

Judge A Housewife by the Linens in Her House

And Judge a dry good store by its linen stock. We welcome this kind of judgment. We have carefully studied the linen business and we have carefully studied the linen markets at home and abroad. At present we show many reliable makes from Ireland, Scotland and Germany, all marked at remarkably close quotations:

Half Bleached Table Linens. 25c. 30c. 35c. 40c. 45c. 50c. 60c. a yard.
Bleached Table Linens, Union and all Linens. 25c. 30c. 35c. 40c. 45c. 50c. 60c. 75c. 85c. \$1. 1.25. \$1.50 a yard.
Table Napkins, 1 and 1 size. 50c. 75c. \$1. \$1.25. \$1.50 to \$4 dozen.
Roller, Crash and Huck Towelings. 5c. 6c. 7c. 8c. 10c. 12c. 15c. 18c. 20c. a yard.
Towels—Fine Linen, also in Cotton. 10c. 12c. 15c. 20c. 25c. 30c. 40c. 50c. 60c. 75c. \$1. \$1.25. \$1.50. \$2. \$2.50 a yard.
Bath Towels. 10c. 12c. 15c. 20c. 25c. 30c. 40c. each.
Draw Work Linens, Grass Linens, Butcher's Linen and Fronting Linen, in many grades.
**Received direct from England, a large shipment of high grade White Cottons, Pillow Cottons, Bleached Night Shirt Cloth and Plain and Twilled Sheetings, the greater part manufactured by the old reliable firm of Horrocks, in early days a very familiar family name.
Horrocks' White Cottons, 10c. 11c. 12c. 15c. 17c. 20c. 25c. a yard.
English Linen Finish Cambrics, 8c. 10c. 12c. a yard.
Sheetings, Grey, and Sheetings White, 8c. 10c. 12c. 15c. 18c. 20c. a yard.
Grey Cottons, Plain and Twilled, 8c. 10c. 12c. 15c. 18c. 20c. a yard.
White Counterpanes, 75c. \$1. \$1.10. \$1.25. \$1.50. \$2. \$2.50. \$3. \$4. each.
Every house wife likes to own one or two nice Table Cloths, etc.**

Come and select from
CRUMLEY BROS.
WIRE DOOR MATS!

The best kind of a Mat to keep slush and mud and dirt outside the house. They are not expensive either:

- 12 x 20, 60c. 16 x 28, 90c.
- 14 x 24, 75c.
- 18 x 31, \$1.25 20 x 35, \$1.50

MCKELVEY & BIRCH,
69 and 71 Brock Street.


DIABETIC Patients will hear of something to their advantage, by writing to the Diabetic Institute, St. Dunstan's Hill, London, E. C.
NOTHING TO PAY.

BUY BRAIN ON BREAKS.
For the time being we look for a trader's market. Buy on breaks and take moderate profits. Good authorities say this is only a temporary halt in the advance and are still talking \$1.25 for wheat. We have direct private wires to two of the largest firms on the Chicago Board of Trade and can give unexcelled service in wheat, oats or corn.
McMillan & Maguire, S.-E. Cor. King & Yonge Sts.
BRANCHES—Hunter St. PETERBORO; Brock St., KINGSTON.

HE IS WORRIED.
Cooks Are Badly Wanted By Uncle Sam.
Washington, D.C., March 13.—The American housewife is not the only one who has difficulty in obtaining a good cook. Uncle Sam is worried over the same problem. A number of cooks are needed in the Indian service and the government is offering inducements to secure competent kitchens of the grison. The civil service commission will hold an examination to-morrow, and as an incentive to applicants it says:
"In view of the difficulties which the commission has experienced in securing eligibles for the position of cook, it is desired that all persons who are qualified will apply for this position. No educational test will be given and it will not be necessary for applicants to appear at any place for examination."
There are nineteen Indian schools where dyspepsia is said to run riot,

because of a lack of competent cooks. At Navajo, R.M., and Carlisle, Pa., salaries of \$600 a year are offered. Three of the schools offer \$540, six offer \$500, five offer \$480, and three offer \$400.
The requirements are that applicants must be twenty years of age or more and in the certification of cooks, age will count for twenty, physical condition, twenty, and ability to properly broil beefsteak and turn out a variety of hash that will stand investigation will count sixty points out of a possible 100.
All Well Regulated Families
Eat lots of fruit. We have grapes, pineapples, bananas, sweet, seedless oranges. All of the very best. J. H. Cook.

5 big rolls toilet paper, 25c. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.
Sir Walter J. Sandall, former governor of British Guiana, is dead, aged seventy-two years.

It Speaks for Itself!

Med-rite
CURES HEADACHE
Guaranteed to cure within 30 minutes, or money refunded
25c — ALL DRUGGISTS, OR MAILED — 25c.
The Herald Remedy Co., Montreal

TWO LETTERS. SEVERAL CITIZENS INDITE EPISTLES.

Burnette Objects To Some Statements Made By "Property Owner"—McCann Hopes To See City Own Gas And Electricity.

Kingston, March 13.—(To the Editor.) In your issue of the 17th inst., appeared an article by the by-law, etc. signed "Property Owner," which, to say the least, is a breezy and readable epistle. The only regret that I can express is that the writer did not sign his name, in which case I might have something to say, which will not appear in this rejoinder. The writer remarks: "It might suit very well in New York state, where he is said at one time, at least, to have been a member of the bar there. Whether he is so still or not, or in good standing there as such, is unknown to the writer." If "Property Owner," drop a letter to the County Clerk of the county of Monroe, Rochester, N. Y., he will soon find out whether I am a member of the bar of New York, and will find my oath recorded in that office as admitted to full degree, attorney and counselor, of that state, at the October general term of the supreme court, A.D. 1874, and so I have been a member of that bar for nearly as many years as my friend who wrote the article is old. I do not care also to find out at the same place whether I am in good standing for if I am not, the order disbarring me will be found in the same place where my oath as attorney and counselor is filed. I will say this further, that I would not be a member in good standing had I ever presumed upon any occasion to anticipate a decision of the appellate court of my state, in advance of its being rendered in due and proper form and court. And I will say further that no court in the world will permit such a practice, and the surest way in the world for a lawyer to get out of his good standing is to attempt to trade upon decisions that have never been made. And I will say further, that there has been no decision of the privy council in this case, and will not be until April, and it may be then. There are several libelous to myself in said article, to which I can make no reply, because the writer saw fit to screen himself very judiciously, as I think, under the signature of "Property Owner." From certain legal phrases, as "deponent saith not," etc. in the article, it is evidently the work of a member of the legal profession. But as newspaper ethics forbid him to even make a guess as to the identity of one who forms his article, I can pursue that phase no further.
To conclude, I have this advice to give to P. O. and that is when next he gets ready to name any of his fellow citizens in the public prints with the view of saying unpleasant things, that he buy a gold-pointed, and if need be, a diamond pen, so that he may emblazon his full name at the end of his epistle in letters of living light, the better to serve as a shining target for the well-pointed arrows that may be concealed in the quiver of his antagonist, and further, "deponent saith not."—M. S. BURNETTE.

Gas And Electric Light Plant.
Kingston, March 13.—(To the Editor.) As the time is drawing near when the freeholders will be asked to pronounce on the purchase of the gas and electric light plant, it seems scarcely necessary to take up more of your valuable space in discussing this question, but as a member of the Property Owners' Association, I would like to have an opportunity of expressing my humble opinion, and the great advantage to be derived by every citizen, whether he be a consumer or not, by the acquisition by the city of this valuable utility. It is a source of satisfaction to know that with our present occupancy of public buildings, the public platform and through the press, has been favorable, and that one person has not a dollar's worth of property in the city and is not even a naturalized citizen, who has not given thought, that members of the association are trying to make small property owners, who are not consumers, believe that it will not be their advantage to support this measure. I have this to say, that I am convinced of the benefit that will accrue to the citizens generally, that I intend casting five votes in its favor, although in two of the wards in which I have property, the occupants are not using the gas, and I further evidence was necessary to prove that this was a good thing for the citizen; I have only to point out the fact that Brockville, which has recently acquired the light and heating plant, have already signified their intention of reducing the cost of gas by one-third in July next, and the cities of Montreal and Toronto are taking steps to control these utilities. Let every property owner, therefore, whether he be a consumer or not, turn out on Monday and not only vote for the by-law, but assist in bringing others to the polls—Yours truly, J. S. R. MCCANN.

All Well Americans.
All our well American shoes for men are now here, three of the best makes in the United States. The Leaked shoe store will be away in the lead in young men's fine shoes.

20c. Butter, And Apples, 15c.
Prints or rolls, butter, 20c. russets or red apples. Jas. Crawford.

John Meagher, an Irishman, but living in Smith's Falls, for thirty years and a member in the Malleable works for twenty-three years, is dead after a week's illness. He was an active member of the C.M.B.A. He leaves a widow, one son and four daughters.

Two citizens of Carleton Place, yet hale and hearty, are Mr. Willoughby, aged seventy-five, and Richard Holden, just stepping gallantly into his ninety-fourth year.

Russets and red apples, 15c. peck. Crawford's.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Local Notes, and Also Things in General.
Woods' Fair, china advt.
D. J. McKinnon is in Montreal.
Butter, 20c. russets, 15c. Crawford.
W. H. Hicks, Tweed, is in the city to-day.
Alderman Mowat is in Toronto on business.
Facts: little liver pills for 10c. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.
Abernethy's shoes are always leaders in fit and quality.
James Rodden and Dr. Kilbora were in Ottawa on Thursday.
Dishy's russets worth \$1 for 65c. New York Dress Reform.
See Livingston's ad if you want to save \$5 on a spring suit.
Hon. Mr. Tarte paid the Whig a friendly call this morning.

Miss Madell Millar is in Ottawa, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Foley.
Dr. Coutlee, Sharrow Lake, was in the city to-day on a business trip.
Chocolate eclairs, and Charlotte russe, fresh to-morrow, at Ferguson's.
James O'Neil is in charge of a large Cape Vincent party that visited the city to-day.

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Ald. King, secretary of the Dominion Marine Association was in Ottawa on Thursday.
A 25c dyspepsia tablet for 10c. on the rummage counter at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

There was a dinner in the officers' mess at Tete de Pont barracks last night for a course of officers.
A 25c dyspepsia tablet for 10c. at \$5 less than regular price. See Livingston's ad.

The civic committee on light and power met this afternoon at four o'clock.
The officers of the 5th Regiment held an informal dinner on Wednesday night in honor of Col. Buchan, C.M.G., A.D.C.

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Harvey Milne, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., is endeavoring to form a basketball league with Kingston and Belleville teams.

The department of public works, Toronto, has ordered four of Chief Elmer's systems of machines, for use in the legislative building and on the grounds.
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The Ontario Churchman, since the Whig advised in November, has grown in circulation from 1,200 to 2,500. It is being adopted for circulating by parishes in Ottawa diocese. It is a church newspaper, not a doctrinal or controversial journal.

Holdor sponges, ask to see them. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.
Major W. J. Wright elected grand master of the Orange Order in Eastern Ontario, is to be congratulated on his elevation, after a hard contest with Lieut. Col. Halliwell. Major Wright is a Brockville lawyer and a general man. He has been interested in municipal and military matters for years and has always ably sustained himself as an Orange advocate. He is known to many Kingstonians, who regret that he is so warmly attached.

PHYSICIANS EVERYWHERE
Know The Value Of Pyramid Pile Cure.
"Gratitude alone prompts me to testify to the efficiency of Pyramid Pile Cure. I had a hemorrhage, a dollar package at the drug store which cured me of bleeding piles, and I was a sufferer from them for eight years, but I had not been troubled with them since, until last September, when I gave birth to a baby girl and after that I had a very severe case of protruding piles, which a trained nurse said was the worst case she ever saw, and my doctor told me to get Pyramid Pile Cure again, which I got and used, and was completely cured in three days. I have not had piles of any kind since, and it is all owing to this wonderful remedy. My nurse took a box, which I was glad to be able to give her, for I know she will be able to help lots of suffering people whom I could never see or know."
"I recommend 'Pyramids,' wherever I know of anyone suffering as I did. It gives me great pleasure to be able to say an entirely cured, which my doctor says, is true. I say God bless Pyramid Pile Cure." From a former great sufferer, Mrs. F. S. Annett, 1206 Unity street, Frankfort, Philadelphia, Pa.
This remedy, which is sold by drug stores generally, in 15c. cent and dollar packages, is in a suppository form is applied directly to the parts affected, and performs its work quickly and painlessly. Its value is evidenced by the testimony given above, and will be given a trial to-night. Accept no substitutes, and remember that there is no remedy "just as good." A little book on the Cause and Cure of Piles is published by the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., and will be sent free to any address.

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Get those fine bitter oranges that Ferguson sells, only 20c. a dozen.

The wife and six little ones of Louis Durat, Johnston's Corners, all scantily clothed, were found by James Irvine, Clovee, standing helplessly in the snow, watching their little log house burn down, the father being absent in the lumber camp.

Mrs. Atkins, born in Thurlow, eight years ago, is dead in Belleville, after a week's illness from pneumonia. She was for fifty years a devout Methodist. Three sons and three daughters survive.

The Smith's Falls Fire company is out of business, having got into trouble over increase in money grant with the council and a volunteer company is to be organized.

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A Saturday-snap—a dozen oranges for 10c. at Ferguson's.

THE SPEAKER.

MR. BELCOURT WAS BORN IN TORONTO.

What "P.K." Tells The Toronto News As To The French Canadian Who Is The First Commoner.

It is a curious fact that the only member of the House of Commons who first saw the light in Toronto is a French-Canadian, writes R. K. in The Toronto News. He is also the Speaker, or will be on March 19, if nothing untoward happens. In 1890, when the poppet-headed Parliament of old United Canada was putting in its four-year term in Toronto, a son arrived in the household of a civil servant named Belcourt, who, while a faithful and efficient clerk, held no very important post. The youngster was destined to be the future First Commoner of Canada, and he was to show, on his way to that eminence, an indomitable will, combined with an savoir-faire that some politicians lack.

French Members Understand English.
There is not in the House of Commons a single French-Canadian who does not understand English. Perhaps the last representative of an old monolingual was one Lippé, a habitant from Joliette. He had no word of the language of the majority. Time did not hang so heavily upon his hands, however, for he slept sixteen hours a day. Since the passing of Lippé, the French-Canadians have had not a single representative who could not get along fairly well in English. Most of them speak it very well. Few of them have no accent.

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