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New Lawn Waists, \$1.25 Each

Ladies' White Lawn Waists, with fronts made of fine shadow and solid embroidery and fine tucks, tucked Gibson straps over shoulder, trimmed with lace, tucked back, collar and cuffs; sizes 34 to 42. Special Christmas price, each **\$1.25**

Another fine Lawn Waist, with front of cluster tucks and fine panel embroidery, embroidery and tucked sleeves, tucked collar and band; sizes 34 to 42. Special price this week, each **\$2**

Our special \$1 Lawn Waist is excellent value. Buttoned front or back; front made of embroidery and tucked back, three-quarter or long sleeves; sizes from 34 to 42. Special price this week **\$1**

Scrim Cushion Frills, 48c Each

Scrim Cushion Frills, all ready for use, assorted colors, 4½ yards long; suitable for any embroidered cushion. Price on Wednesday **48c each**

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Satin Frills, two colors in each, 4½ yards long, ready for use. Regular price \$1 each, Special price Wednesday **89c**

Ladies' Slipper Socks, Regular 35c, for 25c

We have a quantity of Solid Leather Slipper Socks, size 5 only; lambswool uppers, soft and flexible, perfectly fits the feet. This line sells regular for 35c. Our price Wednesday **25c each**

Santa Claus will be on Toy Floor from 2:30 to 5 o'clock every day this week. Come and see him.

WOODS' FAIR

J. M. THOMSON

HELD FOR PERJURY

An English Capitalist Placed Under Arrest at Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Justice Riddell yesterday afternoon practically ordered the arrest of E. Kenyon Stow, an English capitalist, on a charge of perjury. He was defendant in the non-jury court in an action for \$31,200 damages. Justice Riddell acted peremptorily in giving judgment against Stow and in favor of the plaintiff, Mr. J. E. O'Mara, an Ottawa lawyer. Justice Riddell stated that Stow was dishonest and unreliable, that he had been uttering false words on the stand, and also stated that he had already laid the facts of the case before Crown Attorney Corley. The charge against Stow is that during his evidence under oath in open court, he made an assertion that he did not agree to give one J. Carling Kelly ten per cent of the stock of a company to be formed to take over the Ottawa Mining Company, such assertion being known to said Stow to be false and being intended by him to mislead the court.

Stow was brought before Magistrate Dwyer, who remanded him, bail being fixed at \$2,000.

TRIAL OF THE CROZIER

Witnesses Called in Case of Thomas Have Been Dismissed.

Milton, Dec. 8.—The first case in the docket at the assizes is still unfinished. The court has been crowded with those interested in the Crozier case, which grand jury found true, though the both men yesterday afternoon. A large number of witnesses were examined, including thirteen from Oakville, but they have been paid and dismissed, as Thomas M. Crozier will plead guilty tomorrow morning. Milton Crozier's case has been appealed by his counsel, J. N. Elliott, K. C., who asked that the conviction be quashed. Police Magistrate Shields having sentenced the prisoner to two years in Central Prison, a day beyond the limit, therefore, his case will stand for the present. W. B. Laidlaw, K. C., of Toronto, is co-operating with D. C. Cameron and J. N. Elliott for the defense.

Discontent isn't a bad thing to carry around with you if you can manage to use it on yourself alone.

CENSOR OF MORALS FOR STUDENTS

Flirtations at Glasgow University Broken Up By Lady Overseer.

London, Dec. 7.—For some time past the senate of Glasgow University has been of the opinion that the relationships between the young men and girls students had not been confined to a high plane of intellectual conference—that they had, in fact, sunk to the level of boy and school-girl flirtations.

In order effectually to put a stop to this state of affairs one of the lady lecturers was appointed censor of morals. She has carried out her duties with much marked energy that for days not a single couple has dared to engage in the most innocent conversation within the grounds of the university.

The silence imposed has been too much for the students, and yesterday the university magazine had the following comments on the situation: "It is a matter of common fact that wherever young men and maidens meet dalliance of one sort or another may be expected. But then, even a lady moral censor cannot be expected to stop that. The severe atmosphere of the nunnery, however desirable, is impossible at Gilmorhill, so there is an end.

"In the meantime we have facts to face. Here is prying, prying interference with our daily life, an insult to our university character. One swither (hesitates) between laughter and anger. It cannot conceivably last, so we shall jump to the side of the laughable. There is more to be said, but we leave it to our fellow-undergraduates to act forcibly and pointedly."

MURDERED IN HIS OWN HOME

Prominent Club Man in St. Louis Killed in a Mysterious Fashion.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 9.—Francis D. Hirschberg, a prominent insurance man, club man, and a director of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, was shot and killed in his home at 3818 Lindell boulevard yesterday morning. He died twenty minutes after he was shot.

Whether his death was the result of murder or suicide has not been determined. Members of the family aver that he was shot by a burglar. The police who are investigating the case doubt, however, that there is no evidence of the presence of intruders in the Hirschberg home.

A trail of bloodstains on the stairway leading from the reception hall on the first floor indicated that Mr. Hirschberg was shot at the foot of the stairs and then turned and walked back to his bedroom on the second floor. From there he staggered into his wife's room. Mrs. Hirschberg says she woke just in time to see him sink to the floor unconscious.

Made No Statement.

Mrs. Hirschberg had her husband carried back to his bedroom. He died soon afterwards without making any statement. As far as the police can learn, no member of the household was on the lower floor at the time of the shooting. Mrs. Hirschberg is deaf, and therefore, did not hear the report of the revolver.

It was largely through the instrumentality of Mr. Hirschberg that the Archbishop's residence adjoining the Hirschberg home was purchased. He was Archbishop Glennon's closest personal friend among the laity.

Related to English Peer.

A descendant of the Chauvin, Papin, and Choteau families, and having for wife a daughter of the late General D. M. Frost, the social position of Mr. Hirschberg was high. His widow is a sister of Lady Nobleworth, wife of an English peer. There are no children. Mr. Hirschberg was 54 years of age, and for many years had been a leader in the insurance business, having introduced in America the system of insuring employers against accidents to the committee that had charge of the entertainment of all distinguished guests who came to St. Louis at the time of the world's fair.

DEAD IN CAB

The Oriental Limited, Running Wild, Dashed Into Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 9.—The Oriental Limited, the crack train on the Great Northern, came rushing into the city limits of Minneapolis, its throttle clutched by the hand of a dead engineer.

Past speed warning signs, gates and semaphores it rushed along, while the locomotive was keeping up, spoke to the engineer. Then he turned and saw the man's face covered with blood. He leaned across the cab, hauled back the throttle, threw on the air-brakes, and brought the string of Pullmans to a standstill.

George P. Irvin, the engineer, was rushed to the city hospital, but was pronounced dead when the hospital was reached. He is supposed to have struck his head out of the cab outside of the city limits and to have been struck by some obstruction.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine
**Carter's
Little Liver Pills.**

Must Bear Signature of
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See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
FOR HEADACHE.
FOR DIZZINESS.
FOR BILIOUSNESS.
FOR TORPID LIVER.
FOR CONSTIPATION.
FOR SALLOW SKIN.
FOR THE COMPLEXION.
PURELY VEGETABLE.
CURE SICK HEADACHE.

"WHITE DEATH" SEEKS REVENGE

Physician Who Killed Burglar Ordered To Put \$500 in Confessional Box.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 8.—The mystery of a threatening letter signed "The Knights of the White Death," and wrapped around coffin handles and human bones which have long lain in the grave, has dovetailed into another mystery of two months ago. It became known last night that the target or two of the ghastly missives is Dr. Adolph Gehrmann, who in company with his brother, Louis Gehrmann, shot and killed Louis Louterbach, an ex-convict, who was in the act of robbing the Gehrmann house on Sept. 28.

The identity of Louterbach never was explained satisfactorily to the police, and it has been made more interesting on account of the fact that the threatening letters to Dr. Gehrmann were written the day following the shooting of Louterbach and announcing that the burglar was a member of "The Knights of the White Death."

It threatened the physician and his family with death unless \$500 was placed in the confessional box of St. Jariath's Roman Catholic Church at 11 o'clock Sunday night, Oct. 23. It was followed by a similar threat, dated Oct. 31, and embellished with rough drawings of daggers and revolvers, similar to those found on letters by the same author addressed to the Rev. W. O. Waters, of Grace Episcopal Church, formerly of Detroit, and Assistant Chief of Police Herman Schustler.

FOR WOUNDED HEART

Statement of Claim of Miss Wilhelmina Cummings.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Miss Wilhelmina Cummings, who has entered an action for \$20,000 damages for breach of contract, against Roland M. Boswell, of Elora, has filed her statement of claim at Osgoode Hall.

Miss Cummings says that:

1. Boswell made proposal of marriage by letter, dated June 12, 1903, which Miss Cummings accepted by letter on the day after.

2. They agreed verbally to marry some time between June 13 and June 30, and Boswell gave the girl an engagement ring, and it was agreed that the marriage should take place on June 30.

3. The plaintiff was ready and willing to marry the defendant on June 30, and had always been ready and is still ready and willing to marry the defendant, but the defendant neglected to marry her.

4. The plaintiff, in view of the intended wedding and at the defendant's request, incurred an expense of about \$150 in preparing clothing and other matters for the said intended marriage.

5. In consequence of the conduct of the defendant, the plaintiff lost the said marriage and the benefit thereof of the expense incurred as aforesaid, and is greatly injured in her feelings.

The plaintiff is the daughter of J. W. Cummings, Union street, West Toronto, and on June 30 last, was to be married at her parents' residence. The minister and several friends were present when the hour for the ceremony arrived, but the bridegroom came not. After waiting for some time the party separated, and later it was found that Mr. Boswell had left for England.

STATE BANK ROBBED.

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 9.—The State Bank of Maize, Kan., was entered last night by burglars, who dynamited the safe, took \$5,000, and galloped out of town, as awakened citizens hurried out of doors too late to capture the robbers.

ACTOR SHOT.

Bakersfield, Cal., Dec. 9.—E. N. Blacker, a prominent businessman of this city, surrendered himself to a sheriff last night after he had shot and fatally wounded Adrian Von Plank, a member of a local theatrical stock company. Blacker broke down the door of Von Plank's room, and the actor attacked him with a small revolver, one of the bullets lodging in Von Plank's spine, and inflicting a fatal wound. Domestic difficulties are said to have caused the tragedy.

WEATHER PROBS: Fine and Cold. **Smallman & Ingram Limited** THE SATISFACTORY STORE PHONE 655 Wednesday, DEC. 9.

FURS TOMORROW FURS

65 Odd Fur Pieces--Odd Prices, Too--Muffs, Scarfs, Stoles, Throws, Caperines

Grey Squirrel, Grey Lamb, Mink and Sable, in the Neck Pieces, and Sable, Grey Squirrel, Lynx, Isabella Fox, Astrachan and Electric Seal Muffs. In this lot we have just 15 muffs and 50 neck pieces. Being near Christmas we would like the men, as well as the ladies, to participate in this great offering. All have been laid aside and will be sold tomorrow. If the prices interest you, come. You won't be disappointed. Read every item in the following list. Note the furs, and note carefully the prices:

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| 26 Grey Squirrel Scarfs, regular \$5 and \$7.50. Tomorrow \$3 | 6 Sable Stoles, regular \$13. Tomorrow \$6 |
| 2 Grey Squirrel Muffs, regular \$13.50. Tomorrow \$7.75 | 4 Sable Stoles, regular \$20. Tomorrow \$9.75 |
| 7 Grey Squirrel Throws, regular \$8.50 to \$12. Tomorrow \$4.50 | 8 Sable Muffs, round; regular \$12.50 to \$16.50. Tomorrow \$7.75 |
| 3 Grey Lamb Caperines, regular \$10 and \$12. Tomorrow \$4.50 | 4 Mink Scarfs, regular \$15 to \$18. Tomorrow \$6 |
| One \$15 Lynx Muff, tomorrow \$6 | One \$4.50 Astrachan Muff \$2.50 |
| One \$18.75 Isabella Fox Muff, tomorrow \$7.75 | One \$4.75 Electric Seal Muff \$2.50 |
| | One \$5.75 Electric Seal Muff \$2.50 |

Every piece and price exactly as represented here.

The above are exceptional offerings for December, and before Christmas, too—but we have made the prices for a quick sale, and every piece of fur in the above list should go in one day. This, we think, will be the greatest opportunity of the year in Furs. If you are interested, come and have your pick—tomorrow.

THIRD FLOOR—TAKE ELEVATOR.

Bought Your Wool Blankets? Time Now if You Need Any

You can feel sure about the quality if you buy your Blankets at Smallman & Ingram's. They come to us direct from the mills, and from the best you may be sure, as quality must meet our standard before they are accepted. Buying in large quantities direct from the manufacturer, we are in a position to give you the closest possible prices. The extra values you will at once recognize in the range we are now offering at prices from, a pair **\$2.95 up to \$9**

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| Special Union Blankets, 60x78, at a pair \$2.95 | Fine, All-Wool, Soft Blankets, 68x82, at a pair \$5.50 |
| Finer Union Blankets, 60x80, at a pair \$3.50 | Fine, All-Wool Red Blankets, a pair \$6, \$6.75 and \$7.50 |
| Special, Fine Union Blankets, 66x84, at a pair \$4.35 | Fine All-Wool Grey Blankets, a pair \$4 and \$4.75 |
| Fine, All-Wool, Soft Blankets, 64x80, at a pair \$4.75 | Fine Grey Union Blankets, a pair \$2.75, \$3.25 and \$3.50 |
| | Crib Blankets, a pair \$2.25 and \$2.75 |

The Satisfactory Blanket

This Blanket is made of fine, pure white wools, thoroughly bleached—a beautiful, soft blanket, in standard sizes—at a pair **\$4, \$5, \$5.75, \$6.75 and \$9**

SPECIAL We make special mention of a blanket listed above, our 66x84, fine union blankets (which many prefer to the all-wool for washing). This blanket we have a wonderful sale for. It is a special size and quality at this price, and is becoming better known each season to our customers—give this blanket a trial. You have our, as well as the mill's, **GUARANTEE OF SATISFACTION.** A Pair **\$4.35**

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BANGER IN NEW YORK

Mr. Justice Britton Refuses Order to Remove Longaker Children.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—Mr. Justice Britton has refused Mrs. Elizabeth Longaker's request for a writ of habeas corpus directing the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Hamilton, to produce in court Mary Elizabeth York and Annie Reilly, aged 14 and 11, children of Mrs. Longaker.

Mrs. Longaker is at present the wife of a sheet metal worker in Brooklyn. She seeks to have her children with her in New York.

These children were born in Hamilton, where she was in such circumstances after the death of Mary Elizabeth's father in 1883, that she turned both Mary and Annie over to the Sisters to be cared for.

Mr. Justice Britton points out that the mother last saw her children in 1900. He adds that though her husband is said to be making \$45 a day, nothing has been paid to the sisters for the maintenance of the children whose custody is now sought.

"I cannot think it to the advantage of these children or either of them," says the judge, "that they should be taken from their present congenial surroundings and sent to New York, a big city, to live with a stepfather whom they have never seen, and with brothers by blood, who have had no association with their sister and half-sister to create or stimulate any affection between them."

"This is not a case," he added, "of a person who has illegally parted with the custody of a child. There is no question here about religious training. There is no complaint of proscribing. I regard this as a bona fide application by the mother."

Wonderful Miracles Worked By Dr. Hamilton's Pills

LEARNED PHYSICIAN ASTONISHED BY THE INCREASING NUMBERS OF HIS CURES.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 24.—That unusual knowledge is possessed by Dr. Hamilton is evidenced by the statement of Mrs. Macleod, of 514 Campbell road, of this city. For years this lady suffered with torturing, reeling headaches that could only be allayed by strong narcotics. "Different physicians," she states, "failed, so I decided to see what Dr. Hamilton could do. I purchased a few boxes of his Mandrake and Butternut Pills and their use immediately gave the most grateful relief. Headaches and their depressing influence left me. Spells of fainting weakness, long hours of sleeplessness, fear of nervous collapse, all these disappeared after treating with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. My restoration to vigorous health is complete and no remedy could do more than Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut.

By searching out all weak spots, by enriching the blood, nourishing and purifying the system, Dr. Hamilton's Pills work marvels for the sick and weak. 25 cents per box at all dealers.

KILLS WIFE AND CHILD.

Wakefield, Mass., Dec. 8.—Hiram L. Badger, a laborer, went violently insane today and during his frenzy killed his wife and little daughter Catharine, and then, running down Maine street, in the centre of the town, shot promiscuously into the stores that he passed. One of the bullets wounded Fred Wheeler, a grocer's clerk, in the leg. Badger was chased and finally captured by a crowd of the town people.

FIRE AT ST. JOHN.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 8.—J. E. Porter & Sons' general store, at Andover, with an adjoining building occupied as a pool room by E. Sloan as a store-room for a large quantity of canned goods, was burned early today. The loss is heavy.

Little Soldiers

In your blood are the millions of corpuscles that defend you against disease.

To make and keep these little soldiers healthy and strong, is simply to make and keep the blood of the right quality and quantity.

This is just what Hood's Sarsaparilla does—it helps the little soldiers in your blood to fight disease for you. It cures scrofula, eczema, eruptions, catarrh, rheumatism, anemia, nervousness, dyspepsia, general debility, and builds up the whole system.

LINGERING COLD.

Withstood Other Treatment But Quickly Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Last winter I caught a very severe cold which lingered for weeks," says J. T. Ughart, of Zephyr, Ont. "My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and guaranteed it, so I gave it a trial. One small bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best I have ever used." This is one of the most staple medicines in use. Thousands have testified to its excellence. It not only cures a cold quickly and effectively, but counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. It is equally valuable for children and may be given to them with implicit confidence. It always cures and is pleasant to take. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains no opium or other harmful drug.

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Cures colds and breaks up the fever in 24 hours.
If you "feel yourself taking cold", get a box at your dealer's—25c.
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