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REMARKABLE SPRING SHOWING.

IT IS KEEPING very strictly within the facts to say that the stock of Carpets, Rugs and other Floor Coverings that we are showing for the present season's trade has never been equaled before in our long business history of practically half a century. We never bought in such quantities, never have shown so many beautiful and exclusive designs, and never have so many special purchases come the way of our buyers.

When we put the statement in this plain, matter of fact, but strictly correct way—then, it means that no parallel to such an exhibit has ever before been made in Canada, for it is known that this store carries a stock of Floor Coverings that has always surpassed anything shown in the trade in this country.

It is hardly necessary that we should emphasize any particular line, for everything has been well bought; and, yet, special attention may be directed to the item of 30,000 yards of Axminster and Brussels that appears first on our list. This is an unusual purchase in size and undoubtedly unusual in price. You never saw Brussels or Axminster Carpets, value for value, that can touch these.

Shoppers who have already visited the store are simply amazed at the quantity of Oriental Rugs that we are showing—a purchase of over 1,000 Rugs, comprising the best of Eastern Rugs, and all at very astonishing prices.

Some of the particulars of Carpets and Rugs follow. These goods are found on the First Floor as you enter the store:

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30,000 yards Axminsters and Brussels, bought under exceptional circumstances, including designs for drawing-room, dining-room, library and halls, borders and 5-8, 3-4 and 4-4 stair carpets to match. Price:

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This department is constantly growing, owing to the thorough good workmanship that we do. We will furnish estimates for the laying, filling and polishing, complete.

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These in nice, bright colors, suitable for floor and sofa coverings, in sizes 3x6, 4x7, 6x9, 7.6x10.6, 9x12, at per square yard $1 25

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Cork Carpets, 6 feet wide, in brown, terra cotta and green, with 9 inch Mosaic border, price per square yard, $1 05 and 85c

Printed Linoleum, 6 feet and 12 feet wide, per square yard, 75c, 50c and 40c

Plain Linoleum, 6 feet and 12 feet wide, per square yard, $1 00, 80c and 50c

Cocoa Mattings, in all widths up to 2 yards wide, for churches and front door steps.

Cocoa Mats, in extra heavy quality, all sizes in stock, and special numberings and borders made in a few days to order.

We are constantly sending large quantities of Carpets and Floor Coverings to all parts of Canada. It always pays one who has even a moderate order to give to send here and secure advantage of the great choice and the exceptionally favorable prices. Out-of-town orders have prompt and careful attention always.

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BETTER THAN BESSEMER

An Experiment That May Revolutionize Steel Industry.

St. Paul, Minn., April 22.—An experiment that may revolutionize the iron and steel industry of the country has just been successfully made at the plant of the Valley iron works, in this city. Titanium iron ore, of which there are billions of tons in Northern Minnesota, was smelted in an ordinary cupola and turned out pig iron, which polished up like steel, and which, according to those interested in the experiment, is better than the finest Bessemer steel.

While the hard and soft iron ore mines of St. Louis county have been turning out millions or tons annually for years, farther north there are gigantic beds of iron, which, because of the presence of titanium, making it refractory, have received but little attention, although the existence is generally known. It has been commonly believed that sooner or later it would be necessary to use this, because of the rapid dwindling of the supply of hard ore necessary to bring the soft ores up to Bessemer grade, and before that time a process would be discovered by which this apparently valueless ore could be used.

Frank Johnson, of St. Paul, who claims to have discovered such a process, conducted the demonstration.

ASSORTED TROUBLES

Barr's Colonists Fight High Prices and Prairie Fires.

Saskatoon, N. W. T., April 22.—Rev. Dr. Barr arrived unexpectedly on Saturday. There was no one to meet him and no cheering. He passed through the camp without a welcome. Trouble arose Sunday over the plan of distribution of 18 cars of baggage. Dr. Barr addressed a mass meeting, and wanted permission to sign a blanket release to the railway company, so that the baggage could be distributed more quickly, but though the refusal meant a week's delay the colonists refused to consent. Some are short of money, and are selling their firearms to tide them over.

When the trek will commence is problematical.

Dr. Barr, in a speech on Sunday afternoon threatened that the Mounted Police would fire to kill if the colonists made a raid on the baggage tents. He said that Canadians would not steal baggage, but some of his party would, and had robbed him en route on the steamer.

A prairie fire threatened the camp last night, but a trail stopped its progress.

Men's heads are like oranges. Sometimes there isn't much left when you get a big one peeld.

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A SPRING SHOW AT BRUCEFIELD

Good Price for a Kent County Farm—A Fair at Wallaceburg on April 23.

BRUCE.

Ex-Mayor Henry, of Kincardine, has received eight gold medals, valued at $35 each, to be presented to the brave savers of life on Huron's shore.

The Southampton council has passed a motion recommending the county council to make a grant of $1,000 to the county hospital at Walkerton.

Mr. August Wankel, Port Elgin, delivered twelve head of export cattle to John Coulter the other day, a very fine bunch. Their weight averaged 1,440 pounds. We understand the price paid was 5 cents a pound.

ELGIN.

Mr. Gardner, representative of the Bell Telephone Company, has completed arrangements whereby Springfield will be connected by telephone with Lyons and Avon.

Mr. Angus McLarty, of Southwold, has sold his team of Wildbrino colts, 10 and 20 months old, for $400.

The annual report of the auditors of Crinan cheese factory showed that last year 36,500 pounds of cheese was manufactured from 399,370 pounds of milk, and that the money received for the same amounted to $2,888 71. Average price per pound of cheese, 10.93 cents. The coming season promises to be a prosperous one for those engaged in dairying.

On Wednesday afternoon, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bradley, Buffalo, Miss Mary Florence Bradley was married to Mr. L. Roy Harvey, druggist, of Rodney, Ont.

Mr. Isaiah Albright, an old and highly respected citizen of Rodney, died on Thursday. He was located in Kintyre on the farm for a number of years, but lately lived retired in the village.

At Mr. Peter McGregor's, of Rodney, on Wednesday evening, Mr. Charles Lyons, of Tyrconnel, was married to Miss Kate Palmer, of Eagle.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gilbert, when Miss Orlena Small, of Yarmouth Heights, became the bride of Byron Charlton, of the Township of Malahide. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Graham, of Sparta Methodist Church. Miss Dora Charlton, sister of the groom, assisted the bride, while Mr. Emerson Small attended Mr. Charlton.

ESSEX.

The local assessor says Leamington has a population of 2,626. The total assessment is $744,445.

A number of places in Leamington are under quarantine on account of suspected cases of smallpox, the parties under suspicion having come from Wheatley.

While Charles Pratt, of Walkerville, was on his way to his wedding in Windsor, on Wednesday night, one of the horses drawing the carriage dropped dead. Members of his family were with him, and the whole party were compelled to get out in the drizzling rain with their fine clothes, to wait half an hour for a fresh horse to be supplied.

Mrs. Dorothy Kent passed away on Friday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Marshall, Second and Assumption streets, Windsor. The deceased was 60 years of age and had lived in Walkerville for many years.

HURON.

Mr. Thomas Darwin, of Seaforth, who is now in his 94th year, is able to read all the evidence of the Gamey investigation, as it is reported each day. He does not miss a line of it, and can discuss the whole case as intelligently as most men of 50.

The annual spring show of stallions and bulls, under the auspices of the South Huron Agricultural Society, is advertised to be held at Brucefield on Friday, April 24. Contrary to the usual custom, no judging by the society will take place, and no prizes will be given for stallions, but all animals shown will be awarded $3 in their respective classes, in order to encourage a good showing. In the bull classes, four in number, the prizes will run from $9 to $3; and in Ayrshires, Herefords, Polled Angus and Holsteins, from $6 to $2, according to quality, as adjudged by those appointed for the purpose.

The wedding took place in Walkerton on Wednesday morning of Daniel Ross, an employe of Clarkson Bros., to Miss Sadie Clark, of Walkerton, formerly of Woodstock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Ross, pastor of the Walkerton Methodist Church, at the home of the bride's aunt there. Mr. and Mrs. Ross spent their honeymoon at London. They will make their home in Woodstock.

KENT.

Mr. William Brien last week refused an offer of $9,200 for his 100-acre farm, near Ridgetown.

The second annual spring fair of the Chatham, Dover and Wallaceburg Agricultural Society will be held on the society's grounds, Wallaceburg, on Thursday, April 23.

The Chatham Oil Company have started to drill for oil on the farm of Mr. Leslie English, near Chatham.

Mr. William Pardo, Raleigh, brought in to Blenheim a herd of nine cattle for shipment. The total weight of the nine animals was 12,960 pounds. Two of the cattle alone weighed over 3,300 pounds.

Blenheim Tribune: Mr. Arch. Laird lost sixteen hogs with hog cholera during the past week. On Monday the remainder of his drove—about twenty in number—were killed. It was thought that the cholera was entirely stamped out in this district.

The collector of Raleigh, Martin Drew, has succeeded this year in collecting all the taxes of Raleigh, but about $300. Of this $300, over $200 is available, and will be paid in to the county treasurer the 1st of May, leaving the small balance of something less than $100 uncollectable. This is a record for a township as large as Raleigh.

Mr. Edward Quennell, of Wallaceburg, spent Easter visiting his mother, Mrs. Tewesley at Cooksville, Ont., near Toronto. Mr. Quennell's mother is in the 104th year of her age. Her husband died one year ago, and was in the 99th year of his age.

LAMBTON.

Mr. Thomas Garvey, of the Bank of Toronto, at Sarnia, has been notified of his promotion to a position in the bank's branch at Creemore, Ont.

W. J. McAlpine, secretary of the East Lambton Farmers' Institute, has completed arrangements for their big excursion to be run to Guelph on June 16. Mr. McAlpine states that the institute have also arranged to run a train over the M. C. R. from Courtright through to St. Thomas and over the C. P. R. to Guelph the same day, in addition to the regular trains on the G. T. R.

MIDDLESEX.

The Strathroy Canning Company have contracted for over 200 acres of peas and 200 acres of corn already this season

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Willson, Wardsville, was recently the scene of a pretty wedding, their daughter Rilla being united in marriage to John A. Aitchison, of Wardsville. Miss Bertha Willson, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid; Miss Annie, Aitchison, of Toronto, sister of the groom, acted as maid of honor, and Rev. Mr. Jewitt, of the Methodist Church, Wardsville, was the officiating clergyman. About 70 guests, many of whom were from London, St. Thomas, Windsor and Port Stanley, sat down to the dainty wedding breakfast.

OXFORD.

The horse and cattle fair held at Tilsonburg, at the Imperial Hotel, proved to be very successful, and the stock brought good prices all round.

At Woodstock, Dr. A. H. Montgomery, of Brantford, was married to Miss Edith Leila Peers, of Woodstock. Both bride and groom are graduates of Toronto University.

PERTH.

Stratford school teachers have asked for an increase of 15 per cent on all salaries up to $400, and $10 per cent on all over that amount.

The St. Marys council has started an agitation in favor of legislation requiring that the wheels of vehicles designed to carry loads of one ton or over shall have tires at least five inches wide.

There was a pretty wedding in Trinity Church, Mitchell, on Wednesday evening. Miss Julia Dunsmore, of Mitchell, daughter of Dr. J. M. Dunsmore, of Stratford, and Harry B. Coombe, of Clinton, were the contracting parties.

Mrs. Isabella Stewart, relict of the late Donald Stewart, of South Easthope, died at her residence, Albert street, aged 90 years and 2 months.

WATERLOO.

The cost of erecting the new library building at Waterloo is exceeding the estimated $19,000, and Mayor Eden is negotiating for $4,000 more.

Rev. C. Cook has resigned the charge of the Scotland and Burford Baptist Churches, and accepted a call to the Hespeler Church. He will succeed Rev. Mr. Whyte, who has gone to Toronto to reside.

CANCER

Its Cause and Cure.

The above is the title of a new booklet which we have issued, dealing with cancer in its various forms, and the new method of treatment, which does away with the knife and plaster. It has saved the life of many a cancer sufferer who has taken the trouble to read it carefully, and we will be pleased to send it to any address on receipt of two stamps.

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Corset Covers of fine white nainsook, full Marguerite style, sleeves and neck trimmed with pretty open lace, gathered in with silk ribbon; sizes range from 32 to 38, a very dainty corset cover, extra good value at 45c each. Thursday morning for only 25c

Ladies' Corset Covers of good white cotton, low square yoke of dainty embroidery, tight fitting, nicely stitched and finished. Another great special for Thursday morning at only 25c

White Corset Covers, with low round yoke of fine tucks and torchon insertion, neck trimmed with lace, good quality and splendid value. For Thursday morning at only 25c

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