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These popular fabrics in a big range
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—150 yards Unbreakable Black Silk

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King Street—opposite the Post-Office.

TORONTO, FORGING HEAD

AS DISTRIBUTING CENTRE

Inward Movement of Freight Unpre-

cedented—Less Meat and Coal

Going Out, Tho.

Local Freight Agent Nelles of the

Grand Trunk in discussing the freight

situation yesterday declared that the

inward movement during the last three

months had been unprecedented of 33-1

per cent over the corresponding months

of last year had been made, and at-

tributed the tremendous growth to the

manner in which Toronto is forging

ahead as a distributing centre.

From all over the country orders

were being received by the large whole-

sale and retail houses, and this was

naturally swelling their imports. The

express companies were being kept

busy as they had perhaps never been

before, and were compelled to attach

many extra cars to keep pace with

what the situation demanded.

In the face of all this, however, a

falling off in the thru and outward

traffic. In thru meats, coal and

sundries in less than the last year

particularly striking decrease shown.

Mr. Nelles thought the unpromising

state of the European market the rea-

son in the case of the first named, and

that many smaller places were now

having their coal forwarded direct to

destinations instead of Toronto. He

was not satisfied as to the cause of the

shrinkage in package freight.

Shot by Safe Breaker.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 23.—Patrol-

man John McNeely was shot and

killed last night by a safe-breaker whom

he found in a store.

Curzon Reappointed.

London, Sept. 23.—Lord Curzon's re-

appointment to the post of Viceroy of

India was gazetted today.

THE SPROUTING SEASON

For corns is here. Happily Putnam's

Corn Extract puts a quick stop to

the sprouting. It roots out corns in 24

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"Diamond Hall,"

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TORONTO.

PETITION AGAINST DUNLOP

IT MAY BE PREPRESSED

It is Claimed That an Effort Has

Been Made to Consummate

a Saw-Off.

A Conservative who knows what is

going on in the political world in-

formed The World yesterday that he

would not be surprised if the petition

against E. A. Dunlop was not pressed.

So far no particulars have been filed,

the Liberals securing the consent of

the court to an extension of time. The

apparent reason for the delay is that

the Liberal lawyers are not exactly

sure whether it would be advisable to

rush this case into court, for the rea-

son that it would reveal something that

would place men high up in their own

party in a not too favorable light. The

lawyers have been very busy for some

time trying to arrange a saw-off with

Dunlop, and the suggestion was

carried to the Conservative lawyers

that if Dunlop would resign, or agree to

his resignation, the Liberal candidate

in North Norfolk would be likewise.

The Liberals attempted to place this

proposition in the light of a fair one,

but it did not appeal to the Conserva-

tives that way, and all question of a

saw-off was disposed of by the Liberal

lawyers having ample opportunity to file

the particulars in this case, but have never

given up the hope that they can secure

Dunlop's resignation without any evi-

dence being presented to court.

If the Liberals fail to push the North

Norfolk protest, and the North Nor-

folk trial results in the unseating of

E. A. Little, the government will find

itself in a minority. The question then

is being discussed "What will they

do about it?" It is regarded as a

probable outcome of the situation that

Premier Ross will decide to dissolve

the house and make a fresh appeal to

the people. He can hardly expect to

recover his position in the by-elections

if the Conservatives lose no seats by

the pending convention. The Con-

servatives will stand to gain and not

lose. So that it would be Mr. Ross'

only chance to make a general appeal

and trust to a favorable verdict from

the whole electorate. Many of the

friends of the government advise this

course. They are getting weary of the

revelations of corruption, and think it

would be the wise policy to receive

a mandate from the people or go in-

to opposition for a period.

If Ross takes this course there is no

doubt that a reconstruction of the

cabinet will be announced within a

short time, and one of the first of the

ministers to go would be Hon. E. A.

Dunlop. Mr. Ross, who has been a

member of the public accounts

committee of the legislature over a

year ago, Mr. Davis, unseating him

with his colleagues in the cabinet or

with his friends in North York. Old

and tried Liberals can be heard to say

that the party would be stronger with

Davis out and besides Mr. Davis would

be a very convenient man to have

removed from the arena of active

politics. Hon. Frank Latchford

has been a member of the cabinet

since the removal of Hon. E. A. Du-

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Does not harden, thicken or felt

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Hope; Thursday, Napanee; Friday,

Brookville; Saturday, Sunday, Bay

Borden expects to spend in Belleville,

but no meetings is to be held there.

"FATHER OF ISLAND PARK" IS DEAD

Ex-Ald. John Irwin Passes Away in

His 80th Year.

At his home on the island, ex-Ald.

John Irwin passed away shortly after

Thursday midnight. He was in his

80th year.

Deceased was an energetic and pro-

gressive member of the city council

for twenty years ago, and it is largely

to his foresight that the city now

possesses Island Park. He was a

representative of St. John's Ward in the

council from 1880 to 1890 inclusive, with

the exception of 1881, and from 1880

to 1888 was chairman of the property

committee. As such, he headed a move-

ment to reclaim the swampy land at

the end of the island, and he secured the

passage of a large appropriation for the

improvement of what is now Island Park.

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No possibility of Carling's Ale ever being

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Carling's keg-cleaning plant has cost

thousands of dollars, is equipped with

the most modern machinery, and operated by

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the highest possible plane of manufacturing

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Rordheimer Piano has kept pace with

the growth of musical taste and advance-

ment of Canadians, and to-day has few

competitors in the world.

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GIVES BRAIN TO CORNELL

To Prove Theory That Disease Can

Be Traced.

New York, Sept. 23.—Dr. George S.

Conant, aged 61, who died here to-day

of diabetes, is said to have willed his

brain to the medical faculty of Cornell

University, that further investigation

may be made of a theory that his

disease could be traced to the brain.

He suffered for many years, and after

having consulted many specialists

without obtaining any promise of re-

lief or hope of cure, Dr. Conant took</