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April 5.—One of the most notings of to-day was that of Miss crove Gunn, daughter of John this city, and William Edward of Toronto, which took place och of Holy Communion. Miss maid of honor. A small reception

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And the fine display of Seaside Flannelettes.

72 dozen fine Linen Damask Table Napkins from 80c to 4.00 dozen, representing

30 Linen Damask Table Cloths, 2x21

yards, at 2.25 each; 2x3 yards, at 2.50 and 3.00 each, and a special lot

of size 2½x3½ yards at 3.50, 4.00, 4.50,

35 dozen fine Bleached Linen Huck Towels, fringed, colored borders, 2.00

29 dozen Bath Towels, fancy colored, at

per dozen.....

10c, 12tc, 15c, 18c each.

every style of pattern.

Summer Underwear Ladies' Ribbed Cotton Vests, high neck, long sleeve, 25c and 35c each.
High neck, short sleeve, 20c, 25c, 30c each. Low neck, no sleeve, at 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c each, all being under the price fully 20 per cent. Ribbed Cotton Drawers 25c and 35c per pair. Ribbed Cotton Corset Covers, silk lace finish, 35c, regular 50c.

New Arrivals

include Silk Shirt Waists, Cotton Shirt Waists, Parasols, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Lace and Chiffon Neckwear, Jabots, Scarves, Lace Ties, Fichus, String Ties, etc., and other lines of latest novelties.

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## Men's Furnishings

THE KHEDIVE IS SUSPECTED Our men's furnishing stock embraces every possible need, and you cannot do better than come direct to this store, as you can depend upon getting whatever is correct and stylish.

These Prices Are for Friday and Saturday

to cause a great impression here, and The Evening News this afternoon refers to the 325 dozen Fancy Striped, Figured and Check Satin, Silk and Foulard Silk Bows, a manufacturer's stock, regmatter as an "Egyptian War Office scandal," characterizes the whole transaction

Men's Natural Merino Shirts and Drawers, spring weight, ribbed cuffs, pearl buttons, regular 75c. 50c Each

explicable if one remembers the habitual animosity shown by the Khedive and his Government to their habitual protectors. If the bitter antipathy to British engineers revealed in these proceedings cannot be traced to the khedive, and is the result of foolinsh and unpatriotic prejudice on the part of his English advisors, the sooner these advisors are brought to book the better."

Men's Striped and Check Cambric and Zephyr Shirts, cuffs attached or separate cuffs, all this season's make, regular \$1.25. To clear..... better."

The same paper published an interview with Dr. Westwood of the firm of Westwood & Rigby, the English contractors, in reply to a capied interview with Mr. Roberts of the Pencoyd Bridge Works, in which Mr. Westwood declared the Egyptian War Office altered the decision of the Atbara Bridge Commission to suit the Americans, while it did not give the British firms the same chance.

Men's Striped and Check Cambric and Zephyr Shirts, cuffs attached or separate cuffs, all this season's \$1.00 Each

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W. A. Murray & Co., 10 to 16 Colborne St., Toronto

## the same chance. The British tenderers, Mr. Westwood explained, were higher, because special girders were required, which were dropped in the case of the Americans, who were allowed to supply a pin bridge, which good English engineers have debarred, because it makes a weak bridge. THEY BOW TO THE INTUITABLE SURE PROOF OF GOOD TIMES

Bridgeport, Conn., April 5.—The trial of Dr. Nancy Guilford, who is charged with nurder in the second degree, was interputed to-day on account of the illness of ne of the jurymen, George Gregory or larien. The court took recess.

Cuban Military Assembly Votes Itself

Out of Existence and Discause Borrowers Have bands the Army.

Got the Money.

The closing exercises of the Ewart Training Home will be held in Knox College on Friday, April 7, at 3 p.m. The public are cordially invited.

But the Cubans Will Hang on to the Muster Rolls Until Fur-

defendants in Police Court proceedings for a violation of the Medical Act. The proceedings were wholly unjust, as will be seen from the following copies of letters, which show the utter lack of foundation for the charge:

The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, Dominion of Canada.

geons of Ontario, Dominion of Canada.

Toronto, March 17, 1899.

J. W. St. John, Esq., Barrister, Temple Building, City:

Re Miss Whatmough:
Dear Sir,—I regret that any action was taken against Miss Whatmough, 613 Church-street, as from what has transpired the prosecutor, as well as myself, is quite satisfied that she is conducting a hospital under the auspices of Dr. Burt-Sherratt, who assumes all responsibility as to the conduct of the same. Yours faithfully,
R. A. Pyne,
Registrar.
Toronto, March 15, 1899.

J. W: St. John, Esq., Barrister, etc.,

J. W: St. John, Esq., Barrister, etc., Toronto, Ont.:
Queen v. Dr. Burt-Sherratt:
Dear Sir.—In reply to your request,
I beg to state that I exceedingly regret that, owing to my absence from the city, a summons was issued from the Police Court against Dr. Burt-Sherratt of 179 Jameson-avenue, Toronto, for practising medicine contrary to the provisions of the Medical Act, which action I cheerfully testify was wholly without foundation, and arose from lack of due enquiry upon the part of the party laying the information.

mation.

Dr. Burt-Sherratt is a duly qualified medical practitioner, and favorably known to the Medical Council.

Yours truly,

P. A. Prine. Registrar, C.P. and S. Ont.

The Perfect Pipe.

Just inside the door of the Muller store there is a case showing the many styles and shapes of the famous Loewe pipe. Another case shows the buildog und straight pipes. These pipes are all made from selected briar root—not a flaw in one of them. Loewe & Co. are—counted the best pipemakers in the world.

Grand Concert. JOHN CATTO & SON,

Frina Lodge, No. 3, Daughters of I.P.A.,
will hold a concert and social in Occident
Hal lon Friday evening, April 7. Chair
taken by A. Douglas, G.P.

And Business is Better in Ontario Than It Has Been for

Havana, April 5.—The Cuban Military Assembly this afternoon voted to disband the army and to dissolve. The voting was tell the rise or the fall of credit. When 21 in favor, against 16 opposed. The muster rolls were left in the possession of the men to meet their paper obligations to the Executive Committee of the Assembly, who will facilitate the preparation of copies for Governor-General Brook. The army ques-

It accurates the preparation of copies for government, end integrition and short process which as the great features are trained and protections of prices which as the great feature may be the simulation of the companion of the asylum it was learned that one of the fe-male inmates had escaped during the after-noon. In a short time an attendant ar-rived and the unfortunate woman was driven back to the institution. Her name was Margaret Rourke. She is a harmless inmate and had been accorded special privileges.

TWO RAILWAY WRECKS.

Thirteen Cars Derailed and a Locomotive Blown Up. Newark, N.Y., April 5.—A fast freight train in charge of Conductor John Kelly of East Syracuse was wrecked on the New York Central this morning two miles west of Newark. Thirteen cars were derailed. No one was killed. One Man Reported Killed.

Portland, Me., April 5.—The engine attached to the 7.30 a.m. train on the Portland & Rochester, from Portland to Rochester, New Hampshire, blew up at West Brook this morning. One man is reported killed and several injured.

#### O'KEEFE'S ° Liquid Extract of Malt For nursing mothers



We have received a great many letters from leading doctors bearing ony to this. By aiding digestion and supplying extra nourishment it increases the flow of milk and builds up the mother's strength. Price 25c. per 16 ounce bottle; 3oc. per dozen allowed for empty bot-tles when returned. Refuse all substitutes said to be just as good.

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## Prompt Delivery on Friday

m spite of the big crowds and increased sales, you'll find us just as prompt in delivering Friday purchases as those bought on any other day through the week. The best time to shop,. however, is in the morning, when the crowds are not so extensive as later in the day.

27-inch Black Japanese Silks, real silk goods, segular prices 35c and 45c, Friday 29

Trimmings Black and Colours in Silk and Wool Fancy Gimp, 3%-inch wide, regular 12 1/2c per yard, special Friday price, per

An assortment of Coloured Trimmings, in Silk Gimps, Braids, etc., ranging in price from 8c to 15c per yard, Friday, per yard 

Children's Plain Black All-Wool Cashmere Hose, full-fashioned, spliced knee, heel, and toe, some slightly imper-Specials.

Canvas, good stiffening quality, Friday.. 8

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1,000 yards Hochelaga
Sheetings, bleached and unbleached, plain and twilled,
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Tweeds 500 yards All-Wool Halifax Tweeds, in fawn, brown, light, at 25c. for, Friday, per yard 25 for, Friday, per yard 25 for bath-rooms, halls, kitchens, and stores, regular price 10c, Friday special, single 3 roll.

Ladies'

3 dozen Ladies' Natural Wool Drawers, ankle length, Fri
Men's and Women's Umbrella brellas, full sizes, silk and wool covers, natural wood wool covers, natural wood wool covers, natural wood sizes.

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Specials

68 pairs of Swiss Net Ladies' Tan Dongola Oxfords, turn soles, self tips, kid lined, neat coin toe, regular lips, kid lined, neat coin toe, regular price \$1.25, sale price \$ Tablecloths

2x2½ yds. Fine Double
Damask Dew-Bleached
at \$1.48.

Tablecloths, finished with border all round and guaranteed all-pure Irish linen, our usual

2x2½ yds. Fine Double per pair.

2x80

Muslin, and Madras
Ends, ranging in price from 15c to 35c, in lengths from 1½ yards to 6 yards, on sale Friday, per yard.

2x80

Men's Wax Calf Lace and Elastic Side Boots, American-made goods, Boston and Waldorf toes, neat, strong, and well-made on sale Friday, per yard.

Men's Black Grain Bicycle Boots, neat and

Clothing Serge Two-garment
Department. Suits, coat neatly pleated, and suit well lined throughout, made with either step or Prussian collar, sizes 22 to 30, 1.40 specials. fashioned, spliced knee, heel, and toe, some slightly imperfect, nothing noticeable or to injure wear, sizes 5, 5½, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, regular values 19

Men's Plain Black Cashmere Half Hose, spliced heel and toe, French finished foot, spliced heel and toe, French finished foot, special, Friday.

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Men's Plain Black Cashmere Half Hose, spliced heel and toe, special for Friday, special for Friday, special for Friday, hardwood frames, oak and mahogany finish, upholstering ders, superior soft finish, Irish manufacture, regular 25c, on sale at Hosiery Departing and white stripe only, regular price \$4, on sale 190

Ladies' Extra Fine Plain Black Cashmere Hose, full-fashioned, double sole, heel, and toe, high spliced ankles, nice soft finish, sizes 8½ to 10, extra special value, at 100 dozen Good Heavy Huckaback Towels, size 20x40, with fringed ends, red, white, or blue borders, special for Friday, 190

Men's Plain Black Cashmere Half Hose, spliced heel and toe, French finished foot, spliced heel a

Hat Men's Soft Hats, in fine imported English felt, with narrow silk band and raw unbound edges, medium large shape, flat set brims, good leather sweatbands, unlined, in colours black, tabac, or brown, regular Children's Tam-o'-Shanters, in fine navy blue cloth or velvet, soft crown style, also cardinal, brown, black, or navy blue felt cloth, in wire brim shape, Friday special.... 25

Shredded Whole Thursday from Wheat Booth. 3 to 4 p.m. of tollowing

Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit, Cheese Creamed Beef on Shredded Wheat Biscuit. Shredded Wheat Chicken Patties.

Toilet Sets 100 sets will be put on sale Friday, of Ten Pieces. each set con size:—Toilet pitcher, toilet basin, chamber and

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GRADUATES OF KNOX.

The List of the Successful Students
Now First Published—Wicker
Gets the Scholarship.

The annual Knox College dinner, under the auspices of the graduating class, was held last night in the college dining hall. The students attended in large numbers, and a thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent. After all had dined as only an assembly of robust students, who feel tolerably certain of having passed their examinations.

The List of the Successful Students
Now First Published—Wicker
Gets the Scholarship.

The annual Knox College dinner, under the auspices of the graduating class, was with which each was coupled: "Our Professors," E. A. Wicher; "Our Graduates," R. G. Scott; "Class of '99," I. W. McNamara; "The Understand the numbers, and a thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent. After all had dined as only an assembly of robust students, who feel tolerably certain of having passed their examination.

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The remaining lists will be published to while it is not announced officially, it is morrow.

In gwith recitations of original poems, and the crowd of jolly boys broke up after sing. "Aud Lang Syne."

The following are the members of the crowd of jolly boys broke up after sing. "Aut Lang Syne."

Knox College exams. are over, and the traveling scholarship.

Knox College exams. All the converted and the provides students will soon know the result of their year's labor.

The graduating class, Y. H. Barron, B.A.; J. McCrea, B.A.; J. L. Marray, M.A.; S. H. MacGillivray, M.A.; S. H. MacGillivray