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EIGHTY-SEVEN PASSENGERS AND CREW WERE LOST.

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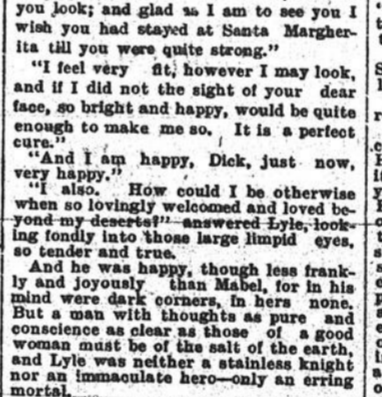
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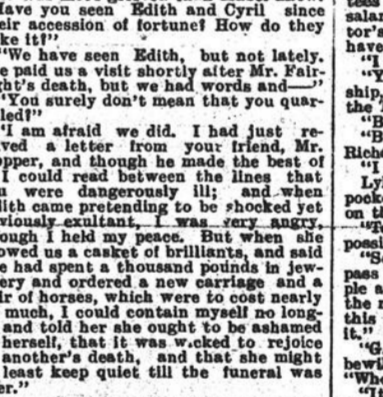
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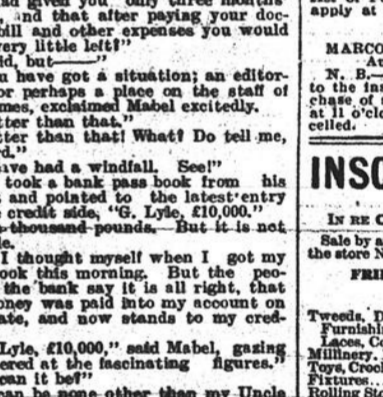
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EPSS'S COCOA. GRAPEFUL COMFORTING. Distinguished everywhere for delicacy of flavor, superior quality and nutritive properties.

Violin Allen strikes a knife into the shoulder blade of an actor in "The Conqueror." The act is dramatic art in its highest form.

Mr. W. H. Wright congratulates himself on his engagement of Mr. Seelye Brown as stage director of the Beryl Hope stock company.

John E. Ince, the comedian of the Beryl Hope stock company, is a legitimate mirth provoker.

The Park Theatre, of Philadelphia, always a high-class theatre, has been fully refitted in London, and the lists are now closed.

May Irwin will close her New York engagement with "The Little Sister Fitzwilliam" on Saturday night, February 13, and will appear at the Theatre Royal at the Mount.

Manager W. H. Wright promises that his new stock company, "The Queen's," will contain some of the most beautiful women of the stage.



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Average Circulation of the STAR Last Week, 140,809.

From the above figures are excluded upwards of fifteen thousand subscriptions, regarded as more or less ephemeral.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1898.

MR. SUTTON'S DEFENCE OF THE YUKON SCHEME.

Mr. Sutton holds the long distance record for talking on the Yukon Railway deal. He talked for five hours, and that without materially infringing the injunction that seemed to have been laid on the Ministerialists during the debate on the address, viz. not to say anything.

THEY SHOULD STUDY THE "RULES."

There is something to be said for "the old Parliamentary hand" after all. He has learned the art of keeping cool under fire, and he knows how to trust without over-credulity, how to resist without an iron-clad rule of the House.

THE "MAINE"

The sympathy of civilization will go out to the American people in their mourning over the loss of the Maine in Havana harbor.

The American people have, indeed, worn their hearts out in sympathy for the Maine. They have challenged its admirers by the superb calm with which they are awaiting the official report as to the cause of the disaster.

THE COUNTRY AWAKENING.

The Government need not be amazed to find the country waking up in a somewhat gradual manner to the enormity of their Yukon railway scheme.

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WINDSOR HALL. Thursday Eve'g, Feb. 17, ANNUAL CONCERT. Zingari Banjo and Glee Club.

Snowshoe and Skating Races. Postponed Race Meeting of the Montreal Snowshoe Club and Montreal Toboggan and Skating Club. M.A.A.A. RINK, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, Feb. 19th, 1898.

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE. Grand Council of Quebec. SEVEN, 20th Feb. 9:30 p.m. Mass Temperance Meeting.

TRINITY CHURCH. BAND OF HOPE ENTERTAINMENT. In the Lecture Hall of the Church. Friday Evening, Feb. 18th, 1898.

M. A. A. RINK. NOTICE TO MEMBERS. SEVEN, 20th Feb. 9:30 p.m. Mass Temperance Meeting.

THE ST. LAWRENCE. E. G. asks: Would you please inform me which is correct: that the River St. Lawrence starts at Lake Ontario or at Lake Superior? Ana.—From Lake Ontario.

MEETINGS AND AMUSEMENTS. ACADEMY. MRS. FISKE, TESS OF THE D'URBERVILLES.

THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK. THEATRE ROYAL. Every Afternoon and Evening.

MONUMENT NATIONAL. FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHT, 18, 19, Feb. Grand Musical and Spectacular Production of the Drama. FAUST.

EDUCATIONAL. Prof. Attila. The world famous instructor of physical culture.

Dr. H. J. Brodeur. SPECIALIST OF PARIS. SKIN, BLOOD-POISON, SCALP, and Genito-Urinary Diseases.

Remington Typewriters. Messrs. Spackman & Co., Montreal, Can. Gentlemen—You will be glad to know that our business in New York City for January, '98, was the biggest single month we ever had.

aletonia. Springs Natural Mineral Waters. Before After Wood's Peppermint Cure.

YOUNG BAPTISTS.

The Convention of Their Union Opens To-night.

REV. DR. MACARTHUR WHO WILL GIVE AN ADDRESS.

The convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of Quebec and Ontario opens this evening in the Olivet Baptist Church, the meetings continuing to-morrow afternoon and evening.

NOTARIES DINE.

A Provincial Event at the Richelieu Hotel.

MEMBERS ELECTED.

To the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society.

PROPRIETARY MEDICINE WRAPPERS.

Judgment was given yesterday in the Superior Court, by Mr. Justice Curran, in the case of D. H. Watson & Co. v. Watson & Co.

FIRE IN A STORE.

An Ontario Street Store Badly Damaged. A serious fire broke out Tuesday afternoon at 1004 Ontario street, in the store occupied by St. Pierre & Bros.

AMAZING DISCOVERY.

Startling Decrease in the Number of Deaths from Kidney Diseases. Interesting investigation at Perth-Whitford, Ontario, has been made.

THE AUXILIARY.

The Officers of Last Year Re-elected. The Diocesan Women's Auxiliary at yesterday's session adopted a proposal to amend the constitution in such a manner as to permit each branch to elect throughout the diocese to send an additional delegate to the annual meeting of the Auxiliary.

ST. SIMON'S YOUNG MEN.

At the regular meeting of St. Simon's Young Men's Association, held in their club rooms, on Monday evening, February 14th, the following officers were elected to hold office during the next six months: Hon. President, Rev. Frank Charters; Hon. Vice-President, Alfred Hawsworth; President, E. S. Hayman; Vice-President, S. W. Moss; Secretary, Thos. Light; Treasurer, R. T. Bellard; and Hon. Secretary, G. L. Brener.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. SYRUP OF FIGS. Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken, it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidney, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation.

SNOW CAUSES MUCH EXPENSE. Road Department Runs Out of Funds For the Time Being.

\$124,000 ALREADY SPENT. Meeting of the Road Committee to be Held Monday to Discuss the Matter. A meeting of the Road Committee is called for Monday to discuss the question of providing for the continuation of the work of removing snow from the city streets.

A NEW STEAMER. To Sail From This Port on the Allan Line. VESSELS WILL LEAVE AT NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING.

The Messrs. Allan make two important announcements for the coming season. The first is a change of sailing hour to 9 o'clock in the morning. Since the commencement of steam navigation from this port it has been the custom to have the steamer sail at the dawn of day.

THIRTEEN INCHES MORE OF SNOW. Yesterday's snow-fall, as registered at the McGill Observatory, reached a depth of 12.3 inches.

The arrival of trains in this city today was affected more than yesterday by the great storm. The delay was most marked on the Portland branch of the G.T.R. and the express from Portland was seven hours late this morning.

CALEDONIA WON. Defeated Ottawa in the Semi-Final for the Branch Tankard.

The semi-final in the Branch Tankard contest was played on Montreal this morning between Ottawa and Caledonia, and the victory was won by the latter.

THE DENTIST AND THE FORGER. Extraordinary Evidence Heard in the Police Court To-day.

GARDNER WAS FOUND GUILTY. An Alleged Conversation With Dr. Gardner Over the Late-ter's Wife. Harry W. Gardner was placed on trial in the Court of Special Sessions this morning for forging the name of Dr. Dion Young to a cheque for \$98.

YET ANOTHER "SETTLEMENT." Negotiations With Manitoba are Renewed at Ottawa.

TEXT BOOKS FOR MINORITY AND REPRESENTATION OF THE ADVISORY BOARD TO THE CONCESSIONS. (Special to the Star.) OTTAWA, February 17.—The Manitoba school question is, it is understood, to be settled once more.

HEALTH AND GOLD. A WILD OPENING. Long Interests are Buying Cash Wheat.

CHICAGO, February 17.—There was a wild opening in wheat, with May at \$1.06 1/2 down to \$1.05, against a close last night of \$1.05 1/2. It was a short panic. Within three minutes May was off to \$1.04, and later dropped to \$1.03 and up to \$1.04 again.

THE SMALLPOX CASES. The little girl Martin, who is the only patient in the smallpox hospital at the Civil Contagious Diseases Hospital.

A couple of days ago a young child was sent to the civil contagious diseases hospital supposed to be suffering from scarlet fever. The patient was admitted on the certificate of the physician of a public institution, but it now transpires that the child is not one of scarlet fever at all, but of inflammation of the lungs, and as the child is in the scarlet fever ward, the hospital doctors fear that it will contract the disease, but there is no infected ward to place the little patient in.

STOCK MARKET RATHER UNEASY. But Undertone Continues Strong With C. P. R. Steady.

HALIFAX TRAM AGAIN ADVANCES. The Canadian Speculators in American Securities Wish They Had Stayed at Home. Star Office, Thursday, 2 p.m. A somewhat feverish feeling pervaded the Montreal Stock Exchange this morning.

VICTORIAS FOR NEW YORK. Will Play There Barby in March.

ROXTON FALLS, Que., February 17. Mr. E. J. O'Brien has returned from New York, where he has been for several days.



THE ZOLA TRIAL—FIGURES IN THE COURT ROOM.

Mr. T. McClure Peters, a young and wealthy New York lawyer, now at the Queen's Hotel, has organized a Klondike expedition. A start will be made by tomorrow by C.P.R. for Vancouver, where provisions for eighteen months will be obtained.

At our stock list on page 10, the following are the names of the companies which are listed in the Montreal Stock Exchange.

BUSINESS NOTES. Cordage—Apples—Sausages—Tobacco—Cotton—Emulsified Ware—Tin—Plate Combine—Corn Convention.

The local cordage market is strong owing to higher prices for raw material and manufacturers here have advanced prices 10c to 15c per lb. The demand is improving. Some round lots of steel have been placed at 6 1/2c and manilla at 7 1/2c.

AMERICAN MARKETS. Receipts and Shipments. CHICAGO, February 17.—Receipts, 80,000 bush wheat; 100,000 bush corn; 100,000 bush soybeans.

RECEIPTS IN MONTREAL. Wheat, bush, 2,000; Corn, bush, 1,000; Soybeans, bush, 500.

MUST COME TO CANADA. OTTAWA, February 17.—The Minister of the Interior, Mr. J. G. Fisher, has announced that the Government will accept the offer of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to purchase the land in the Yukon Territory.

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SILK BARGAINS.

5 pieces Fine Checked Taffeta silk, all the new colors, party suit, only 50c per yard.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

100 yards All Wool Cashmere, assorted colors; this line on "Friday" 50c per yard.

PRINT DEPARTMENT.

2000 yards Choice Fancy Dress Muslin, all new colors, party suit, only 50c per yard.

COTTON DEPARTMENT.

Made-up Pillow Slips, in all sizes, prices from 50c per pair.

FLANNEL DEPT.

300 pieces Fancy Flannel, all colors, prices from 10c to 15c per yard.

FANCY GOODS DEPT.

For Friday we have set apart in our Fancy Goods Department two special 6c and 10c tables.

TOILET SOAPS DEPT.

175 boxes Witch Ham and Butter-milk soap, worth 50c, for 45c.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

A pleasing recognition of the value of all our SILKETS is shown by the fact that the price is 10c off.

Ties

1000 pieces Silk Windsor Ties, 50c each, for 45c each.

Collars

1000 pieces Collars, 40c, 125c, 50c, 60c, 70c.

GLOVES.

We have them in all styles, colors and prices, for Men, Women and Children.

PERFUMES.

200 bottles of the French Perfumes, 50c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00.

JEWELLERY.

Men's Sterling Silver Cuff Links, worth 50c, for 45c.

2nd Floor Bargains.

MANTLE DEPT. Now is the time to secure bargains in Mantles, as we have decided to clear out the balance of our stock.

CLOTH AND TWEEDS.

Heavy Double-width Cloth from \$1.10. Heavy Double-width Beaver Cloth from \$1.20.

3rd Floor Bargains.

Boys' 3-piece Norfolk Suits, dark brown and light checks. Regular value, \$7.75. Our price for Friday only \$5.00.

GENERAL PELLIEUX AT THE ZOLA TRIAL. General Pellieux at Last Makes a Statement.

WHO WROTE THE BORDEREAU? The Judge Refuses to Allow M. Laborie to Reply to the General.

PARIS, February 11.—It was the general belief yesterday that the Zola trial would end on Friday or Saturday. Now speculation fixes upon Wednesday as next week, or even a later date.

CHANGED SENTIMENT. Interest faded again with the resumption of the handwriting experts. Although the general feeling about the evidence is to show that Comte Esterhazy wrote the bordereau, proof of the change of spirit is shown by the court's decision.

GEN. PELLIEUX TESTIFIES. General Pellieux, in his testimony, considered that the proceedings showed that the defence attached no weight to the evidence of the sworn experts who had testified that the bordereau was written by him.

CHINA AND JAPAN. LONDON, February 11.—The correspondent of the Times at Kobe says: It is said that Baron Nihi, the Minister for Foreign Affairs, and the Japanese Ministers at London and Peking, advise Japan to allow a postponement of the payment of the war indemnity.

FILIBUSTERERS ROUNDED UP. KINGSTON, Jamaica, February 11.—A filibustering expedition destined for Cuba has been intercepted by the authorities, and a quantity of arms and ammunition seized.

RIGHTS DENIED TO DEFENSE. The presiding judge refused to allow M. Laborie to make a reply to General Pellieux's reply to his formal protest against the refusal of the presiding judge to allow M. Laborie to drop the matter.

THE SE. LAKE WINNIPIC'S PASSENGERS. HALIFAX, N. S., February 11.—The steamer "The Se. Lake Winnipeg" from Liverpool via Nova Scotia with Canadian mails, has the following first-class passengers on board.

GOING TO CALGARY. (Special to the Star.) TORONTO, February 11.—Mr. H. P. Charro, minister of St. George's Church, has just returned from a visit to Calgary as a visitor and acting Archdeacon of the diocese of Calgary.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS. Continued from Opposite Page.

BIRTHS. FERRAS—At No. 5 Boulevard St. de Feb. 10, 1915, Charles W. Ferras, a son, 3 days.

MARRIAGES. NADÉAU-DE LOTTINVILLE—At Three Rivers, Que., on Feb. 10, 1915, M. Nadéau, a son, 3 days.

DEATHS. BRUNET—In this city on the 12th inst., at the age of 35 years and 13 days, Al. Brunet.

DEATHS. LACROIX—In this city, on the 14th inst., at the age of 65 years, Hilarie Lacroix.

DEATHS. METROT—At Cap St. Ignace, Que., on the 10th inst., at the age of 70 years, some months, Emer Metrot.

DEATHS. RICHARD—At Montreal, N. B., Feb. 10, 1915, Mrs. Richard, widow of the late Edward L. Richard, aged 70 years.

DEATHS. WARD—At Molus River, Kent Co., N. B., on Feb. 7th, James Ward, aged 92 years.

COLONIAL HOUSE PHILLIPS SQUARE

Ladies' New Spring Dress Skirts.

Just received a large assortment of Ladies' Dress Skirts, in Black, Navy, Green and Brown Serges, Tweed Effects, Plain and Figured Black Mohair, China Silk Velour Moire, Black Silk Brocade and Black Fancy Velour Moire in the latest designs.

SPECIAL! A special line of Ladies' Black Figured Mohair Dress Skirts, OUR LEADER

\$2.50. Ladies' Black and Navy Blue Dress Skirts, \$5.50. Ladies' Black China Silk Figured Dress Skirts, \$8.50.

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It is no wonder that rubbers which are not the same shape as the foot should be uncomfortable. It costs money to employ skilled pattern makers, but the result is a satisfactory fit.

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They are honestly made of Pure Rubber. Thin, Light, Elastic, Durable, Extra thick at ball and heel.

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Remember, \$25.00 Cash will secure a Lot. Annex property is bound to take a tremendous jump before many weeks, as it is the intention of the GOVERNMENT to operate a Belt Line through the property.

AN IRISH WANT.

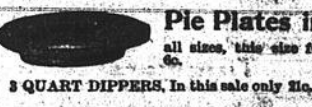
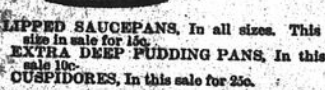
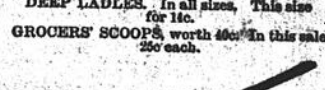
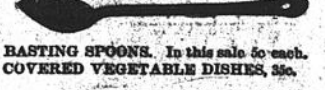
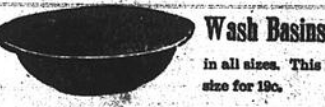
LONDON, February 11.—When the debate of the address in reply to the Queen's speech was resumed in the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. John Dillon, chairman of the Irish Parliamentary Party, moved an amendment in favor of a Catholic University in Ireland.

Tetley's TEAS

Elephant Brand. BEST OF TEA VALUE. 12 and 15 lb. lead packets, 50c and 60c per lb.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY MCGILL UNIVERSITY.

Montréal, October 14th, 1915. DEAR SIR: I have examined the two samples of Victoria Steel Enamel Ware, submitted Sept. 24th.



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ALWAYS LIBERAL.

Embrokshire Remains True to Its Political Faith. LONDON, February 11.—A by-election was held for Embrokshire on Tuesday to fill the Parliamentary vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. R. W. Davies, the Liberal sitting member.

ONTARIO A. O. U. W.

A Lot of Business Transacted by the Grand Lodge. TORONTO, February 11.—At yesterday afternoon's session of the A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge H. B. Hickox, of Buffalo, N. Y., the founder of the order in Ontario, was introduced and received a hearty fraternal welcome.

CONCESSION TO ENGLAND.

(Special to the Star.) LONDON, February 11.—The right to profess the Buriall Bill has been granted by China to England.

IS A CANADIAN

And, Therefore, Could Not Drive Uncle Sam's Mail Wagon. BUFFALO, N. Y., February 11.—Fred Pedlar, 24 years old, who has for some time been driving one of the mail wagons, has been discharged. It was brought to the attention of the authorities last Saturday that Pedlar was an alien, and Uncle Sam does not allow foreigners to drive his mail wagons or hold any government position.

SUPREME COURT.

Some Interesting Cases From Montreal Under Consideration. (Special to the Star.) OTTAWA, February 11.—On the opening of the Supreme Court yesterday, R. R. Hall, for the respondent, moved to quash the appeal in the case of McDonald vs. Galivan, on the ground that the respondent did not involve the recovery of \$3000, or involve questions affecting future rights.

CELEBRATING '05

LONDON, February 11.—At a largely attended meeting of Irishmen in St. James Hall last evening, convened to celebrate the events of '05, under the chairmanship of Mr. James O'Kelly, Parnellite, M.P. for North Devon, the proposal was unanimously voted to send a despatch of condolence to the American nation upon the loss of the war ship Maine.

RED PAIN AND WEAK WOMEN.

Dr. Collier's For Red Pain and Weak Women. Dr. Collier's For Red Pain and Weak Women. Dr. Collier's For Red Pain and Weak Women.

WINDSOR SALT

Windsor Salt. For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best. Windsor Salt. For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best.

HAMILTON'S

Friday Bargain Day!

To-morrow's Great Sacrifice Sale of Millinery.

A manufacturer's agent's entire stock of Hats, Bonnets and Millinery Goods, including the latest, the best, the most dependable of this season's merchandise bought by us for spot cash at a mere fraction of their former values. We quote prices that may seem exaggerated, but come and see the goods, you'll find each and every item all that we represent it to be.

There are some lines that we offer at such ridiculously low prices that they will last but a short time. For instance: Amongst the assortment there are 350 Children's Bonnets, Hoods, and Caps in Silk, Cashmere, Muslin, Elderdown, etc., trimmed to Lace, Swansdown, etc., any one of them worth from 75c to \$3.50. We will offer them from 10 to 11 a.m. for the hour only. Your choice of any one at 20c, positively not more than one to a customer.

50 dozen Ladies' Straw Sailors, rather early, but later they'll cost you 50c, to-morrow's price 10c
French Flowers, that are worth from 30c to 50c, clearing 2c Friday at
Ostrich Tips, two and three in a bunch, worth 50c to 75c, per bunch clearing Friday, per bunch 9c
An immense lot of Silk and Gauze Veiling, in black and colored, some worth up to 40c, your choice Friday at 5c

Steel Buckles, Brilliant, Jet Ornaments, Sequins and Jet Trimmings, piles of them, many worth 75c, your choice Friday at 10c
Velvet Ribbons, in pieces of 18 yards, worth 75c, while they last, Friday per piece 27c
Odd lines of Fancy Millinery Ribbon, 20c to 30c values, all 5c Friday at 5c

FREE OF CHARGE

Amongst the stock we found thousands of Sample Books of Laces, Veilings, Chiffons, Trimmings, etc., which can be used for fancy work. Children's collars, etc., some of the Lace Samples represent goods worth up to 75c yard and there are lots of them. We will give them away to-morrow morning between the hours of 10 and 11 a.m. that you get here in time to get a book.

We make this free distribution of samples at the above hour so that people residing at Point St. Charles, St. Henri, St. Ours, St. Louis, St. Jean Baptiste, St. Louis de Montmagny, etc., will have an equal opportunity of procuring books with people who live close to hand.

Oilcloths - 17c Ladies' Hose - 17c
2 yards wide, in very pretty patterns per square yard, worth 25c, while they last, Friday per square yard 17c
In all wool fine, gauge, fashioned 18" wide, ribbed, Shelland wool combinations, 3/4 ribbed, high neck and long sleeves, \$1.00 values for 50c.

Enamelled Saucers Black Serges - 15c
18 cents
A good wearing material, 48 inches wide, worth 25c.

Blouse Silks - 15c
In Navy and Black grounds with white polka spots.

Lonsdale Cambric - 7c
36 inches wide, worth 10c.
8 1/2 Yards White Sheetings for 10c.

LADIES' \$1.00 SCARFS FOR 10c.
If you are a crowd around our Neckwear Counter, this will explain the cause. I 250 Ladies' Black Brussels Neck Scarfs, 36 inches wide, ends trimmed Cream Colored Lace, 3 inches wide, unnecessary to state that this style scarf is the very latest style; every well dressed woman wears one, they are worth \$1.00, you can have one to-morrow at 10c.

Only one to a Customer, please don't ask for more.

Ladies' Rubbers - 30c **St. Hyacinthe Flannel**
First Quality, not Seconds, worth 40c.
In light and dark Gray, flannel and plain, strictly all wool, worth 25c, while they last, Friday per pair 30c.

Gent's Kid Gloves - 10c **36 inch English Prints**
2 Button Length, in Black only, regular 25c, positively but one pair for each customer.

Swiss Handk. - 5c **Ladies' Beaver Jackets**
Ladies' size, Handsomely Embroidered, with Scalloped edges, worth 10c.

Laces - 5c **Ladies' Serge Skirts**
Valenciennes from 2 to 4 inches wide, worth 10c to 15c.

Damaged Purses - 1c **Ladies' Corsets - 25c**
Some of them only slightly imperfect.

Tooth Brushes - 1c **Boys' Pants - 25c**
Regular 10c quality.
Duplex Safety Pins, per card worth 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c, 12c, 13c, 14c, 15c, 16c, 17c, 18c, 19c, 20c, 21c, 22c, 23c, 24c, 25c, 26c, 27c, 28c, 29c, 30c, 31c, 32c, 33c, 34c, 35c, 36c, 37c, 38c, 39c, 40c, 41c, 42c, 43c, 44c, 45c, 46c, 47c, 48c, 49c, 50c.

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The well named \$1.00 value for 95c.

Matchless Quilt at \$1.08

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Boys' Reefers.

Navy Blue Nap Reefers, well finished and lined with good strong Tweed, sizes 28 to 30, \$2.75.

Two-piece Suits.

Boys' All Wool Tweed two-piece Suits, in dark grey and fancy mixtures, \$2.75 to \$3.00.

Three-piece Suits.

Boys' All Wool Tweed Suits, in brown, grey and fancy checks. Prices from \$3.50 to \$4.50.

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95 pieces of Black Sicilians, rich black dye, the chosen styles for 1938, excellent value at 45c a yard, to-morrow's price only 25c a yard.

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65 pieces fancy figured Black Mohair Dress Goods, leading 1938 designs in large and small patterns, you'd consider them cheap at their regular price 50c a yard. Our price for To-morrow is 33c a yard.

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42 pieces Black Figured Satin Cloth, new-cut patterns and best designs, bright satin sheen finish, grand value at 45c a yard. 42 pieces of yards will go out To-morrow at 25c a yard.

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Last Friday we had exactly 110 of these handsome Silk Waists, to-day less than half, they were bought with a Big Silos taken of their ordinary prices.

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Exactly like out There's about 190 of these Ladies' Handsome Elderdown Flannel Breakfast Jackets. They come in the daintiest of such colors as Pink, Blue, Cream, Grey, Mauve, lawn, etc. and are neatly trimmed with contrasting shades of crochet edging and are fashionably cut; new roll collar, and latest sleeve although they are worth \$1.50 each, The Big Store will clear them out To-morrow at 95c each row at.

A Towel Cut

A popular cut in Towels sold to to-morrow. 300 dozen White Turkish Towels that usually sold at 30c each, will go to-morrow at 5c.

Silk News.

There's only 20 pieces in this lot, our buyers wishes there had been double that quantity at the price he bought them at.

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A special purchase of White Rubber Hot Water Bottles will go out to-morrow. Two quart size, regular value \$1.50, 55c to-morrow. Three quart size, regular value \$1.25, 75c to-morrow.

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Our London House has sent us this lot of Ladies' Kid Gloves bought with a big discount taken of their regular price and will go out with the same big discount taken off here. There are

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You'll wonder at the value of these collars when you see them to-morrow in

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Hundreds of these Pant Stretchers were sold last Friday, we've hundreds more to sell to-morrow. They are a New and Improved kind that's easily adjusted and are usually carried at 75c a pair. The Big Store's price for To-morrow 49c a pair.

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7 cent White Cotton at 1-1/2 per yard is a bargain that will bring hundreds to the Big Store to-morrow. The supply is limited, it's the kind of cotton that's suitable for ladies' underwear and sold regularly at 20c, even several points and sold at 15c a yard. To-morrow at 12c a yard.

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EXTRAORDINARY SALE OF BLACK DRESS GOODS.

450 yards of New Black Dress Goods will go on sale to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock. This extraordinary sale is the direct result of a large purchase made by our London House from a firm of manufacturers in Bradford, England, at a price that would hardly pay for the wool that made them. They were bought for spot cash with a large discount off the original prices, and although splendid value at the ordinary price The Big Store will disregard all precedent and yield to the fascination of a quick sale by offering them at the following prices:

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ARMSTRONG-At 1800 St. J. St., on February 14, to the wife of Dr. M. E. Armstrong.
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CROCKER-At 1800 St. J. St., on February 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Crocker, a daughter.
EDWARD-At Kingston, N. B., on January 19, to the wife of Richard Edward, a daughter.
HEWSON-At Le Hurst, Amherst, N. B., on February 14, to the wife of E. E. Hewson, a son.
JEWELL-At Bay of Islands, Halifax, on February 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jewell, a son.
LUTES-At Lake Paul, Aylesworth, N. B., on January 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lutes, a son.
LONGMIRE-At Hillburn, N. B., on February 14, to Captain and Mrs. Arthur Longmire, a son.
MELROD-At West Branch, Kent Co., N. B., on February 14, to the wife of Daniel Melrod, a daughter.
MCALLEY-At Mordon, N. S., on February 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert McAlleey, a son.
RIPPY-At Annapolis Royal, N. S., on February 14, to the wife of Samuel Rippy, a daughter.
BEIFER-On the 14th February, at Quebec, the wife of A. E. Seifert, of a son.
SNOW-At Harrigan, Kings, on February 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Clemeth Snow, a daughter.
SMITH-At Springhill, N.S., Feb 14, to the wife of Alfred Smith, a son.
SMITH-At Valleyfield, Q.E., on the 14th inst., to the wife of D. F. Smith, of a daughter.

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Sensational Stories That Proof of Destruction by Torpedoes is Found

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The World has not yet Recovered from the Shock by which 260 Lives were Lost—Eight Canadians Drowned.

DR. HOLETTE'S SYRUP OF PEPINE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS CURES

ICE OF QUEBEC. Dept of Lands, Forests and Fisheries.

Quebec, 8th February 1898. Several lives have been lost...

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Maine all afternoon of the day of the explosion. The bomb might then be deposited near the magazine.

THE DISASTER. Details of the Dreadful Affair are Coming to Hand. It is now estimated that at least 260 American seamen lie at the bottom of Havana harbor and are food for the sharks.



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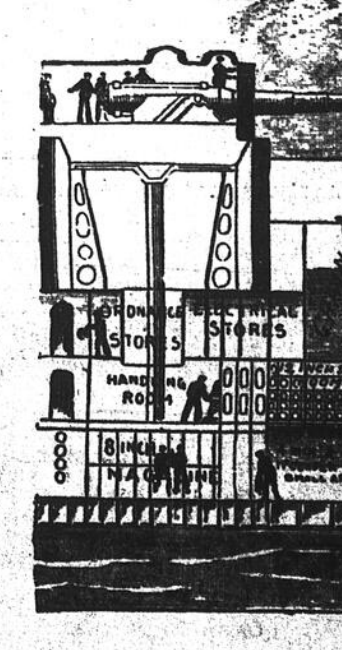
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SECTION OF THE BATTLESHIP MAINE, WHERE THE EXPLOSION OCCURRED.

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For another musical treat of the highest order the public are indebted to the magnificent organ recital given by M. Guilman, the famous organist of La Trinite de Paris, in the St. James Methodist Church last evening. Surely some of our citizens must have felt a pang of compunction at the thought that there is no public concert hall in the city fitted with an organ, and for that reason the important event of M. Guilman's farewell well had to be given in a church which will not be suited to such a purpose. It is certain, however, that should be filled in our city, and had there been a hall, there is no doubt that the audience last night would have been a large one. It was noticeable that the part of the audience last time, were not strongly in evidence at the church. A word notice directed to the program, which contained a short sketch of M. Guilman's career and works, and also an interesting description of the organ stops and combinations. As for M. Guilman's organ playing, it is doubtful if the majority of the audience realized the splendid abilities of the white haired artist, who, in his first recital, so quietly before the console, though they had before the end of the program the opportunity to go to his recital, and his abilities and form a conception of their merit. M. Guilman is never sensational in his playing, and he never strikes a fan-far-far effect. His work is developed upon the strictest principles of interpretation, and in his playing is perfect models of construction, and in his playing is perfect models of construction, and in his playing is perfect models of construction...

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BAD SIDEWALKS. Two Actions Instituted Against the City. Two actions have been taken against the city for accident sustained on account of the bad condition of the sidewalks. Mr. J. Payette, alleges that on Dec. 19th, 1897, he fell at the corner of St. Hippolyte and McGill streets, and broke his arm. He places his damages at \$400. Elizabeth Pike, widow of Thos. Moran fell on the sidewalk, on Anderson street January 12th, 1898. She sustained such injuries that she now sits the city for \$500.