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if everything is not perfectly satisfactory are the foundation stones of our business.

We have always advocated early closing as a matter of simple justice to those who work hard through the day. Keeping open until late at night injures the health of employees, and then we could not give the same prompt attention to our customers.

We hope the public will endorse our efforts in this direction.

Canned Chicken, 25c. a can.
Chicken Soup, 20c. a can.
Potted Meats, 5c. and 10c. each.
Kipper Herring, 2 cans for 25c.
Halibut, very nice, 2 cans for 25c.
Rock Lobsters, 20c., 30c. and 35c. a can.

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Sunburn —AND— ...Tan...

Are the chief annoyances of a summer outing. They are apt to greatly lessen the pleasures of your vacation, and a remedy that can be depended upon is worth knowing about.

**Our Almond
Cream of Witch
Hazel**

removes the smart of sunburn at once, prevents tan, cures prickly heat, chaps or redness of the skin. It is a cooling, soothing and healing preparation that is worth far more than its cost.

PRICE 25 CTS.

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28 King St. Druggist Phone 221

25%

That is the discount we are making on the balance of our summer goods. Cost doesn't enter into consideration now. It is merely a case of getting them out of the way to make room for our fall stock that is due to arrive very soon. Notice a few of them in our west window.

Refrigerators, ice cream freezers, oil stoves, hammocks, etc.

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Phone 65. King St

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Buy New York Stocks as an investment. It's like gold dollars for dimes. Advance payment 2 per cent., balance on delivery of certificates, or when market advances you can sell and take your profits. Good dividend paying stocks were never so low. Instructions free.

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BROKER,
Northwood Block, Telephone 240.

DR. A. W. THORNTON

DENTIST,
has removed to his new office,
Corner King and Fifth Streets,
over A. J. McCall's Drug Store.
TELEPHONE OFFICE 164.
RESIDENCE 25.

Advertisers should bear in mind that the Daily and Weekly Planet reach 5,000 families every week.

TO-NIGHT.

Junior Lacrosse Club practice, Teacumseh park at 6.15.
Senior Lacrosse Club practice, Teacumseh Park, at 6.45.

Local Briefs

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. House to rent on Cross street. Apply to O'Brien Bros. cigar factory.

Mrs. H. A. Colville, Selkirk St., is spending a few days with her parents in Dresden.

Misses Adda Cathcart and Sadie Cole left this afternoon for Warton and Owen Sound.

A. J. Purser, wife and children, of Pontiac, Mich., are spending a few days in the county.

Mrs. A. Paupst and daughter Grace, of Dresden, are spending the day with Mrs. Geo. Lamphard, Head St.

Miss Ella Robinson, of St. Thomas, is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. J. Perkins, for a couple of weeks.

Master Willie Law, of Tillsonburg, is visiting his uncle, L. E. Tillson, general agent of the Lake Erie R. R.

The Chatham Oil Company are unloading a car of coal at Richard's Crossing and are waiting for another tank car.

Misses Ruby and Nora Tillson have returned from visiting friends in Tillsonburg and are spending their vacation at Erieau.

Mrs. E. C. Murry and two children, of Cleveland, Ohio, are the guests of Mrs. J. Perkins, Queen street. Mrs. Murry is a trained vocalist.

Miss Lillian Patterson, Lorne Ave., who has been visiting friends at Toronto, Niagara Falls, and other points of interest, has returned home.

Thomas Marshall, assistant general passenger agent of the Lake Erie, will spend August 6th in Chatham with the Port Huron excursionists.

The Chatham Oil Company have already shipped some 15 cars of oil. They have been the only successful producers in the field south of Chatham.

Miss Etta Seelye, who has been on an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Lester Austin, Centre St., left this morning for her home in Harrisville, N. Y.

Lost! On City of Chatham, July 28th, a round gold locket, highly carved, containing two pictures. A suitable reward offered by leaving it at the Planet office. 3dlw

Andrew Peltier, formerly of Dover, but recently a resident of Pownal, Vt., passed his household effects to-day, after an absence of five years, and will again take up his home in this county.

You can expect an enjoyable time and abundance of room on the boat if you attend the First Presbyterian S. S. Excursion to Belle Isle, Tuesday, August 4th, as only a limited number of tickets will be sold. 2d

Brigadier Hargrave, assisted by Major Rawling, will conduct special meetings at the S. A. Barracks on Saturday and Sunday, August 1st and 2nd. As this is the first visit of the Brigadier to Chatham the local Corps intend giving him a loyal welcome.

Misses Maude and Josephine Ferguson, of Tillsonburg, are visiting their sister, Mrs. L. E. Tillson, Prince street. Miss Tillson was formerly on the substitute staff of the city schools but is now attached to the regular staff of the Tillsonburg Public schools.

W. R. Landon, the energetic manager of the Chatham Manufacturing Co., has returned from an extended business trip to the west. While in Winnipeg Mr. Landon attended the big Western exposition, and speaks highly of the exhibits. The exhibit of the C. M. C. attracted much favorable comment.

The Lake Erie employees are arranging for a picnic at Erieau on the 14th of August. They will have a band and a general good time, including aquatic and land sports. The Industrial committee should communicate with Joseph Barlett, of Walkerville, chairman, and get the excursion to come here. Chatham is the central point and the picnicers could be brought here by the regular trains.

Miss Ida McClinton, Wallaceburg, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Fairbanks, Queen St.

Miss Lizzie Kerr, Lorne Ave., who has been visiting relatives in Kingsville for the past week, returned home this morning.

Miss Ethel Tickner left this morning for London, where she will spend several weeks vacation among relatives and friends in that city.

The funeral of the late D. La Fleur, which was to have been held to-day, has been postponed until to-morrow (Sunday) awaiting the arrival of his brother John, who resides in Tonawanda, N. Y. Mr. John La Fleur arrived to-day and was accompanied by Annie, the eight-year-old daughter of his brother Donald, whom he adopted some years ago.

It was reported at Erieau among the summer residents that the band concert at Erieau last night would be the last, as another coal hoist would be erected where the band stand now is. When seen this morning, general agent Tillson, of the Lake Erie, said that there was nothing in the rumor as far as he knew and The Planet man's query was the first intimation he had had that such a rumor was in circulation and the rumor was absurd.

PENCIL MISSING

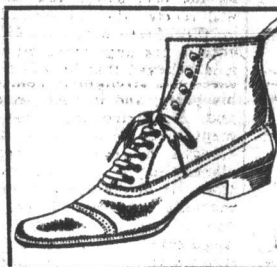
A bunch of young fellows—all members of the regiment—betook themselves to the drill shed last evening after dark to have a little game of baseball. How they got in is not known, but, however, they were in with the lights all on and just about to play when in walked a detective in great rage that anyone should break into government property. He would march them over to the police station at once and demanded their names, at the same time pulling out a book to take them down. He found after searching for a few minutes that he hadn't a pencil, and wanted to borrow one from the boys. They hadn't one to lend—and haven't as yet received any notification to appear.

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ONLY PLACE

to get them;

Cowan's.



A Guaranteed
Patent Leather
SHOE, \$3.50.

A genuine patent colt upper, mat kid tops, Goodyear welt soles the very newest shape in this week. There is no mistaking it. This is the swellest patent leather shoe in Chatham for \$3.50 and no risk to the wearer.

Same shoe in Vici Kid, \$3.50 also.



Our Necessity,
Your Opportunity.

The need of room for new stock makes desirable a speedy clearance of remnants of

SUMMER SUITINGS.

And as this is the dull season our tailors are not busy. To effect a rapid reduction of stock and to keep hands employed we make a sweeping reduction in prices. Suits to order for \$14.00 from any of our high grade stylish Tweeds. Only one week. Speak quickly.

MORLEY & CO.,

GALLANT COLONEL

He Petitions for Large Mirrors for the Girls—Improvements at C. C. I.

A number of the members of the Collegiate Institute Board visited the school yesterday and examined the improvements which have been made to the basement and furnaces. Each member who was present expressed himself as perfectly satisfied with the work. Those who composed the party were Chairman of the Board, J. W. White; Chairman of the Property Committee, Dr. A. W. Thornton; Trustees Rankin and Liddy; Sec'y T. R. Harris and the press representatives.

The Property Committee have indeed finished a splendid work in the school. The furnaces have all been overhauled and cleaned, and new tire boxes and grates put in until they are now as good as they ever were. The benefit from this will be felt this fall when schools re-open. The work cost about \$750, which is considered very reasonable. This work was done by Rutley, of Toronto.

The whole of the basement has been whitewashed and the appearance has thus been much brightened. The sanitary conditions of the basement has been overhauled and improved, in fact the basement looks entirely new and up-to-date.

She matter of wash basins came up. The present ones are in a very dilapidated condition. It was decided to have new ones. A mirror will also be placed in the girls' basement.

"You know," said the Colonel, smilingly, "a girl never feels happy unless she can see herself from head to foot."

"Well, that's right," said ex-Ald. John Liddy, "I believe in looking after the comforts of the ladies."

A number of discarded seats, which are stored in the basement will either be sold to a country school or sold for old iron.

A new system of heating the typewriting room and Form 11a was inspected and proved very satisfactory.

The Colonel, who has a quick eye for anything military, sighted a rusty rifle, which needed cleaning badly.

The Board then dispersed, everyone feeling that the work which has been done, has been much needed, and has been done in a thorough manner.

—The Master Mechanic's Pure Tar Soap heals and softens the skin, while promptly cleansing it of grease, oil, rust, etc. Invaluable for mechanics, farmers, sportsmen. Free sample on receipt of 2c. for postage. Albert Toilet Soap Co. Mfrs. Montreal. tf

DILAPIDATED LANDAU.

For Their Majesties to Connemara Quarries.

Galway, Ireland, Aug. 1.—For the visit of King Edward and the Queen to the famous Connemara marble quarries near Recces yesterday the local authorities provided a dilapidated, damp, grimy landau, with two jaded horses and a "jarvey" of the usual class. It was doubted whether their Majesties would enter such an equipage, but, to the delight of the crowd of peasants and barefooted women with red petticoats who lined the steep, muddy hill, the King, smiling at the singularity of the vehicle, entered it without hesitation, the Queen, Princess and the Earl of Dudley following him. The "jarvey" was somewhat nervous, and the King asked a member of his suite to take the box beside him. In a similar vehicle were Lady Dudley and other ladies of the Queen's suite. An escort of Connemara cavalry completed the procession. Progress was slow on account of the mud, but going up hill there were always a dozen peasants who sprang to the back of the landau to help push, the Queen smiling encouragement. At the quarries mementoes were presented to their Majesties and, returning down hill, the progress of the equipage was checked by two ropes attached to the axle, to which a score of men were holding and acting as a brake. Throughout the most good humor prevailed, the peasants pressing closely around the royal party without restraint.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

SATURDAY AUGUST FIRST

THE GORDON STORE

WILL PLACE ON SALE

1200 Yards Fine
Colored DIMITIES,
Ginghams and Prints,
REGULAR VALUE 10c and 12 1-2 CENTS

—FOR—

6 1-4c. Per Yard...
WILLIAM GORDON.

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Consists of all the latest tools necessary for the most difficult repairs. All repairs entrusted to us will have our most careful and prompt attention.

Lawn Mower Repairs **GIVEN SPECIAL** Attention

LEADING SPORTING GOODS OF CHATHAM

BRISCO'S, - Opera House Block

We Want to Remind You

That your house needs painting and that **"Prism" Paint** is the best we can sell or you can buy.

Don't let your place look dingy and go into decay for want of a little paint.

The summer is fleeting by.

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OUR OIL STOVES,

Cook Stoves, Preserving Kettles, Sewing Machine, Washing Machines, Refrigerators, Screen Doors and Windows, Hammocks, Water Filters, and other Summer Goods are the best made, and the prices will convince you there is full value for your money. We will not deceive you. We want your confidence.

GEO. STEPHENS & CO.

Dry Goods Thibodeau & Jacques. Millinery

Just the goods you want and at greatly reduced prices.

**TOWELING
TOWELS
ABLING'S.**

A new consignment of those goods from Belfast, Ireland.

All linen toweling at 5c, 8c and 10c.
Dinner Towels at 5c, 10c and 15c.
Table linens, 60 and 66 inch, at 25c, 35c and 50c.
These goods were bought at the old price and are 20 per cent. cheaper than present prices.
30 pieces Ginghams, worth 12 1/2c, selling at 10c.
50 pieces Muslins, worth 15c and 20c, selling at 10c.
30 pieces new Prints, worth 12 1/2c, selling at 10c.

THIBODEAU & JACQUES

Sons of England excursion to Niagara Falls on Civic Holiday, August 10th. Fare \$2.45. Tickets good for three days. Come! 1m

Last of the Season - First Presbyterian S. S. Excursion to Belle Isle, Tuesday, Aug. 4th. Tickets - Adults, 50c.; Children, 25c. 6d