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The usual clearing sale of Dishes during the day

At the cut prices given on sale day. Bargains in Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Chamber Sets, China and Glassware. Call and see them.

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BREVITIES FROM BLENHEIM.

Mrs. James Crookshanks is seriously ill.

Miss Gertrude Johnson has returned from a visit with Tilbury friends.

Augustus Bridle left Friday evening to spend a few days with Chatham friends.

George Appleford will leave for the Canadian Northwest a week from Monday.

Master Mechanic Bennett, who was injured at Merritt's mill recently, is doing nicely.

Dean Colby, the Blenheim grain merchant, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Ex-Mayor Titus is expected home next week from the Toronto Hospital, where he has been since last year.

T. C. Stegman, E. D. Pierce and Harry Taylor, of Chatham, were registered at the Hotel Sheldon the latter part of the week.

Bert Passmore has given up his situation as baker with Wm. Gerow, and will leave the beginning of the week for the States.

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

W. B. Samson reports business picking up with the advent of milder weather, and the general prospects point to a bright year for Blenheim's business men.

The Blenheim Deacon states that the library board held its regular meeting at the beginning of the month when committees were appointed and a few accounts passed.

The Blenheim whist club expects a visit from the Chatham club at an early date when Maple City devotees of the game will endeavor to exact satisfaction for the drubbing Blenheim players gave them recently.

Isaac Brown is slowly recovering from the effects of a badly sprained ankle, which he is nursing as the result of a fall in front of the Opera House last week. Mr. Brown was on his way to see the Real Widow Brown when he met with the accident.

The Blenheim Gun Club is holding its regular weekly practices. A match of \$30 a side has been arranged to take place to-day between Capt. Vester, of the Gun Club, David Hillman, of Morpeth, and Fred Coll on the one side, and Fred Peton, George Reynolds and Wes. Lane on the other.

John Durfy has returned from a trip to Toledo. While there he saw A. L. Peacock, formerly cashier in Powell's bank, who recently left Blenheim rather suddenly. Mr. Durfy presented Mr. Peacock with a purse of money contributed by generous Blenheimites.

The many friends of John Goulett, of the lake shore, will be pleased to learn that he is somewhat better and appears now to be in a fair way to recovery. Mr. Goulett has been seriously ill ever since before Christmas.

The three Misses Walker, daughters of the late James Walker, of Harwich, have purchased three acres of land and a dwelling house at Guilds from Chas. Guilds. The price paid was \$700. They have also leased their farm on the 13th con., Harwich, and will take up their residence on the property they have purchased.

Assessor Chas. Senior has completed his work for the year 1900 and will hand in his rolls to City Clerk Gibson early next week. Mr. Senior stated that he thought the assessed value of Blenheim property would show some improvement. Last year there wasn't the usual activity in building operations that usually characterizes the town on the hill so that Assessor Senior hardly expects that the total returns will show much of an increase.

Dr. Holmes, who since leaving the Toronto Dental College, has been with Dentist Dr. Gibb, left for Clinton Friday where he will enter business for himself. Mr. Holmes during his residence in Blenheim made many warm friends and his departure proved a source of regret. A general favorite, he was always ready at social gatherings to contribute his share of the entertainment by songs capably rendered and his splendid voice will be much missed in the musical circles of Blenheim.



A TORONTO MERCHANT

Bears Important News to His Fellow Citizens.

Toronto, Dec. 21.—Here is a letter we hope every one of our readers will peruse. "I am 39 years old. Have been troubled for four years with what I thought was my legs, later in the arms. Soon the stiffness changed to soreness. Went to Hot Springs, and came back a little better. Was a moderate drinker, but quit using liquor altogether, and carefully regulated my diet. One day I got wet and then the trouble was worse than ever. Had to lay off for three weeks. Have had similar attacks at intervals ever since, each one worse than the small of the back, quite disabling. I am already wonderfully improved. Feel confident they will cure me, and I shall give them the chance and report. I have not felt so well for years as I have since I began using your pills."

H. Lewis, 447 Yonge-st., Toronto.
Dr. Arnold's English Tonic Pills, the only medicine on earth that cures disease by killing the germs that cause it, are sold by all druggists, at the box sample size 25c, or sent post paid on receipt of price by The Arnold Chemical Co., Limited, Canada Life Building, 42 King street west, Toronto.

Town Clerk Gibson remembers the flood in Chatham in '73. The water was on King street and the whole of Chatham looked the worse for water. "The nearest we ever got to a flood in Blenheim," said Mr. Gibson, "was in the middle of the summer of 1872. It was a corker. The rain came down in chunks for an hour and thirty minutes and you couldn't attempt to see across the street. The water washed every thing down the Communication road to the Eau. It did a lot of damage in the country round about. On the main street of Blenheim the water managed to get away it being higher than the rest of the town but every hole and hollow in the back part of the town was filled up. The supposition was that two storms met just over Blenheim. Strange to say in the vicinity of the M. C. R. to the north, they didn't get enough rain to lay the dust."

Word was received Friday morning from Montreal that Blake Goulett was dangerously ill in the hospital there as the result of an operation which he underwent on Monday of this week. Archie Samson wired yesterday afternoon for further information. About 5 o'clock he received a telegram stating that Mr. Goulett's condition had improved and he was doing nicely. Mr. Goulett is well and favorably known in this city. He is a graduate of the C. I. and was for a number of years in the employ of the Dominion Express Co. at Blenheim. He is now an express messenger of the same company with his headquarters at Montreal. His parents reside on the lake shore, and he has many friends in this vicinity, were glad to hear of his improved condition.

Mayor Peter Hagart gives the following current quotations of produce prices current in Blenheim: Beans \$1.35 to \$1.41, live logs \$5 per cwt., dressed h.g., none offering.

On Wednesday the K. O. T. M. will give a complimentary "At Home" in the Opera House. James Baird, who has charge of the mailing of the invitations, has already sent out some 250 gathering. Miss Ida Laird-Halle will sing "Star of My Heart," and other of Blenheim's leading musicians and musicians will contribute to the program. The Blenheim Macabees never do anything by halves, and that a most enjoyable time will be anticipated.

On Tuesday night the Blenheim Bowling Club met and elected officers for the ensuing year. The following was the result:

President—J. H. Ferguson.
First Vice—Dr. Langford.
Second Vice—Dr. S. G. Storey.
Secretary—J. N. Baird.
Executive Committee—Thomas Mulholland, J. W. Shillington and George Taylor.

Entertainment Committee—James Rutherford, R. L. Gossel and J. C. Hamilton.
The club have their own grounds on Marlborough street, and arrangements were also made in preparation for putting them in condition so that they would be ready on the opening of the season.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Est Richards' Bread! Slater Shoe Polish in Black and Tan, at The 2 T's.
John N. Crow, Taylor Ave., who has been seriously indisposed, is better.
A delightful bath after exercise may be had at Turkish Baths, Sixth Street, 25c.

There are others but ours is the one best sale of this Saturday night, 25c. Ridley's.

Geo. Overton, Emma St., entertained a number of his friends to a phonograph concert last evening.

A Dressy Couple—A pair of \$3.50 Slater Shoes and a \$2.50 Barrington Hat. The 2 T's.

The usual Mid-Lent Offering will be made in Christ Church to-morrow, both morning and evening. A large offering is expected.

Wanted, Sopranos—Two soprano singers for choir work; must have good voices and some knowledge of music. Remuneration. Address at once, Planet.

W. F. O'Hara, Dominion Land Surveyor, left town yesterday for the Province of Alberta, where he has been engaged by the department of the Interior on a special survey of townships. He will be absent during the remainder of the season.

Tie sale at Ridley's on Saturday night. Choice of hundreds of 50c ties for 25c. See our window, the one that faces the setting sun, 40 King St.

The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green Houses is sufficient proof of the excellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Telephone 181.

Thames Lodge No. 101, S. O. E. B. S., held a White Rose degree meeting on Friday evening, March 23rd. This is the last meeting of Thames Lodge in the Oddfellows' Hall. In future the lodge will meet every Monday evening in the A. O. U. W. Hall over the public library.

James W. Carwell, architect, has received instructions from F. W. Kogelschatz, Victoria avenue, to construct plans for a brick house residence with all modern improvements. Mr. Carwell is also getting up plans for a brick residence for D. Houston, Creek Road, Harwich.

GENTLEMEN, ARE YOU BALD? Investigate and see for yourself the Art Coverings in Wigs and Toupees. Professor Dorenwend's manufacturers are worn on over 55,000 heads by all classes, and in all stations of life. They are the essence of perfection, light in weight, durable and a great benefit to health, and a protection to the head against Cold, Catarrh, Dandruff, etc. Trying on and demonstrating the completeness of these goods free of charge. He will be at the Garner House, Chatham, Thursday, March 29th.

Take a Friendly Hint

From The Gordon Store

To select from our new spring novelties as soon as you possibly can for this season's wear. Easter is at hand with its bright freshness, and no better time for getting your needle work done ere house cleaning begins. We have never shown such tasty dress material either in fancy or black woolen weaves (of the very latest, or in all the new printed cotton goods. The leading Pastel shades of blue and every other are well represented in our stock which (our Lady friends pronounce) is the finest in town.

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New Plaid Japan Wash Silks, for dresses and waists, very attractive in all the new shades at..... 50c yd.
Crystal Corded Silks, in stripes, all colors, the latest at..... 50c yd.
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Extra heavy Crystal Cord Silks, new blues and stripes, at..... 50c, 75c, and \$1.00 yd.
A complete line of Fancy Chiffons, for over dresses, all shades at..... \$5.00 per yd.
All Over Black Silk Laces, for dress from a, from 60c to..... \$1.00 yd.
An exquisite line of Cream and Black Pleated Chiffons at..... \$1.00 yd.

DRESS GOODS

5 pos. wide Fancy Dress Goods, silk mixtures at..... 25c yd.
New Belle Serge, a full range, warranted for all weather from 42c to..... \$1.00 yd.
7 pos. all-wool Poplin, 45 inches wide, at..... 50c, 75c and \$1.00 yd.
Ladies' Cloth Suitings, all-wool, all colors, 45 inches wide, all colors, worth 75c for..... \$1.00 yd.
6 pos. fine Twill Summer Serges, 60 inches wide, all colors, worth 75c for..... \$1.00 yd.
15 pos. open-to-day of Priestley's shrink Broadcloths, at..... \$1.00 yd.

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TILBURY.

March 24.—Dr. Sharp was in Windsor yesterday.

Miss Brackbell, missionary to China, now home on furlough, will speak in the Methodist Church to-morrow evening, under the auspices of the W. F. M. S.

Mrs. John Sharp, of Delaware, is the guest of her son here, Dr. Sharp. Last evening about 7 o'clock, a fire occurred in Conner, completely destroying the large and comparatively new grist mill, insurance unknown at present.

Misses Lottie and Minnie Adams, of Fletcher, were in town yesterday. J. S. Richardson's annual spring millinery opening is announced for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 5th, 6th and 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moffatt leave next month on a trip to the Pacific coast.

DRESDEN.

March 24.—Mrs. Ben. Madden was in Chatham yesterday.

L. Crook leaves the first of next week to resume his duties as engineer on a lake vessel.

Mrs. J. P. Wells visited friends in Chatham to-day.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Morley Carscadden to a number of their friends for a croquet party on Monday evening.

Mrs. Brackbell gave two very interesting lectures on "Missionary Work in China," in the Methodist Church yesterday.

J. P. Wells will leave next week to join his boat.

Robins were seen in large numbers here yesterday.

The sidewalk on North street, in front of Mrs. Julia Wheeler's, is covered with nearly six inches of water, making the road to the station almost impossible to pedestrians.

Miss Ella Prangley has purchased the house now occupied by James McVean and will have it removed to her lot opposite the Methodist Church.

DOREN WEND COMING.

Will be at the Garner House, Chatham, March 29.

Ladies and Gentlemen, see Prof. Dorenwend'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. Dorenwend 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.

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