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NEW GOODS We are opening every week new instalments of our Spring Stock in Prints, Dress and Apron Gingham, Shirtings, &c., &c., all of which are marked at close figures for quick sale.

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100,000 DEACON AND CALF SKINS. HIGHEST CASH PRICE AT THE BROOKVILLE TANNERY. A. G. McGRADY SONS.

ROB'T WRIGHT & Co.'s Annual Discount Sale Closes in Nine Days. Improve the time.

Immense new assortment latest novelties in Gents' Furnishing Department. New Ties, New Collars, New Cuffs, CORSETS.

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Special offerings every day during the last nine days of Sale. ROBERT WRIGHT & CO. LUIS AND PATTERSON BROOKVILLE.

Stylish Decorative Stuffs. Received this week at 205 King street a new lot of Fancy Silkalines, Art Muslins, Select Cretonnes and other goods for drapery purposes.

You are asked to have a look at these goods whether you are a buyer or not. You are sure to be pleased. TEL. BELL, 161. LEWIS & PATTERSON.

DO NOT MISS THE CHANCE TO GET THE BEST CHOICE IN DRY GOODS AT C. M. BABCOCK'S. Until the 31st of this month. Up to then large Cash Discounts will be given.

20 per cent. off all Dress Goods, Fancy Linens, Shawls, and Blankets. 10 per cent. off all Ladies', Gents', and Children's Underwear, Hosiery, (Cashmere and Wool), Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Laces, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Towelings, Tickings, Ducks, Denims, white and grey Cottons, sheetings, Pillow Cottons (both circular and plain).

THE FIRST STEPS ARE THE ONES THAT COUNT. Reader, you desire to step right in making your purchases. If you can save money on your Shoe Bill, why not see what we are offering! A season of the year is at hand when warm lined shoes and slippers are nice to have.

A BREAK FOR LIBERTY. United States Officers of the Law Lose a Desperate Prisoner. RETAKEN ON THE CANADA SIDE. The Bold Forger and Robber Comes to Niagara Falls, Ont., and is Captured by a Canadian Detective at the Point of a Loaded Revolver.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 19.—The United States postoffice forger and robber, Wm. H. Clark, alias Leroy Harris, who made the United States commissioner and clerk at Buffalo, with deputy marshals, deputy district attorney and postoffice inspector, hold up their hands on Saturday at the commissioner's room, locked the door on the outside and made good his escape, was captured here by Ald. D. Fenwick, of this town, and Detective Griffin, of the Ontario police.

It seems that after the man's escape a description of him was wired all over the country. Ald. Fenwick, who runs a jewelry store with a restaurant in the rear, is also the manager of the O. F. E. Telegram Company, over whose lines the man presented himself at the restaurant on Saturday night, got something to eat. The alderman spotted him as the man went into Buffalo. As soon as the man had had eaten part of the oysters he got up and inquired when the next Grand Trunk train left for Hamilton and was told about 9 o'clock. He said this was not a very pleasant night to wait outside. Fenwick told him he would go over to the Grand Trunk waiting room where he would find them very comfortable, and directed him there. As soon as the man left the place Fenwick, who is a county constable, placed two men to watch Harris in the waiting room and went for Detective Griffin.

Upon the arrival of the two men at the station Detective Griffin commanded Harris to stand up. He was an officer of the law and wanted him. Harris stood up, and as he did so Fenwick struck him on his forehead with a revolver. The man obeyed, and Griffin ran his left hand into his right side overcoat pocket and pulled out a small revolver, the one with which Harris held a room full of Yankee officers at bay until he was shot.

While Griffin held his revolver in full cock, ready for action, Fenwick buffed the handcuffs on Harris and they marched the man to the lockup. Chief of Police Cameron of Buffalo, who is communicated with and the man was escorted across the bridge by Detective Griffin and several other officers, who took their man back to Buffalo yesterday.

SOUTH LANARK ELECTION. Clark, the Liberal Candidate, Elected by Eighteen Majority. OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—The election for the Provincial Parliament to elect a representative for the south riding of Lanark, took place yesterday.

There were four candidates in the field—Borrows and Lees, Conservatives; Clark, Liberal; Ferguson, Patron. The fight was keenly contested. Mr. J. M. Clark, the Liberal candidate, was elected by a small majority. The following are the full returns: Smith's Falls—Borrows, 20; Lees, 130; Clark, 23; Ferguson, 146. Perth—Borrows, 2; Lees, 298; Clark, 15; Ferguson, 83. North Elmsley—Borrows, 4; Lees, 66; Clark, 85; Ferguson, 46. South Sherbrooke—Borrows, 0; Lees, 78; Clark, 16; Ferguson, 24. Beckwith—Borrows, 11; Lees, 38; Clark, 68; Ferguson, 86. North Burgin—Borrows, 4; Lees, 15; Clark, 92; Ferguson, 14. Hastings—Borrows, 7; Lees, 30; Clark, 66; Ferguson, 268. Drummond—Borrows, 7; Lees, 93; Clark, 144; Ferguson, 28. Perth—Borrows, 0; Lees, 94; Clark, 902; Ferguson, 804. Majority for Clark, Liberal, 18.

INCENDIARISM IN GEORGETOWN. Dan Campbell's Brother-in-Law Agate suffers Loss by Fire. GEORGETOWN, Ont., Feb. 19.—A dwelling house owned by W. Brown, of Georgetown, was discovered to be on fire on Saturday morning. Citizens turned promptly but the flames had made such headway that the building was doomed and the structure was completely destroyed.

THE CHANCERY DIVISION. OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—The Chancery Division Court yesterday refused the application of Nicholas K. Conroy and Thomas McCreary for a new trial, with costs. Upon the question of jurisdiction the trial application was made, but Chancery Judge and Mr. Justice Ferguson and Mr. Justice Gwynne refused to grant a new trial. The case is now set for trial on the 23rd inst. at 10 o'clock.

DEFENCE OF CANADA. Mr. George Chesney, a Military Expert, Takes a Pessimist View. ADJT.-GEN POWELL'S OPINION. He Tells Why the Capture of Canada by Our American Cousins Would Prove Difficult of Accomplishment—Canadiana Would be Gained—and Resolved.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—A New York paper draws attention to the address made by Sir George Chesney, an English military expert, in which that authority said: "It would be impossible for us to prevent the occupation of Canada by the forces of the United States. It would neither be useful nor practicable for the Government to prepare any measure for the defence of Canada."

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THE BRITISH SITUATION. WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The President Minister received dispatches from the British Minister which indicated no important changes in the situation at Rio. He was, however, to correct the impression that was being circulated to the effect that the situation was not so serious as it was reported to be.

CHAMBERLAIN COMMITTEED. WINDSOR, Feb. 16.—Chas. Chamberlain, the Toronto politician, was brought before the police magistrate yesterday. He was charged with the possession of a revolver and a number of cartridges.

FRANCE. PARIS, Feb. 19.—Several deputies urged the Chamber recently to pass a law that all the reserved troops be sent to the front. The Chamber has refused to do so.

THE SECRET COMING OUT. HUNTSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 19.—Several days ago workmen, while tearing an old log house down on the Hill farm, south of this city, discovered the skeleton of a man under the floor. An empty pocket-book was found near it. The skeleton was identified as that of John McCallister, who lived in that neighborhood ten years ago.

NEWS TOPICS OF A WEEK. The Important Events in a Few Words for Busy Readers. A general election in Japan will be held in March. Jacques Louis Maitet, the well known French sculptor, is dead.

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