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## What a Wealth of Worth What a World of Wear

From one end to the other, up stairs and down, this big store is simply teeming with bargains—genuine money-saving chances, the like of which you have never seen. The person who buys before seeing this magnificent stock makes a serious mistake.

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## HIS ADMIRERS WERE MANY

Mr. Steven's Fetching Appearance Caused 800 Damsels to Make Goo-Goos.

Then he Dilates Upon the Curiosity of the Fairer Sex and Their Failings.

"Women are curious, and no matter how much we may admire them both collectively and individually, we can't really shut our eyes to their failings in this respect," said N. H. Stevens this morning with a good-natured smile.

"I will give you an instance where I observed the great curiosity of woman as opposed to the little interest manifested by man under like conditions.

"I was in Allentown, Pa., and decided to have a look through one of the silk factories. The proprietors are very adverse to visitors and it was only after getting two orders from the superintendent, that I succeeded in seeing through the factory. There were 1,000 hands employed in the factory. Of this number 200 were men and 800 girls. As I went through the factory I don't believe more than 20 of the men saw me, while I will wager that every girl in the factory had a look at me and some of them more.

"The great danger is that when the employees remove their eyes from the work that they may spoil a whole piece of goods. That is why it is so hard to get an opportunity of seeing through the factory."

## HIS OUTBURST

Gist of General Buller's Remarkable Reply to His Critics.

New York, Oct. 14.—A London special says: Speaking at a luncheon given in his honor by the King's Royal Rifles yesterday, Gen. Buller, who has been much criticised of late, expressed his condemnation of newspaper criticisms of "men who were doing their best and risking their lives for their country." He asserted that "nobody junior to himself was fitted to command the army corps," and he challenged his critics to name one.

Buller said he had been attacked on account of a telegram which was said to have been sent ordering G. A. White to surrender Ladysmith after his (Buller's) attack on Colenso, Dec. 15, 1899 had resulted in a defeat. Buller described at length his own and Gen. White's difficulties. He said that at that time he prepared a message telling White that his (Buller's) situation had failed, and he could not make another attempt to relieve him within a month in the then slow fighting.

Buller said he read this telegram over several times, saying to himself: "That's a mean thing to send a fellow," but he knew the responsibility was his, and that White could say, if he surrendered, that Buller advised it. The same telegram suggested that it might be necessary to surrender, and in that case Buller made some suggestions as to what White should do, and how he should be treated. He believed to be in greater difficulties than himself.

Buller said the conduct of the fellows (meaning the newspaper men) who set in cockpits and attempted to besmirch the men who were on battlefields doing all they could for the cause of their country was nauseating. "I am not a soldier," he said, "but I have seen a real fight even at a distance."

## ORDINATION

Services Were Held Yesterday for John Brennan, Jr., of Windsor.

Rt. Rev. Bishop McEvoy, of London, ordained John Brennan, Jr., of Windsor, son of the accountant in the Walkerville inland revenue office, into the priesthood in St. Alphonsus's church yesterday morning. Rev. Fr. McEvoy, of Assumption college, Sandwich, preached the sermon. The candidate was born in Guelph, 24 years ago. His primary education was received in the separate Catholic schools of Chatham and Windsor, and at the Windsor collegiate institute. Following seven years' study at Assumption college, he completed his college course by studying theology for two years in the Grand seminary in Montreal.

## THE SAUGEEN MINERAL WATER

—IS ON SALE AT THE—  
Central Drug Store and  
F. A. Roberts Liquor Store.  
Why use those manufactured so-called mineral waters, when the Saugeen Water, which flows from an artesian well fifteen hundred feet deep and is bottled just as it flows from the spring, can be bought just as cheap as the most common article.

## CHURCH WANTS AWAKENING

Earnest Address by Rev. Mr. Wallace at First Presbyterian Anniversary.

Believes Prosperity is Injuring Religion—Excellent Sermon and Splendid Music.

"A persecuted church never dies. The hammer may be worn out, but the anvil remains. It is prosperity, easy in Zion, and worldliness which are killing the church today. The time is coming when all of this worldliness shall be put under foot and the church will have to awake to the spirit of the cause of Christ."

These words were spoken by Rev. W. G. Wallace, M. A., B. D., of Moor St. Presbyterian church, Toronto, who preached the anniversary services in the First Presbyterian church yesterday. His text was taken from Ephesians, 1:23—"Which is his body, the fullness of him that filleth all in all" and he went on to show that Christ is the head of the church, and that everything done by the church should be according to His will. His subject was true religion.

"I do not purpose to discuss church government," continued he, "I wish to get at something deeper, and more vital."

"Is the church to-day fulfilling the purpose of its existence and doing what the Master intended it to do? We notice that the church is gradually having a larger interest in missionary work. It is a good thing for there is much land to be possessed. But what about our own districts. If we stop to consider, we cannot help noticing that the moral muscles of the coming generation is not so strong as that of previous ones. Things are held sacred and played with fast and loose. The moral convictions are no so strong—in fact, the world seems to be gradually becoming worse."

"This is not as it should be. Christ is the head and the church is the body. Just as the head contains the life of the church. When that life comes, it increases our faith, and makes it more like what God would have us. The secret of that life is unity between the head and the body. Just as the body cannot live without the head, neither can the church live without Christ. We should be one in aim, purpose, hope and spirit."

One great condition which is killing the church, is that we have dead men in the pulpit, and dead men in the pews. They do not enter into the spirit of Christ's teaching and the earnestness of his appeals to them. What we need is the breathing of God's Spirit upon us, so that we may be again brought back to life, and in this way have a deeper sense of the mission which God has provided for the church.

"The church is a growing thing. We should grow in grace, if not in numbers. I am pleased to be able to congratulate this church on the progress it has made during the last year, and I hope that the time will soon come when the world will realize that there is but one Lord, one Faith, one baptism, and one God, the father of us all."

In the evening Rev. Mr. Wallace preached an excellent gospel sermon on the words, "We beseech His glory." The music rendered by the choir was of a special nature, and was very appropriate. It included three anthems by the choir the solo parts in one of these being splendidly taken by Miss Gertrude Sammerville; a duet by Mrs. Cooper and Miss Ada Ross, and solos by Misses Ada Ross and Jessie Taylor.

## AT REST

Grand and Impressive Funeral Pageant to the Late N. Clarke Wallace.

Woodbridge, Ont. 12.—The funeral of the late Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, Grand Master of the Orange Order for British America, took place here this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and was attended by friends of Mr. Wallace and by representatives of the Orange Order from all parts of Ontario and from other parts of the country as well. About 1,200 brethren were present from Toronto alone. The funeral services were conducted by the Orange Order throughout, the chief parts of the service being assigned to Rev. Wm. Walsh, of Brampton, Grand Chaplain of British America; Rev. H. C. Dixon, of Toronto, Grand Chaplain of Ontario West, and T. S. Sprague, M. P., Markham, Deputy Grand Master, who by the death of Mr. Wallace becomes Grand Master of British America. The remains were first removed from Mr. Wallace's late residence to the church and thence to the grave, services being held at all three places by the Order.

"We were very much pleased with the design you sent. It was beautiful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Telephone No. 151.

## CHATHAMITE IN WINNIPEG

The Free Press Discusses The Planet Correspondent's Impressions.

What Mr. Young Saw in the Superficial Bird's Eye View of the Tourist.

Under the caption, "An Easterner's Impressions of the West," the Winnipeg Free Press of Tuesday last says editorially:—

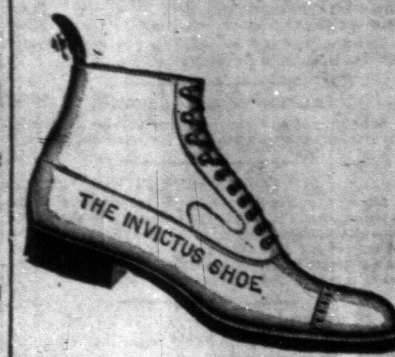
A series of rapidly written articles descriptive of Western Canada have been appearing in The Chatham Planet for some time from the pen of Mr. J. W. Young, a staff correspondent of that journal, recently enroute in this country. His first letter on "Ralph Connor at Home," in which he describes Winnipeg as seen from the standpoint of tenderfoot is especially interesting. He was greatly impressed at first sight with the sign "Citizens protect your boulevards," which is the up-to-date rendition of the mandate of the effete east, "keep off the grass." He was equally impressed with the gruesomeness of the advertisements of some undertakers who display their fittings of the dead in all publicity, which is dramatically opposed to eastern etiquette, and probably to good taste. Quite as impressive to him was the great number of hotels in evidence for it is difficult for a tenderfoot to realize that a constantly growing population, and especially the gateway city to a new and rapidly filling country, requires an extraordinary amount of accommodation.

The points of interest in Winnipeg and St. Boniface, such as Fort Garry, the battlefield of Seven Oaks and the grave of Louis Riel are all duly dwelt upon. His interview with Rev. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor) is of particular interest. They had met before, as Mr. Gordon at one time was science master in the Chatham High School.

After detailing incidents relative to the meeting in the manse the correspondent has this to say of Winnipeg's gifted story teller:—

"After I had left, I realized the great personality of the man. Those who had heard him preach had told me that Mr. Gordon was not much of an orator, but he had a wonderful power in holding his congregation during his sermon. To meet the man you could well believe this. He is a man of ordinary height, but rather slight in build. His hair and beard are inclined to be dark. He looks a man in the prime of life, yet delicate—a man who might have written 'Sky Pilot,' or who might be the pastor of a mission church on the outskirts of a great city. His personality doesn't intrude into the conversation and you leave his presence feeling that you have met a great man, yet nothing more than a fellow being. No greater tribute can I pay anyone."

"Winnipeg is really a charming city and its wide, clean streets, stately public buildings and many pretty residences make it a very pleasant place indeed. It is certainly an odd city in many ways, bounded on all sides by prairie, situated hundreds of miles from any other large city, still you find all the advantages and conveniences here of a great modern city. It just seems as if a huge portion of civilization had just trokked off into the world beyond, and settled far from friends and kin. It is certainly a remarkable city in more ways than one. I believe nearly every nation, from the eastern Yankee to the Galician, live in Winnipeg. You see Italians, Hebrews, Germans, Doukhobors, Galicians thick as bees in a honey-comb.



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There is no city like Winnipeg. It is different from any other great metropolis in situation, in composition, in everything. Winnipeg is a splendid city and one can have a very pleasant time there.

The great influx of harvesters and the lack of arrangement for their proper distribution are pictured quite realistically, while "one of the features" of the city which forced its prominence upon him as an observant stranger was the great departmental store of the Hudson's Bay Co.

His trip across the prairies and through the Edmonton country, amid "massive" fields of grain, comfortable homes, good roads and a general air of progress and prosperity were all a great revelation to him. The splendid observance of law and order even settlements was a great surprise indeed to him.

Frank Oliver, M. P., "the father of Alberta," Mr. Young considers one of the most remarkable men in the town of Edmonton, which, by the way, is rapidly assuming all the evidences of permanency. It is the greatest far market in the world, occupying the position to that staple that Chicago does to wheat.

But after all Mr. Young has but had a superficial bird's eye view of this country with its almost incalculable resources and limitless areas which it is impossible for the mere facile pen to give any adequate idea of by means of information gained and scenes witnessed on a hurried trip.



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MONDAY, OCT. 14.

### ABOUT STRIKES.

According to the report of the United States consul at Niuchwang, says the Woodstock Express, Russia adopts a prompt and strenuous policy in dealing with strikes. The men in the Niuchwang oil factories wanted more wages, and after the manner of British and American workmen, they went out on strike. The leaders of the strike were promptly arrested, and the workmen were notified that unless they returned to work by the following morning they would be arrested and expelled. The strikers were further notified that according to the law of Russia labor leaders who stop work or trading should receive the same punishment as rebels. No doubt the enforcement of such a policy would be effective for a time; but only for a time. Even in Russia popular education is making great advances, and no nation has ever yet solved the problem of educating its people and keeping them in subjection. And when the people of Russia are educated up to the point of knowing their own strength, what law will prevent them from striking, not only against low wages, but against bureaucracy and autocracy and whatever laws or customs may be used to maintain the tyranny of the individual or the class? The idea of treating labor agitators as rebels might have something to recommend it, however, if proper discrimination could be made. While much of the agitation for better wages and better conditions is legitimate and necessary, the history of strikes is not without incidents where an application of the Russian policy would have been for the benefit of the community generally and the workmen in particular.

### PAUL KRUGER'S PAST.

The picture which is presented by Mr. Kruger as he sits in his villa in Holland, secure, wealthy, urging the Boers to continue an unavailing resistance, might be regarded as picturesque if the facts of contemporary history are distorted or viewed out of their proper perspective, and the grim story of his past is unknown or forgotten. A cruelly strong light has recently been thrown upon that past in the course of a discussion of the attitude of the Boers to the natives.

In a recent debate in the House of Commons some apologists for the Boers made the singularly rash move of trying to defend the Boers' treatment of the natives, and Mr. Dillon, referring to the compound system of Kimberley, challenged Mr. Chamberlain to instance anything in the history of the Dutch race which compared with this. Mrs. Sarah Hockford, a lady who has lived for many years in the Transvaal, and left Pretoria in June last to return to England, took up this challenge in a letter to The Times, giving her name and address, and carefully giving her authority for each of a series of instances of Boer cruelty to natives. It is unnecessary to pile up examples tending to the discredit of a brave and constant enemy. It is not impossible to appreciate, and for that matter, admire, the many

## The Small of the Back

That is where some people feel weak all the time.

They are likely to be despondent and it is not unusual to find them borrowing trouble as if they hadn't enough already.

The fact is their kidneys are weak, either naturally or because of sickness, exposure, worry or other influences.

"I was taken ill with a kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Thomas Innes, of Wallaceburg, Ont., "and became so weak I could scarcely get around. I had headache, and cramps in my stomach, and my food did not digest. I took medicine without benefit, and finally decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After the first bottle I felt so much better I continued its use and six bottles made me a new woman."

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good qualities of the Boers, their intelligence, their practical ability, their courage, their firmness and character, their resolution, and the humanity in fighting against white men that the better class of burghers have shown with fair consistency throughout this war. It must, in fairness, be remembered that the Boer steadily denies the possession by the native of a common human nature. We may pass, then, Mrs. Hockford's crushing reply to Mr. Dillon; some of the incidents which she mentions, indeed, are really too revolting to our twentieth century sensibilities for reproduction. But Mr. Kruger occupies a position apart from his burghers, and we may quote from Mrs. Hockford three stories of the Paul Kruger of the days before the annexation of 1887. These stories, she circumstantially relates, were told to her by a Mr. George Rex, whom she saw in June last as a refugee in Pretoria, and who had ridden under Paul Kruger in a commando against Kaffirs.

"This commando," says Mrs. Hockford, "was in pursuit of a Kaffir impi, and came upon an old Kaffir who had dropped behind from fatigue. Paul Kruger questioned him quietly as to the way the Kaffirs had gone, etc., and the man answered apparently truly; then before the commando went on Kruger blew out the Kaffir's brains, some of which bespattered Geo. Rex's boot. On the same occasion, a Kaffir kram had been taken and there was a general massacre. One woman pleaded for her life to Kruger on the ground of being a nursing mother, but he ordered her to be shot, and a Boer close by levelled his gun deliberately at her hips and shot them through. She was left in her agony whilst the Boers camped, and after a while she would slap her hands as anyone passed in the act of supplication used by Kaffirs, and beseech them to kill her, but no one heeded her. At last George Rex vehemently reproached Kruger, who asked him why he made such a fuss about her, but ordered her to be dragged aside and have her brains knocked out. I believe it was here when the commando was leaving that one or two little babies were found still alive. Babies were not wanted, so Paul Kruger to save time, the men being just starting, ordered them to be thrown into the kraal, which was in flames."

After an extraordinary career Paul

## Colds ON THE Chest

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Kruger is an exile under ignoble circumstances, resolute at other men's expense, full of quotations from Scripture, talking much of civilization and humanity. He is a man with wonderful gifts, and his environment was such as to render the conduct illustrated above less heinous than it would be in a man of civilized and humane upbringing. Making these allowances, with what grace do references to humanity come from such a man! It is but fair to recall that the man who is levelling accusations against our soldiers, the man who complains that he is the victim of aggression and oppression, has this past. What a background to the picture which his partisans would draw of the venerable President in exile.—Toronto Globe.

### A DAILY THOUGHT.

Thompson.  
If misfortune comes, she brings along the bravest virtues.

### THE PREACHER.

New York Observer.  
The preacher's qualifications are spirituality, sympathy and studiousness.

### MUSH AND MOLASSES TO LA PATRIE.

Hamilton Times.  
The Prefontaine-Tarteiff is peaches and cream to the Spec. Francophone. He just reveals in bliss.

### RATHER PREMATURE.

Stray Stories.  
"Was it a quiet wedding?"  
"Of course. You didn't expect they would quarrel right before the clergyman, did you?"

### THE JAY IN BORROWED FEATHERS.

Hamilton Times.  
They say that there is not a single "swallow tail" to be had at the pawn shops or second-hand stores of the city. There will be a great gathering of the elite when the Duke puts in an appearance.

### THE NUDITY CURE.

Medical Age.  
There is a village in Austria, near the Adriatic, where the nudity cure is practiced. The debilitated, neurasthenics, the tired, etc., can go there and, in the costume of Adam, expose their persons to the air, the sun's rays or the rain. Tickets are carefully arranged so as to cut off all view of the patients, a hat and short trunks only are allowed; the sexes are separated. Baths, massage, gymnastics and games are indulged in, and a strict vegetarian diet completes the treatment.

### Facts of Every Kind.

A gallon of water weighs ten pounds.  
Twenty-six English bishops rank as peers.  
England has, on an average, 60 gales a year.  
Cork weighs 15 pounds per cubic foot, gold 1,555 pounds.  
Horses killed for food in France yield an average of 450 pounds of meat each.  
Taking water at 100, ice weighs 92 bulk for bulk, firwood 55, and oakwood 117.  
In the past 400 years Russia has produced 1,050 tons of gold and 2,400 tons of silver.  
In England 945 people die yearly leaving estates over £20,000, in Scotland 125, and in Ireland 59.  
The Egyptian Soudan has 12 provinces, with a area of 1,000,000 square miles and 10,500,000 people.  
Bronchial diseases cause the death yearly of 225 men out of 1,000,000 in the United Kingdom, and of 220 women.  
The United Kingdom gets, on an average, 33 inches of rain in a year, Europe generally 26 inches, and North America 40 inches.  
France holds the record as a user of gold. She has coined 2,300 tons in the last 40 years, against 1,400 used by the English mint.  
Within the past 70 years the death rate of soldiers on garrison duty in England towns has fallen from 16 per 1,000 a year to six per 1,000.  
An iron ship's hull is 40 per cent. lighter than one of the same size built of wood, and a steel ship 15 per cent. lighter than one of iron.  
There are only 18 stars of the first magnitude. The light from these takes about three years to reach the earth. There are 55 of second magnitude.  
The ruby is the heaviest of precious stones. Next come the garnet, topaz and diamond, in the order named. The diamond is three and one-half times heavier than water.

### His Initials.

It was evident in his swagger that he was a scion of European aristocracy, and the most casual observer could not have failed to note that he was a stranger to the city. He touched a well-dressed, well-haired young man who was loitering in front of a Broadway hotel on the shoulder. "Pardon me, my dear man, but could I trouble you for a match?" After lighting his cigar he continued: "Bah, here, this is a remarkable city. This is my first visit to New York, do you know? I'm a decided stranger, but on the other side I'm a person of importance. I am Sir Francis Duffy, Knight of the Garter, Knight of the Bath, Knight of the Double Eagle, Knight of the Golden Fleece, Knight of the Iron Cross. I've mistakingly told you my name, my dear man?"

Replies he of the auburn hair, in a deep, rich brogue:

"My name is Michael Murphy, knight before last, knight before that, last night, to-night, and every night—Michael Murphy."

## The Northway Co., Limited The Busy Cash Store The Northway Co., Limited

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Bulk and separate tenders will be received by The T. H. Taylor Co., Ltd., until Oct. 21st, inst. for the several works required in building a flour mill and elevator. The lowest on any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Plans and specifications and other information can be obtained at the office of the above named company.

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You are wanted at McDonnell's special sale for the day we sell

14 bars soap, 25c.  
4 lbs. starch, 25c.  
5 lbs. Raisins, 25c.  
Dried pears, 7c. per lb.  
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Frame house, two stories, 13 rooms, Lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000.00.

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Valuable suburban residence, 11 rooms, with 11 acres of land. Good stable, \$3,500.

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WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7.30 p. m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed. W. M. CAMPBELL, W. M. ALEX. GREGORY, Sec.

## ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN.

Brethren, Attention! Penitentiary Lodge, having accepted fraternal invitation to visit Blenheim Lodge, A. O. U. W., on Wednesday, Oct. 16th, all members who can unite in this visitation will find rigs ready at our lodge, post office corner, not later than 6.30 p. m. (sharp) Wednesday, 16th Oct. Brethren will please give their names to Brethren William Rennie or William Sloan. CHAS. KELLY, J. R. SNELL, Master Workman. Recorder.

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W. J. ELLIOTT, PRINCIPAL.

The brown streak around the neck, caused by wearing high collars, may be removed by using frequently the juice of cucumbers, or by tying thin slices of cucumbers about the neck on retiring.



## THE MARKETS.

There was a good market Saturday morning. Everything was plentiful. Peaches are still sold plentifully. Plums are scarce and grapes are in good demand. Sweet corn is still offered in small quantity at 12 cents a dozen. Snow apples sold at from 15 to 30 cents a peck. The other prices remain about the same.

The following is a full price list:  
 Snow apples, per peck, 15 to 30c.  
 Quinces, per peck, 30 to 35c.  
 Parsnips, per peck, 5c.  
 Hickory nuts, per quart, 5c.  
 Sage, a bunch, 5c.  
 Butter, 20 to 22c. lb.  
 Chicks, each, 20 to 30c.  
 Ducks, 30 to 35c.  
 Butter, 20c. lb.  
 Eggs, 15c. dozen.  
 Spring chickens, each, 20c. to 30c.  
 Ducks, 25c. to 35c.  
 Peaches, 25c. to 40c. a basket, or 80c. to \$1.00.  
 Honey per rack, 13c.  
 Tomatoes, 50c. doz.  
 Apples, 15 to 20c. per peck.  
 Musk melons, 5 to 10c.  
 Pears, 50c. to \$1.00 per bu.  
 Grapes, 20c. to 25c. basket.  
 Water melons 5 to 15c.  
 Crab apples, 25c. peck.  
 Cauliflower, 10c. head.  
 Celery, 3 bunches for 10c.  
 Egg plant, 10c. each.  
 Lettuce, 8 bunches for 10c.  
 Beets, 15c. peck.  
 Carrots, 10c. peck.  
 Cucumbers, 10c. dozen.  
 Onions 25 cents peck.  
 Cabbages, 3 to 5c. per head.  
 Raddishes, 2 bunches for 5c.  
 Potatoes, per bag, \$1.00.  
 Sweet corn, 12c. per doz.  
 Tobacco, 10c. per lb.  
 Squashes 3 for 10c.  
 Summer savory, 5c.  
 Small cucumbers, 50c. per 100.  
 Peppers, 10c. dozen.  
 Lima Beans, 10c. qt.

## DISABLED STEAMER.

St. John's Nfld., Oct. 11.—The Cape Race signal station reports that a steamer is approaching with another steamer in tow. They are making for St. John's and will arrive here during the night. No details are obtainable at present.

## GERMANY AND VENEZUELA.

Berlin, Oct. 11.—Germany has repudiated the contention of Venezuela that the territory of the republic was violated during the voyage of the German cruiser Vineta and the populace of Porto Cabello, and reserved the right of presenting demands for the punishment of the guilty parties and for satisfaction.

## A MINE DISASTER.

Fairmount, W. Va., Oct. 11.—An explosion occurred in the New England mine of the Fairmount Mining Company, near here, to-day. Three dead have already been taken out, and six more are believed to still be in the mine, which is on fire. At the time of the explosion twenty-five men were at work, but all but nine escaped. The explosion was caused by a broken lamp of one of the miners igniting the gas.

## FOUR MEN KILLED.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 11.—In a head-on collision between a lemon train and a work train, on the Colgrage branch of the Santa Monica electric road, to-day, four men were instantly killed and several injured, five seriously. The accident occurred on a steep grade, and a mile east of Sherman. The trains were met from a fog, and a curve in the road shut off the sight of the work train until it was only a few yards distant.

## CHASE ABANDONED.

Constantinople, Oct. 11.—In compliance with a request from Washington the search by Ottoman troops for the abductors of Miss Stone, the American missionary, has been abandoned, it being feared that the brigands would kill her should they be closely pursued. Arrangements are now being made to pay the ransom demanded.

## LOYALISTS LIKE IT.

Cape Town, Oct. 11.—The Cape Times praises the enforcement of martial law in the newly-proclaimed districts. It says: "We believe martial law will be heartily welcomed by the loyalists throughout the newly-proclaimed districts, the more so as the nature of the administration will impose the minimum of inconvenience upon all who are loyal to the maintenance of the King's authority and the speedy termination of the war."

"At the recent conference of Sir Gordon Spragg, the Cape Premier, with Lord Kitchener, it was demonstrated that there was a due necessity for the extension of martial law to the Cape peninsula. This should have no terrors for the loyalists. It is the disloyalists who will quake with fear of the possible consequences of their nefarious conduct during the past two years."

## FINE EXHIBIT.

Wm. Gray & Sons, carriage manufacturers of this city, exhibited at the Ottawa Fair this year and the following is the comment of the Ottawa Citizen on their exhibit:

"The lover of the beautiful in the line of carriages and sleighs artistically designed and constructed should not miss

## LOVE

Lives only in the present. Nature throws a glamour around youth and maiden, so that although they saw misery and marriage walking hand in hand in every home in the world they would fondly believe that they could marry and defy misery.

Young women should be taught to prepare for marriage. They should understand how to preserve their womanly health through the functional changes of maternity. Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the most effective medicine for the preservation of womanly health and the cure of womanly diseases. It restores and cures female weakness. It prepares the womanly organism for maternity and makes the birth of a child a joyous event.

"Favorite Prescription" contains no alcohol, neither opium, cocaine, nor other narcotic.

"My wife was afflicted with uterine trouble for several years," writes Mr. J. C. Day of Little Britain, Lancaster Co., Pa., "and in November, 1894, the doctor said she had a miscarriage. He treated her for about two months or so, but there was but little improvement. I wrote you after she had commenced to use 'Favorite Prescription' and you told us to get 'Golden Medical Discovery' also. She took six or seven bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and two of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and got out of bed and was able to attend to her household work."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure biliousness.

The magnificent exhibit made by the William Gray & Sons Company, of Chatham. The exhibit, which is in the eastern end of the carriage building, excites the admiration of every visitor, and is a striking example of the enterprise of the firm and the high and unexcelled class of work which it turns out. Established many years ago, the company has long since attained a complete knowledge of the technique and detail of carriage and sleigh construction with the result that its product is second to none in the country. Elaborately upholstered carriages and sleighs of every description, artistically painted, and highly varnished make up the showing at the fair. In order to meet the demands of its growing business in Eastern Ontario, the company is erecting and will shortly open up a large repository on Sparks street, near Kent. The factory at Chatham is one of the largest in the business, and is especially adapted for the manufacture of the product. It is thoroughly equipped with the newest and most improved machinery, while the materials used are carefully selected and of the most seasoned variety. Then, in regard to workmanship the firm excels, none but the most skilled hands being employed to manufacture an output which is a credit to its firm and to the Canadian carriage industry. The company has the distinction of catering to the best trade in the Dominion and its increasing patronage gives a potent indication of the intrinsic worth of its output. Although no prizes are awarded at the fair they readily outdistance competitors in the showing.

## DRESDEN.

The Amouranth Jubilee Singers will appear in the Grand Opera House on Oct. 17th.

Al Vandyke, who died in Detroit, was buried here to-day. Most of his life, however, has been passed away from his native country. Miss Goldman's family are respectable, quiet folk, residing in Rochester, N. Y., and her revolutionary tendencies are not inherited. She was educated in Germany, but returned to Russia before coming to America. She came here about seventeen years ago and since then has been actively engaged in anarchistic propaganda.

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EMMA GOLDMAN, "QUEEN OF THE ANARCHISTS."

According to Czolgosz, she inflamed his mind against law and order. Personally quiet, but publicly a disturber—her checked past.

Emma Goldman, to whom the murderous assassin of President McKinley has attributed his incitement to the awful crime, has appeared before the public many times as a firebrand. From one end of the United States to another, wherever the anarchistic fraternity roars its dangerous head, she is known as the "queen of the reds," in strange disregard of the fact that she and her associates are opposed to all rulers.

An unusual and interesting personality is that of Emma Goldman. She is an anarchist, an avowed enemy of law and order, and glories in the fact, yet about her is no personal suggestion of violence. Her speeches are incendiary in tone and significance, and, judging by her other utterances, it is not strange that one of her recent speeches should inflame the brain of Czolgosz. Nevertheless her earnest contention when interviewed is that she has never propagated violence. She contends steadfastly and without emotion that she is only an advocate of "liberty for the individual."

Her explanation of her peculiar theory and personal attitude toward such men as Czolgosz is interesting if not convincing. "I have never propagated violence," says "the little firebrand." "Where violence comes with anarchy it is a result of the conditions, not of anarchy. There is ignorance, cruelty, starvation, poverty, suffering, and some victim grows tired of waiting. He believes a decisive blow will call public attention to the wrongs of his country and may hasten the remedy. If a man came to me and told me he was planning an assassination, I would think him as bitter fool and refuse to pay any attention to him."

"I honor him for the spirit that prompts him. It is no small thing for a man to be willing to lay down his life for the cause of humanity. The act is noble, but it is mistaken. No, I have never advocated violence, but neither do I condemn the anarchist who resorts to it. Perhaps under the same condition I would have done the same."

Emma Goldman is a short, fairly well built woman about thirty-three years of age. Although she is generally known by her maiden name, she has been married, but separated from her husband for



EMMA GOLDMAN.

a number of years. She is not unprepossessing in appearance, though any description of her as handsome or beautiful would be far from the truth. Her face is quiet, reposeful, with determined mouth and chin. From her low, broad forehead the brown hair is brushed smoothly back, and from underneath sharply marked eyebrows a pair of earnest gray eyes look directly at her interlocutor. Intelligence and earnestness are the dominant expressions of her features.

She is a Russian by birth and says with some show of pride that she is "Russian through and through." Most of her life, however, has been passed away from her native country. Miss Goldman's family are respectable, quiet folk, residing in Rochester, N. Y., and her revolutionary tendencies are not inherited. She was educated in Germany, but returned to Russia before coming to America. She came here about seventeen years ago and since then has been actively engaged in anarchistic propaganda.

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## How a Kind Horse Was Frightened.

A few days ago we took a drive in a town near Boston with one of the best-broken and kindest horses of the town but he wore blinders. Suddenly a gentleman came up behind on the gallop. Before we noticed him our horse heard the clatter, and, frightened at what he probably supposed a runaway, made a tremendous leap and tried to run. We stopped him, but if, in his sudden leap, anything had broken, there would probably have been a smash-up, with serious consequences. This leads us to ask, is it not about time to abolish blinders? They were first invented or adopted by an English nobleman to cover a defect in the eye of a valuable horse, then were found convenient to put on the coat of arms of the nobility, and so came into fashion. In Russia, where they are never used, a shying horse is almost unknown. No one would think of using them on a saddle-horse, on artillery and fire-engine horses they are rarely if ever used. We are glad to find that, as the result of our education, thousands of horses are now driven in Boston without blinders, and are able to know when their drivers are ready to start, and to see the causes of noises which frighten them; and so, perhaps, lives saved. We know a young lady who, when a child, lived with her aged grandmother, who always, because she had no teeth, soaked her bread and butter in her tea. The child adopted the same custom, and to this day always soaks her bread and butter in her tea, because her grandmother had no teeth. Is it not quite as foolish and more harmful and dangerous to cover up our horses' beautiful eyes with blinders because an English nobleman tried in this way to hide a defect in his horse's eye a hundred years ago?

## People Who Never See Their Own Faces.

"What?" exclaims the astonished reader "is it possible that there are any civilized persons on the face of the earth who are not in the habit of beholding their visages reflected from time to time in a mirror of some kind? Surely this can't be so." Wrong, quite wrong; gentle reader, for at the present time, strange as it may appear, there are hundreds of men and women in the United Kingdom who have not gazed into a mirror for years.

The convicts confined in His Majesty's prisons form members of this community. From the moment of a convict's entrance to a jail to the moment of his exit he is not permitted to use the use of a mirror, the smallest piece of glass being rigidly denied to him. To the woman convicts this absence of a mirror forms one of the chief hardships of confinement, and many a female warder can tell piteous tales of women who have actually fallen upon their knees and sobbed out intreaties for the loan of a morsel of mirror "just for a second." All these entreaties have perforce to be disregarded—and it therefore comes about that many a female convict passes three or four years without being permitted to gaze upon her own features.—Tit-Bits.

## When Cats Were Worshipped.

A mummy cat is a very curious thing. Tons of these embalmed creatures were brought to England a few years ago to be ground into manure. What an unromantic ending after 4,000 years' mummification. Some of these cats were bound with the ears standing erect, others laid flat. The cloths were adhering to the mummies, though in one skin laid, supposed to contain 18,000 cats, very few complete specimens could be found. It is supposed that the cats were of the species known as Felis maniculata, a kind formerly found in North Africa, and trained by the ancient Egyptians, from which we get our domesticated pussy. As early as 1600 B. C. tablets record that cats were kept in the Egyptian temples as objects of worship. Hence their conversion into mummies.

## Canine Intelligence.

After the battle of Spion Kop, in South Africa, the writer was assisting at one of the ambulance wagons attached to an irregular corps. While dressing the wounded we had noticed a nice liver-colored pointer lying down some fifty yards away. He waited patiently until the last sufferer had been attended to and dispatched to the field hospital, then walked up to us, and with a whine held up one of his forepaws, which, on examination, proved to have received a bullet wound. Needless to say the poor beast received the attention he so plainly asked for, after which he lay down quietly under our wagon. There are many witnesses who will vouch for the truth of the above story.—London Referee.

## As Needed a Bath.

A young man who has a fine bird dog was overheard bragging to his best girl the other day about the wonderfully keen scent of the animal. "Why," he said, "I wanted to go to the northwestern part of the county on business, and fearing that the dog would follow me I chained him up. I had been gone two hours and was 15 miles from home when he broke loose and tracked me and found me merely by scent. What do you think of that?" "Well, I think you ought to take a bath," replied the young lady. And then he went home and licked the dog.—Tit-Bits.

## A Reminder.

She—I do believe you forgot that this was our wedding day's third anniversary.

He—I just didn't. I just met the second of the notes I negotiated to buy the furniture when we were married.

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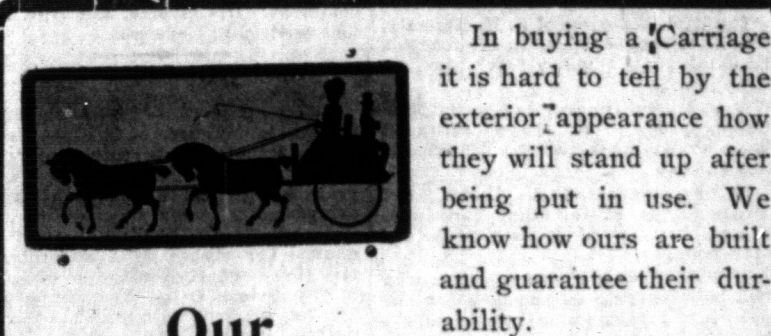
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## THE LOCAL BUDGET

John Piggott, Sr., is in Windsor to-day on business.

Old pipe or tea lead wanted immediately at this office.

J. W. Aiken has returned from a business trip to Toronto.

Everitt Peagan has resumed his duties at the gas office after a short illness.

The G. T. R. train, due at 8.15 this morning, was an hour late, a very unusual thing.

T. B. Parkinson, New York Life insurance inspector, of London, is in the city to-day on business.

Mrs. Matt. Hutton, and son, Frank, King street, east, are visiting friends in St. Thomas.

The plan of reserved seats for the Bostonians opened this morning and the sale has been exceedingly and deservedly large.

Thursday evening's scheduled drill of the Regiment has been postponed, owing to the presentation by the Bostonians at the Grand.

Rev. J. C. Tomsie, of Windsor, will deliver an address at the anniversary entertainment of the First Presbyterian Church this evening.

Dunn & Brisco, real estate agents, report the sale of the property of Mrs. Charles Northwood, corner of Dover and Kent streets, to N. H. Stevens.

A carload of pressed brick arrived to-day for Fielder & Blight, which is for the Gas Co's new office, and the work will now be pushed to completion.

"We had the strongest wind storm on Saturday night, that I have experienced in the tower since the storm of October, 1892," said Watchman Coyle, of the Fire Department to The Planet this morning. "The wind blew first from the Southeast, but afterwards veered around to the Southwest."

An Elizabeth street ratepayer has strong objections to the pulling up of the walk on Elizabeth street. He says that the "people on the street" were never notified that the walk had been pulled up and the people were left without a walk. The walk pulled up had done service 18 years.

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John Mulholland, of Blenheim, is in the city to-day.

F. E. Nelles, of Tilbury, is in the city to-day, on business.

Charles F. Thompson, of Detroit, is visiting in the city.

Perin's Elk Tan Gloves, sizes 7 to 10, \$1.50 a pair at The 2 T's.

Chatham was visited by a severe windstorm on Saturday night. The wind blew at the rate of 40 miles per hour. A number of limbs were blown down from trees all over the city.

Aside from this no other damage is reported.

## LOTTER HANGED

British Executed a Leader of Rebel Dutch in Cape Colony.

London, October 14.—Kitchener reports from Pretoria, under date of to-day, that French's columns have captured Commandant Scheepers.

Scheepers' commando which has been so active in Cape Colony, was captured or not. The British have been in pursuit for a couple of weeks.

Scheepers was ill that he was obliged to travel in a buggy.

Middleburg, Cape Colony, October 14.—Commandant Lotter, the Cape rebel leader, whose commando, consisting wholly of colored, unarmored men, the murder of colored, unarmored men, the murder of troops in action, the blowing up of railroads and the cowardly of British subjects and Europeans. Lotter pleaded that he was a civilian of the Orange Free State but this was disproved.

Five of Lotter's comrades have been sentenced to the penitentiary for life. One, a youth, has been sentenced to 20 strokes with the rod, followed with imprisonment until the close of the war.

Two young farmers who have twice joined the Boers have been hanged in Vryburg. Death sentences of a number of other condemned men have been commuted to penal servitude.

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## TELEGRAPH

Two prisoners escaped from the Central Prison.

Gen. French has captured the Boer leader, Schepers.

The story of Lord Minto's resignation is denied at Ottawa.

Barnum & Bailey's circus men and the people of Liege had a fight.

Rev. Dr. Shaw has been elected President of the Quebec Teachers' Association.

John Palk; the Winnipeg postoffice clerk, has confessed to robbing the mails.

The work of preparing the estimates for submission to Parliament is in progress at Ottawa.

Peter Nissen, of Chicago successfully navigated the Niagara whirlpool rapids in a cigar-shaped boat.

Four trainmen were killed in a collision between a cattle and a freight train at Mackay's Station, Nipissing.

The schooner Mont Blanc foundered off Barr Point, Lake Erie. The crew was rescued after a night in the rigging.

It is said the Ottawa sawmills have commenced shipping their sawdust to New York, where it is used in manufacture.

Thieves broke into the ticket office at the Central Railway Station in Ottawa at noon on Sunday and got away with \$800 or \$1,000.

The Vulture, another torpedo-boat destroyer, buckled between Portsmouth and Portland, and was compelled to return for repairs.

An outbreak of typhoid attributed to insanitary barracks at Levis has attacked several of the Duke of York's Hussars, of Montreal.

The steamer Hasting of the C. P. R. Skaguay Line ran on Jervis Island in a fog and foundered. The passengers numbered 175 and were all saved.

Rev. C. J. James, rector of the Church of St. Thomas, Hamilton, was taken ill during the morning service and had to dismiss the congregation.

## DISAPPEARED

Corporation Workman is Mysteriously Missing—Police Investigating.

"Where is William Paul?"

This is the question which is troubling the Engineer and the local police force this afternoon, for Mr. Paul has mysteriously disappeared.

For the last two months Paul has been engaged as a "white wing" on King St. This morning about ten o'clock he put down his broom and shovel on the walk in front of Taylor's barber shop, and wandered off, and has not been heard of since.

He was dressed in his ordinary white clothes and cap and his disappearance has caused quite an excitement.

The Engineer noticed the tools on the sidewalk about 11 o'clock but thought nothing of it, as he supposed that Paul was probably around the street and would be back in a few minutes.

About 2 o'clock, however, he saw that the shovel and broom were still there and Paul was nowhere in sight. Shortly after this his wife came to the Engineer and anxiously enquired after her husband, as he had not been home for dinner.

The Engineer then took the matter up and made a search for him, but without success.

The police were notified and they are now investigating, but so far the missing man has not been found. It is feared that he might have come to grief and a search was made along the river but no trace could be found.

His wife is almost frantic. No cause can be given for his disappearance. He is a steady man and does not use liquor and, as the engineer expresses it, "is the best man on the street."

Up to the time of going to press he was still missing.

TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT?

Paris, Oct. 13.—The Lisbon correspondent of La Patrie says a telegram has been received at the Portuguese capital from Rio Janeiro asserting that two Italians were arrested Friday evening last in the corridor of the guard. Both were armed with revolvers and daggers. In Rio Janeiro it is believed they are Anarchists, and intend to assassinate President Campos Sales.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

SEAL CATCHES LIGHT.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 13.—The sealing schooner Florence N. Smith has arrived at Claydon on the Vancouver Island coast, with 650 skins. She is the first of the Victoria sealing schooners to arrive from the Behring Sea, and with her came the first news of the fleet in the Northern Sea. No accidents are reported, and nothing was learned to verify the report of the seizure of three vessels.

The catches are low. Those reported are—Zillah May, 438 skins; Geneva, 400; Penelope, 450; Otis, 500; Triumph, 400; Beatrice, 145; Sadie Turget, 137; Annie L. Paint, 500; Victoria, 280; Enterprise, 200; Ainoka, 335.

## Literary Pretense.

Fall of us who in these latter days have acquired some reputation of knowledge of literature were to be tried before a jury of real experts.

It is to be feared, writes Guy Carleton Lee, that the vast majority of us would win this sentence: "Guilty of having gained a reputation under false pretenses." Let us be candid with ourselves, since the confidence need go no further. Have we really made ourselves familiar with English masterpieces? It were damning to confess ignorance of Chaucer, for example; let us who have read the "Canterbury Tales," to take but a portion of his works, mentally hold up their hands. The resulting show might not carry an election in the smallest election precinct.

Perhaps we have taken an unfair test. Chaucer is difficult reading to any but the scholar, and the quaint old words are apt to interfere with any pleasure in the reading. Let us return, then, to writers of a later date, whose language holds no obscurity of form. How many of us have read "The Faery Queen" from beginning to end? Perhaps some few; to whom literature is a profession, not a recreation; but of the rest of us who so glibly discuss Edmund Spenser and his influence upon poetry, and who talk learnedly of the Spenserian stanza, the vast majority are utter strangers to the works of the poet they praise.

The early dramatists, again. Most of us are vaguely aware that Marlowe wrote plays called "The Jew of Malta" and "Tamburlaine," and a dramatic poem entitled "Doctor Faustus," but our knowledge of him stops there. Marlowe, because of the occasional presentation on the stage of "A New Way to Pay Old Debts," is more familiar to us; but our acquaintance with him is strictly limited to that one work. Beaumont and Fletcher are by name "familiar" in the mouth as household words; but some of us would be sorely puzzled to quote a line written by these old collaborators. Ben Jonson we know by his epitaph; but by his works we know him not. Shakespeare—ah! there we are safe; all of us have read him. Have we so? Along comes some villainous prior-to-secret-places and questions us of our knowledge of the "Sonnets," and straightway we wish that we were dead or that Shakespeare had never been born to write twaddle that is called literature.

Shakespeare, again. He is sometimes talked of nowadays; is he ever read? And the dramatists of the Restoration—Wycherley, Congreve, Farquhar, Vanburgh? And to retrace our steps for the moment—Sidney and Harvey and Rochester and Herrick—oh, yes, we all know the quotation from the latter concerning the little feet which stole in and out; but singular as it may appear, these lines were not the sole production of Herrick.

Pass on. Is Pope ever read nowadays? Who of us can ever give a list of his principal poems? It would be a good wager that ninety-nine out of a hundred among us, being asked to do this, would promptly exclaim: "The Essay on Man," and then continue: "E—and 'The Rape of the Lock' you know—and 'h—m—oh, well, and all the rest."

Cowper—didn't he write something about a "soul" "Southery"? Oh, yes, he wrote "How the Water Comes Down at Lodore," and—and other things. Richardson? Addison? Steele? We seem to know these names—we are before our jury of experts now—but we can't recall their writings. For the moment, Swift? Oh, he wrote "Gulliver's Travels," we read that when we were young; yes, we have entirely forgotten it, and recall no political satire in it. We know that Fielding and Smollett were very coarse writers; we do not remember any other characteristics. Ever read them? No, but we have read of them.

But, the attorney for the defence may urge, these are not names of giants; knowledge of their works is not indispensable. Waiving this point, the prosecuting attorney sternly demands if we have never claimed acquaintance with these men, if we have never referred to them with an air of easy nonchalance, calculated to impress our auditor with the fact that we were profoundly versed in their works. How many of us pretenders can honestly answer "No?"

"No," says the prosecuting attorney, "I have but one more question to ask you. You have often sneered at Byron as out of date and monotonous; have you ever read 'Childe Harold's Pilgrimage,' or that magnificent dramatic poem, 'Cain'?" And we answer desperately: "No; Byron is no poet; he is not literature; it would be waste of valuable time to read his stuff."

And then the attorney for the defence, in despair at our admissions, yet still fighting his case, asks us to name the works with which we are familiar, that we may show that our reputation is deserved. Sure of our ground, we go trippingly on, with a list of the "Trilby," the "Ladies of Quality," the "Richard Arvels," the—but here our attorney hastily bids us leave the stand, and submit the case without argument.

Is the picture overdrawn? We fear not.

## A Volatile Community.

"What kind of a town have you here?" enquired a recently-arrived tourist from New England.















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The latest weaves, the popular shades, and many rare shades among them in Dress Goods for this seasons wear.

We have the finest stock of Rich Costume Cloths that ever entered this store. Also heavy Friezes and Homespuns in great variety for Outing Suits and rainy day skirts.

A few popular weaves that can be seen here:

Corkscrews

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Cameline

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Hopsacking Homespuns, Friezes, Broadcloths and Cheviots.

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### "I Can't See"

Said a blind man in our store yesterday, how you sell Men's Fine Goodyear Welted shoes for \$3.00.

### "I Hear"

Said a deaf man who came in with him, that your \$3.00 Men's Shoes are even better than you advertise them to be.

### "I Walked In"

Said a man on crutches, to see a pair of those \$3.00 Men's Shoes like my neighbor got here this morning.

I'd like to get my hands on a pair of these \$3.00 Welted Shoes you advertise said a man who lost both arms. "I've got to be economical now, said an ice man, so I thought I'd run in and see those \$3.00 shoes."

All sorts of men are buying these \$3.00 Shoes for every man who looks at them from a blind man to an ice man, say they are the best shoe for the money they ever saw. Sold at

J.L. Campbell's The Boston Shoe Store

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## Buy a Jewel

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### HORSE SHOE

Bandmaster Philp Brought it From To onto and Says It is off the Horse the Duke Rode.

Bandmaster Harry C. Philp returned home on Saturday night, after having assisted in welcoming and entertaining the Duke in Toronto. Harry was laden with a heavy parcel, and several of his friends called on him yesterday afternoon to greet him and, on invitation, to learn its contents.

"It's a most interesting memento," he explained very plausibly, "one to which I shall give a prominent place in my collection of curios. It's a horse shoe from off the horse that the Duke rode in Toronto."

"You don't say," quoth Henry Richards, deeply interested.

"How did you get it?" questioned Morton Sheldon somewhat incredulously.

"Well, you see," explained Mr. Philp with exceptional earnestness, "it was this way. The horse cast the shoe and of course there was a big scramble for it. Our bass drummer came out ahead and carried off the trophy. His exultation was but momentary, however, for I relieved him of it clandestinely a few moments later."

The young men heartily congratulated the bandmaster on his trophy as they parted with him.

Finally Will McNaughton, who had been engaged in deep thought, queried meditatively—

"I wonder if that shoe is really off the horse that the Duke rode?"

"Of course it is," declared Billy Brackin impulsively.

"Really off the Duke's horse?" questioned Mac still dubiously.

"No doubt about it," exclaimed Brackin. "It never was on."

Then somebody laughed. Meanwhile Mac is thinking it over.

### Theatrical

Never since Chatham had a theatre have local theatre-goers been offered an attraction of the importance of The Bostonians, who will sing their master-piece "Robin Hood," at the Grand next Thursday evening.

Such attractions as "The Cadet Girl," and "The Roadsters," which were here last season, are not to be compared for an instant with the Bostonians, who have for ten years been recognized as the leaders in the line of light opera.

It is only once in a decade that such an attraction can be offered the people of Chatham, and the enterprise of the management should be rewarded by the largest attendance the Grand has ever known.

The contract for The Bostonians calls for a clear stage, and no orchestra; the company carries their own orchestra of ten pieces.

There is no No. 2 or anything of the sort, but the original Bostonians, with all the old favorites, who have made the organization and "Robin Hood" famous.

Music lovers have mingled amicably together in securing seats for the Bostonians, who will appear here on Thursday, October 17th, 1901. Chief among the new comers with this company this season, and who have created a sensation with the music-loving public are the handsome tenors Albert Parr and Vernon Stiles; the distinguished basso, Albert Kinckley; and the vivacious young contralto Adele Raifer, whose liquid voice and personal charms have made her one of the most talked about figures on the comic opera stage.

George Frothingham, the well known comedian of the Bostonians, is one of the few singers who has been content to accept a position among a brilliant group of entertainers and remain a star in a stock company rather than tempt fortune in touring alone. Mr. Frothingham is pleasantly remembered through his long connection with this company, and in grotesque he has no superior. As Friar Tuck, in Robin Hood, and the lover-sailor in The Serenade, he constantly provokes laughter by his whimsical methods. Mr. Frothingham will be heard here in the coming presentation of "Robin Hood."

### THE BEST MADE BETTER.

The New Edition of Webster's International Dictionary, just published, Webster again abreast of the growth of the language and again confirms it in its position as the One Great Standard Authority. A decade has passed since the International was first published and the years have been full of changes and growth in life and knowledge and achievement; changes that have been reflected in the language and that must now be registered in the dictionary.

A Supplement of Additional Words has therefore been added to the International to include the thousands of new words that have come into literary use, the old words that have changed their meanings, the obsolete words that have been revived.

The Compiler's needs for a reliable and usable guide to the proper use of English words have been deliberately preferred to the ability to boast of a huge, unpractical vocabulary.

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### BUSY BROOKS

Wife He Married in Chatham Suits for a Divorce—Second Marriage Alleged.

Detroit, Oct. 14.—William H. Brooks has troubles on his hands in the shape of a divorce suit and an action to annul an alleged marriage. Frances Brooks is complainant in the divorce suit, and she avers in her bill of complaint that she was married to the defendant October 11, 1876, at Chatham, Ont., and that she is the mother of two children by him. She charges desertion some time in 1887 and non-support.

The complainant in the other suit is Louisa East Crider. She avers that she was married to Brooks on September 5, 1881, supposing him to be single. At that time, she says, she was 16 years old. She states that she lived with Brooks as his wife until January 15th, 1898, when she was informed that he had a wife living in this city. Both complainants have filed petitions for alimony and solicitor's fees, and the motions will come on for hearing to-morrow in Chancery Court, room No. 5. The petitioners state that Brooks is a porter in the employ of the Michigan Central.

### HEART DISEASE

Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart Trouble.

Heart troubles, at least among the Americans, are certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real organic disease is incurable, but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also, the heart is affected by the form of poor digestion which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food. There is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the undigested stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action, hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood making it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

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### BISHOP BALDWIN

Impressive Service Conducted by His Lordship in Christ Church Yesterday.

The fortieth anniversary of the opening of Christ Church was celebrated yesterday. Bishop Baldwin, assisted by Rural Dean McCosh, Rev. Mr. Sims, and Rev. Colles, occupied the pulpit.

The Bishop took his text from the tenth chapter of the Epistle of Paul to the Hebrews—"By the which will we are sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all."

"The will of God is perfect," began the reverend gentleman, "the earth travels millions and millions of miles in its orbit but does not deviate a particle of a second in a year. The only absolute power is the will of God and nothing can alter it."

"I am told this is the fortieth anniversary of the opening of this church and I can remember preaching in the old church with Archdeacon Sandys. Every man or woman who has reached the sixty mark can look back on his Pompeii and Herculaneum, as Thackeray, the great novelist, has said. Some things that should have been done were left undone while some were done that should not have been done, they can only be repented of, they cannot be brought back and done again. As we look back we can remember strong men and loving women full of light and life, they are gone now and we only see them in fancy."

"Mendelssohn composed what he called songs without words, in Heaven there will be no songs without words. Every man, woman and child will have something different to praise God for and all will blend in one triumphant song greater than any composed by Mendelssohn, or any other mortal composer."

"The people had forgotten that God had made them in His own likeness and had built images of outlandish animals and worshipped them. The Lord came to tell us what the will of God meant, and that it meant that whoever believed in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

In conclusion His Lordship appealed to the people to let their whole life be bent on the eternal truth of the living God.

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### BUBBLED OVER

Righteous Wrath of a Maple City Young Man Rose Instantly at Royal Reception.

The inherent gallantry which permeates all men of the Maple City in all circumstances and under all conditions found eloquent demonstration at Toronto just prior to the royal reception.

A sturdy Chathamite had mingled with the throng which gathered ere the approach of the ducal train. Slanders have it that he was conspicuously prepared on distilled loyalty.

Be that as it may, he was making his presence felt—in more ways than one. The vice-regal party had already arrived upon the scene and the preparatory part of the procession was in process of formation. A little child toddled carelessly into the open and a horseman, brushing past her, bowled her over.

The Chathamite's blood boiled. Struggling through the mass of humanity he soon reached the front. He had been taking off his coat as he made headway and the crush, entering into the spirit of his manoeuvre, assisted therein to the extent of demolishing the exposed portions of his shirt. He vowed not.

"That idiotic blunderbuss of an alleged horseman," he declared angrily as he reached the edge of the crowd. "I'll show him whether he can knock down a child in my presence with impunity."

A stern shocked stalwart in scarlet regalia seized him and thrust him back.

"Do you know to whom you are addressing?" quoth the indignant military man. "That, sir, is the Governor-General of Canada."

"Governor-General and blazes," retorted the irate Maple City man. "I care not who it is. The mumbakul can't ride a horse."

And it was some time ere his customary composure revisited him.

### HOMELESS BABE

Judge Houston will Enquire Into Its Care and Up-bringing at Police Court.

Mrs. John E. Scott appeared in the police court this morning charged with having abandoned her five months' old baby. Her husband was the complainant, but he failed to put in an appearance.

"I can't allow this case to be dismissed," said Judge Houston. "I am going to compel the complainant to appear and I will also notify the Children's Aid Society. It is horrible, if true, that a five months' old baby was peddled from house to house."

"If your husband's story is true," said the judge, addressing the woman in the box, "namely, that you left the baby alone from 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 2 o'clock the next morning, you should be taken care of. If what you say is true about the kind of house your mother-in-law keeps she should be sent to prison."

The case was adjourned till Monday next, and Mrs. Scott was let out on her own recognizances.

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### DISTRICT DOINGS,

#### WALLACEBURG

Oct. 14.—Mrs. J. Steinhoff, of Chatham, spent the last few days visiting friends here.

E. D. Young is enjoying his holidays at Detroit and other places.

Moss West, who is attending Chatham Business College, spent Sunday at his home.

Mr. Shillington, of London, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Crawford.

Miss Myrtle Linden is visiting friends at Bothwell.

Miss Grace Taylor, who is teaching the school at Whitebread, spent Saturday in town.

Mrs. Richardson spent Saturday in Chatham.

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#### TILBURY

Oct. 14.—Miss Charlotte Wiggins, of Toronto, will lecture in the Presbyterian church to-morrow evening, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

There will be no admission, but a free-will offering will be taken up.

Mrs. Keller and Mrs. A. Wanda, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are the guests of the latter's sister here, Mrs. Jas. Stewart.

Miss Eagan left yesterday on a visit to her home in St. Mary's.

Charles Richardson and Fred Powell, of Essex, spent Sunday here.

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