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MEN'S HATS.

We announce the arrival of the spring styles in Derby and Fedoras. The variety of proportions in brims and crowns insures to every one a becoming selection. A close study of the points, which tend to highest perfection, has made The Two T's. Hats widely recognized for their high standard of quality and style correctness.

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Over the Bee Hive.
Phone 137

THE LOCAL BUDGET

John Biggott & Sons, has on hand for sale, 600,000 brick.

Fraser Shambelan went to Detroit yesterday afternoon.

Pineapples, Cucumbers, Celery, Lettuce, at Northwood's.

Bargain Sale of Glassware on Saturday, at The Ark. See window.

Mrs. Frank Babcock, of Hotel Sanita, is visiting in Toronto.

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The civic pay sheets for the past week amounted to \$77.75.

F. H. Laird of Dresden, called on his Chatham friends yesterday.

New shoes at cut prices, at Campbell's shoe sale.

Miss Gertrude Potter is visiting friends in Oshawa.

Mrs. J. L. Fox, of Cleveland, is registered at the Sanitarium.

A. B. Hunter, of Ridgeway, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

California Naval Oranges, 25c dozen at Northwood's.

Dr. A. W. Thornton, is spending a couple of days in London. He speaks often on Ireland and the Irish.

Seedling Oranges, just in, 25c per dozen at Northwood's.

A. G. T. B. long distance telephone has been placed in the local railway depot and connects with London.

Orlo Willson, who has been in the Public General Hospital for some time, left yesterday.

New spring styles in new Sterling hats at The 2 T's to-morrow.

Frank Wellman, the piano virtuoso, at Toronto, and Miss Carrie Estelle Williams, of Detroit, will be heard in concert here soon.

The Mackinac bridge over Indian Creek last back of the cemetery, was under water yesterday, and Will McGeachy had to drive around several miles before he could get to Chatham.

The Planet job room received a shipment of over 7,000 lbs. of fine writing paper from England this week instead of 3,000 as formerly mentioned. The stock is used in the blank book department.

In the Planet's account of the Hospital Society meeting, the statement was made that the first subscription was taken up on the 6th of January, 1891. The first subscription for the hospital was really taken up a year earlier, in January, 1890.

Warren Lambert calls attention to the condition of the sidewalk in front of St. Andrew's Church. He says that all who have occasion to pass that way complain, and with reason. The people who don't pay taxes are the ones who can't afford to clean the sidewalks.

Mrs. Sydney Stephenson and Dr. Geo. McKeough are the happy recipients of two beautiful works on art—'Delight the Soul of Art' and 'Personal Reminiscences of Whistler', from Mrs. Jerome Eddy, of Flint, Mich., the mother of the distinguished author of the works, Arthur Jerome Eddy, formerly a resident of Chatham. Both books are recent acquisitions to art literature and are most highly spoken of by the critics.

Something Nice...

About 3 or 4 New Stock of Stationery. Let us show you through anytime you are down town and have a few minutes to spare. Something to interest you if you are fond of nice

Note Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Ink, Penholders, Writing Pads, Note Books. See our box of 'IMITY' Paper and Envelopes at 30 cents.

A. I. McCall & Co.

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Druggists and Opticians.
CHATHAM and DRESDEN.

JAP ATTACK ON YIN KOW

Continued From 1st Page.

Yin Kow, March 3.—The Russo-Chinese bank is closing, preparatory to removing to Mukden. Women and children are preparing to leave Yin Kow in anticipation of the arrival of a Japanese fleet, which is expected when the river opens, probably a fortnight hence. The United States gunboat Helena and the British cruiser Esmeralda are making preparations to leave the drydocks in a week's time.

The mainmast of the Russian gunboat Sivoutch has been cut off; this would indicate that she is being dismantled, but otherwise she would appear to be clearing for action.

On account of the impossibility of defending the coast at Yin Kow until such time as a thaw permits the construction of entrenchments and forts, the Russians have prepared to retire up the main railroad line. There are practically no defenses here, and although the shifting and re-shifting of troops and artillery to the small forts at the mouth of the Liao river has the appearance of an intention to defend Yin Kow, the military authorities depend upon an inland engagement to put a stop to the Japanese advance.

As far as is yet known the only plan decided upon is, first that Gen. Kuropatkin's headquarters are to be at Mukden; Viceroy Alexieff proposes to remain at Mukden indefinitely, as that city is the centre of the Chinese administration and has a vice-royal bureau; second, that the plain west of Tashiohiao, which is almost impossible of defence, will be held if possible on account of railway connection with Port Arthur; third, Hai-Ching and Liao-Yang are the extreme limits to which troops will be withdrawn on account of the exposure of the railroad at these points.

That the Japanese will arrive before a thaw permits the construction of defenses is thought here to be practically certain. It would appear also that the authorities expect Port Arthur to be besieged.

Sir Herbert Hart, director of Chinese imperial maritime customs, after consulting Russian opinion in the matter, has ordered the Chinese custom lightship and the channel buoy to be placed at the river mouth as usual. This step, however, has no effect upon the neutralization of New Chwang.

What that wounds is the cruel surgery of speech.

The pearl of patience grows in the shell of pain.

Minard's Liniment Cures Rheumatism.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker, Northwood Block, Chatham, March 4, 1904.

Wheat—OPK. HIGH. LOW. CLOS.

May (old)..... 96 97 99 96 97

July (new)..... 912 914 914 928

Sept. (new)..... 882 874 884 861

Oats—

May..... 52 53 52 53

July..... 51 52 51 52

Sept..... 50 51 50 51

Rye—

May..... 40 41 40 41

July..... 38 40 38 39

Sept..... 34 34 34 34

Pork—

May..... 1420 1430 1380 1392

July..... 1432 1442 1390 1407

Lard—

May..... 722 725 720 725

July..... 740 750 735 737

Ribs—

May..... 725 735 705 707

July..... 735 745 720 722



ON THE SLY

many people who deny they have a sweet tooth buy a box or package of our delicious

CONFECTORERY

and enjoy it all by themselves.

It is simply irresistible. Every piece tastes like more. Unlike some candy much of it can be eaten without fear of harmful results. The ingredients are absolutely pure and confectionery is made in scrupulously clean work shop by our own hands.

Willard McKay's,

Cafe and Confectionery.

Meals and Lunches at all hours. Open Sundays

Garner Block and Cor.

Queen and Richmond St.

FIERCE ALPINE EAGLES.

They Are Ferocious in Their Attacks on Wayfarers.

The Maritime Alps of Eastern France have been noted for being the lair of the most ferocious and powerful breed of eagles in existence.

Children innumerable have been carried off by them, and they even attack adults on occasions; sometimes with dire results.

A postman named Gustave Silvan, who carried the mails on foot between the villages of Sospello and Puget Théniers, was set upon while crossing the pass by three large birds and frightfully injured.

He managed to drive off his assailants with the aid of his alpenstock, and eventually reached his destination with his bag of letters. But his case, was from the first regarded as hopeless by the local doctors, and after lingering in indescribable agony for six days he succumbed to his wounds.

Meanwhile two young French tourists, Messrs. Joseph Monand and Antoine Neyssel, went up into the mountains to try to kill the bird that had done the damage and were savagely attacked in their turn. Both men were armed, but the sudden onslaught of the huge winged creatures completely unnerved them, and after firing only one shot they tried to escape by running.

The birds, however, struck them down ere they had gone many yards, and they would have doubtless been both torn to pieces where they lay but for the opportune arrival of a party of shepherds.

These succeeded in rescuing Mr. Neyssel alive, but terribly injured, he having sustained no fewer than ten severe wounds in the head and back, besides innumerable minor lacerations and abrasions.

His companion Mr. Monand, was killed outright early in the fray. Mr. Neyssel recovered after six weeks in bed, but is disfigured for life.

The Russians in Manchuria.

Again and yet again you are impressed with the fact that the Russian soldier in Manchuria is a laboring man first and a military man afterward. It is an item not to be overlooked—indeed, the Russian soldier must be most carefully considered by those who are estimating the forces influencing the course of events. No soldier is too heavy for him; no hardship is too hard a hardship at all. He will fell trees, excavate ditches, build houses, with the same good humor with which he will go into action where wounds and death are his sure reward.

In Manchuria there are three classes of the Russian soldier: the Cossack first, then the railway guard and then numbers of that host of which the Russian army is composed, the common soldier of the army—Russian Advance.

Woodwork Worth \$100,000.

Many years ago the oak fittings of Winchester College, England, were sold for less than \$5,000 to a clergyman in Cornwall. There were panelings, seats, chimney-pieces and other work all richly carved by the famous London carvers.

London Truth says that this collection of priceless carving has now been sold for \$100,000 to a Mr. Cooper, who last year purchased Hursley Park, the ancestral seat of the Heathcotes, where it will find an appropriate home. About the same time that the college oak was sold the dean and chapter disposed of some of the cathedral fittings, including the famous oak screen erected by Bishop Grelaway. This, almost priceless treasure is also supposed to be somewhere in Cornwall.

Australian Lieutenant-Governor.

The London Gazette states that the King has been pleased to appoint the Right Honorable Sir Hugh Muir Nelson, K.C.M.G., president of the Legislative Council of the State of Queensland, to be Lieutenant-Governor of that State and its dependencies. This seems to indicate a rather notable departure in the Imperial attitude toward the Lieutenant-Governorship of Australia. An advantage over the Canadian system was that a Lieutenant-Governor was Imperial officer and a Federal appointee. But if the Imperial authorities intend to select local politicians, however worthy and eminent, for these posts, the value of impartiality and aloofness from domestic prejudices will be lost.

The Size of the Moon.

As seen by different persons, the size of the moon varies from that of a pea to that of a silver dollar. To many it seems about a foot in diameter, from which Professor Young concludes that to the average man the distance of the surface of the sky is about 110 feet. It is certain that artists usually represent the moon much too large in size in their paintings. Occasionally they represent it in evening scenes with the horns turned downward instead of upward, whereas they must always point away from the sun. The true angular size of the moon is about half a degree, so that it can always be concealed behind a lead pencil held at arm's length.

For Keady Legs.

One of my hens was afflicted with scaly legs which got so bad that she became very lame. I mixed equal quantities of kerosene and lard and wet the legs thoroughly with it on three different days. It looked the scales so that they came off in quite large pieces, revealing a large sore on the lame leg. I applied a sharp knife and bound it up. The scales all came off, leaving her legs as clean as ever.—Mrs. J. L. Marvin.

For Naggies.

Never keep a nag in a cage. It will wramp every energy of her body and of her mind. Her tail, which is her greatest ornament, will be ruined, and the nag without her tail is only a ghastly parody of herself. Keep her out of the house by all means.

YOUNG'S

Trade at Young's

FISH

Fresh Sea Herring, small but very tasty. Fresh Haddock, a salt water fish, very white meat and fine eating. Boil it!

Smoked Yarmouth Bloaters! Cod fish, the whole fish skinned and boned.

Cod fish in 1 and 2-lb. blocks.

New Dried Herring, about 3 dozen in box, tasty.

Lake Luron Trout in pickle, either by the keg or any quantity you want.

Labrador Herring, extra choice fish.

HONEY

Choice, Clear, Clover Honey.—A Bargain! Two sections for 25c.

Geo. A. Young

OUR GROCER. PHONE 151

Heaven help the man whose friends are all enemies.

A godly heart is better than a golden tongue.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—At once, dressmaker, apprentices and improvers. Apply to Mrs. Johnston, over Young's Grocery. Sdlw.

FOR RENT—House on Raleigh street, ten rooms, modern conveniences, immediate possession. Apply to John Piggott & Sons, lumbermen, King street. 10t

Horses Wanted.

The undersigned will be at W. D. Sheldon's office and stable, Sixth St., Chatham, on Saturday, March 5th, Wednesday, March 9th, and Saturday, March 12th, to buy a carload of good sound Carriage Horses, ranging from 13-4 to 16-1 hands high, from 5 to 7 years old, suitable for the Old Country market.

F. DUNBAR, Glasgow, Scotland.

TENDERS

ELECTRIC ENGINEER

Tenders will be received by the City Clerk up to 4 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, MARCH 7th, 1904, for the position of Engineer at the City Electric Works. Applicants to state salary.

JOHN EDMONDSON, Chairman Property Committee

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This amount, says the New York Times, is spent annually in the United States, for advertising.

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can train you in spare time for this profitable position of ad. writer

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FOR SALE

Brick House and One-Half Acre of Land for sale. House contains seven rooms, summer kitchen, basement, laundry, city water, etc., small stable and chicken house.

Is Your House Insured?

The rates are low, and the advantages are many. Better drop us a card or call up phone 295.

DUNN & MERRITT, Fifth Street, 1st Door Off King Street, Phone 295.

Invitation Cards, Programmes, Pencils, etc., can always be obtained at THE PLANET Office.

Up-to-date Millinery. C. Austin & Co. Fashionable Dressmaking.

Saturday, Mar. 5

Attention

A Demonstration of Sensational Value Giving in

Men's and Youths' Suits

—\$3.95 Your choice \$3.95—

See East Show Window Saturday.



50 MEN'S and Youths' sack suits, in single and double breasted, size 32 to 44, in honest wearing, all wool tweeds, well lined and made, suits that have sold all season at \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50, we have grouped them all together and they go on sale Saturday morning at

\$3.95

LAST CALL TO-MORROW

Overcoats

All our men's winter overcoats are now on sale at \$7.50, regular values at \$10, \$12 to \$15. We need the room and have put this exceedingly low price on them to make a quick clearance. Note the price, your choice of any coat in the house

\$7.50

See Market St. Window Display.

Women's Neckwear

The spring walking suit or tailored gown demands a fresh, new bit of wear to top it off. The new spring fancies in women's neckwear are the bewildering variety; and we make a special showing to-day at 25c and 50c each.

NECKWEAR AT 25c.

Stock collars of lace, taffeta silk, embroidered linen or wash stocks.

NECKWEAR AT 50c.

Stock collars of lace, taffeta silk, with fancy gold trimmings and natural shades.

Turnover collars in silk, lace and embroidered linen.

AT 15c. UP TO 50c.

Ask to see the latest novelty in ladies' neckwear, the Mexican stock collar.

BELTS AT 25c.

Ladies' Belts in all the popular shades, black, white, red, etc., trimmed with oxidized and brass buckles.

AT 50c.

Ladies' black silk taffeta belts, with all the new trimmings, also white with gold trimmings.

AT 75c.

Ladies' black velvet ribbon, made up with all the newest styles in buckles, set steel, gold, oxidized, etc.

AT 50c.

We carry a large range of belt buckles in all the newest patterns and colorings.

A FEW FACTS CONCERNING

Our Upholstering Dept.

Did it ever occur to you that you could get your furniture recovered at small advance of what it would cost you to do it yourself? If you have the cost work in this line, see our upholstering men and get their estimate of the cost. As we can give more attention to your work NOW than a month hence. It will be to your interest in avoiding delays to get your order in early. We give you a choice of coverings from one of the best assorted stocks in the west, including 15 patterns in velours, 40 patterns of tapestry, 30 pieces of silk tapestry, brocatelles, derby cloths, fabricoid and hair cloths.

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