

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1904.

## New TABLE FIGS

15c and 20 Cents a Pound.

Very Fresh, Large in Size, Delicious in Flavor

TABLE RAISINS, 15c a lb  
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GREEN GRAPES, 20c a lb  
NEW SHELL ED ALMONDS, 40c a pound

FRESH ORANGES 40c Doz  
FRESH LEMONS 25c Doz

**H. Malcolmson**

## Weatherstrip..

Take a look at your doors and windows, and no doubt you will find some of them quite loose. That means the loss of a lot of heat, and in consequence a cold house.

It will surprise you to find out what a small amount of money you will require to put weatherstrips on and make them absolutely tight.

We have just taken into stock a shipment embracing all sizes and kinds.

Window Glass, all sizes; Felt Paper, all kinds.

**J. C. Wanless,**  
4 Doors East of Market, King St.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday, Nov. 2

JULIE MURRAY

PRESENTS

MARIE WAINWRIGHT

As Viola

In Shakespeare's

"TWELFTH NIGHT."

Excellently cast and superbly mounted. Carrying the entire scenic production, including superb electric effects.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT. Owing to the interest already shown in Miss Wainwright's engagement, it is suggested to the patrons to procure their seats as early as possible. Prices—(Box Seats) \$1.50; \$1.75, 50c, 35c, 25c. Seats on sale Monday.

## A SNAP

Comfortable home-like cottage in excellent location for sale at a bargain. House contains parlor, dining-room, kitchen three bedrooms, summer kitchen, city water, etc. Lot is 66x136, and large alley in rear of lot—100 yards from paved street. Price \$925. Anyone looking for a comfortable home cannot do better than to call and investigate.

**DUNN & MERRITT,**  
Fifth St., Phone 295.

## WHAT'S BETTER

than a feeling of satisfaction? You will enjoy it by leaving your order with us. The quality and price will please you.

6 Pounds Broken Soda Biscuits for 25c  
Dessert Biscuits, fine, 10c lb  
3 Pound Cans of Pure Maple Syrup 25c  
Dish Cloth Soap, 25c bars for 20c  
Tablet Toilet Soap for 4c  
7 Pounds Best Rolled Oats, 25c  
7 Pound Pails Jam, 47c  
New Raisins, 10c a Pound  
Smoked Meats, Fresh Sausage and Bologna at Lowest Prices

A fine display of Christmas China is to be seen in our window. Come and see it. Our prices for Dinner Sets, the people say, are the most reasonable in the city. What about that Chamber Set? See ours before you purchase. A quantity of Glass Water Sets at 10 per cent. reduction in prices.

**JOHN McCONNELL,**  
Park Street, Phone 190.

## AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS

We have a few Cameras which have been used, which we will sell at Half the Regular Price, and we guarantee each to be in perfect working order. Money refunded if not satisfied.

Cor. King and 5th St., Chatham

**A. I. McCall & Co. Ltd.**

Craggists

## Chatham's Only Millinery Store

Just received this morning a New Assortment of

## Ready-to-Wear Hats.

All the Latest Designs and Colors

**G. A. COOKSLEY,**  
King St., Chatham.

## TO-NIGHT.

City Council, Harrison Hall at 8 o'clock.  
Park St. Methodist League, 8 o'clock.

Sons of England, in their rooms, at 8 o'clock.  
Western City Lodge meets to-night at 8 o'clock.

General meeting of the Conservatives, Central Committee Rooms, at 8 o'clock.

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Vote for Clements on Thursday! Errand boy wanted. Apply E. M. Coyne, tailor.

Miss Gerber spent Sunday with friends in Hawick.

W. A. Drake, of Petrolia, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Herb Rankin, of Harper's ticket office, spent yesterday in Detroit.

C. M. Walker, of Louisville, spent Saturday with his Chatham friends.

A. R. Vester, of Blenheim, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

Mrs. J. H. Hanley, of Bad Axe, Mich., was a guest in the city on Saturday.

Guaranteed 25 years' perfect sewing—the handsome "White is King," Geo. Stephens & Co.

Thomas E. McCallum, and P. F. Davis, of Wallaceburg, are Chatham visitors to-day.

Miss Quigley, of Dover South, spent Sunday in the city the guest of Mrs. Wright, Murray street.

Rooms furnished, suitable for light house keeping, for rent. Apply care of Planet.

W. J. Scully and wife and F. Scully, of Detroit, were guests at the Garner House on Saturday.

Miss McKibbin returned to the city this morning after spending a week's vacation at her home in Tilbury.

Marie Wainwright as Viola in "Twelfth Night" at the Grand Wednesday, Nov. 2nd. Seats now on sale.

Don't fail to attend the general meeting of the Liberal-Conservatives of the city in the Central Committee Rooms at 8 o'clock.

R. J. Sloan's auction sale will take place on Wednesday, Nov. 9. At this sale some of the best stock ever offered in the county will be sold.

Don't forget the entertainment at the Park Street Methodist Church to-night. Stipend address by Rev. Mr. McCamus.

A good musical program and address by Rev. Mr. McCamus, at the Park Street Methodist Church to-night.

Lost, on Saturday, between Wm. Crooke's, Baldoon street, and W. R. Bowers, Fifth street, or on King street, a set of plans. A reward will be given by returning to this office.

**DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND THE GENERAL MEETING OF THE LIBERAL-CONSERVATIVES OF THE CITY IN THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE ROOMS AT EIGHT O'CLOCK.**

A city builder has just finished a residence that is for sale. It is situated in a desirable part of the city on a lot with a frontage of fifty feet. Full particulars can be had by addressing box 296.

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## Morley & Co., King St

**Our \$22.50 Suits Made to Your Order, are Winners.**

These Suits are made from our exclusive lines of bright new fabrics; The styles that are pleasing to the most exacting dresses—just the thing for Fall weather. They are winners, and need no further commendation. We make Suits for all prices from \$16.00 to \$40.00, from up-to-date materials, Stripes and Overchecks, Plaids and other combinations.

**Let Us Measure You To-day!**

**\$22.50 MORLEY & CO., LEADING TAILORS**

## IN A BLAZE ALL ONE DAY

Port Arthur's Plight During Japs Third General Attack.

Japanese Captured Russian Trenches On Slope of Rihlung Mountain—They Also Took Fortified Position Protecting the Fortress On October 26—Japs Consider Siege Progress to Be Highly Satisfactory.

Chao Foo, Oct. 31.—The third general attack on Port Arthur began Oct. 24, according to unimpeachable authority. On October 26 Japanese shells set fire to the only smokeless powder magazine in Port Arthur. Portions of the town caught fire, the conflagration continuing the whole day. On the same day the Japanese captured the Russian trenches on the slope of Rihlung Mountain, also a fortified position protecting the fortress. The Japanese consider the progress of the siege to be highly satisfactory.

**Japs Defeat Russians.**  
Tokio, Oct. 31.—A report from the Manchurian army headquarters received yesterday records a successful night attack against the Russian outposts at Wumingshan and two unimportant counter attacks made by the Russians. The report is as follows:

"On the night of Oct. 28 a small force of the enemy attacked Waitao Mountain, but were immediately repulsed. Oct. 29 at 3 o'clock in the morning, a detachment of infantry was despatched from the centre army against Wumingshan, located midway between the outposts of both armies. The enemy was surprised and the houses occupied by the enemy were set on fire. Using the place as a base, the enemy made frequent night attacks against our outposts. On the night of Oct. 28 a force of the enemy, of unknown strength, attacked an eminence near Santakongtzu, but was immediately repulsed."

**To Retake Waitao.**  
Gen. Kuroki's headquarters, Oct. 31.—The Russians attempted at midnight last night to retake the Waitao Mountain, which was captured by the Japanese last Thursday. No details of the night's fighting have been received yet. Waitao Mountain has been bombarded frequently since its capture by the Japanese. Its defence was of a semipermanent character, and the trenches were very deep. The Japanese were very nearly 200. They left 70 dead and wounded on the top of the hill. The number of the Japanese is not known, but the Japanese are unable to reach there, owing to the constant fire of the Russians.

**Kuropatkin Reports.**  
St. Petersburg, Oct. 31.—General Kuropatkin has telegraphed as follows, under date of Oct. 29:

"I have received yesterday no dispatch reporting encounters with the enemy. During a cavalry reconnaissance yesterday after an infantry fight supported by artillery, we occupied the Village of Chantsiansk. The enemy has retired from Sindia."

"Oct. 29 our chasseurs, with insignificant losses, retained a village a kilometre west of Chantsiansk against a violent Japanese bombardment."

General Kuropatkin, including the Russian occupation of the Village of Tynsin, a short distance south of Luidarung, whence they had been previously expelled by the Japanese, who burned the Village."

**Fight With Cold Steel.**  
Mukden, Oct. 31.—The Japanese assumed the offensive on Oct. 27 at Yanshinon half-way between Bentz and Pongtiao, on the Mukden-Peking road. The whole day was passed by the artillery in preparation for the assault. Towards evening a whole regiment moved out to capture the hill, which is a Buddhist temple, south of Yanshinon. The temple was held by a Russian battalion with two machine guns. A fierce fight with cold steel ensued. The Russians were outnumbered, their machine guns were dismantled, and they were compelled to fall back upon their main positions, carrying with them the barrels of their machine guns. The Russian artillery then swept the hill with such a hail of projectiles that the Japanese were unable to remain there. Heavy losses were inflicted on both sides.

**Fought in the Trenches.**  
Mukden, Oct. 31.—The attack of the Japanese on the Buddhist temple hill, Oct. 27, led to sharp fighting. The Japanese artillery played on the position from early in the morning, rendering the trenches untenable, shells and shrapnel sweeping everything and demolishing all the shelters. Two machine guns with the defenders defending the hill were smashed and disabled, but the defenders carried off the remains of the guns when they were forced to retire.

The Japanese infantry attack under cover of the bombardment was made in class order. There was desperate hand-to-hand fighting in the trenches, followed by a counter attack with the bayonet. The Japanese finally gained the hill, but were unable to hold it in the face of the deadly Russian artillery fire.

**Final Moves Now.**  
St. Petersburg, Oct. 31.—The military situation has not yet developed anything of great importance, though the fight at the Buddhist temple hill, on Oct. 27, appears to have been decidedly a heavy engagement. It probably indicates that final moves on both sides are now occurring, preparatory to another long and serious battle. Kuropatkin is now on the way to St. Petersburg. The nature of his reception here is the food for much speculation. Some of his friends still cling to the idea that he will be made Chancellor of the Empire, with his residence in the Winter Palace, where, it is said a suite

## While They Last At The Gordon Store

## HALF-PRICE SALE OF Fine Tailor-made Suits

7 on'y Ladies Tailored Suits, black grey, blue, fawn, good cloth, nicely made and lined, each only \$5.

11 on'y Tailor-made Suits in black cloth, tweeds, etc, silk lined, \$15 to \$20 values, on sale at \$10.

8 Fine Tailored Suits, trimmed, short and long jackets, silk lined, values \$21 to \$28, on sale at \$15.

3 Ladies Tailor-made Suits in blue, and light tweeds, silk lined jackets, values \$35 to \$38, on sale at \$20.

## MILLINERY SHAPES FOR THE SEASON

Par excellence is the Charlotte Corday Velvet Hats for winter, with the Tricorne, Marquise and large picture Hats. We introduce all the latest novelties in Trimmings—Flowers are very popular, and will be worn in masses this winter. Our prices will please you also.

Fashion Sheets for November, Free

**William Gordon**

Standard Fashion Designers 10c

## HOOLIGAN ON THE KINT COUNTY ILIOTION

Oh Howly St. Patrick, this Kint County Iliotion

Has got both the parties in a terrible friction.

One of the candidates is George O'Staphens.

And other Herbie Clements, who'll take none of his lavin's.

But the best fun we have is in radin the reports.

Of the speeches that are made by our own city sports:

The Planet will claim they had the best of the man,

And the same day the News swears they're lying and chasin'.

Now there's Johnny O'Kerr, who thinks he's the stuff,

When he thinks he is illoquently only is rough.

His party finds him in the county to roam.

And if they had sin in their heads they'd keep him at home.

In the last couple of years Johnny's head's got so swollen

If it keeps on a swellin' he'll have to charter a barge.

But it oftentimes gets smaller when out on the stump

He strikes one O'Thornton, and gets a terrible bump.

Thin there's Alderman O'Westman, a so-called Temperance man

Has insisted under the banner of the Liberal Clan:

He'll stand on the stump without the last bit of surmise

He tells them the free corn is a good in disguise.

And he's only thyrin' to throw the dust in their eyes:

And if he'd try jiver so hard, for the next generation,

He would never be killed for the good of his speakin'.

But the swiftest among them is Johnny O'White,

Who in a dade or a mortgage will bind you so tight

That when you've been payin' for a year, perhaps more,

You will find that the debt is as much as before.

He says the Post Office Department is the greatest success,

Shure as run by O'Mullock, the cheapest and best:

But when on other subjects, he really bates the Dickens,

And is a firm believer in the early fadin' of chickens.

The Audience (we're told) said he should be covered with gauze; For never was Apollo more greatly admired

Thin this modern statue whin politically fired.

There's a frind of mine, one O'Pike, who is versed in the law;

In Primier Borden he can't see a fault or a flaw.

He places his arguments boldly, and swells up like a log,

When he explains the great question of the Colera Hog.

And when in California this summer the shory he'll tell,

Of no place they call 'Needles,' that's hotter than—well,

But yet it's not hotter than this Kint County Fight

Which will be all wound up by nixt Thursday night.

Now, I hope all the bys, when this campaign is over

Will shake their glad hands and live as in clover:

For it comes there is nothin' that glives, or that shirks,

With more perverseness, and pluck, than good, warm, radly shirks.

Four years pass quickly, and we're all scientific

Some day we may ride on the Grand Trunk Pacific;

Who'll be the Conductor, I'll leave you to guess.

Whether Borden or Laurier the people know best.

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**"FOUR-TRACK NEWS" FOR NOVEMBER.**

Full of bright racy stories, excellent poems. Try any newsdealer.

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**BEST MAGAZINE IN THE MARKET**

Four-Track News for November just out. For sale at all newsdealers. Good poems. "A Dream of the Hudson." "The Man in the Moon." Get it.

Vote for Clements on Thursday!

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

**FURNISHED HOUSE**—With modern heating, centrally located, will be rented to responsible parties for the winter. For particulars apply at this office.

**FOR SALE**—A very desirable new House with Barn, for sale, plumbed throughout and gas; lot 50x150; plenty of fruit on lot; one of the best locations in the city. Address: P. O. Box 298, City.

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