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We're decidedly pleased with our  
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year promises to be better.  
We sell Ramsay's best Paint,  
Varnish, Stain, Enamels, Cal-  
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Prices lowest; quality best.

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A ring with a fine sapphire and two diamonds is always a favorite combination. We mention one at

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OXFORD, BIRMINGHAM, RANGE,  
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If You Need Anything in the House  
Think of Us. It Makes No Difference  
How Much or How Little You Desire  
to Spend We'll Save You From 15 to  
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### Carpets

On any carpet we cut there is a discount of 20 per  
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Tapestry Carpets.

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Brussels Carpets.

Union Carpets.

For Halls, Stairs, Parlors, Bed-rooms, Libraries.  
All the very newest designs in light and dark  
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### Novelty Curtain Nets

FRILLED MUSLINS, plain and stripe designs, 15c., 19c., 20c.  
2 to yard.

FRILLED NETS, with lace and insertion edgings, 20c., 25c., 30c.,  
87c.

SWISS SASH NETS, handsome designs with scroll borders, 50c.,  
60c., 70c., 80c., 90c. yard.

### Pillows

Now is the time to renovate your cushions. We carry an extensive  
range of Pillows in all sizes and qualities. Prices, 35c., 40c., 50c., 60c., 75c.,  
90c., \$1., \$1.25.

### Lace Curtains

2 special offerings in these desirable goods.

NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, 84 yards long, wide widths, best  
borders and patterns, regular value \$3.75, for \$1.50 pair.

50 PAIRS LA'E CURTAINS, 84 yards long, very effective pat-  
tern, regular \$1.00, for \$1.25 pair.

### Oilcloths

Many of these patterns are obtainable only from us. Qualities better  
than ever, 15c., 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c. yard.

### Door Mats

You save the price of a mat in a short time by pro-  
tecting the carpet from dust and mud.

BRUSH MATS, 60c., 75c., \$1., \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.

COCOA MATS, 60c., 65c., 70c., 75c., \$1.10, \$1.25.

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### COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What Is Going On In the Business  
World—The Market News.

It is stated there are 200 new steam  
engines erected in Canada last year.

Montreal street railway earnings for  
the month ending April 1st, were \$105,  
an increase of \$14,014.

During March the returns show 2230  
horses and entries in the Canadian market  
for the previous year, being an increase  
of 1,070, or 57 per cent.

The South Dakota bulletin says  
that wheat growing is well advanced in  
the south, and progression of high  
lands in the north. Considerable cuts  
are reported.

According to Dun's Weekly Review,  
Canadian roads head the list of growth  
in the number of miles of roads in the  
country, with an increase of 25.2 per cent.; the  
southern group comes next, with an in-  
crease of 17.7 per cent., and American roads  
come third, with 17.5 per cent.

The Washington department of agriculture  
announces that the production of the wheat crop of the world  
showing that the total of 124,429,000  
bushels in 1903, was distributed as follows:  
North America, 75,500,000; Asia, 37,429,000;  
Europe, 1,789,000; Africa, 1,20,000;

South America, 1,000; Australia, 42,929,000;  
Oceania, 1,000; and Japan, 676,000.

At the meeting of the shareholders  
of the Halifax Banking company, held at  
Halifax, the vote was practically unanimous  
in confirming the sale of the  
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