

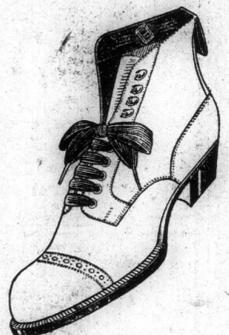
Come in Saturday and See The Great Shoe Exhibit



HUNDREDS of men and women have visited our opening, and expressed themselves astonished at the wonderful extent and variety of our great shoe exhibit. Nothing like it ever before seen in this vicinity.

Literally thousands of pairs of brand new shoes in the handsomest styles ever seen here. We are proud of this fine shoe exhibit, carefully selected to suit the requirements of all. You will find our prices right as well as our styles. And we have plenty sizes and widths and shapes of toe and shapes of heel—a clean, modern, up-to-date stock in every respect.

In inviting you to inspect this fine stock, we want to convince you that this is the **ONE** shoe store in town where you can **ALWAYS** depend on getting the most and best for your money.



We want your **PERMANENT** trade and good-will, and we want it not only this year but **EVERY YEAR**. To get it and keep it we must give **YOU ALL** the value possible—a little more than any other shoe store can give you for the same price. And to do this we have to **PAY** a little more for the shoes we buy, so as to get every penny's worth of honesty and quality that we can. That is why we have taken the agency for the **CELEBRATED SLATER SHOE**, with price plainly stamped on the sole by the makers as a guarantee of full value received.



THESE shoes cost us much more than other shoes retailing for the same price, but we prefer to **GIVE YOU** the benefit of this increased cost and extra **VALUE** in the Slater Shoe.

Your Shoe Store

Make this **YOUR** shoe store. Make it your shoe **Bank**--a place you can depend on to get the **FULL** worth of your money in shoes every time.

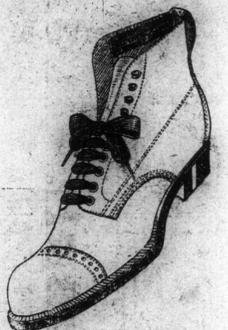
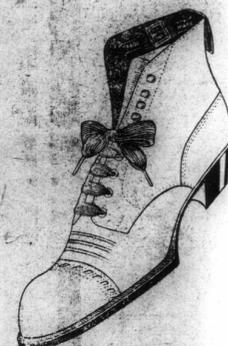
If anything should go wrong with any shoes you ever buy here, we stand ready at all times to make good. We want to **PLEASE** you and to **SATISFY** you, and to give you such good **TREATMENT** and good **VALUE** that you will come back again and again. Isn't that the kind of shoe store you want?

Isn't it the kind of a shoe store at which you can feel safe?

And if we do everything we have outlined here, aren't we fairly entitled to your Shoe trade? Give us a trial, you folks who are looking for good shoes--worth-of-your-money shoes.

We pledge you our word to live up to our platform as long as we are in business amongst you, and to use every means in our power to deserve your trade from year to year.

The Sign of the Slate over a shoe store is the best Guide Post you will ever find for honest shoe values.



THE ROBERTS & VAN-LANE SHOE CO.

Only Address—203 COLBORNE STREET
(Opposite the Market)

SIR CHARLES SPEAKS

Canadian Climate—The Dominion's Own Life.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
NEW YORK, May 10.—The splendid nonagenarian Charles Tupper, arrived Thursday night and yesterday with a representative Daily Chronicle about his Canada and all she is doing she is hoping to do in the Sir Charles is now the son of the thirty-two men who Quebec in 1864 and laid the foundation of the Dominion. He "I have no specific for but one—hard work. I know nothing else. My days have been in training and crossing the Atlantic was the sixty-fourth time he crossed it. The first time England was in 1840. I crossed the Atlantic in a brigantine of We were forty days in St. Johns, N.F., to Lond Ireland.

"Canada's climate is of great advantages. It makes you study the history of you will see that it is milder cold north who have built it. The southern races have gone under. Then you must remember that the United States

RUSSELL POPULAR

Russell Adams, 300 street, one of Brantford out of a canoe near Fort in this city this morning Russell had just taken a house on the Transcontinental and announcement of his of Science examinations scene of the accident was body was recovered. It will be later brought home with heartfelt regret in To Mr. and Mrs. Adams cere sympathy will be their heavy loss.

WILL POPULAR

Proposed Extension Immediately Available

At this time as in no other of the world, speed, efficiency, is what the people will have, if it is at all to get. The average individual is getting just as much time allotted for man to score years and ten, as it to get.

Business houses have been organized in order to do the efficiency and speed. In a house a letter is placed in a file in order that it may be quickly when wanted, just the volume in the modern. During the past ten years of the public libraries throughout the Continent of America tremendous strides. The public library board have behind. The latest achievement this board is the securing of a sum of money from the Erie corporation of New York a much needed extension present public library, the Andrew Carnegie.

The Extension The stack room at the building will be extended as the north and south present building, and extended as far back as the 1890. A Reference Library The board in planning extension to the library had the view of making the public the City of Brantford a library.

The public will be especially fitted in the rearranging of room, which will practice all the standard works library books of reference, item which has been adopted.