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All wool silk velvet finished, 45 inches wide, in colors wedgewood and light blue, terra cotta, cardinal, scarlet, Old Rose, pink, brown, greys and greens at per yard 50c and..... 60c

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Wool taffetas, 45 inches, wide in colors fawn, grey, blue and green at per yard 50 and..... 60c

Now for Easter every well dressed lady must have a pair of gloves for Easter. You will find this stock of gloves complete in the newest shades of grays and fawns. Fenwick's Albertine, a guaranteed glove for.....\$1.00 Fenwick's Ascot, in fawns and grays, in black and self stitching, guaranteed at per pair.....\$1.25

## WILLIAM FOREMAN & Co.

### PROSPECTUS

## THE CHATHAM MINERAL WATER COMPANY LIMITED.

Incorporated Under the Ontario Companies Act.

CAPITAL \$65,000 in 6,500 SHARES OF \$10 EACH.

### DIRECTORS:

William R. Hall, Esq., M. D., Chatham, President.  
William D. Sheldon, Esq., Water Commissioner, Chatham, Vice-President.  
Walter W. Scane, Esq., Barrister-at-law, Chatham, Secretary.  
Charles Hadley, Esq., President of the S. Hadley Lumber Co., Chatham, Treasurer.  
George A. Witherspoon, Esq., Chatham, Druggist.

### BANKERS:

The Standard Bank of Canada.

### SOLICITORS:

Messrs. Scane, Houston, Stone and Scane.

Thirty-seven years ago, a number of gentlemen belonging to Chatham to be of the same geological strata as the salt districts of Michigan decided to bore for salt on the McGregor farm. At a depth of about four hundred feet they found petroleum oil but as they were searching for salt and not oil they piped it off and bored down farther.

At a depth of one thousand feet they struck a heavy flow of mineral water which, however, was not suitable for making salt as will be seen from the following letter and analysis from Professor Croft, D. C. L., of Toronto, who, at that time, was considered one of the best analytical chemists in Canada, and to who a sample of the water was submitted in 1864 by the old company for the purpose of ascertaining if salt could be found in paying quantities.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 30, 1864.  
Gentlemen:—I send you herewith the results of my analyses of which is more complete than the former one.  
The spring is indeed a curious one, and while I would not consider it suitable for the manufacture of salt, I believe it would be excellent for bathing purposes and also as an internal medicine.

Your obedient servant,  
HENRY CROFT.

### CROFT'S ANALYSIS.

Sp. gravity at 60 degrees Fahr 12131  
Free hydrogen sulphide 52 cubic inches free carbonic acid present.  
Sodium sulphate..... 321.310  
Magnesium sulphate..... 372.120  
Sodium chloride..... 6291.210  
Potassium chloride..... 79.051  
Calcium chloride..... 3570.521  
Magnesium chloride..... 185.808  
Lime sulphate..... 210.191  
Lime carbonate..... 14.032  
Magnesium Sulphide..... 015  
Silica..... 1.071  
Free sulphur..... .200

Total solid..... 10755.432

### HENRY CROFT.

In 1865 the well was plugged and an effort made to utilize the oil found, but the work was soon abandoned. The water, however, in spite of the plugging, continued to come from the well and it was soon discovered by many of the older citizens to contain unfailing properties for healing up old sores, ulcers, skin diseases, etc., and of curing rheumatism, and even at that time, very few of the houses in Chatham were ever without a jug of this valuable water, its virtue having been proven by constant use, as will be seen from the many testimonials now in the hands of the company, received from the most prominent citizens.

In the summer of 1900 a number of citizens decided to make an effort to open up this old well; after many discouragements they succeeded in getting a successful bore to undertake the work. At a depth of one thousand feet, the water was again found which flowed with great force ten or twelve feet above the ground with a diameter of four and one-half inches. This water has been examined by Professor A. R. Pyne, M. B., of Toronto, whose analysis is as follows:—

A. R. Pyne, M. B., Tor Univ.

M. C. P. & S. Ont.

Licentiate in Medicine, University, State of New York, Albany, Professor of Chemistry, Women's Medical College, Toronto.

DOMINION ANALYST, CONSULTING CHEMIST.

ASSAY & Chemical Laboratory.

Telephone No. 1407.

261 and 263 GERRARD STREET EAST.

CORNER BARKLEY STREET.

Toronto, April 2nd, 1901.

Analysis of a sample of mineral water

### SATIN CLOTHES

All wool satin cloths, firm weave, 42 inches wide in colors light grey, fawn, castor, brown, green and blue, at per yard 50 and..... 75c

### VENETIANS

Venetian cloths in castors, fawns, browns, and greens at per yard.....\$1.25

Printed Henriettes, Flannels and Wool Delaines, at per yd. 50c and..... 25c

sharp of \$10 each in the above company, and I agree to accept the same or any less number you may allot me (subject to the by-laws of the said company) and I authorize you to apply the deposit of \$ in the payment of the preliminary expense of the company. Dated at this 1901.

### Why He Failed.

A young man who had failed by only three points in an examination for admission to the Marine Corps railwayed his representative in Congress for assistance, and together they went to see the Secretary of the Navy, in the hope of securing what is known as a "retating" of his papers.

"Have many more chances do you want?" asked Secretary Long. "This is your third time." And before the young man had a chance to answer the Secretary continued: "How do you expect to get along in the world when you smoke so many cigarettes? Your clothes are saturated with their odor. Pull off your glove and let me see your fingers. There, see how yellow they are!" pointing to the sides of the first and second fingers.

Before the young man had found his tongue to offer an explanation the Secretary asked him if he drank.

"Only once in a while," was his sheepish reply. Secretary Long then invited the Congressman into his private office, and while offering to do everything that he could consistently, added: "I am sick of trying to make anything of these boys that are loaded with cigarette smoke and 'drink once in a while.' They are about hopeless, it seems to me."

What they left the department building the young man, half apologizing for his poor showing, remarked: "Drinking, my father says, is the bane of the navy."

"I guess it is," replied the Congressman locally. "It is the bane everywhere else, and I should think quite likely it would be in the navy." The young man promised to turn over a new leaf absolutely, in both particulars and was allowed another chance.

### Canada's Electric Cars.

Mr. George Johnson, the Dominion statistician, has compiled some interesting figures about the electric railways of Canada. During the year ending December 31st, 1899, the 682 miles of track were so used that the total number of miles run by cars was 29,646,847.

The number of passengers carried was over one hundred and four millions, namely, 104,033,659. This is equal to carrying every man, woman and child in the Dominion twenty times.

The mileage run and the passengers carried show that for each mile run the electric carried 34 passengers.

Compared with the previous year the number of passengers carried increased nearly 24 million more and the number of miles run by over a million.

The passengers carried per mile run increased from 34 to 44. The number of transfers given in Toronto was over 101 million. These are not included in the total of passengers carried.

The amount of paid-up capital invested in electric railways is \$21,700,000. The steam railways in 1899 carried 16,168,191 passengers, running a train mileage of 25,292,850, thus making an average of eleven and one-half passengers per mile.

The electric cars traveled over four and one-third million more miles than the passenger and mixed trains of the steam railways. Together the steam and electric railways carried over 129,000,000 passengers, and the proportion about 13 to 1 by steam to 87 by electricity.

### Teach Children to Save.

From the time a child—boy or girl—is four years old he or she should be given a regular weekly allowance, no matter how small, for "pocket money." This may take the form of payment for certain little services rendered—the filling of the woodbox, the keeping of hats and coats hung up, the dusting of the play room, or it may be given in fee simple.

Some children are naturally little spendthrifts, and unless early taught the value of money, in that formative period when habits are fixed, are likely to retain the habit to the end of their days. If a child realizes that he cannot eat his cake and keep it, that if this week's allowance is all spent Monday, there will be nothing left for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, he very soon grasps the idea of personal responsibility in the expenditure of his nickel or dime to its best advantage.

### Temperance.

Dr. E. E. Hale declares that his church alone could care for all the needy families of Boston whose poverty is not caused by drink.

Joseph Cook, known to the public by his Boston Monday lectures, and to whom a large Albany audience was last Sabbath permitted to listen as he discoursed on "New Defences of the Lord's Day," in a recent lecture thus concisely stated his objections to Prof. Atwater's statements: "First, I consider the vagaries. They have many sides as a rolling pin. He advances, retreats and hedges. He has no definition for food and he does not cover money. This may state the limitations in scope and he acknowledges that he has not studied the effect of alcohol upon the nervous or circulatory organs. That is like 'Hamlet' with Hamlet left out."

A sufficient number of shares to carry out the above project of the par value of \$10 each are offered for sale by the company, payable 10 per cent. at the time of application, 15 per cent. additional at the time of allotment and the balance as the directors may deem advisable. No call, however, shall exceed twenty-five per cent. and there shall be an interval of at least thirty days between calls. Applications for shares may be addressed in the following form and accompanied by a deposit of 10 per cent. to the secretary at Chatham, Ontario.

To the directors of the Chatham Mineral Co., Limited,  
of the of in the request you to allot me

### Births, Marriages and Deaths.

**DIED.**  
RHODY.—On Monday morning, April 8th, 1901, Mrs. Martha Rhody, aged 66 years.  
Funeral arrangements not yet made.

### PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Soecial.  
Toronto, April 8, 10 a. m.—Fresh northeasterly to northwesterly winds, cloudy to fair, and cool. Tuesday, fair with stationary or slightly higher temperature.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. S. Keely is seriously ill.  
Wm. Mowbray, is visiting in Botany. Wm. Jahne is in Detroit to-day on business.

A. T. MacDonald spent yesterday in Detroit.  
Frank Brundage spent yesterday in Blenheim.

Mr. Clapp, of Tecumseh, is in the city to-day.  
The young daughter of W. T. Ford is seriously ill.

Matthew Martin, of Tilbury East, is in the city to-day.  
Miss Bertha Nevell, of Detroit, is visiting in the city.

The Fleur-de-lis Club will give a hop in Northwood's Hall on Thursday evening.

A large number of the friends of Bert Riddell gathered at the Grand Trunk station last evening to bid him good-bye.

Good paying business for a man with a horse and buggy for the balance of this year in the county and vicinity. None but responsible parties need apply. Address S. L. care "Planet" office.

The firm of George Stephens, Quinn & Douglas have received a communication from H. George & Sons, of Crampton, Ont., asking if there was a cold storage house in Chatham, where they could store 15,000 birds, as they wished to go into the poultry business here.

J. Tilt intends leaving the city, and before going away he will sell at greatly reduced prices a number of Fleming's paintings. These paintings are amongst the best he has done, and a good opportunity is given to intending purchasers of the better class of oil and water colors.

Samuel Bullis received a telegram from his brother, Dr. Bullis, of Rochester, N. Y., with the sad news of the death on Saturday last of their niece Miss M. Keyes, of that place. Miss Keyes has visited here several times, and her many friends will be pained to hear of her demise.

**CHEERED THE SICK.**  
The quartette of the First Presbyterian Church choir, composed of Mrs. John Cooper, Miss Ada Ross, W. H. Brackin and R. L. Brackin, visited the General Hospital yesterday afternoon on the invitation of Miss Stone, and entertained the patients for nearly an hour with sacred selections. The contributions served to brighten an Easter tide of sickness and were deeply appreciated by the sufferers.

### HOUSTON-MCKINLAY.

The old homestead of John R. McKinlay, 6th concession Harwich, was the scene of a very pleasant eventing, April 3rd, being the occasion of the marriage of his daughter Sara to Mike F. Houston, also of Harwich. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. Sinclair, of London, the bride's uncle, in the presence of about seventy-five guests. The bride, who was prettily gowned in white organdie with white roses, was assisted by Miss Lena Houston, dressed in organdie, with pale pink trimmings, and pink roses. The groom was ably supported by Mac McKinlay. After the festivities the happy couple left amid showers of rice and the good wishes of their friends for their new home on the Communication road.

**E. W. Howe**  
This signature is on every box of the genuine  
**Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets**  
the remedy that cures a cold in one day

## TELEGRAPH NEWS

Russia has declined to listen to any negotiations from China respecting Manchuria.

**JAPAN MEANS BUSINESS.**  
London, April 8.—The Yokohama correspondent of the Daily Mail, wiring yesterday, and dealing with the attitude of Japan towards Russia's Chinese policy, says:—"Shipping companies have been ordered to hold their vessels in readiness for transport service. Cruisers on the reserve list have been commissioned for active service. All leave has been recalled, and officers of the first reserve have been warned for service. There is much popular excitement."

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

All gas consumers will receive 10 per cent. discount by paying their gas bills on Wednesday, April 10th

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

**WANTED.**  
GIRL WANTED—Apply to Mrs. W. G. Richards, 104c.

GIRL WANTED—In family of two, highest wages. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Lacroix St. 104c.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. F. Goodland, Victoria Ave. 104c.

BLACKSMITH WANTED—As partner in home shoeing and jobbing shop. Terms easy. Apply to Wm. F. Thomas, Fort Stanley, Ont. 104c.

GOOD FARM HAND WANTED—Good wages given. Apply to Thos. Irwin, Lot 15, Con. 5, Raleigh, or Chatham P. O.

WANTED—Good, reliable salesmen to sell complete line of Lubricating Oils, Greases and Paints, at appliance houses. Except on liberal terms. Special inducements to parties willing to sell. Jewel Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio, U. S. A.

**WE WANT.**—Men, women and families to work for us at their homes. We send new plans different from any other company. Yarn supplied free to work on our Automatic Knitting Machines at our own home. Write for information about money. Our workers earn according to time given to the work. Glasgow Woollen Company, Dept. 104c, A. Toronto. No connection with any other company.

**WANTED RELIABLE MEN.**—In every locality throughout Canada to introduce our goods, lacking up show-cards on trees, fences, along roads, and all conspicuous places, also distributing small advertising matter. Commission on salary \$50.00 per month and expenses not to exceed \$5.00 per day. Steady employment to good, honest reliable men. No experience needed. Write for particulars.

**THE EMPIRE PIPELINE Co., London, Ont.**  
**FOR SALE OR TO RENT**

**FOR SALE.**—House on Baxter St., in good repair, city water and good drain, will be sold cheap on reasonable terms. For further particulars apply on the premises. R. A. Hughes, 72 Baxter 1nd

**\$5000.**—Will buy one and a half acres on Victoria Avenue, \$500 will buy 2 lots in one block on Maple Street. Apply at Planet Office. 41 wif

**FOR SALE.**—5 shares Chatham Loan and Savings Company stock at \$10 per share. 35 per cent down, balance on easy terms. Apply Planet Office. 41 wif

**FARM TO RENT.**—Pt. Lot 4, Con. 2 Chatham. Town ship, about 100 a. res, good house and out buildings, one mile from Chatham, wheat and meadow. For further particulars apply to Mr. address Wm. Sloan, Chatham.

**HOUSE FOR RENT.**—On Stanley Avenue, at present occupied by Mr. Hiseock. All modern conveniences, large front porch, etc. Possession 1st April. Apply to Messrs. Lewis & Richards, Barristers, Etc., Oldfield's Temple. 101

**TO RENT.**—House on Victoria Avenue, lately occupied by Rufus Stephenson, Esq. Also Chatham Cottage, at the Park. Apply to Thos. Sullivan, Lacroix St., 20 Victoria block, Chatham.

**FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.**—105 acres of land in good farming district, 62 acres cleared, balance pasture, fine young orchard bearing nicely, good house, barn and outhouse. Address, Planet Office. 41 wif

**HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT.**—A 7 room cottage on Park Ave., with all modern improvements, good wall, clean, etc., with either one or two acres of land. Terms more etc. Apply to JAMES GARDWELL, Architect. 1224c.

**LOTS FOR SALE.**  
Lots for sale on King Street West, opposite St. Joseph's Hospital. Granolithic sidewalks, good sewer, city water, gas, right up to this property. These lots will be sold on favorable terms. Will sell two five-acre lots or factory sites on C. P. R. D. JORDAN. Chatham, Ont. d&w3m

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We make our choice from as many makers as there are classes of wants and make prices low enough to bring you here past all the other stores. We're showing the very latest styles in English and American Hats.

All the popular shapes, All the fashionable colors, Complete range of sizes, Upwards from \$1 to \$3.

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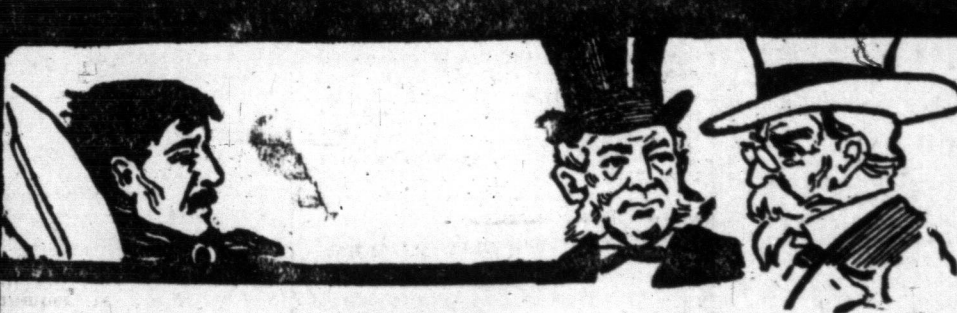
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**Dunn & Brisco**

**Real Estate and Rental Agency**  
Owners of vacant houses should see us at once, as we have desirable tenants waiting for houses. Any one having city or farm property for sale should call on or communicate with us, as we have clients looking for the same.

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**DUNN & BRISCO, 113 King St., Phone 297**

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## The Doctors

Physicians are recognizing the extraordinary power of Powley's Liquefied Ozone to cure lung trouble.

The case of George Young of Roach's Point, who was cured of tuberculosis of two years' standing, has impressed them with the value of the condensed oxygen system of curing lung trouble. George Young weighs fifteen pounds more now than he did before he had tuberculosis. Many prominent physicians who have interviewed George Young are prescribing Powley's Liquefied Ozone most successfully. You should inquire into this case. It's your duty. Along with the security Powley's Liquefied Ozone gives you, the price isn't hard on your pocket.

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