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## TO-NIGHT.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock.  
Public School Board, office of T. C. Macnabb, at 8.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

John Harrington is quite ill.  
John Flock left yesterday for Detroit.

W. R. Phillimore left yesterday for the west.  
Mrs. W. A. Hadley and sons are in Amherstburg.

Fred Quick, of Park Bros., is in Bothwell on business.  
James Taft has returned from a week's visit in Toronto.

Mrs. Peter Morgan, Emma street, is in the Public General Hospital very ill.

Mrs. W. Simmons, of Comber, has returned home after a visit to Mrs. Neahr.

Park Bros. received consignment of 70 Dodge wood split pulleys by C. P. R. to-day.

There will be a special meeting of the school board to-night in T. C. Macnabb's office.

Park Bros. shipped a quantity of steel plate and wrought iron pipe to Hicketown to-day.

Dr. Thornton will lecture on Ireland and the Irish to-night at Park St. Methodist Church.

W. D. Bell, manager People's Life Insurance Co., of Toronto, visited J. J. Neahr, district agent, yesterday.

John Henderson and Tom Brady were in Sarnia yesterday inspecting some imported stallions with a view to purchasing.

Park Bros. received a car of pipe to-day direct from Glasgow, Scotland, by way of Boston; also some sheet steel from the same place.

Auction sale of household goods and furniture at the residence of Mr. Thrasher, Raleigh street.

Capt. H. Bourke, of the Seignior boys drill that took part in St. Patrick's concert last evening, was exceedingly good; much credit is due to them and their captain.

The degree staff of Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., having accepted an invitation to go to Blenheim, a good turnout of the orchestra and staff is called for Thursday evening.

John Peters, who has been in the employ of J. & J. Olden for the past 16 years, has resigned his position with that firm and secured a more lucrative one with the Chatham Gas Co.

Farmer Geo. Duff, River Road, Harwich, had a calf pasturing on the C. P. R. track in Sarnia. The express came along and knocked the calf off the track. Tom Balman and Pete Gaudion went over to hold a post-mortem but found the calf living.

## Eye Troubles!

The Eyes First Demand Your Care

The accuracy of eye-measuring is well-known. Although we make no charge for eye examination, we take time enough for each eye's requirements.

The Glass Comes Next

No ordinary lens, but the best to be had. We have all our lenses ground by one firm—a firm in whom experience has taught us to have great confidence.

We obtain accurate results with the aid of the latest appliances known to optical science. Nothing is done by guess. If you cannot help your eyes we always frankly tell you so.

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DRUGGISTS AND OPTICIANS

## BIG THROG

Immense Audience Gathered at the Grand for the St. Patrick's Concert.

St. Patrick was honored last evening by an Irish concert, given in the Grand Opera House, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Joseph's Church. The Grand was filled to overflowing with an audience which was delighted with the entertainment.

The children in the drills and singing did fine, and deserved their repeated encores. Special mention must be made of the excellent singing of Miss Edith Dolsen, Miss M. Gavin and Miss Belle Riddell. The selection given by the vocal quartette was also much enjoyed. The work of the orchestra and Miss Cornett was high class. The instrumental duet given by Miss and Master H. McDonald was excellent.

During the solo of Miss Gavin two strings on the harp, while Miss Brady was playing as accompaniment, unfortunately broke and the accident interfered with the work of the clever harpist.

Program was as follows:—

PART I.

Grand Opening Chorus—School Children.

Lecture, "Patriotism"—Very Rev. Father James O. F. M., P. P.

Shillalah Drill—Junior Boys of R. C. S.

Vocal Solo—Miss Edith Dolsen.

Selection—Orchestra.

Vocal Solo, "The Meeting of the Waters"—Miss M. Gavin.

Harp Accompanist—Miss A. Brady.

Piano Accompanist—Miss Cornett.

PART II.

Drill, "Shamrock Maidens and Irish Fairies"—School Children.

Cornet Solo, Selected—Mr. G. Philip.

Vocal Solo, "Rory Darlings"—Mr. J. Loe.

Vocal, "The Last Rose of Summer"—Misses Gavin, Marshall, Chevalier, Elliott, McVane, Dumas, Cornett, Phaneuf, Tremblay, Messrs, Weldon, Leech and Robert.

Inst. Duet, "Barndance"—Miss Laura and Master H. McDonald.

Vocal Solo, "The Harp"—Miss Belle Riddell.

Drill and Patriotic Song—Senior Boys of R. C. S.

God Save the King.

## MEMORIAL

Loyal and Sympathetic Citizens seek to Honor Mr. Hamilton's Memory.

The Hamilton Memorial subscription list, which The Planet found its privilege to suggest yesterday, is most spontaneous and ready response growing. Already it has met with a last evening and this morning many visited the office of this journal to add their names and contributions to the fund.

If the list continues to develop as it has commenced, it will be an easy matter to carry out the suggestion to erect some modest memorial to mark the last resting place in addition to assuming the cost of the obsequies. The funeral of the late Mr. Hamilton will take place to-morrow afternoon from Jahnke's parlors at 2:30 o'clock. The members of the Press and the Macaulay Club are requested to be present.

The donations received by The Planet towards the memorial fund up to two o'clock this afternoon were as follows:—

R. S. Woods	5.00
The Planet	10.00
Macaulay Club	5.00
S. J. Sutherland	5.00
Dr. Musson	1.00
Dr. Thornton	1.00
A. Friend	1.00
J. B. Rankin	2.00
W. Lambert	1.00
Wm. Ball (Vic. Ave.)	1.00
A. M. LaFerté	2.00
Banner-News	2.50
John Hoon	1.00
Isaac Smith	1.00
Canada Flour Mills Co.	2.00
F. Mack	1.00
E. Jones	1.00
R. S. Stevens	1.00
Dr. Holmes & McKeough	1.50
W. H. G. Colles	2.50
Misses May and Ida Colles	1.00
W. H. Harper	1.00

In forwarding his contribution Rev. Mr. Colles writes as follows:—

S. Stephenson, Esq.: Dear Sir—I am pleased that you have made an opportunity to show our respect towards the late Mr. W. V. E. Hamilton, and I enclose \$5.00, being \$2.50 on my own account and \$2.50 from Misses May and Ida Colles, towards doing a last kindness towards him and as a slight token of our high regard for him. He was always a gentleman.

Yours, etc.,  
W. H. G. COLLES.  
Chatham, March 18th, 1912.

## THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Through J. B. McGregor, stock broker, Northwood's Block, Chatham.

Chicago, Mar. 18, 1912

OPEN HIGH LOW CLOSE

Wheat—

May.... 74 1/2 75 1/2 74 3/4 75

July.... 75 1/2 76 1/2 75 1/2 75 1/2

Corn—

May.... 61 1/2 62 1/2 61 1/2 62

July.... 61 1/2 62 1/2 61 1/2 62

Oats—

May.... 44 1/2 45 1/2 44 1/2 45

July.... 36 36 1/2 35 1/2 36 1/2

Pork—

May.... 15 40 15 40 15 35 15 37

July.... 15 50 15 52 15 47 15 50

Lard—

May.... 9 37 9 40 9 35 9 40

July.... 9 50 9 50 9 45 9 50

Ribs—

May.... 8 40 8 42 8 40 8 40

July.... 8 50 8 52 8 50 8 52

Miss Belle Stewart, stenographer, in the Sutherland-Innes Co., spent Sunday at her home in Ridgeway.

## A Beautiful Picture...

Is the Queen of gifts. No matter what the occasion a picture is always received with delight. We have in stock a very choice collection of Pictures, framed and unframed, that would grace any home.

## Picture Framing

House-cleaning time will soon be at hand. Bring us your pictures to be framed. This department is in charge of Mr. Geo. Berube, well-known in the picture framing trade.

**Fine Collection of Moldings, prices reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.**

## DINGMAN'S Book Store

## PICKLES!

A bargain in pickles. At least we think so. We have a good Canadian pickle, put up in large bottles that we are selling at 15c a bottle, or two bottles for 25c. Remember, these are not the cheap 10c bottles of pickles that are only the refuse from some pickle factory. These 15c bottles are filled with No. 1 pickles, well mixed and in good vinegar. We think that you will be safe on two bottles of these pickles and when you have tasted them you will be back for more.

## CATSUP

Lots of that 5c catsup in stock again. An extra large bottle of No. 1 Catsup, as good as any Canadian Catsup, 20c a bottle.  
Finest California Prunes, 4 lbs. 25c.

All these bargains are in our window for your inspection.

## Geo. A. Young

Our Grocer

Phone 151

## Weldon's Anniversary Sale....

A bunch of Bargains in Cushion Tops this week.

150

Travellers' samples, latest designs, values from 50c to 75c, for your choice at 29c each.

50 of finer designs, value from 75c to \$5.00 each, reduced accordingly.

**Mrs. J. E. Weldon**  
King St.

## THE HIGH COURT

Court resumed this morning at 9 o'clock and the case of Brewer vs. L. E. & D. R. R. was continued and occupied the attention of the court all morning.

This case opened yesterday afternoon and will probably not be finished before this evening. The case came up last October, and after hearing considerable of the evidence it was postponed until this sitting of the court.

The evidence taken at the previous hearing was allowed as evidence at this sitting and is now being read to the jury. J. B. Rankin, K. C., appears for the plaintiff, and Mr. Coburn and M. Wilson, K. C., for the defendants.

True bills were brought in by the Grand Jury in the case of King vs. McLellan for indecent assault, and King vs. Charles Norrie, of Ridgeway, for theft.

The case of Brewer vs. the L. E. & D. R. R. is still in progress.

MONTH after Month a cold sticks, and seems to tear holes in your throat. Are you aware that even stubborn and long-neglected cold is cured with Allen's Lung Balm? Cough and worry no longer.

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Visiting brethren welcome.  
W. S. APPLEFORD, J. B. SNELL, Master Workman. Recorder.

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## DRESS GOODS | Cheviots and Serges

Novelties come, novelties go. New materials have their use, run their course, then disappear from the Dress Goods horizon. But through all the changes of fickle dame fashion, Cheviots and Serges continue to hold sway. That's because sense always triumphs over caprice. There are practical reasons that sustain their popularity. They are dressy, they are serviceable, they combine a quiet elegance with unmistakable price-cheapness. Nothing better for travelling wear.

All Wool black Cheviots, 46 inches wide 75c yard.	All Wool black Serges, 54 inches wide 75c yard.
All Wool black Cheviots 54 inches wide \$1.00 yard.	All Wool black Serges, 56 inches wide \$1.00 yard.
All Wool navy Cheviots, 46 inches wide, 50c yard.	All Wool navy Serges, 40 inches wide 25c yard.
All Wool navy Cheviots, 46 inches wide 75c yard.	All Wool navy Serges, 42 inches wide, 40c yard.
All Wool navy Cheviots, 54 inches wide \$1.00 yard.	All Wool navy Serges, 50 inches wide, 50c yard.
All Wool black Serges, 42 inches wide 25c yard.	All Wool navy Serges, 54 inches wide 75c yard.
All Wool black Serges, 44 inches wide, 40c yard.	All Wool navy Serges, 55 inches wide \$1.00 yard.
All Wool black Serges, 54 inches wide, 50c yard.	The foregoing goods are all steam shrunk and thoroughly sponged ready for the needle. Every yard is guaranteed not to shrink or spot.

## Another View of the Tailor-Made Suits

Just at this season of the year every woman's thoughts turn Suit-ward, and rightly too, for a well chosen Tailor-made Suit brings a note of change and contrast into the winter costume. Style and smartness are not necessarily expensive as these prices prove.

\$7.50—Of twilled Cheviot, popular styles, deep front, Eton jacket, black, grey, navy, skirt full flare, entire suit finished on edges and seams with rows of stitching.

\$10.00—Very stylish suits of broadcloth, Eton Jacket, lined with moccasin shirt seven gore, full flare, unlined, finished at the bottom with shaped band and stitched.

\$15.00—A distinct novelty in broadcloth, jacket is light fitting, with new skirt effect, finished with satin lapels, and bands, suit lined throughout, jacket with satin, skirt with percaleine.

16.00—A jaunty suit of black Venetian cloth, Eton jacket, black, effect, taffeta trimmed, satin lined; skirt is made with shaped flounce, deep in the back, and draped to the bottom of the front gore, trimmed with taffeta.

\$18.00—Tucked suit of Oxford Cover cloth, jacket is lined with satin and finished with stitched belt and lapels.

Skirt is stitched in clusters down to the flounce and finished with stitched band of cloth.



## Austin &amp; Co's. Clothing Department For Spring 1912

It would seem that a stock of goods notably the largest of its kind, so large indeed and so varied in detail and assortment, that its existence is warranted and made possible only by an assured large business back of it, would be the proper place to buy. Such stock embracing personally made selections from the best markets of the world, and the products of our most up-to-date factories, wherein abundant resources, the best skill and long experience are a guarantee for the highest results—awaits here the pleasure of the people of Chatham and vicinity in the Ready-to-wear Clothing line.

## Gentlemen Note!

37 doz. **Felt Hats, Spring 1912**, latest styles, just in, you save from 25c to 50c in buying your Hat here, see us.

**300 Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits Opened up this Week 300**

## MEN'S SWELL WORSTED SUITS

We have just passed into stock one hundred and twelve very handsome worsted suits in the leading effects for spring. Pretty olive, grey and brown shadings, in neat checks, overplaids and plain goods, made with the new cut four button sack coat, full front, high cut vest, also double breasted vests, sizes 34 to 44. There was never anything shown like them in value at \$12 and \$15, are now on sale at

\$10.00 and \$12.00

## BOYS' NOBIV 3 PC. SUITS

In neat grey checks, made from reliable all-wool tweeds, with single breasted coat and double breasted vest, for ages 10 to 16 years, a very well little suit, extra special value at

\$4.50

## BOYS' 2 PC. SUITS

Boys' Blue Serge and Pattern Tweed Suits, in single and double breasted styles, well lined and made for ages 5 to 13 years, humming values at

\$1.98 and \$2.50

**C. Austin & Co.,**  
THE BARGAIN CENTRE