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## Remnants

Of Japan  
Matting

Containing all lengths up to  
ten yards, AT HALF PRICE

## A Splendid Assortment

Of Japan and China Matting  
in all the different colorings,  
commencing at

12½c and up to 50c

## Your Choice

Of any Ladies' Hat or Bonnet  
in the store, worth up to  
\$15.00, balance of this week

At \$5 00

## Children's Hats And Bonnets

Direct from New York, made  
of Muslins, Silks and Fancy  
Straw Braids, worth regular  
\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.00

Your Choice at Half Price

Thomas Stone & Son



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**MONEY**

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That is the question that we are  
all asking.

If your money goes for our  
**Boys' \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shoes**

you can depend upon its being well  
spent. We can show you better  
values than ever this season.

**TURRILL'S**

93 King Street,  
Repairing Done at Store

## Chatham Loan & Savings Company

41st Half Yearly  
Dividend

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend  
at the rate of six per cent. per annum  
upon the paid up capital stock of this  
Company has been declared this day for  
the current half year ending June 30th,  
1902, payable at the Company's Office, on  
and after July 2nd, 1902.  
The Transfer Books will be closed from  
the 20th to 26th June, inclusive.  
By order of the Board.

**S. F. GARDINER,**  
Manager

Chatham, June 23rd, 1902.

Minard's Liniment - Lumberman's  
Friend.

## Examine Critically

and you will find that  
**Gas Range**

is the greatest labor sav-  
er you can have in your  
house. Saves money,  
too, and all this without  
any sacrifice of utility.  
Come to our office. It  
costs nothing to learn  
about it.

Stoves Sold  
At Cost...

...The...  
**Chatham Gas Co.**  
LIMITED.

## PAID FINE AND COST

Col. Holmes appealed against the de-  
cision of Judge Houston in the case of  
Holmes vs. Duncan McDonald, Sr. This  
was a case in which Colonel Holmes  
charged McDonald with trespassing on  
the precincts of the Joy Club. Judge  
Houston dismissed the case. Colonel  
Holmes appealed and the appeal was  
heard before Judge Bell. The decision  
of the magistrate was reversed, and  
a fine of \$1 and costs, \$31.42 in all,  
imposed on McDonald. McDonald paid  
the costs on Saturday.

Some person or persons, ill-disposed,  
broke the window of the C. P. R.  
watchman's house, at the track, on  
Queen street on Friday night.

## HEARTY VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

Shareholders Gave it to the  
New Board on Their El-  
ection Saturday.

New Directors Propose now to  
Take Hold and Operate  
the Factory.

The Binder Twine Company con-  
cluded their meeting Saturday afternoon  
about half-past four o'clock. One no-  
ticeable feature of the meeting was  
that everything was done in perfect  
order and harmony.

After the new Board of Directors  
were elected they retired to elect  
their officers. In the interval John  
Piggott was elected to the chair and  
called upon a few of the shareholders  
for short speeches. When the Direc-  
tors returned Mr. Piggott retired  
from the chair, and in doing so, com-  
plimented Mr. Leverton, the newly  
elected President of the Company, on  
the new era which has dawned upon  
the company.

Mr. Leverton replied, thanking the  
shareholders for the confidence they  
had placed in him and hoping that the  
future would not reveal anything  
which would make the shareholders  
sorry that they had reelected him  
President of the company.

"The former secretary-treasur-  
er," said he, "has made the  
statement that the factory was run-  
ning—under difficulties—for one  
month and during that time they  
made \$1,000. This factory, I think  
has been an example of a good thing  
spoiled by bad management, and I am  
of the opinion that this neglect and  
bad management has in many cases been  
willful and deliberate."

Mr. Leverton closed amid loud ap-  
plause from the audience.

A by-law was then read by Secre-  
tary-Treasurer Ross and passed by the  
meeting, authorizing the newly-elected  
directors to borrow money for the  
management of the factory.

Another by-law was read appointing  
J. J. Ross as managing director of the  
company at a salary of \$1,500 a year.

Mr. Vester, of Blenheim, objected to  
such a large salary and thought \$1,  
200 would be an ample remuneration  
for Mr. Ross's services as manager of  
the company. He made a motion that  
Mr. Ross's salary be \$1,200, but it was  
afterwards withdrawn and the by-  
law fixing the salary at \$1,500 was  
carried by the meeting.

As this closed the business of the  
meeting Mr. Rankin arose and said:  
"There have been two suits pending  
on the company. One was lost on a  
moment's notice and the other was  
lost on no notice at all."

"One was that of McGavin vs. the  
Company. In this case Wilson, Kerr  
& Pike appeared as solicitors for both  
the plaintiff and the defendants. When  
this motion came up the judge  
stated that he had never heard of such  
a case before—one lawyer appearing  
for both sides.—Laughter.

"Then, too, they served a writ on  
Mr. Ross, recognizing him, therefore,  
as managing director of the company,  
for recovery. This one came up last  
Monday, and was enlarged until last  
Saturday. I got it postponed until  
last Wednesday and again postponed  
until next Monday, so that it would  
come up for trial after this meeting.

The first case was a very queer one,  
for if McGavin won, the company  
would pay, and if the company won,  
the company would pay.—Laughter.  
We have been trying to keep the shar-  
ers out and they have been trying to  
get him in before this meeting.—Ap-  
plause.

"If they persist in the case I have  
asked for a motion to be read before  
the trial, asking them to strike out  
the company's name as plaintiffs and  
put in the names of the individual  
members of the board, so that the de-  
fendants can put in a counter claim  
against them for all moneys mis-  
spent, and they will have to pay the  
individual members of the company  
for the expense they have put them  
to in coming to useless meetings.—Ap-  
plause and cheers. The whole busi-  
ness, from the 11th of January down,  
has been a mass of riddle, and it is  
a question if they will go to trial."

A vote of confidence in the newly  
elected directors was then passed, af-  
ter which the meeting adjourned.

## THE QUEEN CITY OF TORONTO NOW UNDER MILITARY RULE

Serious Sunday Rioting the Result of Attempt to Operate the  
Street Cars—Volleys of Stones Hurlled at Cars Until  
Attempt to Run Them Was Abandoned.

Several Persons Injured—Howling Mob Surrounds Building  
Where Non-Union Men Are Lodged.

700 Men of the City Regiments and a Like Number of Cavalry  
in Niagara Camp Called Out.

Toronto, Sunday, June 22.—The city  
will be under military rule to-morrow  
and things wear a very ugly look in-  
deed. The street car employees' strike,  
which began Saturday morning, took  
a serious turn early this morning  
when the company attempted to start  
out cars from the barns on King  
street east and on Yorkville avenue.  
The King street barns are in rather a  
rough section, and a mob of several  
thousand persons gathered, many of  
whom, as subsequent events proved,  
came, well provided with stones.

At 7.42 the first car was run out of  
the barn. It was manned by T.  
Whitehead as motorman, an old em-  
ployee, and Wm. Ferrier as conductor.  
Thirty-five policemen guarded the  
car, but it had only gone a few steps  
when a volley of bricks was fired  
at it, and within a minute not a pane  
of glass remained in the car. White-  
head had been hit several times, but  
stuck to his car, and after crossing  
the Don the two men got under cover,  
and ran to the end of the line, where  
they abandoned the car and were  
chased into the woods by the mob.

The second car that went out had  
the windows smashed in a moment  
also, and the men were later dragged  
from the cars and beaten.

Three other cars were sent out, and  
in every case the windows were  
smashed and the men driven from  
their cars, all except James Quigley,  
one of the motormen, who was struck  
by a large rock and had his head  
gashed. Several stitches were put in  
his wound, and he was removed to his  
home.

Mr. W. H. Moir, barrister, who is  
confidential secretary to Mr. Wm.  
McKenzie, was on the platform of one  
of the first cars run out. He was  
struck on the face by a stone, but had  
the wound dressed and kept at work  
during the day. Two of the crowd  
were rather badly hurt by flying  
missiles, and four were arrested for  
stone throwing.

The names of those arrested are  
Wm. Brown, 45 Munroe street; Ben  
Finkle, 465 Queen street east; Joseph  
Christie, 114 Duke street; and Thos.  
Cook, 608 King street east.

Similar scenes took place at the  
Yorkville avenue barns, some five  
cars that issued being smashed.

The police reserves were all sent to  
the scene of the disturbances, but the  
officials of the company, after hold-  
ing a consultation, decided that it  
would be putting the lives of the  
men in peril needlessly to run cars  
without better protection, and an-  
nounced that the attempt would be  
abandoned until Monday morning.

The non-union men and old em-  
ployees who had decided to stand by  
the company were accompanied with  
cots at the various barns, but late in  
the afternoon it was found that this  
was weakening the company's posi-  
tion, and they were concentrated at  
the Yorkville barn early in the even-  
ing. The men were moved in police  
wagons, followed by a howling mob  
of strike sympathizers, who jeered  
and threw stones. The mob in the  
evening gathered thousands strong,  
and only the throwing of large police  
reinforcement around the barn pre-  
vented it from being wrecked.

Meanwhile the company had made  
a demand for more protection. At  
6 o'clock Mayor Howland, Judge Mac-  
Bougall, Magistrate Kingsford, the  
Crown Attorney, Deputy Chief Stew-  
art and Col. Buchan held a consulta-  
tion. At 4 o'clock a formal requisition  
was served upon Col. Buchan as dis-  
trict officer commanding, for a force  
of military.

At 4.30 Col. Buchan issued orders  
calling out cavalry now in camp at  
Niagara, and 700 of the men of the  
city regiments. The cavalry requisi-  
tioned were 250 men of the First  
Hussars, London; 250 of the 2nd  
Dragoons, Niagara; 150 of the Body  
Guard and 50 of the Toronto Mounted  
Rifles. The force was instructed to  
entrain at the Commons on three  
specials as soon as it could be as-  
sembled, and proceed to Toronto. It is  
expected to arrive some time before  
6 a.m., and will detain at the cattle  
market yards and proceed to points  
designated by Col. Buchan, the inten-  
tion being to protect the company in  
the operation of the belt line service.  
The infantry called out for duty  
consists of 300 men of the Queen's  
Own Rifles, 200 men of the Royal  
Grenadiers, and 200 men of the 48th  
Highlanders. Each will be under  
command of a major, and the men  
will parade at 6.45 in the armories.

## ASSESSMENTS RAISED

At the meeting of the Court of Re-  
vision this morning the appeals of the  
city for an increase in the assessment  
of the Telephone and Telegraph Com-  
panies were granted. Chairman Stan-  
worth, Sheriff Gemmill, G. O. Scott  
and City Clerk Merritt were present.  
City Solicitor J. G. Kerr appeared in  
the city's interest.

On motion, A. K. Richards' assess-  
ment was reduced to \$2,500.

P. B. Fetterly's assessment was re-  
duced to \$1,000.

On motion the appeal re estate of  
H. B. Smith, Owen Sound, was dis-  
missed.

The appeal of Allan Miller was dis-  
missed.

On motion, the assessment of the  
Bell Telephone Company was increas-  
ed from \$4,000 to \$5,000.

On motion, the assessment of the  
G. N. W. Telegraph Company was in-  
creased from \$350 to \$800.

On motion, the appeal of the city  
to have the assessment of the C. P.  
R. Telegraph Company increased from  
\$250 was dismissed.

The court adjourned to meet at the  
call of the Chairman.

Miss Webster, the talented leader of  
the Park St. Methodist church choir,  
rendered a hymn solo at the Park  
St. Methodist church yesterday after-  
noon. Earl Sheldrick rendered a  
flute solo. Miss Wenster also sang  
in the morning.

## A Big Snap

Girls' Dongola lace  
or button shoes,

Kid toe caps,  
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**\$1.48**

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Something new and pretty in Odd Pieces of China, a nice assortment of  
Plates, Cups and Saucers, Tea Pot Stands, Vases, Candle Sticks to  
choose from with photos of our two Hospitals, City Hall and Central  
School splendidly reproduced.

## See the Coronation China

We are showing. A number of different styles from which to select.  
Not expensive, and nice to keep as a souvenir of the great event which  
takes place next Thursday.

Flags all sizes from 1c up.

Chinese Lanterns to burn. New goods. A choice  
of patterns and colors, 5c, 10c, 25c.

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