

The Shea Five Dollar Hats

Another lot for Saturday, made in the French felt shapes, trimmed with moire silk, wings, ornaments; you've not seen such Hats at a full third more; as we said some day you'll think \$10, but will only have to pay \$5

Swell Pattern Hats at \$8.95

Shapes covered with velvet and moire silk, trimmed with fancy mounts and large wings. Hats that are full Shea value at each \$8.95

Misses' Hats \$2.95

Made of fine French felt, in swell ready-to-wear styles, for Saturday only \$2.95

Shapes and Untrimmed Hats

A splendid line of Satin Shapes, in all colors, from \$2.50 to \$3.75
Magnificent Felt Shapes, in every wanted shape, beginning at 75c, with every between price up to \$3.75

Women's Waists

Black Silk Waists, made as waists should be, perfect in fit and style and made of thoroughly good wearing taffeta and peau de soie silk, less than regular, at each \$3.75, \$3.95, \$4.50, \$4.95

Ladies' Net and Lace Waists, in white and ecru, beautifully trimmed, perfect in style and finish \$3.75, \$3.95, \$4.50, \$4.95

White Lawn Waists A Sale

You want them just as much now as two months ago; these prices will finish a lot of them on Saturday; see you get one:

\$2.50 Waists on sale for \$1.49

\$1.75 and \$2 Waists on sale for \$1.19

\$1.50 Waists on sale for 75c

Black and Colored Lustre and Cashmere Waists, new and in best styles, very special values at each \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00

Women's Underwear 25c

Vests and Drawers, fleeced, splendid quality, fine and well knit.

Fancy Comb Sets 75c
In shell, amber and jet, good value at \$1.50.

Mending Wool 4 for 5c
For Saturday selling Mending Wool, regular 2 for 5c.

Table Damask 29c
Bleached Table Linen Ends, from 1 to 3 yards, regular 50 and 75c values.

Flannelette Nightgowns \$1

Pink or White Saxony Flannelette, nicely trimmed, \$1.25 value.

Linen Handkerchiefs 7c
Ladies' pure Linen Handkerchiefs, fine quality, good value at 15c.

Silkoshine 3 for 10c
In all the newest shades, regular 5c value.

Table Napkins \$1.00
100 dozen hemmed, all ready for race week, regular \$1.50 value.

Women's Mantles and Suits

Shea Values

Women's Mantles \$15.00—A Timely Special

Made of fine Broadcloths, in blacks and all the good colors, semi and fitted backs, in good long lengths, button trimmed, with velvet collar, all good styles. Coats that are worth more, Saturday for \$15

Mantles at \$11.95

A very special purchase gave us this lot for you on Saturday, 1/2 length, semi and fitted, several styles of cotton, black and colors, full \$15 value, Saturday for, each \$11.95

Mantles at \$6.95

Early to begin at this price, but a manufacturer had a hundred to unload, worth up to \$10, full length, trimmed with buttons and braid, Saturday they go at \$6.95

Women's Suits at \$15.00 New and Stylish

All the new shades, silk lined and satin lined, trimmed with jet buttons, silk collar to the coat, newest style skirts, downright handsome suits from collar to hem, 32 to 44, worth \$20 to \$25, on sale Saturday for, each \$15.00

Women's Suits at \$17.50, \$23 and \$25

Most beautifully made garments, strictly man tailored, silk lined, with jet buttons and enough binding to give all the correct effects, special \$17.50, \$23.00 and \$25.00

SHEA'S

SATURDAY, SEPT. 25,
STORE OPEN TILL
10 O'CLOCK

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

TELEPHONE 1501

Women's Gloves

Pewney's Gloves (pronounced Peony's) have been proved by long experience to be the best quality, the best fitting and the best made kid glove in the trade to-day. Made in Grenoble, France, of the finest selected kid skins, specially dyed by Monsieur Pewney's own special process. They last well and retain their shape till worn out. Every pair covered with a very broad guarantee. Three prices: \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. All shades.

Ribbons—A Sale

3,000 yards of first class Taffeta Ribbon, all pure silk and perfect in every way, all the good shades, plenty of white and cream, 4 1/2 and 5 inches wide, 20 to 25c value, on sale Saturday for \$14 1/2c

Dresden Ribbons and Silk Ribbons in wistaria, Burgundy and amethyst, per yard \$25 and 35c
Moire Velvet Ribbon, 3 inches wide, all colors, per yard 20c

Shea's for Hosiery

A household word and the department deserves it. Quality first always. Prices less than elsewhere, is the golden rule that does it.

Women's extra wide Hose, pure cashmere wool \$50c
The best value in Canada to-day in Women's Black Cashmere Hose 25c
Women's Plain and Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, per pair 35c, 3 for \$1.00
Boys' School House 19 to 75c

Saturday Will be Skirt Day

Hundreds of elegant Skirts will go on sale at prices that the makers could not duplicate if asked to do so to-day. Misses' and Women's in every wanted style and make.

Blacks and all the good colors; Poplins, Venetians, Panamas, Lustres, Broadcloths, Voiles, Satin Cloth.

\$5.00 Skirts for \$3.50

\$5.95 Skirts for \$3.95

\$6.50 Skirts for \$4.50

\$7.95 Skirts for \$5.95

The popular Jet Dress Buttons, in every wanted size, in any quantity, on sale in our trimming department; splendid qualities 25c to 90c.

A Wonderful Corset Sale

Never in the history of the store's Corset Department have so many Corsets been sold in such a short period. Immense purchases of clearing lines had enabled us to do this. On Saturday you get your choice of over 1,000 pairs at these reductions:

75c Corsets for 39c

\$1.00 Corsets for 49c

\$1.25 Corsets for 69c

\$2.00 Corsets for 99c

All the swell new long back Corsets, fit every figure, from 75c to \$4.00.

A Rousing Underskirt Sale

Over 500 Women's Underskirts, made of saten, moreen and taffetine, black and all the good colors, all wanted sizes, made with all the newest ideas of flounces and ruffles, at these prices you save a third:

\$1.25 to \$1.50 Skirts 98c. \$2.00 Skirts \$1.25
\$2.50 Skirts \$1.49. \$3.00 Skirts \$1.95
The best Silk Petticoats in Canada \$3.95 and \$4.95

Hand Bags 85c

In brown only, leather lined, large size, regular value \$1.50.

Hose Supporters 15c
The Thelma Supporter, known the world over, at 25c.

Turkish Toweling 15c
Very heavy quality, dark color, regularly 20c value.

Cream Damask 69c
Easily bleached, all linen, 66 inches wide, 85c value.

Fancy Elastic Belts 50c

Jet trimmed and fancy buckle, regularly 75c and \$1.00.

Pins 2 for 5c

365 pins in a paper, sell regularly at 3c a paper.

Turkish Toweling 13 1/2c
Best absorbent quality, regularly 18c value.

Cream Damask 39c

From 60 to 72 inches wide, nice quality, regularly 50c value.

WELCOME TO NEW COMERS.

Methodists Extend Cordial Reception at Centenary Church

To Ministers and Deaconesses of This Conference.

Interesting Programme of Music and Addresses.

The welcome given in Centenary Church last night to the Methodist ministers and deaconesses, who have been appointed to charges in the city this Conference year, was very largely attended. A most interesting programme was provided, which consisted of addresses of welcome and replies, an organ recital by Mr. W. H. Hewlett, and vocal selections by Mr. Harold Jarvis, of Detroit.

Mr. W. J. Waugh very ably filled the chair, and the meeting opened by a passage of Scripture read by Dr. Williamson, of Emerald Street Methodist Church, and prayer by Dr. Tovell, of Central. Mr. J. J. Greene welcomed the various new ministers and deaconesses. He referred to them in very brotherly and complimentary terms. He was confident they would show themselves, as they had in the past, capable of performing their duty, and hoped the members of the different congregations would show themselves as energetic as they in the interest of the cause of Christ.

Rev. E. B. Laneley, of First Methodist, in reply said his relation to the church in Hamilton was of a four-fold nature, Scriptural, fraternal, historical and ecclesiastical. Much of his early life had been spent in Hamilton, and he had been a scholar in many churches in the city. He had been converted in Centenary, and from that church had been sent into the ministry. But he said he could not see much of the prodigal in himself, as he had not gone away rich, had not spent his substance, nor had he come to himself in the field; the only way in which he could be likened to the prodigal in his return was for the people to put the robe upon him, the ring upon his finger, and bring forth the fattened calf. He felt honored to be the pastor of First Methodist, and experienced great pleasure in being with the congregation of that church, who had treated him so loyally. He trusted that the brothers and sisters would feel they had fallen among friends, who would co-operate with them in all things good.

Rev. T. R. Todd, of Kensington Avenue, followed with a few kind words for the welcome he had received. He was particularly glad to have met the people assembled and to have shaken hands with the leading men of Methodism, who sustained him in his difficulty. It was a good thing to know that back of a man's best life blood he had the social union and co-operation of the Hamilton Conference.

Rev. C. Sinclair Applegate, of Ryerson Methodist Church, thanked the people for the kind welcome he received from Centenary, from which church he had been recommended for the ministry. He was proud to be the minister of Ryerson, and dwelt for some time on the work done by the Rev. Dr. Egerton Ryerson, after whom the church was named.

Rev. A. H. Going said his position was a most unique one, as it was his first time in Hamilton and his first visit at Centenary. He had come as a stranger, yet felt the spirit of Methodism was broad enough to receive him and give him a royal welcome. He touched on the rivalry among ministers and people. Sometimes, he said, too much class distinction was shown. He believed the slave and his master should still sit side by side in the days of old. He hoped the social union in the church would bring all to sit on the same platform.

Miss B. M. Scott gave a very pleasing address on behalf of the new deaconesses. She explained the nature of the work as being hard to define. Deacon-

esses, she said, needed the co-operation of the congregations, and reminded them that the presence of a deaconess in no way relieved anyone from responsibility or work. Like the missionaries, they were trained workers along broadly educational lines. She made a strong appeal for the assistance of the people, and thanked them for the kind welcome.

At intervals during the addresses Mr. Jarvis favored the audience with vocal selections. He was very much appreciated.

Rev. W. J. Smith, of Charlton Avenue Church and President of the Conference, gave a very earnest and thoughtful address. Already, he said, he and his wife and sisters had been welcomed by their own people. He was thankful for the realization of the divine relationship under the great King. If we dig deep enough into the soul of man, however bad he be, we will find he is one with us at our best. He retraced his steps in early life, when he entered the ministry, and wondered as he sat in the audience last night if the people were going to receive him and his sisters into the ministry of their daily life; that was why they had come and what they desired and believed, that was why they were welcomed. In closing he thanked the assemblage for the kind reception given him and his sisters.

Rev. Dr. Smith, of Centenary, was the last speaker to express gratitude for the kind welcome and reception given. He confined his remarks to the duties and responsibilities of the preacher. If some ministers could only be compelled to listen for three months to their own sermons, in less than three weeks they would be exclaiming, "My punishment is greater than I can bear." Dr. Smith's remarks had no reference to the speakers who preceded him.

The evening's entertainment closed with the Doxology.

Saturday at McKay's.

Every woman should visit this store to-morrow, and view the scores of new autumn wearables on sale at very greatly reduced prices. This progressive store reports very heavy business since the announcement of the regular fall opening display of the new style wearables. Read our splendid ad, on page 2 of this issue, it will convey to you news of splendid sales of the very latest autumn dress fabrics, millinery, gloves, hosiery, underwear, linens, corsets, carpets, curtains, etc. Many large and special purchases of manufacturers' lots make it possible for the women of Hamilton to buy best at this store. Try and plan to be with us to-morrow.—R. McKay & Co.

HALF MILLION ALIENS.

Is the Net Gain Made by the United States.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.—A net increase of 573,551 in the population of the United States by the arrival and departure of aliens was scored in the last fiscal year, against an increase of 509,867 the previous year.

There was a falling off in immigration from 782,870 aliens the previous fiscal year to 751,786 the last year, and the total inward passenger movement, representing immigrant and non-immigrant aliens admitted, aliens debarred, and United States citizens arrived, numbered 103,392.

The aliens residing abroad and making a merely temporary trip to the United States are classified as non-immigrant aliens. There were 924,695 aliens, including the non-immigrants, admitted into this country in the last fiscal year. In the fiscal year 370,694 aliens, including 174,590 non-immigrants, departed from these shores. There were 10,411 aliens debarred and 2,124 returned after landing.

Those likely to become a public charge figured most in this list. Italians, with a total of 78,730, formed the largest class of immigrants, with Hebrews numbering 37,415 next. There were only 15 East Indians, which constituted the smallest race representation.

British colonies supplied the mother country with \$100,000,000 worth of wool last year.

MAY SHELVE THE BUDGET.

Opinion is That Lords Will Not Reject the Bill,

But Will Try to Force Issue Upon the People.

Premier Expressed Willingness to Have the Electors Decide.

London, Sept. 23.—The talk in Parliamentary and other political quarters to-day turned solely on the effects of Mr. Balfour's speech at Birmingham yesterday in favor of tariff reform, which, coupled with Joe Chamberlain's letter on the same subject, read at the meeting, is generally regarded as having brought the situation to a crisis. The question most discussed by adherents of all parties was not whether, but when, a general election will be held. The Finance Bill will go through the House of Commons in about three weeks, after which it will be sent to the House of Lords. Within a week of that time it is expected that the decision of the House of Lords will be made known. Extremists of all parties hope the Lords will summarily reject the bill, but the bulk of moderate opinion does not desire such drastic action. One course the Upper House might take is to lay the bill on the table, and instead of

returning it to the House of Commons, send the latter body a reasonable resolution declaring that the proposals concerning the budget in the bill are so revolutionary in principle and intention that the peers will withhold their assent to it until the will of the country shall be ascertained. It is believed in some well-informed quarters that this course will be chosen in preference to other possible methods, ensuring a verdict from the constituents. Premier Asquith's recently declared eagerness to accept the Lord's challenge was followed to-night by a statement by Mr. Gladstone, Home Secretary, in a speech at (Gloucester), to the effect that if the Lords refuse to pass the budget, the Opposition's professed longing to get the country's decision would be gratified.

Quickly Passing.

The great fall hat sale of 1,700 samples and over-makes in latest styles in men's hats is quickly passing. To-morrow Treble's two stores place on sale the second delivery, and it's worth any man's while to save a dollar on his new hat, for to buy latest styles at \$1.49, regularly sold everywhere at \$2.50, is worth anyone's while to secure without delay.

These hats are exactly as represented by Treble's, Limited, for it's too late in the day for them to tamper with their splendid reputation they have enjoyed for 45 years of keeping only the finest quality of goods.

Take our advice, don't delay, secure your size at once, and read their advertisement on back page of this issue.

Seven persons out of ten have eyes of differing strength.

MRS. TURNER DENIES ALL.

Says She Gave the Child Away to Cleveland Woman.

Authorities of That City Were Asked to Help,

But Have Been Unable to Find "Mrs. Wagner" Yet.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—For the first time since the arrest of Mrs. Maud Turner for the murder of the Authers infant, T. C. Robinette, K. C., her counsel, was induced to speak of her defence last night.

According to his statement, the defence will set up an alibi in so far as it is to show that while Mrs. Turner did go to Lewiston from Toronto on the Chippewa, leaving Toronto at 7.30 on the morning of Thursday, Sept. 16, she did not go from Lewiston to Niagara Falls and return on the New York Central train, which runs along the cliff from which the box containing the body of the child was thrown, but on the Gorge Route, which runs along the rocks at the river's edge, and therefore, could not possibly have thrown it as it was seen to fall.

Her story to her counsel is that she gave the child to the Mrs. Maud Wagner, of Cleveland, who had written her from that city regarding the adoption of the child. She says she gave the

child to Mrs. Wagner in Toronto on Wednesday and agreed to meet her at Niagara Falls, N. Y., on the Thursday, to give her some clothes for the baby. She says she did so meet Mrs. Wagner there, going over on the Chippewa, and did carry a box like the one containing the body of the child, but says that it contained only lunch and baby's clothing, and that she did not have it with her on the way across the lake, but checked it in the check-room of the boat, and was reading a book on the way over and had no parcel with her until she took it out on arriving at the dock at Lewiston.

She says she went to the Falls on the Gorge Route and returned that way in the evening. Then she says she met Mrs. Wagner at the New York Central at the Falls depot, and that Mrs. Wagner then had the Authers child with her alive and well, and that she gave her the clothes in the box. Mrs. Turner has also informed her counsel that she did not at any time advertise in the papers for the adoption of children, and that the advertisements spoken of by the police must have been inserted by others. She says that she never had any other help save the Authers and the King children, and that the child taken from the Wood street house was the King child, despite the fact that the police are informed that it was not.

She declares that the statements of Mr. and Mrs. Goldie, who keep the house at 39 Wood street, that they heard the cries of a struggling child coming from her room on the Tuesday night, are false and foolish, and that she does not even remember them coming to her door then or on any other occasion to enquire about that or any other noise.

Mrs. Turner has not explained either where she took the child from the hospital, or where she kept it from the Saturday till Wednesday, when she says she gave it to Mrs. Wagner.

MRS. AUTHERS TOLD.

Mrs. Annie Authers, the mother of the child that was murdered and thrown from a train window near Niagara University, has been told of the death of her little one, whom she believed to be in the hands of a woman who was all that could be desired as a foster mother. Mrs. Authers was to have left the General Hospital yesterday, but at the request of the police authorities she was detained so that she might be able to stand the strain of examination in the witness box at the Coroner's inquest.

SEARCH IN CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 23.—In response to a request of the Toronto authorities, the Cleveland police have been searching the city for a Mrs. Wagner, to whom Mrs. Mabel Turner, now under arrest for killing a baby, says she gave the child. They failed to find any woman by the name of Wagner living in Cleveland, and none of the other women by that name who are residents of Cleveland answer the description given by Mrs. Turner.

The police have a slight clue, however, to the report that Mrs. Turner once lived for a short time in this city. A woman whose name is withheld by the police says she had a woman and a man as boarders some time ago who had a baby with them. They left suddenly one night, and the woman a few days later reported to the police that from a conversation she overheard she feared the couple intended to do away with their baby.

SECOND INQUEST ON BABE.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 23.—In the verdict handed down this afternoon in the inquest on the female infant found on the river bank near Niagara University last Thursday, Coroner Walton A. Scott formally charged Mrs. Maud Turner Gmelin, now held in Toronto on a murder charge growing out of the gruesome find, with the crime of murder in the first degree. Coroner Scott had gone very deeply into the case, investigating all the evidence that he could deduce. He and a number of other Falls people will give evidence at the Toronto hearing of the matter.

The verdict follows: "That said infant named Authers came to its death in the City of Toronto, Canada, on or

about Sept. 13, 1909. According to the evidence, its death was the result of asphyxia due to strangulation, and that said strangulation was the result of tightly drawing a rope or piece of cloth about the throat of the infant or by throttling by hand, or both. "I further find that the dead body of the infant was brought to this city in two shoe boxes telescoped together, and was later thrown from the car window of N. Y. C. and H. R. train No. 415 at a point on the Lewiston branch of the N. Y. C. and H. R. about 1.2 miles north of the City of Niagara Falls, by one Mabel Turner Gmelin, and I formally charge the said Mabel Turner Gmelin with the crime of murder in the degree as defined under sec. 183 of the penal code of the State of New York."

HARD CIDER.

Chancellor Boyd Held It Was Not Proven Intoxicating.

Chancellor Boyd at Osgoode Hall yesterday quashed the conviction made in the case of the King vs. Palangio and nine other cases for the alleged offence of having liquor (hard cider) for sale illegally at Cochrane, alleged to be within twenty miles of the line of the National Transcontinental Railway, the area within which prohibition of intoxicating liquors is decreed by Royal proclamation of June, 1907.

The most serious objection, to the Lordship's mind, of the many raised and argued, was that the defendants in their affidavits denied making any confession of guilt, saying they admitted having cider for sale, claiming it was non-intoxicating. The Magistrate, John Loughrin, said that was enough, as it was intoxicating, and they would have to pay the fines and costs or go to jail, and the payment was under protest. No evidence was taken.

The Chancellor holds that proof would have to be given to show the jurisdiction of the Magistrate territorially over the particular place where the sale was made, and that it was within the area of prohibition. Altogether, he finds an entire lack of evidence to support any of these convictions, so he orders them quashed, and the moneys returned, with the usual protection to the Magistrate as to actions.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Galt Workman Lay in the Rain All Night.

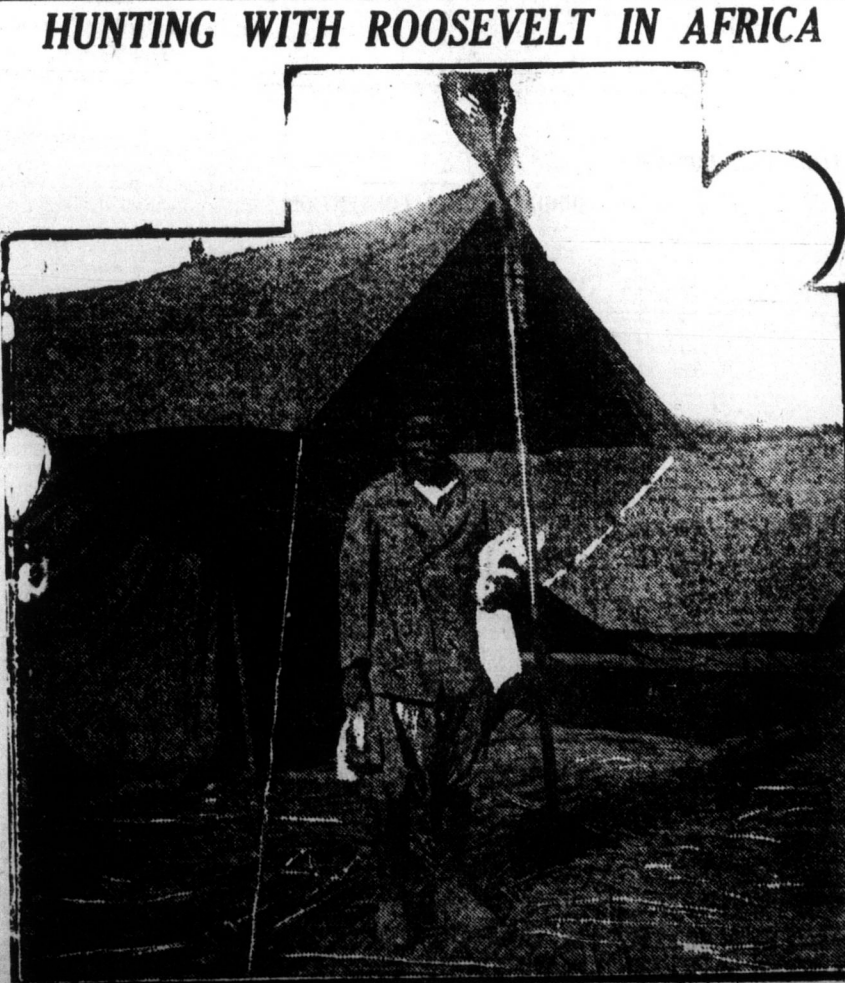
Galt, Sept. 23.—George Nugent, a plasterer, had a miraculous escape here last night. He fell at the Carnegie Library seventeen feet and landed on a pile of rocks in six inches of water. He was rendered partially unconscious, and lay in the water till 6 this morning. When discovered he was unable to move, being exposed to the heavy rain which fell during the night. Doctors say he is not seriously injured and will recover.

HUNT WIFE DESERTERS.

W. C. T. U. to Enter Upon a National Campaign.

Cincinnati, Sept. 23.—An appeal to women's organizations was sent out to-night by the local women's W. C. T. U. to enter upon a national campaign for the passage of Federal laws to hunt and punish wife deserters as zealously as cases of army and navy desertions are followed. The report of 2,700 cases of wife desertions in this city during a period of three months and 1,500 similar cases in the same time in one section of Chicago prompted the reports that were adopted by 600 cheering women.

Charles W. Hart, 54 years old, a noted trap-shooter, died at his home at Cleveland, O. Hart was known in trap-shooting circles throughout the country, and four years ago held the amateur championship of the United States.



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