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Cream Puffs

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LEAVE YOUR ORDER EARLY.

W. S. Richards

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Dentist

On 6th and King Sts.

Over Geo. E. Young's Grocery.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. E. J. Forsythe, Harvey St., who has been sick for some time, was taken to the hospital this afternoon.

Rev. George Gilmore, B. A., of London, will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church on both occasions next Sunday.

Barrister Geo. G. Martin filed with Clerk Holmes, on the 9th inst., the first statement of claim of the century in Kent in the high court action of Kinney vs. the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway.

To-morrow's Planet will contain another installment from Dr. McKeough's interesting diary of his trip to the old world. It will give a most interesting description of his visit to Holland and the Hague.

The funeral of the late Samuel French took place yesterday from the family residence, Taylor Ave., to Maple Leaf Cemetery. The Rev. W. H. Locke conducted the services at the house. The burial was in charge of the K. O. E. M. and Oliver Springer, on behalf of the lodge, conducted the service at the grave.

Contractor R. M. Paxton came in from Erieau at noon to-day. He says that neither the lake nor the Eau is frozen over. The channel is clear but the eau is full of ice fields. There is a strip of ice extending but four or five hundred yards from the bar, all along the shore in the vicinity of Sandy-Knowe, Chief Young's summer residence.

## Fine Tailoring

There is this point in favor of our Clothing the care we take in the making of it.

You are judged by your clothes as you judge others by theirs. Refined clothing is the kind that stamps you as a person of fashion and taste.

Albert  
Sheldrick  
Merchant Tailor  
OPP. GRAND OPERA HOUSE

## Toilet Soaps

We pay special attention to Toilet Soaps. We always try to have a good variety of fancy brands as well as the less expensive kinds.

Shell Brand White Castile—35c a bar (3 lbs.)

Olive Oil and Cucumber, 3 Cakes for 10c.

A. I. McCall &amp; Co., DRUGGISTS

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## Custom Tailoring

J. R.  
Johnston  
& Son

Eberts Block  
Chatham

## HORSE AND RIG STOLEN.

Chief Young has been notified of the theft of a horse and buggy on Wednesday night from Arch, McBrayne, Ltd. 4, twine range, Howard. The outfit was traced some distance towards Ridgeway. The horse was a bright bay, 13 years old. The buggy was made by Simpson, of Ridgeway, and the top had been pierced by a wagon pole, and the hole mended. The robbery was evidently committed by someone acquainted with the premises, as a cross dog belonging to Mr. McBrayne, raised no alarm.

## FOUND THEIR FATHER DEAD.

Ghastly Discovery by Returning School Children—Accidentally Shot Himself.

Parham Station, Ont., Jan. 11.—James Sils, a resident of Hinchinbrook township, started about nine o'clock yesterday morning for a rabbit-hunt. His children, coming from school about 4:30 this afternoon, found him lying dead in a field. It is supposed he was carrying the gun on his shoulder, muzzle forward, and fell, the butt of the gun going forward and the hammer striking the ground as he fell. The bullet entered the body about the centre of the breast and came out near the hip. His clothing was badly burned.

## RUSHED A BOER TOWN.

Durban, Natal, Jan. 11.—Seventy foreigners have arrived here from Johannesburg.

A small party of Steinacker's Horse, while making a night march, rushed the town of Brensdorp, in Swaziland, and captured the guard and a number of oxen and wagons. The Boers were awaiting the arrival of a commando in order to be able to command supplies.

Rheumatism in all its forms is promptly and permanently cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which neutralizes acidity of the blood.

## MONEY TO LEND.

To pay off mortgages.  
To buy property.  
Very lowest rates.  
Pay when desired.  
Will also lend on note and chattel mortgage.  
J. W. WHITE, Barrister,  
King St., West, Chatham.

## REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE AND BROKER'S OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A few shares of the Chatham Manufacturing Co., Limited.

## F. Marx

## Property for Sale

We are instructed to sell that desirable city property, Lots Twelve and Thirteen, west side of Lacroix Street. On lot Twelve is a modern dwelling and barn, and is planted with fruit and ornamental trees. Will be sold in One or Two parcels.  
SCANE, HOUSTON, STONE & SCANE  
Nov 3 11, 1900.

## Time and Money

Cannot bring you better clothes than we are turning out every day. Our experience, the high grade of all the material we use and the personal supervision which we give to every order, help us to give the customer the satisfaction that we feel he is entitled to.

Morley &amp; Co. Leading Tailors

## Chatham's Millinery Store

This is the Time for Reductions in...

.....Millinery.....

You save money by making your purchase here. Our Sale Price makes a big difference in the price of Hats and Bonnets. Come and see them and judge these prices, quality and style.

Trimmed Hats .....\$1.00  
Trimmed Hats .....\$1.50  
Wool Bonnets from .....25c

C. A. COOKSLEY, Opp. Market

## SHE WOULD NOT LEAVE.

How the American Consul at St. Thomas had to Get Rid of His Sister.

St. Thomas, Jan. 11.—John W. Cook, a prominent citizen, was arrested yesterday on a somewhat sensational charge, that of assisting in the abduction of Miss Bessie Burke, an adopted sister of Col. M. J. Burke, U. S. Consul at St. Thomas. It is said that Miss Burke has been a disturbing element in her brother's household. Colonel Burke decided that she should secure quarters elsewhere, offering to pay all necessary expenses of her living, or allow her \$25 a month. She refused to go, so the colonel played the case with John A. Robinson, barrister, giving him instructions to have her taken to a boarding-house.

Mr. Robinson, accompanied by John W. Cook and J. R. Donohue, drove to the Consulate in a hack, and it is said, forcibly placed Miss Burke therein, and had her removed. She entered action, charging Cook and Donohue with forcibly arresting and detaining her without lawful authority, and yesterday afternoon Crothers and Price, barristers, issued a warrant for both men. Cook was arrested, and released on bail. Donohue is out of the city, but his solicitor says he will give himself up to the authorities on his returning.

The trial will take place on Monday. Col. Burke feels keenly the position in which he is placed.

## CHICAGO MARKETS.

Jan. 11, 1901.	Opn.	High	Low	Close
Wheat—Jan.....	74 1/2	74 3/4	74 1/4	74 1/2
May.....	77 1/2	77 3/4	76 3/4	77 1/2
Corn—Jan.....	36 1/2	36 3/4	36 1/4	36 1/2
May.....	38 1/2	38 3/4	38 1/4	38 1/2
Oats—Jan.....	25 1/2	25 3/4	24 1/4	25 1/2
May.....	25 1/2	25 3/4	24 1/4	25 1/2
Pork—Jan.....	14.45	14.45	14.05	14.05
May.....	13.95	14.10	13.95	14.05
Lard—Jan.....	7.35	7.35	7.35	7.35
May.....	7.42	7.47	7.40	7.45
Ribs—Jan.....	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00
May.....	7.10	7.15	7.10	7.10

## Minard's Linalum Cures Distemper.

## LOST

LOST—On Wednesday evening, between the Idlewild Hotel and Wm. Gray & Son's, a black purse containing twenty-eight dollars in bills and some silver. The finder will be rewarded by returning to H. Burwell, or to Planet Office.

## WANTED

COW WANTED—In exchange for a good colt. Apply at the Planet Office.

PERMANENT SITUATION WANTED—A housekeeper, by a widow lady, with civilizing and saving twenty-eight dollars in bills and some silver. The finder will be rewarded by returning to H. Burwell, or to Planet Office.

## FOR SALE OR TO RENT

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—75 Lorne Avenue, Apply to W. H. Nichol, King St.

\$500—Will buy one and a half acres on Victoria Blue Avenue, \$400 will buy 4 Lots in one block on Maple Street. Apply at Planet Office.

TO RENT—House in good repair. Apply to F. W. Keaghal, Victoria Avenue.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE

J. P. CAIRNS, Mgr.

Monday, January 14th

THE SENSATIONAL

EPILOGRAM

By Edward Weitzel

THE

TIDE OF LIFE

The Great Dock Scene, East

End, P. T. T.

Barrage of the Hotel.

The Wonderful Leap on the Flying Train.

The Election of Holland.

The Greatest Speech ever attempted on any stage.

The Beautiful Home of Judge Morley, on the Hudson River.

The Funny Tramp.

Produced with All Special Scenery.

PRICES—75c, 50c, 25c and 10c.

SPECIAL—10c of the Best Seats on Lower Floor at 50c.

Chatham's Greatest Store | C. Austin &amp; Co. | Chatham's Cheapest Store

## Attractive Offerings For... Saturday

Getting stocks ready for stock-taking brings to light everything in which we have more than is considered necessary. That's why we are offering such seasonable lines as are described below at such tempting prices.

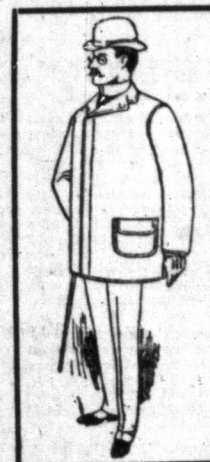
## Ladies' and Children's Flannelette Night Gowns

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns, Mother-Hubbard, light or dark stripes, double yokes.....	50c
Heavy Flannelette Gowns, twilled or plain, pink, blue or gray stripes, trimmed with narrow frills.....	75c
Extra fine quality Flannelette gowns, full size, double yoke, finished with frills and cord trimming.....	\$1.00
Misses Flannelette Gowns, pink, blue and lawn stripes, Mother Hubbard, with sailor collar and trimmed with frills.....	39c
Size 1, length 22 inches.....	40c
Size 2, length 27 inches.....	45c
Size 3, length 30 inches.....	45c
Size 4, length 36 inches.....	45c
Size 5, length 39 inches.....	50c

Ladies' 2-1 ribbed Union Vests, long sleeves, buttoned front, regular 50c line, special for..... 39c

## Special Store News At the Big Clothing Store

It's interesting times we are having just now as the sale progresses. We can't tell you about all we are doing—we want you to come and see, seeing is knowing. Many new bargains have turned up since last week. We name but a few that will give you a modest idea of what this sale means.



Saturday, January 12th,

## Special Reductions

On all mens' and youths' Dress Overcoats and Ulsters on display in East Show Window Saturday, at prices, never before offered to the purchasing public. See window—Prices marked in plain figures. We invite your inspection.

## Special Sacrifices in Men's Pants Displayed on Table in Clothing Dept.

50 pairs Men's Solid Tweed Pants, neat gray stripes and plain Halifax \$1.00 Pants on sale at.....	75c
50 pairs Men's Neat Tweed Pattern Pants and plain serge and trousers, \$1.55, \$1.50 Pants, on sale at.....	\$1.00
30 pairs Men's Extra Quality Tweed Pants and heavy cloth, \$1.80 and \$1.75 Pants, on sale at.....	\$1.25

## Terrific Reduction in Boys' Reefers

MOTHERS, we have placed on tables all our Boys' Reefers, and marked prices on them that are bound to clear them out.

## Are Displayed on Tables In Clothing Department

Boys' Heavy Serge Reefers, double breasted, sizes 22 to 28, special.....	\$1.25
Boys' Heavy Nap Reefers, double breasted, tweed lined, sizes 22 to 28, special.....	\$1.50
Boys' Special Reefers, heavy fringes, heavy curls, fine heavers, big storm collars and fine heavier dress Coats, reg. \$3 and \$3.25 Coats, sizes 23 to 33, your choice Saturday.....	\$2.48

C. Austin & Co. The Bargain Centre Market Square