

## Sweet Navel Oranges..

Are now at their best—juicy and sweet. As perhaps you are aware the cold weather experienced in the early part of orange season, made them very poor and sour. This week they are as they should be—very juicy and very sweet.

- SEEDLESS ORANGES, 30c. a Dozen.
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- FLORIDA RUSSETTS, 40c. a Dozen.
- FINE LEMONS, 25c. a Dozen.

These are the finest Oranges that have come to Chatham this season.

**H. Malcolmson**

## FACTS.

We want to present to you a few facts concerning our business. Probably some that are new to you. We can supply your every need in Hardware, Tinware, Enamelled Ware, Paints, Oil and Glass, Sanitary Plumbing, Tin or Galvanized Work, Metal Ceilings and Side Walls, Warm Air and Hot Water Heating. And we will treat you right and sell you good goods at fair prices. We are always ready and willing to cater to your wants. You will always secure our best attention.

**J. C. Wanless**  
THE UP-TO-DATE  
HARDWARE MAN.

## A Necessity....

WATCHES are no longer a luxury but an absolute necessity. Everything is run on time, so should you. Buy a good timepiece from us and prosper. Look happy and be on time.

Any watch purchased from us we can assure you it will be the best for the money you pay and a guarantee with it that is as good as the bank note you carry in your pocket. Call and inspect our watches and see our values.

**T. W. POILE**  
Watchmaker,  
Garner Block, Chatham

**WE HAVE ON HAND A LARGE SUPPLY OF**  
**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.

## HOT BEEF TEA...

We have put in a plant for dispensing HOT DRINKS, including  
HOT BEEF EXTRACT  
HOT VIGORAL  
HOT FRENCH BOUILLON  
HOT TOMATO BOUILLON  
HOT CHICKEN BROTH  
5c. a Drink. Try One.

**A. I. McCall & Co., Limited,**  
DRUGGISTS AND OPTICIAN

**BURROWS & LORRIMAN,**  
UNDERTAKERS  
and Embalmers. Opposite P.O.  
Open Day and Night.

## TO-NIGHT

Skating at the rink.  
"Uncle Tom's Cabin," Grand Opera House at 8.15.  
L. O. L. Valentine Social in I. O. O. F. Auditorium.  
Revival service, William St. Baptist Church, at 7.45.  
Court Chatham, No. 6, I. O. F., in their rooms at 8.  
Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., Temple, at 8.  
Local Branch No. 21, Association of Steam Engineers, Eberts' Block, at 8 o'clock.

**CHATHAM'S ONLY MILLINERY STORE**

**Special Bargains Each Day**  
A great clearing of all broken lines, which will be sold regardless of cost to get them out of the way to make room for the Spring Goods.

**G.A. DOOKSLEY, King St.**

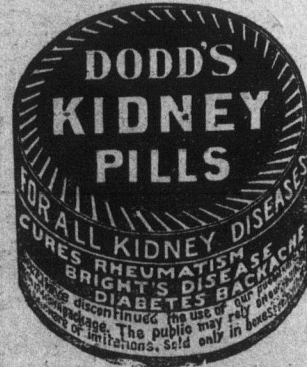
**DR. A. A. HICKS**  
DENTIST

Office: 26 King St. East, Over Turner's Drug Store. Phone 357

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Mrs. W. C. McArthur spent yesterday in Detroit.  
Frank Humphrey was in Wallaceburg yesterday on business.  
The Defiance Iron Works this week shipped two large marine engines to Kingston.  
Try Waterhouse's Aunt Mary's home made bread; for sale at McCorvie's grocery.  
Mr. Wheatley has returned from a business trip to London and Sarina.  
G. Walker, of the C. P. R. London depot, was in Chatham yesterday afternoon.  
Stewart Campbell and his cousin, Manson Comstock, spent yesterday in Detroit.  
Miss Cora Merritt entertained at her home on Emma street Tuesday afternoon and evening.  
Samuel Houston, inspector of interlocking on the C. P. R., was in Chatham yesterday.  
Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire—a nice, glossy finish. Try it. Drew & MacCallum.  
Mrs. Humphrey, wife of Judge Humphrey, of Seattle, Washington, is the guest of Mrs. W. R. Landon.  
Found, on King street, Tuesday, a baby's imitation lamb mitt. Owner can have same by paying for this advertisement.  
Miss Grace Scollie left Monday for Detroit to attend the millinery openings there and to visit relatives and friends.  
Carnations, Lilies, Tulips, Hyacinths, Azaleas, the best and cheapest, at Victoria Ave. Green Houses, Phone 181.  
J. Robinson's orchestra left Chatham for Bothwell yesterday afternoon to play at a dance which was being held there last evening.  
A skating benefit for the Chatham hockey team will be held in the rink Friday night of this week. The 24th Regiment Band will play.  
You auto call at the Urban continued sale and get one of those bargain eaters skirts at 79c and 89c, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, Garner Block.  
Lost, on King street, Wednesday, between the Merchants' Bank and Raikes's photograph gallery, a baby's brush. The finder will please return to this office.  
Mrs. Brisco, lately of Napanee, and mother of Manager Fred. Brisco of the Grand, has purchased a residence and property on Lacroix street, this city, where she will reside in the future.  
Her many friends will be glad to learn that Miss Mary Martin, of Joseph street, has been allowed to leave the General Hospital, as she is now thoroughly recovered from her recent illness.  
The Companions of Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., held a well attended social in the lodge rooms, King street, Tuesday evening. The prize winners were, gent's prize, Mr. Mitton, ladies' prize, Mrs. R. Somers.  
In spite of the threatening weather our store is always filled with customers feasting on bargains that fill their homes with the necessities of life and leave their pocketbooks in a healthy condition. Three dollars for 25c, 50c cashmere hose for 37c, \$3.50 golf coats at \$1.48. The Urban bankrupt continued sale.  
Miss Lizzie Kempf, who for the past two years has been a valued saleslady in the confectionary and bakery of which E. A. Montee is now the proprietor, left for Detroit at noon yesterday to accept a good position. Miss Kempf has a host of friends who will be sorry to learn of her departure from the city.  
W. J. Sedgwick, of Fargo, station agent, left Saturday for Tillsonburg, where he will act as city agent for the M. C. R. R. We are very glad to hear that Mr. Sedgwick is climbing the ladder to railway fame. Mr. W. F. Taggart, the day operator, will fill the position vacated by Mr. Sedgwick.

Skates sharpened at Brisco's.  
Miss Fanny Pope has returned to Gravenhurst.  
J. C. Stokes, of Regina, N. W. T., is registered at one of the city hotels.  
24th Band at rink Friday night. Hockey Club Benefit. Prices 25 and 15 cents.  
Miss Grace Kennedy entertained a number of friends at her home on St. Clair street Tuesday evening.  
The Young Men's Pleasure Club will hold a social hop in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium this evening.  
Harry Brisco, of Mexico City, Mexico, has returned to Napanee after a visit to his brothers, Roy and Fred, of this city.  
Take our tip and buy a nice tailored suit at \$2.98, \$3.98 and \$4.98 while prices are at their low ebb. The Urban bankrupt sale, Garner Block.  
The Gray & Sons Co. this week shipped six large carloads of buggies to Ottawa, and last week they sent three carloads to Australia.  
Mrs. A. Comstock and son, Manson Comstock, of Peterboro, are spending a few days in this city, the guests of Mrs. Manson Campbell, Park street.  
O. R. Burns, operator at the C. P. R. depot, left yesterday morning to assume his new duties at Guelph Junction, to which place he was recently transferred.  
Tell your friends to call at the Urban bankrupt sale and get a nice fur scarf. When you can get such a snap on beautiful furs it pays to invest.  
Miss Louise King entertained a number of her friends at her home on Adelaide street Tuesday evening. Light refreshments were served and an enjoyable time was spent by all.  
Yesterday morning at ten o'clock a chimney stove Webber & Somerville's tailor shop was blown over by the strong wind and crashed upon their roof, causing much excitement among the girls employed there.  
The wedding is announced of Miss Alma Smith, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, Selkirk street, to Robert Clements, a popular Maple City young man. The wedding will take place Feb. 28.  
Frank Brundage, the ice man, has placed an electric light near the place on the river where he is cutting ice and he will now work night and day until his ice houses are filled. Ice-men are taking advantage of the present cold snap to fill their houses and are taking no chances of loss through a sudden thaw.  
Chief Holmes received a telephone message night before last at about half past one o'clock from a resident of Wellington street saying there was a row going on in that neighborhood. P. C. Darwent down immediately but the row was over and the participants were living quietly and peaceably again.  
Mrs. Maggie Coltart, the woman who washed Chief Holmes to find a home for her little baby, has disappeared, and the baby with her. A man named Rogers, who boarded at the house where Mrs. Coltart worked, has mysteriously disappeared also. Mrs. Johnson, the sister who keeps the boarding house, says the trio are now living in Detroit.



## TO THOSE ON BARGAINS BENT

Try Gordon's Big Values for Saturday Next

### A Kid Glove Bargain

Ladies' finest \$1.50 Mocha Kid Gloves, on sale Saturday night from 8 to 10 o'clock at 98c.

### Lace Curtain Department

We have opened up our early spring assortment of Curtains, priced from 25c to \$10.00 a pair.

### Tailored Skirt Selling

New spring models in Dress Skirts. Best quality, newest design, and perfect fit. In black, blue, brown, green and cream. Fine Lustre Sicilians, knife pleated, only \$5.00. Light grey Tweed skirts, pleated and buttoned trimmed, only \$3.75.

Grey and Blue Mohair, non-crushable, flare skirts, knife and box pleated, stitched to the hip, on sale \$7.50 and \$8.00.

Latest New York styles of Tailored Skirts of Fine Venetians in Black, Green or Blue.

A leading special Skirt of heavy Black Broadcloth, Saturday at \$2.00.

### Spring Dress Goods

A superb presentation of fashions dictates for the coming season, a beautiful display of the world's leading designers, that surpasses anything we have previously shown, and cannot fail to interest the most discriminating buyers.

### Colored Dress Goods

In novelty Check Tweeds, Broadcloth, Chiffon Venetians, Notte Cloths, Cashmeres, Henriettas, Panamas, Lustres, Mohairs and Costume Serges.

### Black Goods

Priestley's Silk and Wool Henriettas, Mohairs, Brilliantes, Sicilians, Endoras, Cordons, Lucanas, Rosettas, Taffatas, Eoliennes, Venetians, Chiffon Cloths.

### Dress Making

MISS FENTON, late of TORONTO, will conduct our Dressmaking Department, and comes to our city with the highest recommendations as a Leading Fashionable Modist.

We open our Dress Making Parlors Saturday the 17th.

**WILLIAM GORDON**

## GREETING

Message from the Twenty Fourth Regiment to Friends in England was Appreciated

During the New Year's holidays just passed, Stephen Anquetil, son of Daniel Anquetil, of this city, sent to headquarters of the Royal Alderney Artillery and Engineers' Militia stationed at Alderney, England, a copy of the New Year's Greeting sent out by the members of the 24th Regiment Band in uniform.

The officers and members of the Alderney militia were very much pleased with these tokens from Canada, as is evidenced by the following, which appeared in the Alderney notes of the Greeting Weekly Press under date of January 27.

"It will be remembered by the Alderney people that many years ago, that quite a colony of various members of the best island families emigrated to Chatham, Ontario, Canada. Our kinsfolk there have thrived and prospered, but have not forgotten the small islet from which they sprang. A card of New Year's greeting, as under:  
"1906. Bugle Major William Plummeridge, Non-Commissioned Officers and Buglers and Drummers of the 24th Regiment Bugle Band, extend to you the compliments of the season and a Happy and Prosperous New Year." has been sent to the Royal Alderney Artillery and Engineers' Militia, which said greeting, embossed with the Maple Leaf (Canadian coat of arms), is to be answered with a copy of the "Weekly Press" by Sergeant-Major George Le Gros, R. A. A., and E. (M.) Mr. Stephen Anquetil, native of this island, is the sender of add that card. We have also the pleasing group of the Volunteer Band in full uniform has been received, and is now on view in the shop window of Mr. Anquetil (our island constable). The reception of the greeting has given great satisfaction to all concerned.

Ladies, read this catalogue of charms. Bright eyes, glowing cheeks, red lips, a smooth skin without a blemish, in short, perfect health. For sale with every package Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, 35 cents.

A. I. McCall & Co.

## DOUBLE WEDDING

Yesterday at high noon a double wedding took place at the Head street parsonage, when four Dover and Chatham Township young people were made happy. Rev. F. E. Malott officiating.

The contracting parties were Ernest Lane of Chatham Township, and Miss Ada Pearl Parrish of Dover, and Joseph William Lane of Chatham Township and Miss Rosie Gertrude Parrish of Dover Township.

The brides are sisters, while the grooms are uncle and nephew respectively.

The Messrs. and Mesdames Lane will reside in Chatham Township, and they have the best wishes of many friends in the township and city.

**TINNEY-McARTHUR.**  
The marriage took place in Dover Township Tuesday evening of Wm. Tinney and Miss Ida Victoria McArthur.

Rev. Mr. Brown tied the nuptial knot.

Thomas Fenton, who was imprisoned for being insane, and dangerous to be at large, is in very bad shape, according to the jail authorities. He has not eaten anything for about a week, as he thinks the food offered to him is poisoned. In his ravings he imagines he is the proper man to occupy the throne of England.

## JUST A LITTLE BIT OFF THE TOP

If variety be the spice of life, the Weather Man is certainly leading a tickle and frivolous career.

The City Council should not allow their "canny" notions run away with their good sense.

"Never build a bridge till you have counted the bolts," might apply as a local motto.

Now that we are going to secure protection for our fish, won't someone move for protection against the inventions of the enterprising genius when he returns home to tell his friends how many he caught?

If we don't gain proper protection, it is an easy matter to see the fishes' fin-ish.

Everything points to a big Conservative convention on Saturday.

Two young people are to be married in Kentville, who became acquainted through the fact that she etched her name on an egg which was afterwards served to him at his boarding house. No doubt they will look upon it in their case as a marriage yolk.

Ald. Austin says that dead men voted on certain by-laws. There must have been only a ghost of a show for the by-laws' passing.

Of course the dead men who had a hand in carrying those by-laws must be termed as the "shady vote."

## GETTING HER MONEY'S WORTH.

A woman living in a certain village in New York State who lost her husband by death, sent the following communication to her home newspaper:  
"Mr. Editor: I desire to thank the friends and neighbors most heartily in this manner, for the united aid and co-operation during the illness

and death of my late husband, who escaped from me by the hand of death on Friday last while eating breakfast. To the friends and neighbors who contributed so willingly towards making the last moment and funeral of my husband a success, I desire to remember most kindly, hoping these few lines will find them enjoying the same blessing. I have also a good milk cow and ready gelding horse, eight-year-old, which I will sell cheap. God moves in a mysterious way his footsteps on the sea and rides upon the storm." Also, a black and white shote very low.

## PILLS AND PILES.

A prolific cause of Piles is the use of cathartics and pills of a drastic, violent nature, which is always followed by a reaction on account of the resins, drying properties they contain.

There are other causes, but never matter what the cause or what the kind of Piles, Dr. Leonard's Hemorrhoid can be relied upon to cure—stay cured.

It's an internal remedy that removes the causes of itching, bleeding or suppurating Piles. A guarantee goes with each package containing a month's treatment.

It can be obtained for \$1.00 at druggists, or The Wilson-Fyle Co., Niagara Falls, Ont.

Think much, speak little, write less.

It arouses energy, develops neural stimulates nervous life, arouses the courage of youth. It makes you young again. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets.

A. I. McCall & Co.

Commencing Feb. 15th, W. E. Harrison City Passenger and Ticket Agent Agent G. T. R. and Wabash Railways, will issue special rate tickets to all western points at the following very low rates. To all Pacific Coast points, \$40.75; Billings, Montana, and Butte, Montana, \$32.75; Colorado Springs, Denver, Col., \$37.75; and other corresponding points, \$37.75; Nelson and Roseland, B. C., and Spokane, Wash., \$38.25.

**Dry Goods | THIBODEAU & CO | Ladies Ready-to-wear Garments**

## Century Corsets

A new corset made with an adjustment strap, particularly good fitting, and the very thing for stout ladies.....  
\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

## D. & A. Corsets

in stock from 35c. to \$2.50. Satisfaction guaranteed.  
Very special value at.....  
50c, 75c. and \$1.00

## New Dress Goods

The first shipment of New Dress Goods just to hand. You are cordially invited to see them.

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