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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Walter T. Piggott spent yesterday at Erie Beach.

A school teacher is wanted for S. S. No. 11, Orford.

Foreman Jacques left this morning for Detroit via Port Lambton.

Gerald Murphy, of Fletcher, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Ed. Monck, of Toronto, an old Chatham boy, is calling on his friends in town.

Miss Clements, of Windsor, is the guest of Miss Tackaberry, Grant street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell, of Stewart, were Chatham visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Snell, of Essex, are visiting relatives in the Maple City.

Gray Mitchell is spending a couple of week's visit in Detroit and other western points.

Mrs. (Rev.) Ross and daughter are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dolsen, down the river.

S. M. Gardiner returned home Saturday evening from a few week's visit at Ocean Grove, N. Y.

Wm. Robertson's family are moving to the Eau to-day, where they will spend a month's vacation.

Miss Hutchins and Miss Atkinson, who have been visiting in the city, are spending the day in Detroit.

Noble Gardiner and Will McGeorge have returned to the city after enjoying a couple of weeks camping at the Eau.

Mr. and Mrs. James Aitken, Taylor avenue, spent Sunday at the Eau the guest of their son Walter, Sandy Knows.

Miss Edith Dolsen, one of Chatham's popular sopranos, rendered a solo in Park street church yesterday morning. It was much enjoyed by the large congregation.

A quartette composed of Misses Peate and Webster, and Messrs. Miller and Doherty, rendered a selection at the evening service of the Park street Methodist church yesterday.

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Lightning Pads, 5c and 10c
Red Fly Pads, 5c
Tanglefoot, 4 sheets for 5c
Insect Powder, 5c an oz.

A. I. McCall & Co., Limited
Druggists and Opticians

C. H. Gunn is spending his holidays in Montreal.

The Board of Health is in session this afternoon.

Mrs. Dan. Finister entered the General Hospital Saturday.

Ex-Mayor T. A. Smith leaves on Wednesday for Winnipeg.

W. R. McDonald, of Cleveland, is a Maple City guest today.

James Ross, of Tilbury, was in the city Saturday on business.

Charles Goodall is spending the day in the City of the Straits.

N. M. Campbell, of Blenheim, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Mrs. W. Hickey, Merlin, is visiting friends in the city to-day.

Miss Hurst, of Ridgeway, is spending the day in the Maple City.

Miss Marge Kerr, of Detroit, spent Sunday at her home in this city.

Ed. Monck, of Toronto, formerly of this city, is visiting friends in the Maple City.

Miss Maud Eberts, of Wallaceburg, is spending a few days with friends in town.

The public school board holds its regular monthly meeting to-morrow evening.

The tug Sewell of Dresden brought up the Anna with bolts for Drader's yesterday.

Mrs. Oliver O'Dair and daughter, are the guests of Mrs. McDonald, King street.

Mrs. P. T. Dooley, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. O'Rourke, Edgar street, who is quite ill.

Miss Julia Dillon, who has been visiting friends in Raleigh, returned to the city to-day.

Basel Miner leaves to-morrow to drive his donkeys to his father's summer residence, in Springbank.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the city council to-night at 8 o'clock, re the library site.

Miss Mary Lenover has returned home after a very pleasant visit in Walkerville and Detroit.

Chas. Hicklin and family, Miss Ruby Ricklin, and Corporal Milton Pritchard spent yesterday at Joy Club.

Joe Fauscher, of The Planet, spent yesterday at the Joy Club, Mitchell's Bay.

Miss Minnie Meloche, of Charing Cross, leaves shortly on a two weeks visit with friends in Niagara Falls.

James McLean, of Goderich, who has been visiting friends in the city, left to-day for London on business.

Harry Murphy, Edge street, has a number of excellent ferrets which he intends to exhibit at the London fair.

Miss May Marshall, who has been ill for some time in St. Joseph's Hospital with typhoid fever, is improving nicely.

Fred. Bates, Percy Cornfield and Chas. Riddell leave to-morrow for a three weeks' visit at Batchelor's Inn, Erieau.

The services on the Park last night were very largely attended. Rev. T. Beyerley Smith gave a very eloquent and instructive address.

Miss Emily Stark, St. Clair street, left this morning on a visit with friends in Leamington, Windsor, Detroit and Toledo.

Miss Lela Whitebread returned to-day to her home in Lorain, Ohio, via Detroit. Miss Mabel Edmondson, Head street, returned with her.

Will McCaw, of Detroit, an old Chatham boy, and a former employee in McIntyre's jewelry store, is spending a week at his home here.

Miss Pauline, who is leaving the employ of the T. H. Taylor Co. and going out of town, was presented by a number of his friends with a handsome memento of best quality.

Mr. Pauline leaves on Friday next.

A lady who came to the Mineral Bath House to-day says she rode up from the G. T. R. in a hack and the jolting was so bad over the rough roads that she would rather have taken two hours to walk the distance.

James Dodson, P. C., arrested Wm. Williams (colored) this afternoon, on a charge of assault laid by his wife.

It seems that Williams had come home at noon and demanded a dollar from his wife and upon her refusal proceeded to use her roughly. The case will come up before M. Houston in the morning.

J. & J. Oldershaw shipped the date stone for the new post office at Thamesville, and also the corner stones for the new Methodist church at Tupperville. One of the stones will be laid by D. A. Gordon and the other by J. N. McCoy, county commissioner.

STORM AT BURG

Chas. Bowers, of the new firm of plumbers, Carmel & Bowers, spent yesterday with relatives near Ennet.

"The storm out there was a bad one yesterday," said Charlie to The Planet this morning. "The lightning and thunder was terrific. I happened to be near Mr. Barker's place at the time the lightning struck his barn. The lightning ran up and down it six times and then it burst into flames. It was a very striking thing."

"Mr. Barker suffers quite a loss, some of his stock and implements, besides the barn, being burned."

Summer Drinks

We have a great variety of Summer Drinks that are selling fast with us. Have you tried any of them. We have

Large bottles lime fruit juice at 25c

Large bottles lime juice cordial at 25c

Small bottles lime juice cordial at 15c

Large and small bottles Raspberry Vinegar.

Fruit Syrup in 10c bottles.

Raspberry, orange, strawberry, lemon, pineapple and grape.

Full quart bottles Ginger Ale, 10c.

UNFERMENTED

Sherry, grape and claret wine.

A little in a glass of water makes a nice hot weather drink. Try it.

Geo. A. Young
Our Grocer 'Phone 151

INJURED EYE

The youngest child—a baby boy—of Lawyer J. G. Kerr, while playing with an oil can yesterday afternoon on the floor of the summer residence at the Eau, fell on the can, the spout penetrating the right eye ball. The little fellow was brought into the city this morning and the wound was dressed by Dr. Garnet Holmes, who has some hope of saving the eye.

BOY'S BIG FALL

A gang of workmen are repairing the sewer in front of Dr. A. W. Thornton's residence on Wellington street. A large hole has been made in order to get at the sewer. A young lad was wheeling down the street one day last week, and seeing a board lying near the edge of the hole, attempted to wheel on it. He, however, lost his balance and tumbled down to the bottom of the sewer, where the men were working, his wheel coming after him. He fell down a distance of 12 feet, lighting on his back in a lot of mud and water. Queer to relate, however, he was uninjured and succeeded in scrambling to the surface again, and proceeded on his ride, a sadder but a wiser boy. It is a mystery to those who saw the accident, how the young fellow escaped without some serious injury.

BARBER SHOP AT ERIEUAU.

George A. Taylor, barber, has opened a first class barber shop and will give his customers the best service.

ELECTROCUTED

Halle, the New Yorker who Murdered Sweetheart Pays the Penalty.

Special to The Planet.

Ossining, N. Y., August 4. — Aaron Halle was put to death in an electric chair in Sing Sing prison to-day for the murder of Mary McCarthy, whom he shot and killed in a New York department store, May 17, 1900.

Halle, who was a bartender, killed his sweetheart, because she had refused to marry him. He sought her at her work for a final interview. He was seen to whisper to her and she replied:

"No, no." Then Halle drew a revolver and fired several times. After she fell he calmly awaited arrest.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Separate or bulk Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned until 6 p. m. Tuesday, August 12th, for the various trades required in the erection and completion of a frame dwelling with stone foundation on Cross street for Mr. A. McCallum. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES W. CARSWELL,
Architect,
Chatham, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ball, and Miss Edith Marshall, of Pontiac, are the guests of Mrs. Geo. Pritchard, Bedford St.

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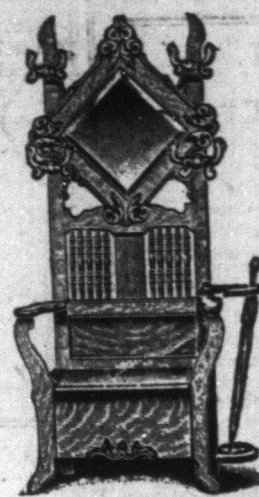
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Horse Fly Oil.

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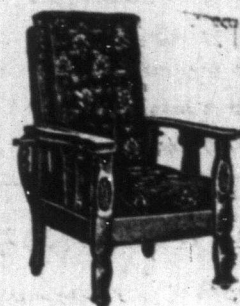
A complete new stock. The prices range from \$3.75 to \$18.50. The price of the one shown in this cut

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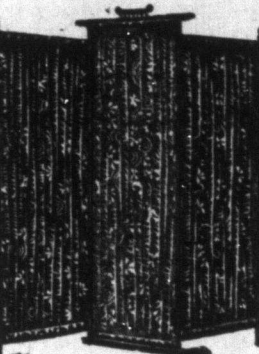
\$6.50, \$10.50, \$11 & \$13.



Screens

A special line as shown in this cut, made to sell for more than we are asking for them, our special price,

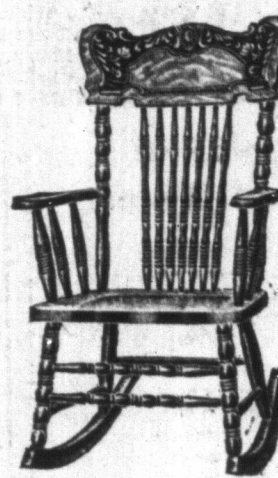
\$1.35



Rockers

Golden oak or mahogany finish, imitation leather, plain or saddle seats, handsome, comfortable and durable chairs,

**\$1.00, \$2.00, \$2.50,
\$3.50 and \$4.00.**



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Secretary and Writing Desk Combination, golden oak or mahogany finish, has adjustable book-shelves, a good roomy desk, and is a suitable and useful piece of furniture. Price of the one shown in this cut is

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At moderate prices. We have them for the kitchen, dining room or parlor. A good variety and the prices are sure to be right as this department is away back from high priced main street.



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30 pieces, including stripes and fancy wash silks. Fancy satin waistings, moire velours and a number of broche silks, all this season's goods, suitable for dresses or waists. These sold regularly at 50c a yard, **all on sale at per yard 25 cents**

New Frieze Walking Skirts

We offer a special line of our own make Walking Skirts, made of heavy frieze, in black, navy, gray, brown and fawn. They are 7 gore, full flare, with deep self facing, neatly stitched and finished, at

\$2.75 each

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