

William Foreman & Co.

...LADIES AND CHILDREN'S...

FALL AND WINTER Underwear.

Whole families are supplied from this underwear store. The circle of patrons is growing year by year, and our stock this year is most complete. Our contract with the best underwear makers in Canada was placed before the last advance in price, and our imported lines, which are on their way from Germany, were ordered previous to the increased duty or sur-tax was enforced, so you see our customers are well protected for this season and we'd like to have you in the circle.

Our four grades Scotch knit:—1, all cotton; 2, two-thirds cotton; 3, half and half; 4, all wool; are the best lines of natural wool made.

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Here's News

WHY NOT BUY A

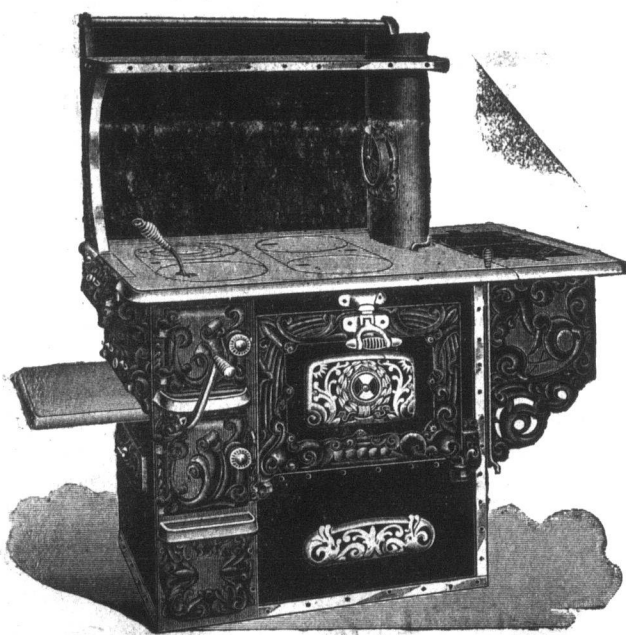
Trunk Suit Case or Valise

from our stock to-day, you have a double advantage? FIRST—The prices are much under the value of the goods. SECOND—Qualities could not be better if bigger prices were asked.

Every family ought to have a good strong TRUNK, also a SUIT CASE for short trips away. Little money buys good ones here. See them.

Note Prices in Telescopes Before You Buy
14 in. 40c; 16 in. 50c; 18 in. 60c; 20 in. 75c; 22 in. 85c; 24 in. \$1.00; 26 in. \$1.10.

J. L. CAMPBELL,
Boston Shoe Store, North Side King St.



IF YOU ARE MARRIED A "GYPSY" JEWEL STEEL RANGE WILL DO AWAY WITH KITCHEN TROUBLES.

WESTMAN BROS., SOLE AGENTS

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

3 NIGHTS—FAIR NIGHTS.
September 22, 23, 24

PERRY, O'DELL & DEE'S,
COMEDIANS, in high class Vaudeville.

10—Big Acts—10

PRICES—25c, 35c, and 50c.
Reserved Seats on sale at BRISCO'S, commencing MONDAY, Sept. 21.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

MONDAY EVENING,
SEPTEMBER 21.

The Literary Dramatic Event of the Season

EDITH ELLIS BAKER

—AND—
DONALD ROBERTSON

Supported by a Selected Company in Henrik Ibsen's Great Play

"GHOSTS"

PRICES—25, 35, 50, 75 and \$1.00.
Box Seats \$1.50. Plan at BRISCO'S.

NO RECIPROCITY.

VIEWS OF THE MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION.

Annual Convention Opened at the King Edward Hotel—Tariff Revision Insisted Upon—Position of the Association Towards Organized Labor—Preferential Trade Recommended.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—The sentiments of Canadian manufacturers towards the United States were very clearly shown at the business convention of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, which opened at the King Edward Hotel yesterday morning. The remarks of the President, Mr. Cyrus A. Birge, repudiating on the part of manufacturers any desire for reciprocity with the country south of the line, were warmly applauded. Every statement of Mr. Birge that Canada asked no favors from the United States, that she had learned to stand alone, and that there was absolutely no sentiment in favor of reciprocity, met with the emphatic approval of the meeting. Equally emphatic, too, were the manufacturers in their approval of the remarks of Mr. Birge, that a tariff revision was absolutely necessary, and they applauded the statement of Mr. George E. Drummond of Montreal, that the manufacturers would fight till they obtained a revision of the tariff. This was made more apparent from the report of the Tariff Committee, issued during the afternoon.

The unprecedented progress in railway matters in Canada was emphasized in the report of the Railway and Transportation Committee, presented by Mr. J. O. Thorn, Chairman.

The committee considered that the new railway act providing for the establishment of a Railway Commission was one of the most important laws introduced into the House of Commons during the present session. It was in a large measure what the association had been urging so long and they desired strongly to commend the wisdom of the Government's action and the sound judgment of the late Minister of Railways in the introduction and adoption of such a measure. The committee regarded it as one of the essential features in connection with this measure that the Railway Commission should have final authority and that their decisions in questions of fact should be subject to no interference or appeal. Any change which might be made in the provisions in this respect would, in their opinion, be fatal to the success of the commission.

A report was next read from the special committee appointed at the annual meeting in 1902 to inquire into the whole question of labor organizations and their effects on manufacturing industries. The report pointed out that it had been the aim of the committee simply to investigate the whole situation from an impartial standpoint, to place before the association a brief statement of the facts as they are known to exist, and, following this investigation, to point out a few guiding principles which may be of service in bringing about more happy conditions.

Admitting that a labor organization which seeks to improve the condition of the workingman is performing a legitimate and praiseworthy service, the report states that many labor unions in Canada, by departing from the true purpose of their existence, and by the almost universal introduction of methods which are both unjustifiable and dishonorable, are largely responsible for the serious labor difficulties which Canada is experiencing to-day. Why should any body of men be permitted to unionize the shop or factory of their employer? Why should organized labor be permitted to limit the number of apprentices or control and limit the output of factories? And the spirit of unionism did not pause there.

Three times had a bill been introduced into the Canadian Parliament to legalize in every trade a label which meant the boycott of the goods manufactured by the free workmen of Canada. To-day industrial progress was retarded and thousands of dollars lost because certain workmen in Canada refuse to use or work upon the honest goods turned out by their free fellow-workmen who do the simple exercise of their rights, may not be identified with certain labor organizations. And newspapers were published and permitted to be published in this country slandering as "unfair" certain manufacturers and their employees who have had the courage to stand up and hold out for their individual rights as British citizens.

Further still, even the innocent women and children of our land, the moment they leave the shelter of their homes, were branded with the vilest epithets and subjected to the meanest social injustices because their relatives might not belong to some certain labor organization, which, we were told, is established to elevate the conditions of the workmen of this country.

In the report of the Tariff Committee, which will be debated this morning, the committee desires to express its keen regret that, while many circumstances tended to exclude a general tariff revision during the present session of Parliament, the Government did not see fit to assist more of those industries which are suffering under the existing conditions.

Disapproval of the bounty system, except in very special cases, is expressed. The committee expresses its satisfaction at the action taken by the Government in imposing a customs surtax upon importations from Germany.

Lipton Sells Two Shamrocks.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—Shamrocks I. and II., the first two boats brought across the water by Sir Thomas Lipton in his attempt to lift the America Cup, are practically sold according to a statement made by John Westwood, secretary to Sir Thomas. "Sir Thomas is loath to part with his newest boat," said Mr. Westwood, "and will not dispose of Shamrock II."

REAL TREAT FOR CHATHAM

A Fine Production by Standard Artists Billed for Monday.

What Other Towns are Saying—Return Trip Demanded—Some High Eulogies.

"Monday night next. 'Ghosts' at the Grand."

The sagacious Maple Citizen who jots this important item in his engagement memo book doesn't mean that he's billed for a spiritualistic seance or is alluding to the efflorescent, shadowy things that go for electric lights these nights in this favored metropolis.

He's making a note of a date he can't afford to miss. He knows a good thing when he sees it.

Henrik Ibsen's strong and daring drama "Ghosts"—played by a magnificent company under the management of Frank E. Baker—is the attraction booked, and the citizen won't regret his foresight in laying claim to that evening for this production.



Chathamites know Mr. Baker and his splendid company. Last season he gave us H. Reeves Smith in "The Tyranny of Tears" and "A Brace of Partridges," both of which were thoroughly enjoyed, and this year he has met with such success with "Ghosts" that he has arranged for a series of return dates over his Canadian route.

Speaking to The Planet this morning Mr. Baker said, "Our company this year is an exceptionally fine one and I feel assured your people will be delighted with the production."

MADE A HIT IN GALT.

Manager F. H. Briscoe received the following from J. D. Eagan, manager Galt Opera House:

Galt, Sept. 16.—Ibsen's Ghosts, a wonderful performance, greatest actors ever here.

J. D. EAGAN,
Manager Opera House.

IT PLEASED GUELPH.

The following letter from the manager of the Guelph Opera House explains itself:

Guelph, Sept. 16, 1903.
My Dear Briscoe—Just a line respecting "Ghosts," which appears at your house Monday evening. Let me say this note is written without hesitation or solicitation whatever, but on my part entirely.

"Ghosts" is the best show we have had in Guelph in several seasons, and I am booking them for a return engagement here on Oct. 15. Kindly do what you can for it as it is worthy in every respect.

Sincerely yours,
G. L. HIGGINS.

WORLD OF SPORT

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES.

At St. Louis. R. H. E.
St. Louis 000000001—1
Brooklyn 000200100—3 3 1

Batteries—Brown and O'Neill; Thatcher and Jacklisch.

Second game—

St. Louis 000030200—5 12 5
Brooklyn 003000101—5 10 1

Batteries—Winter and Farrell; Rhodes and Abbott. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance—5,184.

At Chicago (first game)—

Chicago 00001104—6 7 3
Philadelphia 010000000—1 6 4

Batteries—Lundgren and Kling; Mitchell and Roth.

Second game—

Chicago 00114000—6 12 3
Philadelphia 020200100—5 8 0

Batteries—Taylor, Currie and Kling; McPettigree, Roth and Day. Umpires—Moran and Emslie. Attendance, 1,000.

BOSTON'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

Boston, Sept. 17.—Boston definitely won the championship of the American League to-day by defeating Cleveland 14 to 2 in a game marked by the heavy batting of the locals. The game was called in the eighth on account of darkness. Score—

R. H. E.
Boston 1112510—14 27 3
Cleveland 01000110—2 5 7 4

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BASKET BALL

GAME ON TO-NIGHT.

There will be a game of basket ball at the drill shed to-night between two picked teams of the bugle band.

Both teams have been practising hard of late and are in excellent condition so a good game may be expected. The line-up is as follows—

Money makes the mare go,
Care makes the money grow.

IF MEN

Would use half as much care in selecting clothing as their wives do in picking out fresh vegetables and good meat, there would be more money in the family pocketbook when reckoning day comes.

"Stores ought to be careful" you say.

So they are up to their standards.

But stores often differ in their interpretation of the English language.

We once heard of a store that had three grades of clothing.

All wool.

Strictly all wool.

Guaranteed strictly all wool.

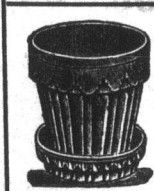
Wonder if the latter were really all wool,—rather doubtful, don't you think.

No mincing of words in this store. No relaxing from the old standards that we have built this business on.

All wool means ALL WOOL.

Have you seen the New Suits for Young Men?

THORNTON & DOUGLAS, Ltd.



Common Flower POTS

Now is the time to get them. Sizes up to 12 inches. Prices from 3c to 50c. Saucers to match all sizes.

Get the best Pots and Saucers made and get them at

GRAY'S CHINA HALL, King St. Chatham

P. S.—New stock of White China for Decorating just received.

PURITY.

LAGER BEER

"The Beer That is Brewed in Glass"

Ours is the only plant in Western Ontario having a glass-lined, closed tank system, which is the only system affording absolute security against pollution of the beer.

Wood rats, green wood rats faster than dry, quickly seasoned wood rats quick of all, and when exposed to air and water in Breweries' cellars wet rot comes on rapidly, and the beer brewed in open tanks is injuriously affected by it.

Our tanks are like a bottle inside, clean, no mould, no slime, no chance for rot.

Which is better, beer made in a closed, glass lined, steel tank, or in an old mouldy wooden one?

Color is no indication of strength as producers of thin, watery beer resort to coloring matter and other materials to conceal its weakness. A good beer gives a "full mouth" feeling when drank.

A heavy foam is no indication of good quality, in fact in many localities they demand less foam and more solid beer. Brewers of watery beer try to tempt the consumer by furnishing a beer charged with Krausen (beer 24 hours old) and having a beautiful cream, but if used to any extent is sure to produce sickness.

Poor goods are nasty competition and the public should sustain those producing the better goods.

A pure beer is a pleasant beverage and very healthful and should always give off a delicate aroma of hops and malt only. Any other smell or taste is almost POSITIVE EVIDENCE OF AN INFECTED AND IMPURE BEER.

Demand Walkerville Beer and You Will Get the Purest and Best

The Walkerville Brewing Co., Limited

WALKERVILLE, ONT.

F. A. ROBERT, Sales Agent, Chatham.

Dyspepsia? Don't lay it to your wife's cooking. It's your liver. Take a good

liver pill, a vegetable pill—

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