

ESTABLISHED 1854.

JOHN CATTO & SON
HANDSOME NOVELTY DRESS LINES.

We have just received a magnificent lot of choice Novelty Dress Linens, which are a revelation in dainty and effective Summer Dress Fabrics. These comprise plain grounds, all colors; printed designs, two-color effects; stripes and numerous novelty developments. These are 48 inches wide, are the popular medium weight, and as usual the prices are right.

ORIENTAL SUMMER SILKS.

We have an exceptionally well-assorted stock of the ROUGH TYPE ORIENTAL SILKS so popular this season, including a splendid range of shades, in Rajahs, Tussorahs, Assams, Tamashas, Shantungs, etc., etc., in the following plain colors:

White, Ivory, Sky, Pink, Reseda, Grey, Alice, Copenhagen, Cardinal, Champagne, Bisque, Natural, Tan, Leather, Brown (in various shades), Navy, Black, Old Rose, Wedgewood, Russet, etc., etc.

PRINTED SHANTUNGS.

In novelty Persian Stripes, Chevron Stripes, small all-over jeweled patterns, in various grounds and over-treatments.

TWO-TONE SHANTUNGS.

Very handsome two-tone stripe Shantungs, in Alice, Reseda, Mauve, Elephant and Tan Shades.

COIN SPOT SHANTUNGS.

One of this season's popular novelties—Alice, Old Rose, Navy, Reseda, Brown, Coin Spots on Natural Grounds.

SUMMER FOULARDS AT 50c.

Foulards are a never-failing Silk favorite for summer use. We have a splendid line of extra well printed French Foulards in a multitude of shades and patterns—full width.

At 50c Per Yard.**WOOL DRESS FABRICS.**

We are showing every seasonable novelty in this department, including a large assortment of Striped Voiles, Novelty Cheviots, Panamas, Broadcloths, Tweeds, Vicunas, with many novelty broken stripes, phantom effects, two and three-tone cloths, etc., etc.

SHAPED LACE GOWNS.

Just arrived, new stock of BEAUTIFUL LACE GOWN PATTERNS (shaped), in all popular makes, in Black, White and Cream, ranging \$12.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00.

MAIL ORDER FACILITIES UNSURPASSED.**JOHN CATTO & SON**
55, 57, 59, 61 King Street East.
(Opposite the Postoffice).
TORONTO.**A GNARLED OLD MARINER.**

Captain Thomas Collins Has Sailed For Sixty Years.

KINGSTON, April 29.—(Special).—Kingston has not the oldest, but the oldest, Capt. Thomas Collins has been engaged on sailing and steam vessels for sixty years. He has been in every hole and corner between Duluth and Montreal. In the early times the trip was from Chicago to Montreal. There were no canals on the St. Lawrence, and after passing down the river the return trip to Kingston had to be made up the Ottawa River and thence the Rideau Canal. There were no lighthouses, and navigation was hard. Capt. Collins was in command of a schooner during the emigration fever years. Capt. Collins is still in harness.

Thomas Marshall, a Dunnville hardware merchant, was today nominated as standard bearer by the Liberals of Monck.

To Suffer From Headaches Makes Life Miserable.

It takes a person that has had and is subject to headaches to describe the suffering which attends them.

The majority of cases are caused by constipation and dyspepsia. The dull throbbing, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on, purely indicates that there is something the matter with the stomach or bowels. To the fact that Burdock Blood Bitters reaches every part of the system is due its success in relieving and permanently curing headache. It has proven a specific for the malady in all its forms.

Mr. Wm. R. Gilchrist, New Mills, N.B., writes: "I was troubled for years with constipation and headache, but after using four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I am completely cured."

Mr. John T. Kidner, Red Deer, Alta., writes: "I was troubled for several years with headache. I tried a number of medicines but they did me no good. I tried a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and I cured me completely."

For sale at all Druggists and Dealers.

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, April 29, 8 p.m.—Pressure continues low from the lake region to the Maritime Provinces and another low pressure area is developing in the Southern States. In Alberta and the Western States pressure is comparatively high. Light showers have been general from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, accompanied by cool weather. Temperature conditions continue unchanged in the western provinces. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Vancouver, 36-64; Victoria, 36-63; Edmonton, 32-50; Battleford, 36-64; Regina, 24-50; Winnipeg, 24-42; Port Arthur, 32-46; Parry Sound, 34-44; Toronto, 33-50; Ottawa, 32-50; Montreal, 32-47; Quebec, 34-50; St. John, 42-56; Halifax, 33-46.

PROBS.
Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate winds, fair, not much change in temperature. Lake Superior—Moderate winds; fair, not much change in temperature. Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—Fair; stationary; a little higher temperature.

THE BAROMETER.
Time. Ther. Bar. Wind.
8 a.m. 43 29.46 13 S.W.
11 a.m. 43 29.46 13 S.W.
2 p.m. 46 29.46 14 S.W.
5 p.m. 45 29.46 8 W.
Mean of day, 44; maximum, 50; minimum, 38.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

April 29. At From
Campanian, New York, Liverpool
Oceanic, New York, Queenstown
Pomeranian, Havre, St. John
St. Lawrence, New York, Havre
Ivernia, Queenstown, Boston
Pomeranian, Glasgow, New York
Pomeranian, Havre, St. John

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

April 30.
National Live Stock Record Board—Queen's Hotel, 10 a.m.
Empire Club—Annual meeting, 10 a.m.
Annual meeting Anglican M. S. C. C., 2 p.m.
Horse Show, 2 and 8 p.m.
Royal College of Dental Surgeons' convocation, 8 p.m.
Grenadiers' parade, 8 p.m.
Bible Training School closing, 8 p.m.
Society of Civil Engineers, Chemist Building, 8 p.m.
J. H. McFarland, on "The Crusade Against Ugliness," St. George's Hall, 8 p.m.

BIRTHS.

CULLEN—On April 29th, at 29 Hambly, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cullen, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

CORCORAN—BLAIR—At St. Paul's Church, on Wednesday, April 29, 1908, by the Rev. Father Hand, Adeline Blair, daughter of Mr. F. Blair, to John Corcoran, both of Toronto.

THE F. W. MATTHEWS CO.

FURNITURE DIRECTORS
235 SPADINA AVENUE
NORTH END
Phones—College 791, 792.

DEATHS.

HODGINS—At his residence, 177 Arthur Street, on Tuesday, April 29, 1908, William Hodgins, in his 62nd year.

MILLER—Suddenly, at his residence, 408 Euclid-avenue, Toronto, on Monday, the 29th April, 1908, William Robertson Miller, in his 62nd year.

FUNERAL from above address on Friday, May 1, at 2 p.m., to the Necropolis in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

PATERSON—At his residence, 129 Walmer-road, Toronto, on Tuesday, the 29th April, 1908, John A. Paterson, barrister, in his 34th year.

FUNERAL on Thursday, the 30th, at 3.30 o'clock, Internment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

TAYLOR—At his residence, 460 Jarvis-street, Toronto, on Tuesday, April 29, 1908, John Taylor, in his 88th year.

FUNERAL private, at 2.30 p.m., Thursday, to St. James' Cemetery.

VAN WYCK—At the residence of her niece (Mrs. J. J. White), Toronto, on Wednesday, April 29th, 1908, Abigail Van Wyck, in her 94th year.

FUNERAL on Friday morning, on the arrival of C.P.R. train at Caledon, to the Fourth Line Cemetery.

In Case of Breach of Trust.
We guarantee the fidelity of trusted officials and clerks of every capacity and in case of a breach of trust protect the firm or individual, who would otherwise be the loser, to the extent of the bond. It is now an established practice in business to bond trusted employees. We do the bulk of bonding in Canada and our bonds are sought by most conservative institutions. Phone Main 1642 for particulars. Long-Guarantee and Accident Co., corner of Yonge and Richmond here (first floor Confederation Life Building).

Donlands Maple Syrup at Michie's today.
A good job of plumbing and heating is a permanent investment. A bad job is a constant source of expense. Let us do your work at a fair price, it will save money. The Fred Armstrong Co., Limited, 277 Queen-street west.

H. R. Ranks, Undertaker, Main 2531.
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Big Bargains in Square Pianos.
Square pianos by such well known makers as Steinway, Chickering, Haines Bros. and the famous Heintzman & Co. piano, are being offered for sale by Heintzman & Co., Limited, 115-117 King-street west, Toronto, at such prices as \$75.00 to \$150.00. These instruments are in excellent condition and can be bought at from 50c to 75c a week.

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Floral Work.
We have on several occasions called attention to the beautiful design work done by Ford, the florist, of 445 Yonge-street, mentioning, particularly the work done by her for the provincial governments of Ontario, British Columbia and Prince Edward Island for the state funeral of the late Hon. Mr. Prefontaine.

Calling in again yesterday morning for our modest bouquet we found her engaged on a floral design to be laid on the casket of the late Hon. Mr. Willoughby by his colleagues in the Ontario Fish and Game Association being a splendid meeting here to-night. Great interest is being taken in the movement.

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A Condensed Statement of the Civic Finances

The following condensed statement gives a bird's eye view of the ordinary civic revenues and expenditures in a comprehensive form. The statement has been prepared in the hope that it may save time and trouble to the members of the council in their review of the estimates.

Revenues, 1908.	
Water rates	\$587,000.00
Rentals of city property	247,414.00
Liquor	110,000.00
General	54,000.00
Market and weigh house fees	55,000.00
Local roads and bridges	21,000.00
Street railway revenue	540,000.00
Province of Ontario and County of York towards administration of justice	75,200.00
Fees from city officials, registrars, etc.	2,825.00
Area rentals, snow cleaning, etc.	10,000.00
Local roads and bridges	5,500.00
Industrial Exhibition, estimated profits for 1908	32,000.00
Anticipated revenues from other sources	10,000.00
Property sold	38,000.00
Sundry other revenues	2,787.00
Revenue in excess of estimates, 1907	\$1,740,728.00
Total ordinary and special	44,375.00

TREASURER'S BUDGET.

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ing part of the authorized issue of the previous year.

The following will mature during 1908:

General (including late Town of Parkdale) \$50,110.00
Local improvement (including city's share and Toronto Railway payments, 343,133.07

The bonded debt of the city on the Dec. 31 last was \$7,543,742.76.
1. General city debt, \$19,435,796.01
2. City's share of the cost of local improvement works (including Toronto Railway), 2,649,352.56
3. Ratepayers' share of cost of local improvement works, 5,458,594.19

Total \$27,543,742.76
Deduct sinking funds on hand 7,907,942.61

Net debt, \$19,635,800.15
Debtors to the amount of \$2,318,412.67 have been authorized, but not negotiated. A large proportion of the money has yet to be expended.

Of the above debt, a portion was expended in works and services which are revenue-producing or specially rated, as follows:

1. Waterworks \$5,335,435
2. New Esplanade loan 356,000
3. Exhibition, new permanent buildings 817,647

4. Street railway paid for by city loans 363,620
5. Local improvement loans (specially rated) 5,458,594

Making together \$12,331,296
City's Assets and Revenues.

"In considering the city debt, the value of the property and assets possessed by the city should not be overlooked," says the report. "The estimated value of this property is over \$18,000,000, and a large amount of it is revenue-producing. This valuation is exclusive of all the public works and services of the city, which have been provided at heavy cost to the ratepayers, and the not available assets, are required for public use and convenience. The water lots owned by the city, the walks and gardens and other real estate property, with the Market Block, yield an annual revenue of about \$180,000, which will increase from year to year as the leases mature and are renewed."

The total revenue from the city properties, exclusive of the waterworks, is about \$180,000, and at 3-1/2 per cent, represents a capital of \$4,800,000. In addition the city derives a revenue from licenses, police court fines, cattle market and weigh-house fees, and the street railway service (exclusive of that derived from the waterworks), of about \$780,500. The estimated revenue this year from the waterworks is \$540,000. These other revenues, bring the annual revenue of the city to \$1,740,728, exclusive of the amount raised by taxation."

In his general review the city treasurer says that "in the financial year just closed—a year of unusual anxiety in the business world—Toronto can look back with more or less just pride. The credit of the city stands remarkably high, and the waves of depression which beat with more or less effect on many leading centres of industry and commerce have had no serious impact on our staple trades. A caution is being observed by our merchants and business transactions seem to be conducted within a safe circle on a sound basis and in accord with the necessary demands of the country."

"In casting a retrospective glance it is seen that the city has been progressive. Great strides have been made. Citizens have reason to feel proud of the growth of their city, especially in recent years, and the prospect is cheering."

"The world-wide financial stringency of the past months, while necessarily affecting more or less Canadian business, has been met with remarkable ability on the part of our banks and great financial agencies. The Canadian banks have shown an example of masterly handling of the situation which has for them the highest praise, and it is of no small advantage to Toronto that so many of these banks have their head offices in our city."

As regards the business operations carried on within the municipality and beyond its limits, by our merchants, and also with respect to our municipal finance:

"Our insurance, loan and trust companies compare, in their own sphere, favorably with the banks of the country, and deserve great credit for unfailing integrity and business honor."

Municipal Debentures.
"The municipal debentures not only of

the City of Toronto, but of the municipalities of the Province of Ontario, as a whole, are second to none on the money markets of the world so far as the element of security is concerned. No security can be made out against sinister attacks and unfair criticism emanating from interested quarters, but no case can be made out against the average municipal bond throughout the Province of Ontario. For instance, when it is stated, from the government returns, that the civic debentures of Ontario amount to only \$73,590,591, and the total floating debt to only \$10,671,130.00, it will be seen that we have an exceptionally well secured investor in Ontario municipal bonds."

Referring to the growth of business as shown by customs returns, the report says:

Mr. Cassidy gives a wealth of figures to show the progress of Toronto as shown in various branches of city government and business enterprises.

AT THE HORSE SHOW

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Nelson Monteith, the man of agriculture, and Hon. Adam Beck, the man of power and horses.

Mr. Beck rode his own horse and took them over the jumps very gracefully. Kakabeka took the red ribbon, a matter of course. If any red ribbon had been going, it would have been to Kakabeka. Mrs. Beck would certainly have worn one, and among the young men her charming presence had no rival.

The ladies all acknowledged that the quiet, easy, and comfortable ride of Mrs. Beck's horse was the most commendable creation possible of the gaudy and flaring creations that so many of them labored under. Judging going in favor of the quiet, easy, and comfortable ride of Mrs. Beck's horse was the most commendable creation possible of the gaudy and flaring creations that so many of them labored under.

What threatened to be an ugly incident for a few minutes and gave palpitations to many people occurred in the amateur parade. One of the teams, whether badly handled or overstarted, got out of control, while going north on the east side of the arena, which was fairly well crowded with four other double carriage teams. The nervous pair dashed their vehicle against the fence, and the driver, who was at a great rate, turned round again and broke away coming up past the judge's stand at a great rate. Passing this, they were served well, and were plucked caught by Tom Crow, who was dragged along, but turned them while they were colliding with two other vehicles. The crowd was still dragged along and it seemed as though he must be under the horses' feet, but they were brought up amid cheering before they reached the south end again. The incident closed by the pair being ordered off the ring.

WANDERER IDENTIFIED.

Unfortunate Woman Said to Be a Resident of York County.

The woman found wandering in North Toronto on Tuesday in a pitiable state was identified at Court-street station yesterday as Tillie White, aged 23, a resident of the vicinity of Forest Hill road and Deer Park. She is of unsound mind and her father with whom she has lived is said to be also of weak intellect.

The woman was educated in the States for a stenographer. In court yesterday she was remanded to jail for medical examination.

ALLEGED WOMAN BIGAMIST.

Married to two men in three years is the alleged record of Charlotte York, 49 Reid-avenue, a Scotch lady, who was arrested last night by P.C. Lyall of No. 4 division, on a charge of bigamy.

For Passing N. G. Cheque.

Three charges of fraud in passing worthless cheques are up against Geo. Johnston alias "Woody" Wood of 1182 College-street, who was arrested last night.

Unpaid Toronto Taxes.

Toronto ratepayers are reminded that further statutory penalties will be added to all taxes remaining unpaid after May 1.

Child Shot by Brother.

SACKVILLE, N.B., April 29.—(Special).—The three-year-old daughter of Frank Tower had her head blown off yesterday by a shot fired by her brother. Special to-day: Strawberries and cream, with lady fingers, 15c.

FIVE LICENSES CUT OFF OTHERS GIVEN WARNING

McConkey's and Rossin House

Among the Fallen—Mossop

to Get License.

The license commissioners sprung a big surprise yesterday when they cut off the liquor licenses of E. G. McConkey (McConkey's restaurant) and Alexander Nelson of the Rossin House, one of the largest hotels in the city.

John G. McCue, proprietor of "The Wellington," 749 West King-street; John Chadwick, The Haymarket, 97 East Front-street, and Robert Garbutt, "The Arcade," were also given three months in which to sell out.

Crittal Bros., 40 Bathurst-street, were given three months in which to adjust a family difficulty concerning division of profits.

The following must provide better premises within three months: Richard Stone, Morin House, 1227 East Queen-street; Katherine Proctor, 476 East King-street; Ellen Fitzgerald, Fitzgerald House, 135 York-street.

George J. Percival, New Carlton, East York, McArthur, Royal Canadian, 110 East Front-street.

F. W. Mossop will get a license when his new Yonge-street hotel is ready. Edward Ireland, 280 East Front-street, shop license, must improve his place.

NOT GUILTY OF MURDER.

But a Serious Charge Hange Over This Man's Head.

WOODSTOCK, April 29.—(Special).—After being out just an hour and 20 minutes the jury this afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Richard Gray, charged with the murder of his daughter's infant child, of which he was the father.

Evidence was conclusive and strong against the prisoner, who is unable to read or write, and consequently the verdict was astonishing.

The body of the infant was found under a log a few miles from Gray's home, where the prisoner admitted he had buried it. He was subsequently the verdict was astonishing.

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