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PRICE ONE CENT

## SPECIALS

FOR

### SATURDAY NIGHT TRADE

Black Sateen Blouses with large tucks and braid trimmings, Saturday night, 90c each.  
Black Sateen Underskirts with 3 frills, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50, Saturday night \$1.  
Ladies' Watered Moreen Underskirts, made with deep flounce and three frills, black, navy and brown, Saturday night, \$1.75.  
Girls' Golf Jackets, navy blue and red, special for Saturday night, \$1 each.  
Plaid Tartan Silks, special Saturday night, 50c yd.  
Striped Tamaline Silks for dresses, regular 50c, Saturday night, 35c yd.  
Figured Dress Silks, regular 75c, Saturday night 50c per yd.  
Special All-wool Cashmere Ribbed Hose, double knee Saturday night 25c to 35c per pair, regular 35c to 50c.  
Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, special 2 for 25c.  
1 dozen Bunches Tape Saturday night for 5c.  
6 pairs Shoe Laces Saturday night for 5c.  
Pearl Buttons, all sizes, Saturday night 5c per dozen.  
All-silk Taffeta Ribbons, white, black and shades of cream, brown, navy, light blue and pink, 1 1/4 inches wide, 5c; 2 1/4 inch, 10c; 3 1/4 inch, 12 1/2c.  
Silk Belts with shirred backs, all colors, Saturday night 25c.

N. B.—MILLINERY SHOWROOM OPENING  
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#### Cauliflowers

The best we have ever sold, extra white and very hard. 10c to 25c each

#### Spanish Onions

5c per pound

#### Tomatoes

25c a basket

#### Sweet Potatoes

5c a pound

#### Watermelons

10c each

Red Peppers, Green Peppers, Citrons, Musk Melons, Pears, Peaches, Grapes, Green Tomatoes, Pickling Cucumbers, Hubbard Squash and Pickling Onions.

## Beattie's

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## KODAKS

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Having been appointed agent of the Canadian Kodak Co, we beg to inform amateur photographers that we carry a full line of KODAKS, BROWNIE CAMERAS, FILMS, DRY PLATES, PRINTING PAPERS, MOUNTS, DEVELOPERS, and all other necessary articles used by amateurs.

## JOHN E. GAYFER

DRUGGIST.

### SUES FATHER AT 90

SARNIA FAMILY LAWSUIT HAS ODD FEATURES.

Toronto, Sept. 14.—A family lawsuit came up before the Master-in-Chancery this morning.  
J.W. Houston, of Sarnia, is suing James, his father, who is approaching ninety years of age.  
The son claims that twenty years ago the father promised to bequeath all his property to the son if the latter would support him for the balance of his days. A quarrel having arisen the old man threatened to dispose of his possessions in other ways.

Senator Black Passes Away.  
Halifax, Sept. 15.—Hon. T. R. Black died at his home in Amherst yesterday morning. He was one of the best known men in Nova Scotia, a Liberal in politics, and was for years a member of the executive of the Nova Scotia Government. Hon. Thomas R. Black was appointed to the Senate in June, 1904. He was born in Amherst, N. S., October 18, 1832. In July, 1884, he was elected to the Assembly of Nova Scotia at a bye-election, and was re-elected two years later. An unsuccessful candidate in 1890, he was returned successfully in 1894, 1897 and 1901. In 1898 he became a member of the Murray Government without portfolio.

#### LOW RATE WESTERN EXCURSIONS.

Going Sept. 21, 22, and 23, to Detroit, Port Huron, Chicago, Bay City, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Ohio, Columbus, Ohio, Dayton, Grand Rapids, Indianapolis, and Saginaw. Returning until October 9th. Secure tickets from Grand Trunk agents.

## MR. KENNEDY IS SAFE

Collapse of the Port Arthur Election Petition.

### MR. PRESTON'S CHARGES FAIL

Question of Costs to be Settled in Toronto—It is Stated That Mr. Preston Will Appeal Decision As to Aitkens' Agency—Aitkens' Vote Annulled For Corrupt Practices.—Sutherland and Saunders.

Port Arthur, Sept. 15.—The election trial collapsed yesterday afternoon. Mr. Mellin, counsel for the petitioner, Mr. Preston, late in the afternoon, after many of his charges had failed, said that he would not continue the case. In view of the discussion already reached in the charges submitted, he could see no use continuing, as there was little hope of accomplishing anything. The justices then dismissed the action, sustaining Mr. Kennedy in the seat.

Argument occurred between the counsel as to the validity of Aitkens' vote, and it was decided that his vote should be nullified for corrupt practice. In the case of Sutherland and Saunders, the justice did not agree as to annulling of these votes. Justice MacLennan was of the opinion that Sutherland did not have a corrupt motive in mind when he supplied liquor. His object was to make money, not to influence votes.

As for Saunders, he was guilty of accepting a bribe. Justice Taitel agreed that both men were guilty of corrupt acts, and that it did not matter what the motive was back of the supplying of whiskey. The actual consideration of this question will be given in Toronto.

Mr. Aylesworth, for the respondent, Kennedy, on the collapse of the petition, stated that he would not proceed with the cross-petition. It had not entered in a spirit of vindictiveness, and he had no desire to disqualify Mr. Preston. Mr. Hollmuth added that costs be given Mr. Preston in the cross-petition, as they had brought numerous witnesses a long distance at a heavy expenditure of money. The costs were reserved for consideration in Toronto, where the costs will be proportioned to each party.

It is generally understood, in fact, so stated, that Mr. Preston will take the case, so far as the charges affecting Aitkens are concerned, to the court of appeal, in an endeavor to establish agency. Aitkens was found guilty of corrupt practices personally in supplying whiskey and money to voters at Hymers Crossing. The charge of agency failed of proof, he having a certificate of a constable in blank the name of the polling place not being named. This omission the judges held was fatal in the charge of agency.

Mr. Preston hopes to have this decision reversed by the court of appeal.

Against Building a Dam.  
Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Following the completion of their work in this city yesterday afternoon, the international waterways commission departed for Toronto, where they will hold sessions to-day and Saturday. The main feature of the session was the opposition which developed with regard to the proposition to raise the level of the water in the great lakes by the construction of a dam at the head of Niagara River. The commission heard arguments with respect to the proposition and received several briefs which interested desire to file.

Argentine Hits U. S. Manufacturers.  
New York, Sept. 15.—Chargers from Argentina were received by leading exporters in New York saying that the Government had given notice that it was to levy a prohibitive tariff to-day on all parts of agricultural and industrial machinery used in repairing, and selling on American manufacturers.

Christian Endeavor Progress.  
Boston, Sept. 15.—The quarterly report on the progress of the Christian Endeavor movement by Rev. Fredrick E. Clark, president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, which was made public yesterday, records advancement in Christian Endeavor throughout the world. There are now 67,000 affiliated societies, an increase of 231 since the last convention, held in Baltimore in July.

Corfield is Free.  
Stratford, Sept. 15.—Harold Corfield, on whom judgment was reserved Wednesday in the preliminary hearing in the charge of murder of the Indian, Seneca, was yesterday discharged by the magistrate. His discharge marks the closing chapter of the investigation into a mystery which will probably never be solved.

Paid Heavy Fine.  
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 15.—Fred Wilson, of San Francisco, representing the owners of the schooner Carmencita, yesterday afternoon paid the fine of \$1,000 levied by Judge Newbury under protest, and the 37th ship, 365 held here and 14 in pawn for supplies, at Claycoy, were released, as was the schooner.

Yellow Fever Bulletin.  
New Orleans, Sept. 15.—Yellow fever reported to 6 p. m. yesterday: New cases, 49; total to date, 2,462; deaths, 6; total to date, 329; new foci, 15; cases under treatment, 116; discharged, 1,817.

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## PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

COMEDY TURNED TO TRAGEDY AT LONDON FAIR.

London Free Press: Comedy turned to tragedy yesterday while the set of Mullin and Corelli was being put on before the grandstand. Mullin was at that part of the funny sketch which the team puts on when he is chastised with a "slapstick" in which is always placed a blank cartridge.

His partner made a mistake yesterday and struck him with the wrong side of the stick. The cartridge exploded sent a piece of the brass rick which holds it into Mullin's neck.

A bad wound was torn and he was badly burned. After he had left the stage he collapsed.

Dr. Reason, who attended the injured performer at the hospital, says that he will be around in two weeks.

## G.T.P. TO BUILD HOTELS.

LINE OF HOTELS FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN DECIDED ON.

Ottawa, Sept. 14.—A feature of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company's program will be the erection of a system of high-class hotels at the principal points along their trans-continental route.

W. Morse, the Grand Trunk Pacific manager, has announced that these houses should be on a scale equal to the best on the continent.

The company sought and obtained from Parliament authority to enter the hotel business.

## SAVED FAMILY DISGRACE

REFUSED TO OWN HIS MOTHER WHEN SHE VISITED HIM IN PRISON.

Hamilton, Sept. 13.—Charles Sterling, hanged at Youngstown, Ohio, 30 years ago, for the murder of a 17-year-old girl, and who has been pronounced innocent by the disappearance and suicide of Charles Irliss, who wrote the story of his worthless life and the story of his mother's life.

To save his family disgrace Sterling would not own his mother in prison when she went to see him.

After he had been condemned she died of a broken heart three months later.

## A BRIGHT STORE

AND A LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK.

Bright and attractive and fully stocked the store of Mr. J. T. Norton, King street east, successor to Mr. P. H. Forman, is especially interesting to those who are contemplating the purchase of stoves, new or second-hand, or other articles that are to be found in his carefully selected stock. The liberal use of point inside and out has greatly increased the appearance of Mr. Norton's store, which together with his extensive and nicely arranged stock stamps him as being a man of strictly up-to-date business methods. The rush of the stove season has commenced and Mr. Norton's large stock indicates that he has well anticipated the wants of his many customers. He makes a specialty of the stove business, has had years of experience and his policy is honest dealing with all. His stock is so displayed as to be very conveniently inspected and he guarantees every second-hand stove sold. His line of new stoves is equal to the best found anywhere and purchasers are given every attention. Second-hand stoves are thoroughly refitted before leaving the store. In addition to his splendid stock of stoves, Mr. Norton carries a full line of stove-boards, coal hods, fire shovels, stove pipes, tin pipes, elbows, dampers, stove polishers, enamel, tinware, graniteware, oils, paints, guns and ammunition. Persons requiring any of the above mentioned articles will be consulting their own interests to see Mr. Norton before buying. See advertisement in another column.

## AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Household Furniture.

Mrs. G. A. Thompson has instructed Alex. Rose to offer for sale by public auction at her residence, 140 Oxford st., Ingersoll, on the 20th day of Sept., 1905, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp, the following: Marble top walnut sideboard, dining room table, six leather seated chairs, two walnut centre tables, 1 wardrobe, 3 bedroom suites, one marble top chair, 1 large rocker, kitchen table, 1 ice cream freezer, fifty feet of lawn hose, lawn mower, garden tools and many other articles.

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## LONG SEARCH LEAVES WIFE IN QUANDARY

Man Left London Three Years Ago and Mystery is Question of Life or Death.

London, Sept. 15.—Is John Edward Burgess lying dead unidentified New York City or was he buried in Woodstock about a year ago?

These are the questions which are agitating his wife who resides in this city and who has been searching for her husband for the past three years. Burgess lived in London for six years, and three years ago, after he had been drinking for some time he disappeared without warning and not until two years after did Mrs. Burgess receive any word. Then he was in Niagara Falls, New York, working at his trade as a stone mason.

Following close upon this message it was heard that Burgess was seen in the vicinity of the Don, seventy-five years ago this morning, and has never been in the city since leaving it an infant in her mother's arms. Her parents came from Scotland, and she was born in 1830, and after a tedious sea voyage, landed firstly at York and thence pushed on into the dense forests of Western Ontario, and settled in what is now called Oxford county.

Mystery Not Solved.  
Mrs. Burgess made a trip to Woodstock recently and took with her her husband's photograph. The doctor at that place could not identify the man who had been found as Burgess.

Nevertheless the woman has not given up the idea that the man may have been her husband. Her friends cannot lose sight of the fact that the description tallied exactly. Now Mrs. Burgess has heard from New York of the death of a man whose age and general description would fit her husband perfectly and she is very anxious to discover the truth.

She has advertised in many papers but has received no answers. Burgess has a good sized life insurance policy on his life made in favor of his wife when he left here, and being a woman of humble means she is anxious to be relieved one way or another.

## MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA

Mr. J. N. Kennedy of Ingersoll has joined the staff of this bank and has been appointed accountant at Windsor. Meanwhile he is taking the place of the retiring manager.

(Within the past six weeks the Merchants Bank of Canada has opened branches at Chatsworth, Port Hope, and Georgetown in Ontario, and Niagara, Port St. Catharines, and Sarnia in the West.

## ALBERTA NOMINATIONS.

Liberal Candidates For the Legislature of One New Province.  
MacLeod, Alta., Sept. 15.—At an enthusiastic meeting of Liberals of the district of MacLeod, Mr. Malcolm McKenzie was unanimously selected as the Liberal standard-bearer for the constituency in the approaching Provincial election. Mr. McKenzie's name was the only one brought before the convention. He was Liberal candidate for Alberta at the recent Dominion elections.

At Cardston Mr. J. W. Woolf, the old Liberal member, was renominated. Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 15.—Robertson was selected by the Liberals of the district of Edmonton. The selection was made on the first ballot. Other nominees were Col. Walker of Calgary, Messrs. McGregor of Langdon and John A. Turner of Fish Creek.

## THE VICTORIAN'S DAMAGES.

Divers Report Hole Thirty Inches Around in the Hull.

Quebec, Sept. 15.—The damage done by the turbine Victorian is much more serious than at first supposed. The divers have completed their investigation of the ship's bottom, and there is a hole in her bottom fully 30 inches in circumference. The lapping plates have been all started, with numerous indentations and an aperture running along fully 50 feet in length. The divers are now engaged stuffing cotton bags and wedges in this long seam, together with the performance of other work to stop the water from entering, and yesterday morning the pumps were started to get the water out of the hold of her at 100 compartments, which is the only one affected. After the water is pumped out and the vessel temporarily repaired, in ten days she will sail for England, to be docked for permanent repairs.

## GOVERNMENT RAILWAY PAYS.

For August the Receipts Doubled the Expenditure.

Toronto, Sept. 15.—The figures supplied by the Provincial Treasurer show that the gross earnings of the Temiskaming Railway for August were about \$25,000, with running expenses about \$14,000.

During July the net earnings were only about \$3,000, so that a large increase in freight and passenger traffic for the month is exhibited.

There is bound to be a squint in the sermon when it has one eye on the creed and the other on the cash.

## LITTLE LOCALS.

The grocery stores in Woodstock will close at ten o'clock on Saturday night beginning tomorrow night. Mrs. J. J. Barrett, Watashwin, Alberta, and Miss Treas Mahor of Aylmer, are guests of Mrs. Hoolihan.

The remains of the late Henry Goble, whose death occurred at London yesterday, will be interred here on Saturday.

The Rev. Mr. Stevenson and wife returned from their holidays yesterday evening. Mr. Stevenson will take both services in Charles St. church next Sunday.

Thamesford Star: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McMillan and daughter of McMillan, and Mrs. D. Calder of Ingersoll left from this station on Tuesday for a visit to friends at High River, Alberta.

Mr. Reid Smith, formerly of Ingersoll, was taken ill with typhoid fever at Detroit about three weeks ago. A couple of days ago his condition became serious and his brother-in-law, Mr. George Dettcher, of Guelph, went to Detroit and Mr. Smith was taken to Guelph yesterday. His sister, Miss Jane Smith, left last evening for Guelph.

Toronto Globe: Mrs. Wm. Mackay of Thamesford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George H. Haney, Dufferin street, and was an interested and delighted visitor at the exhibition the past week. Mrs. Mackay, it is interesting to note, was born in York, (Toronto), somewhere in the vicinity of the Don, seventy-five years ago this morning, and has never been in the city since leaving it an infant in her mother's arms.

Her parents came from Scotland, and she was born in 1830, and after a tedious sea voyage, landed firstly at York and thence pushed on into the dense forests of Western Ontario, and settled in what is now called Oxford county.

## OLD BOYS' UNION

TILLSONBURG BOYS IN DETROIT ELDER OFFICERS.

Detroit, Sept. 14.—The Tillsonburg Old Boys effected a permanent organization last night. Messrs. E. H. Waller president, Secretary Early was presented with a heavy Masonic emblem in recognition of his services on behalf of Detroit's Tillsonburg Old Boys at the reunion on July 3 and 4. Tillsonburg people were much pleased with the visit of the Detroit members last summer and they requested the latter to attend all future celebrations.

## THE WEATHER.

Toronto, September 14, 8 p. m.—Since last night rain has fallen heavily from the Rocky Mountains to Lake Superior. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine. A few light local frosts occurred during the night in Ontario and Quebec. A gale is blowing over Lake Superior. Probabilities: Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay: Winds increasing to strong breezes or moderate gales, southerly to southwesterly, becoming showery; a little higher temperature.

## DIED.

GOBLE: In London, on September 14th, 1905, Henry Goble, in his 77th year.  
Funeral from the family residence, No. 6 George street, on Saturday, September 16th, at one o'clock. Funeral service at St. Andrew's church. Interment at Ingersoll.

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