

Sliced Dried Beef

The beef we get is the choicest part, the highest priced dried beef that is cured. You can depend on what you get here being just what you want—

30c a pound.

Sliced Cooked Ham, 30c a can.

Sliced Jellied Veal, 25c a pound.

Sliced Pressed Beef, 15c a pound.

Sliced Jellied Tongue, 30c a pound.

Potted Meats, 5c and 10c a can.

Kipped Herrings, 2 cans for 25c.

Herrings in Tomato Sauce, 2 cans for 25c.

H. Malcolmson

Plenty of Time

Should be taken to look at my large assortment of

Clocks

If it is hastily looked over some of the beautiful clocks may not be seen.

From fine Marble and Porcelain Clocks down to Nickel Alarm Clocks.

The line is complete. Prices are very low, too, but goods are really remarkable value and this is a good TIME to secure a bargain.

E. J. MacIntyre.

Leading Jeweler and Optician

Examine Critically

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Gas Range

is the greatest labor saver you can have in your house.

Saves money, too, and all this without any sacrifice of utility.

Come to our office. It costs nothing to learn about it.

Stoves Sold At Cost...

...The...

Chatham Gas Co. LIMITED.

The Mother—Uncle Charles asked the baby what kind of eyes it had.

The Father—Just as if the dear little thing could tell him!

Well, she did. She said goo, goo.

The only Ventilated Mattress

THE MARSHALL SANITARY MATTRESS.

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Contains Health, Comfort and Durability

Absolutely Resilient, Noiseless and Luxurious

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TO-NIGHT.

Company drills at drill shed, at 8 o'clock.

Draders vs. the Reds, Tecumseh Park diamond, at 7.

A full lacrosse practice will be held on Tecumseh Park at 7.

Band Concert Excursion to Erieau, leave C. P. R. station at 7.10.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows Temple, 8 o'clock.

Local Briefs

Fred Bodkin, of Dresden, was a city visitor to-day.

W. B. Graham, of Dutton, was in the city yesterday.

D. F. Elder, of Sarnia, was a Chatham guest yesterday.

John Lee, M. P. P. of Highgate, is spending the day in town.

James Spence, of Bothwell, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

James Ross, of Tilbury, was in the city yesterday on business.

Miss J. E. Collins, of Essex, was a guest in the city yesterday.

D. A. Ramsden, of Cedar Springs, is a visitor in the city to-day.

Johnnie Taylor, Joseph St., is confined to the house through illness.

Charles J. Johnson, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Dan Jamieson and Noah Shaw, of Ridgetown, were in the city yesterday.

A number of the local sports are attending the horse races in Windsor to-day.

D. A. Gordon and daughter Ruby, of Wallaceburg, were guests in the city yesterday.

The Shenango arrived at the Eau this morning with a cargo of steel for the Lake Erie.

S. O. E. excursion on Civic Holiday to Niagara Falls. Tickets good for three days, \$2.45.

Miss Annie Mann is the guest of her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mann at Whitehead.

S. T. Hicklin, of Sarnia, who has been visiting his family in this city, returned to Sarnia yesterday.

Master Pergus Duncan has accepted a position with the Bell Telephone Co. He commenced his duties this morning.

Capt. Mansey will continue drill with his company during the holidays. He wishes all his men to turn out to-night.

Miss Ethel Ball left this morning for Rat Portage, to spend the summer vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Agar, in the Lake of the Woods district.

Wm. Stone & Co.'s handsome new premises will be ready in a day or two, and it is expected the removal will take place before Saturday next.

Mrs. Daniel Webster and son Dan, of Buffalo, who have been visiting in the city for some time, are spending the day with Mrs. Woods, of Charing Cross.

Mrs. Raymond, of Lansing, Mich., formerly of Dresden, who has been visiting Mrs. Bogart, Queen street, for the past week, returns home to-morrow.

School Trustee Geo. Heyward has received a couple of Griseley bear skins from Frank Elliot, who is in the Yukon. One is a full fledged Griseley and the other a cub.

Zephyr Daniels, the young son of Joseph Daniels, of Dover, while playing in the barn yesterday ran the tooth of a pitchfork through his toe. The wound is quite a painful one.

To Rent—The Bothy, Sandy-Knows, Erieau, for the season, completely furnished; also Hazeldean Cottage for July. For sale—Naphtha launch in splendid condition, white cedar row boat, nearly new. J. W. Young.

Health Inspector Anson Mounter is to-day giving the railroads a month's notice to get their hog pens and cattle yards out of the city, according to the resolution of the Board of Health at yesterday's meeting.

Fredman Frank Ryall, while working with a lawn mower this morning, was unfortunate in getting his right hand caught among the knives.

One of his fingers, as a result, was badly lacerated. Dr. Charteris dressed the finger and Mr. Ryall will be off duty for a few weeks.

Arrangements are being made among the city pastors for an open air meeting on Tecumseh Park next Sunday evening, weather permitting.

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SALE OF CUSHION TOPS

We are selling for this week ONLY our 25c, 35c and 50c Cushion Tops for 19c.

We have still a large stock of Children's Hats and Fancy Muslin Bonnets which we are clearing this week at HALF PRICE.

Mrs. J. E. Weldon, King St. East.

Mrs. Spence is visiting friends in Ridgetown for a few days.

The train coming from Port Lambton broke down twice last night.

Ernest Bowers has returned to Port Huron, after visiting in the city.

Chas. Kenny and wife, of Cleveland, O., are visiting friends in the city.

Rev. Norman Lindsay, B. A., of Dresden, is spending the day in the city.

Miss Flossie Maaga, of Chicago, is visiting relatives in the city for a few weeks.

Miss Daisy Colville returned this morning, after spending a few days in Dresden.

Mrs. J. Wallace and Miss Minnie Jeffs, of Dresden, are Chatham visitors to-day.

Chas. Bowers, Wallaceburg's third baseman, has been spending a few days in the city.

Miss Myrtle Royce, of Raleigh, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harry Cade, Selkirk St.

Misses Nora and Mary Smith, of Dresden, are the guests of Mrs. Irigall, Baldoon St.

Fred Towel, of Henrietta, Texas, is visiting his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Park St.

Mrs. John Barr and Bessie are spending a couple of months at Fairview cottage, Erieau.

Mrs. J. W. Walkenshaw and daughter, of Detroit, are visiting friends and relatives in the city.

The editor of the Observer has had a growth removed from his upper lip and is getting along nicely.

Miss Sarah Green, of the Lake Shore, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie Clements, Joseph St.

E. A. Drake, travelling passenger agent for the Lake Erie, was in the city yesterday on business.

James Riddell and Fred Guttridge returned yesterday from spending a pleasant Sunday at the Eau.

E. E. Wing goes to Wallaceburg to-night to install the officers in the Oddfellows' lodge of that place.

Mrs. J. P. Taylor, sister of George B. Douglas, and three children, from Galva, Ill., have arrived in the city for a short visit.

"Talking of weeds," said Jas. Marshall to the planters this morning, "the library site has a few that need taking care of."

Mrs. Arthur Smith, of Dresden, who has been in Detroit attending her brother's funeral, returned to Dresden to-day.

James McGregor has cleaned all the rifles and accoutrements of the regiment and has everything at the drill shed in ship-shape.

Geo. Manser, of Morrow, Ohio, who left here about 18 years ago, is spending a few days in the city. He says Chatham's growth has been wonderful.

He leaves for his home to-morrow.

A full lacrosse practice will be held on Tecumseh Park this evening. Every player should turn out to get into shape for the match with Wallaceburg.

When you want an artistic design made with the choicest and freshest flowers, your wants can always be supplied at the Victoria Avenue Green Houses.

Chas. Philp was in the city yesterday on business. He had been in the city for a couple of days.

Dan Robertson, of Chicago, is in the city to-day on his way to Edinburgh.

Mr. Robertson is the guest of Mrs. Paxton, St. Clair street, during his stay in the city.

The Maple City Gun Club will hold a practice shoot at the club grounds, Riverside Park, Thursday afternoon.

A meeting of the executive committee is called for Thursday evening at 8.30 at Bennett's.

The Shenango arrived at Erieau at six o'clock this morning, making the trip in 10 hours.

Arch. Park says he would have slept all day had he not come in. As it was, he says it took six women to get his breakfast.

Dan Robertson, an old Chatham man, but now a member of the Chicago Board of Trade, who has been visiting friends in the city, leaves on Thursday for Scotland. On his way there he will visit his brother at St. Johns, Newfoundland.

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Gordon's July Sale

"No Mid-summer Night's Dream."

We are awake, alert, active and attractive every July morning. Summer goods are to be cleared away and stocks cut down. We want a busy store 6 days a week, hot or cold, wet or dry. Any one can strike while the iron's hot. A few make it hot by striking—Hot Trade for a Cool Summer—See.

Beautiful Satin Stripe Challies

The very elite for waists, 75c goods, July Sale, per yd. 50c

Pure Silk Foulards

Blue and white or black and white, for dresses or waists, 50c goods, July Sale, 25c

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Egyptian Dimities, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c

Victoria Lawns, 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c etc

India Linens, 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c, 20c etc

Lace stripes and cross, 35c, 50c, 10c etc

White muslin, 10c, 12 1/2c, 16c, 20c, 25c

July Parasol Sale

1 doz. fancy colored plain parasols, July Sale, \$1.00

1 1/2 doz. mostly black and green, July Sale, 75c

The best market parasols, \$1.00

Are these bargains you buy of us? Certainly. Where else can we find such values.

July Standard Designer Awaits You, Only 10c.

Five West End Bargain Tables

Are covered with underpriced dress goods, silks and parasols, wraps etc, what wise women want.

Five East End Bargain Tables

Fall of men's underwear, bal-brigan vests and pants at each, 15c

Soft front summer shirts, July Sale, Half Price etc

Women's and Children's Vests

Sleeves, half sleeves, no sleeves, at all prices, 5c to 50c

D. & A. and E. T. dollar corsets, every pair warranted, July Sale price, 50c

Women's Waists

For July, every color, new styles, low prices. A few black sateen waists left at 50c

Ladies' Gossomers

Ladies' Gossomers, July cut, \$5 and \$8 goods, to clear, \$3.50

White Marcellis Quilts

\$3.00 white marcellis spreads, large size, choice pattern, at 25c

11 only, Empire spreads, July Sale, 75c

White crocheted cradle spreads, 35c

10 pcs Summer Shakers

For children's wear July Sale, 4c

4 pieces cream Scotch shaker, 8c

Glass Cloth and Rollerings

July values, 5c, 8c, 10c etc

Bath towels, July Sale—a special line of 4 feet long 2 feet wide, 25c

Also from 12 1/2c up to 75c

July Millinery Sale

The new shirt waist hat is the Suburban, a Santolus sailor, draped with white silk through green velvet rings or rings of any color desired.

Green is the coming color, none better—For value the latest New York fancy is green, splendid for the night and complexion. We have the goods—

Children's Bonnets and shirred hats for bright days (when it comes), July Sale, 15c, 35c, 50c and \$1.00

DAY'S DESPATCHES

9,000 MEN QUIT WORK.

Chicago, July 7.—A strike of 9,000 freight handlers in Chicago was called to-day, and every freight house of the 24 railroads concerned is practically tied up.

Business men fear that the strike will be the most serious which has affected their interests in years.

The strike was called by a meeting of 1,000 freight handlers last night. The committee was instructed to call a strike within 48 hours unless the railroads met the demands of the men for an increase in wages, and recognition of the freight handlers' and warehousemen's union.

Many of the railroads had small forces of men, previously hired, on hand when the strike was called, and by adding to it men from other departments managed to handle the necessities of the city.

In the hiring of non-union men it is said the railroads run a serious risk of bringing about a strike of the teamsters who recently won their fight from the packers.

Chief of Police O'Neil, when notified that a strike had been called, sent orders to his subordinates to make every preparation to preserve peace.

THE VENEZUELAN REVOLUTION.

Willemstad, Island of Curacao, July 7.—President Castro, of Venezuela, left Caracas Sunday, not for Valencia but for La Guaira, taking with him his private guard of 500 veteran soldiers and General Ferrer as chief of staff.

The President reached La Guaira at midnight on the steamer Osuna, his destination being Guayana or Barcelona, about 150 miles east of Caracas.

He intends to reorganize the Government forces at and about Barcelona and assumes the offensive against the Revolutionists at once.

Nobody at Caracas can explain this change in his plans, and the step is considered as perilous as the invasion of the Valencia district by the main force of the Revolutionists.

The army will be opposed by the Government army under General Seforino Castillo. Later in the day, news reached here from Venezuela that under General Modesta Castro, the President's brother, were completely routed July 3 between Barcelona and Aragua by troops of the revolutionary forces under the command of Gen. Rolando.

The Government forces lost all their ammunition and equipment, and many of the soldiers during the engagement. After the battle the revolutionary army moved on Barcelona and surrounded that city. The inhabitants were panic-stricken, the shops were closed and the streets were barricaded.

Incurious Old Clock.

At quaint old Castletown, the "metropolis" of the Isle of Man, there exists a very interesting clock, which has now performed its functions of time telling in five centuries. It was presented by Queen Elizabeth in the year 1567 to Castle Rushen, the fortress which stands in the middle of Castletown, from which the town takes its name.

The works are crude, being driven by ropes and pulleys, but nevertheless they keep fair time. The clock, in fact, has run ever since it was built, except for rare stoppages for repairs.

To this day the single hand which travels slowly round the dial outside the tower of Castle Rushen is the principal source of information as to the hour to the inhabitants of Castletown. A timepiece which has worked continuously for more than 300 years is something of a real curiosity—Jewellers Circular.

Minard's Liniment the best Hair Restorer.

Men may be born with fortunes ready made, but character they have to achieve.

OF POPE LEO.

His Many Personal Traits—Written With a Gold Pen.

The Pope is a keen judge of many things and has a pretty wit. He is reported to have said that Mr. Hall Caine's "Italians," in spite of their names, are all Anglo-Saxons.

The daily menu of the Pontiff consists of a cup of coffee with milk, a roll and no butter for breakfast. At dinner there is soup, plain meat, fried vegetables and chicken croquettes fried in butter as only Romans know how, pastry and one glass of Burgundy. At 6 o'clock a cup of bouillion, and at supper a little cold meat.

Fruit is always on the table, especially pears; a small cup of coffee with a little sugar is taken during the day now and then.

The dish best liked by his Holiness is pasta, made especially for the Vatican table by the nuns of Santa Maria. This is made from new-laid eggs and flour of the finest quality.

The Pope has a preconceived idea of how he should appear in his portrait, and says an artist who has twice painted his Holiness, squaring himself in his seat, his hand upraised, with two fingers extended as if in the act of benediction, a conventional smile drawing back his colorless lips, he would sit motionless for a moment, stiffening every muscle, and then abandoning it. "Voila mon enfant!" he would exclaim, with an air of triumph. He is always much interested in