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Children's Kid Gloves, colored and black, 3 and 4 button.....\$1.05 \$1.25
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Ladies' Silk Gloves, latest shades, for evening wear, 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.30 and \$1.40.
Misses' Silk Gloves, latest shades.....50c
Ladies' Long White Woollen Mittens, for evening wear.....80c
Misses' Long White Woollen Mittens, for evening wear.....80c
Ladies' Black Silk Mittens.....\$1.25
Ladies' Black Silk Mittens, embroidered backs.....\$1.75
Children's Black Gloves and Mittens.....50c to \$1.00
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Ladies' Patent Vamp Slippers, one strap, \$1.50 for.....\$2.25
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Great Bargains in Odds and Ends of Ladies' Black and Bronze Slippers, 5 percent extra for cash.

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STATIONERY—Initialed Note Paper, latest style, boxed with envelopes 65. Paperettes for children, 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c. Invitation and Reply Cards, in boxes, with envelopes to match, 35c and 50c per box. Five Quires Real Irish Linen, for 50c; envelopes to match, 10c per packet.
LEATHER GOODS—Purses, Card Cases, Letter Cases, Bill Cases, Shopping Bags, Children's Purses and Chatelaine Bags. Special value in Combination Purse and Card Case, genuine Seal with Sterling corners, only \$1.25.
FANCY GOODS—Glove Boxes, \$1.00, \$1.65, \$1.85. Handkerchief Boxes, \$1.75, \$1.85, \$2.25. Toilet Sets, \$5.25, \$7.00, \$8.50. Cuff and Collar Boxes, \$2.00, \$3.25. Gilt Clocks, \$3.50, \$5.50. Necktie Boxes, \$1.25, \$2.75. Jewel Boxes, 75c, \$1.85. Sealing Sets, \$2.50, \$3.00. Porcelain Clocks, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.50. Triplicate Mirrors, \$1.65, \$2.50, \$4.00. Pearl Rock, Horse Shoe, with Holly Decorations, \$4.00.

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At the Annual Meeting of the above Society, held on December 21st, the following officers were elected.—Rev. President, Rev. J. A. McCallan, S.S.; 1st Vice-President, Mr. John Walsh; 2nd do., Mr. J. H. Feeley; Secretary, Mr. W. P. Doyle; Assistant Secretary, Mr. J. I. McAffrey; Treasurer, Mr. James H. Kelly; Financial Secretary, Mr. John Howard; Ma. sh., Mr. James Milloy; Assistant do., Mr. M. J. Doyle. Committee.—Messrs. J. J. Costigan (Chairman), M. Shurey, James Mack, G. A. Gadois, T. J. Kavanagh, P. Doyle, W. E. Costigan, T. P. Tansoy, P. Dunn, J. Blanchfield, D. J. McDonald and J. Barry.

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BOOTS Men's Patent Leather Congress Boots, Cloth or Kid Tops, at \$2.50 to \$4.50.
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You have only to visit this Department to see for yourself if we are not doing the Handkerchief Trade of the city. But we are able to supply every Xmas shopper in Montreal with unequalled values in Handkerchiefs. Thousands of Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, Gent's with Topp Borders, Manufacturers' Seconds, that are equal to First as sight in the perfection; these we are selling at 12 1/2c each; also with Hemstitched Borders at 15c each. Thousands of Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, Ladies', with Hemstitched Borders, all widths of Hems from 12 1/2 to 45c. Boys' and Girls' Pictorial Handkerchiefs, nicely colored, with Pictures, interesting to children, 5c each. A large variety to choose from. Initial Handkerchiefs, Pure Linen, Initials, handsomely embroidered, 15c and 20c each. Ladies' Embroidered Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs, from 10c up. Cream and White China Silk Hemstitched Handkerchiefs from 25c. Gent's Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs, 50c up. Gent's Cream and White Silk Handkerchiefs, 65c to \$1.00. Ladies' Neckkerchiefs in White, Cream, Garnet, Scarlet, Blue, Heliotrope, Corn, 45c. Ladies' and Gent's Plaid Silk Handkerchiefs, 45c each.

GLOVES! GLOVES!

Another list of reliable makes of Gloves kept in stock. Majestic—2 large Pearl Buttons, in Black, with White between fingers; also Tans and Fawns, with White between fingers. Jersey—2 Pearl Buttons with Brillants, in Pearl, White and Tans, with Broided Backs. Clothoids—4 Buttons, in Rose, Pearl, White and Primrose, with Broided Backs. Alexander—4 Buttons, Suede, Grey, Tans, Fawns and Browns. Miffred—4 Pearl Buttons, in Pearl, Tans and Fawns, Embroidered Backs. Bretagne—7 Stud Black, self-stitched. Bretagne—7 Stud in Tans, Fawns, Embroidered Backs. Eglantine—4 Button Tans, Embroidered Backs. Navarre—3 Pearl Buttons, in Tans, Fawns, Embroidered.

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OUR IRISH LETTER.

made to subsist. I think that one of the truths that should be proclaimed from the house tops at the present day, and especially to young people, is the necessity of selection of that upon which their mind is occupied. Every person reads—it is a reading age—but unfortunately the very fact that people are so anxious to read at the present day has moved those who, without calculating the consequences, seem to make profit of it in desire by supplying the people with food that is very unwholesome, and hence we cannot too frequently or emphatically warn people against this danger.

The Blarinas Tragedy.

"The Blarinas Tragedy" an episode of '98, has been recalled in the preparations for the celebration of the centenary of Ireland's great effort for freedom. The story can be briefly told. Four young men belonging to a Monaghan regiment of Militia—William McKenna, Owen McKenna, Peter McCarrow, and Daniel Gillain—were tried by court martial at Blarinas in May, 1797 for connection with the Society of United Irishmen, and condemned to death. They were taken to the camp at Blarinas, within a few miles of the city, and placed in front of a firing party for execution. Before the fatal order was given the Colonel in command sent word to the condemned men that their lives would be spared and they would be otherwise rewarded if they would give information against their associates. The father of the two McKennas, who was amongst the crowd of friends and sympathisers that accompanied the condemned patriots from Blarinas, was appealed to by the Colonel to advise his son to accept these terms; the reply of the heroic old man was that if his son should act to base a part he himself would shoot him. The condemned men exchanged a few words amongst themselves upon the offer that had been made them, and then announced their decision; it was "death before dishonor." So died those martyrs to the cause of Irish liberty.

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Toy animals, from 8c up to \$7 and \$8.
Musical Toys, from 10c up to \$10.75.
Mechanical Toys, from 25c up to \$16.4.
Toy Picture Books, from 3c up to \$3.
Picture blocks, from 3c up to \$3.50. Henty's books for Boys, 6c.
Nah's Arks from 15c up to \$1.50.
Children's China Dolls in sets, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and \$3.50.
Metal Sets from 60c up to \$1.00. Hecker's Sticks, 15c to 20c.
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Over 2000 Horses and Horses and Carts, of all sorts and sizes—colored Horses, air sculptures, at just about half the price of former seasons, and the display was never so large.
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