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ASHPLANT'S. ASHPLANT'S. GOOD SLIPPERS ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE

This is the store in which it is easy to buy them. Practically all lines in stock are exhibited on special display racks, with prices attached, making it a simple matter to satisfy your fancy both as to style and as to price. Before purchasing elsewhere, be sure to take a stroll through our store and look them over.

Fine Leather Slippers for men, in brown and black, at **75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50**

Warm Felt Slippers for men, at **50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25**

Slippers for boys that will stand the abuse, **90c, \$1**

Ladies' Felt and Velvet Julietts, fur-trimmed and warmly lined, at **..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50**

Ladies' Imported Felt and Kozy Slippers, in colors, **..... 75c**

Misses' and Small Children's Felt Slippers, at **..... 45c, 50c, 65c, 75c**

Turkish Harem Slippers for women, all colors, **..... 48c**

Glove Kid Boudoir Slippers, silk pompons, all colors, **..... \$1.50**

Patent Pumps for evening wear, **..... \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00**

SPECIAL—Two new lines—Two-Strap Patent Slipper and a Two-Strap Black Suede Slipper, at pair, **..... \$2.25**

COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF HOCKEY BOOTS & SKATES

Ladies' Hockey Boots, wool-lined, **..... \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50**

Boys' Hockey Boots, padded tongues, **..... \$1.50, \$1.75**

Men's Hockey Boots, black or tan, **..... \$2.00, \$2.50**

McPherson's Famous Lightning Hitch Hockeys, for men and women, at **..... \$3.00 and \$2.75**

HUBERT ASHPLANT AND SONS

GIRLS! HAVE BEAUTIFUL LUSTROUS, FLUFFY HAIR---25-CENT DANDERINE

No More Dandruff or Falling Hair—A Real Surprise Awaits You.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine. It is easy and inexpensive to have like soft hair and lots of it. Just get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine. Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance; freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable

gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp. Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower; destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp, and it never fails to stop falling hair at once. If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.

The Safe Cough Syrup For Your Little Ones

That it positively does not contain anything harmful, even to children, is one of the strongest points in favor of the use of

NA-DRU-CO Syrup of Linseed, Licorice and Chlorodyne

In every home in Canada. Your Physician or Druggist can readily make sure it is safe, as we are prepared to send to either, on request, a complete list of the ingredients in this or any other Na-Dru-Co preparation. Na-Dru-Co Syrup of Linseed, Licorice and Chlorodyne is the best all-around remedy for coughs and colds sold in Canada to-day. Your Druggist can supply you with 25c. or 50c. bottles.

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ENTRANCE BOARD WAS WITHIN ITS RIGHTS

Decision To Hold Annual Examination in Keeping With Powers, Says Inspector.

School Inspector C. B. Edwards stated to The Advertiser yesterday that the local entrance board was quite within its rights in turning down the recommendation of the public school principals of the city to have the horrors of the annual high school entrance examinations removed and instead of them, passing the pupils on their records during the year.

Under the regulations of the department of education, the entrance board may, if it so choose, pass the pupils upon their year's work, but it is not compelled to do so. The idea is purely optional, and in London a majority of the board decided to continue the old system of entrance examinations, largely, it is said, on the advice of the principal of the Collegiate Institute.

The plan of promoting pupils to the high school on their year's work was tried out in Ottawa last year, and from all reports was quite successful. It is now being considered in Toronto. Parents generally favor the plan, and many cases may be instanced, where bright pupils, making a splendid showing during the year, were plucked at the entrance examinations on account of their nervousness. The ordeal is dreaded by many pupils, and the days and weeks of worry that lead up to the examinations prevent many scholars, educational authorities say, from doing justice to themselves and their teachers.

Military Lectures

The second of a series of military lectures will be held on Saturday evening next, at 8.15, in the lecture room of the Armories. The lecturer will be Major C. H. Hill, of the Royal Canadian Regiment, and his subject "The British Empire in its Strategic Aspect."

It is hoped that the officers, N. C. O.'s and men of the London Garrison, with their friends, will attend in large numbers.

Attendance is voluntary, and plain clothes will be worn.

CHRISTMAS MAIL RUSH STARTS IN REAL EARNEST

Augmented Staff at Postoffice Will Handle Record-Breaking Volume.

The Christmas mail rush has started in real earnest at the London Postoffice. Every incoming and outgoing train carrying mail that touches local railway stations is bringing in many extra bags.

The postoffice staff has been augmented by eight extra men, and to this number nine more will be added this week-end.

Judging from the amount of mail matter being received at the present time, the postoffice authorities believe that this year's Christmas rush will be one of the largest the men have ever had to distribute.

ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN IN STORE WINDOW

Alligators and Gila Monsters Disport Themselves as Advertising Display.

London at last has a zoological garden, and the same is located in the display window of Gammage's flower shop. The "garden," while not extensive, is interesting for it contains no less than three of those ferocious man-eating animals, Florida alligators, besides two speckled gila monsters. The latter are about a foot in length, and are covered with orange-colored spots, which up to date, like the leopard, they have not succeeded in changing.

The alligator family consists of a mother and a child. The old lady is said to have lived and had her being in this great area of land, water and air, for more than two hundred years, while the pups or kittens, or whatever little alligators are called, are quite old enough to look out for themselves. The little fellows, along with their playmates, the gila monsters, amuse themselves and the crowds that gather, by trying industriously to climb over the sides of the tank in which they are kept, while old Mrs. Alligator dozes peacefully all day long, quite unmindful of the raring crowds, and unlike Mayor C. N. R. Graham, heeding not the plaudits nor the criticisms of the multitude. Mrs. Alligator is between five and six feet long.

At this period of the year, the alligators do not give much trouble except when given their meal of a pound of meat, once every month. Then for three or four days they are positively ferocious, and attempt to eat up everything and everyone in sight.

The exhibit was recently shipped from Florida, and will remain in Gammage's window until after Christmas.

CONVERTING CARS

Street Railway Company Transforming Open Cars into Winter Ones.

C. B. King, manager of the London Street Railway, announced yesterday morning that an effort would be made by his company to convert a number of its summer cars into winter cars.

"At present, we are just experimenting with one to see how such a plan will work, and from present indications, I think the plan will be a success," he said.

As soon as the feasibility of the altered car is determined, it is understood that the remainder will be renovated at once.

ENTERS ACTION

Engineer McEvoy Has Started Suit Against Town of St. Marys.

Special To The Advertiser.—St. Marys, Dec. 19. H. McEvoy, C. E., has entered suit against the town for services rendered the board of works department, as the board of works refused to pay his certified account.

The Collegiate Institute commencement exercises were held in the town hall last evening. The hall was beautifully arranged in Christmas style, with banners, bunting and mottoes. There was a large attendance of the pupils and their parents, and many citizens. The belfry and front of the town hall had an artistically-arranged display of electric lights.

The BIG Furniture Sale Is Still In Full Swing EXPANSION FURNITURE SALE

We are making room for the big alterations to be made on our building. We must give up nearly half our floor space. Everything is marked for a quick clearance. Below we list a few of the many wonderful money-saving items to be found. This is your great opportunity to save money on sensible Christmas gifts.

Music

Cabinets
\$7.00 Cabinets for **\$4.95**
\$8.50 Cabinets for **\$6.00**
\$10.00 Cabinets for **\$7.50**
\$12.00 Cabinets for **\$9.00**
\$13.50 Cabinets for **\$10.00**
\$15.00 Cabinets for **\$11.50**
\$20.00 Cabinets for **\$14.50**
\$25.00 Cabinets for **\$18.50**

Couches

\$7.00 Couch for **\$5.00**
\$9.00 Couch for **\$7.00**
\$12.50 Couch for **\$9.50**
\$15.00 Couch for **\$11.50**
\$18.00 Couch for **\$12.95**
\$22.00 Couch for **\$16.00**
\$30.00 Couch for **\$22.00**
\$50.00 Couch for **\$35.00**

Jardiniere Stands

\$1.50 Jardiniere Stand **\$1.10**
\$2.00 Jardiniere Stand **\$1.50**
\$2.50 Jardiniere Stand **\$1.85**
\$3.00 Jardiniere Stand **\$2.25**
\$4.00 Jardiniere Stand **\$3.00**
\$5.00 Jardiniere Stand **\$3.75**
\$7.00 Jardiniere Stand **\$5.25**

Brass Goods

Jardiniere Pots, Smokers' Sets, Trays, Fern Bowls, Crumb Sets, Candle Sticks, etc., 1-3 off.

China Cabinets

\$15.00 Cabinets **\$11.50**
\$18.00 Cabinets **\$13.50**
\$22.00 Cabinets **\$16.50**
\$28.00 Cabinets **\$21.50**
\$35.00 Cabinets **\$26.00**
\$40.00 Cabinets **\$31.00**
\$50.00 Cabinets **\$38.00**
\$60.00 Cabinets **\$47.00**

Iron Beds

\$3.00 Bed for **\$2.25**
\$3.50 Bed for **\$2.75**
\$4.50 Bed for **\$3.60**
\$6.00 Bed for **\$4.50**
\$7.50 Bed for **\$5.50**
\$10.00 Bed for **\$7.50**
\$12.50 Bed for **\$9.50**
\$15.00 Bed for **\$11.50**

Parlor

Cabinets
\$15.00 Cabinets **\$11.00**
\$20.00 Cabinets **\$14.50**
\$22.00 Cabinets **\$16.00**
\$25.00 Cabinets **\$18.00**
\$30.00 Cabinets **\$22.00**
\$35.00 Cabinets **\$25.00**
\$40.00 Cabinets **\$29.50**
\$50.00 Cabinets **\$38.00**

Davenport Beds

\$28.00 Davenport **\$21.00**
\$35.00 Davenport **\$26.00**
\$45.00 Davenport **\$35.00**
\$50.00 Davenport **\$39.50**
\$65.00 Davenport **\$50.00**
\$75.00 Davenport **\$58.00**

Parlor Suites

\$20.00 Suite **\$15.00**
\$25.00 Suite **\$19.00**
\$30.00 Suite **\$22.00**
\$40.00 Suite **\$31.00**
\$50.00 Suite **\$37.00**
\$75.00 Suite **\$58.00**
\$100.00 Suite **\$79.00**
\$150.00 Suite **\$110.00**

Doll Buggies

AT \$1.25, \$1.95, \$2.95, \$4.50, \$6.50 AND \$9.50 Are Wonderful Values.

Buffets

\$18.00 Buffets **\$13.50**
\$23.00 Buffets **\$17.50**
\$28.00 Buffets **\$22.00**
\$32.00 Buffets **\$24.50**
\$35.00 Buffets **\$27.00**
\$45.00 Buffets **\$36.00**
\$50.00 Buffets **\$38.00**
\$60.00 Buffets **\$45.00**
\$85.00 Buffets **\$62.00**

Chiffoniers

\$12.00 Chiffoniers **\$9.50**
\$15.00 Chiffoniers **\$11.50**
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