

WOODS' FAIR

LADIES' WHITEWEAR DAY, SATURDAY—BARGAINS IN ALMOST EVERY DEPARTMENT

White Underskirts, \$1.00 Each.
Ladies' Beautiful White Underskirts, four styles, some with deep flounce of embroidery and fine tucks, others have embroidery trim and embroidery insertion, again others trimmed with two rows of lace insertion and lace on bottom with deep flounce. See them.
Special Saturday Price \$1.00.

CANDY SPECIAL

500 lbs. Fresh, Rich Maple Cream Saturday Sale Price, lb. 7/20
300 lbs. Peanut and Coconut Butter Taffies, Saturday Sale Price, 2 lbs. 15c

NOTION COUNTER SPECIALS.

3 Cotton Spools for 10c
Clapperton's Best Thread, white or black, on Saturday, 3 spools 10c
1,500 Matches for 10c
Safely Silent Matches, white tipped, put up in box. Saturday Special, 3 boxes for 10c
China and Crochery Cement. The World's Wonder.

This article is a wonder for mending broken china, crochery, glass, marble, dolls, heads, etc., guaranteed to be satisfactory. Special price to introduce, a bottle for 15c

Ladies' Lace-Trimmed Handkerchiefs, used for decorating at Christmas, but just as good as ever. Regular 5c. Saturday, special, to clear 2 for 10c

MEN'S MITTS, 19c PAIR.

Men's Hogskin or Wool Mitts, reg. 25c pair. Saturday, Special, pr. 19c

BOYS' RIBBED CASHMERE HOSE, 19c PAIR.

Boys' Ribbed Cashmere Hose, double tucked knee, double heel and toe, seamless feet, fast black. Regular 25c. Saturday, Special, 19c pair.

BASEMENT. BASEMENT. SOME SATURDAY VALUES.

17-Quart Granite Dish Pans 47c
Nickel Tea Kettles, each \$1.00
Eight or nine nickel Tea Kettles, regular price \$1.45.
Saturday price \$1.00

Saturday Night Tumbler Sale.
Fifty doz. Fine Glass Tumblers, regular 5c. Sale price, 7c to 10c
Saturday night 3 for 10c

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Ladies' Night Dresses, Special Price 50c.

Ladies' Silhouette Night Dresses, lace or embroidery trimmed, neck and sleeves trimmed with baby ribbon, size 54.
Special Saturday Price 50c.
Corset Covers, Drawers, Waists, Aprons, etc., in fact everything in Ladies' Wear—lowest prices.

SPECIAL SATURDAY PRICE 50c.

Corset Covers, Drawers, Waists, Aprons, etc., in fact everything in Ladies' Wear—lowest prices.

RUBBER HEELS, 10c.

Men's and Boys' Rubber Heels, size 7 and 8, regular 15c. Saturday Special, pair 10c

BLACK LACE EMBROIDERY SILKS 2 SPOOLS FOR 5c.

1,500 Skeins Working Silks, but not a full range of shades, yet there are many good ones in this lot. Bargain prices, 2 skeins 5c
BATH AND FACE TOWELS, 3 FOR 25c.

Turkish Bath Towels, 1 yard length, reg. 10c. Sat. 3 for 25c
Face Towels, 1 yard length, 1 yard, fringed ends, Special Saturday price 3 for 25c

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VALUE, ONE VOTE.

EUROPEAN TRIP CONTEST OF THE LONDON ADVERTISER

I Hereby Vote for

(Name of Candidate)

As the most popular lady in District No. of The London Advertiser Trip Contest.

VOID AFTER 15 DAYS FROM DATE.

NAVAL EXPERTS NEAR DEADLOCK

Americans Blamed for Situation at International Conference.

London, Jan. 22.—Unless the various delegates arrive at a settlement of their difficulties, there is a strong probability that the labors of the International Naval Conference, which has been in session here since last month, will come to naught.

Some of the delegates place the chief blame for the present situation on the shoulders of the American representatives. They aver that as soon as the conference took up questions upon which there were serious differences of opinion the American delegates adopted an uncompromising attitude.

Great Britain, who, it is said, with her great maritime interests, has the most at stake, has been conciliatory as becomes the power convening the conference. But America, whose views coincided in the beginning with those of Great Britain, has been unwilling to go as far as has England. The foreign delegates put this unwillingness down to failure to understand the continental points of view and the lack of definite instructions. The British delegates have been free to negotiate, while the other representatives have had to send home for instructions on many important points.

There have been several informal meetings between the delegates at which an effort to reach a working understanding was made, but without very much success.

The regular plenary session of the conference, which was fixed for tomorrow, was canceled last night. There will be meetings of various committees, however, and the hope is expressed that the delegates will have sufficient authority to make a final decision for the conference to continue.

It is understood that trouble has arisen over the definition of "contraband" and over the question of "continuous voyage." On the latter point the American delegates and the vessel carrying contraband is liable to seizure so long as she is on the high seas or in belligerent waters, as against the continental view that only warships actually engaged in blockading a port can seize such a vessel.

The American delegates, adhering to the arrangement for secrecy in the proceedings, have not discussed either their own or the other delegates' attitude. From other sources it has been learned that while it is true that the American delegates are holding to their views, the same can be said of some of the continental powers who have not receded from the stand that they have taken from the start.

TICKETS INTERCHANGEABLE

Reed, of Greenville, Would Amend the Passenger Ticket Act.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—Dr. J. D. Reid, of Greenville, will reintroduce his bill to amend the passenger ticket act, the object of which is to provide for the acceptance by any conductor of any railway ticket between two points no matter by which company it may have been issued.

Trade and commerce department has awarded contract for steamship service between Pictou and Magdalen Islands to the lowest tenderers, Holliday Bros., of Quebec, for five years at \$12,500 per year.

THAMESFORD.

Thamesford, Jan. 21.—The annual meeting of St. Andrew's Church will be held in the lecture room of the church, when the work of the year in the several departments will be reviewed and new trustees elected.

Rev. J. L. Murray, late of Kincardine, preached to large congregations on Sunday in the absence of Rev. Mr. Watson. Mr. J. H. McDonald, principal of the school, took charge of the services in Dorchester and Crumlin to assist Mr. Orr, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Purse, of Manitoba, who came on a wedding tour to the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gardner, of Mount Brydges, are with Mrs. Gardner, visiting friends and relatives here before leaving for their home in the west.

Mrs. Bates, one of our oldest residents, is very ill. Her children are all her home doing what they can for her.

Robert Gordon is somewhat improved, and it is hoped is on the road to recovery.

Dr. Babb has gone to visit with his father at Carleton Place for a few days. William Weir and wife are entertaining a little daughter.

Mrs. McEwen, who is visiting Mrs. John Weir, has improved in health since leaving the Northwest.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church are holding a series of sewing meetings to help clothe children in connection with the Deaconess' Home, Toronto.

ARNOLD DALY IN A FISTIC DUEL

Actor Emulates a Character in One of Shaw Dramas and Gets Worst.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Arnold Daly, star of Bernard Shaw dramas, did not appear in public today. He was "indisposed," and thereby hangs a tale.

Report has it that Daly's indisposition was the result of an attempt to imitate the prowess of Cashe Byron, a creation of Shaw's, with Hamilton Mott, who, until yesterday acted as Mr. Daly's manager, as the "lead."

The same source of information is that the "duel" took place in a room at a local theatre around midnight last night after a formal challenge had been sent and accepted.

What caused the "affair of honor" is indefinite, but Mott is supposed to have been "fired" by Daly and to have taken umbrage at something Daly said to him in the "firing" process. Thereupon the challenge was issued and accepted, Mott gallantly suggesting that inasmuch as Daly had a matinee and evening performance yesterday it would be a pity to have his face mangled before and after.

The men are said to have met in the room of Emmet Corrigan, an actor, who acted as Mott's second. Ambrose Miller seconded Daly. The door was locked and the men stripped to the waist for action.

Just what happened after that cannot be definitely ascertained, but it is said the men twice retired to their corners to be sponged off. In the third round "mixing became fast and furious" and it was then Mott landed a knockout. Whether it was on the chin or heart has not been ascertained, but Mr. Daly "got his" anyway.

TO BUILD BIG ELEVATOR

Fort William Will Be Asked to Grant Tax Exemption.

Fort William, Jan. 22.—The Western Elevator Company, represented by Mr. Read, late president of the Consolidated Elevator Company, has asked the city of Fort William for exemption from taxation for a period of ten years on an elevator they intend to construct here early this year. The request was granted after very little discussion and a bylaw will be submitted to the ratepayers.

The elevator will be situated near the Consolidated, and will be of about half size, costing in the neighborhood of \$200,000. The contract will be let by Feb. 1, and construction will commence immediately.

CALVERT NOT GIVING UP

Chief Ministerial Whip Maintains He Is Still on the Job.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—W. S. Calvert is not giving up his office of chief ministerial whip. He doesn't know the origin of the story that he would retire and that F. F. Pardee would succeed him.

The story is, of course, chosen at the first party caucus of the new Parliament, but there seems no chance of opposition to Mr. Calvert's reappointment. In the meantime he has moved into a new room in the new wing and has his name on the door.

PRAY FOR DEATH OF BRITISH SCIENTISTS

Anti-Vivisectionists Send Warning to Doctors.

London, Jan. 21.—The leading surgeons and physiologists of Great Britain are receiving printed circulars, containing an extraordinary threat to kill by prayer those who practice vivisection.

The sender, who is said to be an Irish anti-vivisectionist of the name of Cowan, tells the person addressed how, knowing the efficacy of prayer, she had resolved to use it to remove vivisection. She intended first to try this to procure the death of Dr. Starling, professor of physiology at the University College Hospital in London, but she says:

"It seemed unfair to give such a stab in the dark, without letting him know."

Therefore she decided earnestly to beseech the Almighty to remove, if in accordance with his will, "the man most likely to cause further suffering of innocents by experiments."

About a fortnight later one of the known vivisectionists died. This was taken to show the Almighty's disapproval, and the circular assured them that their fate is in their own hands.

According to authorities the best eyesight in the world at the Equator and in the city of the Poles...

WEATHER PROBS: Unsettled

SMALLMAN AND INGRAM.

FRIDAY, JAN. 22

STORE CONVENIENCES

Indicator Over Each Elevator on Every Floor

For the convenience of our customers we have installed the indicator system. Each indicator is numbered, B 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, representing the basement, first, second, third, fourth and fifth floors. As the elevator moves, the brass hand also moves in the same direction, thus telling you that the elevator is going up or down, as the case may be. So that on any floor, by looking at the indicator above the elevator, you will see which elevator is travelling in the direction you wish to go—up or down—and which bell to ring for your quickest service.

Tomorrow--Saturday--Store Closes at Six o'Clock

Shop early tomorrow. Our special sale offerings are attracting many buyers, and morning is the best time now (particularly so on Saturday) as choice is a consideration, and many of the Specials don't last the day. Shop early.

Sharp Selling in Linen Section

This has been a great week in our Linen Department, the winding up of all odd and soiled lines, and with the listing of stock many lines which had escaped our notice earlier have been sorted out and marked to clear.