

CENTRAL W. C. T. U.

Annual Meeting at Home of Mrs. Jos. Charlton.

The annual meeting of the Central W. C. T. U. was held at the residence of Mrs. Joseph Charlton, 442 Bay street north, yesterday afternoon. As the members stepped upon the front veranda they were met by sweet little Margaret White, who handed each one a boutonniere of lilies of the valley. The house was filled with the fragrance of lilies of the valley and lilacs, and large jars of purple iris gave a rich tone of coloring. Mrs. T. H. Pratt, president, was in the chair.

The secretary, Mrs. J. Watson Stead, read an excellent report of the year's work, showing what an amount of good had been done. The members knew what the various committees were doing, but they realized how much had been accomplished until Mrs. Stead summed it all up in such a clear, forcible manner.

Mrs. Arthur Boyle, treasurer, reported receipts for the year \$381.49, disbursements \$379.49; receipts for the day nursery \$1,072.53, balance on hand \$408.95, to be banked as the nucleus for a building fund.

Mrs. Campbell reported for the Jail Committee and mothers' meetings. Mrs. Richard Butler reported for the day nursery. During the year 70 garments have been made for children, 1,326 children cared for, 1,153 beds provided, 3,320 meals served.

Mrs. William Jarvis reported for the hospital work. She is given a monthly allowance of money to provide fruit and other treats for special patients who need friendly care, and adds to the amount by many donations of her own.

Mrs. Hardy congratulated the union upon the great progress made. They were doing a grand home mission work.

Mrs. Pratt stated that 2,800 pages of literature, 500 bulletins, 1,428 leaflets for Sabbath schools, 100 centenary studies and 50 copies of the Alliance had been distributed.

The officers elected were: President—Mrs. T. H. Pratt.

First Vice-President—Mrs. Richard Butler.

Second Vice-President—Mrs. William Lee, son.

Third Vice-President, Mrs. S. F. LaFleur.

Fourth Vice-President—Mrs. Campbell.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. J. W. Stead.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Moss.

Treasurer—Mrs. Arthur Boyle.

Literary and Press Correspondent—Miss Nisbet.

Auditor—Mrs. Richard Butler.

Delegates to Central Temperance Executive—Mrs. Geo. H. Lees, Mrs. Boyle, Mrs. Campbell.

Conveners of Committees—Petition and legislation, Mrs. Stead; scientific temperance, Mrs. H. Lees; purity and mothers' meetings, Mrs. Campbell; evangelistic, Mrs. Cunniff; temperance in Sabbath schools, Mrs. McGregor; lumbertown's mission, Mrs. Pratt; literature, Mrs. Boyle; Sabbath observance, Miss Lazarus; flower mission, Mrs. Lees; hospital, Mrs. Jarvis; parlor meetings, Mrs. Thurston; jail, Mrs. Campbell; day nursery, Mrs. Boyle; sewing circle, Mrs. Chrysler.

Mrs. Blatherwick, Miss Brethour and Mr. Symmers sang solos, which were greatly enjoyed.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Charlton, assisted by Mrs. Spence and Miss Brethour. The ladies enjoyed the afternoon as Mrs. Charlton has a charming garden full of iris, peonies and other bright flowers, and from the front there is a beautiful view of the bay and the opposite shore. Mrs. Charlton spared no time or trouble in preparing for the pleasure of her guests. Among those present were Mrs. E. J. White, Mrs. Alex. Wilson, Mrs. Chrysler, Mrs. Usher, Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Elder, Miss Hill, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Thurston and Mrs. (Anon.) Southernland, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Cunniff, Mrs. Wm. Lees, Mrs. Geo. H. Lees, Miss Nisbet, Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Byrnes, Mrs. Overholt, Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Hill, Miss Lazarus, Mrs. Harris, Miss Mills.

HACKETT'S SHOW

Will be Held in the Grand on the 12th.

The closing entertainment of J. Hackett's musical and dramatic school will be held in the Grand Opera House on Friday evening, June 12, and will be composed of musical numbers and scenes representing all nations, and judging from the way the pupils are attending and the interest the young people are taking in the work, the entertainment will be the best that Mr. Hackett has ever directed. The last show that Mr. Hackett put on at the Grand, the rush for seats was so great that the entire house was sold out the first day the plan opened, and as a greater number of tickets were disposed than the theatre would accommodate with seats, it has been decided to limit the number and no more will be sold than the seating capacity, so persons who are anxious to see the entertainment this time had better secure their seats now, as they are in the hands of the pupils for sale and also can be had from Mr. Hackett, 29 Barton street east, Tel. 1848.

Stanley Mills & Co., Limited—1,000 Packages of "Force"

Free To-morrow.

Stanley Mills & Co. have again arranged with the Force Food Co. to distribute, free of charge, 1,000 large sample packages of Force Breakfast Food to customers at the grocery section. Only one package will be given to each customer.

Force is essentially a delightful, nutritious summer breakfast food, easy to serve and delicious with cream or fruit. Any who have never tried it should secure one of these sample packages to-morrow, and those who use it daily will be glad of the opportunity to secure a package absolutely free.

In addition to this special inducement for buyers on Thursday, Stanley Mills & Co. will hold what in all probability will be the last pineapple sale of the season. Fifty cases of pineapples, just right size and grade for preserving and worth regularly 15c. each, will be offered at \$1.30 dozen. Make your purchases early.

FOUR SUFFOCATED.

Chicago, June 3.—Mrs. Mary Doerman and her three children were found dead early to-day at their home, 69 Tellouret street, having been asphyxiated by gas escaping from a stove.

FOR ENGLISHMEN.

The Kind of Immigrants Canada Needs at Present.

The illustrated London weekly, Canada, in the first of a series of articles on "Canada for Englishmen," says: "It is true—and it cannot be too widely known—that the demand for skilled mechanics, except in certain lines, is strictly limited in the more settled parts. For clerks, stenographers, bookkeepers, and some professional occupations, there is practically no demand. The market is overstocked. It would be wise for such to have definite offers of employment before leaving. In the Western provinces, on the other hand, there is an almost boundless extent of most fertile land waiting to be settled, into which the Americans—i. e., the inhabitants of the United States, generally dubbed 'Yankees,' as opposed to 'Britishers'—are pouring all the time. These, however, are principally, if not entirely, of the farming class. Here there are homes for all. Immigrants can always find work on the land for a year or two, learn the habits and methods of the country, and finally take up a lot of their own and become prosperous landowners; which is the most sensible course for all prospective farmers to pursue. Those who had the advantage of training at a Canadian agricultural college. For the man with means there are rich ranches of both kinds to be purchased for a few dollars an acre. The almost numberless towns, being born or rapidly growing up, require artisans, artists, merchants, professional men, etc. Here for generations to come there will be occupation for all, wealth for the successful. This is the noble heritage of the Empire."

OBITUARY.

Death of Mr. Owen West and Mrs. Pascoe.

Owen W. West passed away at the City Hospital, early this morning, aged 56 years. Deceased was well known in Hamilton, having filled the position of nightwatchman for several years, first at the Grand Opera House, Bank of Hamilton, and latterly at Bennett's Hotel. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and was survived by two sisters, Mrs. F. C. Stanley, Lodge, Foresters, Woodstock, and Mrs. J. H. Barclay, a very quiet one. The ceremony took place at eleven o'clock at St. John's Church, Norway, which the bridegroom has attended for some years, and the bridal party drove down from Parkdale. The pastor, the Rev. Baynes Reid, officiated, and Mr. Barclay gave his daughter away. The bride's sister, Miss Florence Barclay, was bridesmaid, and her brother, Mr. Frank Lloyd Barclay, the groomsmen. The bride wore her traveling suit of tan leghorn and shaded corn flowers, with a touch of sapphire blue velvet on the crown. She carried white carnations, while the bride's bouquet was a shower of white roses and lilies of the valley. There was no reception. Mr. and Mrs. Mathews were her traveling party. The bride wore her traveling suit of tan leghorn and shaded corn flowers, with a touch of sapphire blue velvet on the crown. She carried white carnations, while the bride's bouquet was a shower of white roses and lilies of the valley. There was no reception. Mr. and Mrs. Mathews were her traveling party.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Davis took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, Stoney Creek, to Stoney Creek Cemetery, and was very largely attended. Rev. Dr. Clark officiated at the house and grave. The pallbearers were three sons, John Arthur, Joseph H., and Robert R., three sons-in-law, James A. Grainger, H. J. Martineau, and Robert A. Ingles. The floral offerings were: Pillow, family, Mr. Piott and employees at the basket works, Misses M. and Mrs. Dunham, Dr. Thompson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lottridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bates, Dr. and Mrs. Jones, Mount Hope, Mrs. Jones and daughter Emma, and Mrs. H. Smith.

Following is a list of the floral offerings: Funeral of Fred J. Hurley, who was buried yesterday: Pillow, family; wreaths, wife, Mrs. Fee and family, employees of Brown, Boggs & Co.; pillow, Charles Cox, Toronto; sprays, Miss Eva Coveny, Miss Buchanan, J. Hannah, Rev. J. Staunton, Misses McDermott, Miss Burke, Mrs. E. K. Landers, Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Soper, J. Michael & Co.; cross, Mr. and Mrs. McDermott; spiritual bouquets, Misses Minnie and Gussie Mooney, Mrs. Edgar Dean, Miss Katie Lane, W. H. Mullens, Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt.

The funeral of George Patterson took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock, from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Oliver Beatty, 501 James street north, to St. Lawrence Church, where requiem mass was chanted by Rev. Father Brady, who also officiated at the grave in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. The pallbearers were Oliver Beatty, J. R. Walton, John Patterson, Arthur Walton, William Dunn and J. Dowling. The floral tributes were: Pillow, family; cross, Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn; harp, Sophie Hanley and George Patterson; present, Myrtle, Mrs. Evelyn Dunn, sheaves of wheat, Mrs. Ainsborough, Mr. Jobborn; sprays, nieces and nephews, Mr. and Mrs. Hanley, Mr. and Mrs. Soden, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson; spiritual bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. A. Walton, and Irene Dunn.

The remains of William Balmer were laid to rest this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the funeral taking place from the residence of his brother-in-law, Thos. Lees, 231 Main street west. Rev. Dr. Lytle, assisted by Rev. S. B. Russell, conducted the services at the house and grave. The pallbearers were George, Stephen, Thomas and William Lees, William White and W. McLaughlin.

Mrs. Marion Mabel Chapman, wife of Walter P. Chapman, resident engineer, Canadian Northern Railway, Toronto, passed away this morning at Burlington after a very short illness. Deceased was the second daughter of Hugh C. Baker, of this city. The funeral, which will be private, will take place to-morrow at Burlington.

ZAM-BUK ALWAYS ATTRACTS.

The splendid window display of Zam-Buk made by Mr. J. W. Gerrie, the drugist, at his store, 32 James street north, during the last week, has attracted the attention of hundreds of passers by. The exhibit was well arranged and quite a number of boxes of this excellent remedy for cuts, bruises, burns, skin diseases and eczema were given a trial. The curative qualities of this wonderful remedy have made it a household necessity. Have you tried it? See the pretty boxes still in the north window.

SENATORIAL RACE.

Des Moines, Ia., June 3.—Returns early this morning from over 800 precincts show that Senator Allison has a lead over Governor Cummins in the contest for the Republican Senatorial nomination. The poll returns indicate that the result will be close.

JUNE WEDDINGS.

Pretty House Event at Home of Mrs. Cunningham.

A very dainty house wedding took place this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. A. Cunningham, when Miss Cassie Victoria, eldest daughter of Mrs. Cunningham, was united in marriage to Mr. Francis Martin, of the firm of Baby & Eccleston. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother, 150 Jackson street west, and was attended by about 30 guests. The bride entered the drawing room on the arm of her brother, C. J. Cunningham, to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March played by Mrs. Vera Wilson Cunningham. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. C. Sycamore, and immediately following it a solo was sung by Miss Cassie Cunningham, "O Perfect Love," by Burleigh.

The drawing room was tastefully decorated with flowers and the bridal party stood under a large floral bell of pink and green. The color scheme was carried throughout the whole room. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Cassie Cunningham, and the groom by his brother, Mr. Silas Martin. Master Gordon Cunningham, a nephew of the bride, was the ring boy.

The bride wore a rich gown of white lace over white silk trimmed with Duchesse satin, and carried a bridal bouquet. The bridesmaid was tastefully gowned in a princess costume of blue silk, trimmed with point d'esprit, and tan velvet.

The groom's gift to the bride was a diamond pendant, to the bridesmaid a gold locket, engraved, and to the groomsmen a pair of cuff links.

A dainty wedding breakfast was served in the dining room, where the usual toasts to the bride and groom were responded to.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin leave on the evening train for points east. On their return they will reside at 31 Markland. They will give the best wishes of their many friends.

MATHEWS-BARCLAY.

Owing to illness in the bride's family the marriage of Mr. Joseph Barclay Mathews, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mathews, formerly of this city, and Edith, second daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barclay, was a very quiet one. The ceremony took place at eleven o'clock at St. John's Church, Norway, which the bridegroom has attended for some years, and the bridal party drove down from Parkdale. The pastor, the Rev. Baynes Reid, officiated, and Mr. Barclay gave his daughter away. The bride's sister, Miss Florence Barclay, was bridesmaid, and her brother, Mr. Frank Lloyd Barclay, the groomsmen. The bride wore her traveling suit of tan leghorn and shaded corn flowers, with a touch of sapphire blue velvet on the crown. She carried white carnations, while the bride's bouquet was a shower of white roses and lilies of the valley. There was no reception. Mr. and Mrs. Mathews were her traveling party.

The Ross Government had been operating the woodenware department on the "public account" system; that is, by the Government, and was disposing of the product in a manner to satisfy both capital and labor outside the prison. This system was changed by Mr. Hanna, who made a contract with Ellen Charlotte Taylor, trading under the name of Taylor, Scott & Company, by which she was given the use of the prison premises, railway facilities, steam plant, existing machinery, etc., and was to pay the Government the following prices:

M'DERMOTT-MARKS.

A very pleasant event took place this afternoon at the residence of Rev. Rev. Ketchen, when Mr. John McDermott was united in marriage to Miss M. Marks, of Stratford. The bride's gown was a blue travelling suit, and white picture hat, and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. She was assisted by the groom's sister, Mrs. W. March, who carried pink carnations. Mr. W. McDonald assisted the groom.

After a short sojourn at the home of the groom, 86 Park street north, the happy couple will leave for a trip west, with the best wishes of their many friends.

RAPLEY-HULME.

Belleville, Ont., June 3. (Special).—A very fashionable wedding occurred here at 11 o'clock this morning in St. Thomas' Church, when Sydney Canon Rapley, accountant of the Merchants Bank, Hamilton, was united in marriage with Eileen E. Hulme, only daughter of the late Col. R. C. Hulme. Rev. Mr. Modill, of Toronto, performed the ceremony. The bride was given away by her brother, Stanley, of the Bank of Montreal, Montreal. Miss Rapley, the mother of the groom, was dressed in a beautiful lace gown. The presents were most numerous, the Rapley family sending a cabinet of sterling silver. Mr. Magee, manager of the bank at Hamilton, sent a beautiful reading lamp, while the staff sent numerous presents. The bridal party left on the noon train for their future home in Hamilton.

GRAHAM-MALLOCH.

A very pretty wedding took place at Ottawa yesterday, when Miss Margaret Malloch, youngest daughter of the late R. C. Malloch, was married to Mr. Charles Kenneth Graham, youngest son of Dr. Graham, of Hull, at the residence of Mrs. E. Elery Lord, of Hull, aunt of the bride. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Herridge. The bridesmaid, Miss Daisy Chrysler, wore a pretty gown of green hat, and carried a bouquet of green and white. The groom was Mr. Harry Christie, and the ushers were Mr. Montague Bate, Mr. Herbert Chambers, Mr. Ormrod Haycock and Mr. Lyman Ray. After the ceremony a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Graham have left for Montreal and Quebec, en route for the Lower St. Lawrence.

KILLED TWO.

Fight Between Gendarmes and a Mob of Workmen.

Vigneux, June 3.—Twelve gendarmes while attempting to arrest a striker here were surrounded by 200 workmen.

Believing that they were in danger of their lives, the gendarmes used their weapons. Reinforcements to both parties soon reached the scene, and in the fight with revolvers which ensued two of the workmen were killed and six wounded. Four gendarmes were wounded.

Stock Broker Arrested.

Montreal, June 2.—A. W. Boschen, stock broker, has been arrested this morning he appeared before the Sheriff on a capias issued at the instance of the Société de Commerce, who claim the sum of \$25,000 damages for summary dismissal as his correspondents. The debtor holds, on the other hand, that the dealings between him and Société de Commerce, to the extent of about \$30,000, have all been closed, and that, anyway, he can establish a counter claim. Boschen was bailed.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

The only baking powder made with Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

No Alum, No Lime Phosphate

THE CENTRAL PRISON LABOR

Something For Hamilton Workingmen to Read and Ponder Over.

(Brookville Recorder).

The Central Prison contracts made by the Whitney Government are the subject of a considerable amount of discussion at the present time.

Let it be borne in mind, to begin with that these contracts were made without tender, that no action of the kind was obligatory on the part of the Government, which was departing from the policy announced by the late Government, and that their duration is for five years. One contract, that for woodenware, expires on the first of September, 1910, and the other contract, that for binder twine, on the first of November, in the same year. Consequently they have both considerably more than two years yet to run, and this amount of time must expire before they can be done away with, and a different system put into operation.

The Ross Government had been operating the woodenware department on the "public account" system; that is, by the Government, and was disposing of the product in a manner to satisfy both capital and labor outside the prison. This system was changed by Mr. Hanna, who made a contract with Ellen Charlotte Taylor, trading under the name of Taylor, Scott & Company, by which she was given the use of the prison premises, railway facilities, steam plant, existing machinery, etc., and was to pay the Government the following prices:

1. For the making of zinc, glass, and enamel washboards, eight cents per dozen.
2. Wood washboards, known as the 17-inch dovetail, made all wood, six cents per dozen.
3. Double washboards, i. e. with rubbing surface on both sides, eleven cents per dozen.
4. Step-ladders at the rate of half a cent per foot.
5. Broom handles, any length up to 50 inches, at one dollar per thousand.
6. Flooring, 30 cents per thousand feet lumber measure.
7. Window screens, small, four cents per dozen.
8. Window screens, medium, five cents per dozen.
9. Window screens, large, six cents per dozen.
10. Butter moulds, one inch square, eleven cents per dozen.
11. Clothes pins, ever ready, 7½ cents per gross box.
12. Clothes pins, best, five cents per gross box.
14. Toy and handy washboards, six cents per dozen.
15. Self-wringing mops, ten cents per dozen.
16. Diamond nops, one cent per dozen.
17. Ash sifters, six cents per dozen.
18. Broom racks, 75 cents per dozen.
19. Egg carriers, one dozen size, 20 cents per dozen.
20. Egg carriers, ten dozen size, 30 cents per dozen.
21. Brush blocks, 35 cents per thousand.

SOME THINGS FORGOTTEN.

(Brantford Expositor.)

While much is heard of what the Whitney Government has accomplished, there is failure to mention many things promised which have not been carried out. The broken pledges would include the abolition of the offices of Minister of Public Works, and Superintendent of Forestry, the labelling of prison-made goods, and the following:

1. The use in the public schools, and the churches if need be, of the public accounts, in order that the masses may be informed on financial affairs. The public accounts is just now the last document the Government could wish the people to peruse.
2. The imposition of an equitable tax upon the railway, telephone, and telegraph companies. The Pettypiece bill was approved in principle, if not in detail, but the Government has decided to continue the policy of the old Government.
3. A bonus or bounty to the farmers engaged in the cultivation of sugar beets. The proposal was made in the House by the Conservative party in 1891, but it has not yet been acted upon.
4. The adaptation of a two-cent passenger fare on railways which may be subsidized by the province. If the Government favors such a policy, it has had a splendid chance to apply it on the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railway, but it has failed to do so.
5. A series of agricultural schools in the province. "The Conservative party," said Mr. Whitney at a great meeting in Toronto, "will never rest satisfied till there is more than one and more than four or five agricultural schools in Ontario." Since office was assumed this pledge has been conveniently forgotten.
6. A change in the law by which clergymen moving from one appointment to another after the voters' list has been revised may not be disfranchised. "I say," Mr. Whitney asserted on one occasion, "that this matter can be remedied." He? By the change of government. And since this has taken place the subject has been dropped.
7. The public schools, where 95 per cent. of the children get their education, were to be remodelled and very much improved. Along these lines how much has been done?
8. The succession duties were excessive and should be cut down by at least one-half. This promise has gone with the others, and the "robbery of the dead" and "confiscation" continue.
9. There was to be a measure of law reform in the interest of the poor man. Has it become sidetracked?
10. The liquor license laws were to be taken out of politics. Have they been? Let the investigation in the city of Toronto be the conclusive answer.
11. The doing away of the taxes on corporations. So far from this being the case, the taxation has been increased.
12. The list might be largely added to, but sufficient has been shown to indicate the readiness with which some people can forget in office pledges made while in opposition.

Big Claim for Land.

Montreal, June 2.—In the Superior Court this morning Mr. Justice Charbonneau gave judgment in the case of the Poirier family, in which they claimed from the city of Montreal that portion of Mount Royal Park known as "Fletcher's Field." The action of the Poirier family was dismissed. The land at stake was valued at \$600,000.

STANLEY MILLS & CO., Limited

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3rd, 1908

Thursday Bargains

The Thursday bargains for this week will be of an unusually interesting nature. The season has been a backward one all over the country, and although this store's sales for the past month show an immense business, still we find ourselves overstocked in many lines, consequently these clearing prices for to-morrow—Thursday Bargain Day.

Sale of White Waists at \$1.49

12 dozen Dainty White Shirt Waists, in several attractive styles, including white lawn, black and white dotted muslin, black lawn, colored veerings, of muslin. Some are made with front panel of embroidery and finished with tucks back and front, others with lace or embroidery insertion, also plain tailored styles in neat patterns, open back and front, three-quarter or long sleeves, sizes 32 to 44, worth regularly up to \$2.00, choice on Thursday at only \$1.49

Sale of Women's Whitewear

Women's Drawers, of extra fine white cotton, well made in good, full sizes, with deep frill, finished with small tucks, with embroidery or lace insertion, open or closed styles, worth regularly \$1.00 pair, choice on Thursday at only 69c

Three attractive styles in White Petticoats, one made with a deep flounce, some with lace insertion with embroidery insertion and edging with wide hemstitched tucks. All have a deep deep flounce with plenty of fullness and of an excellent wearing quality of white cambric. Secure one to-morrow at the very special price of only 69c each

Sale of Summer Dress Fabrics

Pretty Silk and Wool Gloria, Crepe-line and Santoy in navy, brown, green, grey, pale blue, old rose, champagne and pink, serviceable, dressy fabrics for cool summer gowns, 42 inches wide, worth regularly 65 and 75c yard, on sale Thursday at only 50c yard

Fine weaves of Cream Lustre and Mohair, in good washing qualities for summer skirts and dresses, priced according to quality, at 25, 35, 50, 65, 75c and \$1.00 yard

Fine Cream Wool Panama Cloth, in crisp chiffon make and fine and coarse weaves for summer, separate skirts and shirt waists suits, in three qualities, at 50, 75 and 85c yard

Pure Wool Cream Serge, in both the wiry and the soft French Coating qualities, choice at 50, 75c and \$1.00

STANLEY MILLS & CO., Limited

MILLINERY FOR THE RACES

With the opening of the Jockey Club races Monday next it undoubtedly ushers in the season for the new gay, summery millinery. We have been specially liberal with a large display of hats suitable and stylish enough for the race meet. Ladies will find shapes and styles here that will bring their decision to a final choosing, styles that are not seen elsewhere, exclusiveness being their reigning feature. They bear the unmistakable air of freshness and the evidence of clever trimming effects in feathers, plumes, laces, flowers and Paris ornaments. It will be to your advantage to see these Hats for the races. Any style made to your order to match your costume, and becoming to your taste. Prices range from \$5.00 to \$30.00. Second floor.

Dress Parasols for the Race Meet

To put the finishing touch of style to a pretty gown and hat you will need a stylish dress parasol. Nowhere else will you find such large varieties for choice, all the latest style effects being shown. Plain colors with or without self stripe borders, black and white stripe effects, various fancies and the rich Dresden patterns, all in light or dark colors, with the newest of handles. Prices range at \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3 to \$4.50

Nottingham Lace Curtains

Clearing lines after a busy season in white Nottingham Lace Curtains, selling at these big prices, 3 and 3½ yards long, single borders in this season's new designs.

\$1.00 Lace Curtains	69c	\$1.75 Lace Curtains	\$1.19
\$1.25 Lace Curtains	89c	\$2.00 Lace Curtains	\$1.39
\$1.50 Lace Curtains	99c	\$2.25 Lace Curtains	\$1.59

Lingerie and Net Blouses—Latest Styles

Nowhere will you find such varieties in choice of style as these pretty blouses for the races. You will need a new one to wear under your coat suit, and why not choose it here. Fine white Lawns and Swiss Moulins Blouses in every new style conception for 1908, with narrow new trimming effects in fine embroideries and laces; prices range at \$1.00 to \$6.50

Fancy and Plain Net Blouses, in white, cream, ecru, coffee and black, made in many new and numerous styles to suit any woman's fastidious taste; prices range at \$3.50, \$4.50 to \$9

FINCH BROS. 29 AND 31 KING ST. WEST

HARRISBURG

Mr. John Leadham, of New Toronto, spent the holidays with friends here. Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, of Brantford, were in town on the 25th, attending the ball tournament and the supper in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Riddle, of Hamilton, have moved into the village.

Mr. J. Berry, of Hamilton, spent Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. E. J. Shaver, of Brantford, spent the holidays with friends here.

Mrs. F. Gage, of Bartonville, spent a few days this week the guest of her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Vrooman, of Brantford, were in the village on Thursday.

The death occurred on last Wednesday of an old and very highly respected resident of this community in the person of Mr. Daniel Manning, who passed peacefully away after a short illness at his late home. The deceased, who was widely known, having lived on the farm where he died all his life, was in his 68th year. He will be greatly missed by all. He bore a family have the sympathy of the whole community in the sad loss they have sustained. The funeral took place on Friday to the Baptist Cemetery, where a large concourse of friends and relatives had gathered to show their last respects to the departed. Rev. Mr. Hawkins conducted the funeral service at the house and grave.

Victoria Day was a red letter day for the village. Large crowds began to gather early in the afternoon for the football tournament and other games, which were a success. In the evening a social was held, and was largely attended.

The marriage of Mr. Carl Hunter and Miss Evelyn Hunter, daughter of Mr. Byron E. Walker, General Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and Mrs. Walker, 99 St. George street, was very quietly solemnized at St. Andrew's Church yesterday afternoon. The Rev. Crawford Brown, pastor, officiated.