

## With Good Rubbers

on your fruit jars, you run very little chance of your fruit spoiling. Rubbers, even good rubbers, cost so little it is not worth while taking chances.

Our finest rubbers we sell for **10c** a dozen, and they are real rubber. Pints or Quarts?

## The best made

PINT JARS  
QUART JARS  
IMPERIAL QUART JARS  
HALF-GALLON JARS  
MONTREAL GRANULATED SUGAR

**H. Malcolmson**

## YOUR TRADE

is what we are hustling for. It matters not whether your trade be large or small we would be very glad to have it. Have we it now or are you one of them who have not yet tried us? If you have not given us a trial, let us ask you **WHY?** Surely we deserve your favors. Let us have an order now, so that we may show you how well we can serve you.

"We guarantee perfect satisfaction or return your money."

**J. C. Wanless,**

4 Doors East of Market, King St.

## "The YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK"

Is something absolutely unique in this world.—President Roosevelt.

The popular route to this delightful spot is via Union Pacific to Monida, thence by stage to all points in the park.

The stage ride from Monida, by the splendid Concord Coaches of the Monida & Yellowstone Stage Co., through scenery hardly inferior to the park itself.

Very low rates during June, July, August and September.

Inquire of **F. B. OHATE, G. A.,**

128 Woodward Ave., DETROIT, MICH.

## STOP, LOOK, LISTEN!

Do you know we can clean your carpets very thoroughly by our New Hygienic Method, and return them to you absolutely free of dust, brighter in color, and in fact, just like new. We can clean them, rain or shine, too.

The Chatham Carpet Cleaning and Rug Manufacturing Works  
King St. West opp. Post Office

## Noticeable Features

Character is what you want in your new Suit, features that can't help being noticed, and say that an expert tailor made your clothes.

Gentlemen fully appreciate the noticeable style touches a **Master Tailor** can put on a suit.

Prices Moderate

Tailors.... **MORLEY & CO.** Importers

**DR. A. W. THORNTON**  
DENTIST,  
Office over A. I. McCall & Co's  
Drug Store, Cor. King and Fifth Sts.  
Telephone,  
Office 164, Residence 285.

## TO-NIGHT.

Forepaugh & Sells Bros' Circus, on grounds south of G. T. R. at 7 o'clock.

## Local Briefs

Briscoe's bicycle repairs and livery.

Kalamazoo celery by express to-day at Northwood's.

W. R. Hickey, Bothwell, was a Chatham visitor to-day.

W. F. Robertson, of Stewart, is a Maple City visitor to-day.

Geo. Macdonald, Clerk of Howard Tp., was in the city to-day.

Mrs. J. L. Wilson, King St., is suffering from a severe cold.

1191 1191 telephone number J. Gilbert & Co., for coal and wood.

Mrs. Thos. Holland, of Blenheim, is the guest of friends in the city to-day.

Great sale of muslins at the Gordon Store: 7,500 yards, 15c to 25c values, at 9c yard.

John D. Kerr, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kerr, Head St.

Call up 119, John Gilbert & Co., for the best coal and wood at most reasonable prices.

County Commissioner S. P. Sturgis, Dresden, was in the city on county business to-day.

Found—A gentleman's watch. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.

H. Drago, merchant tailor, Grand Rapids, Mich., to-day sent for six copies of The Planet Souvenir.

Coal and wood most reasonable and best at J. Gilbert & Co's, telephone 119.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boyes and son General have returned home after spending a couple of days in Detroit.

Mrs. and Miss Minty left for Montreal to-day via C. P. R. and Hamilton line of the Ontario and Richelieu steamer from Toronto. Upon their return they will spend ten days in Peterboro.

The Rev. Chas. Carscallen, B. A., of Black Falls, Alberta, was in the city to-day on his way to Woodville.

Mr. Carscallen is on a month's furlough and is visiting at his home in Dresden. His many friends in this city are pleased to see him.

About thirty young ladies, piano students of the Misses Hillman, were examined this week by Mr. F. S. Weisman, of the Toronto College of Music. The class included a number of final as well as first and second examinations.

Are you going on a vacation? If so, have your carpets thoroughly cleaned by our new hygienic method. Carpets of churches and lodge rooms quickly and thoroughly cleaned. See our ad. The Chatham Carpet Cleaning and Rug Mfg. Works.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson left for Quebec and up the Saguenay as far as Chicoutimi to-day. They take the Ontario and Richelieu line of steamers from Toronto this afternoon and will be away about three weeks.

Anniversary services in Christ Church to-morrow, Canon Bartholomew, one of the ablest ministers in Ontario, will preach. The church will be decorated and the music bright and attractive. Song and flower service in the afternoon at three o'clock. All invited.

The County Property Committee of the County Council met to-day and opened the tenders for heating the registry office. Watt and Sons and John McKay each tendered. The members of the committee were John Rycraft (chairman), Jos. Hortal, J. N. McCoy, Joe Grant, John Vester, H. J. French, and James Ross.

On the 12th of July the Erie House, Blenheim, will serve meals at 25c each. A large dining room in the Hall Block will be used, in addition to the one in the hotel on that day.

There will be a lunch stand, and also a room in the Hall Block where sandwiches, soft drinks and cigars can be secured, and also a room for checking parcels, wheels, etc. E. J. Buzzard, proprietor.

The most desirable building lots for sale in the city to-day are those still left on Queen and William streets in the Athletic Ground survey. They are convenient to churches, market, schools, midway between both stations, and when this property is all built up it will be the newest, most convenient and up-to-date quarter in the city. Call on D. McLachlan, Business College, see the plans and get your choice of what is left.

## GREAT BARGAINS IN High Grade Millinery

FOR SATURDAY—Ladies and Children's Trimmed Hats for \$1.00 up.

**C. A. COOKSLEY**  
King St.  
Chatham's Millinery Store

**DR. A. A. HICKS,**  
DENTIST,  
Office: 26 King St. East, over Turner's Drug Store. Phone 357

J. N. McCoy, of Wallaceburg, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Mrs. James Hamilton, of Jeanette's Creek, is in the city to-day.

W. T. Pringley and family, of Dresden, are spending the day in town.

Gordon's great muslin sale is now on. Finest goods, 15c to 25c values, at 9c yard.

The colored Sunday schools of the city will run an excursion to Port Stanley on July 21.

William Baby presented the firemen with a box of choice cigars for their excellent services in connection with his recent fire.

Mrs. M. L. Snider has returned from attending the wedding of her brother, J. N. Rutten, to Miss Grace Martin, at Detroit.

Miss Agnes Horbison and Miss Olive Rutten and Master Roy, of Detroit, are visiting at the latter's sister, Mrs. M. L. Snider, Richmond St.

Fourth Groves, the youngest son of P. C. Thomas Groves, was seriously injured this morning. He attempted to get into McMullen's milk wagon while it was in motion. The wheels passed over his shoulder and across his legs.

Miss Grace B. Muckle, of Kansas City, Mo., arrived in the city last evening and is at present the guest of her cousin, the Misses Brol, on Ave. Miss Muckle will spend the next three months visiting relatives throughout Kent county.

An important meeting of the Finance committee was held last evening, when the rate of taxation for the present year was discussed. Nothing definite was settled upon, and Aid. Marshall will bring in his report next Monday evening.

The firm of Wilson & Co., acting for the Township of Dearham, Oxford county, issued an injunction yesterday against Robert Johnson, restraining him from filling in or otherwise interfering with the road ditch on the south side of the county line, between Elgin and Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Wilson left this morning, per C. P. R., for Toronto, where they will reside for a short time previous to taking up their residence in the Northwest. Mr. Wilson was one of the wine clerks at the Hotel Rankin for some time and was well liked by the patrons of that hostelry.

Joshua Bobber, who was killed in Detroit about a week ago, was a cousin of John Northwood, Head St.

Mr. Bobber was born about 20 miles this side of St. Thomas on a farm on the old Talbot Road. James Gardiner, Wellington Street, West, was born on the same property 30 years ago. Mr. Gardiner's father sold the farm to the Bobber family.

While unloading the big wagons from the circus trains this morning early, one did not come off straight but fell over against the large stand pipe, dislocating it until the wagon was removed. The water got loose and flooded things for about half an hour. The big wagon, however, was soon righted. The incident caused a good deal of excitement.

## A PRESENTATION

A happy group of girls yesterday afternoon wended their way up Victoria Ave., to "Billeve," the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wells, where they were entertained by Mrs. Wells. After games on the lawn, refreshments were served on the verandah, after which all adjourned to the drawing room, where Miss Edna Heklin, in a very pleasing and efficient manner, read the following address:—

To Miss Lillian Wemp—

We the members of your Sunday School class, on learning that you are about to sever your connection with us, feel it our duty to convey to you in some way our sincere regret that such is the case. We have always appreciated your genial disposition, and we will miss you in your "little corner" and we beg of you to accept of this little gift—a souvenir of the Maple City; it may remind you of the many happy hours spent together in our class in Park Street School.

We all join in wishing you a happy and prosperous future in Toronto. May you ever be a bright and shining light on the side of right.

Given this day at Chatham, July 8th, 1904.

(Signed) Edna Heklin, Bulah Bedford, Velma Stone, Lottie Smith, Nora Tilson, Hazel Tilson, Rena Knott, Florence Lewis, Mrs. Mary Wells, teacher.

It was moved by Mrs. Wells, seconded by Rena Knott, that we, the members of our Sunday School class desire to express our sympathy and regret that Kate Taylor is unable to be present and we hope she may be speedily restored to health again, and be with us, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to her in the hospital.

All joined heartily in singing "The Maple Leaf Forever" then repaired to their different homes.

## Sterling Quality Footwear

No matter what the price you want to pay for your shoes, whether \$7, \$8, \$9, \$4 or \$5, you will find the very best in its class is here.

We pay as much attention to the buying of the cheaper grades as we do to the best lines we handle.

Inspect our footwear before buying and you will never regret it.

## PEACE'S

is the place for Solid Footwear

We are still offering reduced rates in

CHINA, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, DINNER, TEA, TOILET and CLASS SETS and FANCY LAMPS

A big snap in bowls, vegetable dishes, salt and pepper shakers, and many other lines.

**DAVID BRENNAN,**

Directly Opposite the Market, King St., Chatham.

## SOME BIG ADVANTAGES.

"I was spending a few days in Strathaven, Scotland," said Robert B. Mantell, recently. "At the inn where I was stopping I met an old couple who were preparing to visit the United States. Naturally enough they questioned me at some length about the trip, and the old gentleman was anxious to know if it was very dangerous to cross the ocean. I assured him that it was not at all hazardous, although it was often very rough. His sister listened intently and then remarked, with a sigh of contentment, 'Well, well, it's been a long dry summer and I think the sea'll be no vera deep.'"

Notice is hereby given that **MONDAY, 11th inst., will be the last day for discount on Gas and Electric Light Bills**

## GOOD MANNERS.

In Mexico a group of lads from 7 to 12 will meet, and each boy will devoutly lift his hat, and salutations of extreme courtesy will be exchanged, and then comes the boyish chatter, run and the laughter, the same as anywhere. Boys there treat their elders with respect. An old man or woman is not the butt of the youth of Mexico; rather for the old people are reserved the shadiest seats under the trees in the park. The Mexican boy or girl on entering a room walks around among the company, shaking hands with all, and on leaving the room does the same. Urbanity is taught in the public schools as arithmetic is at home. There is no one jostled on the street; the best seat in the horse-car is promptly given up to the ladies, who never fail gracefully to acknowledge the favor.

## CARD OF THANKS

Chatham, Ont., June 27, '04.  
G. K. Atkinson, Esq.,  
Agent Northern Insurance Co.  
Chatham, Ont.

Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of cheque of the Northern Insurance Co., for eight hundred dollars, the loss upon my warehouse on King St., destroyed by fire on the evening of June 13, 1904.

I beg you will convey my thanks to your Co. for the prompt settlement of my claim. It is a satisfaction to do business with a Company that can meet its losses so fairly and promptly.

Yours truly,  
WILLIAM BABY.

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

# JULY CLEARING SALE

At the Gordon Store...

Of New Wash Fabrics, White and Colored, at a Big Reduction from Regular Prices . . . . .

7,500 yards fine Printed Muslins, ranging in price 12 1-2c to 40c yd, on the bargain table at 9c yd

2000 yards of Cresswell Fancy Muslins, nice patterns, fast colors, sold at 10c, clearing sale bargain at 5c yd

10 pcs. New York Wash Voiles for cool summer shirtwaist suits, strong as linen, only 12 1-2c yd

1000 yds. New White Goods, light and heavy weight, for shirtwaist suits, waists, etc., from 12 1-2c to 50c yd

With Other July Clearing Sale Bargains

## WILLIAM GORDON

## THE MARKETS

There was an excellent market this morning. Produce of all kinds was plentiful at unchanged prices.

Following is the price list:

IN THE SHEEDS:

Eggs, per dozen, 14c.

Butter, per pound, 14c to 16c.

Chickens, each, 25c to 40c.

VEGETABLES:

Strawberries, per box, 10c.

Potatoes, per peck, 25c.

Gooseberries, per box, 60c.

Cherries, per box, 8c.

Potatoes, per bag, \$1.25.

New potatoes, per pk., 50c.

Peas, per qt., 12c.

Beans, per qt., 8c.

Spinach, per peck, 15c.

Squash, 3c to 25c.

Onions, 25c peck.

Savory, 5c bunch.

Celery, three bunches for 10c.

Tomatoes, per box, 20c.

Cabbage plants, per box, 20c.

Lettuce, per pound, 25c.

Asparagus, per bunch, 12c.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, North West Block, Chatham, July 9, 1904.

Wheat—open, high, low, close

July (new) 89 1/2 90 1/2 89 1/2 90 1/2

Sept. (new) 84 1/2 85 1/2 84 1/2 85 1/2

Dec. (new) 83 1/2 84 1/2 83 1/2 84 1/2

Corn—

July (new) 48 1/2 49 48 1/2 49

Sept. (new) 48 1/2 49 48 1/2 49

Dec. (new) 48 1/2 49 48 1/2 49

Oats—

July (new) 32 1/2 33 32 1/2 33

Sept. (new) 32 1/2 33 32 1/2 33

Dec. (new) 32 1/2 33 32 1/2 33

Pork

July (new) 1482 1482 1482 1482

Sept. (new) 1290 1290 1290 1290

Dec. (new) 1270 1270 1270 1270

Lard

July (new) 690 690 690 690

Sept. (new) 705 705 705 705

Ribs

July (new) 740 740 740 740

Sept. (new) 760 760 760 760

Dec. (new) 760 760 760 760

NO ICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bulk and separate tenders will be received at the office of M. J. Hurley, Esq., grocer, James St., Wallaceburg, secretary of the Separate School Board Trustees, and at the offices of the undersigned architects at Chatham, Ont., until 7 o'clock p.m., Friday, July 22nd, 1904, for the several works required to erect a Brick Separate School House in the Town of Wallaceburg, in the County of Kent.

Plans and specifications to be seen at the offices of the secretary and at the offices of the architects.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Trustees of Separate School Board—Thos. Forhan, Esq., chairman; M. J. Hurley, Esq., secretary; Miles McCarron, Esq., P. T. Barry, Esq., Thos. O'Donnell, Esq., Edward Kelly, Esq., JAS. L. WILSON & SONS, Architects, Chatham, Ont.

Wallaceburg, Ont., July 7th, 1904.

**BARGAIN**

House and lot in good location, house has parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, three bedrooms, summer kitchen, cement cellar, greatest snap in Chatham at \$600.

Have you insurance on your dwelling, or furniture, if not better call on

**DUNN & MERRITT,**

Fifth St., Phone 295.  
Fire Insurance

## This is the Time

For selecting materials for work during Summer Vacation. We offer for this purpose Tinted Centres for Embroidery—Materials and Designs for all kinds of Pillows. An endless assortment of Wools for Crocheting, etc.

**MRS. WELDON'S**

## REMEMBER JULY 14.

Do not forget that New York Central will run a cheap excursion to New York on July 14th for \$10.25 return from Suspension Bridge, and Buffalo, good 15 days, returning with privileges of trip on Hudson River boats between Albany and New York in both directions. Write Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge Street, Toronto.

**\$30.00 TO COLORADO AND RETURN.** Via Chicago, Union Pacific & North Western Line. Chicago to Denver, Colorado Springs, and Pueblo, daily throughout the summer. Correspondingly low rates from all points east. Only one night to Denver from Chicago. Two fast trains daily. B. H. Bennett, 2 East King St., Toronto, Ont.

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## NEW YORK EXCURSION.

Write Louis Drago, 69 1-2 Yonge St., for information about New York Central excursion, July 14th to New York City.

The emergencies for which we are prepared are the ones that never turn up.

Most men look forward to the day when they can exist without the daily routine of work.

Character is the only permanent capital.

All men may be made of dust, but some men have a lot more dust than others.

## CIRCUS DAY BARGAINS

84 doz. fast black Hose, all sizes 6 to 9 1/2 in. fine ribbed, heavy cotton, regular value 15 and 18c, sale price circus day **10c.**

Black Sateen Skirts in full sizes, fine finish extra value \$1.25, circus day **98c.**

Ladies