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They are the extra good kind—fine bred, small pits and large prunes.

CALIFORNIA PRUNES 3 lbs 25c.

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CALIFORNIA PRUNES 2 lbs 25c.

COOKING APPLES 2 peck.

COOKING FIGS, 4 lbs 25c.

FRESH LETTUCE, 1 lb.

CRISP CELERY, 1 bunch.

Our Mocha and Java CEE will make your breakfast right—40c.

H. Malcolson

NEW YEAR BAKINGS

At the start of the New Year our greatest aim is to clear all our Surplus Stock in order to prepare for Stock-taking.

With that purpose view we start on Heating Stoves. Notice this list and notice savings. There are not very many of them, so you had better speak quickly.

2 Base Burners, rear \$35.00, now \$31.50.

1 Base Burner, rear 40.00, now \$36.00.

1 Base Burner, rear \$45.00, now \$40.50.

3 "Hot Blast" Hets, regular \$18.00, now \$16.00.

1 "Hot Blast" Het, regular \$16.00, now \$14.00.

2 "Hot Blast" Hets, regular \$14.00, now \$12.00.

"Quebec" Het (very powerful), regular \$12.00, now \$10.00.

"Quebec" Het (very powerful), regular \$10.00, now \$8.00.

These were all bought before the 5 per cent. jump in prices of a month ago, so you are in reality saving 5 per cent. less than the cuts in the regular prices.

J. C. Wadless,
THE UP-TO-DATE
HARDWAREMAN

39 cents

Saturday, the 29th of December, we shall sell—

50c. Pails of Choice Thamesville Apple Butter for 39c.

7-lbs. Pails of Jam, 58c.

8 lbs. of Broken Sweet Biscuits for 25c.

6 Bars of Quick Naptha Soap, 25c.

5 Doz. Clothes Pins for 5c.

Cooking Figs 6c. per lb.

8 lbs. of Old Select Raisins for 25c.

7 lbs. Fresh Rolled Oats, 25c.

20 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.

Fresh Pork Sausage, 10c. per lb.

Crockery and China

Our Crockery and China are clearing out quick at 75c. on the dollar. If you want a bargain you will have to hurry.

JOHN MCCONNELL,
PARK ST. PHONE 190

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National Portland Cement
THE CEMENT OF QUALITY
ONE GRADE—THE
HIGHEST.

Also Lime, Plaster,
Sewer Pipe, Fire
Brick, &c., at
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Bank Department Deposits (which may be
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W. T. SHANNON Manager Chatham Branch

TO-NIGHT

Prayer meeting, in city churches,
at 8.

Court Hope, 824, A. O. F., in their
hall at 8.

Morris-Thurston Company, at the
Briscoe Opera House at 8.15.

There will be a meeting of the Ju-
venile Foresters, in their hall at 8
o'clock.

Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F.,
in their rooms, Oddfellows' Temple,
at 8.

Regular meeting Parthenon Lodge,
No. 267, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., Ma-
sonic Temple, King St., at 7.30.

LOCAL

Smoke Lord Lake Cigar—10c.
Smoke Quail on Toast Cigar—5c.
Charles F. Campbell, of Fletcher,
was a city visitor Saturday.

Gold stamping on books or leather
goods done at The Planet Office.

Jas. W. Campbell, of Stewart, was
in the city on business Saturday.

Mrs. W. T. Smith, of Blenheim, is
the guest of Miss Lottie E. Hulin,
Grand avenue.

Mrs. John Smith is the guest of
her sister, Mrs. Alex. McDougall,
Cross street.

Miss Pearl Maggs will resume her
classes of piano, Monday, Jan. 7th.
Studio, Joseph St.

Miss Lillian Blackburn, of Wind-
sor, is spending the holidays with
Miss Dot Smith, Raleigh street.

Dr. E. O. Millay, Osteopath, of De-
troit, at the Garner House each Tues-
day and Saturday afternoon and even-
ing.

Bridge, Whist, Five Hundred,
Duplicate Whist and Progressive
Eachers Score Cards for sale at The
Planet Office.

Go with the crowd and enjoy your-
self. Good show at the Opera House
this week. Prices only 10, 20 and 30
cents.

Oecil Moore, late of Massey's gro-
cery, commences his duties this week
as traveller for the Perrin Biscuit
Co., of London.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walters have
returned home after spending the
holidays with Mrs. S. P. Kennon, of
Detroit.

"Hand of Man" to-night; new spec-
ialties, moving pictures and illus-
trated songs. Prices only 10, 20 and
30 cents.

Miss Mae Pierce, of Sarnia, has re-
turned home after spending the hol-
idays with Miss Otta Belle Poile, Bal-
lough street.

George McLaughlin, formerly with
the Beehive here, now of Detroit, is
spending a few days with relatives
in the city.

Mrs. Fred Austin and son and
daughter, from Toronto, are visiting
her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
James Austin, 79 Harvey street.

Choice canned coal for grates, Mas-
sillon and Pocahontas lump for range.
Have you tried them? Some dry pine
kindling cheap. Call us up. Flem-
ing, Tillson & Co., phone 58 or 270.

Bert Wemp, of Toronto, who spent
yesterday in the city, left this after-
noon for home. He intends to stop
off at Chatham—Windsor Record.

The Bloomfield Sunday school in-
vite their friends and the public to a
gospel temperance rally Sunday at
2.30 in the school house. Rev. Mr.
Rutledge and others will give ad-
dresses.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Moore and two
children were the guests of Mr. M.
Moore, Park St., over New Year's.
Mr. Moore is now managing a can-
ning factory for a syndicate in Wel-
land.

Christmas bells at Crump's at the
following low prices—Small 10c., me-
dium 5c., large 8c. Holly wreaths
15c. each, with pinecones 30c. Order
early, as quantity is limited. See
our fine stock of fresh candies.

Always packed houses, show always
pleases, specialties and moving pic-
tures the best. To-night the "Hand
of Man" played by the Morris-Thur-
ston Company. Prices only 10, 20 and
30 cents.

For the best ice cream and sweet
cream, place your orders with the
Maple Leaf Creamery. Special atten-
tion given to Christmas orders.
Phone 242. Prompt delivery.

Mrs. Geo. Williams and family, of
Detroit, have returned home after
spending Christmas with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Zink, Park street.
Miss Ella Zink accompanied her back
to Detroit.

Mr. W. A. Cameron, leader of the
McMaster Evangelical Band, preach-
ed two of the finest sermons ever
heard in William C. Church, Sun-
day. Despite the bad weather there
were good attendances, morning and
evening.

The news of the death of Mr. Let-
son Cox, of Victoria, Australia, has
been received. He died on October 8.
Though it is many years since Mr.
Cox emigrated to Australia, he will
be remembered by the older settlers
of Kent County.

Miss Grace Cameron, of Calgary,
has been the guest this week of
Mrs. Bulyea at Government House.
A little bird has whispered that her
marriage to Mr. Geo. Stockland, of
Edmonton, is to take place the first
week in January, so that we are to
have the pleasure of welcoming her
as a permanent resident in the very
near future.—Edmonton News. Miss
Cameron formerly resided in Chatham.

\$10.00

This week we
will offer \$12.00,
\$13.50 to \$15.00

Suits

FOR

\$10.00 ! !

Men's, Youths, &
Young Men's.

SEE OUR WINDOW
FOR DISPLAY . . .

Geo. Meynell

3 Doors West from Market.

King St., Chatham

The installation of officers of Court
Hope, A. O. F., takes place this even-
ing.

V. J. Bosworth, Jr., Stratford, spent
New Year's with his parents, Wil-
liam street.

Mrs. John McKie and daughters,
Etta and Lena, spent New Year's
day in Detroit.

Miss Annie Patterson, Brantford,
spent New Year's with her aunt, Mrs.
Douglas, William street.

The stork arrived at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. (Dr.) Parsons, of Cleve-
land, leaving a baby boy.

Miss Flossie Beaul and Miss Carrie
Kelly have returned home from Both-
well, where they have been visiting
for a few days.

Walter Dolman received to-day a
Christmas pudding from his sister in
England. It was three weeks on the way.

Hear Edith Parsons, the greatest
lady trombonist, in Trumpet Flowers
and Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep
in First Presbyterian church on Fri-
day night, No. 2 of the Lyceum
Course.

HAND OF MAN

The play "The Hand of Man," one of the
Morris-Thurston Company's best pro-
ductions. Prices only 10-20-30 cents.

ANNUAL MEETING

A meeting of the members of the
Raleigh Agricultural Society will be
held in the Foresters' Hall, Baxton,
for the election of officers for cur-
rent year, on Wednesday, Jan. 9th,
1907, at 1.30 p. m.

A. H. WHITE,
Secretary.



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fortable collar for day wear any-
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puff collar. 2 1/2 in. at back. Made in
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Four sizes to the inch, instead
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CAPS AT 49c.

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KING STREET

BANK PROBERS

Commissioner Angus Investigates the
Dealings of Charles McGill With
New York Stock Brokers.

New York, Jan. 2.—Commissioner
George Angus of Toronto Monday be-
gan his examination here of the brok-
ers who were thought to have had
business dealings with Charles Mc-
Gill, former manager of the now sus-
pended Ontario Bank of Toronto, with
a view to arriving at a solution of the
mystery as to what became of the \$1-
150,000 which McGill is charged with
having embezzled from the bank dur-
ing his management.

The work of Commissioner Angus
will be probably extended over the
rest of this week.

The meetings began in the office of
Governor Charles E. Hughes, and
were continued in the offices of brok-
ers who had been subpoenaed in the
case. Nine brokerage houses are to
be examined.

Monday Commissioner Angus saw
W. H. Goadby & Co.'s representative,
Charles T. Kilbourne, who said that
his house had had no dealings what-
ever with McGill.

Arthur C. Vaughan, representing
Cuyler, Morgan & Co., was one of
those whose statement had not been
prepared. It will be read to-day, when
further hearings will be held. He said
his firm had had dealings with Mc-
Gill and received moneys to his credit.

He was asked to what amount, and
he said he could not say without re-
ference to the complete statement of
McGill's dealings, which his firm fur-
nished to Marwick, Mitchell & Co.,
accountants of New York, acting for
the Bank of Montreal.

The total amount involved was \$231,000. Mr.
Vaughan said the money came to his
firm through the Fourth National
Bank, and it was placed to McGill's
credit for a number of years. Stocks
were purchased with the money. He
could not say off-hand if all the moneys
were lost or not. Certain moneys
were paid to his order. "He drew
drafts on us and we paid them," all
moneys received by us were for the
personal credit of Charles McGill.

Mr. Vaughan said McGill had been
in the office, but not often. They ac-
cused often by wire.

The witness said McGill never men-
tioned the Ontario Bank, and for all
the firm knew, he dealt with his own
money exclusively.

"In the books of the Ontario Bank
McGill sent \$231,000 to this firm, and
McGill's account was closed by the
Bank of Montreal paying Cuyler, Mor-
gan & Co. \$22,755.62, and taking 600
shares of Minneapolis & St. Louis
Railway common stock," Mr. Vaughan
secured the statement from the ac-
countants and Mr. Corley arranged to
get a copy of it.

Joseph Laidlaw of Laidlaw & Co.,
said that his house had an account
with McGill, but that when it be-
came active he enquired regarding
McGill's connections, and when he
learned that the latter was a bank
manager he asked him to close the ac-
count, which he did.

W. M. Donald of Donald, Morgan
& Co., said that the statement of that
house had not been prepared.

Oliver Hart, representing Charles
Head & Co., said that McGill had
carried two accounts with his house,
one in his own name and one in the
name of the Ontario Bank. On Nov.
10, 1905, after the defalcations had
been discovered, Mr. Hart said Mc-
Gill's balance was \$16,827, which was
turned over to the Bank of Montreal,
liquidator.

He that intends to write what is
worthy to be read more than once
should blot out frequently.

WE KEEP BUSY AFTER THE HOLIDAYS

THE GORDON STORE

By the reliability, excellency and style of our goods. By prices that pull on peo-
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pleased, profited and plenty.

Shaker Flannels

A case of 50 Shakers just in, the best in
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Mill Ends of white only, up from 5c.

800 Lbs. English Prints

Lengths 1 to 12 yards, all colors and styles,
from 7c to 10c per yard.
English Turkey Red Paisley Prints, yard
wide, warranted, at 12 1/2c.

Wrapperettes

We reduce some fine Wrapper patterns to
clear our shelves, to 9c.

Blankets

Grey or White Cotton Fleece, 75c to \$1.25.
Grey or White Wool Blankets, per pair
\$1.80 to \$7.50.

Get Standard Fashion Sheets
for January

Get January Designer 10c

Clean Up Sale in Tweeds

15 pieces New Fall Tweeds, plaid effects,
novelties, etc., for costumes or children's wear,
regular 50c, 60c and 75c per yard, at 43c.

25 Ends of Tweeds, Scotch, homespun,
Plaids, Fancy Mixtures, Etc., regular 85c, \$1,
\$1.25, \$1.50 to \$2.50, sale 59c.

Costume Tweeds, for school dresses, good
weight, mixed shades of garnet and navy,
special sale 22c.

Remnant Sale

General clean up of all sorts in Ends of
Dress Goods, lots of handsome pieces for waists,
children's wear and skirts, come for a first
choice, marked about Half Price.

Ladies' Coats cut to the bone in price to clear.

Fine Furs, all the profit skinned off to the customers.

Silks !

Silks !

Chiffon Taffetas, Messalines, Louisines and Satin Mervilleux Silks 50c, reg. 75c.

85c and \$1.00 Silks, our great sale price

50 cents

WILLIAM GORDON

ALL RIGHT FOR RALEIGH

Leaving Ennisworth County, Wex-
ford, Ireland, at the foot of Vinegar
Hill, in August, and landing on the
9th concession the first week in Oc-
tober, 1848, I consider myself a Ral-
eigh old boy, and as such will ask
and receive from our old friend The
Chatham Plane in its first issue for
1907 the privilege to greet all my
friends in their churches, lodges and
homes with the best wishes of "my
heart for their temporal and eternal
welfare. Now as a very important
factor in the welfare, prosperity and
progress of your township, I would
have you devoutly consider the op-
portunity given you by the Pro-
vidence of God to again record your
vote suppressing the manufacture and
sale of strong drink in your mun-
cipality. How well we can remember
what a scourge those little country
taverns were, dotting like death's
millestones our leading roads and
schooling our youth in their first
lessons in bar room etiquette. Many
a parent has spent sleepless nights
while their boys were thus engaged,
and I am sorry to say many a hand-
some boy and girl have mourned
over in their hearts at a father's
absence who beset and allured, from
his home love through the drink often
by the mistaken fellowship of the
treating habit so common in those
early days. You have had a season
since your last voted of exemption
from all this thanks to your ballots,
and you know whether Raleigh has
been a gainer or a loser; has not a
kind Providence smiled on your town-
ship? If as He let you suffer for
the stand you have taken? Other
places have felt His chastening hand
while your township has been spared.
We must always remember He
gathereth the winds in His fists and
holdeth the waters in the hollow of
His hand, and although "He maketh
His sun to rise on the evil and the
good and sendeth rain on the just
and the unjust," yet when we are
assured that the drink traffic is one
of Satan's subtle schemes to rob, ruin
and damn men (European nations
now are taking united steps to pro-
tect the native Africans from its
curse) yet those caught in its toils
are not the only sufferers, but all
who promote its use and abuse are
equally to be pitied, for they are and
often unwittingly blinded (by what
they consider their interests) to their
own and their loved ones highest and
eternal welfare and are worse suf-
ferers than the very men and homes
they help to demoralize. New every
man, woman and child can witness
against this trade in drink, but es-
pecially every voter, who next Mon-
day will have given him by the en-
lightened Government under which
God hath placed us, an opportunity
of saying (by his personal example,
his practical energy and his honest
ballot) which side he considers will
promote most effectively the welfare
of all my old and young friends in
a life of "Faith, Hope and Charity."
Cast your ballot on Monday for God
and humanity and it will be all right
for Raleigh.

First Cost is Last Cost and Only Cost.

SLEEP full of rest from head to feet is
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The only Patent Elastic Felt Mattress, made of the purest and cleanest
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"THE STAR"—Felt Mattress, filled with the purest Carded Cotton
Felt, for \$9.00.

No other Mattress is as good as "The Star," except the Ostermoor. As
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There is nothing better

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House Slippers for a
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Men's Fancy Velvet Slippers,
all sizes, 75c to \$1.00.

Men's Leather Slippers, all
sizes, 75c to \$3.50.

Men's Leather Elastic Side
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Men's Women's and Children's
Felt House Slippers, Fancy and
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