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To-night We Will Sell....

Ladies' Belt Buckles, in black metal, steel, gilt and colors, worth 25c to 50c each, very special to-night for

15c

Ladies' White Linen Collars, W. G. & R. make, warranted pure linen, all sizes from 12½ to 15½, in all the popular and correct styles of this season, worth regular 15c each, very special to-night for

8c each

Children's Black Rib Cotton Hose, sizes 5½ to 9 in., regular price 8c to 18c a pair, to-night special for

5c and 8c a pair

Ladies' absolutely fast black Hermsdorf dye Cotton Stockings, best value in the city at 12½c a pair, to-night very special at

3 pair for 25c

Ladies' Fine Lawn White Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, very special to-night at

7 for 25c

Ladies' Fine White Net Ties, with plain and fancy embroidered ends, regular value 25c each, to-night very special at

13c each

One dozen Men's Braces, to-night very special at

8c a pair

Thomas Stone & Son Direct Importers
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HOLIDAY NECKWEAR

GENTLEMEN:

Do you know that in our Neckwear Department can be found all that is new. You can find it here as soon as it appears in New York. We have a standing order with the leading manufacturers to always send us their latest efforts. In our West Window we show to-night the correct lines for Labor Day.

Flowing Ends and Tecks, 50c.
Strings and Bows, 25c—See Window.

THE 2 T'S

Trudell & Tobey

Slater Shoe Agents

The Northway Co., Limited

The Busy Cash Store

The Northway Co., Limited

Preparation for Fall

To-night

3 dozen Ladies' Straw
Sailors, worth up to
\$1.25, to-night..... 15c

A review of the week applies particularly to new goods. Every incoming steamer, almost every train being important to our Fall Stocks and will until the stock sheets round out many thousands of dollars. We're under headway for grand accomplishments. The newness that greets you in every department is but a foretaste of what's to come. This is the only buying organization in this city that sends its own buyers twice each year to Europe. That means new and exclusive styles and best values. TO-NIGHT'S SPECIALS.

Ladies' Hose, rib or plain, good firm quality, fast black dye, regular 12½c (seven doz. in the lot) to-night per pair..... 9c

Ladies' Fine German Hose, real maco cotton, full fashioned, extra spliced seamless soles, Hermsdorf dye, worth 15c pr., to-night..... 15c

New Velvet Ribbons, over 2000 yds., in all wanted widths, plain or satin backs, the prices range from 50c yd. down to..... 3c

New Kid Gloves, bought direct from the makers and includes all the best brands, every pair warranted, special at pair \$1 and..... \$1.25

10 doz. Ladies' Lawn Aprons, pretty styles, embroidery and insertion trimming on bib and shoulder straps, deep hem on bottom, special at 75c, 50c, 40c, 30c and..... 25c

5 doz. Large Huck Towels, heavy firm quality, fringed ends, colored borders, slightly soiled, regular 25c per pair, special to-night each..... 75c

Ladies' Drawers, extra fine cambric, umbrella style, lawn frill, deep val lace and insertion, fine tucks, worth \$1.10, special to-night..... 85c

Ladies' Drawers, fine cambric, cluster tucks and deep swiss embroidery, slightly soiled, reg. \$1, to-night..... 60c

25 pcs. Imported Wrappettes, new patterns, beautiful colorings, fast dyes, special per yd. 8c, 10c, 12½c and..... 15c

350 yds. Dress Serge, firm quality, fall weight, clean crisp finish, pure wool, best dyes, black, navy, cardinal, royal, brown, etc., special per yard..... 35c

200 yds. Pure Crash Toweling, 14 in. wide, firm quality, special per yd..... 5c

6 pcs. English Shaker Flannel, heavy firm quality, fast colors, worth 12½c, special per yd..... 10c

4 doz. Men's Flannelette Shirts, good quality, in fast color stripe patterns, full sizes, well made, special..... 23c

4 doz. Men's Negligee Shirts, in neat checks and stripes, assorted colors, warranted fast, worth 75c, to-night 58c

6 doz. Men's Fine Cotton and Balbriggan Sox, reg. 15c and 18c per pr., special to-night..... 12½c

5 doz. Boys' School Caps, assorted styles, in fine tweeds and serges, special each 20c and..... 12½c

10x4, White Bed Spreads, full size, heavy satin finish, worth \$1.75 each, special..... \$1.39

Boys' Nicker Pants, good strong tweeds, dark and medium colors, worth up to 60c pr., special to-night..... 43c

THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited

CASH ONLY
AND ONE PRICE

SLAP AT GERMANY

Russia's Proposal to Restore the
Empress-Dowager

The Outcome Will Probably be,
However, the Acceptance of
Li Hung Chang as
Mediator.

London, Saturday, Sept. 1. 4.20 a. m.—In the absence of further news from China, the papers are again filled with discussions of the Russo-American proposals, which, so far as may be gathered from expressions of opinion in the various European capitals, are calculated to subject the unity of the allies to an exceedingly dangerous test. In Germany, especially these proposals are so diametrically opposed to Emperor William's policy that they have produced something like consternation. As the Daily News editorially remarks:—"Count Von Waldersee was assuredly not sent to assist in restoring the Empress Dowager." It is recognized on all sides that Germany's decision is the pivot of the matter. Emperor William intended by despatching Count Von Waldersee to have the master-hand in the Chinese settlement. Russia has taken the wind out of that officer's sails, and is now posing as the friend and protector of China. The morning papers express the greatest suspicion of the intentions of Russia. The Times editorially fairly represents the opinion of all. The Times says the changes of Russia's policy are not manifest, and it is very doubtful whether it will recommend itself to powers like England and Germany that have large commercial interests in the establishment of a stable and progressive government to replace the reactionary clique which has impeded all progress and development in China in recent years. Negotiations with Li Hung Chang would be a condemnation of government crimes and the throwing away of all the advantages gained by the occupation of Peking. Much mischief may already have been done by the hesitation to enter the forbidden city. To withdraw from Peking would be interpreted as proving not only that the allies are cowards, but that they are hopelessly divided. It may be that some of the powers will withdraw; but that does not imply that others are bound to leave Peking and to acquiesce in the restoration of a government guilty of a gross international crime. The Standard says: "Diplomacy sometimes makes strange bedfellows. It is curious to find the mighty autocracy of the old world and the great republic of the new gently coaxing the other powers along the paths of peace. Nothing could be better than the spirit of the dealings, and it is interesting to find two such powers so anxious to determine the controversy in an unselfish spirit." The Daily Mail says:—"Russia has forced the hand of the United States against the better judgment of the latter. At the same time the United States government has adduced such valid reasons why the Russian policy is a bad one that it will hardly be expected that other powers will concur." The Daily News, which complains bitterly that the British government does not communicate a particle of information respecting the important negotiations, calls Mr. Aske's despatch "very able," and asks what the British government is doing in this matter. The Daily Chronicle thinks the question of the open door will prove the rift within the lute, which now sounds such sweet harmony between the United States and Russia. "Russia," says the Daily Chronicle, "has heard of the open door before, from a greater naval power than the United States, and has replied by simply slamming the door in that power's face." The paper then proceeds to comment upon the difficulty of understanding Russia's real motives and the dangers of following Russian leadership. The Daily Telegraph remarks:—"The Russian proposals are among the most extraordinary coups attempted in recent years, even by Russia. The proposal will probably be the acceptance of Li Hung Chang to negotiate some kind of a compromise with the Empress Dowager."

PERISHED BY FIRE.

The Terrible Fate of a Vancouver
Man His Wife and Child.

Vancouver, B. C. Sept. 1.—A Rescoe, wife and child, were burned to death here yesterday morning. Their two-story frame house was discovered on fire about 3 o'clock, and as soon as the flames were partially extinguished the firemen entered and found the charred remains of Mrs. Rescoe on the floor. Rescoe was in bed with the burning clothes wrapped around him, suffocated. The baby had rolled from the bed on the floor in its agony. The theory as to the cause of the fire is that the woman went down stairs to get a drink of water and that the lamp exploded. Talked Plainly.

TALKS PLAINLY.

A Delegate to the Convention
Opens up on Sir Richard.

Declared the Farmers had been Uet-
ting the Worst of It—Advised
a Party Bolt.

Woodstock, Ont., Aug. 30.—Sir Richard Cartwright has been again nominated for the South riding of Oxford, but he was plainly told that the old Reformers of this county are not at all satisfied with the doings of the "new Liberals" as represented by the Laurier government. Valentine Ficht, one of the most prominent Liberal workers in the county, and a man of considerable influence, was one of those whose name was put in nomination. Mr. Ficht declined the honor, and in a speech which showed him to be deeply earnest, and which caused quite a sensation in the convention, told Sir Richard in plain words that the interests of the farmers had been neglected by the Liberal government. He severely criticised the post office department, and said that Hon. Mr. Mulock wished to make a show of economy and take it out of the farmers, as indicated by the stretched mail service throughout the country by which the farmers got their mail two or three days behind time. Being interrupted, Mr. Ficht said:—"It would be better if half of us turned Tories, and then we would be better treated by the people at Ottawa." Mr. Ficht demanded that more attention be paid to the farming community. He wanted to know why postmasters in towns got thousands of dollars a year, while those in the country only \$20 or so a month. Mr. Ficht's speech is the talk of the people, and it is evident that, while his straight warning at the convention has created surprise, he correctly summed up the views of a large majority of the electors of this riding. Sir Richard, in spite of Mr. Ficht's speech, was the unanimous choice of the convention.

MESSAGE FROM ANDRE.

When He Wrote He was in Excel-
lent Spirits.

Stockholm, Sept. 1.—Captain Gren-
dahl telegraphs the following message here from Skjerve, Norway:—"Andree's buoy No 4 has been found here, and contains the following:—"July 11, 1898, 10 p. m., Greenwich.—Our voyage goes well so far. Are now at an altitude of 29,000 feet. Original direction, north 10 degrees east; compass undeviated. Later, north 45 degrees east; compass undeviated. Four carrier pigeons despatched. They are flying west. We are now over ice, which is very rugged. Weather splendid the whole time. In excellent health.—(Signed) Andree, Gren-
dahl, Strindberg, Franke. Above the clouds, fine; 7.45 Greenwich mean time."

FOR A FRIGHTFUL CRIME

This Negro Preacher was Hanged
at Raleigh, N. C.

Raleigh, N. C. Sept. 1.—Thos. Jones, a negro preacher, the murderer of a family of six persons, was hanged here yesterday in the county jail. The execution was private. Jones murdered Elias Jones, colored, and her 14-year-old daughter, and then set fire to their home, burning alive four small children.

TORNADO KILLED THREE.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 1.—In a torna-
do which passed over the village of Wapella, Man., Gus McDonald, a farmer living two miles from town, and two children were killed and Mrs. McDonald seriously injured. The McDonalds attempted to take refuge in the cellar, but before they could reach it the tornado lifted them and the house high in the air. Many buildings were badly damaged.

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H. Macaulay
Agent, Chatham

September 1st, 1900

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