

Try a Piece of Prize Cheese

The Canadians, as no doubt you are well aware, took first prize at the Buffalo Exhibition for cheese. We have a few pieces out of this prize lot and think you will be more than pleased with it.

14c a Pound

"KENT" BAKED BEANS, 10c a can.
MACARONI, 15c a package.
COMB HONEY, 2 sections for 25c.
SWEET ORANGES, 30c a doz and 40c a doz.
BAKERS' COCOA, 25c and 30c a tin.
ENGLISH BREAKFAST TEA, 40c a pound.

H. Malcolmson

Syringes

We believe that our line of Syringes is an exceptional one. Quality of goods is the highest, while assortment is unusually large.

Many Dealers show a tendency to constantly re-order the styles they have handled for years though improved designs are constantly coming out.

Our Stock is thoroughly up-to-date and our prices are surely down-to-date. You might as well have the best for your money, and you make sure of that by picking from our assortment.

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DRUGGISTS

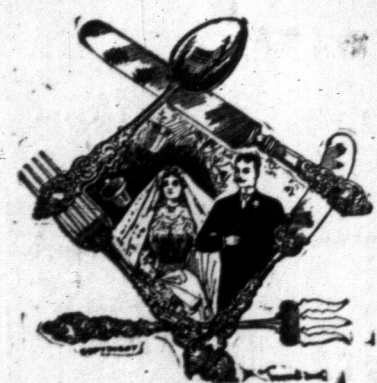
SUCCESSORS TO R. C. BURT

The Whole Story in a Letter

Pain-Killer

From Capt. F. L. Loe, Police Station No. 5, Montreal: "We frequently use Farn's Pain-Killer for pains in the stomach, rheumatism, sciatica, tooth aches, neuralgia, cramps, and all affections which beset men in our position. I have no hesitation in saying that Pain-Killer is the best remedy I have ever used."

Used Internally and Externally.
Two Sizes, 25c and 50c bottles.



A Swell Wedding

Means rich and handsome gifts for bridal presents, and handsome table silver is among the most acceptable as well as most useful of anything that can be offered, not only is this the time for wedding presents, but every well conducted home needs handsome table silver. Our fine array of flat and hollow ware—solid silver forks, knives and numerous tasty and useful pieces ranging in price from a dainty cream ladle, from \$1.50 to large and heavy pieces at \$10 and \$12. We show a large line of sterling silver tea spoons at prices as low as \$8 a dozen to \$13. We control in this city a great many patterns in the nearest designs on the American market.

VonGuten Bros.

Jewelers and Opticians

TAKE YOUR SOILED LINEN TO THE
PARISIAN
STEAM LAUNDRY

And get the best work in the city.

WORK CALLED FOR AND DELIVERED

BRAVE GIRLS

They Stayed a Wild Runaway in North Chatham—Carry Honors Modestly.

Chatham girls have always been noted for their grace and beauty but now still another laurel is theirs—that of bravery. Few girls there are who have the courage to stop a runaway horse in its mad career down the street rather than hide until it is out of sight.

It happened this way. Two young ladies of the Maple City were walking down Head street when they perceived a maddened horse attached to a cutter come racing down the thoroughfare. Being possessed of an insurmountable quantity of presence of mind and nerve they rushed out into the middle of the street and stopped the frightened animal. Incidentally, as there was no occupant to the cutter, they took possession of the outfit. Just think of the courage of those girls, driving that horse, which not five minutes before had run away. They drove over to King street and on the way are said to have indulged in the following conversation:

"Oh, Clara, I'll bet this rig belongs to a miller."
"No, it doesn't, Emma, it belongs to some farmer, who was in the house asking his girl to go for a ride." They brought the rig over town and handed it over to P. C. Peter Dezella, who put it in the Rankin House stable. An unknown man called and got it some time later.

ARMORIES

Petition to Minister of Militia Asking for Immediate Erection.

The following petition for a new armory is being signed by Chatham residents to-day. In order that action may be taken at the next sitting of the House signatures will be received this week only. It is requested that as many as possible should sign this petition in order to secure this desirable institution for Chatham. Those wishing to sign may do so by calling at the Standard Bank, Bank of Commerce, Merchants Bank, Bank of Montreal, office of the Canada Flour Mills Company, and the office of J. B. Rankin, K. C.

To the Hon. F. W. Borden, Minister of Militia, Ottawa.

The petition of the undersigned residents of the City of Chatham and the County of Kent, humbly sheweth as follows:

1. That the Drill Shed, situated on Tecumseh Park, in the city of Chatham, was erected a great many years ago, and has been repaired on several occasions in order to make it suitable and proper for armories and also for a Drill Hall.

2. The building consists of two parts, that is to say, the main building, and an annex, which was formerly used as an Agricultural building, but was moved and joined on to the drill shed.

3. Prior to the re-organization of the 24th "Kent" Regiment the curfew of the city of Chatham were permitted by the government to use the drill shed as a curling rink, and by reason of its not being sufficiently long for curling purposes a lean-to was added to the easterly end of the shed and other repairs made to it at a cost of about \$800.00.

4. When the 24th Regiment was re-organized, the shed was assumed by the Militia Department and the annex was converted into four armories and the lean-to on the east end of the main building, was made into four armories, namely: an Orderly Room, Quarter-Master's Store Room, Non-Com's Room, and a Band Room.

5. In the spring of last year the clothing, arms, accoutrements and equipments were supplied to the 24th "Kent" Regiment, and were properly and regularly stored in the armories and in the Quarter-Master's stores, the ammunition supplied being stored in the old Magazine, but the state of the roof, abetting and rafters in such that it is impossible to keep the arms and accoutrements in proper condition. The rain comes through the roof, and forms in pools in the armories and also in the Orderly Room, Quarter-Master's Stores, Non-Com's Room, and Band Room, and the roof is in such a condition that it would be impossible to make a good job of it unless the whole roof were removed and a new one put on.

6. Your petitioners consider it in the interests of the Regiment, as well as of the City and County, and also for the safety and security of the government property that new armories should be constructed at once on said Park, which is Government property, and, for this purpose, a sufficient sum should be placed in the estimates of this session to enable the contract to be let at once and the armories to be completed for the proper reception of arms and equipment by next autumn.

And your petitioners will ever pray: Diogenes was a wise man for despatching little worldly customs, but a fool for showing it. He wiser than other people if you can, but do not tell them so.—Lord Chesterfield.

To watch the corn grow, or the blossom set; to draw hard breath over plowshare or spade; to read, to think, to love, to pray, are the things which make men happy.—Ruskin.

After all the money spent in giving a girl a knowledge of art and music to help her through life, the time comes when she finds that that which helps her most is patience.



MASONIC.

The regular meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., was held last evening, there being a very fair attendance of the members present. Rt. W. Bro. Ed. Worth, D. G. M. for Erie District, No. 1, paid the lodge an official visit and very highly complimented the officers on their performance of the 1st degree. Wellington Lodge has always held a good place among the lodges on the Grand Register of Canada, and it is quite evident that the brethren at present filling the chairs have no intention of allowing its good name to be lessened in the slightest degree. The work was very well done indeed, and, considering that these officers were only installed last December, they certainly deserved all the praise which Rt. W. Bro. Worth saw fit to bestow upon them. The auditors' report, as submitted last night, shows Wellington 46 to be in a flourishing financial condition, and the prospects for the future are bright and promising.

At the conclusion of the regular business the brethren adjourned to the ante-rooms, where refreshments were served and an hour very pleasantly spent in social converse.

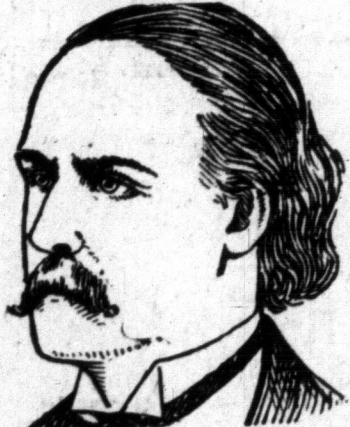
An Ideal Medicine

A New Discovery Which Cures all Forms Of Catarrh.

The tablet is the ideal form in which to administer medicine, but until recently no successful catarrh tablet had ever been invented. There is now, however, an excellent and palatable remedy for catarrh in tablet form, known as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and sold by druggists, composed of the most recent discoveries in medicine for cure of catarrh and results from their use have been highly gratifying.

The old time treatment of catarrh was in the form of inhalers, washes, douches, sprays, etc. Later on internal remedies were used with great success, but being in liquid or powder form were inconvenient to use, and like all medicines in liquid or powdered form, lose their medicinal properties when opened or exposed to the air.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets contain highly concentrated antiseptics, Red Gum, Blood Root, etc., which kill the catarrh germs in the blood, and



catarrh germs, and in this respect are strictly scientific and modern, because all authorities are now agreed that Catarrh is a constitutional blood disease, and local applications can have only a transitory effect. The use of inhalers, douches and sprays is a nuisance and inconvenient and can in no wise compare favorably with the same antiseptics given in tablet form internally, where they can reach the stomach and blood, and kill catarrh germs right where they are produced.

A prominent lawyer and public speaker of Pittsburgh, says: "I have been troubled with catarrh of the head and throat for twelve years. In this climate it seems impossible to get rid of it. The continual dropping of mucus from the nose into the throat caused irritation and hoarseness, seriously interfering with my public speaking. It took me an hour or more of coughing, gagging, expectorating, and sneezing every morning before I could settle down to work and this condition gradually brought on catarrh of stomach, causing loss of appetite, poor digestion and foul breath, which annoyed me exceedingly. My physician advised me to try Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and I took them for two months and was astonished to find how quickly they cleared my head, throat and stomach and I have no hesitation in recommending them. They are not only pleasant to take but they seem to get at the very root of the trouble, because since using them I have had no trace of catarrh."

Druggists sell Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at 50 cents for full sized packages. They can be carried in the pocket and used any time and as often as desired since they contain no cocaine, mercury or other injurious drug.

A February Welcome at The Gordon Store

Every article in our large stock has been measured, marked and entered, every short length will be a special bargain. Broken lots of Hose, Underwear, Etc., for men and women, we close out at reduced price. Every day and every way we push trade ahead. You will find us bad to beat at Snap-Shot Prices.

Our Furs sell on sight at manufacturers' prices.

Our Blanket week will soon end, don't miss it or you miss your own good.

Ladies' Half Price Sale of Coats, Capes and Skirts and Children's Jackets and Wraps, will just suit you.

Our White and Unbleached Cottons are the best values in the city, British, Canadian and American, soft finish and cambrics.

Embroidery and Insertion Tables are filled with attractions from 3c, 5c, 8c, 10c up.

Shirts and Pillow Cases and Pillow Cases and Sheets, in great demand just now, and no wonder at our prices.

Our French Waist Flannels at about half what you expect to pay, are irresistible arguments to buy.

Our First Arrival of Spring Suits and Skirts are opened now, a fine exhibit.

Millinery Glimpses of Latest Winter Styles are beautiful to behold.

Household Linens—Table Damasks, Tray and Lunch Cloths, Huckaback, hemstitched and Damask Knotted Fringed Towels. Everything in Toweling for kitchen use.

Standard Fashions give assured satisfaction to every lady of taste. Agents for "The Designer" thousands of sheets given away—do you get yours?

William Gordon

DR. RUSSELL DENTIST.

Cor. King & 5th Sts., over Merchants' Bank, CHATHAM.

Evening Appointments Made

DISTRICT DOINGS. TILBURY

V. Campbell has returned from a month's trip to Kansas. Tilbury East council met yesterday. Rev. Mr. Osterhout conducted service in the Methodist Church here on Sunday morning.

The Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns are Popular With All Ladies.

Mrs. Morton F. Paling, Winnipeg, writes a follows: "The three mat and rug patterns ordered from you are received. They are lovely and far ahead of other designs I have seen. I shall show them to my friends many of whom are desirous of making up rugs for their homes. Many thanks for your prompt attention to my order. I use your celebrated Diamond Dyes and find them the best."

Ladies who have not yet received sheets of these new designs of the Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns, will do well to send a postal card with address to The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, 290 Mountain St., Montreal, P. Q. All designs mailed free to any part of Canada and Newfoundland.

DRESDEN

Feb. 4.—Miss Bathia Mercer, of St. Clair, Mich., returned home this morning, after spending two weeks with her son, Mrs. J. W. Sharpe.

Mrs. S. Shaw has issued invitations to a number of young ladies for a party on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Willie McVean is entertaining a number of friends at a thimble party this afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Rudd gave a party last night.

Mrs. Cuthbert North Dresden, gives a thimble party on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Wallace gave a very pleasant party to a number of young friends that evening.

Miss Ella Pringley is entertaining a number of ladies at a thimble party on Thursday afternoon.

A number of our young people have received invitations to an assembly to be given by the bachelors of Wallaceburg on Friday evening.

Miss Mary Miller returned to-day from a visit to her brother Leroy, of Kingsville.

Frank Myers, of Sayer, Pennsylvania, is the guest of W. B. Packham.

Morden & Sots are driving a handsome new milk wagon and commenced the rounds in connection with their dairy business yesterday.

A full report of the monthly meeting of the Council, which took place last evening, will appear in to-morrow's issue.

About half past twelve last night the second of Dresden's proverbial "three fires in succession" took place. The blaze proved to be at Laird Bros' lumber mills, the factory of which was burned completely to the ground and a large amount of lumber destroyed. Partially insured.

Alexander Tassie, of Toronto, is in town helping his brother, J. C. Tassie, to take stock.

Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town once a month; if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collector calls he must remit direct to The Planet Office, Chatham, as we will not be responsible for money paid to carriers.

WESTLAKE BROS.

ART PHOTO-GRAPHERS

5th ST. CHATHAM

IN OFFERING our services to the citizens of Chatham, we do so with confidence that we can fill a felt want. Before buying out the Butler studio we carefully looked the ground over and believe there is ample room for our services.

Our aim will be, not to serve cheap photographs at a cheap price, but to give absolutely choice work at as reasonable a price as possible.

The high quality of our work we guarantee, and only ask that you give us a chance to prove our assertions. We will not take your money if you are not suited.

APPEARANCES

IF YOU WANT to make a presentable appearance at home or abroad you need the services of a good reliable tailor. Every man has a peculiarity of his own which, unless taken into consideration, his clothes cannot possibly fit him.

MORLEY & CO. - The Leading Tailors

DR. A. W. THORNTON DENTIST

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TELEPHONE OFFICE 164.
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THAMESVILLE

Feb. 3.—Calvin Laird, of Florence, spent Sunday with friends here.

The death occurred at noon to-day of Kent Minshall, son of Mrs. P. Minshall. The deceased returned home from Texas a few months ago, in the hope of regaining his health. Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Minshall.

Mrs. T. Maw, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. D. Kelley and other friends here.

W. V. Cryderman and family moved to Northwood to-day, where they will in future reside.

Miss Butler leaves to-morrow for London, where she will spend the next three weeks.

Jon. Galloway returned to-day from a week's visit in London.

The little daughter of Chas. Cryderman is very ill.

There was no service in the Presbyterian church last night, as Mr. McInnes conducted service in the Methodist church for Mr. Blatchford, who is too ill to preach.

Gas on the Stomach.

Result of imperfect digestion pressing up against the heart, it excites alarming symptoms. Instant relief is afforded by taking half an hour after the meal, ten drops of Polson's Nervine in a little sweetened water. Nervine aids digestion, expels the gas and imparts a sense of comfort. Nervine is good for lots of other things, and wise people keep a 25c bottle in the house for rheumatism, cramps, neuralgia, toothache, &c. Try it.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Mardi Gras Festivities

New Orleans, La. and Mobile, Ala., Pensacola, Florida

Feb. 4th to 11th, 1902

Round Trip Excursion Tickets will be sold Feb. 3rd to 5th inclusive at Single First-Class Limited Fare, from all Stations in Ontario, Toronto and West, valid returning up to Feb. 15th, 1902. Privilege of extension will be granted until Feb. 28th on payment of 50c.

W. E. RISPIN, City Pass. Agt., 115 King St.

Nothing worries some people like the absence of worry in others.