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There are still hundreds of bargains in every style of Footwear for Men, Women and Children, and every shoe has a money-saving price.

20 Per Cent. Off Regular Prices on RUBBERS.

Men's Rubbers, all sizes, new goods, 68c
Boys' " " " " 56c
Ladies' " " " " 48c
Misses' " " " " 36c
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Special line of Men's Rubbers, in all sizes, 50c, while sale is on.

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

The event of the season—the opening of the great sale at Thibodeau & Co.

Miss Ethel Burnie, of Dresden, was in the city last evening. She attended the dance given by the Danemere Club.

As a rule the orator who uses the biggest words has the least to say.

Profanity is an acquired habit which can easily and profitably be put aside.

WINDSOR SALT is
the best Salt for Table
and Dairy—No adul-
teration—Never cakes.

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—FOR—
**GOOD GOODS, LOW
PRICES AND PROMPT
DELIVERY**

16 lbs. Montreal Gran. Sugar, \$1.00
1 lb. Special Blend Coffee, .25
3 lbs. Choice Selected Raisins, .25
3 lbs. Fancy Cleaned Currants, .25
Allen's Sweet and Refined Cider, .40
per gallon, .40
3 packages Armour's Minced Meat, .25
All 15c. Cereals, 2 packages, .25
New Nuts, mixed as you wish, .25
per lb., .25
4 lbs. New Dates for, .25
6 lbs. Cooking Figs for, .25
Tilson's Buckwheat Flour, 7 lbs 25c
for, .25

Choice Cooking and Table Apples.
Oranges, Bananas, Cranberries, Pumpkins, Squash, Carrots, Beets, Turnips, Parsnips, Celery, Lettuce, Cabbage, Sauerkraut, Turnips, etc.

**Chatham Table
Supply Co.**

Select Woolens

—FOR—
SPRING, 1905

OUR preparations for the approaching season have exceeded all former efforts. The larger part of our Special Importations have been passed into stock.

ALBERT SHELDRIK
Tailor and Woolen Merchant.
King St., Near Garner House.

JURYMAN FELL ASLEEP

A Trial in the Spring Assizes Lasted Until 12 o'clock Midnight

Justice Anglin Finally Dismissed Jury and Awarded Verdict Himself—Other Cases.

The Spring Assizes are still in session before Justice Anglin at the Court House.

The case of Mrs. Burbridge vs. Elliott & Co., of Ridgetown, for \$3,000 damages for an accident caused by falling on the defendant's property, was settled this morning. Mrs. Burbridge securing \$600 damages. Elliott and McDonald, Glenora, for plaintiff, and W. Mills, Ridgetown, for defendant.

The case of Labombard vs. the Chatham Gas Company was next taken up and was still in progress at the time of going to press.

In the case of Buebridge vs. Elliott & Co., the trial lasted until 12 o'clock last night. This was long past the bedtime of some of the juryman and, as a result, one of them was found to be sleeping through the examinations. In the end the judge took the case from the jury and awarded the verdict himself.

The case of Patterson vs. the London Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was settled out of court. Plaintiff settled for \$486, each party to pay their own costs. O. L. Lewis for plaintiff, McKay & Co., of Toronto, contra. This was a case arising out of the burning of A. H. Patterson's warehouse.

The case of Drader vs. Lang was laid over till the next court of competent jurisdiction, costs to be costs in case.

M. Houston, counsel for defendant, asked for the delay, as his client was too ill to attend. In addition, Mr. Lang's wife had died a short time ago and his child was lying at the point of death.

Judge Houston for the Chatham Gas Co., and M. Wilson, K. C., for the City, appeared against the decision of Judge Dowling, and asked that Mrs. Labombard be compelled to attend at her own expense and undergo cross-examination as to what her physician had told her. Judge Anglin allowed the appeal.

There were no criminal cases and Sheriff Gemmill presented Judge Anglin with a pair of white gloves. Judge Clute was sick and that was why Judge Anglin came in his stead. The reception prepared for Judge Clute would have been extended to his substitute as this was Judge Anglin's first appearance on this circuit, but the latter was ill himself and asked the bar to forbear. In addressing the Grand Jury he asked them to have their presentation in Tuesday morning so as not to delay and pile up costs. The Grand Jury was not obliged to visit any public building except the jail. The Grand Jury brought in the following presentment this morning:

To His Lordship Justice Anglin: In accordance with your instructions we, the Grand Jury, have visited the jail and found that there were only two prisoners in the custody of the waiting to be taken to the Central Prison and one said to be a lunatic.

The jail is clean and sanitary and bears evidence of proper care on the part of the officials of those under their charge.

We also visited the House of Refuge and found 42 inmates—32 men and 10 female. The keeper, Mr. Ripley, showed us through the house and outbuildings, which we found clean and carefully kept. The inmates having every appearance of comfort and contentment, the health of all the old people being remarkably good.

We regret that during the past year there have been a large number of burglaries and other crimes throughout the city, towns, villages and townships of the County. The perpetrators of the crimes have gone to a large extent unpunished. We would recommend that a provincial detective or other officers be stationed at Chatham whose duties it would be to investigate crimes taking place throughout the County, which officers should be placed under the direction of the Crown authorities. Under the present system constables can hardly be expected to do such duties when they are only paid by fees in event of success, and in event of failure are out their time and disbursements.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES BROWN,
Foreman.

A happy heart is better than a full purse.

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and Electric BATHS**

Massage, Electric Treatment and Physical Culture. Try my treatment for Rheumatism and Neuralgia. Address
W. N. Roberts,
Physical Culturist, Chatham, Ont., box 131
King St. opp. Bank of Montreal.

WEDDING STATIONERY
—The latest in Wedding Stationery and Cake Boxes can be had at the PLANT Office.

HE IS EMPHATIC IN WHAT HE SAYS

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Robt. Bond of Bright's Disease.

His Doctor Who Said There Was No Hope For Him, Now Pronounces Him Well—He Tells His Own Story.

Mt. Brydges, Ont., March 6.—(Special).—Among the many people in this neighborhood who tell of the great work Dodd's Kidney Pills are doing, none is more emphatic than that of and rescued citizen, Mr. Robert Bond.

"I believe I owe my life to Dodd's Kidney Pills," Mr. Bond says. "My attending physician said I was in the last stages of Bright's Disease and that there was no hope for me. Then I commenced to take Dodd's Kidney Pills and used in all twenty boxes. Now I eat well, sleep well, and my doctor says I am well. Dodd's Kidney Pills and nothing else cured me. Do you wonder I am always ready to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills?"

What will cure Bright's Disease will easily cure any other form of Kidney Disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills will always cure Bright's Disease. They are the only remedy that will cure Bright's Disease. Be sure you get Dodd's.

"NEW ERA" READY MIXED PAINTS . . .

A thoroughly good paint for outside or inside painting of every kind. Our enormously increasing sales prove that it is the best paint made. Let us send you a color sheet which all the colors you can possibly think of.

Covers, Wears, Looks Well.
All size cans, 1 Pints to 1 Gallons. See our display in our West Window.

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4 Doors East of Market

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SEASON
1905

New and Handsome designs just in, stock complete in every color and prices, better than ever. A call will please all.

**KENNY'S
BOOK STORE**

Extra Specials

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**FINE
FOOTWEAR**

Our great reduction in Shoes, etc., continues till the end of the month.

For the balance of the week we are offering Extra Bargains in all classes of footwear.

Call and see them.

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4 DOORS WEST OF MARKET

New Idea
Patterns 10c

C. AUSTIN & CO.

Dreaming
Rooms Open

How Do You Spend Your Life?

Did it ever strike you that about one-third of your life is spent in bed? There is no active person but can appreciate the boon of rest and sleep, and to get the best you should use

Our Royal Brand Bedding

We have the acme of perfection in that line in Cotton and Lambs' Wool Felt.

THE EMPRESS is more comfortable and will last longer than the best hair mattress. It is made from the purest selected cotton with long fibre, and snowy white, all felted by the latest and best felting process, which like everything else is constantly being improved upon, so much so that the felt mattresses of a few years ago are not to be compared with it. For sale only by us, price \$10.

THE MONARCH is a nice combination Felt Mattress which contains only pure, clean, elastic felt with curled palm leaf centre and will cost you only a very little more than you would pay for an old style mixed mattress, price \$7.50.

THE ART MATTRESS is made from pure curled fibre and cotton felt and is thoroughly sanitary, price only \$4.

For a good cheap mattress ask to see our No. 60, price only \$2.50.

The following guarantee goes on all our Felt Mattresses:

Vermin Proof Non Absorbent
Never Gets Lumpy Never Requires Remaking
Only ad Occasional Sun Bath

Turn-Over Collar and Cuff Sets

We offer to-day quite a large collection of Embroidered Turnover Collar and Cuff Sets, as well as some collars. The collars are nicely made, prettily embroidered, and are desirable in every way.

Collar and Cuff Sets, 25c. up to 75c.

Collars 5c. up to 50c.

Corsets, \$1 for 75c

3 dozen Ladies' Corsets, straight front, dip hip, all steel filled, front and side supporters, nicely trimmed.

Handbags at 50c

We are showing a special handbag, made of grain leather with braided handle, nickel trimmings, fitted with inside purse.

Ribbons, 25c for 18c

Pure silk Taffeta Ribbons, 4 inches wide in all the desirable shades for coming season, brown, blue, champagne, red, green, white, black, etc.

Hosiery 2 for 25c

Women's heavy cotton Stockings, full fashioned seamless, warranted fast black, sizes 8½, 9, 9½.

SPRING CARPET ANNOUNCEMENT.

We take pleasure in extending to every house-holder in Chatham and vicinity an invitation to our Carpet Rooms where we have gathered together such a worthy group of carpet values as must appeal to the lover of artistic and serviceable floor coverings, coupled with the fact that in no instance have we advanced a penny over last season's low prices.

Best English Wiltons

In all the new Spring effects of tone and color, fit for any drawing room, borders to match, at \$1.20, \$1.40 and \$1.50 a yard.

Select English Velvets

Always a strong line with this house in pretty color blendings, sure to please for both wear and appearance at our special prices, \$1.00 and \$1.15.

English Tapestry

Is shown by us in every needed quality, and we have in all over 50 of this season's newest productions, ranging in price from 25c up to 75c per yard.

Hoff Fibre Matting

The new Carpeting Hygienic and durable, soft, pliable, odorless, reversible, sews like a carpet, all colors thoroughly reliable, in article effects at 50c. and 55c. per yard.

Japanese Matting

We have just opened and can supply any grade from an assortment of 60 patterns, from 10c up to 50c. a yd.

English Brussels

4 FRAME QUALITY, a large range of dependable stock, always a sure winner at \$1.00 per yard.

5 FRAME QUALITY, we are unusually well supplied in this grade, that is recognized for excellence for service at \$1.25 a yd. Borders and stair to match many of both these lines.

English Axminsters

In pleasing variety the carpet of merit for taste and wear, special values at \$1.25 and \$1.50 per yard.

Ingrains

1 yard wide and reversible.
3 ply all wool in 4 very choice patterns at \$1.00 per yard.

2 ply all wool in 12 handsome designs, novelty effect at 75c, 85c and 90c per yd.

2 ply all wool in 9 tasty effects, clean accented yarns and full weights at 75c per yd.

2 ply wool filled, heavy and hard wearing in 10 nice designs, economically priced at 55c and 65c per yd.

2 ply unions in full width a wide range to choose from at 25c, 30c, 35c to 50c per yd.

C. Austin & Company

The Leading and Reliable Clothiers