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The Foreman Store Talk

Probe-Northerly
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clear.
Thursday-snow

CHATHAM, ONTARIO, JANUARY 9, 1901.

Dress Goods Sale

Stock-taking just now, but before we commence listing, we hope to clear out a good many lines of Dress Stuffs that we don't want to see appear on our stock sheets. And the new Spring Goods will be tumbling in on us, and we want to be prepared so that there will be plenty of shelf room for them when they arrive.

2 pieces Stylish Tweed Suitings, in green and cardinal mixtures, 48 inches wide, regular at 40c and 50c, sale prices 30c and 39c

3 pieces handsome Tweed Suitings, for Skirts or dresses, 40 inch wide, in colors, gray and blue, gray and cardinal, green and gold mixtures, regular at per yard 50c, sale prices 35c and 37c

5 pieces Tweed Suitings, regular at per yard 75c, sale price 57c

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WE HAVE SOME SPECIAL

...Bargains in Furniture

The remaining part of our Christmas stocks, which we are offering at specially low prices.

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Are Offering **LADIES' DRESS GOODS**

Homespun, Friezes, Flannels, etc., in the latest designs, shades and effects; also Mantling, Blanket Goods, etc. SEE THEM before purchasing. We are offering Blankets, Sheetings, Shirtings and Yarns, all new goods of this year's clip.

For Gentlemen

We have the Latest and Nobbiest Suitings, Trimmings, etc., from the finest Worsted to the cheapest Canadian Full Cloths. Prices to suit the times.

Beaver Flour THE CHEAPEST because it is THE BEST on the market. Bran, Shorts, Crushed Oats, Corn or Barley.

FARMERS try our new chopping device. It grinds your grain RIGHT and STOCK do better on this chop.

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WANT HIGHER CLASS JUDGES.

The Toronto Bar Intimates Its Wishes to Sir Wilfrid.

Interior Lawyers Being Forced Upon His Attention—Not Fit for the Positions Aspired to.

Toronto, Jan. 9.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was waited upon yesterday by a deputation headed by Hon. S. H. Blake, and Z. A. Lash, who presented to him a memorial signed by over 200 members of the Ontario Bar practicing in this city, and which read as follows:—"The signatories to this memorial recognize the fact that in the past appointments to the High Court Bench in Ontario have been merited by distinction previously attained at the bar and have been made without regard to other considerations than the public interests. Your signatories wish to express to you as First Minister among His Excellency's advisors, their hope and trust that when the present or other vacancies upon the Ontario bench come to be filled the Government will not depart from the traditions surrounding this high office in the past, but will continue to deserve the confidence of the people by selecting for such exalted positions men of standing and eminence in the profession without attaching any weight to other considerations which may be urged." The Premier expressed his approval of the views contained in the memorial. The incident, which is without precedent in Ontario's judicial history, arises from the agitation for the appointment of a Catholic judge to the vacancy on the High Court bench. A number of prominent Catholic barristers have been insisting that with a seventh of the population of Ontario and only one High Court Catholic judge out of seventeen, the vacancy should be filled by a Catholic. The government, it will be remembered, offered the appointment to J. J. Foy, Q. C. M. P. P., an eminent Catholic, but a political opponent, and Mr. Foy refused to accept, because, it is said, Mr. Whitney did not wish him to retire from politics. Since that time several names have been put forward, notably those of Frank Anglin, son of the former Speaker of the Commons, and Mr. Donahue, of St. Thomas. The bar, as a whole, objects to both men, on the ground that they are not of High Court Standard, in Mr. Anglin's case youth being an added objection. The affair has caused great excitement in the profession.

STOLE THE SAFE AND ALL IN IT.

A Most Faring Daylight Robbery From a Jewelry Store.

Chelsea, Mass., Jan. 8.—Joseph Hart, Samuel Goldstein, David Kerner, David Werblinsky and Terry Silverman were arrested here yesterday charged with stealing in broad daylight \$1,300 in money and \$2,000 worth of jewelry from the office of Morse Brothers, in Boston. The police recovered a part of the stolen jewelry and \$500 in bank bills. Morse Bros. conducted a diamond and jewelry business on the lease plan. The robbers visited the place while the proprietors were out soliciting trade, and covering the safe, carried it away on a wagon. A number of persons saw the safe being carted away, but supposed the men were legitimate safe movers.

BRUTAL NURSES.

New York, Jan. 9.—The grand jury reported yesterday to Judge Cowing, handing up indictments against Clinton Marshall, J. B. Dean and Eugene Davis, Bellevue Hospital nurses, for manslaughter in the first degree, in the killing of Louis Hillard, a patient in a ward of the hospital.

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THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.
Toronto, Jan. 9.—10 a. m.—Northerly winds, fair weather, becoming colder. Thursday, strong easterly winds, rain or snow before evening.

LOCAL BRIEFS

C. C. I. Lecture, Thursday, Jan. 17.

Charles Lynn is visiting his grandparents at Dresden.

Mrs. David Brennen entered St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday.

Lost—A bunch of keys. Finder will please leave at this office.

W. E. Gundy, barrister, of Ridgeway, is in the city to-day on legal business.

Mrs. W. J. Laird leaves to-day for a two months' visit in Ayr and Platteville.

Miss Waddick, Raleigh, underwent an operation on her nose yesterday.

The by-law as to abolishing the ward system in Windsor was carried by 81.

Mrs. John A. Johnston, of Dover, returned from Bay City, Mich., to-day.

The Y. P. S. of Christ Church will consider Kipling next Monday evening.

James Talbot returned this morning from Dresden, where he went Monday to vote.

Mrs. Geo. Smith, of Montreal, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Laird, has returned home.

Miss Ida Powell leaves to-day to resume her studies in the Ontario Normal College, Hamilton.

Miss Emily Slocum, King St. East, fell on the icy sidewalk yesterday and fractured her leg.

Hugh Macdonald's son, Roland, fell on the granolithic walk and fractured his collar bone.

Wm. Robertson, son of Peter Robertson, who was seriously cut about the face in a runaway accident recently, is doing well.

The funeral of the late Leslie Remington, of Harwich, took place yesterday and was largely attended.

John Cockburn, baritone soloist, with the Slayton Jubilee Singers, is a warm personal friend of Barber Jas. Talbot, of this city.

Mrs. A. Stewart (nee Miss Scager) and son Harold, of Winnipeg, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bedford, Selkirk St., North Chatham.

N. G. Dickson, formerly of this city, has secured a position on the editorial staff of the Mail and Empire, Toronto. He commenced his new duties on Monday last.

The Sarnia Hockey Club passed through this city yesterday on route for Tilbury where they played last evening. The match resulted in favor of the visitors by a score of 5 to 2.

W. J. Kenny, Robt. Riddell, E. J. Forsythe and Dr. Musson, from this city, attended the Masonic lodge of instruction at Thamesville yesterday. The visit was royally entertained.

The regular meeting of Wellington Chapter of Royal Arch Masons will be held to-morrow evening, 10th inst., when a large attendance of the companions is desired.

John McGregor, of Windsor, a native of this city, died recently in Arizona, where he had gone for his health.

The dates for the annual hopspiel of the Windsor curling rink, have been set for Jan. 29 and 30. The Ontario primary matches for this district will be played on January 30 and 31.

Miss Adelle Lillywhite, who has spent the last few weeks visiting with her parents and friends, has returned to Chatham to continue her studies in vocal and instrumental music.—London Free Press.

Official Referee Rankin has received notice of objection by Logan T. to taxation of costs in the drainage case of Elma vs. Logan, on the grounds that no costs were incurred by the respondents. The amount in dispute is \$8.74.

Mr. Macdonald, of Duart, Indian Agent, is in the city in connection with the trial of Wampum Noah, the Moravian Indian charged with misappropriating \$30 of the funds of the Agricultural Society.

The January Detective contains excellent likenesses of Wm. Acker alias William Ackerman, and Ben. W. Riley alias Jones, the two men wanted in connection with the clover seed stealing in Southern Kent.

We must have a number of reliable persons and families in this locality to work for us whole or spare time, good wages paid. No canvassing. Write for position to-day. People's Syndicate, Dept. A, 130 Yonge street, Toronto.

Study the suit question and save. Study it well and best serve yourself. The more you can learn about real worth and wear in seasonable fabrics, the more certain you are to wear The 2's \$10 New Method Suits.

The annual meeting of the Chatham branch of the U. C. Bible Society will be held in Christ church S.S. hall this evening. The society is doing a splendid work, and all interested in the circulation of the word of God ought to try to be present. An offering will be asked in aid of the work. Meeting will begin at 8 o'clock.

Full returns show the election of John Vester in the Harwich division of the county council over David Caughill, reported elected yesterday by a majority of 21. There promises to be an interesting struggle for the wardenship between S. P. Sturgis, C. L. YonGunter, and Frank Rankin, with very little chance for anyone else.

CAMPBELL A. M. E. CHURCH.
"New Century Dollar Rally" at Campbell A. M. E. Church, next Sunday, Jan. 13th, 1901, for the benefit of making payment on the mortgage debt of the church. Rev. O. J. Murphy, M. D., of Windsor, Ont., will assist the pastor, Rev. T. H. Henderson, B. A. Services will be held at 11 a. m., 3 and 7.30 p. m. All cards and books must be returned on above date, after which the minutes will be published in the daily papers. Any subscription that you are pleased to give us will be thankfully received. Please send it to Rev. T. H. Henderson, P. O. Box 216.

T. & D. MANUFACTURING RETAILERS T. & D.

...Previous...

To stock-taking we have been, as is our custom, cutting out the odds and ends, and putting prices on them that are bound to clear them within the next few days. We would quote to-day:

7 young men's brown checked Tweed Suits, extra value—at the regular price \$4.50, all sizes, reduced to\$4.00
8 young men's fine all-wool, single-breasted Tweed Suits, neat, dark pattern, cut in latest fall style, sizes 33 to 36, regular price \$8.00, reduced to\$6.50

7 men's dark Tweed Suits, with herringbone pattern, strong and serviceable, all sizes, regular price \$7.00, reduced\$6.00
10 men's fine Worsted Suits, assorted patterns, broken lots, running over all sizes, 8 being dark colored and 2 medium—a special bargain, our best making and trimming, regular price \$13, reduced\$10

These suits have all been made in our own factory within the past few months, consequently are bright and cut from last fall's patterns. There's a sure saving if there is anything to suit you.

Thornton & Douglas.

Shoes by mail.

If you don't live in a town where there is a "Slater Shoe" Agency, you can get your exact fit, in shape, size and width, and you can choose the precise leather you want, from "The Craft of St. Crispin," the handsomest and most complete shoe catalogue ever published in America. It tells all about The "Slater Shoe," and accurately describes the different kinds of leathers—the kind of wear they're good for, and how to care for them. Price: \$3.50 and \$5.00.



Write for one, it's free.

Trudell & Tobey—The 2 T's—Sole Local Agents

District Deputy Geo. M. Baird, of Blenheim, visited Wallaceburg on Tuesday evening and installed the officers for the ensuing term of Phenix Encampment, I. O. O. F. The attendance was large and the prospects of a largely increased membership were encouraging.

Notice To Gas and Electric Light Consumers

Gas and Electric consumers are reminded that Thursday 10th inst will be the last day upon which discount will be allowed on Gas and Electric Light bills.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

D. J. O'Keefe installed, assisted by Chancellor Edward Reardon, the following officers of Branch No. 8, Catholic Mutual Relief Association last night for the current year.

President, Peter Robert.
1st Vice-President, William Primeau.
2nd Vice-President, John Rohan.
Rec.-Secretary, John Welsh.
Asst. Rec.-Secretary, John B. Downey.

Financial Secretary, D. J. O'Keefe.
Treasurer, J. U. Thibodeau.
Marshal, David Canary.
Guard, Geo. H. Bolduc.
Trustee, E. M. Coyne.
Owen Dillon.

Delegate to Grand Council Convention, D. J. O'Keefe, alternate, William Primeau.

TUPPERVILLE.

Allen Fritz teaches Kingsferry school this year.

C. Campbell, of Alberta, N. B., is renewing old acquaintance here.

Mrs. Lashelle is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. C. Boulton.

Ray Knight visited his home in Wallaceburg last week.

Mrs. C. Morrison, after spending the Xmas holidays here, returned to her home in Tilbury.

George Wilson, of Chatham, is visiting his father, Wesley Wilson, of this place.

Arthur Dell, our popular postoffice clerk, has returned from spending New Year's holidays at his home in Picton.

If it is asthma, bronchitis, croup, or any such trouble, use Vapo-Cresolene. All Druggists.

LOUISVILLE.

School re-opened on Thursday with a fair attendance. Quite a number thought Wednesday the day and so got an early 20th century January fool.

Mrs. Geo. Arnold is slowly convalescing after her severe attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Lemuel Weese, Olive Stanley and Master Clifford Weese are bedridden owing to an attack of la grippe. Mrs. Weese is in a critical condition, trained nurses being in attendance.

Quite a number from Raleigh and Harwich enjoyed the skating in Louisville on Sunday.

We are still looking for Xmas examination marks which were to be in the Weekly Planet.

Minard's Liniment is used by Physicians.

THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

Work Done During the Past Month—Council to be Asked For a Grant.

The Children's Aid Society met at the Shelter yesterday afternoon. There were present:—Rev. R. Sims, Rev. W. H. G. Colles, D. S. Paterson, Mrs. John A. Walker, Mrs. O. L. Lewis, Miss Read and Dr. R. V. Bray.

Dr. Bray, executive officer, reported as follows for December:—Letters written 15, visits made 5, cases reported for investigation 5, number of children included in these cases 10, cases investigated 3. The proper measures were suggested for the bringing up of the children and promises were enacted from the parents that there would be no reason for complaint in the future. Two cases are still under observation. Twelve boys were summoned in the police court but those under 14 were represented by parents. The report was adopted.

The personnel of the committee appointed to wait on the county council re grant is as follows:—Rev. R. Sims, Rev. W. H. G. Colles, Hugh Macgillivray, D. S. Paterson, W. G. Merritt and Fred Stone.

DEMAND FOR EXCELSIOR.

The present annual production in this country of excelsior is about 60,000 tons. Put to a great variety of uses, excelsior is most commonly used for packing purposes, and in such use it is employed for many very different kinds of things. It is used, for example, in the packing of things so fragile as eggs and things so solid as iron toys. In the various uses to which it is put excelsior is most in demand where manufacturing is carried on, so that the larger part of the great quantity of this material now produced in this country is used east of the Mississippi river.

E. W. Linn

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

IN "BOBS" HANDS.

London, Jan. 8.—The case of Maj.-Gen. Sir Henry Colville, whose resignation was asked by the War Office, owing to the Lindley affair, has been left in the hands of Lord Roberts. There is no disposition on the part of the War Office to reconsider the position it has taken up. In fact, whatever Lord Roberts may decide, Gen. Colville will be severely overhauled for a breach of the regulations in discussing the matter with the press. The selection of a commander-in-chief for India and for Canada has also been relegated to Lord Roberts.

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