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Dress and Suit Making to Order

The short season before Easter this year (27th March) makes it imperative that all orders for delivery before then shall be placed at once. Our modistes can still undertake a limited number of commissions for March delivery, but please don't put off and then blame us if we cannot meet your delivery requirements.

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REBELS IN NIGARAGUA LOSE DESPERATE BATTLE

Fight Lasted Four Hours, When Insurgents Were "Decimated by a Galling Fire."

MANAGUA, Feb. 23.—Another victory over the revolutionists has been achieved by General Tolosa, the Nicaraguan Minister of War.

The announcement was based on an official despatch received from Gen. Rivas, in command of the government forces, who engaged the revolutionists under General Chamorro at Tisma, twelve miles from Masagua.

Gen. Rivas' despatch was posted on the street corners; bands appeared in the streets and a general celebration followed. The despatch says:

"The battle began at 8 a.m. Feb. 23. The rebels were the bloodiest yet, there being much hand-to-hand fighting with bayonets. Large numbers of men were killed, capturing one of the insurgent leaders, and later their rescue was effected. Chamorro succeeded in reorganizing his forces and rushing the trenches occupied by the rebels at 3 o'clock this morning at Tisma."

"The fight lasted four hours, when the government troops dislodged the insurgents, who were decimated by a galling fire. They abandoned dead and wounded, but succeeded in making their way thru the direction of Sitalito, their object being evidently to effect a junction with Mena."

Wellington Street Property Sold. The property at 443 Wellington-street has been sold by Mrs. Holbert. The price paid was \$14,000. J. Francis Macdonald put the sale.

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THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, Feb. 23.—(8 p.m.)—Generally fine and decided cold, with a few snowflakes in Canada to-day, but in the west temperatures are gradually moderating. Minimum temperatures: Dawson, 24 below—12 below; Allin, 24 below—16 below; Victoria, 26 below; Vancouver, 24—31; Edmonton, 22 below—zero; Battleford, 22 below—zero; Prince Albert, 26 below—zero; Moose Jaw, 26 below—zero; Qu'Appelle, 20 below—zero; Winnipeg, 28 below—6 below; Port Arthur, 20 below—2; Parry Sound, 2 below—19; Toronto, 5—17; Ottawa, 4 below—14; Montreal, 10—16; Quebec, 8—16; St. John, 12—20; Halifax, 15—21.

Probabilities.—Lower Lakes, Georgian Bay, Ottawa River and Upper St. Lawrence—Fine and decidedly cold. Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—West-erly winds; fine and decidedly cold. Maritime—Fresh to strong north-westerly to westerly winds; fine and decidedly cold.

Superior—Fine and cold. Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Fine; a little higher temperature. Alberta—Generally fair; a little higher temperature.

THE BAROMETER. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 12 29.81 30 W. Noon 15 29.85 28 W. 2 p.m. 14 29.85 28 W. 8 p.m. 8 30.06 24 W.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO. Empire Club, G. S. Ryerson, McConkey's, etc.

Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, etc.

Church of England Deacons and Missionary Society, etc.

Toronto Suffrage Association, etc.

St. James' Church, etc.

St. Andrew's Church, etc.

St. Mark's Church, etc.

St. George's Church, etc.

St. Paul's Church, etc.

St. Nicholas Church, etc.

St. John's Church, etc.

St. Peter's Church, etc.

St. Francis Church, etc.

St. Ann's Church, etc.

St. Elizabeth's Church, etc.

St. Rose's Church, etc.

St. Clare's Church, etc.

St. Agatha's Church, etc.

St. Ursula's Church, etc.

St. Vincent's Church, etc.

St. Thome's Church, etc.

St. Ignace's Church, etc.

St. Joseph's Church, etc.

St. Michael's Church, etc.

Ships That Don't



Many a man is waiting for his ship to come in when really it has not yet left port—and many another is expecting one upon which the keel has not yet been laid.

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ASQUITH ANNOUNCES HOME RULE BILL DELAY

Nothing Doing This Session—Austen Chamberlain Introduces Tariff Reform Amendment.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Affairs political now appear likely to simmer for some weeks until the matter of finance is disposed of unless the revolt of the advance radicals spreads.

In the house of commons to-day Premier Asquith, replying to a question stated definitely that the government had no intention of introducing a home rule bill for Ireland during the present session.

In moving the tariff reform amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne in the house this afternoon, Austen Chamberlain made a plea for a fiscal system that should afford first a refuge to home productions, so as to give employment to the people, and second, a preference to British productions over-seas to the end that the empire might be more closely consolidated.

"The best of any fiscal system," he said, "is in the provision it makes for the comfortable subsistence of the largest number."

"The situation in the United States is constantly referred to," he continued, "but they have duties out of all comparison with anything suggested here."

"It is not the American tariff that has preserved the trusts in the United States, but the weakness of the central authority in America, the great complexity of state jurisdiction and the inability of any public authority to bring the law to bear successfully upon them."

"So long as we remain a united parliament we will have no such difficulties to affect us here."

MUST RETAIN SELF RELIANCE

Justice Longley's Address to Brockville Canadian Club.

BROCKVILLE, Feb. 23.—(Special.)—The Canadian Club had as a guest to-night Hon. Justice Longley of Halifax, who delivered a stirring address on "Some National Problems."

Development had produced difficult problems. One was the fact that the east was standing still and watching the rush of people to the new country. He strongly urged the eastern provinces to devote themselves to the development of the resources they had.

It was to be hoped that the men of Canada would not give themselves over entirely to the dollar. They should think of the higher moral duties of the world, but he felt it was coming just the same. Who could say what Canada would be in fifty years?

He hoped that the relations between Canada and the empire would always remain as cordial as in the past. There was a danger that thru relying too much on England's might, Canadians would lose their sense of self-reliance. Canada should be in a position to hold her own.

President Falconer of the University of Toronto was the orator at the John's Hopkins University celebration at Baltimore, Md., of its 34th commemoration day. Dr. Falconer's theme was "The Individuality of the Canadian People."

Donalton Parole Officer A. J. Field, formerly brigadier in the Salvation Army, is seriously ill at Ottawa with typhoid.

Public Amusements

"Three Twins" Next Week.

"Three Twins" the musical adaptation of the time mellowed farce "Monog," comes to the Princess next Monday for a week's engagement. It has the backing of clever complications of the original plot, a jolly impoer making up as an extra twin, and of the singing and dancing of a capable company. Headling the cast is Gordon Crawford, who keeps the fun in motion thruout the two acts of the beach at Sea View, and at Dr. Hartman's sanatorium, and the monolog which is introduced into his lateral abilities as an actor outside the role of Tom Stanhope. Brilliant Mayme Gerhure, of musical comedy fame, is the Yams girl. The plot, to which the musical adheres closely in the first act, narrates the fortunes of twin brothers, one married to a lachrymose woman, the other engaged to a girl who is continually laughing. Incidently, should it later be decided to wrong moment drops a picture which serves as the model for the make-up of the adventurous lover. The music, which was composed by Kay Haskina, is bright and tuneful, well suited to the hilarious mood of the piece.

Blanche Bates.

The advent of Blanche Bates' production is always an occasion of marked importance. It is therefore a matter of especial interest to the intelligent class of theatregoers that Miss Bates, foremost among the emotional stars of the day, will be seen in the successful Belasco production "The Fighting Hope," a play of American life, at the Royal Alexandra Theatre, for one week beginning next Monday night, with matinees on Thursday and Saturday. Miss Bates has endeared herself to the public in such plays as "The Girl of the Golden West," and "The Darling of the Gods," and prior to that in her portrayal of Cho Cho San in "Madame Butterfly." The new play, "The Fighting Hope," is widely different in story and locale. It is modern in every sense of the word, and Miss Bates in it appears for the first time on the stage in several years, in modern costumes.

Charley Grapevine.

Charley Grapevine will appear at the Grand next week in a new musical play, "Above the Limit," the funniest he has ever had. The principal character is Jimmy Hicks, a poor boy of the slums, with an immense flow of ideas. He meets a wealthy girl and falls in love with her, but realizing the difference between them, makes up his mind to gain an education. He goes into a business office and secures a position. He succeeds in accomplishing his object. He returns to America, a polished gentleman, meets the woman who has been his inspiration, and she presses his suit for her hand. She, realizing the innate strength and manhood of the man, falls in love with him and all ends happily. There is a strong plot and Jimmy proves himself a hero and diplomat on several occasions.

Next Week at Shea's.

One of the most attractive and pleasing shows of the season will be seen at Shea's Theatre next week, headed by Eleanor Gordon and company, in the new musical comedy in two acts, entitled "Taps and Taps."

Included in next week's big bill are Willard Simms and company, in "Flin-ders' Furnished Flats"; Marie, singing comedienne; Aerial Smith's trapeze artists; Dore Sisters, dainty vocalists; Wilson Bros., "Nonsenseland"; Kaufman Bros., tuneful originalities; the Rex Comedy Circus and the kine-graph.

New Majestic Music Hall.

Cliff Gordon, the "German Politician" comedienne, whom almost everybody knows, will be the leading feature of next week's vaudeville bill at the New Majestic Music Hall. His humor is quaint, his stories wholesome and entertaining, and his parodies amusing. A feature of his monologue is his "campaign speech," dealing with current topics and the advancement of civilization. He is said to be extremely clatingly funny. His style of delivery is eccentric and original. Winsor McCay, the noted cartoonist, who introduced "Little Nemo" in the comic section of several newspapers, will offer a series of caricatures of popular types.

Gaiety Extravaganza Company.

Rice and Barton's Big Gaiety Extravaganza Company coming to the Gayety next week, is still the record breaker in this line of entertainment. Reports from other cities tell of the wonderful business done by this organization and of its artistic triumph. The company is bigger and better than ever this season and abounds in real novelty. Charles Barton—big, hearty and good natured as usual—heads the clever list of comedians, and the chorus leaves nothing to be desired.

Harry Montague's Fashion Plates.

Pretty girls, and prettier costumes with a specially selected company of talented artists and comedians is the foundation of the success of Harry Montague's new "Fashion Plates" this season. An entirely new company and equipment is offered by this merry bunch of burlesquers, and when they open at the Star Theatre next week, an innovation is promised.

Harry Montague is a playwright and player of great experience and ability, and as a manager he has blossomed forth with the real goods, and will offer a high class show in the roaring comedy "My Uncle." This play is a real "Fashion Plate" offering, teeming with mirth, merriment and originality. Lillian Keeley, the leading lady, has a remarkably charming personality, and is one of the recognized beauties of the burlesque stage.

Portland Cement Directors.

At the annual meeting of the National Portland Cement Co., Limited, in the Temple Building yesterday, the following were elected directors: W. H. Hoyle, M.L.A.; R. H. McWilliams; Owen Sound; William Scott; Listowel; F. H. McKay; Woodstock; C. W. Dyer; St. Thomas; Mr. McKinnon, Hamilton; and William A. Collier, Durham. The last named is the only new director.

The directors will elect a president to-day.

President Shaughnessy says that the C.P.R. is "unlatterly opposed" to the Long Sault dam project because of its danger to St. Lawrence navigation.

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POLICE IN AUTOS TO BREAK UP RIOTS

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When the dynamite was placed in the car barn is a mystery. May Have Big Parade.

A move is on foot to have sympathizers of the striking street railway employees parade peacefully to the city hall, 100,000 strong, and thereby show the mayor and other officials the gigantic proportions of the threatened uprising, should it later be decided to call out these men.

The decision not to have this army of workers engage in the struggle at present, was due to Organizer Clarence G. Pratt of the Street Carriers' Union. He pointed out to Murphy that the time was not opportune.

There are some unions that would not agree to a general sympathetic strike; it is said, because it would involve the breaking of hard won trade agreements with employers, who are innocent parties in the present trouble.

Six Years for One.

The hand of the law pressed hard to-day on some of the men and boys who have been arrested for rioting in the northeastern section were in the case of a young man named John P. Piquet. He is charged with being a ringleader in a riot in the Kensington district, was sentenced to six years in the county prison. John Kline, who had scarcely understood English, and Ellis Atkins were given two year sentences.

That the attacks on trolley cars in the northeastern section were in a number of cases planned by a gang of boys is shown by the ante-mortem statement made last night by one of the youths shot in yesterday's rioting. In the statement he said that he was employed at a factory. On Monday, he stated, three of the boys of the factory formed themselves into a committee and went around among the other employees and got boys to the number of 150 to agree to meet and make a combined attack on trolley cars and on the men who were running them.

WARRANT FOR PHYSICIAN

Result of Finding of Strychnine in Professor's Remains.

KIRKSHIRE, Mo., Feb. 23.—A warrant charging Dr. Chas. Hull of Monroe City with murdering Prof. J. T. Vaughn by strychnine poisoning was issued to-night at the request of Prosecuting Attorney Rieger.

Dr. Hull is in Montgomery City. He was the Vaigin family physician. It nearly had a grain of the drug was found in the stomach and the liver, according to a report made to-day by Dr. Vaughn's brother, who with other toxicologists, is engaged in an examination of the organs of the instructor.

The result of the analysis comes as an unpleasant truth to Mrs. Vaughn, who has contended from the first that her husband's death was from natural causes, and because of that belief, she asserted, she was greatly opposed to a chemical analysis of the organs. When the efforts of herself and counsel to avert an examination proved unavailing, she obtained a ruling from the court that a toxicologist of her own choosing should take part in the examination.

Mrs. Vaughn was Miss Alma Proctor, daughter of John M. Proctor, bank director and a foremost and wealthy citizen of Monroe City, in an adjoining county. She is a niece of Dr. Thomas Proctor, president of the Monroe City Bank and one of the wealthiest men of this region. Prof. Vaughn was 52 years old, much the senior of his wife.

Prof. Vaughn had an estate valued at \$30,000, and had life insurance of \$500. The Vaughns were married on June 10, 1901. Their home life was believed to be happy.

EFFICACY OF RETALIATION

By It "Little Canada Brings Great Germany to Her Knees."

LONDON, Feb. 23.—In The News, Charles Money uses the German Canadian arrangement as a proof of the futility of a nation, which is a larger exporter, endeavoring to win retaliation. Germany, as a result, lost \$100,000,000 in trade.

As a result of the course of the fiscal debate in the commons, urged the fact that "Little Canada had brought great Germany to her knees" in proof of retaliation's efficacy.

Otto Dieckhoff, aged 47, a prominent lawyer of Uta, N. Y., shot himself because of fear that he was insane. An avalanche in Iceland killed 23 persons.

EDWARDS FEARS INFLUENCE OF QUEBEC

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"Will the hon. gentleman rise in all place and say that this book does not preach the foundation of a French republic?"

Mr. Roy: It is only a romance. Dr. Beland asked when this book was made public, and on Dr. Edwards' reply in 1896, he said that was when the Conservatives were in power.

Dr. Edwards: I don't care whether the Conservatives or Liberals were in power. I object to this being published in Quebec at the public expense.

Dr. Beland asked if Dr. Edwards was aware that Mercier (then premier of Quebec) had got \$10,000 for Toronto University when that building was destroyed by fire.

Dr. Edwards said he did not know anything about that. He knew, however, that Mercier had talked seditious and treason. He had stated publicly, "The French-Canadians owe nothing to England. They have prospered in spite of England."

Dr. Edwards proceeded to trace Sir Wilfrid Laurier's utterances regarding the independence of Canada, when Dr. Piquet (L'Helet) asked, "Are the Frenchmen to-day not loyal to the British Empire?"

Not Charging Disloyalty.

Dr. Edwards—"I stated some time ago that I accepted the position assumed by Mr. Rivet, who was loyal in spite of the people of Quebec were not disloyal. I have not said one word charging the people of Quebec with disloyalty. I have said nothing which could be construed into that."

He had said the people of Quebec showed more than ordinary intelligence when they rejected the proposal of their political leaders. "I will not allow a member on one side or the other to pervert my language," he added.

The people of Quebec, he declared, had more reason to be grateful to British diplomacy than the people of any other province.

Hon. W. S. Fielding interrupted him, saying he had a brother under arms. A. G. Jones, the finance minister, denied that Mr. Jones had said such a thing.

Dr. Edwards went on to quote anti-British statements of leading Liberal politicians, such as Hon. J. Y. Ellis and Hon. L. H. Doherty, the famous "Duty of the Hour."

Dr. Edwards retorted that this had been circulated and paid for by the Liberal party.

A Clash With Lemieux.

Dr. Edwards then got into grips with Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who asserted the loyalty of French-Canadians during the South African war. He himself, he said, had a brother under arms.

Canada had sent soldiers to South Africa, said Dr. Edwards, thanks to the people, but not to the government. Criticizing the present defence works of Canada, he said our forts did not amount to anything. Barfield (Kingston), for instance, could be taken by school boys with no more ammunition than snowballs and popguns.

Dr. Beland (Beauves), reiterated the expressions of loyalty of Quebec and supported the government's policy. He said if he would refer also to the