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We keep things moving so lively that we always have fresh clean goods for our customers, and no one has ever denied the fact that our

### PRICES are RIGHT and REASONABLE.

Nowhere on the map will you find a better place to deal than right here.

**Mottled FLANNEL**

We offer 1000 yards, in Grey and Fawn color, 5

**12 ct. quality for 8 cts.**

These we are reserving for retail only.

**Men's WINTER CAPS,**

**60c. quality for 40c.**

Woven and fur bands; our special.

**WINTER GLOVES,**

for men, women and children.

**REDUCED ONE QUARTER.**

## Sweeping Reductions in Men's Overcoats.

Blue Beavers and Heavy Tweeds.

In some cases the reductions are more than a QUARTER.

## Dress Goods! Dress Goods!

Necessity knows no law and good merchandizing judgment makes it necessary for us to relieve our crowded shelves in our Dress Goods department.

### WE HAVE CUT 1-4 OFF

ALL PRICES in Dress Goods in order to reduce our stock.

BARGAINS in  
**WORKING SHIRTS,**  
for Men.

BARGAINS in  
**Ladies' Golf JERSEYS,**

BARGAINS in  
**Infants' WOOL GOODS,**  
Mits, Caps, Gaiters, etc.

Cut Prices are for Cash Only.

# MARSHALL Bros.

### The Dreaded Black Hand.

Terrible Fate of a Woman of Great Beauty—Murdered in Naples—Crimes Mysterious and Ruthless—The Camorra Punishing Treachery.

The town of Viterbo, in Italy, about forty miles north of Rome, and three times that distance from Naples, is at the present moment the scene of a very remarkable trial. Thirty-one members of the infamous Black Hand Society, known as the Camorra, are on trial for two murders which took place nearly five years ago, one of them in Naples and the other outside

the city at a lonely spot. Almost an army of soldiers and police has been drafted into the peaceful little town. The trial is being held there on account of the renewed excitement at Naples on the reopening of the case, and the presence of large numbers of friends and sympathizers of the accused. It is a remarkable coincidence that this trial should open at the moment when London is so deeply moved by the Houndsditch crimes, which have many aspects similar to those committed by members of secret societies abroad. The history of the Italian crimes is startling in the extreme.

On the night of June 5, 1906, an Italian woman of exceptional beauty was found murdered in her bed in a house in one of the central streets of Naples. She was known to a wide

restless, with astonishment, apprehension, fear. The Camorrist leader arrested, named Erricone, a man whose reckless daring and inexhaustible cunning had alone raised him to his position of leader. He had been seen with three friends close to the scene of Cuocolo's murder, and on the same night, it was sufficient to justify his arrest. For fifty days he and the three men were kept in prison, but in spite of diligent search and inquiry no further evidence they were brought against them, and they were released. Even the populace went to cheer them as they left the hands of their custodians, and in time the two murders, of Cuocolo on the lonely road and of La Sorrentina in her bed at Naples, passed out of the popular mind. The release of Erricone and his companions did not, however, close the case, for, at any rate, one enterprising and enthusiastic Italian. This was a man named Capuzzo, a sergeant of the Carabinieri. It must be here stated that between the Carabinieri and the police of Naples there had always existed an irreconcilable rivalry. Capuzzo, in the course of his investigations, learned that in an Italian prison there was a man named Abbatemaggio, who, having been expelled from the Camorra, boasted, in revenge, that he knew the guilty hands that had done the foul murders of Cuocolo and La Sorrentina. After much questioning, threatening and other means, Abbatemaggio told a story to the effect that the Camorrist suspecting that Cuocolo was acting both for them and for the police, laid traps for him.

A Camorra tribunal held a meeting and decided unanimously, Erricone being at their head, that Cuocolo and his wife should die. Six of the most resolute of the gang were selected to carry out the dread sentence. Their plan was to waylay Cuocolo on the road, murder him, and take his keys from him and then return to Naples enter her house with her dead husband's key, and carry out the Black Hand sentence on La Sorrentina. These facts were communicated to the head of the Naples police. This man, jealous that a member of the Carabinieri had discovered them, declared that there was no truth in the story. The Carabinieri therefore determined to act on their own initiative. In short, they promptly seized every member of the Camorra who had any hand in the sentence of death passed on Cuocolo and his wife. Their action was entirely and enthusiastically supported by the people of Naples, who, but a short time previously, had cheered the released Camorrist, Erricone, who, on hearing of the proposed sentence, fled to America, was extradited, and placed in safe custody with the rest. All this was in the spring of 1907, and since then the authorities have been making the case stronger every day with fresh evidence. The case will probably last a considerable time, but it is certain that one of the greatest efforts ever made by the Italian authorities to deal once and for all with the scourge of the Camorra and its kindred hoodlums, is being developed. No less than one hundred lawyers are engaged in the case, a large number of them taking part in the defence of the thirty-one accused men.

### Smallpox Outbreak.

**NINE HOUSES QUARANTINED.**

Hon. J. C. Crosbie had the following telegram yesterday afternoon from Magistrate A. Vatcher:—

"Two cases smallpox at Northern Bay; nine houses quarantined; need a doctor; will you appoint one?"

A half an hour after the message was received Mr. Crosbie had dispatched a physician, who was instructed to look after the patients, and has taken up his duties. People of the place must have had intercourse with the families where the stricken ones reside, this accounting for so many residences being quarantined. Though the disease is of a mild type every effort will be made to prevent its spreading amongst the people over there. No new cases are reported from Carbonear.

### Largely Attended.

The funeral of Mrs. Dwyer, who died a couple of days ago at her home, Holywood, took place Monday forenoon and was attended by a concourse of people from that place, Mr. Main, Avondale and other settlements. Before the funeral a High Mass of Requiem was chanted, the celebrant being Rev. Fr. Finn, while assisting at the sacred function were Rev. Monsignor Velch and Revs. P. S. Donnelly and Sheehan. Under the supervision of Mr. Sheehan, the charge of the funeral arrangements had, went out by Saturday evening's train, taking a very beautiful casket, in which the remains were enclosed. The deceased lady was well known and highly esteemed in the District of Harbor Main.

### Is Doing Well.

Mrs. Hy. Johnson, who was run down and hurt by Dr. Duncan's horse and some ribs broken with severe injuries to her face, is doing well in hospital. Mr. Johnson asks us to convey the report published by a contemporary that the accident was caused in a great measure by defective earing on the part of his wife. He says that her sense of hearing is perfect and that the unfortunate affair falls heavily upon him.

### Earth Frozen Up.

The Council's men and others who had occasion to open up the earth for repairs to pipes and mains say that the frost has penetrated to a depth of four feet. This they say is due to the lack of snow, a couple of feet of which would shelter it and keep the frost from going so far down in the soil. Farmers would have welcomed a good snow fall in the early part of the winter to protect the ground from the frost, which tends to kill the young roots and must have a detrimental effect on grass and hay crops.

### Doyle Victimized a Second Time.

People from the Goulets reported yesterday that Mr. James Doyle who lives alone in a house near the Goulets bridge, was the victim of another larceny Monday, when \$6 was stolen from his trunk kept in his room. He is absent from home when the larceny was committed, and on investigating found that a boy of the neighborhood had obtained a key which fitted his trunk, and gaining access to the house opened the receptacle and stole the cash. He will report the matter to the police. A couple of weeks ago an individual went into his room and stole \$12 from his trunk, but Sergt. Byrne who looked into the case recovered the money.

### May Cause Infection.

The people who reside on Carter's Hill, just below the Strong household, whence have come two fever patients, are fearful that they will become infected with typhus if more care is not exercised. They say that refuse water thrown in the drain from the house pass their doors and must be germ laden. Night pails are also left out on the street from the infected residence, and yesterday were not removed until late in the morning. This matter should be looked after.

### Mr. Spence Dead.

Mr. Wm. Spence, a resident of the West End, and a native of Trinity, died Monday after an illness of three months. The deceased worked as stockman at the Horwood Lumber Co. for the last nine years and was well and favourably known. He leaves to mourn him a widow and one daughter.

### Nerves Were Exhausted.

Wants others to know of her remarkable cure by use of DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD.

Mrs. Martin's condition as described in her letter below gives some idea of the extraordinary, reconstructive power of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. Such cases as this have placed Dr. Chase's Nerve Food where it stands today as the most popular and most effective nerve restorative that money will buy. Que., writes:—'Before I began using Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food I was in a terrible condition. Dizzy spells would come over me and I would fall to the floor in a faint. I could not even sweep the floor without fainting and my nervous system seemed to be entirely exhausted.

### In Better Quarters.

The destitute Davis family were removed to a habitable domicile yesterday afternoon. The family are now supplied with food and firing and comfortable bedding, and are thankful to the kind-hearted people who came to their assistance, and particularly so to His Excellency and Lady Willoughby for their kindly aid.

### MANY PEOPLE ILL.

The severe frost of the past month or more has injuriously affected many citizens. Laggings of an aggravated type is very prevalent and hardly a house in the city but has some one ill in it. Amongst children whooping cough and throat troubles are in evidence, but very little diphtheria is reported.

### Electric Restorer for Men Phosphorus.

Restores every nerve in the body to its proper tension; restores vitality; cures all nervous weakness, vertigo, etc. Phosphorus will make you a new man. Price \$1 a box, or two for \$1.50. Mailed any address. The Scotchell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

### ANOTHER GOOD HOUSE.

The reproduction of the "Convict's Daughter" in the T. A. Hall by the Harkins Co. last night brought another large audience, who were delighted with the performance. The company tonight produce "Pierre of the Plains" by special request. A full house should greet it.

### PAID FOR SHEEP DESTROYED.

The firm of D. Dooley, butchers, yesterday received recompense for sheep destroyed by dogs during last fall. There were in all 12 killed by the canines, and for each the sum of \$8 was paid, or \$96 in all. If more sheep and less dogs were raised in this country more material advantage would accrue to the people.

### ENGINE 102 REPAIRED.

Engine 102, which had been in the R. N. Co's repair shops for the past 8 weeks and was put under thorough repairs, was towed up to the round house yesterday afternoon preparatory to being again put in commission, and will start to-day to take up its run between Bishop's Falls and Bay of Islands.

## DO YOU USE



# SUNLIGHT SOAP?

If you have never used Sunlight in your home, try it to-day.

Use Sunlight in the Laundry; use it in the kitchen; use it in the house-cleaning generally. Sunlight does all the work quickly and at the same time thoroughly.

### Here and There.

**GOLD PIN,** with initials M. J., on it, has been found, and is at this office.

Mr. J. L. Slattery, Secretary of the Municipal Council, left by the Bruce express last evening for a trip to Canada and the United States.

"Robinson Crusoe," musical comedy, great fun. — Bishop, Field College Hall, Wednesday at 8 p.m. Doors open at 7.30. Admission 30 and 20c.

**OPENING THE HOUSE.** — Contingents from the City Brigades and men from the Calypso will be present at drills to keep the streets from flooding.

### May Have Visiting Team.

The rink directors having decided not to invite a hockey team this year, five well known sporting gentlemen have taken it upon themselves to invite a team; and this morning are telegraphing several Maritime Province teams to enquire if they can come. It is said that in all probability it will be New Glasgow. If New Glasgow accepts, lovers of hockey will see some good games, as they are said to have a strong team. Our boys can also get a strong seven together. As soon as word is received of the team coming, our boys will get right down to hard practice. We congratulate the enterprise of the above sporting gentlemen.

### Dr. de Van's Female Pills

A reliable French regulator never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Refuse all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at \$1 a box, or three for \$1.50. Mailed to any address. The Scotchell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

**OPENING DRAINS.** — The Council now has a number of men at work in different parts of the city opening drains to keep the streets from flooding when a thaw occurs.

McKinley Music for Piano, Organ and Violin, Mandolin and Guitar, only 10 cents a copy. Ask for 1911 catalogue. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Agent for Newfoundland.—Feb. 24.

### To-Night's Match.

The Victorias and Feldians face each other in the League Hockey match at the Prince's Rink to-night, and a good game should result.

The line up will be:—

Feldians,	goal	Victorias,
Lilly	point	Cunningham
Jeffrey	cover	Vincent
Collier	cover	Faulds
Dickinson	rover	Billy
Martin	centre	Tolin
White	right	Beka
Pinsent	left	Parsons

### The Ladies' Guild.

The Young Street Ladies Guild of St. Andrew's Church held a largely attended meeting in the Presbyterian Hall last night, under the auspices of the Musical Committee. Vocal selections were given by Misses Strang and Gibb, and a piano solo by Miss Ross. A pleasant evening was spent and while the ladies engaged also in preparing fancy work to be disposed of at the Sociable next week.

### Dividends Declared.

At a recent meeting of the Calypso Whaling Co., a dividend of 15 per cent was declared.

The Standard Manufacturing Co. recently declared 7 per cent, and added \$5,000 to reserve account.

While the Empire Wood Working Co. declared a dividend of 10 per cent.

### Here and There.

**HOCKEY MATCH.**—Victorias vs. Feldians, Prince's Rink, to-night, at 7.30 sharp.—ad. 1.

Stifford's Liniment cures Rheumatism within thirty six hours. Only 12c. per bottle.—Feb. 4, 11.

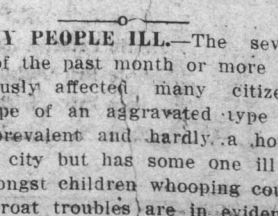
The charity concert at the Star Theatre drew a large audience last night, and proved to be most entertaining. A number of our best vocalists with the boys of Mount Cashill will perform to-night, and a good house is assured.

### COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE.

LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy removes cause. Call for full name. Look for signature E. W. GROVE 2c.

The card journey in the B. I. S. Roads last night was participated in by a large number of members. Twenty-three closely contested games were played and Messrs. E. J. Hawling and T. Ryan having tied were presented with handsome wood pipes.

### BY SPECIAL WARRANT OF APPOINTMENT



TO H. M. THE KING

D. O.

## American White Blouses

Just arrived at our White Sale!

Worth \$2.00 to \$2.50

**Factory Price ..... \$1.40**

Worth \$1.90

**Factory Price ..... \$1.25**

Worth \$1.60

**Factory Price ..... 95 cts**

The presence of our representative at a great Auction Sale, enabled us to secure this splendid lot of Blouses.

## P. F. COLLINS,

The Mail Order Man.

# JAC

## TAILORS'

**\$13.00,**

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**\$14.00,**

**\$15.00.**

This is from well settings. They are the BEST ever offered. New Tailors.

We have a fine bargain. We Suits from the same quest we will send Patrons.

# JACKIE

### RUSSIAN DOCTOR'S SPECIALTY WATER POISON

ST. PETERSBURG, Russia. Pantechenko, whose speciality has been the treatment of undesirable relatives, has brought out in connection with testimony of medical science, Pantechenko, in connection with de Lassy, is charged with the murder of de Lassy's brother-in-law, Bouturlin, the heir to a fortune which it is alleged de Lassy had inherited from his wife.

Dr. Henrich, a veterinarian at the Pes Laboratory in Khabarovsk, testified that the poison was several tubes of children's medicine which he reconstituted for scientific purposes.

At this point Pantechenko took to the court that de Lassy had finished him with money for the Kronstadt, and he added that the tubes of poison to the Court.

Dr. Scablotny, the physician who recently returned from a mission of China, was then called to testify that Pantechenko had told him for diphtheria serum.

The witness gave him diphtheria fluid form. Later on he testified that the fluid lacked killing power, but this was unknown to Pantechenko. Then the counsel asked the witness what he did with the fluid, later replied that he threw it away.

Another to whom Pantechenko for poison was Dr. Zhdanovsk, latter being called, testified that doctor came to the Institute of Mental Medicine and asked for diphtheria toxin. The witness gave several assay tubes and told him minimum non-fatal dose.

The presiding Judge interrupted inquiring what Pantechenko did