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Muslins at 12 1-2c.

We make a muslin offer for Saturday and Monday shopping that will make muslin buying a snap for you. Here is our offer:—

Your choice of our entire selection of colored muslins, including the finest American and French Organdies in almost every desirable shade, such as pink, sky, navy, brown, linen, champagne, etc., in an exquisite range of new designs, worth regular 20c to 40c a yard—on sale Saturday and Monday for.....12 1/2c

BED SPREADS at 98c

We have made some good offerings in bed spreads during the past season but this caps them all! Here it is:—

25 only fine pure bleached honey comb Bed Spreads, with that nice soft finish that makes them laundry easily, full double bed size, regular value \$1.25 each, on sale Saturday and Monday for.....98c


A TABLE CLOTH SNAP

Whether you are going to a summer cottage or not a second best table cloth always comes in handy to be used at any time. Here is a chance;—

Bleached linen table cloths, 2 yards wide, 2 1/4 yards long, in good designs with border all round, regular value \$1.50 each—on sale Saturday and Monday at.....\$1.13

THOS. STONE & SON

WALL PAPERS.



BRISCO'S
All Kinds
—OF—
Fishing
Tackle
OPERA HOUSE BLOCK



THE BISSELL
DISK HARROW embodies SIMPLICITY combined with great strength and efficiency—these are features followed through the entire construction of the BISSELL DISK HARROWS. The FRAME locks to the gangs, or sections, with a simple part turn—and can be put together or detached in an instant—handy feature this.

The team hitched well back near their work. Two, three or four horses can be used. Clod Cleaners Bars between the Plates keep out all sods or trash, while the chisel shape Blades clean the cutting edges—these are only some of the features of the BISSELL DISK. Simple, Strong, Good. None genuine without the name BISSELL. Enquire of Chatham Agency for full particulars. The good points can't all be told here.

GEO. STEPHENS & CO., Chatham Agents
Manufactured by T. E. BISSELL, ELORA, ONT.

POST CARDS

We make a dainty photo Post Card which are especially nice for amateur photographers who wish to send their photo views away. No packing required, place for address on one side and picture on the other. Send us your plates or films and we finish the card ready for mailing.

PRICES:
Single Card - 15c
Half dozen - 75c
One Dozen - \$1.25

WESTLAKE BROS.
5th Street, Chatham, Ont.

STUDENTS WHO PASS EXAMS.

Results of the Tests at the Annual Examinations at the C. C. I.

Percentage Obtained by the Pupils—Much Good Work Done.

The following are the results of the examinations held during the spring term at the Collegiate Institute, the number after each name indicating the percentage obtained. Pupils after whose names a star appears were absent from one or more examinations:

Form 4—S. Hutchinson 79, W. Buchanan, R. Mills 74, A. Fletcher 67, E. McQuarrie 66, J. Harrington 51, S. Forbes 49.
Form 3A—M. Hutchinson, M. Oliver 71, F. Sinclair 67, M. Sandison, H. White 64, F. Smith 63, B. Bedford 61, Reynolds 61, M. Beattie 60, W. McGregor, J. R. Arnold 59, M. McGraill 54, P. Dunlop, I. Parkson 53, K. McDonald, M. Russell 52, J. Biggart, A. Denholm 49, O. Fletcher 48, M. McNaughton, A. McKinnon 47, G. Holmes, J. LaCrosse 46, E. Johnston, G. Shaw 45, A. McNaughton 42, H. Williston 41, L. Stark 40, H. Cockfield 39, A. White 38, G. Crommell 37, J. McVean 33, R. McVean 30, W. Coulter 29, H. McDonald 29.
Form 3—R. Fraser 88, C. Fletcher 85, C. Brown, O. Charbonneau 64, S. Holmes 62, F. Munro, F. Wilson 61, A. Sandison 60, A. Wemp 59, E. Higley 58, H. James 57, F. Koutze 56, C. Ennis, A. Shreve 55, M. Beeve, H. Henry 51, A. Weese 50, B. Smith, C. Crafts, E. Leak 49, E. Morrison 48, M. Lee 47, L. Humphrey 46, J. Angus 45, M. Brooksbank, E. Thompson 43, C. Bell 41, M. Bass 40, C. Clyde, E. Ritchie, L. Park 38, G. Barfoot 33, B. VonGuten 29.
Form 2—J. Bennie, A. Doyle, C. Hamill 77, R. Thibodeau 63, W. McKenzie 60, E. Causgrove 58, A. Rathbone, J. Stark 57, J. Douglas, N. McWilliam 54, E. McDonald 53, R. Huff 52, C. Higley, M. Holmes 51, M. Deechan 50, J. Bechard, W. Laughton, I. Dolson, G. Morris 48, L. Snook 47, F. Smith 46, F. Dunning 45, A. Rathbone, J. Stark 44, T. Waddell, H. Williamson 43, R. Boers, B. Merrill, R. Paxton 42, B. Colby 40, H. Dunlop 38, D. Foreman 37, W. Harrington, L. Robinson 36, J. Asher 34, M. Muner 29, R. English 28.
Form 1A—R. Duncan 76, R. Carnovsky, J. Green 74, C. See 72, J. McCorvie, M. Park 71, M. Bennett, M. Paterson, H. Pilkey 70, G. Baines 69, J. Morris 66, C. Loe, F. Schuller 61, B. Harper, M. King 59, R. Park, G. Taylor, A. Hallman, L. Phillimore 57, H. Pincenault, M. Haviland 56, A. Crow, J. McLean, R. Hodgins, D. Campbell, D. Graham 55, K. Cumming, M. Harrington 52, C. DeLoe, C. Trot 51, E. Taylor, R. Swan 50, W. Sullivan, K. Taylor 48, G. Merritt, C. Pleasance, N. Radley 45, H. Mahler 44, W. Kelly 43, R. Stephens 42, B. Causgrove 40.
Form 1B—G. Thomas, O. West 78, L. Lynn 69, G. Macdonald, H. Soucheau 64, E. Bowers, W. Ross 62, L. Chrysler, W. White 59, G. Gammage 58, B. McKough 54, A. Reeve, N. Shillington 53, W. Hoig, W. Thomas, M. Walker 52, L. Harper 51, A. Campbell 50, D. Dunlop, H. Webb, H. Wing, R. Moore 49, R. Westmore 49, R. Cameron 48, H. Johns 47, I. Paxton, F. Winegarden 46, C. Glenn, A. Ouellette 44, W. Beakall 41, G. Somerville 38, R. Allen 16.
Form 1C—H. Keller 68, L. Dunlop, B. Tillson 67, K. Charteris 65, M. Cobbleick 63, D. Symes 61, E. Baikie, V. Dyer 60, H. Parrott 59, K. McDonald 58, L. Cross, L. Clements 57, R. Angus, K. Crow, J. Morrison 55, M. Buchanan 54, M. Baker 52, S. Ruthven, E. Watt 51, N. Cumming, R. Waddell 50, C. Cowan 45, W. Cuyler 18, O. Link 15.
Senior Commercial—R. Hall 82, E. Pegg 75, E. Lee 74, R. Merritt 73, R. Gernaey, R. McLean 70, I. Stephens 69, M. Johns, E. Merritt, F. Martin 68, L. Lee 67, B. Buchanan, M. Wood, L. VonGuten 64, E. Bell, L. McKie 63, L. Holland, E. Pleasance 62, R. Smith 58, N. Tillson 57, G. Richardson 56, A. Timmy, H. Denhardt, F. Irwin, B. Smith, E. Wemp 55, S. Turner 54, F. Jordan 53, C. Primes 53, M. Patterson 51, T. McKie 50, J. Buchanan 49, E. Pleasance 48, L. Thompson 47, O. Dent 46, V. Duncan 37, S. Campbell 20.
Junior Commercial—G. Winter 85, H. Pritchard 82, G. Hall 79, I. Sauer 78, N. Appleby 74, E. Barton, C. Nelson, E. Stevenson 72, T. Baker, C. Phillips, H. Tillson 72, P. Leverton 71, M. Robinson 70, E. Merrill 68, H. Coatsworth, M. McWilliam 65, S. Knott 62, P. Mitchell, E. Stringer 61, E. Chrysler, G. Gregory, E. Herman, P. Martin, H. Paxton 57, G. Moore, R. Ross 56, B. Mowers, V. Stone 54, M. Banning, A. Massey 52, E. Rankin 47, L. Wemp 46, G. Jordan 32, A. Scott 27, M. Stringer 25.

There are many matters needing attention now and there will doubtless be others ere the summer season ends, and the Council will earn the commendation of the public by taking prompt action.

CIVIC OFFICER

Appointment of Dr. Hall as Health Officer Meets with Hearty Public Approval.

The passing of the city by-law appointing Dr. W. R. Hall, the popular and efficient physician of the Board of Health, as Medical Health Officer for our city, is meeting with hearty approval and endorsement and the Council will do well to confirm the by-law at its earliest opportunity. Dr. Hall is not only one of the most capable physicians in Canada, but he has made a special study of the science of the maintenance of public health and his services will prove of untold value to the community.

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SOCIETY

Miss Sylva Post spent Friday in town.

Mr. Hector Jackson spent last evening at Erieau.

Mrs. D. McLachlan, left for Brantford this morning.

Miss Thomas will be hostess during the tea hour on Monday.

Mrs. Hall and Miss Hall spent Thursday in Detroit.

Miss Lillywhite, of London, is the guest of Mrs. John Cooper.

Miss Lizzie Trotter, Head St., has returned from a trip to London.

Dr. Fred Hall, who was in town this week, has returned to Tupperville.

Mrs. Macdonald, Petrolia, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Robt. McCosca.

Miss Helen Wallan, of Brantford, is the guest of Miss Shannon, Victoria Ave.

Mr. Frank Harrison leaves to-day for Ailsa Craig, where he will spend his holidays.

Miss Hall, Mr. Lawson and Mr. Melville are the guests of Miss Post at the Eau.

Mr. Haves will be host this evening at a smoking party at the Hotel Garner.

Miss Mame Northwood has returned from Erieau, where she has been spending the last week.

Miss Sinclair, of Toronto, who has been Miss Mary McKough's guest, returns home to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon and children, of Stratford, are the guests of Mrs. Will Richards, Wellington St.

Mrs. W. E. Rispin and family left on Sunday last for the Belvidere, Parys Road, where they will stay two or three weeks.

Mr. Frank Thomas, after spending his holidays in town, leaves to-morrow evening for Guelph.

Mr. Paul H. Turnbull arrived in town to-day, and is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Pringle, Stanley Ave.

Miss Thomas will entertain on Sunday evening at supper, in honor of her guest, Miss Fraser.

Miss Holmes and Miss Marion Gemmill were Miss Phillimore's guests, at Erieau, for a few days this week.

Miss Ethel and Master Lorne Sheldrick, of Columbus, O., are the guests of Mrs. J. R. Cathcart, Erie Beach.

Miss Phillimore gave a charming little "tea-party" for the young people at Erieau, on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Muriel Fraser, of Montreal, is expected in town this evening. Miss Fraser will be the guest of Miss Thomas for the next two weeks.

Mrs. Matthew Wilson, Miss Meta Wilson and Master Morris Wilson leave on Monday for Melford Bay, Muskoka, where they will spend the summer.

Miss Alice Birch left on the seven o'clock C. P. R. train this morning for Winnipeg, where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Birch during the remainder of the holidays.

Mrs. (Dr.) Cornell spent this week at Erieau, the guest of Mrs. Chas. C. Greening. On Monday evening Mrs. Greening gave a delightful tea in her honor, and on Tuesday evening Mrs. Pilkey entertained her in a similar manner.

Mrs. E. L. Gould and children and Mrs. Robt. Sims and children, who have been spending the last two weeks with their father, Mr. C. R. Atkinson, "Holly Grove," leave on Monday to spend a few weeks at Melford Bay.

FLEEING GIRL KILLED BY BOLT

Mattie Broad Stricken within Few Steps of Her Own Door at Florence.

Terrible Lightning Storm Causes Death of Unfortunate Girl.

Florence, July 14.—Hurrying home from a berry patch to reach shelter, Mattie Broad, 18 years of age, was overtaken by a thunder storm and killed by lightning within a few steps of her own door.

Miss Broad, who was employed in Florence, was the daughter of E. Broad, of Dante.

She was home helping her younger sister in the absence of her mother, who is in Chatham hospital suffering from cancer.

The unfortunate girl was at her home in Euphemia for a visit, and to assist her younger sister in canning fruit, etc., in the absence of her mother, who was undergoing treatment in the hospital at Chatham.

Yesterday she and her cousin, Miss Davis, were in the berry patch when the storm approached. The girls started for the respective homes. Miss Davis reached her's in safety, but while Miss Broad was hastening home along the highway the storm overtook her, and lightning struck her when within about 40 rods of her own home.

While Watching at Window. Windsor, July 15.—Miss Elizabeth Dadds, aged 23 years, whose home is in Toronto, and who is said to be a school teacher, was struck and instantly killed by lightning at Oxford, Mich., yesterday afternoon during the progress of a destructive electrical storm.

The young lady had come to Oxford, which is about twenty-five miles from Detroit, to spend her summer vacation, and had only arrived last Monday.

In company with Mrs. Daniel McDonald, with whom she was staying, Miss Dadds was standing at a window looking at the storm when the house was struck.

Lightning burned the shoes entirely from her feet, but the body was unmarked.

Mrs. McDonald was also severely shocked, but will recover.

Toronto, July 15.—There is no Miss Elizabeth Dadds in the directory, and no one by that name a teacher in the Toronto schools.

Electrocuted at Phone. Cattaraugus, N. Y., July 15.—Eugene Freeburn, a farm hand near here, was electrocuted while using a telephone during the storm which swept over this section Thursday. The cyclone uprooted orchards and unroofed houses. Barns were burned.

GREAT HAIL STORM

"The most terrible hail storm I have ever witnessed."

Such was the verdict of J. R. Graham, the Maple City real estate agent, who was yesterday at Clark's oil plant, east of Bothwell, and experienced the great hail storm there.

"The road," said Mr. Graham, "was just white with hail and the crops were literally whipped into the ground, completely destroying them. The path of the storm was about a mile wide and extended for six miles in distance. The storm lasted for half an hour."

THE MERCHANTS' BANK

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the annual statement of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, adopted at the general meeting of shareholders in Montreal. It presents the affairs of the bank in a way that must be gratifying to all concerned. With net earnings for the year of \$649,137, the financial position is shown to be strong and satisfactory. The reserve fund was increased by \$200,000, bringing it up to \$3,400,000, the sum of \$73,197.50 being carried to the credit of profit and loss.

The retirement of Mr. Thomas Fyfe as general manager owing to failing health was referred to in the discussion. The appointment of Mr. E. E. Hebdon to the position of Acting General Manager was also announced. Mr. Hebdon has been chief inspector and superintendent of branches of the Merchants' Bank, and has attached widespread distinction among financial men. He is recognized as one fully qualified for the new duties assigned to him, and his appointment will be acceptable to the large body of shareholders.

The bank has entered upon a more aggressive policy and will be found at all times ready and pleased to promote the interests of the locality and extending facilities to manufacturers and farmers alike. Mr. Wm. Pringle, the local manager, is highly esteemed, and under a broader policy that has been inaugurated will doubtless largely extend the business of the branch in this city.

The committee appointed by the Catholic Order of Foresters for their annual excursion to Detroit Aug. 15 will spare no pains and will serve abundant refreshments. Meals on board.

CITY PROGRESS

Plans For the Laying of Severa Splendid Bitulithic Pavements Under Way.

Several new and substantial bitulithic pavements will, it is anticipated, be laid in our city next season. The petitions for the same are now in circulation and are meeting with a very general support from enterprising and patriotic citizens.

The course being pursued is the wise one. Residents desiring the excellent new pavements should get their petitions in shape now, so that they can go before and pass the Council. The work of putting in all necessary sewers and intakes can then be proceeded with at once and the roadbed will thus have an opportunity to thoroughly settle ere the pavement is laid, making a permanent and effective work.

The Bitulithic Company are meeting with a well-deserved success all over. In Chatham new bitulithic pavements are being laid on Murray and Raleigh Sts. and the Council is taking the initiative on Centre St. This is a much needed improvement which will be appreciated by everyone.

CASUALTY LIST

Yesterday and To-day Productive of Several Accidents of a More or Less Serious Nature.

Jimmy, the four-year-old son of John F. Dunlop, the proprietor of the Idlewild Hotel, was another victim. Pug dogs have a reputation for easy going, good nature, consequently Jimmy thought he could tease one with impunity—result, Jimmy is now under the doctor's care with a badly bitten wrist.

The wound was cankered by Dr. Hetherford and it is not anticipated any evil results will follow. The dog belonged to Mr. Roberts, of the boat house. Hurry along that dog by-law!

W. Snell, of the McCormick Harvester Co., employed at Bragg and O'Neill's, was unfortunate enough to get two fingers of his right hand caught in the cog wheels of a binder yesterday, with a few result that they were badly crushed.

Mrs. James Welsh, of King street east, had a nasty fall yesterday, resulting in a broken arm. She was attending the funeral of her nephew, the late Hector Wright, when the accident happened.

A young lad who was interested in the fire show which is being conducted this week on the street by Dr. Carson, came to grief near Gray's Bazaar on King street this morning.

The little fellow was following Dr. Carson's rig down the street when a farmer came along in a democrat and ran over him. The boy was badly scared and bruised and made himself plainly heard for some time. He was carried to the sidewalk and in a few minutes he was able to walk home.

The man in the democrat never stopped but drove right on, paying no attention to the lad he ran down.

Morris O'Neill, a farmer residing in Raleigh, met with a very painful accident this morning. He was engaged in building a load of hay on a wagon when he fell to the ground, sustaining severe bruises on his side. He was driven into town and received surgical assistance.

AN ACQUISITION

King street west is rapidly forging to the front as the residential district of Chatham. The latest acquisition to the beautiful homes of that vicinity is one to be built in the near future by Charles Austin, next to ex-Mayor W. E. McKough's lot. The plans call for a three storey, handsome brick building.

For quality and workmanship, Sugar Beet Cigar, 5c., has no equal.

Wm. Somerville & Son
4 DOORS WEST OF MARKET

STERLING PURITAN

THE

Summer Stove, Works Perfectly, Very Economical, Low in Price.

WESTMAN BROS.

Big Hardware

One Cent Sale

Our third Bargain week will consist of some One Cent Bargains. We know this is a small price for a Bargain, but see what we will give you for one cent.

1 Paper good Pins 1c
1 Paper Hair Pins 1c
White Tape any size 1c
Aluminum Thimble 1c
Paper of Needles 1c
Or the whole Lot for 5 cents.

These are all Bargains and we want you to get your share.

Two weeks ago we sold 793 Tooth Brushes at 10c, did you get one? if not, come and ask for one of them at 10c., they're a bargain.

Last week we sold 874 Combs at 10c., which were worth 20c, if you didn't get one ask for one this week and you can have it.

We want to sell the small Goods that are used in Chatham and we intend to get the business if price and quality will go for anything.

Sulman's Beehive...

Corner of King and Sixth St.

TANS! TANS! TANS!

Tan Shoes will be the great cry during the Summer season.

We always favored Tan Footwear—it's cooler and much easier to care for than black.

Get Correct Colors

Some shades of Tans are not the proper thing and won't do at all.

We are ready to Tan Shoe every man, woman and child in town.

We have some handsome new styles in Oxfords and Ties on new lasts. Come see the new-comers.

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