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### TO OUR FRIENDS

As another year draws to a close and we look back upon the pleasant relations which have existed between our friends and ourselves, there are many things we would like to say in gratitude for the friendship you have given us. However we will confine to the good old term. We thank you.

### J. P. Albrough & Co.

Guaranteed Upholstered Furniture  
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Major-General Otter to-day inspected the military offices at Kingston.

Charles Ward, at Hull, was sent to the pen for two years for stealing an overcoat.

Vancouver now has 103 miles of sidewalks.

London ministers are strongly opposed to any change in the present methods of obtaining divorce in Canada.

### Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents

### McLeod & MacBain

Leading Grocers

Christmas is past and now preparations for the New Year

You will find this store as in the past ready to supply your needs.

We extend to everyone our best wishes for a

Happy and Prosperous

New Year

### McLeod & MacBain

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## TRAVERS IS IN JAIL

Manager of Farmers' Bank is Charged With Theft.

### BANK OUTLOOK IS BAD

Some of the Shareholders of Suspended Financial Concern Have Petitioned Ottawa For a Commission to Investigate — Other Charges, It is Said, May Be Laid Against the Late Manager of Bank.

Toronto, Jan. 3.—W. R. Travers is in jail on a second charge in connection with the Farmers' Bank. This time the indictment is for the alleged theft of \$40,000 cash. Mr. Travers was arrested at ten o'clock on Saturday night. It looks as if still other charges are to be laid, and it will therefore, be impossible to get him released until the trials are over. There is a determined move to enforce the law in all its ramifications in its relation to the failure of the bank.

The first charge was for making false returns to the Government regarding the bank's condition. The second charge is for taking the bank's funds.

The transaction in question is said to have taken place on 28th January, 1910, when Mr. Travers advanced to himself \$40,000 of the bank's money, assigning as collateral security therefor a grist of mining stock, of nominal value, which is said now to be practically worthless.

Other improper transactions are reported to have been uncovered. Suits have also been instituted to recover money that was paid to depositors on the last day of business. These depositors were, on the terms of the deposit, bound to give notice of the intended withdrawal of the funds. This was not done. The authorities claim it was a wrongful use of the resources of the bank and that payment should have been refused by the manager or his officers when the demand for payment was made.

The investigation of the bank's affairs is going on apace and every day brings a blacker outlook. A number of the shareholders have petitioned the Government at Ottawa to appoint a commissioner to make an investigation of the whole affair and workings of the bank and its management.

### Naval Pay Roll Increased.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—The following wages have been scheduled in the latest pay roll: Instrument allowance for bandmaster, 25 cents a day extra; band corporal, 15 cents; bandman, 10 cents; naval schoolmaster (to the petty officer acting as such), 15 cents a day.

The wages provided for shipwrights, carpenters, mates and chief carpenters' mates have not proved sufficiently high to obtain suitable candidates and the Minister of Marine has made a new schedule as follows: Shipwright \$1.25, after three years \$1.35, after six years \$1.50; carpenters' mate \$1.65, after three years \$1.75, after six years \$1.90; chief carpenters' mate \$2, after three years \$2.20.

The increases are from 25 to 40 cents a day.

### Expect to Arrest a Hundred.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 3.—As a result of New Year's Eve riot here, thirteen young men have been arrested and are locked up in the police station. The following charge is entered on the police books after their names: "Riotously and tumultuously disturbing the public peace and unlawfully and with force stopping street cars, breaking down are lamps, breaking windows, pulling down signs, breaking car windows, taking fenders off cars, and assaulting the police." All the prisoners are well connected, one being the son of an alderman. The police say they expect to arrest a hundred, but many of those wanted are said to have left town.

### A Costly Game.

Paris, Jan. 3.—Edmond They, the French economist, figures that the maintenance of Europe's armed peace footing in the last twenty-five years cost one hundred and forty-five billion francs, approximately twenty-nine billion, which involve an increase in the public debt of the European states of from one hundred and five to one hundred and fifty-one billions of francs, and constantly excluded from productive industry 195,000 officers and 2,800,000 men.

### Duty on Steel Rails.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—An order-in-council has been passed, now that a mill has been established in Canada, adapted and equipped for rolling in substantial quantities rails used in railway tracks weighing not less than 56 lbs. per lineal yard, ordering that the customs duty, specified in item 388 of customs tariff, 1907, shall be abolished, and all such rails when imported shall be subject to such duty as otherwise provided in the customs tariff.

### Five Children Burned to Death.

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 3.—The five children of John Markasavage lost their lives at Minersville, near here, early yesterday, in a fire which destroyed three houses in the foreign quarter of the town. The children ranged in age from two months to eight years. The origin of the fire is credited to a New Year's celebration of boarders in one of the houses, an upset oil lamp, it is said, starting the blaze.

### Sent Back to States.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 3.—Provincial Officer McNamara arrested Helena Cuozzo, 17, and Joseph Moralabite, aged 24, in Welland on Sunday for the Sloan, N.Y., authorities. The pair were sent back to the States, the man to answer to a charge of abduction, while his pretty sweetheart will be charged with violating the penal code.

Warm Underwear at 25c, 50c and 75c

## NORTHWAY'S

Large Wool Blankets at \$3.50 and \$4.00 pair



## Stirring Reductions on Women's Tailored Suits

When such little prices are available every woman can afford to have a tailored suit. The values given below aptly illustrate our determination to clear all tailored suits prior to stock-taking. These must go, and go quickly. Every suit is NORTHWAY-TAILORED and all short 30 in. and 32 in. length coats. Materials are serges, worsteds, diagonals, tweeds and venetians and all perfect in fit and workmanship. For quick selling we have arranged them into three groups. Ready to-day in garment section.

### AT \$11.50

Misses and Ladies' tailored suits made of diagonals, serges and vicunas; all strictly tailored styles, short 30 in. and 32 in. length coats and all attractively pleated skirts, values up to \$16 and \$16.50.

### AT \$13.90

Ladies' tailored suits in black, navy and brown, materials are chevots and worsteds, all strictly tailored and with pretty touches of silk inlaid on collars and lapels, short 32 in. coats and prettily pleated skirts, regular value \$19.50.

### AT \$17.50

Tailored suits in venetians, worsteds, diagonals and mixed cloths, several of them with pretty inlaid lapels and collars, all beautifully tailored and fit perfectly, skirts are in newest pleated models, an opportunity to get a good suit, values to \$25.

## Special Sale of Individual Suit Lengths

A splendid opportunity to secure a good suit length at about half its regular value, all are extra good qualities, both Canadian and English manufacture and excellent weights for tailoring. If you prefer not to have it made up now it will pay you to secure the length for the coming season. A nice selection from which to choose and no two alike, but all pure wool.

Individual suit lengths, 52 in. to 56 in. wide in mixed tweeds or two tone suitings, excellent colors in navy, brown, grey, green and taupe, some with invisible stripes, others in pretty combination patterns, will tailor beautifully, reg. value \$1.25 and \$1.50, your choice now for only ... 75c

### Two Special Values in Skirts

Splendid skirts for street or house wear, everyone of them NORTHWAY-TAILORED, many of them in broken lots from the season's selling, but all exceptional value, ready to-day on 2nd floor.

13 only ladies' skirts in black and navy, made from all wool Panama and taffeta cloths, lengths 38 in. to 41 in. inclusive, some prettily trimmed with silk folds, hardly any two alike, regular \$5.00 and \$5.50, your choice for ... \$3.75

7 only ladies' separate skirts in black, blue and brown, all made from pure wool chiffon Panamas, no two alike, trimmed with self or silk folds and buttons, lengths 38 in., 39 in. and 40 in., values up to \$8, you take your choice for only ... \$5.75

### Best Gown Values

If you saw the quality of these gowns and the way they are made you would scarcely go to the trouble of making them. Our gowns are cut very full and in O. S. as well as medium sizes.

Ladies' flannelette gown in plain white and pink, dainty yoke and collar finished with self frills, full cut skirt and all lengths, 75c

Heavy flannelette gown in different styles, medium and O. S. sizes, fancy yoke of silk stitched insertions with frill, finished with feather stitch braid, very full cut, all lengths and grand value at \$1.00

Ladies' heavy gown in pink and white flannelette, fancy yoke of tucks and insertion, frill around neck and sleeves, full skirt gathered on yoke, all lengths and wonderful value at ... \$1.25

## These Carpet Samples Make Elegant Rugs

If you are in need of small rugs for the home, now is your opportunity. The following are scores of manufacturers samples bought at a big reduction in price, anyone of which will make a pretty rug and where is there a home that cannot use several of them. Arranged in four groups.

Heavy union and ingrain carpet ends, 40 in. to 45 in. long, all 36 in. wide in excellent greens, reds, fawns and blues, all good patterns and will make pretty floor rugs. Reg. value up to 50c each, your choice 29c

Heavy wool carpet ends, all extra good quality, greens, fawns, blues and reds, 40 in. and 45 in. long, all good heavy weight and extra good weavers, reg. value up to \$1 per yd., you get the end for ... 39c

Heavy English Brussels carpet ends, all 14 yds. long, in excellent greens, fawns, wood shades and some finished ends, others with fringe added will make a handsome rug. Reg. value up to \$1.75 each, your choice for only ... \$1.00

Handsome deep pile wilton carpet ends, all 11 yds. long, good heavy backs in handsome shades of greens and fawns, all neat designs anyone of which will make a pretty hearth rug, reg. value up to \$2.25, for only ... \$1.49

## Final Clearance off All Millinery

16 only this season's hat shapes in navy, browns and blacks, both drop turned sides, all good quality felts, reg. values up to \$1.75, your choice for ... 50c

6 prettily trimmed hats, this season's styles, trimmed with ribbon, cords and velvet, reg. \$3.75 for ... \$1.95

10 only trimmed or made hats, browns, navy, greys and green, bandeaus, velvet, silk and leather trimming, values up to \$6.50 for ... \$2.95

Children's silk bear bonnets, lined with white flannelette, will match coats perfectly, very warm, to clear at ... \$1.00

## Saturday Specials

185 yards of good quality Wrapperette, in grounds of cardinal, black navy, green and brown, in stripes, polka dots and other small neat designs, patterns suitable for waists, kimonoes, sacques and children's dresses, values up to 12½c, on sale Saturday for ... 8

15 only black moreser underskirts, length 38 in. to 42 in., deep flounce of accordion pleating, with frill, good weavers, special at ... \$1

# The NORTHWAY COMPANY, Limited

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From THE CHRONICLE, Ingersoll, Dec. 31st, 1885.

The Poor.—Sixty-six dollars was realized for the poor from the charity ball.

Parlor Social.—The young ladies of the Baptist church will give a parlor social at the home of Mr. Watterworth on Tuesday evening 29th and not Thursday as announced at Rev. Mr. Kettlewell's on Monday night.

Fire.—On Tuesday morning about 11 o'clock the fire alarm was sounded and the brigade turned out promptly. Their services were not required however, the fire being confined in a chimney on the residence of Mr. John Mitchell, Carnegie street.

The Snow By-law.—Chief Constable Allen says that unless the citizens

give more attention to clearing off their sidewalks, he intends to swoop down upon some of them and swoop them into the police court and make a test case of it. So beware the Chief is on the war path, and look out for squalls.

Masonic Installation.—The officers of King Hiram and St. Johns Lodges will be installed on Monday evening, Dec. 29th, by R. W. Bro. J. C. Hegler, D.D.G.M., assisted by R. W. Bro. C. H. Slawson and R. W. Bro. John Warnock.

School Trustees.—Three trustees are required to be elected this year. Dr. McKay will run for Ward No. 2, and Mr. Wm. Sutherland is a candidate for Ward No. 3. They will in all probability be elected by acclamation. We have not learned of any candidate for Ward No. 1.

Capt. Geo. Davy, an old lake mariner, is dead at Kingston.

Harry Steele, known as "Billy the Gambler," shot himself at Calgary and may die.

Andrew Morphy, a survivor of the rebellion of 1837, is dead at London, Ont., aged 96.

## NEWS OF SPORT

### QUEBEC 3; RENFREW 2.

Quebec, Jan. 2.—By a score of 3 to 2, Quebec defeated the Renfrew team in an exciting match at the Quebec rink, but on the evening's play the locals should have won by a much larger score, the remarkable work of the visitors' goalkeeper saving them from a much more severe defeat. The mild spell made the ice very heavy, but notwithstanding this, surprising fast hockey was played, and the opening game proved a notable one in every respect. The rink was packed, over 2,000 spectators being in attendance, and the victory of the home team, it is needless to say, was received with enthusiasm. An interested spectator of the game, was Bruce Stuart, the well-known hockey star, and Renfrew was accompanied by quite a delegation of friends.

### STRATFORD 7; CLINTON 5.

Stratford, Jan. 2.—Stratford juniors won from Clinton juniors in O. H.A. hockey on the home ice to-night, by a score of 7-5. The half-time

score was 5-5. The game was fairly fast, and the ice not bad. Referee John McKenzie of Seaford.

### GALT DEFEATS BERLIN.

Galt, Jan. 2.—In the first game of professional hockey here this winter the local team defeated the Berlin aggregation by a score of 7 to 2. About 1500 fans witnessed the game and all are highly delighted over the strength of the local team, which is the strongest ever sent on the ice in Western Ontario. Tommy Smith, of Ottawa, arrived this morning and completed the line-up. To-day's game was the first game the locals have played together. Berlin came down with nine players and made a change at half time. The score at half time was 2 to 1 in the local's favor and in the second Manager Servis' "Mushaters" demonstrated what they could do. The ice was sloppy, but the match was a good one. Jimmie Fraser, the local referee handled the game well. The league opens on Wednesday night, when Waterloo plays here.

Ten large engines for the C. N. R. are to be built at the Kingston Locomotive Works.