New Embroideries and Laces

WM. FOREMAN & CO New Spring Importers of Migh Grade Dry Goods.

Dress Goods

E are conducting in our Millinery show room during the month of February the greatest Linen Sale ever conducted by this Linen Store. We are showing a larger stock of linens than we have ever shown before and in the higher priced cloths and napkins to match we doubt if handsomer patterns were ever made. If you are a lover of Fine Lineu come and allow us to show you our stock. You'll thoroughly enjoy the time spent. If you are needing linens and it's the best possible linen values you are looking for, you'll find that Foreman's linen values are the best (market considered) that you ever bought.

## Sale of Slightly Imperfect Linen Table Cloths

We struck the greatest "snap" in Linea Table Cloths we ever ran across. The imperfections in the cloths are so slight that it almost seems as though it were mockery to call them imperfect. Nevertheless the mill inspector has called them imperfect and you buy them at one-quarter to one-third less than you would ordinarily pay for them. These slightly imperfect cloths are sizes 8.4, 10-4, 8-10, 8-12, 10-12, 10-14, 10-16, and the patterns are the best we have ever bought in imperfect cloths.

## Special Sale of Bleached Tabling

64 in Bleached Tabling, all pure linen, portraying a leafy pattern. 75c value for .........................65c.

72 in. Bleach d Tablings, all pure linen, portraying wide borde, with snowdrop centre, per yard \$1.00 for

72 in. Bleached Tabling, all pure linen, wide floral border, plain centre, \$1.15 for per yard .......85c.

72 in. Bleached Tabling, all pure liner, portraving pin dot with Grecian key border, \$1.00 for per yd. 75c.

72 in. Bleached Tabling, all pure linen, floral border with Fleur-de-lis centre, per yard \$1.15 for .... 85c

84 inch Bleached Tabling, all pure linen, portraying Tulips and Daisies, per yard \$1.25, for per yard.

### Unbleached Tablings, Extra Values

60 ir. unbleached all pure linen tabling, snowdrop-, 

58 in. unbleached all pure linen tabling, extra heavy, per yard .....

Remnants of Unbleached Tabling at one third to one-half less than regular.

64 inch unbleached all pure linen tabling in a large assortment of patterns, per yard ................50c.

72 inch unbleached all pure linen tabling, exita heavy, per yard ..... 72 inch unbleached tabling, portraying pansies.

very fine linen, per yard ......\$1.25

Extra values in Towels and Towellings.

### An Exhibit of Fine Linens

In Cloths, with Napkins to match, which for beauty and value are unequalled in

8 10 cl	oth,	with	napkin	s to i	match	portraying	poppies and snow drops, p	er se	st	4.50
8-12	66		"		- 66	"	Thistles,	11		6.75
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10-12	66		16		11	46	Poppy and round centre	"		
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# ...Wm. Foreman & Co..

#### THE STAGE Calledon .

and all the men and women merely players.'

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

at The Grand-Peck's Bad Boy, matinee and night Little Johnny Jones-Feb. 24. Summers Stock Co., week-Feb. 26.

The Planet by Press

Agents.) PECK'S BAD BOY.

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The coming of the ever funny are comedy, "Peck's Bad Boy," at the frand on Wednesday, Feb. 21st, fair matinee and night, will delight make speed of the small boys sparkle with delight as quickly as a sight of the fair anouncing the coming of fack's Bad Boy," But not only does the small boy enjoys it, but adults as well, fir it carries them back to clays of long ago and for the time them for the play is full of bright and sparkling specialties; catchy music, make it one of the most enterming of plays.

Seals on sale Monday,

Minard's Liniment used by Physi-

#### **DOG-POISONING**

Interesting Case Tried at the Police Court-MgDonald Sent up for

The dog poisoning" case, which has caused considerable interest among the residents in the neighbor-hood of Adelaide and Murray streets, came up at the Police Court yester-day morning.

day morning.
Frank Snook, who keeps a corner

Brank Snook, who keeps a corner grocery on Adelaide street, was charged with doing the business. Evidence was brought forward by Grown Attorney Smith which went to prove that Snook had recently purchased strychnine an Davis' and Turner's drug stores, and the poisoning was evidently done with this kind of poison.

Frank Sharp, the complainant in the case, lost a Terrier which he valued at \$15. Mr. Graham, Mrs. Rumble, Chief Holmes and Mrs. Summers all testified that they had lost dogs presumably through poison.

The case was enlarged until next Monday.

A. McDonald, the alleged burglar, came up and was elected for trial. He will probably come up this afternoon, The witnesses examined were F. A. Robert, Mr. Pinsonneault, Mr. Lumsden, Joseph Carron, Mr. McMasters and James Dodson, McDonald will probably be arraigned this afternoon.

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The highest manhood resides in dis-position, not in mere intellect.

#### CARPET BALL

The Workmen defeated the C. O. F. last evening in the Workmen's Hall by a score of 41 to 11, the Workmen winning by 30 shots.

The standing of the Carpet Balı League:

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Try Waterhouse's Aunt Mary's Corvie's grocery.

"Open Shop" For Methodists. "Open Shop" For Methodiste.

Cincinnati, Feb. 16.—At a meeting of Methodist editors and publishing managers of the United States it was decided that every printing establishment controlled by the Methodist book cencern shall hereafter be run on the "open shep" plan, making no distinction between union and non-union workers.

Registry of Foreign Ships,
Washington, Feb. 16.—The House of
Representatives yesterday passed a
bill restricting granting of American
registry to foreign ships.

Ladies, read this catalogue of charms. Bright eyes, glowing cheeks, red lips, a smooth skin without a blemish, in short, perfect health. For sale with every package Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents.

A. I. McCall & Co.

Most of us can find fault without the use of a search warrant,

CONFIDENCE IN BALFOUR. Unionist Meeting Proves a Happy

Affair, With Duke of Devonshire As the Only Regretter.

As the Only Regretter.

London, Feb. 16.—(C. A. P.)—About 400 were present at the meeting of the Unionist party at Lansdowne House yesterday. Mr. Balfour in the chair appealed to the party to be united against the common enemy, for in unity alone could their power for good lie. The Duke of Norfolk proposed and Col. Sanderson seconded the vote of confidence in the leadership of Mr. Balfour. The Duke of Devonshire, in supporting, expressed regret that the correspondence of Balfour and Chamberlain seemed to indicate that they were in substantial agreement on the were in substantial agreement on the fiscal question. For his part he was willing to fall into line with the party on every question except that of tariff reform.

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Mr. Chamberlain also addressed the meeting and said the duke had rather unfairly called his a protectionist. He dissented from that name. If his grace's view prevailed it would mean that the majority of the party would have to submit to the minority, which could not be to their advanage either in Parliament or in the country.

Viscount Staldwyn also spoke and supported the resolution of confidence in Mr. Balfour, which was carried unanimously. Considerable discussion took place on the question of party organization, and the opinion was freely expressed that a committee ought to be appointed forthwith in order to deal with the situation which had arisen. Lord Hugh Cecil also addressed the meeting.

CANADA WILL BE CONSIDERED.

Three Matters of Interest to Come Be-fore Parliament. London, Feb. 16.—(C. A. P.)—Pro-posing the toast "Canada" at the Caposing the toast "Canada" at the Canadian Society dinner last night, Hamar Greenwood, who presided, announced that three matters of Canadian interest would receive the early attention of the new Government. They would be cattle embargo, deceased wife's sister's bill, and the reduction of postage on British publications to Canada.

Ladies were present for the first time. Speakers to the usual toasts

time. Speakers to the usual toasts were W. T. R. Preston, Wm. Black of Halifax, Dr. O'Reilly, Toronto; J. H. Thorald, Roy Somerville, Dr. Baynes and Maurice Egan.

National Pension System.

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London, Feb. 16.—While declining to
make rash promises, Premier Campbell-Bannerman and Chancellor of Exchequer Asquith yesterday declared
themselves in entire sympathy with a
deputation which called on them to advocate the establishment of a national system of old age pensions. The depu-tation urged that the scheme should be comprehensive and include all citizens, men or women, who at the age of 60 should receive at least \$1.25 week-ly peasion, the money being found by means of imperial taxation. Signed In Gaelic.

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London, Feb. 16.—For the first time in the history of the House of Commons a member Wednesday, after taking the oath, signed his name in Gaelic. This patriotic member thus introducing the Irish language into the Commons is John Murphy, the member for East Kerry, and he may have to fight for the privilege.

#### TIME FOR PUBLIC DISCUSSION.

Paris "Temps" Declares Private Efforts to Settle Are Useless.

Paris, Feb. 16.—The semf-official Temps yesterday afternoon says the time has now come "for a public dis-cussion before the Algectras confer-ence with Europe and America as witnesses of France's good intentions."

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The paper further asserts that private efforts among the delegates to induce France to retreat from her position are henceforth useless, adding: "It is now for the assembled conference to decide whether, as Germany contends, France's claims are irregulable with the integrity of Morocondination of the content of the cont concliable with the integrity of Moroc-co, the sovereignty of the Sultan, and commercial liberty."

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London, Feb. 16.—A despatch to The
Daily Telegraph from Algeciras says:
"Mr. White (United States Ambassador to Italy, and one of the American
delegates to the Algeciras convention),
informs me that the rumors that the
United States will arbitrate the differences between France and Germany
are absolutely imaginary."

#### Tillson Mills Scorched.

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Tillsonburg, Feb. 16.—About 7.30 last night fire started in the building adjoining the oat mills utilised for packing the pan-dried oatmeal and other cereals manufactured by the Tillson Co. Three or four stories and all the contents were completely wiped out in about two hours. It will not cripple their business, as the dry kiln elevator and oat mill were not injured, the thick wall preventing the flames from getting through to them. The loss will be many thousands of dollars.

Gunboate For Canton.

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San Francisco, Feb. 16.—The officers of the Doric bring news of the despatch of two British gunboats to Canton, just before their departure from the Orient. The vessels were the gunboats Moorhen and Sand Piper, which were lying at Samshul, and steamed up to Canton under secret orders.

Just before the Doric left Shanghai it was reported that there had been an uprising in the Sunning district near Canton.

Worth \$1,000,000; Starved. Worth \$1,000,000; Starved.

New York, Feb. 16.—Miss Maris
Corsa, 56 years old, whose fortune is
estimated at from \$660,000 to \$1,000,
000, is dead in her home, Morris ave
nue and 184th street, in the Bronx
She lived entirely alone in one room of
the Corsa residence, denying herseli
even the necessaries of life, and re
tusing even the warmth of a fire. She
was a descendant of one of the old
Knickerbocker families.

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not noticed us proclaiming in greatly extended, exaggerated and feverish advertisements, ridiculous reductions on Overcoats and Winter Goods.

We don't conduct this business that way. In the first place there is no necessity for it as we are not overloaded, and in the second we wouldn't do things that way

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A business conducted on such careful lines as these insures the showing of new goods with the opening of each season. No old stuff to palm off as new. When the time comes you will see only new goods here.

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THE MARKETS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower-Live Stock Markets

-The Latest Quotations. Thursday Evening, Feb. 15.
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day
4d lewer than yesterdap and corn futures
4d to %4 lower.
At Chicago May wheat closed %c ower
than yesterday; May corn 4c lower and
May oats 4c lower. WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

The following were the closing quotations resterions at this market; Feb. 75%c bid, May 79c bid, July 80%c bid.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. TORON.

Grain—
Wheat, spring, bush ...\$9 76 to \$....
Wheat, fali bu sh ... 0 76 0 78
Wheat, red bush ... 0 76 0 78
Wheat, red bush ... 0 72 0 73
Wheat, goose bush ... 0 51 0 52
Oats, bush ... 0 39 0 40
Rve, bush ... 0 74
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LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE Liverpool, Feb. 15.—Wheat, spot nom-nal; futures, dull; March, 6s 10d; May, 6s 3d; July, 6s 71/2d. 1%d; July, 6s 7½d.

Corn, spot, steady; American mlxed, new, 4s 11½d; American mixed, old, 4s 8d. Futures closed steady; March, 4s ½d; May, 4s 1½d. Bacon, short ribs, strong, 48s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 pounds, firm, 44s 6d. Lard, prime western, in therees, strong, 4bs, 3d; American refined, in pails, strong, 41s.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET. New York, Feb. 15.—Butter, firm, un-changed; receipts, 5101. Cl-tese—Steady, uncharged; receipts, 790. Eggs—Steady, unchanged.

#### CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady-U. S. Markets Aro Strong in All Directions.

London, Feb. 15.—Cattle are quoted at 194c to 124c per lb.; refrigerator beef,

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

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Receipts of live stock to-day as reported by the railways were 81 car loads, consisting of 1370 cattle, 490 hogs, 640 sheep and lumbs, with about 100 calves.

Exporters.

Not many shipping cattle were offered and none of prime quality. Prices for these seld to-day ranged from \$4.50 to \$4.75. One or two choice animals brought in as exporters sold for butchers' purposes at \$5 per cwt. Bulls ranged from \$3.50 to \$3.75 and prime quality bulls are worth \$4 per cwt.

Butchers.

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Choice picked lots of butchers sold \$4.40 to \$4.60; loads of good, \$4.15 to \$4. redium, \$3.75 to \$4; common, at \$3.25 \$3.50 per cwt; cows, at \$2.75 to \$3.50.

Feeders and Stockers.

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Hirry Murby reports the receipts of stockers and feeders as being light. Several lots and one or two loads of steers, 1100 to 1150 lbs. each, brought in as exporters, were tought to go into stables again as short-keep feeders at \$4.15 to \$4.40 per cwt. Mr. Murby quotes prices as foliows: Best 900 to 1000 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.50; best, 600 to 900 lbs., at \$3.55 to \$3.50; best, 605 to 800 lbs., at \$3.15 to \$3.35; best stock helfers, 550 to 650 lbs., at \$3.10 to \$3.20.

Milch Cows.

There was a better trade in milch cows

There was a better trade in milch cows and springers than on Tueeday. Prices were no better, but there were more buy-res. Prices are not nearly as good as a week ago. About 60 cows sold all the way from \$30 to \$65, but only one cow was reported at that price. The bulk sold from \$55 to \$45 each. Some of the dealers reported prices lower by \$10 per head than last week.

Veal Calves. Yeal Calves,

last week,

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Prices for veal calves are still good, especially for good to prime quality, calves, About 100 veal calves sold from \$3.50 to \$7 per cwt. for the bulk of offerings, but \$7.25 and \$7.50 was paid for a few of choice quality, and for one of prime quality \$8 per cwt. was paid.

Sheep and Lambs.

Deliveries of sheep and lambs were not large, but there seemed to be enough to supply the demand. Wesley Duan reported lambs, grain fed, at \$8.75 to \$7.15 per cwt.; lambs, mixed or common to medium, at \$3.50 to \$6.50 per cwt., but a few select lots of ewes and wethers brought \$7.25 per cwt., and one lot was reported at \$7.30 per cwt.

Hogs

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A light run and a strong demand caused prices to advance again. Mr. Harribought about 500, for which he paid \$6,77 for selects and \$6.50 for lights and fats; \$4 to \$5 for sows and \$2,50 to \$3.50 per cwt. for stags. EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET

Bast Buffalo, Peb, 15.—Cattle—Recelpa, 75 head; steady to strong; prime steers \$5,50 to \$5.75; shipping, \$4.75 to \$4.50; bufchers, \$4.60 to \$5.35; helfers, \$3.50 to \$5.10; cows, \$2.50 to \$4.60; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.65. Veals—Receipts, 50 head; active and steady, \$5.50 to \$9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 2000 head; active and 10c to 15c higher; heavy, mixed, yorkers, and pigs, \$6.45 to \$6.50; roughs, \$5.50 to \$5.75; Sings, \$5.50 to \$4.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6200 head; active; lambs, \$6.25 to \$7.50; yearlings, \$6.25 to \$7.50; yearlings, \$6.25 to \$6.50; wethers, \$5.50 to \$6; ewes, \$5.50 to \$5.76; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$5.90 western lambs, \$7 to \$7.25.

GRAND OPERA 2-Performances-2

Wed'y, Feb'y 21st The Musical Comedy Success

Peck's Bad Boy With an All Star Cast

Brilliantly beautiful A Great Musical Treat Superbly Staged A Grand Chorus Magnificent Scener An Army of Pretty Girls Beautiful Costumes

Special Matinee-10c, 25c. Night-25c, 35c, 5oc.

#### To Contractors

Tenders will be received at the offices of the undersigned, marked tender for school bouse at McKay's Corners, up till 12 o'clock, noon, Saturday, March 3rd, 1906.
Plans, specifications, etc., can be seen at the offices of the architects.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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