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We have two distinct dress making departments, one under the charge of MADAME SKIRVING and the other under the charge of MISS WRIGHT. In both of these departments we have large staffs of competent assistants and are prepared to give your orders very prompt attention. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices moderate.

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Chatham, Ont., March 6, '06.
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Sincerely yours,
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Genuine Gas Coke will hereafter be sold and delivered at \$5.00 per ton, natural size, or \$5.50 per ton, crushed. There are as many heat units in a ton of Genuine Gas Coke as there are in the best quality of hard coal. Why not save the difference?

Chatham Gas Co.,
LIMITED.

THE COUNCIL WILL ACT

McPherson Property Will be Purchased for Use of Health Board

AN ISOLATION HOSPITAL

A special meeting of the City Council was held in Harrison Hall yesterday afternoon to consider the matter of purchasing a site for an isolation hospital to aid in the treatment of infectious diseases.

The Mayor was out of town and could not possibly attend, and Ald. Thompson and Edmondson were also absent. Ald. Potter took the chair. After some preliminary discussion, Dr. Hall, Medical Health Officer, addressed the Council recommending the McPherson property on Queen St. as a suitable site. He pointed out that this land was four acres in extent, just the size to meet the requirements of the city, and that there was a building standing upon it that could be fitted up as an isolation hospital which would serve the city's purpose for two or three years at least. At the end of that time, when the hospital was completed, the cost of erecting a modern, up-to-date building in its stead. The cost of renovating and equipping this building would only be about \$150 to \$200, which sum was a most reasonable price.

Dr. Hall went on to show that the Board of Health were meeting with great difficulty in combating infectious diseases in the city, and that in following out this project the city would relieve themselves of a big responsibility. He stated that the city should provide an isolation hospital of some nature or other, and it was for the Council to obtain such a place at the lowest cost that would admit of an effective one being secured. The Board of Health intended that it would be used for the purpose of isolating the city, and the McPherson property, providing the city bought the latter, for the treatment of scarlet fever and diphtheria. If any small-pox cases cropped up, the affected people could be isolated on the grounds in a tent. This method of treating small-pox had been tried at Chatham at a previous date and was found to be thoroughly effective.

In reply to a question, Dr. Hall stated that this tent could be used in both winter and summer, as it was thoroughly warm and comfortable. He believed that it would be a wise move on the part of the Council if they purchased this property, as, not only would it enable them to successfully treat infectious diseases of all kinds, but it would greatly reduce the cost of so doing.

In answer to a query from Ald. Potter, the Medical Health Officer said that the building would serve the city for fully two years at a comparatively small expense. The city at present possesses a double-walled tent and, as all the cooking would be done in the building, no cooking tent would be required even if small-pox did break out.

After the M. H. O. had answered a number of further questions from the councillors, Ald. Scullard moved that the city purchase the McPherson property on Queen St. at the price of \$900, and that the city should be instructed to search the title of the said property.

This motion, which was seconded by Ald. Stone, was unanimously carried. Council adjourned.

MERCHANTS ASSN.

Meeting Held in Council Chambers Last Evening—Matters Discussed

The Retail Merchants' Association held a well attended meeting in the Council Chambers of Harrison Hall last evening.

President G. W. Cowan occupied the chair, and Treasurer W. M. Morley acted as Secretary.

The principal theme of the evening's discussion, was that relative to advertising on concert and theatrical programs. Some time ago the members of the association decided to discontinue program advertising, and at last night's meeting the matter of buying space on the Fair of all Nations program was brought up and considered. Some of the members stated that they had already contracted for space on the Fair of all Nations program.

It was finally decided upon, however, that such action would not be consistent with the rules originally laid down, and the unanimous opinion put on record, was that the rules should not be broken in this case, and that no exception should be made.

The meeting then adjourned till next Thursday evening, when a reorganization meeting will be held, and an election of officers take place.

Self-congratulations have a particularly sweet flavor because they never are knocked down.

HUGH CLARK WAS THERE

Phil Bowyer Says he Took a Mean Advantage of Other Legislators

HE GOT THE BEST MEN

Toronto, April 5. — Union Station was the scene of an exciting drama last night, in which two hundred immigrants and several provincial legislators, including Hon. Adam Beck, in his dressing-gown, 'tis said, were the principals.

There is a great demand among farmers all over the province for efficient help. Scotch immigrants are preferred. Seventy-two Scotchmen were included among the two hundred arrivals. Legislators have the interest of constituents in mind and there lies the solution of last night's excitement.

Out of bed, down to the station hustled the provincial dignitaries in a wild scramble to coral the pick of the immigrants, only to find that the member for Centre Bruce had caught the early worm.

HUGH CLARK ON HAND. Major Hugh Clark, of Centre Bruce, is reported to have made his appearance long before daybreak, corralled a score of the finest specimens, barricaded them in a room and mounted guard himself over them till they were apportioned to his constituency.

"Hugh Clark took a mean advantage," plaintively declared Mr. Philip H. Bowyer, East Kent, this morning. "For hours he haunted the station platforms, grabbing any and every passing pedestrian and dragging him under the lamp-light for inspection. He boarded every incoming train the night long and careered through the cars, looking for men in kilts."

MORE DISTRIBUTING POINTS.

"I am strongly of the opinion," observed Mr. F. G. Macdormid, "that the Government should establish other distributing points besides Toronto. In the West, officers should be stationed at St. Thomas, Chatham, London, Woodstock, Stratford and Brantford. In this way the farmers in these localities could look the arrivals over and have the opportunity of making their own selections."

MR. M'COOL SAVES LIVES

Collapse of New 75-Foot Tower on Parliament Building

PROBABLE LOSS \$25,000.

Ottawa, April 6.—With a possible loss of \$25,000, the new 75-foot tower which the Government has been building in the northwest angle of the western arm of the Parliament block, collapsed yesterday at noon. Five workmen on the roof stepped off the structure just in time to save their lives.

Shortly before the crash Charles McCool, M. P., saw cracks in the tower, and he hurried to the Public Works office and advised that if anybody was near the structure they should be warned in time. This was done and the workmen's lives were saved.

The work was begun last summer and was almost completed. The entire addition was to cost \$75,000. The contractor was George Gooding & Co., Ltd., of Ottawa. Chief Architect Edward C. Burt of the Public Works Department believes that the fall was in part due to the building of the structure in the winter, by which the outer mortar dried before the inner, and to the lack of binding stones to solidify the wall.

IN THE HOUSE.

Mr. R. L. Borden called attention in the House to the collapse of the new tower of the western building at noon yesterday.

Hon. Mr. Hyman answered that Mr. Taylor, an experienced architect, had charge of the work. The department would make a thorough investigation.

At the suggestion of Mr. Bourassa, the Minister promised to have an investigation made by some competent expert who was not connected with the department.

Mr. Monk, on what he believed to be reliable authority (W. D. Scott himself) that the Minister of the Interior had forbidden W. D. Scott, superintendent of immigration, to obey an order of the House committee investigating the Atlantic Trading Co.

Mr. Oliver promptly denied it. Edward Norman L. (West Harewood) made an able speech of some three hours' duration, urging upon the Government the necessity of upbuilding the mercantile marine of Canada.

Mr. Brodeur said the matters referred to would be taken up by the tariff commission and by the Government.

On a motion of the Minister of Justice a select committee was appointed to examine the proposed Sunday law, subpoena witnesses and report to the House.

Some of the narrowest men are persons of wide experience.

ROUTINE WAS TRANSACTION

Water Commissioners Hold Their Regular Monthly Meeting

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES

Little was done at the meeting of the Water Commissioners last evening. There was not much to come before the Board, and no time was lost in dealing with the questions that did arise. The Board is a business one and conduct their meetings in a businesslike manner. There were present at the meeting Chairman Sheldon and Dr. Cornell. The City Council notified the Board that they wished to grant the request of the petitioners who asked for a fire hydrant on the corner of William and Wade streets. It was decided to install the hydrant.

A letter was received from a Detroit stepladder offering to paint the Chatham stand pipe. It was decided to ask for tenders for the work and give everyone an opportunity to send in figures. This man painted the pipe the last time.

A petition was received for an inch and a quarter water main on Hillard street, from Head to the property owned by J. W. Humphrey.—Granted.

Another petition was received for an inch and a quarter water main on Pattison avenue.—Referred.

Another petition was received for a similar main on Poplar street.—Granted.

Tenders were received for pipe from Geo. Stephens & Co., Park Bros. & Co., and McKeough & Trotter. These were referred to the Engineer to report the acceptance of the lowest tender.

Chairman Sheldon reported that he had been interviewed by the members of the School Board in reference to the granting of a flat rate for the schools. He recommended to the trustees that they put in a metre. This has since been done.

Chairman Sheldon was empowered to interview Mr. Tillson in reference to the supply of coal for the station, and to make the best possible contract with him. It will be a serious matter to get coal this summer if the coal strike continues. Mr. Tillson was the only man who tendered for this contract.

The cash statement for the month of March, as prepared by Secretary Weir, showed: Cash balance, Feb. 28, \$1,422.64, receipts, \$76.03, total, \$2,198.67. Disbursements, \$1,375.45, balance in the bank, \$823.22, total, \$2,198.67. The statement was received.

The superintendent was empowered to purchase a cover, to assist him in repairing the break in the water pipe at Third street.

The following accounts were ordered paid: James Watt \$13.10, John Oldershaw \$9.99, R. Riddell & Sons 75c., Geo. Co. \$3.75, Geo. Stephens & Co. \$14.80, the H. T. Wilson Coal Co. \$46.69, the Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co. \$35, the Buffalo Mfg. Co. \$65, the Thistle Rubber Type Co. \$1.50, Ryder and Kitchener Co. \$3.47, the H. Mueller Mfg. Co. \$66.40, Park Bros. \$28.23, the Lake Erie Coal Co. \$615.39.

The Board then adjourned.

You're growing more beautiful day by day, dear Grace, I hope you're not using cosmetics on your face!

Oh, Charlie, this is a great injustice to me. I'm simply using Rocky Mountain Tea.

(Cards out.)

A. I. McCall & Co.

-3- Great Events This Week..

1st—The opening of the Wall Paper Season's at Sulman's Beehive with the finest imported and domestic patterns.

2nd—Easter Novelties in great variety at Sulman's Beehive.

3rd—Great Sale of Japanese China at Sulman's Beehive.

Do not miss seeing all of these bargains. Be sure to visit the Beehive this week and get in the swim.

SULMAN'S BEEHIVE, King and Sixth Streets...

SPRING SUITINGS...

MADE TO ORDER...

For the best imported English, Scotch, Irish and French Worsted at from \$16.00 and upwards.

Pants From \$4.25 and upwards. Come and see stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Latest Cut and Perfect Fit or No Sale. Pressing and Cleaning at Lowest Prices.

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SIXTH ST., NEAR FIRE HALL.



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SPRING ...SUITS

It's about now that all sorts of Spring Suits will be offered at all sorts of prices by all sorts of clothiers.

It will certainly be a good idea for every man that cares anything about the kind of clothes he wears or what he pays for them, to keep both his eyes open and his hand on his pocket-book until he is sure that he is on the right track. The man who comes here for his Suit will surely not go wrong, and HE CAN BANK ON IT. Nothing but the best of clothing ever comes in or goes out of this store.

The New Spring Styles are now ready in great variety and we take pleasure in showing them. Suits at \$25.00, \$35.00, \$45.00 to \$100.00.

If you are dissatisfied with the Suit after you get home, you can come right back and get your money. That's the way we do things.

GEO. MEYNELL,
The Clothier,
3 Doors West From Market
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Spring Woolens

Of the most attractive weave, selected especially for the coming season's wear, now await your inspection.

Also a full range of
...HOMESPUNS...

for Ladies' Suits, in all the popular shades.

For the next two months the store will be open every Saturday evening from seven till eight o'clock—for one hour only.

The T. H. Taylor Co., Limited

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S. F. GARDNER, Branch Manager

The Daily Planet

S. STEPHENSON, PROPRIETOR.
TELEPHONE 53.
Business Office 53. Editorial Room 102.

THE CITY'S HEALTH.

The City Council's decision to purchase the McPherson property on Queen street, as a site for the location of an isolation ground, and a hospital, is as wise as it is opportune.

The Board of Health, to whom is entrusted the arduous and responsible task of safeguarding the city's health, have fully realized of late the necessity of providing a place for the isolation of persons affected by contagious diseases. In grappling with such diseases as Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria and Small-pox, the Board fully understands the harm that is done by thoughtless people who, taking advantage of the opportunities presented to them to disobey the laws of good sense and duty, persist in social intercourse with the affected ones and thus help materially in the spreading of the contagion. When efficient isolation is provided to assist the Board of Health in combating any and all of these diseases, the chances of its spreading are considerably reduced, and its speedy eradication made easier.

For some years this action on the part of the Council has been strongly advocated by Dr. W. R. Hall, the Maple City's capable Health Officer, and in this he has always received the hearty support of this journal. Until recently, however, he has been unable to induce the Council to consider seriously any advancement in this respect. Repeated recommendations from the Board of Health have been received, referred and filed, and no improvement has been noted.

The Council's timely action, as intimated in another column of this issue, is the result of the discovery of a case which demands immediate attention. At the joint meeting of the Board of Health and the Finance Committee, held yesterday morning, it was shown that there were immediate and pressing needs for such an institution, and it is to the credit of these gentlemen that no time was lost in supplying them. The nine hundred dollars devoted to this cause is money well expended, and there are none who will dispute it. The question of money, after all, is a secondary consideration when the health of the community is concerned.

The supplying of the demands of the present case, however, is not the only beneficial feature of the establishment of this institution. The Board of Health is called upon quite frequently to provide accommodation for patients suffering from contagious diseases. Heretofore they have been obliged to secure temporary quarters, often to their own inconvenience and the inconvenience of other ratepayers. This has not always been done without incurring considerable expense to the city. Not long ago a number of accounts from the Board of Health were commented upon at a meeting of the Council as being rather heavy. It was shown, however, that the city is forced to supply the accommodation, and it was done with the least possible expenditure. Now that the city has an isolation hospital of its own, much of this expense will be done away with, for, as it was pointed out by Dr. Hall, under these new conditions, patients can be treated far more cheaply than formerly.

The site selected is a most suitable one in every respect. Located as it is in a sparsely populated district, it is especially adapted for the purpose for which it is intended. The buildings which are at present on it can, through the expenditure of a small amount of money, be fully equipped for the successful treatment of such diseases, and will afford ample accommodation until the Council can see their way to erect a more modern and substantial structure. There is also sufficient room on the premises for the handling of all contagious diseases.

There is one deplorable circumstance relative to the recent outbreak, which should be met by the authorities, with the most stringent measures. It is the case of a man breaking quarantine. Ignorance is no plea in a case of this character. No punishment provided by statute is too severe for a man who will deliberately defy the law by placing his fellowmen open to contagion.

This case should be made an exemplary one, so that others, realizing the seriousness of the offense, will be thoroughly impressed with a sense of their duty under similar circumstances.

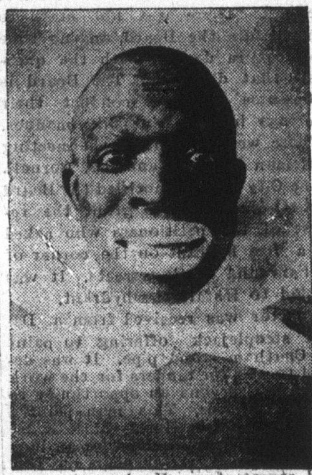
THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Grand—
Black Patti Troubadours—April 9.
Hoyt's Bunch of Keys—April 12.
Mexicans—April 13.
Leslie's Vaudeville and Trained Animals—April 16-18.
When Knighthood Was in Flower—April 20.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

Mirth, melody and music is the keynote of the performance to be given by the famous "Black Patti Troubadours," at the Grand on Monday, April 9th.



JOHN RUCKER.

Who will appear with the "Black Patti" Company Monday Night.

Their recent triumphs at the Star Theatre, New York City, was in some respects unequalled, and of the sensational kind. The largest playhouse in the city, with a seating capacity of 3,500, was inadequate to the demands for seats—and this, by the way, during the torrid heat term of mid-summer. All classes of people, of high and low degree, clergymen, merchants, bankers, professional men and ladies of high position came from far and near to witness this unrivalled company of dapper singers, dancers and jesters. These sweet singers and ebony colored fun makers of Dixie land have been recognized for years as a high-class, standard attraction, one that has scored a phenomenal popular success with theatre-goers in all sections of the country, and they will undoubtedly be greeted by a bumper house here on Monday night.

THE MARKETING BY-LAW.

Considerable inquiry has been made of late with regard to the time at which grocers and other dealers are allowed to enter the market sheds for the purpose of buying produce. It might be stated that the time originally set by by-law was ten o'clock, but this was revised by last year's Council to read nine o'clock.

It is understood that the present City Council intend again setting the time at which grocers may purchase back to ten o'clock.

NAVIGATION PROSPECTS.

At the present time the river front presents a busy appearance. Local mariners are preparing for the early opening of navigation in a variety of ways. The snows that lay upon the peaceful bosom of the Thames during the summer months, bearing mighty freights of sand and similar commodities, are being overhauled, some of them are being re-painted, and others are being practically re-erected. All things point toward an efficient service being conducted along the river this summer as regards the transportation of freight by these trusty vessels.

The refitting of the City of Chatham goes on apace, the tugs that keep up the city's reputation as a port are being put into ship-shape condition, and the schooners that have wintered in the harbor here are

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A PURE HARD SOAP

We Tell Our Friends
there isn't any soap finer, as good as
"SURPRISE," which is a Pure Hard
Soap that washes well and doesn't melt.

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Genuine

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

Wm. Wood

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

FOR HEADACHE
FOR DIZZINESS
FOR BILIOUSNESS
FOR TORPID LIVER
FOR CONSTIPATION
FOR SALLOW SKIN
FOR THE COMPLEXION

PREPARE TO GO—CARGO-HUNTING AS SOON AS THE LAKES ARE REPORTED FREE FROM ICE.

The bustle and activity of our local ship-owners is most satisfactory.

CURE SICK HEADACHE

preparing to go cargo-hunting as soon as the lakes are reported free from ice.

The bustle and activity of our local ship-owners is most satisfactory.

LOCAL

Miss Bragg was a Detroit visitor yesterday.

J. Buller, of Howard, is a city visitor to-day.

W. M. Drader is spending the day in Thamesville.

W. B. Albertson, of Thamesville, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Joseph Clark of Cedar Springs, was in the city on business yesterday.

—Bat a Laxet at bed time and feel bright the next day. Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

D. J. McDonald, of the C. P. R. Hotel, was in Ridgeway yesterday on business.

Butter, cream and eggs; you can get the best at the Maple City Creamery.

F. H. McFadden, G. T. R. Roadmaster, of St. Thomas, is in Chatham on business to-day.

Get Dr. Shoop's Free Book on Rheumatism. Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Tablets are sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

Jonathan Buller, of Howard township, has sold his farm on the Creek road to J. Johnson, of Harwich.

"We are at our spring house-cleaning," said Chairman John Edmondson, of the Board of Works this morning. King street and some of the other principal thoroughfares are receiving a good cleaning up, and a scraper was out early and men are cutting the refuse away. After the spring cleaning is run over them to settle the dust.

ORDER YOUR NEW HAT NOW

YOU WANT IT FOR
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You'll find more hats to choose from at this store than anywhere else in the city. Hats to suit every taste; hats that are exclusive, rich, elaborated, full of the most superb and striking style-ideas of the year.

Hats that are more subdued, yet superb in their quiet elegance and beauty; hats for the most dressy and formal occasions; chic hats for street wear; smart hats for business women.

No matter where you go to look you will choose your new hat here at this store. We KNOW that, for all our former efforts have been eclipsed; more hats here, each and every one more beautiful than at any previous time.

COME AT ONCE and learn the truth of our statement that nowhere will your money, whether the amount you spend be large or small, buy so much of exquisite modishness and worth.

Special Saturday Attractions

75c. Taffeta Silks 25c. Yard—14 post. Colored Taffeta Silks, 11 leading shades, the regular 75c. quality, but somewhat imperfect, clearing Saturday a yard, 25c.

Grey Tweed Suits, 50c.—12 in. wide in good range broken checks, flasks and mixtures, special a yard 50c.

New Tweed Suits, 50c.—12 in. wide, fine pure wool in wide range of plain greys, checks, flasks and mixtures, newest Spring styles at a yard \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

New Sicilians, 54 in. wide, rich bright silky finish colors brown, navy, myrtle, cream and black, special a yard 50c.

New Shantung Silks, natural color raw silks, 2 special lines, 24 in. wide at a yard 50c, 34 in. wide at a yard 75c.

Mill Ends Table Linens in all lengths from 1 yard to 4 yards each, fine grade pure linen, damask, clearing at one third off.

Towels—Mill Seconds, slight imperfections in weaving. Regular 12 1/2c for 50, regular 10c for 80, regular 20c for 150.

New Prints, an immense range of Canadian, English and American makes, fast colors at a yard 6c, 8c, 9c, 10c and 12 1/2c.

New Ginghams, Scotch, American and Canadian makes in plains, checks, flasks, stripes, etc., warranted fast colors, at a yard, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c and 20c.

White Swiss Muslins, an immense range in spots and embroidered figure designs, at a yard 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c, 45c and 50c.

New Wash Belts, new styles in eyelet embroidery, etc., with fancy buckles, at each 25c, 35c and 50c.

New Gilt and Silver Belts, fancy weaves with pretty buckles and slides, at each 25c, 35c and 50c.

Fine Handkerchiefs at Almost Half—10 doz. fine embroidered linen and Swiss lawn Handkerchiefs, also lace and hemstitched trimmed, regular 25c each for 15c.

9 doz. Handkerchiefs, fine pure linen and lawn, embroidered, hemstitched and lace trimmed, regular 35c, 40c and 50c for 25c.

50c Flannelette Waists 25c.—2 doz. only Fancy Flannelette Waists, sizes 32 to 42, regular 50c, Saturday 25c.

\$1.35 and \$1.50 Sateen Waists 80c.—3 doz. rich silky finish black satin waists, regular up to \$1.50 each, Saturday 80c.

New Print Wrappers, good quality fast color prints, made with flounce, frills and gimp, at each 80c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

35c Cashmere Hose 25c.—60 doz. Ladies' pure wool Cashmere Hose, full fashioned, seamless feet, regular 35c a pair for 25c.

New Spring Coats—Ladies' fine Fawn Covert and Black Box Cloth and Kersy Coats, latest loose or fitted styles, matchless waists at \$8.50 and \$10.00.

\$2.75 Undershirts \$1.50—4 doz. rich quality black and white and all black undershirts, handsome styles, regular \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00, clearing at \$1.50.

\$7.50 Raincoats \$3.50—Fine all wool Cravenette rain coats, colors grey, fawn, etc., regular \$7.50 for \$3.50.

The Northway Co., L'td.

ARE YOU Getting the Benefit OF THE CHINA AND CROCKERY SALE AT GRAY'S CHINA HALL?

When you get such quality at such low prices you are safe in buying. Remember, the goods are the best and represent some of the greatest English Potteries. If you are needing a set of Dishes you cannot make a mistake in buying here. COME WHILE THE PRICES ARE LOW. Select your goods, make a deposit and call later.

About that Dinner Set you have been wanting for some time. You won't do any better by waiting, and maybe not so well. Read these prices:

25c Complete Sets \$19.00
22c Complete Sets \$18.00
18c Complete Sets \$14.00
16c Complete Sets \$12.00
14c Complete Sets \$10.00
12c Complete Sets \$8.00
10c Complete Sets \$6.00
8c Complete Sets \$4.00
6c Complete Sets \$2.00
4c Complete Sets \$1.00
2c Complete Sets \$0.50

Now is the time to select a good Bedroom Set at a low price. Pick out a few sets now and call for them when you get ready to use them a month hence.

75c 12-piece Sets \$5.00
50c 10-piece Sets \$3.75
45c 10-piece Sets \$3.50
40c 10-piece Sets \$3.00
30c 10-piece Sets \$2.25
25c 10-piece Sets \$1.75
20c 10-piece Sets \$1.50
15c 10-piece Sets \$1.00
10c 10-piece Sets \$0.75
5c 10-piece Sets \$0.50

Also plain white Sets at special prices.

4 doz. Cheese Dishes, assorted shapes and decorations, fancy handles and covers. Good value at 75c and 65c—sale 50c.

3 dozen small covered Cheese Dishes at 25c.

40 dozen blue and white Cups and Saucers, large size, good shape. Regular \$1.50 sale 80c doz. Plates in all sizes to match.

Bowls and Jugs in endless variety at very low prices. Ask for them.

Do you want a set of good silver Knives, Forks and Spoons? We carry a good stock of 1847 Rogers' Bros. best plated ware (and) can give you special prices for this week.

Nevada Silver Tea Spoons, doz 90c a full set.

N. S. Dessert spoons \$1.75
N. S. Forks \$1.75
Plated Knives, a good strong article \$1.75 doz.

Our stock of Graniteware is very complete this spring. Large Teapots, 25c.
Large Tea Kettles 85c.
Large Pudding Pans 15c.
Large Dippers, white, 20c.

GRAY'S CHINA HALL, King St., Chatham

Backache, "The Blues"

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EAST DAWN.

R. Butler has purchased a farm formerly owned by a Mr. Hawkins. It is reported that we will have a bank in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Skinner, of Grove Mills, visited friends in the village last week.

The farmers are preparing to embark in spring work.

Mr. D. Corbett was a Ridgetown visitor last week.

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ANTI-TREATING BILL.

Premier Whitney Gives Mr. McNaught's Attempt Its Quietus—Law and Farmers—Budget Thursday.

Toronto, April 5.—Mr. McNaught's anti-treating bill was thrown out by the Legislature yesterday. The coup de grace was given by the Premier, who showed sympathy with the intent of the bill, while convinced that the measure was ahead of public sentiment.

Law Reform.

Hon. Mr. Foy replied to a question of Mr. Mackay that the Government had no intention of passing law reform legislation this session, or to appoint a committee or commission to make an inquiry.

"The question has not yet been considered by the Government," was the Premier's reply to Mr. Mackay's query whether legislation dealing with the licensing and regulation of hotels or public houses in municipalities where liquor licenses wouldn't be granted. The House applauded facetiously the second reading of the bill of Mr. Smith (P.C.) to give widows and spinners qualified to vote in municipal elections the right to vote in Parliamentary contests.

The Premier suggested that the subject be seriously debated on Friday.

Law and Farmers.

Mr. Lucas asked for a second reading of his bill respecting conditional sales of chattels.

Hon. Mr. Foy objected to the bill in its present form. It provided that men should not be bound by a contract into which they had entered in regard to the place of trial if it was exceptional legislation. The bill might be changed to give the court the option of changing the venue so as not to incur excessive costs.

Mr. Preston of Brant thought it would give farmers room to evade their contracts, and entail unnecessary hardships on the honest manufacturer.

Mr. Gage said it was not fair to drag a farmer from the Manitoulin Islands to Toronto to the trial of an action arising out of a sale of agricultural implements on Manitoulin Island.

Mr. McGarry remarked that many of the judges moved in the same social circles as the manufacturers against whom the action was taken, and it was a hardship on the farmer to bring him from the other end of the province to Toronto or Hamilton to a trial of his action. The bill was referred to a legal committee.

Mr. Duff had a bill of the same title, which was also referred to the legal committee.

Mr. Ross the Premier said the adjourned debate on the budget would be continued on Thursday, and the House would go into committee on Mr. Hendrie's railway bill.

Licenses Holders Deputation. The license holders deputation, yesterday, about 600 strong, from all sections of the province, fled into the main corridor of the Legislature.

Without undue delay the Premier, with Hon. Messrs. Hanna, Monteth, Matheson and Ross, appeared, and President Hartnett introduced the advocate of the association in the person of Mr. Haveron, who laid their claims before the members of the Government.

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Premier Whitney declared the Government believed the new license measure was approved of by the majority of the people of the province. The temperance people had strongly attacked the Government on the measure, the liquor men were to-day recounting objections. It was the duty of the Government to hold the balance evenly between the two. They did not expect to please the extremists on either side, and that was another evidence, he thought, of the wisdom at the course they were pursuing.

Want Farmers Included. Provincial Secretary Hanna met a large delegation from the growers section of the Retail Merchants' Association yesterday.

The growers asked that the committee of the House include farmers, and others who grow the produce they sell, in the operation of the peddlers' bill at present before the Legislature.

Mr. Hanna announced that certain clauses of the bill would be withdrawn and the provisions that the deputation wished would receive his careful consideration.

"THIS MAN BECK"

Mr. Wright Charges Him With Inciting Public Against Companies.

Toronto, April 5.—It is very unfair and dishonorable to have a Minister of the Crown traveling around the country as this man Beck is doing, addressing boards of Trade and municipalities, and trying to prejudice the minds of the people against corporations doing legitimate business.

Such was the comment of Mr. J. J. Wright, general manager of the Toronto Electric Light Co., in discussing the report of the Municipal Power Commission yesterday.

Sir Arthur's Reward. London, April 5.—Sir Arthur Nicolson, the chief representative of the British mission at the Moroccan conference, will receive the Knight Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George for his services at Algiers.

Not So Staring Japs.

Montreal, April 5.—The Board of Trade reports the Japanese famine fund as having reached \$12,000 yesterday.

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Appearance of Another Survivor Results in Demonstration. Lens, France, April 5.—Another living survivor of the mine disaster at Courrières, March 10, was discovered yesterday morning and brought out of the pit. His name is Auguste Hertou, and when found was in fairly good condition, and according to his first statements, he suffered less than the preceding rescued men.

As the news spread through the region it caused extreme asperation against the engineers who have been directing the salvage work. M. Lesou, the state engineer, when he arrived at the pit, was surrounded by a crowd of people who cursed and swore at him, and were going so far as to strike the engineers.

When the engineers came to the surface at noon, they were attacked by a crowd of women, crying "death to the murderers." They were rescued by a squadron of dragoons. The people are intensely excited. They believe that there are other men alive in the mine, and serious disorders are threatened.

The Ministry of Justice has directed the public prosecutor of Douai, Department of the Nord, to investigate the methods followed by the salvage engineers at Courrières, with the view of prosecuting them under the criminal code for negligence and manslaughter. The Ministry has ordered the prosecutor to make a rigid application of the laws without respect for the high position of the responsible persons, including the state and company engineers.

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This bold and outspoken movement on the part of Dr. Pierce, has, by showing exactly what his well-known medicines are composed of, completely disarmed all harping critics who have heretofore unjustly attacked them. A little pamphlet has been compiled from the standard medical authorities of all the several schools of practice, showing the strongest endorsements by leading medical writers of the several ingredients which enter into Dr. Pierce's medicines. A copy of this little book is mailed free to any one desiring to learn more concerning the valuable, native medicinal plants which enter into the composition of Dr. Pierce's medicines. Address Dr. Pierce as above.

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Saturday, westerly winds, fair and
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Conservative meeting, Oddfellows'
Temple, at 8.

Y. P. S. C. E., First Presbyterian
Church, at 8.

Young Men's Concert, Victoria
Ave. Church, at 8.

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

Young People's Society, lecture
hall, William St. Baptist Church, 8
o'clock.

Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U.
W., in their hall, opposite the Ran-
kin House, at 8.

LOCAL

Duncan Vickery spent yesterday in
Detroit.

Neil Smith was a city visitor from
Tilbury yesterday.

Samuel Kovinsky is in Detroit to-
day on business.

W. H. Westman was in Walkerville
on business yesterday.

Bert Blakely, of Wm. Gray & Sons,
left to-day for Winnipeg.

J. Crown, of Moretown, was a Ma-
ple City visitor yesterday.

Will Bachelder, of Wm. Gray & Sons,
left to-day for Winnipeg.

W. H. Willson, of Dresden, called
on Chatham friends yesterday.

De Defiance Iron Works yester-
day shipped two launches to Tor-
onto.

R. G. Eccleston, of Ridgway, Pa.,
is in the city on business for a few
days.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, of Har-
wich, were visiting in the city yester-
day.

The United States express and
money order agency at Brisco's,
Phone 297.

Mr. and Mrs. (Adjutant) Snow will
leave to-day for Worcester, Mass.,
on a short visit.

The Young Men's Club will give
a concert in Victoria Ave. Methodist
Church this evening.

Another great sale of Paper
and Envelopes at Parrott's
Bookstore, 19c. per Box.

Thomas Woods, of Detroit, is
spending a few days with his mo-
ther on LaCroix street.

James E. McMullen, an old Chat-
boy, lately of Lovelle, Iowa, is in
the city for a few days.

Rev. James Livingstone, of Lon-
don, will address the gospel temper-
ance meeting next Sunday afternoon.

Lost, on Tuesday, April 3rd, a
silver watch fob. Finder will be re-
warded by leaving at this office.

Carnations, Lilies, Tulips, Hy-
acinths, at Victoria Ave. Green Houses.
Cinths, Azalias, the best and cheap-
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V. J. Bosworth's grocery store, on
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decorated, and when finished will be
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You want one with the most style
and quality. If you come here you
can choose it from the largest variety
of good hats, \$2 to \$5. The 2 T's.

Mr. Chas. Kelly, of Adelaide street,
has received the sad news of the
death of his mother at Port Lupton,
Colorado. The deceased was at one
time a resident of Chatham and her
many friends will be sorry to hear
of her death.

George B. Crumb, Chatham, D. D.
G. M. for Erie District No. 1, A. F.
& A. M., paid an official visit to
Great Western Lodge, Windsor, last
night. The third degree was exem-
plified, and after the work was com-
pleted, refreshments were served in
the banquet hall.

In a write-up in yesterday's edi-
tion, it was stated that the new-ton-
sorial and hair-dressing parlors had
been opened in the Jahnke Block.
It should have been stated that the
parlors were opened in the old Rich-
ards Block.

R. W. Youngs, division freight
agent of the Pere Marquette in
London, has been a patient in a
Toronto hospital for a couple of
weeks, where he underwent an opera-
tion. He is improving rapidly, and
will be back in London this week.

St. Thomas Times.

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Mr. and Mrs. Simington, of Har-
wich, were city visitors yesterday.
Mrs. D. E. Pritchard, of Thames-
ville, was visiting friends in the Ma-
ple City yesterday.

F. Cross, of Petrolia, was a Ma-
ple City visitor yesterday.

Pain Warnings.

Sharp, quick pain ever catch you in
the small of the back? Thought it
muscle-strain? Got over it in time?
It wasn't muscle-strain. It was
clogged-up kidneys. With the kid-
neys disordered, there's trouble ahead.
If neglected, it won't be so trifling
next time.

That pain was a warning. Kidney
trouble is slow, but mighty certain.

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One thing is certain: the new Iso-
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ings.

Small-pox patients broke out of
quarantine on Thames St. Break-
ing out is one of the habits small-pox
patients cannot help.

In Spring, the young man's fancy
lightly turns to colored socks.
Flimsy vest and patent leathers—
If he's got the "needful rocks."

A Toronto paper says that an
army of hotel-keepers interviewed
the Government. Of course, it
shouldn't take many hotel-keepers
to make an army, since it only takes
one to make a host.

An Englishman who visited Cana-
da, in writing to an old country pa-
per, says that this country needs
more women. How did he get next
to the fact that some of us have to
use a shingle nail when a button
breaks loose?

A SCHOOL FOR PROFANITY.

The theory is now being advanced
by a Continental doctor that the
fact that ladies are not allowed to
swear is responsible for a vast ma-
jority of the attacks of nerves from
which the gent sex suffers, and it
is suggested that expletives should
be taught at every girls' school.

Johannesburg Star.

FOOD OR
STIMULANT.

Ask your doctor if when
he orders a patient to drink
lots of pure milk he advises
the addition of a large
quantity of whiskey. He'll
tell you "no" very emphati-
cally. Yet there are people
who, when ordered to get
Scott's Emulsion, will accept
some wine, cordial or extract
of cod liver oil and think it is
the same thing or better. If
you want and need cod liver
oil in its best, purest and
most easily digested form, get
Scott's Emulsion. If you
want whiskey, that's another
matter, but don't look for the
same results.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Toronto, Ont.

One man's point of view is as good
as another's until you sit on it.

SOME SATURDAY SNAP SHOTS AT THE GORDON STORE

Black Cot. Stockings, seam less and stainless, a good 20c hose, 2 for 25c.	Tasty Spring Coats, lined, Covert Cloths, only \$5.00	20 pair 3 yds. long, fine Lace Curtains, 75c value, 55c.
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Fawn and Black Spring Jackets

Beautiful Dresden Rib- bons, all widths, from 10c to 50c yd.	Fancy Mohairs in dots and figures, all colors, 45c Dress Goods at 29c.	Beautiful Chenille Stand Covers, \$1.00 goods for 69c.
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Easter Millinery Now Ready

Fine Corsets, Cotte and Batiste, odd lines, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25 for 69c	Easter Tweed Suitings for Eaton costumes, 65 goods at 48c.	White Shirt Waist Satur- day Snaps, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50.
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Buy Our Charming Headwear

8 pcs. White Vestings, choice patterns, 15c to 25c goods at 12½c.	New Lustre Brilliantines, 54 in. wide, all colors, 65c goods at 50c.	Misses' or Boys' Peaked Caps, 50c values for 25c.
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Kabo Gold Medal Corsets

Moleskin Ducks for Boys' Pants, 15c and 18c goods, 12½c.	Men's Linen Collars, lat- est wing style, 6 for 25c.	Shaker Shirtings for Men and Boys, 8c and 9c goods for 6¼c.
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Cravenette Rain Proof Coats

Men's Flannelette Night Shirts, 50c goods for 35c.	Men's Print Shirts, color- ed and white, 75c and \$1 goods for 49c.	4 pcs. fine Oxford Shirt- ings, 15c goods, 12½c.
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Better Order Your Easter Hat and Suit at Once.

Standard Fashion Sheets—FREE : : : **WILLIAM GORDON** Standard Designers
50 cents for a year

A GOOD CLASS OF MEN

Early this week a party of five
young men, passengers from Liver-
pool per S.S. Virginian, arrived in
the city to engage upon farms in
this country. They were directed at
once by Mr. Colles to some of the
best houses in the country. These
young men were all about six feet
high, in robust health, abstainers,
and prepared to take off their coats
and go to work. They are a fine
class of people, and we welcome them
to this country and city.

Ghosts would frighten many peo-
ple who are not afraid of germs. Yet
the germ is a real danger. If this
microscopic animalism could be mag-
nified to a size in proportion to its
deadliness, it would show like a
giant python, or fire breathing de-
mon. The one fact to remember is that
the germ is powerless to harm the
body when the blood is pure. It is
far easier to keep the germ out than
to drive it out after it obtains a hold
in the system. Dr. Pierce's Golden
Medical Discovery is the most pow-
erful and perfect of blood purifying
medicines. It increases the quan-
tity as well as the quality of the
blood, and enables the body to re-
sist disease, or to throw it off if dis-
ease has obtained a footing in some
weak organ. Whenever the diges-
tion is impaired, the nutrition of the
body is diminished, for the blood is
made from the food which is eaten,
and half digested food cannot sup-
ply the body with blood in quantity
and quality adequate to its needs.
For this condition there is no rem-
edy equal to "Golden Medical Discover-
ery." It cures ninety-eight out of
every hundred persons who give it.
It is a fair trial. When there is constipa-
tion Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will
promptly relieve and permanently
cure.

The Chatham Township Council
have donated \$20 to the Kent Chil-
dren's Aid Society. This generous
donation to so worthy a cause will
receive general commendation.

CORRECT STYLES FOR MEN.

One of the most artistic booklets
ever issued by a Canadian house is
the new Spring Style Book of "Pro-
gress Brand" Clothing. The illus-
trations, all taken from life, show
the many popular models in which
"Progress Brand" Suits, Top Coats
and Rain Coats are made.
The reasons why men should wear
"Progress Brand" Clothing are
sound, and convincingly set down,
and everyone reading the booklet will
certainly have a higher regard for
the clothing.
"Progress Brand" Clothing lives
up to its reputation. For years it
has upheld its high standard of qual-
ity. Men now recognize the fact
that the "Progress" label means cor-
rect styles, thorough workmanship,
perfect fit and excellent service at
the minimum price.
"Progress Brand" Clothing, in all
the newest Spring Styles, may be
obtained from the local agents, O.
Austin & Co.

There is one thing we have never
been able to understand, why ladies
will buy harmful cosmetics when
Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea
makes clear complexions. 35 cents,
Tea or Tablets.

A. I. McCall & Co.

PRAYER CLOSETS

We call them because so
many women have been
praying for just such
an opportunity. What
is the use of pretty
china without a closet
to show it off, they say.

We think so too, and offer this lot of **CHINA** and
Parlor Cabinets especially for their benefit. If
you are one of those who hide their handsome china in
the kitchen or wooden doored cabinet.

Come and See Us...

We have a China and Parlor Cabinet for you that
that is simply irresistible even in price.

China Cabinets \$12.00 to \$38.00
Parlor Cabinets \$4.50 to \$33.00

The McDonald Furnishing Co.

Leaders in (OF CHATHAM, LIMITED.) Carpets-Rugs

THIBODEAU & CO

IT'S EASY ENOUGH

To choose your Dress Goods if you come to the
right store. Our range of Dress Goods comprises all
that's new and stylish.

At 50c.
Granites, Velour Cashmeres, Mohairs, Crepolines, Grey Tweeds,
Canvas weaves, Voiles, Shepherd Checks, &c., in all the new color-
ings of Greys, Navys, Grenats, Greens, etc.

At 43c.
Fancy figured Navy Lustres, regular price 60c.

At 69c.
Fancy Tweed Overcheck Dress Goods in mixtures of Browns,
Greens and Blues, worth 85c.

At 75c.
3 pieces Canvas Cloth, Navy, Grey and Black, worth 90c.

Our range of black and colored Dress Stuffs, from 25c to \$1.50, is
now at its best. You are cordially invited to see them.

THIBODEAU & CO.

Vanity.

A five-a maiden's wants are few—
A set of blocks, a doll or two,
A little place inside to play
If it should come a rainy day,
A pair of shoes, a pinafare,
A really think of nothing more.

Near wants she overmuch at ten.
A birthday party now and then,
A bit of ribbon for her hair,
A little better dress to wear,
Perhaps a pony cart to drive,
A bit more than she did at five.

A modest increase at fifteen.
A party dress, in red or green;
A room alone that she may fix
With bric-a-brac and candlesticks,
A parasol, a fan and—oh,
I quite forgot to add—a beau!

At twenty she is quite above
All childish wants—she asks but love
And dreams of princes tall and fair,
Who come a-wooing and who dare
All dangers, and she keeps apart
For him the castle of her heart.

At twenty-five her fancy goes
To bennets, frills and furbelows,
A country place, a house in town,
A better rig than Mrs. Brown
Or Black or Jones and just a wee
Small figure in Society.

At thirty—well, a little tea
For the distinguished Mrs. B.,
Who writes; a prince to entertain,
A long haired lion to make vain
With silly tricks, a horse show box
And just a little plunge in stocks.

At thirty-five and forty—well,
There isn't much that's new to tell—
A little bigger country place,
A real good lotion for the face
And some reduction made in those
One can afford to say she knows.

At fifty—does her fancy end?
The wants—ah, yes, she wants a friend
To prove her years were not in vain;
She wants those dreams of youth again,
When prince-courts, tall and fair,
Lived, loved and came a-wooing there.

At seventy she wants to know
Why vanity and hollow show
Tempt Wisdom from its lofty seat.
She wants but ease for gouty feet
And peace to wonder what must be
The last left's musings on the tree.

—J. W. Foley in New York Times.

The Light That Failed.



McTavish—Have you a light, Donald?
Donald—Aye, but it's out.—London
Scraps.

Fall to Running Over.

The little girl was sitting in a Sunday school class one Sunday and, growing very thirsty, asked her teacher for a drink of water. The teacher brought her the glass of water, and the little girl in her eagerness to drink spilled some of the water down the front of her clean dress. Handing the half filled glass back to her teacher, she exclaimed:

"I must be so full now I'm running over."—Judge's Magazine of Fun.

Appropriate Answer.

Cholly Sappy—Er—really, Miss Kander, I don't know why you should sweat me as you do. Why do you say you "don't like my face?"

Miss Kander—Because.
Cholly Sappy—"Because?" There's no reason in that.

Miss Kander—Well, there isn't any in your face either.—Catholic Standard and Times.

A Puzzle.

"There's no use talking," sighed the young man who had received a note telling him that it could never be.
"There's no use talking, you can't tell anything about women."
"You shouldn't tell anything about them," replied the gray bearded philosopher, wagging his head sagely.—Judge.

Financially Speaking.

Tom—What would you do if you suddenly came into possession of \$50,000?
Jack—I'd take the first boat for Europe and buy a title.
Tom—Buy a title?
Jack—Sure. Then I'd come back and marry a girl with more money than sense.—Chicago News.

Nothing New.

"How do you do?" said Miss Gaddie, who had just opened a millinery establishment. "Did you know I was interested in business now?"
"Why, yes," replied Miss Knox, "I supposed you were, as usual, but I didn't know whose."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Resignation.

"Do you think a strike will make coal more expensive?" asked one household.

"I don't know whether a strike will do it," answered the other, "but something will."—Washington Star.

Reason For Hate.

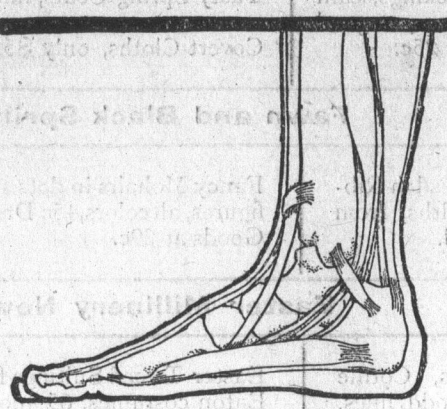
Windig—I hate that fellow Wisely.
Simson—Because why?
Windig—Because I got into an argument with him one time and he forced me to admit that I was wrong.—Detroit Tribune.

The Woes of the Rich.

"But isn't your father likely to come in at any moment?"
"Oh, no; poor papa is hiding in the coal cellar. I made him think that you were a process server."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

HIGH ARCH AND HIGH INSTEP

"ONE OF THE 14"



The Usual Flat Foot



The Usual Flat Foot in the Usual Shoe



The Usual Flat Foot in a Dolly Varden Shoe

No woman can have a clever foot without a high arch and high instep and no woman can have these vital foot beauty requisites unless her arch is firmly supported from below.

Flat foot is common to everybody in a marked or moderate degree. If marked, pain and inability to walk are the penalties. If moderate, an even greater feminine penalty is inflicted—ugly feet.

The foot is a chain of small bones held together in an arched position by powerful ligaments and muscles. The pressure from above stretches these ligaments and muscles, letting down the arch and instep in a flat position. The extent of the flatness depends upon the strength of the muscles. The strong suffer less

than the weak, but all suffer either the disease of flat foot, or the humiliation of low instep, low arch and foot homeliness.

Dolly Vardens are built with a newly devised steel arch, powerful but pliant, which absolutely prevents flat foot, relieves those afflicted with the disease, and gives the wearer who wants smart, dainty feet, the enviable high arch and high instep.

Our agent in your city will take pleasure in showing you High Arch, High Instep, Dolly Vardens. Purchasers or investigators equally welcome. In the States or Canada at the same price—\$3.50 and \$4.00. Every pair Goodyear Welted. (To be continued.)

Wm. Somerville & Son, Sol. Agents for Chatham

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THE SHOE OF 14 NEW FEATURES

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BOSTON

MONTREAL

Russian General Says Preparations Are Under Way For Campaign.

Moscow, April 5.—Gen. Von Mack, the Russian representative of the Red Cross, has just returned from Japan. He declares that the Japanese are actively engaged in war preparations, and he adds, the enemy in view is America, and operations are being planned against the Philippines.

The Open Door Soon.

Tokio, April 5.—The long expected announcement of the open door in Manchuria, is confidently believed to be in the very near future.

The delay has been prompted solely on the part of the Japanese Government by a fear of complications arising while the transmission of troops was vigorously going on.

Men Restored To Vigor

YOU PAY AFTER YOU ARE CURED

The physician who has not sufficient confidence in his own ability to cure his patients first and receive his fee afterwards, is not the man to inspire confidence in those who are in search of honest treatment.

Dr. Goldberg's acceptance of a case is equivalent to a cure, because he never accepts incurable cases, and he is satisfied to receive his pay, after he has cured the patient.

If you have prostatic trouble, blood poison, bladder and kidney troubles, rheumatism, nervous debility, etc., consult Dr. Goldberg. He will cure you. He will not charge you a cent until you are cured. He will not charge you a cent until you are cured. He will not charge you a cent until you are cured.

Dr. Goldberg has 14 Diplomas and Certificates from various Colleges and State Boards of Medical Examiners, a reproduction of which will be sent in order to convince you of his standing and ability. You have nothing to lose but everything to gain. You will be cured first, then you pay him a nominal fee, which will be paid you, before you accept his treatment. All medicines for Canadian patients sent from Windsor, Ont., duty and transportation charges prepaid. Address: DR. GOLDBERG, 208 Woodward Ave., Suite 166, Detroit, Mich., U.S.A.

No Beer For Employees.

Port Hope, April 5.—There is a strike at the Port Hope Brewing and Malting Co., which started yesterday morning. The brewers refused to return to work at 7 o'clock and the bottling workers walked out an hour and a half later. The employees of the malting department are the only ones working as the engineers and teamsters are also out. The cause of the strike is over the cutting off of the beer to the employees and several other disagreements between the manager and employees.

MAPLE CITY BRAND

Hams, 16c pound.
Shoulder 12c pound.
Breakfast Bacon, 16c pound.
Smoked Back, 16c pound.
Unsmoked Back, 14c pound.
3 pound Pail Pure Lard, 35c.

J. P. TAYLOR

PHONE 187

WILL MINE THE SILVER

Government Takes Another Forward Step For People

Premier Whitney on the Gillies' Limit: "We Will Keep It and We Will Develop It and Dispose of It For the Benefit of the People of Ontario." Believed to Be Loaded With Silver Ore—One Sale Announced.

Toronto, April 4.—Just before the Legislature rose at 6 o'clock yesterday, Premier Whitney made two announcements regarding Government policy with regard to the valuable mineral lands of the north. He said in brief: The Government proposes to hold the Gillies' timber limit for the benefit of the people of Ontario. This limit adjoins the rich Cobalt region and it is believed that a portion of it is loaded with silver ore.

The Government proposes to ask for tenders for three and a half miles of the right of way of the Temiskaming Railway, in the immediate neighborhood of the silver bearing mines. Mr. Whitney said the Government proposed to invite tenders for the purchase of that portion described on the plans as between 101 and 105, a distance of three miles and a half. This right of way was believed to be rich in silver ore. Some time ago it had been turned over by the Government to the Temiskaming Railway Commission.

Three Conditions. In a short time tenders would be advertised for and the mineral rights of this mileage sold to the highest bidder, on three conditions being complied with, namely:

1. A rental of \$500 a year for the use of any land outside the 99 feet of right of way, the land to be used for buildings only.
2. The payment of \$50,000 in cash to the Government, as a bonus.
3. A percentage to be paid to the Government, as follows: Ten per cent of the ore to the value of \$400 a ton or less; 25 per cent of the value of \$1,000 or less; 50 per cent of the value of \$1,000 or over.

These would be the conditions, observed Mr. Whitney, and the successful bidder would have to give at least \$50,000 for the privilege. The Government did not say the bonus would be no more than that amount; but it would not be less.

For the Public Good. Regarding the Gillies' limit, Mr. Whitney said he understood that the property consisted of valuable ore-producing land. It was well known that the limit had been withdrawn from sale, and that the owners of the timber had disposed of the timber. There had been a great deal of curiosity as to whether the Government would dispose of the minerals on this property in the usual way, and he desired to say that the Government, after much consideration, had come to the conclusion not to dispose of it.

"It being our property," said Mr. Whitney, "we will keep it and we will develop it and dispose of it for the benefit of the people of Ontario." The Gillies' timber limit consists of about 190 square miles. It is in the form of a triangle and the apex runs into the organized Township of Coleman, to within a half mile of the Town of Cobalt. The mineralized portion of the limit consists of about three square miles.

The output of the 17 working mines in the Cobalt district last year was as follows: Silver, 2,441,421 ounces, of the value of \$1,355,206.

Cobalt, 118 tons, of the value of \$100,000. In addition to arsenic and nickel.

The Best Paper

"The best place to put an advertisement is in the paper that enjoys the confidence of the community. If the editorials carry weight the advertisements will pay."

CHAS. AUSTIN BATES

THE EVENING PAPER
The News
MOST PEOPLE READ

This definition by Mr. Bates, the recognized Advertising Authority of the United States, fits The News exactly. The News is the best medium, also because it is the best value—Circulation and Advertising Rates considered.

Circulation over 38,000.
Advertising Rate 4 cents Flat.
This advertisement is 70 lines and would cost \$2.80 per insertion in "The News."

Announcement of The Toronto News.

LLOYD MURDER TRIAL

Prosecution Had Not Concluded Case Against Prisoner Wednesday.

Belleville, April 5.—The trial of Adam Lloyd, charged with the murder of his wife, occupied the attention of the Assize Court, yesterday. The old couple lived together on a small farm. One morning he went out to the barn, and when he returned, so he says, found his wife sitting in a rocking chair, dead, with her clothes nearly all burned off. Lloyd was not seen on her hands. A wound was found on the dead woman's head. The crown attorney's theory is that Lloyd killed his wife, poured coal oil over her, and set her clothes on fire to hide the evidence of the crime.

The prosecution had not been concluded when the court rose at 3:30. Lloyd swears that he pulled the burning clothes off the dead body of his wife, laying her on the bed and covering her with a buffalo robe. A witness yesterday swore that, when the buffalo robe was taken off the body, it was found that a channel sheet had been pinned round the remains.

Minard's Liniment for sale Everywhere.

AERONAUT LOSES LIFE

Fearful Struggle in Long Island Marsh End in Death.

Exhausted, Falls Face Downward in Bog, After Superhuman Efforts to Reach Land—Paul Noquet Essayed a Trip That a Strong Man Could Not Possibly Complete in Daylight—Crossed 14 Islands.

New York, April 5.—Death in the waters of Bass Creek on the south shore of Long Island, between Jones Beach and Amityville ended the daring balloon ascension begun Tuesday afternoon by Paul Noquet, a French sculptor of note and an enthusiastic amateur aeronaut. The body was found last night on the muddy shore of the creek where the tide had left it and not a great distance from where Noquet's collapsed balloon was discovered by the life savers of Jones Beach.

Noquet evidently landed safely with his car and in fighting his way out of the meadows in the darkness had crossed 13 or 14 different islands and had swam or waded through the runlets between them.

He stopped on the next to the last island he reached and removed the life preserver and the overcoat and then resumed the preserver. He crossed the runlet and climbed into the boggy shaking mass of mud, sand and dead rushes known as Cat's Island. He crossed it at a distance of perhaps 100 feet and apparently as he reached the near bank he must have fallen exhausted into the shallow creek. He may have died from sheer exhaustion or heart disease before falling. The body lay face down in the bog.

Noquet must have struggled the last mile of the two he traveled under fearful difficulties. He essayed a trip that a strong man could not possibly complete in daylight.

Hotel Guest Suffocates.

Bangor, Maine, April 5.—John McDonald of Cape Breton, a guest at the Globe Hotel, was suffocated yesterday morning in a fire which damaged the hotel. The financial loss will not exceed \$10,000.

Engineer Saves Passengers.

Norfolk, Va., April 5.—A wreck occurred on the Norfolk and Western Railroad, yesterday, when the "Cannon Ball" train, bound from Richmond to this city, ran through an open switch at Juniper Sliding. Seven persons were injured in the wreck, and but for the vigilance of Mark Noble, engineer of the train, who was watching for just such a thing as an open switch, which caused the wreck, probably many of the 50 or 60 passengers aboard would have been killed. The train was running at the rate of 75 or 80 miles an hour.

Two Men Killed.

Sault Ste. Marie, April 5.—The bodies of two unknown men were found on the track of the Canadian Pacific at Echo Bay on Tuesday. They are supposed to have been killed by a train during the night.

Chinese Have Smallpox.

Montreal, April 5.—Consternation was caused at the Windsor station yesterday morning when it was discovered that smallpox had broken out amongst a party of 120 Chinese men who were being transported in bond by the C. P. R. One of the Celestials was immediately taken to the Isolation Hospital, while the 119 Chinese and a dozen or two other immigrants have been removed to an isolation camp.

Two Royal Deaths.

Vienne, April 5.—Prince William of Schaumburg-Lippe died early yesterday of heart failure at his castle at Nachod, Bohemia.

His daughter-in-law, Princess Louise, a daughter of the King of Denmark, died five hours later of meningitis, at the same castle.

Princess Louise was the eldest daughter of King Frederick VIII, of Denmark, and a niece of Queen Alexandra.

Suffered for 23 Years With Kidney Trouble.

CURED AT LAST BY GIN PILLS.

Whether you are just beginning to feel the first twinges of kidney pain—or whether you have tried for years to find relief—Gin Pills will cure you. Surely you can't doubt their virtues after such a letter as this:

"I sent for a free sample of your Gin Pills some time ago, and found them to give me great relief, so I put myself under the treatment, and am now using the third box, and feel myself entirely cured. I have suffered with my kidneys for 23 years. At the time I began taking Gin Pills I could not turn in bed without pain. If I moved at night, the pain would be so great that it would wake me up. (Now I am free of pain, and feel well as I did 23 years ago. I feel it my duty to let you know about Gin Pills, so that it might be the means of relieving some other sufferer."

"HENRY WAKEFORD, Toronto."

Gin Pills hold out a guarantee of certain, quick relief. They will stop the pain, heal the sick kidneys—and build up the whole system—or your druggist will refund your money. That shows our confidence in Gin Pills. We will do more. We will send you a trial box of Gin Pills absolutely free if you will write asking for it and state the name of the paper in which you see this. You can thus test them at our expense and see for yourself whether or not Gin Pills are all that we claim them to be. Gin Pills are for sale at all druggists. 50c a box—6 boxes for \$2.50. The Bole Drug Co., Winnipeg, Man.

Death of John Bertram.

Hamilton, April 5.—The citizens generally heard with deep sorrow of the sudden death of Mr. John Bertram, the veteran manufacturer, and head of the great Bertram Works in Dundas. The sad event took place at his home there yesterday morning and was wholly unexpected. Mr. Bertram had not been at his office for a week, but no unusualness was felt about him. He went upstairs after getting ready, and his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Stirling thought she heard him fall. She ran up and found him dead. Mr. Bertram was a native of Edlestone, Peeblesshire, Scotland, born September 13, 1829.

Lime Cement Sewer Pipe Cut Stone Etc.

All of the best quality and at the lowest possible prices.

J. & J. Oldershaw
A few doors west of Post Office.

ONE'S ONLY ONE

OF THOUSANDS

Who Have Found Relief From Their Indigestion and Dyspepsia in Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

"I suffered for several years with dyspepsia. Nothing, I at one time would do without giving me great pain. I could not get anything to relieve me till a friend of mine advised me to use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. One box cured me and I have had no return of the trouble since."

Such is the experience of Miss Lizzy Walling, 177 King William St., Hamilton, Ont. "It should come as a message of hope to thousands of Canadians. It is only one of thousands of similar statements that prove conclusively that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets never fail to cure indigestion and dyspepsia of all stages."

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets digest the food themselves. They do the stomach's work and give it a chance to rest and recuperate. They are thus a natural cure.

Help your stomach and it will help you. If you use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, when you like use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

KIDNEY DISEASE AND ITS DANGERS CAN BE QUICKLY CURED BY DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Kidney disease comes on quietly, it may have been in the system for a long time before you suspected the real cause of your trouble. There may have been backaches, swelling of the feet and ankles, disturbances of the urinary organs, such as, brick dust deposit in urine, highly colored, scanty and cloudy urine, bladder pains, frequent urination, stone in bladder, etc.

Perhaps you did not know that these were symptoms of kidney disease, so the trouble kept growing worse, until Neuritis, Sciatica, Rheumatism, Diabetes, Dropsy, and worst of all, Bright's Disease have taken hold of your system.

Doan's Kidney Pills should be taken at the first sign of anything wrong. There is no other safe way, (plasters and liniments are useless), as the trouble must be eradicated from the system.

Doan's Kidney Pills go to the seat of the trouble, strengthen the kidneys, and help them to filter the blood properly and flush off all the impurities which cause kidney trouble.

Mr. Thomas Mayhew, Esq., writes: "For over four months I was troubled with my kidneys, and my back got so lame I felt miserable all over. After taking five boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I was as well as ever."

Price 50 cents per box or three boxes for \$1.25, all dealers or The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

ONLY A Common Cold BUT IT BECOMES A SERIOUS MATTER IF NEGLECTED. PNEUMONIA, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, CATARRH OR CONSUMPTION IS THE RESULT.

Get rid of it at once by taking

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

Obstinate coughs yield to its grateful soothing action, and in the racing, persistent cough, often present in Consumptive cases, it gives prompt and sure relief. In Asthma and Bronchitis it is a successful remedy, enabling the sufferer to enjoy refreshing sleep, and often effecting a permanent cure.

We do not claim that it will cure Consumption in the advanced stages, but it taken in time it will prevent it reaching that stage, and will give the greatest relief to the sufferer from this terrible malady.

Be careful when purchasing to see that you get the genuine Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark.

Mr. Wm. C. Jenkins, Spring Lake, Mich., writes: "I had a very bad cold settled on my lungs. I bought two bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup but it only required one to cure me. I have never had any other cold since."

Price 25 cents, at all dealers.

Some men will learn more in a country stage-ride than others in a tour of Europe.

The reason most people are poor is because they spend their money before they get it.

Minard's Liniment cures Distemper

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THE BENCH'S PLAIN TALK

Magistrate Denison's Drastic Comments on Phillips.

Mr. Jones Waives Commitment, In Order to Get Before High Court—Accuses Crown of Unfairness and of Moting Out Less Than British Justice to Phillips In Holding Him Without Bail—Payments to E. J. Burt.

Toronto, April 5.—The Phillips' investigation in the Police Court yesterday morning was enlivened by a three-cornered tilt taking place between Magistrate Denison, Crown Attorney Curry and Mr. Jones, as the result of an unsuccessful attempt on Mr. Jones' part to put an end to the proceedings by having Phillips sent on for trial.

As soon as one witness had been examined for the space of a few minutes, Mr. Jones arose and made his objection. In part the following dialogue took place:

Not British Justice.

"I wish to protest against this investigation proceeding any further," said Mr. Jones, "if there is enough evidence to warrant your holding this prisoner without bail, there is enough to formulate a definite charge against him. The effect of your Worship's interpretation of the complaint has been to allow Mr. Curry to wander all over Canada looking for things. Without the charges being specified any cross-examination is futile. It is not British justice to this man to be holding him without bail. Why should you allow this to go on from day to day?"

Mr. Curry.—We will be through long before the court sits.

Secret Method of Fraud.

The Court.—There has never been such a secret, complicated method of perpetrating fraud that has ever come before me. I think there should be a full investigation. There is no object for me to do it, save to get at the facts.

Mr. Jones.—Your duty is, I submit, to commit him for trial. The general opinion of the community is that you are trying the man.

The Court.—I am not trying the man. I am trying to make a full investigation.

Mr. Jones.—"What does your Worship think of the propriety of holding this man without bail?"

The Court.—"The evidence so far is all pointing in the same direction."

Mr. Jones said that some individual instance such as the alleged misappropriation of the \$10,000 cheque should be incorporated in the complaint against Phillips.

Mr. Curry.—"A technicality to let him go."

To Wreck York Loan.

The Court.—"So far as I can see from some time in September there has been a deliberate scheme laid out and planned by the Toronto Life and the List Piano Co. and others to squeeze the York Loan for the benefit of a few people that were going to make all the money out of it. It was evident the York Loan was going to be wrecked. The York Loan was paying the expense of the Toronto Life, which was owned by Phillips and a few of his supporters."

Mr. Jones.—"I do not know what a jury will have to try."

The Court.—"The jury will have to try whether this man manoeuvred and by fraud and deceit and other methods took the profits out of that company for his own benefit and that would be combination with others to defraud the public."

The controversy ended with Mr. Curry continuing the case.

E. J. Burt Again.

E. J. Burt was called to give evidence in regard to a number of cheques paid to him, but he was unable to give much account of what became of them. As many as 65 cheques paid to the witness were put in.

George Crawford, manager of the Bank of Montreal branch at Queen and Yonge street, produced the cheques drawn by Phillips on the List Piano Co.'s account in the bank. The balance was now \$30.72—all these cheques had been cashed by the York County Loan. Commissions \$15,000; Salary \$45.

The examination showed that Burt had received commissions from Toronto Life amounting in all to about \$15,000. He was drawing \$20 a week as an officer of the company and also \$25 a week as an officer of the York County Loan. In answer to Mr. Curry, said he did not remember what he did with the money.

Mr. Jones protested against this question as to what the witness did with his own money.

Crown Attorney Curry extended it was not the witness' own money.

Magistrate Denison said that if this gentleman had been an agent of Mr. Phillips for the purpose of defrauding, they should be told what had been done with this money.

Witness went on to say that he had \$7,520 in the Toronto Life. The stock belonged to him though not all in his own name. They furnished particulars as to persons who held his stock, mentioning that his wife held 75, which she sold to Phillips.

Miss Millard of the York Loan Co. gave evidence concerning a loan to Phillips.

Burt, in answer to Col. Denison, said that policyholders would not be able to withdraw, say \$14 until after the expiration of three years and a half and then 50 per cent were paid as interest.

To-day, Jos. and Mrs. Barrett of the Northern Light & Power Co. will be asked to give evidence.

Five Insurance Bills Pass.

Albany, N. Y., April 5.—The bills proposed by the joint special legislative committee to meet the conditions disclosed in the recent investigation of life insurance are all special orders in the Senate committee of the whole to-day. Any of them advanced by that committee to the order of third reading can be finally passed if not amended to-day. Five passed the Assembly yesterday without amendment.

\$2,000 Damages.

Guelph, April 5.—The Assizes jury yesterday awarded Forbes Moll of West Garafraxa \$2,000 damages against the C. F. R. for the death of his son.

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VALET TO GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

Henry Cody Ends His Life In New York Apartment.

New York, April 5.—Henry Cody, who said that he was a stepbrother of Marie Corelli, the novelist, committed suicide yesterday in a basement apartment in West Thirty-Sixth street, where he had been living.

He swallowed morphine and turned on the gas. Cody had been compulsively a cigar manufacturer, restaurant keeper and proprietor of a laundry in this city, and was formerly reputed to be wealthy.

He had said that he left England 35 years ago as a valet of a former Governor-General of Canada. Of late he suffered financial reverses. He was 59 years of age.

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TROOPS MOW DOWN PEASANTS.

Russian Soldiers Killed Twenty-Eight, Wounded One Hundred.

Berlin, April 5.—Russian troops had a battle with peasants in the Province of Kars, killing 28 and wounding 100 of them. A Gatling gun was used.

Russia Wants \$200,000,000.

St. Petersburg, April 5.—Russia has opened preliminary negotiations in Paris for a large foreign loan, of at least \$200,000,000, and desires more, if possible. The syndicate with which she is negotiating is composed of German, Dutch and British capitalists.

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Flour Mills Burned.

Grand Valley, April 5.—At an early hour yesterday morning the Grand Valley Flour Mills were entirely destroyed by fire. The Methodist church, which is a quarter of a mile distant, caught fire, and the flames were with difficulty extinguished.

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THAMESVILLE

April 5.—Miss E. Lucy from Ridgeway, is visiting Mrs. Dickson in Zone.

The river is bright with fishing parties. Loops are seen floating down in great numbers.

Three loads of the Epworth League went to Northwood last night to conduct the meeting. They were entertained by the Northwood League.

Miss Margaret Sherman is spending the day in Chatham.

The Young Men's Debating Club met last night.

Rev. Arthur Hare, from Botany, spent yesterday in town.

Miss Aletha Davidson has returned to Chatham.

Mr. Crookshank, from Zone, returned yesterday from Brown City, where he attended the wedding of his grand-daughter, Miss Nettie Grabburg, to George Edmonds.

George Watts spent yesterday in Zone.

Miss Joshua Lidster is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edwards, in Chatham.

Miss Margaret Marchbanks, from Bothwell, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Pickard.

Miss Hind, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Hart, in Zone, returned to her home in Shelburne.

Mr. Carter has returned to Windsor after spending a few days in town.

TILBURY

April 6.—Miss Laura Powell and Mrs. Doyle, of Essex, visited relatives here yesterday.

Miss Lily Ball left this week to attend Business College in Windsor.

Voting on the by-law for the proposed canning factory takes place to-day.

O. Gauthier and family leave next week for Rhode Island.

Miss Alice Tremblay returned this week from Quebec, where she has been attending a convent.

Tilbury East farmers in the oil district are organizing a local company.

Samuel Funston left this week for Montana.

R. E. Smith left on Monday for Pontiac, Mich., where he has secured a position in a carriage factory. He will move his family shortly.

Mrs. Sharp and daughter Helen left last night to visit relatives in London.

A successful and largely attended meeting in the interests of the proposed canning factory was held in Anderson Hall on Wednesday evening, and the meeting appeared to be practically unanimous in favor of the project, although the opposition were ably represented by three speakers—J. S. Foster, Dr. Sharp and George Bonnyman of Wilketon. The supporters of the by-law are very hopeful of the measure carrying to-day.

BLENHEIM

April 6.—The annual meeting of the Blenheim Recreation Club will be held Tuesday evening. Officers for the current year will be elected and other matters in connection with the 24th of May will be dealt with.

Edgar Biggar left for Winnipeg to-day. He is taking a car of horses to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Greenwood, of Stratford, are visiting relatives here.

Jonathan Ogilvie, who recently purchased Thos. Blackmore's property at the west end, took possession on Monday.

One of the oldest buildings in the town is being moved away, the old Rob Roy Hotel, the property formerly owned by Mrs. McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds and family have moved to Eriau, the former having secured a situation on the railway section.

R. Clendenning and family, of Wimbeldon, N. D. are here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. John Forbes, and other relatives.

Stover, who will shortly open dental parlors here, was in town this week and has left for Toronto to purchase his office equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mackay have moved into Mr. Morgan's house on Jackson street.

Miss Elizabeth Labadie has purchased a Karp piano from W. R. Greenwood.

Mr. Wm. McIlroy, of Ireland, arrived from the Old Country this week. At present he is staying with his cousin, Rev. Geo. Gilmore.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Mrs. W. C. Shaw and little daughter Isabelle are visiting relatives in Detroit this week.

Mr. V. Robinson came down the river with his ice crusher on Monday to break up the ice jam at the mouth of the Thames.

The poles for the telephone wire to the lighthouse are up.

H. Forbes is having the frame house on the Coates property moved onto his farm at Baptiste Creek.

The drama "Tomkins' Hired Man" is coming along in Wilketon and it is expected will be ready for the Easter holidays. A cast of the characters will be given next week.

Mr. Mark Dawson expects to move back to his plains farm shortly, and it is reported that Mr. Newman Gardiner will return to his plains farm also. We hope these reports are true.

A largely signed petition was presented to Mr. James Simmon last week begging him to again accept the position of commissioner of our drainage district. Mr. Simmon is a very capable commissioner and the ratepayers within the scheme are anxious to have him act.

Mr. Thomas Shaw, of Rosely, B. C. is visiting his father and other relatives here.

Mr. Adolphus St. Aubin and Miss Josephine Schram, second daughter of Mr. D. Schram, were married in Windsor last week, where Mr. St.

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Aubin has a position in the G. T. R. round-house.

In Detroit on Saturday, March 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Stewart, a son.

Jeannette's Creek has two general stores now and both seem to be doing a good business. The A. Vending store was opened on the 14th. Miss Edmonds, of Tilbury, is clerking in the store.

F. C. Peck intends to enlarge his store.

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GLENWOOD.

Miss Cora Ulsh, Stewart, is visiting friends in the village.

Mr. Robert Moore, of Blenheim, spent Sunday at Mr. H. Lott's.

Miss Violet Chester is quite ill.

Miss Matilda Shepley, Chatham, is visiting her brother, Mr. T. Shepley.

Mrs. A. E. M. Thomson, Merlin, is spending the week in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McGregor, of Blenheim, called on friends here on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. McLean and Miss Dundas spent a couple of days here this week.

Mr. Walter Lowes and Omar Campbell, who has been getting out timber in Essex, are home, Mr. Lowes having met with a slight accident.

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The closing date for receiving tenders to be 7 p. m., Saturday, April 7th, 1906. Plans, specifications, etc., can be seen at the offices of the undersigned.

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