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Dainty two stud kid glove, black, and all the new shades, silk or white stitching—\$1.10.

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That is what you are doing when you buy this ready-made hand-me-down trash that is sold those days, and advertised to be as good as custom made to deceive the public. A man is not only throwing away from \$4 to \$8 on a suit or overcoat but he is throwing away all he pays for it.

Our clothing is made by the very best tailors that can be had. We employ none but the best. And we use only the first quality of trimmings. Every garment is thoroughly examined before it leaves our establishment. If you are not a customer of ours come and be one and be convinced that we are the right tailors.

GORDON & McLELLAN

MEN'S OUTFITTERS

CAPTURED AND SURRENDERED

Large Quantities of Boer Stores, Cattle and Sheep

FOUR BRITISH OFFICERS ESCAPE FROM THE BOERS

Several Soldiers Courtmartialled

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LORENZO MARQUES, Dec. 18.—A large quantity of war material, including over six million rounds of ammunition, two thousand rifles, two field guns, one pom-pom, two maxims and 40 tons powder and dynamite, besides a quantity of saddles and equipments, all of which was surrendered to the Portuguese authorities when the remnant of the Boer army crossed the border on the British approach to Koomatipoort, have been brought to Delagoa Bay to be handed over to the British Consul General.

BLOEMFONTEIN, Dec. 18.—A number of Boers while scouting were ambushed at Boswell's farm, captured and brought into town.

Two local burghers, alleged to be spies, who were overtaken on the veldt after an exciting chase for six miles, were also brought in.

Colonel White has captured 300 cattle and 3,000 sheep.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The War Office announces that four officers, captured November 23rd by the Boers at Dewetsdorp, made their escape.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—A telegram from Bloemfontein states that several soldiers have been courtmartialled for sleeping at their posts on the railway while on sentinel duty. The sentences were from one to five years' penal servitude.

RUHLIN BEATS MAHER.

Spectators to Decide Result of Fight.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—Ruhlin bested Maher in a six round bout here last night. The judgment as to the outcome is left to the audience.

ROYAL Baking Powder

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Safeguards the food against alkali.

Also baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.

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Your inspection is respectfully asked.

G. F. HUTCHESON,

Jeweler and Optician. Sunnyside

ELECTION PROTESTS.

In Nova Scotia and Ontario.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

HALIFAX, Dec. 18.—Petitions have been filed against the return of ten members of the Liberal Parliament in Nova Scotia.

All the seats held by Conservatives in this province have been protested, and an equal number of protests now stand against the Liberal members.

TORONTO, Dec. 18.—Protests have been filed against the return of Alex. McNeill, (Conservative) in North Bruce; C. J. Thornton (Conservative) in West Durham; R. A. Pringle (Conservative) in Cornwall and Stormont; Edward Tolton, (Conservative) in North Wellington, and N. A. Belcourt (Liberal) in Ottawa.

TO BE PROMOTED.

Colonels Pinault and McDonald.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—It is understood that on account of the services rendered in connection with the despatch of the contingents to South Africa, Lieut.-Colonel Pinault, Deputy Minister of Militia, and Lieut. Colonel Macdonald, Director of Stores will both be promoted to the rank of Colonels. By the act of last session the Canadian Government can do this.

A RUSSIAN PEOPLE'S PALACE.

Poorest Man in the Empire to be a Welcome Guest.

Almost beneath the shadow of the slender minaret of the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul, St. Petersburg, a building is in course of erection which typifies the New Russia. It is barely separated from the citadel by a narrow canal, and is situated in the edge of the park of Alexander. The shouting, hallooing and bustling of three hundred workmen can be heard in the fortress precincts.

This new structure is the palace of the people. An imaginative person could easily believe that the spirit of the Carpenter-Czar stands behind the master builder, steadies the hand of the draughtsman, and inspires the workmen with enthusiasm.

The palace of the people is to be opened December 6th, (old style, or six days before Christmas, according to the Gregorian calendar. It is to be accessible to every Ivan Ivanovitch in Russia who may want to enjoy a warm room, a pot of tea, a concert, a lecture, play or opera, or who may wish to meet a friend. It is the work of the St. Petersburg committee of temperance, of which His Royal Highness the Prince of Oldenburg is chairman. This committee is, as the vice-chairman, the conseil prive, M. Ivan Nicolavitch, obligingly explained, a governmental body. It was ordered by the excise branch of the ministry of finance, and is operating under the direction of this ministry. Its objects are to inculcate and encourage the practice of moderation in the use of alcoholics. It has chosen to accomplish this by offering the people something better than the saloon.

The People's Palace is the latest attempt to solve this problem. It is the result of nearly three years' experience, the committee of temperance having begun its work at the same time that the state monopoly of alcoholics was introduced. The great steel fine arts palace of the exposition of Nijni-Novgorod was purchased and transported to St. Petersburg. The iron skeleton was clothed with stone and brick. Two wings in stone were added, and the workman are now engaged upon the interior finish. The cost will approach half a million dollars.

This is only one of the numerous undertakings of the committee. The neighboring island of Petrovsky has been turned into an amusement park. Summer afternoons, especially on holidays and Sundays, immense crowds gather to witness and participate in the races and to enjoy open-air theatricals, pantomimes and concerts. There are merry-go-rounds and a Ferris wheel for the children, young and old, and all the usual popular pastimes. More than one hundred thousand have been counted in a single day.

Y. M. L. A.

FIRST MEETING OF THE SEASON.

A Musical and Literary Treat.

The Young Men's Literary Association in connection with St. James Church gave its opening concert and literary entertainment in St. James' Hall last evening. The music was under the direction of Mr. Earle, who presided at the piano in his own inimitable way. He was assisted in the overture—a piano duet, "The Poet and the Peasant," and in a duet subsequently given, by Miss Lyon, of Brighton Road. Miss Lyon also played a piano solo, Cachouca-Caprice,—delighting the audience. She is a performer of exceptional brilliance and power, all but perfect in technique, and may be counted a great accession to the musical circles of Charlottetown. Mr. Brown, whom we do not remember to have seen before, gave a cornet solo, "Ah Che Le Morte," from Il Trovatore, making a very good rendering and giving promise of excellence as a result of practice with his instrument. Mr. Vinnicombe gave a violin solo and received the applause which he always deserves. But the piece de resistance, was that of Mr. Barlow who has his instrument always with him. A beautifully sweet-toned instrument it is, and Mr. Barlow is a perfect master of it. His sympathetic and perfect rendition of several of the more familiar airs of Old Scotland fairly captivated the audience, and he had to respond to an encore. As for the vocal music it was given by our old favorites, the Misses Earle and Mr. Charles Earle, Miss Ethel Stewart, Miss Cotton and Mr. Charles Hermans, and was of high order. The reading, too were good—those of Mr. Fullerton being full of the dry Scotch humor that sparkles throughout the works of Barrie and Ian McLaren, and that of Miss Rattray being a stirring account of an exciting horse race. By the way, we must particularly congratulate Miss Rattray upon the great improvement manifest in the style of her elocution—the result of sedulous study and practice, we feel sure.

ALPHA GOES DOWN.

Lamentable Loss of Life.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18.—The steamer Alpha foundered on a reef on the east coast of Vancouver Island and is a total wreck. The captain, chief engineer, managing owners, purser, and three seamen were drowned. The Alpha was formerly owned in Halifax.

For Lame Back or Lumbago use Griffith's Menthol Liniment; it will take out all the pain in a few minutes. You'll find it better than plasters.

Lord Roberts' Return.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—It is announced that the service at St. Paul's when Lord Roberts reaches London, which has been provisionally fixed for January 3, will be entirely one of thanksgiving for the safe return of the Commander-in-Chief from South Africa.

TAKE NO RISKS

It is well to make choice of a competent and qualified druggist to whom you can take your doctor's prescriptions and orders. A correctly and well filled prescription with pure drugs has much to do with the battle against sickness. We dispense drugs and medicines according to the most approved modern methods.

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The first low wash of waves where yet shall roll a human sea.

The tide of Christmas buying has set in irresistibly to Santa Claus' Headquarters. Daily increasing in force it will end with the tidal wave of Xmas eve.

From homes all over the city and surrounding country the authorized agents of good old Santa Claus are heading for the one and only "Headquarters." Never before has such a stock of Toys, Fancy Goods and Books been offered in this city, so full, varied and cheap, and never before has the public shown their appreciation by such liberal patronage. We have made provision for a great Christmas trade, and it is coming at a rate which will speedily transfer our stock of goods from our shelves and counters into the thousands of homes of the city and country—to make the hearts of children of all ages happy on Xmas morning. Store open all day and evenings until 9 o'clock.

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