

WM. FOREMAN & CO. IMPORTERS

Exclusive Silks in Waists or Dress

Lengths Boxed for Gifts

Our stock of Silks in richer and larger than ever before. We've gathered the rarest novelties for the Christmas trade we have yet shown. You cannot make a mistake if you give your lady friend a Silk Waist or Dress for Christmas, and we box all purchases of \$3.75 or over.

New Plaid Silks for Waists, at per Yard, 75c—New Fancy Silks, exclusive in coloring and design, in individual waist lengths, boxed in dainty white boxes, trimmed with gold, at per yard, 75c to \$1.50

Rich Taffeta Silks with a white cord in new colorings for waists or shirtwaist suits, very special at per yard, 75c

Colored Taffeta Silks in colors Greys, Blues, Pinks, Greens, Resedas, Cardinals, etc., at per yard, 50c and 75c

Japan Taffeta Silk in White, Ivory, Cream, Sky, Pink, 27 in. wide, at per yard, 50c

Wm. Foreman & Co.

1904 Autumn and Winter Evening Dress

We make a specialty of Evening Dress Suits, and carry in stock a full line of Rich and Elegant Materials, suitable for this Formal Evening Attire.

We invite your inspection and comparison of prices with other first-class houses.

ALBERT SHELDRICK
TAILOR and WOOLEN MERCHANT
King St. near Garner House

A Few Hints

To help you choose your Christmas Presents. Do your purchasing now and get first choice.

Handkerchiefs

Handkerchiefs for ladies' and gentlemen, plain, hemstitched, in lawn and linen special value at 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c.

Ladies' lace and embroidery trimmed handkerchiefs, in new designs, very special values at 5c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 50c, 75c up to \$2.25.

Full range of silk handkerchiefs cheap, in plain, initials and decorated, from 25c to \$1.00.

Umbrellas

Umbrellas for ladies' and gentlemen, natural wood and fancy gold and silver trimmed, steel rods and interlocking frames, the best assortment in the city, from \$1.00 to \$6.00; see what we have; we can suit you.

Ribbons

A complete stock of ribbons for fancy work, trimmings, neck and hair ribbons.

Dress Patterns

A splendid assortment of new dress patterns, suitable for Christmas presents, at from \$5.00 to \$10.00.

Kid Gloves

Ferrin's Celebrated French Kid Gloves, the best made, in nice box, all colors, from \$1.00 to \$1.50; every pair guaranteed.

THIBODEAU & JACQUES

...SOCIETY...

Mrs. J. E. Oldershaw, Harvey street, entertained this afternoon.

Miss Nora Stephenson has returned from Ottawa, where she has been spending the past couple of months.

Mrs. F. E. Mulott and daughter have gone to Exeter to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Mulott's parents.

Miss Edith Complin, of London, has returned home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Skye and Mrs. Wm. Ball, Victoria avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Glass and daughter Florence will leave shortly for Bermuda, where they will spend a year's vacation.

Major George Massey has been appointed Manager of the Bank of Montreal here. Early in January Mr. Massey will move into the bank house. The appointment is a very popular one with all who know Mr. Massey. He has been a valued employee of the Bank for a number of years and is greatly respected and admired for his ability by everyone of the Maple City merchants. His many friends congratulate him upon his appointment to such a trustworthy position.

The bachelors of Chatham will give the first of their most popular dances on Thursday evening, December 22, in the Oddfellows Auditorium. The lady patronesses are Mrs. Archibald Bell, Mrs. Robert Gray, Mrs. W. A. Hadley, Mrs. T. K. Holmes, Mrs. Geo. McKeough, and Mrs. Wm. Pringle. The committee in charge of the dance are Messrs. M. L. Fraser, F. W. Clarke, G. K. Macbeth, W. D. Elliott, Dr. J. W. Rutherford, C. D. Kent, Dr. Garnet Holmes and H. S. Northwood. These dances are always looked forward to with great interest by the Maple City Society. The Hon. Secretaries are Messrs. F. W. Clarke and G. K. Macbeth.

A Bad Case.

BUT EASILY OVERCOME WHEN THE PROPER REMEDY WAS FOUND.

Alfred Carter writes the following candid letter, setting forth the benefits he derived from the use of Bu-Ju Kidney Pills.

Toronto, Ont., June 4, 1904.
Clafin Chemical Co., Windsor, Ont.
Gentlemen—During the past winter having caught a severe cold in my back and my kidneys appearing to be affected thereby, I was induced through seeing your advertisement in one of the daily papers to try a box of your "Bu-Ju" pills, and am pleased to tell you that after taking only two boxes of them, the trouble entirely disappeared, and I have not been troubled since. Yours truly,
139 D'Arcy St. ALFRED CARTER.

What they have done for Mr. Carter they will do for you. Why hesitate and continue to suffer when a simple remedy can be obtained at so moderate a cost. Bu-Ju Kidney Pills are for sale at all drug stores.

CHATHAMITE KILLED

Charles Van Horne called at Janisse's morgue, Windsor, yesterday and identified the remains of the colored man found dead on the railway tracks east of Walkerville, as those of William Watt, of Chatham. He said Watt had been in Windsor, attempting to secure work, and, being unsuccessful, decided to steal a ride back to his home on a Grand Trunk railway freight train.—Detroit Free Press.

Go to Gray's if you want China for Christmas. New goods are all in, and he is selling the older stock at reduced prices.



Quality and Style

are not only things back of the Clothing we make. Our PRICES are RIGHT.

SUITS AND OVERCOATS from \$18 up.

AITKEN & KOELSCHATZ
NEAR FIFTH ST. BRIDGE

Our Holiday Display

EMBRACES GIFTS SUITABLE FOR EVERYONE

We have everything that is new and everything worth giving in: Latest Leather Goods, Shaving Sets, Travelling Sets, Toilet Sets, Mirrors, Fancy Atomizers, Ebony Goods, of all kinds, Perfumes, the finest display ever shown here.

We have put attractive prices on them all.

THE RED CROSS DRUG STORE

W. W. TURNER

28 King St.

Phone 221

Don't let the children get the Calomel and "Liver pill" habit. Give them the natural laxative that is gentle and effective, pleasant to take, never gripes, and CURES constipation—

Abbey's Effervescent Salt
AT ALL DRUGGISTS, 25c AND 50c A BOTTLE

CANDY LAND!

Below are our prices for Christmas. Buy your sweets where you can get the best in Chatham for the least money:

Algetta Chocolates per lb. boxes.....30c
Cream Bon Bons per lb. boxes.....25c
Lady Carmels per lb.....40c
Chocolate Chips per lb.....30c
Chocolate Bon Bons per lb.....30c
Hand-made Strawberry Chocolates.....30c
Hand-made Plain Chocolates.....20c
Chewing Taffy.....20c
Cream Candy.....20c
Best Broken Mixed.....10c
Peanut Rock.....15c
Almond Rock.....15c
Walnut Rock.....15c

Mrs. W. McKay

HEADQUARTERS FOR SWEETS...

COR. QUEEN & RICHMOND STS.

J. W. FLEWES HONORED

Principal J. W. Flewes, of the Model school, was presented with a handsome travelling case yesterday afternoon at four o'clock by the pupils of his Model school class. Mr. Flewes is always very popular with the Model school class and they never fail to show their appreciation of the presentation on behalf of the class. In their behalf, the presentation was made in Miss Hillman's room. Miss Ellenor Wick read a highly complimentary address and W. J. Fletcher made the presentation on behalf of the class. Nearly all the pupils went away on the Lake Erie trains north and south last night and a general reunion of all the pupils was held at the C. P. R. station, where a happy time was spent.

CONSUL AT BURG

Perley C. Heald is safe. He is going to be consul at Wallaceburg, Ont. Early last year, when Dairy and Food Commissioner A. W. Smith, of Alrain, was nursing the young and tender George B. Horton boom for governor, his deputy, Heald, of Midland, was lined up with Fred M. Warner. The situation was the more interesting from the fact that the head of the food department and his deputy were not on speaking terms. Heald proved useful in the campaign for Warner's nomination, and now current report about the Hotel Ste. Claire has it that Heald is to be consul to Wallaceburg. It is really a better job than being deputy dairy and food commissioner. The consularship pays \$2,000 a year, and there is hardly enough work about it to get up a perspiration in July.—Detroit Free Press.

GREAT SALE OF CLOTHING

Right in the heart of the Christmas Season we are introducing a sale of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Suits and Overcoats that will make the clothing business hum for the next two or three weeks.

We are making big reductions right and left all through the stock. We are offering no reasons, but just marking down prices.

Here are some of the reductions:—

8 Men's Black and Blue Beaver, single breasted Chesterfield, fly front Overcoats, well made and lined, sizes 33 to 37, regular price \$5.00, sale price, \$3.95	8 Young Men's Fancy Chevriot Overcoats splendidly trimmed and made, sizes 31 to 35, regular prices \$6 and \$7, sale price, \$4.95	10 Men's Fancy Tweed and Worsted Single Breasted Suits, cut in the latest styles and tailored in our very best manner. There are all sizes from 37 to 44, in the lot, regular \$10, and \$12, sale price \$7
16 Men's Plain Gray and Fancy Patterned Chevriot, fly front Overcoats, fine Farmers' Satin Linings, velvet collars and correct styles, sizes 33 to 40, regular price \$10.00, sale price, \$8.00	18 Boys' Fancy Chevriots and Plain Gray Overcoats, in a variety of lengths and styles, sizes 22 to 29, regular prices \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50, sale price, \$2.95	6 Men's Fancy Tweed Suits, serviceable and stylish, sizes 39 to 46, regular prices \$6.50 to \$9.00, sale price, \$5
25 Men's Fancy Chevriot and Plain Gray Montenegro Coats, cut in the latest styles, long, loose luxurious garments, excellently tailored, sizes 34 to 42, regular price \$15.00 and \$17.00, sale price, \$10	8 Boys' Long, Loose Gray, Raglan Overcoats, stylish little garments, sizes from 25 to 27, regular price \$5.00, sale price, \$3.95	18 Boys' 3-Piece Fancy Tweed and Navy Serge Suits, for boys from 10 to 14 yr. sizes, reg. prices \$4 to \$5, all reduced to \$3.50
		6 Little Boys' Fancy 2pc Suits, sizes 12 to 28, reg. price were \$2 to \$2.75, all reduced to \$1.95 and \$1.50

The above price list can only give you an inkling of what we are doing, the only way to realize what these reductions mean is to see the garments. See them when they are advertised. Don't wait till they are gone.

Thornton & Douglas LIMITED

"A MIX-UP"

WITH...CHRISTMAS GIFTS...

At The Urban Store

Besides our dainty lot of small Smallwear for Christmas Gifts, such as:
SILK NECKWEAR BELTS HAND-BAGS
HANDKERCHIEFS SHIRTWAISTS KID GLOVES
BELTS and FURS. We will now make a
Clearance of Jackets at \$5.00 and \$10.00
No reserve—no old styles. Any Jacket \$20.00 and under for \$10.00. Any Jacket at \$10.00 and under for \$5.00. Also any Astrachan Jacket in our place worth \$50.00 and \$65.00 for \$35.00, and all \$40.00 and \$35.00 at \$25.00. We beat the World in Fur Neckwear and Muffs.

THE URBAN STORE

Good HOLIDAY News

FROM THE CHINA STORE

An unusual collection of Fancy Pieces of Art China-ware. While all our goods are new and attractive, still they will appeal to thrifty gift buyers. The price is unusually low for such goods as we are showing this season.

Royal Vienna Art Pieces—\$1.75, 2.25, 3.50, 5.00, \$7.50
Bon Bon Dishes, Celery Trays, Nut Bowls, Cake Plates, Salad Dishes, Sugar and Creams—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.
Unmatched values in Dinner Sets. This is something that makes an ideal gift at Holiday time.
Our assortment is above the average. Haviland China Tea or Dinner Sets—\$10.00 to \$50.00.
English Dinner and Tea Services at about One-Quarter off regular prices—\$15 Sets for \$11.25, \$12.50 Sets for \$10.
Come early and avoid delays.

Gray's China Hall,

King St., Chatham, Next to McCall's Drug Store

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lately rebuilt, newly papered throughout, containing double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, three bed-rooms, and bath-room. Good location, rent moderate. Apply to

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SMART SHOES FOR CHRISTMAS

at our store. Every pair a demonstration of how little it costs to dress the feet stylishly, comfortably if bought here.

Specials in Men's Patent Colt Shoes at \$3.50.

Specials in Men's extra fine Douglas and Box Calf good-year welted at \$3.00.

Special in Slippers for men.

Slippers for Ladies.

Slippers for Misses and Children, suitable for Christmas presents, at prices easy on the pocket.

J. L. Campbell

BOSTON SHOE STORE