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Our New Spring **Dress Goods** Are Here

We're justly proud of the magnificent collection of New Dress Fabrics we've gathered together for this Spring's selling. Almost every weave, shade and coloring is represented in our present showing. And prices too are the most reasonable such splendid and up-to-date goods have ever been offered at. These prices will show the trend of values.

Black silk Grenadines, in the loveliest patterns we have ever seen—you'll be delighted when you see them. Special at these prices, 95,1.00, 1.10, 1.15

Homespun Suitings. We've now in stock of these very high-class and desirable goods the most perfect collection you'll probably see this season. Not a shade nor a price is missing. To get them right we had to go to the mill where they were made—that accounts for these values which we are very certain will not be even approached in Markdale. Per yard 37½,60, 75, 90, 98, 1.00, 1.10 and 1.25

Satin Cloths, 42 inches, in black, gray, fawn, brown, green, blue, etc. This is a beautiful, fine, all-wool cloth, rich finish—a cloth that will give absolute satisfaction, special at 50

Amazon Suitings, 49 to 54 inches wide,every possible shade you could desire including black. This is an excellent medium-priced cloth, of sufficient weight for tailored suits and skirts can be made without lining. These prices are special 45, 48 50

Serges, 40 inches,in black, navy,bright blue, cardinal, garnet, brown, etc. This is without doubt the finest serge we've ever seen at this very popular price, per yard only 25

Ladies' black Venetian Suiting, 56 ins, rich glossy satin finish—one of the very finest suiting cloths in the market. Special value at 1 50

Ladies Cloth 56 ins., in black, dk. navy and dk. gray. This is a beautiful, heavy suiting cloth, finest of wool, bright finish and of dyes the most permanent known. Special at 1.50

Other lines of Ladies' Cloth,all colors, including black —all prices,running as low as 50

Basket Cloth Suiting, black, 56 ins. wide, elegant silk finish, finest worsted thread,and a dye that will retain its permanency for years. Special at 1.25

Snowflakes,56 inch. We've over 25 different patterns of this remarkably popular line of suiting. Beautiful combinations of coloring and richness of finish—it's sure to be a marked favorite. Special at only 1.10

Other lines of the New Snowflakes in excellent cloths at per yard 85

Black Venetian Suiting, 46 ins., finest wool, silk finish and absolutely satisfactory in every respect. Very special at 1.10

NEW BLOUSE MATERIALS.

Any lady desiring a new "Blouse Length" would do herself a great kindness by inspecting our superb collection of these. Never before saw such beautiful combinations of silk and wool, is the universal exclamation of those to whom we have shown them. We have these in stripes, figures and floral designs, light and dark grounds, small and large patterns. The best of these are sold in blouse lengths, only one of a kind at per length $1 25 to 2.00

NEW WHITE AND COLORED MUSLINS.

Thousands of yards of this season's newest and daintest colorings and patterns. To attempt to describe them would be an impossibility. To get an inteligent idea of their remarkable value and beauty you'll have to see them for yourself. Every price is fully 20 per cent.better value than you've been accustomed to getting. These prices we claim will not have an equal this season, 10c , 12½, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 22½, 25, 30. 35 and 40

38 new patterns of Appliques and Gimpes have just been placed in stock—blacks, whites and creams. Ladies' who have seen them say they never saw such a superb and perfect collection. All prices from 4c. to 1 45 per yard.

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n Men's Felt Hats at 75c.

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30 pairs Men's English Kip boots, bellows tongue, high Blucher cut, large eyelets, English oak tanned, triple soles, solid leather throughout, thoroughly durable and just suitable for the heavy wear of Spring wear. Sizes 6 to 11.

Regular $3.00. Line Special **$2.50**

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Ladies' New Suitinge
New Blousings
New Silks
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New Lace Curtains
New Carpets
Men's Spring Suitings
New Felt Hats
New Prints
New Flannels
New Spring Footwear.

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Seasonable goods we're selling now:—

Sap Buck ets,	Milk Crocks	Wringers
Sap Spiles	Milk Pans	Washing machines
Horse Clippers	Cream Cans	Kalsomines
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Nest Eggs	Carpet Sweepers,	Brushes

THE GAMEY CHARGES

The Gamey revelations in the Legislature last week created one of the greatest political sensations that we have had sprung upon us for a great many years. It is a grand climax to the charges of machine corruption which have been rung by Conservatives for years past in connection with our elections, It is the great spectacular finale. If these charges are not now brought home there will be little use for further attempts to be made in that direction. If they are not proven to the satisfaction of the people in this case the country will say there is nothing, and never has been anything, in them. Two political parties—not individuals—are today before the bar of justice. One or the other must be discredited and suffer accordingly. Of course there is a possibility that a tribunal appointed by the government itself may decide that these charges are "not proven," but the country will have the evidence before it, and after all the people themselves are the ones who will have to pronounce judgment. A large proportion of the people to-day believe that there is guilt. They do not go so far as to say that Mr. Ross was aware of the nefarious business that was going on, although he enters into the charges, but they say he ought to have been aware of it if he was not. Even the staunchest Reformer will not say he beheves that Mr. Gamey would stand on the floor of the House and make the charges in all the circumstantial detail which he did, knowing them to be false. The fact of the matter is, that the story has stunned and horrified the people of this province as nothing before has ever done. The charges of machine corruption have in the past been looked upon as a good political cry and little else. When evidence such as Mr. Gamey produced is placed before us we stop and rub our eyes and say, is it a nightmare? Have these things been true? Goldwin Smith, who is not a man that is likely to form a hasty opinion, believes Mr. Gamey's story and does not hesitate to say so. As we have said, this charge is in any event the grand finale. Either a government must go or a member of the Legislature must be branded as one of the greatest liars that Canada has ever produced. Which will it be? Whatever the result, we will be likely to have our nostrils assailed with less charges of corruption for some time to come. It will clear the atmosphere like a thunderstorm in the springtime. It will wash away the dirt which may have accumulated in our legislative halls. This result will be beneficial though nothing else should come of it.

The Late Judge Creasor

Judge Creasor, who died in Owen Sound last week, was born in the county of Simcoe and received his early education at Barrie Grammar school and studied law under the late Hon. Jas. Patton, Q. C., and the late County Crown Attorney John McNab, of York county. In partnership with Mr. Patton he opened an office in Owen Sound, and practiced there for a number of years, afterward joining his brother, the late D.A. Creasor, under the firm name of Creasor & Creasor. On the dissolution of that partnership Mr. Duncan Morrison, now junior judge of the county of Grey, formed a partnership, and the firm of Creasor & Morrison continued until 1891, when deceased was appointed senior judge, filling the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Lane. From 1858 to 1874 he was County Crown Attorney for the county of Grey. He was created a Queen's counsel in 1881.

In his young days the late judge was very active in military affairs. At the time of the Trent affair he organized a company of infantry in Owen Sound, and served throughout the Fenian raid as its commander. On the formation of the 31st Regiment he was appointed major, holding the position for some years, until his retirement. In education matters Judge Creasor was also prominent, and was a member of the Board of Education for many years and was its chairman for a long time. He was also an elder and official of the Division Street Presbyterian church. The dec ased gentleman was regarded as a warm friend of education, and in his long association with both teachers and pupils he had endeared himself to all.

Judge Creasor was one of the most prominent members of the Masonic fraternity. He was a charter member of St. George's Lodge, No. 88, and on the formation of North Star Lodge, 322, became a member of Georgian Chapter, No. 52, Royal Arch Masons. He was also a past D. D.G. M. for the Masonic district No. 9.

The funeral Friday afternoon was under Masonic auspices.

As a result of the crusade against the use of cigarettes in U. S. the sale of these soul and body destroyers of the youth fell 25 millions in 1900 as compared with the previous year, and 1901 saw a further drop of 55 millions. As a result of the efforts of the anti cigarette League which has its headquarters in Chicago, strong anti-cigarette bills are now before more than 20 Legislatures. It is high time that the Canadian Parliament was doing something to stop the sale of cigarettes in this country or in the year 1902 the consumption of of cigarettes had increased 13 million over the preceding year. There is a provincial statute prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to minors but that law is evaded. The Dominion Parliament has power to stop the manufacture and it is to be hoped our Legislators at Ottawa will accede to the request of the W. C. T. U. and in compliance with the largely-signed petition from those who are interested in moral ahd social reform, pass an act prohibitihg the manufacture of the accursed cigarette —Ex.

A small boy out of breath pulled up in Thos Poehlman & Co's. grocery store the other day and told Mr. Poelman of the trustee board, that there was somethin' doin' up at the school. Accordingly the official wended his way there, but before he got within the building's precincts his nostrils were treated to one of the vilest conglomerations of general rotteness that ever emanted from any source and was wafted any place. The cause of the trouble wasn't apparent and consequently two of the departments—where the stench was particularly marked—had a holiday. George E. Helwig, tinsmith, was notified and he at length located a big brown cat on top of the heating flues in a state of mortification. It was removed. The air was cleared and teaching was resumed next day as usual. —Hanover Post.

Captain Lambert, of Southampton, is the possessor of a hen that is a curiosity. She is 31 years old, which is in itself sufficient to mark her as more, than an ordinary bird. The Beacon says this hen is a thoroughbred brown Leghorn and in her young days was a fine specimen of her breed, bearing all the markings that go to prove the breed in its perfection. About five years ago, however, this old biddy in reality showed the white feather, for at moulting time one grew in her right wing. Then by degrees this brown hen became white--snow white. Anoter change is now taking place, and if she lives this brown Leghorn that turned into a white one will be a black one.—Ex.

Chief Game Warden Tinsley, states that 181 wolves were killed in Ontario during 1902. For these the Government and muncipalities paid $2,715, at $15 a head, the whole sum being paid by the Government when the animals were killed in unorganized districts. Mr. Tinsley says it will not be long till the species is exterminated.

A little girl tells what she knows about King Solomon in the following essay: King Solomon was a man who lived ever so many years ago, and in that country in which he governed he was the whole push. King Solomon built Solomon's temple, and was the father of all the Masons. He had 700 wives and 200 lady friends, and that is why there are so many Masons in the world.

The Markets.

Carefully Correc ed Each Week

Oats	29	to	29
Peas	70	to	70
Wheat	65	to	65
Barley	45	to	45
Butter	16	to	16
Eggs fresh	13	to	13
Pork	7 00	to	7 00
Chickens per pair	25	to	50
Ducks per pair	40	to	60
Tuckeys per lb	11	to	12
Geese per lb	8	to	8
Hay	5 00	to	5 00
Potatoes bag	57	to	75

Tamworth Boar for Service.

Alvin (No. 728)

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