

To the Trade

February 13th.

You Will Be Pleased

to know that we have received a shipment of Children's, Misses' and Women's Hosiery, which completes all sizes and prices in our famous "Imperial" Brand Cotton Hosiery (Hermesdorf Dye).

Filling letter orders a specialty.

John Macdonald & Co.
Wellington and Front Streets East,
TORONTO.

WANT CLAIMS PASSED UPON.

Veterans of '66 Are Growing Weary of Waiting for Their Land.

The annual meeting of the Veterans of '66 Association was held last night at the Armouries, T. R. Whiteside, president, presiding. The treasurer's statement showed receipts of \$102.26 and disbursements amounting to \$181.21. Officers were elected as follows: President, Capt. A. W. Porter; first vice-president, John J. Crowe; second vice-president, W. H. Blythe; chaplain, Rev. A. Taylor; financial secretary, J. Constable; treasurer, J. T. Hornbrook; bard, Alex. Muir, M. J. Hornbrook, Dr. S. S. May, executive committee, C. Mullock, J. H. Noves, K. C. Marshall, E. Hobbs, William Miller, William Forbes, J. E. Noves, C. T. Smith, Capt. J. Ford, F. Unett, E. McCallie, George Lewis.

Mr. Whiteside was presented with a past-president's jewel. A resolution, asking the Minister of Crown Lands to pass upon individual claims of members for lands, in accordance with the act of last year, instead of waiting till all the applications are received, was passed. The Executive Committee was empowered to act for the members of the association in the selection of the lands.

The Hobbie's Verdict.
The hour of midnight a short time ago a policeman was sauntering along a main street in a neighboring town, when a man stepped out of a doorway and accosted him with:

"I have been waiting for you for the last quarter of an hour. Do you ever intend?"

"Do you mean to ask if I ever intend?" queried the policeman.

"Exactly. Do you ever slip if I ever intend?"

"I take a glass of beer once in a while."

"I see. I have here with me a bottle and a sip would not harm you in the least. In fact—"

"Thanks, but I'm on duty. I know you are, but I pledge you my word never to betray you by look, sign or word. Take a year's trial. I shall esteem it a great honor. I do not ask you to sign down half a pint, but to sip enough to know that you reciprocate my feelings."

"It is against the rules," said the officer, "but—"

"But as the night is cold and you are tired and thirsty you will take a sip—just one sip!"

"Well, I'll wet my tongue."

"Exactly. Just simply dampen your tongue, and depend upon me never to betray the confidence you repose in me. Allow me to hand you the bottle."

The officer took it, withdrew the cork and lifted it to his mouth. He sipped and tasted and lowered the bottle to his ear.

"Why, this ain't whiskey!"

"No, sir—no, sir! It is not whiskey!" replied the man as he rubbed his hands together.

"It tastes to me like water."

"That's what it is, sir. I filled the bottle myself and can guarantee its contents. Take another sip, sir. It won't do any harm to know that your tongue came back to your neck."

Lacerated His Hand.
John Holman of 106 Centre-avenue, is in the General Hospital suffering from a number of severe lacerations in his hands, which several severe arteries.

Holman was found yesterday afternoon in an intoxicated condition on Teraulay-street, by John Holloway of 101 LaSalle-street. Blood was then flowing freely from the wounds on his hands. Holman was taken to No. 2 Police Station, and was later removed to the Emergency Hospital. After his wounds were dressed, Holman was taken to the General Hospital.

Holman says he received the wounds by a knife in the hands of his wife at his home. The doctors, on examination, found in the wounds several small pieces of glass, and it is thought that the lacerations were caused by Holman himself with a broken bottle.

The First Meal.
From The Chicago Tribune.
The teacher in the first grade was developing the word "breakfast." By way of introduction she addressed the class thus:

"What is the first meal you eat in the morning?"

"Oatmeal," promptly responded Johnny.

Is there anything more annoying than having your own stomach growling at anything more delightful than getting rid of it? Try it and be convinced.

Passengers taking the R. & O. steamer on Saturday from Toronto to Montreal will find a most comfortable and enjoyable trip.

MY, MY, MY, WHAT RELIEF!
I have only used Orange Catarrh Cure two or three times. That's the verdict of every user of this grand catarrh cure. It goes right to the spot, clears out the bowels, and cures all catarrhs, whether in the bladder or throat and gradually but surely builds up the system at all druggists, or paid for by mail from R. & O. Co., Ltd., 121 Church St., Toronto.

ESTABLISHED 1843 **SCORES'** **ESTABLISHED 1843**
The Home of Smart Tailoring

Admirably adapted for business wear is our splendid new line of Scotch Cheviot Suits—regular price \$38.00—special for \$28.00.

See our new window for all the latest novelties in gentlemen's furnishings.

Shop closes at 1 o'clock on Saturdays this month.

PRETTY WOMEN

LOVE UGLY MEN

Homely Visage Doesn't Prevent Adoration of Beautiful Girls.

One of the most remarkable traits in the feminine organism is the tendency of women to fall in love with men whose plainness of feature is obvious to the point of ugliness, and in all ages and countries this tendency has been strikingly demonstrated.

Mirabeau, one of the leading spirits of the French revolution, a man whose face was hideously pock-marked and whose figure was short and unweidly, exercised a fascination over the fair sex which was almost marvellous.

It is said, indeed, that no woman could resist this Caliban of politics, whose only attractiveness lay in his undoubted gift of eloquence.

After his death his rooms were found to contain numberless love letters from all sorts and conditions of women, many of whom declared their passion in hyperbolic strain. And yet Mirabeau was so ugly that his hideousness passed into a byword in the streets of Paris at the period in question.

In Love With Ugly Actor.
At the present time there is a woman confined in a private asylum, suffering from melancholia brought about by an unrequited love affair.

The object of her affection is a certain actor, whose pretensions to good looks are, in reality, great, and, as a matter of fact, he is considerably more handsome than the ugliest comedian upon the stage.

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Hats and Furs

It's Not What You Pay But What You Get That Makes a Bargain

The keynote to the success of this big sale is **DEPENDABILITY**—we've earned the reputation for it on merit and it's Dominion wide—and what applies to our business under normal conditions applies equally under these extraordinary conditions—dependability—reliability—genuineness of the price reductions—and our absolute guarantee of the goods themselves—alterations have begun in earnest—the time for the sale is short—as we said before, we repeat to-day—"our necessity is your opportunity—make the most of it—the goods must go—there's no reserve.

Jackets

Seal Jackets, plain and with Hudson trimmings, were \$18.00 to \$25.00, for \$15.00 to \$22.50.

Persian Lamb Jackets, plain and with Hudson trimmings, were \$15.00 to \$20.00, for \$12.50 to \$17.50.

Astrachan Jackets, all sizes and lengths, were \$18.00 to \$25.00, for \$15.00 to \$22.50.

Grey Lamb Jackets, fine selected cuts, were \$25.00 to \$35.00, for \$20.00 to \$30.00.

4 only Walrus Jackets, 34, 36 and 40, were \$30.00, for \$25.00.

7 only Ladies' Coon Jackets, 32 to 42, were \$35.00 to \$45.00, for \$30.00 to \$40.00.

Fur-Lined Capes
Fur-lined Capes, black and blue lady's, with Hudson trimmings, regular \$18.00, for \$15.00.

7 Fur-lined Capes, black, navy and fawn, with Hudson trimmings, regular \$20.00 and \$25.00, for \$17.50 and \$22.50.

4 Black Plain and Brocade Silk Capes, with Hudson trimmings, regular \$35.00 and \$40.00, for \$30.00 and \$35.00.

3 Fawn and Grey Fur-lined Capes, with blue fox trimmings, regular \$35.00 and \$40.00, for \$30.00 and \$35.00.

Opera Cloaks
1 Green and White Brocade Satin, with sleeves, regular \$15.00, for \$12.50.

1 Navy Blue and Gold Cloak, with sleeves, regular \$15.00, for \$12.50.

1 Black Satin and Golden Brown Applique Opera Cloak, with sleeves, regular \$15.00, for \$12.50.

1 Black Brocade Silk Opera Cloak, with sleeves, regular \$15.00, for \$12.50.

1 Light Green Broadcloth Automobile Opera Cloak, with sleeves, regular \$15.00, for \$12.50.

1 Automobile Fur-lined Garments, with Hudson trimmings, regular \$15.00, for \$12.50.

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Pattern Garments

We have above 50 fur and fur-trimmed model garments, with all the little extras in style and making that are peculiar to pattern garments, and we can only give you a hint of some of them in this list, and here they are:

1 Black Brocade Cloth and Baby Lamb Automobile, was \$175.00, for \$150.00.

1 Electric Seal Automobile, Bell-Sleeves, Chamois Trimmed, was \$175.00, for \$150.00.

1 Electric Seal Automobile, pointed for trimmings, 100.00, for \$85.00.

1 Plain Alaska Seal Stole, 55.00, for \$45.00.

5 Extra Fine Black Lynx Scarfs, were \$25.00, for \$20.00.

17 Grey Fox Scarfs, with heads, tails and paws, were \$10.00, for \$8.00.

Sable Fox Scarfs, with natural tails and paws, were \$12.00 to \$15.00, for \$10.00 to \$12.50.

Red Fox Scarfs, were \$7.50 to \$10.00, for \$6.00 to \$8.00.

Mink Scarfs, were \$12.00 to \$15.00, for \$10.00 to \$12.50.

Cub Bear Scarfs, 3 yards long, were \$12.00 to \$15.00, for \$10.00 to \$12.50.

100 Alaska Sable Scarfs, 50 inches long, were \$12.00 to \$15.00, for \$10.00 to \$12.50.

33 Electric Seal Scarfs, were \$7.50, for \$6.00.

25 Assorted Old Muffs, Australian and American opossum, electric seal, moose, were \$10.00, for \$8.00.

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Sleigh and Carriage Robes
Special sale of Musk Ox and Fanny Robes—at prices that represent from one-quarter to 1/2 Off Regular Prices

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Ladies' Gauntlets

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