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## A Record of Half a Century

Stands behind our actions of to-day. Fifty years buying experience has taught us just exactly when to buy cheapest and best. The fluctuations of the market do not affect us as others, because long experience has taught us to protect ourselves and our customers against these sudden advances. That's the reason why we can sell you cottons just about as low as you could buy them a year ago. Shirtings, Cottonades, etc., we sell you at the old price. Sheetings and Pillow Cases have advanced just a cent or two a yard on old prices. Flannelettes and Tickings are still at the old prices. In a word, to-day we are in a position to sell you staples cheaper than almost any house in Western Ontario.

### Dress Goods

To be well dressed should be the aim of every lady. You can be well dressed from this store at very little expense at considerable expense, just as you wish. Here are some items taken from some recent arrivals in dress goods:—  
42 in. wide, heavy wale cheviot serge, in brown and green mixtures, very special at per yd. 50c  
54 in. wide, heavy Canadian dress fringes, in brown, grey, brown and green, our special price is..... 50c  
46 in. wide, good weight, twilled cloth, with rough effects, a good wearing cloth, and of good appearance all shades..... 25c  
54 in. wide, best quality Canadian fringes, in gray and all popular shades special at per yd. \$1.00  
46 in. wide, heavy wale cheviot, in plain reds, browns and navy, also in mixed shades of grays, fawns, browns and greens, special at..... 75c  
56 in. wide, heavy camel's hair suiting, special for separate skirts and tailor made suits, very suitable shade, extra value at..... \$1.50

### Furs

We're fur traders. We have been fur traders for forty-eight years. Ought to know a little about it? We do, we know just exactly where to buy the best furs. We have tried all the manufacturers and we know who are the best. It is the best we keep. We invite your inspection of them. Sable ruffs, full length A. 1 fur quality, trimmed with tails, very special at..... \$10.00  
Electric Seal Capes, trimmed with sable tails, long tabs, special at..... \$12.00  
Alaska sable and Persian lamb capes, best quality fur, beautifully made and lined, extra long front, very special at..... \$55.00  
Astrakhan jackets, in all sizes 32 in. bust to 46 in., in lengths 24 in., 28 in., 30 in. and 36 in., very special at \$35.00, \$40.00 and..... \$45.00

### Carpets

Quality comes first, then design and coloring, then promptness in executing your orders. In all three we excel. We buy our carpets from the best makers in Canada and England; long experience has taught us which colorings and designs best suit our customers. We keep two very capable men in our Carpet Department to look after your orders.

Velvets — Brussels — Tapestries — Wools — Unions — Rempes

### Curtains and Window Shades

We manufacture Window Shades, any size, any color. We would be glad at any time to send our man out to measure your windows and give you an estimate of the cost. Our prices are rock bottom.

3 1/2 yds. long, dado at each end with heavy fringe, Chenille Curtains, special at a pair..... \$3.50  
3 1/2 yds. long, Tapestry Curtains, in excellent designs and colors, special at a pair..... \$3.00  
3 1/2 and 3 yds. long, Nottingham Lace Curtains, pretty, new, lace designs, very special values at \$1.00, \$1.50 and..... \$2.00

### Jackets

The best Jackets are here, best styles, best made, and prices just right.  
Curl Cloth Jackets, cloth strapped seams, lined with striped satin, very special at..... \$5.00  
Best quality Kersey or Oth Jacket, lined with best black satin, correct style, very special at..... \$15.00  
Black and fawn Kersey Jacket, correct length, lined with near silk, very special at..... \$8.00  
Black Matalass Cloth Circular Capes, lined throughout with fur, 38 to 34 in. long, very special..... \$20.00

THOMAS STONE & SON, IMPORTERS

Second

\$1.87

Hat Sale

To-morrow balance of late shipment of Barrington \$2.50 guaranteed Hats for

**\$1.87 each**

All colors, limited quantity of Blacks.

Also special line of \$1.25 and \$1.50 Fedora Hats for 99c each.

THE 2 T'S

## =Dinnerware=

In all that the name implies. A number of good choice Dinner Sets in a variety of colors and shapes composed of pieces from 97 to 127. These goods are IMPORTED from the best English makers, and comprise some very excellent sets, which are only to be seen to be appreciated. The prices are

\$6.50, \$8.50, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00, \$35.00

1 only HAVILAND CHINA DINNER SET, 112 pieces, something new, beautifully decorated \$50

Our line of CHINA TEA SETS is very complete—prices are

\$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$7.00, \$8.50, \$14.00

1 only, 40 pc. Tea Set, Ainsley's best goods..... \$20.00  
1 only, 42 pc. Tea Set, Haviland China..... \$12.00

### New Toilet Sets

8 pieces, new shapes, blue, pink, green, and pencil colors, for..... \$2.50  
New 10 piece Sets in fancy colors and stipped edges..... \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00

Our new LAMPS and CHINAWARE for Fall and Xmas trade are now on exhibition. Call and see the newest and latest styles in Lamps, Crockery and Chinaware. H. MACAULAY.

"THE ARK" 89 King Street

Open Evenings

## CHINA MUST PAY.

United States Will Ask a Moderate Handful of Chinese Bonds.

Germany Will Demand a Few Millions for the Slaughter of Baron von Kotteler.

New York, Nov. 2.—Comprehensive instructions bearing on the indemnity this government will demand of China have gone to Minister Conger, says a Washington special to the Herald. Administration officials decline to discuss their character, but the demands this government will submit will be moderate. They will comprise restitution for injuries suffered by Americans, and damage to their property and reimbursement of expenses incurred in sending the expedition to China. It cannot be learned that this government has determined on the exact amount to be demanded, but whatever it is it will probably be accepted in Chinese bonds, which are to be taken up by China in installments. It is likely that Germany will file a claim of several millions for the death of Baron von Kotteler. So far as the indemnification of the state department goes, satisfactory progress is being made by the ministers in reaching agreements as to the demands to be submitted to China.

Minard's Liniment is used by Physicians.

## CONSERVATIVES WIN.

### Winnipeg Centre Reverses a Liberal Majority Given in the Provincial Election—Political Notes.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 2. — The by-election in Centre Wellington to fill the vacancy in the Provincial Legislature caused by the resignation of Col. D. H. McMillan (Liberal) to accept the Lieutenant-Governorship of the Province, took place yesterday, and resulted in the election of ex-Mayor Thos. W. Taylor, the Conservative candidate, thus increasing the Government's majority in the Legislature by two.

The total vote was 2,080, of which number Mr. Taylor secured 1,118, giving him a majority of 158 over Mr. Muir (Liberal). Two ballots were spoiled.

In the last election in this district, between D. H. McMillan (Liberal), and A. J. Andrews (Conservative), McMillan got a majority of 115 over Andrews. The total vote polled then was 2,613.

#### CLAIM NIPPISSING.

It is claimed that the returning officer in Nipissing had no legal power to postpone this election. The Conservatives attended at the sheriff's office, but that official hid, leaving word he was out of town. They then deposited \$200 and their nomination paper with the deputy. This was the only nomination made and they claimed the seat by proclamation. Sheriff Varin postponed the election because he claimed he had no list of the voters in the unorganized district. The whole matter is one of law and an application will be made for a mandamus to compel the sheriff to declare Mr. Klock elected. Klock's majority last election was over 900, and the whole thing is looked upon as a scheme to beat him out of the seat.

#### IS COSTIGAN ELECTED?

Toronto, Nov. 2.—A report was received here that Hon. John Costigan has been elected by brigitation in Victoria, N.B. The report is somewhat of a surprise, as it was expected that he would be opposed by Mr. Richards, the Conservative nominee, and that the fight would be a warm one. However, if the report is true, Mr. Costigan's popularity in the constituency, combined with the fact that he had a majority of 546 at the last election and a very large number of Liberal, probably influenced the Conservatives to withdraw their opposition. Mr. Costigan was a former Conservative minister but changed his allegiance to the Laurier Government in 1896.

#### AT GLENWOOD

Mr. Estabrook was the chairman at last night's Liberal meeting at Glenwood, Tlbury Tp. It was well attended and the speakers were given an attentive hearing. A feature of the gathering was a liberal attendance of the ladies.

Arthur Lamarch was the first speaker. He contrasted the policies of the two governments.

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## School Shoes



For Boys and Girls are a Specialty with us. Good Shoes Cost Less than poor ones

OUR LITTLE GENTS' LACE SHOES, made of 1st quality Box Calf, good heavy soles, toe caps and heels, made as above cut, this shoe tickles the little man and gives splendid wear..... \$1.25

GEO. W. COWAN

Chatham.

## Thibodeau-Jacques

### TO-MORROW GREAT TEMPTATIONS.

Will be offered in our Millinery Department.

A large assortment of Outing Hats Sailors Turbans and Untrimmed Hats

in all the newest shapes—bought at less than half price. Your choice to-morrow for

69c

## Thibodeau-Jacques

### TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned marked tender until noon the 3rd of November, for the several works required for an addition to the Standard Bank of Canada at Chatham, the work to be completed within two months. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of architect.

THE LOWEST OR ANY TENDER NOT NECESSARILY ACCEPTED.  
T. J. RUTLEY, Archt.

SLUMP IN HOGS.  
John Duff said this morning that the slump in the price of live hogs during the past two weeks was the quickest and most unexpected that he had ever experienced during the years he has been in the business. He was looking for the price of live hogs to go to \$6 a cwt. and it went to \$4. Many of the cattle drovers had their pockets touched in the slump, but the Chatham buyers got off for the most part lightly.

Lost, Oct. 25th, between Erie & Huron crossing and Creek Road, a small parcel containing silk. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving at the Planet office, 322w.

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