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### \$8.50 Xmas blouses at \$4.88

Each will be put up in a dainty box free

EAUTIFUL Guipure and Oriental Net Lace Blouses and exquisite Silk Blouses marked at nearly half price as a special Xmas neement for to-morrow's lucky buyers. It is a splendid sav-ing no woman will care to miss. This season's newest and daintiest

styles for Xmas gift giving. You will want some for yourself, too, when you see them.

#### Save \$3.62 on each

There are veral very pretty styles very ef. ively trimmed in various pretty ways. White, cream and ecru. They are wonderful bargains. On sale all day to-morrow. Real value \$8.50. Xmas sale price \$4.83 each.

#### **Xmas Fascinators**

Can be put up in a pretty gift box. They are useful gifts that most any woman will appreciate. Silk and Silk and Wool Fascinators in pretty new patterns, plain cream and cream and dainty shades in combinations. The values are quite remarkable, customers tell us. \$1.81.25, \$1.50 up to \$3.50 each.

## Beautiful fancy gift goods: hints

THE what-to-give question receives many satisfactory answers in the Leather and Fancy Goods The what-to-give question receives many satisfactory answers in the Leather and Fancy Goods sections in cast aisle. The first suggestion comes as you view the variety and attractiveness of the display. But look further, note the modest prices and the reliable qualities. It is a wonderland of practical gift suggestions for everyone. Come to-morrow. EBONOID ARTICLES-LEATHER GOODS-

LEATHER GOODS-Manicure Sets \$1.75, \$2.50, to \$6.75.

#6.75.

Hand Purses 50, 75c, \$1, \$2.50.

Handhags 75, 85c, \$1.15, \$8.50.

Toilet Sets \$1.75, \$2, \$3, \$19.

Seissor Sets 75c, \$2.75, \$3.50.

Smokers' Sets 65c, \$1.35, \$2.25.

Shaving Cases \$1.50, \$2 to \$3.

REAL EBONY GIFTS—

Hat Whisks 65 to 75c each.

Hat Mirrors \$1.65 to \$3.75.

Nail Buffers 25, 35, 45c.

GENUINE IVORY ARTICLES—

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Travelling Cases, \$2, \$3, \$6.50.
Dressing Cases, \$1.75, \$2, to \$9.
Wallets, 90c. \$1, \$1.25, \$3.25.
Card Cases, 75, \$5c. \$1 to \$2.25.



Paper Knives at 15 to 25e each.
Match Boxes, pretty styles, 20e.
Ink Stands, neat and useful, 50e.
Soap Boxes, very handy, 20e.
Letter Seals, very useful, 35e.
Cigar Jars at each \$1.25.
Cuticle Knives at 35e.
Button Hooks at 20, 25 and 35e.
Hand Mirrors, 25, 40 to 65e.

Hand Mirrors, 25, 40 to 65c.

XMAS BELTS FOR GIFTS—
Silk and Kid Belts in black, blue, brown, green and white; newest novelty styles from Paris and New York. Very dainty and handsome for Xmas gifts, 25c to 22.25.

#2.25. DRESDEN BELTS-With fancy gilt and other style buckles, \$1.85 to \$4.50. These

are exquisite in style.

Novelty Jewelry, 25c to \$6.50.

### Xmas neckwear: a great sale

Put up free in a dainty gift box

A SPLENDID piece of good luck for Xmas gift buyers. A great special purchase has just arrived from Paris. On sale all day to-morrow at nearly half price. Select your Xmas gift pieces early. The season's daintiest and newest novelties are

Five exquisite styles in beautiful Stock and Turnover Collars in combination of lace and silk with colored silk embroidery

Real value here \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50, Xmas sale price 69c

#### Dainty Xmas combs

Fancy Combs for Christmas gifts. The very prettiest and most wanted kinds are here in exclusive, dainty styles, direct from Paris and New York. Elaborate and practical to simple, useful styles, Big display in east aisle. Back Combs and sets of three pieces, 35c to \$8.50. Novelty Xmas jewelery

Paris Jewelry—novel little pieces as seen in the style shops of Paris. They come direct from Parisian manufacturing jewellers. Included are many pretty pieces in Canadian and American makes; Brooches, Stick Pins, Buckles, Beauty Pins, Jewel Hair Pins. 25c up to \$6.50.



### Rich, reliable furs for Xmas

\$15.00 western sable stoles for \$9.95



L ARGE size rich full-furred Western Sable Stoles, finished with natural tails. Regu-\$15 values. Xmas sale price \$9.95. Muffs to match, in large flat style. Regular \$9 value for

### \$75 fur lined coats \$59

Fine broadcloth shells, strapped and plaited styles, in good, warm, stylish engths. Hampster, muskrat or squirel linings, with warm storm collars of natural lynx, mink or sable. A sumptuous Christmas gift. Regular \$75.00 value, to-morrow \$59.00.

#### Smart Astrakhan coats a splendid sale to-morrow

Military, Imperial and Reefer styles, satin linings: rich, bright finish and even curl. A splendid collection ready for you to-morrow at very worth while savings for the commencement of need-

\$25.00, regular value \$30 \$29.00, regular value \$35 \$34.00, regular value \$40 \$42.50, regular value \$50

# Xmas gifts for the men folk

THOMAS C. WATKINS.

Here are things he will need and appreciate

HERE are many answers to the vexing question of what to give him. We tell of many useful practical gift things, that all men and boys like and appreciate. Our Men's Furnish ing Department is full of sensible gift suggestions. Come to-morrow. GLOVES: LINED AND UNLINED—
LINED— Perrin's celebrated make in Mocha and Reindeer. Fleece silk, wool and fur linings, \$1, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2 to \$4.75.

ENGLISH MADE DRESSING GOWNS—Warm, comfortable Dressing Gowns, in a large range of smart materials. Roll collars, silk cord edged, silk and wool girdles. \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.50, \$10.50, \$11.50 to \$15 each.

SMOKING AND HOUSE COATS—Smart New York tailored styles. Perfect fitting and all sizes, in a variety of nobby American materials. Nothing is more sensible or acceptable for a man; \$6.50 \$7.50, \$8.50, to \$12.50.

MUFFLERS AND ENGISH SQUARES — Handsome imported English Silk Searfs, in squares or made up; exclusive fancy designs, plain colors and up; exclusive fancy black; 50c to \$3.00.

Oriental Rugs, for his den, \$9 to \$50 to Travelling Cases. \$2 to \$15 Suspenders. 25, 50, 75c, \$1 to \$1.50 Half Hose 25, 50, 75c, \$1 to \$1.50 Shaving Sets. \$1.15 to \$7.50 Smokers' Sets. 65c to \$2.25 Military Hair Brushes, 75c to \$2.25 Hat Brushes. 50 to \$5c Clothes Brushes. \$1.25 to \$2.50 Cosy Cushions. \$1.09 to \$7.50



Drinking Cups in cases, 50c to \$1.25 Travelling Rugs . . . \$3.75 to \$8.50

### All winter coats now reduced

Over \$4,500.00 worth to select from

THE entire stock of this season's nobby, smart and most fashionable Winter Coats for women, misses and girls are now marked down to greatly reduced prices. Come to-morrow morning and share the wonderful bargains.

#### Smart tweed coats

Handsome new styles in smartly tailored Tweed Coats for winter wear, 34 and 36 lengths, in dark and medium shades and newest pattern effects. Sizes for women, misses and children. Our entire stock on sale at these splendid sav-

\$ 2.95, reduced from \$ 4.50 \$ 3.95, reduced from \$ 6.00 \$ 4.95, reduced from \$ 7.00 \$ 7.50, reduced from \$10.00 \$10.00, reduced from \$14.00 \$11.95, reduced from \$16.00

#### Plain beaver coats

Handsome Black Coats and practical colors for women and misses, all the wanted shades, warm, fine qualities and newest styles for smart winter wear. A very large assortment of beautiful black coats for selection.

\$ 5.35, reduced from \$ 8.00 \$ 6.25, reduced from \$ 9.00 \$ 6.95, reduced from \$11.50 \$ 9.95, reduced from \$14.50 \$14.50, reduced from \$20.00



## Kid gloves: a great Xmas sale



JUDGING by the demand, evverybody in Hamilton seems to prefer Right House Kid Gloves. And well they may if quality and good value count for anything.

\$2.50 LONG KID GLOVES AT \$1.89 -An Xmas buying chance of great merit. Fine quality, soft, pliable kid cut to fit perfectly; full elbow length Black, grey and beaver shades; sizes 512 up to 612. Better select to-mor-

\$3.25 LONG KID GLOVES AT \$2.79 -Real kid, and very superior elasti-quality; 16 button length; brown and tan shades; perfect in fit and style LONG KID GLOVES AT \$2 25-Black and tan; full elbow length; nice soft fine quality. Sizes 5½ to 6½ Very special value.

Very special value.

WRIST LENGTH KID GLOVES, \$1.00

- Black and wanted colors in nice dependable qualities. Compare with \$1.25 lines elsewhere.

### Beautiful Xmas long scarfs

**E**XQUISITE New Scarfs for gift giving. An unmatched showing is ready for your selec-Spanish Silk Lace, Fancy French Chiffon, Hand Appliqued Brussels, Oriental Net and Guipure Lace Long Scarfs in an immense assortment of pretty and exclusive new styles and patterns. 25c to \$10 each. Those at 50c and up are daint-

Christmas lace veils from Paris

up free in dainty gift box, \$1.15, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65 to \$2.65 each.

### \$1.50 Xmas silks at 98c yard

\$1.75, \$2 to \$4.70.

UNLINED — Dent's and Perrin's Dogskin and Cape
Walking Gloves that fit in perfect style and wear
well, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.

NECKWEAR: SMART XMAS STYLES—Smartest of new London and New York styles, in pleasing and becoming patterns and colorings. Put up free in fancy box at 50 and 75c. Wide variety (not

HANDSOME Dresden Silks in firm, rich, fine taffeta weaves; good wide widths and beautiful effective Dresden patterns for Xmas blouses, fancy work, etc. Can be put up in gift box if desired. A nice range of dainty to rich shadings. Value \$1.50. Xmas sale price 98c.

### Xmas sale of dress goods \$1.00 Chiffon Panamas at 78c

All the wanted colors in the new winter tones, rich fin-ish, Chiffon Weight Panamas for dresses, suits or skirts. Most any woman would—appreciate a dress length for Divistmes.

French chiffon broadcloths at \$1.50 Full 54 inches wide, the season's most popular suiting material, rich bright satiny finish, pure wool weave, all the new winter shades are included in the showing.

## \$7 fine, fluffy, warm down comforters \$4.19

**B** EAUTIFUL quality, light and luxuriant warm Alaska down Comforters. Good large double bed size—72 x 72 inches. Filled with superior fine down; covers of fine art sateen in blues, greens, old rose and cardinal. Border and insertion effect of plain sateen in contrasting

Corner King East THOMAS C. WATKINS Hamilton Ontario

## Women's 50c underwear 33c

BARGAIN snap that most women will be quick to appreciate. Wool and Cotton Vests, knitted to fit perfectly in nice, warm winter weights. Good wearing qualities and a saving of 17e on each garment. Come early for them.

### Xmas stockings 39c

Special for to-morrow. Dainty Black Cashmere Stockings in a pretty gift box ready for presentation at only 39c the pair. Nice winter weights in pure wool English knitted cashmere.

#### Silk embroidered Xmas cashmere stockings

Fine quality Black Cashmere English Fine quality Black Cashmere English knitted and prettily silk embroidered at instep and ankle; neat small designs and spots in red, white and sky. Put up in artistic gift boxes ready to present. A very dainty and appropriate gift that is sure to be appreciated. 65, 75, 85c and \$1.10 the pair.



### WIFE'S GHOST SAVES LIFE.

APPARITION APPEARS TO NEW

Detains Him All Night-Finds on Re-

New York, Dec. 13.—That a whispered warning in the dark by the ghost of his dead wife saved him to-day from death by assassination is the belief of Charles Henry Durand. a harmer living in the hills near Caldwell, N. J. His strange story is being used as a clew by the authorities. Durand says that late Monday night he was driving home from Paterson his horse stopped his form Paterson his horse stopped his form entering and says that late Monday night he was driving home from Paterson his horse stopped his form in the breast had he touched the string with his foot in entering the room.

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Suddenly the air grew oppressive and a faint light like distant heat lightning appeared. Then gradually amid the dim fishes a white sigure assumed a vague form beside the wagon. Durand himself commenced to quake. He tried to get out of the buggy, but his limbs refused to obey his will. After an interval the apparition in white spoke in a whisper. He recegnized in fear and trembling the voice of his dead wife.

"There is danger at home. Stay away till morning," the voice said.

Cold chills crept over Durand. Scarcely had the supernatural warning been uttered when the ghost vanished. It took the farmer some time to recover his nerve, and then he found the horse would not take a step forward. He took off the harness, and after two hours' work brought the animal out of its chill and slowly proceeded homeward. Though badly scared he did not put much faith in the warning that had been whispered to him in such an un

canny way. S olong had Durand been delayed by his adventure that it was daylight when he reached his farmhouse, which is in a lonely location.

Putting the horse in the stable Durand entered the dwelling. He noticed that a window on the ground floor which he had fastened was unlatched. Next he discovered muddy footprints on the floor. As he was about to go into his room upstairs he saw a string the same as the same and the same as the

JERSEY FARMER.

tains Him All Night—Finds on Returning Home That an Enemy Had
Been Lying in Wait for Him.

The Holor, It was a boult to go into the received across the open doorway near the floor, It was just high enough to have eaught his foot upon entering. Standing to one side Durand hoooked his umbre handle over the string and

# TO SAVE LIFE.

WORKMEN ON BLACKWELL'S IS

Used Wrists to Stop Plate-Fall Would Have Killed Comrades Beneath-Great Iron Plate's Descent is Halted

New York, Dec. 13.-To save the lives of three fellow workmen, two ironwork fered each the loss of a hand vesterday fered each the loss of a name yesternay.

A heavy steel plate was slipping out of position and would have fallen on three men on a platform fifteen feet below had not its progress heen checked by grinding through the wrists of the two men who had been assigned to the work of setting the plate.

of setting the plate,
It was high in the air on the Ravens-It was high in the air on the Ravens-wood tower of the new bridge that the accident happened. The men charged with fitting the heavy plate into position were John J. McGlynn, of 1200 Van Alst avenue, Long Island City, and O. Jude, of 152 East Sixteenth street, Manhat-tan. Above and around them were a score of ironworkers elinging to the lofty structure.

Glynn and Jude were held to their posiions by their crushed wrists. Ropes were tied about them to prevent their falling when the plate was removed, but neither of them fainted. They were lowered to the ground and attended by Dr. Hurley, who arrived with an ambulance from St.

red, and Dr. Hurley removed it befor aking him to the hospital. McGlynn was not cut through, but amputa

## THE BEST SKATER

In Competition at Armory Rink Last Night.

Miss Elizabeth Wall was considered the best skater in the ladies' competi tion at the Armory roller rink last ever ing, by three expert judges, Mossrs In presenting Miss Wall with her prize, a gold brooch, Mr. Wright made a capia gold brooch, Mr. Wright made a capital stump speech. There were nearly fifty ladies competed and it book three musical numbers by McKenzie's band before the winner was cheen. To-night the gentlemen's competition will take place and a large entry will compete. The Armory management has added an extra session for school children, from 4 o'clock to 5.30. Ten cents admission.

### FIFTEEN BONES

### Broken by Crueher But He is Royal Arch Masons Hold Election Around Again.

The election of officers for Court Orient, No. 416, Independent Order of Foresters, was held last night. Keen interest was taken, the members being present in large numbers. Following are the officers for 1908:

William McAndrew, Chief Ranger, Robt, Guy, Past Chief Ranger. W. J. Allen Vice Chief Ranger.

W. J. Allen, Vica Chief Ranger.
Geo. O. Elder, Recbrding Secretary,
R. B. Spera, Financial Secretary,
C. N. Tregenza, Treasurer,
J. B. Williams, Orator.
Wm. Cherrie, Senior Woodward,
H. Way, Junior Woodward,
L. V. Watcher, Senior Beadle,
Geo. W. Waring, Junior Beadle,
J. Baugh, Physician,
B. Salisbury, Court Deputy,
A. Hobson, Planist,
Ald. C. C. Baird, Auditor,
R. A. Gibb, Auditor,
C. W. Powell, Trustee,
Geo. Gauld, Trustee,

as accident happened. The men charged with fitting the heavy plate into position were John J. McGlynn, of 1200 Van Alst avenue, Long Island City, and O. Jude, of 152 East Sixteenth street, Manhattan. Above and around them were a score of ironworkers clinging to the lofty structure.

The plate on which McGlynn and Jude were working was almost in place, when as menthing gave way and it began to slide off the supporting beams. Realizing that its fall meant death to the men below, be both men thrust a hand into a crevice below the sliding plate to check its progress, at the sace time shouting a warning to those below. The sharp edge of the plate caught McGlynn's left wrist and Jude's right wrist, crushing them, but the barrier of flesh and bone served to the barrier of flesh and bone served to the plate to prevent further sliding of the plate.

While men hurriedly rigged a tackle to haul the plate back into position Me.

### ST. JOHN'S CHAPTER.

## and Banquet.

St. John's Chapter, Royal Arch Ma ons, held its annual election last even ing, the result being as follows: Ex. Comp. W. F. McGiverin, First Prin

eipal. Ex. Comp. George Britton, Second Principal. Comp. Paul E. Lumsden, Third Princi

pal. R. Ex. Comp. W. J. McAllister, Scribe Comp. T. H. Hayhurst, Scribe N. Comp. J. R. Moodie, Treasurer. Comp. F. H. Nairn, Principal Sojourn-

er.
Comp. W. Tocher, Janitor.
M. Ex. Comp. W. G. Reid, Auditor.
R. Ex. Comp. W. Birrell, Auditor.
R. Ex. Comp. W. F. Miller, Trustee.
R. Ex. Comp. W. M. Logan paid his official visit. After the business meeting the annual banquet was held in the banquet hall, where the usual loyal toasts were given, to which suitable responses were made, interspersed with songs and music.

### Appointed Yesterday by the Board of

the University of Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 13.—The following appointments were made yesterday at the meeting of the Board of Governors of the University of Toronto: Assistant professor of philosophy, Dr. A. H. Abbott: professor of physical chemistry, Dr. W. Lash Miller; professor of Greek and Roman history, Professor W. S. Mil. ner; assistant professor of Latin, Dr. G. W. Johnston: associate professor of astro-physics, Dr. C. A. Chant; associate

### LARGEST EVER.

### Yesterday's Mail for Britain Made a New Record.

The mail dispatched yesterday from the Hamilton Postoffice for Great Britain via Empress of Britain, from Halifax, carried 1,372 parcels. The weight lax, carried 1.3.2 parcels. The weight of letters was 85 per cent, greater than by mail the same date last year, and the weight of newspapers 50 per cent, higher. The letters and newspaper mail was the collection of one day, as a mail was dispatched the previous day, and, taken altogether, yesterday's mail was the largest British one that ever left the Hamilton office.

# Christmas

## Distant Friends

What is better than a beautifully colored picture of dear old HAMILTON? Size 11 inches by 20 inches; price 50c each. Tube for mailing 5c extra. Framed \$2

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