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## Another Chance

Regular \$14.50 Suits, on Wednesday at.....	\$9.00
Regular \$17.50 Suits, on Wednesday at.....	\$11.50
Regular \$18.00 Suits, on Wednesday at.....	\$12.00
Regular \$3.50, \$5, \$6.50 and \$7.50 Tailor-Made Skirts, on Wednesday at.....	1-4 off

You'll better appreciate this great money saving opportunity when you consider that these are positively the most elegant Tailor-Made Suits and Skirts shown in Chatham this season—all sizes—but not many of a kind. Better shop early Tuesday Morning.

### Thomas Stone & Son

78 and 80

Direct Importers

King Street



AND NOW FOR XMAS

## == Holidays ==

With the passing of November, the thoughts of all turn toward that great gift-giving day—Christmas—which is only three weeks away. We've been preparing for the Holiday trade for weeks and weeks—brought the best from both sides of the Atlantic together here for you to select from—useful articles of exclusive patterns at prices that are sure to tempt you. Just a glimpse of our famous Furnishing Department will convince you of our perfect state of readiness—it abounds with articles for men and boys' wear that make most acceptable gifts. No trouble finding just what you want at just the price. Never have qualities been better, varieties more wide and selections more beautiful. We urge early buying—the stocks are at their best now and many of the finest fancies cannot be duplicated.

### Furnishing Department

This department affords a rich field for seekers after serviceable gifts for gentlemen—and boys, too. It's a complete store itself.

**GLOVES**—The productions of the best glove-makers in the world are to be found in our immense stock. You can find a better assortment in town. Dent's, Perrin's, Reynier's and Fisk Gloves, \$1.00 to \$4.50 per pair. Others at \$1 and \$1.50.

**SUSPENDERS**—Plain and fancy, 50c up.

**MUFFLERS**—From the leading American and English manufacturers. \$1.00 to \$2.50.

**NECKWEAR**—Our stock is freshened by new arrivals twice a week. Wonderful new effects in rich silks—all shapes—50c and \$1.00.

Full Dress Shirts, \$1.50. Fancy Colored Shirts, \$1.00 to \$1.50.  
Night Shirts, 50c and up. Pajamas, \$2.50.  
Full Dress Protectors, \$1.50.  
Jewelry, Collars and Cuffs, Sweaters, Underwear—the latest fashions in each.  
Xmas Hats, from New York.  
New Method Suits and Overcoats, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00.  
Slater Slippers, \$2.50.  
Slater Shoes, \$3.50 and \$5.00.

**THE 2 T'S** = **TRUDELL & TOBEY**  
**SLATER SHOE AGENTS**

## "THE ARK"

IS THE PLACE TO BUY

YOUR FAMOUS STOVES,  
YOUR FAMOUS RANGES,  
YOUR FAMOUS TINWARE,  
YOUR FAMOUS ENAMELEDWARE.

YOUR CHRISTMAS TOYS,  
YOUR CHRISTMAS DOLLS,  
YOUR CHRISTMAS BOOKS,  
YOUR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

YOUR CHINA TEA SETS,  
YOUR DINNER SETS,  
YOUR TOILET SETS,  
YOUR FANCY LAMPS.

YOUR PLATED SILVERWARE,  
YOUR FANCY GLASSWARE,  
YOUR FANCY CHINAWARE,  
YOUR FANCY CARVING SETS.

All made by  
McCarty's, of London.

Xmas. Novelties  
For Everybody.

To be Seen Only in  
Our Upstairs Department.

100 Other Things  
Useful and Ornamental.

A visit to this great trading place will convince anyone that we have the right goods and right prices. We have one price and that's cash.

**"THE ARK"** - 89 King Street,  
Chatham.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SUBSCRIBE

### WAR AS IT IS.

Stanley McKeown Brown Will  
Describe South African Fighting as he saw it.

On Wednesday evening, in the Grand Opera House, under the auspices of Western City Lodge No. 93, I. O. O. F., Mr. Stanley McKeown Brown, the greatest and youngest war correspondent sent from Canada with the first Canadian Contingent, will give a lecture, illustrated by stereopticon and cinematograph views, which are the only moving pictures shown in Canada, from the embarkation of the troops on the Sardinian, their arrival at Cape Town, their camp life at Belmont. The battle of Paardeberg in action and the surrender of Cronje, also their engagement at Zand River, where the lecturer was wounded; the mule supply train, the second contingent leaving Toronto, the Canadian Dragoons leaving Winnipeg, and the charge of the light horse.

In the afternoon, for the benefit of the children, together with the above, a host of amusing pictures will be shown. Lieut.-Col. Rankin will occupy the chair. The full orchestra of the Independent Order of Oddfellows will discourse music during the evening. Plans now open at the Central Drug Store.

**Warrior Woes.**—Through damp, cold and exposure many a brave soldier who left his native hearth as "fit" as man could be to fight for country's honor, has been "invalided home" because of the ravages of the battle ground—Rheumatism. South American Rheumatic Cure will absolutely cure every case of Rheumatism in existence. Relief in six hours.—  
Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

## FROM OVER THE OCEAN

### Very Latest Cable News.

#### THE AUSTRIAN EMPEROR

HAS NOW DECLINED TO RECEIVE  
KRUGER—HOW A CHINESE GOV-  
ERNOR SLAUGHTERED MIS-  
SIONARIES.

London, Dec. 4.—"In response to a confidential inquiry as to whether Mr. Kruger would be welcomed here," says the Vienna correspondent of the Daily Mail, "a polite reply was returned to the effect that Emperor Francis Joseph had made other dispositions for the next few weeks."

The Vienna correspondent of the Daily Chronicle wires that Mr. Kruger will not visit either Vienna or Rome.

THE CZAR MUCH BETTER.

His Physicians keeping him in bed, although he wants to get up.

Livadia, European Russia, Dec. 4.—The Czar is so much better in health that he desired to get up to-day, but was advised by his medical attendants to remain abed till the end of the week. His Majesty is not allowed to read, and the Czarina reads to him at intervals. His appetite is increased, and he has become tired of his liquid diet. He asked for solid food, but the physicians would not allow him to partake of it.

MEET ON TUESDAY

Cape Colony Agitation Troubling the Government.

London, Dec. 4.—A Cape Town despatch, dated Dec. 3, says:—"The Colonial Cabinet met yesterday, holding the first meeting that had been held on a Sunday within 25 years. The ministers met again to-day to discuss the anti-British agitation. It is said that 10,000 persons will attend the Worcester congress. The principal speaker will be Olive Schreiner, the novelist. Eleven suspects arrested at Johannesburg in connection with the plot against the life of Lord Roberts will be deported, the evidence against them not being sufficient to warrant a formal trial."

AN AWFUL WRETCH.

This Chinese Governor did his Own Murdering.

Berlin, Dec. 3.—A special despatch from China to the Cologne Volks Zeitung reports a fearful mission slaughter in the province of Shansi. The first victims, the despatch says, were a Catholic bishop and his coadjutors, and four European priests, Franciscans, Italians and French. The governor invited them to his house, pre-

tending to give them better protection, but when they arrived their hands were tied. Then the Governor himself panicked them all. Next the governor went to the governor's residence with a number of soldiers, and seized six Marcelline sisters. He promised them money and distinguished husbands if they renounced Christianity, which they unanimously rejected. Thereupon the governor panicked them and also a number of Chinese priests thirty Chinese sisters, and two hundred orphans from 3 to 16 years of age. Fifteen seminarists who had hidden themselves in a cistern, were tied to stakes and forced to drink the blood of the first victims. They were then killed. A Chinese priest and two Christians who were attempting to escape, were caught and put in a small hut, where they were burned.

WILL TRY AGAIN.

Coom Paul Will Coax the Kaiser to Receive Him.

A special despatch from Cologne says Mr. Kruger, after he had received Emperor William's telegram, spoke as follows on a despatch styled "Friends of the Boers":—"I hope, with all my heart, that the circumstance, which prevents His Majesty from receiving me to-day, will become more favorable later. I shall never cease to have confidence in the spirit of justice of the Emperor, who without knowing me, sent me four years ago significant encouragement. I shall stay some time at The Hague, and will then renew my request, and this time the Emperor will not refuse." Mr. Kruger was very sad, and afterward retired to his apartment in tears.

#### SMALL-POX IN MICHIGAN.

Scores of Cases and Hundreds of People Exposed to Contagion.

Ludington, Mich. Dec. 4.—A disease which the doctors called chicken-pox, has been prevalent among the inhabitants of Custer village, this county, for two weeks. Yesterday the startling discovery was made that the affliction was small-pox. A physician returning from Custer last night says there are 60 cases of small-pox in the village, where less than 300 people live. In Scott's, a neighboring village, there are twenty or more cases, and the greatest alarm prevails all over the county. At Custer the church and schools have been closed, and the whole town quarantined. No trains are allowed to stop at the place and business is at a standstill. The authorities will immediately quarantine the whole township. It is believed many hundreds of people have been exposed, and a terrible epidemic is feared.

#### BY A PANTHER

This Wisconsin Girl was Carried off and Devoured.

Minneapolis, December 4.—A Cartwright, Wis., special to the Times says: (An 8-year-old daughter of C. F. Riley, a farmer living about 16 miles from here in the Mad Brook settlement, was carried away by a huge panther and devoured.)

The girl was walking in the road near the farm when the beast sprang from the woods, and taking the girl in his huge jaws, carried her into a

\$1.25

### A..... Shoe

A piece of bright dongola kid, a piece of clear sole leather, a few nails, the best silk, all combined by the best of workmen, make our new Women's Laced Boots, the best value for the price, \$1.25, Chatham ever saw. All Sizes.

Geo. W.  
Cowan

\$1.25

swamp, where she met a most horrible death, being torn limb from limb. The remains were gathered up and buried.

The community has organized a panther hunt, and the farmers will not lay aside their guns until the brutes shall be exterminated. Since they started out, a panther measuring 10 feet from tip to tip has been shot, and two other large ones have been seen.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, will be held Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 6th, at half-past three, at the residence of Mrs. E. W. Scane, Queen St. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

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## Our Leadership is..... .....Firmly Established

Because our tactics are those of the new era in storekeeping—that put integrity and thoroughness of service above everything else. That makes the best use of our talents and facilities in your behalf—to your best shopping advantage—to your complete satisfaction—to your utmost safety. Our methods and merchandise invite. Our qualities (always guaranteed) rise to highest plane of possible production. Our prices are LOWEST prices always. Our bargains are of the real genuine sort—conspicuous for their actuality—big because our big outlet consumes big deals—and makes the sharing of them equitably with you imperative. Everything that a modern store can be the NORTHWAY STORE is—and every day we give ample proof of our superiority and supremacy.

### Wednesday's Attractions

4 doz. Ladies' Felt Sallors, latest New York shapes, in navy, brown, black, fawn, pearl gray and cardinal shades, reg. \$1.25 Hats, Wednesday..... 60c  
Ladies' Trimmed Hats, handsome stylish effects, latest styles, worth reg. up to \$5, special Wednesday..... \$2.45  
20 pcs. New Wrapperettes, pretty styles, fast colors, extra values at 20c, 17c, 14c, 12c, 10c and..... 8c  
1500 lbs. Heavy Unbleached Sheetings, firm round thread, pure clean finish, full 36 in wide, worth 8c yd., special at..... 6c  
Bleached Table Damask, 2 yds. wide, real Irish manufacture, pure grass

bleach, in elegant designs, worth 65c per yd., special at..... 50c  
2 pcs. Heavy Homespun Dress Goods, 50 in wide, in shades of mid gray and oxford, reg. value 60c per yard, Wednesday..... 39c  
Taffeta Silk Waist, rich pure quality, handsomely made, five tucks and hemstitching on front, back and sleeves, lined throughout, new tucked collar, dress sleeves, in cardinal and black, real value \$7.00 special..... \$5.50  
3 doz. Black Satteen Waists, made in latest style, tucked back, dress sleeves and detached collar, extra values at each..... 60c

Black Sultan Satin Waists, rich, bright silky quality, tucked all over, latest sleeve, new military collar, fitted lining, exceptional value at each..... \$1.75  
Bargains in Ladies' Jackets—Heavy all-wood Frize and Beaver Jackets, coat or storm collar, in black, brown and gray shades, regular \$4.50 to \$6.00, clearing at..... \$2.75  
15 only Handsome Jackets in Heavens and Frize, thoroughly well tailored, perfect fitting style, regular \$5.00 to \$7.00, clearing at..... \$3.75  
Latest style Jackets in pretty fawns, browns, navy and black shades, worth regular up to \$10.00, clearing Wednesday..... \$5.00

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