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## Saturday Bargains

24 pairs Men's Black and Tan rubber soled Shoes, reg. \$5 line	3.99
18 pairs Men's Calf Gaiters, regular \$4.00 line	1.75
7 pairs Men's Felt Boots (size 6) regular \$2.50 line	1.49
5 pairs Men's (size 10) Mackinac Rubbers, regular \$1.50 and \$1.65 lines	1.25
3 Australian Coon Fur Coats, regular price \$15.50	12.50
150 pairs Woolen Sox, regular 15c per pair	12c
Balance of our all wool Underwear, regular 50c line	39c
Balance of our Heavy Winter Caps, regular 50c line	39c

The above prices are  
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Men's Ties, Collars, Cuffs, Shirts and Gloves.  
Men's Patent Leather and Dongola Oxfords.  
Women's Patent Leather and White Kid Slippers.

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WE STUDY WALL PAPER.

### Wall Paper Styles

COLORINGS. From the many spring samples we have been shown we are able to predict with confidence that we are correct that the fashionable papers for some years to come will be made with the dark shades of coloring. There has been a tendency towards darker colorings for the last few years, but it has never been as pronounced as at the present. Greens, Browns and Reds in the order given are the predominating shades, while Blues and Pink remain favorites for chambers.

Less ingrain paper is being used; figured, dark shades have taken their places, the latter giving the same rich effect which made the ingrains so popular, in fact they are all that ingrains are, plus the handsome designs, which add greatly to the beauty.

Some of our American and Canadian color combinations are beautiful, beyond our powers of description.

#### DESIGNS

Although no two designs are just alike there is a noticeable similarity running through all the spring samples. Less scrolls, more "set" designs, after Henry XIV. or Fleur de Les style

From reliable sources we learn that these patterns are being used in the decoration of halls, drawing rooms, parlors, libraries and dining rooms, while scrolls are still preferred for chambers. The samples we have seen certainly confirm this opinion.

Knowing that the fashionable designs were of this style we bought largely of "set" patterns. In our samples we have some of the most handsome designs made in America. Some of our American and Canadian papers were designed by the best wall paper designers living. Would be pleased to show you our samples. More later on wall paper prices and qualities.

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WE ARE MASTERING WALL PAPER KNOWLEDGE.

### The Sugar Beet.

A large and enthusiastic meeting was held at the town hall on Tuesday afternoon on the Sugar Beet question. Mr. D. H. Price in the chair.

Prof. Shuttleworth, of the Ontario Agricultural College, was first called on, and gave the figures in regard to the result of the tests around Aylmer last year, which he remarked were remarkably fine, showing an average yield for 47 plots, of 18 tons, 772 lbs per acre of beets with 14.2 per cent. sugar, and 85.3 per cent. purity, which based on a price of \$4 per ton for 12 per cent. beets, would leave a clear profit of \$55 per acre. Following are the figures:

YIELD.	SUGAR.	PURITY
tons	lbs.	per cent.
J. C. Haggan	22 1300	15.3 87.5
W. A. Doohittle	16 875	13.5 85.8
J. M. Hale	13 1750	14.1 84.0
F. Jackson	17 250	13.6 84.3
S. S. Harper	26 750	14.5 85.8
A. Mitchell	11 1000	15.1 86.4
S. B. Harper	21 1075	14.0 85.7
G. A. Summers	22 1166	15.2 87.7
Jos. Benson	11 250	12.7 87.9
J. Sisler	25 1832	14.5 87.6
B. E. Bates	16 750	14.2 86.2
J. A. Caron	17 1175	14.2 86.2
W. Harp	17 1175	14.2 87.0
C. Timpany	10 1166	14.0 86.2
C. O. Learn	22 1500	14.6 86.9
Rev. W. Fanaher	21 750	14.6 85.0
S. Rogers	16 1250	13.7 84.4
W. E. Thompson	24 1166	15.8 89.3
H. Dasher	21 500	14.7 85.1
J. J. Ashton	27 333	13.4 83.0
R. B. Jones	17 1250	14.4 87.2
W. A. Wilson	13 1588	13.0 83.7
J. M. Gillett	25 1000	13.7 86.2
J. K. Pound	21 1125	12.6 82.1
N. Tufford	13 1600	15.6 89.5
J. H. Pressey	18 1464	15.1 87.5
F. H. McLaughlin	22 581	13.7 83.4
F. Heffer	12 83	15.7 90.1
L. J. Timpany	12 1826	9.0 66.4
J. M. Vanpatter	30 581	15.8 87.8
Henry Miller	14 913	14.4 83.4
Fred Dunn	22 1000	15.2 87.8
J. S. Crosby	23 1900	15.5 86.8
J. C. Dance	16 1000	16.1 86.4
S. Dawes	20 500	15.3 87.1
D. J. McLaughlin	22 581	13.7 83.4
W. A. Woodworth	17 250	14.0 87.1
G. A. Desbrowe	12 666	15.4 88.9
L. J. Timpany	17 250	15.0 82.7
J. Skinner	16 149	13.9 80.8
W. E. Thompson	24 1166	15.8 89.3
John R. Summers	28 166	13.0 82.4
John Schneider	13 459	14.6 86.7
Thos. Marchant	14 1332	14.4 85.7
E. Caverly	10 622	13.1 84.3
J. Wallace	10 622	12.9 83.1
W. H. Teeple	20 1500	14.7 82.4

Average 14.2 85.4

The tests were made under the supervision of Prof. Shuttleworth, and were of a most thorough and careful character reflecting credit not only on himself, but upon the Ontario Agriculture Society, and the Minister of Agriculture, who ordered this matter to be undertaken by the college.

The six prize winners in the growing contest were called to the platform, decorated with a badge, and asked to give their opinion on the question. They all were in favor of its growth here, assuring their hearers that there was money in it. They were J. M. Vanpatter, Luton; J. Sisler, Aylmer; C. O. Learn, Aylmer; J. M. Gillett, Copenhagen; W. E. Thompson, and G. A. Summers, Aylmer.

Mr. J. G. Hamilton, of New York, was present. He is interested in five of the largest sugar factories in the United States. He gave a splendid address, deeply interesting his audience, and he touched on every phase of the question. He said we had a very favorable soil for beets, that our results were remarkable, but that the high analysis obtained on one quarter acre trial tests could not be expected in 20 acre fields. A factory, to pay well, should run for four months, and the farmer should be paid so that enough can be obtained. Any place that could raise a beet like ours should be successful. No crop that he knew paid half as well, nor can you over do the market. But you should get your government to grant protection to the venture to induce capital here. A bounty of a cent per pound for five years he thought right. A factory adds value to all, farmer, merchant, laborer, land, railways, etc. In localities land was worth \$30 per acre when their factory was started, inside a short time it was \$130 per acre. But the government should protect it for a time. No capitalist would start unless assured of having enough beets to run a full season, say 120 days from Sept 1st. Do not build a small or cheap factory nor cheap machinery. Build and buy the best, as it pays. Do not build less than a 350-ton factory, and then with the farmer and manufacturer helping each other, success was assured.

Mr. Hamilton offered to answer any question asked him, and quite a volley of them were fired at him from all parts of the hall. He answered like one who knew whereof he spoke. The best soil is a rich loam, either sand or clay; but light sand or hard clay will not do. Rotation in cropping must be the method pursued in growing the beet—a three-year rotation. Do not sow on new land nor use new manures. Use old land and thoroughly rotted manure. Yes, the pulp is valuable as a food for cattle, they give the farmer half their beets back again in pulp. A 350-ton factory would require 200 hands in a night and day shift. He here explained the whole process of the manufacture of sugar. The railroads should also be approached for a 50 per cent. cut on rates. They bring your coke, limestone, machinery, etc., in, and take your sugar out, and it would pay them to do it at that figure. Beet raising was not easy work, but all can be done by horse power except thinning and hoeing, two essentials for putting sugar into the beet.

Having answered all questions, the speaker sat down at a very interesting 90-minute address. Those present should feel thankful to the committee and Mr. Shuttleworth for inducing Mr. Hamilton to be present.

At the instance of the chairman, some forty farmers present declared their willingness to grow at least five acres of beets for five years.

# February White Wear Sale

BEGINS ON THURSDAY MORNING.



Months of careful preparation in getting every ready for this sale. Ladies, we ask you to visit this store, you will be astonished at the make up of our Muslin Underwear. Nothing like it shown heretofore. Come and examine the fineness of textures, the workmanship and the lowness of price on every garment shown. You cannot afford to waste time in making electricity has superseded foot treading on sewing machines, thousands of stitches to the minute, and as even as the eye can make them. Here is only a fair estimate of what we can show you at little prices

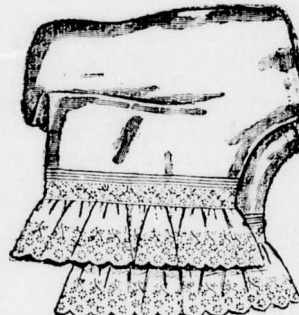
500 pairs of new Spring Corsets added to the White Wear Sale will make February a hummer. Below is a list of special styles at very special prices. See our erect form Corset, the new Girdle Corset and our up-to-date 75c Corset for 44c. Read the list.



### GOWNS

- At 50c, 75c, \$1, 1.40, 1.80, 2.25, 2.70.
- Ladies' Fine Cambric Night Gowns, 6 clusters of tucks on yoke, fine cambric frill around neck, front and sleeves..... **50c**
- Ladies' Fine Cambric Gowns, yoke of 20 tucks and embroidery insertion, frill of embroidery at neck and sleeves, full size..... **1.00**
- Ladies' Fine Lawnsville Gowns, circular yoke of fine tucks and insertion, wide frill of Swiss embroidery around yoke, sleeves and neck, very special at..... **1.80**
- Ladies' Fine Muslin Gowns, square yoke of lace and fine tucks, frill of wide lace around neck and yoke, beautifully made..... **2.25**
- Ladies' Empire Gowns, in 3 styles, made on fine muslin, yokes of hemstitching tucks and embroidery insertion, cut squares and round yokes, 1.50, 1.80..... **2.70**

### DRAWERS



- Ladies' Drawers, full size, 4 tucks, ruffle of cambric, very special..... **25c**
- Ladies' Fine Cambric Drawers, deep frill of fine cambric, cluster of 5 tucks, open or closed..... **38c**
- Ladies' Fine Cambric Drawers, frill of hemstitching and tucks, full width, open or closed..... **48c**
- Ladies' Fine Cambric Drawers, deep frill of embroidery, 4 clusters of tucks..... **75c**
- Ladies' Fine Muslin Drawers in 3 styles, ruffles of lace and Swiss embroidery, tucks and lace insertion, 1.25, 1.40, 1.50..... **1.50**

### CORSET COVERS

- At 25c, 30c, 38c, 50c, 65c, 80c, \$1, 1.25, 1.60, 1.80, Ladies' Corset Covers, square yoke of embroidery edging on fine cambric..... **25c**
- Ladies' Corset Covers, square yoke of embroidery and insertion, arm size of embroidery on fine cambric..... **50c**
- Ladies' Corset Covers, deep yoke of Swiss muslin, Valenciennes lace insertion, frill of muslin and lace at neck and arms, a beauty..... **80c**
- Ladies' Corset Covers, full front, of insertion or muslin, up and down frill of fine embroidery neck and sleeves..... **1.50**
- Ladies' Corset Covers, fine muslin and lace fronts, very full, deep frill of lace and ribbon at neck and sleeves..... **1.60**

### SKIRTS

- 40 and 42 inches long, at 75c, \$1, 1.50, 1.75, 2, 2.25, 2.50, 2.90, 3, 4.
- Ladies' White Cambric Skirts, deep flounce of embroidery, and cluster of 4 tucks, special..... **75c**
- Ladies' Fine Cambric Skirts, deep flounce of muslin with wide Torchon insertion..... **1.00**
- Ladies' Fine Lawnsdale Skirts, deep muslin flounce of embroidery, cluster of tucks, wide and full, special..... **1.50**
- Ladies' White Muslin Skirts, 18 inch flounce, 10 tucks, with lace insertion and wide lace frill, also dust frill..... **2.25**
- Ladies' White Muslin Skirts, deep frill of Swiss embroidery and fine insertion, 6 fine tucks, dust frill, our special..... **2.90**
- Ladies' White Muslin Skirts, 20 inch flounce of muslin, 2 rows lace insertion deep lace frill, dust frill, fine..... **3.00**
- Ladies' Swiss Muslin Skirts, very fine and beautifully made, flounce of fine insertion and embroidery, cluster of 3 fine tucks, a perfect gem..... **5.50**
- Ladies' White Muslin Skirts, flounce of cluster of tucks with point lace insertion and frill of lace to match dust frill of muslin..... **4.70**

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120 pairs of steel filled Corsets, long waist, made to sell at 75c, good value at that. We place them on sale while they last at nearly half the value **44c**

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Space will not permit us to tell you about February Cotton Bargains; we bought over 2,000 yards before the advance. Every yard will be sold to our customers at old prices while they last

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- 36-inch fine pure Cotton, notes and ordinary..... **6c**
- very special..... **10c**
- 36-inch Bleached Cotton 5c, 8c and..... **15c**
- 36-inch Lawnsdale Cambric 10c, 14c and..... **25c**
- 72-inch Sheeting, bleached, tweed or plain..... **25c**
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