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Garden Rakes at 25c, 35c and 50c.  
Spades and Shovels at 75c, 90c and \$1.00.  
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S. W. P. The world's best Paint in all shades and colors.

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Up-to-the-minute Hardware House  
Chatham.

## G. W. Cornell DENTIST

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

## Maple Sugar

We have the genuine Quebec Sugar,  
guaranteed pure. Come in and buy it.  
15c per pound.  
Broad delivered to any part of city.

## W. S. Richards, Kent Bakery 'Phone 186

### PROBABILITIES.

#### Special to The Planet.

Toronto, April 7.—10 a. m. — Unsettled, with occasional showers, followed by northerly winds and colder. Tuesday, strong northwesterly winds, very cold, with light local snowfalls.

The following figures were registered to-day at noon at Turner & Platt's weather bureau:  
Barometer 29.30.  
Thermometer 36.  
Lowest yesterday 53.  
Direction of wind, southwest.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Rev. Dr. Hannon, is in Toronto. Matthew Wilson, K. C., is in Windsor to-day.

Dr. John Seane leaves this afternoon for Montreal.

Peter Hungerford, of London, was a Chatham visitor to-day.

J. W. Campbell, of Stewart, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Jas. Ross, of Tilbury is in the city to-day, shipping a car of cattle.

Frank Roberts of Wallaceburg, spent Saturday with friends in the city.

Miss M. Tilley and Mrs. Tilley, of Leamington, were guests in the city yesterday.

Miss Bessie Langford, of Kent Bridge, is visiting friends and relatives at Bridge End, Harwich.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brackin returned on Saturday night from a week's holiday spent in Toronto.

Hubert Robert, is home from Sandwich College, attending the funeral of his sister the late Mrs. Daniel.

Miss Mabel Neilson, River Road, Harwich, returned Saturday to take charge of her school in Vienna, Ont.

Mrs. Ed. Taylor and four children left last evening for Chicago. They were the recipients of many gifts on their departure.

Bert Cousins left last evening for Cranbrook, B. C., where he has accepted a position as operator on the Canadian Pacific R. R.

### ARE YOU HOMELESS?

We have dozens of houses and lots for sale, and during April, the month of moving, we are prepared to offer a bargain to anyone wishing to buy a home. If you desire a small house, a medium sized house or a large house we can satisfy you. Our list is the largest and best in the city. After you have bought, or if you already own a house, we will insure it for you at a very low rate. The cost is so small that anyone is very foolish to be without fire insurance.

### DUNN & MERRITT.

Fire, Life and Accident Insurance.

Office, Fifth Street, next to Old Post Office.

Phone 295. Box 52.

## PERFUME !!

### LIST OF OUR ODORS IN BULK

4 Roses,  
Pa. France Rose,  
Moss Rose,  
Empress Rose,  
Rose Geranium,  
Wild Rose,  
White Rose,  
Floradora,  
Violet Royal,  
English Hedge Violet,  
Valley Violet,  
Carina Violets,  
Vera Violets,  
Pink Peony,  
Orange Blossom,

Crab Apple Blossom,  
Swiss Heliotrope,  
Heliotrope,  
Carnation Pink,  
Pau D'Espagne,  
Indian Hay,  
Blue Lilies,  
Gardenia,  
Locust Flowers,  
Musk,  
Southern Lilies,  
Jockey Club,  
Vioris,  
Ideal Bouquet,  
May Anderson.

A. I. McCall & Co., Limited  
DRUGGISTS

A. F. McLeod is in Stoney Point to-day.

Peter McNaughton is in Northwood to-day.

Frank Tschirhart has returned from Detroit.

Miss Dorothy Sheldon spent Saturday in Blenheim.

Percy Keenan has returned from visiting in Detroit.

O'Brien Bros. made a shipment of tobacco to Europe to-day.

The civic Waterworks Dept. are asking for tenders for coal.

James Keeley, of the S. Hadley Co., is in Wallaceburg on business.

Dr. J. McKenny spent yesterday with friends in Wallaceburg.

Miss A. Mounteer has returned from visiting friends in Ridgeway.

Fred Oldershaw left this morning for Northwood, where he is working.

Miss Colles left to-day for Thamesville to resume her duties at her school.

Will Tait, of the G. T. R. freight office, leaves to-day for Buffalo, where he has secured an excellent position.

The case against the seven-year-old lad charged with arson, was adjourned for a week. The boy pleaded not guilty.

The dredge Ontario, of the Chatham Dredging Company, is here undergoing repairs. McKenough & Trotter are doing the work.

Miss Edith Weir leaves to-night for Victoria, B. C., where she will join Mrs. E. A. Hutchinson, widow of the late editor of The Planet.

James McLean, St. Clair street, who has been working in Dresden, had the misfortune Saturday night to run a rusty nail in his foot. He will be laid up for a few days.

A nephew of Frank Sutor, Raleigh, was taken to a doctor's office, where he shortly recovered. He had become fatigued from driving some cattle.

Frank, Fred and Samuel Sutor, of Raleigh, brought a lot of fine cattle into the city to-day and sold them to Henry & Cutts, of Toronto. The cattle averaged 1,450 lbs. per head, and the lot brought \$1,525.

Rev. Mr. McClintock, a retired Presbyterian Church minister, occupied the pulpit in the Park St. Methodist Church yesterday. Dr. Hannon is in Toronto attending the meeting of the stationing committee of the various conferences.

## FELL FIGHTING

Old Member of Chatham Football Club Lost his Life in Battle of Hart's River.

A partial list of the Canadian casualties received by a section of Hart's River, received by the Governor-General, has a melancholy interest for Chatham in that it records the name of Chas. N. Evans, of Port Hope, among the killed.

Mr. Evans was engaged by the Chatham School Board in 1897 as model school teacher, in conjunction with T. C. Smith, and he made many friends here during the short time he was in the city.

He was a splendid athlete and entered heartily into the Y. M. C. A. sports then in progress in the city. He was also a valued member of the Chatham Football Club that season and will be remembered by his colleagues as scoring for them the winning goal against Detroit in the Peninsular Football League series that season.

The deceased enlisted for service at London.

James Kendall, the Chatham man engaged to marry Miss Mary, unfortunately escaped without injury.

Kendall and Evans have been chums together since going to South Africa.

## BINDER TWINE CO.

A meeting of the directors of the Chatham Binder Twine Co. was held Saturday evening in the company's office. A settlement was arrived at with the promoters, Messrs. Henderson and Cummings. The twine on hand is being sold as rapidly as possible. About half of it has been sold. Manufacturers have increased the price of twine half a cent a pound.

At a previous meeting the by-law limiting the amount of stock to be carried by a director to 50 shares was changed from 100 to 50 shares, but has now been changed back to 100. A number of other by-laws were also amended.

## SUCCESSFUL SALE

The Ladies Guild of Christ Church has, during the past few days, been holding a sale of home-made cooking and fancy articles on King street.

These energetic ladies have just had their church equipped with an electric lighting system, and contemplated this bazaar to help defray the necessarily great expense occasioned thereby.

From the pretty display of dainty nonsense and epicurean delights over \$71 was realized, and it is a source of great satisfaction that their thrift and energy has met its due reward.

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They desire to thank all the contributors to their sale, and also Mr. H. Westman and his staff, who kindly attended to the heating of the premises.

## DR. RUSSELL DENTIST.

Cor. King & 5th Sts., over Merchants Bank  
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Evening Appointments Made

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The choicest productions of American and Canadian wall paper makers are here for your selection.

New Designs

New Colorings

Exclusive Patterns

Low Prices.

If you have any thought of papering do not neglect to see our line.

## DINGMAN'S BOOK STORE.

## Canned Corn

Have you had some of our canned corn that we are selling so cheap, four cans for 25c., and the quality is A. 1. We have sold a great quantity of this corn, and yet have to hear a complaint. Now if you are thinking of buying

### Buy Now

We sold 13 cases of it on Saturday and might say as a warning, that it will be impossible to get any more to sell at this low price. Four cans for 25c.

### While it Lasts

Choice Dry Potatoes,  
Good Cabbage,  
and  
Fresh Lettuce.

## Geo. A Young

Our Grocer

'Phone 151

## MANGOLDS FOR SALE

Milkmen and Others!  
Several tons of choice mangolds for sale. Apply to S. Fisher, Box 445, Chatham. 101

## BAD FALL

Harvey, the young son of Postmaster Samuel Barfoot, met with a very serious accident while playing in the gymnasium at the Collegiate Institute this morning during the recess hour. He was performing on the horizontal bar, when he fell, alighting on his head. He was rendered unconscious, and Mr. Barfoot and a physician were summoned. He regained consciousness but is still in a very bad condition.

## LAKE ERIE CHANGES

General Manager Woollett, Chief Engineer Owen McKay and General Agent Tillson, of the Lake Erie & Detroit River Railway, were in Wallaceburg on Saturday looking over the ground for the proposed new route. The special with the officials on board passed through Chatham at nine o'clock on Saturday.

It is proposed by the company to change the route of the tracks at Chatham and Wallaceburg and Sonabro, Dresden, Wallaceburg and Sonabro, with a view to doing away with the curves and straighten the line. This change has been in contemplation by the railroad company for some time.

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The change will make a great improvement to the line and a lot of awkward bends will be got rid of.

Chatham's Greatest Store | C. AUSTIN, & CO. | Chatham's Cheapest Store

# Beautiful Wash Goods New Arrivals This Week....

The handsomest collection of EXCLUSIVE NOVELTIES in Summer Wash Fabrics that we have ever shown is now here and an equal showing is not to be found elsewhere. The smartest ideas of French and American makers are assembled in an assortment that will interest the most fastidious taste.

### Some of the New Lines:

I.—Windsor Pappillon—A beautiful fine muslin for waists and dresses, in an excellent assortment of patterns and colorings. These goods are shown in all the best stores in the large cities. Per yard	25c.
II.—Toile de Soie—One of the very latest American wash novelties, fine silky finish in colors of fawn, castor, pink blue, green and Mauve grounds; work with scroll and floral design; fast colors, per yard	30c.
III.—Hornal Pongee—A beautiful silk finish lawn, extra fine quality, black and yellow, black and green stripes, with small or large spots, also fancy Persian effects, at per yard	35c.
IV.—Ficelle de Soie—A very fine mercerized lawn, with a fine dimity cord effect, very choice patterns and colorings, per yard	25c.
V.—Tototokett Silk—In white ground, with small black spots, also scroll and Persian effects, extra wide, fine mercerized finish, per yard	30c.
VI.—Yard wide Percale—In a beautiful assortment of fancy colored stripes and new fancy patterns, in reds, linen, blue and pink colors. Also a choice range of black and white stripes, warranted fast colors per yard	16c.

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Good Cloths,  
Finest Tailored,  
Finest Fitting,  
Finest Trimmed

Men's	Men's Fine Navy Blue	Men's Fine
Tweed Suits	Worsted	Worsted
\$3.95,		
\$5.00,		
\$6.00,		
\$7.50,		
\$10.00.		
	Single and Double Breasted	
	\$6.00, \$7.50, \$10.00	
		\$10.00,
		\$12.00,
		\$13.00,
		\$13.50.

## Immense Line of Spring Overcoats

Which we offer at popular prices, includes newest styles and fabrics.

### Cheviots

The popular Top Coat this season, dark Oxford Grey, medium and three-quarter lengths, prices run \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00

### Whipcords and Box Cloths

Made in the short Top Coat length, with a little longer, nice fawn shades, \$7.00, \$10.00, \$12.50

### Cloth Coats

Shower proof, in nice dark Oxford Grey shades, light in weight, perfectly waterproof and porous at the same time, 48 ins. length, specials at \$10.00 and \$12.00



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