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Over the Bee Hive.
Phone 317.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN.

CARRON—At Ridgetown, Saturday,
Dec. 3rd, to the wife of F. J. Carron
(nee Miss Sophia Robert), of a
daughter.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Dec. 5.—11 a. m.—Cloudy
to-day; snow to-night. Tuesday,
snow with light winds and colder.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Urban Store for great bar-
gains in furs.

Mrs. A. E. Lenfestey returned home
from the Public General Hospital to-
day.

The Retail Dealers' Association will
meet in the upper hall of the I. O. F.
building to-morrow evening at eight
o'clock. A full attendance is re-
quested.

The Meister Glee Singers will use
a genuine Old Heintzman & Co. piano
here to-night. They are using ex-
clusively the genuine Heintzman &
Co. piano throughout their Canadian
tour.

MEET TO NIGHT

The young men of the city who are
favor of good, clean Provincial gov-
ernment are all cordially invited to
the new club rooms over Gray's
china store, to-night at eight o'clock.
A hearty welcome will be extended
to all.

ANOTHER ROBBERY

Moore & Bensen's office on King
St. was broken into last night or
yesterday afternoon some time. Sun-
day morning one of the employees
was all right then. This morning,
when the men went to work they
found the papers scattered all over
the office floor and the place ransacked.
The safe wasn't even tampered
with. There was no money in the
safe anyway, as Mr. Bensen had taken
away all the cash on hand. Noth-
ing was missed.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphther-
ia.

Electricity Massage

I treat and successfully cure Constipation, Dys-
pepsia, Headache, Hysteria, Indigestion, Insom-
nia, Liver Complaint, Lethargy, Nervous
Prostration, Lumbago, Rheumatism, Sciatica,
Sprains, Swellings, and Weak Lungs.
W. H. Moffat.
Physical Cultivist, Chatham, Ont. box 131
King St. opp. Bank of Montreal.



Diamonds!

From 1-8 to 2 1-4 Karat.

Why not call now and pick out that
diamond ring for Christmas and have
it laid away.

Our special value is a full 1 K., free
from flaws and perfectly white **\$19**

Mounted in any style of setting
from \$2 to \$4.

VonGunten Bros.

FIGHT AT PORT ARTHUR

Japanese Renew Attacks At 2
O'Clock Saturday Afternoon.

At Midnight Saturday a Desperate Struggle
Was On For Possession of the Forti-
fied Cliffs—Believed That It Will Take
Two Days' Continuous Fighting Before
Last of Russian Redoubts Can Be
Taken.

Tokio, Dec. 5.—Fighting was re-
sumed at 2 o'clock on Saturday af-
ternoon for the possession of the hills
on the westerly side of Port Arthur
proper. The Russian batteries on
these crests were bombarded from
Shungshoo Mountain and 203-Metre
Hill, and at dark Gen. Nogi's infan-
try seized the lower slopes.

Hand to hand fighting immediately
began for possession of the crests
and when the last bulletin was re-
ceived at midnight a desperate en-
gagement was going on for possession
of the fortified cliffs that are really
the northwesterly walls of the city.
Until these are taken the Japanese
infantry cannot proceed from Pali
Mountain toward Golden Hill, nor
can the trenches be continued south
from Keekwan Mountain. Four bat-
talions of infantry from the trenches
of Shungshoo and three battalions
from the crests of Metre Hill took
part in this assault.

It is believed here there will be at
least two days of continuous fighting
before the last of the Russian re-
doubts can be taken, but as the en-
emy has not more than 3,000 men
able to take the field there is no
doubt whatever of success in the bat-
tle now on.

Ready For Battle Fleet.

Tokio, Dec. 5.—Most interesting
news developed in the Navy Depart-
ment yesterday and proves that the
Russian fleet in Port Arthur harbor
must be so disabled that it is no
longer a menace to the Japanese
cruisers lying outside the harbor.
For three weeks there has not been
a single Japanese battleship in the
Bay of Corea.

When it became certain that the
Baltic fleet was really bound for the
Yellow Sea Admiral Togo silently
took the battleships to Sasebo where
they went into drydock, received all
necessary repairs and were repainted.
The news was made known Sat-
urday afternoon, but only after the
last of the first-class battleships, the
Asahi, had proceeded toward the
Gulf of Corea. Admiral Togo's flag-
ship, the Mikado, sailed from Sase-
bo on Thursday, and was followed
by the Shikishima, and Fuji. It is
evidently the purpose of the Japa-
nese admiral to meet the Baltic fleet
where the Sea of Japan and the Yellow
Sea meet.

There the battle must take place.
The Russians cannot go around Jap-
an, as the northern sea is frozen
over hundreds of miles from Valdi-
voostok. As Port Arthur will have
fallen before the Baltic fleet can ar-
rive near Japan, the Japanese ad-
miral will have, besides his battle-
ships, nine armoured cruisers and 11
protected cruisers to engage the Rus-
sian fleet.

Russians At Jibuti.

Jibuti, French Somaliland, Dec. 5.
—A Russian fleet, consisting of thir-
teen warships and nine transports, in
command of Rear-Admiral Voell-
sam, is anchored outside the harbor,
coaling.

More Russian Boats.

Brest, Dec. 5.—The Russian torpe-
do boat destroyer Prouseletsky sailed
yesterday for Tangier. The Russian
cruisers Oleg and Lzurmud and the
transport Oksan have arrived here.
The cruiser Rion and two torpedo
boat destroyers have sailed for Al-
giers.

TRIBUTE TO CAVEN

Last evening at the First Presby-
terian church, the pastor, Rev. A. H.
McGillivray, M.A., delivered an earnest
and eloquent address upon the life and
work of the late Principal Caven, of
Knox College, Toronto. The discor-
se was a magnificent tribute to a worthy
man, and was much appreciated by the
congregation present. It is regretted that
space to-day will not permit THE PLANET
to publish it in full.

The music at the service was of an ap-
propriate character, and included an ex-
quisite duet by Mesdames John Cooper
and Mrs. Milton Bogart.

COLD SETTLES IN THE BACK.

It hits people in a tender spot and
makes it mighty hard to brace up.
Nervine will take that link out of
your spinal column in short order;
it soothes, that's why relief comes
so soon. Nervine penetrates, that's
why it cures. Five times stronger
than ordinary remedies, Nervine
can't fail to cure lame back, lumbago,
sciatica and neuralgia. Nervine is
king over all muscular pain, has no
equal and costs 25c. per bottle.

DEATH'S CALLS

Joseph Cable died Dec. 4, 1904, aged
85 years, 3 months. Funeral will
take place at 10.30 a. m., Tuesday,
from the residence of Mr. Peter Mc-
Geachy, Harwich.

Hester Elizabeth, infant daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Jewell,
died Dec. 4, 1904, aged 1 year, 5
months and 15 days. The funeral
will leave the residence on Queen
St., below the Fair grounds, at two
o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Henry Salsbury, died Dec. 4, 1904,
at the age of 49 years. Funeral will
take place at 2 o'clock, Tuesday af-
ternoon at 2 o'clock, to Maple Leaf
Cemetery.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphther-
ia.

Bad Weather Coming.....

which demands good strong
SCHOOL SHOES for the
BOYS and GIRLS.

WE'VE GOT THE BEST SCHOOL SHOES

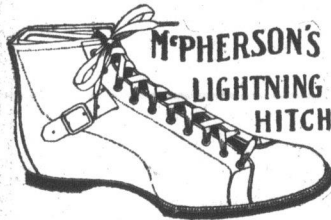
in stock now that we ever had,
and at small prices, too.

Our Lines at \$1.25
and \$1.50 are extra
good quality.

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Specials in Ladies' Boys'
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Shoes

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Specials in Ladies', Boys'
and Girl's Skates

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Imported Toys—Magic
Lanterns and Slides, Mechanical
Toys, Engines, Trucks, Toy Wa-
tches, Animals, Musical Toys, Tea
Sets, etc.

Iron Toys—Banks, Hook
and Ladder, Fire Engines, Hose
Carts, Trains, Stoves, Bell Toys,
Hill Climbers, Rifles, etc.

Bulky Wooden Toys—
Sleighs, Blackboards, Go-Carts,
Wagons, Horses, Shoo Flys, Chairs,
Desks, Carts, Steel Wagons, Wood
Wagons, Wheelbarrows, etc.

Small Wooden Toys—
Pianos, Tool Chests; Cradles,
Trunks, Drums, Wash Sets, Tables

Games—Crokinole Board's,
Parlor Croquet Sets, Picture Books,
Blocks, Lotto, Block Wagons, Fort,
Flinch, Brouse, etc.

Dolls—All the Doll Family.
There are all kinds of Dolls, all
Nationalities, an endless assortment

BRISCO'S

NEW THINGS

—IN—

Photography

We have just received from the
Housh Co., of Boston, the finest col-
lection of Calendars, Mounts, and
Albums ever seen in Chatham.
Nothing is more appreciated at
Christmas than the "Home" pictures,
the "very own" of the amateur.
The beautiful new things we are
showing will surely be a delight to
those who have hitherto struggled
with ordinary mounts and more or
less ugly calendars. We invite every
amateur to come and see them.

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Millinery. **C. Austin & Co.** Fashionable
Dressmaking

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A Christmas Present

Can be fully entered into at our store. Every turn you make
you meet with some happy suggestion of just
the right thing.

Fancy Rockers	Parlor Cabinets	Jardiniere Stands
Reception Chairs	Ladies' Desks	Brass Stands
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Buffets	Music Cabinets	Iron Beds
Dining Tables	Combination Bookcases	Chiffoniers
China Cabinets	Couches	Parlor Suites
Hall Racks	Macey Sectional Bookcases	Morris Chairs
		Foot Rests
		Reed Rockers

The above list represents a few of the many moderate-
priced pieces that await your visit. You are not likely to find
a wider choice anywhere than is presented to you here. We
give you a range of articles, any one of which will be a real
acquisition to the home. WHY NOT CHOOSE NOW?
There is nothing like looking ahead a little, and you will not
be sorry when Christmas comes that you have settled the all
important question by choosing one of these pieces now. Your
selections can be set aside for delivery as desired.

Be on Time

Exceptional offerings in Fine BED COMFORTERS,
and just at the time when most needed.

AT \$4.50 EACH—

Down quilts, made of extra fine
down proof English cambric, hand-
some designs and colorings, nicely
quilted and well finished, size 60 x 72,
special \$4.50 each.

AT \$5.00 AND \$5.75 EACH—

Pure down filled quilts, covered
with fancy English satens, finish-
ed with fancy different colored bor-
ders, corded edge, nicely quilted, size
60 x 72 and 66 x 72.

AT \$7.00 EACH—

Extra value pure down filled quilts,
covered with best quality English
art satens, finished with border of
different colors, nicely quilted, star
pattern, size 66 x 72 inches.

HOME MADE COMFORTERS—

Made of the best English prints,
regular 12 1-2c goods, 62 inches wide,
2 1-4 yards long, tied with pink or
cardinal wool, filled with fine Amer-
ican batting, worth in a regular
way \$3.00 each, special \$2.00 each.

AT \$1.75 EACH—

Eight only fancy silkline comfort-
ers, full size, floral designs, well filled,
66 x 72 inches, regular \$2.00 value,
at \$1.75 each.

AT \$2.50 AND \$3.00—

Extra weight comfortable, satens
coverings, handsome designs, dif-
ferent colors on each side, nicely
quilted, 66 x 72 inches, special \$2.50
and \$3.00 each.

INTERESTING POINTERS ON

Home Furnishings

TAPESTRY PORTIERES for Doors and Arches and
shown in all the new shadings in Self Tones and Orient
Effects for quick selling we have put special prices on the
following lines.

Regular \$2.75 Curtains, now for \$2.25 a Pair

"	4.00	"	"	3.25	"
"	4.50	"	"	3.50	"
"	5.00	"	"	4.00	"
"	5.50	"	"	4.75	"
"	8.00	"	"	6.75	"
"	13.00	"	"	10.50	"

The above prices represent excellent values as the
goods are worth more to-day at the mills than when our
was placed.

Lace Curtains

Have always been a prominent feature of our Drap-
ery Dept., and we would feel it a pleasure to show intending
chases through our varied lines as any description falls
they must seem to be appreciated.

Nottingham Curtains—in 20
choice designs, at from 25c up to \$5.50
per pair.

Cable Net Curtains—in 15 lace
effects, at from \$2 up to \$6.50 per pr.

Swiss Tambour—in famed for
its light effective appearance, 8 pat-
terns, at from \$3.50 to \$8 per pr.

Marie Antionettes—hand braid-
ed in best finish, recognized as Drap-
eries of character, at from \$7.50 up to
\$12.00.

French Guipure—durable
dainty in Ecru Linen edges, will
their shape after laundering, at
\$4.50 up to \$9.50 per pair.

Bobbinets and Bon Fem
soft and pretty, in all the new
and insertions, ruffles at from
up to \$4.50 per pair.

Real Bobbinettes—Pt. A
Cluny and Irish pt., are all well
sent, at from \$1.25 up to \$16

Note—a handsome range of
nets and muslins at from 15c to

C. Austin & Co.