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Boys' Caps At Special Prices for Saturday.

We bought from a large cap manufacturer 100 dozen Boys' and Men's Caps. We have the Boys' Caps ready to hand you at prices that is less than the cost of making. The sizes run from 6 1/2 to 6 7/8. The regular price was 50c. **38c**

Special Lines of Boys' 3-Piece Suits for Saturday's Selling.

We place on sale Saturday morning about 35 Boys' Three-Piece Suits, ages from 10 to 16 years; made in the latest styles, single and double-breasted suits. Also a quantity of Norfolk, in light and dark shades. Every suit in the lot formerly sold from \$6 to \$7. Our special price for Saturday is only... **\$4.95**

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DRANK FROM WRONG BOTTLE.
Strathroy Woman Swallowed Liniment With Fatal Result.

Strathroy, April 6. — Mrs. Hamilton, wife of Mr. Hamilton, blacksmith, of this place, died from the effects of taking a dose of liniment this morning. Aiding her in the mistake for a tonic she had been taking. The fatal dose was administered by her daughter, who picked up the wrong bottle which was marked "poison." Doctors Henderson and McCabe were called in some time after, but too late to save her life.

LADY CURZON'S PERIL.
Earthquake Sent Chimney Crashing Through Roof of Her House.

London, April 6, 7:15 p.m. — A dispatch to a news agency from Calcutta, says Lady Curzon, wife of the Viceroy of India, had a narrow escape during the earthquake at Simla. A massive chimney fell through the roof and ceiling into the room above that in which she was sleeping.

Croup.
An attack of croup can be ward off by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy promptly at the first indication of the approach of the disease. For sale by all druggists.

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CLOSING SESSION OF THE W. A. M. A.

Bishop Williams Praises Measures Adopted at Workers' Convention.

Yesterday marked the close of the convention of the W. A. M. A., which has been in session since Tuesday in Cronin Hall. The day opened with morning prayer in the cathedral, Rev. E. Ryerson, of Japan, preaching the sermon, in the course of which he emphasized the duty of thankfulness. He remarked that people in this country were led by pictures and travel stories, to think of the Japanese as a happy, cheerful nation. The "exterior" of the nation was certainly bright, but the speaker pointed out the sadness and trouble that lie underneath.

After this service, the convention met in Cronin Hall. A communication from the general Dorcas secretary was read. It appealed for help for the Indian schools and Lytton Hospital in the Northwest, for the lepers of China, and for the children in the Punjab of India, where Miss Strickland is engaged in work at Tarn Taran. Another letter, from Rev. C. Waller, of Japan, was read. It embodied an appeal for financial help and more workers. It referred to the hospital, in which, during the past year, 4,851 patients received treatment.

The educational committee for the year was appointed by the new president, Mrs. (Rev.) Sage, and is as follows: Brant, Mrs. MacKenzie, Miss Weir, Bruce, Mrs. English, Mrs. Robinson; Lambton, Mrs. Davis or Mrs. Kennedy; Middlesex, Mrs. Boomer, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Bullen; Norfolk, Miss Battersby; Oxford, Mrs. Ward (Norwich); Perth, Mrs. McLean; Waterloo, Miss Puddicombe (Gagesville); Kent, Mrs. Sharpe; Essex, Mrs. Newton; Grey, Mrs. Ardill; Huron, Mrs. Lowe; Convent, Mrs. Falks, London.

At the commencement of the afternoon session the president presented the delegates to the Bishop and Mrs. Williams, and the renewal of the pledges undertaken by the Huron branch of the auxiliary were made.

The following new pledges were taken: Towards salary and maintenance of Lytton Hospital, B. C. \$10; towards salary of matron at Whitefish Lake, \$20; to Archdeacon Pentraeth, for work among Japanese in British Columbia, \$20.

The secretary of the Dorcas Department reported that successful arrangements for providing clothing for boys in Indian schools had been made, and the secretary of the junior branches asked that this department should again contribute \$15 for kindergarten work in Japan.

A warm resolution of appreciation and thanks for the good work done by Mrs. C. F. Complin for the W. A. M. A. was unanimously adopted.

It was decided to hold the semi-annual meeting in Stratford, and a special resolution of thanks for the hospitality of the ladies of London during the present session was passed.

His lordship the bishop, who then took the chair, gave the closing address. He said that the triennial thank-offering amounted to \$29,000. He went on to praise the measures adopted at the convention, having special emphasis upon the work of educating the children of the missionaries, which was calculated to remove obstacles in the way of those who wished to undertake missionary work.

The convention was closed with the episcopal benediction.

New Books at Library.

Hunter—Poverty.
Knight and Steep—The Living Plant. In leaf, flower, fruit.
Hume—Butterflies and Moths of the Country.
Sargent—Health, Strength and Power.
Robinson—The English Power Garden and its Uses.
Low-Cost Houses, with Constructive Details.
Dwellings, with Constructive Details.
Lauter—Modeling: A Guide to Teachers and Students. Vol. II.
Hutton—Figure Drawing and Composition.
Dawson—Elementary Design.
Hughes—Benozzo Gozzoli.
High Stokes—Sir Anthony Van Dyke.
Ward—Color Harmony and Contrast.
Cambridge Modern History: The Wars of Religion. Vol. III.
Johnson—Highways and Byways of the South: Florida, Alabama, Georgia, etc.
Hearn—Japan: An Interpretation.
Lady Edgar—General Brock.
Major-General W. Robinson—Life of Sir John Beverley Robinson.
Doyle—The Return of Sherlock Holmes.
Holmes—Samantha at the St. Louis Exposition.
Hyde—The Buccaneers.
Maarten—My Poor Relations.
Macgrath—The Man on the Box.
Weyman—Abbess of Vlay.
Williamson—The Princesses.
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MR. BORDEN FALLS BEFORE THE PREMIER

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never made any demand to Ottawa for an extension of their term of office prior to January last. Now today we have the confirmation of my opinion that Mr. Rogers never used these words in Mr. Rogers, for the very good reason that he never saw that gentleman. There are many things in that interview published by Mr. Rogers which turn out to be not altogether according to the facts. You have the impression that this interview that Mr. Rogers sent to the public was a conversation between him and Mr. Rogers. We find today that Mr. Rogers never knew Mr. Rogers, but the invitation was extended to Mr. Campbell, whom he knew and trusted as a friend. It is a very different thing to have an official interview and a conversation between the delegate of a Government and a private interview with a member of the Government of Manitoba. There are many things alleged in the interview that Mr. Rogers published. I might comment upon this interview, but it is quite evident from the explanation of his excellency, that the interview was not a public one; it was merely a friendly conversation between two gentlemen who had previously met to discuss a question which they had formally discussed. Mr. Borden has a conspiracy between the impression that the Government of Canada was actuated by a sinister motive with regard to Manitoba, and that we refused the to establish the province for having abolished separate schools. To establish his point, he quotes Le Soleil, which he holds me responsible for. Why does he hold me responsible for the attitude of the Globe? I am not responsible for the attitude of the Globe. There are other matters than politics upon which men, and it is unworthy of Mr. Borden to say that the Government should be held responsible for the attitude of the Globe. Mr. Borden has endeavored to convey the idea that there has been an understanding—he did not use the word conspiracy—but he intended to convey the idea, if he meant anything at all, that there had been a conspiracy between the Government of Canada, and in particular, myself and the Minister of Justice and Mr. Sharnett, to establish certain things. That is to say, that the extension of the boundaries of Manitoba should depend on the restoration of separate schools, such an assessment in chronological order to show how unfounded how the Government of even the shadow of foundation, such an assessment as that is. What are the facts? Manitoba asked in January for a conference. It was held in February. The reply was given four days later on the floor of Parliament refusing the extension of Manitoba's boundaries. This was when the autonomy bill was introduced. Two days later the conference between Mr. Sharnett and Mr. Campbell took place. The conference took place the decision of the Government was known. The policy of the Government had been determined and could not be affected by anything that took place at that conference. Mr. Borden wants to know whether there was any question between the Government and Mr. Sharnett as to the extension of the boundaries. He has just read it, and he finds that Mr. Sharnett says explicitly that the Government had nothing to do with his action. What Mr. Sharnett says is that if the people in the Territories were to get into schools they would have no objections to going into Manitoba. There you have the whole of the matter. The people of the Northwest who were affected would have no objection to being taken into Manitoba. What do Mr. Borden and his friends mean when they suggest that there is something behind the scenes? They seek to prove their case by the words of the apostolic delegate, and I give them his words, making clear his own meaning. If it is "political expediency," it is on account of any action to be taken here. No, because the people of the Territories who were affected would have no objection to being taken into Manitoba. That is all there is in the matter. Yet in the face of a statement so obvious as this you have the leader of a great party doing his best to show that there was something on the part of the Government of Canada in this matter. A few minutes ago Mr. Borden said we would fight this question out elsewhere. I accept that challenge without any qualification. (Cheers.) We will fight it out elsewhere. We will fight it out on the floor of the House of Commons. We brought to the gentlemen opposite have no fear of the result. (Cheers.) This is not the first time in the 30 years of my experience that I have seen the Tory party playing this part of endeavoring to arouse the prejudices of the people. We shall meet again—dear Sir—upon the floor of the House of Commons. In the meantime, I accept the challenge of my honorable friend that we will respect the people, and that responsibility we shall not decline. (Cheers.)

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