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## SELLING INCREASES IN VOLUME

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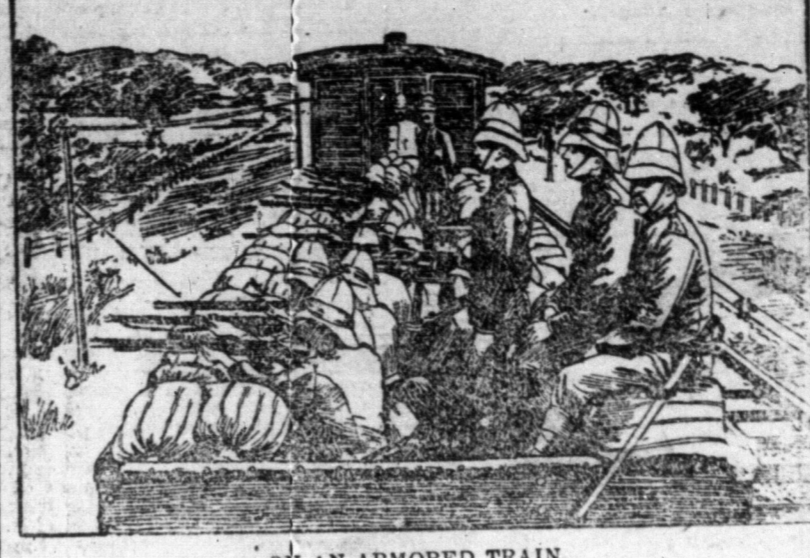
### Administration Sale

A business has been done during the past two weeks such as Chatham has never seen before—and twice the amount must be done between now and January 1st, in order to get the stock down to the required proportions. Prices on quantities of goods have been cut lower than ever to give them a quick move.

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| <b>Table Linens</b>  | Every person is alike in one particular and that is an experience of pleasure in securing a bargain. The sale prices of our Table Linens are very enticing and attached to the reputation of our stock make a very strong protest to leave the store. |
| 56 in. wide, extra heavy unbleached tabling  | 23c   |
| 60 in. wide, pure linen unbleached tabling, heavy, fine finish   | 46c   |
| 58 in. wide, pure linen unbleached tabling, in good designs  | 38c   |
| <b>Napkins</b>   | We have a very special inducement for you to buy Napkins. About 15 dozen dinner size, pure linen, Belfast manufacture, for per dozen \$1.70; \$2.04; \$2.93.  |
| The prices were \$2.50, \$3.25, \$4.00.  |   |
| <b>Men's Underwear</b>   | Sometimes the fact is overlooked that we keep underwear for men and boys, but the prices at which the best underwear in Canada is going will bring us very much in evidence.  |
| Extra heavy and fine fleeces lined Shirts and Drawers all sizes, in color cream or gray our special sale price | 46c   |
| Extra heavy all pure wool Shirts and Drawers, fine and soft, our special sale price                            | 69c   |
| <b>Men's Socks</b>   | You might as well save money in socks as anything else. Every dime saved is so much to the good.  |
| Men's wool socks in gray or brown special at per pair  | 17c   |
| Men's extra heavy natural gray wool socks, very special at   | 22c   |
| Men's all wool black Cashmere socks, very special at   | 23c   |
| <b>Men's Ties</b>  | A Tie is a small thing but when you get one for 1/2 price you are getting a big bargain.  |
| Men's Bow Ties in a very large variety of neat tasty colors, regular price 25c, our sale price is              | 12 1/2c   |

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| <b>Shaker Flannels</b>  | We can easily venture on the statement that you never bought shaker flannels under price before  |
| Wide, heavy, good, washing shaker flannel in dark color stripes, worth 10c for      | 8c   |
| Wide, fine, fleecy shaker flannel, in plain light colors, worth 12 1/2c for         | 9c   |
| <b>Brocaded Mantle Velvets</b>  | Handsome, rich brocaded velvets, dark brown and black, elegant effects, and goods that can be used to good advantage in various ways.  |
| They were worth \$4, \$5 and \$6 a yd. We place the entire lot on sale to-morrow at | \$1 a yard   |
| <b>Sofa Cushions</b>  | All sizes now in stock from 18 x 18 to 24 x 24, in Cambric Covered Cushions, in various qualities, and prices of every cushion reduced to the sale basis.  |
| <b>Fancy Figured Sateens</b>  | For cushion coverings, curtains and drapes, we have a nice lot of sateens denims and silkolines. Pretty designs, and choice colorings.   |
| Silkolines at 9c, 12 1/2c and 20c   |  |
| Sateens at 18c and 20c  |  |
| Denims at 11 1/2c and 18c   |  |
| These prices are all reduced from the original selling prices.                      |  |
| <b>Ladies' Wool Mitts</b>   | For Children as well. You'll soon need them and we can supply at very small prices. Prices in these are in every other line in the store have been reduced to quick selling notch.   |
| Ladies' good all wool black Mitts, at per pair, 23c; 31c and                        | 43c  |
| <b>Men's White Shirts</b>   | If you only know it you can buy Men's White Shirts here cheaper just now than any other place in the city. Laundered and unlaunched shirts are reduced in equal proportion to the rest of the stock and that means a good saving to you on shirts. |
| Men's laundered Shirts, at 69c and  | 87c  |
| Men's unlaunched Shirts, at 46c and   | 69c  |

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| <b>Buttons</b>  | A button is a small thing but very useful. We have put out a large box and filled it with buttons of various sorts, covered buttons, bone buttons, metal buttons large and small, one dozen to three dozen on each card, and none worth less than 10c a dozen and some worth 30c a dozen, the sale price is 5c a card. |
| <b>Black Dress Goods</b>  | The lines of Black Dress Goods we put out on our famous 37 1/2c table have been cleaned out, so to keep things on the jump we have selected from our immense stock of blacks several more pieces and have reduced them to 37 1/2c, amongst them these:   |
| 42 in. wide, all wool fine black Whipcord, worth, reg. 50c a yd for   | 37 1/2c  |
| 42 in. wide, fine black Henrietta Serge, all wool, very special at 50c a yd., for per yd.   | 37 1/2c  |
| We have put on the 25c table two pieces of fine wool, satin finish, brocaded black dress goods, worth regular 35c a yard.   |  |
| <b>Lace Curtains</b>  | Lace Curtains cannot be properly described in cold type, at least the kind we keep cannot. The designs are dainty, the appearance elegant the general effect and wear cannot be surpassed.   |
| Our prices were always considered low before, but now being reduced so largely, they are away below possible competition. It will pay you to see our Lace Curtains. |  |
| <b>Plushes</b>  | Very Pretty Silk Plushes for cushion tops or other fancy work, worth 50c, \$1 and \$2, per yard, are selling freely at 12 1/2c, 25c, 50c.  |
| <b>Wool Tweeds</b>  | A number of ends of expensive wool Tweeds, worth from 75c to \$1.25 a yd., in lengths sufficient for men's trousers or boys' suits, are all clearing at 50c a yard.  |
| <b>Carpet Sweepers</b>  | Even Carpet Sweepers are reduced in price, and any person however economical can afford to buy a Carpet Sweeper.   |



ON AN ARMORED TRAIN. This cut shows the armored train scouting along with Lord Methuen's force. Unlike the train at Estcourt it is composed partly of steel and partly of open cars. In the latter the men are protected by bags of loose sand. The soldiers prefer these open cars to the armored ones both for comfort and service.

### THE TRICKY BOERS MAEKING'S SAFE

Put up Jobs on the Garrison at Kimberley.

But They Fail to Draw the Boerized out—A Great Waste of Good Shells Going on.

London, Dec. 1.—The war office from the officer commanding at Cape Town makes public the following despatch.

Kimberley, Nov. 24, Friday, by way of Klokofontein, Nov. 27.—There were a few rifle shots early to-day from the direction of Wright's farm. This

London, Dec. 1.—Col. Baden Powell, under date of Mafeking, Nov. 20, has sent the following to the War Office, through Gen. Forestier-Walker at Cape Town—

"All well here. "Cronje has gone with a commando and about 20 wagons to Rieisters, Traosvaal, leaving most of the guns here with the Marico and Lichtenberg contingents, with orders to shell us into submission.

"Bombardment and sniping continue with very small results.

"The enemy's sentries show us out Saturday by making a show of going away, and leaving a big gun apparently in a state of being dismantled. Our scouts found the enemy hidden in force. So we sat tight. The enemy's 91-pounder became damaged, and had been replaced by another more efficient.

"I am daily pushing out our advance work with good effect. The health of the garrison is good. No casualties to report."

### HOW FOREIGNERS AND THE LOWER CLASS AMERICANS VIEW BRITAIN'S COURSE



THE MODERN RUFFIAN. A Cartoon from the Norse Vremya.

was regarded as merely one of the numerous Boer tricks to draw our men out by inducing us to believe that the relieving forces are drawing near. This afternoon the rifle bullets on the railway line towards Spytfontein.

The news of the advancement of the relieving forces greatly cheers the garrison, and the inhabitants. A few Boers were seen to-day, but it is believed the enemy is in only small bands around Kimberley, lots of 50 or so, the greater part having gone to Spytfontein. Here fighting is believed to have been heard about noon.

The official estimate places the number of Boer shells fired during the bombardment of Kimberley at about 1,000, and ours at no fewer than 600. As the enemy's shells so frequently hit soft sandy ground, the explosive effect is greatly neutralized.

All our wounded are in very satisfactory condition. An armored train proceeded toward Dronfield to reconnoitre, but this immediately aroused the enemy's cordite gun, and the train been fired. The Boers are firing on the reservoir from Wimbledon.

### The Champion Of the World

The King of all Blood Medicines

Take advantage of this great offer. We will sell you a large Dollar Bottle of Dr. King's Royal Crown Sarsaparilla for

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Aids Digestion, Constipation, Rheumatism, Nervous Debility and all Diseases of the Liver, Kidneys and Blood.

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### NO ACCLAMATIONS

The Official Nominations Take Place in Manitoba.

A Stiff Contest on in Every Constituency—Who are in the Field.

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Nominations for the Manitoba provincial general elections, which takes place on Thursday, Dec. 7th, were held yesterday. The following are the names of the candidates nominated:—

Avondale—T. Dickie, Government; James Saigue, Opposition.

Beautiful Plains—R. C. Ennis, Government; J. A. Davidson, Opposition.

Birtle—Hon. C. J. Mickle, Government; W. Howard, Opposition.

Brandon City—Charles Adams, Government; D. McGinnis, Opposition.

Carleton—M. Jerome, Government; R. Marcon, Opposition.

Cypress—A. Doig, Government; Geo. Steele, Opposition; J. K. McLennan, Independent.

De la Riviere—C. A. Young, Government; E. D. Kerr, Opposition.

Dennis—W. J. Kennedy, Government; James Simpson, Opposition; Reeve Freeman, Independent.

Emerson—W. R. Hamilton, Government; D. H. McFadden, Opposition; J. D. Lindsay, Independent.

Killarney—F. M. Young, Government; George Lawrence, Opposition.

Lakeside—James McKenzie, Government; Ed. Lynch, Opposition.

Lansdowne—T. C. Morris, Government; S. Fenwick, Opposition.

La Verendrye—W. LaJardiere, Government; W. Henderson, Opposition.

Springfield—T. H. Smith, Government; E. F. Hutchins, Opposition.

Turtle Mountains—James S. Reekie, Government; J. Johnson, Opposition.

Westbourne—T. L. Morton, Government; B. Wilson, Opposition.

Winnipeg Centre—Hon. D. H. McMillan, Government; A. J. Andrews, Opposition.

Winnipeg North—P. C. McIntyre, Government; Dr. Nielson, Opposition.

Winnipeg South—Hon. J. D. Cameron, Government; Hon. Hugh J. MacDonald, Opposition.

Woodlands—A. F. Martin, Government; R. F. Roblin, Opposition.

The nominations for Gimli will take place on Dec. 7 and the polling there a week later. Dauphin nomination will be held on Dec. 8 and the polling on Dec. 15. The candidates in Gimli will be Capt. Jonnason, Government; R. L. Baldwin, Opposition. In Dauphin the candidates will be T. H. Burrows, Government; R. Hunt, Opposition. Reeve Freeman, in Dennis, and Jas. Fisher, in Russell (both independent), have retired from the contest. Things look very even among the city candidates.

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### Come To-morrow

If you can possibly come. Come, and what is more, bring your friends with you. They will thank you for it, for they too are anxious to save money. Last Saturday our store was crowded with satisfied buyers from 8 o'clock a. m. until 10 o'clock p. m. We intend that this Saturday's business will be a record breaker and if DOWN RIGHT BARGAINS mean anything we will have the busiest day in the history of this busy store. This is but a partial list of the many interesting lines and prices you will find here, read it over carefully and be on hand as early as possible. Extra salespeople are engaged in order to give you prompt service.

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| 500 yds. Dress Goods, in plain cloths, 42 in. wide, fancy plaids, checks, all wool serges, two toned (sadies and tweed mixture goods that have sold at 25c, 35c and 40c yd., Saturday at   | 19c    |
| 225 yds. Plain and Fancy Dress Goods 44 in. all-wool serges, tweed mixtures, 2 toned, fancy weaves, 45 in. pure wool cashmires, plain and shot mohairs, diagonals, cords, silk mixtures, worth 40c, 50c, 65c and 75c, your pick of the lot Saturday at | 25c    |
| 10 doz. Men's Scotch Knit Shirts and Drawers, pure soft wool, fine rib satin facings, rib skirt, reg. 75c each, Saturday   | 47c    |
| 4 doz. Men's Heavy Leather Mitts, wool lined, buffalo tops, buck skin thumb, extra value at  | 50c    |
| 5 doz. pair Men's Heavy Wool Sox, light and dark colors, clean secured yarn, elastic rib knit reg. 25c per pair, Special Saturday  | 20c    |
| 6 pos. Fancy Flannellette, for wrappers and blouse waists, in medium and dark colors, new designs, fast dyes, sold reg. at 10c and 12 1/2c, clearing Saturday at   | 8c     |
| 5 pos. Fancy Stripe Flannellette, 36 to 38 in. wide, medium colorings, fast dyes, extra value at 10c, special Saturday   | 8c     |
| Eiderdown Coatings, heavy wool nap, in shades of say and pink, regular 40c quality, special Saturday   | 25c    |
| Canadian Yarns, best secured quality 2 and 3 ply, in white, red, black, blue gray and black and white, sold elsewhere at 50c per lb., our special price  | 40c    |
| 2 pos. Extra Heavy Halifax Tweed, pure wool, in gray and brown shades, regular 50c kind, special Saturday  | 25c    |
| 4 doz. Men's Navy Flannel Shirts, fine twill quality, well made, in sizes 14 1/2 to 16 1/2, reg. \$1.00 quality, extra value at  | 75c    |
| 5 doz. Ladies' Kid Gloves, Pevony's best quality, sizes 5 1/2 to 7, in shades of taupe, modas and brown, button and lacing styles, regular \$1.25 per pair, clearing Saturday  | 50c    |
| 10 doz. Ladies' White Muslin Aprons, fine quality, made with fine embroidery   | 73c    |
| broiderie insertion and val lace trimming on bib and shoulder strap, deep hem on bottom, extra value at 50c, 40c, 35c and  | 25c    |
| 10 doz. Heavy Fleece Cashmere Gloves, ladies sizes, regular 20c quality, special at  | 15c    |
| 17 pr. Lace Curtains, extra wide and 3 1/2 yds. long fine quality Nottingham, handsome designs, some slightly soiled, others old pairs. Here's the way we sell them Saturday:—   |        |
| Regular \$3.50 Curtains at   | \$1.69 |
| " \$4.00 " at  | \$1.98 |
| " \$4.50 " at  | \$2.29 |
| " \$5.50 " at  | \$2.98 |
| LADIES' TRIMMED HATS—Handsomely trimmed hats clearing as follows:—   |        |
| Regular \$2.00 at  | \$1.24 |
| " \$2.50 at  | \$1.49 |
| " \$3.00 at  | \$1.98 |
| " \$4.00 at  | \$2.79 |
| English Walking Hats, fine felt with crush bands and fancy quill, sold regular at \$1.50, clearing Saturday  | 73c    |

### SPECIAL SALE OF LADIES' JACKETS AND FURS. THE BUSY CASH STORE.

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will both please and surprise you. We are busy getting Christmas goods in place, before the rush is fully on us.

**"The Ark" Block, 89 King St.**

NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Chatham Manufacturing Company (Limited) will be held at the office of the Company on Wednesday, the 13th day of December, 1899, at eleven o'clock in the morning.

By order of the Board,  
W. S. IRELAND,  
Secretary-treasurer.  
Chatham, 30th November, 1899.