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When we say a thing is good you can rely on that, for back of all our statements is the guarantee "Your money back if you are not perfectly satisfied."

RICH MILD CHEESE, 14c a pound.

FRESH 3 POUND SODAS, 25c a box.

SPECIAL SWEET BISCUITS, 10c a pound.

FINE SWEET BISCUITS, 2 pounds for 25c.

PURE LARD, 2 pounds for 25c.

SPECIAL ROLLED OATS, 7 pounds for 25c.

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The four big essential parts of our business are

Complete Stock,
Regular Prices,
Courteous Treatment
and Prompt Attention
to All Orders.

On these we have depended for our success and to say that we are exceedingly well pleased with it is very mild. If you are not already one of our customers we should be glad to cater to your wants. For your next order, it matters not what size, let us supply you. We guarantee to save you money.

J.C. WANLESS

4 Doors East of Market,
King Street, Chatham.

Quantity AND Quality

Combined is what you are looking for. You have them here:
Fine Dried Apples, 5c lb.
3 lbs. White Beans for 10c.
7 lbs. Fine Rolled Oats 25c.
12 1-2c tins Morton Fresh Herring for 10c.
Soda Biscuits, 8c per lb.
Corn Starch, 7c per package.
Labrador Herring, 20c per dozen.
10c tin Magic Stove Polish for 8c.
Heavy Honey Syrup 15c per quart.
Apples, 5c per lb.

CROCKERY.

We have some very pretty Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets at our usual low prices; also fine China Lamps and Glassware. If you need these goods call and see us.

John McConnell,
Phone 190 Park St.



Tailors.... MORLEY & CO. Importers

TO-NIGHT.

Pianola recital, Babcock's Studio, at 8.30.
Court Chatham, No. 6, I. O. F., will meet at 8.
Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. F., Temple, at 8.
Revival services in the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church, at 7.45.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Hello, Bill! to-night!
Crucifixion rehearsal at First Presbyterian church to-night.
Campbell's Shoe Sale means Bargains for you.
Hello, Bill! Don't miss this big jolly comedy company.

Morley Caracallen, of Dresden, is appearing to-day in town.
Charles Scane, of Ridgetown, was a visitor in the city yesterday.
Trunks, Bags and Valises, at cut prices, at Campbell's Shoe Store. If Charles F. Weir, of Port Stanley, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Crucifixion rehearsal in the First Presbyterian Church & S. at 8.
Mrs. Johnston has opened her dressmaking apartments over Young's grocery store and is now ready to take orders.

Ask your grocer for Standard Crystal Granulated Sugar. It goes further on your table than the old fashioned coarse grade.

Lost—Tuesday evening, Feb. 2nd, between Park St. Methodist church and Hilliard street, a ladies' gold watch. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

A few school hats left to be sold regardless of price at C. A. McKee's. New spring goods are coming in fast.

Wanted, at once, dressmaker apprentices and improvers. Apply Mrs. Johnston, over Young's grocery.

Miss Ruby Gordon, of Wallaceburg, and Miss Linden, of Leamington, are the guests of Miss Flo Glass.

A meeting of the Chatham Senior Lacrosse Club will be held to-morrow night in the Garner House for re-organization and election of officers. A rousing meeting is expected.

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

Mrs. Donald Douglas, King street, west, will be at home on Friday afternoon from four until six o'clock.
A. W. Merritt, caretaker of Harrison Hall, was busy engaged to-day varnishing the interior of the Crown Attorney's office.

Mrs. W. B. Gilleland, who has been in the city for the past few weeks, left to-day for her home in St. Catharines. Her son, J. R. Gilleland, is much improved.

A meeting of Wellington Royal Arch Masons will be held on the evening of March 1st to receive a visit from the District Deputy Grand Master. After the meeting a banquet will be given in Northwood's cafe. The program committee are arranging some good musical numbers.

William Watt, John Johnson, James Hamilton, Robert Hogart, and Robert Gilleland, arrived in the city at two o'clock this morning from Glasgow, Scotland. These gentlemen are saw mill hands, and were brought out to this country to work for the Sutherland-Innes Company. They will probably go to St. Thomas. They left Glasgow on the 18th of February. From what they have seen of Canada, they like the country very much, although there is almost too much winter here for them.

Mrs. Capt. Scott, of Dover, reported to the police an attempt at highway robbery. She was walking along the market square last night when she was attacked by a man and thrown down. She made an outcry, and some citizens coming to her rescue, the man made off. The attempt was a very bold and daring one. The man first demanded her money and, when she refused it, he tried to take it. Mrs. Scott had \$14 in her pocket which she had drawn from the bank that afternoon. She was able to give the police a pretty good description of the would-be robber and they are after him.

HARBINGER OF SPRING

Walter Hewson saw a robin yesterday afternoon. He says that it was no Robin Hood robin or robin in a cage, but a real live bird, and was singing at a great rate. He further adds that he can prove that he saw the robin in a tree on St. George street. He has witnesses to prove it.

He has the best education who best knows when to appear ignorant.

When the little folks take colds and coughs, don't neglect them and let them strain the tender membranes of their lungs. Give them

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

The Lung Tonic
It will cure them quickly and strengthen their lungs. It is pleasant to take.
Prices, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. 308

McLENEGHAN DEAD

Woodstock, Ont., March 2.—Alexander Rags McLeneghan, for the past 30 years postmaster of Woodstock, died this evening, after an illness of three days. He was born at Newry, Armagh, Ireland, October 15, 1829; came to Canada in 1829, with his parents and settled in Toronto; took part in the rebellion of 1837 in the service of the Crown; served in the 22nd Battalion Oxford Rifles, and retired as major. He was a member of the first Canadian Wimbledon Rifles team in 1871, established the Woodstock Times, about 1864, and remained editor and proprietor until 1873, when he was appointed postmaster of Woodstock, which position he occupied until his death.

ABOUT FLOODS

Silas Roadhouse, of the Tilbury East plains, sold all of his farm stock and implements by auction yesterday. McCoig & Harrington were the auctioneers. In conversation with a Planet reporter this morning, Mr. Roadhouse said:

"The whole of the plains are completely flooded and in many places whole farms are covered with water. When we arrived at Mr. Roadhouse's farm we were met by a man in rubber boots. We drove to the barn and found that the road between, the gate and the barn and also the one between the barn and the house were covered by a foot of water. We held the sale, however, but when we went to dinner we had to jump in the buggy and be drawn to the house by a couple of men in rubber boots. The water covers the plains in hundreds of places, but not much difficulty is experienced in travelling."

MAKER OF BANK NOTES.

English Firm Which for Generations Has Made the Government Paper.

The death is announced of Mr. Melville Portal, at his residence, Laverstoke House, Michelleville, Hants, at the age of eighty-four.

Mr. Portal was head of the famous firm which for generations has manufactured at Laverstoke the paper on which Bank of England notes are printed, and a curious story is told in Hampshire in connection with that circumstance.

The founder of the family was Henri Portal, a descendant of some French Huguenots who were banished in 1711 at Winchester. Henri Portal, seeking a means of subsistence, built a paper mill on the River Test at Laverstoke, and owing partly to the peculiarity in the water of the Test paper of so fine a quality was turned out that the Bank of England granted to Henri Portal the privilege of making its bank-note paper.

When his descendant, John Portal was lying mortally ill in the late forties, the story goes that John's two sons, Melville and William, were given their choice of his property, and the former took the paper mill and the latter the estates.

The second son (now Sir Wyndham Portal, for he was created a baronet in 1901), found his property continuously dwindling in value, while Melville's mills brought in enormous riches.

The late Sir Gerald Portal, who made a famous name in connection with the development of Uganda, was a son of Mr. Melville Portal.

Let the White Folks settle it.

When Booker T. Washington was asked whether northerners or southerners were responsible for the introduction of slavery he told this story: "An old colored man had a pig which he sold for \$3. Later the pig escaped and came back home. Another white man came along, and Uncle Zeke sold him the pig for another \$3. When the two purchasers met they were angry and went back to settle it. 'Uncle Zeke, didn't you sell me the pig for \$3 at 9 o'clock?' said one. 'Sho I did, massa.' 'Didn't I pay you \$3 for it at 12 o'clock?' said the other. 'Sho you did massa.' 'Well, then, what are you going to do about it?' 'Sakes alive!' said Uncle Zeke. 'Can't you white folks settle that question between yo'selves?'"

Knock-down for Sir Wilfrid Lawson.

Sir Wilfrid Lawson, the eminent English temperance leader, says that he never received a knock-down till, spying a laborer walking along with the old familiar black bottle protruding from his pocket, he entered into conversation with him, and pointed out the misery which had resulted from the bottle, and earnestly exhorted the man to free himself from its control. The man was so overcome that he took out the receptacle, and emptied the liquor into the road. Sir Wilfrid's face beamed with pleasure, and, handing the man sixpence, he said, "Take that; it will buy you something better." The man, to the disgust of Sir Wilfrid, entered a public-house and spent the sixpence in beer. The liquor he had thrown away was cold sea.

Patient—Well, I'm unable to sleep; can't eat, my bones ache, my head is splitting, and I have a high fever.
Doctor—Otherwise, however, you feel quite well!

SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE

I am glad to see that the School Board realize that there is no place like Canada.

"We can do without the help of the United States," said the School Board to the Committee.

A Southern judge doesn't have to be bound by precedent, because he can dispense justice as he "chewes."

The Satellite went to church Sunday—that's how he knew about the Public General Hospital Society meeting.

Perhaps the Banner thought that the announcement of the Hospital Society meeting was a hoax, and they would be the "Pony bunch" this time.

Imagine the dignity of the Southern bench, when the judge sits and takes a little diversion now and then by squirting the juice into a spittoon ten feet away.

Stupendous solemn sobs of salty silent sympathy sloop seductively over my stationery as I swiftly soliloquise upon the fate that has applied my smart friend Bill to a slumbering sheet. Bill's too clever for his company.

Truly, in North Carolina justice works in a mysterious way her wondrous to perform. A man gets 30 years for murdering his three children—10 years apiece, and a colored man gets suspended for stealing. Then the people of the United States cry out for a solution of the race problem.

The Banner contained a report of Monday night's Council meeting in Wednesday's issue, and will probably have a report of the meeting of the Hospital Society on Wednesday next. This strenuous life of hunting up funny dead men is too much for the Banner.

My friend the Crown Attorney has issued his second volume of his directory for the criminals of Kent County. It tells them where they can get arrested, who is authorized to arrest them, where they can get tried and by whom. It also contains a lot of other useful information including the councils, County and City, and the C. C. I. Board.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

The hardest man in the city is Stone, the roughest man is Bill, the lightest man in the city is Downie, the most unpopular man is Dunn, the man of quality is Merritt, the fairest man is Ronde, the darkest man is Knight, the biggest fish is Pike, the greatest pedlar is the pedlar, the sweetest tone is ball, the coldest man is Frost, the oldest man is Gray, the most genial man is Pleasant, the greatest man is Crow, the best musician is Harper, the baseball player is Corne, the man with a trade is Taylor, the man to be handled with care is Glass, the infant of the city is Baby, the man whose name is in everybody's mouth is Great Scott, the piscatorial genius is Fisher, the man who is all there is Holman, the man who would be handy in a rowboat is Orr, the man with the rejuvenated fish story is Stringer, the man who is always undernourished is Burrows, the man with the magic touch is Wands, the man with an eye for the Satellite column is Bird, and the gloomiest man is J. N. Dumps.

A BROAD STATEMENT.

This announcement is made without any qualifications. Hem-Roid is the one preparation in the world that guarantees it.

Hem-Roid will cure any case of Piles in the form of a tablet. It is the only Pile remedy used internally.

It is impossible to cure an established case of Piles with ointments, suppositories, injections, or outward appliances.

A guarantee is issued with every package of Hem-Roid, which contains a month's treatment.

Go and talk to your druggist about it.
Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co., Central Drug Store, Chatham.

RICH OIL WELL

Leamington, Ont., March 1.—The new oil well owned by the Leamington Oil Company, who are interested, proved to be the richest yet struck. The drill had penetrated the rock only nine feet when the oil spouted in a six-inch stream over the derrick about 60 feet high. The well is now producing over 150 barrels per day and the oil is of the finest quality. The company intend to drill deeper into the oil rock, which will greatly increase the flow. The well is situated one mile east of the town on the Rymal farm, where the fatal nitro-glycerine explosion took place last fall.

COLDS ARE DANGEROUS.

How often you hear it remarked: "It's only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is of such common occurrence that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. It always cures and is pleasant to take. For sale by All Druggists.

Make chums of your wife and children and know the whole charm of home.

A JOURNEY OF PLEASURE.

The Wabash-West Shore route is the quick and comfortable one to use to New York. See your ticket agent.

You Know the House for Spring Goods The Gordon Store

Mark what we say — if you read, you're sure to heed.

SPRING DRESS GOODS	LACE CURTAINS	CORSETS, ETC.
FLECKED TWEED SUITINGS Green, blue and fawn, 44 inch wide, very special per yard.....50c.	A GORDON SPECIALTY new on. The beststock we ever offered, which is saying a great deal, per pair 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00 and up.	TWO SPECIAL LINES 1.—A white straight front, bias cut, best of correct Jean, dollar goods at 69c.
VICTORIA SUITINGS All wool, navy, blue, grey and fawn, new design, per yard.....50c.	BETTER VALUES THAN EVER and finer patterns in Resilience, Irish Point, Battenburg, etc., Curtain Nets, Brussels, Fish Net, Madras, etc.	2.—A DRAB CORSET Straight front, bias filled, best materials, \$1.00 and \$1.25 values at69c.
CREPE DE CHENE 44 inch, cream, grey, blue, pink, navy, reseda, very choice.	WHITE BED SPREADS Just as prime values as when cotton was at its lowest, from 65c to \$2 each.	MILITARY HIP Steel filled corsets, Tape girdles, Empire shape corsets, 3 line lines per pr 50c.
IMPERIAL DOTTED SUITINGS 46 inch wide, navy, green, black, The latest, per yard.....\$1.25	SPRING DRESS SKIRTS—MODELS Every garment a prize at \$1.75, \$2.45, \$3 up to \$10. You save the making price.	SPRING IMPORTS—EMBROIDERIES Very dainty and very special, in patterns and in values, from 5c to 50c yd.
CLUNY INSERTIONS All widths, in silk, from 25c upward. Dress trimmings and linings at old prices.	STANDARD FASHION SHEETS AND DESIGNERS FOR MARCH William Gordon	LADIES' FANCY STOCK COLLARS Newest thing out, 25c up. Crumbed Leather Belts and Girdles, every style from 25c up.

BUY SHOES NOW IF EVER.

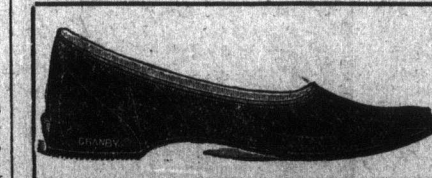
\$20,000 Shoe Stock at Cut Rate.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, we will commence our GREAT SEMI-ANNUAL SALE. The great crowds that always attend our Special Sales (we have but two a year—one at midsummer and the other midwinter) will prove that it is no ordinary event. THIS IS NO CLEANING OUT OF OLD UNDESIRABLE, or JOB LOT SHOES for we haven't any! but it is a BONA-FIDE SELLING OUT OF OUR ENTIRE STOCK. We don't want to carry over a single pair of shoes if we can help it. So we say to our present stock "Get out of the house." Low prices will be the force to move it. For this reason everybody is interested who who wear shoes. Won't these prices interest you?



50 pairs Men's Arctic Overshoes, wool lined, sizes 6-11, sale price, **75c**

Men's Rubbers, all sizes, 6 to 10, sale price, **40c.**



200 pairs Women's Rubbers in sizes, **15c**
2 1/2 to 5, sale price

150 pairs Women's Storm Rubbers **25c**
in sizes 2 1/2 to 6, sale price,



100 pairs Boys' Rubbers, size 1 to 5, sale price, **35c**

Women's High Buttoned Over-shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, sale price, **75c**

20 Per Cent. Cut on all Fine and Medium Weight Shoes; 25 Per Cent. Cut on Rubber Goods; 30 Per Cent. on Winter Goods.

All Men's and Boys' Long Boots, Leather, Rubber or Felt, Peavy, Rubbers and Socks are included in the sale.
SCHOOL SHOES, WORKING MEN'S SHOES, BUSINESS MEN'S SHOES, any DRESS SHOES everything goes at cut rates while the sale lasts.

NOTE—These cut prices apply to SPOT CASH PURCHASES, otherwise the regular price will be charged.

REMEMBER—The Sale opens Wednesday, 24th February, and will close on Saturday, March 5th.

These 10 days will be chuck full of real shoe bargains. You will be made welcome whether you buy or not. Call anyway, and see people get cheap shoes.



Geo. W. Cowan.