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SATURDAY, MAY 15, 1909

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Tremendous Bargains for the Last Day of This Great Sale

Every department in the store will be featured to-morrow. The buyers throughout the whole store have gathered together a mighty collection of up-to-the-minute Spring and Summer wearables to make this the banner value-giving day of the whole season. Read the good news and shop early in the day.

The Busiest Millinery Showroom in All Hamilton

Tremendous selling followed our first announcement of the big purchase and sale of the Toronto wholesale stock of Millinery. For to-morrow we announce the second and last big shipment of Trimmed Hats, Hat Shapes, Flowers, Foliage, etc. Be alive to the importance of this great Saturday sale and what it means to you and come at 8.30 in the morning.

Regular Beauties in Sweeping Reductions **Trimmed Hats**

Worth Regularly \$5, \$6 and \$7.50, Lot I; Worth Regularly \$1.50, Sale Sale Price \$1.79 Each

on sale to-morrow at a ridiculous

in Untrimmed Hats

Price 39c.

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Flowers worth regularly 50c. sale Flowers worth regularly 75c, sale Flowers worth regularly \$1.00, sale

Our buyer got in right here with the wholesale importer. These flowers are strictly high class and the best ever placed on sale in the city. Other sales are only imitations. Be on time. Come at 8.30.

A Special Sale Saturday of Women's **Exceptionally Handsome Suits \$13.50**

The event is largely that of a reduction sale, although many entirely new Tailored Suits are included. Not a Suit in the lot was made to be sold for less than \$19.50. The Suits comprise one or two of a kind largely, a fact that assures considerable exclusiveness. Fashioned from handsome serges, English checks and stripes, one and two-button cutaway, the Tuxedo and many other smart styles. All the most fashionable colors and black. Some are strictly man tailored, others are braid and satin trimmed. All the new and up-to-date ideas in trimmings on both coats and skirts. Regularly \$16.50 to \$20.00 values on sale Saturday at. \$13.50.

15 Very Handsome Dresses Specially Priced for Saturday at \$25 For street or evening wear. A showing of smartest creations. All the soft, new materials. To describe their individual beauty would be impossible. The collection is one of the finest ever shown in Hamilton. All sisk-lined garments. Beautifully trimmed with lace and Persian trimming. These gowns are worth from \$50.00 to \$100.00. Very specially priced at \$25.00 silk Coats \$9.98 \$5.50 Walking Skirts \$2.98 \$6.95 Tailored Coats \$4.95 \$4.50 Walking Skirts \$1.98 \$15.50 Tailored Coats \$6.98 \$3.50 Misses' Skirts \$1.49

Gigantic Sale of New White Lawn Net Waists and Heatherbloom Underskirts THIRD FLOOR \$1.50 Waists for 98c Dainty, Fine Persian Lawn Waists, made with Swiss all-over embroidery with Carrae Valoration of the Carrae Valor

\$5 Net Waists for \$2.98

New American Mull Waists, some made with lace yokes and trimmed with German Valenciennes, others made with Swiss all-over embroidery rfont, open back or front, Directors made with second and sleeves, worth regular \$1.50, front, trimmed back and sleeves, worth regular \$3.50, Saturday's worth regular \$3.50, Saturday's

\$2.25 Underskirts for \$1.49 Ecru and White Net Waists, made with embroidered front, baby back. Such as the bloom Underskirts left, which we will tucked sleeves, pointed cuffs edged put on sale Saturday at half-past 8, with lace, worth regular \$5.00, Sat-black only, worth regular \$2.25, for urday's sale price \$2.98 sale at \$1.49

Feature Sale of Women's Kid Gloves 12 and 15-Button Length, French Kid Gloves, Worth \$1.69 pr. Regularly \$3.50, Sale Price

500 pairs 12 and 16-button length, best quality Kid Gloves, in a reat Saturday rush-out sale, all the desirable and wanted shades, in-luding black; assorted sizes; regular value \$3.50; sale price ... \$1.69 pair Regular \$1.25 Kid Gloves, Saturday Feature

\$1.00 pr. k at a special price for to-morrow. Trefousse and Perrin's makes; everywhere at \$1.25; our price Saturday \$1.00 pair

Regular 40c Elbow Length Lisle Gloves for

4 Grand Specials in the Jewelry

Section Combination Sets, Pearl Cuff Links and Studs to Match, Worth

Regular 50c, Sale Price 35c Set Ladies' combination sets, just passed into stock; in a special clearing sale to-morrow; worth regularly 50c, sale price 35c set Gold Plated Beauty Pins, Worth Regular 25c, Sale Price 15c Guaranteed Gold Plated Beauty Pins, clearing to-morrow above price. Shop early in the day.

Featuring Dress Goods Saturday---**Important Sale Events**

Regularly 75c; Sale Price Suitings; Worth 59c vd.

Regular Sic Hose Supporters, for Saturday Regular \$1.25 Real Hair Fads, for Saturday Wash 1 coks and Eves 10c pair 50c

Special-Little Things at -Notions Regular 25c Pearl Buttons for Sat-

Exceptional Values From Our Staple Section

Pure Linen Table Cloths, slightly uperfect, border all around, fine satin finish, 2 and 21/2 yard sizes; worth up Extra large size Bath Towels, heavy absorbent weave, 35c value, for ... 25c Fine soft finish Underwear Nain-sook, full 42 inches wide, 20c quality

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Bargains in the Baby Dept.

Drawers 19c Children's Fine White Cotton Drawers, trimmed with embroidery tucks, in sizes 1, 2 and 3, on sale Saturday

50c Slips for 39c

Infants' Slips, made of fine nain-sook, sleeves and neck edged with lace and embroidery, worth regular 50c, Saturday's sale price 39c We have just received a shipment

of Children's White Sailor Hats in all sizes, ranging from 25e to \$1.75

29c pair Summer Vests Clearing at Under Prices

Trices
50 dozen slightly imperfect Ladies'
Summer Vests, fancy drop stitch cotton and lisle, in short and no sleeve,
all neatly finished and nicely trimmed,
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Saturday morning clearing sale only

Long Sleeve Cotton, Lisle Vests 25c Extra value in Long Sleeve, Button Front, Cotton Vests, well shaped and round neck, ribbed lisle, long sleeves, best bleached goods, worth 40c, sale

Summer Drawers 25c

Odd Lot Summer Hose 19c Ladies' Summer Hose, broken lines, all sizes, in plain, embroidered, black and tan, pink, sky, lace Hose, full fash-ioned, seamless feet, regular 35c, Sat-

Ladies' Gauze Cashmere Hose 50c

All Wool Black Gauze Cashmere, plain, lace, soft elastic yarns, spliced soles and heels, this season's, special

Black Lisle Hose 35c Black Imported Lisle Hose, yarn dyed, all sizes, full fashioned, well reinforced, regular 50c, Saturday 35c, or . . \$1.00

Lace Lisle Hose 50c

Lace Lisle and Fancy Drop Stitched Hose, all sizes, in black, tan, champagne, green, Copenhagen, ox blood, o worthy showing at 65c, Saturday only 50c

A Love Affair

"But you should have a maid. Can

break down.
"And when are you coming back?" he

shook in his earnestness, "If—if I dared I would come with you. Say the word!" he exclaimed, impetuously, "Say that I may—"

Several men raised their hats as he passed, and he raised his, but without bestowing any particular notice on the crowd, and making his way to the cartespared in

riage, stepped in.

"Oh, I know you rely on him to protect you," said Lady Ruth, with a sneer. "He left the house at dawn, and will not return till night. We have a clear course. If you accept my terms, you can leave without any scene or scandal. Refuse to do as I tell you, and L will not only proclaim your dickerness to the marchioness, but every man and woman in the place shall know the real character of the adventuress who crept into Brakespeare Castle and planned midnight meetings with its master."

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"I am quite safe. I am used to travelling alone, my lord," said Constance, trying to smile.

"But you should have a maid. Can I wire to your people in London to miest you? Have you done that?"

A chill seemed to fall on Constance's heart. Her people in London. Where and whom were they?
"It is not necessary, thank you, my lord," she replied, feeling that if he waited another minute or two she must break down.

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"I accept. I will go now—at once." Her breath came with difficulty. "Don't speak another word to me or—or I will stay! I am innocent, and you know it!" She drew herself up to her full height, and looked down at the little fury with all the majesty of injured innocence in her glorious eyes. "Yes, you know it. But I will go—one one condition."

"Oh, you dare make conditions!" sneered Lady Ruth. "Well!"

""Ant you promise to tell the marquis nothing of this. Give him what reason you like for my going, but do not let him know that you heard him or saw me last night, or that you have accused me as you have done."

"I agree." she said. "I've no doubt you consider that I have acted'as I have done from sheer hatred for you."

"It does not matter."

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"Well, I hate you; but I consider that even in my hatred I have been your best friend. You will think so when you come to your senses. I tell you once again that he would never have married you, never, never!"

"Will you go, please!" broke from Constance's white lips.

"I am going; there is no more to be said. A carriage will be ready in three-quarters of an hour. I will account for your sudden disappearance."

"You will want money; here is some."

She went and laid it on the dressing table. Constance took it and flung it at her feet. Lady Ruth laughed scornfully.

Lord Elliott sprung upon the step, and held out his hand. "Good-bye,!" he said, and his voice

CHAPTER XI.

With feverish eagerness Constance

With feverish eagerness Constance commenced packing her things. She felt that, short as was the time Lady Ruth had given her, it was all too long for her to remain in Brakespeare Castle. Her one desire was to get away—and yet she paused a moment, and a strange thrill ran through her as she thought of what the marquis would say when he heard she had gone.

When would Lady Ruth tell him? Would she able to persuade him that the reason she gave for Constance's departure was a genuine one? Would he not rather think that she had flown because of the scene in the drawing room, and her discovery of his strange meeting with the tramp? Would he not think that she had gone because of his wild avowal of love for her.

And now she was going! Then she remembered Arol. She had grown to love the child, to cling to him, as she knew that he loved and clung to her. She would never see him again. Surely there would be no harm in her taking one last look at his pretty face. Even Lady Ruth would not begrudge her that small comfort.

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Her packing was done in an incredi-Her packing was done in an incredit by short time, and when she had put on her hat and ulster, she found that she had still some minutes to wait.

Obeying an impulse which was irresistible, she opened the door, went down the corridor, and through the nursery time until—until when?

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Constance looked down at him, her heart very full indeed, then she knelt beside the bed, and softly put her lips to his. Gentle and cautious as the caress was, it woke him.

He opened his eyes and looked at her dreamily for a moment, then he smiled. "Miss Grahame, dear! Is it time to get up?"

"No, no, Arol, not yet. Go to cleep again."

He put his arms round her neck, and closing his eyes, fell off again. Constance wasted, her tears falling fast, until he was sound asleep, then gently loosening his clasp, she stole away. When she reached her room she found Lady Ruth there.

She grew too weary to think at last, and, closing her eyes, "let the great sorrowful world pass by her."

The train reached Paddington, and the usual bustle and movement surrounded it. Constance got out, and was making her way to the luggage van through the impatient crowd, intending to get her portmanteau and call a cab. There was only one thing to do, and that was to go to a private hotel. A porter found the portmanteau, and was goig toward the cab rank, when a small crowd of people came plunging down the platform, all very excited and curious, and all staring in one direction. Constance was standing immediately in their way, and was driven, though in their way, and was driven, though not very roughly, against one of the iron pillars.

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Lady Ruth there. You are ready. Where have you

been?"
"I have been to wish Lord Lance-brook good-bye. Yes, I am ready," replied Constance, coldly.
"You appear to have grown very fond of him—in a short time," she-said.
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"It is quite ready."
A brougham stood at the door, and the maid put the portmanteau in.
As it reached the station, Constance heard the bell ring. Lady Ruth had timed it pretty accurately. A porter came and got out the portmanteau, and Constance was going up the stairs, when a gentleman on horseback came riding by.

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He glanced at the carriage listlessly, hen at Constance, and then pulled up, ung himself from the saddle, and hursed after har.

'Miss Grahame!' he exclaimed.

Constance turned with a start, and a under flush on her pale face. forward.

In a few paces he came close to her, and as he did so a thrill of surprise shot through Constance, for the great man, whose movements everybody was watching so eagerly, was —Rawson Fed.

uden flush on her pale face. "Lord Elliot!" she faltered.

"Why, what is this!" he exclaimed "Why, what is this!" he exclaimed, his color coming and going, his eyes fixed eagerly on her face as he held her hand. "Where are you going?"

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"Are you going to London?" he said, his surprise developed into keen anxiety.

"Yes, my lord," she replied.

"At this time of the morning! Have you—have you heard bad news? I am sorry. So very, very sorry. It is not very had news, I hope. Were you obliged to go?"

"Yes, I was obliged, Lord Elliot," she said, as steadily as she could.

"Is there anything I can do?" he asked, looking down at her with all a man's tender solicitude for a woman in the case or as the could. "East or west, Miss?" answered Constance at hap-hazard.

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two of consideration on the part of the driver and went in the direction of Kensington; Constance wondering list-lessly whither her fate was taking her.

Constance went up a short flight of steps, and saw a woman whom the cabman, with the quick perception of his class, had rightly described as a lady. She was young, soarcely of middle age, indeed, with a rather pretty face, with that expression of subdued sadness which which speaks of past trouble, and was dressed in black. Constance and she stood for a moment regarding each other, then the woman's face relaxed into a softer and welcoming expression which brought an intense feeling of relief to poor Constance, who was dreading another rebuff.

"You wish to have a room, Miss?" said the woman.

"Yes, but I am quite alone, and I can not give you any references, and—I know no one. But I will pay." Her face crimsoned, and the woman's colored faintly in sympathy.

"I think I understand, Miss," he said; "I am not afraid about the money, and—will you come in, please?"

Coustance paid the cabman, who refrained from asking her more than a fare and a half, which was generous of him, considering that she would have paid three times the legal amount without a murmur, and she went inside the kouse. The landlady led her into a plainly furnished, but by not means uncomfortable, sittingroom, and motioned her to a e'vair.

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CHURCH MEETING. Presbytery of North Bay and Pres-

bytery of Temiskaming.

the idea from her whirling mind.
But the problem still remained, and demanded a solution. The train was rushing on to Loudon. She would find herself at the great busy terminus presently, homeless and friendless! She took out her purse, and emptying the money into the palm of her hand, counted it. Toronto, May 13.-The Presbyterian Synod of Toronto and Kingston this morning authorized the division of the Presbytery of North Bay. The the Presbytery of North Bay. The northern part of the Presbytery will henceforth be known as the Presbytery tery of Temiskaming and the southern portion will keep its present name of North Bay. In considering the report of the Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund the Presbytery passed a resolution that the fund should be brought more prominently to the attention of the members of the church, and expressing the opinion that all ministers of the church should be on the fund.

CONRIED'S FUNERAL.

New York, May 13.—With impressive services in which solemn musi-played a dominant part, the publi-funeral of Heinrich Conried, forme director of the Metropolitan Oper Co., was held to-day in the buildin which had been the seene of his in defatigable labors and many triumphs in the years of his directorate—the Metropolitan Opera House. The aud-itorium held a great and silent throng. iron pillars.

There she stood and watched and watched, if her listless patience could be called watching.

The object of attraction apparently was an exceedingly handsome carriage. The coachman, seated in stately dignity upon the embroidered hammer-cloth, wore a powdered wig; two footmen in handsome liveries stood like sentinels at the door, as if waiting for their master; while the horses chafed on their bits and pawed impatiently as if fully con-

FOR BOYS' LIVES.

Ottawa, Ont., May 13.—Acting on behalf of surviving relatives of Napoleon and David Valiquette, the boys drowned and David vanquette, the boys movined here on Monday as the result of a land-slide, Messrs. Belcourt & Ritchie, law-yers, have written the city, alleging negligence on the part of the corporation and its officers, and demanding compensation. No amount is specified.

ter; while the horses chafed on their bits and pawed impatiently as if fully conscious and proud of the attention the equipage was exciting.

Constance looked at the whole business with weary listlessness.

'Is it one of the royal family?' she asked the porter, who stood staring with half-opened mouth.

'Royal family? No, Miss. It's the great city man they're all talking about Bears the Bignature Chart Illithus great city man they're all talking about. Here he comes," he broke off, pushing

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