THE HAMILTON TIMES

FRIDAY, NOV. 15, 1907.

TAKES THE PLUNGE.

Mr. Balfour, leader of the Opposition fter much hesitation and shuffling, to ow in his lot with the reactionaries the Chamberlain school, and yesterday Birmingham he made public profes-on of his adherence to Mr. Chaplin's resolution in favor of protectionism, tipulating, of course, "that the duties ust be small and widespread," and that ey "must not increase the burdens of working classes." Mr. Balfour knows well the natural result of the system which he has apostasized, and the nalifications of his declaration are very gnificant. His position might be statin these words: "I know that proetion means reaction and restriction nd that in the ultimate it makes the orking masses shoulder the burdens it little of it, and I would try to lead the poilers to believe that I am doing my best to minimize the evils it brings to

In taking this backward step Mr. Balur breaks with the London Times and that part of the Unionist party which upholds freedom of trade. What will be e consequence of his defection remains

"DONT IRRITATE WHITNEY"

This is a wicked world, and life would a sad and dreary waste of thorns briars, overcast by a dun-colored sk which hung a very blue sun, were i for the existence of such specimens the saving graces of righteousness genuousness and altruism as the little Back Horners of our two local Tory con mporaries. The Times has dreadfully nocked their delicate sensibilities again v daring to hint at doubts of the Gov amilton a great technical college for ntario, founded, equipped and main ained at the expense of the Province The junior local Tory organ goes furthe and solemnly warns the Times that it ynical lack of faith in Whitney maclude the Government to punish Tor lamilton by changing its mind and ing us the college! It fears the Whitey Government may say: "If we can't eredit for anything we do for milton, why go out of our way to vor such an ungrateful community? sn't it sad? And is it to be wondered hat the two Tory organs denounce the es for its temerity in daring to doubt hat Whitney is just burning with eagerss to give us this great Provincial echnical College?

When the steal of the Normal College was planned the Spectator was selected o palliate the outrage by making the gestion that we might get instead a ormal school "and will then have the Technical Institute to the good." issured us it was as good as promised, and when Whitney promised a thing it was as good as done." To the clamors not to object as "it might irritate and Tory organ pursued a similar course. It cas anything to spare the Government movance. No thought for Hamilton. Hamilton's representatives had stood up for our rights, the steal would not have been carried out. They did not. Tory press and Tory members ac-

And now they follow the same course A big Tory deputation went down and if the Spectator is to be credited ges ed that if the Government estabshed the building in Hamilton, the city rould equip and maintain a technical Think of that, after all the other about a "great Provincial Technical College"! And then the two Tory organs affect to regard Whitney's Government as treating Hamilton with great merosity, and cry out that if the Grit mes does not cease its cynical expresions of doubt as to Whitney's intentions give us a great Provincial Technical College, he is very likely to violate the bledges they would have us believe he has given to the Tories of the city, withiraw the light of his countenance from lamilton, and refuse to even contribute the building of the suggested local hnical school which we would be called to equip and maintain! The thought our own blasphemous wickedness and ck of faith in Whitney saddens us, in the light of our Tory contemporaries' eproof. We have, apparently, been nilty of the unpardonable sin of saying nething to "irritate and annoy the vernmnet"!

The Times pleads guilty to the Dundas nner's and the Spectator's charge that ot try to influence the choice of candidate by the Wentworth Liberals. What's the punishment for minding one's wn husiness?

The twenty-seven letters and interiews on the problem of pulpwood which ecently appeared in the Globe, attractmuch attention, have been published eful to all desiring to be informed on a abject of present interest to Canadians.

Hon. Dr. Reaume has been obliged to bmit to a second operation for the iffection of the mouth with which he affers. He will, on leaving the hospital Detroit take a few weeks' rest

Hon. Mr. Lemieux is delighted with the spirit of his reception at Tokio and popes that his mission will be success I in the adjustment of the Japanese

The Greatest Sacrifice in Prices Hamilton Has Ever Seen

We are after your money Saturday. Thousands of dollars' worth cf. wanted goods to be sold at about half the or linar soling price.

Great Sale of Men's Underwear and Top Shirts

\$1 to \$1.75 Top Shirts 49c

75c Fleeced Shirts 49c

\$1 and \$1.50 Undershirts 49c

500 Dozen I adies' 50c and 65c Underwear for 29c

Sharp 8.30 Saturday morning e put on sale 300 dozen Ladies' Heavy derwear, the same kind that is sold everywhere at 50 and 65c, sale price 29c. No big quantity sold to any on ustomer.

39c Heavy Ribbed All-Wool Stockings for 15c

25 dozen only Ladies' All Wool \ orsted Stockings, heavy rib, size 9½, ac al selling value 39c, Saturday morning's price 15c. Only two pairs to a y one customer.

5 c All-Wool Cashmere Hose 25c

50 dozen to be sold in Ladies' ure Wool Cashmere Stockings. You will pay 50c for these anywhere. Saturday morning price 25c. Not more an 2 pairs to a customer.

20c White Swiss Spot Muslin 71/2c

5,000 yards of fine White Swiss Spot Muslin, pin head dot, and worth in the regular way 20c, Saturday's price

75c, \$1 and \$1.25 Silks to be Sold at 39c

3,000 yards of Tartan, fancy stripes and checks in Waist Silk, that would sell regular for 75c, Saturday morn-

15c and 17c English Flannelette 9c

1,000 yards English Flannelette, retty stripes and worth 15 and 17c per yard, Saturday at less than cost price

35c Fancy Ribbons for 10c

50 pieces of Taffeta Ribbon, o abre design, with pretty border, this ribbon is 41/2 inches wide, pure silk and value for 30c, Saturday's special price, 10c, a limit of 5 yards to any one customer.

19c and 25c Wide Ribbons 5c

75c and \$1 Dress Goods for 29c

\$40 Astrachan Jackets \$20

12 only Ladies' Astrachan Jackets, good range of sizes, a splendid wearing coat, regular \$40, Saturday \$20

\$10 and \$15 Jackets \$5

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easonable Bargains for Saturday's Selling

We have just taken delivery of a age shipment of Blankets and Comrters, cleared at a big discount off gular prices. They go on sale Sat-

\$1.75 Comforters \$1.39

Comforters, made to retail at \$1.75,

\$3 Comforters \$2

Comforters, made to retail at \$3.00,

Saturday \$2.00

\$4 Comforters \$3 Comforters, made to retail at \$4.00,

Saturday \$3.00

\$4 Blankets \$3.50 Blankets that sell to-day at \$4.00,

Saturday \$3.50

\$6 Blankets \$4.50

Blankets of the finest quality, regu lar \$6.00 value, for \$4.50

\$7 Blankets \$5.95

Blankets that would be cheap at

\$1 Lace Curtains 75c

Lace Curtains, regular \$1.00 value Saturday's price 75c

\$1.25 Lace Curtains 99c

ches wide, value \$1.25, Saturday 99c \$4 Portier Curtains \$3

Portier Curtains, heavy chenille

nake, regular \$4.00, Saturday. \$3.00

\$5.50 Portier Curtains \$4.50

Portier Curtains, in extra heavy che iille, value for \$5.50, for \$4.50

\$3.25 Portier Curtains \$2.49 Portier Curtains, in tapestry, green

crimson, value \$3.25, Saturday ..a.. a... \$2.49

Don't forget this fact, that we are offering \$10,000 worth of Furs at half price.

Saturday Special Sale of **New Dinner Sets**

These are of splendid quality English Porcelain and come in the very newest decorations and in a composition made up expressly for ourselves.

Dinner Sets at \$6.75

Twelve only sets of Dinner Ware, containing the usual 97 pieces, in small floral designs, colors dark blue, green and brown. This set has Bread and Butter Plates, and instead of teapot, a Salad Bowl and Pickle Tray are added,

100 Piece Sets for \$10

Nine only English Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets, of 100 pieces, in pearl grey olive green and peacock decorations. The teapot and sugar bowl are omitted and a Salad Bowl, Hot Water Jug, Pickle Tray and 2 Cups and Saucers are added and the Vegetable Dishes have inlaid covers, a very dainty set for the

Nickle Teapots 45c

2 dozen 3-Pint Size Tea and Coffee Pots, nickle plated handles, black enameled, will be placed on sale Saturday for only, each 45c

2 dozen Heavy Pieced Tin Boilers, in No. 8 and 9 sizes, with solid copper bottom, will be sold on Saturday

Boilers \$1.19

Crumb Travs and Scrapers 35c

3 dozen Nickle Plated Crumb Trays

only, each \$1.19 35c Galvanized Pails 25c

3 dozen extra heavy Galvanized Wa

3 cases good sound Lemons at only 1c each.

Bedroom Lamps 20c

6 dozen Bedroom Lamps, with handle, complete, with brass burner and flint glass chimney, on sale Saturday for only 20c

Each set has one large pitcher and six tumblers. Very prettily decorated, priced very low, from \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 on up to \$2.50 per set New Parlor Lamps

A shipment of Parlor and Dining Room Lamps, all of which have round globes, and neatly decorated, now ready for inspection. Prices very mod-erate.

12 Lbs. Redpath's Best Granulated Sugar 52c

Or 7 lbs. for 32c, to customers leaving an order for one dollar's worth of other Groceries.

8.30 to 10.30 Specials

40c Ceylon Black Tea 25c Teas with regard to price now are

soaring away up, but we managed to secure a quantity, and while it lasts we will sell at the old prices. This line is value at 40c, sale price ... 25c 2 tins Condensed Milk 25e Prunes, per lb. 10e 3 cans June Peas 25e Nutmegs, per dozen 5c 2 lbs. Laundry Starch 15c

Comfort Soap 7 Bars 25c From 8.30 until 10.30 on Saturday

we will sell Comfort Soap at 7 bars for 25c. One lot to a customer, A new stock of Raisins, Currents, Best Currents, lb. 10c Baking Powder, 1-lb. can 10c Natural Pulled Figs, Ib. ... Sc 3 lbs. Mixed Biscuits for 25e Pickles, per hottle 10c Coffee, special blend, lb. 19c

\$10,000 Worth of Furs Go on Sale at Half Price

Wednesday and Thursday, immense selling days in our Fur Dept. Saturday should be a greater day. We bought a manufacturer's stock at just 1/2 the ordinary price and to make the sale more successful will offer every piece of our own stock at a big reduction on first price.

Just a Few Lines to Give You Some Idea of These Fur Bargains

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0 Eastern Mink Stoles \$15 5 Eastern Mink Stoles \$12 6 Grey Lamb Stoles \$3 83 \$10 Electric Seal Stoles \$3 \$6 Marmot Throws \$3 \$12 Marmot Throws \$6 \$12 Marmot Throws \$6 \$12 Marmot Throws \$6 \$12 Marmot Throws \$6 \$10 Marmot Caperine \$10 Marmot Caperine	.50
5 Eastern Mink Stoles \$12 56 Marmot Throws	83
Grey Lamb Stoles #8 \$12 Marmot Throws #6 \$12 Near-seal Stoles	*6
.50 Black Coney Stoles \$2.75 \$19 Dyed Squirrel Tie \$9.50 \$10 Marmot Caperine	

Great Sale of Fur Jackets Saturday

\$70 Half Persian Jacket	\$40 Marmot Coats	\$20 Bulgarian Lamb Coat

Extensive Selling in Dress Goods Dept. Saturday we put on sale 3,000 yards of Dress Goods at two prices, 29c and c. This is just about one-half the regular selling price.

75c Panama 59c 45-inch Panama, in blue light and dark brown, green and black, regularly

75c Satin Panne 59c

75c Voiles 59c 44-inch Voile, in navy, brown, green cream and black, regularly 75c, for

75c Serges 59c

42-inch Serge, in red, brown, green and black, 75c, for 59c 75c Shepherd's Check 59c

44 inch Shepherds' Checke, in black, and white, regularly 75c, for ... 59c

75c Cashmere 59c

75c Cheviots 59c 46-inch Cheviots, fancy weave, in garnet, navy, brown, green, cream and black, regularly 75c, for 59c Dress Goods, Worth Up to \$1, Clearing at 29c

54-inch Tweeds, in fawn and brown

44-inch Tweed, in brown and blue and green, with shadow check and

44-inch Lustre, in brown and blue and blue and white. 44-inch Plain Lustres, in black,

rown, navy, green and cream. 44-inch Fancy Serges, in green, brown navy and black.

42-inch Serge, in navy and black. 40-inch Clan Tartans.

42-inch Shepherds' Checks, in black ind white: 40-inch Voile, in brown only, with

500 dozen Ladies' Heavy Underwear, the 50 to 65c kind, clearing sale price

Ready-to-Wear Section

Night Gowns 50c

Ladies' Night Gowns, made of striped Flannelette, neat Mother Hubbard style, rich finished with frill of lace,

Ladies' Drawers 35c

Ladies' Drawers, made of striped Flannelette, gathered at the knee, 27 nch length, on sale Saturday 35c

Full range of Ladies' Corset Covers nade of best quality white Flannelette, neck and arms edged with Torchon lace, Saturday 35c

Corset Covers 35c

\$4.50 Waists \$2.99 or taffeta silk, variety of different styles, buttoned in front and long leeves, colors black, white, green, red

and brown, worth regular \$4.50, sale Mohair Neck Scarfs

Scarves, soft and dainty, in white, cream and black, 2 and 21/2 yards, n length, price 75c, \$1 and . . \$1.35

Just \$10,000 worth of Furs in Stoles, Ruffs, Caperines, Jackets, etc. A clearing lot bought from a manufacturer. We bought them at half and will sell them at half price to make the sale still more interesting. We have marked every piece of fur in the house at reduced prices. Come up Saturday morning and take your choice of this excellent stock of up-to-date Furs.

Great Values in Gents' and Ladies' Shoes

1,000 pairs of Shoes, marked for Saturday at in some cases half and less than half price. We have put the prices so low that the sales in the Shoe section will be the greatest this year.

\$5 Men's Patent Leather Shoes \$2.98

Men's Patent Leather Shoes, in Blueher or straight cut, heavy or medium sole, Goodyear welt, McPherson's make, regular price \$5.00, sale price . . \$2.98

Men's Tan Heavy Walking Boots for winter, in box calf, velour calf and vax calf, heavy welt soles, Goodyear welt, regular \$5.00, Saturday .. \$2.50

Women's Dongola Kid Balmorals, Blucher cut, heavy extension sole, mili-

\$2 Slippers 99c Women's Patent Leather Slippers, with one strap, French heels, bow and

buckle, regular \$2.00, Saturday 99c \$1.25 House Slippers 89c

Women's House Shoes, in dongola kid, one strap, low or medium heels, wide or narrow toes, regular \$1.25, Saturday 89c

\$1.75 Boys' Shoes \$1.15 Boys' Good School Shoes, in Boston calf, heavy soles, heavy heels, double stitched, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75, Saturday \$1.15

Women's Heavy Shoes \$2 Women's Good Street Shoes, in vici kid, heavy, extension sole, patent tip, Blucher cut, military heel, Saturday's special price \$2.00

\$10,000 Worth of Furs at Half Price

Mink, Electric Seal, Marmot, Grey Squirrel, Opossum and all fashionable Furs, in Muffs, Stoles, Ties, Caperines and Jackets, bought at half and will be sold at half price. We could get a good deal more for these Furs, if we wished to put them in our regular stock. But it has always been our plan

Silk Department

China Silk 50c

Japan China Silk, 27 inches wide, all wanted colors, price 50c \$2.95 Waist Lengths \$1.35

Peau de Soie Silk, in waist lengths of 5 yards, full range of colors, length worth \$2.95, Saturday \$1.35

Silk Crepe de Chine, 44 inches wide,

\$1.50 Crepe de Chine \$1

in black, cream, pale blue, pink and grey, good value at \$1.50, Saturday \$1.00 Black Taffeta 50c

One piece only Black Taffeta Silk. special Saturday 50c

Black Taffeta \$1.75 Black Taffeta, Noblesse brand, guarinteed, width 44 inches, Saturday's

price \$1.75 Great Sale of Furs

Ten thousand dollars' worth of this season's fashionable makes and style on Saturday at exactly half the regula retail price.

The Great Lines for Saturday Furs at Half Price

Saturday exceptional buying oppor-tunities will be given in every depart-ment of the house. Sale starts at 8.30.

THE T. H. PRATT CO., LIMITED