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## Trim, Stylish, Coolness.

"They say" we had the finest showing of Shirt Waists in town this season. "They say" that our prices were lower than anywhere else. "They say" it's easy to get suited here. And "they" prove their opinions by their purchases. Now—our whole stock of Colored and White Shirt Waists—all we have left—goes on sale at

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AGENTS

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## CHINESE PUZZLE STILL UNSOLVED.

### The Worst Feared in London.

A MESSAGE FROM A FRENCH  
CONSUL.

Intimates that the French Minister  
is Alive

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, July 25, 4 a. m.—Sir Claude Macdonald's message, dated July 4, appealing for relief is regarded in London as only the prelude to an absolute confirmation of massacre of the Europeans in Peking.

This is the opinion also of the Japanese Minister here. The newspapers suggest that the British Minister's despatch was held back and released about the same time as Conger's undated message.

PARIS, July 25.—M. Delcasse, the French Minister for Foreign Affairs, has received a telegram from the French Consul at Shanghai, dated July 23rd, which says: "Li Hung Chang has just assured me that M. Pichon, the French Minister to China, is living, and he has agreed to transmit to him a message from me requesting a reply within five days."

SHANGHAI, July 25.—Li Hung Chang expects to wait for news of the movement of the foreign legations before proceeding northward. Regarding negotiations he said he believed the Chinese finances would debar her from paying indemnity and that the people would never submit to further annexations of territory. He thinks the powers ought to accept the assurances of reformed administration and of the removal of officials responsible for the crisis.

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Strawberries,  
Watermelons,  
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Cucumbers,  
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Cabbage,  
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Carrots,

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## GEN. CARRINGTON HAS FIRST FIGHT

### With the Boers at Selous River

AND DROVE THEM FROM THEIR  
POSITION.

His Force Will be a New Element in  
the Campaign,

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, July 25.—A new element has entered into the South African campaign, with receipt of the news that General Carrington, with his Rhodesian force, has had his first fight, attacking the Boers and carrying their position on the Selous River on Monday last after a sharp engagement. Carrington lost four killed and nineteen wounded.

Another Pacing Record.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

CLEVELAND, July 25.—Another world's record was made at Glenville track when the black gelding Conry paced the second heat of a race in 2.02½. This is the fastest mile ever paced by a horse in hopples.

Hard Plight for Canadians.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, July 25.—Four invalid Canadians, from South Africa, now in this city are completely lacking means to pay for lodgings, and as a result have had to sleep out in Hyde Park. Yesterday two had not sufficient money to buy their breakfast.

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—OF—

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The patronage of former customers is kindly solicited.  
JANE MATHESON,  
St. Avard's, June 12th, 1900. eod.

## MORE VICTIMS OF THE CHINESE

### Two Lady Missionaries in South China

REPORTED MURDERED IN A  
SHANGHAI DESPATCH.

To North American Headquarters of  
China Inland Mission,

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]

TORONTO, July 25.—The following telegram has been received by the North American headquarters of the China Inland Mission:

"SHANGHAI, July 25.—Information has been received that Miss Whitechurch and Miss E. E. Searrell have been murdered. Miss Whitechurch went to China in connection with the C. I. M. from England in 1884. Miss Searrell went out under the society in 1895. They were both stationed in the southern portion of the province of Shansi.

Railway Accident at Pictou.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]

HALIFAX, July 25.—There was a bad accident on the I. C. Railway at Pictou last night. While some cars were being shunted one of the cars broke away and collided with another, both being badly damaged. Charles Steele, the yard master, was thrown from one of the cars and badly injured.

Don't buy a poor piano—buy a Heutz and be satisfied.—Miller Bros.

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J. Johnson.

Fredericton, N.B. Dec. 25th, 1899.  
Having used SURPRISE SOAP for the past ten years, I find it the best soap that I have ever had in my house and would not use any other when I can get SURPRISE. Mrs. T. Henry Troup.

St. Thomas, Ont.  
I have to wash for three brothers that work on the railroad, and SURPRISE SOAP is the only soap to use. We tried every other kind of soap, and it tells everybody why our overalls have such a good color.  
Maudie Logan.

Montreal.  
Can't get wife to use any other soap. Says SURPRISE is the best.  
Chas. C. Hughes.

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