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It was that great war of trade which was inevitably coming, and which, so far as he could see, would be one of the greatest and most serious that Great Britain ever had to cope with. While not putting other nations out of the category, it was from the United States and Germany that the British had most to fear. America, with its almost incalculable resources and enterprising spirit of its people, was the most formidable of all competitors. The Germans, although somewhit slow and unwieldy, were scarcely inferior rivals, owing to their silent and persistent methods and unconquerable spirit. Lord Rosebery remarked upon one striking feature of the American competitor, namely, that the great individual fortunes made in the United States were not employed as they probably would be in England, to enable their makers to retire and enjoy social and other pleasures, but were invested in great trusts and syndometes to form power for concentrating attacks on British trade. These millions so invested

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material in the world, but he was convinced that their commercial men required to be educated and trained scientifically from bottom to top. Their training, as it was, was both insufficient and too insular. For instance, they did not send their young men abroad as others did to learn methods of business and manufacture. He suggested that the Chamber of Commerce should consider the question of devoting a certain sum annually for

THOMAS STONE & SON

JANUARY SALE!

Special Saturday Bargain Sale

A Chance at White Cottons Another lot of mill ends of bleached cottons, in lengths of 3½ to 10 yds., in three values, regular 5c, 6c and 7c, placed on sale Wed-

Underskirts

os' Shaker Flannel Underskirts, in plain colors pink, sky and white, trimmed with embroidery and braid, regular price 85c and \$1, your choice

s' Shaker Flannel Drawers, in plain pinks and blues, embroidery trimmed and frilled, regular price 30c 50c and 75c per pair, on Saturday for 17c, 30c and

s' Black Leather Chetelain Rags, with chain handles, regular price 50c each, on Saturday your choice at.....

shipment of Halifax Tweeds, bought away below market value, in the very best shades of fawn, bronze and grays, best goods in the world for boys' wear and men's knock-about suits, very special on Saturday for 25c, 37½c.

Three Pcs. Plaid Dress Goods

Brown and fawn mix, red and black mix, very pretty plaids and good color combinations, 40 in. wide, reg. price 4 is a yd., on Saturday.

Ladies' Fleeced Ribbed Vests, good weight, well made, worth reg. 12 is each, on Saturday very special sach.

One Pc. Extra Fine Glossy Finish Curl Cloth, 54 in. wide, very special on Saturday per yd.

15 pcs. Dress Goods, in plain, fawns and grays and fancy checks, made to sell up to 40c yd., on sale Saturday at per yd.

3 pcs. Stripe and 3 pcs. Brocaded Velvets, in navy, gray and brown, suitable for trimming and wrists, worth reg. 50c to 31 yd., on Saturday special at per yd.

AN EARLY PURCHASE of Unbleached Cottons enables us to offer the very best cottons in the city at 5c and.

THOMAS STONE & SON

Direct Importers,

A Neckwear Sensation

The 2 T's

Annual Neckware Sale Starts Saturday Morning At

8 O'Clock

Your choice of any Tle in the store for

Or 3 For \$1.00

Of all the offerings this store ever made, a d it claims to be headquarters for bargains at all times, this is the greatest.

Entire stock fine imported neckwear, ladies' and gents'. The largest and best 75c Imperlals, choicest Puffs, the best Four in Hands, the handsomest Tecks, the newest Butterfly and Bat-Wing, Band Bow, etc. blacks included, 7 such as yesterday were 50c, 75c and \$t, all to go at the same price

150 Or 2 for ...

Your choice of all our 25c an 1 35c Bow and string ties.

Not more than \$1, worth of ties to a customer. -See Window-

The 2 T's

Slater Shoe

Stock-Taking Revelations at "The Ark."

Too Many Lamps

And Lamp Globes

Any \$5.00 Parlor Lamp in Ark for	3	95		ALCOHOL:
Any \$4.00 Parlor Lamp in Ark for.	3	00		
Any \$4.00 Parlor Lamp in Ark for.	2	50		
Any \$3.50 Parlor Lamp in Ark for	2	00		
Any \$3.00 Parlor Lamp in Ark for		15		
Any \$1.50 Parlor Lamp in Ark for		50		
1 only tall Brass Lamp \$14.00, for	300			
1 only tall Brass Lamp, \$10.00, for	6	00		
l only fancy Parlor Lamp, with large globe, lion's head pat-		50	200	
tern, \$10, for	25	4200		
\$6.00 Hanging Lamps, for	4.3	75		
\$5.00 Hanging Lamps, for	4	25		
10-inch Globes, fancy 1900 style, \$1.00, for		69		
9-inch Globes, fancy 1900 style, 75c, for		49	ĺ	
9-inch Globes, lancy 1900 style, for, for		34		
8-inch Globes, fancy 1900 style, 50c, for		356		

H. Macaulay,

"The Ark"

Advertise Now and Reap a Harvest!

DREAD MONARCH IN ONTARIO

Over 25:000 Deaths Reported Last Year From all Over the

Toronto, Jan. 18. - The return of eaths in Ontario during 1900, issued yesterday, shows that 25,241 deaths were reported, being at the rate o 11.50 per thousand. This is a remarkprovince." The greatest enemy of the people of Ontario is the white plague. No less than 2,346 deaths were due to tuberculosis; typhoid caused 545, diphtheria 477, scarlet fever 131, whooping cough 121, and measles 93 deaths.

Dr. W. W. Paling, formerly of Tur-nerville in this county, now of Idaho, was married in San Francisco on the 14th inst., to Miss Bay Hand, off that

collections of postage stamps owned in the dominion. He has spent much time in collecting it and incidentally much money. The collection of the Maple City Mayor is worth several thousand dollars, but he wouldn't part with it for that.

On Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, the young ladies of St. Joseph's Church will entertain their friends with a "Gold Dollar Social and Lantern Entertainment in the L.O. O. F. Hall. King street. The entertainment is for the benefit of the church and every one is condially invited to attend. A select musical and vocal program will be rendered. Admission, 25 cents.

FOR A FINAL EFFORT

Will Try to Crush or Capture the Commandoes - Lord Roberts' Sounds a Stirring Appeal—Canadian Applicants

for Service

Cape Town despatch says :- Britoffensive operations have ceased the present. It is supposed that ner is collecting his tion of the tactics which caused surrender of General Cronje and eral Prinzipo,

is alleged that the Boers who are strating at Warola and Ermelo preparing to descend into Natal. casualty list issued yesterday that the Boers have released mitish who were captured at Heland Belfast. The facts re the ire of Belfast have not yet been

wed to transpire.

andon, Jan. 18—A despatch from
inderton of yesterday's date says:—

oer women brought in by the miliry report that William Steyn, who
is appointed a delegate of the Boers
for to ask the fighting Boers to surinder under. Lord Kitchener's proamation, was made a prisoner, and
ant to Pietrewief accused of high
meason. The Boers are still active son. The Boers are still active and Standerton.

BOB'S" STIRRING APPEAL. Lord Roberts who was entertained

sued from the war office a stirring appeal to the country for a prompt response to the call for 5,000 Yeomanry whose past service in South Africa he highly commends to the gra-titude of the nation.

London, Jan. 17.—General Kitchener telegraphing from Pretoria under date of Wednesday, Jan. 16, says the con-centration of 3,000 Boers at Carolina (Transvaal) is reported. He adds that Colville's mobile

umn was engaged near Van Tonde's Holk. The Boers were driven off with heavy loss. Three hundred Boers entered Aber deen yesterday, looted the store, and netired on the arrival of a hundred Buitish infantry;

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—Over 500 applications to join the South African Constabulary have been received by the
Militia Department. A constant
stream flows in daily, no less than 50
having been received yesterday. A.V. C. HERO.

could be wielded as an engine of warfare in such irresistible form as to
constitute a danger which the British
could not afford to ignore. If one or
two of the trusts combined for the
purpose of competing with any branch
of British trade by underselling, they
might obtain such a monopoly in that
branch as almost to drive Great Britain out of thei market. After a further reference to Germany, Lord
Rosebery asked what Great Britain
was going to do to avoid defeat. He,
as a layman, hesitated to attempt to
reply, he should say that the remedy
lay in education. He believed that
the British people were the best raw
material in the world, but he was convinced that their commercial men re-Southampton, Jan. 17.—Lieut. H. Z. C. Cockburn, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, reached here on the steamer Galeka, from Caps Town, to-day. He is in splendid health. A reporter conveyed to Lieut. Cockburn the news that he had been recommended for the Victoria Cross. He was greatly elated. Captain Weeks, who was with privately at dirmer last evening by the United Service Club, the guests the United Service Club, the guests the first Canadian contingent, but the first Canadian contingent, but who remained in Africa on special service, was also on board. He is in good health.

EARL OF ROSEBERY'S WORDS OF WARNING.

He Expresses Strange Fears That Britain Will Suffer From Commercial Competition With Germany and America.

London, Jan. 18.-At a meeting of | competition by which Great Britain the Wolverhampton Chamber of Commerce Wednesday, former Prime Min-Rosebery made a speech, in which he dealt in a most serious strain | prophesy what it might have in store. with the industrial and commercial The war, he feared, was not military.

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was faced. He declared that the future was dark and gloomy. It was difficult, even unwise, to try to

THE BUSY CASH STORE

suggested that the Chamber of Commerce should consider the question of devoting a certain sum annually for travelling scholarships, which, he was inclined to believe, would yield fruit a hundredfold.

Lord Rosebery's speech at Wolverhampton excites much comment, but it is not taken very seriously. The Morning Post, which calls him a "dreamer," declares that at the present moment people are more concerned with questions of national defense than of education.

The Duily Chronicle says.—"Happy are they who think that a commercial war is the only one we have to fear in the future."

The Standard declines to believe that the American trusts will ruin themselves in order to undersell rivals. It admits the seriousness of American expansion and of the invasion of England by American industry, but says it fails to see why the prosperity of others should be necessarily a disadvantage to Britain. THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited

....SaturdaySpecials

...Millin ry ...Snap

Your pink of any Trimmed Hat in stock, regular \$4.50 to \$7.50,..... Saturday \$2.89

Business was never so good with us at this time of the year as now. As the seaso advances to does the business grow better. If you want bargains that prove their worth in use—that look bigger out of the store than in it then visit this store to-morrow. Every department will have its own special attractions. The more you'll compare these values the more you'll be satisfied to leave your money h re Here are some you would find difficult to mat h elsewhere at these

pes. Fancy Jacquard Dress Goods, 2 toned effects, in rich colorings, 44 in. wide, reg. 40c yd., Sale Price. . . 19c

dozen Ladies' Underskirts, fancy stripe moreen, flanuel lined, with single or double ruffles, wide widths, reg. \$1 and \$1.25, Sale Price..... 850

nnelette Gowns, extra full sizes, made from fine heavy shaker, fast colors, ruffie on neck and front, good value at 65c, Sale Prics at 65c, Sale Price

lannelette Gowns, extra quality English flannelette, in choice stripes, fast celorings, full frill on neck, froat and cuffs, handsomely embroidered, reg. \$1 each, Sale Price 83c dies' Tailored Skirts, latest style, in fine heavy cheviot, in gray and black fancy checks and plain and figured black mohairs, best moire linings, velvet facings, Sale Price \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.19, \$3.50 and\$4.60

300 Yds. Bleached Cotton

Fine firm quality, smooth even weave, cambric finish, full yd. wide, reg. 10c per yd, Sale Price..... 7c

only, Black Oppossom Caperine, large collar, silk lined, trimmed with 8

only, Alaska Sable Caperine, extra quality, handsmeo style, satin lin-ing, trimmed with 8 large sable tails, reg. \$30, Sale Price.....\$22.90

large tails, regular \$7.75 Sale only Electric Scal Caperine, rich qual-ity, very handsome style, trimmed with 13 tails, 3 heads and 4 claws, reg. \$18.50, Sale Price.......\$14.48

2 only, Gray Lamb's Muffs, rich full curl, heavy satin lining, reg. \$3.75 quality, Sale Price\$2.75

Ladies' Jackets

Your pick of any Jacket in stock, all this season's latest styles, in fawns, blacks, blues and ear

33c

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