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Special Jacket Bargains

For Saturday, Dec. 1st

The season being so warm is the cause of it, but what's our loss is your gain. Plenty of winter coming yet, and you'll need one of these, and you'll never have a better chance than on Saturday next of buying an up-to-date Jacket at less than the materials in them is worth.

20 only Ladies' Jackets in fawn and black, bought late last season, and very little different from this season's goods, all sizes, worth from \$5.00 to \$10.00, on Saturday your choice at.....\$1.75

25 only, ladies' and misses' fawn, black and navy jackets, the very latest style in every particular, reg. price \$5.00, on Saturday your choice at.....\$3.98

The Finest Kersey, Beaver and Curl Jackets, worth \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, at Reduced Prices

They're the best—the most stylish—it will pay you to come 40 miles to get one of them.

Tremendous Reductions in Millinery

On Saturday we place on sale fifty Ladies' and Misses' Hats and Bonnets, the very latest styles, made up by our Milliners this week, worth \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00, your choice at

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50, and \$3.00

THOMAS STONE & SON

DIRECT IMPORTERS

NEW METHOD FINE CLOTHING

No matter whether you purchase or not come in and see what you cannot see elsewhere.



SUITS AND OVERCOATS

\$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 And \$15

Worthy Praise for Worthy Products

Every mind is capable of entertaining a certain amount of happiness. Happiness is altogether in one's taste, and scores of men of good taste have been made happy in the possession of "New Method" clothing—the world's finest attire.

Everybody is delighted with its introduction here. A few, and only a few, have said "It's too good for Chatham." Not so—we have many tasteful dressers in this city who can appreciate a good thing. Many, who have not yet purchased, have manifested their high appreciation of the stunning effects in the \$10.00 and \$15.00 Overcoats, all made of handsome and rare materials in the highest possible notch of style.

This argument, together with all the other meritorious makes which we carry, forms a strong link in our chain of perfect clothing. We are more than pleased with its reception.

The 2 T's

Trudell & Tobey SLATER SHOE AGENTS

Chinaware

From France

A well known fact is that the finest China is made in France. Once a year we import some very choice pieces of decorated Haviland China. No cheap gilt or printed goods, but all hand decorated and finished in gold. Our stock for this year is now opened.

SEE

"The Ark" Window and For Prices Assortment

Crimson Band and Gold Decorated Haviland China

Cups and Saucers, per dozen.....\$18.00
Teapots, per doz.....\$14.00
Breakfast Plates, per doz.....\$18.00
Sugar and Cream, 3 pos.....\$3.50
Spoon Trays, each.....\$1.75
Cake Plates, each.....\$2.00

Violet Decoration and Gold Stippled Haviland China

Cups and Saucers, per doz.....\$6.00
B. and B. Plates, per doz.....\$5.00
Berry Sets, 13 pos.....\$4.00
Chocolate Pots, each.....\$2.00
Spoon Trays.....75c and 90c
Muffin Dish, covered.....\$1.25
Comb and Brush Trays.....\$1.25

Make your choice soon and we will keep it until Christmas for you.

H. MACAULAY

DEADLY FOOTBALL.

A Game Which has so Far Cost 13 Lives

While 82 Other People are in the Hospital—A Roof Collapsed.

San Francisco, Nov. 30.—Thirteen people were killed and 82 badly injured by the collapse of the roof of the Pacific Glass Works on Fifteenth St., while it was crowded with men and boys watching a football game on the field adjoining. Over 100 people fell through the roof upon the red, hot furnaces and glass vats below. All were terribly burned, and it is feared that in addition to the deaths already reported, there will be several more.

Eighty-two persons, more or less injured, have been taken to the various hospitals or removed to their homes. Most of those killed or injured were boys between 9 and 16 years of age. Nearly all of the victims had their skulls fractured or limbs broken and sustained serious internal injuries. The portion of the roof which collapsed was merely the covering over the ventilator bars at the apex of the building, and was not constructed to sustain any heavy weight. The horizontal timbers in the centre, corresponding to the ridgepole of an ordinary structure, broke near the centre, and the light framework underneath, with its covering of corrugated iron, turned inward, forming a chute through which the men and boys were precipitated into the furnaces beneath. Only a few were actually burned to death, the majority being killed by the fall.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

A BRITISH DISASTER.

Boers Take Dewetsdorp.

ENEMY VIGOROUSLY PURSUED

AND A LARGE QUANTITY OF LOOT RECOVERED—ENGLAND WORRIED OVER THE SOUTH AFRICAN SITUATION.

London, Nov. 30.—Lord Roberts cables from Johannesburg, under date of Wednesday, Nov. 29:

"The De Wetdorp garrison of two guns of the 68th field battery, with detachments of the Gloucestershire regiment, the Highland Light Infantry and Irish Rifles, 400 in all, were defeated at 3.30 p.m., Nov. 28. Our losses were 15 men killed and 42 wounded, including Maj. H. Jansen and Capt. Digby. The enemy is said to be 2,500 strong. Four hundred men were despatched from Edenburg to relieve De Wetdorp, but they did not succeed in reaching there in time. Knox joined this force, and found De Wetdorp evacuated. Seventy-five sick and wounded had been left there. Knox pursued, and is reported to have successfully engaged Steyn and De Wet, near Vaalbank, Nov. 27. They retired west and southwest. Knox's messenger failed to get through, so I have no details."

A TELL OF ALARM.

Great Britain Does not Like the South African Situation.

London, Nov. 30.—The disaster at De Wetdorp has sent a thrill of alarm through Great Britain. The censorship continues so strict that there is no hope of arriving at a clear conception of the actual condition of affairs in South Africa.

For instance, independent accounts of the subsequent proceedings and the recapture of De Wetdorp, give ample details, but nothing to announce the capture of two Boer wagons and a quantity of loot; but there is not the slightest mention of the surrender of 400 British troops and two guns, which were not even disabled, inasmuch as the Boers were able to use them against the British relief forces.

The "ubiquitous De Wet," seems to have again gotten away, and so far as is now known that the captured British have been liberated.

Taking into consideration the enigmatical military situation north of the

Orange river, the smouldering rebellion in Cape Colony, the rumors that France has promised Mr. Kruger to press arbitration on England if he is able to get the support of Germany, and that Lord Kitchener, after all, is not to be given the chief command in South Africa, the British government will meet the new parliament next week at an exceedingly inopportune moment.

No attempt is made to conceal the extreme irritation felt at the adoption of a vote of sympathy with Mr. Kruger by the French chamber of deputies. The morning papers are unanimous in declaring that no intervention of any kind will be allowed to change Great Britain's policy.

The Daily Mail publishes an interview with Mr. Zaideman, a loyalist member of the Cape assembly, who is now in England as a delegate of the vigilance committee. Mr. Zaideman admits the gravity of the situation. He advocates the proclamation of martial law and expresses the opinion that "the only thing which prevents a rising is the lack of arms and ammunition."

REFOOK THE LOOT.

Col. Pilcher Successfully Overhauls the Raiding Boers.

Cape Town, Nov. 30.—Gen. Knox, by a rapid march of 26 miles, succeeded in getting in front of Gen. De Wet, placing himself between the Boers and the Orange river. De Wet is now believed to be going westward to join Herizog at Boomplaatz.

Col. Pilcher had a smart skirmish Tuesday, Nov. 27, with a part of Gen. De Wet's command, which was conveying loot captured at De Wetdorp. The Boers retreated, abandoning a portion of the loot and a large number of horses. Former President Steyn and Gen. De Wet were in close proximity to the scene of the fighting, but they eluded the British.

The Boers were so tenacious that Col. Pilcher's men actually reached a position within 30 yards of them, where revolver shots were exchanged. The Boers shelled the British with 15-pounders, captured at De Wetdorp.

Ex-President Steyn and Gen. De Wet, who were breakfasting at a farm near by, rode off to westward, leaving the British front clear.

The British casualties were one man killed and six men wounded. Several Boers who had been wounded were found by the British.

Steyn and De Wet have since been reported to be encamped to the westward, between Helvetia and the railroad, but the command appears to have broken up into three bodies.

District Commissioner Boyle, of De Wetdorp, remains in the custody of the burghers.

Many farmers in the district have joined Gen. De Wet.

The government of Cape Colony has refused the application for special trains to facilitate attendance at the people's congress at Worcester, Dec. 6. The government officials declare such

meetings are undesirable in the present unsettled state of the country. J. W. Sauer, the former commissioner of public works, in a speech just delivered at Paarl, this colony, declared the Afrikaners had always been loyal and that if they ever became otherwise Great Britain would only have herself to blame.

\$1.25

A..... Shoe

A piece of bright dongola kid, a piece of clear sole leather, a few nails, the best silk, all combined by the best of workmen, make our new Women's Laced Boots, the best value for the price, \$1.25, Chatham ever saw. All Sizes.

Geo. W. Cowan

\$1.25

The Northway Co., Limited

The Busy Cash Store

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Saturday at The Cash Store

Boys' Refers

The best values in the city at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

IN order to start December month off with a rush we have prepared the biggest bargains of the season for Saturday buyers. It will pay you to come direct to the only strictly one cash price store in Chatham and secure your choice of these startling values. Everything marked in plain figures at quick selling prices. Shop as early in the day as possible. We're ready at 8 o'clock.

Big Break in Jacket Prices

Ladies' Black Boucle jackets, this season's styles, coat collar, double front, rich metallic lining, clearing at.....\$3.35
14 only, Beaver Frieze and Curl Jackets, good heavy quality, smart fitting styles, black, blue and fawn shades, reg. \$5, \$6 and \$7.50, clearing.....\$3.75
Heavy All-wool and Frieze Beaver Coats, latest American styles, 19 to 21 in. long, rich roman satin linings, perfect fitting, in fawn, navy and black, clearing at.....\$4.95
Ladies' Jackets, superior quality beaver, kersey and dunn cloth, smart up-to-date styles, stitched braid and applique trimmed, rich heavy satin and merzerized linings, black, fawn, cardinal and navy shades, sold reg. at \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10, clearing Saturday at.....\$5.90
5 only, Tailor-made Suits, fine quality costume cloth, in dark mixtures, very latest cut skirt, best grade linings, velvet facing, coat lined with rich roman satin, fly front, coat collar, perfect fitting suits, worth up to \$10, clearing at.....\$4.35
DRESS GOODS REMNANTS
or lot about \$5 in all, in lengths of 1 1/2 yds., the choicest this season's materials, a rare opportunity to secure a waist, skirt or child's dress length, black and navy, shades, clearing at.....HALF PRICE
Dress Linings, 3 pos. best quality Gilbert Perceleine black moire ground, with fancy stripes, guaranteed fast colors, sold reg. at 25c yd., clearing at.....12 1/2c
Canadian Stocking Yarn, 30 lb. only, in gray and black, 2 and 3 ply, clean, smart special line, reg. 50c per lb., clearing Saturday.....40c
3 pos. Heavy Cylon Wrapper Flannel, superior quality, in stripes and checks, colors blue, green and purple, fast dyes, reg. 30c a yard, clearing Saturday.....12 1/2c
Heavy All-Wool Halifax Tweeds, splendid wearing quality, in colors gray, brown and fawn, suitable for men or boys' wear, worth 35c a yard, special.....25c
5 doz. Men's Fine Scotch, Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, superior weight and quality, latest facings, double front, rib skirt, reg. \$2.00 a suit, clearing Saturday at each.....75c
10 doz. Men's Ties, rich silk and satin, four-in-hands and knots, splendid range of new patterns, reg. 25c each, Saturday TWO for.....25c
Fiscos Lined Underwear, another lot of special line, necking to equal them in the city under 75c, special 50c
Men's Cardigan Jackets, made from fine imported wools, firm, elastic, rib weave, wonderful values at each \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and.....\$2.50
Men's Working Shirts, heavy Loch Lomond Flannel and knit shirts, full sizes, superior values at each.....50c
25 doz. Children's Rib Vests, heavy weight, long sleeves, elastic rib, soft fleecy finish, at each 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 17c, 18c and.....22c
Children's Combinations, fleece lined, long sleeves, fine Egyptian rib, sizes 4 to 14 years, at each 30c, 35c and.....40c
Ladies' Vests, fine, heavy quality, long sleeves, buttoned front, silk trimmed yokes, our great leader at.....25c
Ladies' Fine Union and All-Wool Vests, soft fleecy finish, elastic shaped rib, buttoned front, silk trimmed yokes, drawers to match, extra values at each 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and.....\$1.25
10 doz. Boys' Heavy Rib Hose, all-wool quality, double soles, seamless feet, classic weave, extra length, all sizes up to 10 in., the pair special 25c
Ladies' Trimmed Hats—1 Table hand-somely trimmed Hats, latest Parisian styles, worth up to \$5.00, Saturday.....\$2.45
Young Men's Ulsters, extra quality all-wool frieze, strong tweed linings, thoroughly well made, worth up to \$6.50, clearing Saturday at.....\$4.50
Men's Imported Kersey Overcoats, superior for pure wool quality, best grade Italian linings, French facings, satin piping, real mohair sleeve linings, in black and navy, equal in every respect to anything in the city at \$15, our special price.....\$10.00
Special Bargains in Ladies' Fur Coats and Capes Saturday.

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