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## ABOUT OATMEAL.....

Mr. Dooley had been trying some "scientific oatmeal," and delivered himself in this way. "What kind of mush is this?" says I, taking a mouthful. "It's a kind of scientific oatmeal," says he. "Science," says I, has extracted the oatmeal. Pass the ink, says I. What do you want ink for? says he, who ever heard of eating blotting paper without ink," says I. To some extent, we agree with Mr. Dooley. Some of the "scientific foods" are about as dry as blotting paper, and we should think, about as nourishing. When you eat a breakfast food, why not eat something that you know is all right? There are a number of foods, that years of trial have proven good.

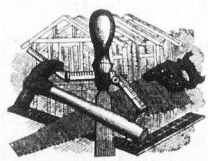
- PAN-DRIED ROLLED OATS,  
7 lbs. for 25c.
- BREAKFAST FOOD,  
6 lbs. for 25c.
- TILLSON'S OATS,  
10c. a package.
- QUAKER OATS,  
10c. a package.
- ROLLED WHEAT,  
7 lbs. for 25c.

H. Malcolmson

## AVOID COUGHS AND COLDS

COUGHS and COLDS are cured easier than they once were and to-day something can be done that once was an impossibility—a cold can be stopped in 24 hours. These troubles are becoming better understood and the remedies are being correspondingly improved. If threatened with cold or gripe, or if you have a cough, we can supply the latest and most effective remedies—have all of them and know what they are good for.

W. W. TURNER  
28 King St. Phone 221



## We Make Our Bow

To Planet readers in this issue and we assure you that if you will carefully read our ad., which we shall change daily, you will derive a great deal of benefit therefrom.

### YOU HAVE A STANDING INVITATION

To come and see us at any time. You will find our prices right, our stock strictly up-to-date, and our clerks courteous and attentive. Truly, a hard combination to beat, eh?

Why Not Let us Have Your Trade? We guarantee Satisfaction.

J. C. WANLESS  
4 Doors East Market.  
Phone 65.

CANNED GOODS...  
CORN, PEAS,  
TOMATOES, PORK AND BEANS,  
...FISH...  
A. B. SELVEY

DR. A. W. THORNTON  
DENTIST.  
has Removed to his New Office,  
Corner King and Fifth Streets,  
over A. I. McCall's Drug Store.  
TELEPHONE OFFICE 164.  
RESIDENCE 285.

## Local Briefs

Trip to California for 10 cents.  
Old Pipe or Tea Lead wanted at The Planet!

C. Austin was in London yesterday on business.

J. A. Wilson is confined to his home through illness.

S. M. Gardiner, of Valetta, was in the city on Saturday.

Chas. Gammage was the guest of Blenheim friends Sunday.

Best musical talent of Chatham in "A trip to California."

A. W. Finlin, of Merlin, was a Chatham visitor Sunday.

John Curtis was fined \$3 and costs, \$7 in all, for being drunk.

Joe Kenny, stationer, is confined to his home through illness.

Aubrey Forhan, of Wallaceburg, was in the city on Saturday.

James Gibson, of Bothwell, spent Saturday in the Maple City.

Fred and Harry Jordan spent Sunday with friends in Tilbury.

T. H. Edmonds, of Blenheim, was in the city Saturday on business.

Miss Lola Dunkley, of Ridgeway, spent Sunday at her home here.

Through the Royal Gorge Tuesday, 27th, at Park street church. 10 cents.

Henry Marshall has bought James D. Blackburn's property, Thames St.

Joe Hickey, of Merlin, spent Saturday and Sunday in the Maple City.

Miss Delmage, of Ridgeway, spent Sunday with Miss Lola Dunkley in this city.

Take a trip up Pike's Peak, 14,000 feet, on Tuesday night at Park street church.

Miss Addie Morris, of Patrolea, is the guest of Miss Ena Holmes, James street.

Picking oranges and lemons in California, Park street church, Tuesday, 27th.

The Watson Mfg. Co., of Paris, want a number of girls to work in their factory.

Miss Cramb, of Cedar Springs, is visiting Mrs. Wrigley, Elizabeth street.

W. H. Anderson left Sunday for Buffalo to accept a position in the Pere Marquette offices.

Will Shaw, of Toronto, is visiting at his home here. Will is head clerk in Eaton's grocery department.

Don't mistake it for an ordinary affair, because its 10 cents. Come and bring the family.

A man and his wife can secure employment at good wages by addressing Box 3, Blenheim, as advertised.

Frank Sharpe, formerly of the C. P. R. freight offices, has secured a position at the Grand Trunk offices.

Jack Alexander, of Toronto, is calling on his many Chatham friends. Mr. Alexander is an old Chatham boy.

Show your know how to appreciate a good thing by your attendance at Park street Tuesday night; admission 10 cents.

A team belonging to Caleb Wheeler ran away on Queen St. Saturday. The rig was upset and slightly broken. No one was hurt.

Mrs. Chas. Drewery left on Saturday for Winnipeg after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Malcolmson.

Mrs. Chauncey, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday en route to Detroit, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Johnson.

J. A. Bradshaw, of this city has secured a position as conductor on the Detroit electric railway, Woodward Ave. line. He spent Sunday with his family here.

C. I. Star Course No. 3—"A trip through the Prehistoric World," with 100 lime-light views, by Gilbert Smith on Friday, Jan. 30th. Reserve seats on Thursday or Friday. 6td

Word was received Sunday of the death of Thomas Oldershaw, who died at his home in Chicago, after a short illness. He died of consumption, aged 28 years and nine months.

At the evening service at Holy Trinity Church, Sunday, a quartette, composed of Misses Rose and Stegman and Messrs. Ed. Bell and W. S. Ball, sang "Behold Me Standing at the Door." Miss Stegman also sang a solo, "Now the Day is Over."

The infant son of Alvin Snell, Wellington St., died Sunday morning. The little boy was the third child, and his death came quite unexpectedly.

The parents have the sympathy of their many friends. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at two o'clock at the Maple Leaf Cemetery.



MORLEY & CO., TAILORS  
KING STREET CHATHAM

Chatham Millinery Store!  
For This Week we are giving extra Bargains.  
READY - MADE HATS,  
50 CENTS.  
—A few only. Bonnets for Ladies, in Velvet, Jet Silk and Ribbon.  
Selling to Clear at \$1.50.

COOKSLEY'S  
Opposite the Market Square.

DON'T FORGET that we have always in stock a full range in all kinds of Fancy Wool, Silk, Linen and Cotton Floss. All kinds of Cushion Covers, all kinds of Baby Clothing, Headwear, &c. Latest styles in Ladies' Smallwear and Underwear. Every crocheting, wools, &c., at most reasonable prices.

WELDON'S,  
KING ST. Next to Malcolmson's.

7,000 mile trip for 10 cents.  
Rev. Mr. Tucker, of British Columbia, preached an excellent sermon in Christ Church Sunday morning.

The City Clerk was busy yesterday in conjunction with the City Solicitor preparing a by-law for the numbering of the houses in this city. The by-law will be in accordance with a plan laid out by City Engineer Jones for the systematic numbering of the houses. The statute gives the City Council power to pass a by-law providing for the numbering of the houses and to charge the expense up to the owners of the property.

THEORIES ABOUT CATARRH  
Peculiar Ideas Regarding a common Disease

Mark Twain's cure for a cold in the head was simple, but he claims very effective in his own case; his remedy was to eat nothing whatever for twenty-four hours or presumably until the trouble had disappeared.

Although not able to speak from personal experience as to the effectiveness of this treatment, it certainly has the merit of extreme economy, but it occurs to us that the application of it to a case of nasal catarrh might be attended with difficulties.

Catarrh, as everyone knows, is a chronic cold in the head and Mr. Twain's treatment, if it should become a fact, would mean of us a nation of fasters; an army, emulating the example of the immortal Tanager who achieved world-wide fame by fasting forty days.

Catarrh is certainly becoming a national disease and there is little doubt but that that sort of catarrh, particularly over eating is a very common cause.

Most people however are more interested in the cure of the trouble than in the cause, and modern medical science has produced more effective and less heroic remedies than Mr. Twain's.

Hydrastin is a new remedy, very effective in some forms of Catarrh. Red Gum is another which on account of its antiseptic properties is very valuable. While many cases of Catarrh have been entirely cured by the sanguinaria or extract of Blood root alone.

Within a year an enterprising chemist has combined all of these remedies in tablet form, palatable and convenient and the superior effect of these tablets over other catarrh remedies is so apparent that all druggists now carry them in stock to supply the popular demand.

They are called Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and it is doubtful if any medicine has achieved a national popularity in a time as this.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are used by thousands of traveling men because they can be carried in the pocket and used any time and in any quantity, being free from Cocaine, opiate or any poisonous drug.

They clear the head and throat from the disgusting secretions of catarrh, very often in a few hours time.

For nasal Catarrh they are far superior to any wash, lotion or ointment, the use of which is often an inconvenient and annoying as the disease itself.

For coughs, colds, bronchial catarrh and catarrh of stomach these tablets give immediate relief and a permanent cure, where lotions, douches and inhalers make no impression whatever.

This preparation is a boon to catarrh sufferers and any druggist will tell you that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is a remedy that has come to stay.

Two SIDES...  
to every story, of course, but there is a story to be said in favor of our goods, our methods, our workmanship and our prices and very little, if anything, against them.

HIGH CLASS TAILORING,  
thoroughly reliable goods and superior fit and finish are the points upon which we bid for your patronage

# GORDON CONTINUED INVENTORY SALE

WILL CLOSE WITH THE MONTH. See more BARGAINS added for this week

Specials in Men's Odd Winter Vests, fleece, all wool and union, 50c, 60c and 75c goods, sale 38c each.

Specials in Shaker Flannels, Inventory Sale 40, 50, 70c yard.

Our 10c Novelty Wrapperettes, Inventory Sale to clear 8c yard.

12 1/2c Mercerized Chintz, warranted fast colors, to clear 6 1/4c yard.

Embroidery Sale continues—one third off regular prices, 4c, 5c, 7c, to 15c yard.

Ladies' black merized Petticoats, one-third off regular prices, \$1.00, 1.50 and 2.00.

15c Linen Towels, over a yard long, 10c each.

50c 1 1/4 yards long, hemstitched, 25c each.

White and cream Turkish Bath Towels, 2 for 25c.

Ladies' Irish Frieze Dress Skirt, corded and satin trimmed, \$5.00.

Ladies' heavy Frieze Dress Skirts, just in, \$2 48.

Ladies' black cloth, new slot seam Skirts, \$5.00.

\$2.00 Golf Cloakings, Inventory Sale price \$1 00 yard.

## WINTER MILLINERY SALE

12 Ladies' Trimmed Hats, regular \$3.50 and 4.00, at \$1.25 each.

The balance of all our Felt Shapes at 75c each.

Our Children's Flops to clear, 50c each.

STANDARD FASHION SHEETS FOR FEBRUARY

WILLIAM GORDON

STANDARD FASHIONED PATTERNS FOR SPRING

Oscar Roe has accepted a position at the Wheel Works.

Geo. Bowers and Peter McCall have arrived at the Wheel Works from St. Catharines.

Wm. Bartlett, of Detroit; Joseph Bartlett, of Walkerville, and Andrew Patterson and wife, of Detroit, are in the city to attend the funeral of the late Robt. Bartlett.

Frank Dunkley sang the solo parts in the Te Deum given in Christ Church Sunday morning. In the evening, an anthem, "O Magnify the Lord," was given, with the solo parts taken by Miss Lucy McKellar.

Judge Houston lost his horse Sunday. He had driven out to his brother John's and had no sooner arrived than the Judge's favorite dropped dead. Early degeneration of the heart is supposed to have been the cause. The Judge thought a lot of the horse. He bought it when two years old, paying \$150 for it, and has had the horse ever since.

Baker Thomas Martin says that he would like to see Chatham have a raising Old Boys' Celebration this summer, but after citizens have contributed six hundred dollars and the Council have made a substantial grant, Mr. Martin doesn't particularly desire to see the proceeds used up on a champagne supper for a few of the select.

That Mr. Brown wants to bore for gas," said veteran politician Thos. Martin, "he can come over and bore on my lot and I won't charge him anything if he doesn't find any gas. There is gas there, I know. When I put down the well on my place we struck quite a strong flow of gas. We used to light it and the flames would reach four feet above the ground. There is another thing about my well that makes me believe it is a valuable well. Often after the water from the well had been emptied from the pail, I noticed little yellow particles in the bottom of the pail. I collected some of these one day and took them over to E. J. MacIntyre. Mr. MacIntyre tried the acid test and then pronounced the particles gold. I never thought that there was enough gold in the well to make the sinking of a shaft profitable."

Results from common soaps: eczema, coarse hands, ragged clothes, shrunken flannels.

## SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE

Ask for the Octagon Bar

## EVENING OF MUSIC AND TRAVEL

Park St. Church To-night.

### PROGRAMME.

Anthem, "Hallelujah Chorus" — Park St. Choir.

Solo, Selected—Miss Edith Dolsen.

Travel Talk, "Colorado Scenery and Pike's Peak"—Rev. G. H. Cobblecliek.

Solo, "The Ninety and Nine"—Mr. W. H. Brackin.

Piano Solo, "Hark! Hark! the Lark"—Miss Flossie Bogart.

Solo, "Selection from Faust," Gounod —Miss Somerville. (Violin obligato by Mr. Brackin.)

Travel Talk, "A 20,000 Delegate Convention"—Rev. G. H. Cobblecliek.

Quartette, "Lead, Kindly Light"—St. Andrew's Quartette.

Solo, "Out on the Deep"—Mr. Gilliland.

Travel Talk, "Sunny California"—Rev. G. H. Cobblecliek.

Musical Selection.

Chairman—Mayor McKeough.

Admission, 10 cents.

Minard's Liniment — Lumberman's Friend.

### WANTED.

WANTED—Wood choppers on a lot adjoining Bothwell. C. Reid.

WANTED—To exchange lumber for a few heavy, sound young horses. Apply J. L. Scott & Son, Lumbermen, Thames street, city. tf

WANTED—Competent men to appoint agents whole or spare time. Commission paid. Apply John Doyle, Drawer 531, London.

WANTED—Well drilling apparatus, such as is being used in Raleigh is wanted. Write, stating particulars and price. W. J. Burroughs, Blenheim. 10t

WANTED — Housekeeper for the country. Man and wife without incumbrance; good wages and home to right party. Address Box 3, Blenheim, or apply at this office. 10td

### FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

TO RENT—House on Grant street. Apply to Thomas Scullard, Victoria Block. tf

FOR SALE—Gas engines — two seven horse power. Apply at The Planet Office. tf

FOR SALE—Double barreled breech loading Shotgun, 12 gauge, English make, case, cleaning rod, etc. A. G. McKay, Planet Office.

FOR SALE—Cheap—Factory 48 by 50, with annex 16 by 22. Must be removed at an early date. J. Piggott & Sons. 10t

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., and six lots on Maple St. Apply to Mrs. Tiesman, Victoria Block, or The Planet. tf

FOR SALE—Delaware fruit and stock farms, healthy climate, mild winters, good markets, productive land. Catalogue free. J. R. McGonigal, Dover, Del. 1m

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—House, now occupied by Mrs. Wemp, Wellington St. West. Suitable for boarding house or for any family requiring house with plenty of rooms. Modern conveniences. Apply to W. B. Rispin 1 1/2 King St. tf

FARM TO RENT—100 acres, Lot 16, Con. 12, Dover, good farm house, barns, stables and plenty of water. Also 50 acres, Lot 15, Con. 13, Dover, small house and good water. Will be rented on reasonable terms, possession in spring. For full particulars apply to or address John Doyle, Mitchell's Bay, or on Lot 16.

AGENTS—Can Make Fifty to One Hundred Dollars weekly in selling the most useful of all inventions, the new "house telephone." Every storekeeper, householder, and office needs them. Most simple; anyone can attach them to existing bell wires; talks any distance up to five miles, and costs only \$2.50 each; sells on sight. Address for territory, The "Metaphone" Company, 42 King St. West, Toronto, Sole Agents for Canada.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Friday, Jan. 30

Manager F. H. Briscoe announces the engagement of

MR. WILLIAM OWEN  
accompanied by J. W. McCONNELL  
and a competent staff of

20-COMEDY PLAYERS-20

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THE SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL

TOUR DIRECTED BY MARTIN SHEEHY

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Ask for Minard's and take no other.

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Surgeon, Oculist and Specialist, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

will be at Chatham, Saturday, Jan. 24th, Saturday, Feb. 28th, Saturday, Mar. 28th, Saturday, Apr. 25th, Saturday, May 20th, Saturday, June 27th, 1903. Glasses properly fitted. Office at RAULEY'S Drug Store.

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Leave your order with us for the following goods, 4 days' sale.

6 lbs. English Rice, fine, 25c.

5 lbs. Tapioca 25c.

4 lbs. new Prunes 25c.

5 lbs. Cooking Figs 25c.

7 lb. pails Jam 48c.

Sunlight Baking Powder 10c. lb. can.

Ginger Snaps, 6c.

Dried Peaches,

Coffee, fresh ground, 15c, 20c, 25c and 40c. lb.

Great value in Teas.

Are you looking for crockery, a Dinner, Tea or Chamber Set? Don't purchase until you have seen our goods and the prices. A fine lot of China for wedding and Birthday presents selling at 90c. on the \$1. The above are cash prices.

John McConnell PARK STREET

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