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BONUS TO SHIPBUILDERS.

Senators Discuss It and Cartwright is Sympathetic.

OTTAWA, May 7.—(Special.)—The depletion of Canada's pulp wood forests was the subject of a debate in the senate this afternoon.

Senator Baird proposed a resolution declaring it advisable to appoint a commission of representatives of the provincial legislatures and other persons concerned with the crown lands of Canada to report on the best means for the preservation of forests in view of the large amount of logs and pulp wood annually exported from Canada.

Senator D'Amville called attention to the desirability of giving financial assistance to shipbuilders. Sir Richard Cartwright said the question would receive the attention of the government. However, it was not one that would be rashly undertaken, but that the government would have to be persuaded that the benefits hop-

ed for would follow and that the bonus could establish a successful industry. The disadvantage of Canadian shipbuilders in having to pay duties on the parts they now brought into Canada for the construction of ships constituted something which might well be dealt with, he did not pledge the government on this point. Owing to custom regulations the shipbuilders did not always feel that they got the full benefit of the present drawback allowed on these parts.

A bill granting divorce to Edith May Gillmore was read the third time.

The World at the Island.
Delivery of The World at the Island will be resumed next Monday, May 11. Telephone orders to Main 282, or leave at 83 Yonge-street.

Test Your Coal.
From The Utica Press.
The United States government is a buyer of coal to the amount of over \$6,000,000 a year. Prior to 1904 contracts were given to the lowest bidder on the theory that coal is coal and that there was not enough heat-making difference between different lots from the same region or mine to make any scientific quality tests worth while.

Since then several testing laboratories have been established and it has been found that some of the coal offered is expensive at any price. Now samples are required with bids and a great saving has been effected. The time may come when the citizen will require a chemical analysis of the contents of his bin. It will be an easy matter to erect a pure fuel lab and make it a finable offence to sell coal without an analysis label or with a false one.



HERE'S A BARGAIN A brand new CHATHAM Automobile, 1908 Model, 25 H.P., 4 cylinder. Three speeds forward and reverse, selective type. A five passenger car, complete with Conboy top, glass front, gas lamps, generator, Diamond tires, extra outer and inner tubes, and complete tool equipment. A large roomy powerful car. Factory cash price \$2,700. This car has never been used. **GUINANE'S PRICE \$2,000.** 15 KING STREET WEST

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REPORT ON ROSS RIFLE DIDN'T REACH COMMONS

Bobs Up in the Senate Tho and is a Criticism From War Office Expert.

OTTAWA, May 7.—(Special.)—By what process of adroit elusiveness there was omitted from a return recently brought down in the commons a report upon the Ross rifle, made by the British war office experts, remains to be explained. But that a test of the rifle was made and a report upon it sent to the militia department here is shown by a return submitted recently to the senate.

From the official correspondence it appears that in October, 1906, Lord Strathcona forwarded a report to the minister of militia enclosing a copy of a letter from the British war office, together with a copy of the report by the chief superintendent of ordnance factories, referred to therein. The chief superintendent's conclusions are:

1. The bolt and body are strongly constructed and serviceable.
2. The lock-bolt in this rifle is defective inasmuch as it does not withdraw the cocking from the gear sufficiently.
3. As the primary extraction depends upon the momentum obtained in the first movement of the bolt, the extractor appears to be somewhat weak, being made of sheet metal.
4. The magazine is poorly constructed, made of thin sheet steel, depending on the woodwork mainly for its support. The cut-off is simple and cheap, but unsatisfactory.
5. The construction of the back sight is decidedly weak, the leaf being made of thin sheet metal, pressed up to form a rib in imitation of Mausers can slot cut out from the solid.
6. The strength of the slide is poorly fitted through, and the main object in this sight appears to have been cheapness of construction.
7. The nose cap is weak in construction, but one that could be cheaply made.
8. The sliding trap in the butt plate is not likely to be very durable, as any blow on the plate would fix it.
9. The stocking of the action is very rough and the fitting poor.

Curtainly enough the senate return contains a report made by Col. Sam Hughes, member of the board of experts, which passed upon the Ross rifle in 1901. Col. Hughes' report, which is counter-signed by Col. Ochter as president of the board, is in marked contrast to the finding of the British ordnance experts.

Col. Hughes wrote: "It may be noted that on active service in South Africa I chanced to take several 'straight pull' rifles from the Boers, and the action was weak, the resistance lug or block being at the rear of the bolt, yet the ease in loading and firing, and its magazine impressed me. It was Maxlicker type, straight pull. The Sir Charles Ross rifle has all the advantages of the other, with none of its drawbacks. The Sir Charles Ross rifle locks its resistance lugs at the forward end of the bolt. It is the strongest rifle I have seen, it is least likely to get out of order and is the simplest to dismount and to put together."

THIRTY MORE ROUNDED UP.

About Eighty Undesirable Bulgarians Have Now Been Deported.

C. Blake Robertson, the emigration official who has been looking after the deportation of the thirty Bulgarians, secured another 30 yesterday, making 80 in all.

Shortly after 2 o'clock a police squad under the command of Sgt. Miller of Wilton-avenue station went with the officials to the Bulgarian headquarters on Eastern-avenue and Front-street, just east of Trinity-street.

A Canuck would have his dogs and pigs better housed and in much more commodious quarters than these continentals lived and thrived in.

In police court yesterday a couple of Croats appeared in an assault case and Supt. Bradley of the Miller, Haney Co. testified that fully half a hundred men hang around the tunnel shacks at the foot of John-street who have no business there and are a source of continual trouble.

The police were notified last night thru the Fred Victor Mission that 100 men would be employed on construction and track repairing work at the northern branches of the C.P.R. The police have notified the free lodgers in every station of this opportunity.

Sherds and Bricksbats.
It is now conceded that certain distinctions of sex are ineradicable. Within our own time, for instance, conservative opinion has quite veered round to the opinion that even the woman had worn trousers from the beginning, she might not be substantially less afraid of a mouse.

Prosperity comes in waves, which at least serve to make the submerged tenth more than ever despondent of its name.

The honor of a nation never suffers quite so much as when politicians succeed in identifying the defence of it with some selfish interest of their own.

This new appreciation of nature has served to modify in much our notion of the relative values of the bird in the hand and the bird in the bush. We seem to be coming round to the bird's point of view more.

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Ready-to-Wear Clothing at Simpson's

Chosen from all the stocks of manufacturing Canada and the most famous makers in the States, Simpson's clothing for men and boys is the cream of the production. To-morrow is the men's day in the Simpson men's store. We have a special program which we present herewith.

Men's Tweed and Fancy Worsted Suits, Regular 10.00, 10.50, 12.00, 13.50, 14.00 and 15.00, to Clear Saturday Morning at 7.95.

100 only Men's Suits, all new spring goods, in light and medium grey shades; also some browns in a shadow stripe, English tweed of a soft Saxony finish, cut in the latest single-breasted sacque style, with long shapely lapels and close-fitting collars; sizes 36 to 44, ranging from \$10.00 to \$15.00 regular; to clear Saturday morning, at **7.95**

50 Only Men's Topper Overcoats, Regular 10.50 and 10.00, on Sale Saturday Morning at 7.95.

Men's Fancy Convert Cloth Topper Overcoats, medium grey shadow stripe, with a faint colored overplaid; also some plain fawn shades, cut 33 to 34 in. long, lined with fine twilled mohair; sizes 34 to 42, to clear Saturday, at **7.95**

How to dress well, yet inexpensively, as illustrated by our offerings of men's and young men's spring suits at from \$11.00 to \$18.00.

Youths' New Brown Suits, smart three-button sacque style, with long lapels, square shoulders, the correct model for young men, made from fine imported English material; sizes 32 to 35, Saturday **11.00**

Men's New Spring Rain or Shine Coats, dark Oxford grey and olive-brown shades, long, loose single-breasted, yet dressy and correct for either business or evening wear, finished up with broad shoulders and thoroughly tailored, Saturday **12.00**

Men's fine Black Vicuna Spring weight Overcoats, soft unfinished material, with fine smooth surface, the three-quarter single-breasted Chesterfield style, with broad square shoulders and long lapels, splendidly trimmed, long enough to cover frock or dress coat, Saturday **15.00**

Men's Staple Blue and Black Sacque Suits, single or double-breasted style, suitable either for evening or business wear, the materials used in these suits are fine blue and black English worsteds, permanent shades, also soft unfinished black vicuna, the fit and workmanship are extra fine; come in Saturday and try one on, no trouble to show them, we are proud of them, and you will be, too, price **15.00**

Special Offer From Custom Tailoring Department.

Suits which we have been selling all season at \$25.00 and \$26.50, made to order from measurements, taken on Saturday for \$19.75. The materials are fine English Vicunas, in navy, blue and black, also light and medium grey, West of England worsteds, almost a plain pattern, all choice materials which we buy direct from the manufacturer; they are very popular and always in good taste for business wear. We will make your choice of these to order, in either single or double-breasted sacque, with best trimmings to match, and first-class workmanship, from measurements taken on Saturday, for **19.75**. Fit and satisfaction guaranteed or your money refunded.

Talking About Ready-to-Wear Clothes

The man who was prejudiced against ready-to-wear clothing stood looking in at the window of No. 2's favorite store the following morning. He realized that May was on the wing and that choice between custom clothing and ready-to-wear clothing must soon be made.

"Well," he said to his companion—"they seem to be all right—they have the look of good clothes about them."

"Well, why not?" demanded his companion. "Simpson's is an up-to-date store."

"I met a man here the other day and we had quite an argument. He sided with Simpson's ready-to-wear clothing. I was maintaining that made-to-measure clothing was the only way to get fitted. He asked me if I'd ever tried Simpson's." "And have you?" "No, but I'm going in to have a look now."

"Well, whatever decision you come to—whether custom, made-to-measure clothes or ready-to-wear—you'll find out one thing to-day." "What's that?" demanded No. 1. "That Simpson's will give you satisfaction in either ready-to-wear clothes or made-to-measure clothes and you'll save money whichever you favor." "How's that?" asked No. 1, somewhat puzzled. "Simpson's sell both. They have a custom tailoring department as well as a ready-to-wear clothing stock." "Well, which is a fellow to choose?" "Depends on what he wants to pay. If you want a regular \$25.00 custom suit buy a Simpson ready-to-wear at \$15.00. If you want a swell \$35.00 or \$40.00 suit such as exclusive tailors make for fellows with lots of money buy a Simpson custom tailoring department suit at \$25.00."

"Works both ways, eh?" remarked No. 1, with a smile.

"Poor store that don't," replied the other. "Come on in."

Shirts, Neckwear, Underwear.

We have here in the Men's Store one of the nicest and most thoroughgoing stocks of furnishings for men in Canada.

Men's Imported Negligee Shirts, mostly American make, some Austrian; cuffs attached or detached, ordinary or coat style, pleated or plain fronts, in blue, grey and tan, with fancy stripe and check effects; sizes 14 to 17-2, regular up to \$1.50, Saturday **.69**

New Wash Neckwear, in plain white, with fancy self stripes, spots and checks; also some colored patterns, made in the popular widths, 2, 2 1/2, 3 inches, of English Madras, regular 50c, Saturday **.25**

Men's Double Thread Balbriggan Underwear, in fawn and white, shirts have ribbed cuffs and pearl buttons, drawers have spliced seats and ribbed ankles, well made and perfect fitting; sizes 34 to 46, Saturday, garment **.35**

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