

JOHN CATTO & SON

UNCOVERED

During stock-taking we have uncovered many odds and ends of broken lines of House Furnishing goods and Linens. These we will dispose of during the next couple of weeks, before new goods begin to come.

BLANKETS

Lower St. Lawrence and Gull—Fresh westerly to northwesterly winds; some local snow flurries, but generally fair and continued cold.

COTTON COMFORTERS

A fine cold-weather Bed Comfort, cotton filled with best long-re-cleaned cotton down. Handmade Silklinen Covers, in all colors, single and double bed sizes. Regularly \$3.00 to \$4.00.

EMBROIDERED LINEN BEDSPREADS

Regularly \$9.00 to \$20.00. Now \$7.00, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00.

EIDERDOWN QUILTS

There are some very special offerings on the eiderdown quilts, in all sizes and patterns, at \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00.

TABLE NAPKINS

Splendid wearing, pure linen, prettiest patterns, 22 and 26-inch sizes. Regularly \$2.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00. Clearing, \$2.00 a dozen.

TABLE CLOTHS

Large sizes, as 21-2 1/2 x 3 and 21-2 1/2 x 4 and 4 yards, in all colors, patterns and styles of patterns, and only very slightly soiled. Damaged. At One-Third Below Regular.

OWELS

A lot of Fine Linen, Epeck and Diaper Towels, in assorted sizes, some with patterns, all full-blown, very well finished, variously assorted, and all suitably priced. Regularly \$4.50 to \$11.00. Clearing, \$2.00 to \$11.00 a dozen.

LADIES' COATS

LADIES' DRESS AND FANCY CLOAKS

and OPERA WRAPS

LADIES' SUITS

LADIES' DRESSING GOWNS and WRAPPERS

Are all being cleared from now on, with considerable price reductions, anything but an effective clearance.

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

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65 TO 61 KING STREET EAST, TORONTO.

DON'T THINK WOMEN BELIEVE EVERYTHING

Most Husbands Know Their Wives Won't Believe Anything, Says Dr. Shields.

"Some say a woman will believe anything," said Dr. Shields, in his sermon, the theme of which was "Sheba's Queen," at the Jarvis-street Baptist church last evening.

"I would warn the men who think a woman will believe anything, that they are courting disaster if they proceed very far on this assumption."

The Queen of Sheba was not easily convinced of Solomon's wisdom by the report she had received, but she came from afar to prove him with hard questions, continued the speaker. "She refused to believe until she had found evidence, and this is a true characteristic of the feminine mind."

"It is easy to assume that before going to Solomon Sheba saved up a list of hard questions, questions of state, of law, of the domestic relations and the like, for which she could find no answer, and these she submitted to the man of wisdom. When Solomon had answered every question she was satisfied, but not before."

Rev. Mr. Shields' sermon last evening was the second of Old Testament characters, illustrating a woman's influence. The music and singing of the full choir, under Dr. Edward Browne, was of a high order.

VICTIMS PRAYED AS THEY SANK TO DEATH

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Running over he grasped it, and as the men began to raise him, he let go and fell into the river. He came to the surface once, but by this time he was out of reach and the attention of the rescuers was directed to the man and woman on the second float.

"As the ice upon which the man and woman were standing came rapidly toward the bridge it began to turn round and round, and for several minutes it appeared as if it would never come near the rope which was to turn round them. They, however, were not down for reach. The man grasped the rope and woman, who was now frozen to the ice, repeated attempts to save either the woman or himself, towards the rapid and sent its two passengers to a watery grave."

"I can assure you that I went direct to my hotel and offered thanks to God that he had kept me from crossing that awful ice bridge, as I had intended doing during the afternoon."

THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, Feb. 4.—(8 p.m.)—Pressure remains decidedly high over the northwestern portion of the continent and low over the maritime provinces, giving a gradient generally for fresh to strong westerly winds. The weather remains decidedly cold in nearly all localities.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Toronto, 34-50; Windsor, 4-10; Prince Rupert, 24-50; Victoria, 38-48; Vancouver, 33-41; Edmonton, 18-20; Regina, 27-50; Winnipeg, 4-10; Moose Jaw, 22-50; Yorkton, 12-34; Port Arthur, 2-30; London, 8-30; Toronto, 1-11; Ottawa, 1-10; Montreal, 2-10; Quebec, 8-30; Halifax, 1-12.

Probabilities: Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh westerly to northwesterly winds; some local snow flurries, but generally fair and continued cold.

Upper St. Lawrence and Gull—Fresh westerly to northwesterly winds; a few light snowflakes or flurries, but mostly fair and continued cold.

Maritime—Strong breezes to moderate gales, northwesterly to westerly, with light snowflakes or flurries, but generally fair and cold.

Superior—Fresh westerly to northwesterly winds; snow flurries, but mostly fair and cold.

All rivers—Fair, not much change in temperature.

THE BAROMETER

Table with 4 columns: Time, Ther., Bar., Wind. Rows for 11 a.m., Noon, 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 7 p.m., 8 p.m., 9 p.m., 10 p.m., 11 p.m., and Mean of day.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS

Feb. 4 At From

Montevideo, Chile, Manzanillo, Hall, 8. Princes-Alma, Ybarra, Do You Live, 8:15.

Albion—Fritz Scheff, 8:15. Grand-Al, H. Wilson, 8:15.

Shes—Vaudville, 2 and 8:15. Rial—Burlingame, 2 and 8:15.

Gayby—Burlingame, 2 and 8:15. Prof. Peabody at Canadian Club.

1. Upper Canada Bible Society, Eaton's Hall, 12:30. W. M. Forman, Lecturer at Association Hall, 8.

Historical lectures at Association Hall, 8. Historical Association, 138 College-street, 8.

DEATHS

BARRY—On Sunday, Feb. 4, 1912, Alice B. Barry, at her home, 883 St. Charles-avenue, beloved wife of James Barry.

Funeral Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1912, at 2 p.m. to Mount Pleasant cemetery, Hamilton and Oakville papers please copy.

FLORENCE—At 71 Harbord-street, on Sunday, Feb. 4, George, beloved son of Hugh Florence, aged 36 years.

Funeral on Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 2:30 p.m. to Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

HOPE—At Toronto, on Feb. 2, 1912, Jeannie, beloved wife of Richard Hope, late of 107 St. Clements-avenue, Eastlinton.

Funeral (private) on Monday, Feb. 5, from 285 George-street, at 2:30 p.m. Interment in the Necropolis.

KENNEDY—At her late residence, 187 Balliol-street, Davisville, on Friday, Feb. 3, 1912, Carrie Evelyn May, beloved wife of Wm. Kennedy, and eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murphy.

Funeral from above address on Monday, Feb. 5, at 2:30 p.m. to Mount Pleasant cemetery.

MILROY—On Saturday, Feb. 3, 1912, at Cedar Grove, John Milroy, in his 75th year.

Funeral Tuesday, Feb. 5, to Zion cemetery, at 1 p.m.

Andrew M. Craig, Ross J. Craig, Park 26, East 109.

CRAIG & SON

Funeral Directors

Queen St. W. 3 Doors West of 11th St.

China Can Now Form Republic

Events Are Recovering Rapidly—Empress Dowager Issue Edict to Premier Yuan.

NANKING, Feb. 4.—(Can. Press).—The simultaneous announcement that Yuan Shi Kai has received permission from the throne to organize a republic in the north in conjunction with the southern government, the arrival at Nanking of Wu Ting Fang, the Republican minister of justice, and Tang Shao Yi, the representative of the Imperial premier, and the extension of the armistice for one week, indicate the approaching end of the present stage of indecision and future amicable negotiations looking to organization acceptable to both sides.

Mr. Rice reported the farmers on some of the railway lines in Manitoba to be in a bad way, owing to the prevailing shortage of cars, but the Grand Trunk Pacific, he declared, were meeting the demands of the farmers on all its western lines. Mr. Rice is here for the purpose of meeting Mr. W. P. Alexander, president of the above-named financial companies, and will remain here for about ten days.

DOUBLE SUICIDE ENDS ROMANCE

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—(Can. Press).—Double suicide to-day ended the sensational romance of the farmer wife of Walter L. Hays and Frederick Noble, the young plumber, for the love of whom Mrs. Sudman ran away from her millionaire husband and married the bodies of Noble and his bride of a month were found in their New York apartments to-day asphyxiated.

Give your order for a trial month to your postmaster or newswriter—only twenty-five cents to any address in the Dominion.

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King and Queen at Spithead

PORTSMOUTH, Feb. 4.—(Can. Press).—King George and Queen Mary, who left Portsmouth on Nov. 11, on the steamship Medina, bound for India, returned from the Durbar to-day. The Medina arrived at Spithead at 10 o'clock this morning, four hours in advance of schedule time. She was convoyed by the cruisers Cochrane, Argyll, Defence and Natal, which, in command of Sir Colin Koppel, accompanied Their Majesties to the far east. A heavy snowstorm obscured the view from shore, and the Medina slipped in without ceremony or salute. She went direct to her appointed moorings between the lines of the welcoming fleet.

Their Majesties will remain aboard until to-morrow morning, when the Medina will enter the harbor. The royal children, the Queen-Mother Alexandra, Winston Spencer Churchill and the other lords of the admiralty arrived here during the course of the day. A family gathering and the official welcome will take place in the morning.

The Medina sailed from Bombay on Jan. 10 and reached Gibraltar on Jan. 30.

Business Before City Council

The recommendation that the city apply for legislation to take over the street railway because of the company's failure to carry out their obligations will be the chief matter before the city council this afternoon. This matter was discussed and passed by the board of directors at a meeting held on Monday evening, when the council was reported upon and the council will be called upon to-day.

Two-thirds of the council have committed themselves as being opposed to the proposed legislation, but the council will pass both its second and third readings this afternoon, and the bill will go to the mayor for his signature. The vote at the first reading stood 10 to 3, but Ald. Dunn was absent, and his vote, which would have been in favor, is not known.

ANTAGONIZES PEOPLE FROM CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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It is as it is set out in the New Testament.

"The Christian church stands for religious liberty and freedom of conduct," said Mr. Cayley, "and conduct is needed to mould character, not law. Morality cannot be taught by law but must be taught by example."

Mr. Cayley said that the Lord's Day Alliance was gradually forgetting the respect of all rights thinking men in the community and by its recent action had enormously weakened its future power to protect the world's great day of rest. "They have not the courage to come out and say 'we don't like allying on Sunday and are going to stop it if we can,' but they issue a shuffling document about the city going into the recreation business on Sunday. Every argument they use against the city allowing the alldes to be used on Sunday applies equally to the citizens using the parks on Sunday. For the parks have for five months of the year than the alldes during two months, but they don't dare to propose the closing of the parks on the Lord's Day, or that Christ is a religion of liberty and its weapons not persecution and prohibition, but persuasion and conviction. What reasonable right has one group of citizens to dictate how another group shall act on Sunday. I speak for thousands of people who love the city when I say that we do not like the methods of the alliance and that their recent action has done more of religion a great deal of harm in the eyes of a large number of our citizens."

Bishop Evans' idea.

"When they sneeze everybody must take snuff." This was the way Bishop R. C. Evans characterized the recent proposals and efforts of the Lord's Day Alliance in connection with the closing of the city streets and the Lord's Day. He said that the alliance was not only asking for any such legislation on their own initiative, but that they were asking for it in the name of the Sabbath, Sunday Alliance had not right to ask for any such legislation on their own initiative. Civil law could make no such distinction between the Sabbath and Sunday, and this was the method which that body were using. The bishop thought that open alldes on Sunday had a much more beneficial effect on the public health than open drug stores.

WINNIPEG REALTY VALUES ARE VERY CONSERVATIVE

Mr. A. M. Rice of Winnipeg, and formerly a well-known business man of Toronto, is a visitor in the city, making his headquarters at Moscovitz's Hotel. Mr. Rice, on his way down, was in the recent wreck of a Canadian Northern train on the north shore of Winnipeg, but escaped injury.

As a valuator and inspector of the Great West Farm Loan & Savings Company and the Canada National Fire Insurance Company, Mr. Rice states that he considered Winnipeg real estate to be at a very conservative figure, a piece of property in the heart of the business section having changed hands recently at \$4000 per foot frontage.

At the last meeting of the city council, Mayor George's motion that the city take up the idea of erecting model suburban dwellings was presented in the form of a motion, and the scheme received a great deal of criticism, the council decided to apply for legislation empowering them to put it in force if they wished.

Anti-Home Rule Meeting.

An executive meeting of the County Orange Lodge tonight and the question of the advisability of holding an anti-home rule meeting in May, at the Orange Lodge, was discussed. Since the receipt of Sir Edward Carson's cable, saying that he would be unable to give an address in Toronto, the cabinet most of the anti-home rule demonstrators have given up the idea of securing any speakers from the United Kingdom. The Orange Sentinel declares that the meeting would be held this month, but that the cabinet members of the province and the Dominion would be asked to come and give addresses.

BOUNDARY QUESTION SETTLED

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—(Special).—Hon. W. H. Howland, minister of mines, has announced that the boundary question between Ontario and Manitoba has been settled. The agreement was made, and an announcement is expected very soon.

Harper, Customs Broker, McKinnon Building, 10 Jordan St., Toronto.

Niagara Ice Bridge Breaks, Two Drown

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figure seen erect from the upper bridge where hundreds watched, unable to give the slightest aid to the people below.

Plunged into Water.

When the prisoners were passing below the plant of the Aluminum Company, a short distance below the upper bridge, those who watched gave up all hope. A cry of horror went up from the crowd when the woman was seen to topple forward. As the ice gave way beneath her, she plunged head first into the river, and within a couple of minutes one man disappeared in a similar manner. In a few seconds the man and woman reappeared. The prey was within reach of the landing and other points of vantage where firemen were ready to take them to safety. Death was not disposed to tarry, and just as the broken ice boulders that once were part of the handsome shoring ice bridge got to the plant of the Aluminum Company, the second man sank to his knees.

Stood As He Paralyzed.

The youth stood alone, numb, either unconscious or fearing the fate that awaited him. He was wholly oblivious of the one chance. When he saw the foam of the whirlpool around him and heard shouts from the Canliover Bridge, the lad aroused himself sufficiently to grasp at the thought of self-preservation.

To Rescue With Rope

Michigan Central repair men who have been engaged in making repairs to the Canliover bridge, were notified of the coming of the ice. They were not more than five minutes before they reached the bridge. Charles Sietlow, a first man, ran to the foot of the end of the bridge, where ropes of the kind used in the construction of the bridge were kept. He caught up a big coil of inch rope. Alexander, the second man, ran to a point on the bank where it was thought probable that the unfortunate humans in the gorge would be seen. He had a coil of heavy chunks of iron fastened in the end of the rope and dropped over the edge of the bridge. The rope dropped until it touched water.

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