Ladies' Wearing Apparel CHAPTER OF CASUAL Specials for Tuesday.



of Ladies' Shirt Waists, Whitewear, Wrappers, Skirts, Corsets, etc. Tuesday will be a special day in our Ladies' Wear Department, Every article has a special price on it for Tuesday. These prices and qualities tickle economy into a good hearty the day. Tuesday, April 23.

Shirt Waist Specials.

Two or three of our neat and dainty

Shirt Waists with a good skirt will give you a very fitting attire for

black, pink and mauve stripes,

plain backs, laundered collars and

broad or narrow stripes, box

pleated front, new sleeve with flare cuffs. Tuesday

Fancy Striped White Lawn Shirt

In Fine Lawn, 4 rows of insertion

pointed flare cuff. Tuesday

and four rows of tucks in front,

recian Front Shirt Waists, in

blue, pink, mauve and ox-blood,

Corset Specials.

18 only, in drab, black and white,

steel filled, cork protected clasps;

FROST VERSUS FRUIT

Varying Opinions as to the Effect of Recent

Severe Weather in Essex County.

Windsor, April 22.-It is feared by

the recent cold weather, but Stephen

erwise, and says it will be beneficial to

The buds are not advanced yet,

takes a very hard frost to go through.

The only buds at all likely to be in-fured at this time of the year are the

cherry blossom is the most susceptible

to the warm weather, and a few sunny

days will make the buds bloom, but

we have not had much warm weather, consequently the buds are still unop-

ened and cannot be injured. The peach

blossom is also in a budding state and

will be retarded, and thus escape

frosts which may come later. In former years, after warm weather, the

trees would be in blossom, when along would come the frosty nights and kill

everything in sight. The blossoms this

year will not be out for some time.

owing to this cold weather, and if the

weather clears properly I think we

will have an abundant crop of all

ENGLISH DUTY ON COAL

May Stimulate Trade in America, Says a

Nova Scotia Operator.

Toronto, April 22.-Elias Rogers, who is a director of the Dominion Coal

Company, which operates in the Mari-

pect, however, that it will revolution-

ize anything; but it cannot help but

have an influence in a good direction.

sumer, or it may be that the cost of

production will be decreased; that

there will be a paring down all round

-reduction in wages, in freight charges, and so on-but whichever way

the new equilibrium is arrived at the effect for us on this side of the At-

"Will your markets be extended?"

"We in Nova Scotia are not looking

for new markets," he answered. "In

the New England States and the St.

Lawrence district, we have all the

markets we can supply until our out-

put is increased. The West Virginia

coal fields are more anxious for foreign

IMPORTANT MACCABEE DECISION

Columbus, Ohio, April 22.-Superin-

tendent of Insurance Vory has refused

a license to the Great Hive, Ladies of

the Maccabees of Michigan, because of the similarity of its name to the Su-

preme Hive, Ladies of the Maccabees

BIG PILE OF WOOL IN STOCK.

off in the exports from Toronto to the

Toronto, April 22.-There is a falling

United states, as shown by the American consul's figures for the first

three months of 1900 and the corre-

sponding term for this year, amount-

ing to \$66,434. A large portion of the decrease in exports is accounted for by the fact that in the first quarter of

1900 wool to the extent of \$78,000 was

shipped, while this year there was but \$450 50. In explanation of this a local

last summer, and as the price since

then has dropped the dealers cannot get rid of their stocks.

lantic will be good."

of the national body.

was asked of Mr. Rogers.

varieties of fruit."

the other fruit tree buds are young.

Hamburg insertion, laun-

American Percale, in blue,

... 490

spring.

Ladies' Skirts.

In this department we excel. The qualities of the materials of these articles are of the highest grade. Ladies' White Lonsdale Skirt, overstitched seams, with inch frill of embroidery, cluster of tucks above frill. Tuesday's special 99c

Heavy White Skirt, fitted yoke, frill, hemstitched tucks.

Ladies' Underwear.

Values that are rare treats. Ladies' Drawers in Lonsdale, trimmed with frill or lace tucks above hem. Tuesday 25c Fine Cambric Drawers, with embroidery trimming, 3 clusters of tucks above hem. Tuesday 35c Fine Cotton Gowns, full sized,

pleat. Special for Tuesday 50c Heavy Cambric Gown, cluster tucked yoke, trimmed with frill

tucked yokes, frill on neck, box

of embroidery on sleeves, neck and yoke. Special at.......... 75c Specials Also in Ladies' Hosiery

and Underwear.

the buds.

COPP BROS.' FAILURE

Stock Taking Showed Assets \$160,000 and Liabilities \$56,000.

Hamilton Times: Yesterday (Friday) afternoon, Mr. Joseph McAdam, of St. Thomas, went into the office of Copp Bros., stove founders, as liquidator, under an order obtained at Osgoode Hall at the instance of the Merchants' Bank, and it is feared that there is little hope of saving the business-one experience in fruit-growing, thinks oth-

the oldest in Hamilton.

Copp Bros. commenced business in Hamilton in the year 1849. They also purchased and operated a foundry in Woodstock for seven years, when they removed that plant to this city, as when the casing is on the buds it in 1867, and have steadily increased their works up to the present time, the Pacific, with branch houses in cherry and peach, and I feel certain Toronto and Winnipeg. Last year's that neither has been touched. siness was the largest in volume in the history of the firm. Their pay roll amounted weekly, when running, from \$1,000 to \$1,500. The financial position of the company was vastly improved during the year, in fact, much better than it had been for ten. years. Stock was taken on Jan. 31, 1901 which showed net assets over \$160,000, and liabilities to the bank and other creditors under \$56,000, and hence it will be seen the assets amount to almost three times as much as the llabilities. The business earned for the year 11 per cent on the capital stock, which left net assets of about \$104,000 over and above all lia-

SUGAR BEET CONCERN FAILS. Benton Harbor, Mich., April 22.—Dr. H. C. Rockwell, one of the principal stockholders in the \$300,000 beet sugar plant at this place, which proved a failure, has packed up his belongings, and moved to Cleveland, where he hopes to rebuild his shattered fortune.

G T B BRAKEMAN'S NERVE. Detroit, April 22.-William O'Neal, a brakeman on a Grand Trunk train, showed on unusual amount of grit on the top of a car, and at the Dequindre street bridge at Jefferson avenue he was struck by a bridge beam and time Provinces, was interviewed re-knocked off. His scalp was peeled from his forehead back to his neck. He suf-coal. "There is no doubt the effect will fered excruciating pain, but bore it be stimulating to the coal trade of bravely until the Gratiot avenue sta- America," he said. "We do not extion was reached. Here he walked out to Boyd's ambulance, which was called, and was taken to the sanitarium, where he walked into that institution. Besides It is hard to tell precisely in what having his scalp torn, his neck was way the British export trade will be badly wrenched. O'Neal is 40 years of affected by the duty. It may, of age and lives at 1,172 Scotten avenue. course, make higher prices for the con-

The Manitoba attorney-general's department has intimated that it will strictly enforce the law regarding the selling of liquor during prohibited



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_axa-Liver Pills.

These little pills work while you sleep. rithout a gripe or pain, curing billousness, instipation, dyspepsia and sick headache, and making you feel better in the morning.

BR. WOOD'S MORWAY PINE and cures the ducers at the high prices prevailing

Heals and dealer in wool states that practically soethesthelungs all of last year's wool is in the counworst kinds of coughs and colds.

Preacher Found Dead on the Floor of His Room.

We have a complete stock Suicide of the President and Cashier of a Suspended Bank in Vanccuver, B. C.

PREACHER FOUND DEAD.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., April 22. - Rev. a room at the Seymour House Saturday. The bed had been opened, but not occupied. The body, clothed in a night robe, lay on the floor, face downwards, with the arms underneath the head. Green had been connected laugh. It looks so well and with the Episcopal mission in New York, and assigned to the mission parish at Antwerp. The parishioners complained of his eccentricities, and inhibition followed. An autopsy showed that death resulted from asphxiation,

due to convulsions. Winnipeg, Man., April 22. - The eighteen-year-old son of Matthew Lutz was killed on Tuesday on Trotter's farm, north of Summerberry, Assa., by a wood tepee falling on him.

Vancouver, B. C., April 21.—Charles Brown and E. L. Canby, president and cashier, respectively, of the First National Bank, of this city, which was forced to suspend yesterday committed suicide last night, two miles from here. Their bodies were found this mercian

Guelph, April 22. — Robert Hyman, caretaker of the government buildings, here, dropped dead Saturday morning while coming downstairs. Detroit, April 22.—Mrs. Robert Tif-fin, died Wednesday as the result of

an operation, which she performed upon herself, according to a statement which she made to two doctors. Mrs. Tiffin was formerly Miss Annie dered collar. Tuesday\$1 25 Leatherdale, and her home was in Dresden, Ont. It is thought that the operation was performed by others than Mrs. Tiffin

A DASTARD'S CRIME. Toronto, April 22. - John Tomlinson, a vagrant, was arrested this morning, charged with a crime of peculiar atrocity. It is alleged that in revenge for some fancied slight he tried to set fire to the dwelling of A. Hunter in East Toronto during the night of April 2, when four young children, as well as several grown-up people, were asleep in it. He is said to have saturated the door and steps with coal oil, and set fire to them, but the fire did not take, and the family were not aware until morning that arson had been at-

tempted. ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Portage La Prairie, Man., April 22.-Andrew Brydon, who claims to have been working for the Lake of the Woods Milling Company at Keewatin, many that the buds of the fruit trees burn in a very serious condition. Bryin Essex county have been injured by don is demented and attempted suigroin with a knife, and when taken Lusted, city clerk, who has had a large charge of was about to throw himself in front of the train. Recovery is

Merely Mentioned.

day evening.

Dr. Macdonald, M.P., is confined to his room at the Russell House, Ottawa, by a lame ankle.

will, it is said, aggregate \$30,000,000. Perth renewed all the city hotel li-

"The good which I think will arise from this cold weather is that the buds In Syracuse, N. Y., 136 Holstein-Friesian cattle brought \$15,000. One cow and calf went for \$500. William Collins, aged 68, clerk of the

division court and town treasurer for Walkerton, died on Saturday. James Rednath aged 84 father of Historian John Clark Redpath, and once a man of note in politics, is dead

in Spokane. Wash. Joel Goldenberg, lace importer, dropped dead in New York last night, leaving \$2,000,000 to charity, as he had no

George W. Spitzmiller, the Buffalo bucket-shop operator, is endeavoring

to compromise with his Toronto creditors at ten cents on the dollar. The population of Kent county, Ont., including Chatham, was 44,712 in 1899 pletely recovered. and 41,946 in 1900. Chatham's popula-On block No. 1, which consists of

important discovery of gold is report-Senator Morgan, of Alabama, suggests making Cuba a full-fledged state and letting the Cubans run it if they can muster the votes. He thinks this would solve the "Cuban problem."

A Fredericton, N. B., dispatch says: Early this morning there was a big fire in St. Mary's, across the river from here. Four houses were destroyed and the church of the Adventists caught, ing for Dr. Chamberlain to finish writ-

J. J. Gillen, a Chicago attorney, on Saturday killed his wife and fatally shot himself in a hallway at 177 East Lake street. He died a few hours afterward. The couple were married but a few months ago.

American Street Railway Association will hold its twentieth annual convention in Madison Square Garden, New York, Oct. 9, 10 and 11. It is estimated that 600 railway owners and managers will participate.

Applications for the Ontario land grants to volunteers continue to pour A large number have been received from veterans of '66, some them coming from New York, Chicago, British Columbia and California.

The First National Bank, of Vancouver, Wash., failed to open its doors for business and is now in the hands of National Bank Examiner J. W. Max-President Charles Brown and Cashier E. L. Canby, of the bank, are

Mr. John Mather, one of the chief promoters of the new pulp mill company at Rat Portage, says that work on the pulp mill will be started soon. The mill will be ready for work as

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soon as pulp wood can be got to it, which will be early in the summer. Rev. James A. Mullin, pastor of the Roman Catholic Church of the Sacred Heart, in Highbridge, N. Y., where the McCormick family attended, has offered an additional reward of \$10,000 for the return of missing Willie McCor-mick and the arrest of his kidnappers. Father Mullin's offer brings the total reward up to \$16,000.

FOR WALTON'S DISCIPLES

When Londoners May Fish Without Fear of Violating the Law.

Now that the fishing season is here, it would be well for anglers to familiarize themselves with the laws of On tario. Bass shall not be caught, sold or had in the possession of anyone from April 15 to June 15; maskinonge from April 15 to June 15; pickerel (dore), from April 15 to May 15; speckled trout, from Sept. 15 to May 1; salmon trout from Nov.10 to 30; whitefish, from Nov. Some fishery regulations which an-

glers should observe are: Fishing by means of any kind of net seine, snare, rack, trap, weir, night line, set line, spear, grapnel, negog or apparaturs whatever, or by any other means or apparatus, without a fishing lease, license or permit from the commissioner of fisheries having been first obtained, is prohibited; but ho-thing in this section shall prevent angling without a license for any fish except sturgeon. No sturgeon shall be caught, taken or killed by any means whatever without a license first had and obtained.

No person shal ltake, catch or kill in any of the water of this province in one day by angling, or shall carry away a greater number than twelve black or Oswego or large-mouthed bass, twenty green bass, twenty pickerel or

four maskinonge.

No person shall take, catch or kill in one day by angling a greater number of speckled or brook trout that in the aggregate shall weigh more than fifteen pounds, and no greater number than 50 speckled or brook trout, though said number weighs less than fifteen pounds. No bass less than ten inches in length, no speckled trout less than six inches in length, no pickerel less than twelve inches in length, and no mas-kinonge less than fifteen inches in length shall be retained or kept out of the water, sold, offered, or exposed for sale, or had in possession; but every person who takes or catches any of the fish mentioned of less than the minimum measurement named shall immediately return such undersized fish to

Any person or persons violating any of the above regulations shall be liable to the fines and penalties provided by act, R. S. O., Cap. 288, and amending

TO FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS

Systematic Campaign To Be Inaugurated and Carried On in Ontario.

Ottawa, April 22.-A meeting of the executive committee of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis was held on Saturday in the governor-general's office, Lord Minto presiding. The name of Dr. Lachapelle, of Montreal, was added to the

executive committee.

Correspondence was read from the The Winnipeg telephone operators' Ontario Association and from the Toronto Association, asking for the services of Dr. Eby as lecturer and organizer, indicating a readiness in that province for a systematic campaign on the line the legislation provided for

will, it is said, aggregate \$30,000,000.

The license commissioners for South Perth renewed all the city hotel livenses.

It was resolved that a grant of \$300 be made to the Ontario Association to assist it in obtaining Dr. Eby in such work in the Province of Ontario work in the Province of Ontario for a period of six months. In order to give his whole time to the Province of Ontario, Dr. Eby in the meantime resigns his position as secretary of the Canadian Association, Dr. H. B. Small, of Ottawa, was invited to act as honorary secretary.

A LADY IN STAPLES

Mrs. Catherine Lougheed Tells the Story of Her Pain and Sickness and How She Was Enabled to Leave It All Behind.

Staples, Ont., April 22.—Mrs. Catherine Lougheed of this place, has suffered for a long time with lame back. She was very sick and miserable. She was persuaded to try Dodd's Kidney Pills with the result that she has com-

Mrs. Lougheed's experience has been tion in 1899 was 5,667 and in 1900, 5,000. a grateful suggestion to several other ladies in the neighborhood, who have followed her example with the same six square miles, and is near Lake followed her exampl Harold, on the Upper Seine River, an satisfactory results.

Mrs. Lougheed says: "I suffered with lame back for a long time. I could get no relief. I used two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am completely cured. I can highly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to anyone, as a perfect and permanent cure for lame back. They are a grand medi-

A SUDDEN DEATH.

ing his prescription, George Burleson, aged 55 years, expired suddenly Saturday evening. About 7 o'clock he left home apparently in the best of health and is thought to have died of heart

failure. ELOPED WITH A BOY. Portsmouth, N. H., April 22.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Edward Frost, a 17-year-old boy, and Mrs. Jeremiah Perkins, who are said to have fled from here together, taking \$800 belonging to the woman's husband. Young Frost boarded with the Perkinses, and the husband says his wife became infatuated with the boy.

COLLISION AT GEORGETOWN. Stratford, April 22.-A collision occurred at Georgetown between two freight trains Saturday morning, between 3 and 4 o'clock. It appears that several cars became detached while ascending a grade, colliding with an approaching train. Several cars were piled together down the embankment. Mr. B. Atkins, conductor, of this city,

was the only one injured, having his

nose broken.

INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM,—Mr. S. Ackerman, commercial traveler, Belleville, writes: "Some years ago I used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for Inflammatory Rheumatism, and three bottles effected a complete cure. I was the whole of one summer unable to move without crutches, and every movement caused excruciating pains. I am now out on the road, and exposed to all kinds of weather, but have never been troubled with rheumatism since. I, however, keep a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Oil on hand, and I always recommend it to others, as it did so much for me." INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM .-

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For Evening Wear

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we've seen yet for evening wear, for which use it was specially designed by the makers. It is also largely used by Parisian belles for cool summer dresses at the sea resorts and watering places. It is one of the very latest French novelties to be brought over, and comes in colors of fine rich black, pearl gray, and white A yard of it sells at \$2 50, and we should have bought a great many more yards of it. We could sell it quickly at so reasonable a price.

All the newest in Taffeta Silks, nearly 150 of them; a great assortment for London, and only a store of our size could undertake it. Your choice of any of these handsome shades at the

36-inch Black Taffeta Silk of heavy quality, especially desirable for skirts and linings. A yard

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Some of Our New Silks.

Interested in Silks? That is the question. If so, we have recently opened out a most interesting lot —one that feminine eyes will glow over when they come to inspect.

Imperial Silk (guaranteed not to cut), fine twill, soft, bright finish; in colors of ceil, tuscan, shell pink, turquoise, cardinal, steel, cream and white; the yard only......\$1 00 Ottoman Silk, in colors of pale blue, tuscan, turquoise, pink, cream, white, and black. A very Silk Velvets-four colors of old rose, beautiful and popular shades, selling at the yard......\$1 25

FLANNELS

In the summer you'll be wanting a Flannel Blouse. You can put off buying the material until you actually want the garment, but why not secure it now and make it up while the days are cool and while you've time. It will cost you no more. We mention a few prices:

32-inch Cream Flannel, is all wool and will not shrink when washed, plain and of fine quality. 45c Fine Twilled Opera Flannels, in plain shades of pink, old rose, navy blue, black, and two

28-inch Fine Twilled Cream Flannel, is unshrinkable, all wool, and of good quality...... 45c 28-inch Plain Cream Flannel, of heavier quality, is also unshrinkable and all wool? The yard. 50c Cashmere Finished Flannelettes, in spots and stripes, for ladies' summer blouses, only............. 15c

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

For the Men That They Bicycles Marry ?

'Dorothy Dix' Discusses the Question in the Pittsburg Dispatch.

The case of the New York man with a wooden leg, who is advertising for a wife afflicted with a cork foot, so that neither party will be able to kick about the other's misfortune, is deserving of more than a passing notice. Indeed, it is hardly too much to say that it is a matter of the greatest importance, since it is the first intimation man has ever given of recognizing woman's rights to look for reciprocity in the marrying business. reciprocity in the marrying business. Heretofore suitors have gone upon the cheerful assumption that the best woman was none too good for them, no matter what sort of physical, moral or mental wrecks they might be. The mere idea that a woman is entitled to as much as a limp, or a past, as the man she marries, is startlingly new, while the suggestion that she has a right to match looks, or records or manners with him and in a

never wastes a single moment contemplating his own imperfections, or how little he has to offer the girl. Instead, he devotes himself to thinking how much she ought to give him, and goes to work compiling a list of all the graces and virtues he demands in a wife, and the less of a man he is, invariably the more does he expect of the woman. Did you ever listen to one of these little sap-headed manikins talk on the subject? "Um'm'm," he says, "the woman I marry must be pretty, for I could never the says at a purely woman at heads at a purely woman. stand to look at an ugly woman at break-fast the balance of my days. She must be sweet-tempered, yet have plenty of spirit. She must be good, of course, for I would never dream of marrying a woman who had been gossiped about. She must be bright and intelligent, but heaven preserve me from a wife who thinks she knows it all, and contradicts her husband. She must adore me, but not be silly and She must adore me, but not be shiy and jealous when I pay attention to another woman. She must be a good house-keeper, and thrifty and economical, and know how to make a proper show, and have some money of her own," and he never once asks himself what a paragon who was rich, and clever, and beautiful would want with him.

WOMEN MORE HUMBLE THAN MEN.

Of course, not every man marries a woman who is a combination Venus and Minerva, but when he doesn't it is because he does not care for female pulchritude and wit, not because he didn't consider himself worthy of them.

Women are much more humble in affairs of the heart than men. Not only do they demand much less, to begin with, but they are always afraid of losing the little they have. Every married woman is haunted by a dread that the time may come when she will be less attractive to her husband, and that he will cease to love her. It is this, far more than vanity, that makes the middle-aged woman's life one frantic struggle against wrinkles and her waist measure.

It never occurs to a man that he is

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that she has a right to match looks, or records, or manners with him, and in a fair trade get as good as she gives, is nothing short of revolutionary.

It has never been deemed expedient for women to be too particular in the choice of a husband, and when occasionally one has shown a disposition to investigate into what sort of a bargain she was getting, it has been sternly discouraged as being as indiscreet and ungracious as looking a gift-horse in the mouth.

LESS MANLY, LESS EXACTING.

It is nothing but sober truth that when a man thinks about getting married he never wastes a single moment content. think of it, there is no more reason why a man should expect his wife to keep per-petually young and good-looking than that she should expect him to.

WOMEN SHOULD DEMAND EQUAL RIGHTS. In the matter of good conduct surely women have a right to ask for reciprocity too. Probably there are just as many women with a love of liquor and a taste for dissipation as there are men. It is because women as a sex know that it they were to come rolling home in the small hours of the morning, drunk and disgusting, they would be met by a summons to the police court, and not by a weeping but forgiving husband, that keeps them straight. There are no fathers slaying fatted calves to celebrate the return of prodigal daughters. Men have made women good by demanding goodness and purity of them. It is up to women now to repay the debt in kind.

Let's have more reciprocity. When a man is as good as he expects his wife to be, the millennium will be in hailing distance. for dissipation as there are men.

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