

The Bewildering Variety

Of Breakfast Foods—now on the market is enough to puzzle any housekeeper, but you can always find in our stock an assortment from which it is easy to make a selection.

**Malta Vita,
Force,
Granose,
Grape Nuts,
Shredded Wheat,
Granola.**

**H. Malcolmson
GROGER**



THIS IS THE WAY

I buy my diamonds and the quality is examined very carefully. I have them set to my order in the very latest designs in rings, pendants, scarf pins and cuff links. I have not only the largest, but the best selection of fine diamond and other rings ever shown in this part of Canada. Call and see them before purchasing.

**E. J. MacIntyre,
Leading Jeweler and
Optician
KING ST.**

Wedding Stationery

The PLANET

Carries a large assortment of this stock. You can get what you want in short notice.

THE FAST TRAINS TO CHICAGO.

New York Central's Express Service Added to.
George H. Daniels, General Passenger Agent of the New York Central Road, talking yesterday of the company's fast train service, said that, in addition to the new twenty-four-hour train, there are now four twenty-four-hour trains to Chicago, and two Empire State express daily.
The Twentieth Century Limited, twenty-four-hour train, leaves New York every day at 2:45 p. m. and arrives at Chicago the next morning at 9:45.
The Lake Shore Limited leaves New York at 5:30 every afternoon, arriving in Chicago the next morning at 1:30.
The Fast Mail, a fine twenty-four-hour train, leaves New York at 8:45 a. m. every day, reaching Chicago the next morning at 7:50.
By both the Lake Shore and the Michigan Central, the noonday Chicago Limited leaves New York at 1 p. m., reaching Chicago by the Lake Shore the next morning at 11:30, a twenty-four-hour train, really twenty-three hours and fifty minutes. The Detroit and Chicago Limited leaves New York at 4 p. m., reaching Chicago the next afternoon, a fourth twenty-four-hour train.
From the New York Times.
Note.—The New York Central also has 15 trains a day between New York and Buffalo and Niagara Falls; 5 trains a day between New York and St. Louis and Cincinnati; 4 trains a day between New York and Montreal and by the Boston and Albany Division 4 trains a day between New York and Boston via Springfield.

—Languor and weakness, due to the depleted condition of the blood, are overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great vitalizer.

**Children Cry for
CASTORIA.**

**DR. W. THORNTON
DENTIST**
D. D. S. Toronto University.
Office—1st Door East of Standard Bank.
Telephone Office 164.
Residence 285.

Local Briefs

Band Concert at the Eau-tomorrow night!
Harry Eberts, Little Rock, Ark., is in the city.
Large assortment of hammocks at Morton's.
Mrs. Arthur Rolls returned to Detroit to-day.
Mrs. J. J. J. Thompson, Winnipeg, is in the city.

Fishing tackle in great variety, at Morton's.
Noble Gardner has returned from camping at Erieau.
G. S. Bennett, of Toronto, spent Saturday in the city.
Thos. Smith, of Dresden, is a Chatham visitor for a few days.

Blue flame oil stoves, gas stoves, and fixtures at Morton's.
The Blonde Lumber Co. are unloading the schooner Kollage.

A first quality \$12.50 New Method suit for \$10.00 at The 2 T's.
W. J. Jones, of Tilbury East, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Thos. Shaw, of Wallaceburg, spent Saturday in the Maple City.
John R. Hooker, of Wheatley, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Robert McClevey and son, of Florence, were in the city Saturday.
Chambermaid wanted at once. Apply at the C. P. R. Hotel.

Rev. R. McCosh, and Master Harry McCosh left for Orillia this morning.
N. S. Lusty, Rodney, was in the city Saturday on his way to Detroit.

Richard Johnston and wife, of Bothwell, were in the city Saturday.
J. A. Elliott, of Ridgeway, was registered at the Garner House Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McKenzie, of Ridgeway, spent Saturday in the city.
S. O. E. excursion on Civic Holiday to Niagara Falls. Tickets good for three days; \$2.45.

Miss Anna Clements, Joseph street, returns to-day from visiting at the Lake.
Miss Katie Cull, of Detroit, is visiting Miss Gertrude Potter, Queen street.

The new Crown Attorney, H. D. Smith, of Ridgeway, was in the city Saturday.
Miss Jennie Sculley, of Cleveland, is visiting Miss Verna Sheldon, Harvey street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Graham, of Ridgeway, were Chatham guests Saturday.
Rev. W. H. G. Colles occupied the pulpit in Trinity Church, Blenheim, yesterday.

Wm. N. Lusty and son, of Rodney, are the guests of Johnston McGee for a few days.
C. W. Hekowski, of the Dresden best sugar factory, is spending the day in the city.

John Stover, of Park Bros., has returned from working in Staples and is quite seriously sick.
All kinds of floral and decorative work done at the Victoria Avenue Green House. Phone 181.

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OMBRE OR SHADED SHETLAND FLOSS

The Floss is shaded in thread so when crocheted it has an Ombre effect specially for evening and summer wear.

Evening shawls made to order, also ready made,
**75c, \$1.00, \$1.50
and \$1.75.**

Mrs. J. E. Weldon, King St. East.

MISS DOYLE

Ladies' Hair Dressing and Shampooing, Manicuring, Face Massage and Soles of Feet Specially.
RADLEY'S DRUG STORE

Band Concert at Port Lambton to-night!

Herbert Clements spent yesterday in Brantford.

J. W. McBeth, of Dresden, was in the city on Saturday.

Mrs. John Weldon, of Tilbury, was in the city yesterday.

Alfred Kimmery, of Dresden, is spending the day in town.

H. J. McKay, of Windsor, was a Maple City guest on Saturday.

P. J. Henry, of Ridgeway, was a Maple City guest on Saturday.

C. Smith, of Stewart, was registered at the Garner House, on Saturday.

John Conway, of Austin's, is spending his holidays in Perth and Wexham.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gosnell, of Blenheim, were guests in the city on Saturday.

Miss Bessie McLean, of Wheatley, was a guest in the city on Saturday.

Frank Stenlake, of the Marchand House, Tilbury, was in the city on Saturday.

E. H. Chapman and G. T. Gilbertson, of Northwood, were in the city on Saturday.

F. A. Young and S. B. Wilkie, of Dresden, were visitors in the city on Saturday.

Miss Flo Smith, of the post office, was on a visit to Flint, Michigan.

Albert Perry, of Sarnia, an old Chatham boy, spent Sunday with his Chatham friends.

Misses Della Galloway and Nellie Tweedle, of Dresden, were Chatham guests on Saturday.

Miss Mary Marshall was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital Saturday, suffering from typhoid fever.

The Catholic Order of Foresters will hold their annual excursion to Niagara Park on August 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Richards, of Adrian, Mich., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Morley, Dufferin avenue.

Arthur Green, of the post office department, is spending a few days at his home here.

Miss Maude Meloche, of Charing Cross, is spending a few days with her brother, Edgar, street.

Hector Robert, Windsor, who has been spending a few days with his parents, returned to Windsor this evening.

Albert Sheldrick left this morning on a trip to London, Woodstock and other eastern cities. He will be away about a week.

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New

We Are Talking to You As You Read This.

Gordon's July Sale 3rd Week

Another week of very interesting prices. We don't expect your custom unless we make you the gainers in your Purse, Peace and Person, by our magnetic values. Remember, good sellers go first, because good buyers buy first. You put your best foot forward, when you come straight to the Gordon Store for July Bargains.

Maidens-Parasols Fancy and Plain

14 Parasols, white cream, blue, brown, lavender, fancies, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00. Sale Price..... \$1.00

All Other Fancy Parasols, 50c to \$7.00 at Sale, to clear, 1 off

Ladies' Tie Talk

There's marriage ties & railroad ties, And ties in games of ball, But Gordon ties we advertise Are ties that beat them all.

Then come and buy from us a tie, Of silk or lawn or lace; The price will suit you to a T, And Gordon's is the place.

Hermesdorf Hose

The blackest of the blacks, 2 pr. for 25c, up to a pr. 50c

Mothers

30 only morning wrappers, sizes 34 to 42, to clear..... 50c

Women's Undershirts, Pink or blue print, Sale Price..... 50c

Black and white Moire Skirts, accordion pleated, July Sale..... 98c

Hot Weather Overshirts, linen, white pique, tucked and twills

For Cottage, Camp or Mansard

12 Sample Curtain Ends, July Sale..... 20c

7 pr Curtain Ends, Irish point, color, cream, coffee and white, per pair..... 75c

5 Curtain Ends, Brussels Net and Irish Point..... 50c

Fancy Curtain Cords and Tassels, Curtain Poles and Brass Rods, each 50c to..... 25c

18 Boys' or Girls' white and cream, Duck or Galates, Ties of Shavers, Sale half price, 15c to..... 25c

Children

For Lake-side, Erieau and Excursions.

18 Boys' Blouses, of pique, lawn Oxford linen or print, Sale..... Half Price

12 Boys' Suits, linen duck, pique or galates, Sale Half Price

10 Girls' Linen Sailor Suits, navy or light blue trimmed \$1.25 and..... \$1.40

4 Pique Suits, navy or red trimmed, July Sale Price \$1.49

13 Girls' Dresses, fancy percales and ginghams, neatly and variously trimmed, for July..... 50c up

Boys' Bathing Suits and Tights, All Sizes.

Boys' Ties and Braces, Sale price 10c and..... 12c

Boys' and Girls' strong black hose, 3 pr for 25c or each..... 10c

See our Hat Window at..... 75c

Babies Bonnets to clear at 15c, lace, fancy colored muslin and colors and white taffetas, about

Matchless Millinery—Our July Sale Sells.

25c to 75c. To close the season, Hat materials are white and cream muslins and colored lace, very elaborate trimming, light colors and white taffetas, about

of Grenadine and Mousselin de Soie. Leave your orders early if you please.

August Designer 10c. A Standard Fashion 60c.

Get Your August Standard Fashion Sheet.

HEAVY RAINS

Chatham Experiences a new Record for Deluges—River and Creek Rise.

Chatham is experiencing a small freshet to-day as a result of the recent heavy rains. The creek and the river have risen several feet and the water is running with quite a swift current. During the last four days we have had more rain than we have had in any four successive days this year. During the four days, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, over three inches of water fell on the level. Saturday was a record for the level. Saturday was a record for the level. Saturday was a record for the level.

On that day 2,056 tons of rain fell to the acre. On Thursday 474 tons fell, Friday 519, and Sunday 497, making a total of 2,566 tons of rain to the acre in four days. This record has not been beaten in years.

On the 29th of June we also had a heavy rain, 1,982 tons coming down to the acre. In the 2nd of July it amounted to 1,830 tons to the acre.

AN ELECTION

Laurier to Take Advantage of Prairial good Times and Appeal to Electorate.

Montreal, July 20.—An early appeal to the country by the Laurier Government is on the cards. That is the information which is allowed on the authority of a leading member of the Liberal party. The gentlemen in question, who is a Senator of the Dominion, a close friend of the Premier, and one of the leading Liberal organizers, gave the information to a party of Montreal Liberal workers, with the intimation that it would be a good idea to get to work. The official intimation, unless the Liberals change their tactics in the meantime, will be forthcoming on the return of Laurier and the other Ministers from Europe.

It is not expected by the Liberals that the colonial conference will have any practical results. Laurier will oppose any contribution to Imperial defence, and on his return to Canada the Liberals will appeal to the country for the endorsement of the Premier's action. The Liberals believe that with such an issue they can secure another lease of power. Tarte, the real organizer of the party's forces, favors this plan, as he foresees that the wave of prosperity is at its height, and that it will be easier to secure a favorable verdict now than in three years, when bad times may prevail.

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The Joke Will Turn.

Chauncey M. Depew and Samuel L. Clemens, the humorist, were crossing the ocean on the same steamer. One evening after dinner it was suggested that, following the time honored custom in the United States, the divers make speeches. Mr. Clemens made a characteristic address, such as might have been expected from one whose writings are so well known under the nom de plume of Mark Twain.

"It was understood," said Senator Depew when called upon to speak, "that Mr. Clemens and I should write out our speeches for this occasion in advance and then exchange manuscripts. We have done so, but I regret to say that I have forgotten Mr. Clemens' speech."

The senator then took his seat. His auditors roared in appreciation of the joke.

The next day an Englishman met Mr. Clemens on deck.

"I say," he remarked, "I have always heard that Senator Depew was remarkably clever, but what wretched drivell of his that would you were obliged to recite last night?"

Foundlings.

For the humanity of parents let it be said also that the police records show the percentage of foundlings increases in summer and decreases as regularly with the coming of winter. It is another interesting fact that hard times mean more foundlings, and this may be taken as a corroboration of the theory of one of the oldest and most humane captains in the police department, who would never believe that any infant was abandoned except for the reason that there were already too many mouths in the house to feed.

This particular police captain would look at the foundling when the patrolman brought it in from the post grant and then say: "Get it to the hospital quick. They can afford to feed it there. There's too many mouths in the house, where that