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A Great Remnant Sale On Friday

Commencing Friday Morning We will Sell at
One Half Price

Remnants of Black and Colored Dress Goods, Black and Colored Silks, in lengths of 1½ yds. to 6 yds., suitable for waists, skirts and children's dresses, ends of the most desirable goods we have had in stock this season, on sale Friday, Morning at

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POOR WING WAU KEE BECAME SOMEWHAT TIRED

Had Been Shipped Many Hundred Miles Like Goods—No City Gave Him the Glad Hand—Finally he Ponied up and Windsor Sheltered Him.

For the first time since the Canadian government placed a tax on Chinese entering Canada, a Celestial has made his entry at the Windsor customs. The Chinaman's name is Wing Wau Kee, and the trouble he has had in gaining entrance to the Dominion would make a good foundation for a novel. He sailed from Hong Kong on the City of Japan, and landed at Vancouver. When he stepped ashore he was put in bond the same as dutiable merchandise, and shipped to Boston over the Canadian Pacific Railway. Arrived at the home of the bean eaters, it was found that Wing Wau Kee's credentials were not sufficient to entitle him to citizenship in the Hub, and he was promptly bundled on board a train, and shipped, again, in bond, to the Canadian frontier. Wau Kee was becoming tired of his flying trips from one point to another, and when he reached Montreal, he wished to remain there, but the immigrant inspectors were firm in their decision that the Chinese must locate elsewhere, and he was reshipped under sealed orders. This time the railway brought him to Detroit, and he had taken a glance at the beautiful De-

troit river from the deck of the transfer boat when he was spotted by one of Uncle Sam's customs officers. The latter made some inquiries, and, then, turned Wing Wau Kee over to the immigration inspector, who lost no time in escorting the, by this time, astonished Celestial to the ferry boat with instructions to remain on the Canadian side of the river. But again he ran foul of officials, and his business, place of residence, etc., were inquired into more thoroughly than if he had been a stranger crossing the Russian border. With tears in his eyes, Wau Kee asked to be allowed to remain in Windsor, to settle down and become a good citizen. He produced letters from Hong Kong which attested his being a good Chinese, and he also had a certificate with his own photograph attached. He was informed that it would cost him a matter of \$100, to be paid forthwith, to remain in Windsor, and that this sum did not pay for any lodging house or board. As he was well fixed with coin he soon made out the necessary papers, attached his signature and was allowed to go into the city. He lost no time in locating one of the Chinese laundries and yesterday was hard at work squirting water over the front of a shirt waist and ironing out the ruffles with the dexterity only possessed by a native of the Celestial kingdom.

HIS MAJESTY HONORS THE HEROES OF WAR

They Receive Their Medals From the King's Hands—Impressive Spectacle—Treacherous Boers Courtmartialled—Dewet's Cousin Addresses Pro-Boer Meeting

London, June 12.—London seldom had a finer spectacle than was witnessed on the Horse Guards parade this morning, when King Edward presented medals to three thousand soldier participants in the South African campaign. The great square was lined with guards, drawn from the various regiments. In the centre of the ground was a purple covered dais, surmounted by an Indian tent, with silver corner-poles. In the space between the dais and St. James Park were drawn up three thousand officers and men of the Guards, Household Cavalry and City Imperial Volunteers, all of whom had served in the campaign. The Admiralty, Horse Guards and other official buildings fronting the parade were all decorated with flags. The Lord Mayor, Frank Green, attended in state, and the members of the special Moorish Embassy, in picturesque costumes, were interested spectators. Promptly at 11 o'clock the King, in a field marshal's uniform, the Queen, Princess Victoria and other members of the royal family, arrived and took up places on the dais, and the ceremony began. The recipients of the medals, in a long line, marched past the King, who received the decoration from his Majesty, saluted and passed on. Lord Roberts came first, followed by Lord Milner, while behind them came crowds of generals and lesser officers whose names have become familiar owing to the war. Buller, Ian Hamil-

ton and a host of others. Among the members of Lord Roberts's South African staff who received the medal was Captain the Duke of Marlborough. The procession, as a whole, was most incongruous. The officers of the Guards, Lancers, Hussars and Highlanders, in dazzling uniforms, rows of solemnly-garbed men in frock coats, doctors who had served at the front, and half a dozen foreign attaches in uniform. There were also groups of time-expired men in civilian clothing, policemen and wounded soldiers, limping along in hospital clothes. The ceremony lasted nearly three hours, the Queen standing beside the King throughout.

TWO BOERS SHOT.
Pretoria, June 12.—Two Boers have been court-martialled and shot for trying to escape from Pretoria and to rejoin their commandos, after having taken the oath of neutrality.

DEWET'S COUSIN.
Berlin, June 12.—Andries De Wet, a cousin of General De Wet, the Boer commander, last night addressed a pro-Boer mass meeting in the Philharmonie. Ten thousand persons were present, and the speaker's utterances were received with enthusiastic demonstrations.

LORD MILNER'S RETURN.
London, June 12.—In the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, Colonial Secretary Chamberlain stated that Lord Milner of Cape Town, Governor of the Transvaal and Orange River Colony, will return to South Africa in August.

A DARING BRAKEMAN

How the Unfortunate Beavely Came to his Sudden Death.

Chathamite Who saw him When the Train passed Through Tilbury at Forty Miles an Hour.

"I saw that brakeman Beavely, who was killed near Fargo Tuesday night, just about twenty minutes before he met his death," said Joseph Tilt, of this city, to The Planet last evening. "I was in the hotel by the track at Tilbury and I heard a goods train come thundering along at about forty miles an hour. I went out and I saw Beavely. The first fourteen cars of the train he was on were flat cars loaded with stone slabs and the unfortunate brakeman was making his way along the cars on a narrow strip just at the edge and he was hanging on to the stone. I noticed that the man was in a dangerous position and I remarked to one of the men near me that there was a man who was putting a precarious trust in stone. The man had to take horrible chances and I really wasn't surprised to hear that he had fallen off and been killed. They say after he fell some seven trains passed to and fro over him."

"The accident recalled a frightful accident that happened in Detroit while I was in the freight department there. A new man, an Englishman recently from the old sod, was working in the yard. He was at the freight office and was called to make a shunt. I bet him a cigar that he wouldn't make it the first time, re-bounds barred. Had he stuck to the terms of the bet his life would have been saved but he went in to make the coupling on the rebound. One of the cars was a freight and the other was laden with lumber. The first impact of the two cars had shifted the lumber and when the cars came together the second time, the shifted lumber caught the yardman's head and crushed it. "I saw his light go out and, turning to James Couzens, another old Chatham boy, I said, 'something is wrong. We both ran down and found the most sickening sight that I have ever seen my misfortune to behold. The man's head was crushed flat, his tongue was hanging out, and his eyes bulged away out of his head. The very thought of that scene makes me shudder even now.'"

Mamma—Ethel, what do you mean by shouting in that disgraceful fashion? See how quiet Willie is.

Ethel—Of course he's quiet; that's our game. He's papa coming home late, and I'm you.

The man who would rather fight than eat never has, to eat his own words.

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LACROSSE CLUB

Enthusiastic Meeting of Maple City Young Men—Re-organize for the Ensuing Season.

One of the most enthusiastic lacrosse meetings ever known in Chatham was held in the parlors of the Grand Central Hotel last evening.

The meeting was called for the purpose of reorganizing the club. This was done and the boys are now ready to turn out and practice and put new life into the team.

The following is a list of those present at the meeting last evening: A. Richardson, W. Wilson, A. Jahnke, B. Northwood, A. Hutchinson, A. Moffat, Geo. Willard, A. Wigley, W. Chrysler, C. Williston, E. B. Fetterly, E. Williston and others.

E. Williston occupied the chair and presided over the election of the following officers:
Hon. Pres.—G. P. Schofield.
President.—A. Richardson.
Vice-Pres.—R. Gray.
Sec.—Frank A. Hutchinson.
Capt.—J. W. Wilson.

Executive committee—M. Fraser, A. Jahnke, W. Elliott, W. Jahnke and J. W. Wilson.

The team will hold its first practice next Friday evening on Tecumseh Park, when everybody who has played or will play lacrosse is requested to be on hand.

Lacrosse promises to be the popular game in Chatham this year. The secretary is now communicating with the captains of the Kingsville, Thamesville, Wallaceburg and Dresden teams with a view to forming a lacrosse league.

The Chatham team is now open for challenges from any outside club and would like to arrange for a game at an early date.

AT THE PINES

Delightful Piano Recital by Students at Ursuline Academy Last Evening—Creditable Program.

"Delicately decorated with many chaste, beautiful and fragrant flowers—arranged with exquisite taste and alluring abandon—the assembly hall at The Pines presented a most attractive and picturesque appearance on the occasion of the delightful piano recital by the pupils last evening."

The program was an exceedingly brilliant one, evidencing the careful and skilful training meted out and the proficiency attained by the students. The audience was large and much pleased.

The first number—an instrumental duo, 1st piano, Miss Sullivan; 2nd piano, Miss Edmondson—was very brilliant. Miss Sullivan, of Troy, N. Y., exhibited a good technique and fine interpretation. Miss Edmondson's contribution was excellent.

On account of illness Miss Marie O'Leary was not able to contribute her part of the program. In place thereof a vocal number was substituted and proved very acceptable. The semi-chorus was "Ring Out, Wild Bells," by Tennyson, and the young ladies are to be complimented on its soulful rendition.

Miss Mary C. Sullivan, of the senior class, performed excellently in her three piano selections, which were much appreciated.

Miss H. Thomas, a junior pupil of exceptional ability, also contributed a triple number in a most captivating manner.

The splendid work of Miss Mabel Edmondson in her solo numbers was universally admired and brought many eulogies.

Miss Eva Deziel, of the junior class, made a most creditable showing by her excellent work.

The program in its entirety was exceedingly fine, reflecting great credit upon the young ladies who took part and their consecrated and accomplished teacher.