

**DRS. CORNELL & FISHER**  
**DENTISTS**

Corner Sixth and King St.  
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Phone 317.

**Births, Marriages and Deaths****DIED.**

HEENAN—June 18, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, beloved wife of George Heenan, aged 22 years, 24 days.

Funeral Monday morning at ten o'clock to St. Joseph's church, and thence to St. Anthony's cemetery.

**THE LOCAL BUDGET**

Dr. McKeough was in Merlin yesterday on professional business.

Miss Ruby Gordon, of Wallaceburg, is the guest of Miss Mary McKeough. The Business College medals are on exhibition in VonGuthe Bros. window.

Mrs. Jarvis, of Toronto, is visiting at the residence of Mrs. W. E. McKeough.

Mrs. Douglas, Adelaide street, slipped yesterday and dislocated her ankle.

R. C. Platt, formerly of the Drug firm of Turner & Platt, of this city, now of the Central Drug Store Co., of Detroit, is spending a couple of days with his former friends in town.

Rugs lost, about June 4, five rugs, between Chatham and Eli Sharon's, Big Point. A liberal reward will be paid for their return to the undersigned or for such information as will lead to their recovery. George Maissonville, Bay View Club, Dubuque P. O.

Judge Ball today gave judgment for the defendant in the suit of Schmidt vs. Crow. This was an action to recover damages for breach of warranty on a car of corn sold by Chas. Crow, of Prairie Riding, to a Montreal commission merchant, O. L. Lewis for defendant, moved for a non-suit at the trial, on the ground that Schmidt was not the purchaser of the corn. Judgment was given today allowing the non-suit, together with costs.

A splendid debate was given at Victoria Avenue Epworth League last evening, the subject being "Resolved that there is more pleasure in possession than in pursuit." The negative, captained by Percy Parrott, who was supported by Miss E. H. Dell and W. Ryan, won. The losing side composed S. Ordershaw, Miss A. Clements and Miss Dell. Rev. F. E. Malott, Robt. Kilop and Lindsay Parrott were the judges. Other numbers on the very enjoyable program were a duet by Misses Pearl Magee and Mary Martin, and a recitation by Miss Tompkins.

**JUNE WEDDING**

If you miss seeing the June wedding window of the Urban Store, you will miss a sight to be seen very seldom in a life time. At all times this artistic piece of window dressing is drawing crowds of admirers. The time this exhibit is on is limited, so, in the words of the street show man, "You'll have to hurry." So there'll be no mistakes, the brunette is the bride and the bridemaid is the blonde, the latter, of course, being the only eligible one now, in the big race.

Don't fail to see the window. It is a beauty.

**NASTY ACCIDENT**

Wholesale grocer Ed Snook had a very narrow escape last night while driving in from Mitchell's Bay. Coming down Head Street, near the Mount real house, the horse snuck suddenly into a large hole in the road. The hole turned out to be where an intake is being put in. The horse was badly bruised and cut up. The harness was also badly broken but Mr. Snook came out scratchless.

"There was no light at the hole, but there was one on the opposite side of the street," said Mr. Snook to a Planet reporter to-day, "and it was by trying to get over it that I got into trouble that I ran right into it. We had to dig the horse out and it took an hour and three quarters to do it."

**Physical Culture,****Massage and Electricity**

If you want to know more of the facts of Clear Brain, Firm Muscles, Easy Digestion, Deep Breathing, Clear Skin, Self-Knowledge, an Freedom from Sickness. Call or write to **W. H. Robert,** Physical Cultist, Chatham, Ont. box 131 King St. S. Door East of Collart & Wilson.

**SYRINGES**

We are showing in our King St. Window a new stock of Rubber Goods and want to call attention to a special value in Fountain Syringes and Hot Water Bottles.

**FOUNTAIN SYRINGE, 85c.**  
**SYRINGE & HOT WATER BOTTLE, combined, \$1.25.**

**A. I. McALL & CO.,**  
**LIMITED,**  
**DRUGGISTS.**  
Three Stores—Chatham, Dresden, Wingham.

**THE EASTERN CAMPAIGN**

Interest now centres in the movements of the Vladivostok squadron, since it is clear that it was not in port on Thursday, as was asserted in St. Petersburg despatches. The Russian Admiralty now denies knowledge of its whereabouts, and Japanese reports say the squadron was sighted on Thursday off Oki Island, in the Sea of Japan, and that cannonading had been heard off the coast near Sasebo. It is added that Vice-Admiral Kamimura's fleet started in pursuit of the Russians on Wednesday morning, and it is possible the cannonading referred to occurred during an engagement. The Japanese are not over sanguine on this point, admitting that the squadron may have again eluded their fleet during the heavy wind, rain and fog which have prevailed in the Sea of Japan for two or three days. In any event the Russians can hardly hope to make a junction with the Port Arthur fleet. Even if Kamimura's ships are outdistanced Admiral Togo's fleet remains to be dealt with. It is not certain, in spite of the appearance of the cruiser Novik in the roadstead, that the entrance to Port Arthur harbor is open. The Novik is a shallow draught vessel and may pass in and out of a channel which larger vessels could not navigate. It is doubtful, therefore if the Russian Port Arthur fleet could as yet get out of the harbor to assist or join the Vladivostok squadron, supposing the latter manages to get near Port Arthur, a feat which appears to be humanly impossible.

One of the troop laden transports first reported sunk by the Vladivostok squadron has been towed into a home port; disabled, but with all on board safe. After the non-combatants had obeyed the Russian order to take the small boats, a number of shots were fired at the transport and she was left, as the Russians believed, in a sinking condition. She does not appear to have been damaged beyond repair. A third transport is still missing. She was homeward bound and would probably have no soldiers, or only invalids on board, and no munitions of war. There are no authentic details yet of the lives lost in the transport that was sunk.

No further official reports of land fighting have been issued. The Russians profess to be confident that the Japanese cannot cut off the further northward retreat of General Stalkenberg's force, which suffered such a disastrous defeat at Telissu. The first Russian estimate of their loss in that engagement is 1,000 men. Among many rumors is one that General Kuropatkin left Liaoyang on Wednesday to assume command of the forces marching to the relief of Port Arthur; that the Japanese are within eight miles of the fortress; that part of General Kuropatkin's force is marching against the Russians in the northern part of the Liao-Tung peninsula, in co-operation with General Nodzu, who is marching north from the scene of his victory over Stalkenberg. What does seem certain is that the Japanese victory at Telissu has not only blighted Russian hopes for even a partial relief of the pressure upon Port Arthur, but has made it imperative for Kuropatkin to withdraw his forces from the northern part of the Liao Tung peninsula at once, if he would save them from annihilation by the various Japanese armies. He must then decide whether he shall concentrate all his troops at Liaoyang to await the Japanese onset, or retreat still farther north, or himself assume the aggressive in the hope of snatching a victory of sufficient magnitude to turn the tide.

**THE ONLY DIAVOLO**

HOW HE LOOPS THE LOOP ON HIS BICYCLE.

It is of record that when the Great Forepaugh and Sells Brothers United Shows brought out Diavolo at Madison Square Garden, New York, in the rush and crush to see him was an Irishman, who, crediting his achievement in the following forcible if not exactly "Four Hundred" terms: "Some day that feller'll ride strait to the devil, an' at a ball of 'pe.' Another spectator remarked: "He makes one thrill as if hithead to a battery of dynamite in full action." The act, thus complimented from the layman's standpoint is described as follows:

"From the highest point under canvas dome, with seeming minimal rashness, Diavolo dashes down a hundred feet of narrow precipitous incline, gaining such incalculably terrific momentum that when his wheel strikes the circle of the loop it shoots him up and around the inner circle of the upright ring, both man and cycle turning a complete circle in mid-air. It is an indescribable triumph of courage, steadied and directed skill and centrifugal force. Even those who see it twice every day do not believe what it is all over—then a moment of awe-struck silence—then a deafening pandemonium of hysterical applause."

Associated with Diavolo, and equal sensational originals and experts in their specialties, are "Cyclone," the cycling paradox, who cycles "The Devil's Chimney" on his bike, and "Frightful Porthos," the chasm-vaulting cyclist, who clears a space of fifty feet in mid-air on his wheel all three will appear with the grand ex-here on Saturday, July 9th.

I would much rather that posterity should inquire why no statues were erected to me than why they were.

A woman rarely considers a gown becoming when it has reached a second season.

**Sterling Quality Footwear**

No matter what the price you want to pay for your shoes, whether \$1, \$2, \$3, \$4 or \$5, you will find the very best in its class is here.

We pay as much attention to the buying of the cheaper grades as we do to the best lines we handle.

Inspect your footwear before buying and you will never regret it.

**PEACE'S**

is the place for Solid Footwear

**Clearing Sale**

—OF—

**CHINA, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, DINNER, TEA and TOILET SETS, FANCY AND PLAIN CUPS and SAUCERS, PLATES of all Sizes, also Sundry Pieces**

**Needful for this season of the year**

**DAVID BRENNAN,**

Directly Opposite  
the Market, King  
St., Chatham.

**DARPAT ST. LUKE'S**

Ed Shannon, caretaker at St. Luke's club house, has up to date four thousand and thirty-two "carp" in the ponds, and he expects to largely increase this number before the end of the season. Last year the catch was twenty-six hundred.

19 CON., RALEIGH.

Fine weather has been highly appreciated by the farmers. Great preparations are being made for the union picnic which is to be held on the 22nd of June, in the grove on Mr. Warner's farm, Middle Road. The Military Band of Chatham will furnish the music.

While driving home from work the other night E. Huff's horse became frightened and ran away. Considerable excitement was caused when the animals ran over a cow, but not damage was done.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**WANTED**—A good girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. J. L. Scott, Park Avenue.

**BOOKS FOR SALE**—A complete set of the New Webster Encyclopedia Britannica, cost \$84.00, and will be sold very cheap, as the owner wishes to use the money. Samples are at The Planet Office for inspection. 2w.

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of our store by a practical test. That is all we ask.

The next time you want  
A bottle of PERFUME  
A SPONGE  
A TOOTH BRUSH  
A TOILET CREAM  
A PRESCRIPTION filled

Call at

**The Crystal Pharmacy.****J. H. DENNIS,**

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Successor to Ed. T. Jones.

**RED TAG SALE****C. AUSTIN & CO.**

Chatham Bargain Centre

**WASH GOODS AND LINENS**

Some New Additions  
to Our Big Red Tag Sale.

**Wash Fabrics**

The much wanted kinds are here in big varieties:—

**At 20c a Yard**—4 pieces fine Scotch Muslin, black ground with pin dot, snowflake effect, and white mercerized cord stripe, fast black, regular 25c sale price, 20c. per yd.

**At 12½c a Yard**—3 pcs. Picott Striped Muslins, black grounds with white floral stripes and open work, fast colors, regular 20c, sale price 12½c. per yd.

**At 12½c a Yard**—100 yards fine weave 39 in. Victoria Lawn, superior finish, reg. 20c, sale price 12½c. per yd.

**At 10c a Yard**—15 pieces costume Duck, white ground with spots and fancy stripes in black and blue shades, reg. 12½c, sale price 10c.

**At 8½c a Yard**—3 pcs. White Check Muslin, new patterns, good heavy quality, reg. 10c, sale price 8½c.

**At 15c a Yard**—Fancy dress and waist muslins, white only, extra fine quality, fancy, wide or narrow lace stripes, reg. 20c., sale price 15c. a yd.

**At 17c a Yard**—10 ends choice quality Scotch Gingham, for waists or shirt waist suits, in pink, blue, linen and oxblood shades, with fancy wide or narrow stripes, reg. 25c, sale price, 17c. a yd.

**PATTERN CLOTHS**

2 x 2½ Yards, regular	\$1.50	Sale Price, \$1.25
10 x 4	2.50	2.00
2 x 2½	2.75	2.25
10 x 4	2.25	1.75
2 x 3	3.00	2.50

In addition to these we have a number of 2½ x 2½ and 2½ x 3 yd. cloth, beautiful goods which are marked—a big reduction.

**DRESS TRIMMINGS**

If newness and freshness and variety of patterns count in Dress Trimmings, then those we show beat anything you have ever seen. A delightful change from the same old tiresome styles so many stores are displaying. The bill of fare will be plenty of good and wholesome bargains at

**RED TAG PRICES**

Fancy Braid Trimming 6c per yard. White Silk Trimming, 10, 12, 15, 20 and 25c. Black Silk Trimming, 5, 8, 10, 15 and 25c. White Applique in a large assortment of patterns, prices from 25c to \$1.75 per yard. Black Applique in all the latest designs, prices from 25c to \$1.50 per yd. Colored Appliques in all shades at special cut prices during the sale.

**LINEN DRESS TRIMMINGS**

One dozen pieces of new fancy linen dress trimmings suitable for linen dress suits on sale at Special Red Tag Prices.

**Framed Pictures at Greatly Reduced Prices**

30 Only steel engravings 18x22 inches, Golden Oak finish frames, regular price \$1.25, Red Tag Sale Price 85c.

24 Only steel engravings 24x28 inches, Golden Oak finish frames, regular price \$1.60, Red Tag Sale \$1.19.

8 Only Artois, 26x32 beautiful white and gold frames, regular price \$2.50, Red Tag Sale \$1.50.

2 dozen scenes from nature, no two alike, frames from genuine quarter cut oak 22x26 inches. The frames alone are worth \$2.75, your choice Saturday evening for \$2.25.

See samples in our Market Street Window.

**Sateen Underskirt Bargains**

2 dozen Underskirts of fine sateen, mercerized finish, made with deep flounce and two accordion pleated ruffles, each ruffle is finished at the top with narrow stitched band, Regular Price \$1.00. Sale Price 85c.

3 only Underskirts of fine English mercerized sateen. Deep flounce is trimmed with 3 pleated ruffles finished with fagoting. Regular price \$3.50, Sale Price \$2.69.

**Women's Trimmed Walking Hats**

A number of these stylish Walking Hats are booked to be sold at much reduced prices. They are in variety of Fancy Straws in popular shapes and colorings.

\$3.00 Buys a very pretty hat to match the new walking suits—equally smart and stylish—for shopping and street wear in general.

From 98c to \$2.00—Women's and Children's Ready-to-Wear and Untrimmed Millinery. The showing consists of attractive designs from our own work room together with some imported shapes in black and colored.

You're welcome always to look.

**New York Neckwear....**

We received via express from New York City a shipment of the newest novelties in Ladies Neckwear, which we place in our counter for Saturday night at a red tag sale price. Regular 50c neckwear for

**35c****LADIES BELTS**

We are showing one of the prettiest range of Belts in the City, including, wash belts, leather crush belts, silk pleated belts.

**25c. up to \$1.00.****Brussels Carpets**

100 yards good English Brussel Carpet, Regular 90c value, during Red Tag Sale 68c per yard.

150 yards best quality 5 frame English Body Brussels with border to match. Regular \$1.25 value, during Red Tag Sale \$1.05 per yard.

**Inlaid Linoleums at 85c**

Scotch Inlaid Linoleums same as other stores value at \$1.25, during Red Tag Sale at 85c per square yard.

**Axminster Carpet**

125 yards best English Axminster always retailed at \$1.50, during Red Tag Sale at \$1.25 per yard.

**Lace Curtains**

from our already close out price we make the following reductions:—

\$1.25 Curtain for \$1.00
1.75 " " 1.25
2.00 " " 1.50
3.00 " " 2.25
4.00 " " 3.25
5.50 " " 4.50

**Brass Rods...**

54 inch extension in white or brass trimmings, clearing during Red Tag Sale at 12½c each.



**The Red Tag Sale in the Clothing Section**

**The Edict Has Gone Forth.**

Our goes every stitch of the remaining lines of our spring and summer stock. No matter what the loss, we are determined to reduce our stock. In a nutshell this gives you the reason for this tremendous sacrifice.

Prices are cut to a point where buying is irresistible.

Thrifty men will buy for next season's use, if they have no need for clothing now.



Make a stop at Our East King Street Window and see for yourself samples of the

**Best Suit Values**

That will satisfy in style and tailoring, the most critical dresser.

**Single and Double Breast Suits** in the new light weight Worsted and Novelty Pattern Tweeds, Tropical Serges, etc. All the correct colorings and combinations.

**10, 12, 12.50, \$15**  
Men's Suits, your choice, \$9.99.

**C. Austin & Co**