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MICHIE'S

Extra Old Rye is the Purest and Best

WHISKEY

And it is cheap—because the true measure of cheapness is quality. \$3.20 per gal.

At MICHIE'S,

5½ King Street West.

HOW THINGS HAVE CHANGED!

Controllers' World's Fair a Little Bit of the Past Presented by "The Evening Brick."

The board acquired in the Assessment Commission's arrangement to secure the Old Clothing Company's industry, and also in his recommendation for the payment of \$1200, Queen-street subway to the Estate Loan Company and \$750 to the Imperial Loan Company.

How Things Have Changed!

But when Mr. Fleming sprung a little obligation incurred by himself during his majority regime, he encountered a setback. He presented a recommendation for the payment of a little bit of \$30 to George W. Ingelhart for certain Board of Trade books containing information about Toronto. Asked in regard to the matter, the ex-Mayor stated that he had been a fact in understanding with his Board of Control that he should buy the books at the price mentioned. It appeared, however, that Mr. Ingelhart had ordered the literature on his own responsibility, and the Mayor did not see his way clear to pay for it. "What do you say about it?" asked his friend, Mr. Ald. Burns. "I will leave it to yourself and the Assessment Commission."

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Taylor Bros. were awarded the contract, subject to the Board's approval, of the annual supply of paving brick at \$14 per thousand for first grade brick and \$9 per thousand for second grade.

Trimming the Reports.

The reports of committees then came up, and the Board of Control approved an expenditure of \$17,280 for an asphalt pavement on Bloor-street, between York-street and Avenue Road, in honor of the Father Mathew anniversary, 1897. The Controller, not desiring to create a precedent, declined to create a recommendation of the Works Committee to purchase 200 tons of stone at \$8 per ton, to be broken, by striking out the preamble. "For the purpose of procuring work for the unemployed." The same was done with the recommendation for the levelling of the embankment at McNamara-street, and before the Board, however, and urged that it be done by the City Engineer. This was decided upon, and \$600 will be placed at the Engineer's disposal.

Liquor and Drug Habit.

On the occasion of a lecture delivered before a large and appreciative audience in Windsor Hall, Montreal, in honor of the Father Mathew anniversary, 1897, J. A. McCallen, S.S., of St. Patrick's Church, and President of the Montreal Total Abstinence Society, made the following remarks: "I wish to call attention to a large number of cases of drug and liquor habits, and I do this without his knowledge or consent. If I am to judge of the value of the Dixon Remedy by the cure which it has effected under my own eyes, I must come to the conclusion that what I have longed for twenty years to see discovered has at last been found by Mr. Dixon, namely, a medicine which can be taken privately without the knowledge of even one's own intimate friends without the loss of a day's work or absence from business without danger to the patient, and by means of which the physical craving for intoxicants is completely destroyed. Therefore, the Father Mathew anniversary, do I pay willing and hearty tribute to 'The Dixon Remedy' for the cure of alcoholism and morphia habits."—Montreal Gazette, Oct. 22, 1897.

Note.—The cure referred to above can be had of the discoverer, The Dixon Cure Co., No. 40 Park-avenue, Montreal, who will send full particulars on application.

Demand for Warrant Samples.

Up to date between 25,000 and 30,000 samples of Central Experimental Farm grain have been sent out, at the request of Ontario and Quebec farmers.

AT DRY GOODS ONLY

Clearing-Up Sale

Wednesday, 16th Feb. 1898.

In all departments, before the arrival of new Spring goods, splendid chances in Linen Damasks and Bed Linens, Towels and Travelling.

Linen and Cotton Sheetings, Linen and Cotton Pillow Cases, Lace Curtains and Coverlets, Art Muslins and Satens, White Marseilles Quilts, Eiderdown Quilts and Blankets, Black and Colored Dress Fabrics, House and Dress Length Silks, Organdie Muslins and Flannelettes.

MANTLES.

Jackets, Coats, Children's Blouses and Beavers, Walking Skirts, Silk Under-skirts, White Cambric Underwear, Flannelette Night Gowns and Gowns, Opera Flannel Dressing Scaques.

WATERPROOFS.

Hemstomies, in dark and light, navy and fawn checks, showing all sizes, at lowest prices.

FRESH ARRIVALS TO-DAY:

In Dress Fabrics, New Colored Plain Cloths, Black and Navy Cheviot and Eclairme Serges, New Styles Black and White Shepherd Checks, in Canvas Cloths and Tweeds; and many new arrivals of Black Dress Fabrics. A beautiful assortment of Unwashable Silk Grenadines, showing some new and exclusive patterns.

Rich Black Brocade Silks, New Plain Tulle for Blouses and other uses.

MAIL ORDERS given special attention.

John Catto & Son

KING STREET

Opposite the Postoffice, Toronto.

SENSATION AT ZOLA'S TRIAL

French Justice Appears to be a Very Peculiar Commodity.

Counsel for the Prosecution Can Bring Forward Any Testimony They Wish, But the Defendant's Lawyer is Squeezed and No Evidence for the Defence is Allowed—Cable News.

Paris, Feb. 16.—The trial of M. Zola for denouncing the army produced a big sensation to-day in the testimony of General Pellieux. The General considered that the proceedings showed that the defence attached no weight to the evidence of the sworn experts who had seen the original Bordereau letter, and added:

"I will prove to you here, with the papers in my hand, that the officer who wrote the Bordereau letter belonged to the Ministry of War, was an artilleryman and was seconded for service on the staff."

M. Laborie interrupted: "I ask that the Bordereau letter be spoken of, which the Bordereau letter speaks."

"It is not your turn to speak," replied the presiding judge. General Pellieux continued:

"An analysis of the Bordereau letter indicates that an artilleryman attached to the War Ministry could alone have known the facts recited, or have used the technicalities employed in the Bordereau letter. An infantryman could never have spoken of the things of which the Bordereau letter speaks."

"And now," exclaimed the General, raising his voice, "what remains of all this fabric? Not much, yet they accuse officers of acquitting a guilty man in pursuance of orders." [Prolonged sensation.]

"I can keep silence no longer. I cannot stand them trying to detach the army from its chiefs, for if the soldiers cease to have confidence in them, what will the chiefs do in the day of danger, which is perhaps nearer than people think? Then, gentlemen, of the army, your sons would be led to simple butchery, but at the same time M. Zola will have gained a fresh victory, and will have achieved a new debacle."

"We should have been glad if the court martial had acquitted Dreyfus, as it would have shown there was no traitor for the army, for all of us to mourn for."

The Muzzle Applied.

The presiding judge refused to allow M. Laborie to make a reply to General Pellieux. M. Laborie lodged a formal protest against the ruling of the presiding judge, and, turning to the jury, he protested against this "denial of the rights of the defence," after which, addressing General Pellieux, M. Laborie began:

"You are a patriotic declaration—" But the presiding judge immediately stopped the lawyer and requested him to drop the matter, to which M. Laborie replied: "If the trial last six months and I will persist until light is shed upon this affair."

M. Laborie reproached General Pellieux with telling the jury that he might shortly have war, and added: "We do not fear war with such soldiers as we have; but, if they are led by certain officers—" Here the presiding judge stopped him.

M. Laborie, a stenographer, affirmed that the Bordereau letter was in Major Esterhazy's hand-writing, and the witness did demonstrate this with the aid of the blackboard. The presiding judge, however, refused to allow him to do so, and M. Laborie ended his technical explanation of his assertion, and manifest impatience upon the part of those present. The court then adjourned.

War Might Follow.

Paris, Feb. 16.—M. Millerove, speaking last night at a patriotic meeting at the Grand Hotel, in which M. Laborie's document upon which Dreyfus was condemned read thus: Let us ask Camille Dreyfus what he has promised us. (Signed) Guillaume."

SALISBURY IN PERIL

Gap swung to on the Brougham and Cut the British Premier's Vehicle in Two.

London, Feb. 16.—The Marquis of Salisbury and his second son, the Rev. Lord William Gascoyne-Cecil, who is rector of Bishops Hatfield, had a narrow escape from death yesterday evening as they were entering the gates of Hatfield. A gust of wind swung the heavy gate against the brougham in which they were riding, cutting the vehicle in two between the wheels. The horses proceeded with the front part of the brougham, leaving the Marquis of Salisbury and his son entangled in the remaining debris. They received no injuries, however.

Prince Henry at Colombo.

Colombo, Ceylon, Feb. 16.—Prince Henry of Prussia and the German vessels under his command sailed from here yesterday, on their way to China.

Rhodes' Railway is a Go.

London, Feb. 16.—The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "All the details have been settled for carrying out Cecil Rhodes' scheme for the extension of the Bulawayo Railway to Lake Tanganyika. (Central Africa). There is no difficulty apprehended in getting £3,000,000, the amount of capital needed."

Rehabilitated Under the Surgeon's Knife.

Paris, Feb. 16.—Madame Sarah Bernhardt was operated upon this morning at Dr. Fournier's hospital. The cyst was removed with complete success.

Electricity on the Klondike.

Electrical engineers are deeply interested in the invasion of the new gold territory. Telegraph and telephone lines are already penetrating the region and some electric light and power enterprises are on foot; while one scheme even contemplates the use of a steady electric heat for thawing out the icy mass of mud, rock and sand in which the gold lies buried. The problem upmost in the waking thoughts and the dreams of tens of thousands of people is how to get to the region where gold just now is more plentiful than bread. Of the four overland routes which offer

THE ROBERT SIMPSON CO., LIMITED.

Colored Dress Goods

Tables of Dress Goods, in silk and wool, and covert suitings, worth \$50 and \$1 per yard, clearing at \$30.

Another lot of Silk and Wool Plaid, 22½ French Fancies, etc., reg. \$50 and 75c, clearing at \$30.

BLACK DRESS GOODS

44 in. Broadcloth, a beautiful line for skirts, reg. \$1.25, special \$1.00.

100 pieces Fancy Black, beautiful designs and extra qualities, reg. 75c and 80c, special 50c.

BLACK SILKS

22 in. Black Pique de Soie, manufactured by C. J. Bonnet, Lyons, France, magnificent quality, double faced, all pure silk, makes a durable skirt or dress, regularly sold at \$1.25, special price 85c.

21 in. Black Glace, 22½ Grey Silks, two and three toned effects, all pure silk, reg. 75c to \$1, displayed on bargain table for Friday, reg. 50c, special 35c.

22 in. Moire Velours, in pink, pale blue, black, white, gold and cream, reg. \$1.25, special \$1.

LINEN SECTION

54 in. Unbleached Tableing, reg. 25c, special 15c.

56 in. Unbleached Tableing, reg. 35c, special 20c.

64 in. Unbleached Tableing, reg. 45c, special 30c.

MESLIN AND DRAPERIES

240 yards of 45 in. Victoria Lawn, special 75c.

200 yards of Art Muslins, reg. 6½c, special 4c.

20 pieces White and Bora Sash, tamboured borders, reg. 25c and 35c, special 15c.

LIVING DEPARTMENT

40 in. Grey Waist Linen, satin finished, fancy design on back, reg. 20c, special 15c.

100 yards of Pure Linen Canvas, lawn, reg. 85c, special 60c.

450 yards Grey Striped Bedding, for sleeve linings, etc., reg. 18c, special 12½c.

TRIMMINGS AND SMALLWARES

500 yards Dress Buttons, fancy metal and black jet, reg. 15c and 25c per doz., special 50c.

500 yards Nickel-plated 7, 8 and 9 in., reg. 25c, special 2 pairs for 25c.

Silk Combs, black and shell, special 50c.

WASH GOODS

Dark and Light Print, perfectly fast colors, reg. 7c, special 5c.

Dress Satens, in dark ground, floral designs effect, fast colors, reg. 15c, for 10c.

FLANNEL AND SHIRTINGS

Unbleached Canton Flannel, heavy, soft and warm, reg. 15c, special 10c.

36 in. Apron Gingham, with or without borders, fast dye, special 10c.

Fine Imported Oxford Shirtings, new patterns, fast colors, special 12½c.

GLOVES

Ladies' Colored and Black Kid Gloves, 4 large pair buttons, embroidered backs, special 50c.

Men's Lined Kid Gloves, reg. 55c, special 40c.

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HAT DEPARTMENT

Black Ribbon Velvet, with satin back, 1½ and 2¼ in. wide, reg. \$5 and \$7, special \$3.50 and \$4.50.

Colored Mohair Antelope Ribbon, 5 in. wide, in black, blue, purple, Nile, apple, conquelet and cardinal, reg. 25c a yard, special for 25c.

LACES AND FERRILLING

Imitation Torchon Lace, 3 in. wide, reg. 15c, special 10c.

Imitation Lace, 1 in. wide, reg. 35c per doz., special 25c.

Fancy Ferrillings, in cream, pink, blue and heliotrope, reg. 20c and 25c per yard, special for 10c.

FURS

Ladies' Mink Ruffs, finest quality fur, head, tail and claws, reg. \$5, special \$3.50.

Men's Mink Ruffs, best quality, straight, with head and tails, reg. \$7.50, special \$4.50.

Men's Sable Capes, fine natural fur, reg. \$20, special \$15.

COAT DEPARTMENT

Special offering Friday in Children's Reckers, up to 12 years old, divided into 3 lots, reg. \$3.50, \$5 and \$7, for \$2.25, \$3.50 and \$5.

Table of Ladies' New Season Jackets, in different styles and patterns, some fur trimmed, reg. \$7.50, special \$3.

Ladies' Full Length Coats, in silk lining, half sleeves, fur trimmed, reg. \$7 and \$9, special \$4.25.

HAT DEPARTMENT

Men's Caps, in beaver cloth, serge or frieze, pull down bands, reg. 45c to 60c, special for 25c.

Men's Saddle Caps, Manilla shape, lined with fancy satin, reg. 50c to 75c, for 35c.

Men's Fur Caps, 2 Australian Wallaby and 2 Russian Goggles, lined with heavy fur, reg. \$20, special \$14.

AT THE POLICE COURT.

Thomas Badgley was convicted on several charges of theft of overcoats. One disappeared from the hallway of Charles K. Graham, 200 Berkeley-street, and was found in Badgley's house. Prisoner was convicted of the theft, and he was also identified as the man who stole overcoats stolen from the houses of Edward H. Hiscott, 100 St. Patrick-street, and H. C. Boomer, 41 St. George-street, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 34, for boys from 10 to 16 years of age, reg. 50c, special 25c.

COTING DEPARTMENT

50 only Youths' Suits, in good blue serge, long pants, sizes 33, 34 and 35, well made and trimmed, Italian fitting and good grey, every garment guaranteed to fit, reg. \$5, for \$2.95.

Children's Blouse Suits, in light blue or grey, made with large satin collars, trimmed with gold, blue or cream silk, head, sizes 22 to 27, for children from 9 to 10 years, reg. \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.75, special for 75c, \$1 and \$1.25.

"I believe that it was all an accident," said the Magistrate, when the Crown's case was closed. "Both prisoners who were charged with the theft of the overcoat, Fred Brophy, an East End cripple, was sent to jail for 30 days for assaulting Arthur Reeves."

A 42 fine was imposed on H. Rogers, riding a bicycle on the sidewalk on King-street west, was the offence. Others who were fined \$2 were James Cottrell, who blocked the Elgin-avenue sidewalk with his wagon, and Wm. Knott, a driver of a milk wagon, who neglected to secure his horse with a weight when he left the rig.

Jas. Wortley and James Bell were re-arrested, each sentenced to 60 days in jail for stealing two pairs of trousers from H. Thompson & Co., 35 Church-street.

Dyspepsia and Indigestion.—C. W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "Phase society in gross overeating and are suffering from indigestion. I have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. Mr. Charles A. Smith, Lind-say, writes: 'Painful indigestion is an excellent medicine. My sister has been troubled with severe headache, but these have been cured by me.'

EXTRA SPECIALS

Oien's Stop That Cough—at Drug Section—reg. 10c, special Friday 7c.

Several Dress Lengths, Covert Suitings and French Fancies, were 85c to \$1.25 per yard, your choice for \$3 a dress.

300 pairs of Women's Fine

Dongola Kid Button Boots, patent leather tips with McKay sewn and extension laces, collar and needle toes, regularly sold at \$2 and \$2.25, all sizes Friday at \$1.50.

Oranges for Marmalade, genuine

Palemo Bitters, special per doz. 15c.

BLANKETS AND QUILTS

7-lb. White Wool Blanket, sold regularly at \$1.50, special \$1.25.

Boys' Flannel Suits, best quality, sizes 30, 32 and 34, for boys from 10 to 16 years of age, reg. 50c, special 25c.

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W.A. MURRAY & CO.

FINAL

Remnant Sale

..... OF THE SEASON.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

We will place on sale the LAST LOT of OUR REMNANTS, prior to the receipt of the NEW SPRING GOODS, at

Less Than Half Price

TO CLEAR QUICKLY

COMPRISING

3000 Remnants.....

OF BLACK AND COLORED SILKS AND BLACK AND COLORED DRESS GOODS.

Every end has been re-marked and radially reduced in price to effect an entire clearance.

W. A. MURRAY & CO., KING E., TORONTO

EASTWOODS'

Retiring Sale

We must vacate our store one week from today, therefore all goods will be cleared out regardless of cost.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

REMEMBER—An opportunity to secure first-class Clothing at 40 per cent. less than cost of production may never offer itself again in a lifetime.

DRY GOODS.

Dry Goods and Staples of every variety must be cleared out regardless of cost.

ONE WEEK MORE.

Do not let this opportunity pass you by, but seize it while there is yet time. Save money by buying now.

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EVEN THE WISEST BECAUSE

Are frequently in doubt when it comes to buying a Piano

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If YOUR DIGESTIVE POWERS ARE DEFICIENT

If you need something now to create and maintain strength for the daily round of duties.

Take the Pleasantest of Malt Beverages,

John Labatt's Ale and Porter

They are PURE and WHOLESOME and will do you good. Try them. For sale by all Wine and Liquor Merchants.

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Lead packages only, 25, 30, 40, 50 and 60c per lb. Sold by all grocers.

The Davidson & Hay, Limited Wholesale Agents, Toronto.

Bargain Friday

Words mean little unless backed by deeds. Abused as it may have been, this store takes the word bargains at its real and unadulterated meaning: "An advantageous transaction—something bought or offered at a low price." The meaning can be applied in strictest sense to every detail on the Friday list.

FANCY WORK SECTION

Brilliant and Armstrong Wash Embroidery Silks, 10 and Roman, flower all shades, slightly faded on ends of skirts, reg. 50c, special 25c.

500 only Mummich Chinese Sacred Tilly in prime condition, reg. 80, special 30c.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR DEPARTMENT

Ladies' Silk Blouses, light and dark colors, reg. 50, special 25.

Ladies' Quilted Underskirts, in black, tulle and satin, reg. \$1.25, special 75c.

Children's All-Wool Kid-Sleeved Coats, in light and dark colors, lined throughout, reg. \$2 and \$2.25, special for 75c.

GARTERS AND CUFFS

Extra value in a Treasury Carpet, special for Friday, 25c.

Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, 53 in. wide, white or cream, reg. \$1.65, special \$1.25.

WALL PAPERS

530 Rolls of American Glimmer Paper, for parlors, dining rooms and bedrooms, 21 in. by 27 in. pattern, reg. 10c, special 6c; 18 in. Blended Borders, per yard 2c.

300 Rolls American Glitz, suitable for any room, for ceiling papers to match; 9 in. by 12 in. pattern, reg. 10c, special 6c; 100 Rolls of Ingrain Paper, in chocolate and light grey shades, reg. 15c, for 10c; 18 in. Pictures to match, special at 6c and 8c per yard.

PICTURES

25 Fruit and Game Pictures, 12 x 24, framed in 2 in. printed oak, with gilt finish, beautifully colored in natural colors, reg. \$2.50 to \$4, most clear out at \$1.

30 Medallions, St. Cecilia, Madonna and St. John, reg. \$2.50 to \$4, most clear out at \$1.

50 Views of the World, framed in 1 in. solid oak, with gilt finish, in boxes, we have sold these for 75c, to clear at 40c each.

FURNITURE

50 Arm Chairs, cane, impervious and perforated seats, large bent arms, high back, double run frame, finely turned spindle, well finished, reg. \$1.50, special \$1.

100 Solid Oak Tables, well finished, fancy beaded top, 12x12 in. shelf, reg. \$5, for 40c.

4 only Parlor Suites, quarter-cut oak solid walnut frames, highly polished, beautifully carved, covered in silk brocade, buttoned back and border, reg. \$45, special for \$20.

TOILET ARTICLES

White Crescent Toilet Soap, reg. 3 for 20c, special 15c.

Colonial Florida Water, reg. 15c a bottle, special for 10c.

Children's Black Rubber Circular Combs, special 5c each.

BASEMENT

Shelf Paper, assorted colors, choice of 6 colors, 48 pages for 5c.

Turquoise Enamel, Ten Kettles, No. 7 size, reg. \$1.25, special 75c.

75 Vinegar and Oil Bottles, reg. 20c, for 10c.

120 Glass Butter Dishes, with cover, reg. 15c and 20c, special 10c.

Enamel Imported Cheese Dishes, reg. 60c, special 25c.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY

Postage Stamp Albums, board binding, 40 illustrations represented, reg. 40c, special 25c.

Progressive Reader, and Tally Cards, with silk tassels, reg. 20c a dozen, special 15c.

Abbott's Note Paper, plain or ruled, in 5-ounce packages, reg. 15c, for 10c.

Special Reference Bible, students' edition, large type, ruffled leather binding, reg. \$1, special 75c.

SILVERWARE AND CUTLERY

Silver Plated China Set, 12 pieces, fork and spoon—in lined case, reg. 20c, special 15c.

Kitchen Knives and Forks, bone handles, Sheffield steel blade, special 10c a pair.

STERLING AND JEWELLERY

Sterling Silver Chain Bracelets, padlock clasp, plain or chased, reg. 90c, special 75c.

The Capetown Brilliant Scarf Pin, gold and silver, reg. 20c, special 15c.

Imitation Monkey Skin Purse, with clasp and card case, reg. 50c, special 25c.

1-lb. Metal Box of English Marshmallows, reg. 20c, special 15c.

Imperial China, 2 lbs. for 15c, reg. 12½c.

Sugar Candy Licorice Pellets, 20c, reg. 15c.

Lady Carmelita, 15c, reg. 20c.

GROCERIES

Lemons, 10c per dozen.

Apples, 10c per dozen.

Amelia Pancake Flour, 5c per pkg.