

People desiring reasonable investments should send their daughters to this school, and they will be prepared in Bookkeeping, Telegraphy, etc. We know of no young man and woman who are as well prepared as those mentioned in this study is more successful in their profession to invest in the above mentioned profit producing business. Write for our catalogue of the course. J. FRITH.

HAPPENINGS

Little Loc... There are 10 patients. The coroner's afternoon found the cause to his death... condemned double... Port Perry... of putting in a system at a cost of \$25,000... man of Berlin, for... has prepared the... season's cut... says it has been... ever had. It lasts... December and for... four or five years... by the close of the... The new Orange... of Emily... Friday, Dec. 12th... er and entertain... M. P., and other... men are expected... deliver addresses... Mr. R. H. B... notice the erectio... house at Peterbo... The plans call for... 1200 or 1400 peop... space 40 x 108... The ladies of... mittie desire to... who so friendly... erate the hospit... opening... Mr. Henry Walte... nipeg hospital on F... was foreman of a... on the Canadian... He had been in the... week suffering fro... body will reach her... morning... Now is the t... Christmas presents... our assortment very... plete, consisting of... Reed and Kattan... Chairs, Fancy Tabl... Secretaries, Ladies'... Music Cabinets, T... tension Tables, Pa... room Suites and a... that go to make... ed furniture stock... NEY, opp. Benson... I want your... You will save m... with us... with me. The... good for you on the... You will be... best if you purch... Front Grocery... Coffee, Sugar, Spic... Jams, Jellies, in... you require to m... luxurious. JOHN... Mr. Wm. Dove... coming into prom... of pit game fowl... pullets to the Sou... ped twenty-five... has just received a... young cockerels... pullets. He want... of pure-bred Geord... or five years ago... to supply the deman... ed. Admirers of g... co and Southern S... dian-bred birds, as... stronger than Ame... The Kawartha... panypany are bu... steamers into win... Kenosha will lie... the Alexandra a... Carew's mill... T... been boarded in a... the west side of the... of Elgin-st... The... in winter quarter... Peel-st... Provincial Ro... Campbell will be a... public meeting... month... Joe Laundry... were tightening so... car in the yard th... the shunter came u... and the men had t... hot haste to escap... The local amat... their concert on T... Academy was a cro... nance was late sta... train bringing the... ra was behind time... when it did arriv... class feature of the... about 30 strong... physiogns, coats to... trousers made quit... and white. The c... tween Interlocutor... men contained som... The choruses were... solo passages, a... work excellent. A... made a hit with hi... into which he intr... local references. A... Ed got; the Germ... Mr. Edmonds' pi... all right and the... o'clock, the audie... union chorus a...

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**THE LIBRARY BY-LAW**  
We are not so enthusiastic over the benefits of the Public Library as some; nor do we believe that it is advisable for a town like Lindsay, to, at the present time, spend or engage to spend large sums upon a library. At the risk of being regarded as barbarian by some people, we are free to say that roads are of far more importance to this town at present than a library, and that if the \$1000 now put into the library every year, were spent, instead on the streets, it would be a good thing for the town. The amount of money now being spent on education in Lindsay is out of proportion to that spent on material improvements, which, after all, must be the foundation of all intellectual advance; for if these are not looked after, not the town's intelligence alone, but the town itself must disappear. There is no use in being so idealistic and refined as to overlook the physical and commercial basis of life.

However, a proposition is now before the town with regard to a new public library building that cannot be ignored. It forces the question of further expense for library purposes upon us. It does it permanently, but nevertheless does it, and in such a form as to involve the acceptance or rejection of \$10,000 in cash. The thing to be done now is the best thing. In the future no doubt the library now offered the town will be a great advantage to it. Likely the town will not feel much better able to build a library than it does now; for other expenses will have grown by then. Hence, it seems altogether desirable to get the \$1000 now offered us.

To do that, a site for the building must be got. It seems that to give a part of the town property would result in legal difficulties that might easily cost as much as a purchased site. It is proposed to buy a site, say the Wilson corner, and a by-law for \$2,000 to do so is to be submitted in January. The site is a good one and to buy it for that sum seems about the simplest and best way of securing Mr. Carnegie's \$10,000. On these grounds we favor the by-law.

EDITORIAL NOTES

THE MONTREAL STAR, which was the hottest advocate of the British cause in South Africa, and made most inflammatory assaults on the Canadian government for not sooner sending troops, now speaks of the conflict as "a sad and shameful war."

TO THOSE WHO who remember the fight The Watchman-Warder put up against gas light for the streets, where, that we are to blame for its being on the streets, will look like a good example of the lengths to which a man will go to load his responsibility for a blunder, upon somebody else.

SAID IN FEW WORDS

Mr. Ben Aubrey, (Montreal) "Anybody who wants a position in an important store or a bank, or as book-keeper in Montreal, must be able to speak and write English. As a result most of the French Canadians there talk both languages."

"The Watchman-Warder is to blame for the gas light being on the streets," said Mr. R. Kyle. "If it had left the committee alone, we would have made a bargain with the Light, Heat and Power Company. We never intended to put in a municipal plant but talked about it only to bring the company to time."

The temperance people of Manitoba made a big mistake when they refrained from voting on the plebiscite, said Mr. Christopher Chittick. "The liquor party is very bold up there now. By the time the provincial elections come along many will have forgotten their intention to punish the government, new voters will come in, and it seems to me the temperance people have lost their chance."

Rev. Dr. Potts: "If we are successful in this temperance fight we shall go right after more; if we are beaten we shall begin again, for this evil must be overcome."

"People drove into town from out as far as near Cannington, on Saturday" said Mr. Thos. Armstrong. "Some came in sleighs for there was more snow west than here."

Inspector Knight: "I don't admire the man who will go to temperance gatherings, but will not attend a Bible Society meeting. The latter is by far the more important."

"Foxes are very plentiful in Fenelon this year" said Mr. Geo. Jordan. "They are robbing lots of chicken roosts, but a good many are being shot."

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| Viols                           | Albums                             |
| Guitars                         | Purses and Wallets                 |
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| Boxes Cigars                    | Baby Cutters                       |
| Boxes Tobacco                   | Doll Garraiges                     |
| Cigar Cases                     | Doll Tables and Chairs             |
| Pouches                         | Dolls Nicely Dressed               |
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| Briar Pipes                     | Sleeping and Kid Dolls             |
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| Silver Mounted Pipes            | Cards etc.                         |

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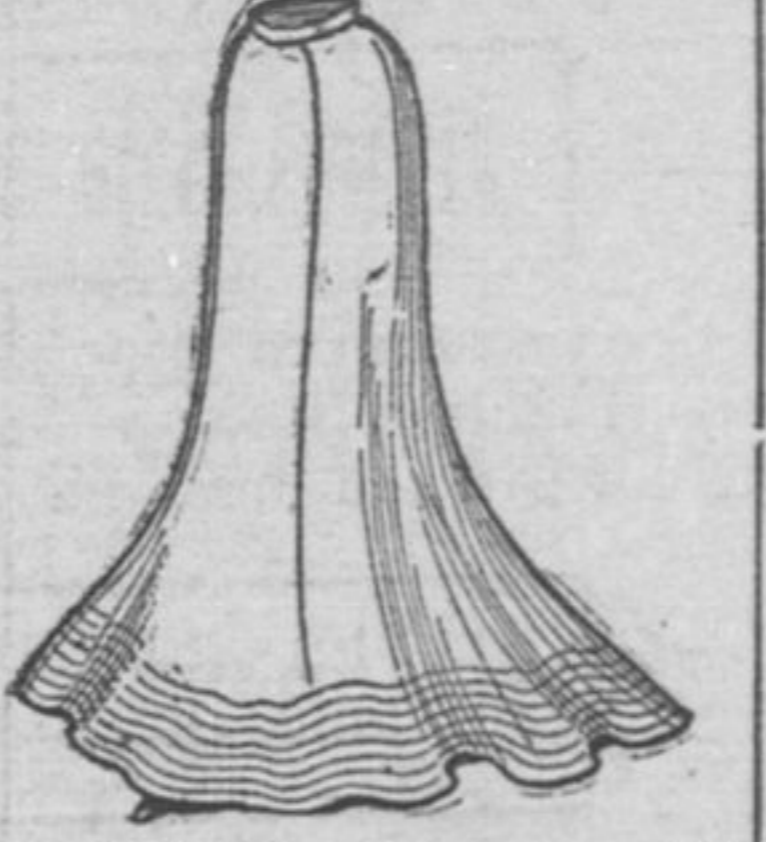
Round and About  
This Store FROM NOW UNTIL XMAS.

Each Day the Scene changes—new novelties are constantly being unfolded. As some lines become cleared the gaps will be filled by others. Because you were here last week, or even yesterday, is no reason why you shouldn't repeat the visit to-day and again to-morrow; always something new to be seen here. The list below gives you only a slight idea of this store's preparations for Xmas.

FURS

- Alaska Sable Neck Scarfs
- Sable with eight tails, special, \$8.50, others \$10, \$16.50 and \$18.00.
- A large variety of ALASKA SABLE CAPERINES, MUFFS, BLACK and BLUE OPPOSUM RUFFS CAPERINES and GAUNTLETS.
- SQUIRREL BOAS AT ONLY EACH \$10.00.
- ASTRACHAN COATS, \$23 and up to \$42.
- ELECTRIC SEAL COATS \$33.
- CANADA SEAL COATS, ELECTRIC SEAL COATS—SABLE TRIMMED.

Silk Blouses and Dress Skirts



- Our stock is unusually well assorted for the present season and includes Taffeta Silk, Tamaline Silk, Alpaca, French Flannel and Saten Blouses. The following gives you some idea of the values we are offering:
- Ladies' Black and White Tamaline Silk Blouses, tucked fronts, back and sleeves, lined throughout, special..... \$3.00
- Ladies' All-Wool French Flannel Waists, embroidered spot, tucked yoke, ribbon trimmed collar, special..... 2.95
- Ladies' Dress Skirts, all wool Cheviot and Homespun, satin strapped, lined throughout at 5.00
- Ladies' All-Wool Oxford Grey Homespun Skirts, stitched flounce, regular value \$3, special for only..... 2.50

Ladies' Mantles

Our stock is being received from time to time with the latest novelties. It is easy choosing a mantle at this store.

Ladies' Kid Gloves

A sensible present for Xmas is a pair of Kid Gloves.  
Ladies' French Kid Gloves in black white and fashionable colors, dressed or undressed, embroidered back, pique sewn, 2 dome fasteners. These gloves are extra quality, special \$1.25 and 1.00

Ladies' Purses, Wrist Bags and Chatelaines

- Large variety, qualities, prices, \$1.25, \$1, 75c, 60c, 50c and only..... 35c
- Children's Purses in great variety of styles, several colors and sizes, some at 12c, 10c, and only each..... 5c

Parasols and Umbrellas.

Our values in Parasols and Umbrellas are much superior than we have ever shown.

- Men's Umbrellas
- Fast Black Coverings, Paragon Frame, Steel Rod, Bulb Runner, Silver Mounted.
- Men's Black mercerized Steel Coverings, steel rod, paragon frame, double ribs, patent spring attachment, silver mounted handles, extra special..... 1.50
- Men's Florida Silk covered Umbrellas, tight rolling Paragon frames, steel rod sterling silver mountings, horn handles, something extra nice, only 3.00
- Ladies' Gloria Silk Coverings, tight rolling paragon frame, steel rod, sterling silver handles, silk cover, special..... 3.00
- Ladies' Parasols fast black coverings, silver mounted handles \$1.50 and only each..... 1.00

Handkerchiefs

- Our Handkerchiefs are our direct importations and personal purchase in Belfast, from the manufacturers and through us to you, therefore you save all middlemen's profits.
- Ladies' hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, fine sheer lawn, clear hemstitch, at only 3 for 10c or only each..... 4c
- Ladies' fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, with 1 inch footing and Valenciennes lace edging, others lace corners and edge also insertion, also narrow hemstitch, all linen, extra special value at only 12c each..... 12c
- Ladies' Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, six in a neat folding box, suitable for presents! 25c
- Better quality Lawn Handkerchiefs, six to a box, neatly put up, only per box..... 50c
- Your choice of one pretty folding box containing three lace trimmed Lawn Handkerchiefs, or one plush box containing four extra value fine hemstitched lawn Handkerchiefs for 75c
- Finest quality fine linen Handkerchiefs, four in a plush box with photo lid, extra special val 1.00

PAPERTRIES

- Choice lot of beautiful Papertries, neat boxes, containing good quality, tinted or plain papers and envelopes to match. Some at only 40c, 35c, 25c, 15c and for 10c
- 1 Letter Seal
- 1 Paper Knife
- 1 pair Tweezers
- 1 Glove Buttoner
- 1 Glove Hook
- These have crest tops or mountings, your choice each 25c

Men's Gloves and Mitts

Men's Mocha Gloves and Mitts, all wool lined, kid bound, several shades of brown. Gloves have wind break and dome fastener. Regular value \$1.35 pair special..... 1.00

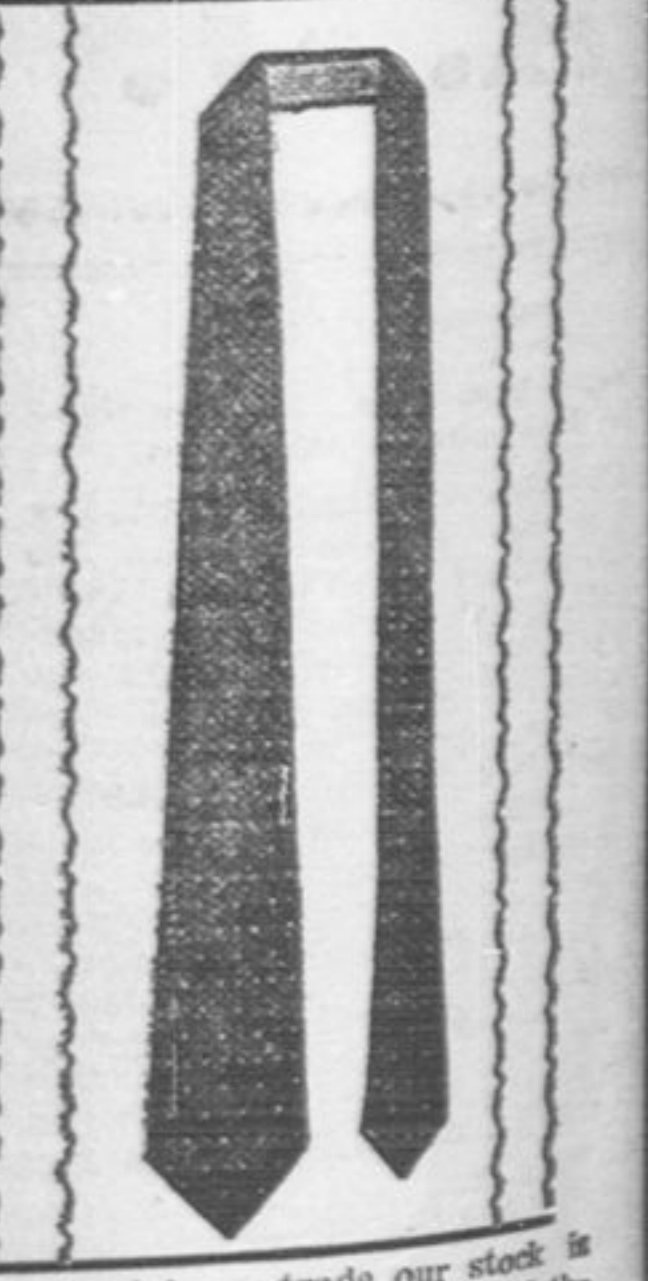
BIG FLANNELETTE EMBROIDERY PURCHASE

5569 Yds. in all  
This store with its cash purchasing power and its associate stores, cleared 5567 yds Silk Embroidered, Flannelette Embroidery last week. A manufacturer who is going out of the manufacture of Flannelette wear, offered to clear out his stock of Flannelette Embroideries at a ridiculous price. For one store the quantity would be altogether too great, but with our associate stores we were able to accept his offer, and to-day we can offer you embroideries at half price, all clean and fresh, this season's stock. We have grouped the qualities into four prices:  
lot 1, 3 1-2c reg 7c lot 2 5c reg 10c  
lot 3 8c reg 15c. lot 4 12 1-2c reg 25c

This means exactly ten cent qualities for five cents twenty-cent qualities for 8c; twenty-five cent. qualities for 12c

Table Covers and Napkins

- Extra Value—Our Direct Importations
- Linon Covers, 2yds by 2 1/2 yds, all linen, \$1.75, \$1.50, and 1.25 only..... 1.25
- Hemstitched, 2 yds x 3 yds all linen, \$4 and..... 3.40
- TABLE NAPKINS—A most magnificent range of all linen Napkins from the 5-8 size at per dozen only..... 65c
- \$5.00 and all intermediate prices.
- CHEMISE COVERS—Beautiful range suitable for Xmas presents and use, some at only 50c each for centre table size 5-4 at only \$1.15 2 yds square for only \$2.25



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