

# Every Garment Must Be Sold Before the New Year



**ALTHOUGH** we had an enormous Christmas Sale, due no doubt to the bargains we offered the holiday shopper, yet our stock is too large to carry beyond stock-taking time. We positively are determined to reduce it to the minimum. There is still a very large quantity of fur garments slightly affected by smoke odor from a fire next door, and for which the Insurance Companies promptly settled and besides a splendid array of new stock just received from the factory and which arrived too late for Christmas. We realize that we must clear out everything. The prices in the list below tell the story. Everything must go regardless of cost or value.

- Persian Lamb Coats, \$158.00.**  
Persian Lamb Coats, in American, French or Russian styles, best quality of natural Canadian Mink collar and revers, two-stripe, large, medium or small glossy curl, regular \$210.00, for \$158.00
- Persian Lamb Coats, \$131.25.**  
Persian Lamb Coats, double-breasted, collarless, or with latest style of coat collar, braided as desired, fine glossy curl, strictly No. 1 quality, plain or fancy brocaded linings, regular \$175.00, for \$131.25
- Ladies' Persian Lamb Jackets, \$79.50.**  
Plain Persian Lamb Jackets, lined with best satin, finished with cuff and girdle at waist, regular price \$125.00 and \$135.00, for \$79.50
- Alaska Sable Pillow Muffs, \$11.25.**  
Genuine Alaska Sable Pillow Muffs, eiderdown bed, best satin lining, regular \$16.50, for \$11.25
- Natural Canadian Mink Muffs, \$21.00.**  
Large Natural Canadian Mink Muffs, pillow shape, three stripes, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, regular \$30.00 and \$35.00, for \$21.00
- Alaska Sable Scarfs, \$9.25.**  
Genuine Natural Alaska Sable Scarfs-Lined Scarfs, 70 inches long, trimmed with two heads and six tails, regular \$15.00, for \$9.25
- Lynx Pillow Muffs, \$14.75.**  
Large Lynx Pillow Muffs, finished with best satin lining, eiderdown bed, regular price \$22.50, for \$14.75
- Blue and Natural Lynx Stoles, \$19.75.**  
Extra Fine Silky Blue and Natural Lynx Stoles, finished in latest style, lined with best quality satin, regular price \$27.50, for \$19.75
- Mink Alexandra Scarfs, \$32.75.**  
Extra Choice Natural Canadian Mink Scarfs, in the new Alexandra and Ascot shapes, made from very choice skins, regular \$50.00 and \$55.00, for \$32.75
- Persian Lamb Muffs, \$12.00.**  
Black Persian Muffs, pillow shape, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, finished with corded wrist, regular \$18.00 and \$20.00, for \$12.00
- Black Lynx Stoles, \$19.75.**  
Number One Quality Black Lynx Stoles, varying from 56 inches to 80 inches in length, lined with best quality satin, regular \$27.50, for \$19.75
- Black Lynx Muffs, \$19.75.**  
Number One Quality Black Lynx Muffs, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, corded wrist, regular \$27.50, for \$19.75
- Ladies' Fur-Lined Coats, \$29.75.**  
Black Broadcloth Shell, hamster lining, Alaska sable collar and revers, regular \$47.50, \$50.00 and \$55.00, for \$29.75
- Sable Squirrel Muffs, \$11.75.**  
Sable Squirrel Muffs, pillow shape, best satin lining, eiderdown bed, corded wrist, regular \$18.00, for \$11.75
- Sable Squirrel Throw Ties, \$11.75.**  
Sable Squirrel Throw Ties, 72 inches long, finished with best satin lining, regular \$15.00, for \$11.75
- Sable Squirrel Butterfly Ties, \$5.25.**  
Sable Squirrel Butterfly Ties, best satin lining, very newest style, regular \$8.50 and \$10.00, for \$5.25
- Coon Ties, \$7.95.**  
Natural Coon Ties, satin lined, regular \$12.00, for \$7.95
- Coon Pillow Muffs, \$6.95.**  
Natural Coon Pillow Muffs, satin lined, regular \$12.00, for \$6.95
- Ladies' Fur-Lined Coats, \$59.50**  
16 only Ladies' Fur-Lined Coats, best Canadian Mink shawl collar, Muskrat lining, neat brocaded shell, 48 inches long, regular \$90.00, for \$59.50
- Ladies' Fur-Lined Coats, \$55.00**  
12 only Green and Navy Coats, Lock Squirrel lining, Persian Lamb collar and revers, regular \$80.00, for \$55.00
- Ladies' White Thibet Stoles, \$9.75**  
Ladies' White Thibet Stoles, full length, satin lined, regular \$15.00, for \$9.75

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**DOVERCOURT.**  
Davenport Presbyterian Church Has Done Good Practical Work.

**DOVERCOURT.** Dec. 26.—The relief bureau of the Davenport-road church (Presbyterian) worked overtime this season and has been the means of helping several hundreds of people. Miss MacFarlane, the kind-hearted deaconess of this church, was indefatigable in her efforts and has won golden opinions from those who have become acquainted with her motives and aims. Another part of the work that has been very helpful is the employment register for members. Good positions have been found for quite a number of those connected with the church who were unemployed. The policy pursued by the social workers

here will produce a happy, self-reliant people able in turn to help others.

**WYCHWOOD.**  
Looks Like a Contest For Every Position This Year.

**WYCHWOOD.** Dec. 26.—The statutory ratemakers meeting for the election of a school trustee was held in the assembly room of Hillcrest School this morning and was slightly attended. J. Ross was elected chairman and C. Webb secretary. Mr. Horton read the auditor's report, which showed a balance from 1906 of \$46.60; received from government grants, \$810; received from taxes, \$3876.59; received from the clergy reserve fund, non-resident fees and other sources, \$22,087.73; total, \$28,001.52. Payments to teachers and

assistants, \$4005; paid for building and site and interest, \$12,923.70; paid for library, maps, etc., \$234.96; paid for rent, fuel, caretaking, \$1242.17. Total paid, \$19,408.33; balance on hand, \$7810.29. It was pointed out by the trustees that by selling the \$25,000 debentures the school section lost \$1255, owing to the debentures selling below par. The report was adopted. The average attendance of the school for the year was 37. C. Webb is elected auditor for the year 1908. Mr. Clarkson, the secretary-treasurer, was voted \$50 for services. A contest was on for the election of a trustee for the term of three years between W. Dever and W. J. Hamilton. The standing vote was given for Mr. Dever, the old trustee, and ten for Mr. Hamilton. Two of the ratemakers then demanded a poll, and one will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday.

**MAGISTRATE ELLIS' COURT.**  
Police Magistrate Ellis yesterday

### York County and Suburbs

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### CARNIVAL OF HOLD-UPS AND AROUND SUBURBS

**Weston Man Gets off Easy—Junction Citizens Discuss Municipal Matters—News Items.**

**TORONTO JUNCTION.** Dec. 26.—A public meeting was held to-night in St. James' Hall, to discuss municipal affairs. There were only about 50 present, and the gathering really developed into a nomination meeting for the mayoralty and council candidates. Mayor Baird and Councillors Irwin and Sheppard were present, as it was understood that criticisms were to be made as to the work of the past year's council. As proposed, they would take the initiative, C. M. Hall was appointed chairman, and he called upon Mayor Baird. The mayor spoke on the two matters that have been most talked of during the year, viz., the Dundas-street paving and the cessation of the Dundas cars running to and above the estimated figure. Some gentlemen, the mayor stated, had reported to the town treasurer within the past few days, that there were 116,000 zeros on the \$22,000 contract. The mayor stated that the real amount of extras was \$4050. The cost of the work done so far was \$3,000. Of this \$1,000 he had paid the contractor, out of a total amount owed him of \$38,000. Mayor Baird proposed to stand by these figures. He also told of how he had notified Manager Fleming to recommence the car service on Keele-street as soon as the pavement and sidewalk work was completed, as was confident that he had acted as wisely and as promptly as the circumstances permitted. He appealed to the electors for a second term of office.

**Meeting Gets Interesting.**  
On the chairman calling on Councillor Irwin, who was also a majority candidate, the meeting became more interesting and something in the nature of a debate began to loom up. Councillor Irwin criticized the mayor for commencing the paving of Dundas-street without coming to a definite understanding with the Toronto Street Railway Co. and the Suburban Railway Co. He also stated that the mayor "neglected his duty" in not presenting the question of Niagara power before the council until it was late to vote for the bylaw, and also for granting the contract for three years to the Stark T. L. and Power System.

Mayor Baird replied that he was heartily in favor of the bylaw, but got a three-year contract from the Niagara Power Co. would be able to supply the town. He also stated that the Beck policy demanded that the town raise \$65,000 for a distributing plant, and that the debentures are a very difficult product to dispose of at present. "Municipal debentures are a glut on the market," were some of his closing remarks.

Councillor Armstrong, candidate for re-election to council, John T. Moore, candidate for council in Ward 3, Councillor Sam Ryding, who intends to stand as a candidate for council, and who stated that the majority of the voters "against any one man in Toronto Junction," W. J. Baldwin, a candidate for council in Ward 4, and A. E. Rice, were also speakers.

Daniel Kaiser of 250 Lakeview-avenue, fell from a scaffold at a new house on May-street and broke his leg. He was taken to his home in Speers' private ambulance.

The funeral took place to Prospect Cemetery yesterday of Mrs. Mary Smith, aged 22 years, wife of James Smith of Cockburn-avenue. She leaves a husband and two children.

The funeral of Mrs. Agnes Garvin, aged 61 years, 181 Royce-avenue, took place this morning to St. Cecilia's Church, and thence to Thornhill Cemetery.

imposed a fine of \$2.85 and costs on William Elliot and Robert Davie, who were charged with killing two pet chipmunks, the property of Constable Scott of Lambton Mills.

**DEER PARK.**  
Trustee Grainger Was Unanimous Choice For Re-election.

**DEER PARK.** Dec. 26.—A slim audience was present at to-day's statutory meeting of S.S. No. 10, which was held at the school house. W. J. Hill was elected chairman and W. J. Thompson secretary.

The secretary-treasurer, E. Grainger, gave his annual report as follows: Received from township treasurer, \$4275.59; interest, \$1.50; government and township grants, \$570; returned cheque, \$45.35; rent, \$50. Total receipts, \$4993.80. The expenses were: Teachers' salaries, \$2661; caretakers' salaries, \$190; rent, \$80; fuel, \$376.90; repairs, \$263; supplies, \$155; furniture for new room, \$100; printing, \$20; sundries, \$14.55; storm sash, \$200. Total, \$3948.75. Credit balance, \$1105.05. Grand total, \$4983.70.

E. Grainger, the retiring trustee, was re-elected for a term of three years.

### NORTH TORONTO.

**North Ends Will Again Take Up Subject of Annexation.**  
**NORTH TORONTO.** Dec. 26.—The 73 children comprising the primary class of St. Clement's Sunday school, held their Christmas entertainment in the Sunday school room this afternoon. The feature of the evening was given by the little tots, consisting of carols, duets, recitations and Scottish dancing. The feature that pleased the little ones most was the receiving of their prizes. The pastor, Rev. T. W. Powell, presided over the function. The happy evening closed with fireworks display, and three cheers for their teacher, Mrs. Boulton.

The public meeting for men will be held on Monday evening in the town hall. The subject will be "Local Option," and addresses will be given by Rev. Dr. Geo. C. Pidgeon, Toronto Junction; Colonel Gaskin of the Galvanation Army staff, and John Hamilton, superintendent, Workington Works. Home, Richard B. Kirby will be chairman.

Acting under a requisition by a number of property owners, Mayor Fisher has called a public meeting in the town hall for Saturday evening next for the purpose of discussing annexation to the City of Toronto and other important matters.

### WESTON.

**Business Man in Town Has Unpleasant Experience.**  
**WESTON.** Dec. 26.—(Special.)—Geo. Robinson, hardware merchant of this village, was stopped by two highwaymen while driving along Main-street on his way home from Toronto to-night, and but for the timely arrival of the suburban car in all probability would have been compelled to give his belongings. The two men were armed with revolvers, but in the darkness Mr. Robinson could not obtain a good view of them. Chief Pleton is investigating the attempted robbery, which has created not a little excitement in town.

### TEMPERANCEVILLE.

**Methodist Church Planning Big Day on Sunday.**  
**TEMPERANCEVILLE.** Dec. 26.—The anniversary services of the Methodist Church in this village will be held on Sunday, Dec. 29. In the morning Rev. Wm. Galbraith of Toronto will preach at 10:30 a.m. and in the evening at 7 p.m. At each of the services a thank offering will be taken. The local choir will furnish music throughout the day.

### NORWAY.

**Future Events Announced by Vienna Association of Over \$100,000.**  
**NORWAY.** Dec. 26.—(Special.)—One of the largest crowds in the history of the Norway public school for the election of trustees was present at this morning's meeting, and great interest generally was manifested in the result.

Mr. Allendale was chosen as trustee to succeed the incumbent, and for the past six years has filled the position with the greatest acceptance, and has been most self-sacrificing, devoting a great deal of his own labor to the furthering of the Norway schools as well as that of the new school on Ashdale-avenue, north of town, which is well advanced.

Mr. Wilson was accorded a hearty vote of thanks, to which he suitably responded.

Considerable discussion took place regarding the holding of elections for public school trustees on the same day as the township elections, and the big meeting generally favored the adoption of the plan.

The general accounts were submitted and approved. The trustees for the year 1908 will be J. W. Jackson, James Brown and Mr. Allendale.

The new Ashdale school will be opened at an early date in January, when Hon. Dr. Payne and Dominion and provincial representatives and others will be present.

### LASKAY.

**Local Band Make Arrangements for Fine Concert.**  
**LASKAY.** Dec. 26.—(Special.)—The concert held here last night under the auspices of the Union Brass Band of Laskay was a great success, and will net a tidy sum, which will be devoted toward improving the band generally. The majority of the artists were from the city. Laskay Band has made fine progress and well merits this recognition.

**Caledonian Officers.**  
At the annual meeting of the Caledonian Society, held last night in St. George's Hall, the following officers were elected by acclamation: John Donaldson, president; William Banks, sr., 1st vice-president; J. McP. Ross, 2nd vice-president; J. M. Laing, treasurer; Thomas Ross and George Murray, pipers. There are contests for the secretaryship and for the 12 members of the band, and the elections take place on Jan. 14 next. The annual ball of the society is to be held on Jan. 28.

**BANQUETTED 200.**  
The young men of Mr. Kenwick's class gave a supper last night to an army of 200 unemployed men of all descriptions. Every one who presented himself sat down to sandwiches, bread and butter, cake and fruit. The chair was occupied by Rev. C. B. Kenwick, supported by the church warden, Messrs. McMurray and Biggar. The rector, Canon Cayley, helped in during the evening and gave an inspiring address. There was a program of music and all was over by 10.

### DANGEROUS TOBOGGAN.

There is said to be great danger to the life and limb of boys coasting in Bellwoods Park, as the youngsters are using both sides of the gully and collisions are not infrequent. A policeman might be useful.

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Men's Heavy Warm College Ulsters, double-breasted, to button close up at the throat, with turn-down deep storm collar, made full 50 inches long, from fine plain dark grey cheviot and lighter shades, in heavy Scotch tweeds, also some extra heavy chauffeurs' coats, made in regulation style, good, durable linings and trimmings, sizes 36-42, regular \$12 to \$18, to clear, Saturday morning, \$9.00

Men's Fine Dress Winter Overcoats, English Meltons and chevies, also fancy weaves and Beaver cloths, mostly blacks, with a few greys and dark shades, made up in the latest single-breasted sack style, with neat velvet collar and substantial interlinings and trimmings, regular \$15, \$16 and \$16.50, Saturday, your choice, \$12.45

Men's Fur-Lined Coats, best quality Canadian muskrat linings, collars of choice Canadian otter or Persian lamb, shell tailor-made, and fine-grade English beaver cloth, regular \$65 coat, Saturday \$45.00  
60 pairs Men's Fur Gauntlet Mitts, good palms, fur-lined, regular up to \$5.00, Saturday \$2.98

16 Men's Imitation Black Persian Lamb Fur Coats, large glossy curl, well lined, 50 inches long, regular \$15, Saturday \$7.50

### Men's Furs Reduced

The fag end of the winter always sees great bargains in furs. This is not the fag end of the winter, however. This is Christmas time only. Yet look at the reductions:

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**Curtailling Production.**  
**BOSTON.** Dec. 26.—The cotton mills of New England will curtail production 25 per cent. between now and March 1. The operatives affected number 150,000.