

When the curtain of the Grand Opera House went up last evening there were disclosed to the audience twenty of Wales' sweetest singers, attired in varicolored skirts, red cloaks and the odd looking high, conical hats, which are the exclusive property of Welsh ladies as head ornaments. It was a very pretty sight and the audience showed its appreciation by loud applause. In the second part they appeared in regulation white costumes. The party was the Royal Welsh Ladies' Choir, under the direction of Madam Hughes-Thomas, and brought here by the Hamilton Welsh Soparture for Naples.

With numarinal mipulse and human passions. He comes into the play in the sitting room of the Oldrieve sisters, Emmy and Zora, the latter of when has medel him, takes a fancy to his eccentricities, and invited sim to call. He enters, carrying a model of a new invention. While paying the visit he learns of the love of Emmy for an other, and begins to feel in his own heart the first stirrings of the same passion for the young, wholesome creature who trusted too much.

The second act shows Septimus in Emmy's lover is delayed and sends a telegram. Then, while Septimus is looking over a patent medicine ad, the material for which has unconsciously supplied the vendors, he sees in the paper the announcement of their departure for Naples.

With unexpressible tenderness he

Royal Welsh Ladies' Choir, under the direction of Madam Hughes-Thomas, and brought here by the Hamilton Welsh So coiety. The Sons of Wales are not a numerous colony here, but they were there to a man. The general audience was not as large as the merits of the concert deserved, for one would have to travel far to hear anything to equal the little band of singers who charmed last evening's auditors.

The programme was blended sufficiently to please all tastes. Some of Wales' most striking partsongs mingled with choral numbers in English; while Irths, Scotch, burlesque Italian and American selectione were added for good measure. Besides these there were several mest medidous solos, and the whole nade a concert that will long be tement.

most melodious solos, and the whole made a concert that will long be remembered by those who were wise enough to attend it. The Welsh numbers included "Men of Harlech," "Yr Haf," "Y 'Deyrn Pur and "Clychau Aberdyfi," The selection in English were "Andalusian Beloro," "Sweetest May,' Miserere Seene from "Il Trovatore" and a medley of American airs. The singing of the various numbers was a delight. Wales is noted the world over as a land of wonselection in the control of the control aumbers was a delight. Wales is noted the world over as a land of won-drour chorus singing—her sopranos and contralts are brilliant, her tenors rich and her bassos powerf. contraltos are brilliant, her tenors rich and her bassos powerful—and the little choir that sang last evening was truly representative of the genuler half. The voices, in ensemble, were magnificent, the upper parts clear and ringing and the lower resonant and big in tone, with a balance and quality that made cach mamber a gem. Madam Hughes-Thomas has her singers under complete control, it is "all eyes on the conductor" from the lift of the baton to the last note, and they respond to the quiet, unobtrustive heat with promptitude and accuracy. From the deep fervor displayed in the somewhat weird national songs to the melodious nonsense of Genee's "Italian Salad," the ladies gave every evidence of high vocal attainment, Judging from standards set here in recent years, here was an absence of pianissimo, that produces such pleasing effects, and

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The soloists made a strong impression. Miss Ethel Jakeman's "The Dear Homeland.", Miss J. Emmanuel's "Killarney," Miss Nansi Langdon's "My Connemara Home," Miss Davies' "Cymru Fydd," Miss Gwenalt Lewis' "Poor Wandering One," and a song by Miss Alice M. Lewis were all well sung and encores were demanded from all the soloists Madam Hughes-Thomas—accompanied them artistically.

The concert closed with the singing of the Welsh national hymn and "God Save the King" in Welsh and English.

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A return engagement of the choir

"The Wolf," the powerful play of the Hudson Bay fur country, will be pre-sented at the Grand next Friday and Saturday with an excellent cast. This

the work that the enthusiasm has spread to the Marine Department. Bulbs have been placed in some of the company's steamships, and next Christmas travellers on these vessels will have the plensure of seeing C. P. R. flowers from C. P. R. bulbs on C. P. R. tables on the Atlantie.

The culture of flowers by C. P. R. employees, according to Mr. Dunlop, is having most gratifying results, and in the near future there will be an uninterrupted chain of gardens in full bloom at all the company's stations along its entire system, which reaches from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

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A return engagement of the choir has been arranged for Friday, December 3, in Association Hall.

THE WEEK AT BENNETT'S.

A pleasing programme is offered at the Bennett Theatre this week, and large audiences yesterday afternoon and evening left the theatre well satisfied with the entertainment. Undoubtedly nothing to compare with Hassan Ben Ali's Arabs in their whirlwind gymnastic and pyral. mid act, has been seen in this city. Their performance provoked the audience to gounds of enthusiastic appliance, and of the company's the counds of enthusiastic appliance, and so interesting is the work that the enthusiasm has spread to the Marine Department, while have been placed in some of the company's been placed in some of the company's performance provoked the audience to rounds of enthusiastic applause, and their work certainly bordered on the sen-sational. As tumblers they stand pre-eminent, and their pyramids are remark-able. The next big hit of the bill is the sational. As tumblers they stand preeminent, and their pyramids are remark,
able. The next big hit of the bill is the
Scotch comedian and his homie lastic,
Peter Donald and Meta Carson, presenting "Alex. McLean's Dream." This popular team was seen here last season, and
was given a great reception when it appeaged on the stage yesterday. Donald
has deteriorated not a whit since his
last appearance, and his Scotch stories
and songs were great laugh producers.
Horton and La Triska in "The Clown and
the Human Doll" gave one of the funniest acts seen hereabouts for some time.
The biggest hit of this act was sending
the doll through the audience for examiination. Wheeler Earl and Vera Curtiswere good in a singing skit entitled
"Much Ado About Nothing." The tide
was the only Shakespearean part of the
number. The novel fure, "A Corner in
Hair," by Howard Truesdell and company, was irresistible, and the audience
was kept in a continual roar of laughter
during the twenty minutes it was on the
stage. The remaining numbers and the
moving pictures make up a programme
as good as any seen here this season.

"SEPTIMUS."

A great dramatic treat is promised at
the Grand to-morrow night in the appearance of George Arliss in "Septimus."
Speaking of the performance the Toronto Star says:
A preatodomic in in the me and
portrayal is "Septimus," produced for
the first time anywhere at the Royal
Alexandra Theatre vesterday. It is a
play founded upon W. J. Locke's novel
of the same name, charmatized by Philip
Liftell, and presented by Harrison Grey
Fiske, with George Arliss in the title
role.

Septimus Dix is an inventor, who
lives in his own world. He is whimsical, quixotic, absent-minded, unconcerned with the ordinary things of life.
His like, doubtless, does not exist, but
George Arliss makes him a living iden-

Strong Help For Weak Kidneys

'Fruit-a-tives' Is the Bast Kidney Medicine In the World.

If people only realized the danger of Weak Kidneys, and the value of "Fruitatives," there would be practically no Kidney Disease in Canada.

When the Kidneys become congested (too full of blood) or strained from overwork, they can quickly be made well and strong again by taking a box or two of "Fruitatives."

Pain in the back, frequent headaches, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, coated tongue, constant desire to urinate—these are the common symptoms of congestion of the kidneys.

The only possible way to relieve this congestion is to force the bowels and skin to rid the system of more waste matter and thus allow the inflamed kidneys to rest and grow strong again.

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"Fruit-a-tives," being fruit juices intensified, soothes and stimulates the intensified, soothes and stimulates the kidneys, and at the same time rouses the bowels and skin to healthy action. "Fruit-a-tives," by their prompt action on bowels and skin, almost instantly relieve the intense pain in back

and promptly take away every trace of Kidney Disease. If you are suffering with your kidneys begin at once to take "Fruit-a-tives,"

and you will quickly realize the value of these tablets. At dealers—50c a box, 6 for \$2.50 or trial size, 25c—or from Fruit a tives

ORGANIZED IN WARD 5.

Limited, Ottawa

Citizens' Campaign Had Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night.

Eric Bower Talks on Organization and Prospects.

Pastor Philpott Tells of Violations of the Law.

The temperance workers' meeting in Ward 5 for organization under the Citi zens' Campaign Committee was held last night in Gospel Tabernacle, and was attended by enthusiastic work .s. William Yeates, President of the C. C. C., acted as chairman, and in opening the meeting called upon Eric Bower, secre-tary of the Central Executive, to extary of the Central Executive, to ex-plain the system of organization which proved so successful last year. Mr. Bow-er said the appointment of a chairman, n. a secretary, a treasure a vice-chairman, a secretary, a treasurer and an Executive Committee, composed of two members from each church in the ward, had been demonstrated to be effective in the way of organization. All those present agreeing to this plan, the election of officers resulted as follows:

A. Norman, chairman.

M. Dawson, vice-chairman.

F. A. Elder, secretary.
Charles Wilson, treasurer.

The different churches, will be asked to furnish the officers with the names

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In continuing Mr. Bower outlined and In continuing Mr. Bower outlined and explained the plans of the Citizens' Campaign Committee for the coming campaign, and said it would be necessary for the executive of the ward organization to keep in touch with the central office. In complexity, hereafted the time office. In conclusion, he said the time had come when something had to be done in Ward 5 to aid in the reduction licenses, there being 31 hotels to 3

churches in that ward churches in that ward.

Rev. P. W. Philpott, pastor of Gospel Tabernacle, was the next speaker, and pointed out the large extent of law-breaking being carried on by the saloons in the neighborhood of his church. He remarked that on one occasion he saw 27 men come out of a saloon on Sunday within ten minutes. He felt that the time had come when it was necessary to do something to prewas necessary to do something to pre-vent this, and he thought that it was through organization that it could be

M. Robinson, Vice-President of the J. M. Hobinson, Vice-President of t C. C. C., spoke a few words on the su-cess achieved last year, and on the hi-standing of the men endorsed by t campaign this year.

J. B. Williams spoke briefly on t system of canvassing which would used this year.

to appoint a chairman for each polling division. A meeting will be called as soon as they are ready to report.

**CRIBBAGE** 

Two Interesting Games In City League Last Night.

Two games in the Cribabge League vere played last night. The West End Pleasure Club visited the I. C. B. U. and won quite handily. At the Beach the Hamilton Cribbage Club played an ex-ceptionally close game with the Beach Club, the latter winning by one point, The scores were:

I. C. B. U. Campbell Cinamon. Hickey Quilter ... McAllan Murphy 5 McCauley Howard. McDonald Bellington

Mr. Justice MacMahon was taken ill on his arrival at Kingston on Monday afternoon to hold High Court, and the sitting had to be postponed.

Howe Grace Mulhoney Whalen ..... 7 Reynolds ..... Connors King Daniell 31 Beach. Wm. Vaughan White..... ghan McKenty
...... 6 J. Lutz ... ... D. Jarvis Sommerville Rabbit Hyslop S. Jarvis. Lissiman Boding Sullivan . . . . 4 Perry Bodington

Society

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Sanford, the quarterly meeting of Hamilton Local Council of Women was held at Wesanford, yesterday afternoon, and conbined business with pleasure.

Mrs. Sanford, president, was in the chair. Miss Wood, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting, Miss E. Harris, corresponding secretary, read several letters relating to business of the Council. The report of the treasurer showed a balance of \$88.90. The following ladies were received as individual members: Mesdames A. Elmore Richards, John G. Lavan, George Vallance, C. W. Graham, Frank Wanzer, Gartshore, George F. Glassco, S. F. Lazier, Hardy, W. G. Hawkins, Overell, Drynan, Hugh G. Baker, Lucas, Ingersoll Olmsted, R. O. MacKay, Drummond, McGregor, Misses Tucker, Slater and L. G. Butler.

Lady Taylor, convener of the fin-

Misses Tucker, Stater and L. G. Burler.

Lady Taylor, convener of the finance committee of the Quinquennial Congress of Women, reported that \$7,161.75 was raised for the expenses of the meeting in Toronto. Of this the different local councils gave a total of \$869. The Dominion Government gave \$1,000, and the Ontario Government \$700, Toronto City Council gave \$200. Everything is not settled yet, but Lady Taylor hopes there will be a balance of at least \$500, which will go to the National Council of Canada.

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Lady Edgar, president of National
Council, spoke of the value of the
meetings, both in point of what those
who attended them learned from the
different speakers, and because it had
been a grand advertisement for Canada. She read the extracts from letters she had received from delegates,
written from their homes in Sweden,
Belgium, Austria and all expressing
appreciation of the great hospitality
received and their admiration for Canada. Some asked for photographs of
Hamilton, Toronto, and other places
they visited, as they were planning to
give illustrated lectures on Canada
and what they saw there.

Mrs. Lyle, in moving a vote of
thanks to Lady Edgar, told of some
of the interesting meeting of the Quinquennial. Mrs. P. D. Crerar, in one
of her happy speeches, seconded the
motion, which was heartily applauded.

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Lady Edgar said she wanted to move a vote of thanks to Mrs. Sanford for her generous hospitality to the members of the Quinquennial. Some of the delegates in writing to her had spoken of their happiest memories, and she also entertained many of them; in Muskoka, Lady Taylor, in ories, and she also entertained many of them in Muskoka. Lady Taylor, in seconding it, paved a high tribute to Mrs. Sanford also.

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Mrs. Sanford read a letter from the the the thickness of the success of the Hamilton coat. Council 2000.

wishes for the success of the Hamilton local Council.

Mrs. Heurner Mullin and Mrs. George Allan sang 'The Angelus,' Miss Marjorie Trusdale being accompanist. Mrs. W. F. Brennan sang "The Birds That Came in Spring," and "Through the Forest," Mrs. Mullin being accompanist.

Afternoon tea was served in the diping room from a table decorated

ining room from a table deco ining room from a table decorated tith white roses. Lady Taylor, Mrs. yle and Mrs. Langrill presided, assted by Misses Dorothy Henderson, idlet Crerar, Ethel Calder, Strathmer, Elmday, Alice Hope, Emma Valsee, Laura Harvey, Dorothy Gates, onstance Turnbull, Eleanor Lazier, Mrs. Leggat moved a vote of thanks of the singers, which was seconded the control of the con singers, which John Crerar.

Lady Edgar complimented Hamilton Local Council on its excellent work and said it was an example and in-piration to other councils. About 200 ladies were present.

St. Elizabeth Chapter, I. O. D. E. nesday, Nov. 10, at 10.30 a. m., in Y. W. C. A. parlors. A large attenda is requested to welcome Mrs. R. Gardner, who has taken the reger chair for the remainder of the seas Mrs. W. R. Davis having resigned account of living out of the city.

Mrs. A. Rennie and Mrs. Kate Rennie have removed to 106

Mr. and Mrs. James Macfarlane ar nounce the engagement of their daughter, Christy Ann (Nan.), to Lieut.-Col. H. P. VanWagner. The marriage to take place on December the 1st.

His Honor Lieut. Governor Gibson and Rev. Dr. Lyle, Moderator of the General Assembly, will attend the opening of Parliament at Ottawa, on Thurs

Mr. and Mrs. George Ross, Post-office building, Toronto, formerly of this city have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude Rebecca, to Mr. Frederick Taylor, at 8 o'clock or Wednesday evening, Nov. 17th.

Mrs. (Rev.) F. A. Robinson and two little daughters are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson, 19 John street

Mrs. J. H. Robinson, 19 John stree north, will receive on Thursday of this week and on every second Thursday of each month.

FINE BIRDS EXHIBITED.

Poultry Show Open-Judging Will be Completed To-night.

What is perhaps the largest exhibit of poultry ever assembled at one show in Ontario is gathered together at the 20th annual exhibition of the Hamilton and Wentworth Poultry Association, held at 193 King stheet east. There are about 1,400 birds entered by exhibitors from different parts of the Province. The aristocracy of the poultry run is om different parts of the Province. he aristocracy of the poultry run is n view, and many of the birds bid fair to-day,

to provide a difficult task for the judges. There are four long rows of cages, to say nothing of the tiers piled around the side of the room and in them many and varied kinds of fowls are on exhibit. There are little silky hens, small bantams, tall Orpingtons, lanky Minorcas and many others. There are also Pekin ducks and proud pigeons with their breasts thrust out, and altogether. also Pekin ducks and proud pigeons with their breasts thrust out, and altogether make a representative exhibit. White Plymouth Rocks prove to be the largest exhibit of any one kind, and they certainly make a fine showing. Owing to the length of time it took to finish the judging last year, the association has procured six able judges, who comemneed their duties at 9 o'clock this morning, and will likely be finished early this evening. The judges are:

Poultry—Sharp Butterfield, Windsor, Ont.; W. F. Bruce, Victor, N. Y., and L. G. Jarvis, Grimsby.

Pigeons, flying homers—G. J. White. Old English games—D. S. Gillies and J. M. Harris.

The officers of the association are:
Honorory Presidents—Mayor McLaren and A. Zimmerman.
President—G. G. Henderson.
First Vice-President—G. Johnson.
Second Vice-President—J. J. Dillon.
Secretary—J. E. Peart.
Treasurer—C. K. Jutten.
Superintendent—W. J. Roberts, Hamilton.
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## THE KESWICK CONVENTION.

Well Attended Meetings Held In Centenary Yesterday.

Walter Sloan Spoke on the Communion In Afternoon.

Rev. Geo. Litchfield on Sin In Light of Calvary.

The opening vesterday afternoon of

the special services which are being held in Centenary Methodist Church this week was well attended. The speaker, Walter Sloan, of London, England, repre sentative of the Keswick Convention sentaive of the Reswick Convention, gave an inspiring address. He selected as his theme the word "Communion," and pointed out all it represented. Pecontrasted the two churches, the Philippian and that of Corinth. The ward fellowship was what freely expressed the meaning of communion. The communion between the Philippian Church and Paul consisted of the church supplying the needs of Paul, for their part plying the needs of Paul, for their par and on his part, the receiving of There was no such communion between the church of Corinth and the apostle. Communion was the act of giving on God's side and of receiving on man's side. God had given His only begotten Son for the sins of the world. Such being God's gift before the communion was complete, the acceptance by man was necessary. There could be no deepening of spiritual life existed, nor could there be a deepening of communion until it existed. Living in a world, for which Christ had died on the cross to redeem it from the shackles of sin, the question which faced the non-believer was: 'Has He redeemed you?' When there had been a transaction with God then a deepening of the spiritual life would be the result. After such transaction the heart that abides in Him was always receiving, for He was always giving and thus direct communion was established with God. Christ referred to it when He said: 'Abide in Me and I in you.' One of the dangers confronting the Christian was that he might disregard the Bible, the best of books, and take a fonder like. There was no such communion between the church of Corinth and the apostle was that he might disregard the Bible, the best of books, and take a fonder liking for fiction.

ng for fiction.

In closing, he referred to the most ressing needs being revival and a deep resense of the need of Christianity. pressing needs being revival and a deeper sense of the need of Christianity.

In the evening Rev. George Litchfield preached a very interesting sermon cm the revelation of personal sin in the light of Calvary. By his careful handling of the subject and clear expounding he was able to command the attestion of the large audience from start to finish. He grouped the figures in the Fight of the cross, and spoke of the various parts they took. He spoke of Pflate, Herod and all types of individual sin-He said the reward of sin was extral punishment, but the reward of the true Christian who had made good up of the talents entrusted to his care was castly different, for Christ had good is force to prepare a mansion for His children. In closing he directed all to follow the straight and narrow path, which

the straight and narrow path, which led to eternal joy, and not forsuke it for the wider and more easily traversed one which led to destruction.

FARMER RELEASED.

Man Whose Wife Was Electrocuted Freed of Murder Charge.

Auburn, Nov. 9 .- After spending year within fifteen feet of the electric chair, from which he was saved by a chair, from which he was saved by a decision of the Court of Appeals a few weeks ago. James D. Farmer to-day walked out of Auburn prison a free man, so far as a charge of murder is concerned. He was accompanied by his brother, John F. Farmer, of Watertown, and by Under Sheriff Charles Hosmer, of Jefferson County.

His release from condemned row was obtained on an order of Justice W. N. Rogers. He would not speak about his case, but between puffs of a cigar while waiting for the frain said:

"I do not know what they intend to do with me. At any rate, I am glad to get back to Watertown, because they will be able to bring Peter to see me. They wrote me often about him and he has grown to be quite a boy."

Peter Farmer is the child for whom Mary Farmer robbed and murdered aged Sarah Brennas. decision of the Court of Appeals a few

ARE ENGAGED.

Wernigerode, Prussian Saxony, Nov. 9.—The engagement of Duke Johann Albrecht, of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Regent of Brunswick, to Princess Elizabeth of Stolberg-Rossia, was gazetted The wedding will take place, Dec. 15. to.day.

THE BEVERAGE FOR ALL WEATHERS.

COCOA Grateful A cup of "Epps's" at breakfast Warms and Sustains Comfering you for hours. As a supper beverage it is perfect. Comfering Stanley Mills & Co., Limited Tuesday, Nov.

This store practically introduced in Hamilton the feature of prompt exchange of goods and the return of money. True som merchants, much older in the business world than Stanley Mills & Co., have exchanged goods and even returned the purchase money, but there was not that promptness and good grace about it that has always been exhibited in return transactions at this

We look on the refund of money or exchange of goods as customer's right-then why hesitate, why haggle over it? Goods purchased from us that are not satisfactory are (under nearly all conditions) returnable, such things as toilet goods, hair goods, patterns and a few other lines are exceptions, however. This is done simply as a protection to you, but feel safe that in buying at this store goods must prove satisfactory to you above all other considerations.

## Extra Special! Dressy Nett Waists \$2.98

An opportune purchase by our waist buyer brings you this special value to-morrow.

Dressy Ecru Net Waists, made with embroidery and yoke of lace insertion, neatly tucked front and back, new sleeves with insertion trimmings, dainty collar, lined throughout with silk, to-morrow your choice of all sizes ....

#### Skirt Special \$4.95

A stylish skirt of fine French Von ctian or Wool Panama Cloth, in a variety of shades, several new pleated styles, also plain gored, snug-fitting, finished with self strappings, and jet buttons. In this lot are to be found some of our best selling styles, marked special for Wednesday

\$4.95 .....\$4.95

#### Skirt Special \$3.65

A separate Walking Skirt of all Wool Panama, gore flared and pleated styles, perfect fitting and well tailored, trimmed with strap-

## Extra Special! Dainty Nett Waists \$3.49

Another special Waist alue picked up by our buyer and offered you for the first ine to-morrow.

Dainty Waists of extra fine Dainty Waists of extra fine quality ecru net; heavily em-broidered front, finished with tuckings; new tucked sleeves, daintily trimmed collar; lined throughout with silk; one of the season's very newest creations; on sale tomorrow in all sizes.

\$3.49

#### Skirt Special \$7.35

This is a natty skirt of Black oile or Panama Cloth, n:ade in various pleated styles, neatly trimmed with self or satin strapping, and buttons. Each skirt is a model of perfection. There is a large range of sizes and this special will sell on Wednesday \$7.35

## Underwear Special 25c

Corset Covers and Drawers, covers are made of good quality Flannel-ette, full front, finished with lace around arms and neck, sizes 34 to 42 bust. Drawers in neat assorted stripes, gathered at knee and finished with self frills, either style, sizes, 27, 29 and 31 in.

Wednesday all one price

# Stanley Mills & Co., Limited

# Genuine Scotch Blankets A New Stock Just Arrived From Abroad-

The demand for our Blankets is growing daily. There is The demand for our Blankets is growing daily. There is one evidence that their standard qualities and matchless values are being recognized by the most critical. When you are thinking of Blanket buying don't fail to see our stock and we invite your inspection. The "Balmoral" and "Universal" Scotch Blankets are exclusive to this store in Hamilton, being made from the finest quality wool which combines warmth with lightness. They are made and finished singly with blue borders in larger and extra sizes, imported directly from the mills in Scotlarge and extra sizes; imported directly from the mills in Scot land. Special priced at .... \$4.25, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 up to \$9.00

## 50 Dozen 35c Jap Doylies 2 for 25c

## Have Flannelette Night Garments Made to Order

Men and women alike have a certain trouble choosing factory-made Night Garments. They are small in cut and length, with cheaper materials, in poor washing qualities. Here we have a special department for making to measure Women's, Men's or Children's Night Garments of all kinds, from the best of materials, in all grades. They are cut in full, generous sizes and many trimmings. Priced to order, according to the grade of material your order. Enquire at the Staple Section.

## Arrival of the New Madras Muslins

We announce the display and arrival of all the new Madras Window Muss, in white, even and colors, in a splendid range of floral and conventions signs, in 45 and 52-inch widths, splendid qualities for wear and washing, spendid qualities for wear and washing.

Sale of 35c Scotch Window Muslins 25c 

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FINCH BROS., Street West ... 29 and 31 King

# VALENS.

Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cowie.

Robt. Valens and John Robson, former young men of this neighborhood, who are at present lying ill in the Melfort hospital, Saskatchewan, are in a fair

Miss Mary Campbell, of Lucknow, is Miss Mary Campbell, of Luckalow, is sisting her cousin, Miss Agues Cowie. Mrs. Coburn and Miss Sadie Coburn tttended the marriage of Miss Gertrude Hannon, of Hannon, and Mrs. S. J. An-lerson, of Bartonville, on Wednesday

erson, of Bartonville, on Wednesday f last week. Mrs. Robert Daniels is under the

octor's care. Mrs. John Valens has returned hom

arrs, John valens has returned home after a pleasant two months' visit with her daughter and other friends.

Mr. Wm. Gilbert, of Hamilton. spent Thanksgiving with his parents here.

Mrs. Richard Telford, of Paris, visited last week at Mr. Robt. Telford's in the village.

day. Nov. 2, when about forty of their relatives and friends assembled to celebrate their golden wedding. At 4 o'clock a sumptuous wedding dinner was served, to which ample justice was done. A programme followed, during which Rev. Neil Leckie, of Kirkwall, acted as chairman and gave a fine address. Mr. and Mrs. Cowie were then asked to go forward, when a beautiful address was read by Mrs. Coburn, and Adam Valens, on behalf of those assembled, presented them with a purse of gold. Other beau-

read by Mrs. Coburn, and Adam Valens, on behalf of those assembled, presented them with a purse of gold. Other beautiful presents were also given. Mr. Robt. McQueen replied in an appropriate way. Addresses, violin and instrumental music, songs and recitations followed. Guests were present from Toronto, Galt, Lucknow, Glenmorris, Kirkwall and Crieff.

## FOUND DEAD.

Niasura Palls, Ont., Nov. 9.—The body of John Morehead, grocer of Welland, who had been missing since Thursday last, was found this morning sitting in an erect position on a hench in the Cobblestone shelter bouse if Queen Victoria Park, Mr. Morehead evidentive had died of heart failure while sitting if the shelter house last evening.

## OAKVILLE FIRE.

village.

Oakville, Ont., Nov. 3.—Fire destroyed one of the finishing departments of the Marlatte place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs.

Wm. Cowie, Mellow Let farm, on Tues-one o'clock this morning. The loss is a small one overed by insurance.