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THE SPRING SHOW

Made at the Enterprising Dry Goods Establishment of

Wm. Gordon—Everything That is New and Stylish Now Displayed There.

The dry goods establishment of Wm. Gordon presents a most entrancing appearance just now. As a greeting to all the spring season shoppers the store has been brightly and tastefully decorated and festooned with new and popular colors. From the bleak March day without to the pleasant and gay store within was such a transition as even to awake the dormant quality of admiration of the Planet reporter who made a visit there yesterday to learn the styles and what the busy housewives and the daughters of Chatham will wear this year.

Under the guidance and instruction of Warren Martin many things were learned. Henry Primeau was found busy in his, the curtain department. Festooned from the ceiling and hung in graceful folds to display their beauty and texture, were Nottingham, Renaissance, Irish Point, and Point d'Esprit curtains. They are low in price but of exceptional value. Attached to the curtain department is a most complete line of draperies of every kind. The Roman satins, used for this purpose, are very attractive at 20 cents a yard.

The ladies' and children's ready made wear department is very popular. The trade in these goods is increasing every year. Not only is there to be found here the usual stock of wrappers and skirts but this house has been receiving a large line of children's dresses in pique, prints, percales and linens.

The dress goods department, presided over by Frank Baby, also appeared resplendent with bright colors and brilliant cloths. Mr. Baby claims for his department that it is the largest in Western Ontario. Here you may find the latest designs and the newest styles in dress goods. The prevailing and favorite colors this year are the loyal blue and khaki colors in different shades. Khaki has become a fashionable color this year. A large variety of hard finish cloths suitable for tailor-made gowns worthy of inspection. They consist of Venetian, broad cloth, homespun, plaids, Worsted, Anzobis, camel's hair and every other variety of costume cloths.

The black goods department is found stocked with a heavy supply of the Priestly and Green brand which are the two leading lines in the market. Here are on display Bristol crepons, the finest finished Venetian, French poplins, seal belle serges, Henriettes, silk warp eboras cloth and mohair mixture, crepons. To add to the count, this section of the store is hung and draped with dress goods of every conceivable color and material.

The supply of silks is one of the charming features of the Gordon store. There are new plaid Japanese silks for dresses and waists, crystal corded silks in stripes and all colors including the pastel blues. Besides the extra heavy corded silks there is a complete assortment of fancy chiffons of all shades and a beautiful array of cream and black striped tulle chiffrons. These are the very newest ideas in trimmings.

D. Richardson was found in charge of the coats and jackets. Some of the latest styles in jackets have been received and they are among the newest designs ever shipped from New York. The children's reefer with red and blue detachable collars are the exact thing required for children.

The domestic department of the Gordon Store is increasing variety of stock and sales annually. They keep some of the most noted lines of German and Irish damasks from some of the famous mills of the old world, and they make a specialty of dined damask which is the most durable known. It was said, Mr. Martin says, 30 years ago, and the trade is just now coming back. For some years it was not even made. The prints are very pretty. Striped designs are the proper thing. The range is large and the price runs from 5 cents to 20 cents for goods from 3-4 to a yard in width. In the windows may be seen some of the beautiful muslins and prints that are popular this year with those purchasing spring and summer wear.

In the ladies' white and muslin underwear and hosiery department trade is continually increasing owing to the splendid value and large range of these goods given in this store. The knick-knack department, with a large assortment of dog collar belts, pretty ties, beautiful fitting gloves, etc., offers grand opportunities to those buying Easter gifts. The glove department is a feature, and it is said that the expression "fits like a glove," originated with a gentleman who saw a lady wearing a glove purchased at the Gordon Store.

Harry Andrews is in charge of the gentlemen's wear. He is in charge of everything required by a well-dressed gentleman may be had. The whole store is supplied with a full line and assortment of cloths, etc., that will reward inspection. All visitors at the store will be cordially treated by the large and attentive staff of clerks.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Lozative Brono Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. See E. W. Grove's signature in each box.

DORENDWEND COMING.
Will be at the Garner House, Chatham, March 29.
Ladies and Gentlemen, see Prof. Dorendwend's beautiful Wigs, Toupees, Bangs, Wavy and Plain Fronts, Switches in every length and shade, etc. His Hair Goods Style when properly adjusted protect and ornament the head, soften and beautify the expression of the face and consequently tone up aged appearance. Prof. Dorendwend has for this season many new and pretty designs. He has added a number of New York, London and Paris patterns.
Be sure to see them and not forget the day and date, Thursday, March 29th.

BLENHEIM.

Chas. Senior has completed his work on the assessment rolls.

Miss L. Hillman, of Chatham, was a Blenheim visitor yesterday.

E. E. Parrott, of Chatham, was in town yesterday on business.

The colored people of Shrewsbury will hold a concert on April 5.

Mrs. Jas. Crookshanks, who has been very sick, is somewhat improved.

Wm. D. Sheldon and Wm. O'Brien were in town on business yesterday.

Chas. Tisdale, of Ingersoll, has entered the employment in Gerow's bakery.

Bert Passmore has left for Ingersoll, where he has secured a lucrative position.

O'Sullivan Bros. will open a Business College in this town the beginning of next month.

Mayor Peter Haggart, grain and provision merchant, quotes the price of beans at \$1.35 to \$1.40.

Thos. Green, Con. 4, Harwich, sold his 75 acre farm to Isaac E. Rumball for a substantial consideration.

Last evening a social was held at the residence of John Henderson, under the auspices of the Presbyterian Mission Band.

R. G. Lister, of the Bank of Commerce staff, has returned, after attending the funeral of his brother in Montreal.

The monthly issue of the Erskine Echo, the publication of the Blenheim Presbyterian congregation, came out yesterday.

Lloyd Shillington, whose eye was put out by a gun cap explosion, has returned from Detroit, after undergoing an operation there.

A concert is advertised for English school house on April 11, in which Gertrude Mae Swan and other Chatham talent will take part.

The Maccabees will give an At Home in the Opera House this evening. Hon. D. P. McKay, of Port Huron, will deliver an address and an excellent program will be rendered.

The Daily Planet is on sale at J. N. Babcock's Drug Store, who has subscriptions taken, and the paper delivered to any part of the town.

A. B. Vester is disposing of his interest in the Royal Hotel to C. H. Metzger, of Ridgeway, Ont.

Wm. H. Rathven, F. S. Judson, Chatham; J. R. Wilkinson, Lexington; and F. Collison, Dresden, were local visitors registered among the guests at the Sheldon House yesterday.

Yesterday evening John Titus returned from Toronto, after treatment for some three months in the Queen City. Mr. Titus is still on crutches, but was warmly welcomed home.

Archibald Morrison, son of Councillor Morrison, of Harwich, passed away, after a short illness on Monday morning in his 16th year. The funeral will take place this afternoon from the Presbyterian Church here and will be conducted by Rev. Mr. McLaren.

The Citizens' Band has been re-organized, with Mayor Haggart as treasurer and Frank Ford as secretary. They are soliciting subscriptions during the summer evenings on the Town Hall Park.

John Sheldon, the popular and enterprising proprietor of the Sheldon House, is having the rooms of his large establishment repainted and improved, and is also making many other valuable additions to his splendid hotel. The Sheldon House holds its own with the best in Western Ontario and with the best commercial trade is a fitting eulogy to its excellence.

Three men, Gillip, Gollouson, and Patterson, were before Police Magistrate Gossnell at police court yesterday in connection with the strike at the Romney mill, charged with intimidating the men by threats and preventing them from working.

Complainant was Henry Moffatt, but neither he nor the witnesses for the prosecution could be found, the case was indefinitely enlarged.

"Persevere and prosper." If you take Hood's Sarsaparilla faithfully for salt rheum, boils, eruptions, dyspepsia, it will cure you.

A RAILROAD REMOR.
The railroad reporter of the Cleveland Leader, writing on Sunday, says: "Railroad men are talking just now of a very odd alliance. It is between the Pennsylvania and the Canadian Pacific, which latter road has by its attitude on the commission question brought itself most prominently into the public eye. The story is going that the Pennsylvania is to play into the hands of the C. P. R. in this territory, giving it business both by the way of Buffalo, when the former has its line laid into the latter city, and through this city, when the C. P. R. gets its connection at Port Stanley (and Rondeau) across the lake into here. Just how much truth there is in this report is a matter of conjecture, although the railroad men say that all indications point that way. The friends of the Pennsylvania are inclined to believe the report is true, as they do not think the Pennsylvania would make an alliance which might put it in the light of concurring with a road which is tabooed by the lines closely allied with the Pennsylvania in the commission agreement and in the east third west business."

TRAMSVILLE.
March 28.—G. J. Watts shipped today a carload of cattle via C. P. R. for the old country market.

John Wilson has gone to Wilbury, where he has secured a good position.

Alfred Buller and Alva S. Everett leave today for Rat Postage, where they have secured lucrative positions.

Mrs. Coutts is recovering from a severe attack of grippe.

Mrs. Greenwood, of Orton, is seriously ill.

PINE OIL
This is a new oil for all Aches and Pains, Tooth, Head and Neuralgic, Rheumatic, Internal and External. For sale by C. H. Gunn & Co., druggists, Chatham, Ont.

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Attention, Eyes Front!

Easter Dress Parade at The Gordon Store

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IN BLACK DRESS GOODS OUR SUPREMACY IS ASSURED—INVESTIGATION SOLICITED

Colored Dress Goods

Venetian, Broadcloths, Amazons, Worsteds, Serges, Homespuns, etc. Costume Cloths, all wool, in the newest colors, from 50c to \$1.35 yd. Imported German Khakis, a great fashion leader, received to-day 75c.

Black Dress Goods

Venetian, the finest finish, pure wool, guaranteed 50c. French Poplins, all wool, great weaves, color warranted, 50c, 72c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Black and Navy Sea Belle Serges, guaranteed known and approved, warranted against sun or salt water 25c, 34c, 42c, 50c, 75c, \$1 yd.

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Another shipment of these Linen Damasks, the best wearing table cloths made, 25c, 50c, 60c, 75c yd. The Finest Bath Towels we have ever shown, 60c, 72c, 82c. Our Linen Department is better stocked than ever—Turkey Red Table Covers, 85c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$2.00.

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For Boys' School Blouses

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BOER WAR.

The Public Enthusiastic Over the Biograph War Views.

The excellence of the Biograph views is best attested by the throngs who are turning out everywhere, and by the newspaper criticisms. The Toronto Mail says they are the finest moving pictures ever seen in that city. The Ottawa Citizen says: "The light was written on every face in the audience." The Halifax Herald says: "Halifax has gone wild over the Biograph. The Academy of Music is crowded at each performance. People are astonished at the attendance at the matinees. Numbers came from Sackville, Dorchester, Springhill and Oxford to see the pictures. The enthusiasm was unbounded." The Kingston Whig remarks that it is one of the best entertainments ever given in that city. Tomorrow (Thursday) at 4 p.m., there will be a school children's matinee, at which the admission will be ten cents, and at 8.15, the citizens of Chatham will be able to see these splendid views of the war in South Africa, and the Canadian contingents. The prices for the evening entertainment will be 15c, 25c, 35c. Reserved seats on sale at Central Drug Store.

WALL CEBURG.

March 28.—Peter Traxler, a farmer living in Sombra township, was yesterday arrested on the charge of a theft of timber from J. W. Steinhoff. A young man named Jones was given thirty days at Sarnia on the same charge.

Mrs. W. D. McKee entertained a large number of friends last evening. A concert will be given on April 17th under the auspices of the public library. Peter Forbes, who was recently burned out, is reopening a full line of groceries in the old Theodore Martin store, James street.

ADDRESSES ON HORTICULTURE.

Two interesting public addresses are to be delivered to-night at a meeting of Horticultural Society in Christ Church Sunday school on "Horticulture in our homes" and "Verandah decoration." The speakers will be William Gammon, of London, and E. B. Stevenson, of Port Rowan. There will be a good program of music. Capt. Boles, president of the society, will preside. Those interested in matters horticultural are generously invited, there being no charge for admission.

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