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You wage war in spring-time on dirt and dust. Why not do it as easy as possible? Some of our helps will make the work easier and do the work in shorter time.

GOLD DUST,
5c, 10c and 15c a package

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PEARLINE,
5c package

TOOTH CLEANSER,
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WHISKY,
15c and 25c

BROOMS,
Good, 25c

SCRUB BRUSHES,
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2 lbs. for 5c

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People ask "Why do you claim that Veteran's Sure Cure, one medicine, cures Rheumatism, Backache, Sciatica, Dyspepsia, Bright's Disease, etc." We reply, because 16 years practical use has proved that V. S. C. contains the medicinal properties that cure the digestive organs. And when the people properly realize that good health depends upon pure blood, and pure blood upon properly digested food being supplied by a healthy stomach, kidneys and liver, they will want the medicine that gives the best results. And we believe they will find V. S. C. has no equal. The V. S. C. Medicine Co., Limited, Chatham, Ont., Scane Block, King Street. Druggists also sell it. Prices: 350 doses \$1.00, 150 doses 50c. Mailed where. W. K. Merrifield, General Agent.

Chatham's Only MILLINERY STORE

New Sailors, New Flowers
New Ribbons, A Special
Line of Trimmed Hats for
Saturday.

Store Open Thursday Evening

C. A. COOKSLEY
KING STREET

TO-NIGHT

Prayer meeting in city churches, at 8.

Court Hope, 6244, A. O. F., in their hall at 8.

Court Unity, No. 6920, will meet in their rooms at 8.

"D" Company will meet for drill at the Armouries, at 8.

LOCAL

Dr. Blackwell, of Glencoe, is a city visitor to-day.

A. Sheldrick is spending the day in Blenheim.

W. A. Watson, of Dresden, is in the city on business.

Sale Prices on Suit Cases and Trunks, at Cowan's.

John Lee, of Highgate, is in the city on business.

Launches for hire, that will carry from eight to forty people. Brisco's.

Trunks, Suit Cases and Travelling Bags at reduced prices, at Cowan's.

Duncan Graham, of Glencoe, was in the city yesterday on business.

The best of everything in Trunks and Travelling Bags, at Sale Prices, at Cowan's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hunter, of Ridgetown, will leave Thursday via C. P. R. for Calgary.

Liquid Veneer, the best furniture renewer, at 35c per 50c bottle. Geo. Stephens, D. H. Douglas. Phone No. 6.

James McRae, of Wallaceburg, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is progressing favorably at the General Hospital.

May 24th, Westlake's Studio will be open from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. Arrange for your photos on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stringer, of New York, have arrived in the city and will shortly take up their summer home at Erie Beach.

The ex-C. B. C. students of Detroit have arranged a game of baseball with the students here, to be played on May 31.

Early risers say that there was a very heavy frost yesterday morning. It is thought that the fruit crop will suffer considerably as a result.

Campbell's Varnish Stains are guaranteed by the makers to give perfect satisfaction for refinishing Furniture, Floors and Interior Woodwork. James A. King, Chatham, is authorized to refund purchase price in every case where the goods fail to give perfect results.

Some inquiry has been made as to why the band do not play "God Save the King" at the conclusion of the evening's skating at the roller rink. The band wears the King's uniform, and it would be quite in place for them to play the National Anthem as their concluding number.

Be sure and take in the races at Chatham Fair Grounds May 24th. Admission 25 cents.

Will Ryan, an employee at the wagon works, and Noble Grand of Chatham Lodge, No. 29, had the misfortune to lose all the fingers of his right hand yesterday morning. He was operating a machine and through some misfortune his hand slipped and was caught in the cutting apparatus of the machine. His fingers were cut completely off and his hand and wrist was badly bruised and lacerated. He was taken to Dr. McKee's office, and from there to the General Hospital. It was necessary to amputate the hand at the wrist. He is doing as well as can be expected.

NEW YORK CLOAK STORE

King Street, Chatham.

Special Bargains This Week Only.

Ladies' Lace Gloves, Elbow Gloves, Lisle Thread, black and white, reg. \$1, to be sold at 75c.

Ladies' White and Black Silk Lace Gloves, elbow length, reg. 50 pure silk, to be sold at \$1.

SPRING JACKETS.

4 Spring Coats, reg. \$5, to be sold this week at \$3.75.

5 Coats, lined with silk, perfectly tailored, reg. \$9, to be sold this week at \$6.50. Colors brown, fawn.

A few odd Covert Coats, sateen lined, box back and semi-fitting, reg. \$7.50, to be sold at \$5.50.

LADIES.—A large assortment of Ladies' Waist Underskirts, Corset Covers and Drawers on sale this week.

MISSIES' SKIRTS.

A large assortment of Misses' Skirts, pleated and trimmed with buttons to match, reg. \$2.50 and \$3 to be sold at \$1.75.

M. SHAPERO, King Street,



WE CARRY THE BANNER

when it comes to Real Estate. To anyone who purposes buying either homes or houses, we have on our list, properties that are sure to suit, both in point of price and location, and to whom we can give valuable points and advice about prices and location. You should call on us. We carry the banner and others follow in our train.

Brick Dwelling on McKeough Ave. for sale at a bargain if sold this month.

House and Lot on Pine St. for sale. Small payment down and balance in monthly payments.

House and Lot on Stanley Ave., all modern conveniences. Will sell on easy terms.

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Real Estate Dealers, Chatham

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Workingman's Outfitters

Have the New Spring Shapes in

HARD AND SOFT

HATS FOR \$2.00

Mac McLeod,

Opp. Rankin House Open Evenings

Brisco's bicycle livery and repairs.

Band will be in attendance at the Roller Rink to-night.

Spend your 24th at the Chatham race track. Admission 25 cents.

Dr. Hanks, of Blenheim, was in the city on professional business yesterday.

Gordon Rutley is expected home to-day from Victoria College, London.

Wanted At Once—Experienced preparer for the millinery. Apply Miss Cooksley.

Miss Bella West of Stewart, is the guest of Miss Helena Morrison, Inches Avenue.

Four good races in one afternoon, May 24, at Chatham race track. Admission only 25 cents.

Dr. W. R. Hall is in Toronto attending the meeting of the Provincial Health Board.

Miss Brush, of Blenheim, who underwent a serious surgical operation, is progressing as favorably as possible.

VICTORIA DAY EXCURSION TO DETROIT, ON STR. CITY OF CHATHAM. FARE 50c. LEAVES RANKIN DOCK 7.30 A. M.

Messrs. McIntyre, Elliott and Stewart will play with St. Thomas against West Toronto Junction in lacrosse on Friday.

Clements Kerr, son of John Kerr, Lacrosse street, who fell on the curb, on Queen street on Sunday night, dislocating his shoulder, is progressing nicely.

A game of lacrosse has been arranged between the Chippewas and Wallaceburg teams, and will be played at Wallaceburg on Friday.

Word has been received by Nelson Stringer from an old Chatham boy, E. John Degge, now of New York City. Mr. Degge is connected in the office, with a large manufacturing business in that city. Thirty-seven years ago to-day Nelson Stringer and E. John Degge were boys together in Chicago. Mr. Degge, last Saturday, went through and inspected the big British passenger liner, Adriatic, then in port at New York harbor.

BISCO'S FOR FIREWORKS

GORDON'S MAY BARGAINS

Dress Skirt Department

10 only, Ladies' Navy Blue Cloth Skirts, cluster of pleats at side, nicely made, value \$1.75, for \$1.19.

Navy and Black Skirts, Dress Skirts and striped and mixed grey-tweed Skirts, pleated and button trimmed, value \$2.50 and \$3.50 for \$1.98.

Black Venetian Skirts, pleated front and sides, sizes up to 30 in. waist measure, special value at 2.75 and \$3.00.

Grey All-wool Homespun Skirts, pleated front and box pleated, with buttons, new and stylish, special price \$3.75.

Mixed Tweed, light weight Dress Skirts, full pleated, regular \$5.00 for \$4.00.

Grey Cloth, fine quality, full pleated Skirts, regular \$5.50 for \$4.45.

Shepherd Plaid, stripes and checked Skirts, black and navy velvets and wool taffeta, white wool taffeta and white Panama, etc., in all the newest styles and pleating. In this lot are some \$6.50 and \$7.50 skirts, your pick \$5.00.

New Sun Burst Pleated Skirts, in fine grey checked wool taffetas, regular \$7.50 Skirts for \$6.00.

Taffeta Brilliantine Skirts, in navy and black, the Sun Burst Skirts, very choice styles, \$6.75.

Black Wool Taffeta Skirts, beautifully pleated, extra fine quality, very stylish, \$7.50.

Fancy Parasols

(See Our Window)

BIG SNAP—10 dozen of the very latest novelties in beautiful Parasols, polka dots, stripes and Dresden designs, and white and cream, every one of them worth from \$1.25 to \$1.75, a Special May Bargain at 98c.

Fawn Jackets

Light Fawn Covert Cloth Coats, satin lined throughout, regular \$6.00 for \$3.75.

Fine Fawn Covert Coats, lined throughout with Skinner's satin, tight fitting, regular \$9.00, a May Bargain at \$6.75.

Ladies' Box Coats, Fawn Covert Cloths, satin lined throughout, value \$10, a May Bargain \$7.75.

Wrappers

Ladies' Morning Wrappers, the newest styles, the neatest trim, the lowest prices, our May Specials \$1 and \$1.25.

Gordon's Shirt Waists

Every line we are showing contain marvels of the very latest and prettiest anywhere to be found, ranging from 48c to \$5.00 they sell on sight.

Lace Curtains

In Real Lace, Nottingham, Irish Point, are several special lines as May Bargains at \$1.00. In White and Arabian Curtains at \$2.75 and \$4.00.

The Rush is still on for our May Sale of Muslin Underwear.

WILLIAM GORDON

NOTICE

The Council of the Corporation of the County of Kent will meet pursuant to the call of the Warden in the Council Chamber, Harrison Hall, Chatham, on Monday, June 3rd, 1907, at two o'clock p. m., for the dispatch of general business.

J. GOSNELL,
County Clerk.

NOTICE

Applications will be received by the undersigned, until ten o'clock a. m., June 3rd, 1907, for the position of Caretaker of Harrison Hall, in the City of Chatham. The by-law governing the position will be supplied on application.

J. GOSNELL,
Co. Clerk

AUCTION SALE

I will hold a public auction every Saturday afternoon at the Deering sale alley, adjoining Jahnke's undertaking rooms, commencing Saturday, June 1. Sale called at one o'clock. If you have horses, harness, buggies, furniture, or anything you want to sell, you are urged to bring it to the sale. Commission reasonable. JAMES LITTLE, Auctioneer.

Office: Market Building,
P. O. Box 847, Chatham, Ont.
Real estate for sale.

Water Tanks for Sale

Auction sale of water tanks will be held in the yard next to Planet Office on Saturday, June 1st, 1907, commencing at 1.30 p. m.

These tanks are suitable for watering stock and cisterns. They hold from 200 gallons to 700 gallons, and will be sold without reserve. Terms cash.

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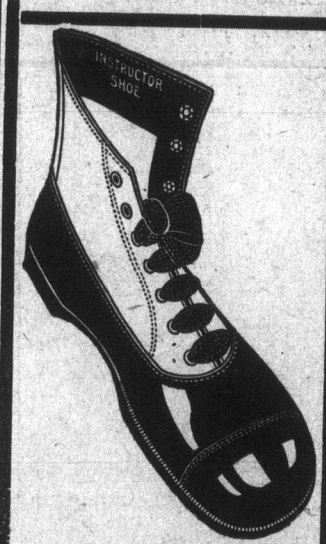
Remember

we pay the freight or express on Dinner Sets and Tea Sets, and will gladly refund the money if goods are damaged or not satisfactory. See us first when you want China, Crockery or Glassware.

GRAY'S CHINA HALL

Hand horse clippers at dissolution sale prices. Gen. Stephens, D. H. Douglas. Phone No. 6.

Get quotations on Fire Escapes from A. E. Drew, Chatham, before purchasing.



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The way your children's shoes wear out often surprise you. They seem to fall to pieces, or the soles wear out as if they had been held to a grindstone.

Instructor Shoes

Are made from the very best leather and are put together by high class skilled labor. The Instructor Shoe is built on lasts modelled from children's feet. The shape permits the foot to lie perfectly flat—each toe out straight—growing as nature intended. One pair will outwear two ordinary pairs.

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