



# JUST A WORD

This will be a great Overcoat Season, for the Winter will be a longer one than usual (so say the wise heads), and prosperity is here in bunches.

We're loaded for the rush, for we've a much larger stock than usual and are showing every, wanted, style, cut and fabric.

We've Overcoats of all grades—for instance we start in with the Moderate Priced Coats, at \$12, \$15 and \$18, and ascend by easy steps up to expensive and luxurious affairs, at \$20, \$22 and \$25.

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## Attractive Offerings For Christmas.

**SWEATER COATS**, for Men, Women and Children, fitted with high collars, also plain styles. Prices, \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6.

**KNITTED SILK MUFFLERS**, for Ladies and Gentlemen, White, Grey and Fancy Colors, \$1, \$1.48, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50.

**LINED KID GLOVES AND MITTS**, a very large assortment in Kid, Moccasin and Dog Skin, every desired size, 75c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75.

**AVIATION CAPS**, New Novelty Styles, 50c., 75c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50.

## Fancy Linens

A beautiful range of Real Irish and French Handmade Table Centres, Runners, Doilies, Tray Cloths and Lace Edged Pieces, something different to anything in the city. Prices, 25c. to \$5 each.

**GENTLEMEN'S AND LADIES' SILK UMBRELLAS**, neatly boxed, superior styles, \$1 to \$7.50 each.

**REAL IRISH CROCHET COLLARS AND CUFFS AND YOKES**, \$1.50 to \$15 per set.

**R. WALDRON**

### BORDEN'S NAVY BILL THE PRINCESS LOUISE

WILL LIKELY BE BROUGHT DOWN ON THURSDAY.

Debate on Laurier's Amendment Should End on Tuesday Night—Then the Mondou Amendment Follows.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—From present indications, Premier Borden will bring down his navy bill next Thursday. It is of course impossible to say exactly whether the way will be clear for it on that day, but there is no reason now apparent why the premier should not be in a position to declare his policy to the house as soon as it meets that afternoon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's amendment to the resolution (address) will according to Liberal whips, be talked out by Tuesday night, and a division on it will be probably taken before the house adjourns. There, then remains the Mondou amendment. Of course, nobody can say how long the debate on this will be. Last session Mr Mondou moved an amendment to the Lancaster marriage bill and several days debate was consumed on it. The nationalists said all they had to say in one day and there is no reason why they cannot do so now, particularly as there will be fewer of them to talk on the navy than there were on the marriage question.

Thursday afternoon, therefore, should see the big fight commenced, provided there is to be a fight.

#### SHOCKING CONDITIONS.

Guelph, Dec. 2.—A meeting of the police commission-ers was held Saturday to draft a by-law to prohibit young people from prom-ading up and down the streets of the city and in the public parks at all hours of the evening—until late at night unless they have with them a chaperone. Mayor Thorp, one member of the commission, states that stringent means must be taken to prevent promiscuous prom-ading in the city for hours at night, as conditions here during the past year have been shocking.

#### STOCK MARKETS.

E. R. McCurdy Co., Clarence Chambers—H. W. Nelles, Manager. Closing Prices, Dec. 2nd.

Montreal.	
Rails	141
Cement pdl.	92 1/2
Detroit	7 1/2
Montreal Power	230 1/2
Richelieu	113 1/2
Textile	81 1/2
Steel	60
Shaw	137
Lake-of-the-Woods	130
Spanish Rivet	65
Laurentide	221
Quebec Railway	17 1/2
Tuckett's	57 1/2

#### New York.

Copper	84
Smelters	78 1/2
C.P.R.	265 1/2
U.S. Rubber	66 1/2
Reading	171 1/2
Union	120 1/2
Steel	73 1/2
Erie	34 1/2
Cottons	1240
May	1225
Dec.	1225

#### WOMAN'S MEDICAL COURSE.

McGill Corporation Will Consider its Establishment.

Montreal, Dec. 2.—At the next meeting of the corporation of McGill University, that body will be called upon to decide a matter which may have an important bearing upon the development of professional education on this continent. The movement to establish medical course for women students of the university, which was broached last week in the form of a petition into the corporation, has been gaining ground steadily. This movement is a characteristic expression of what has been in progress for several years.

#### Soccer League Season Ends.

The city soccer league has come to the end of its season and things are in such a condition that although the schedule is not finished there will likely be no more games. Queen's is in the lead and has not lost a game. A meeting of the league executive will be held this week and the business of the season closed.

#### Janetown Jottings.

Janetown, Nov. 29.—A. E. Summers has returned from Saskatchewan. Herbert Scott attended the poultry fair at Lansdowne. Miss Arley Purvis is undergoing treatment at St. Vincent de Paul hospital, Beekville. Z. Purvis intends to reside at Brookville in the near future. He has been a successful farmer. The cheese factory is still running and will continue for a time. The past season has been prosperous. Mrs. C. Avery is rapidly recovering.

The barracks has been removed from the walk in front of the new Bank of Toronto, at the corner of King and Brock streets. The building presents a fine appearance since the upper portion has been painted. The bank expects to occupy the new quarters in about two months' time. Practically all the offices on the second and third floors have been rented.

Capt. Martin, of the steamer Key-west, asks for a correction in a recent marine item. His vessel is not going into the dock for examination, as was stated, but will lay up here.

Constant use of hard water has an injurious effect on the sugar, said.

September has in turn consisted of 16, 30, 31 and usually 29 days. Astronomers in China are known as the "Sons of Heaven."

AND SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD ON FRIENDLIEST TERMS.

Letters That Passed Subsequent to the Alleged Offence Against Her Royal Highness Published by Joseph Pope.

The following correspondence will speak for itself.

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—"To the Editor:—With reference to the statement in Sir Richard Cartwright's recently published volume of "Reminiscences," to the effect that Sir John Macdonald, on a state occasion, was guilty of unpardonable rudeness towards the Princess Louise, I have to request that you would be so good as to give publicity to the following letters, which passed between Her Royal Highness and Sir John, together with the requisite authority for their publication.

The occasion of this correspondence was a series of attacks upon Lady Macdonald, which appeared in certain United States journals of a highly sensational type, to the effect that the prime minister's wife had made herself so objectionable to the princess as to compel her royal highness to take refuge in Bermuda, whether she had gone for her health.

Government House, Ottawa Nov. 24th, 1912.

Dear Sir Joseph Pope—His Royal Highness the Prince of Connaught desires me to write and say that he has received from H.R.H. the Princess Louise full authorization for you to publish certain letters which passed between her royal highness and the late Sir John Macdonald in the year 1882, copies of which I think you have shown to his royal highness. Believe me, yours sincerely,

H. O. Lowther,

Lieut.-Col., Military Secretary.

Sir Joseph Pope, K.C.M.G., etc.

H. M. S. Dido, Jan. 25, 1882.

Dear Sir John,—I have been wanting to write to you ever since I saw those ill-natured articles in the papers, against Lady Macdonald and myself, but his excellency thought, as they were such preposterous inventions, that I should leave it alone. Now that you have written to Col. de Witton, I cannot help sending you a few lines, having received so much kindness from you and Lady Macdonald ever since I first came to Canada, and I have learned to look upon you both as friends that I made out there. It is, therefore, most annoying to me that such stories should have been circulated. To invent that I have had a misunderstanding with your wife, vexes me beyond measure.

You must know in how many ways I admire Lady Macdonald, and think her a worthy example to every wife. I hope your health is quite restored. Believe me, with kind remembrances to Lady Macdonald, Yours very sincerely, LOUISE.

Stadacona Hall, Ottawa.

February 20, 1883.

Madam,—I am honored by the receipt of your gracious note, and can assure your royal highness that I gratefully appreciate its kind condensation.

Your high position, while it does not altogether shield you from the base attacks of a degraded press, renders them powerless for harm, and your royal highness can afford to treat them with the contempt they deserve.

It is otherwise with Lady Macdonald, who has already proofs that these calumnies have been widely disseminated, and that some people have been willing to believe them simply because she happens to be my wife.

Lady Macdonald feels especially aggrieved at the imputation cast upon her of having failed in respect and duty towards your royal highness, from whom she has received such unvarying kindness. Both she and I are, however, more than compensated for the annoyance by the gracious letter sent us by Col. de Witton, and we hope in good time to have the opportunity of personally tendering you our best thanks. I have the honor to be, madam, your royal highness' grateful and obedient servant.

JOHN A. MACDONALD.

The above letter of her royal highness was written at a period subsequent to the occasion indicated by Sir Richard Cartwright as that on which the supposititious offence was committed. It is published to illustrate the character of the relations which subsisted between her royal highness and Sir John Macdonald during the whole period of Lord Lorne's administration in Canada. It is not inconceivable that a lady should use towards a man who had grossly insulted her, terms such as those which her royal highness employs in addressing Sir John Macdonald whom, we have every reason to believe, she honored with her friendship and regard—a regard and friendship ever cordial and respectfully reciprocated? Your obedient servant, JOSEPH POPE.

#### The Late Mrs. Charlton.

Zealand, Nov. 30.—One of our respected neighbors in the person of Mrs. John Charlton passed away Monday morning at eight o'clock. Deceased had been afflicted with rheumatism for about twenty years, and for a number of years had been unable to walk. She was loved by old and young alike. Her maiden name was Julia Conboy, second daughter of the late John Conboy, of Olden. She leaves to mourn a kind husband and devoted family, Miss Mary, who has been an invalid for a number of years at home; also Ida May, Nettie, Robert and John, near home; and Mrs. S. Armstrong, of Wolfe Island. In religion deceased was a Methodist. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. J. Cornell and her remains placed in the Zealand Methodist cemetery. Miss Sadie and Master Thomas Garrett have returned to their home at Silver Hill, after spending the summer at Maple Farm, Carleton Place, N.Y.

No man can stand in his own light without casting a shadow.



## Ye Christmas Shopping

Has begun earlier this year. Women are becoming wiser as the years go by.

Hurried buying is ever unpleasant and unprofitable. Hurried Christmas buying usually means the least appropriate gift.

Come to the store NOW when you can shop leisurely, decide carefully and pick from a stock now at its full.

## Fancy Linens

A great selection now ready in Doilies, Lunch Cloths, Table Centres

Table Cloths and Napkins to Match,

Put up in Fancy Gift Boxes, \$3.50 to \$25.

Guest Towels, made from very fine Pure Linen Huckaback, some with Damask ends, 25c, 35c, 38c, 45c.

## Gift Towels,

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Very Fine White Linen Towelling for those who wish to make up Guest or Gift Towels,

35c, 25c, 38c yard.

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Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs,

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Plain Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs,

Both Ladies' and Gentlemen's sizes,

10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 35c.

## Fancy Boxes for Gifts

Those wishing to place their Gifts in a suitable box will find what they require here.

Prices only 3c and 5c.

## John Laidlaw & Son.

#### TWO CADET PLAYERS

Are in Hospital as Result of Saturday's Game.

The senior rugby team of the Royal Military College has returned from Hamilton, where it went down before the Rough Riders on Saturday. The dominion intermediate championship has slipped through the cadets' fingers this year, and the silverware will travel from the military college halls to the Ambitious city, where it will be a creditable addition to the senior and junior "mugs" which the Alerts captured.

The Cadets have no complaint to make. They were probably not up to their usual caliber, and Hamilton had any luck there was, but the next thing to a good winner is a good loser. They were weakened by Roberts, their wing man, having the ligaments of his shoulder torn in the first quarter. He was left in hospital in Toronto, and will be laid up for a considerable time. Capt. Blackstock is confined to hospital at the R.M.C. with an injured knee, which he sustained in the game.

The Frontenac hockey team will soon begin training in the Armouries, if the floor is available, during the evenings. The former players and all new material will practice polo.

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Waterproof and

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Splendid Shoes for Fall and Winter wear made of soft Tan Elk Leather.

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