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No need for lengthy argument or comment with such an offering as this. A carpet selected from our stock is always reliable and worthy and at the regular prices would be cheap enough. But when one-fourth is clipped off the price, the buying chance becomes exceedingly interesting for homeowners. On Thursday morning we are going to put out:

1475 yards Extra Heavy Quality of Body Brussels Carpets, in shades of crimson, Nile, bronze, olive, terra, fawn, rose and blue, in floral, scroll and conventional designs, suit-able for any room or hall, § borders and 3 stairs to match, our regular price for this carpet is 90c and \$1.00 a yard. On sale Thursday morning for.....

Ladies' Wrappers at 98c Each.

It's like picking up money to buy these Wrappers at Ninety-eight Cents instead of \$1.39 and \$1.69. Since we bought our stock the market price for the material has advanced at least thirty per cent., although we made no change in our prices. Now we reduce the price on a special lot in this way for Thursday morning:

577 Ladies' New Fall Wrappers, made of Ameri can printed flannelettes, all good styles and in a' full range of sizes, our price to-day is \$1.39 to \$1.69 each, but on Thursday morning it

.98 will be.. Men's Gloves We want more of the But when all is said and done the Lace Curtains, You can easily afford Queen's highway they must only be permitted to lay them down at their own risk and

cate pieces of.

Doulton Ware, Royal Worcester Ware, Coalport, Royal Crown Derby, Dorfl, Dresden Decorated China, Wedgewood

Hosiery. Our qualities are of the high-class china and artware is seldom to do it on Thursday. Read the parbest, our prices the lowest, and for seen at one place. This magnificent ticulars : variety we have enough to satisfy all display is made up of dainty and deli-

buyers:

Men's Gloves.

them to give good serviceable wear

Men's Half Hose.

and satisfaction. This quality and

Two other lines of Footwear we long way in that respect, and every and toe, extra spliced sole and ankle, soft finish, all sizes, at 35c a pair, 1.00 or three pair for..... These reductions are **Reductions in** Dress Stuffs. important ones because they are made on three of the best selling lines we have in stock. It seems strange that we should trifle with the prices in this way, but we "are always doing strange things and Wall Paper Fully one thousand rolls Remnants. of Wall Paper-all reminvariably please our visiting friends : nant lots-that we have been selling at 15c to 35c a roll, are to be cleared on Thursday morning at 42-inch All-Wool French Tweed Suitings, in medium dress weight, and in mixtures of black and all leading dark colors, entirely new goods, regular price 65c a 35 yard, reduced to..... FIVE CENTS A ROLL. See how little it will cost you to get your rooms re-papered at this rate: Then for Linings and Trimmings you'll find it profitable to make your pur- Linens for Two special lines at special chase on Thursday. These seven items Thursday. prices for Thursday or until in our Clothing Section. the lots are sold : show you how it is done : Double-Fold Silesia Linings, in brown, grey, black and fawn, regular price 8c The T Underwear Heavy qualities for housekeeper within reach of the for Thursday. the colder weather store. Besides being very pretty, that is coming. Nothing is to be attractive and serviceable, this ware 11 yards for 15c is very cheap for the money we're gained by waiting, especially when you asking. See these prices:

Stylish Walking Hats at \$1.85.

For street wear the Walking Hat finds Qne hundred and twenty-five of them will be ready on Thursday morning at a special

silk velvet and rich silks, velvet ribbons, birds' wings, quills, fancy mounts, buckles, pins and ornaments. Thursday any hat for

Lace Curtains at 50c a Pair.

565 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 42 to 50 inches wide by 2% to 3% yards long, a good range of different designs, taped edges, in white or ivory, regular price 55c to 85c pair, on sale Thursday .50 Chenille Curtains at \$2.89.

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Men's Full Dress Sults, at \$18. Men's Tuxedo Sults, at \$12.50. Men's Silk Hats, at \$4, \$5 and \$6. Men's Tuxedo Coats, \$7.50, \$10 and \$12.50. Men's Silk Velvet Dinner Coats, at \$15. Men's Full Dress Shirts, at 75c to \$2 yeab

Men's 4-ply Linen Collars, 121/2c, 18c and

Men's Linen Link Cuffs, 25c and 35c a

Men's White Lawn Dress Bows, 9c, 121/2c

Men's Military Dress Bows, 20c each. Men's Dress Bosom Protectors, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2 each.

An issue most momentous to the people of Ontario, and, for that matter, to the people of Canada, is before them to-day. It concerns the rights of the public and the rights of trolley railways or other railways running along the public highways. It is only recently that we have cleared the tollgates off the public highways; now a new system of tollgate threatens to impose itself upon the country forever, if possible, and, by its upholders, claims to dictate to the people what the toll shall be, and claims exclusive jurisdiction over a portion of the highway, to the great detriment of the people at large and the best interests of the province. And so convinced are we of the seriousness of the threatened danger that we propose to discuss it at some length and to get at the ground principles involved and to see where the responsibility rests for the protection of the public.

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THE TROLLEY BANDITTI.

The Queen's highway, which means the ordinary road of travel in this country, is for the people, and for the people alone, either as individuals or as a community. Every one of the Queen's subjects is free to travel over that road, or, if any toll is imhigh favor among stylish dressers. Our presed, it shall be that imposed by the people themselves, upon themselves, and which creations are particularly natty and dressy. they can remove at any time they see fit. This is the great cardinal principle in regard to the rights of the people on the highway, and the greatest economic blunder that ever was made, so all economists tell us, was made when the Parliament of England allowed the first railway to pass into private hands. It is admitted now that price-a good deal less than it ought to be: the railways should have been kept as highways, very much in the sense that a canal is a highway, and, while the tracks are maintained by the companies or by the state. Ladies' Felt Walking Hats, in assorted shapes that all people should pass over them in their own or other vehicles, provided they pay and no two trimmed exactly alike, colors are the toll regulated by the state. Unfortunately, we say, that idea of a railway being black, brown, castor, navy, royal, pearl and a highway was not carried out in England at the beginning of the railway era, and ecru, trimmings include taffeta and satin ribbon, the mistake then committed was carried across to America. Fortunately, however, railways were maintained as public highways in other countries, and there is all the d'fference in the world between the transportation problem as it presents itself in Aus-1.85 tria, Germany, France and Australia, and as it presents itself in Great Britain and in the United States. These wagon highways must be kept intact for the benefit of the public, and if any private corporation are allowed to lay rails down upon the

and Socks. men to become ac- principal attraction in the Basement Chenilles. to throw away those with the understanding that there is a limit to the time for which they have the quainted with our Glove and Hosiery is our Chinaware display, and we have old lace curtains when you can requainted with our Glove and Hosiery section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section of the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section of the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section of the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section of the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section of the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section of the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section of the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to them when buying Gloves and Such a comprehensive collection of the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be very help-ful to the section because we can be v

> acquired in the cities of Ontario, are simply franchises of the right to transport passengers from one point of the city in question to any other point therein, but the companies have pretended and have argued at Ottawa, and have employed the best lawyers to shed tears before the Railway Committee, that they have not only the exclusive franchise of the local passenger traffic but that no company coming from the ntside can pass into the city or pass through the city without violating their privileges. For instance, they say the city of Toronto has no right to let the Metropolitan

Railway from away up Yonge-street come down into the city. We deny this in toto, and, as a matter of fact, the city of Montreal has vindicated her rights to allow any wide by 3 yards long, deep broken dado and fancy fringe top and bottom, in all the leading colors, regular price 2.89 \$3.50 a pair, Thursday for 2.89 Montreal, and something must be vindicated for Toronto in the same way. The To-If you want a pretty picture to ronto Rallway Company have no right to stop the people from away up Yonge-street brighten up one of the rooms, we'll coming down into the city and passing through the city outward, if the city choose

to let them. Of course, the economic way of carrying this out is to allow the outside railway to pass over the irons of the local company at a toll regulated by the Legislature. We at once admit that this outside railway coming into the city has not the

trols some twenty miles of Yonge-street, and, we suppose, has a charter farther up the Men's Dress Needs We have made it rcad. But, supposing, for the moment, we say it terminates at Newmarket, and that for Evening Wear. very easy for the people of Newmarket or a company working north of Newmarket proposes laying young men to meet the dress demands a track ten or twelve miles farther up the street. As soon as they reach Newmarket, Hose, assorted shades of refer and fawn, seamless feet, white heat and ______20 Men's Ribbed Irish Knit Half-Hose, made of pure imported yarn, in grey and black shades, extra heavy weight, all ______25 Men's Extra Fine Plain and Ribbed Black Men's Extra Fine Plain and Ribbed Black penditure on their part. At this ronto, or, if you do, it must be on whatever terms we may demand. You have no

vs. GANADA. History tells us that the people of the Alpine country were coerced by Austria and subsequently overcome by the armies of France under Napoleon, but finally this en-ergetic and determined people gained their independence: they must be proud of their country, celebrated for the beauty and sublimity of its scenery, its lofty moun-tains, covered with eternal snow, its fertile valleys, and plcturesque lakes; and while the Swiss people are proud of their country, so it is with Canadians, who, while proud of Canada, are also proud of the Swiss Laundry-a purels Canadian while proud of Canada, are also proud of the West, managed and controlled by Canadians. While only a few years ago it was in its infancy, it has made such rapid strides that it has caught up and passed all others, until to-day it holds the "Im-perial Position."

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force. Enough has been said by Mayor Shaw against Mr. Davis to warrant the atter's suspension pending an investigation to the observes mode by the Mayor. The orce. Enough has been said by Mayor nto the charges made by the Mayor. The istrict chief is charged with threatening to take part in the coming municipal elec-lons to defeat Mayor Shaw and with using busive language towards the Mayor and me of the aldermen. All this is rank lese najeste and indicatives of a rottenness in service that can no longer be tolerated. Thoever is the supreme head of the de-artment at the present time should take his matter up and hold an investigation orthwith. The firemen must be given to derstand that interference in the muni-

al elections will not be tolerated and that blic abuse of the Mayor and member the Council is a ground for immediate smissal. Let the much-needed regener ion of the Fire Department begin by call ng District Chief Davis to account for the crious charges that have been preferre

BANK OF MONTREAL PROSPERS. Half Yearly Statement, Just Issued, Shows a Gratifying State of Affairs.

Montreal, Nov. 14 .- (Special.)-The hal early statement of the Bank of Montrea ued to-day, shows the business of th bank from April 30 to Oct. 31, and the kults are gratifying. By way of compi-tion, the profits, after deducting charges ranagement and making full provision 1 had and doubtful debts, show as follows: Toronto.

Oct. 31 last. The net earnings of the past six months show an increase of \$29,043 over the cor-responding period of 1808, an increase of \$38,221 over the corresponding period of 1807, and this comparative increase is very gratifying when it is remembered that the winter months always show larger earnings than the summer ones.

PETER RYAN'S BIG DEAL.

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Bought 80,000 Acres of Nova Scotla Land for Michigan and Chicago Capitalists.

Halifax, Nov. 14 .- The biggest lumber deal ever made in Nova Scotia has just been consummated, B. F. and D. P. Young been consummated, B. F. and D. H. Property at having sold for \$300,000 their property at St. Margaret's 'Bay, consisting of 80,000 neres of land, to Peter Ryan, the Toronto contractor, who it is understood is acting for Michigan and Chicago capitalists. Mr. Ryan is connected with Mackenzie and Mann in the building of the Inverness Padlumay

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tention. The people of Yonge-street north of Newmarket have a perfect right over the wish to bring to your notice on Thurs- buyer will get a good fashionable Queen's highway into the city of Toronto, and if the Metropolitan refuses them to pass over their rails at a reasonable toll, regulated by Government, they outfit equal in appearance to the madeare nothing but highwaymen, banditti and a common enemy, which should be deto-order outfit. For evening wear we stroyed.

In a very short time this country will be cobwebbed with these electric roads on the Queen's highway, and, unless the Local Government takes the matter up at once and the Legislature empowers it to summarily deal with the question and to regulate the relation of one road to the other and the running rights of one road over the other, and the tolls and fares imposed upon the public, there will be the worst monopolistic yranny placed over a free people that ever was known in the history of the world. railways have some justification for their exclusive pretences, but the trolley lines' claims over the Queen's highway are an invasion of the everlasting rights of the

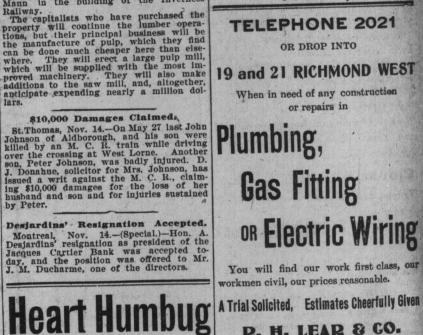
people, and must be regulated, and regulated at once. We do not wish to raise the question how these pretended exclusive franchises ere acquired, but so serious is the stage the question has reached that we are bound to refer to them and to say that there is hardly one franchise within the

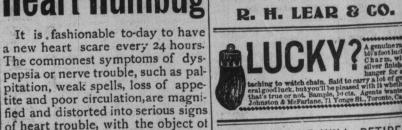
We invite inspection of our clothing cities or along the country road that was not acquired by bribery, by corruption, or "lobbying" of the most disgraceful kind. For instance, city and county councillors needs for evening wear. No matter how critical the taste or how have been taken and shown the seamy side of the other towns, given a good time and then brought back to vote away a franchise in the back room of some hotel. The most unscrupulous lobbyists have been employed and as a matter of fact these franchises which are claimed to be exclusive have slipped through councils and have been confirmed in a way by the Legislature. The public interest demands that these so-called exclusive privileges be repealed, as they can be repealed. It must

About If you want to know Ribbons what's what in Ribbons. lic interest. We refuse to assent to the doctrine that corporations can turn them-

affairs. The responsibility lies with the Le₀ islature of the province and every mem-ber of the Legislature, and secondarily it lies upon the Government of the day and the men who constitute that Government, and the political party that upholds it. Mr. Ross to-day is the Premier of the Province of Ontario, and he is the custodian of the public rights, of the municipal rights, of the people, and most of all he is the custodian of the Queen's highway, in whatever direction it may run, in whatever quarter of the province it may lie. It is Mr. Ross' duty now to tackle this question of electric railways and to devise such legislation as is really in the public interest. He must call off the buccaneers and Banditti, who are now against the public and who have entrenched themselves behind franchises corruptly got and corruptly confirmed and not in the public interest. And if Mr. Ross fails in this he has failed in his main responsibility. The man who must next share in the responsibility is the leader of the Opposition, Mr. Whitney. We are sorry to say that neither of these gentlemen, so far, has exhibited any great activity in maintaining the rights of the people. They must now both declare themselves, and as we have a great deal of sympathy with Mr. Whitney in other things, we trust he will take the first opportunity of declaring himself on this supreme issue. The interest supposed to centre around the Crown lands in Ontario is not a patch to preserving the rights of the people of Ontario, over their own highways, and Mr. Whitney and the other members of the Legislature must wake up to the responsibility under which they rest. The issue is clear-cut. Every man must be out-and-out and up-and-up in his attitude towards it, and the people must make it their business to return no man to the Legislature, be he Grit or Tory, who does not solemnly pledge him self before all his constituents that he into go to the Legislature to uphold their rights and not to trade them off to the electric railways, who are setting up the prethen on to the electric ranways, who are setting up the pre-that they really own the Queen's highway and that the Queen's its and lieges must thereafter pay them such tolls as they demand. The tence people's highways must not be taken from them by the banditti of the trolley. And when the people's rights have been vindicated trolley lines will spring up all over. It is the banditi now in possession that block progress.

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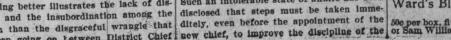
hundredth part of the heart trouble Commerce Will Lay Aside Business Cares Shortly. we hear about were real, the ceme

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