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- Ladies' Felt Hats In Grey, Fawns and Blues, all with long Quills. \$1.35, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.75, and up.
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- Blouses Blended Linen Damask, handsome pattern, 68 inches wide, extra heavy quality, usual 90c line, our special 75c
- Towelings 18-inch, heavy, all linen crash towelings, usual value 10c, our special 8c
- Towels Heavy, all pure linen huck towels, full bleached, red border, size 18x38 inch, fringed, usual 15c, our special 12c
- Heavy Turkish bath towels, extra large size, usual 15c; our special 12c

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 Our assortment, this season, of Washing Skirts (ready-to-wear garments) is right—Linen Crash Skirts, White Pique Skirts, Blue, Duck Skirts.

- Ladies' Linen Skirt, with two rows of Blue around bottom of skirt, only 79c
- Ladies' Blue Duck Skirt, three rows of white trimming, a good width, Special 1.50
- Ladies' White Pique Skirt, the newest style, flounced, neatly made, deep hem, only 1.90
- Ladies' Linen Crash Skirt, made from shirred Linen, pleated back, 1.50

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**FIVE FOR AND TWO AGAINST**

Handwriting Experts Had a Set-to in the Rennes Court.

One of Them Has Changed His Opinion—M. Charvay was Formerly Against the Prisoner, But is Now the Other Way—Fay de Cham is Writing the Court—Jouanet Agrees to Have a Commission Sent.

Rennes, Aug. 29.—When the trial of Captain Dreyfus opened in the Rennes Building yesterday morning, General Mercier, who was Minister of War when Dreyfus was first tried in 1894, was present as usual, in the front row of the court, and he had the honor of reading the reports as to his having led to the island of Jersey and as to his flight.

General Mercier did not seem to be very cheerful yesterday. He hardly said a word to General Gosses the whole morning, and he spoke to him in a low tone of voice. He was engaged in conversation with General Gosses and Rosee walked up and down the court yard of the Rennes, generally engaged in conversation.

General de Solleffro was not present in court yesterday. He has been absent for the past few sessions, and it is rumored here that he is desirous of leaving the sinking ship of the general. The centre of interest in the court yard was Captain Freytag of the Marine Infantry, who held a terrible reception of his friends. These friends, however, were all civilians. Not a single uniformed officer spoke to him, and he was the fruit of his frankness, and a clear indication of the determination of the military oligarchy to exterminate him.

Bertillon's Theory Uproar. M. Paraf-Javal resumed his testimony, with the assistance of a stenographer, proceeded to show the fallacy of the calculations of M. Bertillon and the latter's unfairness in not admitting that he had entered Dreyfus to the same tests as the other prisoners. He declared, however, that even if Bertillon had done so, the result would not have proved anything. The witness, however, insisted that Bertillon had adopted a violent method in only making a partial experiment. He contended that the alleged irregularity of the key was not only not proved, but that the warpath to illustrate his argument on the blackboard, and that he had given them a warm bath. M. Paraf-Javal declared that he had not given a warm bath to Dreyfus, but that he had given him a warm bath to the other prisoners. He was anxious to become an American citizen, and asked permission to fight in the ranks of the United States Army. General Hays will return to the United States to arrange for establishing American gunboats there.

**TRUGER WILL YIELD NO MORE**

Has Replied to That Effect to Mr. Chamberlain's Proposals.

War Material Going In—A Lot of Ammunition and Rifles From the Netherlands Have Reached Johannesburg—Business District Is Again, and the Uthmaniyah Council Has Decided to Tell the Imperial Government.

Cape Town, Aug. 29.—Replying to the latest proposals of the British Secretary of State for the Colonies, the Government of the Transvaal has notified him that it adheres to its latest offer and will not make any further concessions.

According to reports from Johannesburg the Burghers are everywhere exchanging Maxim rifles for Mausers, heavy loads of ammunition, including 800 Mausers, arrived at Johannesburg on Friday, from Uthmaniyah, the Netherlands.

The Business District. Johannesburg, Aug. 29.—The Uthmaniyah Council held a long meeting yesterday to discuss the business district, and it has followed the prolonged political crisis it was decided to bring the situation to the notice of the Imperial Government.

**BIG FIRE AT BURK'S FALLS.**

Business Block in Centre of Town Completely Destroyed.

Firemen and Malls Burned—Dr. Campbell, His Daughter and Miss Moore, a Guest, Escaped With Only Slight Cuts—Fire Fighters Had the Water on Their Heads Scarcely—Origin a Mystery.

Burk's Falls, Ont., Aug. 29.—At 8 o'clock yesterday morning Dr. Campbell, his daughter Edith and a guest, Miss A. Moore, Hamilton, were rescued from their slumbers by the crashing of glass, as though the postoffice building had been bombarded. The fire was in the building, which was completely destroyed. The firemen rushed to the building, but they found the building so full of smoke, so much so that it shut off their only means of escape from the building.

They then rushed to the windows, threw them open and screamed despairingly for help. The smoke followed them and rolled out of the windows through which they held their heads for a brief moment, while their cries became desperate before leaders of sufficient length could be secured. The fire which was caused by a match with nothing but their night dresses.

The attention of all hands was then directed towards saving The Arrow office, which was the last building to be saved. The fire was completely extinguished and the firemen were able to save the building. The fire was caused by a match with nothing but their night dresses.

**OLD AMMUNITION IS SHOT.**

London, Aug. 29.—The St. James' Gazette yesterday says it learns that a recent inspection by General Joubert, commander-in-chief of the Transvaal forces, disclosed the fact that nine-tenths of the reserve shells and cartridges in the Pretoria forts were inefficient, and that an immediate order to renew the supply was placed in Europe.

On the Brink of War. Cape Town, Aug. 29.—The Cape Town House of Assembly is again debating the question of the transit of arms intended for the Orange River, and the Government of the Transvaal is evidently a state of extreme tension exists, as every speech made yesterday was a warning of war.

The Hon. William P. Schreiner, the Premier, personally appeared to his fellow members to refrain from answering the questions of the Opposition, lest they would be taken as a declaration of war.

The entire Opposition rose to support the motion for adjournment made by the Right Hon. Sir John Gordon-Sprigg, the former Premier, who repeated the argument he had used in the previous debate, and asked the House to support the Cape Cabinet proposed to take in the matter. He said that the recent speech of the British Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, at Birmingham, England, had forced all to the conclusion that the British Government was on the brink of war unless the Transvaal met the British demands. In his opinion, the Cape Government was obliged to follow the example of Portugal at Delagoa Bay, and refuse to permit the transit of arms as long as the crisis lasted.

**WHERE IS ISRAEL RICHARDSON?**

A Millbrook Driver of 80 Years' Standing Is Missing.

Millbrook, Ont., Aug. 29.—Much excitement prevailed at Millbrook, Ont., on the sudden disappearance of Isaac Richardson, one of the most prominent drivers in this section, and who has been reported to have taken with him a great amount of money, the proceeds of several years' work. Richardson has been in the castle and hotel by the name of Richardson, and it is believed that he is in the vicinity of the castle and hotel. Richardson has been in the castle and hotel by the name of Richardson, and it is believed that he is in the vicinity of the castle and hotel.

**TRIAL OF THE ALLEGED CONSPIRATORS.**

Paris, Aug. 29.—The Cabinet has almost determined to summon the Senate to sit as a High Court for the trial of the alleged conspirators.

**SIXTEEN MINORS DASHED TO DEATH.**

St. Etienne, Aug. 29.—While 16 men were descending into the Courcharin mine at Haute Croix yesterday, the cable broke, and they were all killed.

**SIX MEN MET QUICK DEATH.**

Twelve Steel Arches of Cellulose Building Collapsed at Chicago Yesterday.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Twelve steel arches, each weighing 30 tons, which were being supported the superstructure of the cellulose building in course of erection on Wabash avenue, fell to the ground yesterday afternoon. It is known that six lives were sacrificed to follow the bodies of these men are supposed to be under the wreckage. Several are in the hospital with injuries received, and the other two will surely die, one may possibly recover and the rest are for the greater part seriously injured. Nearly all the men who were killed were at work on top of the arches, 40 feet above the ground.

**HIGH JOINT COMMISSION.**

American Members Propose to Prepare a Report for Congress.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Correspondence in progress between the members of the American contingent of the Canadian high joint commission, looking to a meeting at an early date with a view to making preparations for a report to Congress upon the state of the negotiations undertaken by the commission. As Secretary Hay is expected to return to Washington in the course of a week or ten days it is probable that the meeting will be held at Washington.

**THE BELIER EXPLODED.**

Hamilton, Aug. 29.—Daniel and Ira Jacobs of Winona narrowly escaped being killed on Saturday evening near Hamilton, when the Belier exploded.

**DECEASED.**

The big pulp mill at Hawkebury, Que., is about ready for operation.

**A SOLDIER DROWNED.**

Toronto, Aug. 29.—On Saturday morning Private Cummings found the body of a British Grenadier, a private in the Royal Canadian Dragoons, in the water off the pier at Toronto.

**PURELY FERRISOL.**

Mr. V. P. Powell, chief of the Grand Trunk statistical department, has resigned to accept a position in the Western States.

**EMPEROR WILLIAM HAS CONFIRMED THE ORDER OF THE RED EAGLE OF THE THIRD CLASS ON HIS ROSE, THE GERMAN CONSUL-GENERAL AT ATHENS.**

Emperor William has conferred the Order of the Red Eagle of the third class on His Rose, the German consul-general at Athens.

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