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Liberals Still Losing Ground in the British Elections.

Harcourt Will Stand as a Candidate for West Monmouthshire.

Ex-Speaker Gal y Elected by Double His Former Majority.

Hon. Edward Blake Invited to Run for South Islington.

Australian Irish Subscribe 1,000 Pounds for Freedom's Cause.

CONTESTED ELECTIONS.

London, July 16.—The steady increase in the Unionists' strength has again been the feature in today's polling for members for the new Parliament. The returns received up to midnight show the election of 213 Conservatives and Unionists, 45 Liberals, 13 McCarthyites, and 4 Parnellites, making a net Unionist gain of 31 seats. If the counties follow the lead of the boroughs, reverting to Unionism in the same proportion, the party wire-pullers estimate that Lord Salisbury will control a majority in the Commons of 90 over the combined Liberal and Irish memlers. Such a sanguine view, however, if in no wise assured of being realized. The Liberals build their hopes upon the results in the counties to check the Unionist flood and largely neutralize

the early success of that party.

London, July 16.—Sir William Harcourt will probably stand as a candidate for Sutherlandshire, John Mc-Leod having offered to stand aside for

Following are further returns of contested elections: St. Helens-H. Seton-Karr (Con.), 4,-760; John Forster (Lib.), 4,091; Conservative majority, 609; gain, 550. Mr. Seton-Karr sat for this district in the

last Parliament. Sir William Harcourt's appearance in the arena and his acceptance of the nomination for the west division of Monmouthshire, where Mr. M. C. Warmington, Home Ruler, who represented the division in the last Parliament declined to content these ment, declined to contest the seat, has greatly encouraged the Liberals.

Among the features of today's polling was the retention by Mr. W. C. Gully (Lib.) of his seat for Carlisle by more than double the majority he received in 1892. This is not only a source of gratification to the Liberals, but also a snub to Mr. Balfour and his Conservative co-leaders.
Stoke-upon-Trent—D. H. Coghill

(Unionist), 4,296; G. Levason-Gower (Lib.), 4.196; Unionist majority, 1,000; gain, 2,783. Here the Unionists gain a

Stafford—C. E. Shaw (Lib.), 1,568; T. Salt (Unionist), 1,556; Liberal majority, 13; Unionist gain, 339. Whitehaven—A. Heider (Unionist), 1,380; F. S. Little (Lib.), 1,114; Unionist

majority, 266; gain, 584. Here the Unionists gain one seat.
Scarborough—J. Compton Ricket (Lib.), 2,419; Sir G. R. Sitwell (Union-

ist), 2.391; Liberal majority, 28; gain, 199. Here a seat is gained by the Lib-

Stockton-on-Tees—J. Samuels (Lib.), 4.786; T. Wrighton (Con.), 4.314; Liberal majority, 472; gain, 783. This is another seat gained for the Liberals. Carlisle—T. C. Gully (Lib.), 3,167; S. P. Foster (Unionist), 2,853; Liberal majority, 314; gain, 171.

Great Yarmouth—S. J. Colomb (Unic nist), 3,543; J. M. Moorson (Lib.), 2,-907: Unionist majority, 636; gain, 904. Bedford—C. J. Guy (Unionist), 1,-976; Howard Whitebread (Lib.), 1,810; Unionist majority, 166; gain, 234. Hanley—W. Woodall (Lib.), 5,653; A. H. Heath (Unionist), 5,367; Liberal majority, 286; Unionist gain, 1,547.

Wolverhampton (East Division)-Rt. Hon. Henry Hartley Fowler (Lib.), 4,-011; Mr. Kettle (Unionist), 2,977; Liberal majority, 1,304. Mr. Fowler, who occupied the post of Secretary of State for India in the last Ministry, was returned at the last election without opposi-

St. Pancras (North Division)—C. Moon (Unionist), 2,384; H. H. Raphael (Lib.), 2,623; John Leighton (Labor), 29; Unionist majority, 182; Unionist gain, 207. Here the Unionists gain another

Hammersmith—General Goldsworthy (Unionist), 5,017; W. C. Steadman (Labor), 3,238; Unionist majority, 1,779; Unionist gain, 1,110.

Kidderminster—A. F. Godson (Unionist), 2,003; Richard Eve (Lib.), 1,713; Unionist majority, 295; gain, 30. Newington (West Division)—Capt. Norton (Lib.), 3,219; G. W. Tallant (Unionist), 2,796; Liberal majority, 423;

Nottingham (South Division)—Lord H. Bentinck (Unionist), 4,802; F. W. Maude (Lib.), 4,369; Unionist majority,

433: gain, 850.

Marylebone (East Division)—E. Boulnois (Unionist), 3,304; Mr. Gardner (Lib.), 1,845; Unionist majority, 1,459;

Shoreditch (Hoxton Division)—Prof. Stuart (Lib.), 2,990; Hon. C. Hay (Unionist), 2,862; Liberal majority, 128; loss,

Aston Manor-Capt. G. W. Grice-Hutchinson (Con.), 5,353; M. Lawson (Lib.), 1,675; Conservative majority, 5,678; loss, 307. Wakefield-Lord Milton (Unionist),

2,861; Mr. Wilson (Lib.), 2,165; Unionist majority, 699; gain, 295. Marylebone (West Division)—Sir Horace Farquhar (Unionist), 3,734; B. Strauss (Lib.), 2,273; Unionist major-

fty, 1,461; gain, 1,024. Hackney (North Division)-W. R. Bosfield (Unionist), 4,725; Mr. Mayer (Lib.), 2,460; Unionist majority, 2,265;

Finsbury, Central Division-Hon. W. J. Massey Mainwaring (Unionist), 3,-588; D. Naoroji (Lib.), 2,783; Unionist majority, 805; gain, 811. Here the Unionists gain a seat.

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Gateshead—Wm. Allen (Lib.), 6,137;

Ald. John Lucas (Unionist), 5,654; Liberal majority, 483; loss, 385.

Finsbury, East Division—H. Richards (Unionist), 2,260; J. Rowlands (Lib.), 1,990; Unionist majority, 270;

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Newington, Walworth division-J. Bailey (Unionist), 2,822; Russell Spokes (L1b.), 2,223. Unionist majority, 1,210;

Newcastle-under-Lyme-Mr. Wallen (Lib.), 3,510; A. M. Lee (Unionist), 3,399. Liberal majority, 111; loss, 1,116.

Brighton (two seats)—G. W. E. Loder (Unionist), 7,878; Wentworth (Unionist,) 7,419; Sir Joseph Ewart (Lib.),

Birkenhead—Elliott Lees (Unionist), 6,178; W. H. Lever (Lib.), 5,974. Unionist majority, 204; gain, 98.

Bethnal Green, southwest division— E. H. Pickersgill (Lib.), 2,603; Arnold Statham (Unionist), 2,324. Liberal majority, 279; loss, 756. Hackney, central division—Sir Andrew Scoble (Unionist), 3,278; M. Russell, (Lib.), 2,966. Unionist majority,

313; loss, 27. St. Pancras, west division—H. R. Graham (Unionist), 3,104; Dr. Collins (Lib.), 2,273. Unionist majority, 831;

St. Pancras, east division—R. G. Webster (Unionist), 2,621; B. Costello (Lib.), 2,323. Unionist majority, 298;

NOTEWORTHY FEATURES. The rejection in East Nottingham of Mr. Arnold Morley, the late Postmas-ter-General, sent the fourth ex-Minister from the Liberal benches. Right Hon. Henry Hartley Fowler, Secretary of State for India in the late Cabinet, who was opposed in the east division of Woolverhampton in 1892, was reelected by over 1,000 majority. One of the surprises of the day was the re-turn of a Conservative for Northampton as a co-member with Mr. Henry Labouchere, whose long union with Mr. Bradlaugh, and later with Mr. Mansfield, has caused the constituency to be regarded as unalterably Radical. Mr. Labouchere will not fail to see the humor of the situation. The side pull of the Socialists Robertson and Jones is chiefly answerable for the defeat of Mr. Harford, the other Liberal candi-

rejection of the Labor candidates in many electorates is noteworthy: The defeat of such preminent trade unionists as Geo. Howell in Bethnal Green, and W. R. Cremer, of arbitrage fame, in the Haggerston division of Shoreditch, is a heavier and more significant blow to the Labor party than the overthrow of a dozen windbags and hunters after notoriety like James Keir Hardie, who was de-feated yesterday in Westham. In-deed, the conversion of the East End of London to Unionism, as shown by the results in these and other districts, is a remarkable feature of the contests. The Conservatives made six gains in London today, and even where the Radicals retained their seats, as Mr. James Stewart in the Hoxton division of Shoreditch, and Mr. Pickersgill in the southwest division of Bethnal Green, the majorities were greatly reduced. It is notable that while the Unionist Parsee Brownagree has overthrown "Strong Man" Howell, the former's co-religionist, Lord Salisbury's famous black man, has fallen.

The following additional returns have been received from contested dis-Edinburgh, east division—R. Wallace (Lib.), 3,499; H. Younger (Unionist), 3,050. Liberal majority, 449. At the last election the Liberal majority was

Edinburgh, south division-R. Cox (Con.), 4,802; H. H. Paul (Lib.), 4,708. Conservative majority, 94. At the election of 1892 in this district the Liberal candidate polled 4,692 votes and the Unionist candidate polled 4,261 votes, a Libera Imajority of 431 votes. The Conservatives win another seat.

The Times this morning gives prominence to a letter signed by Mr. Stielar McKelway, editor of the Brooklyn Eagle, in which Mr. McKelway says he regards the elections in Great Britain as a check to Socialistic tendency, and thereby of value to every division of the English speaking world.

London, July 17.-The following members of the House of Commons have been elected without opposition, in addition to those already recorded: Cork, southeast division-Andrew Commins, Anti-Parnellite.

Cork, east division-Anthony J. C. Donelan, Anti-Parnellite. Sussex, middle or Lewes division-Sir Henry Fletcher, Bart., Conservative. GREAT EXCITEMENT IN SOUTH-PORT.

The greatest excitement prevails in the Southport division of Lancashire today, where the Hon. George N. Curzon, the sitting candidate, and a Conservative, is contesting his seat against Sir Herbert Naylor-Leiland, the Liberal candidate. Both candidates married American ladies, and these are taking an active part in the campaign.
The two candidates, accompanied by
their wives, are driving about rallying their forces, and great squads of men and women, as well as horses and dogs, are to be seen on all sides wearing the favorite colors of the rival politicians.

Further candidates returned unopposed are: Buckinghamshire, Aylesbury division-Ferdinand James De Rothschild,

Unionist. Lancashire, northeast, Rosendale, division-John H. Maden, Liberal. Mayo, west division-Robert Ambrose, anti-Parnellite.

Worcestershire, Middle, or Droitwich division-Richard B. Martin, Unionist. Derbyshire, west division—Victor C. W. Cavendish, Unionist. West Meath, north division-James Tuite, anti-Parnellite.

Gloucestershire, Forest of Dean division—Sir Charles Dilke, Radical.

Antrim, east division—James M. Mc-Callmont, Conservative.

Tiperary, north division—Patrick J. O'Brien, anti-Parnellite. Further returns in contested elec-

Shields, south division, W. S. Robson, Radical, 5,057; H. Wainwright, Conservative, 4,924; Radical majority, 133. At the last election the Liberal candidate polled 4,965 and the Conservative candidate 3,958 votes, a Liberal majority of 1,007.

Waterford City—John E. Redmond Parnellite, 1,708; Fardwell, anti-Parnellite, 1,229; Parnellite majority, 559. At the last election Mr. Redmond polled 1.638 votes to 1,248 polled by his opponent. D. Sheehy, the anti-Parnellite candidate. Thus the Parnellites' majority has been increased from 390 to 559 votes, a gain of 169.

Dublin University—Kenny, Liberal, 3,661; the Right Hon. David R. Plunket, Conservative, 3,205; Liberal majority, 456. At the last election all the candidates were Conservative, and the Liberals gain a seat.

Kilkenny-O'Brien, Parnellite, 681; Farrell, anti-Parnelite, 667; Parnellite majority, 14. This is a gain of a seat for the Parnellites, as at the last election the anti-Parnellite candidate polled 744 votes to 604 polled for his op-ponent, an anti-Parnellite majority of 140.

elections: Conservatives, 203; Unionists, 33; total 236. Liberals, 50; Mc-Carthyites, 20; Parnellites, 6; labor, 1; total 77. Net Unionist gain 36.

WILL STICK TO THE G. O. M. Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt, speaking at Abercairn today said that he accepted the honor of contesting West Monmouth in the cause of temperance. He added that he was a firm Liberal and would stick to the "Grand Old Man," even if every one else de-

There are lively times today at Leeds, especially in the west division, where Col. North, the Conservative candidate, is said to have good prospects of defeating the Liberal candidate, the Right Hon. Herbert J. Gladstone, son of Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone. Col. North, with his family and half a dozen secretaries, a number of servants and horses galore, is occupying the principal hotel and is conducting a clever campaign. He points particularly to the humble cottage in a poor part of the town where he was born. Col. North's speeches are noted for their grammatical correctness, but they take with the poorer classes of the electors.

Cork city—William O'Brien (Anti-Parnellite), 5,327; Morris Healy (Anti-Parnellite), 5,167; J. C. Blake (Parnellite), 4,966; Roche (Parnellite), 4,944. This shows a total vote of 10,496 for the Anti-Parnellite candidates and 9,-960 for the Parnellite candidates. At the last election the Anti-Parnellites polled 10,032 votes, showing a gain of 464 votes. On the other hand, the Parnellites, at the last election, polled 6,-263 votes to 9,960 polled at this election —a gain in Parnellite votes of 3,697, against the Anti-Parnellite gain of 464

The following are unopposed candidates: Kerry, south division-Denis Kilbrid.

anti-Parnellite. Queen's county, Leeds division — Mark Antony MacDonnell, anti-Par-

Leifer, north division-Patrick Mc Hugh, anti-Parnellite. Wexford county, south division Peter F. French, anti-Parnellite. Staffordshire, Burton division—Sydney Evershed, Liberal.

IRISH LIBERALITY.

London, July 16.-Michael Davitt has cabled from Sydney, N. S. W., that the Irishmen of Australia are generously subscribing for the fight. He states that he has been entrusted with \$5,000 which he cabled to Justin McCarthy yesterday.

INVITATION TO MR. BLAKE. London, July 16 .- The council of the Liberal Association of South Islington recently adressed a letter to Hon. Edward Blake, M.P., asking him to contest the constituency named at the present election. The letter states: The Conservative majority at the 1892 election was only 321, and we believe that if you favor us by standing against Sir A. Rollett we could return you with a majority of 500. Mr. Blake, in acknowledging the invitation, says: "Pray express to the South Islington Liberal Association my deep sense of the honor proposed to me. I am, however, obliged to say that my duties towards Ireland claim at this juncture my entire attention and my undivided allegiance, and wholly preclude my acceptance of their flattering offer. I have already wired you this result. I am,

## The Pietzel Tragedy

Awakens Widespread Interest and Universal Horror.

Holmes Believed to be Guilty of Three or Four Murders.

His Motive for the Freadful Crime-Philadelphia Authorities Undecided as to their Course in Holmes' Case.

THE NEWS IN PHILADELPHIA.
Philadelphia, Pa., July 16.—The finding of the bodies of the Pietzel children in the cellar of a nouse in Toronto has created a sensation in police cir-cles in this city. The authorities are convinced that they were murdered by H. H. Holmes, who is now in prison in this city, awaiting trial on the charge of conspiracy to defraud the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Association of \$10,000. The question is whether Holmes will be held for trial here on the charge of murdering Pietzel, or be taken to Canada to answer for the death of the two little girls. It is believed that since the Philadelphia murder antedates the Canada crime by nearly a year, the man will have to stand trial here.

HOLMES' CAREER. Superintendent of Police Linden is impressed with the belief that Holmes is a triple murderer, and said: "That man Holmes is the most infernal liar I ever saw or ever have been brought in contact with. Holmes persisted in claiming that Minnie Williams has possession of these children, and he was so much in earnest with this statement that I placed confidence in it, and caused every clue in that direction to be worked out to its fullest extent. I have not learned of the whereabouts of the woman, and almost believe her to be a myth. I certainly think that Pietzel was murdered, and further, I think all talk of a dummy substitute is all

CHIEF LINDEN'S THEORY. "My theory of the disappearance of the children is that they, too, were murdered. The motive is plain when we look at the facts surrounding the case. The older of the girls identified the body in the cemetery as that of her father, and upon her testimony rested the chance of convicting Holmes on any charge. His willingness to plead guilty on the charge of conspiracy led

us to believe that something must be back of the case." District Attorney Graham, when seen this morning, seemed to be displeased that the finding of the bodies should have been given so much publicity. "Holmes now knows as much about the case as we do," said he, "for he is given the papers at the prison every day." Mr. Graham declined to discuss the features of the case, and was not prepared to say how he would act in case the Canadian authorities demand

Holmes on the charge of murder. THE MOTIVE. The motive for the horrible crime originated first in a plot arranged by Pitezel and Holmes, by which the for-(Lib.), 2,517; G. Lausbury (Socialist), 2,32; Russell Spokes (Lib.), 2,517; G. Lausbury (Socialist), 2,32; Russell Spokes (Lib.), 2,517; G. Lausbury (Socialist), 140.

203. Unionist majority, 305; gain, 646.

St. Pancras, south division—Sir J.

At three o'clock this afternoon, the following was the result of the general of the general

hiding, and Holmes was to see to it that a body was found and identified as that of the missing Pitezel. The find was made, but from positive evidence the body was proven to be that of the real Pitezel, who had probably been murdered by Holmes to make the tragedy the more perfect and the

money the more secure to himself. Holmes' police record began when he was arrested at St. Louis, charged with forgery. He was afterward released and went to Philadelphia, where he opened a small establishment for the manufacture and sale of a preparation for cleaning clothing. His partner was known as D. F. Perry, and soon Perry was left to conduct the business alone, Holmes making himself scarce. One day Perry was found dead in a small upper room in the building leased by himself and Holmes, and then Holmes turned up to identify Perry as Pitezel, the identification being made complete by the aid of a little daughter of the

dead man. The insurance money was paid in full, and then Holmes took his family and those remaining of the Pitezel family, and started to travel from place to place. A noted train robber named Hedgepath had been called into play by Holmes at a time when the scheme looked dubious, and, under promise of receiving \$500 when the fraud was complete, he had entered into the scheme. The money was not paid by Holmes, and Hedgepath "peached" to the officers, who at once caused an investigation, resulting in the arrest of Holmes in Boston in November last. He was returned to Philadelphia, and was convicted on a charge of conspiracy, with intent to defraud.

Mrs. Pitezel was also arrested, but was released, as it was found that she was innocent of any intent to defraud the company, and she felt keenly the death of her husband, undoubtedly murdered by the man who posed as her

friend.

HAD DESIGNS ON THE MOTHER.

Philadelphia, July 16.—President
Fouse, of the Fidelity Mutual insurance Asociation, says: "Everything points to the fact that Holmes plotted to destroy the entire Pitezel family, and as Howard also disappeared it is probable that he was killed. The belief is also that he attempted to destroy Mrs. Pitezel in Burlington, Vt., by having her handle a can of nitroglycerine that he had left in the house she occupied.

Mrs. Pitezel, the mother of the murdered children, is at present supposed to be at her old home in Galva, Henry county. Ill., with two of her children, a daughter, aged 17, and a baby. She went direct to Galva after Holmes had pleaded guilty.

AN IMPORTANT CLUE. Toronto, Ont., July 16.-Little developed today in connection with the Pietzel tragedy. Directly, the most in teresting incident of the day was the ascertaining of the identity of the expressman who took the trunk to and from the house of death. He is now a street railway conductor and could not be spoken with till midnight. He says briefly that he remembers the trunk was a heavy one and gives a description of it that proves it to be identical with that found in Holmes' possession when arrested.

Another link brought to light was the finding of the bedstead and mattress which Holmes brought into the house and left there on his departure. Mrs. Macdonald, who succeeded Holmes and preceded Mr. Armbrust as tenant of No. 16 St. Vincent street, informed the detectives tonight that she had found the articles in the house when she took it, and took them away with her when she moved to 17 Russell street, her present address. Detectives Geyer and Cuddy called upon her to-night and inspected the articles. An unusually intelligent jury was empanelled by Coroner A. J. Johnson at the morgue this evening. The proceed-ings were formal and brief, and the real work will commence tomorrow night at police headquarters, when Detective Geyer will likely give his evidence. The jurymen, nearly all of whom are well known and respected business men, are: Messrs. Jos. E. Sutcliffe, David Davis, Thomas Leeming, John Rrimer, Hubert McKendry, Thomas Claxton, John Symons, Sydney J. Davis, Robert Wright, Frederick S. Roberts, Donald Sutherland, Andrew Sinclair and Wm. L. Smith. Mr. John Brimer was chosen foreman, and the jury speedily got through with their horrible task of viewing the remains. The only evidence taken was formal-to establish the identity of the remains in the morgue as those which had been found in the cellar. Detective Cuddy, Geo. Hunt, the caretaker of the morgue, and Mr. Humphrey gave evidence to establish this and then the inquest adjourned until

FESSES. Philadelphia, Pa., July 17.—H. H. Holmes, alias Herman Mudgett, according to one interpretation of a remark made by him, has virtually confessed to the murder of the two Pietzel children, whose bodies were found in the cellar of a Toronto house. It was learned at the office of the district at-

HOLMES VIRTUALLY CON-

tomorrow evening.

torney that during the two hours' in-terview Holmes had yesterday with three members of the district attortorney's staff he said: "I suppose I'll swing for this." This is the only remark from his lips which in any way would tend to criminate him, and the district attorney takes this as a practical admission of Holmes' guilt. Not-withstanding Holmes' remark, his counsel says he can prove an alibi in his client's case. He says that Holmes was not in Toronto when the Pietzel children were murdered. This, he states, can be proved by Mrs. Howard, Holmes' third wife, who is at present in Franklin, Ind.

PARIS GREEN AND BREAD. Three Oaks, Mich., July 16.—Peter Venise's 3-year-old child ate a piece of bread on which paris green had been spread and died in a few hours. The family reside in Chickaming town-

MASONIC-R. A. OFFICERS. Toronto, July 16 .- At the meeting of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of Canada, the chief officers ere re-elected. L. W. Burke, London, was chosen grand scribe N.; James Woods, Sarnia, grand superintendent London district. R. Ex-Comp. J. S. Dewar, London, was re-elected on the benevolent

THE LADY AND THE PANTHER. The Province, of Victoria, British Columbia, relates a remarkable exploit of a daughter, aged only 14, of Mr. Geo. Brown, of Beecher Bay. The girl was out walking with her younger sister when a dog that was with them treed a panther. Leaving her sister and the

and yet again wonderful. -SHAKESPEARE.

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RIEBONS. DEGINNING at once we will inaugurate a great ribbon sale. A ribbon added to a pretty gown is like the moss on the rose—a last finishing trifle that adds untold beauty. Ribbons are this year the handmaids to Fashion. As a specialty this week we will offer two exceptional lines at half | yard.

2½ in. Colored Silk Ribbon for 5c yd. 1 in. Colored Silk Ribbon for 2½c yd.

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VOMAN has not this year met such a tempter as she will encounter at our Glove Department. Here are three lines which will raise in her bosom every bargaining interest:

Lisle Thread Gloves at 10c per pr. Silk Taffeta Gloves at 15c per pr. Fine Lace Mitts at 18c per pr. And then what will she say to our "oddments," Just two or three of a sizein the best kid-going at 50c for your

HOSIERY.

OUR Hosiery counter is honored this week with the presence of three distinguished worthies that are open for engagements with fair Canadians, and it does not need the fortune of an American heiress to buy

Full fashioned, extra fine black, Hermsdorf Dye Hose at 17c. Children's Colored Cotton Hose, reduced from 35c a pair to 15c. All sizes Children's Hose at 5c per

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gains: French Novelties in Black for \$6. \$2 67 Satin Shades for \$2. \$2 47 Satin Shades for \$1 90.

COTTON DRESS COODS. HE very newest thing this season is Cotton Dress Goods. It is the happiest hit Dame Fashion has yet made. They were never seen in London before this year, and it may be you have not seen them yet. Ten chances to one that beautiful gown you were envying wasn't a 90 call wool crepon after all! If you come we will show you that those very goods were Cotton Plisse Crepons selling at 10c a yard. We have them in all colors to suit all tastes-and who would grumble at the

> 10 yards for \$1. Just think of it !

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prices! It is of the prices that we are

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