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## Good Vinegar....

Can be decided now. If you order your supply from us, you can depend on its good quality and strength. We are particular about this, for on the goodness of your vinegar and spices depends the keeping quality of your pickles, and also their flavor.

WHITE WINE VINEGAR,  
30c. and 40c. a gallon.

CIDER VINEGAR,  
35c. a gallon.

PURE WHOLE SPICES,  
10c a 1/4 pound.

**H. MALCOLMSON**

## THE RED CROSS DRUG STORE.

With the changed and improved appearance of our store comes a change in the name. We have adopted this name because we wish to make this

**The Distinctive Store of Chatham.**

We want this to be a store unlike any other you have ever known—a store which shall in every respect meet the requirements of this community. By constantly placing the interests of our customers before our own, we shall earnestly endeavor to make this a place where you will like to trade and where you will always feel at home. We shall continue to improve and add to our stock, and, as heretofore, our prices shall be as low and fair as can be had anywhere for the quality of goods we sell.

**The Red Cross**

**Drug Store**

**W. W. TURNER, Prop.**

28 King St., Phone 221.



**Luxury in Moderation Will Harm No One.**

That is the reason that the money paid us for one of our up-to-date bath rooms is money well spent. We can install an outfit to suit your pocket no matter what price you may wish to invest in it. Why not come in and let us talk it over with you NOW?

**J. C. Wanless**

4 Doors East of Market,  
Telephone 65, King St.

**WEDDING STATIONERY**  
—The latest in Wedding Stationery and Cake Boxes can be had at the PLANET Office.

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## DR. A. W. THORNTON

DENTIST  
Has Removed to his New Office,  
Corner King and Fifth Streets,  
over A. I. McCall's Drug Store.  
Telephone Office 104.  
Residence 24.

Advertisers should bear in mind that the Daily and Weekly Planet reach 5,000 families every week.

## TO-NIGHT.

Senior Cricket Club practice, Tecumseh Park, at 7.

Junior Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh Park at 6.15.

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

Band Concert Excursion to the Eau, C. P. R. station, at 7.20.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Boy wanted, apply Wm. Foreman & Co.

"Mugs" Primeau, of Detroit, is visiting in town.

W. A. Thresher, of London, was in the city yesterday.

The White Oak is in from Little Current, with lumber.

Wanted, two millinery apprentices, apply Wm. Foreman & Co.

Geo. Sheldrick, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Earl Sheldrick here.

Miss Lottie Scott, Glencoe, is the guest of Mrs. G. H. Connibear, St. Clair street.

Park Bros. have just completed an 80-horsepower boiler for heating the Garner House.

James Cosgrove has returned from visiting friends in Selton, Ridgeway, Thamesville and Bothwell.

Sergeant Rankin and Roy Boyce have returned from spending a pleasant week vacationing at Port Lambton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Judson, of Pontiac, Mich., are visiting at the residence of Harry Johnson, Barthelemy St.

Mrs. Jas. Carroll, Wellington St., has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Windsor, Detroit and Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Potter, of Detroit, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Potter, Cross St.

Park Bros. are shipping a 60-horsepower boiler to Toronto Opera House, being built by Sam Perrin, of this city, there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Marshall, of Guelph, formerly of the choir of St. Andrew's Church, this city, are the guests of J. B. Stringer.

Dunn & Merritt, real estate agents, have sold the property of Thomas McNelly on Joseph street to Angus Mayhew, engineer at Piggott's mill.

Alfred Potter, of Toronto, is visiting his cousin, William Potter, Queen St. Mr. Potter is accompanied by his three children, Rena, Lettie and Fred.

Any irregularity on the part of The Planet's carrier boys will be immediately remedied by calling at the office or phoning 534.

Mrs. McGarvey and Master Harold and Charlie, of Windsor, wife of Conductor A. McGarvey, of the Lake Erie, are visiting Mrs. W. Bedford, Park St.

Wm. Anekin, of Liverpool, Eng., arrived in this city on Sunday and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. F. Hustwick, and also his aunt, Mrs. Charles David, Taylor Ave.

O'Keefe & Drew have purchased all the stock in the Chatham Oil Company and are now the company. The purchase was made at a premium of about 75 per cent.

Harvey Jenner, of Merlin, has purchased the Miller farm, concession 5, Harwich, one of the finest and best improved in the County, for \$7,500, from Robert Miller. There are 80 acres in the farm.

Saint John's A. U. M. P. Church will go to-morrow morning to Paradise Grove, leaving Chatham at 7.45, C. P. R. station, with their many friends, to have a good time, and accompanied by the Township Band. Come and go.

While our efficient fire department gives our citizens a good measure of protection from fire, the surest and safest protection is to have a policy in one of the fire insurance companies represented by W. E. Rispen, general insurance and loan agent, 115, King St., Chatham.

The Arnold family will hold their picnic in Fred Arnold's grove, Kent Bridge, on August 19. Speeches will be delivered by Thad. S. Arnold, Toronto; Rev. W. C. Inglis, S. B. Arnold, Rev. J. H. Osterhout, Lewis Arner, of Amherstburg; Rev. Leonard Her, of Ridgeway, and O. M. Arnold, Bracebridge.

A. H. VonGuten leaves to-day on a trip to London, Listowel and Hamilton. Mr. VonGuten is an old Hamilton boy and will attend the carnival there. A re-union of the schoolboys and teachers of the old Central school when the late Mr. McCallum was principal, will be held. Mr. Von is one of these boys. They will all receive bronze medals.

The Saturday Globe contained an account of the death of P. O. Campbell, Crown Lands Timber Agent, of Sault Ste. Marie. Mr. Campbell was in his 74th year. He was born near Wardville and for many years was engaged in the lumber business in Kent County and was well known along the river. He was a friend of County Treasurer J. C. Fleming.

J. M. Pike, acting for Ernest A. Schmidt, yesterday issued a writ against Geo. T. Crow, (Prairie Siding), in an action for breach of contract. Schmidt claims that he bought 700 bushels of corn for 50 cents a bushel from Crow. The corn was to be delivered at St. Flavie, and the price was f.o.b. Prairie Siding. Schmidt claims \$178.31 for breach of contract.

## Chatham's Millinery Store!

Miss C. A. Cooksley has removed her millinery stock to the store lately occupied by Mr. Side, next to Jordan's Big Clock.

## C. A. Cooksley.

Opposite the Market Square.

E. H. Dever, of Dresden, was in the city yesterday.

W. D. Ingram, of Merlin, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Peter McDougall, of Bothwell, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. McL. Murray, of Dresden, was a Chatham guest yesterday.

Harry Andrews is building a fine verandah around his Murray St. residence.

Mrs. J. A. Elliott, and Mrs. W. A. Little, of Ridgeway, are Chatham guests to-day.

Mrs. Chas. Brandt and family have moved from the city and have gone to Vancouver.

The Peninsular Fair this year is much earlier. Remember the dates, Chatham, September 22, 23 and 24.

Louis Goulet, of Oury, well known here, was in the city to-day. He left for Conneault.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Crotte, Portage la Prairie, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Downey, Queen St.

Miss Jessie Paxton has returned to her home in Dunkirk, after a three weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Robt. Paxton.

The Fair directors this year have secured expert judges from the Ontario Department of Agriculture—George Gray, of Newcastle, judge of horses; John Jackson, of Abingdon, judge of sheep and swine; R. S. Brooks, of Bradford, judge of cattle; T. H. Scott, of St. Thomas, judge of poultry.

Louis LeFrancis claims the credit of being the oldest resident of this vicinity who was born in Chatham. He first saw the light of day on the 3rd of February, 1826, in a house that stood on the creek bank, somewhere near where the new Scane block is being erected. Up till a year ago, he was hale and hearty and able to drive a team, but now he has begun to fail and is practically an invalid.

At two o'clock this afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, Victoria Ave., the wedding of Miss Josephine, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stegman, to Percy Pappas, of Hamilton, was solemnized. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. Beverley Smith, rector of Holy Trinity Church, and, following it, a charming reception was held at the happy couple's home.

It is amusing to hear young fellows prate about the knowledge of the world.

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**THE VERY NEWEST SHAPE IN LADIES' OXFORDS**

This week we are offering the prettiest shoe and the best value of the season in two lines of Ladies' Oxford. One line is a

**LADIES' Patent Leather Good-year welt Oxford; dull kid quarters, newest heels, a perfect fitting shoe, all widths and sizes, price \$3.00, this week, \$2.49**

The other is a

**LADIES' Vici Kid Oxford, Patent Leather Toe Caps, Good-year welt soles, this season's shape, all widths and sizes, good value at \$2.50, this week, \$1.99**

**GEO. W. Cowan**

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# Shirt Waist Sale!

—AT THE—

## GORDON STORE

18 Doz. Shirt Waists, light colors, reg. value 50c. each, for **19c**

22 Doz. Dark and Fancy Print Shirt Waists, values 60c. to 75c. for **29c**

13 Doz. Fine Madras and Gingham Shirt Waists, value 75c. to \$1.00, for **39c**

7 1-2 Doz. White Muslin and Colored Silk Gingham Waists, value \$1 to \$2, for **49c**

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## C. C. I. Star and People's Popular Course

Under the Direction of Fred H. Briscoe, at The Grand Opera House on the Following Dates.

Whitney Bros. Quartette, Monday, October 26, 1903

The Pierce's Society Entertainers, Monday, Nov. 30, 1903

Cecilian Concert Company, Xmas Night.

Ritchie and Company of Entertainers, Monday, January 25.

Carnival Company, Monday, Feb. 8.

Hawthorne Musical Club, Monday, March 14.

Melvin Robinson & Co., Monday, March 31.

Col. H. W. J. Ham, Monday, April 11.

MRS. J. H. COON is listing Chatham for the above course. This course of eight attractions is sold to subscribers for \$1.00. Add your name to list when Mrs. Coon calls.

**"A SUMMER FAIRYLAND."**

To those who are planning a summer outing and seeking "green fields and pastures new," some place where they may cast care aside and commune with primitive nature, where, though the sun shines ever brightly, cooling breezes always blow and great heat is unknown, it is safely promised that among the rocks and lakes of the Muskoka district, about 100 miles north of Toronto, situate in the Highlands of Ontario, (1,000 feet above sea level), they will find enchantment.

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**LACE HOSIERY**

**CHEAP.**

The following must be cleared:

Misses' Drop Stitch Hosiery, lisle thread, fast black, sizes 4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, up to 25c, for 17c; sizes 6, 6 1/2, 7, up to 30c, for 20c; sizes 7 1/2, 8, 8 1/2, up to 35c, for 25c.

Men's Lace Lisle German Hose, good wearing quality, fast black, nice pattern, sizes 4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, 6, prices up to 35c, for 25c; sizes 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, price up to 40c, for 30c; sizes 8 1/2 and 9, price 45c, for 33c.

Superior quality Misses' Lace Lisle Hose, beautiful firm thread fine lace pattern, sizes 4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, price 40c, for 30c; sizes 6, 6 1/2, 7, price 45c, for 35c; sizes 8, 8 1/2, Ladies' fast black fine lisle lace and fancy hose, direct importation from Germany, very good value 50c and 75c, selling for 30c. Special line ladies' lace hose 25c.

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