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one who can properly fit you with glasses, and when you get them you should not think they will do because you see a little better with them. You Must Know they are exactly right.

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During Our Whitewear Sale

We find many lines that require your attention being drawn to them, that are not whitewear or white goods so to-day we remind you that our Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers are being disposed of at Bargain Prices. There are still four months to wear these goods before you need the print goods. The following prices will be a guide for you :-

Red and Black Flannelette Wrapper, made with yoke lined waist, very full skirt, material perfectly fast color, all sizes.; our regular price \$1.39; special, \$1.25.

Blue and Black Flannelette Wrapper, scroll pattern, also ne tweed patterns, yoke front and back, very full skirt, waist lined; regular price, \$1.75; special, \$\$1.50.

Fancy Wrapperette Wrappers, black grounds, fancy figured designs; regular price \$2.00; special, \$1.75.

We have others, more elaborately trimmed, at \$2.00 d \$2.25.

Ask to see our Flannelette Blouses at 75 Cents \$1.00.

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A Great Slaughtering of LEWIS & PATTERSON Slaughter Sale.

Men's Furnishings.

Men's Wool Hose.

Brockville Ontario Men's Wool Underwear.

Kid Mitts and Gloves.

An unusually large stock and right goods, too. We ask you to see the Lined Kid Gloves we offer at 50c, Also a splendid assortment of Mocha Gloves.

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A good warm Scotch Knit Gloves, all lined throughout with Fleeced Wool, special at 50 cents per pair.

o your own interest if you neglect to ake care of your eyes. It isn't every Men's Dressing Gowns.

A large and well assorted stock of Dressing Gowns and House Coats to select from at closest prices. Also Pyjama Suits and Flannel Night Shirts which you may need. It's of the utmost importance you have Warm Flannels

Men's Ties. We probably have the largest and best assortment of Silk Ties in this part of Canada, and you will find our stock fully up sany city store. Come and have a look through thi otock and you may find just what you want.

To Buy Right Goods

Buy from Lewis & Patterson.

ROSES Fine

J. HAY & SONS, BROCKVILLE Florists and Decorators

British Ships Leave Port Arthur. A semi-official communication received at St. Petersburg, purporting to emanate from London, says that the British war vessels at Port Arthur have been ordered to leave there without delay. Regarding this communication, the following semi-official note has been published in London: "The British vessels which recently visited Port Arthur merely touched there in the course of their ordinary cruises, and would naturally leave after a short stay. The question of calling and departure is one at the discretion of the British admiral on the station."

A Coaling Experiment.

This week there will be combined coal-

This week there will be combined coal-ing operations at Portsmouth, with the view of testing the facilities for coaling a fleet in case of an emergency. Hicks-Beach the Lion

Discussing the situation in China, the ondon correspondent of the New York London correspondent of the New York Sun cables his paper:
"The most wholesome and refreshing feature of the situation is the eager and unanimous welcome which all Great Britain has given to the verile and vigorous polloy to which the Salisburg Government has committed feelf. No declaration of the Ministry has ever been received with such assisfaction and unanimity. Englishmen of all parties received Sir Michael Hicks Beach's words with immense relief, and the country has witnessed in the past few days a wonderful revival of self-respect, which has acted like a tonic and an inapiration to public spirit. It is for

Weekly Reviews in Line.

The Spectator says: "The country as a whole, though hardly yet fully awake to the situation, is resolutely with the Government. The masses will follow the two front benches eagerly if America declares upon our side, but in any case with patient resolution. The notion that this country has been of late too submissive to the Continent has gone deep into their minds. They are sure the cause of the freedom of commerce is a worthy cause, and they are convinced that as the war must be maritime, the chances for and against their country are at all events adjust be maritime, the chances for and against their country are at all events fairly equal. The whole kingdom, therefore, though utterly disliking war, would consider this a war of "self-defence, and will support its statesmen of both parties in most determined action."

We have without doubt the finest assortment of Men's Furnishings in the town, and the way we buy our goods enables us to sell them at closest prices. All our goods are imported direct, and this puts them in your hands at the closest possible advance.

Extra good value in this line. You should see the lines we show at 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c per pair.

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It is no idle boast, but a statement we are prepared to substantiate every day, that there's no better, cheaper Underwear in Brockville than we have.

Men's Shirts and Drawers...... 35c each.
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Men's Shirts and Gloves.

On the same subject, the London correspondent of the New York Evening Post says:

"England has spoken the one word which Lord Palmerston once said was forbidden in diplomatic intercourse. Quite characteristically, she has spoken it through the mouth of a typical English country squire in the Cabipet, who rarely uses expletives, but who, when he does swear, comes out with a heartfelt 'Damn it.' It was Sir Michael Hicks-Beach who told France recently that England would not be worried out of Egypt. It is Sir Michael Hicks-Beach who, this week, declares with equal emphasis that England will not hesitate at war if any other power attempts to close the door on China. Commerce must be kept free for the whole world in China, even if England has to fight for it.

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"Diplomatic purists at home and abroad declare themselves shocked by this calculated indiscretion, but, grave though the struction be, it so clearly represents the present mood of English opinion that necessarily it has brought matters to a head. How England receives this final word is shown by the fact that consola did not drop a single point after the speech.

"The leaders of the Opposition, M. H.

H. Asquith and Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman, hastened publicly to support the Government. The press of all shades of opinion did the same with practical unanimity. What almost everyone feels is that England must make a determined stand for free markets. If she should yield now, the battle would only have to be fought again on the completion of the Siberian Railway and other developments which are calculated seriously to weaken England's position."

DANGER LIES IN JAPAN. the Mikado Breaks From Restraint There Will Be War.

London, Jan. 24.—While events are noving with somewhat dramatic rapidity a the far East and complications may

suited from the discussion of the interpellation of the Government of ex-Minister
Cavignac, on the subject of the semiofficial note issued on January 17, in
which the Government declined to
make public the confession made by ex-Captain
Alfred Dreyfus to Captain Lebrum-Renaud, the officer who had charge of him
when he was court-martialled.

The newspaper men and public, pouring into the lobbies of the House, found
them occupied by armed troops, which
had been summoned when the disturbance began in the Chamber. On learning
this, many of the deputies protested. A
majority feared a renewal of the disorders
and M. Brisson assumed the responsibility of deciding not to resume the sisting.

The spectators, who had in the meanwhile assembled in excited groups outside
the Palace Bourbon, or Chamber of
Deputies, were calmed by the announcement of the decision.

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Lendon, Jan 21.—General Lord Wolsoley, field marshal and commander-included of the British army, speaking at a banquet in London this evening, refuted what he called "pessimists remore current about the army."

Lord Wolseley asserted that if England declared war to-merrow she could have one of the finest and most fully equipped army corps in readiness for any hertish port before ships could be prepared to embark them. He said furthermore that, if the men were better said, there would be no difficulty in distaining recruits.

The Daily Mail, commenting on the recent Ministerial speeches and the proposed additions to the army and navy, thinks "it all proves that Lord Salisbury can be resolute when necessary."

Gladstone Longs for "Rest."

Cannes, Jan. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone was helped from the steps into a carriage by a nurse and valet. Mrs. Gladstone wore a thick overcoat, with the collar turned up and a soft hat, only exposing his checks and eyes. He descended the steps in the slowest manner, loaning heavily on a stick, and using the balues.

The alarming rumors regarding Mr. Gladstone's health were further confirmed. He is extremely weak and so dejected as a result of neuralgic pains that he has expressed is desire that all were over. Gladstone Longs for "Rest."

Cannes, Jan. 24.—Mr. Gladstone is feeling better and attended service Sun-day morning at the English Church. A telegram of inquiry as to his health was received from the Queen.

Pay Up That Little £28,000,000. Constantinople, Jan. 24.—Russia is about to present a note to Turkey demanding payment for the whole balance of the indemnity the Russo Turkish war, amounting 5 £28,000,000, with a view of making 50 Sultan more decile in the settlement of the Cretan question.

Pittsburg, Jan. 24. EV. T. Dewitt Talmage, the noted divine of Washington, D.C., and Mrs. Elmore McCutcheon Collier, of Alleghany City, were united in marriage Saturday at the McCutcheon residence, No. 47 Irwin avenue.

The wedding, which came as a great surprise to the friends of the couple, was, on account of a recent death in the family, an extremely quiet affair.

Mrs. Talmage is 40 years old, while her husband celebrated his 66th birthday several months ago. EV. T. Dewitt Tal-

Sentence Reduced One-Half.
Toronto, Jan. 24.—Dr. Hamilton, who
was sent to the penitentiary with Policeman William Prostard last May, on the
charge of attempting an abortion on
Mary Jane McNally, will be released next
June, when half of his sentence will have
expired. This is at the direction of the
Governor-General-in-Council.

Killed on the Track.

Barrie, Jan. 94.—Henry Creswick, aged 55, provincial land surveyor, was walking on the track between Allandale and this place when he was struck by a train going south and instantly killed. He was a bachelor, and was a brother of ex-Mayor Barrie, Alfred Creswick. A Glut in the Labor Market.

Whole Pages of Entries Rep Whole Pages of Entries Repeated.
Toronto, Jan. 26.—In the John Eaton fire investigation Accountant Neff was again in the witness box at Osgoode Hall yesterday. He testified that in the stock lots there were whole pages of entries repeated. The items were reversed so as to be less noticeable. One group or duplications appeared reversed three or four times. He, however, found nothing suspicious from the time of the stock-taking up to the date of the fire. He denied having lent or given money to Richard Baker, or any one, though had seen several witnesses in the case.

Must Repair or Abandon Roads,
Windsor, Ont., Jan. 25.—The townships of Maidstone and Sandwich South
will proceed against the Tailbot Toll Road
Co. to compel it either to abandon its
roads or repair them. The County Council will pay one-third of the cost of the
legal proceedings.

of refund will not be great.

The Department of Customs has deolded that cards, portfolios, pasteboard 
boxes or other coverings containing cut 
samples of cloth, edging, textile fabrics, 
buttons of various patterns, and other 
articles, being representative of goods, 
and obviously intended for use only as 
samples to sell by, and having no commercial value, may be admitted free-ofduty. The term, "no commercial value" 
does not apply to portfolios or other coverings used in displaying samples, which 
were susceptible of being adapted to other 
use. Samples such as are carried by commercial travelers, togother with the 
trunks and other "packages," containing 
them, are dutiable, excepting such as are 
of no commercial value, as hereinbefore 
mentioned.

All-Canadian Boute to the Klondike.

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Want a Charter Killed. Want a Charter Killed.

S. H. Blake, Q.C., Toronto, and J. E.,
Greenshields, Montreal, are here to-day
seeing the Minister of Justice with a
view of getting the unnulment of the
Domirion Cold Storage Company charter.
The company, which was incorporated
with a capital of some \$300,000, has become insolvent, and if the charter is
annulled, the shareholders will not have
any further liabilities. The contention of
Mesera. Blake and Greenshields is that
the company never should have got a
charter, because they did not comply with
the terms necessary to obtain one.

look over the United States system of dealing with patents. Mr. Fisher is organizing the Canadian Patent Office, and has sent his deputy to get pointers. The latest Ottawa enterprise is the Ottawa Fishing and Trading Co., which will establish fishing ports on the great lakes, and also the inland lakes, and make Ottawa the distributing point.

The Department of Justice has fixed the trial of Mrs. Sternaman for the May Assizes, before Judge Robertson. Is will be for the judge to say whether there should be a change in the place of trial. M. A. G. Gilbert, poultry manager, Central Experimental Farm, left for Cobourg yesterday on a lecturing tour. He will be absent for a week.

W. Ashby, United States Consul,

W. W. Ashby, United States Consul, Dr. Hafeman, German Consul, Master Mechanic Mott and four others, are supposed to have been drowned at Colon, Colombia, in a boating accident.

The 8-months-old daughter of Louis Gouthier, a civil servant at Ottawa, was choked to death yesterday by a piece of candy which a little girl had given her in Mrs. Gauthier's absence.

August Mickerson, a sailor, died at Port Townsend, Wash, after living 11 days with a broken neck. Mickerson had fallen from the main yard through a hatch into the hold, a distance of 48 feet. A St. Petersburg despatch says: Forty persons were killed and 18 injured by an explosion of gas in one of the mines of the Donetzgaer Company, in the Taganrog district, on the north shore of the See of

Asov.

Two Grand Trunk trains came together at Stoney Creek while shunting and caused considerable damage, but no loss of life. The telegraph operator had to jump out of the back window to save himself from injury. No one was hurs. London, Ont., had a fierce blizzard raging all Sunday. A number of telegraph wires are reported down in this section. The rallway lines connecting here, although having a hard time to keep their tracks clear, report all trains on time. A large two-story brick dwelling in the course of erection on King street east, the property of W. J. Thompson, carriage manufacturer, was partially demolished by the wind.

Always Felt Tired.

"I suffered with severe healache and loss of appetite and I always felt tired. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla

Although Canadian nowspapers are everlastingly tooting the all-Canadian rouse to the Klondike via Stickeen and Toslin Lake, practically nothing has been done by the British Columbia Government to make a trail, although in official circles it is said British Columbia should have had a thousand men at work two directe it is said British Columbia should have had a thousand men at work two months ago. Engineer W. T. Jennings, in his report to the Government, gives fair warning of what may be expected. He says the natural food supply along the route, as he found it, for horses and cattle, would not be sufficient to keep cure than two hundred head. Any greater number would find it difficult to scoure for e. and to show who are going in by this route with pack horses when spring survives a word of warning may be timely. The survives a word of warning may be timely. The survives a word of warning may be timely. The survives a word of warning may be timely.

Brandonites After the C. P. R. Brandonites After the C.F. E.

A. C. Fraser M.P.P., North Brandon,
Charles Adams, M.P.P., Brandon, are
here on their way to Montreal to interview the C.P.B. authorities is respect to
freight rates. Brandon complains that it
is being discriminated against, both east
and west, by the C.P.R. When in the city
Messrs. Fraser and Adams took advantage
Wessrs. Fraser and Adams took advantage

The Atlantic Coast Line train from New York to Florida, and a local from Charleston collided 80 miles west of Charleston. Two men were killed and a number injured.

Victoria St.

have been added. The non-resident mem-bership was 156, to which 18 new names

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 25.—Yukon parties are now passing through Winnipeg daily. Men who have taken 800 dogs west to Victoria have cleared about \$10,000.

There is a good deal of sympathy here with the vigorous attitude the British Columbia trade has taken against the administration of Yukon affairs at Ottawa.

Jubilee Gifts Not Coming.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Canadians will not be able to look upon the Queen's Diamond Jubilee gifts. City Clerk Blevins received the announcement from Mr. Joseph Pope, Under-Scoretary of State, who, in the course of his letter, said: "I am at the same time to acquaint you that the Secretary of State for the Colonies has received Her Majesty's commands to say that, much as Her Majesty would wish that as many of her subjects as possible should see the presents, this could only be arranged by sending them to all the colonies in succession. Jubilee Gifts Not Coming

articles were calculated and the colors.

The office of Schultz Bros. was also entered and an attempt made to blow open the safe. A hole was drilled close to the combination lock and some powder and fuse placed in it, but for some cause the fuse did not go off. No clue to the burglars.

George Smythe Still Lives.

Fort Steele, B.C., Jan. 25.—George
Smythe, who was reported dead after being brutally assaulted by four FrenchCanadian navvies, is still in the land of

the living. He recovered from a death-like insensibility and is now on a fair way to

I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and after taking one bott'e my head ache disappeared. I continued taking it until now I am never troubled with headache and my appetite is goot!

LAURA GARLAND, 247 Claremont St.,
Toronto, Ont.

Hood's PILLS act easily and prompting the second of the second