Mrs. P. L. Switzer, of Thameville, Mrs. Lucinda Shaw, of Dresden, and Mrs. James Brown, of Lapeer Co., Mich.—Florence Quill.

DISTRICT DOINGS

BLENHEIM

April 3.—The death took place at on March 30th of Clement A. Nichol, eldest son of Mrs. McComb, London, at the early age of 19 years, from consumption. The remains were brought here on Saturday morning from London. The funeral took place at 2:30 p. m. the same day from Mr. Chris. Jacklin's to the Latter Day Saints church, where the service was conducted by Elder R. C. Butt, Dr. J. H. Ferguson took place on Friday and Saturday last. Mr. George, organizer for the O. O. F. is in town.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. from the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Lane, who died on Friday last, aged 67 years.

Mrs. F. S. and Miss E. N. Bounhall spent Sunday at Mrs. Peter's, Sheldrick street.

Mrs. H. Warner has moved to her residence lately purchased from P. Morrison, opposite the fair grounds.

TILBURY

April 3.—John McKenzie, who was reported on Saturday to have been drowned in the Welland canal on Friday last, at Port Dalhousie, was a brother of Mrs. (Dr.) Ferguson, of Tilbury, formerly of Chatham.

The new assessment of the village, just concluded, shows the value of real and personal property to be \$245,000, an increase of about \$13,000 over last year. Of this amount \$25,000 is made up of the new business tax, as compared with \$13,000 of a personal tax last year, now abolished. The population has increased from 1,120 to 1,140.

The church services yesterday were well attended. Mr. I. H. and wife gave a duet last evening in the Presbyterian Church.

THE TALBOT REGIME.

Judge Ermatinger's long promised "Talbot Regime" or History of the First Half Century of the Talbot Settlement, is received—a handsome, well-illustrated, tastefully bound and illustrated book of over 400 pages. The illustrations include portraits of Colonel Talbot and Governor Simcoe and a number of Talbot's early friends among the provincial governors, exterior and interior views of Metisville, Ontario, the Colonel's birthplace, with views and portraits of local scenes and prominent persons in the settlement in early days. The book contains 37 chapters, giving in consecutive order the early life and interesting career of Colonel Talbot and the progress of the settlement, with full accounts of the war of 1812 and rebellion of 37 and the political causes leading thereto, a chapter of rare anecdotes of the eccentric Colonel, with much other interesting and instructive matter. Valuable historical appendices containing many interesting and hitherto unpublished letters and documents are included in the volume, which should make an excellent Christmas gift book. Two editions in cloth, one at \$2.50 and another at \$2.00 in thinner paper—as well as a colored paper cover edition at \$1.50, give variety of style, size and price. (The Municipal World, Limited, St. Thomas, Ont., Publishers.)

What we learn with pleasure we never forget.

Happy is the bride the sun shines on, but a sunburst is better.

Discontentment seems a positive joy to some people.

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Another Week of Big Dress Goods Selling

Our extensive range and matchless values in stylish Dress Goods accounts for the rush of business that is done daily in our Dress Goods department. We are showing many new and exclusive weaves, all the latest colorings and in addition values that cannot be duplicated outside this store. Our Seven Stores each buying direct from the largest manufacturers make these values possible. See them before buying.

PANAMA SUITINGS 50c YARD—

45 inches wide, fine pure wool, spring weight, colors black, brown, green, navy and cardinal, extra value at a yard

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NOVELTY MOHAIR SUITINGS—

48 inches wide, rich silky finish, in broken checks, invisible checks, etc., very latest for shirtwaist suits, special a yard

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In hair line checks, flasks, and new figured designs in leading spring colors, matchless values at a yard

50c.

CREAM MOHAIRS—

44 inches wide, rich silky quality, in range of dots and small figure designs, special a yard

50c.

GRANITE SUITINGS 25c YARD—

40 inches wide, firm weave, colors black, brown, myrtle, cardinal and navy, special a yard

25c.

Our Dress-Making Dept.

Is rushed with work; have your orders placed early and avoid delays.

44 in. ROXANA SUITINGS 50c. A YARD—

Rich, bright finish, pure wool, suiting weight, colors black, brown, navy, myrtle and reseda, extra value, at a yard

50c.

44 INCH CREPE DE CHENE 50c.—

Fine, pure wool, colors black, myrtle, cardinal, brown, reseda, champagne and cream, special a yard

50c.

BLACK MOHAIR LUSTRES—

Matchless values, 42 in. wide, best dye, bright finish, special a yard

25c.

42 inches wide, rich dye and finish, at a yard

30c.

44 inches, bright, silky finish, best dye, special a yard

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48 inches wide, rich, brilliant finish, special a yard

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48 inches wide, superior quality and finish, special a yard \$1.00 and

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COLORED MOHAIR LUSTRES AND SICILLIANS—

An elegant range of these fashionable fabrics in every wanted shade—42 in. to 50 in. wide, matchless values, at a yard 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and

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SPRING COATING CLOTHS—

Coverts, whipcords, etc., colors fawn and black, 56 in. wide, sponged and shrunken, warranted pure wools, at a yard \$1.25, \$1.50 and

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CRAVETTE CLOTHS—

50 inches wide, fine, pure wool, shower proof, in new colorings, spring raincoats, suits or skirts, special a yard \$1.00 and

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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, April 3.—11 a. m.—East-
erly to southerly winds, showery to-
night. Tuesday, southeasterly winds,
milder with occasional showers.

The following figures were regis-
tered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner's
weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.
Highest yesterday, 49.
Lowest during night, 35.
Thermometer, 38.
Barometer, 29.34.
Direction of wind, west.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Raleigh Council is holding a
meeting to-day.

J. E. Goodall, tailor, formerly of
this city, has again taken up his
residence and has opened a store on
Sixth street, near the fire hall.

A peculiar fact is that 1906 began
on Sunday and will end on Sunday.
There are 53 Sundays.

This will not occur again in 110
years.

M. Wilson, K. C., left for St. Thomas
this afternoon. He will appear for
Mr. Waddell in the suit of Watter-
worth vs. Waddell. This is an ac-
tion for damages for false arrest.

Mrs. W. G. Terry underwent an op-
eration at the Public General Hos-
pital on Saturday. Her many friends
will be pleased to hear that she is
doing very nicely.

Regular meeting of Wellington
Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C.,
this Monday evening in the new
rooms, King St., at 7.30. Visiting
brethren cordially invited.

Miss Reade, the popular infant
class teacher at Christ Church Sun-
day school, is investigating the kin-
dergarten methods of the afternoon
kindergarten at the Central School
to-day.

The Division Court and the non-
jury sittings of the County Court
both were dated to open to-morrow.
As Judge Dowlin couldn't preside at
both he has appointed County Crown
Attorney H. D. Smith to hold the
Division Court.

Will Hatley, architect, has accept-
ed the position of foreman in the
woodworking department of the
Blonde factory. This is the position
formerly held by George Blonde. Mr.
Blonde was forced to resign through
ill-health. When able to return to
work, Mr. Blonde will only attend
to outdoor work. Inside work does
not agree with him.

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Massage, Electric Treatment and Phy-
sical Culture. Try my treatment for
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COUNT THE NOSES

Of the people who wear glasses and
spectacles and you will find a large
percentage of the glass-wearing
people in Chatham. That's proof
positive of two or three things.
ONE—That people who need eye
sight aids know where to go.
TWO—That they get eye relief at
my store. THREE—That I don't
charge them too much. You will
join the chorus in praise of my
work if you try your glasses at

E. J. MacINTYRE
LEADING JEWELER
AND OPTICIAN

THEY PASSED TOGETHER

Gardener and Wife Asphyxiated
at Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Concessus Murphy and His Life Partner
Die Peacefully Together—Were Res-
idents of Niagara-on-the-Lake All
Their Lives—Bodies Were Not
Found Until Several Days After
Death—Badly Burned in Toronto.

Niagara-on-the-Lake, April 3.—Cor-
nellius Murphy, a gardener, about 50
years of age, and his wife, Margaret,
who occupied a small cottage near the
dock, were both found dead in their
bed about noon yesterday.

The last seen of the couple alive was
when Murphy went home on Wednes-
day evening with a loaf of bread,
which was found on a table in their
room.

From the condition of the bodies
death must have taken place several
days ago, and was pronounced to be
due to asphyxiation, caused by escap-
ing coal gas.

The deceased had lived here all their
lives and were well known in this
vicinity.

Little Boy Badly Burned.
Toronto, April 3.—Leo Cameron,
four years of age, who lives
with his grandmother at 65 Ni-
gara street, was admitted to the Sick
Children's Hospital at 12.30 yesterday,
suffering from severe burns. It is not
known how the accident occurred, but
it is thought the little fellow was play-
ing with matches and ignited his night-
clothes. He was heard screaming and
the flames were extinguished, but too
late, it is feared, to avoid a fatal ter-
mination.

DROWNINGS THROUGH ICE.

While Following Dog Sled, Two Men
Die Near Soo.

Sault Ste. Marie, April 3.—Word was
brought in to town Saturday night of
the believed drowning in Lake Super-
ior of Frank Daigle and Jas. Bobbas.
They are supposed to have gone
through on Thursday night near the
Point Aux Pins while en route from the
Soo to their home at Gros Cap Point,
where they lived as fishermen.

Thursday night some men at Point
Aux Pins heard shouting, but were un-
able to locate the source. Saturday
morning they discovered a dog team
and sleigh near a hole in the ice. Daigle
is a half-breed, about 30 years of age,
married and with a family. His
brother George Daigle and Joseph Mac-
Kay have gone to get the bodies.

Indian Chief Killed.
Caledonia, April 3.—Mike Smoke, a
chief of the Six Nation Indians, was
instantly killed by a Grand Trunk pas-
senger train running from Goderich to
Burlington Saturday night, about 100
yards from Caledonia Station. He fell
between the cars.

Found in Canal.
St. Catharines, April 3.—The body of
C. H. Storms, of Merriton, who has
been missing for several months, was
found Saturday afternoon at Lock 17
in the canal. He was 55 years of age.

LANDSLIDE WRECKS TRAIN

Engine Plunges Forty Feet into Canal
and Crew Drown.

Utica, N. Y., April 3.—Train No. 8, on
the West Shore, was derailed at Div-
ersford Hill, a three miles west of Fort
Plain, shortly after 6 o'clock Saturday
morning.

The locomotive broke its coupling
with the tender and plunged into the
canal, about 40 feet below the track.
The engine and fireman were carried
down with the engine, and lay under
the machine in about five feet of water.
The tender, a dead-end passenger
coach and the baggage and express car
were pulled from the track, but the
engineer escaped, as he was on the soft earth
and held the other end of the train.
Two passenger coaches were not tipped
from the rails.

In the opinion of railroad men, a
landslide occurred just as the locomotive
took the track at that point, for
a watchman had been over the spot less
than a half-hour before and saw nothing
wrong.

Buried in Snowslide.
Orray, Canada, April 3.—Three men
have been buried by a snowslide, which
carried away the building and bunk-
houses of the Bankers' National Mine.
It is supposed they have perished.

Two Killed by Train.
Jamestown, N. Y., April 3.—While
walking along the Erie Railroad tracks
yesterday, Amel Lundquist and Owen
Wright were struck by a switch en-
gine at the Windsor street bridge and
instantly killed. Both men left families.

Five Mexicans Buried.
Tucson, Ariz., April 3.—At Silver
Bell, 55 miles from Tucson, a car at
shaft No. 2 of the Imperial Copper Co.
resulted in death of five Mexican min-
ers and the severe injury of four
others.

The Crisis at Winnipeg.
Winnipeg, Man., April 3.—It is ex-
pected there will be fresh developments
to-day, and it is quite possible the Pro-
vincial Government's memorandum
may be handed out to-night. En-
quiries late Saturday afternoon elicit-
ed the intelligence that the documents
were not completed, and this encour-
ages the belief that the matter is to be
gone into thoroughly, and that the rea-
sons governing the Cabinet's decision
will be set out in considerable detail.

Stabbed in Barroom.
Toronto, April 3.—Dan Sharp, who
gave the police his address as 55 Cher-
ry street, was arrested Saturday night
on a charge of stabbing. The row took
place in a barroom. The wounded
man, Tom Quinn, received two severe
gashes in the neck. Sharp has a wound-
ed leg and was getting the worst of it
in a fight when he drew the knife.

Shoots Wife and Kills Self.
Howells, Neb., April 3.—After shoot-
ing his wife as she sat in her pew in
the church, cowering the other worship-
ers by the brandishing of the smoking
revolver in their faces, E. D. Nevak
coolly marched up the main street of
the town and finally shot himself in
the kitchen of his home, dying instan-
tly. The woman will recover.

AT YOUNG'S COFFEE

Our Coffee trade continues to increase every
day or so we are finding somebody that we
have decided to come to us, and we can truth-
fully say, the percentage is very small, that we can't
don't buy our Coffee already roasted and put up
in cases as some grocers do for the simple reason
that after a Coffee is roasted it loses its flavor
and a Java Coffee from the lowest grade of
Marschello. When a grocer does not do his own
roasting as we do he has to depend solely on the
honesty of the man he buys his Coffee from.

Geo. A. Young,
Our Grocer, Phone 151

NEW ARMORIES

Strong Effort Being Made to Have
the Shooting Gallery in the Base-
ment—Success Expected

George Stephens, ex-M. P., at the
request of Colonel J. B. Rankin, K.
C., commander of the 24th Kent
Regiment, telegraphed to the Minis-
ter of Militia asking him to look up
all correspondence, interview the
Minister of Public Works and set-
tle at once the matter of excavat-
ing the basement of the new arm-
ories for use as a shooting gal-
lery and a bowling alley. No an-
swer has yet been received to the
message. The gallant Colonel of the
gallant 24th is leaving no effort un-
done that will place the new Chat-
ham armories in the first place in
the Dominion in the point of useful-
ness and equipment.

W. A. M. A.

The eighteenth annual meeting of
the W. A. M. A. of the Diocese of
Huron, will be held on Tuesday, Wed-
nesday and Thursday next, in Bishop
Cronyn Hall, London. Addresses will
be given by the Lord Bishop of the
Diocese; Canon Farnet, of Hamil-
ton; Rev. J. Egerton Ryerson, of
Japan, and Miss Archer, also of
Japan. Canon Farnet and Mr.
Ryerson are guests at Bishoptown.
The following is a list of dele-
gates, expected from Chatham and
their relatives:—Mrs. McCosh, with
Mrs. Waller, Huron College; Miss
Sandys, with Mrs. Betts; Miss King-
ston, with Mrs. (Dr.) Butler.
Holy Trinity Church—Mrs. Steg-
man, with Mrs. Payne, Wortley
Road; Mrs. Stevens, with Mrs. Bul-
len, Queen's avenue; Mrs. Kerr, with
Mrs. Treleaven, York-street.

If we were half as wise as we think
we are we should know at least twice
as much as we do now.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GIRL WANTED.—For general house-
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TO RENT.—A large boarding house,
either furnished or unfurnished,
corner Harvey and Centre, within
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Jordan, sign of the Big Clock,
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EXCEPTIONAL OFFERINGS

IN

In Women's and Children's Hosiery

We place on sale to-day a number of groups of new Spring
Hosiery both in plain and ribbed Cotton. 2 1/2 rib for Boys and
1 1/2 rib for Girls. The goods are new and desirable in every
way, and you cannot fail to appreciate the economy they offer

WOMEN'S STOCKINGS

At 12 1/2c a pr.—Fast Black Cotton Hose, seamless, full fashioned.
At 15c a pr.—Extra value in fast Black Cotton Hose, seamless, splice
heel and toe, all sizes.
At 25c a pr.—Fine Lisle thread, Cotton, seamless, Hermsdorf dyes, full
fashioned.
At 35c a pr.—Silk finished lisle thread, seamless, spliced heel and toe
Hermsdorf dyes.

CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS

At 10 and 12 1/2c a pr.—Children's plain Black Cotton Hose, seamless
warranted fast Black, sizes 5 to 8.
At 15 to 20c.—Children's 1 rib Cotton Hose, seamless, warranted fast
Black, sizes 5 to 9.
At 25 to 35c.—Children's heavy ribbed Cotton Hose, fast Black, seamless,
sizes 5 to 8 1/2, extra good value

WATCH FOR HOSIERY WINDOW

BRILLIANT SHOWING

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LADIES

Fashionable Hats

Come and see this collection of attractively trimmed Hats. They are
trimmed in various stylish effects and include the different shades popular this
season at popular prices. Also a charming display of ready-to-wear Hats.
Individuality—Every one of these ready-to-wear Hats, imported or our own
has character. All different distinctive all in greater variety of styles than any
former year has shown. Descriptions sound familiar but the Hats are unique
\$2 to \$5 each and nearly ready-to-wear Hats, Horse hair and Satin straws,
rough straws, Silk and Chiffon, partly trimmed in themselves or in ribbon
last, exceptionally choice, \$2.25 to \$4.

Carpets, Etc.

Do you contemplate making any alterations in your Car-
pets or floor coverings this season? If you do, we feel that
you should know something about our immense assortment of
Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums, Mattings and Oil Cloths. All our
orders for these lines were placed previous to the recent sharp
advances, enabling us to offer you values unexcelled in the
west.

CARPETS

English Wilton at \$1.20, 1.40 and 1.50 per yd.
Velvets at \$2.00 and 1.15.
Brussels at 75c, \$1.00, 1.15 and 1.25.
Balmoral at 75c.
Tapestry 25, 35, 40, 45, 50, 65, 75 and 85c.
Canadian Ingrains 3 ply \$2.00.

RUGS AND RUG CARPETS

Over 200 Rugs and Rug Carpets in the following weaves, Axminster, Wilton's
Symrna, Velvet, Brussels, Tapestry and Ingrains at \$1 up to \$65 each.

LINOLEUMS

Scotch Linoleums, 4 and 12 ft. wide at 50, 65 and 75c a sq. yd.
Inlaid 6 ft. wide at 85c, \$1.10 and 1.25

MATTINGS

Japanese Matting in 60 patterns, 10, 12 1/2, 15, 18 and 20c a yd.
Hof Fibre 22, 25, 30, 40, 45 and 60c
Rex 45 and 65c
Cocoe 60c

OIL CLOTHS

50 choice patterns at 25, 35 and 40c a yd.

SPRING STYLES TIME

Yes, time has been called on your Winter garments and the
moths are hungry and waiting for them. The Spring suit
and jaunty top coat are more comfortable and look better.
You need not fear. Tailor's exorbitant bill staring you in the
face, if you come here for your outfit, as hundreds of other
men are doing, you will get the same choice goods, the same
perfect fit, the same degree of elegance that well tailors boast
about and our prices are only about one-half what any really
good tailor will charge you. If you are some tailor's customer,
just come in and let us show you through our stock. Your
eyes, your own judgement will convince you of the truthfulness
of this claim—now ready for you.

Distinctive Spring Suits for Men. \$10, 12, 13.50, 15.
Distinctive Spring Rain Coats for Men. \$7.50, 10, 12
14.
Distinctive Spring Suits for Boys. \$4, 5, 6, and 7.

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Our New Quebec Maple Syrup

We expect here in a few days. There are several points about this that differ from our home-made product. The season there is longer, the nights are colder, and consequently the sap is better. The syrup is made by the evaporating process, which is strictly clean, allowing no smoke or sticks to spoil the fine flavor of the syrup. There's no trouble about keeping this syrup through the summer. It just requires heating, and bottling in air-tight jars.

We would like to have your order for what you will need. The syrup comes in clean cans, full measure and air tight.

1 Gal. Cans, \$1.20.

1/2 Gal. Cans, 60c.

1/4 Gal. Cans, 20c.

H. Malcolmson

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FOR THE MANY EXPRESSIONS OF SYMPATHY we have received. We really never knew that we had so many friends. We hope to be able to

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When in need of anything in the line of Commercial Stationery, Visiting Cards, etc., leave your order at the

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Rainproof Coats made to order.

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TO-NIGHT

City Council, Harrison Hall at 8 o'clock.

Sons of England, in their rooms, at 8 o'clock.

Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8 o'clock.

Epworth League, Park St. Church Lecture Hall, at 8.

Scottish concert at Park St. Epworth League, at 8.

Reception to Rev. and Mrs. Hodgins, at Holy Trinity Church, at 8.

Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., Masonic Temple, Seane's new block, King St., at 7.30, Sharp.

Local Briefs

Miss Edith Dolsen is spending the day in Detroit.

A. Laing, of Ridgeway, was in the city on Saturday.

Geo. Moore, of Bothwell, spent Saturday in the city.

T. H. Watson, of Highgate, was in the city on Saturday.

F. Mayhew, of Ridgeway, is spending the day in the city.

J. H. Magee, of Tilbury, was a Chatham guest on Saturday.

J. W. Sharpe, of Dresden, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rodgers have moved into their new home on Park street.

W. D. McRae, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor to Chatham friends on Saturday.

P. T. Barry, of Wallaceburg, called on his many Chatham friends on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lancaster and son Lorne have taken a trip to Commerce, Mich.

Reg. Pleasant sang O Solitude very acceptably in St. Joseph's Church yesterday morning.

Miss Elsie Turner, Richmond St., left for Ramo, New York, yesterday, where she will spend a couple of months visiting relatives.

A meeting of the City Council will be held to-night, when tenders will be opened for supplies and street sprinkling, and several pavement matters will come up.

W. Gaudin, of Detroit, was in the city yesterday visiting his brothers, John and Alfred. John has just arrived in Chatham from Alderney Island, in the English Channel.

Miss Alice Greening, one of Chatham's popular society young ladies, leaves on Wednesday for Brooklyn, New York, where she will enter the Long Island College Hospital as a nurse in training.

J. R. Smith, baritone, gave an excellent rendition of "Abide With Me" in Christ Church last evening. His singing was much appreciated by the large congregation. Rev. Canon Hill gave an excellent sermon.

Wm. Raymo was dismissed on the charge of attempted burglary but is held on a charge of vagrancy laid against him. John Johnson, charged with attempted burglary of Josie Wilkins' house, Queen street, was remanded till Friday to give him a chance to show previous good character.

Nelson Emery, of Tilbury, is spending the day in the city visiting his daughter Olga, who is attending the Ursuline Academy. Nelson is an industrious culling on his many Chatham friends, who are pleased to see him again. Mr. Emery was formerly employed at Stone's, but is now one of the most up-to-date and progressive merchants of Tilbury.

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THE STRAW BRAIDS

The unusually beautiful Straws, which are in so many cases a trimming in themselves, are the first factors in Hat making this Spring.

Never before has the straw goods manufacturer deserved such praise. Shadings and color combinations are exquisite, and the texture of the straws is soft, silky and pliable.

G. A. OOKSLEY

King St., Chatham

Miss Ethel Clements was the guest of Miss Florence Blackburn, Darrell, over Sunday.

Roy Benson, of McMaster University, is spending a couple of weeks with his parents on Cross St.

Fred. Symington, of Barrie, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stevens, Hilliard street, over Sunday.

Don't forget to attend the Scottish evening Park street Methodist church this evening. Good program. Admission 15c.

Wm. Carr was assessed \$3.00 and costs, \$7.00 in all, for being drunk and disorderly. He had an option of 21 days and he took the days.

The Assisting Society of the General Hospital will hold a sale of homemade cooking in the store of Mr. McCorvie, April 19th and 20th.

Wm. T. Taylor, representing the Northern Manufacturing Co., called on his brother-in-law, Henry Robinson.

James Burns, released on suspended sentence on a charge of assault, appeared this morning and was given an opportunity to pay the costs in the case, \$3.50.

The Wardeas of Christ Church have had the double house on St. Lawrence avenue raised, painted and otherwise improved. The house now presents a neat and tidy appearance.

The White Front Cafe, Fifth St., under the new management, is doing a rushing business. The Cafe was crowded Saturday. Open night and day, meals at all hours. It has no equal.

Will Kime, son of Joseph Kime, V. S. of this city, has returned from Toronto, where he has completed a full two years' course of training in the Ontario Veterinary College. Will intends to practice with his father in this city.

Drainage Referee, Colonel J. B. Rankin, K. C., heard a motion for procedure this morning in the case of Morrongton Township vs. Elma Township in Perth County. The order was made as asked. Fred Stone for plaintiff, J. M. Pike contra.

John Jackson, an aged colored resident, of Patterson avenue, passed away Friday afternoon, in the 85th year of his age. Deceased has been ailing for some time. A widow, and a grown up family are left to mourn his departure. Deceased was greatly respected by all who knew him, and was a life-long Conservative.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the B. M. E. Church, King St., to the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

Has Arrived.

Constantinople, April 2.—A private telegram received here says that Gen. Rasputin, an aide-de-camp to the Sultan, with a strong force of men, reached Sanata, capital of the Province of Yemen, Arabia, March 29.

Mexican Congress Opens.

Mexico City, April 2.—The spring session of Congress opened Saturday evening and President Diaz read his message in the presence of a large audience of senators, deputies, representatives and distinguished visitors.

Counter Petition Entered.

Toronto, April 2.—M. G. Cameron, M. P. for West Huron, against whose return a petition was filed, has entered a counter-petition against his opponent, Dudley Holmes, whose disqualification is asked.

St. Lawrence is Clearing.

Montreal, April 2.—The first ice shove in the St. Lawrence took place yesterday afternoon, causing a big change in the ice. The water rose two feet. An early clearing of the ice is expected.

PLAIN FACTS are STRONG ARGUMENTS

Which Customers Prove True Six Days in the Week at THE GORDON STORE. Here are Practical Persuaders for Plain People. Gordon's GREAT WASH GOODS SELLING

PRINTS—100 pcs. American Percals, 1 yard wide, fast colors, 12½c. goods will be sold at per yard, 10c. and 8c.

Finer lines of Canadian and American Prints, good washers and wearers, will be sold at per yard, 6½c and 5c

Fine and wider English, Canadian and American Prints and Turkey Reds—new patterns, at per yard, 10c. and 8c.

CRUM'S CELEBRATED ENGLISH PRINTS, both soft and satin finish, and English Turkey Reds, at per yard, 12½c

TOILE DU NORD, the best brand of American Gingham in all the latest styles of weaves for women and children's wear.

Zephyr Broche, a new and beautiful fancy weave in Wash Goods for shirtwaist suits, etc., at per yard, 20c.

FANCY VOILES, all new styles and colorings, 12½c goods at 10c

LATASKA VOILES, new and nobby weaves, dark colors, at 16c. The voiles will make very fine shirtwaist suits.

OXFORD SHIRTINGS—Canadian manufacture, fast colors, no better goods for soft front shirts, at 12½c.

CHECK SHIRTINGS, per yard, 5, 12½, 10, 8, 6¼ and 5c

7, 8 and 10 OUNCE DUCKS, Overall Goods, from 12½c to 25c.

You can use your money here to advantage, and that is about all the advantage there is in having any.

—WILLIAM GORDON—

GOOD SERVICES

At the Park St. Methodist Church yesterday morning the pastor, Rev. G. H. Cobbleddick, took as his theme the 10th commandment,—"Thou shalt not covet," etc., it being the last of the series of sermons on the 10 commandments as a covenant of love.

The anthem, "He watereth the hills," was excellently rendered, and the offertory duet, "O Loving Voice of Jesus," by Miss Hill and Jasper Wilson, is worthy of special mention.

As remarked by one of the music lovers of the congregation, "One might travel before hearing its equal."

In the evening a large congregation listened very attentively to the pastor's sermon on "Parents and their young people." Only the first part of the subject was dealt with, and the young people's part will be given next Sunday evening.

The points presented were of practical interest to every home. In fact, Mr. Cobbleddick always gives something that can be taken by his hearers into everyday life and put into practical use. The service throughout was bright and inspiring. The music was of the usual good order, consisting of an anthem, "Seek ye the Lord," and offertory number, "God Who Madest Earth and Heaven."

MINERAL BATHS

W. J. Lovering, of Toronto, is another man who has tried the Chatham mineral baths, has found complete relief from rheumatism.

Mr. Lovering is a wholesale lumber dealer in Toronto. Some time ago he injured his ankle by falling off a lumber pile, and rheumatism set in. For a year he has been walking with the assistance of a cane. He came to the Sanitarium about two weeks ago and before he left for Toronto on Saturday he presented Mr. McCoug, the genial and popular manager of the Sanitarium, with his cane, he having no more use for it.

Mr. Lovering was very much pleased and thoroughly satisfied with the baths, and intends to spend a week or two here every year. He intends to send people here and in doing so, he told The Planet, he would not be doing a favor for the company, but for the people he will send, especially if they received the benefit he did.

Mr. Lovering, Sr., of Coldwater, Mich., is also taking the baths for rheumatism, and is improving nicely.

Our grand business is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand.

J. E. GOODALL TAILOR.

Special attention to Pressing and Cleaning Ladies' and Gent's Garments.

Sixth St., Near the Fire Hall

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25 Houses and Lots for sale. Price from \$275 to \$2,000. A number of building lots, why pay rent? We build you a house and pay for it as rent.

J. A. Bell,

Real Estate Agent, Opposite Market, King Street.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS

On Wednesday, April 5th, at eight p. m., in the Barracks, the Salvation Army will present 3,000 feet of moving pictures of their great international congress held in London, England, last year.

Adjutant Wakefield, representative of territorial headquarters, Toronto, who was present at the congress, will give descriptive lecture.

The scenes produced are the great review of 25,000 salvationists by General Booth at the Crystal Palace, the General in his motor car, Commissioner Eva Booth and March of the Canadian contingent, including Indiana, Cowboys, Klondike pioneers, Newfoundland sailors, the renowned Canadian staff band and splendid brass band and children from Bermuda, delegations from all parts of the globe, native dances, military manoeuvres, the Army's finest bands, Commissioner Coombs (Canada's new leader) and British staff. There is also a set of moving pictures illustrating the Salvation Army farm colony, etc., etc., a generous quantity, which will be deeply interesting.

In addition to the imposing, there will be no lack of the humorous.

The above will be projected by means of the well known English Bioscope. The machine and equipment is said to be the best that has ever been used in this country and is capable of producing pictures 15 feet in diameter.

Otto Wonderly, the London jockey, was killed by being thrown from a horse at Memphis, Tenn. He was one of the most prominent jockeys on the American circuit.

F. M. Bedford

Requests the pleasure of your company at the opening of the new Gerhard-Heintzman Studio over Von Gunten's new Jewellery Store on

Thursday and Friday, April 3rd and 4th.

Studio will be under the charge of Miss Nellie Richards.

W. E. Raspin has two good heated rooms to let, over his office, 115 King street, suitable for offices or living rooms, all modern conveniences; also house to rent in Riverside Terrace, heated by furnace, hot and cold water, gas and modern conveniences. Also nice small house and lot on Murray street, \$700, full particulars on application.

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Only Three Weeks to Easter

We would be pleased to have your order NOW for your EASTER DRESSES and HATS. We have a large staff in both Departments, but they are already very busy, and to insure satisfaction we would like all the time possible to fill your orders.

OUR DRESS GOODS contain all that is new in Dress Goods, Silks and Trimmings, marked at prices that will please you.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT, in charge of Miss Reynolds, is filled with all novelties of the season.

New Arrivals To-day—Prints, Gingham and Lace Curtains

Thibodeau & Co

MOTHERHOOD

Actual Sterility in Women is Very Rare—Healthy Mothers and Children Make Happy Homes.



Many women long for a child to bless their homes, but because of some debility or displacement of the female organs they are barren.

Preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound more successfully than by any other medicine, because it gives tone and strength to the entire female organism, curing all displacements, ulceration and inflammation.

A woman who is in good physical condition transmits to her children the blessings of a good constitution. Is not that an incentive to prepare for a healthy maternity?

If expectant mothers would fortify themselves with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for thirty years has sustained thousands of women in this condition, there would be a great decrease in miscarriages, in suffering, and in disappointments at birth.

The following letters to Mrs. Pinkham demonstrate the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in such cases:

Many Women Have Been Benefited by Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Medicine.

DOVER COUNCIL

The council met March 20th at the call of the reeve. The members were all present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

A communication was read from the county clerk, stating that the by-law governing the rules of the House of Refuge was so changed that the financial year ends on December 31st instead of May 31st as formerly. Also a copy of the resolution of the council that no person will be admitted as an inmate to the House of Refuge unless the certificate of the physician of the institution is attached to the commitment paper, and enclosing statement of the cost of maintenance of the inmate from May 31st to Dec. 31st, 1904.

From the president of the South African memorial association soliciting subscriptions to erect a monument to the memory of Canadian soldiers who died in South Africa.

A by-law was read and finally passed authorizing the reeve and clerk to sign agreement re free ferry over River Thames, also a by-law appointing Richard Benson commissioner of the Front Con. Mechanical drain.

W. G. McGeorge's report was read re repair the second con. drain.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Bourdeau that M. G. Thomas be paid \$15.00 re free ferry.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Boyer that W. G. McGeorge's account of \$35.50 be paid for survey, plans, etc., and report in triplicate for the repair of the second con. drain and James Foster \$1.50 for assisting in survey.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Bourdeau that the House of Refuge acct., \$207.30, be paid for keep of Dover inmates from May 31st to Dec. 31st, 1904.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Emery, seconded by Mr. Bourdeau that M. G. Thomas, treasurer, be paid \$30.00 on salary.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bourdeau, seconded by Mr. Emery that the required notices be given to close the piece of road between the East part lot 8 and west part lot 7 in P.C.B. from Fair Court across to the 4th con. road allowance.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Emery that the grievance of Walter Foster be referred to Mr. Boyer with power.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Bourdeau that Caleb Montgomery, having stated to the council that

of my child, for it helped me give birth to my boy and also made me strong after the child came. I am, therefore, very glad to recommend your Vegetable Compound to all expectant mothers, and feel sure that it will help them as it did me.

Mrs. Mae P. Wharry, Secretary of the North Shore Oratorical Society, The Norman, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—“I was married for five years and gave birth to two premature children. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me, and I am so glad I took it, for it changed me from a weak, nervous woman to a strong, happy and healthy one within seven months. Within two years a lovely little girl was born, which is the pride and joy of our household. Every day I bless Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for the light, health and happiness it brought to our home.

If any woman thinks she is sterile, or has doubts about her ability to carry a child to a mature birth let her write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., whose advice is free to all expectant or nursing mothers. She has helped thousands of women through this anxious period.

Women suffering with irregular or painful menstruation, leucorrhoea, displacement of the womb, that bearing down feeling or ovarian trouble, backache, bloating or nervous prostration, should remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound holds the record for the greatest number of actual cures of woman's ills, and accept no substitute.

Many Women Have Been Benefited by Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Medicine.

he has been keeping his sister, who is an indigent cripple and unable to do any work whatever, for the last eight years, and having lost all her clothing in the destruction of his house by fire, he be granted \$40.00 charity.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Bourdeau that William Cook and William Stephenson be appointed to make special audit of Wilcox-Quellette drain under by-law No. 282.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Lewis that the Daily News account of \$19.32 be paid for advertising and charged to the respective accounts.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Boyer that R. Cooper's account of \$19.00 be paid for stationery.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bourdeau, seconded by Mr. Lewis that the Planet account of \$8.84 be paid for advertising.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Bourdeau that J. W. Glover's account of \$86.00 be paid for clothes furnished David Saunders.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Emery that Theodore Peltier be paid \$5.50 for disinfecting two houses and furnishing drain.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Emery that the public General Hospital account of \$81.00 for 17 brooks' keep of one Ida McCarthy.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bourdeau, seconded by Mr. Boyer that W. R. Hall's account of \$8.00 be paid for medical services.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Emery that T. Sylvain's account of \$5.95 be paid for groceries for Mrs. John Flinn.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Boyer that the reeve and clerk see the solicitor re getting the costs in the case of Harper appeals on Marden drain outlet.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Emery that G. G. McGeorge's report to repair the second con. drain be adopted, and the clerk be appointed to serve a copy on the reeve of Chatham township and on the mayor of the city of Chatham respectively, and to prepare a by-law.—Carried.

It was moved and seconded that the council desire to meet the ratepayers of the Wilcox-Quellette drain at the town hall on Monday, April 10th, 1905, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to consider the matter of an improved outlet.—Carried.

John Walsh, Clerk.

NEW FASHION FEATURES.

Long Shoulders Becoming Marked, Boilers and Skirts.

Little coffee jackets of embroidery and lace are spring necessities. They are worn with pale blue or pale pink silk petticoats. Often the loose hanging jacket and the skirt match, in which case crepe de chine or soft taffeta is pretty when plentifully trimmed with lace.

Evening dresses of spotted net, flounced all over from the décolletage down, are very chic for slender figures. The longer the shoulder the more fashionable the garment, so say the tailors, but this long shoulder must not stick out; it must follow closely the outline of the arm.

Little boilers are eased in at the neck and allowed to fall in soft, graceful folds, something after the fashion of a cape. The skirts are eased in



WEDDING GOWN.

similarly at the hips, so that nothing but the wide belt follows closely the figure.

Tiny bows and rosettes of taffeta are used not only on reception and evening gowns, but even on tailor mades. They are usually placed down the front of the bolero and at the back seam of the skirt.

A smart evening gown of yellow chiffon designed for an early wedding is trimmed with shirtings run through with bronze ribbon.

The illustration shows a wedding gown of white chiffon cloth trimmed with alençon lace.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

MATERIALS AND STYLES.

Hopacking For Street Costumes.

For tailor mades and practical frocks hopacking of every description will be used even more than cloth. Some spotted and checked alpaca will be seen also, while the most popular tweeds will be of a rough and hairy description.

Taffeta is again being used as trimming on almost all the smart gowns and wraps. It is of a softer make than ever and for that reason will wear better.

Pink and black is a favorite millinery combination just now, especially in black chintilly and pink roses.

There is a great fancy this season for the cream undersides covered with black chintilly, black net or some other soft, light fabric.

With a gray cloth skirt a gray mousseline de soie waist with a yoke work-



WHITE LINEN SHIRT WAIST.

ed out of lace can be worn. This is made up over a thin silk or satin slip. The very full puffs of crepe de chine sleeves are both tucked across and shirred to form additional fullness.

Spotted taffetas in black and brown are being revived and trimmed with quaint old fashioned applications of silk and chenille, but these must be very carefully managed in order not to look dowdy.

Tailor made suits of black and navy blue taffets will be worn this summer over very full blouses of needlework and embroidery.

In the picture is shown a white linen shirt waist tucked and heavily embroidered.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

Nine Nations

Now Use Ligozone. Won't You Try It—Free?

Millions of people, of nine different nations, are constant users of Ligozone. Some are using it to get well; some to keep well. Some to cure germ diseases; some as a tonic. No medicine was ever so widely employed. These users are everywhere; your neighbors and friends are among them. And half the people you meet—wherever you are—know someone whom Ligozone has cured.

If you need help, please ask some of these users what Ligozone does. Don't blindly take medicine for what medicine cannot do. Drugs never kill germs. For your own sake, ask about Ligozone; then let us buy you a full-size bottle to try.

We Paid \$100,000

For the American rights to Ligozone. We did this after testing the product for two years, through physicians at hospitals, after proving, in thousands of different cases, that Ligozone destroys the cause of any germ disease.

Ligozone has, for more than 20 years, been the constant subject of scientific and chemical research. It is not made by compounding drugs, nor with alcohol. Its virtues are derived solely from gas—largely oxygen gas—by a process requiring immense apparatus and 14 days' time. The result is a liquid that does what oxygen does. It is a nerve food and blood food—the

most helpful thing in the world to you. Its effects are exhilarating, vitalizing, purifying. Yet it is a germicide so certain that we publish on every bottle an offer of \$1,000 for a disease germ that it cannot kill. The reason is that germs are vegetables; and Ligozone—like an excess of oxygen—is deadly to vegetable matter.

There lies the great value of Ligozone. It is the only way known to kill germs in the body without killing the tissue too. Any drug that kills germs is a poison, and it cannot be taken internally. Every physician knows that medicine is almost helpless in any germ disease.

Germ Diseases.

These are the known germ diseases. All that medicine can do for these troubles is to help Nature overcome the germs, and such results are indirect and uncertain. Ligozone attacks the germs, wherever they are. And when the germs which cause a disease are destroyed, the disease must end, and forever. That is inevitable.

Any physician or hospital not using Ligozone will be gladly supplied for a test.

Fevers—Gall Stones
Scurvy—Gout
Scrophulous—Gleets
Tuberculosis—Gonorrhea
Venereal Diseases
Women's Diseases
All diseases that begin with fever—all infectious diseases—all contagious diseases—all the results of fever or poisoned blood.

In nervous debility Ligozone acts as a vitalizer, accumulating what no drugs can do.

50c. Bottle Free.

If you need Ligozone, and have never tried it, please send us this coupon. We will then mail you an order on a local druggist for a full-size bottle, and we will pay the druggist ourselves for it. This is our free gift, made to convince you; to show you what Ligozone is, and what it can do. In justice to yourself, please, accept it to-day, for it places you under no obligation whatever.

Ligozone costs 50c. and \$1.

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I have never tried Ligozone, but if you will supply me a 50c. bottle free I will take it.

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if you wish to retain the natural colors in your clothes.

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has peculiar qualities of washing clothes, without injury and with perfect cleanliness.

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SURPRISE

That Hacking Cough! Keeps You Awake at Night?

Then Get Rid Of It.

Stop and consider that neglected coughs and colds, if not cured immediately, are followed by Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Catarrh, and Consumption. Better cure your cold now with a few doses of

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP.

It is a pleasant, safe, and effectual medicine that may be confidently relied upon.

Mrs. Brenton Smith, Pembroke, N.S., writes: "Some time ago I was troubled with a bad cough, and thought I would try your valuable cough mixture, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I purchased a bottle, and as soon as I began taking it I could tell it was helping me. I kept on, and in a short time my cough was cured. I would advise anyone suffering with a cough to get a bottle, for it will soothe, heal and cure."

Price 25 cents.

Get Dr. Wood's. Refuse substitutes.

THE T. MILBURN CO., LIMITED, TORONTO, ONT.

In the Squab Loft.

It cannot too often be said that unwanted pigeons in a loft can do more harm to the workers than can be estimated in a few words, says the Feather. Never allow unwanted or non-working pigeons to stay in the squab loft with the active producers. If you intend keeping any of the young squabs you grow for breeders remove them into a separate loft as soon as they are weaned and able to care for themselves.

When to Build a Henhouse. Poultry houses should never be built so late in the season that time will not permit them to be thoroughly dried before the winter season sets in.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY.

As mercury will destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c. per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Chickens and Bacteria.

Some German experiments are reported in which chicks were hatched out and fed in such a way and under such conditions as to exclude all bacteria, says American Poultry Journal. The chicks ate well and regularly and apparently digested their food normally. Nevertheless they did not gain in weight and died after about twenty days. Upon examination the droppings were found free from bacteria. Other chicks fed normally gained about three times their original weight during the same period. Part of the chicks used in the test were inoculated with intestinal bacteria from normal chicks, after which they soon became strong and gained in weight.

HOW PNEUMONIA STARTS.

You catch a little cold to-day, by to-morrow it has reached the throat, next day the lungs are affected, and you wish you had used "Catarrh-zone," which kills colds in five minutes. In the first place Catarrh-zone soothes the irritated membranes and relieves congestion—then it cuts out the phlegm and destroys the germs. It enables the blood to retain a natural supply of oxygen, lung-food, and vitality. In any cough, bronchitis or lung affection it's guaranteed to positively cure. Decline any substitute for "Catarrh-zone."

A fire may gain great headway, but when the engines come it then feels quite put out about it.

I was cured of a bad case of Grip by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Sydney C. B. I was cured of loss of voice by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Yarmouth. I was cured of Sciatic Rheumatism by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Barin, Nfld. LEWIS S. BUTLER.

Some false teeth look so natural that they ought to ache.



AN AMUSING TOY.

The Way to Make and Use the Trick Blowpipe.

Take an ordinary tobacco pipe and stop the bowl with a tightly fitting cork. The pipe may be either a wooden or a clay one, but it should be new and clean.

Bore a small hole through the cork, near one side, just big enough to hold a straw. The straw should be a little longer than the cork, and at the top it should be slit down an inch or so and the pieces spread out in the form of a funnel.

Or you may use a small glass tube with a little paper funnel pasted to the top of it. If the straw or tube does not



BLOWPIPE AND GALLOWES.

At the hole exactly a little wax at the top will make the joint air tight. Now take another cork, cut it down to a round ball as big as a small marble, "a niggler," and pierce it through the center with a long hairpin from which you have broken off the greater part of one leg. The straight end should stick farther out of the ball than the other, so that the hooked end will be higher and will stay on top. Now in the other side of the large cork nearest the stem of the pipe stick a long wire, bent over and above and ending in a hook exactly over the little funnel and three or four inches above it.

Then drop the cork ball into the funnel, put the pipe to your lips and blow. Your breath rushing up the little tube will lift the light ball and keep it dancing in the air for a second or two. When it falls the funnel catches it, and your breath sends it up again.

The trick is to make the hook attached to the ball catch on the hook above so that the ball remains suspended; that is all.—New York Mail.

SPELLING GAMES.

A Good Way For Girls and Boys to Amuse Themselves.

There are several kinds of spelling games which can be played in the same way, one of the most amusing being as follows: A long word, such as "catastrophe," is given out, and each player writes it down at the top of his paper. Five minutes are given in which to write down any words which can be made out of the letters in "catastrophe" which begin with the letter C (such as cat, cot, cast, cate, cape, cape, cost). When this is over the same thing is done with the next letter, and all the players write down A, with A, ate, ape, etc., underneath.

When the word is finished one of the party reads aloud the words he has found, and every one runs a line through any word of which he has the duplicate. Each player reads aloud in turn, and a mark is allowed for words which no one else has thought of. If possible, the selected word should be one in which no letter occurs twice.

Another variation of the spelling game is called the "cate" game. A quarter of an hour is given, in which all the players have to write down as many words as they can think of ending in "cate," such as delicate, advocate, vacate, and at the end of the time one of the company reads the words aloud. If more than one person has thought of a word it does not count. The prize is given to the person who has found out more words than any one else.

A Soap Bubble Party.

Did you ever give a soap bubble party for your little friends? It is very amusing, and this is how you set about it:

Have five rings made of cardboard and wound round with tissue paper of bright colors in a doorway, suspended in a row by strings.

Each ring should measure about seven to nine inches across, but they need not all be the same size.

Have ready some bowls of strong soapuds in which a teaspoonful of glycerin has been dissolved and as many clay pipes as will be needed for yourself and your guests.

The players take turns in blowing their bubbles through the rings, and the one who succeeds in getting the most through without breaking them is declared the winner and gains a prize.—Exchange.

The Shortest Day.

A little day ran past Without a word from me; I thought it ran too fast. But that could hardly be, because a little boy next door, they say, found time to speak a happy word that day.

A little day was spent Almost before I knew; I wondered where it went. And so, indeed, would you if, at a sudden, at the set of sun you found how very little you had done work W. F. F. in Youth's Companion.

When Sickness Comes

There's always a need for Armour's Extract of Beef. It keeps up vitality and prevents excessive loss of flesh and strength. Its rich beefy flavor makes beef tea that is as appetizing as it is delicious and stimulating.

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"Boke" as a Speaker.

Notes often save a man from disaster, as they did the late Commander-in-Chief when he made his maiden speech in the House of Lords. As if to prove that physical courage has little to do with the successful accomplishment of such an ordeal, Lord Roberts was obviously nervous, and had not been speaking more than a couple of minutes when he totally forgot what he had intended to say. He began a search for his manuscript, which was of course in the last pocket in which he looked. And having found the right place in his notes he frankly read the rest of them to the House, who cheered him more loudly than they are accustomed to cheer in that august chamber.—London Chronicle.

THE POSTMASTER TELLS HIS SECRET

His Health Mainly Due to the Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Postmaster Lee Looks Ten Years Younger Than His Seventy-Six Years And He Gives The Credit To The Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Tabernacle, Cumberland Co., N. B., April 3.—(Special).—Horatio J. Lee, postmaster here, is now in his seventy-sixth year but so bright and healthy does he look and so energetic is he in his movements that he would easily pass for ten years younger.

"How do I keep young looking," the postmaster says, "Well, I attribute it largely to my good health and my health is mainly due to the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. 'I first learned the value of this Kidney Remedy some years ago. I was then suffering from Kidney Disease. My feet and legs swelled and I had to rise eight or ten times in the night because of urinary troubles. Six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills restored my health at that time and I have used them at intervals since."

"To anyone afflicted with Kidney Trouble I say 'Dodd's Kidney Pills are all right.' Try them and you will be sure to find a benefit."

A married man doesn't have to fail in order that his wife may be a preferred creditor.

Many men get the idea they know a great deal through women's flattery.

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Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant. Soap Powder dusted in the bath, softens the water and disinfects.

The success of perseverance. "Keeping on" brings the hoped-for result.

BABY'S ARMS.

Suffering Recipients of a Great Deal of Mistaken Kindness.

One afternoon a smartly gowned woman came down the steps of a fashionable New York apartment house leading a child by the hand. She was evidently in a hurry, and her quick, long strides made mighty paces for the tiny feet, which finally lost the power to take any steps at all. The woman, unwilling to be delayed by the child, hurried on, dragging the little one after her, deaf to the protesting wail that came from under the big hat atop the little figure at her side. On she went, anxious, no doubt, to make up time lost.

The people she met paid no heed. If one or two turned and gave a passing look to the pair it was merely to wonder absently why the child cried. But from across the street the driver of a coal cart, busy unloading coal into a hole in the sidewalk, caught sight of the woman and, with a brief exclamation intended for no one in particular, ran after her, calling loudly: "Madam, if you don't pick up that child I'll call a policeman. You'd ought to be ashamed to treat a baby worse'n you would a bull pup."

At first the mother paid no attention to the man unless inwardly to resent his interference. But as he repeated his threat she stopped, impatiently set the child on his feet, wiped his tears away, scolded him a little for crying, then went on at a pace the baby legs could keep, while the driver turned back to his cart, muttering, "If I'd struck one of them horses there'd 'a' been a dozen women's heads out of windows yelling at me to stop, and they'd let another woman yank the arm clear out of a baby's body and never say a word."

Fond fathers, good natured uncles, dodging grandfathers, have this sin to answer for as well as mothers, big sisters, aunts and grandmothers. Let those who have used baby's arm as a handle and who do not believe that they have sinned listen:

"Arms were only meant for certain purposes," says a specialist in one of our great New York hospitals for children. "A child's arm was never intended to be used as a parcel carrier, with fifty or a hundred pounds swung on it."

In the great free hospitals of New York are thousands of children whose misshapen, weak little bodies bear witness against the grown persons in their homes, for the nurses say that many of the physical defects of these children can be traced to this one cause—Bertha H. Smith in Good Housekeeping.

PARIS EVENING GOWNS.

Fabric and Garniture are Very Costly, but the Latter is Simply Used. Evening toilets are costly in their dress and garniture, which latter, however, is used very discreetly. The style



CHIC EVENING GOWN.

of the best models may also be considered more or less simple, rendering an abundance of tissue quite unnecessary. Exquisite lace incrustations, mousseline flower decoration, jewel or palette embroidery are delicately used and never introduced heavily or with the idea of showing an elaborate trimming. Soft, simple velvets require less decoration than crepes de chine, mousselines or tulle and tulle.

The sketch of an evening gown shows a becoming model made in blue tulle. The plain, full skirt is effectively garnished with narrow ruchings of plaited valenciennes lace. The corsage is draped crosswise above a corset of tulle embroidered in pearl and sequins. The chemise of fine white mousseline is interlaced with blue ribbon.—E. de C. B.

Echoes of Fashion. No halfway prevails in fash. They are either very small or extremely large.

Back and side combs for the coiffure so uniformly worn are of shell, with gold mountings, enriched with pearls or diamonds, but variations upon these styles are many.

Very striking are the bright red girdles having a conventional design in cut steel.

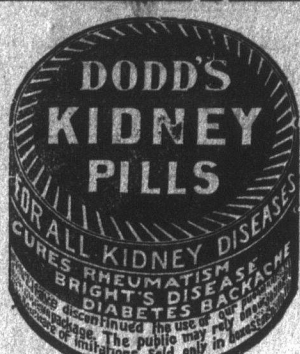
Chiffon velvet is counted as one of the smartest materials for ceremonious costumes.

The low cut, exaggerated type of straight fronted corset is quite out of the running. The cultivation of the waist has again set in.

Startling contrasts, such as dahlias over mauve, red and blue green, violet and rose, brown and rose, enter into the new color scheme.

Some of the buildings on dressy tailor-made gowns are elaborate, but much of the smartness is centered in the waistcoats.

A flowered silk velvet bow in the hat of the same material as the fancy waistcoat is a smart new conceit.



KEEPING UP YOUR COURAGE.

There is first the belief that we are well and capable of continuing so. That is nothing more than faith in our own human powers. It is a faith that every self respecting person should have. Do not abuse the organs of the body, and then there will be no necessity of thinking of them and wondering if they are working all right. By dwelling too much upon some weakness we can always aggravate it through nervous reaction. This in some cases can become such a confirmed habit that serious troubles will be induced. There are many patients in the world today who might be up and around, enjoying good health, if they but willed that they should do so. They are invalids through lack of force of character, for will makes character of one sort or another.

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HOUSE TO RENT OR FOR SALE or to exchange for farm property; handsome brick house with three acres, orchard and outbuildings, on Park avenue; all modern conveniences. Apply to Wm. Carswell, on the premises, or Chatham P. O.

HOUSE TO RENT—On Joseph St., brick, city water, gas and electric light. Will be vacant on April 15. Large garden and a number of choice fruit trees. Apply to Mrs. Gould, over W. E. Rispin's ticket office, King street.

HOUSES FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Four new houses on Queen street, ready to occupy by April 20; fitted with complete heating, painting, gas and electric light. Apply to Wm. Carswell, Park avenue, or Chatham P. O.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT—The North half of Lot 9, Concession 5, Township of Chatham, containing 100 acres, 1.2 miles from Darvell station, 6 miles from Chatham. For further particulars apply to Thomas Campbell, St. Clair street, or address Box 243, Chatham P. O.

FARM FOR SALE—North east half of Lot 16, Front concession, Township of Harwich, 133 acres. All cleared, clay loam, two good sized frame houses, large frame barn and cattle shed; stable and driveway combined; granary and implement house. Buildings all in good repair; about five acres of orchard; artesian well, windmill and pump; three other wells. Price \$5,000.00. Apply on the premises to Mrs. John J. Warrath, or to W. F. Smith, barrister and solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

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WEST RIDING OF KENT

LICENSE TRANSFER

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the License Commissioners of the West Riding of Kent, to allow a transfer of license of the Park House, city of Chatham, from Timothy and Joseph McQueen to Peter Tolouse, of the city of Chatham.

And further, take notice, that a meeting of the commissioners will be held at my office, Harrison Hall, on Saturday, the 29th day of April, at 2 o'clock p.m., for hearing and considering the said transfer of license.

W. A. MILLS, Inspector.

Chatham, March 29th, 1905.

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Priestley's Mohair Lustres in colors Browns, Green, Cardinals, Navy, etc., 42 in. wide, extra value at per yard, 50c.

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HOLY TRINITY'S NEW RECTOR
INDUCTED YESTERDAY MORNING

Canon Hill, of St. Thomas, Officiated—The Rev. James Walter Hodgins Preached his First Sermon Last Night—Made a Strong Impression

The Rev. James Walter Hodgins, late of Seaford, was inducted as rector of Holy Trinity Church yesterday morning and in the evening he preached his first sermon as pastor. There was a large attendance in the evening and the congregation had the pleasure of listening to a splendid sermon, logical and convincing. Mr. Hodgins has a clear, pleasant voice and is an acquisition to the preaching fraternity of this city. His manner is pleasant and once again Holy Trinity Church is in charge of a rector of much more than ordinary merit.

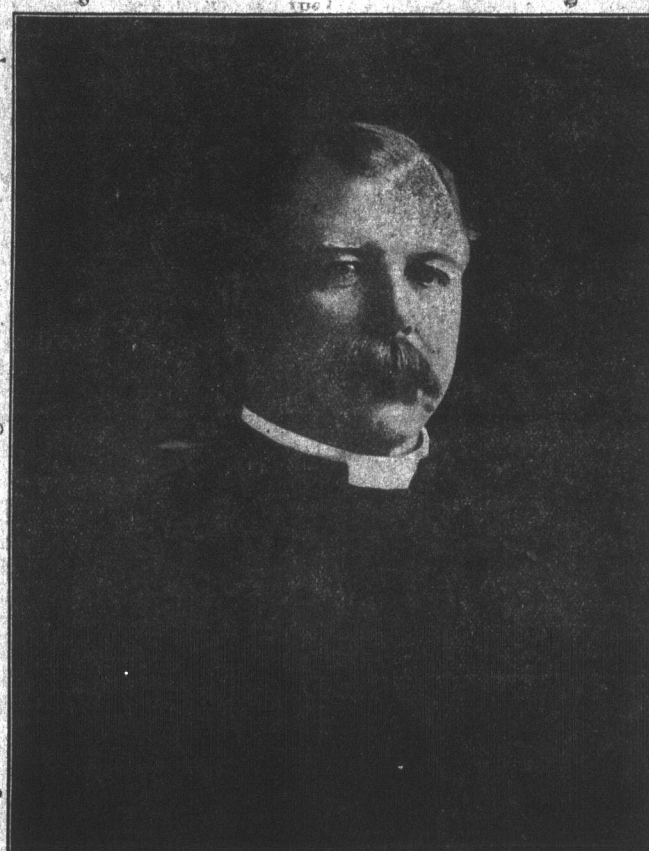
Yesterday morning, Canon Hill, of St. Thomas, read the Bishop's warrant and inducted the Rev. Mr. Hodgins as pastor of Holy Trinity Church, and Wardens C. E. Beeson and W. J. Moore formally handed

keep you, rector and people, and so fill you with spiritual benediction and grace that you may so live together in this life that in the world to come you may have life everlasting.

The Rev. Mr. Hodgins preached his first sermon in the evening from the text: "Wherefore I take you to record this day that I am pure from the blood of all men. For I have not shunned to declare unto you all the counsels of God."

He said that he thought it proper that he should preach from the above text as this was the day of the commencement of a compact between Holy Trinity church and himself. His responsibility was great as he had to answer for how he acted and spoke. He also wished to say that a great responsibility was also laid on the church.

Two great difficulties confronted the minister. One was to see that he made clear the proper meaning of what he taught. The depth and



THE REV. JAMES WALTER HODGINS

THE NEW RECTOR OF HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

over the keys. Mr. Hodgins accepted the charge.

Canon Hill preached a very appropriate sermon from the text, "So they read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense and caused them to understand the reading." He said that he would endeavor to gather some practical lessons concerning the duties of the rector and of the members of the church and the adherents. The pulpit was the place from which God's law was read and expounded. The whole Bible was a book of God's will. How the Bible should be handled in the pulpit was suggested in the text. The duty of the pulpit was to give the sense of the Scripture and when the pulpit faithfully gave the sense and caused the people to understand, then the pulpit's power for good transcended the possibility of human calculation. The living voice of the living man was more powerful for good than the mere printed page. A great responsibility rested upon the minister as an ambassador for Christ. God spoke to the people by him.

No man stood more in need of the daily support of grace and guidance from on high than did the minister. Therefore, the congregation of Holy Trinity Church should constantly and carefully pray for their minister and should beseech the Holy Spirit to guide him. It was also the duty of the congregation to all "gather themselves together as one man" twice a day on Sunday. It was grand to see a congregation so gathered and it was a wonderful help and stimulus and encouragement to a new rector. The congregation should also join heartily in the prayers offered by the minister. They should also remember that it was one thing to listen to a minister and quite another thing to put his teachings in practice.

Canon Hill ended with the benediction from the marriage ceremony, in which he united pastor and people, as follows:—"God bless you, brother; God bless you, people of Trinity Church. May the Lord bless and

height, the length and breadth of God's word was so great that it was not always possible to fully comprehend it. Therefore the congregation would of necessity have to be charitable in their criticism of him. The other difficulty was that in preaching the full counsel of God he was apt to make an enemy of the carnal man. He had not only to preach and advise, but it was his duty in visiting them to point out the whole counsel of God. He would be glad to be able to say when leaving them the words Paul had used in the text. When the people did well in standing to the Christian church Paul commended. If they transgressed he admonished them, but he always faithfully and honestly set the right before them. The Rev. Mr. Hodgins promised to try to follow in Paul's footsteps.

At the morning service the new rector regretted that the Lenten services had not been held regularly in Holy Trinity church, but he promised to see that these services were attended to as far as possible for the rest of Lent. The first evening service will be held on Wednesday evening. He also stated that he would be unable to visit any but the sick till after Lent.

At both services excellent music was rendered by the choir under the direction of Mrs. R. V. Bray.

There is no harm in thinking you are just a little better than the average individual.

Absence to love is like water upon fire, a little quickens, but much extinguishes it.

The greatest trust between man and man is the trust of giving counsel.

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MANY FIRMS BURNED OUT.

Three Firemen Injured in Two Fires at Montreal.

Montreal, April 3.—The warehouse of Joseph Ward & Co., on the north side of Youville square, is a ruin this morning. A fire started there Saturday night, and the loss, mostly to the building, is roughly valued at \$50,000. Three firms occupied the building.

A second fire was in Craig street, in a building owned by D. A. McCaskill, now in Italy, and the following firms suffered losses as follows: Canada Trust Factory, \$1,000; Buntin, Gillis & Co., wholesale paper dealers, \$5,000; J. Cohen & Co., wholesale clothing, \$500; Abbey Effervescence Salt Co., Limited, \$10,000, fully insured; G. W. Dawson, die sinker and engraver, \$2,000; N. Tourangeau & Co., manufacturers of trusses, \$2,500; L. E. & A. F. Waters, printers, \$7,000; Royal Dye Works, \$300; Rice, Johnston & Gladwin, photo supplies, \$2,500; Carters' Ink Co., \$2,000.

Firemen, Charbonneau, Culley, Thom and Melloyer were injured, but will recover.

TOLD TO STAB AND SHE DID.

Girl's Anger and Youth's Folly Lead to a Tragedy.

Lancaster, Pa., April 3.—Ralph W. Kline, aged 28 years, an artist, was fatally stabbed yesterday by Jennie Good, aged 18.

Kline and Miss Good were members of a party who were fishing in the Little Conestoga, near Long Park. Kline and the girl had a quarrel, during which Miss Good threatened to cut out his heart. Thinking that she would not execute her threat, Kline threw out his chest and told her to stab. She did, plunging a knife into his breast near the heart. He is at a hospital, unconscious. The girl fled and has not yet been arrested.

CHINESE MINERS STRIKE.

Serious Disturbances in Krugersdorp Results in Many Injured.

Johannesburg, April 3.—There was a serious disturbance near Krugersdorp on Saturday, arising out of a strike of Chinese miners. The police were called upon to restore order and in the conflict which followed several of the police and many Chinenmen were injured. Numerous arrests were made.

Seagull Bought by Government.

Windsor, April 3.—The Department of Marine and Fisheries has purchased the steel steamer Seagull from the Far-ry Sound Lumber Co. and will use her as a lighthouse supply boat. The Seagull was built at Toronto in 1886, and measures 555 gross tons.

Happiness is found frequently in the most commonplace occurrences.

SATCHEL OF
THE SATELLITE

That new electric road will doubt send a wire to Wallace.

The electric road's brilliant eclipsed the new market in the eye.

I expect to see a rail connecting Chatham and Burg soon.

Even the weather man fails predictions and destroys his denise in him.

You have probably noticed H. Bowyer has the interests of constituents at heart.

When that electric railroad is built there'll be some new ties that will bind Chatham and Wallaceburg in close union.

I wonder if those duffers down at Toronto feel sufficiently honored? The editor of this G. H. J. is visiting them this week.

The only reason that there is no news of another Russian defeat is because Oyama's legs are not quite as long as Linievitch's.

The editor's away and natural things aren't running just as smoothly around here as usual. If you notice any rough places in the paper, smooth them out yourself.

ALL A BLUFF! A Satellite admits that he is so supremely wise. I admit that I am supremely foolish. Each admission as our acquaintances know, a w hime piece of bluff—Banner.

WILD BIRDS

T. W. Smythe, Wellington, N.Z., is very much interested in T. Planet's crusade to stop the slaughter of the robins and the other feathered friends of the fruit grower. Mr. Smythe points out that the County Council in the native island of Lincoln, England, has taken a matter up and advertise in the papers that any one killing the wild birds or destroying their eggs will be promptly punished. In this way the penalty is kept forcibly before the thoughtless people.

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