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Office: — Next North of Reiner's
Factory, in the Village of
Wellesley.
Subscription \$1.00 a year in ad-
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INDEPENDENT.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Gesundheit, Berlin!

Over 100 from Wellesley are help-
ing Berlin celebrate to-day and to-
morrow. Director John Hill is a
hustler.

Those Ellice peat works ought to
be making fortunes these days since
coal and wood have gone up out of
sight. The Maple Leaf is all right
for fuel as long as neighbor Hogg's
pine fence lasts.

Is murder an epidemic? The ter-
rible wave which seems to be pass-
ing over Canada at present almost
leads one to think there is a murder
microbe in the air.

The popular search for the comet
these evenings is doing good in get-
ting people acquainted with the
field of stars overhead. Very few
people know that the night sky is
mapped out into named countries
and colonies by bright stars and
constellations which change with
the passing months and are as inter-
esting to the studied view as are
the sights seen by taking costly
trips to the Rockies or other famous
wonder-land resorts. By all means
watch for the comet—a little north-
east; nearly overhead.

And while you're star-gazing re-
member that there will be a total
eclipse of the moon on the night of
Thursday next, Oct. 16th. The
moon plunges into the earth's
shadow, beginning at 10.17, p. m.,
central time, and will soon be "out
of sight," peeping out on the other
side of the shadow about midnight.
The eclipse will last until a few
minutes before 2 o'clock, a. m., on
the 17th. If the weather is fine the
sight will be well worth watching
as the moon really fades from view
in the eastern sky with nothing be-
tween it and the eye.

The coal strike, which started in
Pennsylvania last May is develop-
ing into a serious United States
problem. As long as it remained a
contest between organized labor
and organized capital the public sat-
isfied themselves with giving their
sympathies to one side or the other;
but the fight has proved to be stub-
born and prolonged until now the
cold weather is setting in with none
of the coal in sight which was de-
pended upon for the winter heating,
while the cost of fuel for producing
steam is beginning to worry the im-
mense manufacturing interests.
President Roosevelt took a hand in
the matter last week. He got the
mine owners and workmen together
and made a mighty effort to bring
them to terms upon which they
could agree. But his effort was
fruitless. The owners were deter-
mined and refused to "budge an
inch" from the position they held
all summer, while the strikers were
just as unwilling to yield. One
could sum up the results of the
President's effort by asking the old
question "when an irresistible body
comes in contact with an immovable
body, what is the consequence?"

The answer so far seems to be costly
coal.

President Williams, of the Berlin
Beet Sugar Refinery, informed a
representative of the Maple Leaf
last week that it would require over
eight hundred cars to deliver the
beets to that factory which were
contracted for to come by rail.
This means that in its first year,
during the crucial, experimental,
stage, the farmers—some of them
living as far as sixty miles from the
factory—are receiving the immense
sum of at least \$80,000 for their
beets. Of course this is but a tithe
of what the Berlin factory is to dis-
tribute among the beet raisers even
this first year. But it is also a her-
ald of the great things that are in
store for beet raisers when this in-
dustry is firmly established in On-
tario. The railroads, too, will get
a welcome increase to their regular
business in carrying beets to the
factory and in delivering the sugar
to the markets. So far the G. T. R.
has the monopoly, but the opening
of the Preston-Berlin road will open
a large territory for the Berlin re-
finery.

It begins to look as if the long
neglected strip of road on the Wel-
lesley-North Easthope boundary,
known as Grehm's flats are to be
repaired at last. North Easthope
has set the ball rolling by making a
grant of money for this purpose.
County councillor Walter has un-
dertaken the contract, so if the
Wellesley township and the Perth
and Waterloo county councils come
to the rescue as they should, this
important highway will be placed
in proper condition.

It is reported that the new electric
power company, mentioned in the
Maple Leaf a couple of weeks ago,
has received already nearly enough
orders for power to warrant them
in proceeding to start work on the
construction of their vast enterprise
which will involve an expenditure
running into the millions, and es-
tablish a power house at or near
Thorold equal to or greater than the
one now at Niagara Falls. The
Boards of trade of the Ontario cities
and towns which undertook to se-
cure the subscriptions for power
have worked very energetically and
are hopeful that work can be com-
menced early in the spring. The
proposition is to supply power to
manufacturers and others at the
extremely low rate of \$15 per h. p.
per annum, within a radius of 120
miles. We understand that almost
20,000 h. p has already been sub-
scribed.

LISBON
Brick and Tile
YARDS.

Finest WHITE BRICK, Wire Out Brick and
tock Brick, on hand.
Manufacture FIRST CLASS FIRE BRICK,
equal to any fire brick made on the continent.
Also a special CIRCLE BRICK for use in
wells.
TILE of all sizes, from 2 1/2 inch up to 16 inches
always in stock.
Orders promptly filled.

GEO. HOHL.

Fail
Suitings
and
Overcoatings

Now In

See them when in the
Village.

C. D. KOEHLER,

Merchant Tailor,

Next door south of post office,

Wellesley.

PHOTOS

That Please

ARE THE KIND YOU
ALWAYS GET WHEN
YOUR ORDER IS FIL-

LED AT

GREEN & CO'S

—ART STUDIO—

BERLIN - - - ONTARIO



Don't worry people who buy their
Foot-Wear at

C. HAMMER'S

The Fall Stock

Of Boots, Shoes, Over-
shoes, Rubbers, etc.,

is now in. You will find the very
latest things for Ladies, Gents and
Children. They are splendid Qual-
ities and marked at prices to SELL.

REPAIRING as usual.

C. Hammer.

Cider Making

From and after Monday, August 18

At ZEHR'S

Chopping Mill.

Window Screens and Screen Doors
made to order Cheap.

THE
NORDHEIMER

IS ONE OF THE MOST
Reliable Pianos
Manufactured
In Canada.

It is made in the Nordheimer Pianc
Factory, by the most skilled
workmen that money can
hire, and is recognized
everywhere as the

Leading Piano OF THIS COUNTRY.
Ignorant and unscrupulous agents, hunt-
ing very often a low class of Pianos, are
frequently known to make baseless state-
ments against this truly excellent instru-
ment, knowing that wherever the
Nordheimer is offered for sale
and merit is left to win, their
chances of selling their poorer
class of Pianos is gone. Of course those same
dealers know there is a much larger profit in
selling the cheap pianos as is evidenced by
the fact that they never sell two at the same
price, but take all they can get from every
one they deal with. Every

NORDHEIMER PIANO HAS
A SLIGHT PRICED PRICE,
the lowest that such quality can conscien-
tiously be sold at. YOU KNOW that your
money buys as good value as any other man's.
Our Stock includes—

STEINWAY, NEWCOMBE,
NORDHEIMER, WORMWIT,
HAINES & Co. and BELL.

There is not a better choice offer-
ed in Canada. Piano from \$175 up.
Wanless Music Store,
BERLIN.

V. R. BERLET,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
LINWOOD.

HELLO, JACK!

Where are you going in such a
hurry?

Why, don't you know, John, that
V. R. BERLET,
THE TAILOR, at LINWOOD,

Selling Suits at quite
a Reduction

Just now. That is where I am go-
ing to get an

Up-to-date Suit and Fit.

V. R. BERLET,
Merchant Tailor,
Linwood.

Seasonable
Goods.

Ladies' Underwear, at 25c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c,
\$1.00 Union, Fleece and natural wool.

Child's Underwear, from 20c. upwards.
Men's ditto, 35c. and upwards, union, wool fleece
all-wool plain and ribbed, and natural wool.

Womens' all-wool Hose, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c.
fine Merino.

Child's ditto, from 8c. pr pair up, plain & ribbed.
Men's all-wool Half-Hose, from 2 prs for 25c. up.

Cotton Blankets, 75c and \$1 per pair. Excellent
values.

Grey Flannels at 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c.
Flannelettes, fancy stripes, from 5c. up.

Ditto, plain, pink and white, very special, 30-in.
8c., 36-in. at 10c.

Heavy ditto Shirts---a snap---at 10 and 12 1-2c
Heavy Blue Serge, suitable fo Boys' Suits and
Girls' Dresses, 30c.

Halifax Tweed, suitable for boys' suits, 40c, 45c.

Our Stock of Heavy Dress Goods is complete, and com-
prises Homespun, Cheviots, Beavers and Lad-
ies' Broadcloths in the leading shades, at prices
which will be found right.

Call and inspect our Stock of

Ready-Made Clothing and Tweeds

Quality reliable; Styles new, natty and up-to-date. Prices Right.

Ladies who were unable to attend our Millin-
ery Opening last Saturday are cordially invited
to call and inspect our stock.

Reiner Bros. & Co.

Wellesley Roller Mills.

NOW IN FULL OPERATION.

Highest Cash Prices Paid for all kinds of Grain.
SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO GRISTING AND CHOPPING.

The Mills are now fitted throughout on the most modern Plans.

A TRIAL ORDER SOLICITED.

CIDER MAKING and Apple Jelly Cooking while you wait. Cooking
Mondays and Thursdays.

FRED. DEBUS, Manager.

The Maple Leaf,
WELLESLEY.
Prints all the Local News.
Reaches the best homes.
Is the best advertising medium in
this section.
\$1.00 per year { Clubs with the
Leading Canadian
Journals.
JOB WORK.
FROM THE HEAVIEST PAPER TO THE FINEST GARD.
READY AND PROMPTLY DONE.

Job Printing

ALL KINDS

Sale Bills
Concert Posters

Dodgers Programs

Office Stationery

Cards, Circulars or anything in the line of Printing.

AN EXPERIMENT.

For the next few weeks—during the balance of the dull harvest season—we purpose issuing the Maple Leaf in its present 4-page form with a view of getting the feeling of our subscribers as to a local paper being devoted to home news without regard to the size of sheet. If the experiment meets with general approval the price of the paper will be lowered and arrangements made for low-priced clubbing rates with Canada's big newspapers. We will be glad to get the candid opinions of our subscribers on this matter.

LOCAL NEWS.

A severe thunderstorm passed over here on Tuesday evening.

"Johnnie Canuck" is the name of Fred Kell's great 10c. cigar. Ask for it.

For International Stock Food—3 feeds for 1 cent—see M. J. Schlaebach, Petersburg.

Chas. Ottmann, jr., now has a new camera and can take much larger photographs, views, weddings, etc. Try him.

Smoke "Conductor Punch" when you want a steady, reliable, hand-made, 5c. cigar. It has been a favorite for 17 years.

Mr. Win. Woodcock, of Erin village has been engaged as baker at the Wellesley bakery. He entered upon his duties last week.

Mr. T. B. Saunders, of Wroxeter, spent parts of last and this week the guest of his son, Mr. A. J. Saunders, druggist, in this village.

Some of the main roads leading into the village are badly in need of repairs. A little attention now will save a heavy expenditure later on.

Those who have sweaters belonging to the Wellesley football club are requested to bring them to the Maple Leaf office, where they are to be stored for the winter.

Sixteen girls from the Wellesley public school will take part in the marching and drill contest at the North Waterloo Fall Show, to be held in Berlin today and tomorrow. They have been practising diligently and will give a good account of themselves.

We have not advanced the price of our tobaccos. Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, Currency and Fair Play chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for the redemption of Snowshoe tags to January 1st, 1903. THE EMPIRE TOBACCO CO. LIMITED.

Miss Emma Foerster, of this village, was united in marriage to Mr. Adam Helwig, a young farmer of Carleton township, near Neustadt, on Tuesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed at New Dundee. Her sister, Mrs. Yendt, and family, accompanied the bride to New Dundee to be present at the wedding.

MONEY LOST—\$5 Reward.—On Saturday evening, Oct. 4th, between the Allison hotel, Wellesley village, and my home, lot 22, con. 13, North Easthope, a pocket-book containing between \$45 and \$50, in tens, fives and smaller bills. The finder will receive the above reward on leaving it at the Allison hotel on with me. JAS. DOHERTY, Topping P. O.

Mr. H. Luft moved his family to Elmira this week, where he has bought a bakery business.

Mr. Chris. Kennel sold his bonso and lot on Doering street, last Tuesday to Mr. Duncan Dewar. The price paid was \$1100.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Seyler, of Amulree were guests of his sisters, Mesdames Jno. D. Heipel and Conrad Quehl a day or two this week.

Union S.S. next Sunday at 10 a.m. Preaching Service at 3 p.m. Subject "The hour has come." Special services every evening next week at 8 o'clock. All invited.

Found, on a street in Wellesley, on Tuesday afternoon, a small roll of bills. Owner can have it by proving property and paying for this announcement. J. Eckstein, barber.

WELLESLEY SCHOOL.

The following gives the standing of the pupils of the Wellesley public school for the month of September:

- PRINCIPAL KERR'S ROOM.**
- 5th Class—C Green, 407; T. Lichty, 377; A Berscht, 364; V Cleghorn, 298; T Froehlich, 283; E Althorn, 275; F. Popper, 225.
- Sr. 4th—H Kaufman, 277; D Young, 249; B Schaub, 216; E Fleischhauer, 213; H Ottmann, 147.
- Jr. 4th—W Lochner, 301; P Froehlich, 292; W Fleischhauer, 264; E L. Nard, 196; D Walton, 164.
- Sr. 3rd—K Egerdi, 287; E Schaub, 286; G Walton, 271; E Berscht, 265; E Meyer, 163; D Lichty, 155; W Mayer, 138; A Gingerich, 129; A Trussler, 105; A Forler, 101; Lizzie Berlux, 89; A Altman, 80; Noah Gascho, 50.

MISS MURCH'S ROOM.

- Jr. 3rd—Annie Dietz, Minnie Ottmann, Valeria Dingwall, Lydia Leis, Paula Lochner, Mattie Kennel, Edward Koehler, Mary Berlux, Nelda Preiss, Edith Altman, Erna Green, Louise Keibling, Robert Kube, Eileen Ottmann, Allan Heimpel, John Duench, James Berlux, Clayton Forler, Edward Gingerich, Charlie Woivade.
- Sr. 2nd—Harold Bellingher, Agnes Lenhard, Mary Roth, Mary Sanders Eileen Schaub, Rachael Leis, Lavinia Ottmann, Tena Bast and Karl Forler equal, Olivia Glebe, Norma Green, Edward Roedro, Edwin Koehler, Caroline Miller.

MISS STRIOTON'S ROOM.

- Jr. 2nd—Willie Yeat, Mary Roth, Emmanuel Schwartztruber, John Stable, Ivan Schopp, Jos Gingerich, Mattie Kropf and Christian Lichty equal, Arthur Sanders, August Kube, Susan Kennel, Emma Leis, John Kube, Susannah Lehmann, Helen Walton, Gordon Mayer, Wesley Mertz, Florence Krentzwieser, Daniel Kennel, Charlie Miller.

PT SR A—Katie Wagner, Oscar Heimpel, Laura Miller, Clarissa Lips, Melinda woivade, Fred Egerdi, Charlie Preiss, Daniel Grudy, Fanny Lichty, Katy Leis, Herbert Berscht, Clayton Mayer and Olive Wagner equal, Nancy Leis, Oliver Trussler, Eliza Jantzi, Harry Lips, Minnie Yendt.

MISS TAYLOR'S ROOM.

- Sr Pt 2 B—Frieda Forler, Ruth Lochner, Peter Leis, Hilda Lips, Abel Ottmann, Lydia Kropf, Laura Woivade, Clara Gingerich, Hilda Hill, George Bellingher, Harry Dingwall, Edward Dietz, Irvin Fleischhauer, Albert Ottmann, Geo. Miller, Ella Mertz, Edwin Ottmann, Theo. Stable, Selma Forler, Joseph Roth.
- Sr Pt 2nd—Madeline Lenhard, Hilda Forler, Clara Heimpel, Harold Forler, Mary Streicher, Mary Leis, Ruth Berlux, Clara Kennel, Ida Gronzobach, Alois Roeder, Beatrice Greenwood, Norman Yont, Christian Streicher, Lydia Roth, David Bast, Ethel Sanders, Walter Duench, Marie Mayer, Henry Ritter, Minnie Borg.

PT 1st—Lela Ziegler, David Schwartztruber, Fanny Lichty, Agnes Forler, Ethel Walton, Jacob Lichty, Clemens Lochner, Cora Hamner, Alex Dewar, Milton Leis, Eckhard O. tmann, Menno Roth, Sylvia Koehler, Ada Lips, Kitty Ginger-

ich, Lloyd Mertz, Emily Miller, Edith Hulet.

TOPPING.

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bank, spent Sunday in this vicinity.

Mr. Peter Zehr, of Stratford, visited at Mr. H. Zehr's on Sunday.

Mr. Geo. W. Fink left today for Stratford, where he has accepted a position in the G. T. R. shops. He will be much missed by his friends here.

ST. AGATHA.

The farmers are busy lifting potatoes, and are complaining of very many rotten ones.

There is not much plowing done in this section yet.

Mr. Ehren Brenneman, of New Hamburg, visited friends near here last Sunday.

Mr. Chr. Salzman, of Wellesley, visited his parents on Sunday last.

Mr. Menno Brunk, of Berlot's Corners, visited at Mr. Chr. Litwiler's on Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Kropf visited his brother Rudy last Sunday.

Mr. Jos. Salzman is about renting his father-in-law's farm for the coming year.

Miss Annie Litwiler is spending a few weeks holidays with her uncle at Baden.

Mr. Samuel Litwiler has returned home after spending a few days with friends near New Hamburg.

LOCAL MARKETS.

To-day's quotations are:

- Wheat.....63c
Oats.....26c
Barley.....38c
Peas.....65c
- Other products are bought at these prices:
- Butter.....14c
Eggs.....14c
Lard.....12½c
Dried Apples.....4c

TORONTO MARKETS.

Sept. 29, 1902.

Export cattle, choice, \$5 00 to \$5 50
do medium..... 4 50 to 5 00
Butchers cattle..... 3 00 to 3 00
do bulls..... 3 75 to 4 75
Export bulls..... 3 25 to 4 75
Feeders..... 3 00 to 4 50
Stockers, 400 to 450 lbs 2 50 to 3 00
Milk cows, each..... 30 00 to 50 00
Export cows..... 2 40 to 3 75
Butchers sheep, each, 2 50 to 3 50
Bucks, per cwt..... 2 50 to 2 75
Lambs, per cwt..... 4 00 to 4 25
Calves, each..... 3 00 to 10 00
Hogs select, per cwt.. 7 12 to 0 00
Hogs light, per cwt.. 6 88 to 0 00
Hogs, fat, per cwt.... 6 88 to 0 00

FALL EXHIBITIONS, 1902.

Berlin, Oct. 9-10.
Woodstock, October 1-2.

Fine Farm for Sale Near Wellesley Village.

The undersigned offers his fine farm for sale, being Lot 12, con. 13, near the Old Mill, in the Township of Somerset, 4 1/2 miles from Elmira, 4 1/2 miles from St. Jacob's, and 1 1/2 miles from New Knoxville.

The land is all well drained, fences in first class condition and no waste land. Four Acres of good orchard. There is a good brick residence; bank barn 50x70 feet, with complete floor, wind power, and mangle; large straw shed throughout; pig stable 25x30 feet; dry shed 10x15 feet; and mill for water power on the premises. The section school is built on the farm.

For particulars as to terms and conditions apply on the premises, or write to the undersigned proprietor.

PHILIP BITTER, Wellesley P. O.

Farm for Sale.

LOT 21, and part Lot 22, Concession A., Wellesley, comprising 15 Acres, known as the Old Mill, in the Township of Somerset, 4 1/2 miles from Elmira, 4 1/2 miles from St. Jacob's, and 1 1/2 miles from New Knoxville.

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A FULL SUPPLY OF

SCHOOL BOOKS

For both High and Public Schools; also

Exercise Books, Scribblers, Slates, Pens, Slate Pencils, Lead Pencils, Ink, and all school supplies.

Can be procured at

THE DRUG STORE

Wellesley, Ont.

The Western Bank

OF CANADA.

Capital, \$1,000,000.

A Branch of this Bank has been opened at Wellesley.

A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED. MONEY LOANED. NOTES DISCOUNTED AND COLLECTED. CHEQUES CASHED. MONEY ADVANCED TO FARMERS TO BUY STOCKERS. SALE NOTES BOUGHT. DRAFTS ISSUED PAYABLE AT PAR ALL OVER AMERICA.

Savings Bank Department.

Sums of One Dollar and Upward Received. Interest allowed from date of deposit, and compounded half yearly.

Your Banking Business, no matter how small or how large, will be appreciated, and receive our Careful Attention.

W. B. WEST,
MANAGER
WELLESLEY BRANCH.

CHAS. WINKLER & SON, Bamberg,
—MANUFACTURERS OF—
DEEP and SHALLOW Well WOOD PUMPS.

Platforms Built, all kinds of Pump Furnishings supplied and REPAIRED ASK TO ORDER.

Deep Well Pumps on the latest model, and for less taken for Well Digging. Pr. ccs Reasonable. Goods Delivered.

Chas. Winkler & Son, Bamberg, ont.

Oelschlagers Bros., ENGINEERS & MACHINISTS.

Woodworking Machinery. All kinds of CASTINGS made.

Shafting, Pulleys and Hangers. General Repairing. Corliss Engines. Orders by mail properly filled. Telephone 6.

BADEN - - - - - ONT.

Now for Fruit!

A Large Quantity of
Peaches, Grapes, Tomatoes,

JUST IN.

Get your order in Early.

H. K. FORLER'S BICYCLES

New and Second-Hand Bicycle Shop. REPAIRING DONE AT LOWEST PRICES. Butter and Eggs Wanted. Highest prices paid.

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THE INNS OF CHINA.

Their Cheapness is About Their One Redeeming Feature.

Chinese inns are without register or clerks. On riding through the gateway your bridle rein is seized by a dirty boy, who helps you to dismount, shouting loudly meanwhile for the proprietor, who presently looms up through the wilderness of carts and mules. Proprietor and boy then hold a parley as to what rooms are eligible, and then a door is pushed open and the traveler is shown to his apartment. It is usually about twelve feet square. The walls and floor are of hard mud, and so are the beds, which extend entirely across the side of the room, with only space enough between them for a small table and one chair. The room is lighted by one window, in which paper takes the place of glass.

The first duty of the proprietor in making a patron comfortable is to stop up the holes in the paper window pane. He never tears the paper off entirely and replaces it with a new one, because the sheet of paper is worth about one-tenth of a cent, and the innkeeper is not wasteful. Indeed he pastes little slips of paper over the holes until all the light that filters through it is of a mottled hue.

At one end of the mule shed is the kitchen of the inn. It is here that the meals for all the patrons are prepared, to be eaten in the rooms. The menu is not elaborate. It consists only of bowls of rice and tea. Should the traveler desire a greater variety of food, he can buy it himself in the market, and his own servant can cook it in the kitchen of the inn. To sleep on the bed of a Chinese inn would be for a foreigner an impossibility were it not that he is always so exhausted at the end of each day's journey that he finds it difficult to remain awake ten minutes after alighting from his pony. He lies down on the mat that covers the hard heap of mud and surprises himself at the soundness of his slumber.

The one redeeming thing about the inn is its cheapness. Just as the traveler is about to depart in the morning the proprietor tells him the amount of his bill. Everything is charged on the "European plan." Every cup of tea every rushlight candle, the paper window pane, are all itemized in the long list which the proprietor reads off in a singsong, but the total is surprisingly low. The cost of food and lodging for one night for a traveler and two servants, with stabling and fodder for his ponies and cart mules, is about 50 cents.

Escaped Too Soon.

The rear end of a Fordham car was congested the other afternoon. There wasn't even "standing room only." A jocular commutator said, "Beware of pickpockets!"

Everybody laughed.

A gentlemanly looking fellow said: "No man need be afraid of pickpockets as long as I did. I have a self patented scheme. I have a buttonhole in my vest pocket. I run my chain through it and attach the other end in the usual way. They can't draw that watch through that buttonhole. No pickpockets in mine, and don't you forget it!"

The crowd thinned out.

At Wendover avenue the "patente" said startlingly: "My watch is gone!"

Somebody had clipped the chain, drawn it through the other way and abstracted the watch.

A Story of Two Necklaces.

When General Weyler was sent by Spain as governor general to Manila, Don Carlos Patanca, the wealthy Spaniard, determined to send Mrs. Weyler a gift, the customary way of obtaining the good will of the Spanish officials. He found at a jeweler's two necklaces, each costing \$20,000 and both being so beautiful that he could not choose between them. So he sent them both to Mrs. Weyler with the message that she should make her choice. He received a warm letter of thanks from her, stating that the necklaces were so beautiful that she could not decide between them and hence would keep both, which she did.

Theories About Drowned Bodies.

It was a popular theory in days gone by that the body of a drowned man would float the ninth day. Sir Thomas Browne alludes to a belief in his time, and in his "Pseudo-doxia Epitaphica" there is a discussion on this fanciful notion. It was also believed that the spirits of those drowned at sea were doomed to wander for a hundred years owing to the rites of burial having never been properly bestowed upon their bodies.

A Martyr.

"She is the most sacrifice woman for miles around."
"In what way?"
"Well, whenever they get up a lawn fête or sumpen like for the church in which the expenses are more than the proceeds the committee always sends her up to acquaint the pastor with the result."

A True Philosopher.

The greatest thing we ever saw in the way of a philosopher was a one armed man in a manicure establishment who gloated because he got his work done for half price.

Removal

**Chas. D. Koehler's
Tailor Shop**

Has been removed to the building one door South of the Post Office, opposite the Albion Hotel.

Everybody Invited to see the great display of Fall and Winter Suitings and overcoatings.

C. D. Koehler,
Merchant Tailor,
WELLESLEY.

Ink Splashes
ARE BUSINESS WORKERS—THAT IS, IF YOU
SPASH IN THE RIGHT PLACE!
THE WELLESLEY
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