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Saturday's Bargain List

Monday being Civic Holiday this store will be closed all day. Extra business must be done on Saturday. For Saturday we present you with such a varied list of bargains that what you want is sure to be in it.

Dress Goods

10 pieces black dress goods, neat, figured designs, all wool, 42 to 44 in. wide, worth regular 65c to 90c a yard, on Saturday for 46c.

20 pieces colored dress goods in silk mixtures and all wool goods, including such shades as fawn, blue, green, etc., worth regular 75c to \$1.25, Saturday, 47c.

56 in. wide twilled cheviot suiting in Oxford grey, fawn, green, light grey, very special, at 50c.

58 in. wide, all wool serge suiting in black and navy only, very special, 75c.

Silks

15 pieces Japan wash silks, crystal corded, dainty checks in sky, turquoise, pink, cardinal, etc., regular price 50c a yard, on Saturday for 35c.

Buttons

On Friday we will sell a good quality white pearl button, medium size, for per dozen 3c.

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' fine cambric, hemstitched and embroidered handkerchiefs, regular price 20c each, on Saturday 2 for 25c.

Ladies' extra fine cambric hemstitched handkerchiefs, regular price 5c each, on Saturday, 7 for 25c.

Muslins and Prints

We have a very pretty assortment of muslins left over and will sell them on Saturday, at these prices:

12 1-2c muslins for 7c.

20c muslins for 12 1-2c.

50c muslins for 25c.

15 pieces of print including light and dark colorings, small and large designs, the balance of our 8c prints on Saturday for 5c.

Muslin Dresses

3 only muslin dresses, pretty colors and patterns, in sizes 36 and 38 inch

best regular price \$5.00 a dress, on Saturday for \$2.75.

Napkins

3-4 size dinner napkins, guaranteed pure double damask linen, regular price \$2.75 dozen, Saturday for \$1.75.

5-8 size tea napkins, guaranteed pure double damask linen, regular value \$1.50 a dozen, on Saturday \$1.20.

Gloves

Ladies' tan and brown lineneo gloves, with two push buttons, regular price 25c pair, on Saturday for 15c.

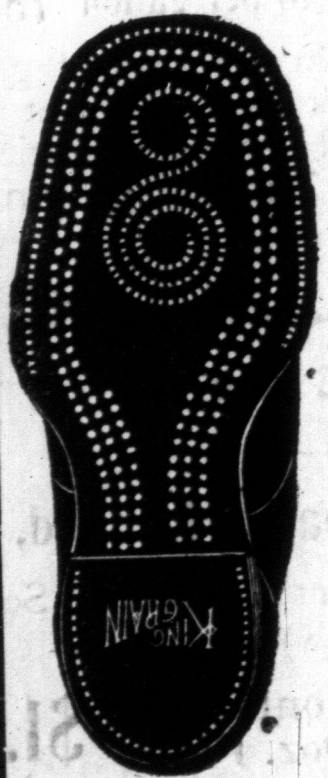
Skirts

Ladies' tailored tweed skirts, with full flounce flars, trimmed with taffeta bands, good shades, regular price \$5.00 each, on Saturday \$3.00.

...THOMAS STONE & SON, - - Importers

AUGUST Shoe Sale

IF YOU WISH BARGAINS IN SHOES, Turrill's is the place you can get them. We have decided to make a Slaughtering Sale on all SUMMER FOOTWEAR. These goods must go REGARDLESS OF COST.



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| Men's Tan Bals., calf Goodyear Welt, coin toe, size 10 and 11, regular price \$3.50, for | \$1.50 |
| Men's Black Vici Kid Bals., Goodyear Welt, coin toe, size 10, regular price \$3.50, for | \$1.50 |
| Men's Black Vici Kid Bals., Goodyear Welt, bull dog toe, sizes 6 to 10, regular price \$3.50, for | \$2.50 |
| Men's Tan Vici Kid Bals., Goodyear Welt, plain London toe, sizes 6 to 10, regular \$3.50 for | \$2.50 |
| Men's Tan Vici Kid Bals., round toe, 6 to 10, regular \$2.50 for | \$2.00 |
| Ladies' Tan Vici Kid Bals., cloth or kid top, hand turn nice round toe, regular up-to-date shoe, regular price \$3.50, sale price | \$2.00 |

These are Genuine Bargains

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| Ladies' Black Vici Kid Bals., nice round toe, regular \$2.50 for | \$2.00 |
| Ladies' Black Kid Bals., coin toe, regular \$1.50 and \$1.25, all sizes, for | \$1.00 |
| Ladies' Tan and Black Oxfords, coin toe, turn sole, sizes 3 to 5, regular \$2.50 for | \$1.00 |
| Misses Tan Bals., coin toe, regular \$1.50 goods, all sizes, sale price | \$1.00 |
| Boys' Tan Kid and Pebble Bals., all sizes, a good smart shoe, regular \$1.50 and \$1.25, at | \$1.00 |
| Children's Tan Vici Kid Bals and Button, regular \$1.25 shoe for | 75c |

These are only a few of the lines we are offering. ALL MUST GO to make room for our fall goods.

TURRILL'S 93 King St.

BOER LEADER YIELDS AND ADVISES SURRENDER

Commandant Revilliers so Reports to Lord Kitchener—A British Post Captured by Boers—More Cape Rebels Arrested—Honors for Canadians.

London, Aug. 8.—Lord Kitchener reports the surrender at Warm Baths of Commandant Revilliers, who was second in command to Beyers.

A POST SURPRISE.
London, Aug. 8.—Lord Kitchener, in a despatch from Pretoria to-day, announces that a post of twenty-five men, belonging to Steinkamp's Horse, on the Sabi River, has been surprised and captured by the Boers.

MR. KRUGER'S MIND GIVING WAY.
A special despatch from Rotterdam says the mental condition of Mr. Kruger is arousing serious apprehension. A specialist in nervous diseases has been summoned by the government from Berlin.

MORE REBELS ARRESTED.
Cape Town, August 8.—Small parties of Boers are hovering about the Dordrecht district. The British troops

are harassing them. Seven farmers have been placed in jail at Dordrecht on the charge of assisting the invaders.

ARRESTED AS A SPY.
Berlin, August 8.—The Tageblatt announces that its correspondent, Herr Meirback, who was with the Boers, has been arrested as a spy by the British, and that he will be tried by court-martial at Middleburg.

V. C. FOR CANADIANS.
Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 8.—The Militia Department was advised from Halifax to-day that the officer commanding the British troops there has received from the Imperial authorities the Victoria Crosses won by Canadians in South Africa. The recipients of this coveted honor are Lieut. Cockburn, of Toronto; Lieut. Turner, of Quebec, and Sergeant Holland, of Ottawa. The presentations will be made by the Duke of York at Toronto, Quebec and Ottawa, respectively.



The Hit Of the Season

"Undoing of a Double"

The Great Serial Story.

Of course everybody wants to read it—that's why it has been secured by the liveliest of live papers. But there are many other bright features. To-morrow Helen Hall throws an ingenious side-light around the Evening Camp Fire at the Bau, Dianthus sees a few things that everyone else seems to have missed at the Buffalo Exposition, John W. Young, of The Planet staff, writes of his western travels from Canada's capital, Robt. S. Smyth, now doing special correspondence work for The Planet, tells of the wild and woolly West. There are other delightful contributions.

Then there is the unrivalled local news service—the service that makes this journal the envy of, and pattern for, all local competitors. No wonder—it is that The Planet has grown, and is growing, so marvelously in popularity—that its circulation nearly DOUBLES that of all its would-be rivals.

MUCH ANXIETY IS FELT FOR THE KING'S SAFETY

Scotland Yard Alert Relative to his Journey to his Sister's Funeral—Have Been Warned of Anarchist's Activity.

London, Aug. 8.—The remarkable series of postponements and alterations in King Edward's journey to his sister's funeral has already aroused considerable conjecture in England. None of the customary channels for chronicling the King's movements was taken into confidence by the officers of his household when they came with unprecedented secrecy yesterday from Cowes to Marlborough House. Indeed, the King has not sought anything like his present avoidance of publicity since the time of his mother's death. It is not due to his own wish that the present unprecedented proceedings are adopted, but only to this urgent insistence of the political section of Scotland

ALL-NIGHT SESSION

Voting Estimates by Wholesale Closure in the House of Commons.

London, Friday, August 9.—At ten o'clock last night in a crowded and excited session of the House of Commons, Mr. Balfour's new rule of voting estimates by wholesale closure came into operation. Lumped into "classes" more than 267,000,000 were by this scheme voted in a series of divisions before 1 o'clock this morning, the government majorities always exceeding one hundred.

The House was still in session at 5 a. m. The Irish members engaged in obstructive tactics with reference to various resolutions incidental to the final stages of the estimates, and Mr. Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary frequently moved the closure.

The House adjourned at 6 a. m. after numerous divisions under the closure. The Irish members kept up a continual opposition, but without disorderly scenes.

SHARK GOT LEG

Quartermaster's Thrilling Experience While Swimming at Hilo, P. I.

Washington, August 8.—Admiral Kempff has forwarded to the navy department an official report, thrilling in its details, of the biting off of the leg of Quartermaster S. McKie, third class, of the gunboat Annapolis, by a shark or other mammoth sea monster.

The Annapolis has been stationed off late at Hilo and on June 24 last a party was sent out for rifle target practice. Dr. Rober in command of the Annapolis states that permission was given to several of the men to go swimming while others were engaged in firing. Two of the men had been in for some time when McKie joined them and asked them if they had been able to touch bottom. Being answered in the negative, he made a dive and was gone for several seconds.

One of the seamen said he heard a gurgling sound beneath the water. A moment later McKie appeared on the surface and shouted "shark, shark." The surface of the water was covered with blood near where he came up. McKie started to swim and although crippled, reached the boat and was pulled in by his companions.

A horrible sight met their eyes, the quartermaster's leg having been bitten off near the knee. With all dispatch he was taken aboard the Annapolis where the surgeon found it necessary to amputate the limb between the knee and hip.

Admiral Kempff hopes that the quartermaster had received permission from the officer in charge to go in bathing, but the accident occurred in the line of duty. Under the circumstances the crippled quartermaster probably will receive a pension.

DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL

Coroner's Jury Finds Verdict to that Effect in the Tilbury Fatality.

The Deceased was Evidently Overcome by sleep While on the Railroad Track.

The inquest into the cause of the death of John Cameron McLean, who was killed on the C. P. R. track at Tilbury last Sunday morning, was held in Jahnke's morgue last evening. Coroner Bray presiding.

The inquest was held to clear up any mystery which surrounded his death. It was thought that at the time of death he had considerable money and a silver watch on his person, and these articles were not found on the body. This, however, was found to be incorrect. Constable McGregor went to Tilbury to investigate the matter, and learned that Mr. McLean did not have the watch in his possession when he left for Tilbury Saturday evening, it being found at his home by his son the next morning. The money was taken from him and returned to the family by one of the nurses at the hospital.

From the evidence given by the witnesses last evening there is no reason to doubt the theory that he had fallen asleep on the track with his legs stretched across the rails. He had been nursing a sick child all through Friday night, and on Saturday he was pulling flax until six o'clock in the evening. Saturday night he went to town for the purpose of doing a little business and getting a shave. Returning home he met a friend and walked down with him as far as the C. P. R. track. Here the friend went back and McLean started down the track, going home. When he had gone but a short distance down the track he was probably tired after his heavy day's work and, sitting down on the track to light his pipe, had fallen asleep. His pipe, fresh filled with tobacco, and a number of burnt matches were found near where the accident occurred. It was clearly shown that he was not under the influence of liquor at the time.

Edward McLean, the son of deceased, John O'Neill, Edward Demace, R. C. Telfer, the night operator on the C. P. R. at Tilbury, Dr. Ferguson, Dr. Rutherford, Roy Struthers and John Wellington were the witnesses sworn. McLean, O'Neill, Demace, Telfer and Struthers gave evidence alike as to seeing the deceased on Saturday night and of the finding of the body on the track. Struthers, it appears, found him first. He asked deceased how the accident happened, who replied that he did not know. He also said that he knew he was going to die and told Struthers to tell his wife to meet him in Heaven and not to worry.

The doctors gave evidence as to the severity of the accident and gave as the cause of death shock and hemorrhage, mostly the former.

After the hearing of the evidence there was no doubt in the minds of the jury that death was accidental, and they brought in a verdict to that effect.

J. Wilson, the C. P. R. claims agent, was present and took notes on the evidence. The C. P. R. railway was exonerated from any blame in the matter, as deceased was not in the employ of the railway at the time and should not have been on the track.

BRIDE FLED

Illinois Girl Scared by the Responsibility of Matrimony.

Elgin, Ill., Aug. 8.—Appalled by anticipation of a responsibility, Miss Minnie Brady, a handsome girl only 20 years old, ran away from home, leaving word to her affianced, John H. Simpson, that the engagement was broken. Preparations had already been made for one of the most elaborate weddings of the season, and it had been announced to take place Aug. 14. Parents opposed the match on account of the couple's youth, but had given a reluctant consent.

Take Advantage

—OF OUR—

August Sale

To shoe up the family. There's no investment you can make more money on.

There's no Better Goods Anywhere In Town Than Ours

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On all lines in stock. As many new fall lines have arrived, it is greatly to your good to buy now.

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