

WHISKARD'S

730 & 232 Dundas St.

Just Returned from Another Purchasing Tour.

Bargains Extraordinary!

SPECIAL PURCHASE OF
5,000 Yards

Silk Ribbon Velvet, satin back, all colors,

5c YARD.

Another special—Ladies' Hair Pins, beautiful goods,

5c EACH.

Less than half price.

Another special purchase of Miller-ain Waterproof Velveteens, in brown, navy, black, tawny, etc., Whiskard's price,

50c YARD.

Now is the time, ladies; these will soon go.

Another special—Yard wide checked muslin goods, worth 25c Whiskard's price,

5c YARD.

Another special—A large lot of Fancy Table Covers, nice size for fancy table, only,

25c EACH.

See them, See our Gents' Wool Hose,

Two Pairs for 25c.

Special line of Silk Chenille Tam o' Shaners, worth 75c; our price,

50c EACH.

One fine line of Double Ostrich Tips, worth 50c; our price,

25c EACH.

See them in our window.

Ladies' Fancy Stripe Flannel skirts, only,

50c EACH.

Just received a large line of Dolls, large and small, 5c & 10c each.

WHISKARD'S

230 and 232 Dundas St.

A BRIDE BUT FOUR HOURS.

Sad Death of a Young Lady at Lawrence, Mass.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Nov. 2.—Agnes Bogge at 7 o'clock Monday evening, was married to Charles Johnson, of Roxbury, at the house of her father, Charles Bogge. She had been suffering from heart disease for some time, and the excitement of preparing for the marriage had an injurious effect upon her. As the hour for the ceremony approached she became so nervous and weak that a physician advised her parents to have the ceremony performed in her own room, and this was done. Then the bride and bridegroom entered the parlor and received the congratulations of the guests. The evening passed off, but the bride's health showed no signs of improvement and a few minutes after 11 o'clock she died.

The Lay Workers' Convention.

BRANTFORD, Nov. 2.—The convention of the lay workers of the Diocese of Huron has elected the following officers: President, the Right Reverend the Bishop, ex-officio; first vice-president, the Very Rev. Dean Innes, ex-officio; second vice-president, Charles Jenkins, Petrolia; chairman committee of management, A. H. Dymond, Brantford; secretary-treasurer, J. M. McWhinney, London; committee, Brant, A. K. Bunnett, Brantford; Bruce, Richard Rivers, Walkerton; Egan, V. Scarlett, St. Thomas; Essex, Jasper Golden, Kingsville; Grey, John Robinson, Owen Sound; Huron, H. Dennis, Brussels; Kent, Thos. Burnside, Bothwell; Lambton, J. B. Dale; Wyoming, Middlesex, Chancellor Cronin, London; Norfolk, J. D. Christie, Simcoe; Oxford, A. Dent, Woodstock; Perth, S. R. Hesson, Stratford; Waterloo, Jas. Woods, Galt. The sessions are all characterized by large attendances and bright addresses, with lively discussions. Those giving papers are: J. C. Morgan, M.A., public school inspector, Barrie; A. W. Reaveley, B.A., Thorold; L. Baldwin, Toronto; R. F. Davidson, Toronto; Miss J. Osler, Toronto; Rev. H. A. Thomas, Rev. A. Brown, Paris; Miss L. Downs, Watford; Rev. D. Williams, Stratford; Miss G. Denison, Toronto; Rev. F. DuVernet, Kingston, and Rev. Commander Roberts, R.N., Hamilton. The Bishop of Huron delivers addresses at all sessions.

The Cause of Fevers.

Few people fully appreciate the effects of malaria on the human system. Residents of low-lying districts are daily storing away in their bodies the inhaled germs of disease which permeate the air, and even where the location is elevated, too often sanitation is imperfect and emanations from decaying vegetable matter render the air poisonous. The result is a train of bilious disorders, agues, intermittent, and bilious fevers. A good plan is to take a course of a mild but thorough and cathartic when ever an attack is threatened. For this purpose Dr. Pierce's Little Pills are unequalled. They do the liver, cure constipation, improve digestion, and often ward off dangerous fevers. Satisfaction guaranteed or money returned.

T. C. THORNHILL, optician, jeweler, watchmaker and engraver, general repairing. A well supplied, 402 Talbot street. Lawn mowers a specialty, and called for.

Flowers for funerals, fresh cut carnations and roses, at WESTLAKE'S, 201 Dundas street.

STATE OF TRADE IN THE STATES.

Election Excitement Does Not Help Business.

The Volume of Production Well Maintained—Fewer Failures.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: The last week of October, with an exciting election near, cannot indicate much the true condition of business. In some trades the season is too far advanced for great activity, and in others the supposed effects of the voting hinder transactions, but it is satisfactory that the volume of production is well maintained; that no monetary difficulties disturb; that breadstuffs are a little higher, and that no material decline appears during the week among manufactured products.

The fact that the demand appears to be slack for some products, may, perhaps, be attributed to uncertainty in the political horizon, while the increase in the working force helps to make a basis for more business here. At present the volume of business transacted is on the whole smaller than last year, and much smaller than in 1892, though the presidential election was then close at hand.

The depression of cotton and wheat and the partial loss of the corn crop must be reckoned as causes for the hesitancy in retail distribution of products.

During the past week the failures have numbered 249 in the United States, against 358 last year, and 50 in Canada, against 28 last year.

BRADSTREET'S.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Bradstreet's says: General trade continues on conservative lines, there being little far-reaching improvement in business circles as compared with a week ago, aside from the settlement of the strike at Fall River. October bank clearings reflect the enlarged fall trade in a total larger than for any month since June, 1893.

Whether the reduction in the price of cattle is due primarily to the German prohibition of importations from this country remains to be seen. The condition of the iron industries is less favorably regarded than a month ago. There is little life in wool.

Exports of wheat and flour as wheat on both coasts of the United States amount to 2,936,000 bushels, against 3,353,000 in the United States last week.

The number of business failures in the United States this week is 253, against 221 last week.

HAZING MAY CAUSE DEATH.

A College Student the Victim of a Sham Hanging.

HYATTSVILLE, Md., Nov. 2.—Hazing by students at the Maryland Agricultural College is liable to result in the death of one of their number, Edwin Gott, jun., son of the Secretary of State.

Several nights ago a mock court was held and young Gott was convicted of a heinous crime. A rope was secured, fastened under his arms, and he was suspended to a transom.

Young Gott appeared at breakfast next morning as though nothing had happened, but later in the day was taken very ill. He has had several spasms and continues to grow worse. He has been too ill to be removed to his home at Annapolis, and his condition is extremely dangerous.

THE OPEN FORUM.

Plainly Put.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

A copy of the following has been sent to the editor of the Free Press for publication:

To the Editor of the Free Press:

I notice in the issue of your paper of this morning an article headed "A Hobbs Agent Surprised," in which you allege a conversation took place. As I have no doubt I am one of the persons referred to, I desire to state that no such conversation as you refer to took place; and I also beg to state that it is my intention to vote for the Liberal candidate at the election to be held on the 20th of the present month. Yours truly,

(Signed) A. W. TEMPLE.

London, Nov. 2.

Canadian Photographers.

TORONTO, Nov. 2.—The eleventh annual convention of the Ontario Photographic Association closed this evening. All the officers of last year were re-elected.

Given Up as Lost.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 2.—The Peary steamer Falcon, from Philadelphia for this port, which has been out four weeks, is now given up by the owners as lost.

Brantford Scots.

BRANTFORD, Nov. 2.—At the annual meeting of St. Andrew's Society the following officers were elected: E. F. McLaren, vice-presidents, Duncan Dempster and J. Bruce Walker; secretary, Robt. Lindsay; treasurer, Wm. Watt, sen.; chaplain, Rev. W. Cochrane; physician, Dr. Phillips.

Another of the Perraults Captured.

OWEN SOUND, Ont., Nov. 2.—Since the capture by Detective Greer about ten days ago at Penetanguishene, of two of the Perrault brothers, the celebrated Georgian Bay desperadoes, extra warrants were issued for the arrest of two remaining brothers, Constable Greer and Quinn, of this place, penetrated the woods for a short distance, but it was found that the Perraults had dogs to watch the two paths that led to their camp, and so warned the fugitives. The officers, however, succeeded in capturing one of the men, the other escaping.

The great lung healer is found in the excellent medicine sold as Fickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness in the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption.

Be at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let every New Year find you a better man.

Nothing impure or injurious contaminates the popular antidote to pain, throat and lung remedy and general corrective, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It may be used without the slightest apprehension of any other than salutary consequences. Coughs, rheumatism, earache, bruises, cuts and sores succumb to its action.

A shipchandler in Front street, Brooklyn, bears the high-sounding name of Mr. Westminster Abbey.

I say, Tom, my wife got a bar of Wide Awake Soap last week. She says it is the best she ever used for washing. I tried it in my bath on Saturday night, and I tell you it beats them all for a toilet soap. You just try it.

During the month we shall make every endeavor to reduce our stock to its lowest possible point. Our efforts are indicated in the low prices at which our goods are marked. Come and see for yourself. KEENE BROS., Furniture Dealers, 127 King street, opposite Market House.

COMPANIES CLASH.

The Canadian General and Bell Telephone Have a Difference—City Will Not Interfere.

A dispute between the Canadian General Electric Company and the Bell Telephone Company is likely to arise out of the city extension of the electric light service. A No. 3 committee was about to disperse last night Ald. Scarrow (acting chairman) stated that the council wanted a number of lights suspended in the center of the streets. To do this it was necessary for the electric company to use the telephone poles for their dead wires. The Bell people refuse to allow this, and say they will issue an injunction to restrain the electric company from carrying out their plan. The view of the city solicitor was asked in the matter, and among other things it said: "I am of the opinion that it is not your duty to interfere in any quarrels or differences of opinion between these two companies. If you notify the electric company of the directions of the committee and engineers with respect to the lamps which you desire suspended in the center of the street, you will have done all that is necessary, and it will then be the duty of the electric company to erect the lamps in connection with the contract." The matter was dropped.

Street Watering Inspector Isaac presided at a lengthy report showing the extra watering done during the year. Nearly every principal street came in for a share. Mr. Isaac did not know the price paid.

"And do I understand that all this has been done without the consent of the committee," asked Ald. John Heaman.

Assistant Engineer Ironside stated that the extra watering was done only with the consent of the chairman. Laid over till Ald. Nutkins is present.

Richard Adecock and 30 city butchers complained of inconvenience owing to the removal of the hide inspector's office from the Market Square. They asked that the office be replaced. Referred to the committee's chairman and Market Clerk Wilson.

The recommendation for a new gong at the central station was further laid over. The mayor moved for the chief's report on the system.

The accounts included Canadian Electric Light Company, \$1,916.06, for a meter's lighting; M. Baldwin, street watering, \$139.30; J. Hartley, street watering, \$143. The members present were Ald. Scarrow, W. Heaman, J. Heaman, O'Meara, Secretary Bell, Assistant Engineer Ironside and Chief Roe.

SHOT HIMSELF BY APPOINTMENT.

He Called at a Newspaper Office for That Purpose.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Luigi Revelli, who lived at the Hotel Furcolo, 505 Fifth avenue, shot himself at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the office of the Christoforo Colombo newspaper, Center street.

Tuesday morning the editor of the paper received a note from Revelli, saying that he would call at 11 o'clock on Wednesday for the purpose of blowing out his brains in the presence of the city editor.

Revelli did not arrive at the office till 4 o'clock. He informed Mr. Marzetto, the editor, that he had called to keep his word.

The editor took him into a rear office to reason with him, and after their talk Revelli seemed much calmer. The editor left the room to give some direction concerning office work. He had hardly passed through the door before he heard a pistol shot. He found Revelli lying on the floor with a pistol wound just above his heart. Revelli was taken to the Chambers street hospital, where the bullet was taken out. His condition is considered dangerous.

You Must Register.

The Short and the Long of the Registration in Every Ward To-day.

All men who are not assessed as resident owners or tenants in the assessment of 1893 must register today if they desire to vote at the election on November 20.

Remember that the affidavits taken up a few weeks ago have nothing to do with this election. You must register if you want a vote.

Register! REGISTER! REGISTER!

APPIN.

[Agent for the ADVERTISER, James T. Rosser.]

Business here is quiet. Farmers are busy finishing their fall plowing and preparing for the winter.

Miss Wilhelmina Black, who was in the London hospital for some time, and underwent an operation for removal of decayed bone from the forehead, is slowly recovering. A few days since Dr. Hyttenrauch, of this village, who is attending her, removed an additional portion of decayed bone, and now it is hoped that nothing stands in the way of her complete recovery.

The doctor's own wife, who has been in the hospital for some weeks, is home again and able to be about.

We have the quail hunters still with us, and the only safety for the poor quails is the inability of some of their persecutors to shoot straight. These gentlemen evidently consider themselves a privileged class, traverse the land as if it was all their own, and will soon shoot their game at the farmer's barn, never apparently suspecting that they do any wrong, or that any farmer is an enemy right to the game on his premises. They entirely ignore the law which says "Thou shalt not covet," "Thou shalt not steal," and all the laws against trespassing, never thinking it worth while to turn aside from their sport.

But let anyone use the same liberty on the premises of these gentlemen themselves, and he would soon find the tables turned, and perhaps when last expected some farmer will take the trouble to teach these gentlemen where they stand, and the worst of it is that some of our own highly moral neighbors need the lesson as much as any.

WALTER BAKER & CO.

The Largest Manufacturers of PURE, HIGH GRADE COCOAS AND CHOCOLATES

On this Continent, have received HIGHEST AWARDS

from the great Industrial and Food EXPOSITIONS

In Europe and America.

Unlike the Dutch Process, no Alkali is used in any of their preparations. Their delicious BRILLIANT COCOA is absolutely pure and soluble, and costs less than one cent a cup.

SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE.

WALTER BAKER & CO. DORCHESTER, MASS.

BELL PIANOS & ORGANS

Tone, Touch, Durability.

Recommended by the Leading Musicians as the
Finest Instruments Made.

The World's Standard Instruments.

SUPERIOR WORKMANSHIP AND MATERIAL USED.

More Bell Pianos are manufactured than by any other maker in Canada, solely through the merits of good workmanship and that excellent quality of tone which has placed us so far in advance of all other makers.

BELL PIANOS are in use in the Colleges of Music in Toronto. BELL ORGANS have a worldwide reputation. The business extends to every part of the habitable portion of the globe. Full line of these instruments always on exhibition at our warerooms. A personal inspection cordially invited.

Bell Organ and Piano Co., Ltd.

GUELPH, ONTARIO.

London Warerooms, 211 Dundas St. A. Burness, Manager.

Dropped Dead.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

STRATHROY, Nov. 2.—While entering the American Hotel this afternoon, Mr. Timothy Howe, a respected citizen of Strathroy, dropped dead. Cause of death, rheumatism of the heart. He was 84 years of age.

I WAS CURED of painful Gout by MIN-ARD'S LINIMENT.

Chatham, Ont. Byard McMullin

I WAS CURED of Inflammation by MIN-ARD'S LINIMENT.

Waltham, Ont. Mrs. W. W. Johnson.

I WAS CURED of Facial Neuralgia by MIN-ARD'S LINIMENT.

Parkdale, Ont. J. H. Bailey.

BIGLEY'S BASE-HEATING FURNACES

—AND—

BUCK'S CELEBRATED

Happy Thought Ranges.

Repairing promptly attended to.

P. D. McLaren & Co.,

85 Dundas Street.

WM. SPENCE

351 Talbot Street, Market Square.

Stoves and Furnaces!

Agent for HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES and RADIANT HOME BASE-BURNING STOVES.

Double Hottentots. Tinsmithing work done on the premises; also orders solicited for furnace work of any kind. Estimates given for furnaces on application. We sell "EADLER" and other makes of first-class Furnaces. A Call Solicited.

You Are Nominated Unanimously!

What R U going to do about it?

We are just out of brick houses, glassware factories and sugar refineries, the usual accompaniment of the purchase of a pound of tea. But if you really desire honest goods at honest prices, kindly place a trial order with

Fitzallen, the Grocer,

Phone 1680. Cor. Market and Talbot St.

—WHO WILL GIVE YOU—

1 lb. Really Good Y. H. Ceylon or Java Tea 25c
1 lb. of Very Best (any variety) 40c
1 lb. of Coffee, best blend in Canada 60c
1 lb. of Cocoa, best 50c
1 lb. of Coconut 25c

SUGARS (Redpath only), three highest grades, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2 pounds respectively, 70c 8 1/2.

Come Over and Help Us.

BLOOD POISON

or Syphilis permanently cured in 20 to 30 days by a Magic Remedy, under guarantee, backed by \$500,000 capital. Positive proofs and 120 page book, illustrated from life from people cured, free by mail. When Hot Springs and mercury fail, our Magic Remedy will cure.

COOK REMEDY CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

Hobbs Manufacturing Company, LONDON.

Glass Paper Weights,
Glass Signs for Advertising,
Mirrors and Store Fronts.

ASK FOR PRICES.

All TEAS Reduced

To the lowest possible cash basis. We give no present, but we offer to the public:

Fine Japan Tea.....25c, or 5 lbs for \$1.00
Finest Bay Pickings.....40c, or 5 lbs for 1.00
Fine Young Hyson.....25c, or 5 lbs for 1.00
Extra Choice Young Hyson, or 5 lbs for 1.75
Extra Choice Young Hyson, or 5 lbs for 1.75

son.....50c, or 5 lbs for 2.25
Fine Mong. Congou.....25c, or 5 lbs for 1.00
Extra Choice Congou.....40c, or 5 lbs for 1.75
Extra Choice English Breakfast.....50c, or 5 lbs for 2.25
Fine Ceylon.....25c, or 5 lbs for 1.00
Extra Choice Ceylon.....40c, or 5 lbs for 1.75
Extra Choice Ceylon.....50c, or 5 lbs for 2.25

We guarantee these Teas to be the best value that money can buy, and the finest goods in the market.

Save peddlers' wages and profits, and buy these Teas.

Orders by mail promptly attended to.

John Garvey, jun., & Co.

156 Dundas Street.

Telephone 484. ywt

TENDERLOIN,
SWEETBONES,
HEARTS,
KIDNEYS,
BACON,
HAMS.

The Canadian Packing Co.

STORE - RICHMOND ST.

GEORGE PARISH.

Is selling bedroom suites, mattress lounges, sideboards, extension tables, chairs, cheap, to make room. Parlor and heating stoves and baseburners with ovens—price them before buying. Old furniture taken in exchange, 357 Talbot St. south of King.

THERE IS JUST ONE THING THAT THE citizens of London and vicinity would do well to make a note of, that at 181 Dundas street, books and magazines of all kinds and styles are bound neatly, cheaply and tastefully.

W. J. MOFFAT,
BOOKBINDER.

GO TO JOHN MILLS FOR High & Public School Books

OF ALL KINDS.

Compasses, 5c and 10c.
Lead Pencils, Rulers and all School Supplies.

Scribbling and Exercise Books
A SPECIALTY.

JOHN MILLS
Edge Block, 404 Richmond St.

SWEET HOME SOAP

You get best value for your money.

A whole Library FREE to buyers of Sweet Home Soap.

"The Mill on the Floss," George Eliot
"Light of Asia," Arnold.
"Heroes and Hero Worship," Carlyle.
Longfellow's Poems.
"Idylls of the King," Tennyson.
"Black Beauty," Anna Sewall.
"Scarlet Letter," Hawthorne.
"Greatest Thing in the World," Drummond, and hundreds of other standard works. Read the advertisement on the wrappers.

All grocers sell Sweet Home Soap.

Lee Hing, Chinese Laundry. The best work in the city. 407 Richmond Street, London, Ont.

Shirt collars ironed straight so as not to hurt the neck. Stand up collars ironed without being broken in the wing. Ties done to look like new. Ladies' Dresses fitted and Vests ironed.—This work is done by Jow How, late of San Francisco, and the proprietor will guarantee satisfaction in this line at cheapest rates. Give me a call. If you are not satisfied, no pay. Washing returned in 24 hours. Please open parcel and see that your work is properly executed. If our work suits you, please recommend us to your friends.

GO TO JOHN MILLS FOR High & Public School Books

OF ALL KINDS.

Compasses, 5c and 10c.
Lead Pencils, Rulers and all School Supplies.

Scribbling and Exercise Books
A SPECIALTY.

JOHN MILLS
Edge Block, 404 Richmond St.