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### Fresh Baltimore Oysters at RICHARDS'

### G. W. Cornell DENTIST

Cor. 6th and King Streets Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

### Births, Marriages and Deaths.

#### DEAD.

**NEWBURY**—At the Tecumseh House, Chatham, on Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30, William J., only remaining son of Mrs. Wm. Newbury, aged 19 years. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 sharp, to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

#### TO-NIGHT.

Victor Carter's Said Pasha rehearsal at 7.30.

The C. E. of St. Andrew's Church at 8 o'clock.

Court Kent, No. 304, in their hall, I. O. O. F. block, at 8.

A. O. U. W., in their Hall over Public Library, 8 o'clock.

Victoria Ave. Methodist Church Epworth League, 8 o'clock.

S. T. Ford, humorist and impersonator, in recitals and readings, Park St. Methodist Church, 8 o'clock.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

G. E. Sales, of Merlin, spent yesterday in the city.

William Peat, of Merlin, was in the city yesterday.

H. M. Farrow, of Windsor, was in the city yesterday.

James Robinson, of Tupperville, was in the city yesterday.

M. Houston is in Blenheim to-day, attending Division Court.

James McFarlane, of Thamesville, was in the city yesterday.

Will Robinson has returned from a trip to the Pan-American.

D. F. McRae, of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

The carpenters are pushing the work on the mineral bath house very rapidly.

Thomas Dege, of Detroit, is the guest of his brother, J. Dege, Joseph street.

Inspector Colles paid a visit to the Model school to-day and delivered an address.

Mrs. James Flynn and Mrs. William Marshall, of this city, were in Fletcher yesterday.

November 1st, All Saints' Day, was commemorated with services in St. Joseph's Church.

Joseph Meloche, of Charing Cross, was in the city to-day en route home from the Northwest. Mr. Meloche has been in Manitoba since the 1st of October working in the harvest fields. He reports that there are still lots of men and lots of work. The harvest will last for six weeks yet.

## Glasses Versus Powders

Nostrums never did and never will cure a headache—if the headache is caused by eyestrain or some kindred affection. We know people who have taken headache powders for years, with only the most trifling, temporary relief—and who have found permanent benefit in ten minutes by wearing properly fitting glasses.

No matter what is wrong with your eyes, see us.

Examination and advice free.

**A. I. McCall & Co.,** Druggists and Opticians

### VISITS HOME

Dominion Land Surveyor O'Hara is in the Maple City for a Few Days.

W. F. O'Hara, Dominion Land Surveyor, blew in last night—as he himself expressed it. Mr. O'Hara has been in the employ of the Dominion Government all summer surveying the international boundary line between British Columbia and Washington State.

"I put in the hardest summer's work of any season yet," said Mr. O'Hara. "It was certainly rough, perhaps enjoyable, to look back at but not agreeable to undergo. It will take at least a year to complete the work of surveying the boundary. The country along the dividing line through the mountains contains many plateaus, level, fertile and settled. In other parts there is heavy timber but railways will be required before the timber can be lifted."

Mr. O'Hara is looking well and healthy. His stay in the city will be brief.

### MYSTERIOUS

Stranger Visitor in Search of Change for Bill—Believed to be Counterfeiter.

A rather tall, well-built young man, of good appearance, with dark tweed suit and black slouch hat, came down Queen street last evening, presumably from the G. T. R. station and sauntered into Willard McKay's candy store.

He asked for a nickel's worth of candy. In exchange he threw on the counter a crisp five dollar Bank of Montreal note. Mrs. McKay, being dubious about changing it, called Mr. McKay, who examined the note and handed it back to the gentleman saying he did not want it. The man explained that it was the smallest money he had, in what Mr. McKay thought was a very clumsy manner.

He became suspicious and went out, looking back now and then, and went into C. E. Cuyler's shop, near the C. P. R. track, soliciting change for the bill. Mr. Cuyler could not oblige him, but directed him to grocery stores, where he could get it changed.

The stranger went to Wm. Potter's but did not show his money, just asking if he could get the bill changed. The reply was that he could secure it in silver, but the man replied that he wanted it in bills.

Soon after he returned to Mr. Cuyler's and said he had received the change and asked where a certain house was. He was told and he went to it. Mr. McKay is sure that the money was bogus, and that the fellow had quite a bunch, all of which looked the same.

The police are investigating.

### HALLOWE'EN

Kind Weather man Depended Order of Mischief Makers and Saved House: Housers Annoyed.

The unkind weather man wet down the city last evening and put a dampener on the many frolics premeditated by the younger generation of the Maple City. Many were the grateful expressions given vent to by the owners of gates, etc., that the weather had been of such a nature as to keep the boys within doors and bounds. Nevertheless a few pranks were indulged in by the boys.

Residents in the vicinity of Park street were surprised this morning to see the Methodist church offered for sale by Andrew Hayward. They were inclined to smile till it suddenly dawned that last night was Halloween.

The delivery wagon of Darwin Pelette was run down Edgar street, and the wheels removed. This last was a senseless piece of foolishness.

A sail barrel was seen rolling down King street, and John Hendershot was rolling it either and there was no fire. Some boys were the motive power.

Strange fruit grew on the trees near First street. The residents of that street woke up to find gates growing on their trees.

Two mischievous lads were stopped by one irate householder at the point of a pistol. The boys had just secured the gate of the pistol-point and were making off with it when they were stopped.

There were a few cabbagees scattered throughout the city and some door steps needed cleaning in consequence.

### FIRE ALARMS.

The following is the Fire Hall record for the past month:

Oct. 6.—Telephone alarm, Mrs. Phil Lipp, Joseph street.

Oct. 20.—Still alarm, James Anderson's, Barthe street.

Oct. 21.—Tower alarm, gas house.

Oct. 30.—Telephone alarm, burning fire from residence of Mr. Sheldrick, Raleigh street.

### For Rent

A comfortable home on St. George St., 10 rooms, cellar, waterworks, garden and fruit trees, \$8.50 per month.

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Money to Loan. Insurance. 113 King Street. Phone 297. Box 684.



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A good thing; nor are the women backward in that respect either. That's one reason why the

### FINGER PURSE

Has attained so much popularity. We have a beautifully made Purse in real seal at the special price of \$1.00; that is rare value. Ask to see it.

**DINGMAN, KING ST.**

### AS BOUNCER

Mayor Sulman wasn't terrified by Red Coat or Swedish and Middle Man Came off Second Best.

It is very seldom that a person hears of a British soldier being defeated in battle, but unfortunately such things do happen occasionally when the soldier is off duty—at least a certain rank clerk in the city, who adorns the ranks of the 24th Kent Regiment has reason to think so, and his beliefs along this line are undoubtedly well founded.

It happened in this way. Of course he attended drill last night, in fact he is always on hand on drill nights, very punctual and apt young soldier. He evidently likes the work but now he, no doubt, feels like singing, "A Soldier's lot is not a happy one."

After drill it is said he went out with the boys. One of the crowd casually mentioned the fact that it was Halloween night. This, of course, led to the desire to have some fun.

Meanwhile the Macabees were holding their initiatory work in Northwood's hall. One of "the boys" were a Macabee cap. Seeing this the brilliant young defender of the peace was struck with an excellent idea. He would don the cap and enter the hall and see what was going on. It would be well here to mention that this particular young gentleman is not a Macabee. He accordingly put his thought into action and walked boldly up the stairs to the hall. He knocked at the door, and when it was opened he pushed his way in. The last part of the act, however, was noticed by our worthy Mayor, who is one of the "Big Boys." He approached the soldier and enquired into the reason of the visit. The soldier promptly pointed to the cap he was wearing and said, "I'm a Macabee."

Knowing this to be inaccurate the Mayor became wrathful and ordered the other out of the room. He still lingered, however, and the Mayor promptly and somewhat roughly aided him in his exit. Before the worthy "warrior" had time to reach for his trusty sword, or even collect his thoughts, he was travelling at a somewhat uncomfortably rapid pace down the first flight of stairs—and he didn't try his Halloween trick again.

### CITY'S INTERESTS

Chief Young Makes a Sagacious Amendment to Police Court Informations to Keep Money Here.

Because the county auditors objected to paying the fees of the crown attorney for the prosecution of the cases against houses of ill repute, many things happened.

In the first place the crown attorney wrote the Government wanting his fees. The Government assured the prosecutor that he should have his fees out of the moneys collected, but the rest of the fines should all go to the Government.

Judge Houston wrote to the Government, too, in the interests of the city, seeking to secure a share of these fines for the city. The Government replied that all fines from the prosecution of houses of that character should be paid to the Government, but as certain accounts had to be paid by the city, the Government was willing to refund \$50 from the fines paid in July by the women arrested in houses of ill fame.

Chief Young, on learning that all this money was going to the Government, decided that it had better be kept in the civic coffers, so that in the last cases that came up in Police Court the charges were laid under the civic by-law, and the fines, amounting to \$100, have been paid into the city treasury and will there remain.

### CHILD'S BURNS FATAL.

Guelph, Oct. 31.—Last night a little son of Mr. L. H. Walker arose from his bed, and while standing beside a grate fire, his nightshirt was ignited. When assistance arrived the child had been so badly burned that it was impossible to save his life. He died this morning. Mr. Walker was in Muskoka at the time of the accident, and did not reach the city until after his son had expired.

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## This Vast Merchandise

Assembly grows broader daily. The season's maximum fulness of stock culminates just about the first of November. The best time for the purchasing of merchandise for the winter season is the IMMEDIATE NOW.

If new garments are to give a full season's service including the most gratifying time of wear, they should be purchased by November first, or as nearly there-to as possible.

The same is true of Furnishings for the Home. Just now stocks are at their very best, selection is broadest. Choicest goods in every line are now presented—many of course not to be had later on.

A dozen reasons point to the value of buying to-day, a dozen, and many more than a dozen point to the satisfaction of buying at C. AUSTIN & CO'S.

### Dress Goods and Dress Goods Prices

#### NEW COVERT SUITINGS—

54 inches wide, in every new and wanted shade, special weight for tailored suits, at per yard \$8.00

#### NEW WOOL FRIEZE—

54 inches wide, in black, navy, grey and brown, special weight for unlined skirt, at per yard 75c

#### NEW ENGLISH CHEVIOTS—

54 inches wide, in black, navy, fawn, brown and grey, wear and color guaranteed, at per yard \$1.00

#### NEW BOX CLOTH—

Rich covert finish, all pure wool, in all wanted shades for stylish costumes 42 inches wide, at per yard 50c

#### NEW COATING SERGES—

In black and navy, a full range of large, medium, and "small" wales, widths from 42 to 56 inches wide, prices, per yard, 30c, 40c, 50c to \$1.25

#### NEW BLACK HENRIETTES—

In silk and velours finish, mid, jet, or blue black. We have these goods at all prices, but show a special 46 inch cloth at per yard 75c

### Flannelettes and Wrapperettes

We make special mention of some extraordinary values in NEW SHAKER FLANNELS and WRAPPERETTES, which we have just put in stock.

#### 10c. SHAKER FLANNELS

For 8c. yard, one case, 29 pieces fancy light and dark colored striped flannelettes, choice colorings, 34 in. wide, very heavy make, special 8c. yard.

#### DARK CHECKED SHAKERS

For 7 1-2c. yard, 10 patterns, new dark shaker flannels, in small fancy checks, suitable for quilt linings, etc., per yard 7 1-2c. yard.

We have a good dark flannelette to show you at 5c. yard.

#### PLAIN COLORED SHAKERS

Our stock and assortment of prices and qualities were never better than now. We have them in pinks, blues, white and cream, at 5c, 6c, 8c, 1-2c, 10c and 12 1-2c. yard.

See the special American Saxony flannel we are showing; the quality is extra good. The finest is just like pure wool. White only at just like 8 1-2c, 10c and 12 1-2c.

#### SHIRTING CHECKS.

At 10c and 12 1-2c. yard. Just in, 15 pieces of fancy light checked shirting flannelettes, in pink and blue colorings; particularly nice for boys' and men's fine shirts, also for children's dresses, at per yard, 10c and 12 1-2c.

### New Wrapperettes

12 1-2c value for 10c

16 pieces new Cashmere Finish Wrapperettes, in cardinal, navy, and light blue grounds, with plain or cluster polka dot designs, also a number of fancy stripes and floral effects, perfectly fast colors; regular 12 1-2c values, while they last, per yard 10c

#### RIGA FLEECE

The new shirt waist flannel. A very choice collection of fancy stripes and paisley effects, in beautiful colorings. This cloth looks just like French flannels that you pay 45c and 50c, a yard. For 12 1-2c yard

#### AT 10c. AND 12 1-2c YARD

You may travel all over the city looking for a nice pattern for a child's dress or ladies' wrapper, but if you come to the Bargain Centre you can have your wants supplied without any further trouble, as we have one of the largest and best assorted stocks of wrapperettes in Chatham. Come and see for yourself. The prices are 10c and 12 1-2c yard

#### ANTOINETTE FLANNELS—

At 18c yard. A correct imitation of French flannel in a very choice range of Paisley patterns, and fancy stripes extra heavy quality, per yard 18c.

### CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

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Saturday, November 2nd will be

## Special Selling of Men's Suits

WE START NOVEMBER with a special sale of Men's Suits with a full assortment to select from. The story is short and quickly told—

LITTLE TALK, BIG VALUES, ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR ECONOMIC SHOPPERS

Prices that will never make us rich.

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#### MEN'S SOLID TWEED SUITS AT \$3.95—

Made from honest wearing Tweeds, nice grey effects, double breasted sack coats, are worth \$5.00 of any man's money, sizes 36 to 42.

#### MEN'S GENTLE PATTERN TWEED SUITS AT \$5.00—

In neat black and white checks, very dressy, in single and double breasted coats, French facings, good weight, wearers, all sizes, 34 to 44. Are regular values at \$7.50.

#### MEN'S EXTRA HEAVY TWEED SUITS \$7.50—

Made from heavy all wool Tweeds, neat grey checks, overplaid and plain greys, single and double breasted coats, wide facings, serviceable linings, are the best values you ever saw, all sizes, 34 to 44.

#### MEN'S BLUE WORSTED SERGE SUITS AT \$7.50—

Made from Solid Worsted Blue Serges, single and double breasted coats, dressy and noted for wear, special at \$7.50.

Sizes 34 to 44.

#### MEN'S SWELL PATTERN WORSTED SUITS AT \$10.00—

In nobby overplaid and neat checks, made from solid worsteds, grey and blue effects, single and double breasted coats and vests, made either way, wearers, very dressy, sizes 34 to 42.

#### MEN'S PURE BOTANY WORSTED BLUE SERGES, AT \$10.00.

In fine close wale, also heavy wide wale, extra quality, single and double breasted coats and vests, made either way, business like, noted for wear, Sizes, 34 to 44. The can be handsomely made.

#### MEN'S NOBBY PATTERN WORSTED SUITS, AT \$12.00.

In Very pretty grey overplaid, fine quality, solid worsteds, handsome make, No. 1 trimmings, gentel and very dressy, single breast coat and double breast vest; sizes 34 to 44.

#### MEN'S BLACK WORSTED SUITS—

Made from fine close twills, extra quality, in single, double and skirt coat styles, best make and lined, a genuine tailor made garment, \$18 to \$22, here at \$10.00 and \$13.00.

## 15c. A BIG SNAP IN SILK NECKTIES SATURDAY.

We have displayed in our Clothing Department, 50 dozen silk neckties in KNOTS, FOUR-IN-HANDS, BOWS and FLOWN ENDS, Regular 25c qualities, your choice on Saturday, 15c.

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