## SCHOONER RACE FAILS TO FINISH

# HELD IN LONDON

Offered, But Bidding Is Not Brisk.

## ATTENDANCE SMALL

Sixty-two Shorthorn cattle bred by various well-known stock men of

Western Ontario were sold by auction yesterday afternoon at Queen's Park by the Western Ontario Consignment Sale Company.

The highest price paid was \$340 for Royal Lad, a bull, bred by J. A. Gale, and owned by George Ferguson. The bull was bought by Alex. McTavish. Although the calibre of the stock, according to many of the farmers who took part in the sale, was the best which has been offered by auction by the Western Ontario Consignment Company, the sale did Consignment Company, the sale did off from their moorings at 8 a.m. tooff from their moorings at 8 a.m. to

Sales Recorded Following are the sales recorded:
Ridgebank Duchess of Gloster,
owned by A. W. Barrett, sold to Bere
Bros., for \$160; Ridgebank Model, A.
W. Barrett to F. J. Neal for \$90;
Merry Princess, R. & S. Nicholson to
M. Hearn for \$140; Admiral, William
Waldie to Barty Bros. for \$120; Canadian Roan Lady William Waldie to adian Roan Lady, William Waldie to Shut-in Island, thence to the outer Morley James for \$125; Golden Ray. William Waldie to H. W. Palmer for The wind had not freshened in the \$105; Orange Blossom, William Waldie to F. J. Emerson for \$140; Spring Valley Fancy, Kyle Bros. to R. M. Pick for \$160; Graceful Maid, Kyle Bros. to G. W. Clark for \$65; Dandy Lustre, Kyle Bros. to R. T. Ames for \$60; Nameless, G. Amos & Son to Percy O'Ray; Secret Master, G. Amos & Son to Switzer for \$70; Augusta, G. Amos & Son to M Hear for \$140; Walnut Sweet Maid. D. \$105; Orange Blossom, William Walrown & Sons to E. T. Stephens for 170; Walnut Hero, E. Brown & Sons to Walter Dixon for \$70: Roan Lady 9th, R. & A. Murell to O. A. C., Guelph, for \$140; Dumbells, R. Murell to Glendenning Bros. for \$150; Clementinas Empress, Harry Forbes to W. Niblock for \$85; Kirk-ton's Missey, H. Forbes to P. Suther-ley for \$55; King's Guard, E. Robson to Ross Bros. for \$90; Graceful of to Ross Bros. for \$90; Graceful of Towie 2nd, E. Robson to E. Emerson for \$170; Thornham Dairy Maid, F. for \$170; Thornnam Dairy Maid, F. Gosmell to R. Nethercott for \$170; Rosetta 12th, F. Gosmell to Glendenning for \$70; Dorls Buckingham, F. Gosmell to E. Robson for \$110; Ramsden Bessie, F. Gosmell to J. Flannigan for \$55; Miss Ramsden Queen, F. Gosnell to R. Nethercott for \$100; Clausester's Rest F. Gosphell to J. Gloucester's Best, F. Gosnell to J. Laidlaw for \$45; Mary O'Argyle 9th, Bros., \$135; Mary O'Argyle, G. Fer-guson to Ostricker Bros., \$100; Roan Princess 2nd, G. Ferguson to R. Nethremotes and the regulation of the control of the co McTavish for \$75; Royal Oak Victor, G. Attridge to J. Brown & Sons for \$70; Mary Anne of Lancaster 2nd, E. Brien & Sons to H. W. Palmer for \$50; Red Signet, E. Brien to J. Smith for \$40; Fragrant Rose, W. Knight & Son to G. Flannigan for \$55; Miss Ramsden Rose, William Knight & Sons to H. Lampman for \$70; Wimple Champion, S. Hueston to J. Henry for \$70; Roan Princess 3rd, G. Nicholson to E. Emerson for \$75; Nonpareil Alert, G. Nicholson to Norman Stewart for \$65; Victoria, P. Sutherland to Morley James for \$70; Village Blarnet, P. Sutherland to J. Smith for \$40; Lady Pride, W. Wright & Sons to C. Charlton for \$55; Attridge to J. Brown & Sons lage Blarnet, P. Sutherland to J. Smith for \$40; Lady Pride, W. Wright & Sons to C. Charlton for \$55; Claret 5th, W. McLean & Sons to H. Schaefer; Dale of Promise, W. McLean & Sons to Ford & Sons for \$230; Cloris Maud, A. Campbell to A. B. Douglas for \$55; Forest Hill Duchess 2nd, A. J. Campbell to C. Charlton for \$50; Lady Bell 2nd, T. Robson to A. Douglas for \$110.

## ALD. WILSON LACKS LOVE FOR REAL ART

Tears Mayor's Picture From
Pages of Municipal

Ver Book

umbia was to weather, and a length or so ahead. It was evident there would be close work at the buoy.

Official time for the first mark:

Columbit—10:29:20. Year Book.

Ald. William Wilson is still angry. He gave vent to his feelings today in no uncertain manner.

Entering the city hall about the usual hour he was offered a copy of municipal year book.
"What do I want with that. I got

"What do I want with that." I governe," he exclaimed.
"Mighty fine pictures of Cameron Wilson and George Wenige in this book," he was informed.
"There are, are there," retorted Ald. Wilson. "Let's see."

Accepting the little publication, Ald. Wilson promptly tore out the

**ELGIN WATCHES** WEAR WHILE YOU PAY,

Johnston Bros. 206 Dundas St., Next Allen Theatre.

### Bridal **Bouquets** \$5.00

complete with ribbon tie, at

Gammage's 207 Dundas Street.

Mail orders given prompt attention

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS ind We Will Serve You Righ THE DAVIS INSURANCE AGENCY.

LIMITED.

High Quality Animals Are Lack of Wind Proves Detrimental to the Canadian Schooner Bluenose.

### REACH SECOND MARK

Canadian Press Despate Halifax, Oct. 31—At 1.19 o'clock the race was declared off, the judges deciding that the event could not be concluded within the time limit of six hours, which expired at 3 o'clock.

Canadian Press Despatch. Halifax, N. S., Oct. 31. - The Sloucester schooner Columbia, chalenger for the international schooner race trophy, and the Lunenburg schooner Bluenose, its defender, cast ding was slow. The price received in almost every sale was low, and only a total of \$5,900 was taken in by the Consignment Company for the day's breeze from the northwest. Rain fell in torrents during the early hours

but had stopped at eight, and the light station at Camperdown reported clearing weather with about fifteen At 8:30 the committee announced that there would be no postponement The schooners were signalled to sai over No. 4 course. This takes them from the inner automatic buoy out harbor and the reports from outside

slightly as the boats started away from the first mark, running almost before the wind. Ten minutes' after the starting gun the Blu the Columbia's bow and headed away before the wind for the inner automatic buoy, the first mark. The Columbia also straightened away

Running Neck and Neck.

parently lengths astern.

wing. She was followed by Bluenose, but Walters almost immediately had decreased to six knots. At 9:10 to R. Nethercott for \$100; tetr's Best, F. Gosnell to J. Columbia, after establishing a lead of tetr's Best, F. Gosnell to J. Roan se's bow. Walters headed up and both boats were pointing well to gestian to Glendenning both boats were pointing well to weather of their course. Both boats of weather of their course. Both boats closed and Walters, giving Pine a nice blanket, forged ahead. After establishing a lead the Bluenose bore off on her course to the buoy, while the challenger headed up for the western shore to weather, but behind the Canadian.

At 9:15 Bluenose had again crept up to windward and was leading Columbia by a length. The schooners

Columbia by a length. The schooners were off Sandwich Point. At 9:45 the schooners were lost in the haze to observers on the press boat, a mile and a half in advance

Early morning predictions of half a gale had completely failed, and it began to look as though the race might not finish within the time At 9:55 the Columbia had worked

up to weather of the Bluenose and was slightly ahead. The sun, break-ing through the haze, showed the schooners engaged in a luffing match and headed at right angles to the

The wind less than six knots wa hauling more to the east and both schooners had their mainsails broad off to starboard. At 10 o'clock they squared away and headed for the mark. There was little to choose between the two vessels.

The wind continued to heave to the eastward, and seemed to be pick-ing up. The schooners had done less than five miles in an hour's sailing, but indications now were they would make faster time on the next leg. At 10:10 the boats were less than mile from the first mark. The Columbia was to weather, and a lengte.

Bluenose—10:30:44. At 10:50 the Columbia had estab-

lished a lead of a quarter of a mile. Bluenose seemed to be holding her own at this hour.

Wind Is Too Light.

At 11:55 the boats were within two miles of the second mark. The wind miles of the second mark. The wind seemed to have hauled more to the eastward, and both vessels were by the wind for the buoy. The Columbia continued slowly but surely to increase her lead. The wind had dropped to less than five knots, and it was evident the boats could not finish within the time limit, unless there was a decided increase in the

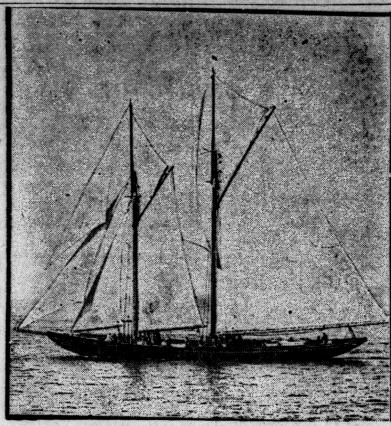
there was a decided increase in the velocity of the wind.

velocity of the wind.

At noon the schooners got a rain equall off the shore, and the Bluenose began to close the gap. The boats were heading straight for the mark three miles away.

Round Second Mark.

At 12:10 the Columbia was within a mile of the buoy, with the Bluenose a quarter of a mile astern. The little squall that came off Lawrencetown Bluff did not last long, and at this hour the boats had little more than steerage way.



LEADING WHEN RACE DECLARED OFF.

The American schooner Columbia, which was able to take the lead over the Bluenose in today's race at Halifax. The Columbia proved a better boat in light wind, but neither was able to finish in the time limit of six hours.

## William Desmond Advises Youth to Place Home Life Above Career In Pictures

were not so good as those sent earlier Famous Screen Actor, Visiting London, Points to Many Disappointments.

RESENTS REPORTS

Declares Hollywood Is Most Maligned Place in the World.

William Desmond, one of the best known "he men" of the silent drama, cautions youth to think twice before giving up the advantages of home The breeze did not seem to be environment to go into movies. There Columbia set her sails wing and Hollywood than in any other city of are more disappointed "outcasts" in the United States, and the average hauled off his foresail. The wind girl who is successful in amateur had decreased to six knots. At 9:10 theatricals seldom achieves distinc-

> next to William Hart and Farnum in portraying heroic roles The muscle which is his predominating physical characteristic in pic-tures, is really fat. He is about 45 years of age, and his athletic per-formances in the movies seem all the

more remarkable after he has been seen in the flesh. Says Hollywood Maligned.

Commenting on the moving picture industry generally, Mr. Desmond said that Hollywood is the most maligned place in the world. He stated that the stars of the movie colony were "one of the best behaved elements in America." and declared a false im-

thought to be involved.

In all his rugged, outdoor roles Mr. Desmond admitted that his director and the Universal Company, which produces his pictures, follow the plan of David Wark Griffith and other producers. That is, they make their pictures for 12-year-old mentalities. The average movie devotee, Mr. Desmond explained, is classified as 12 years old mentality and pictures are mond explained, is classified as 12 years old mentally, and pictures are accordingly made to satisfy the dramatic instincts of such people.

"Critics are forever shouting for better pictures, subtle plots and pictures of historic and highly educational interest. But it is nonsense to expect any producer who wants to make money to make high-brow plays. Every one made so far has been a financial failure. The modern moving picture producer is like a

Wind is Too Light.

At 11:05 it was estimated that the chooners had covered three miles of bane, manager of the Hearst publishes second less. The wind was of schooners had covered three miles of the second leg. The wind was evidently too light for the Bluen'se. o hold the challenger.

At 11:45 the wind had dropped to six knots. The Columbia had increased her lead to half a mile. The challenger had covered half the space to the second mark.

At 11:55 the boats were within two miles of the second mark. The wind miles of the second mark. The wind miles of the second mark. The wind miles of the second mark.

Producers Take Chances.

Conditions in the movie industry, Mr. Desmond said, were not the best. Mr. Desmond said, were not the best. If they are still conditions to exorbitant salaries paid to stars, producers now take big chances every time they make a picture. Ten years ago a feature film could be made for \$200,000 or theretabouts, while nowadays owing to immense salaries no big picture could be made for less than \$1,000,000.

Mr. Desmond was formerly with pioneer screen stars, such as John Bunny, Flora Finch, Francis X. Bushman and others. He is practi-cally the only one of the originals left and expects to be making pictures of the outdoor, cowboy type for many years yet.

a mile of the buoy, with the Bluenose a quarter of a mile astern. The little a quarter of a mile astern. The little squall that came off Lawrencetown Bluff did not last long, and at this hour the boats had little more than steerage way.

At 12:20 the wind wided up a little, and the challenger was approaching the second mark. The Columbia continued to open the gap, but the Bluenose had worked up to weather, and would have sheets more eased for the buoy.

Unofficial time at the second mark: Columbia—12:24:50.

Bluenose—12:23:15.

At 1:10 the schooners were reaching for the third mark. The Columbia had slightly increased her lead. The wind was about six knots from he north northeast, and is clear, but unless the wind freshened the race could not be finished before 3 or location as the stage and the seven at the second mark. The columbia had slightly increased her lead. The wind was about six knots from he north northeast, and is clear, but unless the wind freshened the race could not be finished before 3 or location as the stage for the day, and I would rank John Barrymore or Tom Meighan as the best men," Mr. Desmond concluded.

Mrs. Wm. Chapman, 345 Giebe the words pictures, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months street, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months sired, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months street, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months street, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months street, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months street, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months street, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months street, 86 years old, who has been in yotoria Hospital for several months street, 86 years old, when has been in yotoria Hospital for several months suffering from injuries received when their zenth but interest in them hever lead. The will take care of itself." he sale.

## City Fire Loss In Oct. \$7,000

The report of the London fire department for the month of October, as compiled by Fire Chief John Aitken, shows that the department was called to fifteen fires and one chimney fire, with an attending loss of \$7,000. Fifteen calls were received by elephone and one from a fire

alarm box. The largest blaze of the month was at the Campbell knitting factory on King street October 20, where the damage was estimated at \$5,000.

The fire loss for the month was practically the same as that of September, Chief Aitken stated.

## BE ALLOWED LIBERTY

Dutton Woman Was Found Innocent On Charge of Killing Child.

An arrangement has been reached between Dr. Robinson of the Ontario Hospital, London, and the attorneygeneral's department at Toronto. whereby Mrs. McCallum of Dutton will be released from the hospital Thursday. Mrs. McCallum, through mental de-

America," and declared a false impression had been gained of Holly-wood largely through the antics of As far as records can be found. was adjudged innocent of murder on Roscoe Arbuckle and the murder of William Taylor, the director, in which Mary Miles Minter was at first thought to be involved.

In all his rugged outdoor roles Mr.

As far as records can be found. This is the first time a person has been allowed freedom after such a happening. Officials at the hospital agree that Mrs. McCallum is normal now, although her mind is a complete blank regarding the events leading up to and immediately following the event. She is to report to Dr. Robinson at stated intervals, and the continuance of her freedom

Propose to Meet Friday Night to Further Anti-Wenige Work.

Arrangements are under contemplation for another special session at the Conservative Club rooms Friday night, of those ambitious members of th eparty who insist that Mayor Wenige should be opposed this

While these gentlemen of late have not been as exuberant as they were a few weeks ago, they are still con-

Mr. Desmond was formerly with vitagraph, and knew virtually all the policy, and a definite announcement pioneer screen stars, such as John is anticipated from Ald. Albert Judd and others.

RECOVERS FROM ACCIDENT.

Mrs. Wm. Chapman, 345 Glebe, treet, 86 years old, who has been in

Wenige Declares Recent Council Discussion on Question Out of Order.

**EXAMINES MINUTES** 

Company for the purchase of certain

Company for the purchase of certain property at the foot of Dundas street, skirting the river front has been completed and all discussion in this connection at the last session of the city council was decidedly out of order and unnecessary, Mayor Wenige announced today.

Since the meeting of the council the mayor has considered all the minutes of the council in this respect and finds that the aldermen have already authorized the purchase of the land and its subsequent sale again to the Penman Company.

As a matter of fact, Mayor Wenige states, the deal has gone through. The land has actually been purchased by the city and again sold to the Penman Company.

"Has any money changed hands?" he was asked

"Has any money changed hands?" "Everything has been done," replied the mayor. "The property and money have exchanged hands. The deal is completed. There is no need for further action. We purchased the property and then sold most of it again to the Penman Company, which concern proposes to increase its concern proposes to increase its plant. We own 80 feet along the river front."

iver front."
At the last session of the council, a demand was made to see the agree-ment between the city and the com-pany, but Mayor Wenige states today that upon a thorough investigation he finds that the agreement was incorporated in a communication be-tween the municipality and the com-pany. This was approved by the

There is nothing more to be done, although the councillors, apparently through a misunderstanding referred the question back the other night for further consideration.

ASKS \$500 DAMAGES. Fred Taylor has issued a writ in county court against Harry Fern for \$500 damages for "trespass and injury to the plaintiff's lands," and for alleged "conversion of his property by the defendant."

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Oct. 31.—The appointment of Frank E. Kellogg as United States ambassador to Great Britain has been formally accepted by the British government, it was announced this afternoon.

## Will Bury Bonar Law In Abbey

Associated Press Despatch. London, Oct. 31.—The body of Andrew Bonar Law, the former prime minister, will be buried in Westminster Abbey at noon next Monday.

The funeral service will be a

full choral service conducted by the dean. It is believed the body will be cremated before the funeral and that the grave will be somewhere in the nave of the abbey.

## FOURTH INSTALLMENT

Final Payments on 1923 Income Levy Received

day at the income tax office, Carling and Richmond street and, according to Inspector George Tambling, a number of small payments were received in the day's mail.

"Of course there will be more tomorrow," said Mr. Tambling. "There will be quite a few checks mailed today from outside points. There is really not much to come in, as the bulk of the taxes were paid last April. The majority of firms and people prefer to pay their income tax in one installment, and this was done in April. Comparatively speaking, there is but little to arrive, although there are some adjustments and col-lections to be made," he said. Citizens who decided to make their payments in installments were required to have their checks in the

30, August 31 and October 31. ACCEPTS APPOINTMENT. Associated Press Despatch. London, Oct. 31.—The appointment

## STILL MAINTAINS \$900,000 FIGURE IS HIGH ENOUGH

Mayor Wenige States the Sum Mentioned Before Cabinet Too Much

FOR CITY LINES

to the "sum slightly below \$2,000way's price for its holdings.

The fourth and final payment of just before the last election. I rectly after the shooting that he Dominion income taxes was due to- realize that the company has made might go to jail for his act, the boy certain improvements in the service larger price to the ratepayers."

"It is quite apparent from the Toronto despatch that the company was seeking nearly \$2,000,000, as we

BEFORE SATURDAY NIGHT

Unless inclement weather interferes all the concrete on the Richmond street pavement will be laid by Saturday night, City Engineer Near assured today. This will afford Hospital plenty of opportunity to finish the asphalt by November 15, the date say an operation to remove the shot would be impossible for several days set for completion. In fact there is yet. Infection is liable to set in and ncome tax office on April 30, June every reason to expect that the en- it is questionable whether or not tire job will be completed before this date set by the engineer.
"The concrete is what we want done before the bad weather sets in," explained Mr. Near. "The asphalt

explained Mr. Near. "The asphalt will not give us much trouble. We could lay that any time. In fact it would be possible to sweep the snow off and do that satisfactorily."

Clayton Fanson's Whereabouts Known Since Shooting Accident.

VICTIM UNCHANGED

Clayton Fanson, 11 years old, who So declares Mayor Wenige, relative accidentally shot May Lydell at the home of his aunt. Mrs. W. Gowers. 000," as mentioned before the Ontario 11 Pearl street. Monday afternoon cabinet yesterday as the street rail- and fled from the scene of the accident when he saw the police patrol "I still submit that \$900,000 would approaching to take Miss Lydeil to be a fair and reasonable price," the the hospital, was found on the evenmayor stated. "I am basing that ing of the shooting. For a time figure on the Bunnell report submitted great anxiety was held for him. by Sir Adam Beck's own engineers When his grandmother told him dibut then there has also been certain purpose. He intimated that he was wept, and said he did not shoot on depreciation of its rolling stock. I going to the river to commit suicide, would not favor submitting any Instead he sought refuge with his uncle, Frank Fanson, but his grandmother or mother have not se

According to Frank Fanson the boy sulting the police he turned him over HOPES TO FINISH CONCRETE to another uncle who works on a farm between Thamesford and Ingersoll. The lad is now staying with his uncle, but is in a nervous condi-tion. His relatives feel it would be better to keep him there for some

Miss Lydell's authorities said this morning, was unchanged. She lies in Victoria Hospital with more than 71 shot wounds in her hip, and physicians

SNOW AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—The capital's first touch of winter came last night and this morning a thin white mantle is in evidence with prospects of further snow flurries.

Ladies' Bamboo (fawn)

This season's newest "cut

out style," made with one wide strap and two but-

tons, self covered Spanish

Ladies' Gray Suede

Strap Slippers,

\$4.98

Pretty lattice work style,

with one neat narrow

strap, that fits neatly

under the tongue, self

covered Spanish, Cuban or

low flat heels. \$4.98

\$4.98

Cuban heels.

All sizes ....

Suede Strap Slippers

## **ASHPLANT'S ALTERATION** SHOE SALE



## LADIES' FALL **OXFORDS**

At a saving of \$1.00 to \$2.00 on a single pair

Ladies' Black Gunmetal Calfskin or Kid Oxfords, Round or Medium Recede Toe styles, flexible leather soles, military or low flat heels ... \$2.98

Ladies' Fine Black Kid (EE. width) Oxfords, Plain Toe Style, Military Heels with Rubber Top Lifts, \$3.49 sizes 3 to 8 ......

Ladies' Brown Calfskin Oxfords, neatly perforated vamp and stitching, solid oak tanned leather soles, low broad heels. All sizes .....

Ladies' Black Calfskin Brogue Oxfords.

this season's most popular style, neatly perforated vamps, solid leather soles and heels. All sizes ..... Ladies' Brown Calfskin Brogue Oxfords

(made to withstand wet fall and winter weather) heavy Goodyear welted oak tanned leather soles and heels. All sizes ..... Growing Girls' Patent Colt and Black

Kid Oxfords, medium recede shape toe

style, leather soles, low broad \$2.98 heels. Sizes 3 to 7 ...... LADIES' EE WIDTH



BLACK HI-BOOTS

Comfort from the start, they need no breaking in. Ladies' fine black, EE width Hi-boots, made with flexible leather soles, military heels. Sizes 3 to 8 \$3.49

## of which you may save from \$1 to \$3 on MAIL ORDERS WILL RECEIVE CAREFUL ATTENTION. MISSES' AND

In this space we have tried to give you a

fair idea of the Wonderful Values in

Footwear for this week-end-Below are

represented only a few of the many lines

**CHILDREN'S SHOES** Misses' Brown Calfskin or Black Kid Hi-Boots,

Misses' Extra Quality Brown Calfskin Hi-Boots, "newest Brogue style," neatly perforated vamp and stitching, leather soles, low broad heels. 210

Sizes 11 to 2 ..... Children's fine black or brown kid lace Hi-Shoes, made with round toes, leather soles and heels. Sizes 8 to 10½ .....

Infants' soft Black Kid lace shoes, neatly trimmed with black patent, fiexible leather soles, spring heels. 21 10 Sizes 2 to 7½ ...... 31.49
Babies' Patent Trimmed, Black Kid, Lace Boots, hand turned leather soles, spring heels. Sizes 2 to 5 ......

### **BOYS' SCHOOL** SHOES Real Shoes For Hustling Boys

Made with uppers of good quality Brown Calfskin, (blucher cut style), long wearing leather soles and heels. All sizes, 1 to 51/2 ..... \$2.69

medium recede shape toes, solid leather soles,

### GREAT VALUES! MEN'S SHOES.

Men's Brown or Black Calfskin Dress Shoes, medium recede toe style, leather soles and \$3.98 heels. All sizes....

Young Men's new French style Black Calfskin Hi-Boots, Goodyear welted soles, rub-ber heels. All sizes \$4.98

Men's Black Urus Calfskin Prospector Boots, made with two straps and buckles at top, heavy leather soles and heels. \$4.98

Men's Work Shoes (Greb make) plain toe style, bellows tongues. oak tanned leather soles and heels, solid throughout ..... \$3.98

