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GREAT IMPETUS

TO OUR

Inventory Sale!

Our Inventory Sale has been moving along very successfully. This month beyond all others is a bargain month with us. All odd ends, all broken lines, and all lines in which we are overstocked are cut in price beyond recognition. You may put it down to poor judgment, but the fact is we are overstocked in many lines this year, and herein is the advantage to you. The advantage shows in these prices:—

Children's Underwear

10 dozen children's underwear, fine soft elastic rib, vest and drawers to match, all sizes, worth regular up to 40c. a garment, inventory sale price, special at 21c.

Carpets

Our carpet stock is recognized as being the largest and best assorted in the city. That our values are right is indicated by the fact that our carpet trade has more than doubled in the last four years. We have many clearing lines to offer in carpets, in Brussels, tapestry, and in all the latest patterns. Bring in your measurements and get quotations.

Dress Goods

Dress Goods bargains are strongly in evidence from one end of the department to the other—amongst them this:—
30 pieces colored dress goods in neat twined effects, broad, narrow, and in all the latest shades for immediate wear, regular value 80c and 60c. a yard, inventory sale price special at 45c.

Cottons

We are especially well prepared in bargain cotton values to meet your

spring sewing requirements. Bleached and unbleached cottons, sheetings, and pillow cottons, specially under-priced for our inventory sale.

Furs

We have a larger selection than usual in January. Much larger than we want. Fur ruffs at \$2.00, two handsome styles at \$35.00 each, and we will give you a reduction off any of them that will leave money in your purse.

Ladies' Jackets

No need to again describe them. You know they must be right or they would not be here. The beauty of the jackets now in stock is that they are not too heavy for spring wear. You will therefore get double use out of them; and, look at the prices: Jackets up to \$10.00 for \$4.85. Jackets up to \$15.00 for \$7.50. Jackets up to \$18.00 for \$10.00. Children's and girls' jackets are yours at the same proportionate reductions.

Millinery at Less than Half

It is against our methods of doing business to keep over any trimmed millinery. We have a very select assortment of elegant trimmed hats now in stock, some that were made up for the late winter trade and these you can have at less than half original prices.

THOS. STONE & SON

1904 Autumn and Winter Evening Dress

We make a specialty of Evening Dress Suits, and carry in stock a full line of Rich and Elegant Materials, suitable for this Formal Evening Attire.

We invite your inspection and comparison of prices with other first-class houses.

ALBERT SHELDRICK
TAILOR and WOOLEN MERCHANT
King St. near Garner House

PUBLIC NOTICE!

Genuine Gas Coke

From actual tests is found to contain as many heat units per ton, as the best quality of Anthracite Coal. At the reduced price now in effect, Gas Coke costs about two-thirds as much.

Moral: Use Genuine Gas Coke for furnace, range, grate or stove, and save money.

Chatham Gas Company, Limited.



THERE'S GREAT VALUE in every garment we make, but it is especially noticeable in our

Winter Overcoats

made to order. The material is just right, and the garments have a "set" which particular men like. Come in and look at the cloth.

AITKEN & KOGELSCHATZ
NEAR FIFTH ST. BRIDGE

LET US HAVE A PROVINCIAL HOUSE-CLEANING

THROWS UP THE SPONGE

Rossite Minister Evanturel After Visiting Kent Co. Concedes Ross Will Lose at Least One Riding

Gives an Interview to the Windsor Liberal Paper in Which He Concedes the Loss of Kent

"Hon." Mr. Evanturel—the rejected of Prescott and West Nipissing who last Friday visiting Pain Court in the interests of McCoig and Ross—has there declined to allow a Dover farmer and constable to be heard at his meeting—is now in Windsor in the interests of the Ross candidate there.

Mr. Evanturel has given the Windsor Record, the Essex Ross organ, an interview on the prospects, which, of course, he views from a very Rossite standpoint, conceding the doomed administration about everything in sight. However, he has visited West Nipissing and West Kent, and of them he says—and we quote verbatim from the Record—
"We may lose West Nipissing and possibly one of the Kents. I am only judging these things by our reports."
"Hon." Mr. Evanturel only visited West Kent. Had he visited East Kent he could have made his proposition include both constituencies.

CLOSE CALL

Little Son of Mayor Cowan Narrowly Escaped a Treacherous Hole in the River Ice

Bob, the six-year-old son of Mayor Cowan, had a very narrow escape from drowning yesterday. He went down to the foot of Lae-croix street to enjoy the coasting on the river bank. He started down the hill all right but being too inexperienced to steer the sled he got going in the wrong direction and was making straight for a hole in the ice where the Lae-croix street sewer empties into the river.

The little fellow saw his danger but was unable to steer away from it, and it looked for a moment as if he would be thrown into the water. He, however, had presence of mind enough to throw himself off his sled just as he was about twelve feet from the opening. He was saved but the sled plunged into the water and slid under the ice.

The incident has caused no little excitement in that part of the city. The spot mentioned does not freeze over on account of a continuous stream of water from the sewer and for some distance around the hole the ice is unsafe. Mayor Cowan, father of the lad, broke through the ice in trying to get the sled out of the water.

A danger sign should be put up to warn skaters to keep away from that portion of the ice.

There is also another complaint. The sewer pipe from which the water flows into the river is placed so that it is under the water during the summer time but when the river is frozen over during the winter, the end of the pipe projects above the ice and the odor issuing from this impure water endangers the health of the residents of that vicinity.

The Board of Health should do something to remedy this evil.

THE PEOPLE'S NED CLARKE AT THE GRAND ON THURSDAY

The Splendid Champion of the Working Men to Speak for James Clancy—A Working Man Himself Who Defeated Robinette, the Lawyer Representative of the Corporations.

It is not to be wondered at that James Clancy's splendid stand in parliament in the interests of Canadian working men should have heartily enlisted the admiration and support of the splendid parliamentarian labor leader, E. F. Clarke, M. P., known the Dominion over as "The People's Ned." As a consequence Mr. Clarke has generously volunteered to give Mr. Clancy a meeting and will speak in his interests at the Grand Opera House on Thursday evening when a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

"The People's Ned" rose from the ranks to be member of parliament. He was a day worker in a printing shop when he first espoused the principles of the labor interests to which he has devoted so much of his life's work. Repeated efforts have been made by the corporation

DECLINE TO MEET CLANCY

Rossite Executive Negative the Proposition to Hold Joint Nomination

Say McCoig has "Another Meeting" But None is Announced for the Afternoon

So far all efforts on behalf of the electors to have the respective candidates meet and discuss the issues before the people on the same platform have been diligently thwarted by the Rossite executive, which apparently fears the result of such a full and free discussion in the presence of the people. It is even impossible to secure the presence of opposition at Mr. Clancy's meetings.

Acting on the suggestion made in these columns over two weeks ago, an effort was made to secure a joint nomination meeting, as the following:

Revival Services

Park St. Church

conducted by the

Australian evangelists

All Welcome. Come.

THE ROSS GOVERNMENT AND THE MAN WHO SUPPORTS IT

(As amended from the platform by Mr. McCoig himself at his meeting in the Grand Opera House December 30.)

"Definitely and positively I will not be the candidate. I couldn't if I would and I wouldn't if I could."

"What use would it be to me to go down to the Legislature and sit in some back bench in opposition? And what use would it be to my constituents to have me there?"

"I think the Ross government is a goner. They've been there altogether too long."

"The whole thing is corrupt and rotten, and I believe they should be turned out."

"No: I tell you honestly, I wouldn't be their candidate if I could."—A. B. McCOIG, November, 19, 1904.



By Buying Your Wools from a Store

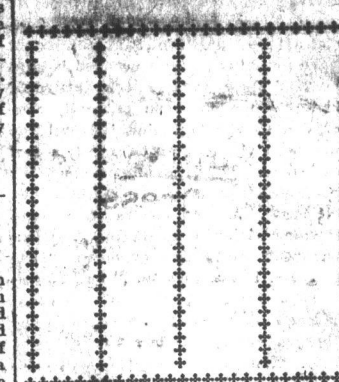
That makes a SPECIALTY of THEM. We carry the largest and most select assortment of WOOLS and YARNS in Ontario. Our trade on these goods is immense, and caused by the superior excellence of our brands, which we have been handling for fifteen years. Our old customers know them, but this ad. is to attract new customers. If you want good CANADIAN YARN we have the best made. If you want good SCOTCH YARN ours cannot be beat.

Our Berlin, Zephyr and Andalusian, etc., are made by the most noted maker in Germany.

Our Shetland Floss is beautifully done up and has that nice glossy appearance when made up. We also carry a complete line of Slipper Soles in both Hartford & Eclipse Brand.

SULMAN'S BEEHIVE

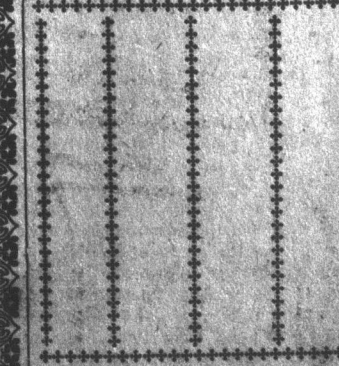
King and Sixth Streets



Wholesale Shoe Sale

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Turrill's



Mindard's Liniment Cures Gargol in Cows.