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in every pair of our Drew Selby Co's make of Ladies Shoes.

This is the swellest and one of the best known line of fine shoes made in the United States. We have them in light and heavy weights, all sizes and widths, from A to E (We do not say this only, but actually have any size in A, B, C, D and E widths).

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### Geo. W. Cowan

**DRS. CORNELL & FISHER**  
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Corner Sixth and King St.  
Over the Bee Hive.  
Phone 317.

#### TO-NIGHT.

Prayer meeting, city churches, at 8 o'clock.  
"Twelfth Night," at Grand Opera House, at 8.15.  
Court Hope, No. 6244, A. O. F., in the A. O. U. W. Hall, at 8.  
The City Inside Scrutineers meet in Thos. Scullard's Office at 8.  
Regular meeting Parthenon Lodge, No. 267, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., Masonic Temple, at 7.30.

#### THE LOCAL BUDGET

Miss Sadie Drake is visiting in Ridgeway.

Read "The Ark" advertisement on Page 4 to-day.

Miss Stephenson left for Ottawa yesterday.

J. S. Hickey, of Merina, is a guest at the Rankin House to-day.

The reserve seat sale for "Way Down East" opens to-morrow morning at Brisco's.

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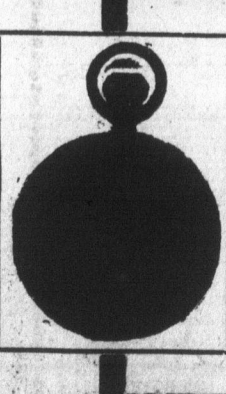
Sheriff Gemmill, returning officer for West Kent, finished delivering the ballot boxes to the deputies in the outside polling sub-divisions yesterday. He gave the ballot boxes to the deputies in the city to-day.

THE CITY CONSERVATIVE INSIDE SCRUTINEERS WILL MEET TO-NIGHT AT EIGHT O'CLOCK IN THOS. SCULLARD'S OFFICE.

Dr. McLachlan, Business College, has two splendid up-to-date houses for sale or to rent; one on Queen, the other on William St., both in the Athletic Ground Survey and last house in each case towards the G. T. Railway. Call at College or his residence on William St., for particulars. See ad. elsewhere.

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The two James Clarkson's, father and son, were arraigned to-day before Judge Houston in the county court on a charge of assaulting Mrs. Catherine Jackson. O. L. Lewis defended the two and H. D. Smith, Crown Attorney, prosecuted. They pleaded not guilty and were remanded till Friday for trial. James Cook and Henry Clarkson furnished bail of \$200 for each prisoner.



## Watches

In Every Style, Quality and Make. Our Holiday Stock of Watches is now complete and larger than ever in Elgin, Waltham, Regina and the best on earth, THE KEY-STONE—a pleasure to show them to you.

### VONCUNTEN BROS.

#### WON OUT

The C. C. I. football boys drove to Ridgeway yesterday and came back winners in a game against the Ridgeway Collegiate Institute team. The victory, however, was disputed and the game was not finished. The score was 0-0 until about the middle of the second half when Robert Bennie, one of the Chatham star forwards, who has been putting up a splendid game all through, made a beautiful rush down the outer left, closed in and shot a goal. The ball went through, but the Ridgeway players claimed that it went behind before it went through and the game ended right there, the Chatham players walking off the field when their goal was not allowed by the Ridgeway team.

The following are the names of the C. C. I. players:  
Goal—Tinner.  
Backs—Lawrence and Trotter.  
Half Backs—Parrott, Parrott and McKenzie.  
Right Wing—McQuarrie and Noah.  
Centre—Guernsey.  
Left Wing—Munroe and Bennie.

#### AROTIO CREAMER CASE

M. Wilson, K. C., was at the St. Thomas assizes yesterday, being counsel in the case of Stephens vs. Ashton, and also in the Arctic Creamer case of Watterworth vs. James J. Waddell, in which he charged Waddell with slander and false arrest. The Watterworths secured notes from a number of farmers in Tilbury East, it was alleged, by misrepresenting their creamers. They were afterwards sentenced to a week in jail and made to pay a fine of \$100 each. Mr. Waddell, however, who was a Tilbury constable, sought to take personal relief by arresting Geo. Watterworth, who sold the creamer to him, and taking him to Tilbury. While on the way he occasionally stopped to inform a passing farmer that he had Watterworth under arrest and explained what a dishonest man he (Waddell) considered him to be. Watterworth is now bringing an action for the alleged slander and the false arrest, but he failed to properly enter his case and it was thrown out at St. Thomas. J. G. Shaw, of Rodney, for plaintiff, M. Wilson, K. C., contra.

W. E. Risip announces going limit on Hunters' Excursion has been extended to Nov. 4th, instead of Nov. 3rd, as previously announced.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

#### Boy Falls Down Shaft.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—In some way Wilfrid Little, a boy employed at the Canada Publishing Co.'s establishment at 9 West Wellington street, fell down the elevator shaft, a distance of three floors yesterday afternoon. When picked up the boy was found to have fractured his right hip, both wrists and have cut his forehead. He was taken in the police ambulance to the Emergency Hospital. He is 14 years of age.

#### Cham Riots Were Anti-Christian.

Comel, Russia, Nov. 2.—The trial of the persons charged with being responsible for the anti-Jewish riots here is September, 1903, is proceeding slowly and with open doors, and is attracting immense interest. There are eleven defendants and sixty-nine other persons who are under the same charges are being held under bail. Nine hundred and seventy-five of the 1,101 witnesses are present. The Government witnesses are attempting to prove that the disorders of Sept. 11, 1903, were in the nature of anti-Christian riots and not of an anti-Jewish character.

#### Defence of Australia.

London, Nov. 2.—Mr. McCay, the Australian Minister of Defence, has completed a scheme of reorganization for a council of experts; the exchange of Australian and Imperial officers for a term of years; improved instruction and equipment of the citizen forces; the construction of the nucleus of an Australian coastal navy to protect the ports and harbours, and for co-operation with the Imperial Government for the maintenance of coaling stations.

#### U.S. Day of Thanksgiving.

Washington, Nov. 2.—The President yesterday issued the Thanksgiving Day proclamation, setting aside Thursday, Nov. 24, "to be observed as a day of festival and thanksgiving by all the people of the United States, at home and abroad."



AT THE GRAND TO-NIGHT.

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



Regular Meals on short order. Orders in any style. Night Lunches.  
**JAMES McCOORMICK**

## Chatham's Big Clock

There are styles in Watches as well as in clothes. The latest styles in Women's Watches are here, including some beautiful and dainty Chate-laine Watches, handsomely enameled or engraved, some set with beautiful stones, prices ranging from \$1.50 up to the price of a beautiful 14K, gold filled Elgin or Waltham movement, fully guaranteed for quality and timekeepers, or taken back if not as guaranteed, which can be purchased only at the sign of the big clock.

**A. A. Jordan,**  
Jeweller,  
Issuer of Marriage Licenses

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

## If it be Inconvenient...

For you to come to us, it will be our pleasure to deliver whatever you may require, no matter how small it may be. Either send or telephone your orders, and you will be surprised how promptly your package will be handed to you. Our stock is new and well assorted, and our prices reasonable.

**J. H. DENNIS,**  
DRUGGIST  
Phone - 375

## The Japanese War

Has not interrupted Japan's export trade.

OUR JAPANESE CHINA arrived earlier than usual this season. We have just opened out several cases, carefully packed in JAPAN and opened out in THE ARK.

We have surprises for you in Fancy Ornaments, Table Sets, Trays, Bon Bons, Fancy Plates, Cups and Saucers, Salads, and in fact an endless variety of useful and ornamental pieces. You require to see the goods in order to appreciate them.

As these goods were specially imported for the Holiday and Christmas Trade it is not too early for you to come and make your selections.

Remember that we are the largest importers of these goods in the West. Buying for spot cash at closest figures are able to sell at PRICES MUCH LOWER than the ordinary dealer.

The store is filled with things which you need. The proverbial saying is, "You can get anything you want at THE ARK. Come and see, you will not be urged to buy. Goods promptly delivered.

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Up-to-date  
Millinery.

**C. Austin & Co.**

Fashionable  
Dressmaking

We're going to get right into the vital part of this bargain news with the positive assurance to you—that the excellent qualities we offer at these unusually low prices are unprecedented.

## Women's Underwear

\$1.00 FOR 85c—

Ladies' ribb plush undervests, fine fleecing, nicely trimmed with drawers to match.

75c FOR 60c—

Ladies' pure wool, extra heavy weight, high neck, long sleeves, nicely trimmed, drawers to match.

AT 35c—

Ladies' fine union vests, ribbed, long sleeves, high neck, nicely trimmed, with drawers to match.

AT 50c—

Ladies' fine ribb plush undervests, nice soft fleecing, high neck, long sleeves, drawers to match.

\$2.50 FOR \$2.00—

Ladies' pure natural wool combination suits, nicely finished, sold regularly at \$2.50.

AT 50c—

Watson unshrinkable wool vests, lace trimmed, high neck, long sleeves, drawers to match.

AT 25c—

Extra special heavy union vests, long sleeves, high neck, with drawers to match, all sizes.

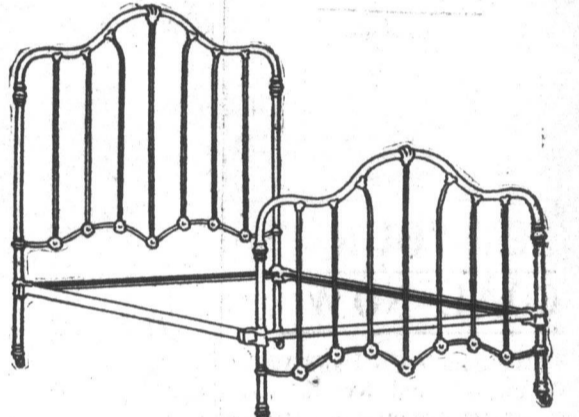
15c TO 75c—

A full range of children's underwear in cotton, plain wool and natural wool vests and drawers to match.

## BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS

Springs and Mattresses

Here are 20 different designs in brass and iron beds. In construction, design and finish our bedsteads and cribs cannot be excelled nothing but the best English Gold Lacquer is used on all brass beds and brass mounts for steel beds. Price range from \$3.00 and up.



SOME SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEKS SELLING—White enameled iron bed, full width, excellent design, brass caps and vases, good value at \$6.00, this week at \$5.25.

Full width iron bed, white enameled, full length, brass top rail, brass tops and vases, price only \$5.00

Malleable Iron Bedstead, white enamel and gold, perfectly smooth chills and dovetails, the makers say—"You can't break it", price only \$9.

**SPRINGS**—A full line of all sizes always on hand, in prices ranging from \$1.75 to \$16.60. Frames for springs are of best hard maple, or if iron of either tubular or angle iron.

**MATRESSES**—ROYAL BRAND BEDDING—Filled mattresses of cotton felt, palm leaf, moss and curled wood fibre and all combinations of these materials.

60—good quality ticking filled with curled wood fibre and padded with wool, one side, price \$2.25, some mattresses wool both sides, \$4.00.

**ART MATRESSES**, fancy art ticking, shredded and curled palm leaf centre with heavy padding of pure, white cotton felt on both sides, all sizes, price \$7.50.

**EMPEROR MATRESSES**—A pure white cotton felt mattress, 6 in. thick made of thoroughly even layers of cotton felt, hand laid and covered with a fancy art ticking, a mattress for a life time at a reasonable price, \$10.00.

**PILLOWS**—A full line of pillows made of India down feathers or best shipped down, in prices ranging from 50c each to \$3.00.

#### MEN'S

## Winter Overcoats



These frosty mornings remind a man that his fall overcoat is not heavy enough for Winter wear. We are ready to supply the need as soon as you are ready to make the purchase, and we have some overcoats to show you that it is very much to your interest to see.

**STYLISH OVERCOATS** of heavy all wool novelty pattern tweeds 48 and 50 in. long, with broad shoulders, lined throughout with heavy Italian or serge, especially good values, some with belt, some made with full back, plain, \$10 to \$16.50.

**BLACK DRESS OVERCOATS** of handsome quality, black cheviot and plain black beaver, made in the three quarter length and the long S. B. Chesterfield styles. Prices range \$7.50 to \$15.

**YOUNG MEN'S OVERCOATS**—There's a hang and swing to our Metropolitan Overcoats for young men that few tailors even can impart the shapely waist, full skirts and new lapel are exclusive features, cut 50 in. long, from handsome pattern fabrics, of brown and grey effects also plain black's, distinctly the coat for dress wear, prices range \$6 to \$15.

**BOY'S OVERCOATS**—We are showing a very big range of boy's overcoats in raglanette and belted styles for ages 4 to 14 years, nobby tweeds and plain oxford chevics, long full garments, prices run \$3 to \$6.50.

**CHILDREN'S RUSSIAN OVERCOATS** in novelty pattern tweeds plain blue chevics, button close to the neck with belt, for ages 4 to 9 years, prices range \$4.00 to \$5.00.

#### SPECIAL SELLING OF

## MEN'S SUITS

all this week. We are making special displaying of men's and youth's Fall and Winter Suits, all the popular shadings, single and double sack styles, hand some effects, full range of sizes, prices range \$7.50 to \$15. See East King St. Window

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