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Summer Clearance

To make room for New Goods, which are already beginning to arrive, we are offering

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We are clearing our stock of Embroidered (shaped) Linen Gowns, at \$6.00 apiece.

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3—We are clearing several lines of Ladies' Serviceable Rainproof Coats at astonishing prices.

4—We are clearing several lines of White Muslin Shirt Waists at \$1.00 each.

5—We are clearing out our entire summer stock of Ladies' Suits, Jackets, Coats, etc., at prices that make it an object to buy now.

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should remember that nowhere can they procure a Traveling Rug or Wrap Shawl to better advantage than in this store. Our stock of Rugs ranges from low-priced to moderate and extra good, the values in every grade being the best that can be offered.

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JOHN CATTO & SON
55-57-59-61 King Street East
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TORONTO.

PRINCE'S WHITE HAT WITH A BLACK BAND

H.R.H. on Sunday Also Wore a Drab Frock Coat With Trousers to Match.

The New York World's Quebec correspondent writes:

The Prince of Wales has brought over a new style of dress, or rather an old style revived. He wore to-day, going to church, a top hat of light grey color with black band one and a half inches wide. In shape it corresponds to the current London block, having higher crown, more of a bell and brim slightly broader than New York styles. He wore gloves of grey suede, matching the hat in color, with heavy black etching on the back. Because he was going to church his frock coat was black, of course.

Immediately afterwards he changed the clothes to lighter weight and color, for the day was very warm. This suit was of plain grey cheviot, solid in color and darker in shade than the top hat which he continued to wear all afternoon. The coat was a frock, often called "Prince Albert," reaching to the knees, skirts rather wide and waist rather close fitting. The collar lapels were cut low and partly faced with silk, slightly differing in shade from the cloth. The coat had three buttons in front and overlapped. Trousers were of same material as coat. All the while in the Prince's suite had clothes of the same pattern. The light grey top hats were the envy and dismay of the Canadian chaplains, for not a "topper" like that is to be had in the Dominion.

Vice-President Fairbanks' black top hat of 1898 vintage is sadly in need of ironing. His black frock coat is short in tails and his gloves are mere ordinary tans.

Metal to Metal.
One of the troubles that most boilers give is from leaky joints, because they depend on rubber "gaskets" to keep them tight—sheets of rubber squeezed in between the places where the metal meets. When the heat rots the rubber the boiler leaks.

In the Gurney-Oxford Hot-water Boiler the joints are made with the Oxford Metal Plug Nipple. The nipples are of smooth tapered steel and they press into smooth tapered holes to an exact fit. This is the reason why a Gurney-Oxford Hot-water Boiler is the only one that never can leak.

TORONTO WATER RATES.

Toronto water-takers under metre tariff are reminded that Friday, the 1st inst., will be the last day to pay rates and secure full discount.

The Savoy

Yonge and Adelaide Sts.

Our Japanese Tea Rooms are the coolest and most comfortable place in town for an excellent, moderate-priced mid-day lunch.

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, July 27.—(3 p.m.)—Thunderstorms have occurred to-day over Lake Superior and a few light scattered showers in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, otherwise the weather in Canada has been fine and for the most part decidedly warm.

Minimum and maximum temperatures. Dawson, 42—52; Altn, 42—50; Victoria, 52—58; Vancouver, 50—59; Edmonton, 42—54; Battleford, 46—54; Calgary, 40—56; Qu'Appelle, 50—54; Winnipeg, 52—58; Port Arthur, 58—78; Parry Sound, 54—58; London, 57—60; Toronto, 53—58; Ottawa, 56—60; Montreal, 53—54; Quebec, 50—56; St. John, 58—72; Halifax, 48—58.

Probabilities.
Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay, Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Light to moderate winds; fine and very warm.
St. Lawrence and Gulf—Light to moderate winds; fine; stationary or a little higher temperature.
Maritime—Light to moderate winds; fair; not much change in temperature.
Superior—Light to moderate winds; fine and warm.
Manitoba—Mostly fair and warm; local thunderstorms, more especially to-night and on Wednesday.
Saskatchewan and Alberta—Showers and local thunderstorms; but mostly fair and warm.

THE BAROMETER.
Time. Ther. Bar. Wind.
8 a.m. 74 29.77 1 N.E.
Noon 76 29.77 4 S.E.
2 p.m. 86 29.77 4 S.E.
8 p.m. 69 29.68 6 S.
Mean of day, 72; difference from average, 4 above; highest, 86; lowest, 58.

BIRTHS.
RUDDY—At 149 Park-road, on July 26, to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ruddy, a daughter.

DEATHS.
JOHNSTONE—On Monday, July 27th, 1908, at her son's residence, 60 Robinson-street, Ellen Johnstone, in her 86th year.

Funeral on Wednesday from the above address at 2:30 p.m., to St. James' Cemetery.
London, Ont., papers please copy.
HIGGINS—Monday, July 27th, Sarah Ann Higgins, widow of the late Robert Higgins, in her 76th year.
Funeral from the home, 304 Yonge-street, on Wednesday at 3 p.m.

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TENTATIVE PROGRAM FOR BOBS' RECEPTION

Two Extended Carriage Drives Are Outlined—Troops to Line the Streets.

Arrangements are being concluded whereby Earl Roberts will be driven over two extended routes on his visit to Toronto, altho the unexpected change in date again, which shifts the date of arrival from Monday to Wednesday, may cause some alterations. The board of control met yesterday and the following program was evolved:

On his arrival next Monday evening at 6:30 the carriage and escort will proceed via Simcoe-street, Queen-street, University-avenue, College-street, Carlton-street and Church-street to the King Edward.

The route will be lined with militiamen stationed six feet apart.

Tuesday noon there will be a civic luncheon at the King Edward, and at 2 o'clock he will go via King and Bay-streets to the city hall, where the civic address will be presented.

Afterwards the field marshal will be driven via Queen to Bloor, to Jarvis, to Spadina-avenue to King and back to the hotel.

Residents along the above routes are requested to decorate in honor of the distinguished guest.

Wednesday morning Earl Roberts will drive informally around town, at the Aquatic Club will take it up, and Earl Roberts may be taken out for a short trip.

The Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Mortimer Clark, is at present out of the city on a vacation at the Atlantic coast, but he will be communicated with by the mayor so as to ensure his presence here next week, when he will be invited to the civic luncheon.

Will Go to the West.
Lord Roberts has accepted the invitation of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy to travel over the C. P. R. as far as Banff, Alta., so as to see something of Canada's magnificent prairie country. Lord Roberts will on this trip possibly turn aside to see the Thousand Islands, and Sir Thomas will then take him to Quebec, where he will board a C. P. R. steamer for home. This arrangement may cut out most, if not all, western city visits.

"Bobs" Impressed.
LONDON, July 27.—Lord Roberts cabled the King that the Quebec review was a great success. He was much impressed with the precision, order and organization. "Canada appears to me to be dealing adequately with the problems affecting her militia, and with care will build up a very useful force."

The Earl at Ottawa.
OTTAWA, July 27.—(Special).—The 40th Northwest Mounted Police who are acting as guard for the Prince of Wales at Quebec will be invited to take part in the ceremonies next Saturday when Earl Roberts is guest of the city.

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BOSTON

5 Five Days

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PRE-INVENTORY SALE

A 5 DAYS' STAMPEDE IN FINE FASHIONABLE SUMMER FOOTWEAR that will make such recent events as the "OLYMPIC" fade like the morning star at sunrise and make the news of an exciting "MARATHON" finish in "Stadium" read like a FUNERAL NOTICE—an event of genuine PUBLIC INTEREST that will CATCH ITS INSPIRATION from people who'll appreciate buying at prices that STRIP US OF ALL PROFIT and POCKET PART OF THE COST—a real SLAUGHTER that the big Black Price Figures printed here tell the TRUE STORY of, AND THE SALE IS ON THIS MORNING.



MEN'S OXFORDS

Men's patent colt and gun-metal leather, Blucher cut Oxfords, Goodyear welted soles. Regular \$3.50. Pre-inventory price

MEN'S OXFORDS

Men's Blucher cut Oxfords, patent colt and gun-metal leathers. Regular \$4.00. Pre-inventory price

MEN'S OXFORDS

Men's Blucher cut Oxfords, gun-metal, patent colt and tan Russian leather. Regular \$5.00. Pre-inventory price

MEN'S "WHITE" OXFORDS

Men's White Canvas Oxfords and Boots, leather and rubber soles, every pair in a clearing lot, \$2.00 and \$2.50 value. Pre-inventory price

LADIES' TAN OXFORDS

Ladies' Blucher Cut Tan Oxfords, all sizes. Regular \$3.50. Pre-inventory price

LADIES' "BLACK" OXFORDS

Ladies' black kid and patent colt Blucher cut Oxfords. Regular \$3.50. Pre-inventory price

LADIES' OXFORDS

Ladies' Tan and Black Oxfords, all leathers, all sizes. Regular \$4.00. Pre-inventory price

LADIES' "TAN" PUMPS

Ladies' Tan Russian Calf Blucher cut Oxfords and pumps, all Goodyear welted soles, \$4.00 and \$4.50 values. Pre-inventory price

"HANAN" SHOES

Clearing all the celebrated Hanan (New York) Oxfords, all leathers. Regular \$8.00. Pre-inventory price

Ladies' "White" Oxfords

Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords, clearing the summer's stock of \$2 values. Pre-inventory price

Ladies' "Tan" Oxfords

Ladies' Tan Kid and Russian Calf Blucher cut Oxfords and Gibson Ties, hand turned and Goodyear welted soles. Regular \$5 and \$6. Pre-inventory price

Ladies' "Black" Oxfords

Ladies' Black Kid Gun-metal and patent kid Oxfords, hand turned and Goodyear welted soles. Regular \$5.00. Pre-inventory price

Misses' and Children's Tan Boots and Oxfords

Misses' and Children's Tan Boots and Oxfords. Regular \$2.00 values. Pre-inventory price

Children's Boots

Children's patent leather and tan calf boots, with white tops. Regular \$3. Pre-inventory price

Barefoot Sandals

In a grand Pre-inventory clearing lot—
Sizes 1 to 5 for | Sizes 6 to 8 for | Sizes 9 to 2 for
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Bathing Shoes

Clearing up all the Bathing Shoes, Regular 75c values. Pre-inventory price

Misses' and Children's White Oxfords

Full line of sizes in these Summer Shoes. Reg. \$1.50 value, Pre-inventory price

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EARLY ACTION EXPECTED.

Chairman Beck and the Hydro-Electric Commission Tenders.

Hon. Adam Beck, chairman of the hydro-electric commission, will be at the offices this morning, to take up the tenders which were received early in the month and which were regarded as satisfactory.

Action upon the tenders by the commission will be taken, it is expected, at an early date, possibly during the present week.

Liability Insurance for Motorists.
We afford liability insurance for automobilists. We provide for any loss that may be incurred through accidents in which pedestrians, or persons in vehicles, are injured by an automobile. We take up a case and make a settlement without any cost to the person holding one of our liability policies, other than the small annual premium. Phone Main 1642, and our representative will call. London Guarantee and Accident Company, corner Yonge and Richmond-streets.

Claiming \$20,000 damages for alleged slander, John Edward Titchmarsh of Inglewood, Ont., has entered a writ at Osgoode Hall against Tait MacConnell, also of that place.

Automobiles for Hire

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30 and 32 William St. 246

BARLEY CUTTING IN WEST.

WINNIPEG, July 27.—Barley cutting is reported as starting to-day in many parts of Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Altho the acreage to this cereal is restricted, the yield promises to be heavy.

Indications are that wheat cutting will be under way in earlier districts of the prairie provinces by the middle of August.

CARPENTER INJURED.

Albert Hallett, a carpenter, living on Vaughan-road, Wyckwood, fell from a scaffold on a new house at 486 Shaw-street yesterday and broke two ribs and injured his head and stomach. Dr. Orr attended him, and F. W. Matthews' ambulance took him home.

NOT THE RIGHT MAN.

William Bartell, held in Chicago, suspected of being the man who stole the Riddell diamonds, is not identified by Miss Roach, the maid who saw the suspected thief hovering about the house.

She says Bartell's picture at the detective office yesterday.

OBITUARY.

Winnipeg: J. J. Phillip, fruit inspector for western Canada.

Cincinnati, O.: Gen. J. H. Bates, veteran of civil war, aged 92.

Rochester, N. Y.: William Carroll, former mayor, aged 81.

Hugh Clark, 136 Mill-street, has received word of the death of his brother, Sergt. John Clark, Second Battalion Cameron Highlanders, in North China. Two brothers and four sisters live in Toronto.

THE "CAMP" OF ARGENTINA.

When one leaves Buenos Ayres one is in the "camp." From north to south, the whole length of great Argentina, and thru the fertile grazing lands to the foothills of the Cordillera, it is all camp. Indeed, the Porteno views his country neighbor with the ill concealed contempt of a New Yorker for a citizen of Trenton, N.J.

Out in the camp, from the Buenos Ayres point of view, there are no civilized pleasures. No Avenida, no cinematographs, no jockey clubs, no "sportsman," no Palermo. Rosario is conceded to be precious. Bahia Blanca's threatening attitude in the matter of grain shipments forces a little recognition. Cordoba is gaily dismissed as a school teacher town. Otherwise, camp.

Yet if you look for the sources of Argentina's present prosperity and growing greatness you will find them in the camp. A camp which has loomed before the Chicago grain market.

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with 220,000,000 bushels of wheat this season; which loads ships with linseed and maize almost as fast as they can be furnished by the German and English owners; which maintains a chilled meat export that rivals Australia; which numbers its sheep in millions, when it numbers them at all; and raises more fine horses than the country can employ—that is the Argentina camp, which Buenos Ayres, with true metropolitan insularity, affects to disdain.

No one yet knows the possibility of the pampas. Only a few years ago Argentina was importing the wheat for its bread. To-day it is milling wheat for Brazil. A few years ago land could be had for the asking; the government rubbed its hands with glee when a few settlers consented to take 1000 hectares. Now the fine tracts of land are quoted in the real estate exchanges. The determined men who went into the "wilderness" are now the owners of palaces on the Avenida Alvear—Van Norden Magazine for August.

Lesson in Mathematics.
A teacher in a downtown school has for her pupils the children of Russian parents, says The Kansas City Independent.

The other day she was explaining a sum in subtraction which the little ones found difficult to understand.

"Now," said she, to exemplify the proposition, "suppose I had \$10 and went into a store to spend it. Say I bought a hat for \$5; then I spent \$2 for gloves, and \$1.50 for some other things. How much did I have left?"

For a moment there was dead silence. Then a boy's hand went up.

"Well, Isaac, how much did I have left?"

"Vy didn't you count your change?" said Isaac, in a disgusted tone.

HOTEL MEN AND BOBS.

Look For Big In-Rush of Guests During Earl Roberts' Visit.

The Toronto Hotelkeepers' Association held a meeting last night at the King Edward, to consider the hotel situation, in view of the rush expected during the "Bobs' celebration" next week. The view is taken by hotel men that the lull in their business caused by the attractiveness of the Quebec tercentenary will cease with Earl Roberts' visit, which is expected by them to give something approaching the rush of exhibition time.

Michael Wixup, an Austrian Pole, was drowned while bathing in Sasaganaga Lake, New Ontario.

THE QUEEN'S ROYAL

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International Tennis Tournament, week of Aug. 24.

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