# A Question of Quality, Quantity and Value!

Sets forth the argument for this month's selling features. No flimsy imitations are tolerated in this store for the purpose of naming alluring price-figures.

No offer from maker or importer is ever accepted unless the goods meet every demand for quality.

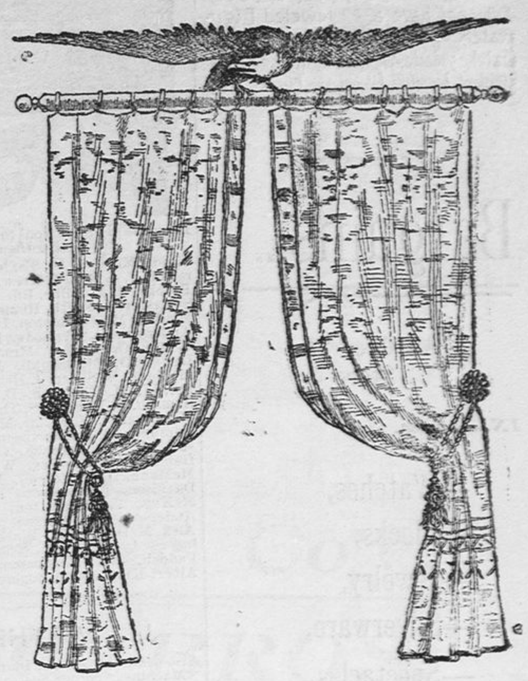
No quantity too great when the inducement to buy is a sacrifice price that admits of selling advantage.

No value overlooked in the buying affairs of this business. Its success is due to its efforts to obtain the best quality for the least money.

## A COLLECTION OF LACE CURTAINS.

500 pairs strong comprise the lot. An interesting item to offer just at house-cleaning time. Perhaps far more interesting in actual saving than one could understand without a personal investigation. This is one instance where wholesale quantity buying demonstrates its value-creating powers for the consumer.

| 100 pairs | 75 pairs | 50 pairs | 50 pairs | 50 pairs | 50 pairs | 25 pairs | 10 pairs |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $1.00. | $1.25. | $1.50. | $2.00. | $2.50. | $3.50. | $5.00. | $7.00. |



### China Mattings.

36 inch Fancy Colored Matting in Small Patterns, assorted designs for..... 20c
36 inch Plain and Fancy Mattings, with Cord Warps and jointless..... 25c
36 inch Plain and Fancy extra quality of jointless and Cotton Warp Matting..... 40c

### Chenille Curtains.

36 inch Curtains, 3½ yards long with heavy fringe and dado at top and bottom, special at.. $3.00
Chenille Curtains, 3 1-4 yards long, extra wide width, with extra quality Chenille Fringe and dados at..... $4.00
Chenille Curtains, 3 yards long in assorted colors, with fringe and dado top and bottom, special at..... $2.50

### Carpets and Rugs.

HERE'S AN OFFER OF SPECIAL PRICES:

Extra quality of Wool Carpets in a variety of patterns, 36 inches wide, patterns and qualities the best, at..... 50c
Best quality of pure all-wool Carpets, 36 inches wide, the regular $1.00 line in all the newest designs..... 85c
50 pieces of extra quality Tapestry Carpet, all new patterns and latest colorings at..... 50c
25 pieces of Brussels Carpet with Borders and Stairs to match. These Carpets are extraordinary value at..... $1.00
Tapestry Rugs, 9 feet wide, 10½ feet long..... $8.00
Tapestry Rugs, 9 feet wide, 12 feet long..... $10.00
Union Rugs, 9 feet wide, 10½ feet long..... $5.00
Wool Rugs, 9 feet wide, 10½ feet long..... $7.50

### Linoleums and Oilcloths.

OILCLOTHS FROM 18 INCHES TO 144 INCHES WIDE:

| 18 inch | 22 inch | 27 inch | 36 inch | 45 inch | 72 inch | 90 inch | 144 inch |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10c yd. | 12½c yd | 15c yd. | 20c yd. | 37½c yd. | 60c yd. | 87½c yd. | 60c yd. |

Stair Oil Cloths, with borders on each side, at 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c.
Floor Oil Cloths, for rooms and halls, per square yard 20c, 30c, 40c, 60c, 75c, 85c. $1, $1.20, $1.40.

### Window Shades.

Colored Blinds with dado, 36 x 72, spring roller attached, 20c.
Plain Blinds, best quality, 36 x 72, in all colors, good spring rollers and fixtures..... 35c
Dado Blinds, best quality, 36 x 72, in assorted colors, with spring rollers..... 35c
Colored Blinds with lace or fringe on bottom, in different colors, best quality cloths and rollers, 36 x 72, at..... 40c

# DUNDAS & FLAVELLE BROS.



## SHOE DRESSINGS

Are always in order, but more especially inthe summer season We have a line of Shoe Dressings in stock that will surprise you. They are all high-class goods and we can recommend them to you.

### Here are a few Pointers:

Whittemore's "Elite" Combination, a first-class article for "Box Calf," "Black," "Vici," "Kid" and all black leathers. Price 25c.

Whittemore's "Dandy" Combination, the best for all russet and tan leathers. Price 25c.

Whittemore's "Nobby" Combination will produce the best results on brown or chocolate colored shoes. Price 25c.

Whittemore's "Gilt Edge" is the favorite among the Ladies--also for men's fine shoes. Price 25c.

Whttemiore's "Jewel" Brown Combination for renewing and polishing all kinds of brown and chocolate leather. Price 15c.

Whittemore's "Boston" Waterproof Blackings for Men's and Boys' Heavy Boots. Price 25c.

Blacking in Tins—the kind that gives the quickest and most lasting shine. 5c and 10c.

**W. M. ROBSON,**
**WEST END 3 STORES**



**Windsor Salt**
Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.


## TOWN NEWS

### LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Special attention paid to Repairing of Watches and Jewelry at HUGHAN & Co's.

—Wanted—A nurse girl, not under twelve years of age. Apply to MRS. THOS. ARMSTRONG, No. 12 Russell-st.—18-2.

—Secretary J. C. Ross of the local Y.M.C.A. delivered an address to young men in the Baptist church, Stouffville, on Sunday evening.

—The steamer North King will commence her regular trips between Cobourg, Port Hope and Charlotte for the season of 1898 on May 2nd.

—Provincial Supt. Orr will be at Manilla on May 12th and conduct spraying experiments in Mr. Henry Glendenning's orchard. Those interested will govern themselves accordingly.

—The editor of the Burks Falls Beacon is ungallant enough to remark that there is an advantage in the ladies chewing gum, as while the fair ones are chewing that they cannot "chew the rag."

—Miss Wingrove will open her kindergarten school on Monday. It will be to children's advantage to enter at the beginning of the term, so that they may be properly graded. School 27 Cambridge-st., one door south of Russell.—16-2.

—Under the provisions of the New Act, Marriage Licenses are issued by MR. THOS. BEALL at his residence, Albert-st. at any time of the day between 6 a.m. and 11 p.m.; also at his office in G. W. Beall's jewellry store during business hours as usual.—8-tf.

—A meeting was held at Janetville yesterday at which Judge Benson and Inspectors Tilly and Knight presided to arbitrate in the matter of a new union school section, made up from Manvers and Ops. Mr. E. H. Hopkins appeared for Ops and Mr. J. Hannah for Manvers township.

—Ops township council, at its session last Monday, condemned the use of narrow-tired wagons, and requested the county council to petition the provincial legislature to prohibit the manufacture of narrow tires for heavy vehicles in this province at once, and abolish their sale as soon as expedient.

—We notice that the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal have made preparations on a gigantic scale for reporting all phases of the war between the States and Spain. Those who are lucky enough to be subscribers to the Family Herald and Weekly Star must surely feel that they are getting their dollar's worth many times over.

—The following words can be sung by those to whom it applies to the popular tune which every school boy can whistle: "We don't want to buy at your place, we don't trade there any more; you'll be sorry when you see us going to some other store. You can't sell us any stale goods; we have opened wide our eyes; we don't want to trade at your store, 'cause you don't advertise."

—Mr. Harold A. Richardson of London, Ont., formerly of the Dominion bank, Lindsay, is nothing if not fond of a good horse. In this connection we are pleased to see that Mr. Richardson has a pair that he thinks are good enough for any company and to demonstrate his belief has entered them in several events at the forthcoming Canadian horse show to be held in Toronto next week. He has entered the mare Olive in the harness class not exceeding 15.2 hands also in the saddle class for same, while "Barbara" will compete in the classes for light-weight green hunters, open jumping, and Corinthian. His many Lindsay friends will be pleased to hear that he has been successful.

### LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Lost—Between Cambray and Lindsay, the inner tube of a bicycle tire. Finder will be obliged by leaving at THE WATCHMAN.

—The Canadian Order of Chosen Friends and the Foresters of Oakwood will hold their annual excursion to Niagara Falls on June 25th.

—A Sunderland lady writes Dr. Neelands that he made her a successful fit after having eight sets of teeth made in Toronto and elsewhere.—17-tf.

—My surplus stock of thoroughbred poultry for sale at half-price. Also hatching eggs. J. J. WETHERUP, Box 415. Cor. Peel and Sussex-sts., Lindsay.—16-4.

—Mr. Geo. Little has bought that pretty brick residence on Cambridge-st. formerly owned by Mrs. Flavelle, sr. The price paid was $1,700. Mr. Little will occupy it soon.

—The Queen's Own band, Lindsay, and the Orangemen of Valentia purpose running an excursion to Coboconk on May 24th. This will be an outing worth waiting for. The steamer Alice-Ethel, without barge, has been engaged for the trip.

—With the return of spring will come the usual grist of house to house canvassers with all kinds of schemes. They should be summarily dismissed by all sensible housewives, as few, if any, ever sell an article worth the price asked.

—The annual meeting of the public library will be held on Monday evening, May 2nd, at 8 o'clock in the reading room. The annual report will be presented, officers elected, and any general business transacted. A full attendance is requested.

—Mr. Thomas Robinson of Emily died Saturday night, the result of an injury sustained two weeks ago through the running away of a span of spirited horses. Good hopes of his recovery had been entertained by his medical attendants all along, but it is supposed that a blood vessel broke, as death resulted in about ten minutes after severe symptoms set in. Deceased was a member of the board of education and belonged to the Chosen Friends. He leaves a widow and four children—two sons and two daughters.

—Spring is here. It arrived on Tuesday. Our omen has put in an appearance. The financial agent of the south ward base ball club called on us on the above mentioned day to solicit the required "surplus" to float this annual enterprise. The customary preamble to similiar important documents had been dispensed with and apparently by the aid of numerous grimaces the secretary had gone right to to the point as follows: "We want some money to buy a ball and two or three bats, two deckers, one for the catcher and one for first base and a mask."

It seems as though our citizens may as well give up the effort to remain in existence. Just as they have regained their composure after dealing with the wheelmen a new danger menaces them in the form of horse-racing cranks. On Tuesday night an exhibition of this pastime attracted the attention of everybody but the authorities and converted Kent-st. into a race track for a couple of heats. The frequency with which we have to develope undignified haste and dash for shelter to escape destruction from one cause and another is exasperating to a high-spirted people.


**LADIES' SAILOR HATS.**

Better value than ever. Untrimmed sailors, 23c, 35c. Trimmed Sailors, 25c 40, 50c.

J. SUTCLIFFE & SONS.


### LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—For Wedding Presents Rings or Marriage Licenses go to HUGHAN & Co's.

—Mr. E. Benson is offering his property in Lindsay for sale and intends leaving town.

—Vest-pocket receipt books—very handy and cheap—for sale at THE WATCHMAN office.

—Wanted, immediately, two apprentices to learn dress-making. Apply to MISS ARNOTT, Kent st.—16-2.

—A meeting of the C.E.T.S. society and friends will be held in St. Paul's Sunday school on Monday. Good program; everybody welcome.

—Red Bird bicycles have arrived at Riggs' store. Three prices, cash $45, $55 $70—or sold on the instalment plan if desired. See these wheels before making your selection. The best wheels on the market to-day.

—The G.T.R. trainmen are required to have 17 jewelled Waltham watches. W. F. McCarty has now on hand a number of movements accurately adjusted that meet every requirement of the railway authorities. He is quoting special prices and will take old watches in exchange. See him about it.—18-2

—The mystery regarding the disappearance of Mrs. Richard Read of Young's Point on the early morning of March 30th last has now been cleared up, and it is known that the unfortunate woman met her death by drowning, though whether by accident or by her own mad design cannot be stated. The body was discovered floating near Henderson's Narrows in the river a short distance above Lakefield, not far from the residence of Dr. Douglas, by her son and Mr. P. Young of the Point. Mrs. Read was an aged woman and a long illness during the winter evidently brought on temporary insanity during a spell of which the unfortunate women wandered down to the river near her home and was carried away by the current.

—Messrs Wm. Needler, Patrick Curtin, and John Gunn, license commissioners for West Victoria, met on Thursday last to consider applications for liquor licenses for the ensuing year. In Lindsay these were granted to John Wardrobe, W. H. Simpson, Elias L. Siple, Thos. McConnell and J. J. Walsh; shop license, J. R. Shannon; wholesale, W. H. Haslam. The cases of Geo. Carr, W. A. Brooks and D. Holmes were reserved for later consideration. The transfer of John Dorgan's license to Wendell Mattell and also Mr. Mattell's application for license were both granted. Mr. Burns was not so fortunate in his request for shop license, although supported by counsel of Licensed Victuallers' Association. In Woodville Messrs. McGowen and Nealon were granted license, and in Eldon township Messrs. Campbell, Dusty, Barrett, McKinnon and Harriet McRae. The application of Mr. S. P. Clarke was not in the hands of the inspector early enough to be considered.

—Eighty-year-old athletes are becoming scarce. They are not, however, extinct. A gentleman of that age who a year ago could not tell one letter from another came into this office on Saturday and wrote a few lines signing Narsesse Emsur, Kirkfield, in a very good hand. Mr. Emsur is a Frenchman by birth; has had three honorable discharges from the Canadian militia, and is thereby entitled to a free grant of 300 acres of crown land, which he has never yet applied for. To show how lightly years sit upon him he bent his body back till his head touched the floor and raised himself upright again; balanced his body on his hands across a box and placed his face against the floor; seized a heavy office chair by the rungs and lifted it and its 135 lb. occupant several inches from the floor. Mr. Emsur is a tinsmith by trade, and has lived in Kirkfield for some years.

### LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—JACOBS' Parcel Delivery positively meets all trains. Leave orders at Morgan's Drug Store.—3-tf.

—Cheese factories and creameries must be registered. Owners should apply to the department of agriculture, Ottawa, for registration.

—Careful phrenological examinations made by Prof. Dean, Lindsay, graduate of the American Institute of Phrenology, New York.—41.

—Prof. Dean will be at home Saturdays, o give phrenological examinations. Office and residence, 18 Regent-st., north ward, a few doors west of William-st.—41.

—Crayon Portraits, life size, in a beautiful frame, from $3 up. A sitting free if you have no photo. Agents wanted FOWLER & Co., Photographers, Lindsay.

—Remember the meeting of the cricket club in Mayor Taylor's office this evening, for the purpose of reorganizing for the season. All interested in cricket are invited to be present.

—Posters have been issued by the town offering fifteen cents a hundred for the destruction of tent caterpillar nests on the shade trees about town. The boys are taking advantage of the offer, and the harvest promises to be a large one. If it secures the extermination of the ravaging pests the money will be well expended.

—Last week the properties facing on William-st., from Peel-st. corner to Pyne's terrace inclusive, were bought by Mr. Len. Newton from the Midland Loan Co. for $2,250. That purchase renders Mr. Newton possessor of the property from the river bank on Peel-st. to the terrace mentioned, so that he is pretty much lord of all he surveys in that section. Important alterations will convert the hotel building into dwelling houses.

—A Galway farmer, named McGee, who has been working on the drive, met with a shocking accident on Saturday evening. He was assisting in breaking a jam above Kinmount, when it gave way suddenly and a log shot out and pinned his leg against a pier, crushing it very badly. He was taken seven miles to Kinmount and Dr. Frost advised taking him home before the limb was dressed. This necessitated a further trip of five miles in a wagon. It is probable that he will loose the limb. He was about to leave the river for his farm the same evening.

—The wheelman's troubles thicken. His sky is overcast. He has become subject to law like the common herd who scorch not. In future he is seen on the sidewalks no more, but labors along the roadway. His occupation is gone, for pedestrians can now elude his attack. Life is sadly off-color. His high gear is laid aside, for has he not to scale the crossings. He is putting mud-guards on his vehicle, for does he not know, has he not seen the Lindsay asphalt. Moreover Chief Short lies hourly in wait to detect him recreating as of old and straightway gather him in and present him before the beak, whence, not having the price, he shall travel to Castle Jackson and therein sojourn while the days are going by to the number of three score and ten.


**BOYS' and MEN'S CAPS.**

Imported direct from makers in London. Boy's Blue or Fancy Hook-Down Caps, 10c, 15c, 20c. Men's Tweed or Worsted Hook-Down Caps 15c, 20c, 25c. Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, best value ever offered; Boy's 15c, 19c, 25c, 35c; Men's 25c, 40c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

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**LADIES' TIES, COLLARS and CUFFS.**

Ladies Fringed Ties, the latest novelty, 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00.
Ladies' Collars, variety styles, 10c each
" Cuffs " " 15c pair
Ladies' All Linen Collars, variety styles 15c each.
Ladies' all linen Cuffs, variety styles, 25c pair.

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### LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Mr. W. Weese shipped a carload of horses to Montreal yesterday.

—The bicycle club meets to-night at the curling rink at seven o'clock for their first club run.

—Cosy brick cottage and two acres of good garden ground, in the south ward, for sale quick. A dead bargain. Nice home for retired farmer. Apply at A. B. Terry's.—16-2.

—Representatives of the Fenelon Falls Power Company have been in town for several days and have secured a provisional contract of the town lighting for ten years and also several private contracts. Appearances indicate the success of the undertaking.

—Many Americans who hold to the opinion that distance lends enchantment to the view, have decided to watch the war proceedings from Canadian points. As a result rents have advanced in Toronto and our summer resorts are apt to be crowded till the cold weather.

—We regret that through attention to reports on the street we published an article stating that Mr. Chas. Bartlett had sold his butcher business. As a matter of fact Mr. Bartlett has been ill and is still in very poor health, and while he has not sold out he is compelled to offer his prosperous business for sale.

—Miss E. Pauline Johnson, the Indian poetess and reader, appeared before a fair audience in the school room of St. Paul's church, under the auspices of the Y.M.A., on Tuesday evening. The programme consisted of ten numbers, of which Miss Johnson contributed seven. The other three were musical selections—a piano duett by Misses Corneil and Thompson and violin music by Mr. Humphrey's class. Miss Johnson was stronger than on any former occasion and her capital work emphasized the regrets already felt that she will be heard here no more. Culture and practice have developed her phenomenal powers to a great degree since her first appearance in this town, while travel and distinguished association have not at all diminished her love for her race, or the passionate fires that kindle while with poetic beauty she tells the romance, tragedy and pathos that marked the life of nature's noblemen in the western world. Brilliant and unique, she has won a place in our literature and receives from public life amid universal regrets.

—The May number of the Delineator is called the commencement number. It has three full-page illustrations of graduation costumes, with a descriptive article, and should be the banner number of the year. In general matter the magazine will compare favorably with many that are purely literary. Mrs. Meynell's paper on the humor of children is a delightful bit of writing, and the department of social observances, conducted by Mrs. Cadwalader Jones, is this month of more than usual interest. Dr. Murray's contribution on rheumatism and gout is a valuable addition to her series on "The Common Ills of Life." The house mother this month is particularly considered in "Aids to Home Nurses." The Delineator Publishing Co., 33 Richmond-st. West, Toronto. Subscription price of the Delineator $1.00 a year, single copies, 15c.

### LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Counterfeit five cent pieces are in circulation in all the large cities.

—Mr. Joseph Cooper has lost his handsome collie dog, and in other columns offers a reward for its return.

—Wm. Henders, Manvers, owns a Yorkshire White sow three years old, mother of a family of 87 grunters. Her first litter numbered 16, second 18, third 16, fourth 18 and fifth 19.

—After practice on Friday night last the members of Cambridge-st. Methodist church choir were entertained by Mrs. Korle. The special object of the gathering was to say farewell to Mr. Orwin A. Morse, who for the past two years has been organist in that church. After tea the pastor and members of the choir took occasion to remark at some length upon the highly satisfactory services Mr. Morse had rendered as well as the esteem his personal qualities had gained. Mr. Morse, in reply, had only good words to say of his associations in Lindsay. The organ will be in charge of Dr. C. McLean until July, when Mr. Morris arrives.

—There came to hand last week the first number of the "Citizen and Country," a new by-monthly journal published by the Wrigley Co. of Toronto, with Mr. G. Western Wrigley as managing editor. This paper is well printed and contains 16 pages of three twelve-inch columns. It is devoted to social, moral and economic reform. In stating its purpose the editor says: "It will give prominence to a full and fair discussion of all debateable subjects that concern the public good. Every phase of every subject will find the fairest possible treatment in its columns untrammelled by the entangling alliances of party politics." A high and worthy mission surely, and one that merits for the publishers hearty and wide spread support. The subscription price is $1 per annum.

—A good number of young men listened to Mr. R. J. McLaughlin in the Y.M.C.A. rooms on Sunday last. His subject was the relation of politics to religion and its discussion was most thoughtful and suggestive. A few leading propositions will give an idea of its nature, for example: The chief service of the subject is to the state. Formerly that service was mainly military; now it is mainly civil. The office of the minister is to-day regarded as the highest, but it should not be forgotten that in the Jewish state it was not so. Moses was greater than Aaron, Saul than Samuel, David than Abiathar. The ruler was greater than the priest or prophet. Every organization is a party. A political organization is a political party. They are necessary. The parties govern the country; the independents bring about changes in government. In England politicians are wealthy, in this country poor and hence subjected to great temptations to use their positions for personal advantage. A man may sacrifice everything to party but his principles. ..... We are sure that if the Y.M.C.A. could get Mr. McLaughlin to amplify his talk and deliver it as a lecture it would be both popular and helpful.


**CARPETS, CURTAINS, FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.**

Riverside Jute Carpets full yard wide, 22c yd.
Riverside Union Carpets, full yard wide, 35c, 40c, 50c.
Lace Curtains, 2 1-2 yds. long, 35c 45c, 50c.
Lace Curtains, 3 yds. long, 75c.
" 3 1-2 yds. long, $1, $1.25.

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