

Special Offering in  
**Underwear and Hose**  
For Friday and Saturday

Children's natural wool underwear, all sizes now in stock.

Children's ribbed union vests and drawers in all sizes from 0 to 20c, 7 at 50c.

Children's ribbed wool finish vests and drawers in sizes from 12 to 10c, 36 at 25c.

Infants' white cashmere vests, buttoned down the front, sizes 1, 2, 3, at 35, 38 and 40c.

Infants' white cashmere roller bands in sizes 1 and 2, at 35 and 40c.

Ladies' black cashmere hose, spliced heel and toe, seamless, regular 40c a pair, now three pair for \$1.

Ladies' black cashmere hose, spliced heel and toe, seamless, fine quality at 25c a pair.

Ladies' 1-1 ribbed cashmere hose, seamless at 50c a pair.

Ladies' plain Cash. hose, ribbed top, seamless, merino heel and toe, spliced ankle, special at 50c.

Ladies' elama wool hose, seamless, high spliced ankle, specials at 60 and 75c.

In children's hose we have a few specials as follows:

Children's ribbed cashmere hose, double knee, heel and toe, seamless foot, in sizes from 4 in. at 22c to 10 in. at 50c.

Boys' ribbed worsted hose, two good lines for school wear, in all sizes, at 25c and 50c.

Children's plain cashmere hose, double knee, heel and toe, seamless foot, from 22c-50c.

Children's tan cashmere hose, double heel and toe, seamless foot, from 4 in. to 9-12 in.

**Wm. Foreman & Co.**

**"I Can't See"**

Said a blind man in our store yesterday, how you sell Men's Fine Goodyear Welted shoes for \$3.00.

**"I Hear"**

Said a deaf man who came in with him, that your \$3.00 Men's Shoes are even better than you advertise them to be.

**"I Walked In"**

Said a man on crutches, to see a pair of those \$3.00 Men's Shoes like my neighbor got here this morning. I'd like to get my hands on a pair of these \$3.00 Welted Shoes you advertise said a man who lost both arms. "I've got to be economical now, said an ice man, so I thought I'd run in and see those \$3.00 shoes."

All sorts of men are buying these \$3.00 Shoes for every man who looks at them from a blind man to an ice man, say they are the best shoe for the money they ever saw. Sold at

**J. L. Campbell's** The Boston Shoe Store

**Stove Talk**

Westman Bros.

ARE THE ONLY DEALERS FROM WHOM YOU CAN BUY

**The Jewel Stoves and Ranges . . . .**

In the city. These Stoves have had **thirty years'** successful sale and are eminently satisfactory to every purchaser. Buy a Stove that is right and it will be right all the time. Buy a stove that is wrong and it is an annoyance all the time.

**Buy a Jewel**

And You do not Run any Risk

**Westman Bros.**

Sole Agents, Chatham, Ont.

Chatham's Millinery Store Chatham's Millinery Store

QUICK MOVING PRICES IN OUR

**... HATS ...**

Each time you come you see something new.

Our READY-TO-WEAR HATS just in are very special and low priced.

**C. A. Cooksley,** Opposite the Market

**EX-MAYOR SMITH SAYS  
CANADA IS A CUP WINNER**

Earnestly Advocates that a Canadian Challenger be Sent After the America's Cup—A Splendid Letter.

To the Editor of The Planet:

I was much chagrined on my return from Europe to find that old Ocean had again coquetted with Brother Jonathan and left the challenge cup in his loving embrace. This rebuff is all the more punctuated by the fact that, the majestic Lion not only says to rule the earth on land, but also to hold the dominion of the sea in the hollow of his all-pervading paw. "Nothing in all my travels in Europe struck me so much as the immense and signal superiority of Johnny Canuck, not only over the people of foreign nations, but—and say it in an Irish whisper—over the hounds of his own daddy, Jack Bull. Nature almost exhausted her resources in supplying Jack Canuck with intuitive faculties amounting to genius, and circumstances have made him a hero. If the aged Yankee Lion cannot wrench that magic mug from the Yankees, his Canadian whelps can do the trick, or I am greatly mistaken and the favorable opportunity is now in sight and we should go vigorously about it. It is not for me to dogmatize or dictate a plan of campaign. I wish rather to pose as one crying in the wilderness to have the path made straight and the decks cleared for that fancy piece of jewelry or table ornament, called the America's Cup, taking its proper position with the Canadian maple leaf. "If possible it is done already; if impossible it will be done." I shall leave the rest to patriotic Canadians, and our words are full of them. It is said that Lord Bacon's philosophy did not move the world, but it moved the minds that did. I do not presume to inaugurate a great international yacht race. My highest ambition will be more than satisfied if the spirited local press will take hold of the suggestion and lead the way for the great Toronto delirium. Johnny Canuck has fully demonstrated in South Africa and elsewhere that, on the father's side he is a son of Mars, and is ready to prove to a probably disbelieving world, on the mother's side he is a veritable and worthy son of old Neptune. The intellect that planned and the skilled mechanics who built the "Invader," that wonderful fairy craft that sailed all over the starry ocean with a Yankee fleet chasing it at a respectable distance in the rear, can and will build another like it—and better, too—of any desired size. In the Chicago race it was better ahead and the rest simply nowhere.

With Captain Jarvis and his old "Invader" crew on such a proposed boat, would not the fate of the now notorious "Columbus" follow that of the Cadillac? It is worth trying at all events, and I am greatly mistaken if Canada will miss this golden opportunity of giving our country an advertisement that will circulate the world; and should victory be perched on our banner and the cup come to Canada, nothing within the century will contribute more to our beloved Canada among the nations of the earth, a local habitation and a great name. The Canadian challenger should be wholly built here, by our own workmen, and entirely of Canadian materials, so that it would stand as a living monument to the genius and skill of our own people, and the vast resources of our country. The almost fatal blunder of that princely sportsman, Sir Thomas Lipton, was probably after all a providential international blessing in disguise. Within a few years more toward the centenary of the Anglo-Saxon race on both sides of the Atlantic than all others combined during the past century. First—The Spanish-American war, when England alone among the powers with a thundering lion's roar that meant business, practically commanded Europe that was ready to aid and assist an effete nation today at the moment—Hands off! and off they came in a hurry. Second—The tragic death of that great and good man—a Prince in Israel—President McKinley. There was no Atlantic ocean, and if there were, it was suddenly changed into brotherly crimson Anglo-Saxon blood thicker than the waters of the Dead Sea, and the mourning Rachees of the British Isles and Canada wept with those of the United States because their great and good son was not. The tender chord rhythmical with the music of the heart vibrated in dolorous harmony and union throughout the Anglo-Saxon world. Then came the late exciting yacht race. Now, while the Americans exhibited the utmost fairness and courtesy to their gallant and plucky opponent, Sir Thomas Lipton. Is it too much to say that the good effects of what preceded would have been greatly, if not wholly, neutralized by the defeat of the American boat?

But the cup remaining in America—what then? Just this: The Americans are now ready and willing to accept defeat with good grace. Nay! almost to invite it, and probably no man on American soil to-day—outside of the President—is more loved, esteemed and admired than the great and good English gentleman, Sir Thomas Lipton. This also applies to his gallant crew. Sir Thomas would be voted into almost any high office in the gift of the American Government today at the polls. Is this feeling not worth something? Is it not worth ten sailing defeats?

Well, I submit that an international race for the cup between Canada and the States—even if the cup should come here—would be a fourth desirable act in the great drama of brotherhood between the two peoples. Let the good work of agitation go on, and let us show the world what Jack Canuck can do. Yachting is an old and honored institution. In the Anglo-Saxon period King Athelstan

was presented with a yacht by the King of Norway. Queen Elizabeth had a yacht built for her at Cowes in 1858, and Charles II. was presented by the Dutch with a yacht named "Mary," and thus, for the first time, the word "yacht" was introduced into the English language. There were matches and challenges away back as long ago as 1662, and large bets made on the issue.

Now, the word "yacht" is the Dutch for Jacht, from Jachten, "to hunt," and I trust the name will give inspiration to those who are interested in this matter to hurry and make a trial of skill between Canada and our respected neighbors for the cup a living issue and fact.

T. A. SMITH.

Chatham, Oct. 9th, 1901.

**DISTRICT DOINGS,  
TILBURY**

Oct. 11.—Mrs. Belanger, of Montreal, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Belanger, is the guest of Mrs. J. E. McLaughlin, of Langlois.

W. C. T. U. meets to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kennedy, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. A. Maclellan has purchased a lot on Fort street, near the public school and will at once erect a cottage thereon for herself.

Mrs. Scarriff and Miss Belle Wilson were in Chatham yesterday. Mrs. E. F. Hillsback, of Malton, Ill., has returned home after a visit at the home of Wm. Maclellan.

James Burgess, of Rosedale, left yesterday for the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y.

**PALATABLE AS CREAM.**—"The D. & L." Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, for those suffering from severe coughs and hemorrhages, is used with the greatest benefit. Manufactured by the Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

**DRESDEN**

Oct. 11.—Mrs. J. E. Denham, of London, who has been visiting Mrs. J. E. McLaughlin, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Leslie Wright, of Leamington, returned home to-day, after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. A. J. Davis.

A sale of bronchos took place in the Queen's Hotel yards to-day. The animals became restless and knocked down John Eglin, trampling upon him but not seriously injuring him. Those who purchased the horses experienced great difficulty in getting them home. Mr. and Mrs. Will McVean, accompanied by Mrs. James McVean, are visiting in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McVean left yesterday for Toronto. Harold Hughes has returned from a short visit to Chatham. A large number of Dresdenites took in the Chatham Fair and report a good time.

Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town once a month; if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collector calls he must remit direct to The Planet Office, Chatham, as we will not be responsible for now's this?

We offer One Hundred Dollars' Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honest and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Walding, Kinnear & Marvin, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Nothing is harder to forget than forgetfulness.

**THE ROYAL MONTH AND THE ROYAL DISEASE.**

Sudden changes of weather are especially trying and probably to none more so than to the nervous and consumptive. The progress of scrofula during a normal October is commonly great. We never think of scrofula—its bunches, cutaneous eruptions, and wasting of the bodily substance—without thinking of the great good many sufferers from it have derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla, whose radical and permanent cures of this disease are enough to make it the most famous medicine in the world. There is probably not a city or town where Hood's Sarsaparilla has not proved its merit in more homes than in any, in arresting and completely eradicating scrofula, which is almost as serious and as much to be feared as its near relative—consumption.

The mother-vein of truth is found in the Bible.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures radically—that is, it removes the roots of disease. That's better than lopping the branches.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

**Theatrical**

The best known and most popular comedian on the comic opera stage is the veteran singer, Henry Clay Barnabee, who will appear here on Thursday, Oct. 17th, with The Bostonians. As a well-known critic has tersely expressed it, he is "the dean of comic opera comedians." Like his confrere, Joseph Jefferson, of the dramatic stage, he uses the same refined methods, and his impersonations are always rendered with intelligent taste without that straining and horse-play which is the sole stock in trade of many so-called entertainers. Mr. Barnabee has been before the public over thirty-five years and music lovers vie with each other to do him honor whenever he appears in a new role. Among his impersonations, which cover quite a range, the Duke of Santa in the opera "The Serenade," and the Sheriff of Nottingham in "Robin Hood," are probably the best known and best liked. Mr. Barnabee has but recently celebrated his sixty-seventh year and is in admirable voice and excellent spirits.

**THE BOSTONIANS.**

The most popular comic opera organization on tour appear in Chatham on Oct. 17th. They need no introduction to Chatham theatre-goers. Suffice it to say, that they were never stronger than to-day. They will give as fine a production of "Robin Hood" in Chatham as ever has been given anywhere. The company comprises 58 of the most famous artists in America to-day, and carries its own orchestra of ten pieces.

**FOUL, LOATHSOME,  
DISGUSTING CATARRH!**

Secure Relief in 10 Minutes

And a Radical Cure.

Does your head ache? Have you pains over your eyes? Is there a constant dropping in the throat? Is the breath offensive? These are certain symptoms of Catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will cure most stubborn cases in a marvelously short time. If you've had Catarrh a week it's a sure cure. If it's of fifty years' standing it's just as effective.

Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

**Township Councils.**

**HOWARD COUNCIL.**

The municipal council of the township of Howard met in the township hall Saturday, Oct. 5th, as per adjournment. All members present. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

**Communications.**

From O. M. Arnold, barrister, Bruce bridge, stating that he had been instructed by Frederick Arnold, Kent Bridge, to notify the council that if the councils of Harwich and Howard intended constructing an embankment at the south end of Kent Bridge, which would stop the natural flow of the water and thus damage his property, will place the township liable for action.

From Wilson, Kerr & Pike, barristers, Chatham, stating that Harwich had been notified by Mr. Arnold that an injunction would be served to stop the earthwork embankment at Kent Bridge, had answered that the work was being done by Mr. McKegan, contractor, according to county plan, and if you restrain county and contractor townships will not object; also from J. McCully, reeve of Harwich, in reference to same.

From Geo. Whitwell, wishing council to accept his resignation as collector for 1901.

From D. F. McKinley, wishing the position of collector at the resignation of Geo. Whitwell be accepted.

**Petitions.**

From H. McLarty and 37 others, asking for a grant of \$300 for the purpose of graveling 12th and 13th sideroad from centre of concession 4 to line between concessions 6 and 7.

Accounts.

E. D. Mitton, one day Chatham re debentures, \$2.

E. B. McDonald, drawing cartload of sewer pipe, \$3.

Geo. McDonald, postage from June 30th to Sept. 30th, \$5.

The following persons addressed the council:

Jas Wright, claiming an overcharge in road work and asked an allowance for it. Clerk instructed to rectify in next year's statute labor.

G. Mickle, Jas. Scane, Jos. Scane, R. McGregor and W. McIntyre, in reference to Engineer Scane's report of Scane drain; some preferring to have the original drain repaired, but the majority preferred a cut-off being made.

W. E. Gundy, in interest of Alex. Marsh re outlet of West Branch Bell or Crawford drain, stating that the inefficiency of outlet caused damage.

**Cook's Cotton Root Compound** is successfully used monthly by over 100,000 Ladies. Safe, efficient. Ladies and your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. Beware of cheap imitations. Price, No. 1, 50c per box; No. 2, 10c per box. Sold by all druggists. The Cook Company, Windsor, Ont.

No. 1 and No. 2 are sold in Chatham by C. H. Gunn & Co., Central Drug Store.

**Men's Unlined Kid Gloves**

Every glove in the stock is guaranteed. No more chance to go astray than if you stood at the bank wicket trading Dominion notes for gold dollars.

The right styles, too, because we have no other kind. Fashion is important in gloves.

"The edge of a knife, the point of a joke, the touch of red in a dull sunset at sea, the one quivering note of a French horn amid a twanging of violins—these are what trifles are to the dress of man or woman."

But then gloves are no trifle.

A fine dressed kid glove in light, medium and dark tan shades, tipped wrist and two domes fasteners. An excellent fitter. One dome English cape glove, pique sewn with out seams and red stitching. Good weight for fall wear. A dressy 2 dome black kid, cable sewn. \$1.00

Fine selected kid in tan and brown shades, pique sewn with kid tipped wrist and two domes fasteners. Heavy English cape, a one dome style without seams, pique sewn and red stitching. Gray suede, a warm and stylish glove with silk cord back, two domes, pique sewn seams. \$1.25

Extra fine kid, two domes, silk cord back. An elegant glove. Gray and tan mocha with self backs, pique sewn seams, one dome. White kid gloves for evening wear, 50c. \$1.50

**Thornton & Douglas**

**A SPECIAL SALE  
During Fair Week on  
COLD RINGS**

I have the largest assortment in the city and they must be sold. Solid gold rings set with all kinds of stones, \$2 ring for \$1. \$3 ring for \$1.75. \$5 ring for \$2.50. And all other rings in proportion. You can take these rings anywhere and have them tested and if they are not as represented you get your money back, at Sign of Big Clock.

**A. A. JORDAN** At the Sign of The Big Clock

**Furniture  
and Carpets**

Parlor Suites

Made of Silk Tapestry, with buttoned backs, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00. Three Piece Suites, with Mahogany finished frames, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00. Rug Suites of good and serviceable rugs, \$32.00, \$38.00, \$45.00, worth \$40.00, \$50.00 and \$60.00.

Bedroom Suites

A Special Line from \$10, \$12. Do not fail to see these Suites. Polished Oak Suites, with British bevel mirrors, \$35.00, \$65.00. We are offering a special line of CARPETS at 50c per yard, worth 60c and 65c per yard. Made and laid free of charge.

**Hugh McDonald**

Opposite Garner House

**NOTICE**

The Canada Flour Mills Company Limited, give notice that a by-law of which the following is a copy, has been duly passed by the directors and unanimously sanctioned by a vote of the shareholders of said company present at a special general meeting of the company called for considering the same and representing more than two-thirds of the stock of the Company.

"A by-law providing for changing the head office of The Canada Flour Mills Company, Limited."

"Whereas, the chief place of business in Canada of The Canada Flour Mills Company, Limited, is at Halifax, in the Province of Nova Scotia."

"And, Whereas, it is deemed expedient that the same be changed to the City of Chatham, in the Province of Ontario."

"Therefore The Canada Flour Mills Company, Limited, enacts as follows: That the head office of The Canada Flour Mills Company, Limited, be and the same is hereby changed from the City of Halifax, in the Province of Nova Scotia, to the City of Chatham, in the Province of Ontario."

"Finally passed by the directors on 31st day of August, 1901."

(Sgd.) H. McC. HART, Secy. Treas.

(Sgd.) N. H. STEVENS, President.

"Considered sanctioned and approved by the Shareholders at a special general meeting, September 17th, 1901."

(Sgd.) N. H. STEVENS, President.