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Sliced as you like it—30c a pound. This beef is the highest grade, and we get a government certificate as to its quality. You will find it delicious.

**Sardines,**  
French, 2 cans for 25c  
**Salmon,**  
Fine Red, 2 cans for 25c  
**Cooked Ham,**  
30c a pound  
**Jellied Veal,**  
25c a pound  
**Jellied Tongue,**  
30c a pound

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And plenty of it is best secured by proper spraying. We can tell you what to spray with and how to use it. We furnish all the best spraying materials at right prices.

**Best English Paris Green,**  
per lb. 25c, or 5 lbs. \$1.  
**Blue Stone or (Blue Vitrol)**  
per lb. 8c.  
**Pure Dalmatian Insect Powder,**  
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**Hellebore,** per lb. 35c.  
Quality Guaranteed.

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## Local Briefs

W. A. Watson, of Dresden, was in the city on Saturday.  
L. W. Baird, of Blenheim, was in the city on Saturday.  
The Sons of Scotland will hold their regular meeting to-night.  
Mrs. Perry, of Tupperville, was a guest in the city on Saturday.  
Harry Linley, of Cedar Springs, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Asa Ribble, of Dresden, were visitors in the city yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gundy, of Ridgeway, are visitors in the city today.  
Mrs. Stinson, of Toronto, who has been visiting in the city, has returned home.  
Dr. Thomson, of Milwaukee, is visiting his father, Andrew Thomson, Sr., Park Ave. West.  
George and E. Bruce Richardson, of Tilbury, were among the Chatham visitors on Saturday.  
St. Joseph's parish excursion to Marine City via City of Chatham, June 10. Everybody come.  
Michael McCarthy is receiving the congratulations of his friends on the advent of a ten pound girl at his home.  
Remember, Friday night should be reserved for the Public General Hospital Excursion. The ladies have a moon provided for the occasion, and tickets are only 25 cents.  
James Gray, for the last ten years employed in the Ark, has accepted a position in the house furnishing department of C. Austin & Co.'s dry goods store.  
Geraldine Gladys, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonsie Gurney, died on Monday from pneumonia. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.  
The ladies promise a pleasant time for Friday night, when they give their moonlight excursion on the City of Chatham. The Battalion Band will attend and the proceeds will be in aid of the Public General Hospital. Tickets 25 cents.

J. P. SIVEWRIGHT, M. D.—Physician  
Surgeon, Offices over G. T. R. Ticket Office. Residence Hotel Garner. Phone 236.



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**E. J. MacIntyre,**  
Leading Jeweler and Optician

## We Give You

A chance to buy Outing Hats, Sailors and Children's Hats at about one half their regular values.

**38 Outing Hats, nicely trimmed, reg. \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, clearing at 79c**  
**Children's Sailors, at 20c, 25c, 40c, 50c, 75c and.....\$1.00**  
**Children's Trimmed Hats, reg. \$1.25 for..... 75c**

**A beautiful line of Ladies' English Sailors, reg. 75c, selling at..... 44c**

The best stock of English and German Hosiery shown in the city.

**THIBODEAU & JACQUES**

Harold Spafford spent yesterday in the city.

Thos. P. Allen, of London, is a Maple City visitor to-day.

James Moore, of Oil Springs, was in the city on Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Adams is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. J. C. Patrick, Detroit, is visiting her mother, Grey St.

Mrs. Ed. Wing and family left this morning to visit in Chicago.

Mrs. J. Graham has returned from visiting at her home in Toronto.

Aubrey Forhan, of Wallaceburg, was a Maple City visitor on Saturday.

Gilbert Duffy, of Bridgen, is the guest of Nelson Stringer for a few days.

Archie Campbell, Jr., Toronto Junction, is in the city visiting Will Stevens.

Will McCaw, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home, Adelaide St.

Ted Bogart, of Harvey & Sons, Detroit, spent yesterday at his home in this city.

Miss Annie Mowatt, of Seattle, is visiting her friend, Mrs. W. F. Cornish, Adelaide St.

Simon B. Needham, of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting his son, William A. Needham, Park St.

A Moody has returned from a four weeks' trip to Edmonton, Calgary and other western points.

Miss Madge Kerr returned last evening to Detroit, after spending a few days at her home here.

The engine and second engineer at the civic lighting station are painting all the machinery.

Benson James, of Cleveland, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned home yesterday.

Dr. Hannon, Rev. T. T. George and Rev. J. H. Osterhout left to-day for Sarnia to attend conference.

J. H. Kehoe, Percy Cornfield and Bert Passmore spent yesterday with W. Judson, of Pontiac, Mich.

Mrs. Branden, Mrs. (Dr.) Hay and Mrs. McCrae, Wallaceburg, are visiting Mrs. J. M. Pike, Murray St.

Everybody should attend the St. Joseph's parish excursion to Marine City June 10 via steamer City of Chatham.

Pete McAulay's team of baseball players are going to Highgate on Saturday. The battery will be Miller and Hamilton.

Mrs. R. J. Water and Mrs. E. A. Smith, of Dresden, are spending a few days in the city with their sister, Mrs. Elen Fralick, Queen street.

John Darling, of St. Catharines, formerly of Chatham, left Friday for England to attend the coronation.

He is going to represent the 7th Field Battery of St. Catharines.

Rev. J. J. Ross has gone to Pontiac to marry Thomas Cornish.

Miss Ethel Mae Hutton at the residence of the bride's parents in Pontiac.

The Ladies of the Public General Hospital Moonlight Excursion on Friday promises to be a big success.

A large number of tickets have been sold at 25 cents each.

The 24th Kent Regiment will parade Thursday night. Company drills have been called off to work on account of the Public General Hospital excursion.

Probate was yesterday granted for the will of the late John Quinn, Park street. The estate is valued at \$1,300.

Ward Stanworth is acting for the executor, Dorothy Quinn.

At a meeting of the directors of the Chatham Loan & Savings Co. today a dividend was declared at the rate of six per cent. per annum for the current half year, ending June 30th, 1902.

The City Engineer reports that the William street pavement petition now lacks but one name of the requisite signature. It is expected that this one name will be obtained at once, as it has been promised.

Gordon Richardson, who has been taking a course of baths at the sanitarium for the past three weeks for inflammation of the rheumatism, has returned to his home in Tilbury, as he says, without his rheumatism.

Mr. Stinson, of Camden, appeared before Judge Bell yesterday to stand trial on the charge of assault. Saturday was nominated as the day of trial. Two men quarreled over taking cattle to pound and the result was a fight, particulars of which will be aired in the County Court.

A case of interest to landlords is pending in Andover vs. Thompson. Anderson is landlord seized the effects of one Legge. Andrew Thompson had sold these household goods and held a lien note against them. The suit is for possession of the goods.

E. J. MacIntyre's stock of solid silver spoons and forks is still going, and is composed of patterns from such well-known manufacturers as Gorham, Meriton, Britannia Co., Rhineland Bros. and P. W. Ellis & Co. A great number have taken advantage of these prices, and why should you not be on the list, for when these goods are gone you cannot buy them at these prices.

Chas. Hill and his assistant, Harry Dineen, while excavating a trench for the gas pipe main leading to the Separate School Concert Hall on Cross street, uncovered the skeleton of a man. The coffin had been of walnut but was entirely rotted away and even the bones were beginning to crumble. The bones lay in the coffin very natural like and the outline of the whole skeleton could be easily traced.

Chas. Dunn was seeking to purchase a nice quiet delivery horse. He got one on approval. Harry Jacques hitched the nice quiet equine in a buggy and drove home to dinner. He tied the horse in the yard. The nice quiet animal got tired being left alone and broke away, trying to take the fence with him. The horse being especially docile and sleepy tried to take the fence with it when it left the yard. The horse ran away down Harvey street. It left the rig at the corner of Harvey and Queen streets and when last seen was fast disappearing in the populous orient.

## Whew! It's Getting Hot Now for Cool Bargains at The Gordon Store....

For peace in South Africa we are thankful, but we wish our patrons to give no peace to the young men and women behind our counters.

<b>Handkerchiefs</b> 25 dozen Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, all linen, each..... 5c	<b>Hose</b> 100 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Seamless Cotton Hose, per pair..... 12 1/2c	<b>Shirts</b> Men's Fancy Striped Shirts, special value each..... 50c
<b>Corsets</b> Ladies' Summer Corsets, per pair..... 25c Ladies' Girdle Corset and New Straight Form Corsets, at per pair..... 50c	<b>Children's White Wear</b> Children's Cotton Night Gowns from 40c to..... 70c Children's White Skirts, from 25c to..... 80c Children's Drawers, 25c to..... 50c Children's Aprons, Dresses, Etc.	<b>Linen-Muslin and Batistes</b> Plain Dress Linens, 20c and..... 25c Muslins, yard wide, fast..... 8c Muslin Dimities, warranted, 12 1/2c Fleur-de-lis Batistes, per yd. 16c, 18c and..... 20c
<b>Parasols</b> Ordinary Dollar Black, for each..... 75c Colored Parasols, to clear..... 50c The best black Parasols, for constant use, \$1 to..... \$1.50 Extra Fine Parasols to..... \$7.00	<b>White Lawns</b> Victoria and Bishop Lawns, from 1 yard to 1 1/4 yards wide..... 100c up India Linens, from..... 12 1/2c up Our Dimity bargains continue at..... 12 1/2c up	<b>Cotton and Linen Skirts</b> Navy blue polka dot Over-skirts, at..... \$1.00 Navy or black dotted, stripes, braid trimmed or strapped, at..... \$2.00 Linen Over-skirts from 72c to \$1.25 White Pique Skirts.

**In Millinery** The boulevard and speedway are full of dash and style—an immense success, they are Hats—The Ideal Shirt Waist Hats, new models, for golf, outing, lake side or country, on hand this week  
**Children's Pleated or Shirred Hats** and Children's Muslin Bonnets, embroidered and hemstitched, 35c to \$1.00.

**Standard Fashion Sheet Free.** **William Gordon** Standard Patterns Lead the March.

J. A. McGregor, of Tilbury, is visiting in the city to-day.

C. A. McDougall and Roy Moninger, of Wallaceburg, were Chatham visitors over Sunday.

Rev. J. J. Ross has moved from Emma street to the house next to Woods' grocery on Head street.

The secretary of the West Kent Agricultural Society is advertising for tenders for advertising privileges.

A large serpent of the milk-snake variety was killed in the yard of J. C. Hermann, Harvey street, yesterday.

The "Bricos" have signed Dennis, Roberts and Grandbois, of the Brooklyns, and now say that they have the best there is. They will play a London team here on Coronation Day.

Wabash train No. 3 met with an accident about a mile and a half west of the city at 1:20 p. m. Monday. Her cylinder head blew off, but after a short stop she continued her journey, using only one side.

**\$25,000.00 GIVEN AWAY.**

In the past year Dr. R. V. Pierce has given away copies of his great work, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," at an expense to him of \$25,000.00 exclusive of postage. This standard book on medicine and hygiene, contains 1008 pages and more than 700 illustrations. It treats of the greatest and gravest problems of human life in simple English, from a common sense point of view. It answers those questions of sex which linger unspoken upon the lips of youth and maiden. It is essentially a family book, and its advice in a moment of sudden illness or accident may be the means of saving a valuable life. This great work is sent absolutely free on receipt of stamps to defray the cost of mailing and customs. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the book in paper binding, or 50 stamps for cloth covers. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

## G. C. I. BOARD

A general meeting of the G. C. I. Board was held in Harrison Hall yesterday afternoon, with Messrs. Chairman Bell, Dr. Battisby, J. E. Thomas, Thos. Scullard and J. W. White.

After the usual adoption of the minutes, it was moved by Dr. Battisby and seconded by J. W. White, that the report of the Internal Management committee be received and adopted.

They recommended that re-engagement be offered the whole staff at the present salaries, with the exception of Mr. Lane and Mr. Mowbray, whose salaries are increased \$100 each per annum.

Moved by Messrs. Scullard and White, that the following certified accounts be paid:—  
Chatham Gas Co., \$28.72.  
Westman Bros., \$15.  
Rose Bros., plants, \$10.  
C. Dingman, supplies, \$5.05.

The uncertified accounts were referred to the Supply committee with power.

The following is the inspector's report of the attendance for May:—  
Enrolled, 201.  
Average attendance, 171.  
The Board then adjourned.

## AT OLD QUEBEC

Capt. Wm. McBray, adjutant of the 24th Wm. received a letter from Color Sergeant Max Fraser, who will represent the 24th in the Coronation contingent. Sergt. Fraser is stationed with the contingent at Pt. Levis, Quebec, where they are awaiting embarkation. He states that he has met several old friends in the contingent, and is enjoying himself immensely. Before his departure Sergt. Fraser kindly consented to write The Planet a series of letters recording the doings of the Canadians at the coronation. So that this journal will have an especially interesting account of the proceedings.

## "THE ARK"

**Is There Gas on Your Street?** If so, call in and see the "Famous," **Gas Range** in operation. The Pastry and Broiling Ovens are extra large, with or without thermometer, perfect in operation. This is the most up-to-date Gas Range in the Market.

We also have a full line of **Oil and Gasoline Stoves** from 50c up according to size. **Ovens and Triple Cookers** suitable for all **Summer Stoves**.

You will save money by buying in "The Ark" **CASH AND ONE PRICE**

**H. Macaulay, "The Ark"**

## GENEROUS GIFT

A. S. Brown, of Montreal, Supt. of the London and Lancashire Insurance Co., has generously donated a trophy valued at \$25.00 to the Maple City Gun Club, for competition by the members of the Club. The gift will be known as the London and Lancashire trophy.

**\$100 REWARD \$100.**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by Druggists, 75c.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## TENDERS FOR ADVERTISING PRIVILEGES

Tenders will be received by undersigned for advertising privilege on fence of West Kent Agricultural fair grounds, on Queen street, for period of three years.

Tenders to be in not later than Tuesday June 10th, at six o'clock p. m. **HENRY ROBINSON,**  
Sec'y W. K. A. S.

## DISSOLUTION

The partnership of Atkinson & Atkinson, barristers, etc., is dissolved; the business will be continued by the undersigned, to whom all debts due to the firm are payable. Office 45 1-2 King street, Chatham, Ont.

**CHAS. R. ATKINSON, K. C.**  
April 28, 1902. w.w.3m.

## GOOD GIRL WANTED

For general housework. Apply Mrs. William O'Brien, Wellington street. 10c

## AGENTS WANTED

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## Wedding Presents

We have the kind that are useful, durable and romantic. See our line of best quality Silverware in

**BERRY DISHES**  
**CAKE BASKETS**  
**TEA SETS**  
**PIE KNIVES**  
**BERRY SPOONS**  
and other articles too numerous to mention.

**Quality the Very Best. Prices at Rock Bottom.**

## VonGunten Bros.,

Reliable Watchmakers and Jewelers, King St.

## LEST YOU FORGET OUR SPECIAL PRICES WE INVITE YOUR ATTENTION

7 lb. pails jam, 50c.  
5 lb. pails jam, 38c.  
Cucumber pickles, spiced, 10 cents per dozen.

25c bar Dish Cloth Soap, 20c.  
4 cans of corn or beans for 25c.  
Sardines in tomato sauce, 5c can.  
3 lbs. mixed biscuits, 25c.  
Baking powder, 10c per lb.  
Clothes pins, 1c per dozen.  
Plums, 8c per can.

## COOKERY

Dinner sets, \$6.90 for 97 pieces in set.  
Tea sets, \$2.90 for 44 pieces in set.  
Chamber sets, all prices.  
A lot of China goods at quick sale prices.

A lot of glassware and pretty water sets.  
Come and see them and it will astonish you to find prices so low.

**John McConnell,**  
Park St.

Phone in your order to 190