

If Anything is Wrong Let Us Know

If there is one thing we prize more than anything else it is the confidence of those who come here to buy, and of those who know this store. When we have gained that confidence nothing is left undone to hold it. That is why we are so careful in buying our goods—we will have the best—so no danger of disappointments. If anything is wrong, or not to your liking let us know about it so that we can make it right, or refund your money. We are always very glad to receive any suggestions that will make the store more serviceable to you and we want everything at this store to be perfectly satisfactory.

H. Malcolmson

Our Idea of Trade Building

We believe that people wish to trade where they can do best, and that to get their trade it is necessary to do best by them. This is the principle that we have tried to apply, and it has proven effective.

We are sure that our business will keep on growing. It will grow because all those features that have brought trade are still in operation. We want your trade, and we ask for it solely on the basis of our intention and ability to do you good. We ask you to come here whenever you need anything that a druggist ought to sell, and feel sure that if you come once you will continue to come.

Turner & Platt Druggists

Weldon's Anniversary Sale

A bunch of Bargains in Cushion Tops this week.

150 Travellers' samples, latest designs, values from 50c to 75c, for your choice at 29c each.

50 of finer designs, value from 75c to \$6.00 each, reduced accordingly.

Mrs. J. E. Weldon King St.

Don't Forget!!

That we are preparing to take your order for your

Easter Millinery

We are showing all the latest British, French and American Novelties. Don't wait until it is too late to give your order the careful consideration that we would like to give every order that goes to our workroom. We have an ample staff, and only the best work is allowed to leave our show room.

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DR. A. W. THORNTON DENTIST

D. D. S. Toronto University
Office—First Door East of Standard Bank
Telephone Office 164.
Residence 25.

Local Briefs

Millinery apprentices are wanted at Northway's.
C. F. Veitch, of Brantford, is in the city on business.
D. McFarlane, of Thamesville, was in the city yesterday.
John Lee, M. P. P., of Highgate, was in the city yesterday.
James Park, of Park Bros., is in the city on business for the firm.
Joe Leitch, who sang at St. Patrick's concert here, returned to-day to London.
Mr. Dolson, of Raleigh, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Poole, Raleigh street.
Mrs. J. A. McCutcheon, of Port Burwell, was registered at the Rankin House yesterday.
Duff and Massey shipped live hogs to the eastern market to-day. They paid \$5.50 per cwt.
There are about 12 tenders in for the library site. They will be opened at the meeting to-night.
James A. Gray, representing the Whyte Packing Company, of Stratford was in the city yesterday.
Robert Ainsley, of Tilbury, and G. W. Ainsley, of Comber, were registered at the Merrill House to-day.
The Maple City gun club shoot at blue rocks to-morrow, Riverside Park. Non-members will be charged two cents apiece for birds.
The funeral of the late Cook Stringer took place this afternoon at 2:30, to the Maple Leaf Cemetery. Rev. Dr. Battisley performed the ceremony.
Prof. R. Ramsey, Wright, M. A., B. Sc., University of Toronto, will lecture on "Malaria and Mosquitoes," on Friday, March 21, in the C. C. I. Hall.
"Felix" Carey, and "Billy" Hackett, two local fruit vendors, are circulating a petition to the council for the right to sell fruit without a license.
Don't place your orders for any farm implements, buggies, wagons, harness, etc., until you have seen what Quinn & Patterson have, and get their prices. Show Rooms opposite the Market. Hardware store three doors east of the market.
As I intend leaving Chatham at an early date, I have instructed Mr. Andrew Thomson, Jr., to sell my furniture by public auction on Wednesday, March 26th. See his ad. for particulars. Walter A. Thrasher. td

The Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., D. D., of the First Methodist Church, St. Thomas, will preach the annual missionary sermon in the Park St. Methodist Church next Sunday, at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Collection and subscriptions in aid of the fund will be taken at both services.

Great Excitement

May be Expected at A. I. McCall & Co's Drug Store, on Saturday, March 22nd, 1902, where a Box of Ferreroze Will be Given Away Absolutely Free. Let Everyone Come

A representative of the proprietors of this wonderful preparation will be at A. I. McCall & Co's Drug Store, Chatham, all day Saturday, March 22nd, for the purpose of conducting a free sample distribution. One thousand boxes will be given away, and to avoid the rush all those desirous of availing themselves of this generous offer should come early. Ferreroze is the result of a careful scientific investigation of all diseases arising from impairment of blood or nerve tone. It is an absolute specific for Anemia, Chlorosis, Kidney trouble, Loss of vigor, Brain fog, all female troubles, Rheumatism, and Dyspepsia. Every sample box contains a full week's treatment, and you are respectfully invited to call and get one. Fill out the blank below and bring it to A. I. McCall & Co's Drug Store, on Market street west known as Holland House, or the Castle, which was placed at his disposal by Mr. Alex. Manning, and which was built by the late Henry John Boulton.

Coal and Wood

Lehigh and Scranton Coal, Virginia Lignite, Soft Coal for domestic use, Smithing 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.

Miss Titus, of Blenheim, spent yesterday in the city.
You cannot afford to miss Weldon's 29c Cushion Sale.
S. M. Glan has returned from a business trip to Toronto.
Fred. Suick has returned from a few days stay in Bothwell.
T. J. Busley left this morning for St. Catharines on business.
Ed. Crook, of Toronto, is visiting E. J. Downey, Queen street.
The Macabasses will give a social in their hall on Friday evening.
Dr. Bechard has returned from spending a few days in Windsor.
Miss Mabel Stone leaves to-day on a visit with friends in St. Thomas.
A literary evening will be given a week from Tuesday at No. 1, Harwich.
The Lake Erie Co. are filling up their yards on Colborne street with gravel.
Park Bros. shipped a traction engine by G. T. R. to R. McGaffy, Bothwell, to-day.
C. H. Deer has returned to Hamilton after spending a couple of days in the city.
Rev. Rural Dean McCosh left this morning for London, where he will attend a convention.
The Chatham fire department sent a beautiful wreath to the funeral of the late Cook Stringer.
Miss Gertrude Potter will sing "Sing a Song for Ireland," at the Park street Methodist church to-night.
Dr. Thornton will lecture on "Ireland and the Irish" to-night at the Park street Methodist church.
The members of the Victoria avenue Epworth League will attend the lecture at Park street church in a body to-night.
Wm. Gray & Sons Co. are shipping a car of carriages to Calgary, N. W. T., one to Balduf, Man., also one to Verdon, Man.

Save your binder twine orders for Quinn & Patterson. They have saved you money on your twine. They will save it for you on twine.
John Chinnick, of concession 6, Raleigh, will sell a number of horses and cattle by auction sale on Wednesday, 26th inst., as advertised.
Sulman's Beehive Removal Sale! Wallpaper 25 per cent discount. Remnants five cents per roll. Odd borders 10 cents per roll.
Bruce Kerr, Joseph street, met with an accident this morning, falling from off a lattice fence and bruising and scratching his face considerably.
John McCubbin has gone to Walkerton, having severed his connection as an employee of the Chatham Mfg. Co.

"Mac" McAuley, of Brantford, is spending a few days with friends in the city. "Mac" is an old Chatham boy, and an ex-Maple City lacrosse player.
Berlin Woods 6 cents per ounce. All stamped lines, covers, centres, delays, etc. One-third off at Sulman's Beehive Removal Sale, Garner House Block.
Mr. Bert Ross, a well-known young hockey player, left for his home in Chatham yesterday. In a recent game he had one of the bones of his chest broken by an accidental blow—London Free Press.

Dr. A. W. Thornton will deliver a lecture to the Park St. Methodist League and their friends in the school house this evening, taking for his subject "Ireland and the Irish." Silver collection. All are invited.
So many patrons of the Grand Opera House have asked for "Il Trovatore," that the management has decided to put on Verdi's masterpiece. This splendid opera will be put on Saturday night at the Grand.
Dr. McKeough will preside at the lecture to be given this evening by Dr. A. W. Thornton, on "Ireland and the Irish." The members of the Park St. Methodist Church League extend a cordial invitation to any to attend. A silver collection will be taken up.
Plans for the alterations to the police station are about complete. The place will be transformed into a commodious and up-to-date station. Plenty of care for the health and pleasure of the police is being taken, including the fitting of a bath room.—London Free Press.

Wellington Chapter, No. 47, Royal Arch Masons, will hold a special meeting in Masonic Temple this evening at 7:30 to confer the Royal Arch and other degrees. A banquet will be held after the work. Several members from Tilbury are expected, and it is the earnest desire of the officers of 47 that every R. A. M. in the Maple City will make it a point to be present.
Mrs. M. A. James, New York, only sister of Rural Dean Robert McCosh, arrived in the city, accompanied by Miss McCosh, a trained nurse from the same city; and Mr. Thomas McCosh, Paris, and was taken in the General Hospital. Mrs. James received treatment from Dr. T. K. Holmes some years ago, and has returned to be under the care of the same physician.

TENDERS FOR LIBRARY SITE
Tenders for site for Public Library will be received by the Public Library Board up to evening of March 20th, 1902.
Tenders must give full particulars as to location, size of lot, and lowest cash price. Tender to be marked on outside—Library Site Tender, and to be sent to Secretary of Library Board not later than 8 o'clock, March 20. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order of Library Board,
L. L. DAVIS,
td Secretary Library Board.

SPRING DRESS GOODS The Gordon Display

See Our Next Announcement for a GRAND EASTER MILLINERY OPENING, Wednesday & Thursday, March 26 and 27.

Get your Easter Fashion Sheet. Standard Pattern the best.

Our City Possesses The Gordon Store, 'Twill therefore prosper more and more.

Our Splendid Assortment

Fancy Waistings
Silk Lustrous
Mohairs
Etainines
Storm Serges
Broadcloths
Mistralis
Cashmeres
Challies
Canvas Cloths
cheviots
Venetians

The better the goods, the better the values. The lower the price, the better the goods. Some of these weaves are very scarce, though very fashionable. They sell quickly to those who dress in up-to-date style.

Wash Goods... NEW SPRING MATERIALS

PRINTS—All widths, weights, and warranted from 5c to 12½c. yard.
GINGHAMS—From the check at a nickel to the fine Amoskeag at 12½c a yard.

Beautiful styles of pattern in Percales, Lawns, Muslins, Challies, etc.
School Boy Tweeds, in variety from 25c to 50c yd.

WILLIAM GORDON

The April Standard Designer is a gem for a time

DR. RUSSELL DENTIST

Cor. King & 5th Sts., over Merchants' Bank
P.O. Box 72
Evening Appointments Please

HAMILTON MEMORIAL

The list for the W. E. Hamilton Memorial is still open and growing. The following donations are acknowledged to the present:—

R. S. Woods	5.00
The Planet	1.00
Macaulay Club	5.00
S. J. Sutherland	5.00
Dr. Musson	1.00
Dr. Thornton	1.00
A. Friend	1.00
J. B. Rankin	1.00
W. Lambert	1.00
Wm. Ball (Vic. Ave.)	2.00
A. M. Lafferty	1.00
Banner-News	2.50
J. E. Thompson	1.00
Isaac Smith	1.00
Canada Flour Mills Co.	5.00
J. Hoot	2.00
E. Jones	1.00
Dr. Holmes & McKeough	5.00
W. H. G. Colles	2.50
Misses May and Ida Colles	1.00
W. H. Harper	1.00
J. E. Thompson	1.00
W. K. Merrifield	1.00
Wm. Somerville	1.00
C. Austin	1.00
Wm. Rennie	1.00
W. K. Merrifield	1.00
J. W. Humphrey	50
T. R. Harris	1.00
W. E. Rispin	1.00
J. F. McKeough	1.00

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Through J. B. McGregor, stock broker, North-west block, Chatham: Chicago, Mar. 20, 1902

	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
Wheat				
May	74	74	73	74
July	74	74	73	75
Corn				
May	61	61	60	60
July	60	60	60	60
Oats				
May	43	43	42	43
July	38	38	35	38
Pork				
May	15 42	15 52	15 42	15 52
July	15 60	15 67	15 60	15 67
Lard				
May	9 42	9 45	9 42	9 45
July	9 52	9 55	9 52	9 55
Ribs				
May	8 45	8 52	8 45	8 50
July	8 57	8 62	8 57	8 62

Dr. McNiven, of Butte City, Montana, who has been spending a few months in John Hopkins Hospital, is spending a few days in the city.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE SATURDAY, MARCH 22. THE FAMOUS ORIGINAL BOSTON LYRIC OPERA COMPANY 50 PEOPLE - 50 IL TROVATORE BY REQUEST SING IN ENGLISH

PRINCIPALS	
BERTHA DAVIS	SOPRANO
MABEL DAY	SOPRANO
MAUDE LUKKLEY	CONTRALTO
DELLA NIVEN	CONTRALTO
MARTIN PACHE	TENOR
JOHN F. KAPPAEL	BARITONE
GEORGE CHAPMAN	BARITONE
P. VERON	BASSO
FRANK MASLIN	BASSO

40-GRAND CHORUS-40
Best seats opens Thursday. Opera to be announced later. Prices—Box seats, \$1.50, \$1.00, .75c, .50c, .25c.

The Letter-Box

THE HAMILTON MEMORIAL.

To the Editor of The Planet:

Now that the many friends of the late W. E. Hamilton have recovered from the shock caused by the sad news of his sudden death, let me say even a little of the much that might be told to his credit, as to his character in all the years he spent among us. Every citizen of Chatham has a vivid mental picture of him as he passed up and down the street actively engaged in the business connected with his paper—The Market Guide—or upon some enterprise for the public good, or upon some philanthropic errand. But how few realized the terrible battle of life that he was waging single-handed against the heavy odds of strong publishing companies and modern organization and machinery; against the cruel weight of changed circumstances, the chilling blast of adversity and the want of the comforts and encouragement of a home. Though he fought an unequal battle, physically weakened from want of proper care, he bore bravely up as best he could, patiently suffering what hard fortune put upon him, and without a murmur of complaint, nor ever asking a favor of any man. Whatever Mr. Hamilton received from the business men of Chatham he strove manfully to give them full value for, dollar for dollar, nor ever wronged a man to the value of one cent in a business transaction. There are in the city many noble gentlemen who have tried to make his path less steep, (may their bread cast upon the waters be largely found by them again), but were we not all too thoughtful about the sublime and silent struggle going on before our eyes, and does not much of our sympathy come, alas! too late!

It was my privilege to know him intimately for twenty years, during which time we have frequently enjoyed his charming society in our home, and I can say that during all that time I never knew him to use an oath or an irreverent word. I never heard him attempt an unbecomingly vulgar tale, or repeat a scandal, or tell a vulgar tale. What a pattern for our young men in this respect! He was a gentle, stainless life, untarnished by even a whisper of anything that would not be in keeping with the high code of honor to which he was early trained. He chose death before a dishonorable act—preferred to let the conclusions of place and power go by rather than stoop to trickery and cunning. What a rebuke to the tendencies of the day!

Before Mr. Hamilton settled in Chatham he travelled extensively in Europe, Asia, the West Indies and South America, and with a fine education and a highly trained mind he was a keen observer and a charming entertainer, and an apt upon any subject of conversation, but while his narratives of his extended travels and experiences in many lands were ever instructive and ever new, he always endeavored to keep in the background very reference to himself, and let the interest centre upon the places and circumstances which he so delightfully described.

Mr. Hamilton ever sought to be at peace with all men, and though he never flinched from an intellectual contest, nor ever was worried in one, yet he never sought or provoked a quarrel.

He was a life-long member of the Church of England, and while circumstances permitted, he was a regular attendant at Christ Church, and he was to the last, in his daily life, a consistent Christian example that the very best of us would do well to follow.

In many ways Mr. Hamilton was very largely instrumental in freely and ably advertising this city, both locally and far abroad. His method with his weekly paper was unique and most effectual, and the bright little sheet so generously distributed will be very much missed by the citizens and by the hundreds who sold upon our market, as well as by the many subscribers from Vancouver to Nova Scotia, and even beyond the ocean. Would that we had better appreciated and better repaid his valuable services to this city while he yet lived. But his sun has set, his toil is over. In a pretty little lot in Maple Leaf Cemetery, beneath an evergreen tree, we have laid his frail body, at rest. The showers and the sunshine and the breezes will soon kiss the sod beneath which he lies—and shall the grass grow now over a nameless grave? Good citizens, who have not yet had time to realize that he has been called away, will you not now reach out a helping hand, that his distinguished name may be preserved among us to our own honor? If the committee had a little more they could procure a fitting memorial after paying initial expenses. The subscriptions already received have been purely voluntary, and it is hoped that we shall be enabled to bring to a successful conclusion this last kindness to his memory without having to make a personal appeal to any one. Please send in name and amount to The Planet office before the week closes, if possible.

W. H. G. COLLES

Auction Sale

The undersigned has received instructions from Mr. Walter A. Thrasher, who is preparing to leave the city, to offer for sale by

Public Auction

ON—

Wednesday, Mar. 26, 1902

at his residence, Raleigh street, the following household furniture—One parlor cabinet, rattan settees, book case and secretary cabinet combined, large leather couch, leather arm chair, rockers, and other chairs, oak dining table, leather dining room chairs, hall rack, antique oak secretary and desk chair, Singer sewing machine, two bedroom suites, child's crib, card table, and three small tables.

One No. 9 Guernsey's Souvenir kitchen range, with hot water attachments and coal and wood fire pots; two kitchen tables, one drop leaf kitchen table, 50 feet highest grade lawn hose in use two months, with nozzle and attachments, linoleum, carpets, curtains, and other articles too numerous to mention.

These goods are all strictly first class, some are almost new, and will be sold without reserve.

Sale to commence at 1 a. m. sharp.

ANDREW THOMSON, JR. Auctioneer.

A Ring



Like that is a sparkling reminder of what is to be seen in our Jewelry Assortment.

We shine by our diamonds and our unquestionable reputation for reliability.

No cheap goods, only short prices here—A real sparkling first quality Diamond for \$12 and \$15.

A neat and fashionable moderate priced ring for engagement or other purpose.

VonGunten Bros. Jewelers and Issuers of Marriage Licenses.