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Busy Stores.

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We call your attention this week to our new Chenille Table Covers, at 40c, \$1, \$2 and \$2 25 Each.

Chenille Curtains, worth \$5, we are selling them at

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Large and small Linen Doilies, stamped and fringed,

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Children's Corded Waists, in white and drab, all sizes,

25c Each.

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Whiskard's Price 5c Bunch.

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20c, 25c, 35c Each.

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Only 25c Each.

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From 40c Each Up.

Infants' Fancy Embroidered Robes,

From \$1 Each Up.

Infants' Wool Bootees,

10c Pair.

Infants' Quilted Bibs, trimmed with lace,

Only 5c.

Infants' Fancy Wool Jackets,

Only 25c Each.

Black Fibre Chamois, 63 inches wide,

35c Yard.

Fancy Hair Pins, gilt and silver tips, worth 20c,

Our Price 5c Each.

We have just received a splendid line of very fine White Lace Curtains, 1 1/2 yards long, new patterns, at

75c Pair.

A special line of Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose,

Only 20c Pair.

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, seamless and spliced heels, at

12c Pair.

Children's Black and Colored Cotton Hose,

Only 5c Pair.

Lambs Wool Soles for crochet tippers,

25c Pair.

Silk Ribbon, in all shades, at

3c, 5c, 8c Yard.

Fancy Crepon Art Silk, worth 65c,

Whiskard's Price 35c Yard.

The Scrap Bag

They have queer stone-cutters down in Maine, says an exchange. Deacon Hackett lost his second wife lately, a scrawny and shrewish woman, whose loss was not an unmixed sorrow. Still the deacon dutifully decided to give her a monument. Being rather "near," he hogged with the village stone-cutter as to the size of the slab, and finally chose a very narrow one, at a bargain. The inscription was to be as follows:

SARAH HACKETT.
"Lord, she was thin!"

But the stone was so narrow that there was no room for the last letter, so the stone-cutter left it out with this result:

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The late Mrs. T. De Witt Talmage was a woman of rare gifts and beauty, and much personal magnetism. Her death, at Danville, New York, on Aug. 5, has saddened a wide circle of friends there and abroad.

It is rumored that the few persons who were not killed by Holmes contemplated organizing and holding reunions.

I love thee much, O August, not because Thou warmest up the town with heat so great
That men who wander, clad in thinnest gauze,
Are burned and baked from leathern sole to pate;

Nor do I love thee for that when thou'rt here,
The oyster, which I dote upon, is not—
Nor in the cause thereof does it appear
That I admire thy ways one smallest jot;

But this alone is why I ever look
With joy unmeasured, August, upon thee;
Thou art the time when, seeking rural nook,
I take a full month's loaf on salary.

"Many years ago an old gentleman walking on Dover pier dropped a gold-headed cane through one of the holes in the planks; when he died he left a sum of money, the interest of which was to go annually towards stopping up any cavities in the floor of the pier."

"Mothers will be interested in the following list of things a baby can do," says the author of "How to be Happy, Though Married," in his new book, "The Five Talents of Woman," just published by the Scribners. "Doubtless every mother could add items to it: 'A baby can beat an alarm clock ever invented waking a family up in the morning."

"Give it a chance, and it can smash more dishes than the most industrious servant girl in the country."

"It can fall down oftener and with less provocation than the most expert tumbler in the circus ring."

"It can make more genuine fuss over a simple brass pin than its mother would over a broken back."

"It can choke itself black in the face with greater ease than the most accomplished wretch that ever was executed."

"It can keep a family in constant turmoil from morning till night and night till morning without once varying its tune."

"It can be relied upon to sleep peacefully all day when its father is away at business and cry persistently at night when he is particularly sleepy."

"It may be the naughtiest, dirtiest, ugliest, most fretful baby in the world, but you can never make its mother believe it, and you had better not try."

"It can be a charming and model infant when no one is around, but when visitors are present it can exhibit more bad temper than both of its parents together."

"It can brighten up a house better than all the furniture ever made; make sweeter music than the finest orchestra organized; fill a larger place in its parents' breasts than they knew they had, and when it goes away it can cause a greater vacancy and leave a greater blank than all the rest of the world put together."

"Here am one blessin' about bein' black," said Rastus, as he stowed two chickens away in his bag the other night. "Yo' ain't apt to be so visible in de dark."

Ring—Who gets the best of it when you and your wife have an argument? Bang—The people in the next flat. They listen at the keyhole and get it all.

He (decisively)—Women are fools. She (sweetly)—Well, if there is anything in heredity an acquaintance with some of their sons would lead us to think so.—Pick-Me-Up

DAILY HINTS TO HOUSE-KEEPERS.
There are only a few swart years—ah! let
No envious taunts be heard;
Make life's fair pattern of rare design,
And fill up the measure with love's sweet wine,
But never an angry word!

BREAKFAST—Apples, Pearl Hominy, Shepherd's Pie, Butter Toast, Boiled Eggs, Stewed Peaches, Coffee.
DINNER—Baked Fish, Sauce, Stewed Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Potatoes, Macaroni and Cheese, Apple Jelly, White and Corn Bread, Currant Water Ice.
SUPPER—Potato Chowder, Toasted Crackers, Apple Sauce, Graham Bread, Tea.

BAKED FISH SAUCE.
One teaspoonful drawn butter, juice of lemon, a bit of chopped parsley, minced onion, thyme, a very little cayenne pepper, salt. Beat; heat.
CURRANT WATER ICE.
One pint of juice, one pound of sugar; one pint boiling water; five solve together. Cool; freeze. Currant juice canned keeps perfectly.

We have reached the time when all await with bated breath what the next few weeks will bring forth. For on them depend the styles of the coming season. At present many things are in the air, but all have a shadowy appearance, and a considerable number will melt away in mist. It requires a keen observer to decide which will take substance and remain with us, and which will disappear.

One thing is certain—we cannot wear larger skirts and sleeves. We may wear them as they are another season, or we may follow the finger of fate, which points to the bouffant skirts and tight sleeves of the Trianon.

The sleeve worn by Marie Antoinette and her ladies is not, however, acceptable to the average American. While she is very willing to accord to Marie Antoinette full measure of admiration for her beauty and graceful manners, there is no reason why an American should lend her sanction to the extravagances of the court of Louis XV. She rightly considers that by and by she might be requested to dress her hair on a mountain twenty-seven inches high.



A SLASHED SKIRT.
Should she accept the fashion offered now. Therefore, the American woman is having her early fall gowns made in very conservative fashion.

The gown pictured gives a very fair idea of what she will wear on the first cool days.

It is made with a double skirt. The under petticoat of silk, in cashmere colorings, is revealed through a number of slashes cut at intervals in the blue cloth upper skirt.

But little mention need be made of the waist worn all season. The silk of the under petticoat is the material used.

Curling Eyelashes.
If wishes could only be answered, and a girl had but one, other things being equal, I should advise her to plead for eyelashes—beautiful, long, curling ones.

There is nothing in the world so desirable as a pair of effective eyelashes. They make any kind of an eye pretty. If one's orbs are not a pleasing color all one has to do is to drop the curtains, look down not up; within not out; let the eyelashes lie along the cheek and if they are the right kind one looks charming.

And the lovely part of it is, for those blessed, that they cannot be counterfeit. They are never false. If you were not born with them, sighing for them is no use. Nor can art supply the deficiency. She hides her head in shame at her utter lack of skill for they must be indigenous—you can't sew, glue nor pin them on.

Every now and then some one starts up with the idea about making short curling eyelashes grow to be the desired kind and every now scheme has its followers. But it is all hopelessly futile.

A girl can—of course she doesn't—pad to help out shortcomings in her form; she may borrow other people's hair, and she may lay in a stock of complexion that will last her a year, that is, if she should want to do such things, but she can't button or hook on that desirable silky fringe to the eye which would enhance her charms immeasurably.

The latest theory on this subject launched is that if the lashes are trimmed every two weeks for six weeks the result will be a very thick growth. But it is a deep-laid plot of some fortune hunter to deprive her sisters of the little they have. One girl I know tried it. She took a very sharp pair of embroidery scissors and neatly trimmed the lashes of her left eye. The next day she examined her work in the mirror and was very much surprised at the result.

The left eye appeared much smaller than the right, and the row of little black stubs felt very queer, to say nothing of how they looked. And the comments it excited, and the questions she had to answer! As bad as when a man gets his hair cut.

"What is the matter with your eye?" some one would ask. "Looks as if you were going to have a sty." It took a long time before that eye matched the other, and there was not the slightest difference as regards the growth after it did come out. Clearly that is a scheme which deserves to be exposed.

It is always the way. A girl who has everything has the eyelashes thrown in as a treat. She takes them for granted. A pretty little woman, one who can give "butterfly kisses" beautifully complains that she cannot wear a veil with any comfort because "her eyelashes get tangled in the meshes and annoy her dreadfully." Poor thing! She has told the story to everyone she knows but none of the girls sympathize with her. Each one tried to make her own do the same thing.

Dressy sleeves for afternoon as well as evening wear are made quite short, reaching only to the elbow. From thence falls a very deep full skirt of lace, covering the arm to the wrist. Sleeves of transparent material are lined with thin, next to nothing ribbons, and are caught up with ribbons roses with pretty effect. These tulle inner sleeves may be made separately, starched and beaded in.

A man, with a painful expression of countenance, sat on a goods box. "Are you ill?" some one asked.

"Have you lost anything?" "Never had anything to lose."

"What's the matter, then?" "I'm sittin' on a wasp."

"Why don't you get up?" "Well, that was my first impulse, but I got to thinkin' that I was hurtin' the wasp as badly as he was hurtin' me, and concluded to sit here a while."

THE FALL FAIRS.

Annual Exhibitions of the Leading Agricultural Associations—Where and When They Will Be Held.

Secretaries of agricultural societies whose exhibitions are not mentioned in the following list are requested to forward the dates to the "Advertiser":

LONDON, WESTERN	Sept. 12-21
Toronto, Industrial	Sept. 12-13
St. Thomas, Southern Counties	Sept. 13-14
Wellesley	Sept. 17-18
Owen Sound, North Grey	Sept. 17-19
Wingham	Sept. 17-19
Guelp, Central	Sept. 23
Iderion, London Township	Sept. 23
Exeter, South Huron	Sept. 23-24
Palmerston, Horticultural	Sept. 23-24
Zurich, Har	Sept. 23-24
St. Catharines, Union	Sept. 23-24
West Middlesex, Stratford	Sept. 23-24
Milton, Mornington	Sept. 24-25
Falsley, Centre Bruce	Sept. 24-25
Cayuga, Haldimand	Sept. 24-25
Berlin, North Waterloo	Sept. 24-25
Windsor, Tunberry	Sept. 24-25
Chatham, Peninsular	Sept. 24-25
Woodscock, North Oxford	Sept. 24-25
St. Marys, South Perth	Sept. 24-25
Clinton	Sept. 25-26
Warton, Amabel and Albemarle	Sept. 25-26
Leamington, Mersea	Sept. 25-26
Stratford, North Perth	Sept. 25-26
Alisa Craig, Northern	Sept. 25-26
Seaford, Tuckersham	Sept. 25-26
Wyoming, Union	Sept. 27
Pelee Island	Oct. 1
Tara, Arran-Tara	Oct. 1-2
Enniskillen, Biddulph	Oct. 1-2
Mitchell	Oct. 1-2
Forest, Union	Oct. 1-2
Thamesville	Oct. 1-2
Pars, North Huron	Oct. 1-2
Cooksown, South Simcoe	Oct. 1-2
Wakarusa, Northern	Oct. 1-3
Netherich, Great Northwestern	Oct. 1-3
Hamilton, Central	Oct. 1-3
Essex, Great Northwestern	Oct. 1-3
Alvinston	Oct. 2-3
Kirkton	Oct. 2-3
Stayner, North Simcoe	Oct. 2-4
Elora, Centre Wellington	Oct. 3-4
Brussels, East Huron	Oct. 3-4
Fergus, Centre Wellington	Oct. 3-4
Galt, South Waterloo	Oct. 3-4
Waterford, Townsends	Oct. 3-4
Bothwell, Zone and Barton	Oct. 3-4
Aberfoyle, Puslinch	Oct. 4
Aberfoyle, South Norwich	Oct. 4-5
Spencer, South Huron	Oct. 4-5
Stam, Highbert	Oct. 4-5
Midleton, Howard Branch	Oct. 7-9
Kintore, East Nisour	Oct. 8-9
Filsburg, Dereham	Oct. 8-9
Dresden	Oct. 8-10
Clifford, Horticultural	Oct. 8-10
Comber, Tilbury W. and N.	Oct. 8-10
Thorndale, West Nisour	Oct. 10
Burlington	Oct. 10-11
Fort Elgin, North Bruce	Oct. 10-11
Rockwood, Eramosa	Oct. 10-11
Caladonia	Oct. 10-11
Simcoe, Norfolk Union	Oct. 10-11
Harrow, Colchester South	Oct. 15-16
Qford	Oct. 17-18
Qford	Oct. 22-23

QUERIES ANSWERED.

Inventor.—What are the fees charged for a patent in Canada, and the United States, and what is the best means of gaining information as to patents? Ans.—In Canada the Government fees are \$50 for fifteen years, \$10 for ten years, and \$20 for five years. In the United States the Government fees are \$35 for seventeen years. The fees of a patent attorney or solicitor, when retained, vary according to the nature of the invention. An average fee is about \$25 in ordinary cases. For further information you should consult a patent solicitor. Any lawyer in active practice can direct you properly. You could also write to the Commissioner of Patents for a copy of rules, etc. It is better, however, to pay for and get professional assistance in framing your application.

Postoffice Savings Bank.—When my brother died leaving \$400 in Postoffice Savings Bank the postmaster would not pay the money to me until I had taken out probate of my brother's will, which gave it to me. Now the postmaster has promised to pay \$600 to a man whose wife left it to him by will and without putting him to the expense of probating the will. Which course was right, and what can be done in this case? Ans.—The money could not be legally paid without the will being proved and probate produced to the postmaster. You have no cause of complaint in your own case, and if the postmaster pays the \$600 without the probate being taken out you will write to the Postmaster-General, or to the postoffice inspector, and the matter will be investigated and dealt with.

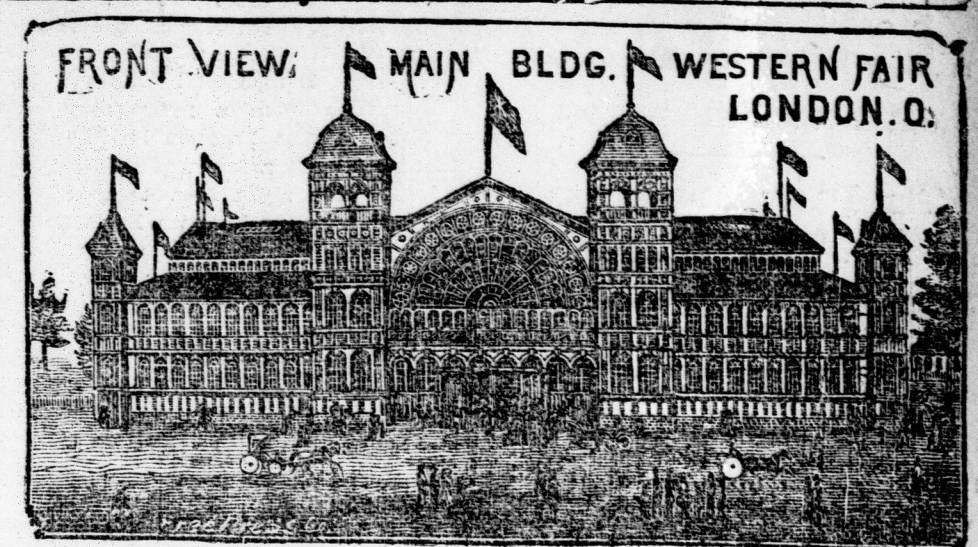
Constant Reader.—A farmer makes a verbal contract with a carpenter to have his buildngs moved, raised up and refitted, the contractor to be paid a certain amount on getting buildings ready for haying and the balance on finishing stables before cold weather. Contractor finishes according to agreement before July 1, and is paid accordingly, the farmer receiving no notice from men working for contractor. In case the contractor defaults or leaves the Province can his men collect their wages from the farmer? Ans.—Yes; provided they have registered their liens within 30 days after their labors have been performed or the last day of the month of July. If they do not within 90 days against the balance in his hands or against 15 per cent of the contract price in any event. What is the best course for the farmer to pursue to get his contract finished legally, and if farmer has paid 70 per cent to contractor how much can he now be held liable for? Ans.—The facts stated are not sufficient to give an opinion. You had better consult a lawyer.

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