

Thursday, Nov. 30, 1899

SALE AND LUNCH.

Ladies' Assisting Society Have Began Theirs.

In the Opera Block—A Tempting Menu—Those who are Aiding

The Ladies Assisting Society of the Public General Hospital have opened a sale and luncheon bazaar in the store next to W. H. Harper's ticket office. The store presents an exceedingly pretty and cozy appearance. Bunting and flags lend a pleasing decoration. The whole place has a homelike and attractive air and an excellent business is doing at all the booths. Those assisting with the affair are as follows:

Assisting Society.—Mrs. A. F. Falls, Mrs. George Merritt, Kate McCall, Mrs. Geo. T. McKeough, Mrs. Landon, Mrs. T. K. Holmes, Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. W. G. Taylor, Mrs. S. T. Martin, Mrs. M. Campbell, Mrs. J. C. Pritchard, Mrs. Chas. Greening, Mrs. W. Hadley, and Mrs. Jas. McDonald. First Church.—Mrs. J. Macaulay, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. W. H. Benson and Mrs. Merritt. First Presbyterian Church.—Mrs. Harry Taylor, Miss Agnes Walker, Mrs. W. J. Taylor, Mrs. S. T. Martin and Mrs. Fred Stone. Trinity Church.—Mrs. Sime, Mrs. N. H. Stevens, Mrs. Stegman, Mrs. Geo. K. Atkinson, Mrs. Wm. Ball, Mrs. Robert O'Hara, Miss Flossie Atkinson, Miss Flossie Butler, Miss Kathleen O'Hara, Miss Heliwell, Mrs. John West, Mrs. W. R. Baxter, Miss Stegman, Miss Rose, Miss Ethel Ball, Miss Bertha Northwood, Miss Kate Campbell, Miss Edith Ball, Mrs. R. V. Bray.

The Ladies' Aids of the other churches, although not having booths, all contributed articles. To-day the Trinity church ladies took charge of the lunch tables and furnished all the provisions. Friday and Saturday the Ladies' Assisting Society will have charge.

The menu card for all the meals is: Celery, oyster soup, scalloped potatoes, Boston beans, cold tongue, cold fowl, ham, apple pie, lemon pie, pumpkin pie, cheese, bread and butter, tea and coffee.

The booth in charge of the Ladies' Assisting Society has a varied assortment of dolls of all sorts and sizes beautifully dressed and at low prices. They have a beautiful array of aprons of all kinds and descriptions besides a large number of useful and fancy articles.

The ladies of the Baptist Church have charge of the fruit and confection tables.

A number of charming young ladies from Holy Trinity Church are doing a thriving business in home made taffies and candies.

Lunch will be served each day from 12 till 2 o'clock, and tea from 6 till 8 o'clock.

THE DISTRICT

FILBURY.

Nov. 30.—Miss Grace Savage and Harry Richardson, of Detroit, are the guests of the latter's parents here, Mr. and Mrs. H. Richardson. Rev. Mr. McQuarrie arrived yesterday to take charge of the Presbyterian church at Yuletide. He will be inducted to-day. Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer, of Detroit, are the guests of Miss Nettie Richardson. Dr. Hodgett, health inspector, of Toronto, was in town yesterday. G. Powell, sr., is suffering from an attack of quinsy.

The Chatham Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

BLENHEIM

Nov. 30.—B. Davey, Belleville, has accepted a position in W. D. Samson's hardware store. Mr. and Mrs. Marlatt, St. Thomas, are visiting E. H. Edmunds. W. H. Moore and family are moving to Chatham to-day. R. M. Thompson and bride arrived home last night from Huron, Ohio. Alex. McPherson, Cedar Springs, can truly say misfortunes never come singly. In one day this week, he lost a valuable young horse, a cow and a pig.

John Brown, father of Mrs. (Dr.) Quackenbush, and Mrs. John Bennett, Raglan, died yesterday and will be buried to-morrow at 1 p. m.

Municipal election matters seem to be booming. It is freely rumored that James Greenwood will oppose Mayor Haggart. It has been customary for the mayor to have two terms of office in succession. Mayor Haggart has certainly filled the office with merit and to the satisfaction of the critics, and it would be a graceful thing on the part of the electorate to return him unopposed. Mr. Greenwood is also a good man and his record in the council is one he may be proud of, and running again for the council he would no doubt head the poll.

R. T. Williams has, so rumor says, signified his intention of retiring and not being a candidate again. It is to be hoped he will reconsider his decision, as he has done good work for the town.

George Thompson has declared his intention of dropping out. Among the new men spoken of are Geo. Collar, Archie Campbell, H. Faust and James Crookshank.

Mr. Breeze has bought the old Dixon dray and has engaged Steve Drury to run it for him.

Geo. Collar is putting in a new set of steps at Trinity Church vestry door. Dr. Broom, V. S., leaves to-day to take up the practice of his profession in that thriving burg. His wife and family will follow later.

Great preparations are being made for St. Andrew's supper and concert to-night. The ladies of the Presbyterian church are noted for their hospitality, and with a first class

Gordon's Annual December Clearing Sale

As in the past, we again close up the year (and the century) with our Annual Clearing Sale of heavy seasonable merchandise, at such reductions in price as will insure us against carrying these goods over. It will pay you to read our descriptions and quotations below:

Black Dress Goods

Our collection of Fine Black Dress Goods of which we made a notable offering a few weeks since is so unusual that we again call your attention to them as just the thing for present wear or Christmas gifts. See our further reduction to clear:

Black Silk and Wool Crepons, \$1.25 to \$1.40, now.....\$1.00
Black Silk and Wool Crepons, \$1.30 to \$1.60, now.....\$1.00
Fancy Wool Mohair, regular \$1.00, now.....64c
Black Cheviots, Black and Lustres and Serges, Black Henriettes and Solids, Bengallines, Etc.

Colored Dress Goods

54 inch Ladies' Tweeds, \$1.00 to \$1.25, now.....60c and 75c
36 inch Ladies' Tweed Dress Goods.....125c
39 inch Ladies' Dark Mixed Tweed Goods.....19c
Fancy Silk Mixed Plaids.....25c
Fancy Polka Dots, newest styles, this season's stock, 72c, now.....35c
All-wool Coat Cloth, special 50c, now.....42c
All-wool Broad Cloth, 50c, now.....42c
All-wool Venetians, all colors, 75c, now.....50c
All-wool Venetians, all colors, 75c, now.....50c
\$1.00 quality.....75c
\$1.25 quality now.....\$1.00

School Boys' Tweeds, to clear them out

Now 25c

500 yds. all Linen Towelings, 16, 18, and 19 in. reg. value 6, 7 and 8c,

Now 4c

Men's Heavy Ribbed Wool Undershirts

60c and 50c, to clear,

Now 25c

1 case, 2000 yds. English Prints, dark and light colors, 8c and 10c,

Now 7c

Wrapperettes and Flannelettes

30 inch special Shaker Flannel, 6c and.....5c yd
Wrapperettes in variety, 5c and 10c goods, now.....6c yd
All Wool French Flannels, 50c goods, now.....25c yd
All Wool Scotch Flannels, imported, 35c and.....30c yd
Canton Flannels, heavy, from 18c to.....5c yd

We Make a Specialty of

FINE FURS

Our stock is well assorted with the finest and largest variety ever shown in Chatham—Alaskan Seal, Persian Lamb, Sable, Astrachan, Electric Seal—Jackets, Ruffs, Collar-ettes, Capes, Fur Lined Capes, Mitts, Caps, Fur Trimming etc., etc

Men's Colored Shirts, fine Cambric, all sizes, 75c,

Now 50c

The Standard Patterns

are the Cream of Fashion—Universally approved

Fancy Waist Silks, 4 beautiful lines, to clear

25c, 50c, 75c \$1 yd.

Men's and Women's Linen Collars, 4-ply all sizes,

3 for 25c

Fancy Wool Coat Cloakings, all colors, \$2.00 goods,

Now \$1.25

Our Great Sale of Ladies' Embroidered

Hdkfs,

One-Third less than regular prices

Ladies' Jackets

10 only Ladies' Jackets at \$1.00 each. 10 only Coats at.....\$1.50 each
Ladies' Jackets, all-wool frises, fawn, black or white.....\$2.75
Ladies' Jackets, all-wool frises, green, gray, blue, black, velvet piped.....\$3.75
Ladies' Jackets, black, all-wool curl, velvet collar, misses' and ladies, all sizes.....\$4.99
Ladies' Jackets, fawn and brown beavers, mercerized lined through, large panel buttons.....\$5.90
Ladies' Jackets, fawn beaver, pearl buttons, raised seams, new collar, round front.....\$5.00
Ladies' Jackets, covert cloth, silk faced, dip front, new sleeves.....\$5.00
Ladies' Jackets, heavy black curl mercurized lined, high collar, braided trimmings.....\$5.99
Ladies' Jackets, black curl velvet collar, shapd seams, silk lined, \$10, now.....\$3.98

Children's Reefers and Ulsters

Child's Reefers, blue and black and red and black, wool curl, sizes No. 1 to 6, prices.....\$1.99 to \$2.99
Child's New York Reefers, heavy cheviots, new blues, braided trimmings, sizes 1 to 6.....\$4.50
Child's Reefers, new blue and black curl, all sizes, fancy braided trimmings, capes.....\$2.75
Child's Reefers, heavy black curl mercurized lined, high collar, braided trimmings, 9 only, Child's Fawn Ulsters, heavy, sizes 2, 3, 4, 5, now \$2.50, \$2.75, \$2.99 and.....\$2.99

THE EARLIER YOU COME THE BETTER THE SELECTION
WILLIAM GORDON

It's Just This Way

We buy the best goods we can get, buy them as cheaply as we know how, study the markets. This year we bought early, got our fruit at the lowest prices and so are able to give you the advantage of good buying. On a rising market one or two things have to happen—either the prices have to be raised, or else if the price is kept down the cheaper goods have to be bought. This year the advantage is all on the side of the early buyer. That's where the advantage of our experience and our cash comes in. Don't you want to profit by our good buying also?

RAISINS.

Fines selected, 3 pounds for 25c.

CURRENTS.

Thoroughly cleaned, 3 pounds for 25c.

PEEL.

Best mixed, 20c a pound.

FIGS.

Good cooking ones, 5c a pound.

DATES.

Rich new ones, 3 pounds for 25c.

SPICES.

Pure ground, 10c for 14 p. und.

If you wish the raisins seeded, we will do that for you, there's so little difference in the price, it does not pay you to take the time.

Bring in your receipt, we will weigh things for you exactly, see that your fruit is thoroughly cleaned and in every way make your Christmas work as easy as possible.

We deliver your goods when you wish them and see that they reach you in good order.

Your telephone or written order will have the same attention as if you shopped in person.

H. Malcolmson, Grocer.

program for the concert, an enjoyable time is assured.

The Daily Planet is on sale at G. N. Babcock's Drug Store, where subscriptions will be taken, and the paper delivered free to any part of the town.

THAMESVILLE.

Nov. 30.—Ann Hawley, aged 82 years, died at her home in Orford on Tuesday, Nov. 28th. The funeral services were conducted yesterday at one by the Rev. G. J. Kerr.

Miss Carruthers, of Toronto, is the guest of Miss Ferguson.

Wm. Coll, of Michigan, is visiting friends in town.

Don't forget the Scotch concert in the opera house to-night. A fine array of foreign and local talent has been secured and a first class entertainment is promised.

DRESDEN.

Nov. 30.—R. Fox, of the Canadian Savings and Loan Co., London, was in town yesterday.

Tenders were asked for yesterday as janitor of the Methodist church for the coming year.

Send Your Crockets To Us

To be filled with pure kettle rendered lard. Our lard is right, also prices are right.

J. P. Taylor's

Park Street East.

Telephone 187

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Wear the Tiger Brand of Boys' Clothing at The 2 T's. Geo. Stephens & Co have charcoal for sale. Delivered to any part of the city.

Mrs. Nethercliff, Lacroix street, entertained a number of friends last evening.

The Sons of Scotland realized some \$75 clear from their concert Tuesday night.

\$7.50, \$10, \$12, and \$15 are the prices at The 2 T's for the New Method Suits and overcoats.

D. P. Bowie, of Middleville, Mich., is visiting his brother-in-law, L. J. Atwater.

Great inducements are being offered by Thibodeau & Jacques. See "ad." on last page.

J. B. Kelly yesterday sold his property on Wellington St., next to A. F. Falls to Wm. Baby for \$25 per foot.

Wear the Harrington hat, \$2.50. The 2 T's, sole agents.

This morning on application of his counsel, J. B. Rankin, Q. C., Duncan was released on \$1,000 bail until the supplementary sittings on Dec. 20, the crown counsel having stated that he would not move for sentence until date.

This is a wonderful store, so new all the time. In touch with New York every day. You always find what you want. New Xmas neckwear, pulis, Imperials and English squares 50c, The 2 T's only.

J. A. Jerny, taxidermist, has received a brace of American grouse from Wm. Willison, of Wheatley, which he received from Manitoba; also a brace from St. Thomas. He has also three fox squirrels from Detroit, Mich., to mount.

The eyes have a potent influence over the mind—first, by strain accompanying impaired vision, and again by the tax on the nervous system. No one knows like a nervous person these peculiar mental conditions. My glasses relieve the strain by removing the cause. E. J. MacIntyre, leading optician, opposite Grand Opera House, Chatham.

CORRECTED DAILY.

The fireman state that their time is corrected from the C. P. R. every day at noon. It is impossible to sit down and wait for the clock to strike but never more than a second is lost in walking to the rope. Fireman Thomas Taylor says he has a watch that he would like to trade with Tempest. Neither would get the best of the deal, for Mr. Taylor's watch has a habit of jumping ahead a minute or two, then going slow. It does this with a frivolous pertinacity that is exasperating. However, this eccentric time-piece manages to get the mean time in general.

RECOVERED THE DOG.

W. D. Tristram had a valuable setter stolen yesterday. The services of Detective McGregor were secured and he watched all the trains but could get no trace of the dog. This morning Mrs. McGregor noticed a party heading west on King street with a setter in leash that resembled Mr. Tristram's dog. She at once notified the detective and he took to the trail. When the fellow perceived that he was followed he let the dog go and fled into the fields off Lacroix street and was lost to view in the woods. The detective called the dog but the man got away. Mr. Tristram was exceedingly glad to recover his pet.

Crimes sometimes shock us too much, vices almost always too little. It is more sensible to listen to a wise book than to a thoughtless man.

ST ANDREW'S NIGHT.

John Imrie, Toronto.

The farther Scotchmen gang frae hame They seem to grow the fonder O' everything that's Scotch in name.

An' crack about it yonder— Ayont Atlantic's briny foam: They a' ken ane anither— The Scot's at home where'er he roam.

An' share in find a brither!

Chorus.

St. Andrews, Caledonians, Clans.

As Sons o' Scotland gather;

An' gallant braw "John Heilan"-man!

Are proud o' hame and heather!

An' when St. Andrew's day comes roon

There's aye a demonstration,

They march wi' pipes through the town,

In honor o' oor nation;

At night they spread a table fair,

An' make a jolly pairty,—

They're share to hae a guid thing there

Tae mak' them crouse an' hearty!

Chorus.—

The hall is set a' roon wi' flags,

An' sometimes screams o' tartan;

Wi' claymores, shields, and heids o' stags,

Frae Oleng to Dumbarton!

A sprig o' Heilan heather,

Wi' a bonnie rose-bud in between,

To show they gree thegither!

Chorus.—

It's then they crack o' Scotland's aicht,

O' Wallace, Knox an' Burns;

An' how a Scotchman fights for right—

Gie speech w' a' in turns!

The auld Scotch sangs their hearts

enthrall;

They lo'e the words so fine.

Tae the wee short hour ayont the twal!

When they pairt wi' "Auld Lang Syne!"

Chorus.—

THE HEART WAITS

Of thousands have been turned into

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Almost Magic Medicine, Dr. Agnew's

Cure for the Heart—It Relieves in

Thirty Minutes.

Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, of Gananoque, was for five years a great sufferer from heart disease—spent some time under experts in Kingston hospital without getting any benefit and was pronounced incurable. She commenced taking Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, and when she had taken three bottles all dropsical tendencies, palpitation and pain left her, and she has had no return of it, and ascribes her cure to this greatest of heart remedies.

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Before After, Wood's Phosphodine,

The Great English Remedy.

Sold and recommended by all

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medicine discovered. Its

packages guaranteed to cure all

forms of Sexual Weakness, all effects of abuse

or excess, Mental Worry. Excessive use of

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Wood's Phosphodine is sold in Chatham, at Central Drug Store, C. H. Gunn & Co's.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

Scott's Record Breaker Sale

Broken Lines of Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's

Overcoats

Men's Overcoats—Sale Prices.....\$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50
Youths' Overcoats—Sale Prices.....\$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50
Boys' Overcoats—Sale Prices.....\$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3.00
Children's Overcoats—Sale Prices.....50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50

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Best Quality

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R. Cooper,

Chatham, Nov. 28th, 1899