

Buns

now on display floor.

OVES.
ringwood gloves in black,
and beaver, regular 25c
and 25c for 15c

ERCHIEFS.
underchiefs plain hem stitch-
er, made of fine quality
and embroidered edge, very
25c
10c
and 25c for 15c

OSE.
black cashmere hose, plain
hemmed, sizes 8, 9, 10, reg-
ular 35c
and 35c for 25c

BAGS.
Interesting prices in Ladies'
all Handbags, large and
small, special prices and Extra
bags—
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ONS.
to 7 inches wide in all
per yard, special at 15c
bous, all colors, worth 12c,
10c

he named the little toy
in his room and truthful eyes
came a look of glad surprise
like his trustful, childish joy.

he lipped his evening prayer
and the boom with heavy grace,
nodding to the chimney place,
g his little stocking there,
his lengthening shadows creep
the white winged angels come
music to our humble home—
my darling as he slept.

have heard that baby prayer,
the moon, with glowing face,
nodded to the chimney place
and the little treasure there,
ne again one Christmas morn-
ing host so fair and white,
ngling all the Christmas night,
d my darling from my side.

ck a little toy.
lack of golden hair,
ristmas music on the air,
for my baby boy,
in that angel train
idea head come back for me
me to eternity
ing will not be in vain.

Youmans, one of the best-
tizens of St. Thomas, pro-
religious, fraternal and in-
activities, died somewhat
at his home, aged 72.

Bedell is charged with
later by a coroner's jury
on, in that while driving
his rig collided with an
Thos. Reid was fatally

J. Fox of Drayton, was
assured of Wellington coun-

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assant place to stay.

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brother, something
for the small mem-
icle or articles you
ly have a MERRY

IR'S

Come Here for Your Christmas Gifts

An inspection of Our Christmas display through-out the entire store, will prove of benefit to you whether you buy or not. It will at least show you that nowhere are better values found than here.

Come here for your Christmas goods where the newest styles are always shown first.

LADIES' LONG KIMONOS.

Ladies' and Misses' long Kimonos made of fine quality Eiderdown and heavy Kimono Cloth, with and without the collar, made up very fancy with colored satin trimming and heavy robe girdle. This will make a handsome Xmas gift, at each \$3.90, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$8.00

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Ladies' Hand Bags for Xmas gifts, in fancy headed and leather, a big range to pick from, they make very useful as well as ornamental gifts, at each 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 up to \$10.00

CHRISTMAS HANDKERCHIEFS.

More new Christmas Handkerchiefs: our stock is well assorted now, which will make buying easy. If you have not got your supply see that you will get some of our special lines. Prices range from \$1.00 up to \$1.50

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Fancy Linen Huck Towels, hemstitched, scalloped and embroidered, nice large size, extra fine value, at each 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

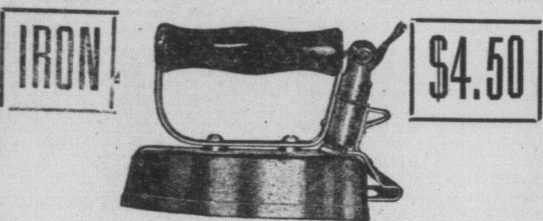
SILK HOSE.

Ladies' and Misses' Silk Hose, double elastic top, fine quality silk, in white and cream only. Regular 85c, special at 50c

FANCY PILLOW SLIPS.

One pair of Linen Pillow Slips will make a useful Xmas gift, they are scalloped and hemstitched, beautiful embroidered and only cost \$2.50 and \$2.75

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REBELS ARE DEFEATED

They Are Driven From Tampico With 800 Men Killed.

Fierce Battle Ends In Repulse of Constitutional Forces, Who Withdraw Taking Locomotives and Cars From Railway Yards—Relief of City Is Only Temporary and a Stronger Force Is Expected.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—The rebels have failed in their attack on Tampico and have withdrawn some distance from the city.

Unofficial messages reaching here yesterday fully corroborate the War Office report of the rebel defeat Saturday as a result of a heavy and sustained bombardment by two federal gunboats and federal field artillery. They do not, however, bear out the idea of a rout.

Holding possession of the railroad yards throughout the battle, the rebels, when they were driven off, remained sufficiently cool in the face of the furious fire, to take away with them every locomotive and most of the rolling stock.

According to the federal report eight hundred rebels were killed before they could get out of range, and this would mean many other hundreds wounded and probably left behind.

It is regarded here as probable that the relief of Tampico is only temporary, and that before many days the rebels will resume the attack in greater numbers, although the three days' battle has materially cut down their supply of ammunition. This may delay operations for a time.

Reports reaching here do not indicate that the property loss as a result of the fighting has been large. Shrapnel from the rebel guns burst over the outskirts of the town and stray shots killed and wounded civilians. Bodies could be seen hanging from telegraph poles. The situation became so dangerous to non-combatants that U. S. Rear Admiral Fletcher decided to send the foreign refugees to the battleship lying off La Barra, five miles from the fighting.

Poincare May Visit U. S.
PARIS, Dec. 15.—President Raymond Poincare has talked unofficially with Jean Jules Jusserand, French ambassador to the United States, Byron T. Herrick, U. S. Ambassador to France, and others of the possibility of his paying a visit to the United States during his term of office.

The suggestion was first made to him privately by a friend who enquired whether the President's visits to other countries ought not to include one to the United States, pointing out that the relations between the two countries always had been so agreeable, and that the United States was the sole other republic among all the great powers.

Promoting Good Will.
LONDON, Dec. 15.—The American ambassador and Mrs. Walter H. Page were the guests of the London District Institute of Journalists at the annual dinner of that organization Saturday night. A telegram was sent to the King, mentioning the fact that Ambassador and Mrs. Page were the chief guests and trusting that the work of the institute was promoting the friendship of nations and would receive His Majesty's recognition.

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SEALED IN CAR.

Police Constables Make Capture By a Sharp Ruse.

PERTH, Dec. 15.—William Wilson of Lavant and Joe Hart of Brockville, who were arrested in Ottawa by Chief Griffith of this town and Chief Phillips of Smith's Falls on a charge of stealing a team of horses and a buggy from D. B. Lloyd of Gananoque, were committed by the magistrate in Gananoque Saturday to stand trial at Brockville.

The prisoners, according to the evidence, rented a team last Tuesday to drive to Seely's Bay. At the Narrows Locks they exchanged the buggy for a cutter and \$8. On Wednesday they tried to sell the horses in Burgess township and stopped in Smith's Falls, where he learned that the prisoners had tried to sell the horses. Chief Phillips of Smith's Falls was also working on the case.

The two chiefs learned that the prisoners were shipping a horse and cutter by freight to Ottawa, and had gone ahead by express. The chiefs got the Smith's Falls freight agent to seal them in the car with the stolen horse and cutter and captured the prisoners at Ottawa when the latter claimed the property, after having paid freight charges. It took a day or so for each of the lawful claimants to get his own property back again.

The tomb of the late Admiral Planché at Poulton, France, has been broken into, and a necklace, valued at \$75,000, has been stolen. The necklace was buried with the body of Madame Planché.

INSANE IN PRISON.

Dr. E. H. Young Condemns Treatment of Prisoners.

KINGSTON, Dec. 15.—The treatment of insane convicts in the penitentiary was severely arraigned by Dr. E. H. Young, assistant superintendent of Rockwood Hospital for the Insane, who read his report before the Prison Reform Commission Saturday. Dr. Young was engaged by the commission to make the report. He declared that he found things in a most unsatisfactory condition, a condition that was a disgrace to the country.

Dr. Young testified that there were 80 to 100 insane convicts in the penitentiary and for lack of understanding of mental nursing the guards mistake symptoms of insanity for malingering laziness and surliness. The inmates are kept in the cells, violence in dealing with their charges. A guard, Dr. Young said, informed him that unruly patients were placed in the dungeons. Many of the convicts should have been sent to prison, said the witness.

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Plauen or Swiss Lace Collars in Cream or white at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and up.	Initial Linen Handkerchiefs for men and women 15c, 25c, 50c.	Linen Dogies with deep Irish lace 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.25 and
Ladies New style neckwear and frilling, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.	Ladies Back Combs, side combs, etc., 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 up.	Tea Sets in Embroidered Initial, cloths and napkins per set \$3.50
New York styles in Leather hand bags, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 \$2.50 and up.	Ladies Black Silk Hose 65c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.50 All sizes 8 1/2 to 10.	Linen Table Cloths, Pure Linen, all sizes, \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 and up to
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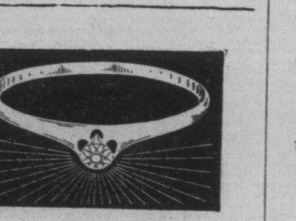
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Main Line—Going East.

5:28 A. M. EXPRESS—Daily for Guelph, Georgetown, Brampton, Toronto.
8:12 A. M. TORONTO EXPRESS—Daily.
10:05 A. M. PASSENGER—Daily except Sunday, for Guelph, Georgetown, Brampton, Toronto and North Bay.
2:22 P. M. PASSENGER—Daily except Sunday, for Guelph, Georgetown, Brampton and Toronto.
5:20 P. M. MAIL—Daily for Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal.
7:42 P. M. PASSENGER—Daily, except Sunday, for Toronto and intermediate stations.

Main Line—Going West.

1:23 A. M.—Daily for Stratford, Port Huron, Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Winnipeg and Western Canada.
9:08 A. M. EXPRESS—Daily, except Sunday, for Stratford, Clinton, Goderich, London, Chatham, Windsor, Detroit and Chicago.
11:22 A. M. MAIL—Daily, for Stratford, Port Huron and Battle Creek.
3:30 P. M. EXPRESS—Daily except Sunday, for Stratford, Clinton, Goderich, London, Chatham, Windsor, Detroit and Chicago.
6:18 P. M.—Daily except Sunday for Stratford, Sarnia and intermediate stations.
9:35 P. M. PASSENGER—Daily except Sunday for Stratford, Clinton, Goderich, London and intermediate stations.

Galt Branch.

9:10 A. M.—Daily except Sunday, for Doon, Blair, Galt, Harrisburg, Brantford and Hamilton.
2:50 P. M.—Daily except Sunday, for Doon, Blair, Galt, Harrisburg, Brantford, Woodstock, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York.
6:35 P. M.—Daily except Sunday for Doon, Blair, Galt.

Elmira Branch.

9:10 A. M.—Daily except Sunday, for Waterloo, St. Jacobs, Elmira.
11:22 A. M.—Daily except Sunday, for Waterloo, Heidelberg, St. Jacobs, Elmira.
2:50 P. M.—Daily except Sunday, for Waterloo.
6:35 P. M.—Daily except Sunday, for Waterloo, Heidelberg, St. Jacobs, Elmira.
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Leave Waterloo.

A. M.—6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:30—and thereafter every ten minutes until P. M.—10:30, 10:40, 11:00, 11:20, 12:00.
A. M.—12:40, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 14:10.
To Station.

Leave Berlin.

A. M.—6:40, 7:00, 7:20 and there after every ten minutes until P. M.—10:30, 10:40, 11:00, 11:40.

SUNDAY CARS.

Main Line.

Leave Waterloo.
A. M.—10:00, 10:40, 11:20.
P. M.—12:00, 12:25, 12:40, 1:20, 1:40, 2:20, 2:40, 3:00, 3:20, 3:40, 4:00, 4:20, 4:40, 5:00, 5:40, 6:00, 6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00, 10:20, 11:00, 12:00.
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