

## For Salads

Nice Crisp Celery, white and good. The heads are large and very firm.

12 1-2c and 15c a head.

**SALAD DRESSING**  
**CABBAGE**  
**LETTUCE**  
**LOBSTERS**  
**SHRIMPS**  
**FRESH TOMATOES**  
**FRESH PINEAPPLES**

**H. Malcolmson**

## The War of Women

AGAINST DIRT will soon begin. House-cleaning time is pretty near at hand. We have some useful assistants for a campaign of that sort, and want you to remember them when trouble begins.

**Washing Soda**  
**Borax or Ammonia**

To make the cleaning easier and more thorough. Moth balls and insecticides for the protection of articles packed away. Disinfectants to purify and sweeten closets, sinks and drains, and to destroy the lurking germs that no ordinary course of cleansing can destroy.

**All of These are Fresh and Pure and Prices are Never Beaten.**

**Turner & Platt**  
**Druggists.**

## It's With Us Again.

Spring Housecleaning. "It must be done. How can we make it easy at the least expense?" Go to Park St. East and purchase: 25c bar Dish Soap for 20c, 6 bars Sweet Home Soap for 20c, 2 lb. bar of good Soap for 9c, 10 Tablets Laid's Soap for 20c, 3 lbs. Washing Soda for 9c, 50 package Gills' Pulverized Soap for 9c.

Just in, New Goods. If you need a Dinner, Tea or Chamber Set we have them, and the quality and prices will please you.

China and Glassware, all kinds for Presents. Call and see us Above Prices Sold Good 4 Days

**John McConnell,**  
Park St. Phone 190

## NO TIME Like the Present

To make your Dress Goods selections. No end to the variety we are offering in pretty stylish weaves—whether you want material for Tailor Suits or the soft clinging makes for fashionable gowns, we have an elegant assortment, worthy of your attention.

### NEW WASH GOODS

Very particular attention paid to our Staple and Fancy Wash Goods Department. You can always depend on getting the best and latest at our usual fair prices.

### ABOUT MILLINERY

We want to remind you that we are opening up NEW HATS and Trimming every day. We guarantee you satisfaction in style and prices.

**THIBODEAU & JACQUES**

## Births, Marriages and Deaths

**BECKET-MARTIN**—On the 15th inst. by the Rev. John Becket, the bride's father, at his residence, Toronto, assisted by the Rev. A. Gilray, Miss Maggie D. Becket, to Mr. W. J. Martin, Barrister, of Chatham, Ont. Toronto, April 15, 1902.

## Local Briefs

Fancy calisthenics, C. C. I., Friday. BIG BRISCO BENEFIT TO-NIGHT. Cadets' bayonet drill, C. C. I. Friday.

Chas. Walker, of Florence is in the city to-day.

Elocution, songs, and tableaux, C. C. I. Friday.

R. J. Humphrey left this morning for Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Robert McCleavy and son, of Florence, are in the city to-day.

Mrs. Crozier, who is in St. Joseph's Hospital, is not so well to-day.

J. A. Wilson shipped several cases of crocks to Tupperville to-day.

S. Glenn & Co. received a shipment of tea from London, Eng., to-day.

A good woodshed for sale cheap. Apply to G. W. Sulman this week.

Hear the clever work of the male sextette at the Big Brisco Benefit to-night.

Excavations have been started for the building of the Chaplin wheel factory.

A switch is being put in by the C. P. R. from the sheds to A. McKay's fence.

Mrs. (Dr.) Baker, of Holland, is the guest of her father, J. H. Shaw, Lorne avenue.

Good smart, bright young boy wanted to work in stock room. Apply Wm. Gray & Sons.

The Sons of England will run an excursion to Niagara Falls on Chatham's Civic Holiday.

The Water Commissioners will meet this evening to consider the tenders for coal for 1902.

The Oddfellows are requested to meet sharp at 8 o'clock to-night. A number of degrees will be exemplified.

The Sunshine Society will give a promenade concert on Tuesday evening, April 22nd, in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium. Admission 25c. 3rd.

The lights were out again at the drill shed last evening for "C" company's drill. Capt. Mowbray marched the company up King street and back.

C. C. I. annual concert, Friday, April 18, "Revels of May," a cantata, calisthenics, elocution, dances, tableaux-mouvants, medals and prizes. Admission, 25 and 15 cents. 9th.

Among the most delightful features of the Big Brisco Benefit program this evening will be the selections of Mrs. John Cooper, soprano, and Miss Ada Ross, contralto.

A beautiful cantata—C. C. I.—Friday.

A meeting of the Conservatives of Ward No. 5, will be held at S. B. Arnold's office, next to Harrison Hall, on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is requested.

Mrs. Weldon cordially invites you to call and see her beautiful stock of New York Floradora hats for Misses and children.

The celebrated degree staff of Chatham Encampment will exemplify three Patriarchal degrees this evening.

Oddfellows from the surrounding towns and villages will be present. Light refreshments will be served and a good time generally be enjoyed.

**Solid Food For Scott's Intellect.**

The Librarian of the Aberdeen Public Library shows in his annual report what books readers call for. In one case a laborer's last thirty books from the library consisted of two books in science, one in philology, two in sociology, three poetry, three philosophy, eleven theology and eight fiction. Another remarkable case is that of an upholsterer, whose reading in a period of about two years consisted of one book in science, one in useful arts, two in history, five in biography and twenty-six books of travel.

Giving is made easy only by knowing what urgent need there is that we should give.

## DR. A. W. THORNTON

**DENTIST**  
D. D. S. Toronto University.  
Office—First Door East of Standard Bank  
Telephone Office 154.  
Residence 25.

## Township Councils.

### DOVER COUNCIL.

The council met pursuant to adjournment at the Town Hall, April 14th. The members were all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. The clerk's report was read in reference to the grievance of Louis Huff against the arrears of taxes: it is found that Mr. Huff paid the taxes on his lot in 1897, '98 and 1900, and that the arrears are chargeable to Wm. Ray's part of lot 11 in the 13th concession for the said years: the grievance arose from an error in the description of Mr. Huff's part of lot 11. Mr. Wright reported verbally on the grievance of Eugene Martin, referred to him re a bridge on the 9th concession over the Hind drain, and stating that the work was completed and paid for.

Moved by Wright and Trudell, that the account of C. H. Gunn & Co., \$3.70, be paid for supplies re small-pox.—Carried.

Moved by Grant and Trudell, that R. Cooper's account of \$11.97, be paid for minute book and other stationery.—Carried.

Moved by Grant and Crawford, that the account of King, Cunningham & Co., \$10.50, be paid for steel scraper bit and bolts.—Carried.

Moved by Wright and Grant, that the matter of erecting a weigh scale at the corner of the Bear Line and the 13th concession be referred to Mr. Crawford with power and report.—Carried.

Moved by Grant and Trudell, that the Planets account of \$30.05, be paid for printing, advertising and assessment stationery.—Carried.

Moved by Wright and Crawford, that the case of John Matthew re accounts be referred to the reeve with power and report.—Carried.

Moved by Grant and Wright, that the matter of the removal of George Ganthur from St. Joseph's Hospital to the House of Refuge be referred to the reeve with power, and to pay the hospital account for his keep and report.—Carried.

Moved by Grant and Wright, that the reeve be instructed to see the solicitor in reference to the notices sent to the teachers re vaccination of school children and report.—Carried.

Dr. W. R. Hall's warrant and order for aid for consultation with Dr. Agar re small-pox.

The council adjourned.

J. WELSH, Clerk.

### HARWICH COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the Municipal Council of the Township of Harwich was held in the Township Hall on Monday, April 14th. Members all present. The minutes of the meeting of March 10th were read and adopted.

The following communications were read and considered: W. G. McGeorge, C. E., re Smyth's D. & W. I. A. E. Robinson, clerk, Raleigh, re gravel pit at Cedar Springs, and lowering road at Lake so as to reach the beach; J. C. Fleming, County Clerk, re D. Miller, a pauper at hospital, also with a resolution of the committee of House of Refuge re A. Cable; Jos. Johns, declining the appointment of thistle inspector; A. Henry in regard to dam at the corner of his place on Spring Creek drain; S. H. Knight, re statute labor division at Northwood; Jonathan McCully asking for privilege of placing fence on Gore line in road ditch until he could erect a new fence.

Moved by Buchanan and McCormick, that Dr. McCully be granted the request made by him to place his fence in the road ditch in regard to the new one, provided the new fence is erected within one year and the old one removed from the ditch.—Carried.

A petition was received from R. McGregor and 117 others, across H. Burk and H. Coleman to the Peat Works.

Moved by Wilson and Bentley, that the petition of R. McGregor and 117 others be entertained and a committee appointed consisting of the Reeve and Mr. Buchanan to see what arrangements can be made in regard to getting the road asked for put through, and report at the next meeting of this council.—Carried.

Also that the grievance of James Smyth in regard to a road for an outlet be left in the hands of a committee composed of the reeve and commissioners of the reeve and to meet on the 30th inst. at 10 a. m.—Carried.

Moved by McCormick and Buchanan, that the clerk notify the clerk of Raleigh that Harwich spent on the W. T. L. in the year 1901 the sum of \$176.50, and would request the Township of Raleigh to send a statement of their expenditure during the year.—Carried.

Also that the reeve attend the June session of the County Council and impress on the members of the council the necessity of providing a ward in the House of Refuge for the placing of unfortunate like David Miller in.—Carried.

Also that the clerk notify S. W. White that the Municipality will not be responsible for any more provisions supplied to C. McCollum from this date.—Carried.

Moved by Wilson and Bentley, that C. Buchanan be appointed to make arrangements with the Raleigh council to have the Townline at the Lake cut down to the Lake beach.—Carried.

Also that Mr. C. Thompson's appli-

## The Gordon Store

Some Spring Snaps

### 30 Silk Waists

Hemstitched Taffeta Silk, black, brown, navy, pale blue, white cardinal, pink, fawn, sizes 33 to 42, \$3.00 value for

\$3.75

### 12 Ends Fancy Shakers

Black and white, pink and white, green and white, blue and white, beige and white, for crappies, waists or linings, value 12 1/2c to 18c, to clear at

7c a yard

### 12 Doz. Men's Shirts

Of percales, print, gingham, regular value 50c, 75c and \$1.00, all sizes, at

25c each

### Men's Ties

7 dozen Gent's Bow Ties, 25c value for

15c each

### 10 PCS. TWEED GOODS

44 to 54 in. wide, suitable for boys' and girls' wear, or for bicycle skirts, reg. value 35c to 50c, for

25c a yard

### LACE CURTAIN SPECIALS

15 pair, 3 yard Nottingham Lace Curtains, all taped, 90c value for

67c a pair

200 yards Frilled Curtain, bobbinet, lace trimmed, for

20c a yard

### 25 PCS. DRESS MUSLINS

Yard wide, fast colors, new patterns, value 12 1/2c, for

8c a yard

12 pieces Fancy Check Gingham, fast colors, for

5c a yard

### 8 Pieces Dress Goods

Fine quality, in new navy and cadett blues, fawn, brown, green and two tone effects, regular dollar goods for

59c

### 10 only, Ladies' Suits

Tailor made, black and navy blue serges, eton jackets, strapped skirts, special

\$3.98 a suit

### 5 Doz. Ladies' Skirts

Black mercerized saten, 6 frilled, best values, for

\$1.00

Notice their graceful hang and swing.

## William Gordon

Our Standard Fashion Department complete, do you get your Fashion Sheet? We distribute thousands Free. Catalogues on application. Standard Designs are gems for a dime.

cation to have \$200 granted to make a dock at Shrewsbury be not granted, as this council is of opinion it is the work of the Government.—Carried.

Also that the petition of Geo. Brown asking that the taxes of Albert Campbell for 1902 be remitted, as he has lost his buildings by fire.—Carried.

Also that the grievance of Thomas Smyth and others be left in the hands of the reeve, J. McCormick, and the mover, to meet the interested parties on the grounds on the 30th of April at 1.30 p. m.—Carried.

There were also a number of accounts passed.

Moved by Buchanan and Wilson, that after considering the tenders for Township printing for 1902 that we award the printing to the Blenheim Tribune for the said year.—Carried.

Moved by McCormick and Bentley, that the Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll of the Municipality of Harwich for the year 1902 be held on the 31st day of May, 1902, and that the clerk have the same advertised as required by statute.—Carried.

Council then adjourned.

How's this  
GEO. M. BAIRD, Clerk.

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

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Proprietors, Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Walding, Kinnear & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is 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.

Every man thinks he is more important than his neighbor.

**Prussian Oil**

Is doing its work in this province, where ever introduced thoroughly and surely as it has been doing all over the Maritime Provinces and New England States where it is a universal cure for the ills that people are subject to.

**Aches and Pains, Bruises and Sprains, Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, La Grippe, Burns and Scalds.**

Very quickly when used as directed: Many people in London, St. Mary's, St. Thomas, Ridgeville and Chatham, testify to its wonderful curative powers and say it is the best medicine they ever had in the house, etc. Use it and prove it.

**Sold by Druggists and Dealers**

Every poultryman should raise sunflower seeds.

**ARMY HORSES WANTED**

From now until 25th of April, Bedford Bros. will buy army horses from 14 1/2 to 15 1/2 hands from 5 to 9 years old. As this will be the last chance to dispose of this class of horses, it will be in the interests of the farmers to take advantage of the high prices paid for such small horses. Apply to Bedford's Feed Barn, Market Square, Chatham.

**Sealed Tenders.**

Separate or bulk tenders for the painting of the band stand, flag pole, cannon, fountain, and seats on Tecumseh Park, according to specifications to be seen in the office of W. E. Merritt, City Clerk. Tenders to be marked "Tenders for painting," and left with the City Clerk, up to 12 o'clock, noon, April 21st.

E. A. MOUNTER, Chairman Parks and Cemetery. 2nd

## Turtle Eggs.

Turtle eggs are an acquired taste with most people, although they are not so with bears. They have a rough, yellow yolk and a white like any other egg, but you can cook them for a year and the white part will remain liquid.

Notice a curious dimple in the side of each one. If you squeeze it out, the dimple appears on the other side, and you can never get hold of a turtle egg which hasn't got a dimple in it.

**A Wasted Snub.**

Clarice—Katharine is always looking out for important people, so I determined not to notice her at Mrs. Chic's reception.

Clarice—How did it work?

Clarice—Oh, she didn't even notice that I didn't notice her.

**The Maddening Printer.**

"I wish to say to the congregation," said a country clergyman lately, "that the pulpit is not responsible for the error of the printer on the tickets for the concert in the Sunday school room. The concert is for the benefit of the arch fund, not for the arch fiend."

**Resentful Man.**

"What did he say when you promised to be a sister to him?"

"He looked at me earnestly for a moment or two and then said that it would be much more consistent if I would make it an aunt."

**He Stopped.**

A little girl's father had a round bald spot on top of his head. Kissing him at bedtime not long ago, she said:

"Stoop down, poppy, dear; I want to kiss the place where the lining shows."

She may not be even a fair politician, but the average girl can manage a summer campaign.

**Prussian Oil**

Is doing its work in this province, where ever introduced thoroughly and surely as it has been doing all over the Maritime Provinces and New England States where it is a universal cure for the ills that people are subject to.

**Aches and Pains, Bruises and Sprains, Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, La Grippe, Burns and Scalds.**

Very quickly when used as directed: Many people in London, St. Mary's, St. Thomas, Ridgeville and Chatham, testify to its wonderful curative powers and say it is the best medicine they ever had in the house, etc. Use it and prove it.

**Sold by Druggists and Dealers**

Every poultryman should raise sunflower seeds.

**ARMY HORSES WANTED**

From now until 25th of April, Bedford Bros. will buy army horses from 14 1/2 to 15 1/2 hands from 5 to 9 years old. As this will be the last chance to dispose of this class of horses, it will be in the interests of the farmers to take advantage of the high prices paid for such small horses. Apply to Bedford's Feed Barn, Market Square, Chatham.

**Sealed Tenders.**

Separate or bulk tenders for the painting of the band stand, flag pole, cannon, fountain, and seats on Tecumseh Park, according to specifications to be seen in the office of W. E. Merritt, City Clerk. Tenders to be marked "Tenders for painting," and left with the City Clerk, up to 12 o'clock, noon, April 21st.

E. A. MOUNTER, Chairman Parks and Cemetery. 2nd

## Coal and Wood

Lehigh and Scranton Coal, Virginia split Coal for domestic use. Smelting Coal, hard and soft Wood in all lengths. All are of the best quality and at lowest prices. Delivered promptly to any part of the city.

**J. Gilbert & Co.,**  
Office and Yards, William Street, near G. T. R. Crossing.

## Program for the Brisco Benefit Concert at the Grand Opera House to-night.

**ARTISTS.**

Mrs. John Cooper—Soprano.  
Miss Ada Ross—Contralto.  
Mr. Alfred Hofmann—Celloist.  
Mr. Wm. H. Brackin—Tenor.  
Mr. H. C. Philp—Clarinetist.  
Mr. Geo. Perrin—Monologist.

**Sextette.**  
Mr. W. H. Brackin.  
Mr. K. Coatsworth.  
Mr. H. C. Philp.  
Mr. M. S. Sheldon.  
Mr. R. L. Brackin.  
Mr. G. G. Brackin.

**Introductory.** Orchestra.

Cooper's Song, from Roccaccio, Von Suppe.

St. Andrew's Sextette.

"To be a Little Singing Girl," from The Singing Girl, Victor Herbert, Mrs. John Cooper.

Andante, from Concerto in B minor, F. Sarras.

Mr. Alfred Hofmann.

"A Summer Night," Goring Thomas, Miss Ada Ross.

Scene et aria, Louis Di Montford, Bergson.

Mr. H. C. Philp.

(a) Barceuse, Godard.  
(b) Scherzo, Von Gaens, Mr. Alfred Hofmann.

A Few New Ones, Mr. Geo. Perrin.