

## THE HAMILTON TIMES

MONDAY, SEPT. 16, 1907.

## BROCKVILLE BY-ELECTION.

The Tories of Brockville have decided not to oppose the return of Hon. Mr. Graham, there being no available candidate in sight, and there being no chance of a chance of success, if there were. At the convention on Saturday they canvassed the situation and resolved to let the new Minister have a walk-over. They will, however, attempt to recover the local representation, and a former opponent of Mr. Graham, Mr. A. E. Donovan, has been put in nomination. The Liberal candidate has not yet been selected, but will soon be before the electors. Brockville is a fighting constituency, although for some time it has given Graham majorities. In the elections for the Legislature the record of majorities stands:

	Liberal.	Conservative.
1896	Graham 188	Culbert 102
1902	Graham 570	O'Brien 436
1904	Graham 120	Donovan 88

In the Dominion election contests results have not been so uniform. In the election of 1891, J. F. Wood (Con.) was elected by a majority of 178 over Mr. Derbyshire. In 1896 the Liberals lost by the presence of a third candidate, Mr. Wood having a plurality of 132 over Mr. Cumming. In 1900 Mr. Culbert (Con.) had a majority of 221 over Mr. Derbyshire; and in 1904 Mr. Derbyshire defeated Mr. Culbert by a majority of 204. In such a constituency there is always a fighting chance, and it is probable that there will be a vigorous campaign between now and Oct. 7, the date of the election.

## THEY ARE FINDING OUT.

The Brockville delegates to the Canadian Municipal Convention at Port Arthur have presented their report to their town Council, and it may surprise some blind worshippers of the municipal operation to learn that they were not favorably impressed with municipalization as they saw it in the twin towns which have been held up by its partisans as glowing examples of its success. The report says of this question:

Much was heard on municipal ownership. It seemed to be a burning question with the delegates from the west, who advocated that municipalities should control all public utilities and they are looking forward to great results from this source. As they certainly don't talk very flatteringly of their telephone and street railway franchises, opinions differed greatly. Citizens of Port William and Port Arthur unite in saying that municipal ownership is all right, but municipal management is a different matter. They certainly don't talk very flatteringly of their telephone and street railway service, which was rather disappointing to the delegates, as so much had been said about the successful operation of these public utilities by the twin cities of the west.

There will be little dispute over the propriety of the people owning all the franchises for public services, and controlling them in the public interest. But to man with the evidences of experience and ordinary reasoning capacity to guide him can long live under the spell of this municipalization obsession. What owner of a business would look for improvement and economy in its operation by turning it over to an irresponsible body of aldermen? And that question touches only one of its many weaknesses.

## DID BORDEN NOT KNOW?

The Halifax Recorder draws attention to the frigidity which appears to exist between Mr. Borden and Mr. Graham, of the Montreal Star, but it does not regard it as likely to be serious or long continued in its effects. In short it points out that the Toronto World says:

The pretended coldness toward Mr. Borden, as at present manifested by the Montreal Star outfit, is expressly put on to relieve the leader of the Opposition from any responsibility for the rash act of the St. James Street Junta, as the Star cabal is sometimes called.

When the exposure comes, as come it will in full in a short time, Mr. Borden is expected, will repudiate all knowledge of Graham's and Russell's plot, and will probably say that the celebrated manifesto that he handed out a few days before the election was in thin veiled terms expressly directed against the Graham-Russell crowd and their other financial associates in the attempt to swindle La Presse and stamper a score of Liberal candidates in Quebec after accepting nominations.

What the Herald already says, and what it quotes chapter and verse for, is that Hugh Graham, of the Star, and of the Graham-Russell-La Presse plot, was the chief financial backer of the Conservative party in the last campaign, and that therefore the entire Conservative party must accept responsibility for all that he did.

Perhaps the contributions to the boodle fund by Mr. Graham were but a drop in the bucket of corruption of the time. At least Mr. Borden seemed to be anxious to have a sort of lightning rod erected to protect him from the dreaded lightning in case of exposure. On October 28th, 1904, just prior to the Dominion elections, B. L. Borden issued a most remarkable circular with regard to contributions for campaign purposes. We commented on it at the time. James Ostrath was mentioned as the treasurer. Here is Mr. Borden's strange production, a document almost as suggestive as his warning to Graham against allowing the boodle handling to be entrusted to "men in public life in the party" and urging that suitable agents be secured in the various localities:

To whom it may concern:

To avoid misunderstanding it has been thought best to distinctly declare that the Conservative party will receive subscriptions only from those who favor its general policy, that such subscriptions are not to be understood as creating claims to consideration for any interest likely to be affected by any special feature of this policy, and that no subscriptions are solicited from any such interest. Such a declaration is deemed desirable in order that the leader may have an absolutely free hand in

framing his policy in the interests of the whole country on the return of his party to power. If any subscriptions have been given in any other spirit they will be returned on application to James Ostrath, treasurer, Montreal.

Now note the following facts as pointed out by the Recorder:

Mr. Borden took fright at something. What was it? A certain coincidence in dates, to which attention has been directed by the open-air agreement and the proprietor of L'Evenement and the proprietor of the Montreal Star, is worth noticing in this connection. Mr. Borden spoke in Montreal on Saturday, October 15th; on Monday, the 17th, Mr. Graham sent three thousand dollars to Mr. Pelletier's committee. Mr. Blair resigned from the Railway Commission on the 18th, expressing his willingness to take the stump against the G. T. P. On the 21st Mr. Graham sent Mr. Giroux "three thousand dollars in the same way." On the 24th, when Mr. Borden was riding in Mr. Russell's car, Mr. Graham sent "four thousand dollars in the same way." On the 25th, when Mr. Borden was pondering his course, "five thousand dollars in the same way." The warning against people who were "opening their purses" came on the 26th, and the last "four thousand in the same way" went on the 29th, after which time it was perfectly clear that Mr. Blair would not speak, and that the effort to intimidate certain Ministers had come to nothing. The elections were the next week. The reader may draw his own conclusions.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Hunting fatalities are already reported. Stay at the safe end of the gun.

In the New York election case 10,000 witnesses are liable to be summoned. What a snap for the lawyers!

Sir Charles Tupper has crossed the ocean for the sixty-second time. And the sea air seems to agree with him.

The Hague Peace Conference has agreed on a number of rules which will tend to the safety and inviolability of the territory and property of neutral states. And that is some gain.

It is to be feared that the damage done by recent frosts in the Northwest has been considerable. The weather is not favorable to rapid ripening, and further frost now would be disastrous to the uncut grain.

Mr. Borden has completed his Ontario tour and now goes to British Columbia. He professes to be satisfied with his Ontario tour. Perhaps, however, he is the only man of his party who holds such a view of it.

Many will regret to learn of the death by drowning of Mr. C. R. Jamieson, the well-known "Junius Jr.," whose letters to Saturday Night on University matters led to an inquiry into conditions at the University of Toronto. Mr. Jamieson was a man of much promise and the circumstances of his death lend sadness to it.

Taxes continue to rise. Recent statistics show that the yearly burdens in Ontario have increased in the rural districts from \$5.64 per head in 1905 to \$6.07 in 1906; in the towns and incorporated villages from \$7.83 to \$8.18, and in the cities from \$12.24 to \$12.85. Municipal indebtedness has grown over \$25,000,000 in ten years.

It looks a bit like contempt of the public ownership "principle," by which some agitators are ready to swear, to read of the C. P. R. being about to build a million dollar dock and other great works at Fort William, the boastful exponent of that very "principle." Will it petition Parliament to prevent the carrying out of the enterprise, and undertake the work itself?

The Church Union Committee does not seem to dread the questions of doctrine, but the superannuation question caused it some trouble. Surely that should bulk very small if the doctrinal difficulties are really solved. But are they? Are obstacles being removed or merely evaded and ignored? Is the proposed union to be one of compromises on vital points?

The average "life" of a telephone operator is between two and a half and three years. After that they become nervous wrecks. The calling may be more genteel than domestic service, but "it's the same old story" and yielding a bloom in the end more healthy than attending to a switchboard.—Ottawa Free Press.

Whisper it softly, dear contemporary. In this town the "single" life of the operators is said to be pretty short, and the reason for that is that it generally ends at the marriage altar. And the girls seem to like it, they do.

The London Free Press attempts to excuse its mendacity in the matter of the Japanese immigration by declaring that the treaty under which Canada has come—the treaty between Great Britain and Japan—"sets aside the old agreement regarding immigration" and "gives it the most liberal scope." The Free Press is well aware that there is a convention strictly limiting the immigration of Japanese, and that it is in full force. It knew that when it made the false statement and sought by so doing to make capital against Laurier. Not many Tory papers have been so "crooked" in this matter.

Tom Johnson's three-cent street railway experiment in Cleveland turns out to be a failure. There was an effort made to keep back from the people the

## SIR. WILFRID'S WISE COURSE.

## The Premier's Attitude on the Japanese Question Defended as Correct.

(Montreal Star.)

The country will be behind Sir Wilfrid Laurier with practical unanimity in his entire correct attitude on this Japanese question. Sir Wilfrid has a genius for taking the right position on questions affecting our larger relations. When our people were stirred up over the Alaskan award, and there was considerable reckless talk about what we should do in the case, Sir Wilfrid took a position of definite disapproval of the action of the British arbitrator, let it be seen that Canada would not again endure such treatment, and then left the subject severely alone with a dignified reserve fully as impressive as his previous utterances.

To-day, Sir Wilfrid realizes his responsibilities as an Imperial statesman. He is not swayed by the strong local opinion on the Pacific coast, with its possible political results. He will do for British Columbia what he can, recognizing its claim to be protected from an overwhelming Asiatic immigration,

but he will not depart from the letter of his duty under the Japanese treaty, nor will he take any step likely to embarrass the British Government.

In this attitude it will be observed that he enjoys the unqualified support of Sir Hilbert Tupper—a Conservative ex-Minister, who has lived for years in British Columbia. Nor could any man of a wide vision assume any other position in this delicate business. It is a vital international issue; and Canadians are—for one of the first times in their experience—brought into direct and somewhat painful contact with such an issue.

The capitals of Europe and Asia are discussing the probable course of our moves, and the power of our Government to keep order and maintain "a correct attitude." Under such circumstances, it is reassuring to have a man at the head of our Government who feels his responsibilities, whose vision is carried beyond the limits of the voting constituencies of Canada and who possesses the courage and the strength to play his part as a British statesman.

facts regarding it, but the threat made to cut it out of the Stock Exchange lists was effectual in bringing it to time and getting the returns. Instead of costing \$50,000 a mile, as Mr. Johnson estimated that it would, it cost about \$78,000 a mile, and is now far below the standard of street railway construction. Instead of a two to three minute service, only a six minute service is given. Instead of earnings of \$384,000 a year, the actual earnings were \$165,000, a deficit of \$218,000. It is discovered that to show apparent earnings no allowance was made for officers' salaries, taxes, insurance, depreciation, etc., and "office force" was covered by an allowance of only \$65 a month. The lesson of the fizzle is that costs must be paid.

## A SCHOOL PROBLEM.

## Educational Fraternities Are Found to be a Danger.

(Montreal Gazette.)

A strange situation has been created in educational circles in the United States by the introduction of the secret society into the high school. It is now some thirteen or fourteen years since a few of the scholars began to copy the college and university by adopting the fraternity principle. The alleged justification for the innovation was that it supplied the school with a basis for a larger social life. Some of the teachers made no objection but others suspected the novelty from the first. In the course of time complaints began to be heard not only from teachers but from parents and from the children who were rightly proud of the supposed privileges of the fraternities. At last attention was so awakened to the evil that the National Education Association undertook to investigate the matter. In 1905 the association, after enquiry, deemed it right to pass a resolution condemning the fraternities. The grounds for condemnation are that their tendency is undemocratic and snobbish and that membership is gained by social pressure rather than by intellectual desert. The fraternity, it was alleged, narrowed the sympathies of pupils and elicited their selfish qualities; dissipated their energies and quenched the better, while encouraging the worse ambitions; created an absurd feeling of self-sufficiency; fostered extravagant habits; stimulated a depraved kind of political agitation; decreased the pupils' interest in study and promoted rebelliousness against authority and impertinence toward teachers. In order to gather the opinions of teachers throughout the country, circulars were sent out to which answers were requested. It is significant that out of 185 letters there were only three that approved of the fraternities. One teacher thought they would do no harm, if properly managed. Fifty-three were rather against them for them, although in some cases disposed to be neutral. One hundred and twenty-eight were unqualified in their condemnation. According to some correspondents the secret society became a social club in which the worst tastes and practices were cultivated. With boys, said another, the fraternity degenerated into a smoking and gambling club. According to another judgment, such a body would do untold harm to the individual would dream of doing or dare to do.

Of the three principals who expressed themselves as favorable to fraternities, one modified his support by the words: "If you can control your pupils," another added: "If carefully guarded and kept in place," and the third wrote: "If allowed to do so, it would furnish the opportunity for debating and literary exercises."

## MARIE CAHILL IS COMING.



Marie Cahill comes to the Grand on Monday night, Sept. 30, in her successful musical play, "My Darling Mary," supported by the strongest musical comedy organization in the country, including in the cast Eugene Cowles and the famous "long-skirted" chorus. Original production of the long run at Daly's Theatre, New York.

## Early Closing.

Short hours mean better service. This is the T. H. Pratt Co. idea. They have decided in future to close their place of business every night with the exception of Saturday. This will not only shorten the day, but will allow their staff to catch the street cars before the 6 o'clock rush. This firm would ask you to assist them in this early closing movement by making their purchases before 5:30.

Milk producers, at a meeting held in Toronto on Saturday, decided to advance the price of milk to \$1.00 per gallon for the six winter months.

## POW-WOW AND HEAP BIG TIME.

## EXECUTIVE OF CONSERVATIVE CAMP PRES. MILNE'S GUESTS.

Were Entertained Near Burlington on Saturday Afternoon—Sixty Prominent Members Joined in the Fun.

The chiefs of the Hamilton Conservative camp, as guests of Mr. John Milne, President of the Association, who presides over the councils of war in the Sun Life wigwag, had a pow-wow and a heap big time on Saturday afternoon. Sixty braves, who don war paint and feathers, when election war whoops are heard, sat in pleasant anticipation smoking the pipe of peace as a special Radical car, that left the Gore street station, promptly at 1:30, sped towards the reservation. Walker's farm, about two miles beyond Burlington, was the destination, and the dogs began the minute the car stopped. Refreshments were served under the trees, followed by two baseball games between the east and west. Mayor Stewart escorted around the bases like a two-year-old, and so did several others, among them John Gauld, Samuel Barker, member for East Hamilton, who forgot the North Atlantic Trading deal for the time being; George Lynch-Staunton and others, who frisked around in solid enjoyment. The score of the first game was 23-0. The umpire took the tip and skidded. Mayor Stewart thought some of the decisions were almost as bad as those the city has been receiving from the Railway Board. John Gauld umpired one game, but, being fortunate enough to escape with his life, he gratefully declined another invitation, Colonel Stone was chosen to umpire the second game. The west triumphed the last 12-11, and it required all the strategy gained in his military experience for the gallant Colonel to escape the enraged east enders.

The party was photographed, and, at luncheon, short speeches were made by Mr. Milne, Samuel Barker, E. A. Dalley and Mayor Stewart. The time was unanimously voted a good fellow, and Bay Hill helped to tickle the crowd with one of his famous selections.

Mr. Milne and his guests arrived home at 7 o'clock. Those who composed the west end of the party, and yesterday, the time of the different wards. Ex-Mayor Biggar was among those who attended.

## FARMER'S TRAGIC DEATH.

Wary of Living, Drowns Himself in a Pool.

Wingham, Sept. 14.—Richard Leishman, one of the best-known and highly respected residents of East Wingham, came to a tragic end yesterday. For the last few months Mr. Leishman has given evidence of a weakened mental condition. This morning he went out with one of his daughters to get the cows, and on the way stepped aside for a moment into a clump of trees, where there was a little pool of water. When his daughter returned to look for him, a few minutes after, he was discovered lying face downward in the water, quite dead. Deceased, who is survived by a widow, eight sons and two daughters, was formerly deputy county master of North Huron.

## DONKEY SWALLOWED MOUSE.

Rodent is Thought to be Still Alive in Poor Beast's Stomach.

Kingston, Sept. 14.—An unusual incident occurred the other day at the Crossman House, on the banks of the St. Lawrence, between Clayton and Alexandria, Bay. One of the donkeys swallowed a mouse and has been ailing ever since. The animal was feeding in the pasture and took down a field mouse along with a tuft of grass. Epsom salts, liniment and other mixtures of "brandy" had been poured down the beast's throat, without any sign of the little rodent showing up. The poor donkey wanders about in a sort of stupor, coughing with every step he takes, and refusing to eat anything. A veterinary was brought from a nearby town, but his diagnosis was that the animal was suffering from stomach trouble, brought on by the presence of the living mouse in it.

## GERMAN HOME MISSIONS.

Large Increase of Funds Needed for Lutheran Church Work.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 14.—At today's session of the general council of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of North America, the Board of German Home Missions made its report, which shows 12 missions in Canada, one in North Dakota, one in Kentucky, five in Oregon and one in California. The report also showed that a large increase in funds is needed to carry on the work as planned for the coming year. The expenses of the board are \$25,000 annually, while the receipts for the past year were but \$13,109.92, and unless the receipts are largely increased there must be retrenchment in the work. The report was adopted.

CASTORIA.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Signature of J. C. Watson

## Great Sale of Damaged Linens All This Week

1,200 dollars' worth of Napkins and Table Linens at 1/2 the ordinary price. The damage only consists of a small tear or soil, not enough to destroy the wearing effect, and soon mended with a needle and thread.

## Over 200 Dozen Table Napkins at Half Price

There is scarcely any damage in this lot of Napkins. You probably can buy a dozen of each kind perfect.

\$3.50 Table Napkins for ...	\$1.75	\$3.50 Table Napkins for ...	\$1.75
\$4.00 Table Napkins for ...	\$2.00	\$3.00 Table Napkins for ...	\$1.50
\$4.50 Table Napkins for ...	\$2.25	\$2.50 Table Napkins for ...	\$1.25
\$5.00 Table Napkins for ...	\$2.50	\$2.00 Table Napkins for ...	\$1.00
\$5.50 Table Napkins for ...	\$2.75	\$1.50 Table Napkins for ...	87 1/2c
\$6.00 Table Napkins for ...	\$3.00	\$1.25 Table Napkins for ...	62 1/2c
\$6.50 Table Napkins for ...	\$3.25	75c Table Napkins for ...	37 1/2c

## 1,000 Yards of Bleached Table Linen at Half

Some of these Bleached Linens in short lengths, others in short lengths, all damaged to a certain extent, but the length you want may not be damaged at all.

\$1.50 Bleached Table Linen ...	69c	\$1.25 Bleached Table Linen ...	69c
\$1.25 Bleached Table Linen ...	59c	55c Bleached Table Linen ...	42c
\$1.00 Bleached Table Linen ...	49c	75c Bleached Table Linen ...	35c
		65c Bleached Table Linen ...	35c

## Special Purchase of Guipure Lace Collars

\$1.50 Deep Lace Collars, Either Black or Cream, 69c

60 dozen in all, handsome designs of Guipure Lace Collars, colors cream or black; this lot was a manufacturer's clearing line and value for \$1.50, Tuesday's special price ... 69c

## Great Sale of Children's Shoes

We purchased the sample Shoes of one of the large makers of Shoes in Canada at such a discount that it enables us to retail them at less than manufacturer's. Don't you think this is a good chance to Shoe outfit your little one.

## \$10.00 Ladies' Coats for \$5.00

Handsome made Ladies' Fall and Winter Coats, mostly pretty tweed effects; these are value for \$10.00, Tuesday's price ... \$5.00

## Great Show of Model Hats from Paris

## THE T. H. PRATT CO. LIMITED

## DEAD VETERANS

## Graves in Hamilton and Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

H. M. Army and Navy Veterans decorated the graves of their departed comrades yesterday in Burlington Cemetery.

A detachment also went to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery under the command of Sergeant Hawkins, and decorated the graves of departed comrades, there. The veterans in Hamilton were under the command of President Thomas. The service was conducted by Rev. F. E. Howitt, chaplain of the society, and was held on the soldiers' plot, where the monument was draped with the Union Jack, and a small Union Jack was placed at the head of each grave. After the service was concluded the veterans proceeded to decorate 94 graves of old comrades.

Next Sunday the society intends to go to Stoney Creek and decorate the spot where the 23 British soldiers are interred who fell at the battle of Stoney Creek in 1812, also three in Stoney Creek Cemetery. The service will be conducted by Rev. F. E. Howitt. The following veterans resident of Stoney Creek will make all arrangements: Comrades Springstead, Melnes and Green. The car will leave the H. G. & B. station at 2:10. All veterans are invited.

## BASEBALL PLAYER KILLS.

Demande's Drink and in Scuffle Hotelman Was Shot Through Head.

Batavia, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Edward Connel, proprietor of the Byron Road Hotel, six miles east of here, was shot and instantly killed this afternoon.

Francis Earl Bentley, a professional baseball player, is under arrest, charged with murder in the first degree. Bentley claims that he had an altercation with the hotelman, which led to a fight, and that he shot Connel in self-defence.

At the hotel it is said Bentley, who is without money, demanded a drink, which was given to him. He asked for more, and upon being met with a refusal, it is alleged, he drew a revolver.

Connel, it is claimed, tried to take away the revolver, and in the scuffle

## RAILWAY BOILERMAKERS' STRIKE.

Went in Wrongly Addressed Letters Through British Postoffice.

London, Sept. 15.—The annual report of the Postmaster-General shows that last year 11,120,493 letters were undelivered owing to their being wrongly or insufficiently addressed. They contained £687,000 in cheques, notes or postal orders, which were never claimed.

## Tie-Up of Several Western Roads Expected as Result of Difficulty.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 15.—A general strike of boilermakers on the Chicago, Great Western, Great Northern, Omaha, Northern Pacific and the Soo railroads was called Saturday.

The boilermakers are aided in their fight by their helpers and in the case of the Great Western machinists in the big shops at Oelwein went out in sympathy.

The strike followed a refusal by the railroads of a demand for 45 cents an hour east and 47 1/2 cents per hour west of the Missouri River. This the railroads consider to be the heaviest demand ever made by their employees. As a compromise, the railroads offered a

## DAWSON TO EDMONTON.

Railway Will Be Built Entirely With English Capital.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 14.—George McIntyre Gibbs, manager Canadian Bank of Commerce in Dawson City, states that the Klondike Mines Railway, which has a line twenty-five miles long, from Dawson to Creeks, will apply for extension to Edmonton.

The company will not ask for a subsidy only that the Government guarantee the bonds. English capitalists will put up the money.

The line will run along Stewart River, down by the Great and Lesser Slave Lakes, opening up a rich district, and the Mackenzie River valley. The distance will be 1,400 miles.

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## New Townships to be Opened.

Three additional townships north of the height of land in the district of Algoma will be opened on Oct. 1 for settlement by veterans of the Fenian and South African War. This will make twelve northern townships which have been set aside by the Provincial Government for the creation of veterans' land grants. The township of Pettipiece, in the Rainy River District, was declared open on Sept. 7 last, and several others a number of weeks ago.

## Newsboy Loses Leg.

Englehart, Sept. 14.—An Italian newsboy, employed on the railway contractors' train which runs between here and McDougall's Chute, was run over and his left leg was obliged to be amputated from the upper part of the thigh. The accident occurred while the train was entering Englehart. The boy slipped and fell between the cars. An operation performed by Dr. Lowrey, with the assistance of two other medical men was successful.

## Three thousand passengers from Europe arrived at Montreal on Saturday.

The C. P. R. will build a million dollar dock at Fort William and make it the finest inland shipping port in the world.

## TUESDAY, SEPT. 17TH, 1907 SHEA'S MAY MANTON PATTERNS New Autumn Styles All In, 10c

## New Autumn Dress Goods

A splendid showing of new autumn shades in every popular weave. Every yard contracted for nearly a year ago at the prices then quoted, which means a saving to you of 20c on every dollar's worth you buy. This is one of the times this busy store has exercised its special purchasing facilities for your benefit and profit.

The most popular weave of the season, pure Australian wool, both French and English dyes, absolutely correct shades of brown, navy, greens and cardinals also blacks and every yard at every price, better value than you will get in other stores, 43 inches wide at 50c; 48 inches wide at 75c; 52 inches wide at \$1.00

Beautiful pure Wool Tweeds, all our own direct importations in the very newest patterns, plaids and checks, all popular dark shades, extra special values at per yard ... 50, 59 and 75c

Very rich black Habit Cloths, elegant high finish and permanent lustre, 56 inches wide, best fast colored English dye, cloths you can save a good profit on by buying here at per yard \$2 and ... \$2.50

Every yard our own direct importation and the best qualities to be had from the world's best makers, all thoroughly fast colors, values at per yard ... 50, 59, 65, 75c and \$1.00

Ladies' Fall Coats at \$5

Made of beautiful black and tan cloths, loose and fitted garments, that are worth a full home on sale for, each ... \$5.00

Special Values in Skirts Flannellette Blankets 95c

Worth \$7.50 for \$4.95

Elegantly tailored made, of perfect quality of cloths and Panamas, in both black and colored, various styles of pleating, some finished with self folds, the best value we ever showed, at, each ... \$4.95

Infants' White Coats

Made of splendid quality of bear plush, beautifully lined and prettily trimmed, each ... \$2.75

Full double bed size; 46 grey only, a little imperfect at edges, would sell regularly at \$1.25, on sale for 95c

Special Prices in Wool Blankets