

## Our Fancy Biscuits

Now number more than fifty varieties. We feel sure we can please you from our stock. You are certain of getting the best biscuits, and getting them perfectly fresh, when you buy here. 15c a pound, 20c a pound.

CHOCOLATES, 15c a pound.  
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MAPLE CREAM, 25c a pound.  
MAPLE SUGAR, 5c a cake.  
MILK CHOCOLATE, 5c a pidge.  
PRESERVED GINGER, 30c a jar.  
OUR FINE CHOCOLATES, 40c a pound.  
OUR FINEST CHOCOLATES, 50c a pound.

H. Malcolmson

## You Need Iron

As much as you need air, You get the kind of iron you need in

DR. KLEIN'S English Iron Blood Pills

You always need iron when there is persistent pallor. Dr. Klein's English Iron Blood Pills supplies the iron in its best form. They bring back healthy color, and bring health with the color. We are exclusive agents in Chatham for this pill.

We'll be glad to tell you more about it.

Per Box of 60 Pills, 25c.

Turner & Platt Druggists.

WE want to do business with you! Please read our specials:

Three cans Blueberries, for 25c.  
Three cans Plums for 25c.  
Lemons, 15c per doz. 2 doz. 25c.  
Fruit Biscuits, 10c, per lb.  
Tea Wafers, 10c per lb.  
Fresh ground coffee, 15c per lb.  
4 lbs. Starch, 25c.  
6 lbs. Cooking Figs, 25c.  
Mop sticks, 11c each.  
Clothes pins, 1c per doz.  
Spiced cucumbers, 10c per dozen.  
5 lbs. Ginger Snaps, for 25c.

## DISHES

A large assortment of Dinner and Tea and Chamber sets. Call and see our bargains in these goods. It will pay you if you intend to purchase. China and glassware that will interest you in price and quality.

John McConnell, Park St.  
Phone in your order to 190

## The Time Has Come

To replace some of your Lace Curtains

We are ready to supply your wants, new patterns, splendid values.

Renaissance, Applique, Nottingham, Bobbinet Frilled, Bonne Femme, Tambour Lace,

at per pair 50c to \$10.00

Frilled Muslin and Nets, at 15 to 40c.  
Plain and Spot Nets, 72 in. and 54 in., 25c.  
Door Panels in Applique Net.

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## Births, Marriages and Deaths

### MARRIED.

SHADD-THOMAS—W. A. Shadd and Miss Ina M. Thomas were married on Wednesday, May 7th, at the residence of the bride's father, Goyeau street, Windsor, the Rev. Mr. Ball officiating.

### TO-NIGHT.

Wellington Chapter, A. F. & A. M., at 8.  
"D" Company drills at drill shed, at 8 o'clock.

Daughters of Rebekah, Oddfellows Temple, at 8.

Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh Park, 6.45, sharp.

Meeting of Water Commissioners, Harrison Hall, 8 o'clock.

### PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, May 8.—10 a. m.—Winds increasing to strong breezes, and moderate gales southerly, gradually shifting to westerly and northwesterly; showers and thunderstorms this evening and to-night. Friday, clearing and colder again.

The following figures were registered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner & Platt's weather bureau:

Barometer 29.35.  
Thermometer 55.  
Highest yesterday 62.  
Lowest yesterday 41.  
Direction of wind, west.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

W. H. Brackin is in Detroit.

Mrs. J. M. Park is in Detroit to-day.

Mrs. J. Walker left yesterday for Chicago.

Mrs. Herb. Clements is visiting in Detroit to-day.

Roy Chrysler and Tom Bates are in Detroit to-day.

Mrs. William Anderson is spending to-day in Detroit.

Miss Alma Gammage is not much improved to-day.

Fred Bates is recovering from an attack of measles.

Harry Phelps is spending the day in the City of the Straits.

Jos. Tai, of London, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Letta Vince, Pine St., who has been quite seriously ill, is much better.

Fielder & Blight have started work on the Quinn & Patterson addition.

Bert Jones is putting in additional electric fixtures at the Bath House.

Jack Graham, late of Pontiac, Mich., has accepted a position with William Gray & Sons.

John Flook, who has been ill, is able to be around again. He left this morning for Sandwich.

Wm. Gray & Sons made large deliveries of carriages at the Glencoe Spring Horse Show yesterday.

Over one hundred and fifty people left to-day for Detroit to hear and see Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the eminent English actress.

Hon. Geo. W. Ross will be in the city on the 19th of May. He will speak in the Opera House in the interests of the Liberal cause.

No one has ever been known before to buy half dozen solid silver dessert spoons for \$7.50 at E. J. MacIntyre's, leading jeweller, King street.

Mrs. Harry Barnes, Cemetery road, met with a bad accident this morning. She was smoking when the meat caught fire. In an attempt to smother the blaze Mrs. Barnes had her hands badly burned.

Hampson Holmes returned last evening from the Joy Club. His father says that his son didn't do so awfully bad fishing. If he had caught one more fish Hampson would have brought a whole fish home.

Fred Quick, employed in the boiler shop of Park Bros., was struck accidentally on the eye and side of the jaw this morning. The accident was painful but not serious and he continued work.

George Perrin has returned from Toronto.

Mac Gardiner and wife are spending the day in Detroit.

This is Ascension Day and it is being duly celebrated in St. Joseph's church.

The regular meeting of Wellington Chapter, R. A. M., will be held to-night.

Chas. McPherson, of the Watson Confectionery Co., Toronto, was in the city to-day.

G. R. Blythe & Sons, dry goods importers of Ottawa, have failed, with liabilities exceeding \$200,000.

Miss Emma Robert has returned from Mount Clemens and is staying at her home on Emma street.

Remember the concert in the Victoria avenue Methodist church next Friday evening. Admission 10 cents.

A union baptism will be held at Buxton next Sunday, when a number will be baptized. A number from Chatham will attend.

A number of the leading artists of the city will appear on the program Victoria avenue Methodist church next Friday evening.

There will be an emergent meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & M. G. R. C., on Monday evening at 7.30, for the purpose of conferring degrees.

The Oriental Lodge of the I. O. O. F., held a good meeting, last evening, when ten candidates were initiated. There were about sixty members present.

Letters of administration have been granted to Mrs. Annie French for the estate of her son, Lawrence MacIntyre, French, student, Chatham Township.

Blonde Bros. & Co. are unloading the schooner White Oak, at their dock. She had to be lightered over the bar.

Rev. J. A. Crumble, a previous pastor of the Ypsilanti colored church, will arrive in the city a week from next Sunday and will take over the pastorate of the First Baptist church, King street.

Health Inspector Mounter reports that the scarlet fever card has been taken down from the residence of Chas. Moore, Harvey street. Now there is only one contagious disease card up in the city.

The City Clerk was engaged to-day mailing notices to the various owners of lots in Maple Leaf cemetery to look after the shrubbery on these lots or else the trees and shrubs would be cut down.

Probate was granted to-day for the estate of the late William John Logan, of Camden. The executors are Maria Anne Logan and James A. Logan. The estate is valued at \$2,000.

T. C. Smith, secretary-treasurer of the Chatham Binder Twine Company, is in Toronto attending the meeting of the binder twine makers of Ontario, who are meeting to discuss and act upon the question of preferential duty on twine.

Yesterday Joseph Rashar, of Windsor, served notice to quit on Amos Blue, his tenant. Blue rented 25 acres of land from Rashar on March 10, 1900.

According to the agreement Blue was to clear the land, as long as his tenant had not paid rent and he has served notice for Blue to vacate the place, which is lot 43, containing 25 acres.

J. B. Rankin, K. C., is acting for the landlord.

We agree with the majority of the School Board as regards the appointment of a janitor for the Central school. Wm. Snell has the work at too small wages for the amount of work, and if there is an extra \$5 in the job he should get it.

Employ who he wishes as long as his work is satisfactory. This here bringing in a new man because he is a pet or a friend should not go.

The editor of this journal is applying for the job of superintendent at a salary of \$800 per annum.—Growler.

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## The Gordon Store Remembers

As in building it is not only laying hold of the rope, but the constant pull on it that hoists the material, so business building grows with every pull we make in satisfactory transactions with the buying public, and every parcel sold is a pull in this direction. Note a few more items from different sections of our stock:—



## May White Wear Sale

5 Dozen Ladies' Fine White Skirts, value up to \$1.50, for 92c  
5 Dozen Ladies' Fine Mullin Night Gowns, value up to \$1.50, for 92c  
5 Dozen Ladies' Cotton Drawers value 50c and 75c for 44c  
5 Dozen Ladies' Corset Covers, value 50c and 75c, for 44c

## Fine Millinery and Interesting Prices

Unstinted praise is bestowed on our Millinery, every whim of fashion, from the extreme smart styles to the staid and genteel is represented in our stock. The shirt waist hat, trimmed with silk drapes, velvet coin spots and quills or pom poms, the latest and very becoming.

Ladies' Ready-to-wear Hats and Children's Trimmed Hats, from \$1.00 up

## Dress Goods and Silk Specials

See our noted Black Lustre, 52 inches wide, at...50c  
Special line of Wool Summer Tweed, at...25c  
SILKS—Fashionable Fancy French Foulards, direct from Paris...80c  
Javanese Satin Stripes for Waists, specially new.

Everything in Curtains and Drapes.  
A table of Muslin, Lace and Net Curtainings, at per yard...10c and 12 1/2c

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