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THE BUSY STORE

Best Values For Today

\$2.00 and \$1.50 Motor Scarfs in all the new colorings and designs; Beaded, Plain and Fancy Chiffon, Polkadot, Persian effects, hemstitched and fancy edge. Regular \$2.00, special, each..... **59c**

20c FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS, with fancy borders, beautiful colorings and combination, 9¢ each, or **3 for 25c**

MOIRE for undershirts, silk finish, wide width; colors of black, brown, blue, white and brown. Special **25c yd**

12½c WHITE COTTON, Fruit of the Loom, full 36 inches wide, free from dressing. A look will convince. Special, 10 yards for **\$1.00**

MILITARY RED SERGE for coats, 54 inches wide, splendid quality; regular \$1.50, for, a yard **98c**

48c buys a Boy's Sweater Coat, with pockets, red trimmings. Each **48c**

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OPPOSITE MARKET LANE

THOMSON'S

179 Dundas St. Next to Boomer's Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear Store

Week-End Specials

A Boon to Busy Mothers

Now that the school days are here again with their wear and tear on clothes of all kinds, your needs will be well looked after by trading at our store. Several new lines of Children's and Misses' School Dresses just in this week. Below you will find a few of them described, and priced also.

Children's Flannelette Dresses

Children's Flannelette Dresses, in neat Mother Hubbard style, in colors of red and blue, trimmed with finishing braid. Sizes of 2, 3, 4. Very special **50c**

Little Girls' Dresses

In black and white check materials, plain yoke in waist, cuffs and collar neatly piped with white, red emblem on yoke. Very pretty style **\$1.25**

Another Style in Plaid

In colors of red, blue and brown, kilted skirt, belt, neck and cuffs piped with red. Exceptionally pretty style. Special at **\$1.25**

Girls' Middy Dresses

Of Navy Serge, kilted skirt of plaid, in dark green and blue, waist trimmed with bias folds. The very newest for school wear **\$3.25**

Special Lines in Our Underwear Department—An extra special vest in white and grey at **25c**

SUITS AND DRESSES MADE TO ORDER—We are showing all the new things in Dress and Suit materials—the long coat is correct for Fall and Winter wear. Our store is headquarters for "The Robinsons and Costumes Company" for London. We guarantee all our work. Our styles are up to the minute—the latest New York and Paris styles. Come in and let us show you styles and quote prices.

J. M. THOMSON
179 DUNDAS STREET. Next to Boomer's.

LEMIEUX ON THE SURPLUS

Tells a London Club It Will Be \$30,000,000 This Year.

London, Oct. 7.—Postmaster-General Lemieux, addressing the Sphinx Club, announced that Hon. W. S. Fielding's surplus for the current year will be \$6,000,000. "The main cause of the approaching prosperity in Canada is the British preference against all-comers," he said, "we ask nothing in return. We do it with loyalty and friendship, because it has been the cause of prosperity in the Dominion. Whatever may be the result of the reciprocity negotiations at Ottawa, the British preference will remain as the cardinal principle of our success." Mr. Lemieux also expressed the hope that a universal penny postage may be established.

casual way wherein Englishmen sometimes asked about the annexation of Canada to the United States. He said that in Canada such a question would be taken as a downright insult. Canada, he declared, is more than satisfied to remain an integral part of the greatest empire the world has ever seen. He advocated further efforts on the part of Great Britain to develop trade with Canada.

EDMUND BURKE BETTER.

London, Oct. 6.—Edmund Burke, of Montreal, owing to nasal trouble, recently underwent a serious operation, which was most successful. He has been engaged to sing Eljah in Albert Hall in November, and afterwards to tour England with the Melba company.

AN EXPENSIVE STAMP.

London, Oct. 6.—A shilling, black, 1851 Canadian stamp sold for £55.

GREER RAN DOWN IMPORTANT CLUE

Result May Be Arrest Tonight in Goderich Murder Case.

Goderich, Ont., Oct. 6.—The end of the Lizzie Anderson inquest is at last in sight, and it will not be at all surprising if the delivery of the verdict of the coroner's jury tomorrow night is followed by an arrest.

About 12 o'clock last night Inspector Greer received an urgent call at the Hotel Bedford, where he is quartered, and at once hurried out into the driving rain to follow up the clue. He made a second expedition in a top buggy early this morning, and although he was as reticent as ever, when he returned for breakfast, something about his expression indicated that he had gained possession of some very important data in connection with the brutal crime. He spent most of the latter part of the morning in probing this latest lead, and the feeling of the local authorities is that some sensational evidence will be sprung tomorrow night.

A Flat Denial.
This morning's adjourned inquest, which once more attracted a packed court room, lasted not more than 15 minutes, only one witness, Hugh Maguire, being examined. At the conclusion of this examination, the testimony of Wm. Brinley, the shooting gallery proprietor, last night, the crown asked for a further adjournment in order that the detective might produce the latest facts of which they have become possessed.

Before Maguire was called the jury surveyed the blood-stained clothing of the murdered girl, which are being kept in a closet in the town hall.

Maguire's Questioning.
"Do you know Edward Jardine?" asked Crown Attorney Seager, after the witness had been sworn.

"Quite well."

"Were you with him on the second day of the fair?"

"No, sir."

"Did you see him there in the afternoon?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did you speak to him?"

"Just in passing him."

"Did you see him there that night?"

"He came up to a refreshment booth and bought something for ten cents, where I was working. That was all."

"Didn't you tell Constable Wiggins that you had been wrestling with Eddie Jardine that night, and saw him at 10 o'clock?"

"No, sir."

"But you did tell Constable Wiggins some things that were not true?"

"Yes, sir, I was going to tell anything about the thing till I did it here before the jury."

More Medical Evidence.

It is practically certain that the verdict will be given tomorrow night. Very few witnesses are to be examined, but it is expected that their evidence will be very important. More medical testimony will also be forthcoming.

"I think the girl was murdered before midnight," said one of the inside authorities at noon today.

WANT RECIPROCITY

Republicans of Massachusetts Go On Record at Convention.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 6.—Closer trade relations with Canada, a permanent tariff board and a revision of the schedule when conditions warranted were the prominent features of the platform adopted by the Republican state convention here today.

President Taft was strongly commended for his efforts to secure a reciprocity treaty with the Dominion.

Governor Eben Draper was chosen by acclamation for a third term. Louis A. Frothingham, of Boston, was nominated for lieutenant-governor.

All other state officers selected today were renominated except that the name of James M. Swift, of Fall River, was accepted for the attorney-generalship, the present holder, Dana Malone, having declined to be a candidate.

THE IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

London, Oct. 6.—Evelyn Cecil, M. P., speaking at Aston, said he is very anxious to see the Imperial Conference developed. "First, let the equality of the mother country and the dominions be recognized with close imperial communications," he said. "Secondly, let the nucleus of a Federal Government be formed by the mother country and by the self-governing dominions, truly imperial affairs be formed by creating an efficient department in London with colonial representation as the connecting link between the periodical conferences."

TO ATTEND THE CORONATION.

Melbourne, Oct. 6.—Premier Fisher and one or more of his ministers will attend the Imperial Conference. The invitation of the Imperial Government to send a delegation to the coronation has been accepted, and the delegation will comprise 31 Ministerialists, 7 from the Opposition.

It is reported that the Government has informed the West Indies that it is unable to recommend any subsidy for a trans-Atlantic mail service.

A PRINCE'S PERIL.

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—George Fong, a member of the San Francisco organization of the Young Chinese association, an alleged revolutionary body, was arrested today by secret service men just as he was about to shoot Prince Tasi Hsun, uncle of the Emperor of China. The prince and his retinue were boarding the steamer Chiyo to sail for home. Fong confessed that he intended to kill the prince. A loaded revolver was found in the pocket toward which Fong was moving when the detectives seized him. The detectives had received information that Fong would bear watching.

A Great Play.

Those that did not see J. M. Dodson in "The House Next Door" have much to regret, for it was one of the finest plays ever brought to this city. This actor will make himself known to us again in this same play at the Grand Opera House on Monday night, Oct. 10. Not only is Mr. Dodson's creation of the role of Sir John Cotswold one of the finest interpretations known to the stage, but it is such a fine characterization that it should be seen often to realize the full power of this actor's acting quality. Such detail, thought and study, which his interpretation brings to notice, that it stands forth like one of Meissonnier's most exquisite paintings, so full of life and color is its composition. Seats now selling. Guaranteed attraction.

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WEATHER PROBS: Fair.

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Store Opens At 8 a. m. and Closes at Six---Phone 2814

Make It a Full Day Tomorrow

Come Early, If Possible, Shoppers, in the Forenoon

As the days shorten it becomes more and more advantageous for shoppers to make use of the brightest portion of the day, and do your purchasing in the forenoon. If you can so plan your time, you will be both making and saving time and money during the next few weeks, as much more can be accomplished in the same space of time in the morning, than in the afternoon, and with more comfort and satisfaction, too. Shop early Saturday. Store closes at six.

Another Dress Goods Sale Saturday, 69c

HOPSACK SUITINGS---CARDINAL, TAN, NAVY, LIGHT BROWN

LIGHT AND DARK GREEN, AND NEW BLUE—These are the colors, all this season's, new shades and new goods; about 300 yards of fall and winter suitings to be cleared tomorrow. Don't miss this opportunity, if you want dress goods, and the day to get them is the day they go on sale, as such bargains don't last long. Many were disappointed last week to find the colors wanted had all been sold in the forenoon. These colors are particularly good for young ladies' winter suits, girls' odd coats or skirts, and if you contemplate a purchase of even a skirt length, you cannot well afford to overlook this Saturday special; 52 inches wide. Sale price, yard **69c**

Main Floor—Centre Aisle—See Dundas Street Window Today.

Marquissette for Over-Dresses

This is one of the newest dress materials. A very sheer, soft, draping silk marquissette, being used as over-dresses for fancy silks, Persian and foulard silks; used also in place of nets over plain silks. Some beautiful color combinations and two-tone effects are obtained for evening gowns with this material. A splendid range of new colors—pink, mauve, royal, navy, light blue, tuscan, grey, red, cream, and black; 42-inch double-fold per yard **\$1.25**

At Dress Goods Counter—Centre Aisle.



Saturday the Great Clothing Day

The majority of men are so taken up with business through the week that he forgets until he realizes that tomorrow is Sunday, that his best suit is looking a little shabby, or he wants a new hat, gloves, socks or underwear, or that he has not yet selected his fall overcoat. Every other day in the week he plans his business for the next, but on Saturday he runs up against another proposition. It's the new suit or overcoat he planned in his mind the Sunday before to have for the next. No need to worry about that now. We have done the planning, and everything you want to wear on Sunday you'll find in our clothing store on Saturday, whether it be a frock coat or sack, overcoat, silk or derby hat. Order today and wear it tomorrow.

Men's Fall Overcoats

\$10, \$12 and \$15

See our special showing of Fall Weight Overcoats, in light and dark grey and black vicuna cloths; good lengths, 42, 44 to 50 inches, in sizes 35 to 44. These are very special values, at **\$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00** each.

Men's Shower-Proof Cravenette Coats

The most serviceable garment in the wardrobe; spring and fall weight, and guaranteed shower-proof, answering a double purpose; in dark grey and castor, all sizes, 35 to 46. Prices, **\$10.00 and \$12.00.**

3 Great Specials in Men's Odd Trousers,

All Sizes, \$1.35, \$1.75 and \$3.00 Pair

Boys' Double-Breasted Suits \$4.00 and \$5.00

Plain or bloomer knickers; sturdy wearing Tweed Suits, in grey mixtures, with green stripe, double-breasted, with belt, for ages 7 to 12. Price **\$4.00**

Also fall and winter weight tweeds and navy worsted suits, double-breasted, plain or bloomer knickers. Suit **\$5.00**

Boys' Overcoats \$2.95 to \$5.00

Military style, same as the men's coats; extra well made, and fine-fitting, for ages 3 to 10 years—**\$2.95, \$3.95, and \$5.00.**

Fall Topper Overcoats, for the small boy, in red, navy, fawn and shepherd check well made and neatly trimmed, for ages 2 to 8 years. Each, **\$2.95 to \$6.50.**

Boys' Knitted Coat Sweaters \$1.00

In blue and cardinal, for the small boy, age 2 to 7 years. These sizes are hard to procure. Get your supply now. Each, **\$1.00.**

Men's Furnishings

Ribbed Cashmere Socks 25c Pair

25 dozen, extra weight and quality, ribbed, also plain cashmere. A clearing of odds and ends of two lines of higher quality goods; sizes 9½ to 11. Saturday, pair **25c**

Penman's Everlast Heel and Toe 3 Pairs for \$1.25

Fine Double-Thread Cashmere Socks, in six different colors; boxed, three pairs in box; sizes 9½ to 11. Penman's famous Everlast Heel and Toe Socks, for men, per box **\$1.25**

Men's Natural Wool Underwear

Best makers' brands, in fall and winter weights, plain or ribbed, Shirts and Drawers, in all sizes. Per garment, **75c, 85c and 95c.**

Tiger Brand Underwear; fine elastic rib; unshrinkable; two suits in box; all sizes. Price, **\$1.00** per garment.

Special Quality English Derbys

Saturday, \$1.50

A great offer in Men's Black Stiff Hats for Saturday. Our special English block, in extra quality fur felt, soft and elastic, in all sizes. Each **\$1.50**



TOWEL SALE
ALL THIS
WEEK.

BEDDING SALE,
THIRD FLOOR.

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THE SUCCESSION DUTIES.
Toronto, Oct. 6.—The receipts of the province from succession duties during the present fiscal year will materially exceed the estimate, was the announcement of Hon. A. J. Matheson, provincial treasurer, today.

The fiscal year, ending with the close of the present month, and the total receipts to date are \$603,482 50, as against an estimate of \$650,000. The treasurer has, however, received information of returns approximating \$100,000, which are anticipated during the next two weeks.

The receipts from this source for the month of September were \$63,354 47, as against \$66,295 40 during September of last year.

LOREDO COMING TO CANADA.

London, Oct. 6.—At a meeting of the creditors of A. M. Lored, the chairman reported that Lored has gone to Canada in connection with a railway concession over which he held an

option. He has lodged a scheme for providing for the payment of his liabilities, he said. The meeting in consequence adjourned.

THE RAINBOW'S TRIP.

London, Oct. 6.—The Rainbow has arrived at Coquimbó.