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NEW MOVES FOR PEACE.

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sorrow expressed, that they are out of the size wanted. In this

349 Men's Suits, regular 7.00, 8.00 and 9.00 values,

187 Men's Suits, regular price 10.00, 11.00 and 12.00 values,

196 Men's Suits, regular price 14.00, 15.00 and 18.00 values,

229 Men's Overcoats, all styles, regular 7.00, 8,00 and 9.00

157 Men's Raglan Overcoats, regular 10.00 and 12.00 values,

136 Men's Fine Overcoats, latest styles, regular 14,00, 15.00

103 Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 28 to 34, regular 3.50, 4.00 and

184 Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 28 to 34, regular 5.00, 6.00,

136 Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 22 to 28, regular 2.00, 2.50 and

109 Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 22 to 28, regular values 3.00

20 Superior Fur-lined Overcoats, Russian rat lined, Persian

18 Extra-Superior Fur-lined Overcoats, Russian rat lined,

Persian lamb collar, regular 55.00 values,

200 Men's Odd Pants, regular 1.50 to 2.00 values,

157 Men's Odd Pants, regular 2.00 to 4.00 values,

139 Men's Odd Pante, regular 4.00 to 6.00 values,

collar, regular 50.00 values,

and 18.00 values,

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BLEW UP ALL VALUABLES

Reports of Negotiations and PEAGETHRU AN ALLIANGE Condition of Fortress as Revealed at Chefoo.

Chefoo, Jan. 3.—The fort where the ns for the surrender of Port were held is called the Big Nest, and it is near Rihlung ain. According to reports of the ons received here, Gen. Stoessel's proposal that the Russian sick and nded should remain under Russian medical supervision, and that the Japanese transfer the non-combatants, was acceptable to Gen. Nogi, but the Russian proposal that the Russians should

Blew Up the Ships. Klisorich, commanding a launch which left Port Arthur at 8 o'clock last night, said to-day : shot has been fired at Port Arthur for forts, ships, magazines, warehouses, I left Port Arthur the fortress and the town were almost completely wrecked. The warships died hard. Several exosions were necessary to complete the wrecking of them, The Sevastopol, turde. The narbor entrance is of the Japanese government gives no indications of its desires in that direction, but it is known that it is prepared to discuss the question and to make terms hospital ships Kassan and Mongolia. The mayor will go to Ottawa to night, but it is known that it is prepared to discuss the question and to make terms way commission on Thursday in the settlement of the order for the expronent of the order for the expronent gives no indications of its desires in that direction, but it is known that it is prepared to discuss the question and to make terms way commission on Thursday in the settlement of the order for the expro-

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who surfendered and a debris strewn desert, which the Japanese gain. No ene of Port Arthur's magnificent public works remains.

The feeling created when Gen. Stoestel took the unwelcome step was generally one of relief.

The soldiers, for whom one month's errise baters, for whom one month's reprise bate counted as one year, and "The soldiers, for whom one month's service has counted as one year, are rejoicing that they will soon see their families."

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over the results of the day before. None, however, had any comment to make on the election, and simply in-tended to go ahead and transact business as before. All agreed that the endorsement of the money bylaws St. Petersburg, Jan. 3.-A diplomat showed a healthy public spirit and the who holds exceptionally close relations expenditure of the million dollars will sian proposal that the same with Russia said to the Associated be proceeded with as early in the year march out under arms caused some Press that he did not believe peace as possible. The vote on the tax exwith Russia said to the Associated be proceeded with as early in the year was possible, adding: "If the war is emption question, however, was not to end it must be more than peace. It considered of any value. If it had been must be a complete understanding be- confined to taxpayers, it might have tween Russia and Japan almost in the been taken as an expression of opinion, shot has been fired at Port Arthur for east. An ordinary peace which might failed to understand the question and two days. That which Chinese heard be ruptured in a few contract to the period of the voters and the contract to the period of the voters and the contract to the contract to the period of the voters and the contract to the contract to the contract to the voters and the contract to the contract to the contract to the contract to the voters and the contract to the nature of an alliance covering the far but the vast majority of the voters two days. That which Chinese heard be ruptured in a few years would not saw only a reduction in their own last night was the Russians blowing up be sufficient. Upon the basis of an rents. The inaugural meeting of the forts, ships, magazines, warenouses, equitable alliance Russia possibly could new council will be held on Monday docks and everything valuable. When policy for the year. The money bylaws will also receive their final readings. Tokio, Jan. 3.—Some of the foreign The last meeting of the council of diplomats here believe that there will 1904 will be held this afternoon at 3 wrecking of them. The sevastopol, be an early renewal of efforts looking o'clock, to complete the business for to the securing of peace. Outwardly, the Japanese government gives no introduced in the Japanese government gives no introduced by the Japanese gover o'clock, to complete the business

in the negotiations for surrender. A table was spread with wine and food at the Eagle's Nest, and the enveys treated each other with great courtesy, which quickly melted into informal good fellowship. Each complimented the other on the bravery of their forces. The United States, Great Britain and France are named as possible direct or indirect intermediaries, tho it is not offenium men at Port Arthur is misleading, because of these half are sick or slightly wounded. There have been for some time no prope: band ages, and wounds have been dressed with hemp," said Midshipman K.lsorich, "The news that Gen. Stoessel was prepared to treat for surrender was received by the soldiers with the feeling of utmost relief. For the past month severe wounds have been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also been soldiers, because they were also been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also been gladly received by the soldiers with the feeling of utmost relief. For the past month severe wounds have been gladly received by the soldiers with the feeling of utmost relief. For the past month severe wounds have been gladly received by the soldiers with the feeling of utmost relief. For the past month severe wounds have been gladly received by the soldiers, because they were also bec

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LEAVE WITHIN 24 HOURS.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—The arrival at Tsingtan. Shantung Peninsula, China, from Port Arthur of two Russian torped boats and a transport with Russian troops on board its officially confirmed. The Governor of Klacchou, in pursuance of his permanent instructions, will require the vessels to disarm or leave Tringtau within investy four bours. The crews and troops will remain in the German district until the end of the war of an arrangement regarding them is reached with Japan.

RUSSIANS BLUFFED JAPS.

Chefoo, Jan. 3.—Capt. Kartzow, commanding the Russian torpedo boats and a transport with the end of the war when, althot the sounded representation of the standard of the standard property of the war, when, althot the simple of the war when, althot the simple of the war, when, althot the simple of the war, when, althot the was plenty of ammunition at Port Arrival and entered the harbor of Simple of Simp Chefoo, Jan. 3.—Capt. Kartzow, commanding the Russian torpedo boat destroyer flotilla, which escaped from Port Arthur and entered the harbor of Chefoo, Monday, telis a curious story of "bluffing" by the Russians at the beginning of the war, when, altho there was plenty of ammunition at Port Arthur, there was none on the ships under Golden Hill save blank cartridges used to the season.

"Under Southern Skies," which will be given at the Majestic Theatre next week, needs to introduction to our theatregoers. It has been seen here before, and its merits are so well known that the announcement are so well known that the announcement is sufficient to insure a crowdless of the season.

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washed by strong women. No care necessary. by saving most of the rubbing earline saves most of the wear.

Sheard and Godfrey Have Time to Consider — Official Returns

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Mayar Urquhart and the re-elected controllers of last year were in a highly satisfied state of mind yesterday.

hospital ships Kassan and Mongolia. Which are characterized as reason to need expect no more ships from the point of the blocking of the leave on account of the blocking of the harbor.

Those who predict a movement for peace declare that the Japanese emperor's commendation of General Stoessel and the determination of the Japanese to give honorable terms to the surrendered garrison will soften the blow to Russia and create an opening in the negotiations for surrender. A blow to Russia and create an opening for the discussion of the question of the Esplanade property, may be Recounts.

There may be recounts in the Third and Sixth Wards on the aldermanic vote, Henry Sheard is only 17 votes behind Sam, McBride, and thinks he has a good chance of making up more than that number. Dr. Lynd beat J. M. Godfrey out by 25 for third place. Neither of the defeated candidates has yet

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wife of another member who did not love greatly chagrined that they had not taken advantage of the opportunity.

"Our defence." said Capt. Kartzow. "has been replete with such makeshifts."

FUNERAL SERMON BY PHONE.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 2.—A funeral sermon was preached here last week over the telephone. Death from dirichterials prevented the family of Miss. Alice Conrad having a funeral which friends could attend, and to comply with the last request of the orir that the sermon should be preached at the sermon should be preached at the sermon should be preached by the connect the church with the house. For its use and with the aid of a megaphone the Rev. Sherman Kirk was able to preach to two dudences, one at the church- and the other at the bouse. Those at home heard the words and music almost as distinctly as the control and the church.

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GREAT SALE TO-MORROW

=GOUGH BROS.'=

OMMENCES TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, JANUARY 5TH. Not a garment or an article in our entire \$150,000.00 stock of Clothing, Boots and

saving on worthful merchandise for the person as this opportunity presents. We well know that in order to reduce this mammoth

stock to the minimum point, just before inventory, cost cannot be taken into consideration and nothing will so quickly convert merchandise into

cash as decimated prices. We and you have often read newspaper advertisements announcing great things, but when the search-light of investi-

gation has been turned on the facts of these so-called "Creat Bargain Sales" have any of us ever found them to be true in detail? We say no!

most decidedly no. It may be they will show you a certain line at a bargain, but if you desire to buy it will just be discovered, and with much

Great 1st Annual Innovation Clearing-Up Sale of GOUGH BROS.

nothing like this can or will occur. They have simply closed their eyes to the cost of any article in their entire \$150,000.00 stock, comprising

Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, Gents' Furnishings, and Ladies' and Gents' Fur Coats of all kinds, and you

may depend that our price list, which will appear from day to day, will contain the absolute truth and nothing but the truth. Remember not on

one particular line only but on every article in our store while the sale lasts-therefore all we ask of the public is to read and follow our price

lists. Cut them out and test the honesty of our statements. Go through the entire stock at your will, select whatever garment strikes your faucy.

The Great Sale Price Will Be Marked In Blue Figures

over the original and that is the one and only price that will delight and astound the public and dominate the sale. The entire space in this paper would not contain an enumeration of half the bargains awaiting you, but note the savings on the following specials for our grand opening of this

The original price ticket remains on every garment, which was always 20 per cent. lower than other dealers.

Special price to-morrow, 3.99

Special price to-morrow, 5.99

Special price to-morrow, 8.99

Special sale price to-morrow, 3.99

Special sale price to-morrow, 5.99

Special sale price to-morrow, 8.99

Special sale price to-morrow, 1.99

Special sale price to-morrow, 3.69

Special sale price to-morrow, 1.29

Special sale price to morrow, 1.99

Special sale price to morrow, 1.19

Special sale price to-morrow, 1.89

Special sale price to-morrow, 2.79

Special sale price to-morrow, 36.00

Special price, 39.00

At no time in the history of the clothing trade of Canada have the Toronto buying public been offered such a chance for money-

Shoes, Hats and Caps, Gents' Furnishings, and Ladies' and Gentlemen's Fur Coats of all kinds to be reserved.

17 Superior Fur-lined Overcoats, Russian rat lined, regular

65.00 values, Special sale price to-morrow, 42.50 12 Extra-Superior Fur-lined Overcoats, regular 75.00 values, Special sale price to morrow, 49.00

FURNISHINGS.

30 dozen Colored Cambric Shirts, all sizes, 13 1-2 to 17 1-2, regular 75c and 1.00 values,

Sale price to.morrow, 39c 49 doz. Christmas Ties, regular 50c values,

Special sale price to-morrow, 25c 60 doz. Suspenders, regular 25c and 35c values, Special sale price to morrow, 15c 28 doz. Men's Fleece-lined Shir:s and Drawers, regular 500

and 6oc values, Special sale price to-morrow, 39c

Men's All-wool Shirts and Drawers, regular 75c and 1.00 Special sale price to-morrow, 59c

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Broken Lots Men's Fine Shoes, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50 regular

Special sale price to-morrow, 99c Broken Lots of Ladies' Shoes, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50 regular

Special sale price to-morrow, 99c HATS AND CAPS.

Regular 2.50 to 3.50 goods, Special sale Price to.morrow, 1.50

Regular 2.00 to 3.00 goods, Special sale Price to-morrow, 1.25

Regular 2.00 to 2.50 goods, Very special sale Price to-morrow, only 99c And so on throughout the Entire Stock.

Although our staff of salesmen has been doubled in anticipation of the rush, we advise our patrons to come early, for of course line after line will be crosed out and cannot be replaced again, and the choice is always better before sizes are broken. Watch the papers for the price lists and announcements while this GREAT JANUARY CLEANING-UP SALE continues. It will pay you.

Gough Bros., the Big Clothiers

Two Entrances: 6 and 8 Queen Street West and 186 Yonge Street

N.B.—Mail orders will receive our prompt and careful attention.

SIGNAL FOR PEACE.

With the control of the sea in favor of Japan. hold out indefinitely against all Japan. hold out indefinitely against all There is, of course, one point that cannot be amended, that of condemnation not be amended, that of condemnation power. That's a question which will power. That's a question which will power to be thrashed out once and for ment has come for the world powers to the fighting men inside of Sebastopol, Vicksburg and Petersburg.

The Niagara Bill. Again.

The Niagara Falls. The bill will be introduced in the second week of the session by Assemblyman Thompson.

The Niagara, Lockport and Ontario The Niagara, Lockport and Ontario Company, under its old charter, has never written anything more of continued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut ontinued work and preserved its charter than the little verse he had cut onton the mended, that of condemnation not be amended, that of condemnation not be amended, that of condemnation the mild against all There is, of course, one point that cannot be amended, that of condemnation not be amended, that of condemnation n

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