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HIGH GRADE LINENS

FOR THE PAST TWO WEEKS we've been conducting the most successful sale and display of High Grade Linens in the history of this linen store. Never before has it been our privilege to show such a profusion of elegant linens. From Scotland, Ireland and Germany they come, but principally from Scotland, for it's a well known fact that the Scotch TABLE LINEN have excellent wearing qualities, for the Scotch weavers have an art of combining body in linen with fineness of weave.

We do not confine ourselves to any one maker's goods, nor to those that are made in any one country, for there are various kinds of linen, and most manufacturers are known by the particular line of linen in which they excel.

Now here's the whole story in a nutshell, years of experience and the touch of a sensitive hand has brought the best linen of the various kinds to this linen store, hence you get the very best quality of linen at this store, no matter what that linen need may be.

BEAUTIFUL CLOTHS

WITH NAPKINS TO MATCH. Cloths, sizes 8-10, 8-12, 8-14, 10-12, 10-14, 10-16, Napkins, sizes 27x27, 25x25 and 20x20, ranging in prices per set \$4.60, and every price step up to \$25.00.

UNBLEACHED TABLINGS

MOST OF THEM HALF BLEACH. Rich designs, at per yard: union damask 25c, and 37 1-2c; all linen 35c, and easy price steps to \$1.25.

BLEACHED TABLING

Beautiful designs, ranging in price from 50c. to \$1.35 per yard. Every piece in the assortment pure linen.

CLOTHS—Slightly Imperfect

20 TO 30 PER CENT. OFF. The practical housekeeper has tested the saving on these, and many at greater discounts. It was a fortunate circumstance that brought them here, for they are seldom on the market. A better lot than these would be hard to find, for the imperfections are so slight that they would pass as perfect if we did not call your attention to the imperfection, which is most difficult to find. Sizes 8-4, 10-4, 8-12, 10-12, 8-14, 10-16.

SPECIAL

15 dozen Dinner Napkins, regularly worth \$2.50, for \$2.00 per dozen.

WM. FOREMAN & Co.

PAINTERS OUT ON STRIKE.

Guelph Union Men Want 25 Cents an Hour.

Guelph, March 4.—Some six months ago the painters of the city notified the Master Painters that after the 1st of March the schedule wage would be 25 cents an hour on a two-year agreement. R. H. Barber and the Royal City Painting and Decorating Company signed the agreement. All the other shops went out on Monday, probably comprising between 20 or 25 men. There is little prospect of a settlement at present.

EXTENDING ITS FIELD.

Bank of Commerce Takes in Halifax Banking Co.

Toronto, March 4.—The announcement comes from Halifax that a provisional agreement has been made under which the Halifax Banking Company is to be amalgamated with the Canadian Bank of Commerce. This will give the Bank of Commerce fifteen additional points in Nova Scotia, including Halifax, Truro and Windsor, and two in New Brunswick, at St. John and Sackville. The directorate of the Halifax Banking Co. will continue as a local advisory board and the entire staff will be taken into the employ of the Bank of Commerce. The Halifax Banking Company was established in 1825 and incorporated in 1872. Its paid up capital is \$600,000 and its rest \$250,000. It has deposits of \$4,000,000 and assets of \$6,000,000. The Bank of Commerce will assume all the liabilities of the Halifax Banking Company and will give \$700,000 par value of stock for the excess of assets over liabilities. It is announced that this sum will doubtless be taken from the \$2,000,000 extra stock which the Bank of Commerce intends to issue. When the amalgamation has been completed, probably in April, the Bank of Commerce will have a paid up capital and rest combined of nearly \$12,000,000 and total assets of some \$20,000,000, with 101 branches.

KILLED BY KNAPP.

The Body of One Victim Found in a River.

Hamilton, Ohio, March 4.—Although Edward F. King has failed to identify positively the body of the woman found in the river as his sister-in-law, and a wife of Alfred Knapp, who has confessed to the murder of five women, the impression is strong that the body is that of Hannah Goddard Knapp, his third wife. The matter of identification is extremely difficult, owing to long immersion. In every particular the body was found to tally with the minute description given by Knapp in his confession, when he said he murdered the woman and threw her into the Miami at Hamilton, Ohio, Dec. 22. The body was embalmed today.

A FILIPINO SUCCESS.

The Town of Ous Captured by the Insurgents.

Manila, March 4.—Insurgents captured the town of Ous, in the Province of Albay, yesterday. Two of the constabulary were killed and fifteen were captured. General Davis will furnish two companies of scouts to assist the constabulary in suppressing the disorder in the Province. Colonel Scott has been sent to command the joint forces.

ANTI-JESUIT LAW.

Opposition in Germany to Proposed Repeal.

Berlin, March 4.—Chancellor Von Buelow is meeting with strong opposition in the Bundesrath to the proposed repeal of the anti-Jesuit law, which the Chancellor announced in the Reichstag some time ago the Government favored. The Bundesrath, the sessions of which are private, has been debating the question for two days.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Rev. Richard Hammond died at Kingston.

John Burtch, injured by a blasting accident at Gananogue, died at Kingston.

Brockville City Council has decided to ask for a grant from Mr. Carnegie for a public library.

The Dominion liner Merion is still ashore near Queenstown. Her passengers have been taken off.

Mr. A. Miscampbell, M.P.P. for Sault Ste. Marie, has been unseated for corrupt practices by agents.

Mr. J. Lorne Hale of Pembroke was nominated for the Legislative Assembly by the Liberals of North Renfrew.

The contract for 25,000 tons of steel rails has been awarded by the Government to A. G. Kitson & Co., Glasgow.

A syndicate of Canadians and Americans have purchased about six thousand acres of land near Aylesbury, north of Moose Jaw, for \$8 an acre.

Committees of the Houses at Washington agreed to recommend an appropriation for three battleships of 16,000 tons and two of 13,000 tons displacement.

Nominations for the Commons took place at Beaverton, in North Ontario, yesterday, the candidates being Mr. Geo. D. Grant, Liberal, and Hon. George E. Foster, Conservative.

Mr. Hollingsworth, the Ottawa veterinary surgeon, sentenced to six months imprisonment for voting twice on the referendum, has been released on recommendation of the Minister of Justice.

The following additional license Commissioners are gazetted this week: South Norfolk, John Murphy, Frank Rowley, James McBride; West Victoria, William Needler, Thomas Brady, Albert Orr Hogg; Peel, John D. Hickey, David Graham, George Atkinson; West York, Michael Naughton, Archibald Gilchrist, John K. McEwen.

SACHEL

—OF THE—

SATELLITE

Well done is as Weldon does.

He was a good singer, but he wasn't such a little Shaver.

Francois, the French speller, was the best in the business. He was very Frank about it.

The minstrel boys only had one Scapa, but they had a lot of different yarns and never got tangled up.

I don't see how the minstrel boys had so good a show with a grave Stone right in the centre of the bunch.

The interlocutor wasn't the only precious Stone in the front row. The crescent also contained a Garnet setting.

I don't know whether the minstrel aggregation suffered from fire or not, but I am sure I saw Burns on the front end of the show.

They say that Harry wanted to quit the minstrel production because Burney would persist in singing "Massey's in the cold, cold ground."

It was a little McKenough school boy who remarked after seeing the minstrel boys parade, "that parade was no good. They didn't have no elephant." I guess the lad didn't see Will Coltart's walking mate.

They tell a good story on Burney Weldon. About a week ago he was at the fire hall when an alarm was rung in. As it was noon hour and the force at the hall was short handed, Burney Weldon and Jack Brent took charge of the hose wagon. Burney was driving. Burney wasn't used to driving the hose wagon and he didn't know just how fast he was going. Sandy Holmes said they were going so fast that sparks were flying from the King street pavement ten feet in the air. When the corner of King and William streets was about reached, John Brennan, who was holding on with both hands and his breath, asked Burney if he wasn't going to turn at the corner. "The deuce," says Burney, "we're by that one. Where's the next one?"

AT REST

The remains of the late Mrs. James Eberle, who died in Los Angeles, Cal., on Saturday, Feb. 21st, were reverently laid to rest in the Palmyra Cemetery on Sunday afternoon, March 1st.

The funeral was attended by a very large number of sorrowing relatives and friends, who had assembled to pay a last sad tribute of respect to one who had been beloved by all who had had the privilege of her acquaintance.

The funeral service was commenced at the family residence and, after interment, continued in the Baptist Church, of which denomination the deceased lady had been a constant and zealous member for forty-four years, and had left an undying legacy not only to her family but to the community at large—the example of a blameless life.

Rev. Mr. Pierie, pastor of the Palmyra Baptist Church, conducted the service, and during the course of his eloquent and impressive discourse spoke in the highest terms of the many excellent qualities of the deceased. The church had lost one of its best members, the family had lost a mother in the truest and sweetest sense of the word.

Rev. Messrs. Prosser and Her, of Ridgetown, also took part in the solemn service.

The pall-bearers were the five brothers of the deceased, John Muckle, of Kansas City, Mo., Joseph, William, James and David, of Harwich, and her eldest nephew, R. J. Birch, of this city.

The floral tributes were many and very beautiful.

LIFE'S LITTLE ILLS

Are the Ones Which Cause the Greatest Amount of Suffering

It is every day ill that distress most—those which seize you suddenly and make you irritable, impatient and fault-finding. The root of these troubles lies in the blood and nerves, and you cannot get rid of them until the blood has been made rich and pure, and the nerves strengthened and soothed.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will do this, and will do it more speedily and with more lasting results than any other medicine. In proof of this Mrs. James Patterson, Chilliwack, B. C., says:—"My daughter was in poor health, and her system badly run down. She was pale, suffered from severe headaches, and very nervous. We decided to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after using six boxes, she is a strong, healthy girl. I gladly recommend the pills in similar cases."

These pills cure all blood and nerve troubles, such as anaemia, neuralgia, indigestion, heart troubles, rheumatism, St. Vitus' dance, partial paralysis, kidney troubles and the weaknesses which afflict women. Be sure you get the genuine pills with the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People," printed on the wrapper around the box. If in doubt send direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and the pills will be mailed, post paid, at 50c. per box, or six boxes for \$2.50.

How easy it is for some to suggest a sure cure for some one else to manage a troublesome affair.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Selling for Less

We're making prices lower now in order to make trade surer. With our factory extra busy, and the Spring stock getting into shape. We're reasonably anxious to keep things moving. Without any great waste of words, we hold up these special values for you to look at.

Men's Blue and Black Beaver Overcoats, reg. price \$5 for.....\$3.95	Men's Brown Stiff Hats, reg. price \$2.50 for.....95c
Men's full sweep Coronation Overcoat, reg. price \$12 for.....\$8.00	Men's Crush Hats, reg. price \$1 for.....50c
Men's fine Grey Cheviot Overcoat, reg. price \$15 for.....\$10	Good Warm Caps, reg. price 50c for.....25c
Heavy Frieze Ulsters, reg. price \$5 for.....\$3.95	Several Dozen Caps, regular price 25c for.....10c
Heavy Frieze Ulsters, regular price \$5 for.....\$4.95	Men's Heavy Wool Underwear, reg. price 50c for.....35c
Men's \$5 and \$6 Reefers for.....\$3.95	Fine Scotch Wool Underwear reg. price \$1.50 to \$1.90 for \$1.25
Boys' Heavy Reefers, regular price \$3.50 for.....\$2.75	There are still some fine FUR CAPS and GAUNTLETS at 25 per cent. off our regular low prices.
Boys' Heavy Reefers, regular price \$3 for.....\$1.50	

THORNTON & DOUGLAS, Ltd

Asthma

"One of my daughters had the asthma terribly. We tried almost everything, without relief. We then tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and three bottles cured her."

Emma Jane Entsminger, Langsville, O. See, 50c, \$1.00, J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

THE BURDICK MURDER.

Buffalo Police Believe It Was Committed by a Woman.

Buffalo, March 4.—The officials who are investigating the murder of E. L. Burdick say that indisputable evidence shows that Burdick was lying on the couch in his den when the attack which ended his life was made. There was no struggle worthy of the name of struggle, the unfortunate man succumbing almost immediately to the first blows struck and the assailant was a woman. They claim to have satisfactory evidence for these statements. It has developed that the victim's insurance policies, aggregating \$25,000, are payable to his wife, from whom he was divorced some time ago, but that she will does not leave her a single cent.

HAPPINESS IN THE FAMILY

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Mother and Daughter.

Mrs. S. Barnum Tells How Her Backache Disappeared and her Daughter Found Health.

Madoc, Ont., March 2.—(Special).—The hold those standard Canadian remedies, Dodd's Kidney Pills, are obtaining on this community grows stronger day by day. "Tried and not found wanting," is the verdict awarded to them in dozens of cases where those numerous ailments arising from diseased kidneys have banished the health and threatened the lives of people till Dodd's Kidney Pills have come to their relief.

And as one who has benefitted from Dodd's Kidney Pills recommends them to another and he or she in turn finds relief and health, it is not to be wondered at that whole families unite in singing their praises. This is what the Barnums are doing. Mrs. S. Barnum says:

"I had been troubled with Backache, one of the first symptoms of the painful and dangerous Kidney Diseases. I had been told that Dodd's Kidney Pills were a sure cure and resolved to try them. I procured half a dozen boxes and commenced taking them. The backache soon disappeared, and has not come back. It is a most satisfactory cure."

"My daughter Annie, too, was run down and out of sorts, and subject to pains. Dodd's Kidney Pills had done me so much good I resolved to try them in her case. The result is here, and is gone and she is in good health again."

Gratitude doubles the gift and halves the debt.

SETTLERS LOW RATES WEST.

Via Chicago and North-Western R'y., every day from Feb. 15th to April 30th, colonist one way second class tickets at extremely low rates from stations in Ontario and Quebec to points in Colorado, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and California; also to Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Nelson, Rossland, etc., etc. Full particulars, rates and folders can be obtained from B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 East King street, Toronto, Can.

The breadth of Christianity depends on its depth.

TABLE GLASSWARE.

Fine Glass Tumblers, per Dozen, 75c
Finger Bowls, dainty and fine, each, 20c and 25c
New Colored Glassware, in Table Sets, Water Sets and Fruit Sets, per set, \$1.75

See Our Lines Glassware at 10c. Each

GRAY'S Bazaar and China Hall

SAY!

Are You a Judge of Good

Maple Syrup, try ours at 25c. quart.
Big Spanish Onions, 3c. pound.
8 pounds best Buckwheat Flour 25c.
Mixed Biscuits, 9c. pound.
Jam, by the pail, 7c. pound.
Oranges, 20c. dozen.
6 pounds English Rice, 25c.
4 pounds new Prunes, 25c.

CROCKERY

10 piece Chamber Sets.....\$2.00
44 piece Tea Sets.....2.90
97 piece Dinner Sets.....5.50

Large assortment of China, Lamps and Glassware, just the thing for wedding presents, at a reduced price.

John McConnell

Phone 190 Park St. East

Radley's Cough Cure

25c per Bottle
Is the best preparation on the market for Coughs and Colds.

The roots of a strong tree do not make much rustle, but they do the changing on in the time of storm.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE,

F. H. BRISCOE, Manager.

1 Week and Sat'y Matinee.

MARKS BROS. DRAMATIC CO.

Monday—"The Night before New Year's."

Tuesday—"The Slaves of Russia."

Wednesday—"A Soldier of France."

Thursday—"Fallen Among Brigands."

Friday—"Under Two Flags."

Saturday Matinee—"The Prodigal's Return."

Saturday Night—"The Irish Emigrant."

—PRICES—

Parquet, 25c.; 3 rows Parquet Circle, 25c.; balance Parquet Circle, 20c.; first 3 rows Dress Circle, 25c.; balance 20c.; gods, 10c.

Reserve Seat Sale at Central Drug Store each morning.

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over A. I. McCall's Drug Store,

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EVERY SATURDAY

to purchase horses. The highest cash prices will be paid.