

## FRESH LETTUCE AND COLD MEATS

Make splendid combination for warm weather. Add to these a little of our Salad Dressing and you have something tasty and appetizing.

FRESH LETTUCE every day

SLICED COOKED MEATS, 15c, 18c, and 30c a lb.

SALAD DRESSING, 15c, 25c, and 50c, a bottle.

TOMATO CHUTNEY, 15c, a bottle.

TOMATO CATSUP, 15c, 30c, a bottle.

SPECIAL OLIVES, 25c, 40c, and 50c, a bottle.

SHRIMPS FOR SALADS, 15c and 30c, a can.

EXTRA FINE LOBSTERS, 20c, 30c, and 35c, a can.

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That is the way with our high grade tools. Make this your tool supply house. Think of us whenever you need any tools. There are large numbers of mechanics who do so and they always get perfect satisfaction. Your money back if everything is not absolutely satisfactory.

J. C. WANLESS  
4 Doors East of Market, King St.

## SAVE FUEL

During this hot weather by using our Prepared Foods, Force, Grape Nut, Shredded Wheat Biscuits, Orange Meat, Malta Vita, Triscuits at 15c. per package, also Vim at 12c. per package. Corn Starch 3 packages for 25c. McLaren's Jelly Powders, 3 packages for 25c. Cox's Gelatine 12c. per package. Pure Orange Marmalade 15c and 20c per jar. Jam, all flavors, 10 and 15c per jar. Seven Pound Pails Jam, 50c. each.

We do not believe in substituting. You get just what you order.

V. J. BOSWORTH,  
WILLIAM ST.  
Opp. Parks Foundry

## Smart Clothes....

Add to the appearance greatly. Might as well be stylishly suited as not—costs very little more—and if you're at all particular as to how your clothes fit. We guarantee that. Our Cutter is thoroughly experienced, and it's his pride to fit you well. See the exclusive patterns showing for gentlemen.

Tailors.... MORLEY & CO. Importers

## FO-NIGHT.

Christ Church Vestry meeting at 8 o'clock.

Preparatory service, St. Andrew's Church, at 8.

Trooper Brace at Park St. Methodist Church, at 8.

C. B. C. Football Excursion, boat leaves Rankin Dock at 8.

The 24th Regiment will parade to Park St. Methodist Church at 8.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will meet in the S. S. Hall at 8.

Young People's Society, lecture hall of William St. Baptist Church at 8.

Young People's Society of the First Presbyterian Church, Lecture Room, at 8.

Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., will meet in their hall opposite the Hotel Rankin

## THE LOCAL BUDGET

Briscoe's Bicycle repairs and livery! Follow the 24th to hear Trooper Brace.

William Drader is in Thamesville to-day.

Charles Goodall is in London to-day on business.

William Hadley left for the east this morning.

Trooper Brace at the Park St. Church to-night.

Geo. Thompson, of Aylmer, is a guest at the Rankin.

English woolen pants to order \$3.75 and \$4.50 at The 2 T's.

J. F. Hanrahan, of Ottawa, was in the city to-day.

Girl Wanted at once.—Mrs. F. A. Robert, Wellington St.

The dress goods sale is now going on at Thibodeau & Jacques.

Queen street is being cleaned to-day and the mud carried away in carts.

Ringling Bros' Circus advertising car left for Fort Wayne, Ind., this morning.

Mrs. Treneman, from Ottumwa, Iowa, is visiting Mrs. G. T. Cracker, Head street.

A fine opportunity to buy a dress cheap at Thibodeau & Jacques.

A few more good Antelope bicycles at Briscoe's at half price. Call quick.

Those who hear Trooper Brace will never forget his vivid description of the Harts River stand.

Remember the C. B. C. football moonlight excursion this evening, on steamer City of Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Chapman returned yesterday from visiting St. Thomas friends.

For Sale—A handsome baby grand Mason & Bish piano, practically new.—Mrs. John Cooper, King St. West.

Carroll Scott, of Toronto University, is spending his holidays with his father.

Christ Church Vestry meeting to-night at 8 o'clock, to discuss alterations and improvements.

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

Mrs. Wm. Fairbanks, who has been ill at St. Joseph's Hospital for some time, is much improved in health.

You can save just twenty-two and a half dollars by buying a forty-five dollar bicycle at Briscoe's for half price.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Davidson, of Sarnia, are in the city to-day visiting at the home of E. R. Putnam, Queen street.

Charles Smith, of Dresden, is visiting his old Chatham friends. Mr. Smith left Chatham 22 years ago. He was the first driver on the first salaried fire department here.

After the meeting last night Court McGregor and Companion Court Maple Leaf, I. O. F., played a game of carpet ball, the Companions winning by eight points.

Those you will be in a position to provide lodging or board and lodging for the old boys next week should send in their names, with rate of charge, at once.

A very delightful twilight organ recital will be held in the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock by E. B. Arthur. Mr. Arthur will be assisted by Mrs. John Cooper and Miss Lucy McKellar. Admission by silver collection.

Captain Boles received the news that Mr. H. B. Rogers, ex-customs, Niagara Falls, died at six o'clock this morning. He was the only surviving brother of the late R. N. Rogers. He was well-known in Chatham and surrounding country by some of the older residents, especially among the sportsmen, as he, until the last few years, used to visit his relatives here each year when he came for duck and quail shooting in the fall.

Dinner and supper will be given each day during the week of the Old Boys' Re-union in the basement of the First Presbyterian church. Dinner, 35c.; supper, 25c.

DR. A. W. THORNTON  
DENTIST,  
Has Removed to his New Office,  
Corner King and Fifth Streets,  
over A. I. McCall's Drug Store.  
TELEPHONE OFFICE 104.  
RESIDENCE 205.

## TWILIGHT Organ Recital.

First Presbyterian Church,  
(TO-MORROW)

Saturday Afternoon, May 28,  
Four o'clock, by

E. B. ARTHUR,

Assisted by Miss Lucy  
McKellar and Mrs.  
John Cooper.

Admission by Silver Col-  
lection at door.  
One Hour Duration.

Bicycle sale at Briscoe's.

Geo. E. Cook, who has been quite ill, is able to be out again.

You can save from 25 to 50 per cent. on your dress until May 31st at Thibodeau & Jacques.

The steam barge Lillie Smith is unloading a cargo of lumber from Spanish river, for Scott Bros. & Co.

Secure your tickets for C. B. C. Football Excursion this evening, steamer City of Chatham, 24th Regimental Band in attendance.

The Ladies' Grand Lodge of the Royal Orange Society of British America will meet here in convention on Tuesday and Wednesday next week.

Twenty-fourth Regimental Band in full accompaniment C. B. C. football excursion this evening, on the steamer City of Chatham.

Hugh S. Brennan, Hamilton, president of the Missinaga Lumber Co., was in the city to-day transacting business with Scott Bros. & Co.

"It seems to me that William and Queen streets should be decorated," said a resident of Queen street to a Planet reporter this morning. "They are the streets the coming old boys will first see, and first impressions always stay."

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Flint, now of Pittsburgh, are visiting in the Maple City and will take in the big Re-union here next week. Mr. and Mrs. Flint have just returned from a delightful southern tour through Mexico and California. On their return they visited the St. Louis exposition, and speak most highly of it. Mr. Flint is one of Chatham's most popular old boys and the re-union would never have been complete without him.

Isaac Monture, a Monceytown Indian, imbibed too freely and landed in the toils. Monture was powerless. The booze deprived him of all power of locomotion, when Constable Henry Weaver found him. The ex-alderman loaded the inebriated brute into his rig and took him to the police station. Monture was assessed \$2 and costs, \$2 all this morning. He paid. He said he got his liquor from a farmer who was driving a load of hogs.

## WERE WEDDED

A very pleasant social event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Shaw, Camden township, on Wednesday, May 18th, when their youngest daughter, Rhea Lillas, became the bride of William Hawkins, a prosperous young farmer of the same place.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. J. Noble, at the Methodist parsonage, Louisville.

The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Ethel Shaw, of Kent Bridge, while Blagley Shaw, brother of the bride, acted as groomsmen. The bride was becomingly attired in white organdie, trimmed with lace and inserted on the shoulders.

The bridesmaid also wore white organdie and lace. They wore white chiffon hats trimmed in pale blue. Miss Amy Randalls played the wedding march.

After the return of the happy couple, a few of their many relatives and friends, enjoyed a tastefully served supper. The decorations were very neat and artistically arranged.

Both of the young people are well known in the vicinity, the bride being a member of the Kent Bridge Methodist Choir. The young bride received a number of beautiful presents, showing the popularity and esteem in which she is held. The young couple start married life with the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

Conveyed a Warning.

The Rev. Dr. Snow, finding himself downtown at the noon hour, dropped into a restaurant for a luncheon. He hung his overcoat against the wall, sat down and ordered his meal, which he ate leisurely. When he had finished and turned to look for his overcoat, it was gone.

He reported his loss to the cashier, who was sorry, but could do nothing, as the restaurant was "not responsible for hats, overcoats or umbrellas."

"Oh, I am not holding you responsible," said the doctor, as he paid the bill. "I shall get the coat again."

"What makes you think so?" asked the cashier.

"In one of the pockets," he replied, "was a letter, with my name and address on the envelope, and in another pocket was a printed sermon on 'Future Punishment.' Good day."

His confidence was not misplaced. The overcoat was brought to his house the next day by a messenger boy, who said a stranger had sent it and that there was no message.—Youth's Companion.

## The Gordon Store.

Until June First a Carnival of Big Bargains.  
Note a Few:—

## Sensational Wash Goods Sale.

Notwithstanding the advanced prices in COTTON GOODS we offer you 50 pcs of the Celebrated Crum's English Prints, best prints made, all good dark patterns, warranted colors, regular 12 1/2c. Prints for 9c Yard.

50 Pieces Fine American PRINTED DIMITIES choice patterns, warranted fast colors, 12 1/2c. value for 9c Yard.

25 Doz Men's REGATTA SHIRTS, manufacturers' seconds, sizes 14 1/2 to 17, new styles, no old stock, values 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. A few Boys' Shirts and Men's Night Shirts in the lot, 39c Each

10 Dozen Men's LINEN COLLARS, English make, turn-over points, worth 20c, sizes only 14 1/2 and 15, for 5c each or 6 for 25c

10 Dozen Men's Fine Four-in-Hand NECK TIES silk lined, fresh goods, new patterns, regular 36c and 40c. values 15c each, or 2 for 25c

208 Doz Yards FINE LACES—Valencianes, Torchon, Silk Irish Point, Oriental, Cluny, &c, all widths, from 1 to 6 inches, values 8c, 10c, 12 1/2, 15c, 20c, 25c, and 30c, all on Bargain Table, at 5c Yard.

5 Pieces 45 in. fine English PILLOW COTTONS—a special cut, present value 18c for 14c Yd

## MILLINERY.

25 Ladies Spring OUTING HATS all the latest style and trim, value \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00, for 89c each

FLAGS AND BUNTING for DECORATING and CELEBRATING.

June  
Fashion  
Sheets  
Free.

William Gordon

Standard  
Designers  
a Prize,  
10 Cents.

## BICYCLES

HALF  
PRICE

50 Antelope Bicycles 1904 model, guaranteed for 2 years, regular price \$45.00 selling \$22.50.

Sale been going two days and only 27 left. Come quick.

## BRISCOE'S OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

## ALL READY!

Everything Ship-Shape of the Big Old Boys' Re-Union Next Week.

The union meeting of the different committees in connection with the Old Boys' Re-union, held last evening, was very enthusiastic, and energetic measures were taken for the completion of all details. All interested have worked hard and everything has been done to insure success. Considerable discussion arose over the question of hiring bands for the week.

On motion of John Piggott, seconded by John Morton, it was decided that a band should be provided to meet all organized delegations.

Ex-Ald. Wm. Potter suggested that the 24th Regimental Band and the ex-Regimental Band should be hired for three of the days and he succeeded in getting an appropriation of \$150 for this purpose.

Lack of funds has retarded the various committees and a special committee was appointed to interview the Council and ask for a further grant of \$300. The members of this special committee are John Piggott, John A. Morton, Will Richards, Sam. Glenn and J. G. Kerr.

The following committee was also appointed as a supplementary finance committee in order to facilitate the work of collecting funds and to see that nobody was missed: J. T. O'Keefe, L. E. Tillson, G. S. Heyward, and J. G. Kerr.

George Embrey was appointed marshal of the trades and labor procession. The Trades and Labor Council were given full permission to start and finish their parade where they pleased on Tuesday.

Geo. Massey, for the floral parade committee, reported that the decorators of the city already had orders for the decorating of 15 or 20 carriages and automobiles. This feature of the Hamilton carnival and Old Boys' Re-union was the prettiest of all. Dr. Hall has offered a beautiful flag for first prize for the prettiest decorated outfit and J. G. Kerr a whip for second prize.

W. G. Terry and Captain Sim Smith

were appointed marshalls of the veteran firemen's parade.

W. G. Richards reported that the decoration committee had made satisfactory arrangements for the ornamenting of King street. Private citizens desiring to decorate can have the work done by the same company.

The following committee was appointed for the locating of the various shows: Dr. Hall, chairman, O. L. Lewis, W. W. Seane, G. W. Cowan, and A. C. Woodward.

Biggest and finest shipment of sewing machines ever received in Chatham arrived this week. The White is King.—Geo. Stephens & Co.

You cannot afford to miss our end of May

## DRESS GOODS SALE

From Friday, May 27th to May 31st.

regular values 1.25 to 1.40 sale price 98c.

Twine Cloths, Crepe de Chene, Bontonne Suitings, Satin Cloths, Mohair Suitings, Scotch and French Tweed Suitings, Silk Eoliennes, Flake Suitings, Melrose, etc., in Black and all leading shades.

The greatest opportunity to get newest styles of reasonable Dress Goods at importers prices.

Thibodeau & Jacques