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Saturday Night Shopping

Our Saturday night bargain lists are becoming more interesting as time goes by. Everybody is beginning to realize that many things are sold here at considerably less than regular prices, and this together with the fact that everything that leaves this store is "GOOD" makes our special lists exceptionally interesting.

Men's Shirts

Men's soft bosom striped gingham outing shirts, all sizes 14½ to 16 inch, reg. price \$1, to-night special for..... 63c
Men's white dress shirts, open in back, pure linen bosoms, reg. price 75c each, to-night very special at..... 48c
Men's Flannellette Shirts, with collar attached, special to-night..... 17c

Silks

10 pcs striped Japan wash Silks, reg. value 40c and 45c a yard, to-night special at..... 20c
10 pcs Japan wash Silks, in stripes and checks, regular value 50c a yard, to-night for..... 30c

Allover Laces

2 pcs allover insertion, for yokes, worth reg. 85c and 90c a yard, very special to-night for..... 48c

Buckles

35c and 40c belt buckles, on sale to-night for..... 22c

Ladies' Ties

Ladies' white net ties, with neat lacy borders, very dressy, reg. price 25c each, to-night for..... 15c

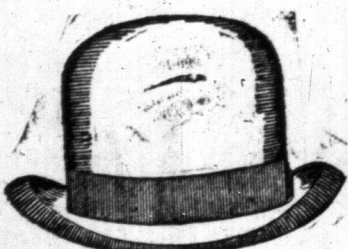
Men's Sox

Men's brown cotton socks, regular value 10c a pair, to-night special at..... 4 pc. for 25c

Boys' Suspenders

Boys' suspenders, very special to-night for per pair..... 9c

Thomas Stone & Son Direct Importers
78 and 80 King St.



The Barrington Special \$2.50

FULL VALUE, STYLE AND QUALITY GUARANTEED

We do not expect this advertisement to bring you straight to our store, but by telling you something now and then of our business, we hope to give you a fair idea of our lines so you can make up your mind whether on the whole this is the place at which you should deal. We sell hats in all the latest English and American styles.

...The Barrington at \$2.50...

IS THE BEST ON EARTH FOR THE MONEY.

A new line of Fancy Cambric Shirts in to-day. See them in the window. \$1.00 each. Latest patterns and fit guaranteed.

...SIZES FROM 14 TO 18½...

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"THE BUSY STORE"

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.

For To-Night and Monday

LADIES' FELT HATS
Latest Autumn Styles, special at \$1.00
\$1.25, \$1.50 and..... \$2.25

Here's a list of money-saving bargains that should interest every cash buyer in and around Chatham. In many cases the prices are cut in halves. If you wish to economize, don't spend one cent in Dry Goods until you see the goods these prices represent. Come to-night if possible, if not come Monday.

10 doz. Ladies' Vests, soft elastic finish, sleeveless, finished yokes, special each..... 40c
35 doz. Ladies' Vests, half sleeves, long sleeves, or sleeveless, elastic weave, finished yokes, special, at each 7c, 10c, 12½c and..... 15c
10 pcs. New Plaid Ribbon, 1 in. to 2 in. wide, fine silk quality, worth regular 10c to 12½c yd., special per yd..... 8c
Plaid Ribbons, 2½ in. to 4 in. wide, assorted patterns, special per yd..... 15c
Yacht Sets, 4 doz. ladies' sets, including cuff buttons, collar buttons, and waist pins, range styles in pearls, silver and gilt, with assorted settings, worth regular 25c set, special to-night..... 15c
7 doz. Boys' Heavy Rib Hose, firm, elastic rib, double spliced soles, seamless, regular 25c pair, sizes 9, 11 and 13 in., special to-night..... 19c
Ladies' Black Net Ties, 54 in. long, fine quality, 3 row silk Val. lace on ends, special, each..... 25c

3 doz. Ladies' Shirt Waists, assorted styles and colors, worth regular at 75c to 90c each, to-night..... 48c
4 doz. Shirt Waists, including all our finest white lawn waists with insertion fronts, fine percales and colored muslin waists, worth regular \$1.25, \$1.40 and \$1.50, special to-night..... 83c
Colored and White Parasols, worth up to \$1.50 each, to-night..... 95c
Colored Parasols, worth up to \$2.00, to-night..... \$1.25
Colored Parasols, worth up to \$3.00, to-night..... \$1.98
Colored Parasols, worth up to \$5.00, to-night..... \$2.68
Colored Muslins and Dimities, that were 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c yd., to-night per yd..... 10c
Silk Striped Gremelines, new styles in assorted colors that were 50c yd., to-night..... 35c
MILLINERY—13 only beautiful Trimmed Hats, worth regular \$6.00 to \$8.00 each, to-night..... \$2.98

40c Sailor Hats to-night..... 19c
50c Straw Sailors to-night..... 23c
90c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Straw Sailors to-night..... 47c
FOR MEN AND BOYS.
5 doz. Boys' Gingham Scotch Caps, in fine cloth or silk tartan, leather or silk binding, special at 50c, 40c, 35c and..... 25c
10 only. Men's Tan O'Shaners, fine Scotch manufacture, each to-night \$1.00
2 doz. White Washing Tams, assorted styles, regular 40c each, to-night..... 25c
4 doz. Boys' Straw Hats, fine braid, regular 25c each, to-night..... 15c
Men's Straw Hats, regular 25c and 35c, to-night..... 20c
Men's Fine Straw Hats, regular 40c and 50c, to-night..... 27c
Men's Fine Double Thread Balbriggan Underwear, French yokes, satin facing, regular \$1.00 suit, to-night..... 69c
Boys' Waist Suits (see window) clearing at each 75c, 90c, 98c, \$1.19 and..... \$1.50

JOHN NORTHWAY & CO.

CASH ONLY
AND ONE PRICE

STEYN SUICIDES.

That is the Latest Report From Lorenzo Marquez.

Lord Methuen has Overhauled and Checked General Dewet in His Flight.

London, Aug. 11.—It is persistently rumored in Lorenzo Marquez, according to a despatch to the Daily Telegraph, dated yesterday, that Mr. Steyn has committed suicide. A Pretoria despatch says:—It is said that Lord Methuen has arrested General De Wet's march.

All of the Boers in the field credit a rumor circulated by their leaders that Lord Roberts is dying. Lord Roberts, however, is now in excellent health, is displaying wonderful energy and rides long distances daily.

According to the Lorenzo Marquez correspondent of the Daily Express, President Kruger, in the course of an interview last Wednesday, said that the report that he intended to surrender was without foundation. He declared that the war would last a long time yet.

"A Boer bulletin," continues the correspondent, "announces a big battle between Lydenburg and Middelburg, in which the British had 500 killed and wounded. It also announces the recapture by the burghers of Heilbron, Devilliersdorp and Frankfort." Boer reports via Lorenzo Marquez lately have proved worthy of little credence.

The Pretoria plot is the theme of many editorials this morning. All the papers carry the idea of treating the Boers too leniently. "Examples, and stern examples," says the Daily Mail, "are necessary." Although we may not agree with Sheridan's fierce maxim, that nothing should be left an enemy but eyes to weep with, yet this was the conclusion of a not inhuman officer, who thoroughly understood war.

THIS IS OFFICIAL.

Mr. Holmes Receives Formal Announcement of His Appointment.

As Court Clerk of the County of Kent—He is Being Generally Congratulated.

Upon the return of James Holmes from his summer cottage at Erie Beach this morning he found the following welcome communication from the provincial secretary's department awaiting him:

Toronto, August 9th, 1900.
James Holmes, Esq., Chatham, Ont.
Sir,—I am commanded by his honor the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council to inform you that he has been pleased to appoint you to be clerk of the county court of the county of Kent, and, ex-officio, deputy clerk of the crown for the said county.

The security required of you is, your self in the sum of \$1,000 and two sureties each in the sum of \$500.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,
J. B. McLAULAN.

For the Assistant Secretary.

Mr. Holmes had previously received a private communication from the premier, informing him that he had been appointed to the office.

The fortunate recipient of this very remunerative situation is now receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends, who rejoice in his selection for the important post.

DIED IN HER BATH.

Kingston, Ont., Aug. 10.—Miss Mary Betts, Calderwood, while taking her bath, fainted, and before her nurse reached her she was beyond recovery, having been suffocated in the water. She was a sister-in-law of Ald. J. B. Walkem.

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MYSTERIOUS POISONING.

Death of a Toronto Storekeeper Under Suspicious Circumstances.

Toronto, Aug. 11.—Morris Goldstein, whose death was reported to the police yesterday as having occurred from paralysis of the heart, turns out to have been poisoned, but under what circumstances is as yet a mystery. Goldstein lived at 88 Queen street west, where he carried on a second-hand store in conjunction with Mrs. Fanny Helper. The latter is a married woman, but her husband is said to be undergoing a sentence of 20 years' imprisonment in Siberia. Dr. Elliott was called in after Goldstein had died and was at first inclined to the belief that death was due to heart disease. On making a closer examination, however, he found that the man's tongue was white and blistered. An inquest has been ordered. About two weeks ago, Goldstein assaulted County Constable Boyd, who went out with a "baliff" to make a seizure. Boyd was badly cut about the face, and his assailant was on remand awaiting a hearing of the charge of assault.

BRITISH LYDDITE

Was too Much for John Chinaman's Nerves.

He said the Foreign Devils were Pouring Poison into Him and He Skipped.

London, Saturday, Aug. 11, 4.10 a. m.—The morning papers express satisfaction at the latest developments in China. The average comment is that China is now genuinely suing for peace through Li Hung Chang.

THE TAKING OF YANG TSUN.

Despatches give further details of the taking of Yang Tsun. According to the Daily Mail's correspondent, the attack was led by the British and Americans. The Chinese position consisted of seven lines of entrenchments. Enemy fell back from one to another, until driven from the last line, they fled toward Peking, completely demoralized. The Chinese say they retreated because the British "poured poison" into their troops. This refers to the lyddite shells, which the Chinese experienced for the first time. The correspondent avers that the British casualties were 200 and the Americans 250, but this latter estimate is four times greater than that of Gen. Chaffee's report.

THROUGH A BRIDGE

Nova Scotia Train Dashes Down Sixty Feet.

The Engineer Killed and Several Other Persons Badly Injured.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 11.—A horrible railway accident occurred near St. John yesterday afternoon. Following are the only particulars at hand:

The St. John's Central train leaving Chipman at 6.30 a. m. yesterday fell through Largent's bridge, ten miles north of St. John, King's county. The train fell sixty feet. Driver Duncan was killed; Fireman Morrison and Brakeman Campbell were seriously injured. Conductor Ryan was badly hurt. Mrs. T. V. Heathington, a passenger, was badly hurt.

The accident was due to the defective condition of the bridge.

SHOT BY THE BOERS.

The Englishman Who Blew up Magdalen Bridge.

Cape Town, August 11.—The Lorenzo Marquez correspondent of the Cape Argus, telegraphs that the Englishman, Cooper, who was convicted at Makhadopol of blowing up the Magdalen bridge, on the Delagoa Railway, and condemned to death by court-martial, was duly shot. He refused to disclose his accomplices unless the Boers would agree to spare his life, a condition which was refused.

JAPS AND CHINKS.

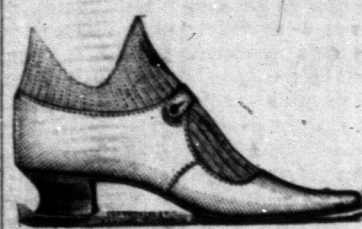
British Columbia Very Anxious to Exclude Both the Races.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 11.—In the Legislature last night, Ralph Smith's compulsory, arbitrary resolution was withdrawn on the promise of the Government that a bill will be brought down next session. Tatlow's straight Conservative anti-Chinese resolution, which contained severe strictures on the Laurier administration, was voted down by the Government, a more conciliatory amendment being accepted. An instruction to the executive council was passed advocating a clause in all government works prohibiting the employment of all persons unable to read European languages. This measure is aimed at Chinese and Japanese cheap labor.

SUICIDE BY DROWNING.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—A man named Thomas Sedgwick, of Queen street east, is reported to have jumped into the lake at the foot of Leslie street this morning and drowned himself. Three men are said to have witnessed the occurrence, but up to the present hour the report has not been verified. Constable Williams, however, has been detailed to search for the body of the supposed suicide.

August 8th, 1900.



Our Cool Shoes

Are serviceable as well as attractive

Ladies' Tan Oxfords from 65c to \$1.50.—Not too late to buy them. The right time to close out cool summer shoes at cut prices. Price of these shoes was from \$1 to \$2.50.

Children's Summer Shoes

In this class we have the nicest line we have ever shown in fine vice black kid, or in a pretty tan shade, made up in either Oxford Lace, Instep Strap or Ankle Strap, as well as in Button or lace. These are on the new, comfortable, sensible shaped lasts. They fit without a wrinkle—and price is no more than the hot, squeaky kind.

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Pudding Pans, 10c to 30c.
Pie Plates, 8c, 10c, 12c.
Jelly Cake Pans, 10c, 12c, 15c.
Large Drinking Cups, 5c each.
Teapots and Coffee Pots, 25c each.
Wash Bowls, 20c, 25c, 30c.
Dish Pans, 55c, 65c, 85c.
Slop Pails, \$1.00 and \$1.75.
Jugs, 30c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.
Chambers, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c.
Cuspidors, 45c and 60c.
Water Pails, 65c, 75c and \$1.00.

"The Ark"