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## MR. S. SOMERS IS WARDEN

Popular Member from Wallaceburg Elected by a Large Majority

### READY FOR BUSINESS

Mr. Shepard Somers, of Wallaceburg, one of the most respected residents in Kent, is elected Warden of the County for the year 1907.

This, in short, is a summary of the business transacted by the County Council this morning, and the result of the proceedings is generally looked upon with favor. The election was not in doubt for a minute. It was easily seen whom the Council wanted to rule over their proceedings during the next twelve months. They realized that Mr. Somers is one of the oldest members of the board, and has always proven himself a capable representative. There were other good men at the board, men who would fill the position with credit, but there were none more deserving of the honor than Mr. Somers.

There were several good men nominated, but all withdrew with the exception of Mr. Johns, who stood against Mr. Somers. Mr. Somers was not nominated at the first ballot, owing to a misunderstanding, and when all withdrew but Mr. Johns, that gentleman (Mr. Johns) very generously moved that the rules be suspended in order to let Mr. Somers be nominated. He was applauded for his action in so doing. The vote was a decisive one, 18-4, in favor of Mr. Somers. Mr. Somers himself voted for his opponent, Mr. Johns.

### TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Kent's new County Parliament is holding forth in the city this week. All the representatives of the various municipalities arrived in town yesterday with the exception of the Reeve of Ridgeway, who through some unavoidable oversight failed to get his certificate of qualification. The first session of the Council held yesterday afternoon, commencing at 4:40. The Clerk read over the list of the newly elected Councillors, and asked if the Council deemed it necessary that a committee be appointed to look into their credentials. This was the practice followed by the previous Councils, but as the new Act does not specify that the credentials shall be examined, the members deemed the proceedings unnecessary.

It was moved by Councillor McLarty, seconded by Councillor Brien, that owing to the oversight in the representative of Ridgeway not having his credentials, that the Council adjourn till Wednesday morning at ten o'clock, to select a Warden.

Councillor Rankin inquired if this motion were legal.

County Solicitor John Walker replied that under the provisions of the new Act, the motion was legal.

The motion, when put to a vote, was carried unanimously.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Before the business of electing a Warden Mr. W. C. Crawford addressed the chair. When he announced his intention to run for Warden he thought that all of the men of the Council would be new men. He, however, continued on Page 4.

## ROOT PROUD OF CANADA

Speaks To Ottawa Canadian Club In Notable Address

### MR. CLEMENTS ON FRUIT

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—On account of the illness of Earl Grey's daughter at Government House, United States Secretary Root left Ottawa yesterday afternoon.

He was entertained at lunch by the Canadian Club, and made a notable address, which was received with enthusiasm.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier followed in a very happy speech, in which he proposed the sentiment, "God Bless the King: God Bless the President." Mr. Root, after voicing his appreciation of the honor conferred on him by the presence at the luncheon table of the Governor-General and the Premier, said that another kindly greeting had been received since he took his seat at the table, "from a gentleman, who, for reasons which you will readily appreciate, was unable to obtain a seat in the room." He then read the telegraphic despatch from Jamaica to Washington, expressing Governor Swettenham's thanks for the "very practical aid so kindly given by Admiral Davis." His address was redolent of good-will to Canada, of which he was proud.

Mr. Root will be the guest of Lord Strathcona in Montreal until Thursday, when he will return to Washington.

### VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.

Commons Bill of Fare—Strong Pleas Made for Measure of Protection for Vegetable Growers.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—In the House yesterday, upon the usual motion to go into committee of ways and means, Mr. Staples (Con., Manitoba) called attention to an order-in-council, whereby some 17 or 18 sections of swamp land in Manitoba had been leased to Senator Kirchhoff for 20 years at an annual rental of \$3, being equivalent to 3-4 of a cent per acre. He reviewed generally the question of the swamp lands, which had been taken by the Dominion Government, and the province had suffered injustice. Extravagant charges had been made against the province on that account. He demanded the question of offense be canceled, that the Kirchhoff lease be canceled.

Mr. Schaffner (Con., Manitoba) objected to great tracts of land being leased to Senator Kirchhoff and other wealthy men for game preserves, instead of being thrown open for settlement.

Mr. Oliver claimed that this lease had not yet been executed. In view of the protests received, it would not be executed.

Tariff and Market Gardeners. The House then took up the tariff, when the item of tomatoes on the agricultural schedule was reached, duty being fixed at 75c per 100 pounds. W. P. Maclean (South York) protested against the very small measure of protection thus offered to the market gardeners.

Mr. Blain (Peel) supported Mr. Maclean's contention.

Mr. Armstrong (E. Lambton) urged an increase on duty.

Mr. Clements (W. Kent) urged an increase, and Arch Campbell (Centre York) urged the Government to reconsider this item.

Mr. Fielding said he thought the tomato grower will be well content with this duty, better content than all they wanted. The rate will probably be between 25 and 30 per cent.

After some further discussion, in which Mr. Lancaster (Lincoln and Niagara) and E. D. Smith (Wentworth) also participated, the Government permitted this item to stand over.

Preference Works Hard. On the item of canned pickles Mr. Robitaille (County Quebec) made a strong protective speech.

Mr. Henderson (Halton) blamed the British preference for fostering a spirit among the people in favor of imported goods.

Mr. Wright (Renfrew) protested against a high tariff on fruit.

Dr. Reid (Grenville) intimated that he was opposed to the preferential tariff and to many other parts of the tariff, but the Government, he supposed, would stick to the bill as drafted, and pay no attention to any argument.

Dr. Sproule made a strong plea for a high tariff on fruit.

Mr. Paterson pointed out that the farmers of the Northwest were not fruit growers. They were consumers of fruit, and should be considered from that point of view.

Mr. Knowles (Lib., W. Assinaboia) opposed any increase in the duty on fruit, and Mr. Lancaster insisted upon an increase. The item was allowed to stand.

Mr. Macdonnell (S. Toronto) opposed a specific duty on melons, and this item also stood over.

### No Election Until 1908.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—At the Liberal caucus yesterday a significant fact was the statement by Sir Richard Cartwright that there would be no general election until the summer of 1908.

## BRIDANT TELLS HIS STORY

Wife Asked For Dr. DeVoss And Pills Were Bought

### THE MEDICAL TESTIMONY

Toronto, Jan. 23.—The Bridant murder case will go to the jury to-day. The cross-examination of Bridant was not concluded, as the crown prosecutor wished time to read letters, that were put in as exhibits.

Sergeant Duncan described the visit to the Bristol apartments shortly after the woman's death. Bridant, after being cautioned in his room, acted frankly, and gave information which led to the invading of the premises of "Dr. De Voss" (Mrs. Miller), and the seizure of a large quantity of pills, etc., etc.

Pills Contained Ergot. Drs. A. R. Pyne and Johnson testified that these pills contained iron, sulphate, licorice and something else, which they could not determine. These pills were similar to those sold in drug stores. Dr. Johnson said they were of a mixture which sometimes had been used for the purpose of abortion. In this case, Dr. Johnson, who made the post-mortem, was of the opinion that death was due to blood-poisoning.

The father of the deceased, Ernest Villard, testified that on one occasion when she visited Kingston he found a box of "Dr. De Voss" pills in her possession and threw them in the fire. Mrs. Bridant, a sister of deceased, testified that on her deathbed Agnes told her, "He forced me to take them because he didn't want any more little ones around to make his home unhappy."

Accused On Stand. Then Mr. Neville, for the defence, called his client, the accused, Bridant stood his examination and cross-examination well. He was cool and collected all through, but evidently on the defensive, thoroughly realizing that every word he spoke would tell for or against him.

Bridant said his wife was continually complaining of her health, but objected to having a regular physician see her. She preferred "Dr. De Voss," and gave as her reason that there was a lady attendant. He went with her to see the "Dr." and Mrs. Miller, who asked Mrs. Bridant a number of questions, and finally sold her some pills, for which she paid \$5.

Witness denied emphatically knowing anything about the elm bark pills, or that his wife had gone back to Mrs. Miller for a second treatment, until the midnight before she died. Then she asked him to get her morphine to deaden her suffering. She said she had hurt herself, and directed him to a drawer in the dresser, where he found two pieces of elm bark, which she said she had used on herself, under instructions from Mrs. Miller.

### Unhappy Married Life.

Witness further swore he never struck his wife. They were married on July 27, 1902. They lived together for six months after marriage, were parted for six months, were together again for 13 months, and separated for 16 months. Witness reiterated that he did not know what his wife was trying to do when she took the pills. He thought his sister-in-law was angry at him because he found fault with her actions. He blamed her for some of the trouble between his wife and himself. The sister-in-law said to him, "You should cover up what Agnes (the wife) did last summer."

Crown Attorney Corley told of the visit to Mrs. Miller's, when Bridant was arrested. They met a young woman there waiting to see Mrs. Miller. Bridant said to the young woman, "Do not take any of her medicines; she has caused my wife's death."

Mr. Neville then called Dr. Sloan, surgeon at the Central Prison, but Chief Justice Meredith refused to admit his evidence. Mr. Neville wished to prove that letters Mrs. Bridant wrote about Dr. De Voss were lies, and that any statements she made verbally might be doubted.

The cross-examination of Bridant this morning will send the case to the jury.

## FACTS !!

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## ALL THE MEN WERE THERE

Champion Heavy Weight Of World Makes Bow Before Local Audience

### THE CANADIAN ATHLETE

Tommy Burns, who fought a draw battle with Jack O'Brien for the heavy-weight championship of the world, was in the city last night, and appeared before a very large audience of men in the Brisco Opera House. He made a little speech and did so with a great deal of grace. In it he thanked the big audience for coming to see him, and the moving pictures of the championship fight, and also announced that if he were successful in his next contest with O'Brien, which takes place next May, he will challenge the big Jeffries. If he can coax him out of retirement, he was greeted with round after round of applause, both when he made his appearance on the stage and when he made his extraordinary announcement.

The audience was composed chiefly of men, although there were a few women present. Some of the women stayed for the finish and others left before the performance was over. Men of all classes were there—the recognized sportsmen, enthusiastic young men, old men, middle aged men, society men, loud men and quiet men, married men and single men, and men whose wives no doubt pictured them keeping important business engagements up town, or studiously working over books and figures. It was a mixed audience, active of all religious denominations—men who were lukewarm and indifferent. It was rather amusing to see a few enter timidly when the lights went out and, after glancing cautiously around, seat themselves at the rear. One thing sure, everyone enjoyed the pictures and the boxing, and no one saw anything which, in the opinion of the authorities, was out of the way, or harmful to the moral standing of the community.

The evening opened with the pictures of the training quarters of the contestants, showing the men boxing and exercising with their trainers. The pictures of the fight itself were good, showing both Burns and O'Brien exactly as they appeared in the ring, and giving every movement of the two men during the fight. It was easy to follow, and it was realistic in the extreme.

During one of the intermissions, Burns and his trainer, Jimmy Burns, gave a three round boxing exhibition, which was very interesting and showed off the champion in excellent style.

Burns, whose right name is Nash Brusso, is a fine specimen of humanity, medium height, well proportioned, with muscles protruding like ball of iron. Stripped, he is perfect, and his short workout with his trainer showed that he has an eye as sharp as a needle, with all the necessary quickness of arm and foot. It is no wonder he is an idol of the ring. In his fight with O'Brien, the story of which is well known, he is shown always on the attack with the persistence of a bulldog.

Considerable applause was given throughout the evening, and the feeling of the house was clearly in favor of the Canadian champion. At the opening of the evening Burns left it with the audience to judge whether or not he should have been given the decision, and at the end of the fight the audience agreed with him. Burns' friends claim the fight for him, and as was announced last evening, he is the first man to bring the heavy-weight championship to Canada.

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The Hospital had last year in its beds and cots 834 patients—331 of these were from 231 places outside of Toronto. The cost is 1.37 cts. per patient per day, and there were 128 sick little ones a day in the Hospital. Since its foundation the Hospital has treated 12,120 children. About 8,500 of these were unable to pay and were treated free.

Your money can put golden hinges on the door of the Hospital's mercy. Every body's dollar may be the friend in need to somebody's child.

Your dollar may be a door of hope to somebody's child. The Hospital pays out dividends of health and happiness to suffering childhood on every dollar that is paid by friends of little children.

If you know of any child in your neighborhood who is sick or crippled or has club feet send the parent's name to the Hospital.

See what can be done for club-foot children. There were 36 like cases last year and hundreds in 31 years.

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## FORCE GETS THEM COAL

People Of Grenfell, Sask., Hold Up C. P. R. Train

### RAIL ACROSS THE TRACK

Grenfell, Sask., Jan. 22.—When the train pulled into Windhurst, about twenty miles south of here, last Friday morning the entire adult male population was there to meet it. They asked the conductor for part of a car of coal, and offered payment therefor, and on being refused nine of the men armed themselves with shovels and picks, which had been hidden in the snow, boarded the car and shovelled out the coal, leaving enough to run the train to the next station and return, while nine others threw a rail across the track in front of the engine and fastened it down with chains, and, despite the curses and threats of shooting, prevented the crew from moving the train. They gave their names to the conductor, and one of them drove to Grenfell yesterday morning and sent a report to the C. P. R. headquarters by mail, giving a list of the names and the amount of coal each was getting and offering payment therefor. They are now awaiting developments, but will be able to keep themselves warm while doing so.

Coal Handlers' Strike. Edmonton, Sask., Jan. 22.—The Coal Handlers' Union here struck Sunday for an increase from \$1 to \$1.50 per ton for hauling coal from the mines. The Miners' Union is behind them, and the situation is serious.

### HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Debates Existence of Lumber Trust—Mr. Aylesworth's Railway Bill.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—On account of the state dinner to be given last night at Government House in honor of the American visitors, the House adjourned at 6 o'clock. Little was done except to debate the existence and evils of the lumber trust.

Mr. Oliver, on behalf of the Government, consented to the appointment of a committee of enquiry and investigation, but the debate went on, notwithstanding, and will be resumed on Wednesday.

Mr. Aylesworth introduced a bill to amend the Railway Act. The first section authorizes the Railway Board to apply to the Minister of Justice for the assignment of legal counsel, and authorizes the Minister to make such appointments. Another section deals with the registration of mortgages given by railway companies to secure bonds.

Another bill by Mr. Aylesworth confers some additional powers upon the commissioner of the Northwest Territory and commissioned officers of the N.W.M.P.

### "NO RELIEF NEEDED."

Significant Cable From the Canadian Agent in Jamaica.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—The following telegram was received at the Department of Trade and Commerce yesterday from the Department's commercial agent in Jamaica: "Earthquake followed by fire last night. Large loss of life and individual loss in Kingston. Island not seriously affected otherwise. No relief required. Have information published in principal centres. (Signed) Eustache Burke."

Toronto, Jan. 22.—The City Council yesterday endorsed the action of the Board of Control in granting \$5,000 for the relief of the sufferers in Jamaica, and ordered the City Treasurer to act at once.

Earth Still Shaking. St. Petersburg, Jan. 22.—Severe earthquake shocks are reported from Alexandrovsk, the port of Sakhalin and Elizabethpol.

### LOOK FOR POISON.

Death of Henry Perkins of Canfield Being Inquired Into.

Cayuga, Jan. 22.—Sensational evidence will likely be forthcoming at Coroner Arrell's inquest to-day into the death of Henry Perkins, the Canfield farmer, who, on Sunday, Dec. 23, walked out to his farm, and on his return complained of being ill. Dr. Kerr of Dunnville was immediately called in, and diagnosed the case as perforation of the stomach. On Christmas morning, Perkins was dead. Later the body was exhumed, and the stomach sent to Prof. Ellis to Toronto. His report, it is said, will prove startling.

Mrs. Perkins, a woman of 35 years of age, is at present living with her sister, Mrs. Romain Hislop, in this town.

It is given out on authority that in all probability arrests will follow the verdict of the jury to-day.

### C. P. R. to Spend Millions.

Montreal, Jan. 22.—Vice-President Whitney of the C. P. R., having concluded his conference with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, it is announced that six or seven millions will be spent next year, and that the independent line from Winnipeg to Edmonton, via Saskatoon, will be pushed ahead with all possible speed. A number of branch lines will also be built.

### Uttered Forged Cheque.

Brantford, Jan. 22.—The case of Fred Babcock and Elvira Gottschalk, for issuing and obtaining money on forged cheques, was heard at the Police Court yesterday. Babcock was found guilty of uttering and obtaining money on a forged cheque. He was sent up for trial, Elvira Gottschalk was released on suspended sentence.

## ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

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### THE GROWTH OF TROUT.

Age, Food and Temperature Seem to Have No Relation to Size.

The Salvelinus fontinalis, which is currently but inaccurately called brook trout, was supposed for many years to be a small fish. Agassiz was largely instrumental in exploding this fallacy. It is not an uncommon thing for an angler with ordinary luck to get a six or seven pound trout of this variety. It is known that a trout may grow to weigh eleven or twelve pounds. There is, however, great difficulty in accounting for its variation in size.

In northeastern Canada there are large streams and lakes in which only fingerlings have ever been found. In the immediate vicinity of such water three and four pound trout are quite common, and seven and eight pounders are not phenomenal. In all these waters crustacea do not abound; there are no small fish of any kind except small trout. All the fish are pure fly feeders. At some places, it is true, frogs abound, but taken as a whole, the difference in food supply is not an adequate explanation for the difference in growth.

There is no substantial difference in the waters as to temperature, size, origin, course, climatic conditions are the same. The small trout taken from virgin lakes in which there are no fish, have sometimes grown to a great size, have sometimes remained small, and sometimes have not thriven. The anglers who hunt these waters have not yet found a satisfactory explanation of this peculiar condition of things. It is one of the mysteries which lend fascination to the art. "You never can tell what is going to happen when you go fishing."

### A New York Jeweler.

There had been a difference of opinion as to whether the bill had been paid. It resulted in favor of the customer, and the collector from the jewelry establishment on Fifth avenue called to apologize. "Perhaps you will be willing to pardon the mistake," he said. "If you know how many accounts we have on our books, there are 60,000 of them, and we are sometimes likely therefore to make a mistake."

### Are You Tired, Nervous and Sleepless?

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The trouble with most tonics and medicines which have a large, lulling sale for a short time, is that they are largely composed of alcohol holding the drugs in solution. This alcohol shrinks up the red blood corpuscles, and in the long run greatly injures the system. One may feel exhilarated and better for the time being, yet in the end weakened and with vitality decreased. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery contains no alcohol. Every bottle of it bears upon its wrapper 'The Badge of Honesty,' in full list of all its several ingredients. For the drugstore to offer you something he claims is 'just as good' is to insult your intelligence.

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## LOSS IS A MILLION

Property Losses From Hurricane Lessened—There Were Four Deaths.

Buffalo, Jan. 22.—The hurricane which swept the Niagara frontier Sunday has subsided here, and a more extended examination of the damage to shipping lowers the original estimates. At the Port of Buffalo alone, however, it will amount to about \$1,000,000.

The high waters of Lake Erie receded yesterday, leaving some of the stranded lake liners high and dry on the sandy beaches. None of them appears to be seriously damaged, but the expense of getting them afloat again will be very heavy. They are grain-laden and valued at \$12,000,000.

The death list totals four. Three persons were killed in the collapse of buildings, and another was drowned in the lake while being brought to a place of safety.

Reports from nearby places are that much property loss was occasioned by the high winds.

Niagara Falls power is again running the street cars and lighting the city.

The United States Government sustains a loss of from \$100,000 to \$200,000 from destruction of breakwalls.

### St. Demas Church.

Godrich, Jan. 22.—The wind on Sunday played havoc with the recently finished Methodist Church. Through the destruction of a 30-foot brick chimney, tons of brick and mortar crashed through the steel roof, wrecking the magnificent organ and surrounding fixtures.

### Train Traffic Suspended.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 22.—Traffic on the Ohio River division of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad has been entirely suspended because of the flood. The Ohio River is still rising here at a stage of 40 feet, and industry is at a standstill.

### An Unlucky Spot.

Ingersoll, Jan. 22.—During Sunday's storm a large barn in course of erection on the farm of Thomas Thornton, West Zorra, was blown down. The building was being erected on the site of a barn destroyed by lightning last summer.

### Schooner Wrecked.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 22.—The three-masted American schooner Horace G. Morse, which sailed from here on Saturday noon for Philadelphia with a cargo of laths, was wrecked that evening during a blinding snowstorm on Bliss Point, down the bay. The schooner is a total wreck, and the captain and a seaman were drowned.

### An Official Enquiry.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Mr. Esme Howard, chargé d'affaires at the British embassy, called on acting United States Secretary of State Bacon last night, and presented a letter from Earl Grey, principal Secretary of State for Great Britain, regarding the Davis-Sweetnam incident. In his message Earl Grey says that he is causing an official enquiry to be made to determine the authenticity of the letter purporting to have been written by Governor Sweetnam to Rear-Admiral Davis.

### Will Not Notice Insult.

Washington, Jan. 22.—From official sources it is learned that no attention will be paid by the United States Government to the action of Governor Sweetnam of Jamaica, in asking Admiral Davis to withdraw his forces from Kingston. It is held here that the act of the Governor is that of a single individual, for which the British Government is in no manner to be held responsible.

### Partner of Cecil Rhodes Killed.

New York, Jan. 22.—William C. Ashwell of the stock exchange firm of Ashwell & Co. was killed yesterday by a street car. Mr. Ashwell was one of the early partners of the late Cecil Rhodes in the diamond fields of South Africa. He was one of the world's leading diamond experts.

### Hired Man Drowned.

North Toronto, Jan. 22.—A drowning took place on Sunday morning at 6:30 on the farm of Geo. S. Henry, reeve of York Township, when one of his hired men, Arthur Edge, met death. He was obliging a fellow employee who did not feel well in taking out the morning's supply of milk. He took a short cut over the Don, and the rig, horse and man were carried down stream. The horse was found down the river practically uninjured, the body of Edge three-quarters of a mile down the river. He was an Englishman in the employ of Mr. Henry for about two months, a married man, his wife also being employed with Mr. Henry. Two children are still in England.

### Young Geason Shot Himself.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—Policeman Edward Geason, whose 15-year-old son William was shot in a boarding house in New York, two weeks ago, has received a letter from his son's chum, Charles Serran. Young Serran wrote to say that Coburn, the lad who was alleged to have shot him, was discharged, the evidence showing that young Geason had accidentally shot himself while handling the revolver.

### Killed in Sight of Home.

Montreal, Jan. 22.—Joseph Charbonneau, freight conductor, was killed here at midnight Sunday night. He was just returning from Ottawa with his train and at Charlevoix street was run into by another heavy freight train. The caboose was smashed, bringing instant death to Charbonneau. He was a married man, 50 years of age. He met death within sight of his home.

### Alberta's Parliament.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 22.—The Legislature of Alberta will convene on Thursday, Jan. 24.

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TORONTO

### THE MARKETS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures. Closed Higher—Live Stock Markets. The Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, Jan. 21. Liverpool wheat futures closed today 1/4 higher than Saturday, and corn futures 1/4 higher.

At Chicago, May wheat closed 1/4 higher, and May corn 1/4 higher.

### WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

Winnipeg—Futures closed yesterday: Jan. 22 bid, May 70c, July 77c.

### LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

	May	July
New York	84 1/2	85 1/2
Detroit	84 1/2	85 1/2
Toledo	84 1/2	85 1/2
St. Louis	84 1/2	85 1/2
Minneapolis	84 1/2	85 1/2
Duluth	84 1/2	85 1/2

### TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

	Wheat	Barley	Oats	Rye
Wheat, spring, bush	80 00 to 80 00			
Wheat, fall, bush	0 85 to 0 88			
Wheat, red, bush	0 72 to 0 73			
Barley, bush	0 80 to 0 81			
Oats, bush	0 39 to 0 40			
Buckwheat, bush	0 55 to 0 56			
Rye, bush	0 70 to 0 72			

### LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, Jan. 21.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter wheat easy; March 6s 4 1/2, May 6s 3 1/2, July 6s 0 1/2.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, new 4s 8 1/2; do. old 4s 6 1/2. Futures quiet; Jan. 4s 2 1/2, March 4s 1 1/2.

Bacon—Long clear middles, light, quiet; 52s; long clear middles, heavy, quiet; 51s 6d; clear bellies quiet; 51s; shoulders, square, quiet; 51s 6d.

### NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Jan. 21.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 4200. Street prices: Extra creamery, 30c to 30 1/2c. Official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 10c to 12c; state, dairy, common to extra, 10c to 12c; renovated, common to extra, 10c to 12c; western, common to extra, 10c to 12c; western imitation creamery, extra, 2c; first, 2 1/2c to 2 3/4c.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1814; state, full cream, small and large, 10c to 12c; do. Oct., 10c to 12c; do. good to prime, 12 1/2c to 13c; do. winter cheese, large best, 12c; do. inferior, 11c to 12c; skims, 2c to 11c.

Eggs—Eastern; receipts, 9481; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 30c to 32c; do. choice, 30c to 32c; do. mixed and brown, extra, 28c to 31c; western, 30c; do. official price, first, 28c; second, 25c.

### CATTLE MARKET.

Cables Are Easier—Chicago Higher for Hogs and Cattle.

London, Jan. 21.—Liverpool and London cables are higher at 10 1/2c to 12 1/2c per lb. dressed weight. Exporter beef is quoted at 9c to 9 1/2c per lb.

### TORONTO JUNCTION LIVE STOCK.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 21.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 53 carloads, composed of 1800 cattle, 13 hogs, 239 sheep and 26 calves. The quality of fat cattle generally was not good, the bulk being only half fat. Trade was brisk and all or nearly all were sold before noon.

### Exporters.

There was a keen demand for exporters' stock. The heaviest and best lots of butchers' were bought up for export purposes. Prices ranged from \$2.50 to \$3.00. The bulk selling at \$2.50 to \$2.75 per cwt.; bulls at \$3.75 to \$4.25, with an added prime quality bulk going at \$4.50 to \$4.75 per cwt.

### Butchers.

There was a good demand for prime quality butchers' cattle, which were very few on sale. Prime picked lots sold at \$4.00 to \$4.50; light butchers' cattle sold at \$3.50 to \$4.00; mixed lots sold at \$3.00 to \$3.50; heavy mixed lots sold at \$2.50 to \$3.00; cows at \$2.25 to \$2.50; calves at \$1.75 to \$2.00; hogs at \$3.25 to \$3.50; sheep at \$1.75 to \$2.00.

### Market.

Receipts of milkers and forward springers were not large, with few of prime quality. Prices ranged from \$4.50 to \$5.00 per cwt.

### Sheep and Lambs.

Trade in sheep and lambs was brisk at \$4.75 to \$5 per cwt. for export ewes; lambs, \$6.50 to \$7 per cwt.

### Hogs.

H. P. Kennedy reports hog prices lower, \$6.00 for select and \$5.35 for lights and fats.

### EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 4200 head; active; 10c to 12c higher; prime steers, \$6.00 to \$6.15; shipping, \$5 to \$5.75; butchers, \$4.50 to \$5.50; heifers, \$3.50 to \$5.25; cows, \$3 to \$4.50; bulls, \$3 to \$4.00; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4.25; stock heifers, \$2.50 to \$3; fresh cows and springers, \$2 to \$3 per head; hogs, \$3.25 to \$3.50; Veals—Receipts, 800 head; active and steady, \$4.25 to \$5.00.

### Hogs—Receipts, 10,200 head; active; 10c to 25c higher; heavy, \$6.00 to \$6.25; mixed, \$5.00 to \$5.75; yorkers, \$7; pigs, \$7.25; roughs, \$6.10 to \$6.25; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.25.

### Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 31,400 head; active; sheep steady; lambs and yearlings higher; lambs, \$5 to \$5.25; yearlings, \$5.50 to \$6.25; weathers, \$5.50 to \$5.85; ewes, \$4.75 to \$5.25; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$5.25.

### NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Jan. 21.—Beef—Receipts, 4200; steers 10c higher on light supply; bulls and bologna cows firm; medium and good cows steady, closing lower; about all sold; steers, \$4.45 to \$5.05; bulls, \$3.35 to \$4.50; cows, \$1.75 to \$4.25.

Calves—Receipts, 1344; veals steady to 25c lower; barnyard calves steady; western slow to a shade lower; veals, \$3.50 to \$5.25; choice, \$10; culls \$4 to \$5; barnyard calves, \$3.50 to \$4.25; fed calves, \$4.25; westerns, \$5; dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, \$8 to \$10; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.00; hogs, \$3.25 to \$3.50; country dressed, 7c to 12c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8300; sheep slow but steady; lambs steady; several cars unsold; sheep, \$3.50 to \$5.50; exports, weathers, \$5.00; culls, \$2 to \$3; lambs, \$7 to \$8; culls, \$5 to \$6.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; higher; state hogs, \$7.50 to \$7.75; pigs, \$7.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, about 27,000; best strong to 10c higher; others steady; common to prime steers, \$4 to \$7.50; cows, \$2.75 to \$4.75; heifers, \$2.50 to \$5; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.50; calves, \$2.75 to \$5; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 to \$4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, about 30,000; 10c to 15c higher; dressed hogs, \$8 to \$10; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.00; choice butchers' weights, \$4.50 to \$5



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Toronto, Jan. 23.—11 a. m.—Fine and very cold. Thursday, a little higher temperature with light local snow.

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Miss Neilson, of Calgary, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Manson Campbell, Park street.

James Watt & Sons carry a full line of natural gas supplies for illuminating purposes, such as burners and mantles. Phone 207.  
W. J. Wilson, architect, left for Woodstock this afternoon with plans and will enter into competition for the Carnegie Library that is to be erected in that city.

Robert McKay, of Guilds, a pioneer of that section, who had reached the ripe age of 71 years, passed away on Saturday last. An aged mother, who has nearly reached the century mark, besides many intimate friends and neighbors, mourn his loss. The funeral took place Monday afternoon, service being held at the residence by Rev. Geo. Gilmore.—Ridgeway Dominion.

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Last Night

## WEATHER WAS GLORIOUS

A genuine old-time cold wave has struck the western peninsula. The past few days and nights have been very cold indeed for this section.

Last night it was so cold that things outdoors could be heard crackling with the intense frost. It was a glorious winter night. The house-tops and trees were covered with a coating of pure white snow, while in the realms above the moon and stars shone with an unusual brilliancy. It was truly a Canadian winter's night in all its glory.

The snow was not deep enough for good sleighing, and for that reason a number of sleighing parties, which had been made up, had to be called off.

The lowest registered on the thermometer at Mr. W. W. Turner's weather bureau last night was nine below zero. A number of other thermometers around the city registered ten and more below. At nine o'clock last night the official reading was four below zero, and at seven o'clock the thermometer stood at five below. The mercury has been hugging the zero mark quite closely all day.

This cold weather has been a boon to the local rink management. The ice has frozen over in splendid condition, and the skating-to-night promises to be the finest of the season.

During the earlier part of the week, a large number of the young people have been enjoying the outdoor skating. The ice on Brunker's pond at the end of Victoria avenue has been in splendid condition, and large numbers have taken advantage of this condition of affairs.

All day yesterday, the river was jammed with ice floes, and towards evening the bergs started to congregate together, with the result that they are to-day one solid mass. The river has fallen considerably during the past few days.

## DOUGLAS BELL DEAD

Edwin Douglas Brooke Bell, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bell, Victoria avenue, passed away at one o'clock this afternoon from appendicitis. The funeral will take place at 2.30 on Friday.

## HOCKEY

TILBURY 7; DETROIT 1.

Tilbury, Jan. 22.—Tilbury defeated the Detroit hockey team here to-night by a score of 7 to 1. At half time the score was 4 to 1. The following was the line-up: Detroit: Goal, Lusigney; point, Brietels; cover, D. Henry; forwards, Honanburg, P. Henry, Taylor and McLean; Tilbury: Goal, T. Mero; point, S. Sloan; cover, Cowley; forwards, E. Mero, Smith, Stevenson and E. Sloan. Goal umpires, J. Jobbit, Detroit, and G. Chalmers, Tilbury. Referee, E. R. Dromgole.

MR. SOMERS  
IS WARDEN

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ever, now understood that there were several good men who have served the country for years, and who were more entitled to the position. In view of this he wished to withdraw from the field, and asked the councillors not to bring his name up in connection with the position. He hoped that at some future time he might be able to stand for the wardenship. He was sure his friends in Tilbury who urged him to stand this year did not understand all the conditions.

The Clerk then announced that he was open to receive nominations for Warden. The following were received: Mr. Brien, moved by McLarty, seconded by Mr. Dilliot. Mr. Johns, moved by Mr. Greene, seconded by Mr. Irving. Mr. McLarty, moved by Mr. Brien, seconded by Mr. Peats. Mr. Danholm, moved by Mr. Crawford, seconded by Mr. Buchanan. Mr. McLarty, Mr. Denholm and Mr. Brien withdrew, and Mr. Johns, the only remaining candidate, moved that the rules be suspended to allow the nomination of Mr. Somers, moved by Mr. Denholm, seconded by Mr. Brien. This was carried, leaving Mr. Somers and Mr. Johns in the field alone for Warden.

Mr. Brien was again nominated, but withdrew again. The vote was then taken and resulted as follows: For Mr. Somers—Messrs. Graham, Crawford, Wellwood, Irving, Ribbell, Badder, Ferguson, Rankin, Crawford, Denholm, Buchanan, Clark, Peats, McLarty, Brien, Dilliot, Abram and Wickens—18.

For Mr. Johns—Messrs. Greene, Irwin, Johns, Robinson and Somers—5.

Mr. Somers was declared elected. In accepting the honor Mr. Somers said in part: I am very grateful to this Council for appointing me to the position of Warden. If anyone had told me 40 years ago, when I came to this county a poor boy, that I would be elected Warden for 1907, I would not have been here. I would have dropped dead. I have sat at this board for six years. During that time we had a group of 14 members and we always got along smoothly and quietly. I hope this system will continue, with the increased numbers at the Board. I am glad to see so many of the young men present and I hope they will feel right at home.

I hope we will all be agreeable. Don't crowd the business on too fast.

There are not many matters of great importance coming before the Council this year. One will be the unforeseen expense in connection with the Jeanette's Creek bridge. We agreed to pay half the cost. This is a bill of extras, and I think it would be right to pay half of that bill, as was done in connection with the Tupperville bridge. This is a matter, however, for you to decide. The papers have criticized past wardens because they voted for themselves. They cannot say this of me, for I did not vote for myself.

I propose to make a few changes this year. One of these will be the doing away with the warden's supper. I think too much of the warden's time is taken up preparing for this supper. I propose to devote that time to the county, and will donate \$25 to each hospital, and will treat the councillors to something better than a warden's supper before the year is over. I'll not tell you what it is, as it will be a surprise.

The Warden's speech was received with applause.

The business of the day was then taken up.

A communication was received from the Prisoners' Aid Society, asking for assistance to the amount of \$10. Referred to Finance.

The Salvation Army also asked for aid for a London institution. Referred to Finance.

Maitland Young & Son, of Toronto, applied for the position of auditors for Kent County for the year 1907. Referred to Finance.

The Secretary of the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto, applied for assistance in the way of a money grant. Referred to Finance.

The National Sanitarium Association, Toronto, also asked for assistance for the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. Referred to Finance.

The Council was asked to appoint delegates to a convention of the Good Roads Association and also to make a grant to the Association. Referred to Finance.

Ex-Warden Stephen Parnall Sturges was present seated on the platform during the warden's proceedings, made a lengthy report on the matters referred to him to attend to since the December session of the old Council and up to the present time. A bill with Park Bros. had been settled, a letter of condolence, prepared by Wm. E. Park, had been sent to the family of the late engineer of the County, roller shelves had been purchased for the Registry Office at a cost of \$375, desks and chairs for the extra councillors had been purchased at a cost of \$120, a drain had been constructed at the jail, and the County had paid their share towards the Jeanette's Creek bridge, without considering the bill for extras, which the present Council can deal with.

The report was adopted. The Council then adjourned to meet again at half past two o'clock. The Council will meet as a committee of the whole at two o'clock to draft the standing committees of the year.

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Was Merely A Jocular  
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## QUAKES STILL CONTINUE

Kingston, Jamaica, Jan. 23.—The correspondent of the Associated Press sought Governor Swettenham yesterday, and spoke to him of the Davis incident. The governor said that he had not invited Rear-Admiral Davis to land sailors. He was asked if he endorsed the action taken by Rear-Admiral Davis, to whom I must refer you." The governor said that his reference in his letter to Rear-Admiral Davis and the pillaging house of an American millionaire was merely a jocular parallel.

**Swettenham's Thanks.**  
Washington, Jan. 23.—The State Department yesterday made public the following telegram: "Jamaica, Jan. 20.—The Hon. Elihu Root, State Secretary, Washington, D. C.: Jamaica profoundly grateful for expression of sympathy and for the very practical aid so kindly given by Admiral Davis and the entire popular service squadron of the United States navy. (Signed) Governor."

## London Awaits a Report.

London, Jan. 23.—The text of Governor Swettenham's despatch, received undated yesterday morning, but presumably filed Jan. 20, follows: "Slight earthquake shocks continue. Confidence is restored. The population is returning and the weather is fine. H. M. S. Indefatigable with stores from Trinidad, arrived here today. Lord Banks have re-opened."

The Lord Mayor of London yesterday afternoon cabled to Governor Swettenham at Jamaica \$75,000, the first instalment of the Mansion House fund, which now totals \$100,000.

The American charge d'affaires called at the Foreign Office last evening. The officials there were without any advice from Gov. Swettenham concerning the Davis incident.

## Sorry They've Gone.

Philadelphia, Jan. 23.—In response to an offer of aid sent by Mayor Weaver of this city, this cablegram was received yesterday:

"Kingston, Jamaica, Jan. 22.—Many thanks. Money and building material urgently required. Departure of warships deplored by people. (Signed) Tait, mayor."

## Will Use U. S. Tents.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The United States Secretary of War received a cablegram from Gen. Wint at Havana, commanding the American forces in Cuba, saying that at the request of the British Minister at Havana, he had made arrangements for the shipment of army tents to Kingston for the shelter of the people in distress. The Secretary has approved Gen. Wint's action.

**More Shocks.**  
New York, Jan. 23.—A despatch yesterday from Kingston says: A heavy earthquake shock was felt here at 3 o'clock Monday morning and a still heavier one at 2.45 this afternoon.

**Toronto Boy Killed in Quake.**  
Toronto, Jan. 23.—The 3-year-old son of Roger D. Stovel was killed in the Kingston earthquake, according to a cable received yesterday by A. W. Smith, from his daughter, who says she and Mr. and Mrs. Stovel and Miss Birchall were staying at the Constant Springs Hotel, are well.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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## TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, 26th of January, 1907, for about forty tons of furnace coal, part to be delivered at the Collegiate Institute and part at McKeough School. Tenders to state quality and price.

Lowest price tender not necessarily accepted.  
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Andrew Thomson, Jr., has received instructions from Mr. F. P. Baldwin to sell at residence, Selkirk street, between Elizabeth Street and Van Allen Ave., on Tuesday, 29th day of January, commencing at 2 o'clock, consisting of the following:—Two parlor rugs, two oak parlor rockers, one fancy rocker, one rattan rocker, one oak parlor table, one dining table, one birch table, one extension table, one Singer sewing machine, kitchen chairs, kitchen table, one bedroom suite, complete, mattress and spring; one iron bed, one dresser and commode, two axminster rugs, ingrain carpet, hall carpet, couch, one coal base burner, jewel with oven in fine condition, one coal range with reservoir "Savonar," one refrigerator, gas plate with oven, gasoline stove, lawn mower, wood heater, cooking utensils, tubs, fruit cans, and other things too numerous to mention.

All will be sold without reserve, as Mr. Baldwin is leaving for the Coast. The above is all nearly new, and in fine condition. Remember the date, Tuesday, Jan. 29th, 1907.  
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In order to use Natural Gas it will be positively necessary for every gas consumer to have the piping in his house thoroughly tested with a pressure gauge at twenty pounds pressure. This is necessary on account of the Natural Gas being delivered at about three times greater pressure than artificial gas.

All stoves or ranges to be used for Natural Gas must have closed tops, and in every case a flue connection must be made from stoves to chimney.

While the manufacturers of gas stoves state that artificial gas stoves cannot be used for natural gas without being entirely rebuilt, it would appear from tests made at this Company's office that the artificial stove may be made serviceable with natural gas, by having a special closed top and flue connection made for the stove.

A stove specially made for natural gas and one specially made for artificial gas may be seen by any consumer at this Company's office, both connected with natural gas, where any explanations necessary will be given by the Company's officers. Any coal range or wood stove may be easily and simply connected by special burner to use natural gas at small expense.

To use Natural Gas for lighting, it will be necessary to use mantles on all jets, since natural gas has practically no illuminating value when used as an open flame.

All connections to stoves or hot plates must be made with iron pipe, and in no case should rubber or other tubing be used for connections.

While this Company will look after as far as possible, any orders entrusted to its care for connections to stoves, furnaces, base-burners, etc., it will be impossible for the Company to take care of all its customers, and the public will find all the local dealers and gas fitters ready to take orders.

Consumers are requested to have their work done as rapidly as possible, so that there will be as little inconvenience as possible when the Natural Gas is turned on.

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## MORRIS CHAIRS at REDUCED PRICES

Every Morris Chair must go. They have been ordered out. Never before in the history of this or any other store in Chatham have the prices been cut so deeply on goods that are seasonable every day in the year as we have cut them on these Morris Chairs. Here are a few examples of the values we are offering.

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Regular Price - \$17.50

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Regular Price - \$13.50

Special January Sale Price - \$10.75

Morris Chairs, solid oak frames, arms and front posts finely figured quarter-cut oak, dragon head carved on arms, spring seats, adjustable backs, reversible cushions, covered with fancy figured and plain velours, assorted colors.

Regular Price - \$11.50

Special January Sale Price - \$9.25

## A RUMMAGE SALE

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MILLINERY Season is practically over now, and we have decided to make a clean sweep of the balance of the stock. All the Left-overs go on the Bargain Tables.

Three Tables—10c, 25c and 50c

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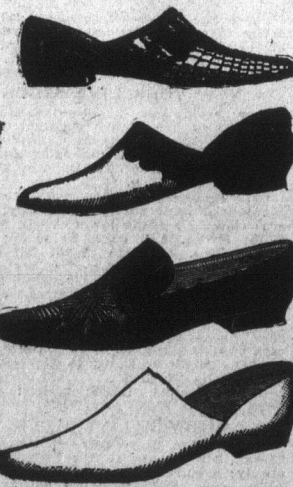
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Men's Women's and Children's Felt House Slippers, Fancy and Plain, all prices.

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CHATHAM











## LODGES

**PARTHENON LODGE, No. 26, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C. M.** meets first Wednesday of every month in Masonic Temple, King Street. Visiting brethren always welcome.

**J. M. PIKE, W. M.**  
**J. W. FLEWES, Sec'y**

**WELLINGTON LODGE, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C. M.** meets on the first Monday of every month in the Masonic Hall, 300 King St. at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

**GEO. MUSSON, W. M.**  
**ALEX. GREGORY, Sec'y**

## MUSICAL

**SAMUEL I. SLADE**—Basso, of Detroit, has resumed his class here, and will be pleased to receive pupils for vocal training, every Monday, at his studio, McCall Block, Slade will come to Chatham every Monday during the winter months.

## VETERINARY SURGEON

**DR. DECOU** is prepared, as usual, to furnish first-class services for horses and other animals at reasonable rates, also number of pieces furnished, also violin and cornet soloists. Pupils taken on violin, and all orchestral and band instruments. Studio, Centre St.

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**THOMAS SCULLARD**—Barrister and Solicitor, Victoria Block Chatham, Ont.

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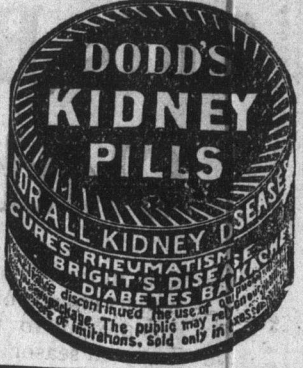
**FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN**  
Part of Block C, King Street, east of Dr. Holmes' Office, 62 feet 9 inches, at present occupied by Mr. Thatcher as a Marble Establishment. On easy terms of payment. Apply to  
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Beautiful home on Victoria Ave., with modern improvements, only \$2000 if sold at once. Good stable at rear of dwelling.  
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We offer One Hundred Dollars' Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.  
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**Our Business.**  
Bigness is said to be a quality which appeals especially to Americans. However that may be, a purely scientific interest justifies the spreading of information contained in a recent bulletin of the United States Geological Survey about the size of the United States. The area of the United States proper, exclusive of Alaska, island dependencies and the Panama strip, is given as 3,026,789 square miles. The absence of a discrepancy between the computation of the census bureau and the general land office. A conference was called between these departments and the geological survey, and the bulletin of the geological survey is the result—YOUTH'S COMPANION.

**ARE YOU SUBJECT TO STIFFNESS?**  
Perhaps it is in the neck or shoulders. First thing is a good rub with Nerville. No more speedy remedy can be adopted. When applied to the muscles Nerville gives them flexibility and vigor; inflammation, soreness and stiffness disappear. "Whether in the chest or throat nothing can surpass Nerville," writes O. B. Denton, Lumber Merchant at Oak Bay, N. B. "Rubbed on at night, the trouble is gone by morning. I have never known Nerville fail, and Nerville always makes good. 25c. bottles sold everywhere."

**Real Estate in Korea.**  
One of the most astonishing regulations has been made regarding the transfer of real estate in Korea. No one is to be allowed to sell or buy real estate except by permission of the governor. This is apparently a move on the part of the Japanese to prevent the selling of any land in Korea except to people that they approve, for the governors are, of course, under the Japanese advisers. It makes no difference that foreigners have as good a right to buy land as the Japanese. The matter will have to be tested in the courts before the powers will allow their citizens to be curtailed in their privileges in the peninsula.—Korea News.

**HEALTH FOR RUN-DOWN WOMEN.**  
From the experience of Mrs. John Panke, Saskatoon, nothing compares with Ferrozone. "At times I was confined to my bed and couldn't do any work. I was run down in body, lost strength, my appetite failed, my color was pallid. Weary and cast down, it seemed I couldn't catch up. Ferrozone started a new kind of life in my blood, built me up, vitalized and strengthened my nerves, and finally cured my heart and stomach pain." Ferrozone is a re-builder that has special virtue in female ailments. Sold everywhere in 50c. boxes. Try Ferrozone!

Familiarity breeds contempt, yet a man may have a contempt for riches without the aid of familiarity.  
Piles get quick relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Remember it's made alone for Piles—and it works with certainty and satisfaction. Itching, painful, protruding, or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Try it and see! Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.  
An educated man is one who can hold his own.

NEWEST LIGHT RAYS.  
They Are Named I Rays and Are Said to Emanate From the Brain

—Named For Italy.  
After X rays, N rays, after N rays, I rays. I rays proceed from the brain. They are thought rays. They were discovered by M. di Brazza, student at Liege, when repeating the N ray experiments of Prof. Charpentier.

Charpentier found that the phosphorescence of certain substances is increased when they are brought close to a nerve or to a contracting muscle. When some one talks, variations are produced in the luminosity of calcium phosphates.

In another experiment Charpentier saw the phosphorescent substance shine all down the line of its application to the spinal cord. Charpentier concluded that the emission of rays goes pari passu with the activity of a new method of studying nerves and muscles. Di Brazza now claims to demonstrate what Charpentier surmised—namely, that "the brain is the seat of active radiation."

The I rays differ from the N rays in that they can pass through most substances and are not bent or refracted. Di Brazza observes them directly and indirectly.

In direct observation he applies a phosphorescent screen treated with platino-cyanide of bar or other phosphorescent substances to the patient's head. The screen is faintly illuminated by a radiographic tube enclosed in a wooden box.

When the subject concentrates his will, curious oscillations appear in the luminosity of the screen in relation with his psychical activity. When his attention is not concentrated, the light does not flicker.

The rays are not emitted equally from all parts of the head. They are nil at the forehead, increase at the temple and eyes and are at their maximum behind the ears. The I rays are named for Italy.—Thought.

## TO THE POLAR SEA.

**Dominion of Canada Now Stretches Very Far to the North.**  
The second Canadian expedition on the steamer Arctic reached Erebus Bay, where Franklin died, by way of

ROUTE TAKEN BY BERNIER.  
Lancaster Sound, and Peel Sound, and returning, decided to winter at Pond's Inlet. Next spring Bernier will go up the Greenland coast as far north as possible.

**Live Animals by Post.**  
In England the postoffice does much more for its patrons than does the Canadian postoffice. It handles telegraph and telephone messages, and in its parcel post system carries small parcels which in Canada are sent by express. The postal officials have thus to deal with many curious cases, but says The Daily Mail, it would be difficult to find a parallel to the following: "A white mouse was sent by post from Lancashire, but the sender, having studied the art of abbreviation, wrote 'West Ham' on the label instead of West Hamstead. The mouse bit its way through the box, and the astonished postman found it running about at the bottom of his bag. No one answering to the name on the label could be found in West Ham, and the mouse was fed and housed by the general postoffice for a month. A polite note was sent from Mount Pleasant, Clerkenwell, to the effect that a mouse was waiting there, and if not claimed within six days would be sold to defray expenses. It was also intimated that it was against the regulations to send living animals by post."

**Cheaper Liquid Air.**  
Up to the present time liquid air has remained chiefly an interesting chemical toy in spite of the somewhat exaggerated predictions that were made at the time of its discovery regarding its future use as a motive power and in the arts. Reports that an improved process of production invented in England has reduced the price to one-sixth, or about 2 cents a gallon, have stimulated fresh discussion about its possibilities. If the only cause of delay in its exploitation, this will naturally now go on with rapidity, while if the claims made for it are false its cheapened production will be no advantage to the world.

**Coloring From Beets.**  
It is said that a good way to obtain red coloring in permanent form is to heat beets in an oven until quite soft, macerate with about an equal quantity of vinegar, express, evaporate the resulting liquid to one-half its original volume and then make up to the original value with alcohol. For extemporaneous use the liquor from pickled beets as ordinarily prepared for the table—that is, boiled in vinegar—would presumably give a deeper shade. Canned beets are in market and will answer as well in the latter case as the fresh article.

**Tobacco Without Nicotine.**  
A German cigar manufacturer has invented a process by which the tobacco is given a treatment which extracts a large part of the nicotine. The extraction is not entire, for about 1 per cent. still remains. The flavor of the cigar is said to be unimpaired. The cigars are labeled "free of nicotine."

## Heart Strength

Heart Strength, or Heart Weakness, means Nerve Strength, or Nerve Weakness—nothing more. Position, not one weak heart in a hundred is, in itself, actually diseased. It is almost always a hidden tiny little nerve that really is all wrong—simply needs a nerve. Heart Nerve stability, more controlling more governing so far, and the stomach and kidneys also have these same controlling nerves.

This clearly explains why, as a medicine, Dr. Shoop's Restorative has in the past done so much for weak and ailing hearts. Dr. Shoop first sought the cause of all this painful, palpitating, suffocating heart distress. Dr. Shoop's Restorative—this popular prescription—is alone directed to these weak and wasting nerve centers. It builds: it strengthens; it offers real, genuine heart help. If you would have strong hearts, strong digestion, strengthen these nerves—re-establish them as needed, with

## Dr. Shoop's Restorative

**C. H. GUNN & CO.**  
A Plague of Malaria.  
The excessive prevalence of malaria in Greece is engaging the attention of English physicians. It is said to be checking the development of rural life and is a very serious thing for the nation. Out of a population of 2,500,000 there were 230,000 cases of malaria annually, and the deaths were about 1,700. Last year the number of cases increased to 260,000 and the deaths to 5,916. Professor Savas of the University of Athens and physician to King George is initiating a movement to deal with the plague.

## A WORD TO WOMEN.

Any sick woman is invited to consult with Dr. R. V. Pierce, physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. In an active practice of more than thirty years, assisted by a staff of nearly a score of associate physicians, Dr. Pierce has treated and cured over half a million women. All diseases peculiar to women are treated with success. This consultation is absolutely free. Every letter is treated as strictly private and answered confidentially. Answers are mailed promptly giving the best of medical advice. All answers are sent in plain envelopes bearing on them no printing of any kind. Write without fear and without cost to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

**The Table Top Cold.**  
"You have, madam," said the physician, "what I call a table top cold."  
"What is a table top cold?" the lady asked.  
"It is a cold brought on by marble tops in the late fall and winter. You ladies always wear short sleeves, and you always lean your bare arms on the icy surface of marble tables. This contact sends a chill all through you—a chill that you disregard. But in the morning you awake with a heavy cold. Marble table tops in the winter should be covered with a cloth if they are going to be leaned on. Then the table top cold would disappear."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

## Minister Speaks to Mothers

**Tells His Wife's Experience for the Sake of Other Sufferers.**  
The following letter has been sent to Dr. T. A. Slocum, Ltd., for publication.

Dr. T. A. Slocum, Limited—Dear Sir: Within the last two years my wife (who is of a delicate constitution) has had two severe attacks of grippe, both of which have been speedily cured by the use of your medicine. We have such faith in the use of your remedies that as a family we use no other. For toning up a debilitated system, for restoring to healthy action the heart and lungs, and as a specific for all heart diseases, your Ferrozone and Oxomulsion are the only medicines we use. Yours sincerely, Rev. J. J. Rice, St. Walker Avenue, Toronto.

**PSYCHINE, Pronounced Si-keen,** is a scientific preparation, having wonderful tonic properties acting directly upon the Stomach, Blood and weak organs of the body, quickly restoring them to strong and healthy action. It is especially adapted for people who are run down from any cause, especially Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, LaGrippe, Pneumonia, Consumption and all stomach or organic troubles. It has no substitute.

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There is no other remedy "Just as Good" as PSYCHINE.  
Dr. Root's Kidney Pills are a sure and permanent cure for Rheumatism, Bright's Disease, Pain in the Back and all forms of Kidney Trouble. 25c per box, at all dealers.  
Lots of wives never understand why their husbands should really need any spending money.

## DOCTOR TO TWO POPES

**FAMOUS PHYSICIAN WHO WAS THE FRIEND OF TWO PONTIFFS.**

**Dr. Giuseppe Lapponi Popular in Rome in Both Clerical and Anti-Clerical Society and a Familiar Figure At the Vatican—Reputation Vindicated As to His Diagnosis of Pope Leo XIII. Last Illness.**

Dr. Giuseppe Lapponi, physician to the Pope, who died recently in Rome, had been seriously ill for some time of cancer of the stomach, and pneumonia setting in, he could not, in his weakened condition, withstand the ravages.

When Dr. Lapponi was sinking the Pope sent him the Apostolic benediction, and when the news of the death of the doctor reached the Pontiff he was exceedingly grieved.

Dr. Lapponi was very popular in Rome, in both Black and White society—that is to say, among the Clericals as well as with the anti-Clericals.

When his death became generally known his friends said that the time had arrived to vindicate his reputation regarding his diagnosis of the nature of the illness of Leo XIII., which step the doctor always refused to take while alive. When the late Pope became ill the bulletins issued only revealed the symptoms of his disease, but did not mention the diagnosis itself. Many physicians and medical publications attacked Dr. Lapponi, saying that he did not recognize the fact that the Pope was suffering from cancer. Shortly before the Pontiff's death telegrams containing statements to this effect made abroad were submitted to the doctor at the Vatican and he emphatically denied that the Pope had cancer.

Dr. Lapponi was supported in this statement by his assistant, Dr. Mazzoni, but they absolutely refused to give out any statement regarding the real cause of the illness of the Pope. Later, when the interest in the case

had almost disappeared, the doctor informed a correspondent that Leo XIII. suffered from senile consumption which caused pleurisy, Cardinal Rampolla, then Papal Secretary of State, obliged both Dr. Lapponi and Dr. Mazzoni to maintain secrecy regarding the cause of the Pope's death.

The following curious and interesting incident regarding Dr. Lapponi is recalled. On September 6, Dr. Lapponi, while visiting a patient in a hospital in Rome, said to the man: "Unless complications set in you will recover in a couple of days." After the doctor had gone the patient said to his nurse: "Dr. Lapponi is mistaken, or he wishes to deceive me. I will die in a couple of days; you will die in a month, and Dr. Lapponi will pass away in three months." The prophecy of the patient has been fulfilled. He died two days later, the nurse died a month later, and Dr. Lapponi expired exactly three months later.

Dr. Lapponi studied medicine in the Bologna School under Professors Murri, Concato and other physicians of repute. He distinguished himself in his studies, and in 1875 he took his degree of doctor of medicine. After practicing for while in Capoline, in Tuscany, he moved to Polesine, where he built up a large practice. In 1885 he moved to Ostia, whence he was called to Rome by Pope Leo to be Papal physician and medical attendant of the cardinals when in convalescence.

The Pontiff came speedily to place complete confidence in his physician, whose duties grew more and more arduous as the years passed. The Pope passed his ninetieth year and exceptional precautions had to be taken against the smallest possible danger. Dr. Lapponi attended him throughout his dying moments.

details of the Pope's case and copies of it were deposited with Cardinal Rampolla and Mgr. Cagiano, the late Pope's major domo.

Previous to this Dr. Lapponi denied that the Pope had suffered from cancer.

Dr. Lapponi a few months ago published a remarkable book on hypnosis, spiritualism and kindred phenomena, conceding nearly all that has been claimed by the most advanced psychists as to the actuality of the phenomena, but disputing their claims as to the supernatural agency and at the same time warning the general public against dabbling in such matters as being exceedingly dangerous to sanity and general health.

## LINKS WITH THE PAST.

Leicester's Old Hall Formerly Chapter House of the Great Monastery of the Dominicans.

Leicester is supposed to have existed at a very remote period as a town of the Ancient Britons under the name of Caer Leiron, whence the Saxons formed the appellation Leirceastre, since contracted to Leicester. However this may be, it is certain that the town played a big part in

British history in the Middle Ages, and it is full of memorials of the past. One of the most interesting of these is its old town hall. This was monastery belonging to a great canon. It remains, greatly to the gratification of archaeologists, in nearly the same condition as it was when originally erected. A striking feature of the hall is its splendid open roof, with its massive oak beams and buttresses springing from the side walls.

In this old hall Cardinal Wolsey, when at the zenith of his power, had been magnificently entertained. When he saw it again it was as a prisoner in the hands of Sir William Kingston on his way to London, to be tried for high treason. The cardinal met certain nobilities here, who questioned him prior to his removal—when he was suddenly taken ill—Leicester Abbey. In the latter retreat, of which now only some fragmentary ruins remain, Wolsey died on Nov. 29, 1530. Besides the Dominicans, the Austin Friars, the Franciscans, and the Friars Penitents had monasteries at Leicester. The town, too, anciently had a Mint, and coins have been found showing that the right of coinage existed here from the time of King Athelstan to Henry II. It was in Leicester, too, that Simon de Montfort, the founder of the English Parliament, ruled so long, and from the town Richard III. sallied forth to the fatal battle of Bosworth Field, fought on Aug. 21, 1485.

**Some Little Habits Easily Cultivated.**  
A good memory for faces and facts connected with them, thus avoiding the giving of offence through not recognizing or bowing to people, or saying to them what had better been left unsaid.

An unaffected, sweet, distinct, and sympathetic voice. Learn to be appreciative of the natural mellow tones possible to every woman, and avoid the shrill ones that are so tiring to hear.

Cultivate the charm of making little sacrifices quite naturally, as if of no trouble to yourself.

Cultivate the habit of making allowances for the opinions and feelings of others as well as their preferences. We cannot all see matters from the same angle in this world.

If we did, ours would be a very dreary, monotonous old globe.

Cultivate the art of listening without impatience to prosy talkers, and of smiling naturally at the twofold tale or incident. It really will not hurt you to hear it over again, and then remember that you are never so charming as when you are making other people think they are interesting.

## Hair Has Teeth.

Placed under a powerful microscope, the hair shows a surface covered with strong, coarse, jagged teeth, rough rasp. The teeth, which can tell in a moment whether the locks offered them have been cut off or combed out. They do this by rubbing the hairs through the fingers. If the hair has been cut from the head, and has not been misplaced, it remains in its original position; but if it has been pulled or combed out, and put together regardless of the direction in which it grew, one portion of it will slip to the right and the other to the left. It does this because the jagged edges engage upon each other and pull in opposite directions. The philosophy of this is demonstrated by drawing a hair first one way and then the other, through the fingers, while considerable resistance is felt when the fingers are drawn from the point towards the end next the head.

## Canadian Forestry.

In the opinion of the Dominion superintendent of forestry Canada undoubtedly holds the first place among the world, and notwithstanding the great drain now put upon its resources in this respect by the demands of foreign countries he thinks that its lead may be increased by judicious management of its great forests. The virgin white pine, he says, cannot last many years longer, but in the Douglas fir, the cedar, the western white pine, the spruce and the hemlock Canada possesses all but inexhaustible treasures. The spruce is the most widely distributed. Various species of it extend from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast and from the United States border northward to the limit of tree growth.

## RAILWAYS.

**GOING WEST**  
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## CANADIAN PACIFIC

17 a.m. for London, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary and all Pacific Coast points.  
1:15 p.m. Fast Express for London, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Boston and all points East, also Winnipeg, Calgary and Pacific Coast points.  
1:30 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul and all points north, south and west.  
1:45 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul and all points north, west and south.  
2:30 p.m. Fast Express for London, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Boston and all points East, also Winnipeg, Calgary and Pacific Coast points.  
Daily except Sunday. \* Daily.  
General Change of Time on Oct. 14th

## GRAND TRUNK

WEST  
8:30 a.m. for Windsor, Detroit and intermediate stations, except Sunday.  
1:15 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.  
1:45 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west.  
International limited daily.  
Mixed 5:30 p.m.

## EAST

7:30 a.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto and all points.  
2:00 p.m. for London, Toronto, Montreal, Buffalo and New York.  
3:45 for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and all points.  
9 p.m. for London and intermediate stations, except Sunday. \* Daily.  
Mixed 5:30 p.m.

## CHATHAM, WALLACEBURG AND LAKE

## ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

Time Table No. 6. In effect Monday, Dec. 21, 1926.  
CHATHAM  
LEAVE ARRIVE  
6:00 a.m. 7:05 a.m. 7:05 a.m. 7:00 a.m.  
6:30 a.m. 7:35 a.m. 7:35 a.m. 7:30 a.m.  
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10:00 p.m. 10:55 p.m. 10:55 p.m. 10:50 p.m.  
Extra cars on Saturday leave Chatham 7:05 a.m., 1:00 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. Leave Wallaceburg 1:00 a.m. 2:10 p.m. and 8:15 p.m.  
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WE WILL COMMENCE A GREAT END OF THE  
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# CLEARANCE SALE

OF OUR

# ENTIRE STOCK OF CLOTHING

It will include all Our New, Excellent, High-grade Clothing for Men, Boys and Children. Nothing Reserved.

## The Reduction Is Sweeping!

**THE REASON** we want to convert the remainder of Our Winter Stock into Cash it's good level-headed business to do so, even though it means a loss to us. Not a garment will be spared. The mark down price on the price tags tell its own story.

**THE PROOF.**—Seeing is believing, therefore the only thing to do is to come and see. If we cannot make good our claims say "Good Day" and walk out. We mean business. Put us to the test. You know our methods of doing business—"We mean what we say and say what we mean."

### Men's and Young Men's Suits

We divide our Men's Suits into three prices.  
\$12.00 to \$15.00, Now \$10.00  
10.00 to 12.00, Now 7.89  
7.50 to 8.00, Now 5.98

### Men's Overcoats \$12 to \$16 for \$10

We have 12 Men's Overcoats, 3 different lines, quick sellers at \$12, \$15, \$16, odd sizes, for quick selling, \$7.89—just about Half Price.  
\$9.00 to \$10.00 for \$6.98  
\$7.50 to \$8.00 for \$5.98

### Men's Odd Coats \$2.49

Left from Suits, all kinds, your choice for \$2.49. The price of smocks

### Boys' Odd Pants, Sale Price 29c

Regular 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

### Boys' 2 Pc. Suits

31 Suits, ages 4 to 10 yrs. \$2.50 for \$1.98  
50 " " 6 to 11 " 4.00 for 2.49  
65 Suits, ages 7 to 12 " 4.50 for 2.99  
28 " " 9 to 15 " 5.50 for 3.98

### Boys' 3 Pc. Suits

45 Suits, ages 9 to 15, \$4.50 for \$2.99  
65 " " 9 to 15, 5.75 for 3.98  
30 " " 11 to 15, 7.00 for 5.00

### Reefers

8 Reefers, ages 4 to 10, \$2.75 for \$2.29  
4 " " 11 yrs. \$3.50 for 2.79  
9 " " 13 to 16 yrs. 4.25 for 3.59  
Children's Fancy Coats below cost.

### Gloves

Wool Gloves 50c, for 39c. All our Kid and Mocha Wool and Fur-lined at big reductions. They must be sold.

4 Gents' House Coats, sizes 36 and 38, \$5.00 and \$6.50, for \$2.39.

Boys' Odd Knickers, tweeds, and serges 108 pairs, ages 8 to 15, 85c to \$1.25 for 75c. 40 pairs for 30c per pair, lined.

### Men's Trousers

\$2.25 kind for \$1.35 \$3.00 kind for \$1.79  
\$4.00 and \$4.25 kind for \$3.25

### Boys' & Youths' Overcoats

6 Coats, ages 6, 8 & 9, \$4.00 & 4.25 for \$2.99  
6 Coats, " 8, 9, 10, 11, 15 5.00 to 5.50 for 3.99  
9 Coats, " 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 6.50 for 4.79  
9 Coats, " 11 to 15, 8.00 for 5.49  
Toques 25c and 35c kind, for 19c  
Children's Gauntlets 50c, for 39c  
Fancy Cashmere Hose 25c, for 19c  
Men's Stiff Bosom Shirts \$1.00, for 79c  
Mufflers 50c for 40c, 75c for 50c  
Working Shirts 50c for 40c, 75c for 60c  
Underwear 75c for 50c  
Table of Underwear \$1.40 and 1.50 for \$1  
Children's Sweaters, ages 2 to 5, 50c, for 29c

The Original Prices are on every garment along with the reduced price. No "make-believes," or "tricks." Just a plain, fair and square offer. REMEMBER THE PLACE—

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## THE STAGE

**A TREAT.**  
To the lovers of moving pictures, next Saturday's entertainment at the Opera House will be highly appreciated, for Mr. Morris has taken pains to produce only up-to-date feature films, each and every one interesting and amusing, to say nothing of the spectacular. These films were all chosen with care, with a view to pleasing the public, and as the gentleman has had years of experience, he has undoubtedly chosen wisely, and at the small admission price there should be a packed house at each performance.

No matter how matter-of-fact one may be, there will come a time when the conditions cause a drifting toward the sentimental.

## McCLINTON—DEANS

From Our Own Correspondent.  
Wallaceburg, Jan. 23.—A very pretty but quiet wedding took place on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morgan, when Wm. McClinton, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McClinton, was united in marriage to Miss F. Deans, one of Wallaceburg's most popular young people. The bride looked charming in a handsome gown of cream lace over white silk. The happy couple left amid showers of rice for Buffalo and other eastern points.

Eyes and Nose Ran Water.—C. G. Archer, of Brewer, Maine, says, "I have had catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose for days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. It relieves in ten minutes." 50 cents.

Sold by W. W. Turner.

## A GOOD TIME IN THE WEST

Mrs. J. Abram and her little Son are Enjoying Pleasant Trip

### AN INTERESTING LETTER

Mrs. John Shaw, of this city, has received an interesting letter from Mrs. J. Abram, also of this city, now visiting in Nanaimo, B. C. Mrs. Abram's many friends in this city will be pleased and interested to know that at the time of writing both she and her little son Johnnie were enjoying the best of health, and enjoying life as much as it is possible to do so.

In her letter to Mrs. Shaw, she says: "This is the country to have a good time in; there are so many beautiful things to see, and so many new places to go to. Among the most interesting of these are the mines, which are certainly new to us. It is a wonderful sight to a person who never lived near a mine to see 600 men coming out of a huge shaft. There are three near our present home. One is at Departure Bay, where the pit-heads are between three and four miles apart, all connected underground. Altogether there are about 2,000 men employed in and around the mines. A railway is soon to be built connecting all the mines, which will prove a great convenience to the miners. The output of coal from the two mines now working is about 2,000 tons per day. All of the mines are lighted with electric lights and the machinery is run by compressed air. The shafts extend about 340 feet down, and in some places they are through solid rock. They are all under the harbor. Some of the men say they can hear the big propellers passing over their heads when they are working. I have been down several times and would like very much to go down again, but I think I will leave shortly for Portland, where I will visit my niece.

"There is a sawmill here which employs about 70 men. The company in charge is known as the Red Fir Company. Fish of all kinds are caught here and are used up in the large canneries. The population of Nanaimo is about 7,000. It is a very cosmopolitan place, and in the town one can see persons from nearly every corner of the earth.

"I have picked roses in full bloom out of doors in December, and from this you can form some idea of the beautiful climate they have here. With my own eyes I saw rose trees in bloom in the last month of the year 1906. The town supports two bright newspapers, the Herald and the Free Press. There are a number of fine buildings on the main street, built of both brick and stone. Taken all in all, Nanaimo is a very pretty place to live in and the people all seem happy and contented."

Mrs. Abram closed her interesting letter with the statement that she would probably be home about the end of this month. She is thoroughly delighted with the west and her trip through Canada's wonderful possessions in the Western Provinces. She mentioned The Planet in her letter and very kindly consented to the publication of the foregoing, for which this Great Home Journal and its many readers are very grateful.

### SANDS—STRAIN

The wedding of Miss Annie May Strain, daughter of Mr. Hugh Strain, Chatham Township, and Mr. Wm. Sands, of Chatham Township, took place at the Manse, Dover Centre, on Wednesday, Jan. 16th. The ceremony was conducted by the Rev. A. E. Neilly, B. A. The bride-maid was Miss Pearl Fisher. Mr. William J. Strain attended the groom.

### TO RE-BUILD ICE-HOUSES

It was reported in a dispatch from Blenheim last evening that the ice houses at Erieau were blown down, and it was likely that the company would not re-build this year. It is true the houses were blown down, and the loss occasioned is about \$400. The company will re-build this season and the work has already been commenced. It is expected that in a week's time the houses will be in the same condition that they were before the storm came, and the men behind the scheme will go on at once to fill the houses with ice for consumption during the coming summer.

### FROM WESTERN ONTARIO

Toronto, Jan. 22.—New centres of small-pox in Lambton, Middlesex and Simcoe counties were reported to Dr. Hodgetts, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, to-day.  
All the cases of the disease reported to the Board are of persons who have not been vaccinated.  
"The reports of the last few days," said Dr. Hodgetts, "sufficiently warrant vaccination. It vaccination had been practiced six years ago, and the law enforced, the disease would have been wiped out long ago. It would also have meant a saving to the Province and municipalities amounting to tens of thousands of dollars."

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only Grey and Black Dark Stripe Loose Coat. To clear.....	\$4.98	6 Nice Dark Tweed Overcoats, which have been good value at \$10, are cut to.....	\$6.50
only Hart Schaffner and Marx's Light Tweed Coats. Can fit up to a 39 in. chest. Both single and double-breasted. Were priced up to \$22. Choice....	\$9.50	A chance for anyone who has driving to do. Heavy Tweed Drives and Black Curly Satchel Cases, cut in price from \$15 to.....	\$10.00
Boys' Long Black Dress Coats, in sizes 25 to 27. Were \$4.50. Cut in price to.....	\$2.50	Men's Tweed Pants, different prices, up to \$2.50 value, clearing at.....	95c

We want those to know who have not been here yet that they are missing an opportunity that may not occur again in years.

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5 " Sterling Razors.....	1.25	90c
5 " Bo-Ras Ic Razors.....	1.75	1.25
3 " Muller Bros. & Co. ....	1.25	90c
4 " Razors, assorted, good makes.....	1.00	50c

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