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SATURDAY, FEB. 8.

THE BINDER TWINE CO.

Next Thursday, we understand, the shareholders of the Chatham Binder Twine Company will meet to elect directors for the ensuing year. Much discussion and even a little bitterness has hitherto characterized the consideration of this matter.

The shareholders of the Chatham Binder Twine Company comprise hundreds of the best farmers in the counties of Kent and Essex and many of our most representative citizens.

The last contention is ridiculous, or, to use our Liberal contemporary's own word, "absurd." The illustrations are of such ancient style and get-up that they would be refused a place in a back-woods weekly—yes, even a boiler-plate weekly.

For that reason—and for that reason alone—the Planet asks permission to place before the ladies and gentlemen who have a financial interest therein, a few words of unsolicited and entirely disinterested suggestion.

We sincerely trust that a spirit of unity of purpose may develop at the meeting. Every shareholder is especially interested in the successful culmination of the project, and with the one common end in view surely each will seek to exercise his best judgment, freed from all prejudices, and extend to any who may differ from his views the consideration and courtesy which should characterize colleagues.

In the selection of the directors choose strong men—men of keen business instincts, men of progressive methods, men of unquestioned integrity.

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Nothing Tastes Good

And eating is simply perfunctory—done because it must be. This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic.

If eating sparingly would cure dyspepsia, few would suffer from it long. The only way to cure dyspepsia, which is difficult digestion, is to give vigor and tone to the stomach and the whole digestive system.

Food's Sarsaparilla cured Mrs. Frances Blondin, Pembroke, Ont. Benj. Webb, Glenside, Ont. and W. A. Nugent, Belleville, Ont. all of whom suffered greatly from dyspepsia.

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THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited THE BUSY CASH STORE THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited

You Can't Rub Out The Fact Whitewear Display On 2nd floor; it's worth seeing.

That the stores that buy for cash and sell for cash are in a class by themselves when it comes to downright bargain giving. Here's a list of goods and prices we are proud of—prices that cash buying and cash selling alone could make possible.

- Lace Curtains at 25c a pair, Nottingham make, 2 1/2 yards long, taped edges, choice patterns, special a pair for \$1.00. 50c Satins at 58c Yard, about 300 yards in the lot, rich, heavy quality, 27 in. wide, in colors black, navy, cardinal, purple, mauve, electric, buttercup, carise and purple, great value at \$1 a yard, Saturday. 75c French Serge at 49c, 1 piece navy serge, medium weight, 46 in. wide, pure French wool, best indigo dye, regular 75c yard, Saturday. 49c \$1.00 Cheviots at 50c, 3 pieces heavy cheviot suiting, pure wool, 46 and 48 in. wide, in rich shades of mid and dark brown, regular 75c, 85c and \$1 a yard, special Saturday. 50c Heavy Prints at 5c Yard, 30 pieces good, strong prints, fast colors, in light and dark patterns, special per yard. 5c Wide heavy prints at 10c yard—60 pieces extra wide heavy prints, large range of new patterns, light and dark, guaranteed fast colors, good value at 12 1/2-2c yard, special. 10c 75c lambs wool vests at 58c—3 dozen ladies fine lambs wool vests, superior quality, long sleeves, buttoned front, in white and natural, our best 75c kind, Saturday each. 58c 10c embroideries at 5c yard—22 pieces fine Swiss embroidery and insertions, pretty open work patterns, 1 1/2 to 3 inches wide, regular 7c, 8c and 10c yard, Saturday. 5c 40c wool toques at 25c—fine wool toques, in white and colors, regular 40c each, Saturday. 25c 65c camel's hair tams at 39c each—2 dozen only camel's hair tams O'Shanter's, full shape, in assorted colors, regular 50c and 65c each, Saturday. 39c Wide heavy flannellettes at 8c yard—30 pieces extra wide heavy flannellettes, fine finish, in plain and stripes, good value at 10c yard, special at 8c. \$7.50 ladies' coats at \$3.89—Saturday you can have your pick of 25 ladies' coats, this season's latest styles, in black, grey and navy, sizes 30 to 42 inches, regular price up to \$7.50.

The Northway Company, Limited, OASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE

Horse Overcoats A man bought one of our Horse Blankets last week. He was so pleased with it that he uses it on his bed, and he would not take double the price he paid for it if he could not get another. We have a few more of the same kind left. T. H. TAYLOR CO. Limited, Flour and Woolen Mills

No Fairy

Tales in connection with our Overcoats but stout facts. We are selling our \$7.50 and \$12 Dress Overcoats, beaver and the new grays, box backs, at one price— \$7.50

To do yourself justice, as well as your purse, all intending buyers must see our stock. We might add that should anybody be dissatisfied with any purchase, we will gladly refund money. Every garment a perfect fit, workmanship and linings the best.

Underwear: All-wool fleeceline lined, \$1.00 kind for 60c. Fleece lined, 50c kind for 35c. All-wool Scotch knit, 75c kind for 60c.

Geo. Meynell, 3 Doors West of Market King St. - Chatham

If You Intend

To Build a House! To Build a Barn! To Make Improvements in Your Old Buildings! get your lumber from Blonde Bros. & Co. Get our figures for the whole of the work on your new house.

SANTAL MIDY Standard remedy for Gleet, Gonorrhoea and Runny Nose in 48 HOURS. Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

LOSS OF FLESH, cough, and pain on the chest may not mean consumption, but are bad signs. Allen's Lung Balm loosens the cough and heals inflamed air passages. Not a grain of opium in it.

The Season for W-I-R-E

And the necessity of fencing is approaching and Geo. Stephens & Douglas wish to announce that they have a complete stock of all kinds of wire and wire fencing, hooks, staples, slats and fence tools. Their prices are lower than that of the average dealer and it will pay any person from a distance to call at their store in Chatham, and get prices before buying elsewhere. Wire promises to be firm in price and all orders booked now will be guaranteed in price until April 1st next.

Geo. Stephens & Douglas.

We Know Our Business. You wouldn't patronize a drug store who did not. There is no risk when you trade here. We have made our drug business a careful study for years. Prescription work is of vital importance. With us you can depend upon skillful service.

Central Drug Store We have in stock a large line of Frost King Chamole Vests for Men and Boys, made of chamole lined with flannel. Frost Queen Chamole Vests for Women covered with French Chamole. Perfect protection against cold and sudden changes—against coughs, colds, pneumonia, and all chest and lung troubles. Just the thing for children going to school. Price, \$3.00. Children's size, \$1.00.

C. H. Gunn & Co., Cor. King and 5th Sts.

MUNICIPALITY OF RALEIGH

Take notice that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Raleigh will meet in the Township Hall, on Monday, the 10th day of February, 1912, at 10 a. m., for despatch of business. A. E. ROBINSON, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon Feb. 10th, for the erection of a brick addition to Chatham Manufacturing Co.'s factory, head St. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Rusley, Architect. The lowest nor any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be marked "Tender" and addressed to W. R. LONDON, Manager Chatham Manfg. Co., Chatham.

TENDERS

Addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to noon on Saturday, 1st March, 1912, for the purchase of the following school properties, viz., King street school, corner of King and Princess streets, and a school, corner Murray and Prince streets. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. THOS. C. MACNAB, Secretary Public School Board, Chatham, 611 Feb., 1912.

Executrix and Administrator Sale of Desirable City Property.

There will be offered for sale at public auction by McColg & Harrington, auctioneers, on Wednesday, the 13th day of February, 1912, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Garner House, in the City of Chatham, the following property: Firstly—Lot number seventeen on the southerly side of Witherspoon street, in the City of Chatham, being part of the estate of the late Matilda Lowe, and comprising a frame residence and a small frame stable. Secondly—Lots number twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-seven, and twenty-eight, Block "A" plan and survey of Park Lot number one on the south side of Park avenue, City of Chatham. These lots form part of the estate of Margaret Jones deceased, having a frontage of fifty feet on Queen street and of fifty feet on Pine street, comprising a frame dwelling house and frame stable. The properties will be offered separately, each subject to a reserve bid. Full particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned and will be made known at the time of sale. Dated at Chatham this sixteenth day of January, 1912. SCANE, HOUSTON, STONE & SCANE, Solicitors for the said Executrix and Administrator respectively.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 385 of Chapter 129, R. S. O., 1897, that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of Margaret Jones, late of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, Married Woman, deceased, who died on or about the Twelfth day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and One, are required to send by post prepaid, to the undersigned, Solicitors for John Jones, the administrator of the estate of the said deceased on or before Monday, the 17th day of February, 1912, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security, (if any) held by them. And Take Notice, that after the seventeenth day of February, 1912, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have notice, and the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by him or his solicitors at the time of the said distribution. Dated at Chatham this Fourteenth day of January, 1912. SCANE, HOUSTON, STONE & SCANE, Solicitors for the said administrator.

Money to Loan on Mortgages at 4 1/2 and 5 per Cent.

FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

Frame house, two stories, 12 rooms, lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000. Brick house, two stories, 7 rooms, lot 40 feet front, by 200 feet deep, \$1,100.00. Frame house, 10 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 144 ft., \$800.00. Frame house, 8 rooms and summer kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 200 feet, good stable, \$1,100.00. Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front, by 104 feet. House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 200 feet, \$1,000.00. Farm in Howard, 32 1/2 acres, house, stable and arshard, \$1,000. Farm in Chatham Township, 1 1/2 acres. All cleared. Good house, barn, stables and sheds, \$5,700.00. 100 acre trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part payment. Farm in Township of Raleigh, 50 acres. All cleared. Good house, barn and sheds, \$3,750. Farm in Township of Chatham, 80 acres. All cleared. New frame house, large barn, stable, granary and other outhouses and other buildings, \$7,500.00. Farm in Township of Chatham, 80 acres. All cleared. Good house, and barn, \$2,500. Valuable suburban residence, 11 rooms, with 1 1/2 acres of land. Good stable, \$3,500. Apply to W. F. SMITH, Barrister.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. R. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.