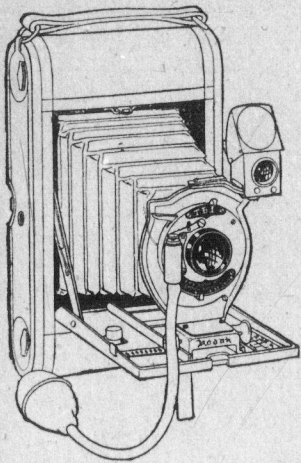




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TO-NIGHT

Young Men's Club, Park St. S. S. Hall, at 8.
Court Companion, No. 521m in their hall at 8.

"B" Company drill at the Skating Rink at 8.
Chippewas' football practice, Tecumseh Park at 6.15.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

LOCAL

Smoke Quail on Toast Cigar—5c.
John McDonald, of Tupperville, is a city visitor to-day.

Wear Trade Mark D. Suspenders, guaranteed. Price 50c.

Fred. Dean, of Strathroy, was in the city yesterday on business.

The Court of Revision finished up their work on local improvements to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Traiter, of Walpoleburg, were city visitors yesterday.

Dr. Anderson, who has been visiting Harry Andrews, Murray street, for a couple of days, returned to Detroit this morning.

Probate of the will of the late Findlay Oswald, of Tilbury, has been granted to Alex. Farquharson and John Fletcher.

Purse found, containing a sum of money. Owner can secure the same by calling at the Defiance Iron Works and paying for this advertisement.

Samuel Clowell, who met with an accident at the Defiance Iron Works yesterday, is progressing nicely, although he had a close call of losing one of his eyes.

Flat for rent, containing four nice rooms and bath room; heated by steam; nicely finished in hard wood; comfortably warm in winter, cool in summer; all modern conveniences. Apply to W. E. Rispin, 115 King street.

The final meeting for the season of the Ministerial Association was held yesterday morning at the home of the President, Rev. Dr. Battisby, who gave a very interesting account of early church history in Scotland.

Judge Bell has a remarkable curio which he bought while on one of his trips. It is a stock-whip all made out of one piece of wood. The lash of the whip is made of plaited wood, and is as limber as a leather lash.

Mrs. Andrew Northwood, of Windsor, formerly of this city, who is employed as a sealer at the Canadian customs, searched sixty-eight women at Brockville, Ont., when they arrived from Ogdensburg, N. Y., and nearly all of them had goods concealed about their persons. One woman had an entire set of china dishes distributed about her clothing.

In a recent write-up of the Indian booth, the name of Mrs. Harry Philp was inadvertently omitted from the list of the ladies who have charge of this booth. Mrs. Philp is treasurer of the booth and has done excellent work in preparation for the Fair of Nations. She is one of the most earnest and devoted workers in the Ladies' Assisting Society.

JUDGE ON CHARITY

Mr. Houston Believes With Commissioner Coombs that Poor People should go to Work

Judge Houston, who was chairman at the Salvation Army meetings held in the Opera House on Sunday, was a very interested listener to the speech made by Mr. Coombs.

"The speech," the judge said, "I think, when he stated that poor people should be made to work, instead of the city taking care of them. That is a thing that I advocated when I was in the Council many years ago."

"At that time we had a Charity committee in connection with the work of the Council, and we had a lot of people on our list who never thought of working, but waited for the Council to take care of them."

At one place I visited shortly after I was put on the committee, there was a woman and her son, and a big dog. The dog would eat as much as a full grown man, and still the woman would not part with him, and wanted the city to feed the whole lot. The boy was in the habit of going down to the river, and having a good time, all at the city's expense. I told her that the help from the city would have to stop, and that she would have to put her boy to work. She was dumfounded at this and you would think that she was going to starve. The help from the city was cut off, but the woman did not starve. She got along just as well as ever.

"Another case was that of a middle-aged man who was counted a city pauper. There was nothing wrong with him, but he claimed that he could not find any work to do. He was told to get out and work, or starve, and he worked. He is today one of our steadiest citizens."

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Is not a secret or patent medicine, against which the most intelligent people are quite naturally averse because of the uncertainty as to their harmless character, but is a medicine of known composition, a full list of all its ingredients being printed, in plain English, on every bottle wrapper. An examination of this list of ingredients will disclose the fact that it is non-alcoholic in its composition, chemically pure glycerine taking the place of the commonly used alcohol, in its make-up.

The "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce is in fact the only medicine put up for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments, sold through druggists, that does not contain alcohol and that too in large quantities. Furthermore, it is the only medicine for woman's special diseases, the ingredients of which have the unanimous endorsement of all the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice, and that too as remedies for the ailments for which "Favorite Prescription" is recommended.

A little book of some of these endorsements will be sent to any address, post-paid, and absolutely free if you request same by letter, of Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Don't forget that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and delicate ailments, is not a patent or secret medicine, being the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated and graduated physician, engaged in the practice of his chosen specialty—that of diseases of women—that its ingredients are printed in plain English on every bottle wrapper; that is the only medicine especially designed for the cure of woman's diseases that contains no alcohol, and the only one that has a professional endorsement from more than all the so-called "testimonials" ever published for other medicines. Send for these endorsements at once.

They are free for the asking. If you suffer from periodical headache, backache, dizziness, pain or dragging down sensation low down in the abdomen, weak back, have disagreeable and weakening catarrhal, pelvic drain, or are in distress from being long on your feet, then you may be sure of benefit from taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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Too much rush and bustle, work and worry, fall to the lot of the average business man—his heart and nerve system will not stand it.

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SALE OF DREDGE WORK IN THE TOWNSHIP OF DOVER

Notice! About two miles of dredge work in the Hind Drain Outlet along the 12th concession road, west of Winter Line, will be sold by public sale at the Town Hall, Dover, on Monday, May 21st, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

JOHN WELSH, Township Clerk.

May 8th, 1906.

FOR SALE

New frame house in North Chatham, contains hall, parlor, dining room, kitchen, large pantry, wash room, one bedroom down stairs and two bedrooms and bath room upstairs, lot 40 x 100.

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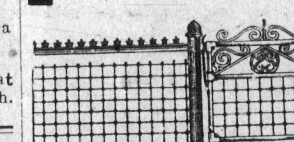
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A few timely hints:—

Our 72 in. half bleached Table Linen, regular 50c value at 42c yd.	Pure Linen Rollerings, dark or light colors, special per yard 5c, 6c, 7½c, 8½c.
Our 62 in. half bleached Table Linen, regular 50c value at 39c yd.	Special 18 inch pure linen crash toweling, extra heavy red tape borders, 12½c value 10c per yard.
One lot fine bleached Huck Towels, fringed ends, red tape borders, extra heavy, 22x43 inch, 25c value, special 18c each.	A special line of pure Irish linen Huck Towelings now in stock, pure bleached, 3 special numbers, 24 in. wide, 25c, 30c, 35c value.
27x27 inch pure linen dish wipers, plain centre of red and blue checked with red or blue borders, round thread weave, very absorbent. 15c values at 12½c each.	24 inch pure linen Tea cloth, red or blue border and checks, regular 15c value 12½c yard.
62 in. Bleached Tabling, pure flax, choice designs, satin finish, regular 60c value, 44c yd.	One lot new Satin Damask Tray Cloths, wide border, polka dot centre, size 20x30 inch, regular 75c value 50c each.
Our 70 in. pure bleached Table Linen, handsome designs, pure Irish Linen, 3 patterns to choose from. \$1.00 value, special 75c yd.	Special reduced prices on Tray Cloths, Pattern Cloths, Runners, Doilies and Lunch Cloths.
Extra Special 56 inch Cream Table Damask, very heavy, soft make, choice designs. Regular 40c value, special 30c yard.	

Carpet Sale Continues ALL THIS WEEK

So gratifying has our past ten days' sale proven that we have added more lines to the previous ones offered, and decided to continue all next week. There will be reductions in:

English Brussels \$1.10 value for.....	75c yard
Wilton \$1.50	1.18 "
Tapestries 90c	65c "
" " 65c	52c "
" " 40c	29c "
All Wool Ingrains 90c	79c "

Cut Prices in Many Room Size Rugs

If you use Carpets you should not miss this opportunity.

100 LACE CURTAIN SAMPLES

Purchased at a low rate, enabling our selling you curtains for short windows at about one-half regular value, dainty patterns in splendid nets at 35c, 29c and 25c each.



MEN'S SPRING CLOTHING

SOME FACTS WORTH THINKING OVER

A store for men. Main floor, with separate entrance on Market Street. We have a complete store for men as separate and distinct from the rest of the store as though it were in another establishment. It is on the main floor and has a separate entrance on Market Street. It is as convenient as a store can be. Its convenience has been widely appreciated by men who do not like to go through the aisles of a woman's store to find what they want. But it is the excellence of the clothing and not the excellence of the store which is the important fact. It is the excellence of the clothing which almost without an exception is bringing back here this season the man who bought clothes here last season. It is the excellence of the clothing on which we base our claim to your interest. Austin Clothes for Men are better than any other clothes which you can buy in Chatham for the same prices. Not that we have tried to cut prices down, but that we have raised the standards of style and workmanship. The idea has been to build up a men's clothing business which shall be permanent because of the permanent satisfaction which Austin Clothing gives.

We undertake, when you come to this store for men, to fit you exactly in a suit or overcoat of a pattern and fabric that will please you. We will fit you perfectly, whether you are short or stout or of regular build.

We undertake to satisfy you also as to the correct style of the suit or coat you choose—you will note many distinctive features which are our own and not to be duplicated in ready-for-service clothing.

We undertake also to guarantee that the suit you buy of Progress Brand, no matter what the price you pay will hold its shape and style until it is worn out. This is the basis on which we are doing the Men's Clothing business.

Progress Brand Suits from \$10.00 to \$16.50.

Special Business Suits from \$5.00 to \$10.00.

OUR GREAT ANNUAL SPRING PANT SALE

Is now in full swing. All this week special displaying and selling. Over 2,000 pairs of Pants to select from. Prices range from 75c to \$4.00.

See our special Working Pants at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.



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