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TORONTO JUNCTION.

Toronto Junction, Feb. 21.—The funeral of Mrs. Clara Martin, who died of heart failure on Tuesday night last, took place at 2:30 o'clock to-day to Prospect Cemetery.

Bright and early this morning Street Foreman Moon had the snowplows going and by ten o'clock all the snowdrifts were passable to pedestrians. Some of the drifts were over three feet deep.

Prof. W. J. Alexander of the Toronto University delivered a lecture to-night on Hamlet under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew and St. Philip, in the Victoria Presbyterian Church, to a large and appreciative audience.

A Suburban Street Railway car, in coming down the steep Black Creek Hill on the Weston road, about 11 o'clock this morning, jumped the tracks, plowed along on the road a few yards, and then turned over.

A dozen or more passengers were thrown in a heap in the corner of the car with the coal stove, but no one was seriously injured, although the hot coals scorched some clothing.

The car was going about six miles an hour and the accident is said to have been caused by the fraying of the wheels, which are guide rails, while the rails where the car jumped are T rails.

The Sterling Bank has leased the premises at 17 East Dundas, and will open a branch there.

Deer Park.

In spite of the storm Wednesday evening, the Congregational social of the Presbyterian Church was a successful affair. The program consisted of an address by the pastor Rev. D. C. Hossack, and solos by Miss Annie Murray, Miss Watson, Misses Ives, Messrs. J. N. Hazeldean and N. T. Ives, W. J. Thomson, principal of the public school, occupied the chair.

Oak Ridge.

About 3 o'clock Thursday morning of last week, the residence at "Glenwood Park" and belonging to Robt. H. Davies, vice-president, the Williams Davies Co., was completely destroyed by fire, together with the boats, furniture, and other valuable articles. The cause is unknown. When discovered the fire was beyond all control, but the firm hands succeeded in saving the stables and outbuildings. The loss is estimated at several thousand dollars, and is partially covered by insurance. The house was exceptionally well built, being erected by the late Quetton St. George. The design and interior treatment was unique, and all indicated refinement and culture on the part of Mr. St. George. The property is situated at Oak Ridge, about a mile east of Bond Lane, and covers about four hundred acres, including Lake St. George, over which one had a commanding view from the house. It is one of the historical spots of York County. Mr. St. George's father, a gentleman of France, settled on this property in 1786, at which time he received a free grant of some 26,000 acres. About 30 years later or after the death of Mr. St. George the elder, his son Quetton came out from France and took charge of the property, residing there for over half a century, or until the time of his death eleven years ago. He was a well-known business man of Toronto, and was particularly fond of

row afternoon and evening promises to be an important event. At 12 o'clock the children will be dismissed, and at 2 p.m. the building will be reopened in order to permit of inspection. In the evening Hon. Dr. Fyvie, W. F. Maclean, M.P., and Alex. McCowan, M.L.A., will speak. An instrumental and vocal program will be given and a number of prizes given out.

Licence Commissioners.

The East York licence commissioners will meet at the Clyde Hotel on Saturday forenoon. The principal matter under discussion will be the transfer of the Bay View Hotel in East Toronto.

Riverdale.

The choir of St. Matthew's Church will give a special musical service on Sunday, when A. C. Fairweather, bass soloist of St. James' Cathedral, will assist.

The members of the Riverdale Business Men's Association have had placed at their disposal for the holding of their monthly meetings, thru the kindness of the R.C.B. Club, one of the finest rooms in the new club.

The bachelors and benefactors of East Queen-street Methodist Church will hold their annual lecture and banquet on Thursday evening, Feb. 22.

A complimentary supper was tendered the winning teams in the Riverdale School Hockey League, together with the principals and assistant principals in all the public schools in ward one last night. The cup and badges won by the Queen Alexandra and Ross-avenue schools were presented.

The boys' meeting on Sunday morning will be addressed by Miss Russell of the W.C.T.U.

Love Bros. are making preparations to erect at least 500 houses during the coming summer.

REQUEST THE GOVERNMENT TO ALLOW HORSE RACING

Deputation From Fall Fairs Ass'n Interview Hon. Nelson Monteith—Will Be Considered.

In considering clause by clause the new Agriculture Act, the Ottawa Fall Fairs Association yesterday recorded an objection to the clause prohibiting horse racing and it was decided to memorialize the legislature for an amendment which would leave the matter as to permitting horse racing to the discretion of the directors, confining the restrictions to the elimination of gambling, pool selling or betting. A deputation interviewed the Hon. Nelson Monteith during the afternoon, who said that some modification might be effected, provided the principal object of the department, the development of agriculture, did not suffer. Experience had shown that generally when horse-racing prospered agriculture suffered.

An objection was also raised in the convention to the apportionment of grants on the basis of prize money paid. Several delegates considered that the outlays on buildings should be added to the prize money. A motion to this effect, however, was defeated by 40 per cent. of the delegates.

These officers were elected: President, William Laidlaw, Guelph; first vice-president, A. McDonald, Dufferin; second vice-president, H. A. Gould, Ontario; secretary-treasurer, Alex. McFarlane, Ottawa; corresponding secretary, and editor, J. Lockie, Wilton; executive, Geo. Downey, Peel; David Evans, Misses; Edward Gough, Parry Sound; Geo. E. Lee, Kent; Thos. J. Murphy, Norfolk; J. W. Sheppard, Haldimand; J. O. Wilcox, Essex.

I. O. F. Grand Concert. Dingman's Hall was crowded last night to the doors at the entertainment given in aid of the I.O.F. Orphan's Home at Deseronto. The chair was taken by Bro. G. A. Mitchell, superintendent of the work, who opened the proceedings with a bright and witty address, outlining the object to which the evening was devoted. Thos. Lawless, A.S.C.P., gave a lecture, assisted by stereopticon views, on the benefits and standing of the I.O.F., clearly showing the need of the organization. The I.O.F. has become, and the wonderful work they are doing. Too much praise cannot be given for the able and intelligent manner in which he delivered his lecture, including a trip thru Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific, with some of the laws ever given in the city. Donald McGregor and Chas. Bodley contributed to the program.

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\$3000.00 Worth of the J. D. King Co.'s Sample Boots

Offered Saturday at About Half-Price.

We have secured all the higher-grade boots and shoes, samples of the well known J. D. King Company of this city, at a discount unheard of until this time. These boots and shoes are just in off the road where they have been winning orders throughout the country for this spring's trade. It's the biggest and finest lot of underpriced shoes we have offered for some months.

Women's Size 4 Only, Values Up to \$4.00, Saturday \$2.00 a Pair.

450 pairs Women's Sample Boots, Slippers and Oxfords, made by J. D. King Co., all new, fresh stock, guaranteed finest quality, finish and workmanship throughout, made on 1907 style lasts, in box calf, kid, patent kid, patent calf and tan leather, Blucher and Balmoral cuts, Goodyear and McKay welted soles, also flexible McKay and hand turn soles, medium, Cuban, military and French heels, a great variety to choose from in sample size 4 only, values up to \$4.00, Saturday bargain 2.00

Men's Size 7 Only, Values Up to \$5.00, Saturday \$2.50 Pair.

500 pairs Men's High-Grade Sample Boots, made by the J. D. King Co., in all variety of styles and leathers, box calf, kid, patent calf, tan leather, genuine Goodyear welted soles, pointed toe with swing last, also straight last, Blucher and Balmoral cuts, all new spring 1907 samples, up to date in style and finish, in size 7 only, values up to \$5.00, Saturday bargain 2.50

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP OF TERMINAL ELEVATORS

Saskatchewan Grain Growers Pass Resolution—Government Phones Also Endorsed.

Regina, Sask., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The unanimous expressions of opinion resulting in resolutions favoring government control of terminal elevators, of government ownership of telephones, and of the general principles of compulsory railway commission and the features of to-day's session of the annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association. The following resolution regarding government ownership was passed:

Men--Here Are Clothing Reductions

Saturday's Attractions in Simpson's Men's Store.

Because the calendar says winter is nearing the end and in spite of the thermometer's strenuous denial, these prices are possible and positive for to-morrow.

If you think you can wait until warm weather before purchasing more clothing, all right, we'll be ready when you are. But however, if these prices are worth while to you, if you care to take advantage of the reductions on winter goods in view of the probable cold weather still to come—here they are:

75 Men's High-Grade Suits, single and double-breasted sack style, no two alike, these are all high-grade materials which were imported for our custom tailoring department and we made them up into ready-to-wear suits, they consist of English and Scotch tweeds and fancy worsteds, made up in the latest style, with broad chest and close fitting collars and long lapels, beautifully tailored and perfect fitting, sizes 35 to 44, the prices to order for these were \$20, \$22.50, \$24, \$25 and \$26.50, ready-to-wear price Saturday.. 12.45

Men's Raincoats, Reg. \$9. to Clear Saturday at \$6.95

Dark Oxford Grey and Fawn English Covered Cloth Rain Coats, cut long and loose, lined with Venetian finished Italian cloth, full 50 inches long, sizes 34 to 44, regular \$9, 6.95 on sale Saturday at 6.95

Men's Overcoats, black meltons, kersesys and chevlois, also some of the new Cambridge greys made in the stylish single-breasted Chesterfield and French back, with deep centre vent, slightly conforming to the body, sizes 35 to 42, regular \$18, \$20, \$24 and \$25, 13.95 to clear Saturday at 13.95

Men's Fur Coats—Reduced

52 Men's Fur Coats, in curly lamb, Corsican lamb, Astrachan lamb, dyed wombat, walaby and dyed wolf skin, all made from best quality skins, full 50 inches long, and best finish, our regular prices were \$25 and \$30, your choice of any coat Saturday 17.95

13 Men's Fur Lined Coats, shells of extra good quality imported English beaver cloth, No. 1 grade marmot skins for linings and choice German otter collars, regular prices \$32.50, \$35 and \$37.50, Saturday your choice 21.00

Men's Furnishings

"Britannia" Brand Unshrinkable Natural Underwear, pearl buttons, cashmere trimmed, 5.00

HUMANE SOCIETY TO APPEAL.
Rev. Archdeacon Sweeney presided at the regular monthly meeting of the Humane Society yesterday.

A number of communications were read from outside points desirous of establishing branch societies. Among others was one from Medicine Hat (Alta.), where conditions of cattle was said to be such as to call for intervention. The severity of the weather was said to have caused great suffering, and representations will be made by the Toronto Humane Society to the minister of the Interior.

The special officer reported that 126 complaints had been registered during the month, in a number of which convictions had been secured.

A resolution of sympathy with Dr. McCausland, who is seriously ill, was passed.