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LACKS JUDGMENT.

The Hon. J. F. Wood is as fresh as a daisy in his admiration of Sir John Thompson, who lately honored him with an unnecessary portfolio. He declared that no liberal, not even Mr. Laurier, could have been chosen to represent Canada on the Behring Sea commission. What an amount of nonsense Mr. Wood's gratitude is leading him to talk! Again and again have liberal ministers and lawyers defeated and humiliated in the highest courts both Sir John Macdonald and Sir John Thompson. As a lawyer, if not as a politician, Mr. Wood should have better sense.

PARTY LOYALTY NEEDED.

If the conservative party desired to proclaim the weakening confession that its followers were speeling away like sparks from a grindstone it could not have done it more effectually than by the speeches of Thursday evening in Kingston. All the speakers appealed for loyalty to the party, apparently at the expense of everything else, and nothing was so dreadful to contemplate as independent action. It is too late for the party whip or party brand to be applied. There are too many and too frequent desertions to make any single boycott a dreadful example.

ANOTHER DIFFERENCE.

Hon. M. Bowell and J. F. Stairs, M.P., a successful Halifax manufacturer, are opposed to each other on the question of imposition of duties. Mr. Stairs charges that the specific duty is "an iniquity," while Mr. Bowell, on Thursday night in the city hall, declared for specific duties, asserting that he largely agreed with the late Mr. Disraeli, that ad valorem duties were a fraud. The disagreement between the tory protectionists is pleasant to contemplate. Both men are right. All duties are iniquitous and fraudulent. The hand of taxation falls heaviest upon the poor.

A WITNESS WANTED.

The Hon. J. Costigan, in his frantic appeal on Thursday evening for an acquittal on the charge of party treason, declared that if Sir John were only alive he could prove his sterling fidelity. And that reminds us of the plea put up by a man accused of the murder of both parents when he begged off because he was an orphan! Probably without Sir John's kindly protection and with cold shoulders and social ostracism of his colleagues turned against him, Mr. Costigan feels orphaned indeed. He could not feel worse than if he had murdered the whole cabinet.

LITTLE OUT OF TUNE.

Sir Adolphe Caron, at the city hall meeting on Thursday night, declared that "no single instance could be shown in which Frenchmen, as a race, tried to force those in power in the country," that "all the French want is equal rights," and that "such a thing as French domination does not exist." The Toronto "World," which reflects the views of Mr. Maclean, M.P., says in its criticism of Mr. McCarthy's speech: "No one in Ontario denies the fact that the French-Canadians are an aggressive people, that they seek to avail themselves of every advantage that can be secured by political manœuvering; that they sometimes demand more privileges than they are entitled to. Sometimes the party in power has yielded too much to these demands, and the English speaking people of the country have uttered words of protest." This would indicate that the tory political leaders are a little out of tune. They need a rehearsal.

THE OLD POLICY.

The conservative party used to be somewhat progressive. While Sir John Macdonald reigned it was bound to have changed, since he invariably shifted ground and even stole the platform of his opponents in order to retain himself in power. Now it is a case of stand still. The last battle cry was the old man, the old policy, and the old flag. One is gone, deeply lamented, the second, the federationists claim to have, and the third is in a dilapidated condition. Dalton McCarthy thus pictured the situation at the meeting which he addressed in Toronto on Wednesday evening, thus:

"In separating from the party it is well to see to the assets. We are now going to divide up the assets. What are the assets that we are now to divide? It was the old flag, the old policy, and my revered chieftain, the old man. The old man we all admired. He did much for his country with all his faults. (Applause.) And I stand here to-night to say that I was prepared to accept more from him than I am from Sir John Thompson." (Cheers.) But, gentlemen, there are still two assets remaining, the old flag and the old policy." Here Mr. McCarthy snatched a British flag which was fastened to the decorations in front of the platform, and waving it, said: "I claim the old flag. The old flag is ours; the old policy is theirs."

And some four thousand people cheered the sentiment so loudly that its echoes were heard in Ottawa and gave the delegates to the Macdonald club powwow in Kingston the blues.

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VILLAGE POLITICS.

Sir Adolphe Caron declared on Thursday evening, in the city hall, that Canada was too big a country for village politics. Every Canadian must cordially agree with that sentiment, and it is a thousand pities that the new and righteous convert to this opinion cannot impress it upon his wicked partners. If they felt the full weight of governmental responsibility canal regulations would not have been tampered with and United States vessels discriminated against, almost creating a rupture between the two countries, leading to a great loss of trade besides an expenditure of $85,000 in tolls at the United States Sault canal, all to help carry a Kingston election through the agency of a transportation company which held its franchise goods at a premium. This dose of village politics was not satiating, however, since the Hon. N. Clark Wallace recently came up to Kingston to help an officer of the same company to a welcome for placing an order for a Canadian boat in another country. While here the hon. gentleman lost track of his oath and dignity as a cabinet minister and talked things which a great host of public men, and some of his colleagues too, have openly declared were treasonable all through village politics. Probably the troubles they have stirred up in and for the cabinet have given birth to an unaccustomed sincerity in ministerial utterance and repentance. Away with village politics if only to keep the conservative party from annihilation!

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

Boston has 47,000 Nova Scotians, while Halifax has a population of only 38,556. A significant object lesson.

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The men who are willing to haul down the British flag if the home rule bill is carried are not very strong loyalists. Keep your eye upon them.

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The saving in the electric light bill last quarter was largely due to the deductions on account of moonlight. The police reports saved the city just $72.

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Sir Oliver Mowat does not desire to pose as a sphinx. He has announced that there will be another session of the legislature before the general election.

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The street railway company's bill is a very unpretentious document. On reading it over one is moved to enquire if there is anything in Kingston the company would like and has not asked for?

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The Macdonald club showed none of the genius of the man after whom it is named. It could not have exhibited the government to the electors at a time when it is weaker and more unpopular.

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McCarthy figures it that "the vast mass of the people of this country are being taxed now to the tune of 25 or 35 per cent. on all the articles they have in use." On coal oil the duty is 150 per cent. But light is a luxury. In the estimation of the government the people do not want it.

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Hon. Mr. Angers at Vaudreuil, before the election, said: "If it be established that the rights of the Catholics in Manitoba have been violated, then, I, as a minister of the crown, pledge my word that the majority in parliament will vote for the re-establishment of Catholic schools." He was significantly mum upon this point last night.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Give Them Great Big Votes.

KINGSTON, April 14.—(To the Editor): Last Monday's WHIG contains a letter signed "A. C. M." referring to woman suffrage. While it is good for the public to hear all shades of opinion on questions of public interest, it is to be hoped that the majority of women take a broader view of their usefulness than does "A. C. M." Woman has shown superior capabilities in all spheres, even to the battle field and in the political arena; perhaps the most illustrious example is that of our own noble queen. Doubtless, if there were a few Victorias in power at Ottawa, there would be fewer departmental investigations with their resulting scandal and discredit to the country, and fewer betrayals of the country's confidence, in the interest of boodlers and combines and legislation more in the interest of humanity, which is the country's best interests. Again, women would exercise their franchise more efficiently than men at the polls, where voting qualifications of any kind count for nothing as elections are generally decided by the marketable votes which go to the highest bidder. There is no reason why a woman should not have equal chances with a man, to sell her vote if one could be found so lost to self-respect. The drunkard's wife should have, not only a vote for herself, but one for every child she supports. They upon whom the curse of existing laws fall heaviest should, in common justice, have, at least, a voice in regulating those laws. In countries that we call heathen, human lives are sacrificed because of superstition, but christianized heathendom makes legal provision for human sacrifice. Verily the world needs no devil while christian civilization continues to legislate for the damnation of defenceless humanity. Much can be done for human improvement by legislation and as Moses, the hope of Israel, was rescued by a princess, so in no way can the princesses of humanity prove more powerful than by using the ballot. Here is a chance for labor organizations and all interested, to immortalize their memory by assisting to extend franchise to women. Laws exist, which, like heresy trials, are a disgrace to the XIX century civilization, and they are even more damaging to the cause of truth in the world than the wrangling over apostolic succession that occurs between representative ecclesiastics, who would be more consistent if they disputed claim to direct descent from the authors of the Inquisition. Their literary display of ecclesiastical venom would be quite as edifying to the public as it has been.

From the cradle to the grave we are educated to one-sideness in religion, politics and occupation and the tendency is to produce a race of beings having only a fraction of a soul with very little capacity for appreciating anything outside the narrow rut in which it has been trained. The remedy for one is the remedy for all, more of the light of truth.
—A. STACKHOUSE.

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A Good Sale.

Picton Gazette.

Wilson S. Hubbs, Athol, last November, put in the pen ten small pigs and during the winter and spring fed them seventy-five bushels of ground barley, and on April 8th he sold nine of them to Alfred Hubbs for $69 from which deduct $18, price of pigs, and you have for seventy-five bushels of barley $51 and one pig worth $10.

BROADBRIM'S LETTER.

THE EXCITEMENT OVER THE NAVAL PARADE IS RISING.

Foreign Visitors Will be Given a Magnificent Reception—Tammany is Defiant and Everyone Waiting For Something to Turn up—The Situation as it is Briefly Summed up.

(Special Correspondence.)

NEW YORK, April 14.—Almost the middle of spring and not a leaf or a bud in sight—no green thing except myself to be seen anywhere. I sit pen in hand thinking what a miserable world this is, as the wind howls and everything outside is covered with a winding sheet of snow. For a few moments there is a change and a cold, drizzling rain sweeps down that eats into the very marrow. And this is spring, "balmy spring," of which romancists have written and poets have sung. Ugh!!! It makes me shiver to think of it. Now it snows again, and the wretched pedestrians, whom hard necessity has driven into the sloppy and miserable streets, hurry by. Spring! Malediction! Marry come up and go to, thou impudent huzzy; let no man, nor woman either, ever sing thy praises again.

The excitement attendant on the coming naval parade on the 27th is rising every day, and all New York is on the qui vive, for nothing like it hath been seen in this land before. On the other side of the Atlantic, England, France, Spain, Prussia and Italy have had some magnificent naval displays, but the evolution of the modern cruiser from the old Spanish galleon which was the pride of the Armada, or the wooden walls of old England with which Britannia ruled the waves, or the caravel with which Columbus braved the terrors of the unknown sea four hundred years ago and gave to the world that magnificent continent which is the Mecca for downtrodden and oppressed of every land, and which, in the year 1893, has called together the fleets of all the great nations of the earth to do honor to the famous discoverer.

Velvet, satin and plain not compose the graceful cloak worn by the figure on the left, the velvet ornamented with embroidery of sparkling jet. The accordion plaited fronts and epaulettes are of plain net edged with rows of satin ribbon. Deep fall of sparkling jet fringe. The figure on the right displays a demi-length cloak of lightweight cloth, mounted in large plaits on each side of the front and edged with fine embroidery in silk or soutache. The pelerine is deep and very full, and is headed by a ruche of the material.

New York is bestirring herself to see that nothing shall be left undone to give our foreign visitors a magnificent welcome. A suite of the splendid apartments at the hotel Waldorf, of which I spoke the other day, has been engaged for the Duke of Veragua, a grandee of Spain and a lineal descendant of Columbus. The first baptism that one suite of these beautiful rooms received was by Mrs. Mackay, who arrived here this week on her way to California to see her husband who was lately shot by a crazy assassin. The Waldorf has also been selected for the banquet to our distinguished guests, and to the credit of the entertainment committee be it recorded, not only the lords and dukes, and commanders, captains and lieutenants are to be feasted and honored, but the plain blue jackets of the entire fleet are to be given such a blow-out as will make them bless the memory of Columbus to the end of their lives.

It is now proposed that in addition to the naval review we have a shore parade of all the crews of the entire foreign fleet, including our own. It is estimated that the procession would have about 6,000 men in the line, and it is pretty safe to say that no such procession of different nationalities was ever brought together before since the world began. They are fighters all. Here are the descendants of the men with whom Admiral Von Tromp swept the English channel, with a broom at his mast-head; and the sons of the tars that made the name of the Spanish Armada the terror of the sea; and beside them the children of the men who sunk it beneath the waves, leaving nothing but its name as a memory of history. Proudest among them all were the descendants of the men that met in deadly conflict on the Constitution and Guerrere, or who dyed the waters of Lake Erie with patriot blood, or who, under Commodore Macdonough, on Lake Champlain, secured our inland lakes from further invasion. England and the United States could well afford to march side by side in that grand parade. The indomitable Saxon pluck that has left its impress on every portion of this mighty globe, and that has given its language as the heritage of untold millions yet to be, would be proudly represented on that occasion by Britannia and her eldest son. Yes, by all means let us have the land parade.

We have had quite a lively time with our waiters this week. They appear to be getting ready for a strike about the time the fair opens at Chicago. One of the great grievances that lies heavily on the proud waiters' soul, is the ukase that has gone forth against the moustache and this he conceives is a plot on the part of his employees to debase and degrade him. They met in solemn council the other night and resolved that this was a free country and nowhere in the constitution of the United States is there one word that demands either directly or by implication, that a man who is engaged as a waiter shall cut off his moustache. This fact was discovered by Herr Gottsmiller, and Herr Rosenthal discovered there is no inhibition against goatees. On this discovery the waiters' association adopted the motto, "Ve Varos Our Mustaches or Dies." On Thursday they dedicated a new club house at which thirty keys of lager, two big Schweitzer cheese and one hundred and eight loaves of Schwartz bread disappeared. There were various other refreshments served but as they were not on the regular bill of fare and cannot be legally sold under a lager beer license, I pass them by. If the waiters strike I don't know what we will do to get anything to eat.

The clothing cutters and tailors are either locked out or are on a strike, so in a little while we will have nothing to wear. If the engineers strike we can't go to the world's fair, or anywhere else. But we won't borrow trouble; we have quite enough on hand every day without trembling ourselves about to-morrow.

Never has New York been placed in a stranger position politically than it is to-day. Tammany is defiant. It asks no favors of the new administration, and the new administration does not appear to be lying awake nights to ask—What's the matter with Tammany? There are some rich plums in the administration's gift, but up to date Tammany has shown no sign of hunger. In former democratic victories, the grand sachems and plumed warriors have never been backward in coming forward; but now within the wigwam all is silent as the grave. There are no threatenings, no complaints, no evidence of discontent; if you ask anybody, from Grand Sachem Croker down to the Winowski, how things are going, they will tell you that "everything is lovely; but the goose hangs high." I expect that that about expresses the truth of the situation. The goose hangs so high that the fox can't get at it. So far none of the great offices have been touched—they are still held in expectancy. In the language of the poet, Tammany and the president are both sawing wood, and, like the hopeful Micawber are waiting for something to turn up.

It may be that the visit of Senator Murphy and Lieut.-Gov. Sheehan to Washington, where they have had an extended interview with the president, may lead to a better understanding, but at present all is dark. What adds to the difficulty and uncomfortableness of the situation, is the war now going on between Kings county and Gov. Flower, the end of which, and the consequences of which, no one at present can foresee.

It occurred in this way: When Brooklyn had her independent Columbus celebration, the board of supervisors authorized an outlay of $10,000. The expenditure of the money and the supervision of the celebration was passed to a lot of political thugs, who, instead of spending $10,000, brought in bills for $60,000. It was such a flagrant and impudent steal, that as soon as the bills came up for payment, all Brooklyn rose up in arms and protested against the robbery. But the board of supervisors promptly met, approved all the bills and ordered them paid. Their action was as promptly vetoed by the president of the board, and then it was discovered that the board of supervisors had committed an act which laid every one of them liable to criminal prosecution. To save them from the penalty of their crime, a bill was drafted legalizing all their acts connected with the Columbian celebration, which was once passed by the senate and assembly, and before the ink was dry on the bill was sent instantly to the governor for his signature. The governor saw that it was a special act to shelter a lot of knaves from the consequences of their crimes, and he vetoed the bill on the instant. Then he took occasion to lecture the mayor and the city officials on the lax performance of their duty, and to emphasize his displeasure at the fact that many of the principal officers of a great city like Brooklyn, should be indicted by the grand jury for that which looked very much like a felony. Then there was a dreadful howl in Brooklyn to get even with the governor, and King's county did not have long to wait for the opportunity.

Last summer, during the cholera scare, hundreds of passengers were quarantined in the bay, the sick and the healthy together. It became a very serious question what to do with them, and the problem was solved by the purchase of Fire Island, a sand dune about five miles off the Long Island shore. It had been used as a summer resort, and on it was a large hotel. The governor's big heart swelled as he heard the cry for help from the infected ships, so he took the responsibility of purchasing the island for the state, as a temporary shelter for the healthy passengers, and advanced out of his own pocket fifty thousand dollars of the purchase money. The purchase of Fire Island under the circumstance was approved by the whole state, with the exception of a lot of clam diggers who feared that the clams and oysters might catch the cholera. They rose in rebellion. Then Gov. Flower called on the militia and the clam diggers' rebellion was squelched.

A few months ago a bill was introduced to reimburse the governor for the fifty thousand dollars he had advanced, and then the King's county senators pitched in to get even. They tried to make a bargain with the governor, if he would approve their bill legalising the Columbian expenses they would approve his bill for the reimbursement of fifty thousand dollars. But the governor said, No, sir, if my bill is wrong, vote against it, and if your bill is wrong, I'll veto it. The governor got his fifty thousand dollars, with interest, and the Brooklyn board of supervisors is still under indictment by the grand jury.

There is the situation: Tammany and Cleveland in armed neutrality; the mugwumps and anti-snappers reaching out for the plums, and likely to get them; Senator Hill reposing in his tent, waiting like Brutus for the event which shall call him to the front; the most powerful county in the state, except New York, making open war on the chief executive on behalf of a set of thieves who should be in the penitentiary. Strange, oh, strange. Is this the result of the grandest democratic victory since the formation of the republic. If so, I feel like exclaiming, like the old Roman warrior when the shields of his affiniers crushed him to the earth, "Save me! Oh, save me from my friends."—BROADBRIM.

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"Early in January last I had a severe attack of la grippe, which, however, soon yielded to prompt treatment. I was only confined to my bed for three or four days, and congratulated myself on having recovered in so brief a time. As the days rolled on however, I found I was day by day, growing weaker and weaker, till by the last of the month I was unable to walk across the room without availing myself of the help of every chair, table and door, to keep from falling. About the last week in January I commenced taking your Paine's Celery Compound according to directions, and by the time the bottle was finished, I was feeling as well as usual, but in a few days I found myself running down again with such deathly feelings coming over me at times as no words can describe. I then procured a second and third bottle, with results as before. The last bottle, however, I took in smaller doses, and less frequently, so that when spring came on, I discontinued it entirely. Having part of a bottle left, I am now taking it occasionally as a sedative, to procure quiet sleep, which I find very effective. I have no hesitation in saying that under a kind Providence, I am indebted to your Paine's Celery Compound for my life, and the comparatively good health I now enjoy." Respectfully, MRS. C. M. HERSEY.

HAMILTON WILL PAY A DEBT.

A Claim From Quebec For Debentures Issued In 1862.

HAMILTON, April 13.—Some forty years ago Hamilton took stock in small railway enterprises, and issued debentures, $80,000, to pay for the stock. The debentures came into the possession of the government of old Canada and $80,000 were redeemed. The remaining $10,000 appeared too have got lost in the shuffle or overlooked; at any rate they fell into possession of the Quebec government. The amount due the Quebec government on account of principal and interest is $18,028. In 1890 Quebec presented its claim as above, with an additional claim of $19,000 compound interest, but the claim for interest was not entertained. An offer of $18,028 was made, and yesterday a reply was received that Quebec would accept that amount.

The Wealth of the United States.

According to Dun-Wiman's circular the wealthiest nation on the globe is the United States, which has an assessed valuation of $47,476,000,000. Great Britain coming next with $43,600,000,000. France ranks third with $40,300,000,000, then Germany with $31,600,000,000. Russia comes next, $21,714,000,000, Austria following with $18,095,000,000, and Italy succeeds with $11,755,000,000. Spain is worth $7,950,000,000; the Netherland, $4,935,000,000; Belgium, $4,030,000,000. The assessed valuation of Sweden is $3,475,000,000; of Canada, $3,257,000,000; of Mexico, $3,150,000,000; of Australia, $2,950,000,000; of Portugal, $1,855,000,000; of Denmark, $1,830,000,000; of the Argentine confederation, $1,660,000,000; of Switzerland, $1,620,000,000; of Norway, $1,410,000,000; of Greece, $1,055,000,000, totalling up to somewhere about $258,594,000,000, a tolerable pile, forsooth, but very little of it to be seen or fingered to any extent.

Bear In Mind

That we have the largest stock of lace curtains in Ontario, not bought from a wholesale house whose profit is quite an item, but direct from the makers. Swiss sash lace curtains, beautiful goods, direct from St. Gall, 2 yards and 2½ long, 65 pieces of curtain nets, in Swiss and Nottingham lace, chenille, raw silk and damask curtains by the yard or pair, extra cheap, at R. McFaul's great removal sale.

A Syrup Trick.

A poor trick was played on a merchant of Yankleek Hill recently, by a farmer's wife. The woman in question purchased from the merchant a large quantity of ordinary golden syrup. A few days later she returned to the same store, and offered what she said was fresh maple syrup, for sale. The merchant not suspecting anything wrong paid eighty cents per gallon for the supposed maple syrup and took all she had. He retailed some of it, but it was at once returned to him as not being maple. On examination the supposed maple syrup proved to be nothing more than the golden syrup that the merchant had sold a few days before for forty cents per gallon, with a little of the pure quill mixed in it.

People's Popular Parties.

Take the B. of Q. and C. P. railways new short line to Peterboro, Toronto and all points west. The C. P. R. people's popular one way parties to the Pacific coast leaves every Friday in tourist sleeping cars. For rates and berths call on R. J. Wilson, ticket agent, C. P. R. telegraph office, Clarence street.

Cheese Board.

The first meeting of the Napanee cheese board was held Saturday last. W. N. Doller, last year's president, took the chair, and the following were elected: W. N. Doller, president; William Whelan, vice-president; W. R. Gordanier, secretary-treasurer. The secretary will write the members to ascertain whether they cared to employ an inspector this year. Newburgh and Centreville factories will use the Babcock test for April. The board adjourned until May 3rd.

Wood Yard Removed.

James Campbell has removed to the corner of Wellington and Barrack streets. Always on hand a good stock of best maple, cut and uncut, dry slabs, pine and cedar blocks. All cheap for cash. Telephone No. 116.

Hair! Hair!

All latest New York, Boston styles at half price. Wigs, waves, switches, handmade corsets selling at cost. Cutting and fitting learned perfectly in two evenings. M. Richardson, 107 Princess street.

Relief And Cure.

SIRS,—I have used Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam for coughs and colds, and it gives relief in a few hours and always results in a cure. I would not be without it. MRS. ALFRED VICE, Berlin; Ont.

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It is most astonishing to hear the remarks expressed by all the ladies of this city; also visitors. "What a magnificent display of Spring and Summer Dry Goods. What store is this?" They look, they think, and behold the name THE BON MARCHE.

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Despite the fact that the "Happy Thought" has always been the most expensive, because the heaviest and best made range on the market, it has had an unprecendently large sale, over 45,000 having been sold in Canada within the past ten years, and the demand to-day is larger than at any time in it's history. It is the stove for both rich and poor; it will save it's price in a few years.

Stoves taken down, removed, stored and insured at a very low price.

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Beautiful Shades Whip Cord, all wool Dresses, 40c, 50c, 60c.
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Thirty Different Colors in New Shot Silks. Low Prices.
Thirty doz. Ladies' New Silk Umbrellas, $1.50, $1.75, $1.90, $2.00.
New Fancy Silk Parasols, New Colors, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $3.00.
Fifty Pieces New All Wool Challies, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c.

R. WALDRON, Brock and Wellington Sts.

DRESS GOODS.

New Tweed Effects, 40 inches wide, only 20c a yd. Bengaline Dress Goods, 44 inches wide, 39c a yd. Whip Cord Dress Goods, 44 inches wide, 50c to 75c. Shot Serge Dress Goods, 45 inches wide, 45c to 65c a yd. Rich Soliel Cord Dress Goods $1.25 a yd See our New Clan Tartan and Shot Silks for Ladies' Blouse Waists 50c to $1 a yard.

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