

WILLIAM FOREMAN & CO. WILLIAM FOREMAN & CO.

Our Millinery Display

This is display week and the Ladies are cordially invited to visit this store. Those who visited this store Monday and Tuesday, and hundreds did, were delighted with our Millinery Display.

NEW DRESS GOODS

We never had such a choice collection of Dress Goods, and that is saying a great deal, for this store is noted for the choice goods that were to be found at this store since the day we first opened our doors to the people of Chatham and vicinity. Positively a choicer collection of Dress Fabrics never graced the counters of any store. Every worthy weave is here and many Exclusive Novelties are among them. We invite your inspection.

William Foreman & Co.

J. L. Campbell Boston Shoe Store J. L. Campbell

All Kinds of Men

Can come here and be fitted, we have the reputation of always fitting comfortably and correctly, and a man can always feel safe in putting

His Feet in Our Hands

Top notch in spring styles, in ideal kid velour calf, box calf and vica kid, to fit every shape, size or width of foot.

All Kinds of Repairing Done while You wait

Try us for your next pair of half soles, rips or patching.

J. L. CAMPBELL, BOSTON SHOE STORE
North Side King Street

"The Ark"

12 Years in Business in Chatham

This week is the celebration of our 12th anniversary of doing business here and as we have enjoyed the confidence of the public for so many years it is our intention to give a

Special Bargain Day, on Saturday, March 29th

All day and evening.
No old stock to run off, but new seasonable goods.
SEE THE LIST:—

On dinner sets, tea sets, toilet sets and berry sets, a discount of 10 per cent. will be made on Bargain Day.

A shipment of new parlor lamps and globes, came in last week, but these also go on sale at the same discount.

"1847" Rodger Bros. silver plated knives, forks and spoons, also the Meriden Britannia silver plated wares will also be sold at 15 per cent. off on Bargain Day.

Clothes wringers, the best guaranteed rubber rollers, reg. \$3.00, for \$2.55.

Bissell's "Crown Jewell" carpet sweeper, with handsome finish, reg. \$3.00, for \$2.00.

Mrs. Pott's nickled plated and irons, reg. \$1.10, for 90c per set.

Express waggons and baby go-carts, for the day at 10 per cent. off regular price. Now is your chance to get one cheap.

Only on Saturday, March 29th, will the above prices exist. It is our celebration and your opportunity to buy.

H. Macaulay, "The Ark"

A FINE HOTEL

Montreal's Hotel De Luxe Operated and Owned by the C. P. R. Company.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's new hotel "The Place Viger," at Montreal, is one of the grandest specimens of architecture to be found anywhere in America.

The Place Viger was recently built by Bruce Rice of New York, a gentleman who is considered to be one of the greatest living hotel designers, and its interior and exterior appearance is a marvel of loveliness; evidence of this bright constructor's cleverness.

It is claimed by the management to be the most luxuriously furnished and modernly appointed hotel of that splendid series of hotels which extend from Quebec to the Pacific Coast, which are all owned and operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway Co.

The cuisine and services of the Place Viger is unsurpassable, the company insisting on that high standard of excellence for which it is noted.

It was at the Place Viger their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales first stopped when visiting Montreal last September, and during the winter the great society people the Bradleys-Martins, late of New York, and now of London, Eng., were guests of this beautiful hostelry. Its register also contains the names of many wealthy leaders of social and of official life from Europe, the United States and Canada.

The air of refinement which is noticeable in the whole establishment, the splendid manner in which this lovely house is conducted along with its historic and charming location, in the centre of the aristocratic residential quarter, has made the Place Viger very popular with the highest class of tourists and travellers who visit Montreal being recognized by these folks as the most select and exclusive quarters in that city.

Theatrical

Looked at from the popular standpoint, "The Telephone Girl," which comes here next Wednesday night, is a very diverting affair indeed. It is bright and frothy and as a vehicle an exceedingly merry amusement and fills out an evening's leisure pleasantly, and the dialogue inserted bears upon a subject which is familiar to nine tenths of the community, and that perhaps enhances its value. Everybody can and does understand it.

The scene in the first act is laid in the operating room of a metropolitan telephone exchange. The girls are ranged around the switchboard, while in the foreground are the desks of the chief operator and the others in charge of the establishment. A great deal is said and done which is a side-splitting exaggeration and burlesque of what really happens in such a place. This sort of thing naturally appeals to the telephone-using part of the population and is expressively comical. The interest never for a moment flags and is continued throughout the second act to the finish. "It is to laugh," to use a hackneyed term, and a amusement is unquestionably done. Frank Blair, as the German inspector, is amazingly funny. He is without doubt the best dialect comedian now on the stage, and in all he does and says he is seen at his best. Miss Mabel Hite, as Estelle, is intensely cunning and chic. In her singing and specialities she is very clever. The others in the company are all efficient and fully sustain the claim for special excellence put forth by the management. Among them are Douglas and Ford, the dancing wonders; Pearl Redding, the dainty comedienne; Tom Smith, Martin, the clever fun-maker; George Austin Moore, Frank Murphy, George Lynne, Alice Sanson, Laurel Atkins, Muriel Ulmer. It is seldom that an organization boasts so many talented performers. The feminine chorus, there are no males in it, has been awarded the heartiest meed of praise. Every individual member is a specialist for her personal beauty. Those who are fond of bright, vivacious performers will not feel like missing "The Telephone Girl."

Reserve seat sale opens to-morrow.

COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision met this morning. Chairman Ward Stanworth, Sheriff Gemmill and G. O. Scott were present.

Re J. G. Grey appeal—Fred Stone appeared, stating that they were willing to pay for the additional strength to the walk, but there was very little filling in done and, at 27c. per square ft., the cost is too high, and the property should not be charged for the retaining wall at the bridge; also the cost of the handrail should be charged to the city alone.

On motion the cost of the handrail was charged to the city.

Re C. B. Atkinson appeal—Mr. Atkinson contended that the city had no right to pass the by-law for the N. S. Sixth St. walk until the work is reported completed, and that the Court of Revision should not consider the assessment until such report is made. Mr. Gemmill moved, seconded by Mr. Scott, that the consideration of the assessment for granolithic walk N. S. Sixth street be deferred until the engineer reports the work as completed.

On motion, 225 ft. of granolithic walk in front of McKeough School be added to the present number of feet as now assessed, same to be added to the city's portion, and the land to be reduced pro rata.

The assessment of Nelson Emery, for a plank walk on S. S. Poplar street, was reduced 24 feet, and the same was added pro rata over the lands and the city assessed for the walk.

The assessment on the lands for the sewer on Head St. was raised \$100 pro rata, the property owners by error having been notified less than amount.

James Carswell was assessed for 32



ft. of the 130 ft. of pte. of lots 157 and 158 N. S. Park St. for the granolithic walk on N. S. Park St., from Prince St. to Henry Weaver's.

THAMESVILLE

Mar. 27.—Mrs. Mober and Miss Adamson went to Detroit to-day. Cyril Munro is home from Toronto for a month's rest.

Misses Podlewski and Causgrove went to Detroit Tuesday night to hear Paderewski.

Messdames G. A. Mayhew and W. Jackman are spending the day in Chatham.

A. E. Pickard and wife of St. Louis, Mo., arrived here yesterday. Mr. Pickard was called home owing to the illness of his brother.

Burglars made an attempt to enter the residence of G. A. Mayhew last night. They had climbed to the roof of the kitchen and were trying to force an entrance through the upstairs windows, when they were discovered and frightened away by Mrs. Mayhew.

David E. Pickard died this morning, at the age of 42 years, after a painful illness of a few weeks. The late Mr. Pickard was the local agent for the Dearing Machinery Co. and had just bought and fitted up a fine warehouse. Mr. Pickard was well known here and highly respected and his many friends will deeply regret his untimely death. He leaves a young widow and one child, Mrs. James Brown is a sister and A. E. Pickard, of St. Louis, and Dr. J. E. Pickard, of Virginia City, Neb., brothers of the deceased. The funeral will take place on Friday at 2 o'clock.

The Presbyterian choir went to Ridgetown to-night to hear Jessie McLachlan. Others who went were Misses Butler, Ferguson and Norton, and Mr. E. W. Smith.

Spring Wretchedness, Misery and Suffering Permanently Banished When You Use

Paine's Celery Compound.

A CURED AND GRATEFUL LADY SAYS:

"I Can Honestly Say I Would Not be Living To-day if it had not been for Your Wonderful Remedy."

A few words to Weak, brokendown, nervous and sick women at this time and the removal of Mrs. Charette's letter, will, we trust, kindly hope and inspire fresh confidence in many a home where some loved mother, wife or daughter is hovering between life and death. At this season, thousands are nearing the grave; they can be saved by the prompt use of Paine's Celery Compound. Mrs. Chas. Charette, Chambly P. Q., writes as follows for the benefit of sick and ailing women:

"I can honestly say I would not be living to-day if it had not been for your wonderful remedy. For a long time I suffered terribly from nervousness, sleeplessness, head and stomach troubles, and never received much benefit from ordinary medical treatment. I heard of your Paine's Celery Compound, and was strongly urged to give it a trial, and I have good reason to thank God that I did so."

"I can now eat and sleep soundly and my nervousness is a thing of the past. I now feel perfectly rested after a night's sleep, which was never the case before using the compound. My neighbors, who know how I formerly suffered, are surprised at the grand cure made by your medicine, and some of them are using it now. I thank you sincerely for the honest results given by Paine's Celery Compound."

DRESDEN

March 27.—Miss Rene Whitehead held her spring millinery opening yesterday, many stylish and beautiful shapes being shown.

Mrs. Asa Ribble was in Chatham to-day.

Miss Ida March of the P. S. staff, is spending her holidays with her parents in Clinton.

Mrs. Harry Thornton, of Petrolia, is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin will spend Easter week with their son, Dr. Stanley Horning, of Portland, Mich.

Mrs. G. A. Miller spent to-day in Chatham.

Robert Shaw, of the 7th concession, Chatham Township, is dead.

Mrs. L. J. Regan, of Ridgetown, arrived in town to-morrow and will spend the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Switzer.

A horse belonging to Frank Gifford, of Dawn Mills, ran away on Tuesday afternoon. No damage was done.

Miss Sarah and Alice McVean, of London, are spending the Easter holidays with their parents here.

The public school teachers are attending the convention in Chatham.

The millinery displayed at the show-rooms of Miss Ada Whitehead yes-

Owing to the Sudden Death of Mr. W. S. Thornton, at Stratford, the Store will be Closed Until After the Funeral.

Thornton & Douglas

CHATHAM'S MILLINERY STORE

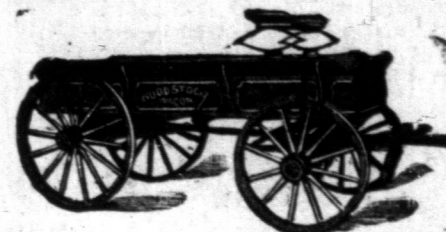
Miss Cooksley

Cordially invites you to attend an Easter Display of Pattern Hats,

March 26, 27, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Opp. Market King St.

Woodstock Wagons....



Canada Carriage Co's. Buggies

Are the Best, Made in Canada, and

QUINN & PATTERSON are Sole Agents for Chatham, and James Cox & Son are their Agents in Blenheim.

There is no more durable or easy running vehicles made than these, and the prices are very low considering the class of goods you get.

Rudd's Hand-made Harness

Now on hand, in large variety

Prices are Low and Every Piece is Guaranteed.

Quinn & Patterson

terday was extremely tasteful and the rooms and windows were very attractively decorated.

D. McAlpine, of London, was in town on business yesterday.

We understand that Dresden is to have another newspaper in the near future.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE!—Excellent Shoe Store, known as the Side Shoe Store, north of Fifth St. bridge. Possession from April 1st. M. Houston. 10

FOR SALE—House and lot on Queen street; house and lot on Park avenue, west, four lots on Pine street; with good stable; two lots on Edgar street. Apply to Samuel Bullis, Park street, Chatham. 1m

HOUSE FOR SALE—Situated on Baxter street, No. 34, occupied by Mrs. Rowe. Five rooms and summer kitchen, city water; five minutes walk from King street. Apply to Brennan Bros., grocers, opposite market. 1m

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—155 Wellington St. West; lot 50x200. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to Jno. A. Tilt. 1f

WANTED.

PRINTERS WANTED—Two good job printers at this office.

When you want an artistic design, made with the choicest and freshest flowers, your wants can always be supplied at the Victoria Avenue Green Houses. 1f

Dainty Portraiture

Requires Years of Experience in the Art

Your next portrait may be dainty or not, as you choose. It is merely a question of artists. To turn out choice work a thorough knowledge of every detail is necessary. As we know our business from start to finish and do not let a portrait go home unless it is absolutely first-class, we are safe in offering to make "money back" pictures.

Westlake Bros., Fifth Street, Chatham