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BUTTERICK PATTERNS | THOMAS STONE & SON | FASHION SHEETS FREE

## Right Quality — Right Prices

That's the story in a few words, and we would add, the finest stock to choose from. The fame of our Furs has stood the list of time; and no matter what bargain arguments others bring forth, the fact remains, that here at this store the true measure of value is guided by quality and quality alone.

## Extraordinary Fur Selling

Fur Collars, Capelines, Muffs and Gauntlets

Regular \$50.00 quality for.....	\$33.33	Regular \$ 8.00 quality for.....	\$ 5.33
Regular 25.00 quality for.....	18.75	Regular 5.00 quality for.....	3.33
Regular 12.00 quality for.....	9.00	Regular 3.50 quality for.....	2.33

A RARE CHANCE, THESE FURS ARE THE VERY BEST.

## Ladies' Jackets---Last Call

These prices will clear them out, better come early and have first choice at  
**\$1.42 \$1.98 \$3.15 \$4.60 and \$5.60**  
 Worth \$3.50, \$5.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$11.00.

THOMAS STONE & SON Direct Importers,  
 78 and 80 King St.

## The Greatest Reduction Sale Yet

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| Men's New Method Overcoats that were \$7.50, marked down to.....         | \$5.50  |
| Men's New Method Overcoats that were \$10.00, marked down to.....        | \$7.50  |
| Men's New Method Overcoats that were \$12.50, marked down to.....        | \$9.75  |
| Men's New Method Overcoats that were \$15.00, marked down to.....        | \$11.00 |
| Men's New Method Ulsters, black and blue, price \$7.50, marked down to.. | \$5.50  |

Every Coat This Season's Buying

SOLE LOCAL AGENTS FOR  
**The 2 T's "The Slater Shoe"**

## "THE ARK" window is full of Enameled Tea Pots And Coffee Pots at 29c Each

These goods are first-class and are sold regularly at 50c and 60c each, all made by McClary's, of London. The sizes are large and leave no room for complaints as being not good value. The Sale will continue for this week only.

Remember the price, the place and the time.

H. Macaulay, "The Ark"

Advertise Now and Reap a Harvest!

### A PERTINENT CRITICISM

Editor Planet:  
 Sir,—When the old Banner tacked on the News, and got a new lease of life, we expected, at least for a time that it would sweep clean. I am very sorry to see that it is drifting already. We are as a people, or should be, in mourning, for our beloved Queen. What does it all amount to if one paper or the other get a start with the messages? Have we to have an all week's jangle between the papers to find out who slept and who whined on this solemn occasion.  
 Has Journalism got down to such a low ebb to be compared to a White-chapel waster, a mixture only known to the Banner-News, an unknown quantity for the survival of the fittest. As citizens we appreciate any public enterprise for our welfare.  
 It reminds me of an anecdote of Rowland Hill. A very confident young man undertook to preach a sermon in Rowland's Hill's chapel, but when he had delivered his text, which was as follows: "He that ascended is the same also as he that descended." (Ephes. chap iv, vs. 10) his self-possession entirely forsook him, and after repeating his text three times in the hope of recovering himself, he covered his face with his hands and actually ran down the pulpit stairs.  
 At the foot of the stairs he was met by Mr. Hill, who thus addressed him, "Young man, if you had ascended the pulpit in the spirit in which you have descended you would have descended in the spirit in which you ascended."  
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TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.  
 Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

Minard's Liniment Cures Gargot in Cows.

## CHATHAM WILL PETITION FOR MUNICIPAL REFORMS.

Maple City Minister of Finance in an Interview With The Planet  
 Outlines the Proposed Legislative Amendments Asked for.

"The Finance Committee have under consideration the preparation of a petition to the legislature asking that the Municipal Act be amended," said Ald. Scam. To The Planet yesterday. "The matter was referred to the committee at the first meeting of the council, and we are carefully examining the changes in the Act required before we report."  
 "In the first place we will ask that half the aldermen be retired annually just as half the school trustees now are. The reason for this is so that some aldermen who have a general working knowledge of the city's business, may be left in the council and thus the election of an entirely new council, as sometimes happens, will be avoided. It takes a man nearly a year to get a good working idea of how civic affairs are conducted.  
 "Another reform that we intend to ask for is that school trustees shall be elected from the whole city instead of from wards. You know Chatham was the first place in Ontario to have wards abolished as far as the election of aldermen is concerned, and this city is naturally the first to discover the improvements required in the Act. The Municipal Act has to be amended, and it might as well be done right, and it might as well be done right."  
 "At the last election there was a majority over the names of the majority and aldermanic candidates all being printed on one ballot and yet property owners could vote only once for aldermen as they had property in different sub-divisions. We intend to ask the legislature to remedy this by adopting the one man one vote system or else having the names of the aldermanic candidates and of the aldermanic aspirants printed on separate papers. The finance committee hasn't yet decided which they will accept, but either reform will be acceptable."  
 "In regard to the ten aldermen instead of nine proposal, it is hardly possible the committee will take any action. The charge would require a warrant this. Nine aldermen do not seem very well. The other proposed amendments would be all covered by a general amendment to the Municipal Act."

## THE DAY SET APART FOR DEEP MOURNING.

Next Saturday so Ordered by King Edward Throughout Our Empire—Squadron of British Warships Will Contribute to the Funeral Display.

London, Jan. 28.—Practically all business will be suspended Saturday. The stores will not open except in the poorer quarters. The route of the funeral procession will be draped with black throughout. The gun carriage bearing the coffin, will be drawn by six cream-colored Flemish horses used by the late Queen, and the same harness will be used, covered with erape. The outermost casket will be sent to Osborne to-night. The silver and the brass inscription plates bear in old English letters the names and titles of her late Majesty.  
 A DAY OF GENERAL MOURNING.  
 It was officially announced late this evening that King Edward has ordered Saturday to be observed as a day of general mourning. All the banks will be closed and business suspended.  
 London, Jan. 29.—King Edward and the Duke of Cambridge arrived in London at 3 o'clock this afternoon. A large crowd welcomed the King at Victoria station. His Majesty finally approved of the funeral arrangements during the course of the afternoon.  
 VOCIFEROUSLY CHEERED.  
 For the first time since his accession, the King's train to-day was preceded by a pilot engine. His Majesty was vociferously cheered on his way to Marlborough House. The Privy Council has ordered the Archbishop of Canterbury to prepare a special form of service in commemoration of the Queen to be used Saturday in all churches in the Kingdom. The Duke and Duchess of Aosta (the former is latter a daughter of the late Count of Paris) will arrive here Jan. 31. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain was among the King's visitors this afternoon.  
 THE KING'S LATE RESIDENCES.  
 There is a great deal of surmise as to what disposal will be made of the King's late residences. Both the King and Queen Alexandra are devoted to Sandringham, so His Majesty will probably retain that place, but it is thought Marlborough House will be given up. In the event of the Duke and Duchess of York not desiring to reside there, it is considered likely that William K. Vanderbilt will purchase the place for the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, which has long been desired by the Duchess.  
 SPAIN TO PARTICIPATE.  
 Madrid, Jan. 29.—The Queen Regent has ordered the Spanish cruiser Empress Carlos V. to proceed to Spithead to-morrow, to participate in the naval display.  
 TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL.  
 Stockholm, Jan. 29.—The Crown

Prince of Sweden and Norway has started for London to attend the funeral of Queen Victoria.  
 THE U. S. WILL BE REPRESENTED.

Washington, Jan. 29.—It has been decided that Mr. Choate should have new credentials. His old credentials accredited him to the Queen. He will now be accredited as United States Ambassador to the King, his present commission being signed by the Queen. It has been decided that the funeral services in England, Bishop Satterlee, Rev. Mackay Smith, rector of St. John's, and Rev. Dr. McKinnon, rector of Epiphany church, will participate. Lord and Lady Pauncefote are attendants at St. John's Church. Secretary H. J. charged Ambassador Choate to represent the Government of the United States and the President at the services at Windsor. For lack of time a special embassy will not be sent from the United States on this occasion.

VATICAN WON'T BE REPRESENTED.

Rome, Jan. 29.—In accordance with its traditional custom, the Vatican will not send a delegate to the funeral of Queen Victoria, but it will be represented at the coronation of King Edward.

THE NAVAL DISPLAY.

Of all the ceremonies no doubt the naval will be the finest pageant. The Alberta, with the body, will slowly steam along a line of battleships extending eight miles. Facing these are the smaller vessels and numerous foreign battleships. Whatever the weather may be the spectacle of the remains of Victoria traversing a lane of warships, the grand of all, will be unique.

THE INSCRIPTION.

The following is the inscription on the coffin of Queen Victoria:—"Deponitur. Serenissima Potentissima. Et Excellentissima. Principis Victoriae Dei Gratia Britanniarum Reginae Fidei Defensoris. Et Indis Imperatricis Obiit XXII. Die Januarii, Anno Domini MDCCCXI. Aetatis Suae . . . LXXXII. Regnique Sui . . . LXIV."

## AT THE THEATRE.

Murray & Mack, whose company comes to the Grand to-night in "Finnegans Hall," have for years been known to the American public as two of the most successful managers in the business.  
 The farce-comedy which will be presented here to-night is one of the best known in the United States, where it has been on the road for eight consecutive seasons, and this season has been playing week stands in the popular priced theatres of the Middle States almost exclusively.  
 This is the first season that the "Bill" has been offered anywhere in Canada outside of Montreal, Toronto and Ottawa, and even this year the only Canadian dates it will play are Chatham, London, Hamilton, Ottawa and Montreal.  
 Mr. Cairns says that those of his patrons who like a rousing farce-comedy full of bright specialties, will find exactly what they are looking for at the Grand to-night.  
 E. W. Grove  
 This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures . . . add to one day

The Northway Co., Limited | The Busy Cash Store | The Northway Co., Limited

## Some Genuine..... .....Fur Bargains

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| 1 only, Alaska Sable Capeline, superior quality, stylish shape, trimmed with 8 large sable tails, reg. \$30.00, sale price..... \$22.90             | reg. \$10, sale price..... \$8.75  | Your choice of our best \$25 Astrachan Jackets, sale price..... \$21.50  |
| 1 only, Sable and Seal Capeline, handsome style, trimmed with 10 large tails, head and claws, extra value at \$25, sale price..... \$19.75          | Sable Ruffs, straight, with head, tail and claws, full shape, reg. \$3 to \$5, sale price \$2.40, \$2.65 and..... \$3.75 | All our \$30 Astrachan Jackets, rich curls, sale price..... \$25.00  |
| 1 only, Capeline, fine quality electric seal, with deep edge of rich thibet, extra large size, rich silk lining, reg. \$20, sale price..... \$14.90 | 1 pr. Nutria Beaver Gauntlets, rich quality, Mocha palms, fur lined, reg. \$8, sale price..... \$4.65                    | Our \$35 Bokharan Jackets, gauran red, in every way, sale price..... \$29.90   |
| Alaska Sable Ruffs, rich full quality, shaped, with head and 6 tails, reg. \$12, sale price..... \$8.90   | 1 pr. Gray Lamb Gauntlets, full curl Mocha palms, wool lined, reg. \$6, sale price..... \$4.98                           | Ladies' Jackets, in beaver, frieze, curls and kersey, reg. \$3 to \$12, clearing at 98c, \$1.48, \$2.75, \$3.89, \$4.95 and..... \$5.90        |
|   | 1 pr. only, Black Astrachan Gauntlets, rich bright curl, kid palms, wool lined, reg. \$5, sale price..... \$3.98         | Ladies' Felt Hats, trimmed sailors, ready-to-wear felts, walking hats, latest American shapes and shades, reg. \$1 to \$2, sale price..... 25c |

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| 2 pos. Heavy Ticking, extra firm close weave, in blue and white herring-bone twills, reg. 25c quality, sale price..... 18c | 25 pos. Indigo Ducks, fine heavy firm cloth, splendid range of patterns for children's wear, fast dyes, special per yd..... 12c   | border, slightly imperfect, reg. 28c per yd., sale price..... 19c   |
| 2 pos. Glass Toweling, full yard wide, fine firm cloth, in blue and red checks, reg. 15c yd., sale price..... 9c           | 3 pos. English Orling Flannel, fine firm finish, wide width, full weight, in pretty checks, reg. 15c per yd., sale price..... 10c | Flannellette Blankets, extra large size, fine soft heavy finish, heavy weight, grey or white, with fancy borders, reg. price \$1.25, sale price 95c |
| Heavy Twill Sheetting, full 2 yds. wide, heavy firm quality, clean finish, reg. 20c yd., sale price..... 15c               | 1 pc. Heavy Union Table Linen, half bleached finish, 38 in. wide, choice pattern, with fancy turkey red                           | 4 pos. Elder Cloaking, best quality, in plain colors and fancy stripes, choice colorings, reg. 40c per yd., sale price..... 29c                     |

Men's Underwear Department  
 4 doz Men's Fine Scotch Knit Shirts and Drawers odds of various lines, sold regular at 65c, 75c and 90c each, sale price..... 48c

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 CASH ONLY and ONE PRICE