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Births, Marriages and Deaths

BIRTHS. APPLEFORD-To Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Appleford, Wallaceburg, on Sunday Feb. 2, a daughter.

TO-NIGHT.

"D" Company drill, at drill hall, at

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock. Public School Board, City Council Chambers, Harrison Hall, at 8.

Carlyle Camp, Sons of Scotland, will meet to-night in their rooms at eight o'clock.

Mrs. Poole, of Detroit, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Chas, Austin, King

to-day attending the annual meeting of the London Life.

Mr. Tijou, of Chatham township,, sailed on Saturday for England to visit friends and relatives. Stove wood for sale cheap at Henry

Dagneau's office, over Dr. Ruther-ford's office. James Watt & Sons have been awarded the contract for the plumbing in Peate's Hotel, Merlin.

Remember the Citizens' Mass Meet ing at Harrison Hall on Wednesday evening. Everybody turn out and make the Old Boys' Re-union a grand

Walter Harland Smith, Toronto, will be in Chatham each Saturday for some weeks to purchase horses,, for which he will pay the highest cash prices.
6d 2w

Cowan's chocolate, cocoa and icings will be demonstrated at our grocery store in Chatham North on Wednesand Thursday. You are cordially in-vited to call and try them. Bennett & Dunn, grocers.

The valise lost in Dover on January 17th has not yet been returned. Any information that may lead to its recovery should be sent to The Planet office and the informant will be re-

SOME PEOPLE WILL TELL YOU

That they have the best chocolates and creams in the city, but we have just as good, and as great a variety. Try a box for Christmas.

H. A. Hall 108 King Street

Wanted-Young man with a know ige of press work at The Planet. Messenger Boy is wanted at Atkin-

son & Rispin's office. It is hoped that all the members and adherents of Christ church will be present at the annual mite box social this evening. No charge for admis-

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An important meeting of the W. C. T. U., will be held at the residence of Mrs. West, corner of West and Richmond streets, on Thursday, Feb, 6th, at 3 o'clock. Every member is requested to be present.

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Thos. P. Smith, of Oungah, wants to engage a good man by the year to work on a farm. He has a comfortable home for a married man with a small family, as advertised

Fifty years ago this month the business of Thomas Stone & Son was es-tablished. They intend celebrating the occasion with a grand whitewear opening and cotton sale, commencing on Thursday next.

"We were very much pleased with the design you sent. It was beauti-ful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Tele-phone No. 181.

Thomas Stone & Son will hold their annual whitewear opening and cotton sale commencing on Thursday next, 6th inst. They have made extensive preparations and expect to eclipse all evious efforts.

Miss Edwards, of Toronto, cordial-ty invites the ladies of Chatham to attend the demonstration of Cowan's cocoa, chocolate and icings at Bennett & Dunn's grocery on Tuesday, Wednesda and Thursday of this

The "Salada" Tea Co,'s new Toronto warehouse is approaching completion and will be a magnificent structure, a credit to the buildings of Toronto, There will be seven floors with a frontage of 40 feet by a depth of 213

It was a year ago last fall that Detective Charles A. Mahoney, of Windsor, arrested John Biddle, one of the notorious murderers, on a dredg in the river at Amherstburg, on charge of stealing a watch from widow living near Watford, Lambto county. The dredge was in the middle of the river and the detective came alongside in a tug. "Help me aboard," shouted the detective. A man's head and shoulders appeared over the side and shoulders appeared over the side of the dredge and a hand was extended to the officer, who clambered up on deck. "I'm looking for a man named John Biddle," said the oficer. "I'm your party," answered the man who had helped Mahoney on board. "Well, I've got a warrant for you and you're my prisoner," and the officer grabbed Biddle by the arm. "Well, what a d—n fool I was to help you up here," observed Biddle, appreciating the gram humor of the situation. Biddle was taken to Windsor, but the detective says that the prisoner's brother-in-law, a well known man in Detroit, came over and effected a settlement, which was made easy by the fact that the woman from whom the watch was stolen was too ill to appear in court.

WE WANT

To buy a house without the lot somewhere near Park and Adelaide streets. Have you one to sell? We have rented several houses during the past few days and have others tenants waiting. Have you a house to rent? Call on us. We have several comfortable house

for sale cheap. If you own a house and let which you would sell on the monthly pay-ment plan we have a buyer for it.

DUNN & MERRITT. Fire, Life and Accident Insurance. Office, Fifth Street, next to Old

Post Office.

Cream of Tartar

The Cream of Tartar we sell is guaranteed to be 98 er cent pure. This fact is worth consideration, especially when it is taken as medicine. For baking purposes it gives better satisfaction than ordinary Cream of Tartar but there is so much of it taken just now for medicine that you should be sure that you get the best on the market.

40c a Pound

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Druggists and Opticians

The C. P. R. snow plow was in th The way freight on the C. P. R. until late last night.

The representative of the Robinson & Merrill Pottery Co., of Akron, Ohio

was in the city yesterday.

A meeting of the Excelsior Band is called for Friday evening. All Hubert Robert returned to-day to Sandwich College, after visiting his A bunch of college students entertained friends last evening to a sleigh ride party and lunch at Hall's

A special meeting of the Park St. Methodist League will be held to-night to arrange for the "Old Folks" concert.

Assessors Gonne and Reid have finished their work in No. 1 Ward and will begin assessing the property in No. 2 Ward to-morrow.

Carlyle Camp, Sons of Scotland, will neet to-night in their rooms at eight o'clock. A good attendance is particularly requested

At a meeting of the Excelsior Band held last evening it was decided to dispense with the services of Dr. L. C. DeCow as leader and member of that organization. The arbitrators re the land ex propriated by the Lake Erie R. R. are in sitting in Ridgetown this week. County Commissioner Sifton, Judge McHugh and Judge Bell are the arbi-

The funeral of the late James Moore will leave his late residence, Head street, at 2.30 to-morrow after noon to Christ Church, when the Rev. Robert McCosh will conduct the burial service of the Church of England. The regular meeting of Parthenon Lodge, No. 267, A. F. & A. M., G. R. will be field in Masonic Hall, Fifth St., to-morrow evening. A good attend-ance of the members is requested, and

visiting brethren. Mother Clare, formerly the wellknown and highly respected principal at St. Joseph's Hospital here, but for the past eighteen months principal at St. Joseph's Hospital, Chatham, is reported to be dying of pneumonia.-London Free Press.

the officers will be happy to welcome

Mrs. J. M. Ballantyle, Bracebridge, eldest daughter of the late James Moore, Robert Moore, Hamilton, his eldest son, and Joseph Knight, sonin-law, Detroit, have arrived in the city to attend the funeral to-morrow On Saturday before the Master in Chambers at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, a motion was made by Wilson, Kerr & Pike, acting on behalf of Tilbury West, for an order directing that the solicitor and clients balls of costs, of J. B. Rankin, K. C., in the action of Sutherland vs. Romney, be referred to a taxing officer at Toronto for taxation. The motion was opposed by the Toronto agents of Mr. Rankin who asked that the bills be referred to the Local Master Judge Bell for taxation. The motion was dismissed and an order made directing that the bills should be taxed by Judge Bell.

HOW WOMEN SHOULD USE MEL-DIAN GIN.

If used as a medicament, women should take Melchers Red Cross Canadian Gin according to the following directions, which are given by a mos prominent West End doctor:-Mix one ounce of Melchers Red Cross Canadian Gin, with one ounce of hot water or milk, sweeten to taste and drink on retiring. Keep body well covered.

Theatrical

Few romantic plays have achieved the deserved success that has characterized the dramatization of Winston Churchill's novel, Richard Carvel, This was the attraction last evening at the Grand Opera House and, although there was only a fair attendance, those present enjoyed the production thoroughly. Andrew Robson was in the title role and he had a very accomplished ally in Miss Ruth Berkeley who impersonated with perfect understanding, Dorothy Manners, the spritely and evasive little coquette. The story is easily connected with the American revolution and the plot is based on the differences between the people of England and of the colony. It is an American play, by an Ameri-can author, and, of course, colored Americans crop up in climaxes and are discordant to our sentiments of loyalty. The entire company supporting "Richard Carvel" was exceedingly strong, the costuming was expensive handsome, and the scenic effects very appropriate, Not the least pleasing features of the evening were the selections of the Opera House orcheschestra, This combination is truly chestra, This combination is tru an excellent musical organization.

Catarrhal Poisons and Their Remedy

The poisonous secretions from Catarrh are dangerous because they affect the stomach and bowels, giving rise to an unhealthy condition of these organs. Catarrh is the source of much ill health and was considered practically incurable until it was demonstrated to the satisfaction of the medical profession that by the use of Catarrhozone any case of nasal or throat trouble can be permanently and quickly cured. Catarrhozone by its unusual merit has enlisted the support and endorsement of the most prominent medical authorities, who freely state that any one giving it a trial is sure to receive permanent benefit. Sold for \$1. Small size 25c. AtDruggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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Soups

Chicken soup, tomato soup, ox tail soup, vegetable soup, only 10c a can, enough in each can for six people, Try it.

A few of those prunes at 4 lbs. fo 25c left, also some of the 3 lbs, for 25 cents but both going fast. 1

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Insurance is one of the great blessings of the age, and the protection guaranteed by our order should commend it to every man who has the fu-ture welfare of his family at heart. Bro. Dr. R. V. Bray will give us an in-teresting and instructive address on Life Insurance, Friday evening Jan. 7. Our meetings are becoming more interesting as evidenced by the large attendance, Don't miss this treat,
Visiting brethren welcome.
W. S. APPLEFORD, J. R. SNELL,

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Composed of men and women that spend heart and soul in the vain effort to overcome a lack of vigor in the body. To replace inertia by vigor, to make good, red blood that will build up the system to have strong digrest. nerves, you must eat more, digest more, assimilate more. How can it be done? By using Ferrozone. It invig-orates, strengthens, possesses magi-cal health giving powers. Get Ferro-zone to-day and make yourself strong and well. Sold by McCall & Co.

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-Catarrh, an excessive secretion from an inflamed mucous membrane, is radically and permanently cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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GIRL WANTED—For general hou work. Apply at the residence of D. McKellar, Victoria avenue.

MAN WANTED—To work on a farm, married; house garden and water convenient; good wages. To work by the year. Apply to or address Thos. P. Smyth, Let 24, Con. 10, Dover and Chatham Town Line, Oungah P. O. 6d 2w

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Dress Goods Clothing C. AUSTIN, & CO.

The Rambler Finds Austin's A Busy Store At The Great Clearing Out Sale



In rambling through the store one almost has the feeling that comes in a home that is preparing for the visit of a guest. Everything is being put to rights. Merchandise that has occupied borrowed quarters is being pushed out. Regular lines are being assembled for inspection, and where not to be continued, are brought out and hurried

The general public cannot see these things except as the wares appear on bargain counters in this great department. Perhaps the temptation of these offerings would be doubled if they knew how arbitrarily reductions were made on goods that needed no price change except for expediency's sake.

On Sale This Week Special

Men's All-wool

Tweed Suits

Regular \$6.50 and \$7.50

To be cleared at \$4.95 single and double breasted styles, sizes run 34 to

Men's Dress Overcoats Reg. \$10 and \$9.50 lines

To be cleared at \$7.50 fine beavers, heavy chinchillas, gray cheviots, in I three-quarter and long raglan and raglanette styles, sizes range from 34 to 42.



NOTE all lines of Winter Goods at clear-

New Dress Goods and Trimmings

Are already at the Bargain Centre. Some of these lines have been very scarce. We have good ranges of the following:-

\$1.25 per yard.

SIIk Lustre, cream, pale blue, grays, browns, and navy, 44 in. wide, at 500 per yard.

Orepe de Ohene, fine all-wool, 44 in. wide, in all evening shades, at \$1.00 per yard.

Empire Oloth, black only, 46 in. New Cashmeres, 46 in. wide, in all the staple and evening shades, (3 shades of old rose) silk fluish, at 500 per yard.

Trimmings, our new trimmings include all the latest novelties in all-overs, appliques, sequins and passementaries. We also show a very pretty range or Lace Collars, priced from 25c per yd. up. It will be our pleasure to have you see these lines.

Whether you want a Carpet, a Rug, Curtains, Drapery or Upholstery, we will supply worthy and artistic goods such as any housekeeper may well be proud of.

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Have you all the Rugs you need? Remember 'tis rugs that give character to a home. A rich red rug glaring before the grate in the library; a large square in the dining room; a strip or runner in the hall—these afford a touch of elegance

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