

Cakes

We have at present the finest line of Cakes and would earnestly solicit all to call and inspect our assortment.

Special Lines for this evening.

W. S. Richards,
Confectioner

G. W. CORNELL
DENTIST

Cor. 6th. and King Street.
Over the Bee Hive.

TO-NIGHT.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F.
Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock.
Band Concert Excursion to Erieau,
leave C. P. R. station at 7.10.

PROP LITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto Sept. 9.—Strong winds and moderate rains from the westward, clearing and cooler.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Choice plums at Somerville's. All this week.

George Arnold and Leon Fisher, of the "Burg," were city visitors yesterday.

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F. Keenan left this morning on a visit to relatives in Kingston.

Will Walsh, of the 15th concession, Dover, spent Sunday with Maple City friends.

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Miss Mabel Sager, of Dresden, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. A. G. Peate. She left yesterday morning to visit relatives in Georgetown and Toronto.

Misses Gertrude and Ella McCubbin, who have been visiting Mrs. T. F. Brown, Selkirk St., for the past two weeks, have returned to their home in Leamington.

Miss Burns has opened classes in china painting. Studio, Thames St., opposite greenhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Merriam, Mr. and Mrs. James Arthur Merriam, and Mr. and Mrs. Lew Merriam, all of Detroit, came up in their gasoline launch from Detroit, and visited with friends and relatives in the city, returning Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McKishnie, have returned from Toronto, where Mr. McKishnie was attending the convention of the superintendents of the Scranton Correspondence School. They also attended the fair.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. T. F. Brown, Sept. 11th, at three o'clock. Each member is requested to present, as this is the annual meeting for reports of Superintendents and election of officers for the coming year.

The firemen were called out yesterday afternoon at five minutes to two, some boxes and a board fence at the rear of Peace's shoe store having caught on fire. It caught from a bonfire of old paper and rubbish. The fire was put out before any serious damage was done.

For Western Fair, London, W. E. Rispin will issue return tickets via Grand Trunk Railway, Sept. 19th, at \$1.95 each, and on Tuesday and Thursday, Sept. 18th and 19th, at \$1.55 each. All tickets good returning from London on or before Monday, Sept. 22nd. In addition to regular trains, special trains will leave Chatham at 8 a. m. Wednesday, 17th, and Thursday, 18th.

City Property For Sale

Two story frame house on brick foundation, contains double parlors, dining room, kitchen, pantry, upstairs, three bedrooms and bathroom with all fixtures in. Grate and mantle, gas, electric light, City water, cellar, stable. Price \$1250. A snap for the one who comes first.

Two story frame on Stanley Ave. Large lot and stable, 1250.

DUNN & MERRITT,

FIFTH ST. PHONE 207.

Night Watchman Wanted! Apply at once to Kent Canning Co.

WORLD OF SPORT

BASEBALL

In a very exciting game of baseball yesterday H. K. Merrifield's Park St. Swipers defeated Guy Burns' Mud Splashers by a score of 8 to 6.

The latest averages of the National League give Beaumont the lead in hitting, with 348. Then comes Crawford and Beckley, tied at 344; Seymour, 343, and Phillips, 333; this quartette with Cincinnati. — Detroit News.

The C. M. C. baseball team went to Tilbury yesterday with Miller and Hamilton as a battery. The management of the Tilbury team, it seems, were unable for some reason or other to get up a team to play the visitors and there was no game. It is said that Tilbury was afraid of Miller, but at any rate it was no way to use a visiting team.

Disraeli's Jokes.

Disraeli dearly loved a joke at the expense of others. An author who had sent his latest effort in fiction to him received the following complimentary acknowledgment:

"I thank you for the book you sent me and will lose no time in reading it."

"I wonder what makes my eyes so weak," a fierce Radical once said to Disraeli.

"It is because they are in a weak place," was the reply.

An incident in the life of the late Lord Rosslyn shows how acute was the sense of humor in Disraeli. "What can we do with Rosslyn?" he asked of a colleague.

"Make him master of the buck-hounds, as his father was," suggested the latter.

"No," replied the premier, "he swears far too much for that. We will make him high commissioner to the Church of Scotland." And such he was made. — Chambers' Journal.

The Pain of Sore Feet

Just about the most tantalizing of all pains comes from sore feet. To get relief bathe the feet in warm water and then rub them with Polson's Nerviline. It penetrates through the pores of the skin, rubs out the soreness, reduces swellings, invigorates the tired muscles, tones up the circulation, and prevents the feet from becoming sore again. Nerviline is a protection and safe-guard against the pains and aches of the entire family and cures rheumatism, neuralgia, toothache, &c.

25c.

Prussian Oil

is doing its work in this province where ever introduced as thoroughly and surely as it has been doing all over the Maritime Provinces and New England states where it is in universal use curing the ills that people are subject to.

Aches and Pains, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Toothache, La Grippe, Burns and Scalds.

Very quickly when used as directed. Many people in London, Mary St. Thomas, Ridge-own and Chatham, testify to its wonderful curative powers and say it is the best medicine they ever had in the house. 25c. Use it and prove it.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers

Rheumatism is a Constitutional Disease

The pain and localized conditions are mere results of constitutional conditions. Poisoned blood sends its evil influence to various parts of the body, and to cure permanently you must treat it constitutionally. Nothing so completely dispels these poisons from the system as Ferrozone. It makes new blood. It imparts vitality and vigor, enabling the system to throw off the poisons that engender rheumatism. Ferrozone also fortifies the system against the weakening effects of rheumatism, and cures, not simply relieves, as most medicines do. Sold by McCall & Co.

THE EASTERN FLYER.

Leaving Chatham at 5.08 p. m., daily, will take you quickly and comfortably to Toronto, arriving 9.30 p. m. Full man sleeper to Montreal, arriving 7.30 a. m. Excursion tickets to Toronto, are good on this train. Fair programs and information at ticket offices. W. E. Rispin, C. P. A., 115 King street; C. Pritchard, ticket agent, station.

The smart men of the world are those who put their shoulders to the wheel.

Sweet traits grow from bitter seed.

DR. A. W. THORNTON
DENTIST.

D. D. S. Toronto University.
Office—First Door East of Standard Bank
Telephone Office 34.
Residence 25.

Personal Pointers

W. D. Sheldon is in Toronto.

Fred Palmer has gone to Toronto.

Chas. Wagner was in Cedar Springs on Sunday.

Wm. Bernard, of London, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. Small left yesterday morning for Toronto.

John Flook left yesterday morning for Sandwich.

Misses Bechard and Dillo are visiting in Toronto.

Miss Laura and Ralph Ingalls spent Sunday in Dresden.

A. W. Graham, Grey street, leaves to-day for London.

S. C. Hangerford, of Hamilton, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Miss Lillian Pratt returned yesterday from a tour of Europe.

Miss Gertrude Prescott spent Sunday with friends in Wallaceburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell, of Louisville, left yesterday for Toronto Fair.

Horace Davis has returned from a two weeks' vacation in Mitchell.

Harry Underwood, of London, is calling on his Maple City friends.

Clayton Gammage has returned from a month's visit in Toronto.

S. M. Nix, of McKay's Corners, was registered at the Garner last night.

Jos. M. Harrison, of Wallaceburg, visited Chatham friends yesterday.

Chas. Bowers, of Carmel & Bowers, spent Sunday at his home in Elberta.

Miss Josie Colwell, of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor on Saturday last.

Lec. Heath and Fred Sowerby are attending the Toronto fair for a few days.

Hugh Kerr has returned from visiting his brother, Dr. Kerr, in All City.

A very valuable four-year-old driving horse of E. R. Putnam, died on Friday.

Miss Belle Cameron has returned from a week's vacation in Cedar Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jewell, left yesterday for Toronto, to attend the exhibition.

M. Miller, of Tampa, Florida, who is visiting in London, spent last week with friends here.

Fax Foy of the Wm. Gray & Sons office, spent last week in Buffalo and other western points.

Tom Price, of the G. T. R. offices, left yesterday afternoon to spend a couple of weeks in Montreal.

Mrs. Henry Burrows and grandson, of Adelaide, are the guests of her son, W. G. Burrows, Victoria avenue.

R. S. and John E. Middlemitch, of Ridgeway, spent yesterday with friends and relatives in the city. R. S. left yesterday morning for Detroit.

O. L. Lewis will leave Thursday to attend the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., at Des Moines, Iowa, which assembles in the western city next week.

MEN AND WOMEN WANTED

100 women wanted at once to pare apples; also 50 men and boys. Call at Park St. or Park Avenue West Evangelists. Mahler Bros. 2d

Chloroform and Ether.

A writer in the Lancet reports on the administration of chloroform in 42,978 cases, with 33 fatalities, or one in 1,300, and on 37,277 ether cases, with only four deaths, or one in 9,319.

Holland's Barber.

In Holland a first class barber charges the equivalent of 6 American cents for a shave and 12 cents for hair-cutting.

A Tramps' Paradise.

A paradise for tramps would be the Brazilian state of Sergipe. There a man can put up his mud hut anywhere. He has an abundance of fruit, such as the banana, jaca, calu, etc. The tidal rivers are full of fish, shrimp, crabs and oysters, and the woods abound with game.

A Tiny Model.

So small is a working model of a steamship made by a mechanic of Frankfurt-on-Main that it will go into a matchbox.

On the Trail of Fame.

"And now that you are through college what are you going to do?" asked a friend of the youthful candidate.

"I shall study medicine," was the brave reply of the young man.

"But, isn't that profession already overcrowded?" asked the friend.

"Possibly it is," answered the knowing youth, "but I intend to study medicine just the same, and the friends of Mr. So-and-so will have to take their chances."

Hat Etiquette in Sweden.

It is the custom of most countries in Europe to hold the hat in the hand while talking to a friend. In Sweden, to avoid the dangers arising from this during the winter, it is no uncommon thing to see announcements in the daily paper informing the friends of Mr. So-and-so that he is unable, through the doctor's orders, to conform to this polite usage.

Washing Powder

At present there are a great many Washing Powders on the market, all claiming superiority over all others. We have 2 or 3 new ones, but have tried them first and can recommend either one to you. Our latest is **Cyclone**, a powder especially adapted to curtains or fine goods, as it does not require rubbing so that the articles washed last that much longer—Naphtha, another powder that has no equal for washing clothes. We also have Electric Soda Powder, Pearlina, Gold Dust, all these powders have proven themselves **First-Class**.

Geo. A. Young
OUR GROCER
Phone 151

INAUGURAL CEREMONIES

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the boy who makes the best use of his spare moments in good reading and study who is going to climb up."

PRINCIPAL PATERSON.

D. S. Paterson, principal of the Collegiate Institute, spoke briefly and to the point. Mr. Paterson is a platform speaker of considerable experience and renown, and his speech yesterday was listened to with great interest.

"It augurs well of Chatham that notwithstanding the attention given to its manufacturing and commercial concerns, and its prosperous merchants who are continually adding to their stocks and stores, the educational interests of the city have by no means been neglected. We have eight educational concerns in the city, of which we have great reason to be proud not only for their material equipment but for their excellent staffs of instructors. A child, however, cannot finish his education in the schools. We teachers can only educate young men and women to a certain point. It is after they leave school that they get the greater part of their education. Someone has spoken of wasting time by reading. This is a mistake. Good reading is a great factor in the education of our boys and girls. Fiction is all right—the best class of it—but don't let us stop at fiction. We should turn to a higher class of literature such as history, etc."

He concluded by referring in complimentary terms to the Librarian, Mrs. Robinson, and hoping that the new building will be made as attractive as possible.

PRINCIPAL PLEWES.

J. W. Plewes, principal of the Central school, then gave a capital short address. In it he advocated the scheme of uniting the school libraries with the public library. This is a good suggestion, and will no doubt be acted upon by the Board.

MR. SHELDRIK.

Albert Sheldrick, the man who is, possibly, more than any other, responsible for the erection of the new Library, was then called upon and made a short impromptu speech. The people of Chatham are indeed greatly indebted to Mr. Sheldrick for the Library. As was brought out in his remarks, the suggestion of asking Carnegie for the funds for the Library was made to him by Chas. Dignam. Mr. Sheldrick thought it a good idea and acted upon it, with the result that the Library was obtained.

This concluded the speeches of the day and the gathering was dismissed by three cheers for Andrew Carnegie, led by the chairman, Dr. Charteris.

A WISE IDEA

To get your old carpet manufactured into beautiful durable rugs, at prices that are right. Call and see samples. Factory opposite Piggott & Son's lumber office in J. & J. Oldershaw's block.

THE CHATHAM RUG FACTORY.

LATE LITERARY NEWS.

It is risking something to ask the place of a piece of fiction alongside of Poe's best work. The editor of The Cosmopolitan ventures this in the following note, which appears in the September issue: "One does not often find a story which seems to come in the classification of Edgar Allen Poe's best work. Yet one might be tempted to ask such a place for 'The Canonic Curse' which Arthur E. McFarlane contributes to The Cosmopolitan for September."

Unpaid Taxes.

The collector intends closing the rolls in a few days and it will then be necessary to issue warrants for all unpaid taxes. If you have not already paid do so at once and save costs.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Chatham's Cheapest Store | **C. AUSTIN & CO.** | Chatham's Greatest Store

Autumn Costumes

Women's costumes supply a test by which to gauge the progressive spirit of our Ready-made department. It is only the 8th of September and yet you may find now on display an ample prophecy of the Autumn fashions.

Customers have a right to expect an early showing of Fall costumes.

Suggestion, not description, marks our notice of these novelties. They are merely intended as an introduction to this whole collection.

At \$13.50 Costume of blue zibeline, strapped on bodice and skirt, with fancy black silk braid. The jacket is in blouse form, the ample collar is trimmed with silk braid and buttons. The skirt is finished down seams with double rows of stitching.

At \$18.00 Suits of black or brown camel's hair zibeline trimmed with rows of very narrow black and white braid and stitching, blouse jacket, collar, the new sleeves produce an effect both novel and charming. Skirt has a graduated flounce and is nicely trimmed.

At \$10.00 Black, brown, gray or navy suits with blouse or close fitting jackets, pretty flare skirts, jackets and skirts nicely finished with straps, stitching and buttons.

This Week's Specials

At The Bargain Centre
Staple Department.....

500 yards, heavy English prints, in blues, browns, pinks and lilac shades, choice patterns, fast colors, reg 10c, selling at a yd.....	8c
16 inch red checked glass cloth, heavy quality, good value at 6c, selling for per yard.....	5c
At 40c per yd, reg 50c, unbleached table damask, pure linen, choice designs, superior finish, 64 inches wide, selling at per yard.....	40c
1 case shaker flannel remnants, from 5 to 12 yds in a piece, dark and light, fancy stripes, reg 7c and 8c quality for per yard.....	6c
reg 9c, 10c, 12½c quality for per yard.....	7c
3 pieces very choice fancy pink striped shirt waist gingham, extra fine quality, 32 inches wide, reg 20c value, selling at per yd.....	15c
5 only, 8 x 10 pure bleached pattern table cloths; assorted patterns, pure linen, border all round, marked price \$1.75, selling at.....	\$1.40
5 only, special value, pattern table cloths, assorted patterns, full bleached, 8 x 10 size, fine finish, marked price \$1.50, selling at each.....	\$1.15