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Gloves and Parasols.....

Summer is here at last and of course new gloves and parasols will be much in evidence on every side, many of them will come from this store, the one place where the best and most up-to-date novelties are always to be had. Our gloves and parasols represent the top notch of style, our prices are equally as pleasing.

Ladies' 2 dome French Kid Gloves, finest quality, tan, mode, brown and black, embroidered backs, all sizes, very special per pair.....\$1.00

Ladies' French Kid Gloves, in all colors, 2 domes, guage fingers, these are Paris cut, and the fit, finish and wear is guaranteed, per pair.....\$1.25

Ladies' Chamois and Castor Gloves, in white, will wash, 2 large pearl buttons, will fit well and wear well, special per pair.....85c

Ladies' Sunshades, in the prettiest colorings imaginable, Japanese silk, at.....\$2.00 and \$2.25

Ladies' Sunshades, Japanese silk, with fancy border and tucks, very pretty handles, all the leading shades, special.....\$3.50

Ladies' White Taffeta and Fancy Silk Sunshades, with steel rod and brass frame, special.....\$5.00

Ladies' Parasols, in Black Scotch manufacture, the best value in the trade, at 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50

Thomas Stone & Son Direct Importers
78 and 80 King St.

Men's - Straw - Hatsfor 1900....

We opened the season Saturday, and never had a better stock to do it with—it is fresh and clean, just from the factory, and not a '99 straw hat in it.

No matter where you may pay, The 2 T's straw hat values can't be equalled. We have those rough braids made up in nobby shapes and rightly trimmed, together with our line of split braids, making the strongest line of straws we have ever shown. Suitable shapes for men of all ages.

Prices are 50c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50.

Negligee Shirts 50c to \$1.50

This warm weather suggests Negligee Shirts. Here you find them by the hundreds, the assortment is so great that any color, pattern or material you are looking for can be found in it. More of those handsome stripes in Cheviot Cloth came yesterday.

Summer Underwear, all kinds, all sizes, all prices. Belts, Golf and Bicycle Stockings, a superb assortment of each.

The 2 T's = Trudell & Tobey
Sole Agents for Slater Shoes and Barrington Hats.
"TOP TO TOE CLOTHIERS."

For Wednesday Buyers

Economic conditions prevail all over this busy store. Progressive business methods demand good values, correct styles, prompt and courteous attention. We worry no person to buy our goods, you are extended the freedom of the store. Visit every department, examine, look, compare, buy or not at your own sweet pleasure. Here are some holiday needs that are bound to interest you.

15 doz. Ladies' Hose fine German make, Hermsdorf dye, full fashioned, seamless soles, spliced heels and toes, for pair.....12c
5 doz. fine Imported Lisle Thread Hose, superior quality, balbriggan feet, spliced seamless soles, special for pair.....40c
10 doz. fine Macao Cotton Hose, double thread, seamless feet, full fashioned, Hermsdorf dye, 40 gauge, extra value per pair.....25c
Children's Plaid Cashmere Hose, fine quality in pretty color combinations, special at 40c, 50c and.....60c
BELTS—Elastic web belts, with fancy jet and metal buckles, special at 45c and.....20c
Jettied Elastic Belts, handsome new styles in plain and fringed, pretty buckles at 45c, 55c and.....75c
Pulley Belts, in patent and pebble leather at 35c and.....25c
Pulley Belts, in gold, silver and nickel metal, pretty new styles, at 85c and \$1
Leather Belts, in plain and fancy leather, choice assortment of buckles, special at 10c, 12c, 15c, 20c and.....25c

Ladies' Bow Ties, new styles in plain and fancy stripes, with hands, special at.....25c
Ladies' White Lawn Ties, 3 and 1 inch wide, special.....2 for 50
Ladies' Vests, soft elastic weave, special each.....5c
Ladies' Vests, with half sleeves, elastic rib weave, each.....7c
Ladies' Vests, fancy trimmed yoke, half sleeves, each.....10c
Shaped Vests, with trimmed yoke and sleeves, fine soft finish, special.....12c
Ladies' fine Vests, cream or black, soft elastic rib, shaped, special at 15c and.....19c
Ladies' Vests, open front, half sleeves, silk trimmed, yoke shaped, rib weave, very special.....25c
Ladies' Black Lisle Gloves, fancy stitched back, special per pair.....15c
Ladies' Taffeta Gloves, fine quality, special 25c and.....35c
Ladies' Shirt Waists, 30 doz. beautiful new shirt waists, latest styles and patterns, separate collars, the best value in the city at.....50c

20 doz. New Shirt Waists in prints, percales, cords, muslins, white lawns, black percales, latest patterns and colorings, special at 75c, 90c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, up to.....\$2.00
Parasols—without a doubt our range of parasols and umbrellas are the finest in the city, many styles that are not to be seen elsewhere, the prices range from 50c up to.....85c
Ladies' Ready-to-wear Skirts, in Crush, Boulevard Cloth, Serges, Plain and figured Lustras, Plaids, Coverts, etc., made up in latest styles at each \$1, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and.....\$4.00
Ladies' Underskirts, in satin, tana cloth, metallic satens, moreens, taffeta silk, and fine satins, hands, some styles at 80c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.80, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50 to.....\$6.50
Ladies' Spring-Jackets, latest styles in black and fawn covert cloths, kerseys and box cloths, clearing at \$8.50, \$4.75, \$5.99 and.....\$6.48
10 doz. Ladies' Straw Sailors, plain and fancy straw, silk bands, special at.....25c

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CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE.

NEAR JOHANNESBURG.

British Cavalry Scouring the Country Almost to the Vaal River.

London, Tuesday, May 22, 3.15 a.m.—British horsemen, according to a despatch from Lorenzo Marquez, are now close to the Vaal River, within forty miles of Johannesburg. The migration from Pretoria has begun. The women and children are being sent in trains to Machodorp, on the way to Lydenburg. Trains are arriving at Lorenzo Marquez, filled with passengers, among whom are many Germans, who are bound for Europe.

A Lorenzo Marquez despatch of the 21st says:—The defence works of Johannesburg are progressing rapidly. Six guns, brought from the front, have been placed in a fort, while trenches and trenches intersect Katrand, near Klip Riversberg, behind the race course.

RAILWAY FINISHED.

The railway head is expected to be at Kroonstad to-day (Tuesday). The congestion of traffic at Smaldeal delays Lord Roberts' advance, but his cavalry continues active through a wide radius east and south-east of Kroonstad. The infantry advance steadily. Gen. Colville and Gen. Rundle shift their headquarters each second day. The Boers are retreating northward from Harrismith.

Raiding and sniping are decreasing. Lord Roberts is advised that little resistance need be expected south of Klip River, near Johannesburg, where the natives are digging trenches, but the position, according to a correspondent, can be turned.

The same authority thinks it improbable that there will be any desperate defence south of Pretoria, and that even the capital of the Transvaal is likely to be evacuated.

The orders from the War Office directing six more siege trains to go out, indicate preparations in expectancy of a siege.

Twenty-one war correspondents have been killed or have died of disease during the war. In this respect the Daily Mail has been particularly unfortunate, ten of its correspondents having been put out of service by death or illness.

The War Office announces that 11 vessels will leave home ports during the next thirty days with 3,869 officers and men and 2,385 horses. The promotion of Col. Baden-Powell is generally expected to be followed by further honors, probably an important command, with a temporary rank of lieutenant-general. He only got his colonelcy in 1897, and he now goes ahead of a long list of seniors.

MAHON'S GREAT RUSH

Day and Night His Force Marched Towards Mafeking Pursued by the Enemy.

London, May 21.—The official confirmation of the relief of Mafeking received yesterday does away with the lingering doubts which existed in the minds of a few people who have got into the habit of believing nothing but war office despatches. With belated enthusiasm, that department hoisted its flag on the receipt of the official telegram, and the crowd cheered. It is announced that Colonel Baden-Powell will be made a Major-General.

HAD A HOT FIGHT.

London, May 22, 4 p.m.—The war office has received the following despatch from Lord Roberts:—Kroonstad, May 21.—Mahon (Col. B. Mahon) reports that he joined Col. Pienaar at Jammaabli May 15. He was followed by a Boer commando from Maritzburg, and turned westward to avoid it. May 13 he was attacked in the bush, losing five men killed, two missing, and 24 wounded, including a Daily Mail correspondent (Hands), dangerously. The Boers lost more than Mahon in killed and wounded.

ONE LONG RUSH.

London, May 22.—Some details of Col. Mahon's Mafeking relief expedition are now coming through from wayside points. It was one long rush to Mafeking. C. E. Hands, the Daily Mail's correspondent mentioned in Lord Roberts' despatch to the war office as dangerously wounded in the fight in the bush May 13, sent his last message from Vryburg, May 9, by runner to Kimberley May 21. He says:—The flying mounted column, secretly and swiftly organized by Gen. Hunter, started from Barkley and arrived here to-night, covering 130 miles in five days. It is a grand force of mounted men—Imperial Light Horse from Ladysmith, the Kimberley mounted corps, with Royal Horse Artillery and pomps and a selected body of infantry from the Fusilier brigade. A special equipment of light-sprung mule transport completes this splendid force. The force so equipped was enabled to move with such rapidity that though this is a difficult country, requiring vigilance, the Boers were surprised. The column moved parallel with the enemy's positions on the Vaal at Rooidam and Fourteen Streams, consistently getting behind them without firing a shot. So close were we on Sunday and Monday that Gen. Hunter's balloon was visible and his bombardment heard.

A correspondent with Gen. Hunter telegraphs as follows from Fourteen Streams:—Col. Mahon's relieving column left Barkley West under secret orders, May 4, and reached Vryburg May 10. The Boers marched on the right flank of the British and a strange race followed. Mahon pressing toward Mafeking with the utmost speed, consistently keeping the force in condition, and the Boers hurrying parallel in an effort to pass him and throw themselves across his path. Boers succeeded. Mahon then turned west during the night. The Boers followed, overtook and attacked him in the bush, but were beaten off. Then as Lord Roberts wired, Col. Mahon and Col. Pienaar united forces at Jammaabli May 15, and Mafeking was relieved three days later under conditions not yet known here.

A correspondent of the Daily Express says:—Gen. Hunter devised and guided the relief, which was daringly executed by Col. Mahon.

The last message from Col. Mahon's column, before the relief, was dated at Jammaabli, May 11th. It says: The column left Vryburg yesterday, did 19 miles, and outspanned at 2 a.m. No fires were allowed. We started at dawn and trekked here."

To Save Her Child. From frightful disfigurement Mrs. Nankia Gieger, of LaGrange, Ga., applied Buckle's Arnica Salve to great sores on her head and face, and writes its quick cure exceeded all her hopes. It works wonders in Sores, Bruises, Skin Eruptions, Cuts, Burns, Scalds, Piles. 25c. Cure guaranteed by A. I. McCall & Co.'s Drug Store.

At Ridgeway the other day, E. L. Brown, formerly of Chatham, was presented by the employees of Northway & Anderson with a handsome secretary. Mr. Brown has retired from the management of the firm's establishment in that town to go into the insurance business.

A Widow's Love Affair. Receive a setback, if she has offensive breath through Constipation, Biliousness or Stomach Trouble, but Dr. King's New Life Pills always cure those troubles; clean the system, sweeten the breath, banish headache, best in the world for liver, kidneys, and bowels. Only 25c. at A. I. McCall & Co.'s drug store.

Which Side?

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We note this by his old shoes and strengthen the soles and heels accordingly with

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which make a shoe last twice as long, and we don't charge anything extra for this, adding 50 per cent. of durability to the shoes.

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"The Ark" is full of useful things you need these fine days, such as Summer Stoves, Refrigerators, Tinware, Enamelled Ware, Brushes for anything, Mixed Paints, Glassware and Crockery.

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