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## 108th... MILLINERY OPENING ..ON..

WEDNESDAY,  
MARCH... 28

AND FOLLOWING DAYS.....

This is the 108th time we have had the privilege of extending to the people of our good city and county a cordial invitation to attend our Millinery Opening. Each season we endeavor to surpass the last in the excellence of our display, and this season we have spared no efforts to present to you the most elegant display of Spring Millinery ever shown in Chatham. Come and see. We will be pleased to show you through.

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P. S. COATE, Esq.,  
Manager Chatham Gas Co.

Dear Sir,—I have used Coke in my furnace for several seasons, and find it twenty-five per cent cheaper than hard coal. It has not damaged the fire pot and has proved satisfactory in every way. I can heartily recommend it.

Sincerely yours,  
D. S. PATTERSON

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Also a full range of

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For the next two months the store will be open every Saturday evening from seven till eight o'clock—for one hour only.

### The T. H. Taylor Co., Limited

ADVERTISE IN THE PLANET

## SCOFF AT HIS LOVE

Kent Bridge Youth Gets the  
Girl—Others Get  
Jealous

### SHOULD GO TO ST. THOMAS

"Thou shalt not make fun of thy brother," is a commandment which a prominent resident of Kent Bridge thinks should be added to the ten already laid down. His reason for this belief is because his son is a great sufferer. A number of his so-called friends have lately taken to "fishing" him, all because of the fact that he is at present keeping company with a young (f) lady, who is said to be old enough to be his mother.

That such an outrageous thing could exist in this civilized and free-thinking country is, to put it mildly, an outrage. Surely a young man has the right to go with whomsoever he pleases. Has it come to the age where the practice of match-making shall become general, and compulsory? Why should a young man, possessed with all natural impulses and discriminations, consult the whole neighborhood in which he happens to live, before he finally selects the girl whom he pledges to take for better or for worse? It is a disgusting thing—nay, it is extremely repulsive. The young man should be upheld in his righteous indignation.

This was the opinion of the police authorities, as expressed to the young man's father when that gentleman consulted with them to find out what should be done in the matter. It was the unanimous opinion that the case should be brought before Judge Houston.

These obtrusive young men, who are usurping the rights of their fellow companion, should be taught to attend to their own love affairs to the exclusion of all others. If there are not enough young girls in the neighborhood to go around, let some of the less fortunate ones seek other pastures. They might go to St. Thomas. There are lots of maidens in that burg who would be glad to see a young man coming around. It should not make so very much difference whether the said maidens are beauties or not—and besides, young men who are so evidently "out of it" as those at Kent Bridge seem to be, should not be too particular.

There is, however, one satisfaction, the joshing does not injure the young man's chances with the girl. She does not seem to mind it in the least—it is said she revels in it. The young man's father also does not seem to be very much annoyed. The lover apparently is the only one who is incensed to a very great degree; but, after all, his feelings should be the most important of the lot. Isn't he the one who will have to do all the work and supply all the money later on? This is the happiest time of his life and he should be allowed to enjoy it to the very fullest extent.

Some of these "joshers," according to the story told to the police, are old enough to know better. It seems that the old men are taking a hand in the game. Maybe their object is to discourage the youth, knowing their own unfortunate experience with matrimonial chances. The complaint, however, has been lodged with the proper authorities, and an attempt will be made to bring about such a state of affairs that the young man will be able to continue his courtship, unmolested, and in perfect and peaceful bliss and happiness.

### CHATHAM BOY MARRIES

The issue of the Buffalo Courier of yesterday has the following, which will be of interest to many Woodstock people: "The marriage of Ruth Catherine Heinhold to Mr. John Herbert Anderson will be solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Minnie Heinhold, of Plymouth avenue, on Wednesday, March 21st. On account of a recent death, only immediate relatives will be present. Mr. Anderson formerly resided in this city, being an operator in the C. P. R. office here. He is now travelling agent for the Pere Marquette Railway in Buffalo—Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

Mr. Anderson mentioned in the above is a Chatham boy. His father is engaged at the Wagon Works and lives on Barthe street. His many friends here will join in congratulations.

### WAS ADJOURNED

The preliminary hearing in the case against a young man named Burr, who is charged under the Chatham Act, was held before Judge Houston this morning. It was adjourned until next Thursday.

## LICENSE COMS. FIRST MEETING

The Newly Appointed Board  
Organize For  
Business

### TWO REQUESTS MADE

The newly appointed West Kent License Commissioners held their first meeting in Harrison Hall Saturday afternoon. Those present at the meeting were Commissioners Wilson, Drew and Rankin, Inspector Massey and Solicitor Stanworth.

The first order of business was the selection of a chairman and secretary. Mr. Wilson was appointed chairman and Mr. Massey secretary.

The newly elected chairman made a short address, thanking his associates for the honor they had done him, and said that he hoped that all would now run smoothly, and that the members of the Board would get along harmoniously. He also laid stress upon the heavy responsibilities, which were reposed upon the License Commissioners in the course of their duties. He earnestly hoped that the wishes of the people would be carried out by the Board, regardless of the personal feelings of the members of that body. They were appointed by the Government to do the business of the License Commission in a business-like way. He was confident that the members of the Board would adhere to only that which was right and fair.

Mr. J. M. Pike, solicitor, made application for a hotel license for Mrs. Ethel M. Fairbanks, of the Tecumseh House, for the balance of this term, which is till the first of May, when the license expires. By doing this, the license would be carried over till the term expired, and at that time the Commissioners could do as they deemed fit. If they thought the hotel worthy of a license, they could then grant a license for the current year, if not they simply need take no action. Mr. Pike intimated that the hotel might be sold at the end of the term, that would be of course subject to the approval of the License Board.

The Inspector stated with regard to the matter, that it would be quite in accordance with the regulations of the department to cancel the license granted to Wm. Fairbanks, and grant one good till the first of May, to Mrs. Fairbanks in its place. It was merely a matter of keeping the license alive till the end of the term, and then should the hotel be in the possession of the proper man the granting of a license could be considered.

There was considerable discussion among the Commissioners, they wishing to thoroughly understand the whole matter before taking any action.

It was moved by Commissioner Drew, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, that the license granted to Wm. Fairbanks, be declared void, and that Mrs. Ethel M. Fairbanks be granted a license for the Tecumseh House, for the balance of the present term.

Application was also formally made for a license for a hotel for colored people exclusively. This application was made by Mr. S. B. Arnold, who claimed that hotel for the colored citizens of Chatham and the surrounding was a necessity, as colored people coming to the city, at present, had no place to stop while here. The establishment of a hotel would be a great convenience for the colored people.

The proposed site for the hotel is on the market. The Commissioners did not favor such a location, but promised to give the matter their consideration. No further encouragement was given the matter, but it will most likely come up at a subsequent meeting, and if a proper site and building be selected, a license may be granted.

There being no other matters before the Board, they adjourned to meet again at the call of the chairman.

### S. S. TEACHERS' RALLY

The twelfth fortnightly meeting of the city Sunday school teachers will be held on Tuesday next at eight p. m. in St. Andrew's school room. Mr. Simon, of the Bank of Commerce, will lead in the discussion of "The Discipline of the Sunday School," and Mr. Paterson will teach the lesson "The Last Days of Christ." The class will please study pages 32, 33, 37 and 37, Ham 11.

### GENTLEMEN WHO ARE BALD.

Or have thin hair, should call on Prof. Dorenwend, at Garner House, Chatham, on Wednesday, April 4th, and see his wonderful devices in Toupees and Wigs worn on over 75,000 heads. Explanation and demonstration free. Private apartments at Hotel. Don't fail to see his new invention, patented all over the world.

Industry is the mother of good luck.

## LOTS OF WORK FOR INSPECTOR

Forms For Applications for  
Licenses Contain Many  
CLAUSES

### QUESTIONS ARE MANY

The new application forms, which must be completed with in the granting of hotel licenses for the coming year, have just been issued to the several boards throughout the Province. The facts must be gathered in writing by the inspector, and the form is most thorough, characteristic of the splendid regulations enforced by the Whitney Government. The following is a list of the questions which must be answered, the blanks having to be filled in in each case.

License district of .....  
Municipality of .....  
Name of applicant .....  
Name of hotel .....  
No. of stories .....  
Brick or stone .....  
Name of owner .....  
Annual rental .....  
What rental could be obtained for same amount invested in ordinary commercial property in the immediate locality .....  
Actual value of the premises .....  
Assessed value of the premises .....  
No. of bedrooms .....  
How furnished .....  
No. of sitting rooms .....  
Now furnished .....  
No. of sample rooms .....  
Where is the dining room located .....  
Is it clean and suitably furnished

What is the condition of halls and entrances .....  
Bar-room size .....  
Condition .....  
No. of entrances to bar from interior .....  
Describe other openings to bar, such as slides, hoists, etc. ....  
Describe adjoining rooms or compartments, used as drinking rooms .....  
No. of entrances from streets other than the bar .....  
No. of bartenders .....  
If no regular bartender is employed who serves the liquors .....  
No. of other employees .....  
For what purpose .....  
Washrooms, No. ....  
Describe lavatories for men .....  
Condition of same .....  
Describe lavatories for women .....  
Condition of same .....  
General appearance and state of repair, exterior .....  
Condition of interior, as to cleanliness, furniture, etc. ....  
Condition of cellar .....  
Stabling for horses .....  
No. ....  
Shed room .....

### THE APPLICANT.

Married or single .....  
Has he been convicted for violation of the law during the past twelve months .....  
Have complaints been received against the house or applicant (other than stated above) during the past twelve months? If so, of what nature? .....  
How long has he been in charge of the house .....  
Does he properly conduct hotel—Do you consider the applicant a suitable person to keep hotel .....  
What class of trade does he cater for .....  
What experience has he had as an hotel keeper .....  
Three copies of this report have to be made on each application for a tavern license, to be filled out by the inspector, one copy to be kept in the inspector's office, and two copies are to be forwarded to the license branch before April 10.

As the report will be checked by a general officer, inspectors are required to give full and accurate information.

### MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

The regular monthly meeting of the Ministerial Association was held this morning at the home of the secretary, Rev. F. E. Malott. The following ministers were present:—Revs. Dr. Battisby, W. L. Rutledge, J. W. Hodgins, J. R. Peters and F. E. Malott. Another discussion took place on the subject of the posting of indecent and vulgar show bills on the bill boards of the city. It is to be explored that the proper authorities do not take steps to suppress this evil. These posters are offensive to the large majority of the people of the city and cannot but do harm in feeding the evil imagination of the young.

The secretary gave a resume of the Life of St. Patrick by Prof. Bury, of Cambridge, which was followed by a profitable discussion on early church history. At the next meeting Rev. Dr. Battisby will give account of the early history of Christianity in Scotland.

The more we study the more we discover our ignorance.

Anxiety never yet successfully bridged any chasm.

## WALLPAPER



Exclusiveness is, next to quality and value, a feature of the stock of Wall Paper we offer you. This is, we think, the reason why we are selling so much of it this season. You can get from us something that you will not find anywhere else; something that will harmonize with your carpets and furniture and this is not to be overlooked in the selection of paper. We have opened up a new lot of room mouldings in embossed designs, tinted to match on new Spring papers and picked out in gold—just the thing with a pretty paper border and ceiling to make a perfect room. The cost is a bagatelle compared with the result in your decorations. Sulman's Beehive, the store with the stock.



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for dainty women.

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