

THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED

Our Last Bargain Day for February

The heading explains why we offer such attractive bargains throughout the store on Friday. It is the last day of our February Sale, and it should be the biggest for volume of sales. We have every confidence that these prices and values will make it so.

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Bargains in Furniture

BEDROOM SUITES.

30 Bedroom Suites; hardwood; gold-on oak and mahogany finish; bevel-plate mirror; our special sale price \$11.50; Friday for... \$9.90

12 Bedroom Suites; solid oak; British bevel-plate mirror; our special sale price was \$18.69; Friday... \$14.90

6 Bedroom Suites; polished quarter oak; British bevel mirror; a \$45.00 suite; Friday... \$29.50

ROCKING CHAIRS.

100 Arm Rocking Chairs; hardwood; golden oak finish; fancy turned spindles; carved back; impervious seat; regular price \$1.50; Friday... \$1.25

BOOK SHELVES.

100 Bamboo Book Shelves; with 3 shelves; regular price 75c; Friday... \$59

IRON BEDS.

30 Iron Bedsteads; white enamel finish; heavy brass rails, rings and spindles; bow shaped; extended foot end; sizes 3 ft., 3 ft. 6 in., 4 ft. 4 in. and 4 ft. 6 in.; regular price \$8.25; Friday... \$6.00

MATTRESSES.

25 only All-Hair Mattresses; covered with extra heavy quality ticking; closely tufted; sizes 4 ft. 2 in., 4 ft. 4 in. and 4 ft. 6 in.; regular price \$9.00; Friday... \$9.90

SIDEBOARDS.

17 Sideboards; assorted patterns; hardwood; golden oak finish; bevel-plate mirror; our sale price \$10.50; Friday... \$8.90

DINING CHAIRS.

10 sets Dining-Room Chairs; quarter oak frames; upholstered seats; in sets of 5 and 1 arm chair; regular price \$13.90; Friday... \$9.90

Curtains

350 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains; 54 to 60 inches wide; 3 1/2 yards long; white or ivory; overlocked edges; mostly single borders; this lot includes some of the best selling lines; regular value \$1.50 pair; Friday, to clear, at... \$1.00

60 pairs Heavy Tapestry Curtains; 40 inches wide, 3 yards long; reversible; all-over designs and floral effects; fringed top and bottom; colors blue, crimson, olive green, green and rose; all bright, well-finished goods; regular value \$3.00 pair; Friday, your choice... \$2.00

Carpets

1140 yards Nottingham Lace Brussels Carpet; beautiful designs; in conventional and Oriental effects; in green, red, blue, fawn, terra, rose and ecru; with 5-8 borders to match; regular prices \$1.00 and \$1.10 a yard; Friday at... \$1.75

Linoleums

985 square yards Scotch Linoleum; 2, 3 and 4 yards wide; new goods; in floral, block and mosaic tile effects; goods that will give excellent wear, being well painted and thoroughly seasoned; suitable for kitchens, dining-rooms, etc.; regular prices 50c, 55c and 60c square yard; Friday... \$40

Wall Papers

2100 rolls American Glimmer Wall Paper; pretty conventional and stripe effects; yellow, brown, blue and pink colors; for bedrooms, kitchens and dining-rooms; regular price 10c per single roll; on sale Friday... \$5

Pictures

196 only Pictures; circle and oblong shapes; sizes 8x8 and 11x14; gilt, putty mouldings; finished in green, brown and black; large assortment of figure and landscape subjects; regular price 35c each; on sale Friday... \$20

THE TORONTO DAILY STAR WILL HAVE A MORE COMPLETE LIST

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190 YONGE ST., TORONTO.

VICTOR HUGO'S MEMORY.

First of a Series of Festivities Held in Paris.

Paris, Feb. 26.—The series of festivities to celebrate the centenary of the birth of Victor Hugo, which will last until Sunday next, opened to-day with a grand ceremony within the Pantheon, under the auspices of the government. President Loubet, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the Premier, and other members of the cabinet, the members of the Senate and the Chamber of Deputies, representative deputations from the Institute and the other state bodies, including the leading lights of art, science and literature in France, and deputations from the various lycées and educational institutions were present. The ceremony began shortly after 10 o'clock in the morning, and was concluded at 11.15 o'clock a.m. The program included eulogistic orations by M. Leygues, Minister of Public Instruction, and M. Hanotaux, President of the Institute; recitals of several of Victor Hugo's poems by members of the Comédie Française, and the rendering of hymns, based on Hugo's works, by M. Delmas of the opera, and a choir of 180 men and women. The band of the Republican Guards and an orchestra numbering 100 persons performed.

TOBACCO, LIQUOR AND DRUGS.

Dr. McTaggart's tobacco remedy removes all desire for the weed in a few weeks. A vegetable medicine, and only requires rubbing the tongue with it occasionally. Price, \$2.

Simply marvelous are the results from taking his remedy for the liquor, morphine and other drug habits. It is a safe and inexpensive home treatment; no hypodermic injections; no publicity; no loss of time from business, and a certainty of cure.

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formed the instrumental part of the exercises.

The scene within the Pantheon was most imposing and full of color, owing to the brilliant toilets of the ladies and the uniforms of the officials. In all the public schools of France the day was celebrated by the recitation of the national poem, and by readings from his works by the professors.

Malt Breakfast Food

Bestows a Fresh, Rosy and Healthy Complexion.

This is a fact that has been frequently demonstrated by the entire satisfaction of a multitude of people. The fact that Malt Breakfast Food is a predigested food, a blood enricher, an aid to digestion, easily assimilated and rich in concentrated nutrient, combine to make it a health food that assuredly bestows a fresh, rosy and healthy complexion to those who use it.

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Men's Furnishings

48 dozen Men's Night Robes; fine flannel; collar attached; yoke and pocket; double-stitched seams; 54 inches long; in pink and blue stripes; sizes 14 to 19; regular price 50c; Friday... \$29

24 dozen Men's Heavy Flannellette Shirts; collar attached; yoke; pearl buttons; double-stitched seams; in pink and blue stripes; sizes 14 to 18; regular price 50c; Friday... \$33

Men's Imported Colored Cambric Shirts; with pleated or laundered bosom; open back and front; cushion neckband; in small blue, black and white stripes and figures; sizes 14 to 17 1/2; regular price \$1.50; Friday... \$75

Clothing

Men's Suits; single and double breasted; single-breasted; heavy all-wool tweeds; in neat patterns; brown shades, with overplaid; strong Italian linings; good trimmings; sizes 36 to 44; regular prices \$7.50 and \$10.00; Friday... \$4.95

30 Men's Heavy Harris Flannel Ulsters; in black, brown and Oxford grey shades; double-breasted; high storm collars; tab for throat; heavy check tweed and worsted linings; sizes 34, 35 and 36 only; regular prices \$8.00 and \$10.00; Friday... \$5.99

Clearing up of Boys' Norway Reefers; storm collars; tab for throat; checked tweed and Italian linings; made of English naps, chevrons and friezes; brown, blue and Oxford grey; sizes 22 to 25; regular prices \$2.75 to \$5.00; Friday... \$1.59

Men's Trousers; in dark striped pattern; side and hip pockets; strong Canadian tweeds; good trimmings; sizes 32 to 37; regular prices \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00; Friday... \$1.99

Hats and Caps

Men's and Youths' Plain or Fancy Pattern Tweed Hooked Caps; satin lining; regular 15c; Friday... \$7

Boys' Black or Brown English Felt Fedora Hats; neat, stylish shape; silk band and binding; leather sweatbands; regular 50c and 75c; Friday... \$25

Furs

Men's and Youths' Persian Lamb Caps; bright, glossy curl; Dominion and wedge shapes; satin lining; regular \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00; Friday... \$2.95

Men's Rock Wallaby Fur Overcoats; 50 inches deep; heavy Italian cloth linings; regular \$12.50 to \$15.00; Friday... \$7.49

Dictionaries

Webster's Dictionaries; 1600 pages; printed on a good white paper; bound in full tan sheep; lettering in gold, with patent thumb index; original edition; revised and enlarged by Chauncey A. Goodrich of Yale College; regular price \$2.25; Friday... \$1.50

Trunks

25 only Extra Strongly Made Travelling Trunks; canvas covered; steel clamped; hardwood slats; steel castors and hinges; deep tray, with covered bottom; 34 inch; regular price \$5.20; Friday... \$4.19

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SEVEN BOERS TAKEN.

Grobelier's Lancer Surprised and Some Leaders Captured.

London, Feb. 26.—The correspondent of The Times at Ermelo says that Col. Mackenzie's column, operating near Lake Chrissie, South-eastern Transvaal, has surprised Hans Grobelier's small laager, capturing Stephanus Grobelier, Corporal Vanderneve and Schalkmeyer, and four others. Grobelier and Schalkmeyer are both influential men, who have been encouraging Boer resistance in Ermelo district.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 26.—At the corner of St. Andre and Dorchester streets, at 6.30 o'clock this morning, a man, who lies now at the General Hospital in a very serious condition, attempted suicide by shooting. He was observed as early as 6 o'clock loitering alone in the vicinity. He seemed to have nothing particular to do, and from his unsteady gait, many thought he was drunk, but, being quiet, no notice was taken of him. The name of the would-be-suicide is Edward Mason of 41 Platt-street, and he is a clerk in the Paymaster's Department. The act is unknown, but he told Dr. Von Ebers that he had reasons for attempting it. These reasons, however, tentative office may be called on to investigate. Mason had not been in quite his usual spirits for some time.

Piles

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for hemorrhoids and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, we have secured from the manufacturers every guaranteed bottle. See the enclosed in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and it will cure you in ten days. See a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment at the following dealers: EDWARDS, BATES & CO., Toronto.

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THE WORLD OUTSIDE

The World can be had at the following news stands:
Windsor Hotel... Montreal.
St. Lawrence Hall... Buffalo.
Hudson Hotel... Rochester.
Wolverine News Co., 12 West 40th-street... Detroit, Mich.
St. Dennis Hotel... New York.
P. O. News Co., 217 West 42nd-street... Chicago.
F. R. Root, 216 N. Main-street... Rochester.
Queen's Hotel... Winnipeg, Man.
Nisley & Sons, 114 West 12th-street... St. John, N.B.
Raymond & Doherty... St. John, N.B.

THE PRINCE OF A GREAT ISSUE.

Strong as is the case that Mr. Charlton has made out in favor of raising our tariff against the United States, he has touched only on the fringe of the question. Canada's relation to the United States must be regarded from two points of view—the first place as a contiguous, independent country, with the absolute right to fix its own tariff, and, in the second place, as a part of the British empire, and, as such, possessing a right in regard to the Imperial tariff. In determining the policy that this country should adopt toward the United States, we must consider not only the business done between the United States and Canada, but also between the United States and Great Britain, and, according to Mr. Charlton, the United States exported to this country last year goods to the amount of \$116,000,000. The Blue Book returns for last year show that the United States exported goods to the value of over \$831,000,000 to Great Britain, and to the British empire, including Canada, \$820,000,000. Mr. Charlton's remarks were directed toward the trade between the United States and Canada alone, which amounted to \$116,000,000. His policy is a commendable one, as far as it goes, but the interests of Canada and of the empire demand that our relationship with the United States should be regarded from a higher point of view. The same disparity in the trade relationship between Canada and the United States exists as between Great Britain and the United States. In fact, it is still more exaggerated in the latter case. The imports into the United States from Great Britain during the year in question were only \$145,000,000, as against \$831,000,000 into Great Britain from the United States. Consequently with the adoption of a policy to equalize the trade relations between the United States and Canada, we must exert ourselves to equalize the trade between the empire and the republic. Being contiguous to the United States, Canada ought to figure largely in the working out of this equalization. The principal exports from the United States to Great Britain are agricultural. They are such exports as Canada can produce. As Mr. Robert McElgin pointed out to the Montreal Board of Trade the other day, our farm products are the Northwest could supply Great Britain's shortage in wheat and cereals. He mentioned at the same time that the wheat areas of Canada could support a population of 50,000,000. Mr. Charlton contends that Canada could support a population of 100,000,000. Here are figures which are simply stupendous in their possibilities. By the application of the United States' fiscal policy to Canada and to the empire, the Dominion would soon be in a position to decrease her imports from the United States by 50 per cent, or more, and to increase her exports to Great Britain by hundreds of millions. All this can be accomplished by local and Imperial protective tariffs, and it can be accomplished in short order if our statesmen would only take the necessary steps. The handling of this big question devolves primarily upon this country. It is our duty, first of all, to deal with the United States as far as our own interests are concerned, and it is our duty, in the next place, to arrange with Great Britain to the necessity of applying the principle of protection to Imperial interests. Canada is the most influential among the colonies. It remains for her to take the initiative in this matter, to co-operate with the other colonies to insist, with them, upon the adoption of an Imperial tariff that will result in giving the colonies a preference in the markets of the Mother Country. Never did any country have such a brilliant prospect before her as Canada at the present time. If her statesmen would only have the courage to take advantage of the opportunity.

PROTECTION AND THE IMPERIAL

In an article on Mr. Charlton's speech The Globe yesterday incidentally referred to the large importations of agricultural implements into Canada from the United States. It is interesting to note that the shipment of 65 carloads of threshing outfits valued at \$455,000. These found purchasers in Canada because of the ease and quickness with which broken or worn-out parts could be replaced. It is pointed out by The Globe that by no possibility could these implements be supplied by Great Britain, the British method of farming being different from ours and it being enormously difficult to send across the ocean to replace worn-out and broken parts. All the arguments used by The Globe lead to the conclusion that the nearer the manufacturer can be located to the consumer the better. The United States being nearer to Canada than is Great Britain, the former is the more desirable place for our farmers to deal with, but a still more advantageous location for the manufacturer of agricultural implements is in Canada itself. The nearer the consumer and producer are brought together the more favorable are the conditions of trade. The Globe would not refer to an industry that more graphically accentuated the inequality of the trade relations between Canada and the United States than the agricultural implement business. Last year we imported \$2,000,000 worth of these implements from the United States, while we exported not a dollar's worth to that country. Unless the tariff is changed the importations bid fair to reach still larger proportions, because, as the farming lands of western Canada are settled, the demand for agricultural machinery will become correspondingly large. No manufacturing industry in Canada will make greater strides in the immediate future than the agricultural implement business, and no industry would be more benefited by the imposition of effective protective duties. The tariff at the present time is hardly sufficient to cause the transfer of the implement manufacturing from the United States to this country, although it is sufficiently near that point to cause some of the American manufacturers to seriously consider whether it would not be in their interests to locate in Canada instead of shipping their products from the other side. It would not require a very great increase in the tariff to decide those who are thus wavering, and bring them over into Canada. If, however, a change in the duty is to be made, it ought to be high enough to do the work effectively. If such a policy is decided upon, as we hope it will be, it would have the effect of transferring to Canada \$2,000,000 worth of business immediately and of retaining in this country the large and increasing business of the future, which otherwise go to the United States in the event of the tariff remaining as it is. An efficient protective tariff on agricultural implements would bring into existence in this country several new factories as large as the one that has done so much for the city of Toronto. There is no reason why Canadian farmers should send to the United States for broken and worn-out parts. Everything connected with the business ought to be transacted in this country. An effective protective policy would not only benefit the whole country, but we claim it will be of advantage to the farmers themselves, because the Canadian business is large enough to warrant just as active competition among Canadian manufacturers as exists in the United States among American producers. The agricultural industry is only one of a great many others that will be benefited by an effective protective tariff. Mr. Charlton points out that Canada imports American manufactures to the amount of \$65,000,000 a year. We do not contend that this business could be transferred to Canada by a high tariff, but there is no doubt that the larger part of it could be economically transplanted here. An increase in the tariff to-day would bring as much new business to Canada as the moderate duties of 1878 brought to the country at that time. Canada has no means exhausted the benefits to be derived from protection. We have made use of the principle only in a half-hearted and tentative way. Much as protection has benefited the country in the past, still greater benefits are possible if we only rise equal to the occasion and carry out the principle in the same effective way as it has been carried out by our neighbors to the south of us.

THE LOADED REFERENDUM GOES.

The Premier's deputation that waited on the Premier yesterday were given to understand, very plainly, that no alterations would be made in the details of the referendum, as originally announced, except, possibly, in regard to the date for taking the vote. We are not in sympathy with the prohibitionists, and we think they are entitled to fair treatment, and this government has certainly not accorded them. If they are entitled to a referendum at all, they are entitled to an honest referendum. The one devised by Premier Ross is not calculated to secure an accurate and interested expression of public opinion. In making the success of the referendum dependent upon the number of votes cast at the general election, Premier Ross puts the whole thing in a tangle. What was wanted was a simple appeal to the people, to show clearly what the relative standing of the two parties is. The referendum adopted by Mr. Ross will not show this. Half of the voters will concentrate their efforts on the general election, and the other half on the referendum. It will be impossible following the directions for voting the vote, and the thoroughness in pressing the goods, you will be delighted with the perfect success following the use of Diamond Dyes.

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12 teachers, 80 typewriting machines, 37 students in day sessions, 10 members in evening classes, 31 positions filled from Jan. 28 to Feb. 2 indicate the conditions now prevailing in the Central Business College.

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Steamer or Ocean Trunk—handy for travel—fit under the bunk in the cabin. 85 Steamer Trunk, 35 inch, Thursday, 28th inst., and Friday, at \$3.75

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UMER BELLES—Fine Girls Silk Umbrellas for ladies and gentlemen, with silver-mounted handles, best steel rods, 150 frames—\$1.50

EAST'S 300 Yonge St., Cor. Agnes St.

The Great Sale of Rugs and Carpets To-Day.

Mr. Chas. M. Henderson will continue the great sale of elegant rugs and carpets this afternoon at 2.30, at No. 40 East King-street. Some rare bargains were obtained yesterday, and greater ones may be expected to-day.

A LINIMENT FOR THE LOGGER.

Loggers lead a life which exposes them to many perils. Wounds, cuts and bruises cannot be altogether avoided in preparing timber for the drive, and the risk of daily exposure, coughs and colds and muscular pain cannot be avoided. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil when applied to the injured or administered to the ailing worker was a great help.

Sale of Shop Fixtures Yesterday.

Mr. Chas. M. Henderson sold the entire shop fixtures, the property of the J. E. Ellis Company (Limited), yesterday. A very large audience attended the sale, and the bidding was very brisk. The most costly fixtures were purchased by Crawford Bros., the popular tailors.

Burglars Hanged.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 26.—Dudley Johnson, white, and Ben Foster, colored, were hanged here to-day for burglary, which is a capital offence in this State.

"STIFFLED" HEART

Ever feel that every breath would be your last—that the thumping, stifling sensations about your heart were crushing your life out?

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is the only absolutely unfailing remedy known and prescribed by eminent physicians. Its claims of potency are not exaggerated, for the sufferer. It is not a spirit lifter to gather you up to the high pinnacle of expectancy only to drop you into a deeper mire of disease. It gives relief in thirty minutes. A few bottles cure the worst forms of heart malady.

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an admittedly hopeless cause, or centre their efforts upon... and punish him for having broken his pledge, remains to be seen.

A Deserved Promotion in the Canada Life.

Mr. E. W. Cox is receiving the congratulations of his friends on his promotion to the post of general manager of The Canada Life Assurance Co., which was announced after the annual meeting yesterday.

Mr. Cox, while yet a young man, has had many years' experience in the insurance business, his whole business career having been identified with the great company he is now called on to manage. His deserved promotion will meet with the approval of all connected with the Canada Life.

Another announcement of importance made at yesterday's meeting was that the company had moved its policy reserves to a 3 1/2 per cent. basis for all business prior to 1900, and a 3 per cent. basis for all issued since then. This, it is said, constitutes the strongest reserve basis employed by any company organized in this continent.

A full report of the proceedings will appear in to-morrow's World.

THE IMPERIAL LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

Attention is directed to the announcement of the Imperial Loan and Investment Company. This company allow the highest rate of interest on deposits, payable half-yearly, also advance money on stock, bonds and debentures. Loans made on land in Ontario and Manitoba, by mortgage, at the very lowest rates. The Imperial Loan and Investment Company is an old and carefully managed institution.

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"Lies like a virus"

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—Shakespeare.

THOROLD BOARD OF TRADE.

Thorold, Ont., Feb. 26.—At a well-attended meeting of the Board of Trade last night the following officers were elected: President, D. B. Crombie; Vice-President, W. M. Henderson; Secretary, James Battle; Treasurer, T. B. Simson. The board are in correspondence with several American manufacturers concerning the possibility of establishing manufacturing plants in Canada.

Found the Missing Ring.

Detective Harrison yesterday afternoon arrested Frank Leslie of 53 Albee-street on the charge of stealing a three-stone diamond ring, worth \$80, from the house of Mrs. King F. Macnab of 274 Yonge-street. Leslie is an employee of the Carpet Cleaning Company, 37 Carleton-street, and was sent yesterday morning with another woman to take up some carpets at Mrs. Macnab's house. The ring was on a dresser in the room, and was missed shortly after the missing ring in Leslie's room.

Stock Sale at Guelph.

Guelph, Feb. 26.—The third annual provincial auction sale of pure-bred stock