

## Every Economical Eye

Turns toward our advertisements, especially now when fruits are getting scarce.

We give you the best fruits put up; if you cook them according to directions, they are not only good, but cheap.

One pound California Prunes cooked our way, makes two pounds of fine prunes.

**FINEST PRUNES**, 2 pounds for 25c.

**FINE PRUNES**, 10c. a pound.

**GOOD PRUNES**, 3 pounds for 25c.

**APRICOTS**, 18c. a pound.

**OUR MOCHA and JAVA COFFEE**—40c a pound, is just right.

## H. Malcolmson

## Do You Need a Coal Heating Stove?

If you need one now or will need one next Fall, now is the time to get it. We haven't very many left, but we do not want any. Rather sell them at cost than carry them over.

There is your chance. Just think of the finest stove that has ever been made, at actual cost and all the cold weather to come yet.

We shall be glad to have you to call and see them to-night, and remember the chance of saving \$4.00 to \$8.00 on each stove.

## J. C. Wanless

THE UP-TO-DATE  
HARDWARE MAN.

## POOR FELLOW

Once a fine mechanic, now digs in a ditch. Drink? No! His sight began to fail. Properly fitted glasses at that time would have enabled him to continue at his occupation at good wages, but he delayed until too late.

Now he digs at Starvation Wages

Graduate Optical Specialist at your service free of charge.

## T. W. POILE

Jeweller. Garner Block.

## TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock, noon, Jan. 20th, 1906, for building an addition to the Registry Office, in the City of Chatham.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of T. J. Ratley, Architect, in the City of Chatham. No tender necessarily accepted.

J. GOSNELL,  
County Clerk.

Dated Dec. 20th, 1906.

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## A TALK ON COLDS

Did you ever stop to think that it would be a good idea to have a cough cure in the house so you could "nip in the bud" that cold that you feel coming on? How often we hear it said: "I have taken cold; I feel it in my bones." Yes, they will feel it all over by to-morrow. How much easier it would be to get a bottle of Shiloh and have it so you can stop it. Yes, and you don't have to take a whole bottle to get results, either.

## TRY FREN-AL

The new Cold Tablet—a positive cure. Contains no quinine. Guaranteed.

## A. I. McCALL & CO., LTD.

Phone 178 DRUGGISTS.

## CHATHAM'S ONLY MILLINERY STORE

Our Winter Sale still going on. Every day demonstrates more clearly our new styles in Ladies' Toques and Hats are the most up-to-date and wearable.

Wings and Feathers Selling at Reduced Prices.

O. A. DOKSLEY, King St.

## BURROWS & LORRIMAN, UNDERTAKERS

and Embalmers. Opposite P.O. Open Day and Night.

## TO-NIGHT

Macaulay Club will meet in their new rooms, over the Bank of Commerce, at 8.

## LOCAL BUDGET

Skates sharpened at Briscoe's.

Miss C. VanAllen, of Dresden, spent Friday in the city.

Miss Grace Laird, of Dresden, spent Friday in the city.

Mrs. James Miller and daughter Sarah, of Dresden, spent Friday in the city.

P. A. McVicar has sold his farm south of Rodney to David Patterson, of Rodney.

Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire—a nice, glossy finish. Try it. Drew & McCallum.

Mr. Arthur H. Copeland has purchased Muller Brothers' evaporating factory in Glenora.

Steps are being taken towards opening a branch of the Sterling Bank at Newbury.

Mrs. R. Auckland, of Wardsville, is suffering from the effects of a fall on the icy sidewalk.

Mrs. Dan Winter and Dan Winter, Jr., have returned from Simcoe, where they spent the holidays.

You may, after all of your misgivings, be "able to buy it." Read the want ads. in The Planet and find out.

The Diocese of Huron proposes to raise a fund to support a missionary as a memorial to the late Bishop Baldwin.

The design work turned out by the Victoria Ave. Green Houses always pleases, as particular attention is paid to that part of the business.

Mrs. D. Park and family, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Miles McDonald, of Morpeth, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Dolson are both seriously ill at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Casper Schwemer, corner William and Duluth streets.

Wanted—Comfortable rooms and board for a gentleman and his son and daughter, who are attending Collegiate Institute. Address C. J. care Planet Office.

It is reported that Mr. Adolphus Simonds has sold his 50 acre farm near Morpeth to Messrs. Gilbert and John Stevens, for the consideration of \$4,300.

The wedding of Miss Minnie Baker, of Botany, to Mr. Andrew Hopburn, of Caron, Sask., took place at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Robt. Baker, Botany road, Wednesday, Jan. 3rd.

"A Vital Question Answered" will be the theme of Rev. F. E. Malott's fifth sermon to men to-morrow night. A solo by Mr. Harry Flowers and a double male quartette will be given. You are invited.

Little Edna Anguish, of Muirkirk, met with a painful accident last week. Her brother Harold was opening a salmon can, while she stood close by watching him. The instrument he was using slipped, striking her in the eye. Dr. Davey, of Duart, is in attendance, and it is hoped the sight will not be injured.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Runnigan, of New York, who have been spending the last few days with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Courrier, Taylor avenue, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Martin, Head street, left Thursday for Detroit, where Mr. Runnigan will take charge of the C. A. Strellinger Erecting, Constructing & Repairing Gas Engine department.

St. James' church, Wardsville, through the rector, Rev. K. McGoun, received a very handsome and valuable gift, consisting of a set of home worked altar linen, very beautifully executed. The parcel was sent and given by Mrs. Stratin, daughter of Bishop Bickerseth, one of England's best known and beloved bishops, and will be highly appreciated by the congregation and friends of the church.

## Skating at the rink to-night.

Norman Burrows is on a business trip to Cedar Springs to-day.

For the six months ending Dec. 31, there were registered in Tilbury 13 births, 15 marriages and 7 deaths.

Merlin is now the possessor of a chartered bank. The Molsons bank have opened a branch in that town, in the office of Dr. J. G. Bell.

The Wide Awake Society meets every Friday night at the home of Mrs. Bressy, Wellington street. President, R. H. Gillis; Vice-President, J. Edgington; Secretary, Dick Bounsell.

John B. Charron, one of the oldest and most highly respected pioneer residents of Dover passed away on Saturday. The deceased was on a visit to his friend, Mr. David, of the River road, Dover, when he was taken suddenly ill, and shortly afterward expired.

The Ladies' Guild of Morpeth was entertained by Mrs. Soffley at the rectory, Tuesday, Jan. 9. During the evening Miss Kitchen, previous to her departure to her new home in Detroit, was presented with a beautiful ebony toilet set, as a little remembrance, to show that her past services were appreciated by the members of St. Johns church.

A. W. Smith has been instructed by the Oddfellows of Merlin to install the new gasoline lighting system in the Oddfellows' hall. Three 500-watt-power lights will be put in down stairs and three up stairs. In addition to this Mr. Smith will put in private lighting systems in Dr. Oliver's residence, L. B. Marshall's and Wm. Howe's.

The vote taken yesterday on the resolution favoring the sale of the assets of The Chatham Loan & Savings Company was almost unanimous in its character in favor of the Resolution. Loan & Savings Company of Ontario, and now will await the assent of the Lieutenant Governor in Council to complete the transaction, which will be attended to forthwith, making this company one of the strongest financial institutions in Canada, with assets of upwards of \$2,000,000 and a paid up capital of \$1,000,000. The business will be carried on in a more extended scale than ever in the Chatham office.

## CARPET BALL

The standing of the Carpet Ball League is as follows, including last night's game:

WON	LOST	TO PLAY	PER CT.
S.O.E.	4	0	100
A.O.U.W.	5	2	71
A.O.F.	5	3	62
I.O.P.	1	2	33
C.O.S.	0	2	0
C.O.F.	0	5	0

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# January Whirl of White AT THE GORDON STORE

Our Great White Sale opens Monday, Jan'y 15th. Underpriced White Under-muslins in great variety and at special prices during this sale to attract early buyers.

\$1.00 Ladies Gowns at 79c.  
25c Corset Covers at 19c.  
\$1.75 Ladies Skirts at \$1.29

## Special Gowns

AT  
50c—Cambric Gowns with yoke and lace frilled cuffs, 60c values.  
75c—Fine Cambric, hemstitched, tucked yoke, V shaped neck and embroidered trim, well worth \$1.00.  
79c—A special \$1.00 gown, yoke of insertion, embroidery neck trim.  
\$1.00—Fine Gowns, torchon lace yoke and ribbon, low neck, short sleeves  
\$1.00—Tucked and insertion yoke, torchon lace trimmed on neck & sleeves  
\$1.00—Extra large size Gown, embroidery, insertion and tucked yoke, three great sellers at \$1.00  
\$1.25—2 styles, high and low neck, trimmed with insertion, ribbon, beading and embroidery, \$1.50 value.  
\$1.50—High and V shaped neck, fine insertion and embroidery yoke, rich trimming neck and cuffs.  
Gowns at \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

## Special Priced Sheetings

Bleached, 8, 9 and 10 quarter wide  
Unbleached, 7, 8, 9 and 10 quarter wide  
Special priced Pillow Cottons, all widths, plain or circular.

## Special Skirts

AT  
50c—Cambric Skirt, fine lawn 7 inch ruffle, torchon lace trimming, usually sold at 65c.  
75c—Fine Cambric, 2 rows hemstitch, deep embroidery, 90c values  
79c—Cambric Skirt, deep lawn frill, 2 rows torchon insertion, deep lace, dollar goods.  
\$1.00—2 styles with tucks, hemstitch, deep embroidery or insertion and lace, 12 in. frill, good value at \$1.25  
\$1.29—Fine Cambric worth \$1.75, with 20 in. fine lawn frill, 3 rows insertion and wide torchon lace  
\$1.98—2 styles with torchon lace and insertion, and one with deep embroidery and wide insertion and hemstitch, usually marked \$2.50  
Finest at \$2.75, \$2.98, \$3.50 and \$3.98

We show you at this sale a regular Fair of the most beautiful White Wear ever seen in Chatham.

# WILLIAM GORDON

## DISTRICT DOINGS.

### THAMESVILLE.

Jan. 12.—Will Hubble is spending the day in town.

James Randall, from Hamilton, is the guest of Edward Mayhew.

The Oddfellows held a meeting last night for the installation of officers.

After the regular routine a dainty luncheon was served by several of the Macaebie ladies.

Wm. A. Moore returned to Chatham to-day.

Rev. Gustavus Munro has been formally inducted at Blytheswood.

Miss Anna Courts is spending Sunday at home.

Tom Clarke goes to Bothwell to-day.

The curtain in the Opera House has been repaired.

The managers of the Presbyterian church are considering the matter of making additional glass rooms in their Sunday school.

Miss Mae Freeman is home from Detroit.

Miss Rose Gausgrove is spending the day in Detroit.

Miss Bird Ripley is home for Sunday.

### ZONE CENTRE.

School re-opened Wednesday, Jan. 3rd, with a very good attendance.

The first Council meeting of the year was held on Jan. 8.

Miss Fanny Huff has returned home, after spending a week with friends in Michigan.

Mr. John MacAllister and Bruce left on Wednesday for their home in Brown City, Mich.

Miss Garrod, of Chatham, was the guest of Mrs. James Ferguson last week.

Mrs. John Timney and daughter, Belle, who have been on the sick list for the past two weeks, are improving rapidly.

Messrs. John and Geo. H. Lidster spent Wednesday in Chatham.

Ernest, George and Harley Eberle returned home Friday, after spending two very pleasant weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and

### Mrs. George Monroe, Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, Florence, called on friends here Saturday.

Mr. J. McAllister left on Saturday for their home in Brown City, Mich., after spending a few weeks with friends and relatives here.

Mr. James Timney, of Euphemia, spent Wednesday at his old home.

### BIG POINT.

Miss M. Labadie has been visiting friends on the 8th concession.

Mrs. F. C. Labadie gave a party on Saturday night and all had a good time.

Mr. L. Caron visited friends here recently.

Miss Mary Cheff, from Pain Court, visited her cousins at Big Point.

The death of Mr. B. Charron occurred on Sunday morning. The funeral will take place Tuesday morning at 10.30.

### DOYLES.

Christmas and New Year's passed pleasantly on the 9th.

The young people are longing for the merry sound of the bells.

School re-opened on Wednesday last, with a large attendance.

Our school teacher, Miss Macklin, returned on Tuesday last, accompanied by her sister, who intends to spend a few days here.

Our new trustee, Mr. James Lamb, was elected by a large majority.

Dr. Mangan, of London, spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. Maurice Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Franzer, of the city, were the guests of Mr. M. Ritchie on New Year's Day.

Misses Mary and Margaret Clowry, of St. Thomas, arrived on New Year's Eve for a two months' visit with friends here.

Lawrence Waddick has been elected trustee for S. S. No. 5.

Mrs. John J. Doyle has returned, after spending New Year's in Pontiac, Mich.

Mr. James Brady, Gravel Road, spent Christmas at Mr. Morris O'Neill's.

The soft weather made the roads bad for travel.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hea returned, after spending Christmas holidays in Stratford.

50c Ladies Drawers at 39c  
35c Ladies Drawers at 25c  
\$1.00 Ladies Skirts at 79c

## Special Corset Covers.

AT  
19c—Cambric Covers 2 styles, full front and tight fitting.  
25c—Trimmed with torchon lace, full front and tight fitting.  
50c—Fine Cambric with insertion front, embroidered neck, full fronts.  
85c—Fine Nainsook Covers, Valenciennes insertion and lace and embroidered trim. A bargain at \$1.00. Other beauties at \$1.00 and \$1.35.

## Special Chemises

AT  
25c—A good cambric garment, neck and sleeves trimmed with torchon lace, such often sold at 50c.  
50c—Fine cambric with insertion front and fine lawn ruffle, 65c value  
60c—Of fine Lon scale, insertion yoke, embroidery on neck and arms, 90c value  
\$1.35—Handsomely trimmed with embroidery and insertion, deep ruffle on bottom and embroidery trimmed, \$1.65 values.

## White Waistings

Duchess of Devonshire mercerized, 22c  
Fine dainty dot and stripe merc