

## Our New Quebec Maple Syrup

We expect here in a few days. There are several points about this that differ from our home-made product. The season there is longer, the nights are colder, and consequently the sap is better. The syrup is made by the evaporating process, which is strictly clean, allowing no smoke or sticks to spoil the fine flavor of the syrup. There's no trouble about keeping this syrup through the summer. It just requires heating, and bottling in air-tight jars.

We would like to have your order for what you will need. The syrup comes in clean cans, full measure and air tight.

1 Gal. Cans, \$1.20.

1 Gal. Cans, 60c.

1 Gal. Cans, 20c.

## H. Malcolmson

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FOR THE MANY EXPRESSIONS OF SYMPATHY we have received. We really never knew that we had so many friends. We hope to be able to

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Exactly opposite Turner's Drug Store, and we shall certainly have some decided bargains for you. In the meantime ORDERS FOR PLUMBING and TINKERING will receive our prompt attention, and we shall be thankful if you will help us by sending us your orders.

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Our new stock of Suitings and Overcoatings

## ==FOR SPRING==

Is in now. Call early and make your choice while the stock is at its best.

Rainproof Coats made to order.

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We are showing special value Whisks in our King St. window. See them.

Price 10c each.

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DENTIST.

Office over A. I. McCall & Co's Drug Store, Cor. King and Fifth Sts. Phone.

Office 64, Residence 385.

### TO-NIGHT

City Council, Harrison Hall at 8 o'clock.

Sons of England, in their rooms, at 8 o'clock.

Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8 o'clock.

Epworth League, Park St. Church Lecture Hall, at 8.

Scottish concert at Park St. Epworth League, at 8.

Reception to Rev. and Mrs. Hodgins, at Holy Trinity Church, at 8.

Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., Masonic Temple, Seane's new block, King St., at 7.30, Sharp.

## Local Briefs

Miss Edith Dolsen is spending the day in Detroit.

A. Laing, of Ridgeway, was in the city on Saturday.

Geo. Moore, of Bothwell, spent Saturday in the city.

T. H. Watson, of Highgate, was in the city on Saturday.

F. Mayhew, of Ridgeway, is spending the day in the city.

J. H. Magee, of Tilbury, was a Chatham guest on Saturday.

J. W. Sharpe, of Dresden, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rodgers have moved into their new home on Park street.

W. D. McRae, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor to Chatham friends on Saturday.

P. T. Barry, of Wallaceburg, called on his many Chatham friends on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lancaster and son Lorne have taken a trip to Commerce, Mich.

Reg. Pleasant sang O Salutaris very acceptably in St. Joseph's Church yesterday morning.

Miss Elsie Turner, Richmond St., left for Ramo, New York, yesterday, where she will spend a couple of months visiting relatives.

A meeting of the City Council will be held to-night, when tenders will be opened for supplies and street sprinkling, and several pavement matters will come up.

W. Gaudin, of Detroit, was in the city yesterday visiting his brothers, John and Alfred. John has just arrived in Chatham from Alderney Island, in the English Channel.

Miss Alice Greening, one of Chatham's popular society young ladies, leaves on Wednesday for Brooklyn, New York, where she will enter the Long Island College Hospital as a nurse in training.

J. R. Smith, baritone, gave an excellent rendition of "Abide With Me" in Christ Church last evening. His singing was much appreciated by the large congregation. Rev. Canon Hill gave an excellent sermon.

Wm. Raymo was dismissed on the charge of attempted burglary but is held on a charge of vagrancy laid against him. John Johnson, charged with attempted burglary of Josie Wilkins' house, Queen street, was remanded till Friday to give him a chance to show previous good character.

Nelson Emery, of Tilbury, is spending the day in the city visiting his daughter Olga, who is attending the Ursuline Academy. Nelson is an industrious culling on his many Chatham friends, who are pleased to see him again. Mr. Emery was formerly employed at Stone's, but is now one of the most up-to-date and progressive merchants of Tilbury.

## Home Bakery

Has no equal. A meal at any hour for 15c that costs a 25c or more elsewhere. Fresh Oysters.

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### DR. A. A. HICKS

DENTIST

Office: 26 King St. East, over Turner's Drug Store Phone 357

### THE STRAW BRAIDS

The unusually beautiful Straws, which are in so many cases a trimming in themselves, are the first factors in Hat making this Spring.

Never before has the straw goods manufacturer deserved such praise. Shadings and color combinations are exquisite, and the texture of the of the straws is soft, silky and pliable.

G. A. OOKSLEY

King St., Chatham

Miss Ethel Clements was the guest of Miss Florence Blackburn, Darrell, over Sunday.

Roy Benson, of McMaster University, is spending a couple of weeks with his parents on Cross St.

Fred. Symington, of Barria, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stevens, Hilliard street, over Sunday.

Don't forget to attend the Scottish evening Park street Methodist church this evening. Good program. Admission 15c.

Wm. Carr was assessed \$3.00 and costs, \$7.00 in all, for being drunk and disorderly. He had an option of 21 days and he took the days.

The Assisting Society of the General Hospital will hold a sale of homemade cooking in the store of Mr. McCorvie, April 19th and 20th.

Wm. T. Taylor, representing the Northern Manufacturing Co., called on his brother-in-law, Henry Robinson.

James Burns, released on suspended sentence on a charge of assault, appeared this morning and was given an opportunity to pay the costs in the case, \$3.50.

The Wardeis of Christ Church have had the double house on St. Lawrence avenue raised, painted and otherwise improved. The house now presents a neat and tidy appearance.

The White Front Cafe, Fifth St., under the new management, is doing a rushing business. The Cafe was crowded Saturday. Open night and day, meals at all hours. It has no equal.

Will Kime, son of Joseph Kime, V. S. of this city, has returned from Toronto, where he has completed a full two years' course of training in the Ontario Veterinary College. Will intends to practice with his father in this city.

Drainage Referee, Colonel J. B. Rankin, K. C., heard a motion for procedure this morning in the case of Morlington Township vs. Elma Township in Perth County. The order was made as asked. Fred Stone for plaintiff, J. M. Pike contra.

John Jackson, an aged colored resident, of Patterson avenue, passed away Friday afternoon, in the 85th year of his age. Deceased has been ailing for some time. A widow, and a grown up family are left to mourn his departure. Deceased was greatly respected by all who knew him, and was a life-long Conservative.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the B. M. E. Church, King St., to the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

### Has Arrived.

Constantinople, April 2.—A private telegram received here says that Gen. Rasputin, an aide-de-camp to the Sultan, with a strong force of men, reached Sanata, capital of the Province of Yemen, Arabia, March 29.

Mexican Congress Opens.

Mexico City, April 2.—The spring session of Congress opened Saturday evening and President Diaz read his message in the presence of a large audience of senators, deputies, representatives and distinguished visitors.

Counter Petition Entered.

Toronto, April 2.—M. G. Cameron, M. P. for West Huron, against whose return a petition was filed, has entered a counter-petition against his opponent, Dudley Holmes, whose disqualification is asked.

St. Lawrence is Clearing.

Montreal, April 2.—The first ice shove in the St. Lawrence took place yesterday afternoon, causing a big change in the ice. The water rose two feet. An early clearing of the ice is expected.

## PLAIN FACTS are STRONG ARGUMENTS

Which Customers Prove True Six Days in the Week at THE GORDON STORE. Here are Practical Persuaders for Plain People. Gordon's GREAT WASH GOODS SELLING

PRINTS—100 pcs. American Percals, 1 yard wide, fast colors, 12½c. goods will be sold at per yard, 10c. and 8c.

Finer lines of Canadian and American Prints, good washers and wearers, will be sold at per yard, 6½c and 5c

Fine and wider English, Canadian and American Prints and Turkey Reds—new patterns, at per yard, 10c. and 8c.

CRUM'S CELEBRATED ENGLISH PRINTS, both soft and satin finish, and English Turkey Reds, at per yard, 12½c

TOILE DU NORD, the best brand of American Gingham in all the latest styles of weaves for women and children's wear.

Zephyr Broche, a new and beautiful fancy weave in Wash Goods for shirtwaist suits, etc., at per yard, 20c.

FANCY VOILES, all new styles and colorings, 12½c goods at 10c

LATASKA VOILES, new and nobby weaves, dark colors, at 16c. The voiles will make very fine shirtwaist suits.

OXFORD SHIRTINGS—Canadian manufacture, fast colors, no better goods for soft front shirts, at 12½c.

CHECK SHIRTINGS, per yard, 5, 12½, 10, 8, 6¼ and 5c

7, 8 and 10 OUNCE DUCKS, Overall Goods, from 12½c to 25c.

You can use your money here to advantage, and that is about all the advantage there is in having any.

## —WILLIAM GORDON—

### GOOD SERVICES

At the Park St. Methodist Church yesterday morning the pastor, Rev. G. H. Cobbleddick, took as his theme the 10th commandment,—"Thou shalt not covet," etc., it being the last of the series of sermons on the 10 commandments as a covenant of love.

The anthem, "He watereth the hills," was excellently rendered, and the offertory duet, "O Loving Voice of Jesus," by Miss Hill and Jasper Wilson, is worthy of special mention.

In the evening a large congregation listened very attentively to the pastor's sermon on "Parents and their young people." Only the first part of the subject was dealt with, and the young people's part will be given next Sunday evening.

The points presented were of practical interest to every home. In fact, Mr. Cobbleddick always gives something that can be taken by his hearers into everyday life and put into practical use. The service throughout was bright and inspiring. The music was of the usual good order, consisting of an anthem, "Seek ye the Lord," and offertory number, "God Who Madest Earth and Heaven."

### MINERAL BATHS

W. J. Lovering, of Toronto, is another man who has tried the Chatham mineral baths, and has found complete relief from rheumatism.

Mr. Lovering is a wholesale lumber dealer in Toronto. Some time ago he injured his ankle by falling off a lumber pile, and rheumatism set in. For a year he has been walking with the assistance of a cane. He came to the Sanitarium about two weeks ago and before he left for Toronto on Saturday he presented Mr. McCoug, the genial and popular manager of the Sanitarium, with his cane, he having no more use for it.

Mr. Lovering was very much pleased and thoroughly satisfied with the baths, and intends to spend a week or two here every year. He intends to send people here and in doing so, he told The Planet, he would not be doing a favor for the company, but for the people he will send, especially if they received the benefit he did.

Mr. Lovering, Sr., of Coldwater, Mich., is also taking the baths for rheumatism, and is improving nicely.

Our grand business is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand.

### J. E. GOODALL TAILOR.

Special attention to Pressing and Cleaning Ladies' and Gent's Garments.

Sixth St., Near the Fire Hall

### FOR SALE

25 Houses and Lots for sale. Price from \$275 to \$2,000. A number of building lots, why pay rent? We build you a house and pay for it as rent.

J. A. Bell,

Real Estate Agent, Opposite Market, King Street.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

### INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS

On Wednesday, April 5th, at eight p. m., in the Barracks, the Salvation Army will present 3,000 feet of moving pictures of their great international congress held in London, England, last year.

Adjutant Wakefield, representative of territorial headquarters, Toronto, who was present at the congress, will give descriptive lecture.

The scenes produced are the great review of 25,000 salvationists by General Booth at the Crystal Palace, the General in his motor car, Commissioner Eva Booth and March of the Canadian contingent, including Indiana, Cowboys, Klondike pioneers, Newfoundland sailors, the renowned Canadian staff band and splendid brass band and children from Bermuda, delegations from all parts of the globe, native dances, military manoeuvres, the Army's finest bands, Commissioner Coombs (Canada's new leader) and British staff. There is also a set of moving pictures illustrating the Salvation Army farm colony, etc., etc., a generous quantity, which will be deeply interesting.

In addition to the imposing, there will be no lack of the humorous.

The above will be projected by means of the well known English Bioscope. The machine and equipment is said to be the best that has ever been used in this country and is capable of producing pictures 15 feet in diameter.

Otto Wonderly, the London jockey, was killed by being thrown from a horse at Memphis, Tenn. He was one of the most prominent jockeys on the American circuit.

### F. M. Bedford

Requests the pleasure of your company at the opening of the new Gerhard-Heintzman Studio over Von Gunten's new Jewellery Store on

Thursday and Friday, April 3rd and 4th.

Studio will be under the charge of Miss Nellie Richards.

W. E. Raspin has two good heated rooms to let, over his office, 115 King street, suitable for offices or living rooms, all modern conveniences; also house to rent in Riverside Terrace, heated by furnace, hot and cold water, gas and modern conveniences. Also nice small house and lot on Murray street, \$700, full particulars on application.

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## Only Three Weeks to Easter

We would be pleased to have your order NOW for your EASTER DRESSES and HATS. We have a large staff in both Departments, but they are already very busy, and to insure satisfaction we would like all the time possible to fill your orders.

OUR DRESS GOODS contain all that is new in Dress Goods, Silks and Trimmings, marked at prices that will please you.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT, in charge of Miss Reynolds, is filled with all novelties of the season.

New Arrivals To-day—Prints, Gingham and Lace Curtains

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