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## Fashionable Fall Dress Fabrics

Have you made yourself acquainted with the correct style and fabric in Dress Stuffs for the Fall? Do you know what cloths and patterns are to be fashionable among smart dressers? If not, visit our Dress Goods Department and spend half an hour looking over the new Fall Dress Fabrics—new patterns, new colors, new ideas, that represent the most approved style will greet you.

New French Broadcloths  
New English Coverts  
New English Camel's Hair  
Suiting  
New Fancy Black Suiting

New Oxford Homespuns  
New Black Poplins  
New French Henriettas  
New Camel's Hair  
Homespun

Of course the Tailor made Costume is going to have the lead—more this season than ever before. Our stock of suiting will please your fancy better than ever. So many nobby fabrics are spread before you that you cannot help being suited in style, quality, pattern and price. Later on comes the rush in our Dressmaking Department, and you know what that usually means. Thoughtful ladies are leaving their orders now, and of course when the department opens, the dresses will be turned out according as they were ordered.

**Thomas Stone & Son** Direct Importers  
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## TWO GOOD THINGS

...For Saturday...

Shirt  
Extra

We will repeat our Shirt Sale to-morrow by offering any Colored Shirt in the store for

**74c.**

Also one lot of 50c, 75c, and 90c Shirts for

**42c.**

Not more than 2 Shirts to one customer.

Hat  
Extra

Commencing SATURDAY morning, for the day only,

**\$1.58**

will give you the choice of 224 Nobby DERBY and FEDORA HATS. All \$2.50 and \$3.00 goods. This lot of Hats is made up of lines where we have only 3 and 4 of a kind. Quite a number of Barrington Hats in this lot.

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## A Great Array of Saturday Bargains

At the Busy Cash Store. The Store where you can always depend upon getting goods exactly as they are advertised. No humbug or exaggeration about quality or prices. No sharp, shoddy methods of doing business everything done honestly and squarely. Your money back if not satisfied. Come Saturday for these goods—Come early.

15 pcs Heavy Cottonade and Denims, good patterns, clearing special per yard, 12c, 15c and..... 20c  
800 yds English Oxford Shirtings, good firm quality, warranted fast colors, worth 16c per yard, special Saturday..... 7c  
Millinery Bargains—Sailors, assorted styles, silk bands, worth up to 50c, Saturday..... 15c  
Sailors worth up to 90c, Saturday..... 25c  
All our best Sailors, worth up to \$1.50 each, Saturday..... 75c  
Trimmed Hats, were selling up to \$4.50 your pick Saturday..... \$1.48  
Trimmed Hats, worth up to \$8.50, Saturday..... \$1.95  
72 pcs Black Dress Goods, in all the newest weaves, the best values you will see anywhere, selling at per yard, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 90c, \$1, \$1.25

500 yds Flannelette, extra wide, heavy quality, in choice range of stripe patterns, fast colors, worth 7c yd., special Saturday..... 5c  
8 pcs Habit Cloth Dress Goods, 42 in. wide, good firm quality, in new fall designs, special Saturday..... 25c  
15 pcs All-wool Serges, 38 to 40 in. wide, clean, firm, crisp finish, in black and colors, special per yd. 35c and..... 25c  
1 pc extra heavy Cream Table Damask, 2 yds wide, warranted pure flax, choice pattern, worth 55c yard, special Saturday..... 63c  
1 pc Table Linen, good, firm, union quality 58 in. wide, with Turkey red border, worth 30c yd, special Saturday..... 23c  
Ladies' Crash Skirts, assorted styles of braid trimmings, sold regular up to \$2, special Saturday..... 98c

15 pcs Fancy Gingham, percales, muslins, dark and light grounds, latest patterns and colorings, worth reg. 15c, 18c, and 20c, special Saturday..... 10c  
8 only, Boys' Wash Suits, in navy stripe English drillings, sailor styles, warranted fast colors, for boys 4 to 12 years, worth 85c, special Saturday 63c  
Boys' Wash Suits, in white duck, Galates stripes and Khaki cloth, smart sailor styles, neatly trimmed, sizes 4 to 12 yrs, regular up to \$1.25, special Saturday..... 89c  
Men's Ties, odds and ends in knots and bows, slightly soiled, clearing Saturday each..... 5c  
Ladies' Vests, short sleeves, long sleeves and sleeveless, clearing at each, 5c, 7c, 10c, 12c, 15c and..... 19c  
5 doz. Ladies' Fancy Hose, polka dots, artificial silk, lace thread, etc., worth reg. up to 50c pair, special Saturday..... 29c

**JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.**

CASH ONLY  
AND ONE PRICE.

## WASTING AWAY.

De Wet's Force Now Too Small and Weak to Face the British

He Turns Tail and Flees Towards the Orange River Colony—Steyn to Join Kruger.

London, Aug. 23.—Lord Roberts reports to the War Office, under date of Pretoria, Aug. 22, as follows:—

Buller's division marched to Van Wyckville, fifteen miles south of Belfast, yesterday. His casualties were 20. Report from Hammanakranl that Baden-Powell engaged Grobler's force all day yesterday. Grobler was driven back east of Pinar's River. Baden-Powell occupied the railway station of that name. During the fight Baden-Powell's advance and that of the enemy galloped into each other, the Rhodesians losing Colonel Sprackley and four men killed and seven wounded. Many of the Boers were killed or wounded. They were at Cyferkull this morning. Plumer and Hickman were closely pursuing it seems certain that De Wet, finding it hopeless to make his way eastward, has recrossed the Magabesburg with a few wounded, with the intention of returning to the Orange River Colony. He is in a very different position from that when he left Bethlehem with six or eight guns and 2,000 men. His guns have mostly been buried, and his personal following cannot be more than 300. It is stated that Steyn, with a small bodyguard, has crossed Pinar's River on his way to join Kruger at Mafeking.

## THEY DISAGREE.

Allied Generals at Peking Pulling in Opposite Directions.

Russian Commander Wishes to Violate Sacred Precincts—All at Sea as to Future Action—Prince Tuan Still at Large.

London, Friday, Aug. 24, 2.30 a. m.—Fires, fighting and dissension are apparently following in the wake of the relief of Peking. The Daily Mail publishes despatches from the Chinese capital, dated as late as Aug. 7, declaring that a great fire was then raging in the imperial city. The Russian commander had declined to accept the decision of the other generals not to violate the imperial precincts, and street fighting was going on. Gen. Chaffee, so it is asserted, maintained that the Chinese had been adequately punished already, and that it would be unwise to take the imperial palace. This explains the withdrawal of the Americans after breaching three gates, as cited by the special correspondent of the Associated Press. The Russian general, however, maintained that his Government had declared war against China, and that, therefore, there was no reason to prevent him carrying hostilities into the sacred precincts. Judging from various, and in many cases contradictory despatches that have reached Europe this morning from Peking the commanders eventually adopted a middle course, for a Reuters telegram asserts that sentries were placed to prevent looting. Hence it is presumed that the imperial buildings, although captured, will not be destroyed. The fires appear to be incendiary and to be caused by the Chinese themselves. All the despatches point to the fact that when the latest message left Peking the commanders were somewhat at sea regarding their future action, all awaiting instructions from their Governments. The foreign residents appear to have been sent to Tien-Tsin, although St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail says the ministers will not leave Peking until negotiations for indemnity are under way. Neither the commanders nor the diplomats were in communication with the Chinese Government on August 17. They were then searching for Prince Tuan.

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## THE FIRST POLYGAMIST DEAD

Was the Father of the First Polygamous Child in the Mormon Sect.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—A special to the Chronicle from Salt Lake City, Utah, says:—Joseph B. Noble, father of the first polygamous child born after that tenet was introduced into the Mormon Church, was buried at Hountiful, Utah. The funeral services were attended by thirty of his children, eighty-four of his grandchildren and a number of his great-grandchildren. Mr. Noble had six wives, forty-seven children, of whom thirty-three are living, and 124 grandchildren. He was a Massachusetts shoemaker, when Brigham Young went to his native town in 1832 and converted him among several others.

## THEIR INTRIGUES.

Catholics and Protestants Have Caused the Awful Trouble in China

By Attempting to Gain the Ascendancy in Religious Matters—What an Escaped Missionary Says.

Toronto, Aug. 24.—Dr. Perry Leslie, the Presbyterian missionary, who was badly cut with knives by Boxers while en route from Hoonan to the seaboard, in an interview, repeated the statement, several times hinted at in cables from China, that friction among the Protestant and Catholic missionaries was responsible for a part of the trouble in China. When asked what he considered to be the most direct reason of the present trouble, Dr. Leslie had no hesitation in ascribing it to different causes. The important one was the anti-foreign prejudice which had been handed down from generation to generation. This prejudice, moreover, was against the merchant class entirely. Second only in importance as a cause of this anti-foreign prejudice was the intriguing of the Roman Catholics against the Protestants. Dr. Leslie regretted to say it, but stated that it was a most uniformly accepted fact that the Roman Catholics did everything in their power to discredit Protestantism. As to the future of China, Dr. Leslie foresaw, but one probable solution to the trouble. He regretted to realize it, but believed that when all was over the powers would share up and establish protectorates or other forms of governments over separate parts of China. Should any disagreement occur whereby China was again left to her own control, he could see no future but anarchy and chaos. China must still be nursed, and that for many years to come.

## SHE SAVED A LIFE.

For Bravery of 34 Years Ago, a New York Woman Inherits \$12,000

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 24.—For saving the life of Mrs. Elmer Carthage, of Galveston, 34 years ago, Mrs. Julia Sheldon, a seaman in a knitting mill, is now heir to a fortune of \$12,000. Mrs. Sheldon was Mrs. Carthage's maid in 1866. While out riding with her mistress one day the horse ran away. Mrs. Sheldon cut the traces in time to save them from being dashed over a precipice. Mail and mistress parted soon after the accident, and Mrs. Sheldon never heard from Mrs. Carthage. Mrs. Carthage died several weeks ago. When her will was read her relatives were surprised to learn that Mrs. Sheldon had been made sole heir.

## REBELLION AT HANKOW.

Chinese Pillage European Quarters—Leaders Captured and Executed.

Paris, Aug. 23.—The French consul at Hankow wires that an attempt at an uprising occurred during the night of August 21. A band of Chinese tried to fire a house adjoining the customs bank, which is adjacent to the British concession, with the object of pillaging the bank and burning the European quarter. The victory, however, took immediate steps and arrested the ringleaders, seizing at the same time arms and documents demonstrating the existence of a secret society and an organized plot. Two of the leading culprits were decapitated, their heads being subsequently exhibited in the centre of the Chinese town. Twenty others were imprisoned. More trouble is feared when the flight of the emperor to the west, if true, becomes known. Hankow is situated on the river Han, at the point where it enters the Yang-Tze.

A \$30,000,000 BABY.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—A special to the Times-Herald from Asheville, N. C., says a girl baby has been born to Mr. George Vanderbilt in Baltimore House. Mr. Vanderbilt announces that her name will be Cornelia-Stuyvesant. The little stranger is heir to a fortune of \$30,000,000.

At Hankow a band of Chinese attempted to cause an uprising by burning the houses of the Europeans. The effort was suppressed, two of the leaders being decapitated and twenty imprisoned.

The United States government has decided not to send any more troops to China. In a short time Gen. Chaffee will have 5,000 available men and this number is considered sufficient.

Henry Judson, of Belfountain, Ont., was killed by a cave in of earth and rock at quarry in which he was working. He was 35 years of age and leaves a widow.

Wanted!—At The Planet Office, old pipe and tea lead.

## TWO MEN DROWNED

Wednesday in the St. Clair River at Courtright—One a Well-known Traveller.

Wallaceburg, August 24.—Word has been received here from Courtright that two machine travellers were drowned there Wednesday. One man is supposed to be Mr. Webber, a general travelling agent for an eastern machine company. The other man's name has not yet been learned. Very little particulars are to hand, but it is supposed they were crossing to the American side. Mr. Webber is well-known throughout Western Ontario. He has many friends who have already been notified of the accident.

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Private Murray, of Woodstock, has been recommended for promotion to the rank of sergeant-major.

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Soft Sole Shoes  
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21 pcs. of Kitchen Stove Furniture for only.....\$4.00  
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Dinner Sets.....\$6.00 to \$50.00  
Tea Sets.....\$1.50 to \$20.00  
Toilet Sets.....\$1.25, \$2.50 to \$10.00  
Lamps, common glass.....20c to 50c  
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Window Shades.....30c, 35c, 50c, 60c  
Curtain Poles all complete.....25c

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