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SPECIAL FRENCH SARDINES 10¢ CAN

These sardines are in the regular sized cans, and run from 11 to 13 fish in each can. You may be sure we would not recommend these unless we were sure they were strictly good

CANNED SALMON, 2 cans for 25c.

"CLOVER LEAF" SALMON, 18c. a can. Put up in flat cans, the best packed.

ENGLISH PICKLES, special, 10c. a bottle.

ENGLISH PICKLES, 25c. a bottle.

GILLARD'S PICKLE, 35c. a bottle. A delicious relish.

EXTRA FINE OLIVES, 25c. a bottle.

H. Malcolmson

Pruning Supplies

You will soon need to trim the dead wood out of those trees and bushes. We have every kind of apparatus necessary for the work at a price that will please your purse.

Tree Pruners 30, 42, 6, 8 and 10 long, 75c. to \$1.25.

Pruning Shears 35c. to 75c.

Pruning Saws, 50c. to 75c.

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4 Doors East of Market, King Street, Chatham...

X-RAYS

Are not needed to see the benefits you derive by leaving your order with us

farmers' Lard, 11c. per Pound Maple Syrup, 25c. per Quart. Ginger Snaps, fresh and crisp, 6c. per pound

Pure Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c. per Pound. Smoked Shoulders 12 1/2c. per Pound. Sunlight Baking Powder, 1 lb. can 10c.

Granulated Sugar 5c. per Pound, best brand.

7 Pound Pails of Jam, 50c. 2 Dozen Navel Oranges for 25c

Orography

A lot of Pretty Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets, Fine China Lamps and Glassware. Well, many of you know our prices are the lowest in the city, that is the reason they go so fast. Call and see them.

John McConnell, Phone 190. Park Street.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

19-Spring-04

Our importations for the coming Spring and Summer Seasons are now to hand and ready for inspection

Tailors... MORLEY & CO. Importers

TO-NIGHT.

Daughters of Rebekah, Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

Irish Concert, St. Joseph's Hall, at 8 o'clock.

Irish Concert at First Presbyterian Church St. S. Hall, at 8.

St. Patrick's Concert, Victoria Ave. Methodist Church, at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

New electric lights are being installed in the dr. ill shed.

Miss Pearl White, King street, was a Detroit visitor yesterday.

Bugle Major Plummeridge spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit.

J. M. Harmer, of Thameville, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

Wanted—Two millinery preparers, and two apprentices. Mrs. J. B. Kelly.

A. D. Brander, of Wallaceburg spent yesterday with his many Chatham friends.

Miss Grace Randal, who has been visiting in Washington, D. C., for the past ten weeks, has returned to her home, Lorne Ave.

When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Avenue Green Houses. Phone 181.

Miss Florence Knott has resigned her position in the office of the Wm. Gray & Son's Co., Limited.

Plan now open, at Tschirhart's Music Store, for St. Patrick's Concert, at St. Joseph's Hall, March 17th. td

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marshall have returned to Chicago, after a few days visit with relatives here.

Hugh Malcolmson and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, were among the many Chatham people who spent yesterday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCoig were in Detroit yesterday and saw the presentation of Ben Hur at the Detroit Opera House.

Found, on Queen street, a pair of eye glasses. Owner may have them by calling at this office and paying for this advertisement.

Asphalt Pavements—a rubber tired "run-about" and a swell set of harness will make summer driving a joy. Come and see us! Geo. Stephens & Co. tf

If you could see the methods and kind of labor used in producing tropical sugar you would ask for Crystal Granulated because it is made at home.

Pocket Book Lost—Lost on 16th, between Austin's Store and the corner of Park and William Sts., a Pearl Grey Wrist-Bag, containing a sum of money. The finder will be rewarded by returning to this office.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of the late Thomas C. O'Rourke was an emblem from the British North American Insurance Co.

In justice to J. J. Couzens it can be stated that the load of coal found to be short one hundred and ten pounds contained over two tons, and the reason for the shortage was satisfactorily explained.

John Williams, of Dover, has sold his magnificent farm near Oungah in Dover, to Mr. Montgomery, of Raleigh. Mr. Williams has purchased a farm in Raleigh.

A concert will be held in the Victoria Avenue Methodist church to-morrow night. Irish songs and recitations will be given and Rev. Mr. Malott will give a talk on St. Patrick.

The meeting which was to have been held in Christ church last evening for the purpose of establishing a local chapter in connection with the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, has been postponed until Sunday.

Mr. Cameron, humorist, Mr. J. Rose, baritone singer, Miss Hill, soprano, Miss Nellie Rhody, pianiste, the Opera House Orchestra, Roger Phillips, trombone soloist, at the St. Joseph's church St. Patrick's Concert Thursday next. Admission, 25c. cents.

James McLachlan, who has been suffering for some time with blood poisoning in his arm, is recovering nicely. Mr. McLachlan had a severe time of it for awhile.

Residents of South Chatham, in the vicinity of the Grand Trunk, are loud in their complaints about the electric-light service. It is claimed that the whole town south of Gray's factory is in darkness every night. It is one of the most dangerous portions of the city, around the Grand Trunk. An immediate effort should be made to remedy this complaint.

A party of eleven from the Maple City visited Detroit yesterday and saw Ben Hur. The party included Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kellar, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pike and Mr. O. L. Lewis. They were delighted with the presentation.

City Clerk Merritt is still confined to the house.

A. B. Vester, of Blenheim, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

James McCormick left this morning for Wallaceburg on business.

E. G. Thompson, of Blenheim, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

Charles Neve, of Leamington, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Maisenville, of Detroit, spent yesterday in the Maple City.

Ald. Walter Piggott and Mr. Hallman, of this city, are in Blenheim today, on business.

Miss Lydia Pardo, of Essex, is the guest of Misses Mabel and Ole Edmondson, Head street.

James McDonald, Sixth concession, Harwich, is a happy man to-day. He is rejoicing over the birth of a son.

J. L. Scott received a couple of cars of coal yesterday, but this won't cover their orders by a long way.

Daniel Jordan, who has been spending a few days with friends in Detroit, returned home last evening.

Mr. Johnson, of Selton, a former business student of the C. B. C., has returned to finish his course with a term in the shorthand department.

Mrs. S. B. Crothers, of Wallaceburg has returned home after spending a short visit with Mrs. E. A. Mounter, Lorne avenue.

Miss Ritchie and Miss Barclay, Murray street, were visitors in Detroit yesterday. They saw Ben Hur last evening.

William Burgess, a graduate of both departments of the C. B. C., has accepted a lucrative position with a lumber firm in Lansing, Mich.

Harry Foy, who has been in the city for the past week, leaves to-day to join the Gentry Bros. shows. Mr. Foy travelled for some time with Marks Bros.

Ex-Warden A. Leverton, was in the city to-day. He and J. J. Ross are engaged in endeavoring to get the affairs of the late Chatham Under Twine Co. settled up.

Mrs. Lodina Beaver, accused of distributing obscene literature on the streets of Windsor, has been remanded by Judge Horne until May 12 for trial. The accused is a member of the Flying Roll.

The Windsor Daily Standard announces that it has suspended the publication of the daily edition until further notice. The weekly and Saturday editions will be continued, with Mr. James Weir as manager and editor.

Preparations have been commenced for a big demonstration in this city in August under the auspices of the Provincial Commandery No. 1, Knights Templars, and circulars will be sent out this week to all Western Lodges.

The Northwood Produce Co., received two cars of potatoes yesterday. This is the first shipment they have been able to get since the first of January, on account of the blockade on the railroads.

"A year ago to-day," said J. W. Humphrey, this morning, "the Chatham Lawn Bowling Club held a game of bowls on N. H. Stevens' lawn, North Chatham, while to-day there is curling on the rink. You would not have looked for such a marked difference in the seasons of two consecutive years."

This Week's St. Joseph's Messenger contains an excellent photograph of the Rev. Fr. De Paul, who is preaching the Lenten sermons in St. Joseph's church this city. A picture is also shown of Rev. Fr. Loiseleur, who was recently removed from Big Point Parish to St. Joseph, Huron County.

Windsor is to have a monster military celebration on the 24th of May, to which it is expected some of the crack military organizations of Canada will be invited, besides the Michigan National Guard and the Detroit corps of the Michigan Naval Reserves.

The celebration will last three days and will consist of military reviews, band concerts and field sports, concluding with a monster fire works display.

By the way, have you got onto the

Too Bad

to have the little feet spoiled for life while they are under the charge of their elders!

Blisters, callouses, corns, enlarged joints, all wait on ill-fitted, poor-quality shoes.

You'll find here only the best quality of leather made up by the best workmen and sold by people who can fit shoes.

With all this you'll find the lowest prices in the city—at—

Cowan's

The best repairing and quick.

Don't Trust to Luck!

But read our ads. and you will be guided right to

THE GORDON STORE

Mark this and look out for some of the nicest outfits now being wrought out in our Millinery and Dress Making Departments.

Cotton is King

We are selling more cottons than ever by the yard and piece. No wonder, we bought anticipating the advance. Every buyer is wise.

Lace Curtains

We are determined to maintain our well earned reputation as the leading curtain house. Our prices, qualities and advanced styles does it. 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$12.00.

Our White Squadron

Sails to victory with its night robes, skirts, corset covers, drawers, aprons, etc. Qualities best, prices lowest. Children's whitewear of all kinds.

Wrapper Clearing Sale

We make every one who buys a wrapper from two lots at 75c and \$1 each, a present of our profit, every sale.

Spring Millinery

Our annual spring opening will take place

Next Week

White Mercerized Waistings

Black and white, blue and white, brown and white, heavy and light weights. They surpass silk in beauty and in laundry and sell on sight. Printed cashmeres, challies, satin stripes, beautiful spring designs at 25c, just half price.

Kabo Corsets

We hold the agency for this county of the most modern and approved Kabo corsets. 50,000 ladies have voted this corset the best fitting, best style, best looking, best wearing corset yet made. We want your vote also. Price \$1.25 to \$3.00.

Dress Making

Miss Symes is proving her complete fitness (as an advanced artist in costuming) to cater to the ladies of town and county and to their entire satisfaction in Dress Making.

The New Slip-on Kid Gloves

For morning wear

No Cuffs : Only Slip On
No Hooks : Slip Off
No Buttons : Slip Off

Belts and Wrist Bags

Every new and nobby thing in the belt line. Tassell girdles the very latest. All the new shapes in wrist bags, prices 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

Novi Modi Costumes

We have the pleasure of introducing the most stylish tailored suits, skirts and waists, ever shown here, fitted and made to your order, with the best of linings and trimmings and guaranteed.

Dress Goods

A beautiful line of all wool enamines, blues, greys, fawns, creams, extra wide, special value 39c a yard.

March and April Designers, 10c....

William Gordon Standard Fashion Sheets FREE...

SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE

To-day is St. Patrick's Day.

Mr. Ross, don't monkey with John Lee. He comes from Kent.

Abolish the bar! Gee! How can my friends buy me free drinks if they do that?

Judging by reports of the way Port Arthur Falls, it must be a sort of Niagara.

The Scotchman is happy to-day, as the Irishman is celebrating a Scotchman's birthday.

Everybody was Irish to-day, even to my friend William Mitchell, of the Post Office. He had his flag up.

By the way, have you got onto the

way they weigh coal? It looks like a good way for the dealer, but a poor weigh for the consumer.

Fred Wood—E. W. Gillett died in Chicago the other day. He was worth 16 million dollars, and made it out of yeast, baking powder and lies. I'll wager there were a good many lies in that 16 million.

COMING EVENTS.

"The Wearin' of the Green"—to-day. Kicking of the bricks—April 1. Many moving events—May 1. Numerous rainstorms—next month. Dandelion lawn parties—May and June.—Detroit News.

RUMOR EXPLAINED.

Che-Foo (Special)—One of the correspondents sent a despatch, in which he referred to "Russians' Port Arthur." A nautical operator received the telegram in America without the apostrophe. He at once read the despatch, "Russians left Arthur." Yours, DAME LI.

RUSSIA'S HARD TASK.

According to the St. Paul Globe, Russia is up against the hard task of fighting a more stubborn enemy than Japan. In headlines over war dispatches in the Globe the other day appeared the following:

RUMOR DEFEATS RUSSIAN ARMY

I reckon Detective Winslow can send into the Government one of those "I regret to report that Wm. Boyd is missing" reports with which we got so familiar during the Boer war.

The plan for the St. Joseph's church St. Patrick's Concert, March 17th, opened Monday at Tschirhart's Music Store.

PROGRAMME FOR Irish Concert

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. To-Night at Eight O'clock.

Chairman's Address... S. T. Martin, Esq. Instrumental... Miss L. Walker Vocal Solo... Mrs. R. V. Bray Violin Solo... Mr. Fred Robinson Vocal Solo... Mrs. John Cooper Reading... Dr. Thornton Instrumental... Miss Vera Smith Vocal Solo... Miss Edna Martin Vocal Solo... Mr. Will Hoig Reading... Dr. Thornton

ADMISSION, TEN CENTS.

Dry Goods Thibodeau & Jacques Millinery

HIGH CLASS DRESS GOODS.

Never in the history of this store have we shown such a varied multiplicity of tasteful exclusive dress goods as we are showing for this Spring's wear

Our stock of Silks and Trimmings is not surpassed by any house in the West

Our New Dress Making Department,

in charge of MADAME WEST, is now open for orders. Let us make you a Spring Gown?

MILLINERY will soon take your attention. Our milliners are showing the latest ideas in Outing Hats.

Our Grand Opening of Millinery will be announced later.

A CALL SOLICITED.

Thibodeau & Jacques.