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WHEAT FUTURES ADVANCE

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Butchers' cattle, picked lots	4 25	4 35
" good	3 70	3 90
" medium, mixed	3 45	3 65
" common	3 25	3 40
" inferior	3 00	3 12½
Feeders, heavy	4 15	4 30
Feeders, light	3 80	4 00
Stockers	3 25	3 80
Milch cows	30 00	43 00
Calves	2 00	10 00
Sheep, ewes, per cwt.	3 50	4 75
Sheep, bucks, per cwt.	3 00	3 50
Lambs, picked ewes and wethers	6 00	6 50
Lambs, per cwt	4 75	6 25
Sheep, butchers'	3 00	4 00
Spring lambs, each	2 50	4 75
Hogs, choice, over 160 and up to 200 lbs.	6 25	----
Hogs, thick fats	5 75	----
" light, under 160 lbs	5 50	----
" corn-fed	5 87½	----
" sows	3 25	----
" stags	2 00	----

THE CATTLE MARKETS.

London Market Unchanged—New York Slow, but Steady.

New York, April 27.—Beeves—Receipts 2291; slow but steady; all sold; steers $4.60 to $5.60, bulls $2.75 to $4.40, cows $2.20 to $3.75; cables quoted live cattle at Liverpool at 11¼c to 11¾c; London market unchanged; exports none, 11,855 cattle, and 11,975 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts 1362; slow; extra veals steady; others 25c to 35c lower; 125 unsold; common to choice veals $3.50 to $6, tops $6.12½.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 6168; sheep dull and under grades 15c to 25c lower; wooled stock not wanted; lambs steady to 20c lower: four cars stock unsold; wooled sheep $4.75 to $6.50, culls $4.25, clipped sheep $3.87½ to $5.25; wooled lambs $7.25 to $8.12½; clipped do., $5.75 to $7.12½, spring lambs $4.50.

Hogs—Receipts 2213; firm; good state hogs $5.85 to $5.90.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000; light steers steady; heavy, 5c to 10c lower; butchers' stock strong; good to prime native steers, $4.90 to $5.85. Hogs—Receipts to-day, 23,000; to-morrow, 15,000; left over, 1500; average, 5c lower; top, $5.60; mixed and butchers', $3.50 to $5.55. Sheep and lambs slow to shade easier; good wethers, $5.25 to $5.60.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, April 27.—Cattle, quiet; calves were in good supply; moderate demand, lower; choice to extra, $5.75; good to choice, $5.25 to $5.75. Sheep and lambs—Clipped lambs, choice to extra, $6.50 to $6.75; good to choice, $6.25 to $6.50; common to fair, $4.75 to $5.75; sheep, mixed, $5 to $5.50; yearlings, choice to extra, $5.75 to $5.85; wethers, $5.50 to $5.75. Hogs, $5.75; mixed, $5.75 to $5.80; heavy yorkers, $5.75 to $5.80; light yorkers, $5.60 to $5.60; pigs, $5.50; roughs, $5.15 to $5.25; stags, $4 to $4.25.

Dun's Weekly Trade Review.

Navigation is now fairly opened at Montreal, the first steamship arriving from sea Thursday, and the St. Lawrence Canals will be opened next week, which will occasion a good deal of activity in the despatch of heavy goods to river and lake points, and of general supplies to the lower ports by first steamers. Bad roads in the Upper Ottawa district and a few other sections still handicap travelers somewhat, but general trade advices are of the fairly favorable character noted last week. Sorting business in the drygoods line is approaching a finish, but a fair number of city and country buyers are still reported as making moderate personal selections. Travelers in most cases are now carrying full lines of fall samples. In grocery lines there are few changes. The severely censured manipulation of prices in the American wire and nail trade has had an unsettling effect on buyers of these goods in the local market, and a meeting of the Canadian manufacturers was held on Friday to consider the situation, but results were not known at the moment of writing. General collections range from fair to good, and failures in the district only number five for the week, with light liabilities. The money market is firm at 5½ per cent. for call funds, and it is said some of the banks have been considering a 6 per cent. rate.

Business has been fairly active this week in wholesale circles at Toronto. The opening of navigation tends to increase the movement of merchandise, and large shipments of goods are being made to the Northwest. The agricultural season in Manitoba is early this year, and prospects are favorable for the largest grain yield on record in 1900. The trade of Toronto merchants with the Western Provinces is likely therefore to be unusually large. In drygoods there is an active demand, and all goods rule very firm in prices. The millinery trade is good, with sales larger than for the corresponding period of last year. Hardware and metals fairly active, and the increased building operations going on in the city have a stimulating effect on the trade. Groceries are firm, with a fair movement. There is also a good trade in leather, drugs and chemicals. The carters' strike is interfering with the delivery of goods, but it is not likely to be of long duration. Hogs and the product thereof are higher this week, while the cattle markets are dull and lower. Money is scarce and firm, with call loans quoted at 5½ to 6 per cent. Commercial paper is firm at 6 to 6½ per cent. for A1 names. The discounts of Canadian banks are now over $279,000,000, an increase of nearly $39,000,000 within 12 months. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 4 per cent.

Cotton Markets.

New York, April 27.—Cotton futures opened steady. May 9.43, June 9.32, July 9.37, Aug. 9.24, Sept. 8.44, Oct. 8.19, Nov. 8.01, Dec. 8.02; Jan. 8.03, Feb. 8.05, March 8.08.

New York, April 27.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 9 13-16c; middling gulf, 10 1-16c, sales none.

New York, April 27.—Cotton—Futures closed firm; April 9.47, May 9.48, June and July 9.43, Aug. 9.28, Sept. 8.48, Oct. 8.24, Nov. and Dec. 8.07, Jan. 8.08, Feb. 8.09, March 8.12.

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STRIKE FEVER STILL BURNS.

As Yet No Signs of a Settlement Between the Striking Teamsters and the Cartage Companies.

MEN WATCHED BY DETECTIVES.

Carpenters May Be the Next to Strike for Higher Wages in Toronto.

As far as the teamsters are concerned, there were no new developments in their strike yesterday. As the trouble continues, it brings much inconvenience to shippers and the railway companies. The men say they can hold out for any length of time, while on the other hand the cartage companies remain solid and make no concessions. When Tuesday arrives there will be a number of other mechanics lay down their tools unless the bosses in the meantime come to some settlement.

Every Man There.

When the teamsters gathered in Temperance Hall yesterday morning 212 men answered to their names, which is every one who went out. The pickets were sent out to do duty at various points, and by 7 o'clock every man was at his post. During the day every striker received a copy of the following letter from the companies:

"You are hereby notified that unless you are on hand and resume duty as usual at 6.45 a.m. Saturday, the 28th inst., your services will be no longer required, and this company will feel justified in retaining any moneys due you and in taking such legal action as they may see fit against you for leaving the service without giving us notice, according to law."

No Notice Taken of It.

The men decided to take no notice of the letters, but to stay out and continue the fight. In the afternoon another communication was received from the companies, but its contents were not divulged. One man who came from Hamilton to work was given employment by a merchant.

Each Company Working.

Each of the cartage companies sent out a number of wagons in the morning, and they continued working all day. Several of the Hendrie wagons were escorted by a squad of police and a Grand Trunk Railway detective, who kept back the crowds. In a lane in the rear of a Bay-street establishment about 200 men and boys gathered and hooted three men who were driving drays. A quantity of water was thrown on the driver of one wagon by some person from the top window of a building. On the appearance of P. C.'s Redford and Sandel, the crowd soon dispersed. When these three wagons were returning to the company's stables on Lorne-street there was a big crowd to greet them on Front-street in front of the Queen's Hotel.

A G.T.R. Detective Nabbed.

A man who was following the drays demanded that a policeman take the name of a certain onlooker who he said was causing him annoyance. The policeman obeyed, whereupon the crowd insisted that the informant's name be taken, who, they declared, pulled this man from his bicycle. In the meantime the informant had walked down Lorne-street, but was overtaken by the policeman. The man whom he had complained to the police about asked for his name, whereupon he said: "Do you know that I am a Government officer?" He was told that he was taking the law in his own hands, but his answer to this was, "Well, I have a right to do that." His name was insisted on, and he handed out a card, which read, "G. T. Bradley, G.T.R. Detective, Hamilton."

A number of the shippers are engaging their own horses and wagons, with which to carry their freight to and from the depot.

In reference to a statement made by a teamster that Mr. Harry G. Reid, manager of the Social Ceylon Tea Co., had threatened to dismiss his employes because they interfered with the driver of a cartage wagon, The World saw Mr. Reid. He said: "I did make the threat, but I do not intend to carry it out."

May Be Over Shortly.

It was the opinion of Mr. Arthur White, freight agent of the Grand Trunk, that the strike would be over shortly. He said the outward freight was being handled quickly, but there was an unusual accumulation of inward freight at the sheds. Speaking of the possible abolition of the cartage system, he said: "I would be glad if it was dropped. It is expensive to us, and, besides, there are none in the United States." His sympathy was with the men, but he blamed the shippers for the trouble, whom, he said, sent their freight too late. Altho there was a scarcity of men, he believed that the thousands thrown out of employment at Ottawa would give the workingman a shudder. "Some will come here and will take the strikers' places."

The Machinists' Strike.

It was stated yesterday that several of the firms where the machinists were out, were willing to pay the strikers an 8 per cent. increase. The machinists are confident that they will receive the 12½ per cent. increase, and will fight for it. Several interviews were had yesterday with the bosses, and there are signs of a settlement.

Boilermakers May Go Back.

All that is now required to allow the striking boilermakers to return to their work is the approval of the Executive Board of the International Union of Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders to the agreement entered into by the committee of the men and the bosses, drawn up on Thursday. The men expect by this morning a reply to the telegram announcing the settlement sent yesterday afternoon to the executive at Kansas City, and then arrangements will be made by which they will go back to the shops on Monday morning. The information contained in the agreement has not yet been made public, but it is said the bosses have agreed to everything in the letter sent by the men, with the exception of that clause which refers to contract work performed on holidays. The men wanted time and a quarter for all such work, but at the conference they agreed to accept a 10 per cent. advance instead. The regular monthly meeting of the local Boilermakers' Union was held last night in Occident Hall, and altho the men declined to talk about the developments in the strike, signs of victory were to be seen everywhere.

Carpenters' Mass Meeting.

The carpenters held a mass meeting in Richmond Hall last night, which was attended by nearly 200 members of this trade. There were present representatives of the three unions, United Brotherhood No. 27, Amalgamated Society No. 1, and Amalgamated Society No. 3, and also a number of non-union carpenters who were invited. The meeting was arranged by a committee representing the three unions and was called for the purpose of discussing the wage question. Several weeks ago a circular was forwarded to all the bosses setting forth their demands and requesting an answer. Up to yesterday this communication had been answered by two firms, both of whom expressed their willingness to sign the agreement.

Are Well Organized.

The men say that they are well organized and in a better position to stay out for their demands than ever before. According to the union men there is a feeling among the non-union carpenters that the proper time has arrived when something should be done to better their condition. Another joint meeting will be held Monday night, when it will be definitely settled what action to take in the case of those firms who have not granted the 2½c per hour increase. Some of the carpenters declare that unless their demands are recognized they will refuse to work, which means that they will go out on strike.

Electrical Works, Too.

The local branch of the Brotherhood of Electrical Workers of America, which was recently organized and is now known as No. 114, met in Richmond Hall last night. A committee appointed some time ago to prepare a scale of wages did not report, as they had not completed the work. Another meeting has been called for next Friday night, when it is expected the committee will have the report ready. The electrical workers at present have no standard scale of wages, but will present one to the employers for adoption at a near date.

Stonecutters' Meeting.

The stonecutters are also asking for a renewal of their agreement, which they say will expire on the first of the month. They held a meeting last night, when the situation was discussed, but it was stated that no action was taken.

On Monday night the Painters' and decorators' Union will meet in Richmond Hall to talk over the one topic, wages. They, too, will request the employers to sign an agreement which asks for more wages. This agreement is to take effect on May 1.

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We are making to order A 1 Mackintoshes at the following prices:

All-Wool Beaver Chesterfields, silk velvet collars, worth $25, $18.

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All-Wool Whipcords, in all shades, worth $20, $15.50.

All-Wool Meltons, blue and drab, worth $18, $12.50.

Paramattas, in all shades, equally low in price.

First-class Military Inverness Capes, $10.

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SOLE TOPIC IN NEW YORK.

Insurance Men There Say Loss Will Fall Most Heavily on British and Canadian Companies.

New York, April 27.—The Ottawa fire was almost the sole topic of conversation in insurance circles down town to-day. Insurance men are inclined to think, however, that the losses as reported are exaggerated, and that when the excitement attendant upon a big conflagration has died down it will be found that the actual loss will reach a much smaller figure. The loss will be great, the, without exaggeration, they think it will be classed among the great conflagrations on this side of the Atlantic. The loss will fall most heavily upon the British and Canadian insurance companies. Altho many American companies have agencies in Canada, the amount of business that they do, when compared with the British corporations, is small. The local managers of the companies say that they do not expect to hear from their head offices for a day or two yet. As an instance of what a loss of $10,000,000, which is about the figure at which insurance men have fixed the insurance loss at Ottawa, means to insurance companies, it is stated that that amount would just about cover the annual income of the two largest companies in America.

What Mr. Hall Says.

Lewis A. Hall, president of the Export Lumber Company of New York, Boston and Ottawa, which company had $1,000,000 worth of its lumber burned in the Ottawa fire, was interviewed to-day as follows:

"The destruction of the large amount of white pine lumber at Ottawa, which is reported as amounting to from 150,000,000 to 200,000,000 feet, together with the loss of between 200,000,000 and 250,000,000 feet per year, will have a greater effect on the white pine market than it would have had at any other period in the past 10 years. Not only does it take out of the market for the next 12 months over 400,000,000 feet of lumber, principally white pine, but it does this at a time when the demand was increasing altogether out of proportion to the available supply."

RELIEF FROM LONDON.

The Lord Mayor Will Open a Fund —Papers Hesitate to Believe in Foul Play.

London, April 28.—The morning papers all publish articles with reference to the Ottawa fire. They are generally loth to believe that it could have been the work of Fenians or pro-Boers.

"If it were," says The Daily Mail, "and Canada has suffered on account of her loyalty, this is only a fresh claim to the Mother Country's aid."

The Lord Mayor of London will open a relief fund.

Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, in the course of an interview, admitted his inability to see how a fire in Hull could spread to Ottawa. He said he personally had no suspicion of foul play, and he thought it quite possible that the fires might have broken out simultaneously.

GREAT ARMOR PLATE WORKS.

Capitalists With Any Amout of Money Propose a Great Establishment in England.

London, April 27.—The newspapers here announce that a syndicate of northern capitalists with "unlimited wealth" are about to erect on the banks of the River Tees the largest armor plate works in the United Kingdom. The syndicate, it is added, is sending a commission to the United States to inspect the best plants there and to study American methods. The commission includes the managers of large steel companies and Mr. Stephen Furness, son of Sir Christopher Furness, the prominent ship owner, ship builder and engine builder of West Hartlepool.

Rising in Sierra Leone.

Free Town, Sierra Leone, April 27.—A serious rising among the Younis in the Ronietta district is reported, and a detachment of the West African Regiment has been sent to Rotofunk to quell it.

A Case of Distress.

The peculiar distress of a case that has lately been made known to the writer seems to demand immediate public notice and care. A young Englishman, whose parents are both dead and who has no near relatives, is stricken with the terrible white plague, consumption. At present he is being cared for by a poor widow on Richmond-street, who at no small sacrifice and for no other cause than that of Christian charity has, ever since he has been unable to work, been doing her noble best to supply his needs. The man is utterly destitute and our hope is that within a few days sufficient means may come to hand from those whose eyes may rest upon this statement to enable us to send him to Muskoka, where all that can be done will be done to restore him. Contributions for this purpose may be sent to the undersigned and will be gratefully acknowledged thru the columns of this paper. (Sgd.) W. J. Smith, pastor Yonge-street Methodist Church, 84 Summerhill-avenue, Toronto.

At the meeting of Zetland Lodge, A.F. & A.M., in the Temple Building last night, $25 was voted to the Ottawa fire fund.

Quebec Sends Help.

Quebec, April 27.—A subscription list for the Hull and Ottawa sufferers was opened to-day at the office of Le Soleil, and in less than two hours over $1500 was subscribed, the list being headed by a $1000 subscription by Messrs. Dobell, Beckett & Co. The money was wired to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who will hand it over to the proper authorities.

At a meeting held to-night the City Council voted the sum of $2000 for the sufferers by yesterday's conflagration.

Provisions From Montreal.

Montreal, April 27.—The Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific trains, which left for Ottawa this evening, took several carloads of food and provisions for Ottawa, for the sufferers from the fire.

Hay Doing Good Work.

Pretoria, April 26.—All advices indicate that the U. S. Consul, Adelbert S. Hay, has won a diplomatic success. His position is exceedingly difficult, but he is pursuing an impartial, determined policy, and has succeeded in considerably ameliorating the condition of the British prisoners at Pretoria, including the Colonials.

SWAZILAND'S FURIOUS QUEEN

Has Given Her Chiefs Full Liberty to Keep on Killing—Boers Are Greatly Incensed.

Lorenzo Marquez, April 27.—Swaziland runners report that the recent visit to the Queen of Swaziland by Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett, member of the British House of Commons in the Conservative interest, for the Eccleshall division of Sheffield, has not checked the killing.

The Swazi Queen has placed the former King's brother upon the throne, a boy of 18. She argues that as she will have to answer for the death of Sebugau she may as well continue killing, and she has given the chiefs permission to kill whom they please thru the whole of Swaziland.

The commandoes ordered to the front are obeying reluctantly. One burgher, who has escaped injury in a number of battles, admits that the Boers have fired on the Red Cross frequently.

The sending of Gen. Cronje to St. Helena has greatly enraged the Boers, who are said to be more than ever determined to fight to the death.

Germany Demands Satisfaction.

Berlin, April 27.—The German Government has formally demanded satisfaction for a number of outrages lately committed at Melbourne upon residents supposed to be friendly to the Boers.

Kipling Again in England.

London, April 28.—The steamer Tantallon Castle, with Mr. Rudyard Kipling and Sir John Devilliers, Chief Justice of Cape Colony, has arrived at Southampton from Cape Town.

Satisfactory Progress Made.

London, April 28.—The Bloemfontein correspondent of The Morning Post, telegraphing Thursday, says:

"Most satisfactory progress has been made in the accumulation of stores during the past week, Supply Park now presenting a respectable appearance. The prospects of a general advance are more favorable."

Boers Kept Ahead of French.

London, April 28.—The Bloemfontein correspondent of The Daily Telegraph, under Thursday's date, says:

"The Boers who retreated from Dewetsdorp kept well ahead of Gen. French's cavalry. Unless the enemy should make a stand at Kroonstadt, Lord Roberts will rapidly cross the Vaal River."

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Men's Bicycle Suits, good all-wool Canadian tweeds, in a neat black and brown small check pattern, made single breast sacque style with patch pocket, pants finished with strap and buckle at the bottom, cap to match, sizes 35 to 40, regular selling price 5.00, special Monday..... **3.00**

A Splendid Business Suit at Small Cost.

Men's Fine Scotch Tweed Suits, made single breast sacque, with double-breast vest, in a brown broken plaid pattern, lined with fine Italian cloth, handsomely tailored, sizes 34 to 40, sale price Monday **9.00**

All Our New and Natty Boys' Clothing

has met the same fate as the men's things—everything down in price. Here are some suggestions that show how very little we are prepared to take:

Boys' Two-Piece Norfolk Suits, medium fawn with a faint red mixture, made from a fine all-wool homespun, shoulder straps and belt, and pants cut plain at bottom, sizes 23-28, sale price **2.75**

Children's Fancy Brownie Suits, neat black and white diamond check all-wool Scotch tweed, small collar, lapels and vest handsomely ornamented with black silk soutache braid, sizes 21-26, sale price **3.50**

Boys' Fine Scotch Tweed Single-Breasted Sacque Suits, brown and grey plain pattern, lined with fine farmers' satin, well trimmed and cut in the latest style, sizes 28-33, sale price.. **4.00**

Boys' Three-Garment Double-Breasted Suits, fine all-wool worsted-finished English tweed, dark brown faint broken plaid pattern, linings and trimmings to correspond, sizes 28-33, sale price **4.50**

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Half Price for Men's Bicycles and Women's Bicycles.

Name, "The Famous." Models and Tires Strictly 1900.

Our April bicycle business will be the biggest on record when we sell on Monday 42 high-grade American wheels manufactured by the Great Western Manufacturing Co. of Laporte and Chicago, known as "The Famous" bicycle, and fully guaranteed by the maker and by this store.

The choice of the sample wheels we sold Friday was the "Famous." Our own judgment was confirmed by the fact that it was picked out first thing by a man who has bought and sold hundreds of the highest grade bicycles. We are pleased to be able to make the biggest bicycle offer of the year so early in the season. Your May day ride should be on "The Famous."

Men's, 22 and 24 in. frames.

Women's, 21 and 23 in.

Some of these low enough for girls twelve to fourteen years of age. Would be a prize at $35.00. Monday's price for the wheels will be $18.90.

Any part can be replaced promptly.

Here are the specifications:

The fittings, cones, cups, etc., are made from best steel, carefully tempered; full flush joint frame, black enamel, rat trap pedals on gents' wheels, rubber pedals on ladies', padded coil spring saddle, first-class adjustable handlebars and single tube tires, Monday..... **18.90**

In the Men's Furnishing Store.

Shirt Special.

15 doz. Men's Fine Colored Cambric Shirts, laundried bosom, open front and cuffs attached, in neat blue and pink fancy stripes, sizes 14 to 17½; also soft bosom, in large sizes only—16 to 17, regular price 75c each, Monday, special to clear..... **.39**

Men's Fine Quality Colored Cambric Shirts, laundried bosom, open front, and cuffs attached, in neat blue and white and black and white fine stripes, fine make of English cambric, fast colors, sizes 14 to 17..... **1.00**

Men's Heavy Percale Laundried Bosom Shirts, open back, cuffs attached and two separate collars, in neat blue, pink and black fancy and plain stripes, fast colors, sizes 14 to 17..... **.75**

Men's Fine Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, ribbed cuffs and ankles, trouser finish, best satine facings, overlock seams and warranted not to shrink, sizes 34 to 46, natural shade, per garment..... **1.00**

Boys' Fine All-Wool Sweaters, plain Rib, roll or sailor collar, in navy and white, cardinal and white, extra special quality and finish, all sizes, 1 to 4, each..... **1.00**

Men's Heavy White Twilled Cotton Night Robes, collar attached, 54 inches long and pocket, all seams felled and double-stitched, special quality, soft finish cotton, colored, washable, trimmings, sizes 14 to 18..... **.75**

Men's Medium Weight Plain Knit Shirts, navy, blue and grey, collar attached, well made and finished..... **.50**

Handsome Curtains and Draperies.

Just a hint of some of our most artistic goods, the beautiful filmy curtains and rich heavy materials that are in popular demand for interior decorations. People of the most exacting tastes always find what they want in our collection of beautiful high-class goods. These are worth coming to see:

Battenburg Lace Curtains, in handsome effects, heavy Marie Antoinette, with lace and insertion, 5 to 9 inches wide, in newest designs, 50 and 60 inches wide, 3½ to 4 yards long, special values, from $7.50 to..... **25.00**

Tapestry Curtains, in handsome designs, with the latest color combinations, suitable for dining rooms and libraries, with heavy fringed ends, good values at $4.50 to $7.50, a particularly good line at **6.75**

We would like you to see three remarkably good lines in upholstering goods, in the newest colors, of rose, green, blue and gold, all 50 inches wide, special, per yard, at $2.75, $3 and $3.50 ..... **3.50**

Velours, the correct covering for Cosey Corners, 50 inches wide, in all colors, per yard, 85c, $1 and..... **1.35**

Window Shades, in best quality of opaque, cloth trimmed, with linen, lace and insertion, mounted on Hartshorn spring roller, size 37 x 70, complete, with tassel..... **2.70**

Egyptian Lace, with frill, in white or ivory, very handsome goods, the daintiest of window decorations, 30 to 50 inches wide, 75c to..... **1.25**

Here Are Monday Bargains.

They'll not be long in finding new owners at these tempting prices. If you need Lace Curtains, some Tapesty or a Window Shade, read these items carefully:

62 pairs Fine Quality Swiss Net Curtains, very handsome patterns, all new goods, but we have only one and two pairs alike; these curtains are worth from $4.50 to $6 per pair, Monday morning **3.75**

350 yards French, American and English Tapestry, in floral and stripe effects, 50 inches wide, suitable for curtains or for covering furniture worth 50c and 60c, Monday morning, your choice ..... **.38**

500 Window Shades, 37 x 70 inches, mounted on good spring rollers, in light and dark cream, trimmed with insertion, complete, with tassel, Monday morning, each ..... **.33**
Regular value is 50c.

10,000 Yards Good Fine White Cotton at 3 1-2c.

Sounds cheap, doesn't it? And so it is, probably the lowest price at which such a good quality of white cotton has ever been offered. It's this way: We have just purchased the entire lot of "mill ends" of a large cotton company to great advantage and decide to pass it right out of our hands at this next-to-nothing rate for Monday:

10,000 yards in all, in lengths of from 5 to 10 yards, all 36 inches wide, full bleach and fine round thread—the regular 6c quality, Monday, per yard..... **3½**

The lengths will not be cut.

Furniture for Home or Office.

Marked at prices that will make you reconsider your resolution to "do without." When our liberal reductions give you such money-saving chances you'll not mind coming on the day we specify, in fact you'll likely consider it the luckiest day of the week for you. Read these items carefully if you've any thought of needing a fine office desk or a set of bedroom furniture, and come Monday to see their reliable worth and the marvellous value available:

12 only Bedroom Suites, hardwood, antique finish, neatly carved, well made and finished; bureau has 3 large drawers, with shaped top, fitted with bevelled British plate mirror, shaped, 20x24 inches; large combination washstand, bedstead 4 ft. 2 inches wide; regular price $15, special Monday **11.90**

10 only Bedroom Suites, solid oak, golden finish, richly carved throughout, bureau and washstand have shaped tops, fancy shaped bevelled British plate mirror, 22x28 inches; bedstead 4 ft. 2 inches wide, handsome brass trimmings, regular price $25, on sale Monday **18.90**

1 only Roll Top Office Desk, quarter-cut oak, golden finish, hand polished mahogany writing bed, width 5 feet, regular price $55, on sale Monday **40.00**

1 only Quarter-cut Oak Roll Top Office Desk, 5 ft. wide, fitted complete with filing cabinets, etc., regular price $50, on sale Monday **37.50**

1 only Solid Oak Roll Top Office Desk, 5 feet wide, Hungarian ash writing bed, regular price $47.50, on sale Monday **35.00**

1 only Roll Top Office Desk, with Sycamore writing bed, 4 feet 6 inches with filing cabinets, etc., regular price $34, on sale Monday **20.00**

Hall Racks, selected ash, neatly carved, fitted with bevelled mirror plates, box seat, umbrella holders, best brass hooks, rich golden finish **6.25**

Hall Racks, quarter-cut oak, golden finish, handsomely carved and polished, shaped British plate mirror, bevelled, box seat, brass hooks and umbrella holder **12.00**

Another Children's Day.

Our regular Monday Boot and Shoe offers are always eagerly appreciated. Here is the younger folks' list for next Monday—and don't miss seeing the cute baby's boots we tell about:

We have just passed into stock the prettiest assortment of Babies' Soft-Sole Kid Bootees ever shown in Toronto. They come in button and lace, colors black, chocolate, red, pink, blue and white, finest American make, sizes 1 to 4, special ..... **.50**

Girls' Fine Black or Chocolate Vici Kid Lace Boots footform shape, fancy inserted vesting tops, lace, price—sizes 5 to 7½, $1.50; sizes, 8 to 10½, $1.65; sizes 11 to 2 ..... **2.00**

Boys' Handsome Chocolate Kid Lace Boots, also fine black box calf, well made and finished, nice shaped and good fitting boots, sizes 11 to 13, $1.50; sizes 1 to 5, ... **1.75**

SPECIAL—Boys' Good Buff Lace Boots, neat and durable, sizes 1 to 5, $1.25; sizes 11 to 13 ..... **1.00**

Men's Fancy Hose Half Price.

A choice of several pretty colorings and patterns—every pair of them of pleasing excellence in quality:

35 doz. Men's Cotton ½ Hose, in fancy stripes, fancy stripes with silk embroidery forming checks, plain black or tan and balbriggan, all made with double sole, heel and toe, full fashioned, French finished, Hermsdorf and stainless dye, made of fine 2 and 3-thread Maco yarn, sizes 10 to 11½, the regular value of them is 20c and 25c, special price..... **.12½**

What Kind of Hat?

You've a choice here of every kind, and you'll like the way we keep the prices down and the quality up:

Men's Knockabout and Crush Hats, fine pliable imported English felt, pearl, Cuba, navy or black colors, narrow silk bands, no binding on edge of brims, special ..... **.50**

Men's Superior Quality English Fur Felt Stiff Hats, in all the popular and new spring styles, new colors, in browns, fawns or black, fine silk bindings, Russia calf leather sweatbands, Monday **2.00**

Men's Light Colored and Light Weight Soft Hats, in pearl, grey, Cuba or fawn, self or with colored bands, extra fine grade of fur felt, very dressy for spring and summer wear, very special **2.00**

Carpet Excellence and Variety.

One of the departments in which we take special pride. We are now showing a collection of the finest floor coverings in varieties of style and pattern that cannot be excelled for artistic beauty and reliable quality. That our prices are lower than others only shows our better buying ability and willingness to share the usual profits.

Some mention below of new arrivals to add to our immense assortment will interest all owners.

English Axminsters—A splendid assortment of those high-grade and fashionable Carpets has just been passed into stock, containing some of the most exclusive novelties in the designers' art ever imported into Canada, with the latest color combinations of blues, greens, rose du barri, etc., with 2-4 and 5-8 borders to match, suitable for fine drawing rooms, dining rooms, etc., special values, per yard, at $1.50 and **2.00**

English Brussels—Our recent importations of the highest grade made, added to an always well assorted stock, give us a range which for style and beauty is unexcelled in this Dominion, with 5-8 borders to match; we have some suitable for any room, excellent value, per yard, at..... **1.25**

English Tapestries—Our stock in the better grades of these goods is unusually well assorted, the designs this season being exceptionally good, with the latest color combinations of greens, blues, reds, browns, etc., making effective and splendid wearing carpets, with 5-8 border to match, special value, per yard, at..... **.65**

Axminster Rugs are becoming more popular each season. We have just opened a large new shipment, the designs being particularly handsome, with exquisite color combinations of Nile, reseda and empire greens, blues, reds, etc., sizes 8.8 x 10.10, special value, each, at..... **20.00**

All-Wool Reversible Carpet, 36 inches wide, in an excellent variety of new designs and colorings, of greens, fawns, browns, reds, etc., suitable for sitting rooms, bedrooms, in an extra two-ply quality, special value, per yd., at..... **.65**

Three Floor Specials for Monday.

A Tapestry Reduction.

485 yards English Tapestry Carpet, 27 inches wide, all new styles and colorings, suitable for any room, worth 45c and 50c per yard, your choice Monday morning ..... **.38**

Big Saving in Linoleum.

350 square yards English and Scotch Linoleums, 2 yards wide only, in light and medium colorings, in floral and block patterns, worth 40c to 45c per square yard, Monday morning, per square yard ..... **.28**

$10 and $12 Rugs for $7.50.

23 only Large Size Tapestry, art squares, 3 x 3½, and 3 x 4 yards, in very handsome patterns, suitable for dining rooms, bedrooms, worth from $10 to $12 each, Monday, each.. **7.50**