

WM. FOREMAN & CO.,
IMPORTERS

A Carnival OF Summer Styles THROUGHOUT THIS STORE...

June Opening OF Summer Millinery, Wednesday, June 1st,

And FOLLOWING DAYS. Every late style for this season's wear will be on view in our Millinery Show Room on Wednesday. The Ladies of Chatham and Vicinity and Visitors to the City are Cordially Invited to inspect this display.

DISPLAY OF DRESS GOODS.

SUMMER GOWNINGS.

This Dress Goods Stock was never more complete at this season of the year with exquisite Summer gownings. Never before have we shown such a profusion of pattern dresses in exclusive designs in plain shades. You'll find this stock of Gownings unequalled for value. A partial list.

45 in. French Voiles in shades of Fawn, Reseda, Grey, White and Onion, at per yard, 75c

45 in. French Eolienne—silk and wool—exquisite for rich gowns, in shades Reseda, Grey and Bisque, per yard, \$1.25

45 in. French Gownings in exquisite shades of Onion, Champagne, White and Grey, fine even weave, extra value at per yard, \$1.25

45 in. French Figured Voiles, exclusive in design in colors Royal, Navy, Sky and Champagne, regular value at \$1.50 to \$1.75, a special purchase enables us to sell at per yd, 90c

French Twine Suitings in costume lengths, in rich mixtures of Reseda and Black, Brown and Blue, Grey and Black, per costume \$12.80

45 in. Crepe de Chine in exquisite shades of Grey and Bisque, very special, per yard, 75c

Extra Display of High Class WASH GOODS for Dresses and Shirtwaist Suits.

Special Display of Ladies' Lawn Waists and Ladies' Furnishings.

WM. FOREMAN & CO.

The Chatham Loan and Savings Co.
45th Half-Yearly Dividend.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of six per cent. per annum upon the paid up capital stock of this Company has been declared this day for the current half year, ending June 30th, 1904, payable at the Company's Office on and after July 1st, 1904.

The Transfer Books will be closed from 20th to 30th June inclusive. By order of the Board.

S. F. GARDINER,
Manager.

Chatham, May 17, 1904.



A WORD
with you about the
Children's Shoes!

We haven't said much about it recently, but no house pay more attention to the foot needs of Boys Misses and Children than we do. It's time to change from heavy shoes to the lighter spring weights so bring the Children to us we'll fit them and suit you.

Don't pass if in need of a Trunk Bag or Suit Case. We are Head Quarters, New Styles and low prices.

J. L. CAMPBELL
BOSTON SHOE STORE.

Minard's Liniment is used by Phys.

EXTRA.

Yes, you will need an extra supply of groceries for the Old Boys' Reunion. Can we fill your order? Soda Biscuits, 7c per lb. Ginger Snaps, 6c per lb. Try our 10c bottle of pickles. 7 lb. pails Jam, 50c. Best Butter, 17c per lb. Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c per lb. 2 packages Force, 25c. An extra fine Lemon Biscuit, 9c per pound. Quaker Oats, 9c per package. 2 lbs pure lard, 25c. Other goods at lowest prices.

Crockery.

Do you need a set of dishes for the above occasions? If so, we will give you a 10 per cent. reduction on dinner, tea and chamber sets. Yes, and on China lamps and glassware. Call and see the goods.

JOHN MCCONNELL,
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Preserve your roofs by coating them with **Gresote Shingle Stain**, of any color. It is durable and economical. Estimates promptly furnished for all kinds of roof painting and repairing.

GEO. OVERTON,
Violet St., North Chatham
or address, Chatham, Ont.

STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.
Branches and agents at all principal points in Canada, U. S. and Great Britain. Drafts issued and notes discounted. Savings Bank Department deposits (which may be withdrawn without delay) received and interest allowed thereon at the highest current rates.

W. T. SHANNON,
Manager Chatham Branch.

BANK OF MONTREAL

ESTABLISHED 1817.

Capital (all paid up) \$14,000,000
Reserve 10,000,000
Drafts bought and sold. Collections made on favorable terms. Interest allowed on deposits at current rates in Savings Bank Department, or on deposit receipts.

DOUGLAS GLASS,
Manager Chatham Branch.

Minard's Liniment Cures Gargot in Cows.

DISTRICT COINGS.

TILBURY

May 31.—Mrs. Phillips, of Merlin, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. McAllum.

Dr. Sharp was in Chatham yesterday on professional business.

Henry Richardson is shipping his furniture to Detroit this week.

Lou Edmonds, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Nellie Lang, of Windsor, is visiting here parents here.

Mr. Mallory, of Drayton, who has purchased the jewelry business of W. T. Poole, is expected here this week to take possession.

W. J. Moffat is on a business trip in Northern Michigan.

Ed. Tisdale, of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, in Tilbury North.

THAMESVILLE

May 30.—Miss May Freeman, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. G. Freeman.

Mrs. Blatchford left to-day for Cobourg to visit a sick sister.

Miss Bertha Cryderman, of Detroit, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Winters, who have been spending a few days in town, returned to Detroit to-day.

Several rinks of bowlers will visit Dresden to-morrow.

Bills are out for the benefit concert in aid of Public Library, to be given Friday evening, June 10th. Excellent local and foreign talent has been secured, which will doubtless make it the best entertainment given for some time. Added to this the Dramatic Club are preparing a very laughable comedy to be given at the close. The Club enjoys an excellent reputation and it is expected a crowded house will reward their efforts.

BLENHEIM

May 31.—A cablegram has just been received from Dr. Hanks, announcing his safe arrival at Liverpool. He had a good voyage and was feeling well.

May 31.—The services at Trinity church on Sunday last were conducted by the rector, Rev. Geo. McQuillan. At late morning service, it being Trinity Sunday, there was an administration of the Holy Communion. Next Sunday Professor Burgess, of Huron College, will officiate.

There is a special Vestry meeting called for this (Tuesday) evening.

We are sorry to announce the death of Lorne E. Holland, third son of Thomas Holland, which took place on Monday at 6 a. m., at the early age of 17 years, from lung fever. He was only confined to his room a little over ten days. The funeral will be conducted on Wednesday at 2 p. m. from his father's residence.

Benson James, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting his mother here.

Word was received here last evening from Ridgetown that the License Commissioners had decided to issue no licenses for the town of Blenheim.

The W. A. M. A. of Trinity church will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. W. Collier on Friday at 4 p. m.

The anniversary services of the Presbyterian church on Sunday were conducted by the Rev. Hector McKay, of London. There were large congregations at both services.

DRESDEN

May 31.—Arthur Smith, Jr., spent yesterday an Sunday with friends in Arkona.

John Thomson, impersonator and comedian will be "on hand" at the Grand Opera House to-morrow (Wednesday) evening. Mr. Thomson comes highly recommended and should be greeted with a bumper house. He will present his laughable vaudeville comedy "Around the world in eighty minutes."

Geo. McIntosh visited relatives in Forest yesterday and Sunday.

The old board walk on the south side of Hughes St. has been torn up, preparatory to the laying of the new grandditch pavement. Harry Bishop has the contract for the new walks.

Mayor Ribble was in Detroit Saturday and to-day on a business trip.

The Misses Daisy and Mae Outhbert visited relatives in Dawn Mills on Sunday.

Mrs. F. A. McKim and daughter, Helen, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Fryer, 13th concession, Chatham township.

Mrs. Alonzo Wilcox and daughter, Miss Mary Anderson, who have been visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Austin's, North Dresden, returned home on Sunday.

A large party of young ladies of town spent Saturday at Mitchell's Bay.

E. H. Dever, Dr. J. J. Wiley and Dr. Clapp spent yesterday in the Maple City.

The baseball club has rented the lot between Jas. Blackburn's and Wm. Rudd's, Brown St., for the season.

Mrs. E. Miller and family vacated their late residence, corner of Hughes and North Sts., last week, and Dr. W. D. Waley has rented the property and will move in this week.

The special musical services at the Methodist Church yesterday were decidedly successful. Next Sunday the music services will be continued, the sermons, both morning and evening, being dispensed with, a service of song taking the place of the usual services.

Geo. Elsey, manager of the Sugar Co., spent Sunday with his family in Detroit.

The Master Mechanics Pure Tar Soap heals and softens the skin, while promptly cleansing it of grease, oil, rust, etc. Invaluable for mechanics, farmers, sportsmen. Free sample on receipt of 2c. for postage. Albert Toilet Soap Co., Mfrs., Montreal.

The emergencies for which we were prepared are the ones that never turn up.

CITY COUNCIL

GET TO BUSINESS

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council to attend their parade in a body.

Ald. McCoig moved that the invitation be received, the council to provide their own rigs.

Ald. Piggott said he was looking after the lady visitors to the reunion and Ald. McCoig announced that he was making satisfactory progress with his baseball game with Algonac.

A petition was received for a glazed pipe sewer on Patrick street. Referred to the Clerk.

Ald. Marshall, Finance Minister, recommended the payment of the waterworks bill of \$431.17 for the water supplied to the Dowsley factory.

Ald. Tye called attention to the bad state of the Third street bridge. The matter will be attended to and the holes in the planks will be repaired to last until the new plank-ings arrives.

Ald. McCoig moved that the Gas Company be asked to have their pipes cut off as near the ground as possible. At present the pipes extend up so far that they are a nuisance to ladies walking along the street.

Ald. Edmondson moved that a dynamo such as recommended by the City Engineer be purchased at \$1,900.

Ald. Scullard seconded the motion but it lost, the other members of the Council favoring delay. It was thought that owing to the already high tax rate it would be well to leave the matter over at present, as the lights just now are giving very good satisfaction. The breaks that are made can be repaired in a few hours and no serious results follow.

Ald. Edmondson called for the yeas and nays and he and Ald. Scullard voted yea, while the nays were Ald. Tye, Marshall, McCoig, Piggott and Westman.

Ald. Edmondson—You have all heard the complaints of the citizens, and now when I bring in a motion to relieve the trouble the aldermen don't back me up. Delay is the cry after every year. I am through with it to-night. After this when complaints come I want the other aldermen to take the blame.

Ald. Marshall—I'll take half the blame.

Ald. Edmondson—I want you to take it all.

The matter of the Florence street sewer then came up.

It appears that the residents of Joseph street complain of stagnant water on Florence street—which is a little alleyway running parallel with Joseph street and Lydian avenue, and between the two about 60 feet from Joseph street. Certain residents on Joseph street whose property backs on Florence street want a tile drain down this alleyway.

Messrs. Ruthven and Curran addressed the Council on the matter.

The Board of Health recommended the drain as a sanitary measure.

Ald. McCoig moved, seconded by Ald. Piggott, that a petition be asked for with signatures from half of the residents whose property backs on this street. He doubted the legality of putting down a tile drain.

Ald. Marshall moved that the matter be left in the hands of the Board of Works to consult with the City Solicitor and report at the next meeting.

Ald. Edmondson seconded the amendment.

Mr. Ruthven—Some of the aldermen said we would get no drain at all.

Ald. McCoig—Who said it?

Mr. Ruthven—I am not mentioning names.

Ald. McCoig—You have no right to come here and make such statements.

Mr. Ruthven—Well, you did.

Ald. McCoig—I deny it flatly. I never spoke to you since the Board of Health recommended it.

Mr. Westman—The Board of Works say it will have to be put down.

Ald. McCoig—The Board of Health have not got any more brains than the Council.

Ald. Piggott—if the Board of Health wants to run the Board of Works let them come here and do it and I will resign my position on the Board of Works—but not the Council, he quickly added.

The Mayor (smiling)—Never mind, Ald. Piggott, there are no McNabs now.

The amendment carried.

It was decided to put on four extra policemen during the night to look after the King street property. The selection was left with the Property committee.

The Board of Works were left to deal with Wm. Chrysler, who wanted more money for the laying of side-walks.

The County Council will be asked to pave Head St. from the limits to the House of Refuge.

The residents of Burk street reminded the Board of Works that they want a sewer.

A by-law for the granolithic sidewalk on Amelia street was read and passed.

The following were the accounts passed:—

C. W. Rayner, \$40.

Chatham Man. Co., \$5.

Job Moore, \$10.50.

Geo. Lamphard, \$3.50.

A. R. Crow, \$7.00.

W. Owens, \$14.75.

Geo. White, \$7.50.

Horace Rogers, \$9.

A. Williams, \$9.

A. Joseph, \$1.50.

Horace Rogers, \$7.50.

Chas. Brush, \$7.50.

J. Corbett, \$1.25.

W. R. Baxter, Ref., \$2.60.

The News, \$42.08.

Bell Telephone Co., 60c.

Bell Telephone Co., 75c.

Collegiate Institute, \$342.50.

Postage, City Clerk, \$8.75.

Pay sheets, \$164.49.

Pay sheets, \$16.25.

Pay sheets, \$197.14.

Horn Bros., \$200.

J. H. Oldershaw, \$434.65.

A. H. Patterson, \$18.83.

STRAW HATS

A little early yet for Straw Hats perhaps, still they are here and we might as well let you know about them.

We go straight to the makers in New York for our Straw Hats, and are therefore, able to show you a particularly up-to-date and attractive range.

The medium shaped sailor, made of fine, split, plain straw will be the stylish hat for young men. However there are a score of other styles. Also a big showing of Childrens fancy straws.

Young Men's Straw Sailors, the new shape, 2 3/4 inch crown, 2 inch brim in fine braids, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

Negligee shapes in plain straws 75c and \$1.00.

A very large display of Boys and Children's Straw Hats, in all the new shapes and styles from 15c to \$1.25.

THORNTON & DOUGLAS,
LIMITED.

Spring Suits.

The Spring patterns this year in imported English and Scotch Tweeds and Worsteds are the prettiest and Nobbiest that have been shown for many years.

Our stock is complete; Fit Guaranteed, Prices Right; We invite you to call and inspect. No trouble to show goods.

A. SHELDRIK, Tailor and Woolen Merchant, King Street, near Garner House....

Going Out of Business

Lamon & Avichouser, Merchant Tailors,
Opposite the Opera House,

Are retiring from business, and have commenced to sell their splendid assortment of **SUITING** and **PANT CLOTHS AT COST**. Suitings will be made from \$13.00 and upwards.
Must be Sold Within 30 Days.

LAMON & AVICHOUSER.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

for all diseases of the throat and lungs. A doctor's medicine for 60 years. A household remedy everywhere.

The Planet, 40c.
Richard Haskill, \$7.
R. Stevens, \$280.
Somers & Farby, \$44.
Chatham Advertising Agency, \$5.50.
J. & J. Oldershaw, \$44.22.
The Planet, \$10.14.
R. Stevens, \$96.
Con. Shea, \$2.50.
Postage, Police Court, \$1.
Hay, Fire Hall, \$12.95.
Mr. Guttridge, \$44.25.
Material for Fire Hall, \$18.90.
K. Brooks, \$6.
Council adjourned.

WORLD OF SPORT

BASKETBALL

THE GAME TO-MORROW.

Capt. Deneau, of the Windsor team, has ordered his men to report for practice each afternoon this week in anticipation of the game with the strong D. A. C. team of Detroit, slated for Williams park, Windsor, next

boys realize the task they have before them and they will try and add another scalp to their collection.

The D. A. C. players will also practice hard for this game. There is much good natured rivalry between the two clubs, and each respects the other's powers. It is expected that a large party will make the trip to the border park to witness the game. To-morrow the D. A. C. will go to Chatham, where they will meet a strong nine. It will be a big day in Chatham, the reunion of the Old Boys attracting many visitors to the Canadian city. The D. A. C. team will be accompanied by a big delegation of rooters.—Detroit Tribune.

D. A. C. HERE WEDNESDAY.

The D. A. C. baseball teams, of Detroit, will play here Wednesday of this week. The local team to oppose the Detroiters will be picked from Douglas, Depew, Hicks, McGarry, Taylor, Parrott, Smith, Bowers, Duff, Cartier, Beeth, Weldon, Avichouser, Beasant, Farby, Cook, Jeffrey, Robert and probably others.

Some people expect to get their reward in Heaven, and no questions asked.

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Because it makes better
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