

JOHN CATTO & SON
ODDS AND ENDS

have turned up during our late stock-taking in nearly every department. These have to be cleared out before new goods arrive. To this end we have laid out and re-priced the following:

DRESS GOODS.
A splendid lot of costume lengths of silk and wool dress fabrics, formerly \$2.50 and \$3.00.

Now 50 CENTS PER YARD.
Many useful remnant lengths of dress materials, black and colored, suitable for skirts, etc., at surprising reductions.

CLOAKS AND COSTUMES.
Still left a small balance of stock in this department, which we are anxious to clear out next week. Even if not in present need this is a chance to lay hold of.

WASH FABRICS.
A table of remnants of all classes of wash goods, prints, muslins, ginghams, lawns, etc., all to be sold in the next few days.

LINEN DAMASKS, ETC.
A splendid lot of Fine Linen Damask Table Cloths and Napkins, Tea Cloths, Doyles, etc., including some very valuable and slightly imperfect Table Cloths, 2 to 8 yards long.

ONE-THIRD OFF REGULAR PRICES.
Corresponding special values in Blankets, Down Quilts, etc. A small balance of a fine sample lot of Embroidered Linen Bed Spreads and Pillow Shams, specially re-priced for immediate clearance.

Mail Orders Receive Special Attention.

JOHN CATTO & SON
King-street—Opposite Postoffice,
TORONTO.

CANADA CANNOT SUPPLY
WHAT AUSTRALIA ORDERS

Manufacturers Have Too Much to Do in Supplying the Home Market.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association have received a letter from J. S. Larke, commercial agent for Canada, residing in Sydney, N.S.W., which sets forth the difficulties and uncertainties relating to Canada's export trade with Australia.

Many Canadian manufacturing firms that have, through the efforts of Mr. Larke, secured representative houses in Melbourne, Brisbane, Sydney, Adelaide, Perth and other large centres in that country, have been unable to fill orders when received from their Australian agents, giving as an explanation that they are scarcely able to supply the demands of the home market.

In addition to this disappointing feature, Canadian houses, whose headquarters are in the United States, are not allowed, owing to the non-existence of a preferential trade tariff in Australia, to take precedence to the parent establishment.

The C.M.A. some time ago supplied Mr. Larke with the trade circulars of some 900 Canadian firms, many of which had been more or less represented there previously, and now the association are asked to refrain from sending in any further names unless they can give some proper assurance that the orders will be filled when required.

Mr. Larke quotes the replies of many well-known establishments in different lines of Canadian industries, as a confirmation of his general statement.

The C.M.A. explain the situation as due to the rapid expansion and development going on within the Dominion, the great scarcity of labor and the menace of the intermediate tariff which tends to delay the increase of manufacturing capacities and plants as the chief factors which cause the inability to meet the demands of export trade.

Belleville, Feb. 4.—The funeral of the late A. A. Farley, K.C., who died in London, Eng., took place in this city today. Services were held in St. Thomas Church. The pall-bearers were James Grant, J. W. Walker, D. M. Waters, William Webster, J. F. Willis and E. H. Laroche.

Presbyterian Meetings.
The Toronto Presbyterian Sunday School Association have decided to hold three large public meetings in the east-west and centre districts of the city, when the adult Bible class movement will be the chief topic discussed.

Victoria School Old Boys.
The first annual reunion and banquet of the Victoria-school Old Boys Association will be held at the St. Charles Cafe. The program has been provided, including a number of toasts, etc.

Constipation Clogs the Bowels

No other cause produces so much sickness as constipation, and therefore it is dangerous to allow the bowels to become clogged up. Bad blood, dyspepsia, headache, biliousness, boils, pimples, and piles, are all caused by constipation.

Avoid all of these troubles by the use of **BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS**, nature's remedy for all diseases of the stomach, bowels and blood. It acts on the bowels and promotes their free and regular action, curing constipation and all troubles which arise from it. It has been on the market for over thirty years so you are not using a new and untried remedy. B.B.B. has cured thousands of others and will cure you. Mr. B. Woodcock, Nashua, B.B.B. writes: "For over two years my wife was troubled with constipation. She tried several physicians but could get no relief, but after taking three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters she was completely cured and is to-day in good health. My wife and I cannot speak too highly of B.B.B."

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MARK TWAIN ON MRS. EDDY
TAKES SERIO-COMIC VIEW

Woman's Autocratic Power Makes Her President, Board of Works and All, He Writes.

New York, Feb. 4.—Mark Twain's book on "Christian Science" will be published in a few days.

"My purpose," the author writes in his preface, "has been to present a character portrait of Mrs. Eddy, drawn from her own acts and words, solely, not from hearsay and rumor; and to explain the nature and scope of her monarchy, as revealed in the laws by which she governs it, and which she wrote herself."

It is not a work of humor, but at the same time it is not without humorously entertaining touches. Indeed, the book opens with the presentation of one of his basic arguments in the form of a narrative so droll as to disarm the hostility of even those whose belief he attacks.

Somewhere in Austria he has fallen over a cliff, and no physician being within finding distance, a Boston Christian Science doctor, summing not far away, is sent for.

"It was night by the time, and she could not conveniently come, but sent word that it was no matter, there was no hurry, she would give me a treatment now, and come in the morning; meantime she begged me to make myself tranquil and comfortable and remember that there was nothing the matter with me. I thought there must be some mistake.

"Did you tell her I walked off a cliff 75 feet high?"

"Yes."

"And struck a boulder at the bottom and bounced?"

"Yes."

"And struck another one and bounced again?"

"Yes."

"And struck another one and bounced again?"

"Yes."

"And broke the boulders?"

"That accounts for it; she is thinking of the boulders. Why didn't you tell her I got hurt, too?"

"Looked like a Haz Back."

"I did. I told her what you told me to tell her; that you were now but an innocent series of compound fractures extending from your scalp to your heels, and that the comminuted projections caused you to look like a haystack."

"And it was after this that she wished me to remember that there was nothing the matter with me?"

"Those were her words."

But next morning the Christian Science arrived and she and Mark Twain gave a detectable discussion, and at length Mark says:

"I am full of imaginary tortures, but I do not think I could be any more uncomfortable if they were real ones. What must I do to get rid of them?"

"There is no occasion to get rid of them, since they do not exist. They are illusions, propagated by matter; and matter has no existence; there is no such thing as matter."

"It sounds right and clear, but yet it is a little degree elusive; it seems to slip thru just when you think you are getting a grip on it."

"Explains."

"In a whimsical Proposition."

"Well, for instance, if there is no such thing as matter; how can matter be anything but a figment of the imagination?"

"In her compassion she almost smiled. She would have smiled if there were any such thing as a smile. The fundamental propositions of Christian Science explain it, and they are summarized in the four following self-evident propositions: I. God is all in all. 2. God is good. 3. God is mind. 4. God, spirit, being, all, nothing, matter, life, God, omnipotent good, death, evil, sin, disease. There, now you see."

"It seemed nebulous; it did not seem to say anything about the difficulty in hand—a how-existent matter can propagate illusions."

"As they talk, Mark continually fails to find coherent proof in the fowling words of the Scientist. At length he says:

"What is the origin of Christian Science? Is a gift of God, or did it just happen?"

"In a sense, it is a gift of God. That is, say, its powers are from Him; but the credit of the discovery of the powers and what they are for is due to an American lady."

"Indeed? When did this occur?"

"1866. Immortal Date."

"In 1866. That is the immortal date when pain and disease and death appeared from the earth to return no more forever. That is, the fancies for which those terms stand disappeared. The things themselves had never existed; therefore, as soon as it was perceived that there were no such things, they were easily banished. The history and nature of the great discovery are set down in the book here, and—"

"Did the lady write the book?"

"Yes, she wrote it all, herself. The title is 'Science and Health, With Key to the Scriptures'—for she explains the Scriptures; they were not understood before. Not even by the 12 disciples. She begins thus—I will read it to you."

"But she had forgotten to bring her glasses."

As to Mrs. Eddy's Book.

Then he gives a serious summary of Mrs. Eddy's book:

"It is written with a limitless confidence and complacency, and with a dash and etir and earnestness which often conceal the effects of eloquence, even when the words do not seem to have any traceable meaning."

He comments on the personal honors paid to Mrs. Eddy and exclaims:

"How long do you think it will be before it is claimed that Mrs. Eddy is a Redeemer, a Christ, and Christ's equal? Already her army of disciples speak of her reverently as 'our mother.' How long will it be before they place her on the steps of the throne beside the Virgin—and, later, a step higher?"

First Mrs. of the Virgin and Mary the matron; later, with a change of precedence, Mary the matron and Mary the Virgin.

"And who are attracted by Christian Science? There is no limit; its field is horizontal; its appeal is as universal as is the appeal of Christianity itself. It appeals to the rich, the poor, the high, the low; the cultured, the ignorant, the gifted, the stupid, the modest, the vain, the wise, the silly, the soldier, the civilian, the hero, the coward, the idler, the worker, the cozy, the prodigal, the free, the slave."

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You can go right ahead with your work and be easy and comfortable all the time.

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Just send your name and address to Pyramid Drug Co., 65 Pyramid Building, Marshall Mich., and receive free by return mail the trial package in a plain wrapper.

Thousands have been cured in this easy, painless and inexpensive way, in the privacy of the home.

No knife and its torture.

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W.A. Murray & Co. Limited
Business Hours Daily:
Store opens at 8.30 a.m. and closes at 6 p.m.

A Clearing Sale
In Our Costume Section

After taking stock of our Costume Department we find that it is much larger than we thought, in fact so much so that we have to make large reductions in the prices of our various lines, including Skirts, Dressing Gowns, Shirt Waist Suits, Etc., Etc. Never before have such values prevailed in this department. Every one in perfect condition and stylish looking garments.

12 only Shirt Waist Suits, made of Alpaca and light-weight wool materials, in navy and white, black and white, and all black, very suitable for spring wear, regular 10.00 to 20.00, 6.00 Wednesday..... 5.50

Cream Skirts, in serge, albatross and alpaca, our best imported qualities, regular 10.00 to 15.00, reduced to..... 5.50

Elder Flannel Gowns, stockette back, best qualities in handsome patterns, in colors of black and white, grey, and white, pink, blue, navy and crimson, regular 10.00 to 20.00, to-morrow 7.00

Imported French Flannel Dressing Gowns, in pink, blue and crimson, applied and embroidered, 10.00 to 18.00, to-morrow to clear..... 5.00

New Importations
of Wash Goods

Our new materials are coming in very fast, and to-morrow we expect to be able to show you our immense collection of new, exclusive fabrics of wash goods: we extend to the buying public of Toronto a cordial invitation to inspect our stock, as we know there are many new designs and ideas that will greatly interest them: we only have space here to mention a few.

Colored French Embroidered Linen in many dainty figures, on pink, sky, cadet, green, fawn, colored grounds, a yard..... 1.50

48-inch Plain Colored Linen, in pretty shades of pink, sky, heliotrope, white and fawn, special, a yard..... .75

50 Pieces of Handsome White Ground Swiss Muslins, with dainty colored figures and floral designs, 60c to 85c a yard.

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the freeman, the slave, the adult, the child; they who are ailing in body or mind, they who have friends that are ailing in body or mind. To make it in a phrase, its clientele is the human race. Will it march? I think so.

"But he makes the grave charge that his domination of Mrs. Eddy's remarkable qualities, and says: 'It is quite within the probabilities that a century hence she will be the most imposing figure that has cast its shadow across the globe since the inauguration of our Lord Jesus Christ.'

But he turns for a few moments to Mrs. Eddy's human weaknesses, and quotes a paragraph from the book which he says is 'the holy name of poetry'."

And laud the land whose talents rock under a wide of her power, And wreaths are twined round Plymouth Rock From erudition's bowler.

"That she could still treasure up, and print, and manifestly admire those words, and make the most daring and masculine and masterful woman that has appeared in the earth in centuries, that is the ruling circle, centering about Mrs. Eddy. He estimates that within a few years the annual income will be reckoned in millions of dollars."

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JUDICIAL NOTICE TO CREDITORS
of the Keynote Engineering Company, Limited.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors of the Keynote Engineering Company, Limited, that the winding up order made by the High Court of Justice, in the matter of the Keynote Engineering Company, Limited, dated the twenty-sixth day of December, 1906, the creditors of the above named company, and all others having claims against the said company, having their head offices in the City of Toronto, are on or before the 15th day of February, 1907, to send by post, prepaid, to Norman L. Martin, 64 Wellington-street West, Toronto, the full particulars, verified by oath, of their claims, and the nature and amount of the securities, if any, held by them, and if in default thereof, they will be precluded from participating in the benefit of the said winding up order.

The undersigned Master in Ordinary will, on the 21st day of February, 1907, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at his chambers, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, hear the report of the Liquidator upon the said claims, and let all parties then attend.

Dated the 25th day of January, 1907.

THOMAS HODGINS,
Liquidator.

MACDONELL, McMASTER, GEARY & BARTON,
Solicitors for Liquidator.

JUDICIAL NOTICE TO CREDITORS
of the Thorn Plumbing Company, Limited.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors of the Thorn Plumbing Company, Limited, that the winding up order made by the High Court of Justice, in the matter of the Thorn Plumbing Company, Limited, dated the eighth day of January, 1907, the creditors of the above named company, and all others having claims against the said company, having their head offices in the City of Toronto, are on or before the 15th day of February, 1907, to send by post, prepaid, to Norman L. Martin, 64 Wellington-street West, Toronto, the full particulars, verified by oath, of their claims, and the nature and amount of the securities, if any, held by them, and if in default thereof, they will be precluded from participating in the benefit of the said winding up order.

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