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WM. FORMAN &amp; CO.

A Window Full  
of New Corsets

## A SATURDAY OF SPECIAL INTEREST

This store is filled with new Spring Merchandise. You'll enjoy looking at new goods, and it is because this store can satisfy that pleasure that it will be interesting to you Saturday.

### LINENS! LINENS!

Saturday is the last day we have the Linens in the Millinery Department. We would urge you to see the beautiful Linens we show at this store on Saturday.

#### Extra Linen Values

- 72 inch Unbleached All Pure Linen Tabling, in two good designs, at per yard.....50c
- 60 inch All Pure Linen Tabling in splendid patterns, per yard.....45c
- 46 inch Union Damask Tabling in good patterns, per yard.....35c
- A few slightly imperfect Satin Damask Napkins at a discount of 25 to 30 per cent.
- Slightly imperfect Cloths at a discount of 20 to 30 per cent.

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#### THE LATE WM. BALL

The funeral of the late Wm. Ball took place from the family residence at the corner of Stanley street and Hall Mines road, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30. The members of Kootenay Lodge, No. 16, I. O. O. F., attended in a body and the services were taken by Rev. F. H. Graham. The pallbearers were Jas. Bulger, Geo. Steel, David Proudfoot, Chas. Longhurst, Geo. Horstead and J. A. Gilker. The interment took place in the city cemetery, Nelson, B. C., Daily Canadian.

Among the floral tributes were a wreath from the Ashdown Hardware Company, a cross from the Rebeccas, three links from the Oddfellows, and a wreath from the Foresters.

Deceased was a former Chathamite but left this city for the west about thirteen years ago.

The voluble talker occasionally gives out a gem of thought.

Silence may become oppressive when carried to an extreme.

#### BRIDGE IS CLOSED

The Aberdeen bridge will be closed for some time, to allow the contractors to complete the work of strengthening the structure for the Chatham, Wallaceburg & Lake Erie Railway.

During the time that the bridge is closed, which will be probably three or four weeks, the cars will run as far as the Blonde corner, where passengers will get on and off. It will be necessary for the people to get to the corner via the Fifth street bridge, as the Aberdeen will not be in shape for even pedestrians.

The men have been working on the bridge for a month, and will now soon be completed. They have completed the concrete abutments, and are getting ready to have the bridge re-planked. All of the steel has arrived and everything is in readiness to push the work along as rapidly as possible.

Don't champion a cause until you have heard the other side of the trouble.

## FAREWELL TO MRS. BURROUGHS

Friends gather at her Home and give Her Very Hearty Send-off

#### GOING TO NORTH WEST

Last Wednesday night about one hundred guests assembled at the home of Mrs. W. J. Burroughs, Kent Centre, to bid farewell to her and her family before they leave for Chaplin, Sask., to join Mr. Burroughs, who is keeping a general store in that place. A very pleasant evening was spent in dancing and cards, after which Mrs. Burroughs was presented with a dozen silver knives and forks and Mr. Burroughs a beautiful fur cap, also an address, as follows:

Dear Mrs. Burroughs,—We, your friends and neighbors, hearing of your early departure for the West, have met to spend a social evening with you in your home, and to wish you every success and happiness in your new place of abode. We have always found you a woman of genial manner and an excellent neighbor, and of Mr. Burroughs we may say that he was considered an honest and progressive citizen and always ready to help in any cause which he thought was for the good of the country at large. We are confident that you will soon make new friends where you go, and we ask you to accept these for yourself and Mr. Burroughs as a reminder of the friends left behind and as a slight token of our respect for yourself and family.

Signed on behalf of S. S. No. 2, Harwich.

LANGFORD LOWES,  
JOHN RICHARDSON.

#### Special Matinee To-morrow

There will be a special matinee for ladies and children, of moving pictures, illustrated songs and vaudeville acts at the Briscoe Theatre to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Special funny pictures for the children. Price of admission to all only 5 cents.

Any person contemplating a trip to Europe during the present season would consider their interests by securing accommodation at once, as the boats are all being filled. W. E. Rispin, passenger agent, 115 King street, is agent for every line crossing the Atlantic and will be pleased to book your order.

#### PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Sometimes farmers say it does not pay to advertise auction sales in The Weekly Planet, but if they had attended the Edward McKerral sale in Chatham Township last week they would have seen several bidders from Lambton County, who saw the advertisement in The Planet. The Planet is safe in saying that the eight dollars invested in The Planet brought Mr. McKerral over \$150 additional to his sale, or even more than that amount.

#### FOUR BRANCHES

The Lyons Tailoring Company is opening a branch store in this city next to the Grand Central Hotel and directly opposite the Opera House, on Thursday, 14th inst. This makes four stores this firm operates—one in Hamilton, one in Brantford, one in St. Catharines. The growth of this concern's business is striking evidence of what good goods, good work and fair dealing can do. The Lyons Company buys all of its cloth direct from the manufacturers and sells for cash only. This enables it to sell for a lower figure, and with expert cutting and making combined with the low price it has built up one of the largest merchant tailoring businesses in western Ontario.

#### GOT HIS SUPPER

John Mannix was the sole occupant of the prisoner's dock at Police Court this morning. John's face is not an unfamiliar one in Police Court circles. He has been there before. John Barleycorn is his worst enemy.

Last night John was hungry. He had been on a spree all day, and spent his surplus cash. He therefore didn't have the where-withal to pay for the square meal which his empty stomach kept persistently telling him he needed.

John roamed around town for some time, till the savory smell of cooking suppers, to which he had not been invited, made him desperate. He dropped into Bower's restaurant, and ordered up oysters and bread and butter. The oysters made him feel very good, but the inner man satisfied, John found he had still another man to satisfy. This was the restaurant man, who politely asked for his pay. John made a minute investigation of his pockets, but failed to locate anything of greater value than a few buttons.

This morning Mannix appeared before Judge Houston on a charge of obtaining his supper under false pretenses. He told the Judge he could not remember anything about the affair. He said that he must be guilty, and elected to be tried at once. His supper and spree cost him 21 days in the common jail at hard labor. The Judge told him he did not wish to see him up again, for it might go harder with him next time.

Mannix is an English emigrant, who came out to this country some time ago. He said that he had been working as a farm laborer up the creek and around Ridgeway.

The measure of the love of God is to love without measure.

## QUAIL FOR KENT COUNTY

N. H. Stevens Intercedes With Hon Dr. Reaume On Interesting Question

#### A VERY PLEASANT TRIP

When in Toronto on Monday N. H. Stevens spent some time with Mr. Kelly Evans, Secretary of the Game and Fish Protective Association of Ontario, giving him resolutions, petitions, etc., from the Chatham branch association.

The Hon. Dr. Reaume went to Toronto on the same train with Mr. Stevens and he took the opportunity of discussing the whole matter in regard to the game question with Mr. Reaume.

Mr. Stevens did not think he could do any more by accompanying the demonstration which waited on the Government in regard to the Game Act which was placed before the Parliament at Toronto, especially after having the opportunity of explaining the whole matter to Hon. Dr. Reaume and Mr. Evans.

Mr. Stevens got a direct promise that the Government would this spring furnish Kent County with a large number of imported quail, and he proposed on behalf of the Chatham branch of the association that these quail would be distributed throughout the county in such localities as the association thought best adapted for the growing of quail. These localities must, of course, be where there is fairly good drainage and plenty of cover to protect the young birds.

While in Toronto Mr. Stevens had a very pressing invitation to wait and attend the banquet of the old boys of the County of Durham, which was held at the Grand Union Hotel, Toronto. Durham is Mr. Stevens' birthplace and he very much regretted not being able to stay, but his business in the Maple City was too pressing, so he had to return home.

#### A GOOD SUGGESTION

Considerable interest has been taken locally in the recent fire in Montreal, when several small school children were suffocated. There is a prevailing opinion that something should be done to commemorate the action of Miss Maxwell, the heroic lady principal who deliberately sacrificed her life in order to save her little charges. The letter written by Mr. Merrifield has struck a popular sentiment. Chief Holmes is another man who is strongly of the opinion that the incident should not be dropped. He likes the suggestion given out by Mr. Merrifield, and goes farther, and says now that there are representatives from this city who are going to Toronto soon to attend the meeting of the Ontario Educational Association, it would be a good move if they would bring the matter before the attention of the Association, to see if something good would not result. The suggestion is worthy of the consideration of the local representatives who will attend this convention.

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TRADE MARK REGISTERED.

Ointment quickly cures Itching Piles, Eczema, and other skin troubles.

Leo Corrigan, 475 Ferguson Ave., N. Hamilton, had Eczema since childhood. He consulted specialists—lay weeks and weeks in hospitals—and despaired of ever getting better.

"I tried," he writes, "but, to my delight, a few hours after the first application I felt great relief."

Don't put it off—get a box of Mira Ointment at once and be relieved. Price 50c.—6 for \$2.50. At druggists—or from The Chemists' Co. of Canada, Limited, Hamilton—Toronto.

#### HE WAS HERE

A few days ago Chief Holmes received a letter from the Chief of Police of Toledo asking him to be on the lookout for a man who was wanted in that place. The Chief wrote back to say that the man had been in Chatham, but had gone to Detroit, where he had relatives. A few days later Mr. Holmes received word that the man had been arrested in Chicago and the Chief of Police of Toledo took occasion to thank Mr. Holmes for his trouble in the matter. The information had been of great service in the capture of the man.

#### "The blood is the life."

Science has never gone beyond this simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure or not along the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgment are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. No one can be well balanced in mind and body whose blood is impure. No one can have a wholesome and pure life unless the blood is pure. Foul blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. When the blood is pure, body and brain are kept healthy and life becomes a daily happiness.

Standing out in bold relief, all alone and a conspicuous example of open, frank and honest dealing with the sick and afflicted, Dr. Pierce prints on the bottle wrapper in plain English a full list of the ingredients. Therefore not a "patent medicine," but a medicine of known composition.

Miss Hazel Webster and Mr. Gordon Harrington, of Chatham, made us a call last Friday evening.—Wallaceburg Herald-Record.

## NATURE'S CATARRH CURE

Sensible and Scientific Way to Cure This Disagreeable Disease.

Nearly everyone suffers at one time or another with catarrh.

The natural way to cure this disagreeable disease is by applying healing medications direct to the diseased spot.

In no other way can this be done as naturally as by the use of Hyomei, breathed through the nasal pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit.

Put several drops of Hyomei in the inhaler and then for a few minutes, you breathe some through it. In that way all the air that enters the nasal passages, the throat or the lungs, is filled with Hyomei's healing medication, reaching the most remote air cells of the respiratory organs, destroying all catarrhal germs and soothing and healing the irritated mucous membrane.

A few days use of Hyomei will show how quickly it relieves all catarrhal conditions, and you will not have to use it long before you find it has effected a complete and lasting cure. The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1.00, extra bottles, if needed, 50 cents.

All druggists should be able to supply you with Hyomei, or we will send it by mail on receipt of price, and every package is sold with the distinct understanding that it costs nothing unless it cures. Write us today for a symptom blank, which we will send you free, together with treatise on Catarrh and how to cure it. When you fill in and return to us the symptom blank, our consulting physician will give you case the best care and attention, and write you a letter of advice without charge. Booth's Hyomei Company, Buffalo, N. Y.

#### WANTS \$5000

Wilson, Pike & Company have issued a writ against the O. P. R. for \$5,000 on behalf of their client, Mr. McGuigan, who was injured in the accident on the Lacroix street crossing on December 22.

McGuigan had both legs broken, and has since been confined to one of the city hospitals.

#### WINDSOR SALT—because

it's pure, fine, clean, dry, piquant—is used by most people all the time.

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R. W. RUTHERFORD, M.D.

SPECIALIST.

EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

BY

GENITO-URINARY DISEASES.

GLASSES PROPERLY FITTED.

33 KING ST., EAST, CHATHAM

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## We Do Not Need

The arrival of the robins to warn us that Spring is near.

The daily arrival of Spring Goods in all departments tell us you will soon be discarding Winter clothing for the lighter, more comfortable Spring Weights. We are now ready to supply your immediate wants in furnishings.

A Colored Shirt in a new pattern

A Tie in a new spring coloring

A New Style of Wing Collar

A Fancy Vest, in a new out and pattern

would brighten up your winter outfit and make it more in keeping with these bright March days.

All the time we are busy unpacking and marking goods so that stocks may be ready for early spring selling.

**THORNTON & DOUGLAS**  
LIMITED

#### ATTEND

**SOMERVILLE'S**

BIG

**SHOE SALE**

for

**BARGAINS**

in

**BOOTS, SHOES AND RUBBERS**

## WAIT FOR

The Big Opening  
**LYONS TAILORING CO.,**

KING ST., OPP. OPERA HOUSE

**Thursday, March 14**

**\$20 and \$22 Suits and Raincoats,**  
made to order at

**\$15**

**\$2.50 and \$3 Latest Style Hats at**

**\$2.00**

Union Label on Every Garment

**LYONS TAILORING CO.**

King St., Opp. Opera House

## SPRING CLOTHES MAKING

We want your order to-day for your Spring Suit—you will do better here than anywhere else.

**NEW SPRING WOOLENS**

Have poured in so this week that assortments are now at their height.

**YOU WILL FIND FAR SMARTER  
STYLE HERE**

You will pay a great deal less and you will get much quicker service.

We Employ NONE but First-class Workmen at

**THE T. H. TAYLOR CO. LTD.**

Chatham's  
Nicest Store

**H. W. BALL & CO.**

Chatham's  
Nicest Store

**SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO BUY SATURDAY**

Saturday is Ready-to-wear Day

#### New Corsets 50c

Extra fine corsets, made of Batiste, steel filled, nicely trimmed with lace and ribbon, hose supporters attached, long and short models, Saturday 50c.

#### Easter Skirts Priced for a Rush

\$2.95 is the price we are going to sell 40 nice skirts at on Saturday—you'll wonder why we are so cocksure—you'll also wonder how they can be sold at the price—they are beautiful skirts, Saturday \$2.95.

#### Mercerized Sateen Petticoats

Splendid qualities and first-class styles, frilled to your heart's content, Saturday 89c.

#### Last Call on Wrappers

Styles we have been selling at \$1.50, the balance is marked for quick going Saturday, navy and white, black and white and red and black, all sizes, Saturday \$1.00.

#### Raincoats for Saturday

Full lengths, made of thoroughly proofed cravonette, good patterns, correct spring styles, regular \$8.50 and \$10.00, Saturday \$7.95.

#### Dress Goods for Saturday

42 pieces of brand new Spring Dress Tweeds and Suitings, black and white checks, also overchecks, lovely goods that will wear and make up well, March Inducement Price 50c.

#### Another Big Lot of Tray Cloths

Sideboard Scarfs, Tray Cloths and Table Covers, all pure linen, hand-drawn and hemstitched, a big linen snap for the first comers, Saturday 19c.

#### 25c Hose Supporters 15c.

Pad Hose Supporters, with frilled elastic and four good fasteners, yellow, cardinal blue, pink, white and black.

#### All Wool Cashmere Hose 19c

Good fine all-wool Cashmere Hose, all sizes, this is not a better stocking than we had before, but it is as good and that's a lot with wool so high, Saturday 19c.

#### New Prints 10c Per Yard

Good Heavy Print, in new patterns, spots all sizes, stripes, also navy, indigo and other colors, special value Saturday 10c per yard.

**H. W. BALL & CO.,**

King Street Chatham