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A GRAND DISPLAY

Of the Most Fashionable Millinery Was This Season

Made at Miss Cookley's—Brief Description of Some of the Most Elaborate Designs.

The Chatham ladies, excellent judges, showed their appreciation of Miss Cookley's millinery opening by their constant presence during the three days of its continuance and the large orders given by them. Some of the choice hats were as follows:

A hat made of castor shades of velvet and silk, tam effect, finish at side with Amazon feather and rosettes of cream ribbon and ornament.

Hat of cream-colored taffeta, edged and trimmed with black velvet. Three white plumes, dropping over the left side, and one held to the velvet by a handsome buckle. The brim is faced with black velvet.

Black hat faced with black chiffon, large fancy crown, turned up at side with gold buckle.

Grey turban, with cord on the edge, large fancy crown, bird of paradise at side, finished underneath with red velvet and steel buckle.

There were also some very fancy children's bonnets and caps, and a large assortment of wings, quills, feathers, etc., for trimmings. Large stock of ready-to-wear hats and veils.

Miss Cookley has been four years in Chatham and has established in the good graces of the fair sex and appreciated by fashionable purchasers.

VERY BRILLIANT.

Northway & Co.'s Fall Opening far Surpasses

Anything the Firm has Ever Done Here Before—Well Worth a Visit.

At Northway & Co.'s the head milliner, Miss Hayton, so well and favorably known to the ladies of Chatham, and the surrounding country, and who has been with the firm since their arrival in this city, two years ago last June, reports plumes worn a great deal this season, ostrich and hackle feathers and a great many soft breast effects, the Louis 14th style being generally prevalent. The popular shades are: in blues, Wedgewood, Royal, Turquoise and porcelain; in pinks, Van Dyke, Rubens and Roush; also, Pale, Beige, Ecru and Parme. The materials used for trimmings are: Plateau, gold braid, etc. Large soft-brimmed hats and toques with large buckles in steel and Rhinestones, sometimes seven or eight inches long are fashionable.

Some of the exquisite creations in hats and toques are the following:

La Belle: A very handsome Reseda green hat, beautifully trimmed with stitched taffeta and velvet, large steel buckle and Rhinestone covered with trimmed with large chain of velvet, and caught in front with handsome steel buckle. On the right side, resting on the brim is the full sized mink, it makes a very chic hat.

Cavalier: A large, soft black velvet hat; trimmed with large ostrich feather, drooping gracefully over left side of hat; medium sized bandeau, finished with large soft knot of silk and velvet, which gives it a very stylish effect. This hat has a crushed facing of silk and velvet. Very attractive toque trimmed with anythel velvet, polka dot velvet crown, draped artistically with chiffon.

On the side is a Cluny lace scarf, caught with large steel buckles. There are also ready-to-wear hats in all the newest styles, shapes and colors. There is also a very choice display of children's best weaves in hats, tams and bonnets. Some very striking and effective designs in cream silk bear. The tams are exceedingly pretty, especially one which our reporter noticed, raised high at the sides, trimmed with rosette and fancy quill. The millinery department was a charming boudoir, most enticingly adorned with chandeliers draped in smilax, flowers and ferns. The

MAINTLES, CLOAKS AND FURS.
This department comes next. Northway & Co. are manufacturers of every description of ladies' tailored costumes, jackets, skirts, etc. They are among the pioneers in Canadian manufactures and their goods are in great demand from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Their stock of these garments for this season, both in variety and quality surpasses anything ever shown before. The range of ladies' jackets comprises every fashionable material in leading autumn and winter shades. Every garment bears the

name of the firm, which is a guarantee of materials and workmanship. In tailored costumes the range of styles is unusually large and is shown in the leading shades of greys, blues, browns and blacks, in chevrons, homespuns, serges, ladies' cloth and friezes. The firm have extended their trade in furs this season more than in the past. Their stock comprises leading styles in caperines, collarettes, boas, ruffs, gauntlets, etc. Ladies' fur coats in Astrachan, Bokharans, Electric Seal and Persian Lamb. The writer was particularly struck with the showing of Persian lamb coats with sable collars, to be seen in the window.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.
A with handsomely draped archer. A more exquisite and choice collection of silks and dress goods could hardly be seen. Artistically draped on stands are all the leading styles, colors and shades: taffetas, gross de tour, satins, Duchesses, Bengelines, peau de soie and a great variety of fancy stripes and checks, with the latest styles for waists and evening wear. Very handsome novelties are seen in all-seam and jetted nets, handsomely draped over rich shades of cerise, heliotrope, penon and turquoise satins, also some very stylish effects in plaids of silks and satins. Going a little further down the store the writer saw a very large display of dress fabrics, draped with neat folds, showing the different makes of material. Our envoy noticed among these fabrics amaranth purple suiting, Venetian broadcloth, camel's hair and homespun, and some very stylish effects in plaids and checks, very fashionable for separate skirts. The display of evening silks is certainly very exquisite. Three of the most elegant costumes are of silk, grenadine and mousseline de soie in vine and leaf design, in maize, salmon and ecru shades.

IN THE CARPET
and House Furnishing Department, on the second floor, the firm shows a very extended range of Brussels, velvet, Axminster, tapestry, all-wool and ingrain carpets, which, as well as their other merchandise, was bought in strict quantities and direct from the manufacturers, enabling the firm to give their customers an advantage not to be found elsewhere. There is a fine display of floor oilcloths, English and Scotch linoleums, rugs of every description, curtains in Nottingham lace, Brussels net, etc., chenille and tapestry portieres, in this department the firm has a large and increasing trade.

GLOVES AND NOTIONS.
On the opposite side of the store is the lace, glove and notions department, which is beautifully decorated in the most artistic style, showing to great advantage the latest creations and novelties in all-over laces, in guipure, point Venice, renaissance and other fine imported laces. Handsome and useful notions and lace edging to match, form a beautiful combination. The glove department shows a choice display. This is one of the pet departments of the Northway store. The most reliable manufacturers in the rear end of the store is the linen and staple room. This display is tastefully decorated with a choice assortment of the latest importations. Above the fixtures are several arches arranged in triangles and semi-circles and draped in fan-shaped forms with fancy-fringed napkins and doilies. On the counter is displayed a very extensive stock of the choicest table linens and table cloths, these being imported direct from the manufacturer in Belfast.

MRS. VANLEW DIES.
Famous for Her Services in the War and Afterwards Post-mistress of Richmond.

Richmond, Va., September 27.—Mrs. Elizabeth Van Lew, who during the civil war furnished the Union forces with valuable information against the Confederate government, assisted prisoners escaping from Libby prison, and who, after the war, was rewarded by Gen. Grant with the post-mistresship at Richmond, died at her residence, here yesterday, at an advanced age.

GLENWOOD.
Thos. Chester and wife spent Sunday with relatives at Charing Cross.

Robt. Charlton left on Monday for a month's visit with friends at his former home in Grey county.

J. Jubinville and E. Shaw were in Chatham last Saturday on business.

Messrs. G. Gordon and A. Gosnell, of Highgate, spent Sunday in the village. J. Gifford has obtained a position in Wheatley.

Mrs. I. Ainslie has returned from a lengthy visit with relatives in St. Mary's, Ont.

Miss Annie Rollett, of Merlin, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. McGee, on Sunday.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.
Wilton Shaw and Miss Grace Evelyn fields were married on Wednesday.

Several of our citizens were in Chatham on Thursday last as witnesses on the Jubinville case of non-support of family.

Mrs. Hamlin, and Mrs. Gilbert Ouellette were guests of Mrs. Resaume last week.

Mr. Lawrence, of Toronto, is the guest of Jas. Hamilton for a few weeks.

Miss Jamie Pickett spent a few days in Chatham this week.

Miss Maggie Smith has gone to Detroit, where she expects to remain for some time.

F. B. Stevens, of Chatham, was here on Monday.

W. A. Johnson, of Tibury, shipped a car of hay from here on Tuesday.

A. A. Wilson, of Tibury, was here on business Tuesday.

George Crow, of Prairie Siding, is buying hay, and will ship two carloads this week.

Arthur Wilson, of Tibury, is a guest of C. Kontze.

Nothing is more obnoxious than a low person raised to a high position.

—Canadian.

START FOR HOME.

Part of the First Canadian Contingent on Their Way.

Reviewed and Thanked by Lord Roberts on the Eve of Their Departure.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—A cable from Lord Roberts received by the Militia Department as follows:—"Pretoria, Sept. 26.—Major Pelletier, 16 officers and 319 men of the Royal Canadian Regiment leave to-day for Cape Town, en route for Canada."

A FINAL REVIEW.
Pretoria, Sept. 27.—Field Marshal Lord Roberts, in the presence of Lady Roberts and his daughters, reviewed the Canadians on the eve of their departure. It was a brilliant scene, the men, who are in excellent health, making a splendid appearance. After the march past Lord Roberts addressed them briefly. He said:—

"I cannot allow you to depart without expressing my thanks for the appreciation of your loyal services and excellent work, especially at Paardeburg on Feb. 27. I am sure the people of Canada will be pleased to hear how gallantly and how splendidly you have behaved in action. Deeply I regret the losses you have suffered. I should have been happier if you had returned in your full strength; but no one could expect you to pass through so arduous a campaign without loss. I am sorry that some of you are obliged to return sooner than the rest of the regiment, but I recognize the urgency of private affairs. I am confident that the Queen and the British people will never forget your services. If it should ever be my good fortune to visit Canada I hope to meet you all again."

All the troops have given cheers for the Queen and the field marshal, the latter shook hands with the Canadian officers and presented them one by one to Lady Roberts.

PLAIN TALK.
To Catarth Sufferers.

Every person suffering from catarth in its many forms, known as the common colds, colds and douches do not cure. It is needless to argue this point, or to cite cases of failure, because every victim of catarth knows for himself if he has tried them.

A local application, if it does anything at all, simply gives temporary relief; a wash, lotion, salve or powder cannot reach the seat of the disease, which is in the blood.

The mucous membrane seeks to relieve the blood of catarth poison by secreting large quantities of mucus, the common colds, colds and douches do not cure. It is needless to argue this point, or to cite cases of failure, because every victim of catarth knows for himself if he has tried them.

A remedy to really cure catarth must be an internal treatment, a remedy which will gradually cleanse the system from catarth poison and remove the fever and congestion always present in the mucous membrane.

The best remedy for this purpose is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, which are large pleasant tasting lozenges, so that they may be slowly dissolved in the mouth, thus reaching every part of the mucous membrane and finally the stomach and intestines.

An advantage to be considered also is that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets contain no cocaine, morphine or poisonous narcotics, so often found in catarth powders, and the use of which often entails a habit more dangerous than the disease.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at 50c. for full size package, and are probably the safest and most effective catarth cure on the market.

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Navy Blue Camel's Hair Goods.
New Imported Homespuns, 60 in. 72c
Two Tone Effects, browns and grays.
All shades, gray Homespuns,
prices 50c to \$1.25
New Prunella Cloth, in Havana brown.
Two specials in black Broadcloths. New
black Chevrons, Golf Suiting, etc.

NEW WAIST SILKS

Hemstitch Corded Silks, New York
style—New Corded Taffeta Silks, latest
shades—New Pique Taffeta Silks, stylish—
Special line of Black Taffeta Silks—Special
Taffeta Silk in Golf reds, etc.

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THE LATEST

The New Box Coats, latest New York
style, fawn shades, satin lined throughout,
just received.
Ladies' Automobile Coats, light fawns,
satin lined throughout.
Ladies' Newmarket Coats, in light
dark colors, satin lined, specially stylish.

Light and dark Kersey Coats, every one
a special \$7.50 to \$12.00

Heavy Astrachan Curl Coats, superb
values, at \$6.00

Stylish Golf Capes, all shades, revers-
able cloth \$5.00 to \$10.00

FINE FURS

In this department we would surprise you
should we state the amount of sales up-to-
date for we surprise ourselves, but the most
agreeable surprise to every buyer is the
magnificent values we are offering, as well
as the large variety we have for you to
choose from.

Fine Fur Caperines, from \$3.50 to \$50.00
each.

Fine Fur Boas, from \$1.50 to \$25.00 each.
Fine Fur Muffs, from 95c to \$15.00 and
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Women's Seal Jackets, guaranteed, at
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