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THE WORLD'S BEST. WILL LAST FOR YEARS
Come and see them at

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What's a table
Richly Spread--
Without a Loaf
Of Richards' Bread?
It's incomplete,
That's what.

G. W. Cornell
Dentist
Cor. 6th and King Sts.
Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.
Toronto, Aug. 1, 10 a. m.—Light
winds, fine, Thursday, light winds;
fine and moderately warm.

LOCAL BRIEFS

\$1 Straw Hats for 50c. at The 2 T's.
Mrs. M. Nelson, of Detroit, is visiting her
mother, Mrs. Farrell, Louise Street.

"Last but not the least." The Baptist
S. S. excursion to Belle Isle Aug. 14. Id.
Miss Genevieve McGee, of Tottenham, is
visiting her sister, Mrs. J. P. Finn, Cross
Street.

Miss Agnes Reilly, of the Ark, is spending
her vacation with Mrs. Blue, at Duart.
Dr. DeCowan and family have returned
from visiting friends in Thamesville.

Screen Doors and Windows at Mor-
ton's, at lowest prices.
Jerry Bosworth, of New York, is visiting
his father, Baggageman Bosworth, at the
G. T. R.

Correct style in American Straw
Hats, \$2 quality, for \$1 each at The 2
T's.

James McAnally, wife and grandson, of
Zane, are visiting Mrs. William Delamanty,
McKee Avenue.

Capt. Waggoner, who has been confined
to the General Hospital with a broken knee
cap, is able to be out to day and is the
guest of Commodore J. M. Bates for the
day.

Rev. B. F. Austin, ex-principal of Al-
ma College, St. Thomas, will deliver a
lecture at Northwood's hall, on Thurs-
day, Aug. 2nd, at 8 p. m. Subject:
"Why I became a spiritualist." Don't
fail to hear the Doctor, as his subject
will be new and interesting. Clergy
invited.

The following fire alarms were turned in
during July 31: telephone line man
while fixing wires caused box 12 to ring;
July 19, telephone alarm, the kitchen on
Nichols' house on Kirk street, damaged \$5;
July 18, telephone alarm, T. M. Tennant's
residence, investigation the cause of alarm,
no damage; July 27, C. P. R. hotel, fire
caused by kitchen range, damage \$5.

There will be a grove meeting in con-
nection with the Shroveton Union Sunday school
in Northwood's hall on the fifth con-
cession, Raleigh, Aug. 6th, commencing at 2.30.
It will be conducted by Brother Martin as-
sisted by several other speakers from Chat-
ham. The public are invited, and request-
ed to bring their gospel hymn books.

HE'S NOW A TEXAN.

Will G. Frazer, of Houston, Texas, spent
the day renewing acquaintances in the city
and left this afternoon for London. He will
return to his adopted home in Texas the
latter part of the week. Mr. Frazer is a
Chathamite by birth and residence and his
many friends here will be glad to learn that
he is doing well in the far south west where
he is engaged in the fire insurance business.

HEADACHES CURED WITH GLASSES

It is not generally known that 90 per cent
of the headaches existing in the people of
the present generation is caused by errors
of refraction in the eyes and that 90 per
cent can be cured by wearing lenses.

If you are troubled with headaches,
have your eyes examined by us, whether
you think the trouble is there or not.
We will tell you and charge you nothing
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Our absolute guarantee—as
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goes with every Fountain
Pen we sell.

We allow you to use one
for a month.
At the end of that time, if
for ANY REASON you do
not wish to keep it

Bring it Back

we refund the money with-
out question.

Prices \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4
and \$5. And the Pens are
worth every cent of the
price charged.

Dingman's
Books & King St.
Stationery Chatham.

STRUCK THE PLUG

And Secured a Splendid Flow of
the Finest Mineral Water.

The Old Well on the McGregor
Farm Re-opened—The Estab-
lishment of Mineral Baths
Here now Assured.

This morning at 8 o'clock, Driller
Walter Chapman, working under the
direction of Sam. Trotter, reached the
plug in the mineral well on the Mc-
Gregor farm and as a result the well
is flowing a steady stream of the
finest mineral water. The news soon
spread down town and all morning citi-
zens and bottles visited the place and
secured some of the water. Dr. Trotter
thoroughly enjoyed the well has been
reopened, got the first pailful.

Contractor Samuel Trotter had the
work of reopening the well, and he ap-
peared happy at the result. They
began operations on the 3rd of
July, and have put in about three
weeks' work," he said. The well had
been dug by a company who were bor-
ing for oil. It was in a splendid
state of preservation and was just
as solid as this was the day it was put
down. After the company that bored
the well had put in the plug, the plug
was made to secure a supply of oil
from the small vein struck, but the ef-
fort was not successful, as the plug
could not be removed in any way.

The hole was then filled up
from the basement plug. The well
was about 70 feet down to rock and the
balance of the way was just a hole in
the rock. The well was piped this 70
feet and we have now piped it down
far enough to shut out all the oil and
fresh water. The well was filled up
clean down to the basement plug, a
distance of some 450 feet. You can see
for yourself what the well is like
now," concluded Mr. Trotter, as he
pointed to the flow of water bubbling
up eight feet above the ground.

THE FIRST TEST.
James Striker, of the Lake Erie, R.
R., was the first to test the efficacy
of the water. Some years ago he had
his thumb broken at the joint and it
was so stiff he couldn't move it. He
went and held it under the flow of
water, and after the third application
he was able to move the stiff joint,
and it gradually worked round till it
resumed its old-time flexibility. The
water is salty and has a strong sul-
phur taste.

Dr. Hall, who has been the prime mover
in having the well reopened, was ex-
ceedingly happy this morning at the suc-
cessful operations. Some 25 years ago when
assisting Prof. Lyons, of Detroit, in anal-
ysing the water from Mount Clemens, a
sample from the Chatham well was analysed
and found to be identical with the Mount
Clemens water. Then Dr. Hall made up
his mind to see the well in use some day
and he tenaciously stuck to his purpose. Ever
since he came to reside in Chatham, 10
years ago, he has talked the matter up
and Druggist George Witherspoon has been his
warmest supporter. Chas. Hadley, W. D.
Sheldon, James Carwell, Fred Quinn, W.
W. Scott and others became interested in
the project and it was decided to open the
well.

The curative powers of the water have
long been known and many a citizen remem-
bered as a boy going with a bottle to secure
some of the water to rub on his dog's sore
back or to kill the fleas. It was sure death
to lice, fleas and bedbugs.

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Speaking of the curative powers of the
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was suffering from ulcerated legs. I told
him his cure was almost impossible but he
might try this water as a last resort. He
did so and the result was marvellous. The
sores all healed up after a few applications.
On another occasion an old man, now re-
sident of the Home of the Friendless, was
wandering about town in a filthy state. He
came to me one day with his legs a mass of
sores and when he removed the rags white
maggots were exposed. He was so awful I
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in this water and he did so daily. The first
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This the Judge lent to me also and it proved
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form a company. You may expect to see
mineral baths here soon. Many difficul-
ties have had to be surmounted. The Mc-
Gregor children were infants at first and the
property could not be transferred. Then
Caleb Wheeler bought the property with an
option on it. At length, the well has been
secured by a number of citizens, at I must
say, a very large consideration. However we
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Amongst those who visited the well this
morning were: Chas. Hadley, Geo. Withers-
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Thrasher, Thos. Scullard, Geo. G. Martin,
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the factories here were on the creek in those
days, and the boilers were all encrusted with
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Crash Skirts!

A glance at our East Window will convince
you we mean business. The balance of our wash
skirts to be cleared out and cleared quickly.
This is how we are selling them.

All white Pique Skirts, regardless of former prices, now

\$1.00

All Navy Sateen, made in combination style, now

\$1.69

All Crash Skirts, with sateen trimming, sold formerly for \$1.70, now

\$1.25

All Crash Skirts, with crash overskirt and sateen underskirt, trimmed with
navy and white braid, formerly \$2.75, now

\$1.88

A White Wear Special

One only lot of Ladies' Fine Cambric Night Gowns, empire style, trimmed with
gusset insertion and embroidery, reg. \$1.50, marked to clear at

\$1.12

Our Parasol Sale Continues

off the price of any Parasol in the stock.

A Handkerchief Inducement

Some 20 odd dozen of White Lawn Handkerchiefs, with lace and embroidery
trimming, reg. 10c to 15c, this week

3 for 25c

Felt Walking Hats

Some of the advance ideas in Ladies' Hats are now here, to select from, just what
is wanted if you are thinking of taking a holiday outing. Better see them, the styles
are the latest and the prices are as attractive as the hats.

LINENS! LINENS!

LINEN MAKERS ASK HIGHER PRICES. Stands
to reason that the sellers must follow suit, most of them will do
so. "Our linens are still at old prices." It is refreshing for a
customer to see our lines and get the prices after going all over
town. It assures her that this store always stands for the cus-
tomers. We have a special assortment of bleached and un-
bleached table damasks, towels, piece linens, etc just in awaiting
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18x36 in. Solid Huck Towels, pure
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towel

12c.

20x38 Huck Towels, bleached or
unbleached, hemmed stitched or fringed
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15c.

18x25, Special Huck Towels, extra
heavy, fringed with red borders, very
special each

10c.

Best value in the trade, 20x30 Pure
Huck Towels, hemmed ends, plain or
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Special values in Bath Towels, plain
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10c, 12c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 60c

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