T. EATON Co. LIMITED

Men's Clothing Needs.

Saturday is the big Clothing day of the week, and tomorrow we're going to give buyers a taste of the January Sale values that are being so much talked about around town at present. These are special prices on some of our best selling lines. All new, up-to-date styles in qualities that we guarantee to be honest and trustworthy:

MEN'S OVERCOATS, made of navy blue and black beaver cloth, medium length, box back styles, sizes 33, 34, 35 and 40 to 46, also Oxford grey cheviot cloth overcoats, in long, loose, box back, Raglanette style, with Talma pockets, sizes 33 to 36, these overcoats are made with velvet collars and have very best linings, our regular prices are $10, $12.50 and $15 each, our sale price on Saturday on seventy coats will be **7.50**

Men's Neckwear

A special lot of Up-to-date Neckwear, made from short ends and left-over pieces of our best silks, made in the popular large flowing end shape, choice patterns, regular value 50c and 75c, January sale ..... **.25**

Men's Shirts

Men's Fine White Laundried Shirts, open front, with short bosom, heavy cotton, full size bodies, 4-ply bosom and wrist bands, sizes 14 to 17, regular price 75c each, January sale price ..... **.50**

Men's Fine Colored Cambric Shirts, open front or open back and front, also some white shirts with fine English Oxford bosom and separate cuffs to match, these are small lots of several of our best lines, sizes 14 to 18, regular prices 75c, $1 and $1.50 each, January sale price ..... **.69**

Fur Coats and Gauntlets

Men's Natural Dark Canadian Raccoon Overcoats, 50 inches deep, high storm collar, chamois pocket, heavy quilted Italian cloth lining, regular $40 coat, January sale price **33.00**

Men's Persian Lamb Gauntlets, bright glossy curl, calf kid palms, fur linings, with leather lining in cuffs, regular $10 and $12.50 a pair, sale price Saturday **8.95**

Men's Fur Felt Hats

Men's Fine English Fur Felt Stiff and Fedora Hats, best silk trimmings, colors are black and brown, regular $2.50 and $3, sale price **1.69**

Boys' Overcoats

Boys' Fancy Reefers, imported beaver cloth, in brown, cardinal, cadet blue and fawn shades, double-breasted, silk velvet collar, silk lapels, with silk stitching, Italian cloth linings, sizes 20 to 26 chest, regular prices $5 and $6.50, sale price **2.99**

Boys' Cape Overcoats, in bronze and grey frieze cloth, single-breasted, fly-front, detachable cape, Italian cloth linings, sizes 22 to 30, regular prices $3.50 to $4.50, sale price while they last **2.95**

Good Footwear News.

This is about the best money-saving information our Shoe Department has handed out for months. We don't know when we picked up a finer or better lot of Men's Boots than these five hundred pairs represent. Then look at the price—1.75 for boots worth double and more.

On sale at eight o'clock Saturday morning:

500 pairs Men's Fine Footwear, in velour calf, vici kid, patent leather, box calfskin and willow calf, Goodyear welted soles, in choice American and Canadian manufacture, sizes 6 to 10, regular price $3, $3.50 and $4.50, Saturday till sold, your choice.. **1.75**

A Hosiery Day for Children.

Here is an instance showing how our January Sale is of interest to those buying dress needs for children. We're making Saturday a Hosiery day for children and letting four of our January Sale values do the honors for the day:

Misses' and Boys' Narrow and Medium Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, double heel, sole and toe, made from fine, soft, durable yarn, sizes 6 1-2 to 8 1-2, to-day's prices 18c to 25c, Saturday **12½**

Misses' and Boys' Finest Quality 2-1 and 1-1 Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, heavy winter weight, with 6-fold knee, double heels and toes, seamless feet, sizes 6 1-2 to 8 1-2, regular price 35c to 45c a pair, sale price ..... **.23**

Boys' and Misses' Black Wool Hose, ribbed, plain, with seamless feet, very elastic, extra spliced heels and toes, sizes 6 1-2 to 10, to-day's price 25c, sale price for Saturday ..... **.15**

Boys' Extra Heavy Weight Ribbed Lamb's Wool Hose, 6-ply yarn, our best boys' stocking, each pair warranted for wear and comfort, to-day's price 75c a pair, Saturday ..... **.50**

Solid Gold Rings for $2.90.

The most extraordinary selling of Gold Rings this store or even Toronto has ever seen. The fact is we have too many rings on hand and stock-taking is just around the corner. So we have selected 130 Rings from stock, and although their prices to-day vary from $4.75 to $10.50 each, we'll offer the entire lot on Saturday at

Two Dollars and Ninety Cents Each.

The assortment is made up of:

14-karat and a few 10k. Solid Gold Rings, with stones of genuine diamonds, real opals, pearls and amethysts, also ruby, emerald, sapphire and topaz doublets, they come in single, twin, three-stone, marquis, hoop and cluster settings, each ring is guaranteed to be solid gold.

On Sale Saturday.

Men's Umbrellas

Men's 25-inch Umbrellas, made with paragon frame, steel rod, and handles of Congo crook or natural wood, the cloth is a fine taffeta, close roll and cased, regular $2.50 and $3 umbrellas, Saturday **1.39**

Soda Biscuits

300 tins Cream Sodas, Canada Biscuit Co.'s make, a three-pound tin on Saturday for... **.26**

Oranges

500 dozen Fine California Navel Oranges, regular prices 30c, 35c and 40c a dozen, Saturday for ..... **.25**

Cotton Sheets

600 pairs Bleached Cotton Sheets, made from heavy plain sheeting, finished with 2-inch top and 1-inch bottom hems, sizes 2 x 2 1-2 yards, regular value 55c each, on sale Saturday ..... **.39**

Cotton Blankets

150 pairs Extra Large Size White Flannelette Blankets, with soft, long nap, fast color borders, size 72 x 86 inches, regular value $1.50 per pair, Saturday **1.00**

Floor Rugs

14 only Best Saxony Axminster Rugs, all woven in one piece, with 18-inch interwoven border, in the following sizes: 9 ft. x 12 ft., 9 ft. x 15 ft., 10 ft. 6 in. x 13 ft. 6 in., 10 ft. 11 in. x 14 ft. 3 in., all strictly up-to-date designs, in rich Oriental, floral and medallion effects, suitable for drawing-rooms, dining-rooms, reception rooms and libraries, regular prices $47.50, $50 and $56 each, to clear Saturday at..... **38.00**

Sofa Cushions

240 only Sofa Cushions, size 20 x 20 inches (in cotton case), covered with fancy art sateen, cretonne, pongee and crepe cloth, finished with 4 1-2 inch frill, in a splendid assortment of colorings, these cushions are all made in our own workrooms, regular values $1.25 to $1.75 each, Saturday, in the Curtain Department ..... **.50**

Fur-Lined Gloves

Men's Fur-Lined Gloves, three lots, comprising Mocha Gloves with fur lining, Muskrat Gloves with wool lining and mocha facing, and Dogskin Gloves with fur lining, one clasp fasteners, many of these gloves are lined with squirrel, we sell them to-day at $2.25, $3 and $4 a pair, Saturday our price **1.90**

Men's Mufflers

Men's Mufflers, large square shape, pure silk or silk and wool mixture, in cream and fancy brocades, steel, brown, navy, red, olive, etc., these come in stripe, plaid, check and scroll effects, have been selling right along at 85c to $1.50—each, Saturday for ..... **.50**

Graniteware

300 only Granite Lipped Saucepans, first quality, hold three Imperial quarts, regular price 24c, Saturday ..... **.13**

900 only Granite Basting Spoons, sizes 12, 14 and 16 inch, regular prices 5c, 6c and 7c each, Saturday ..... **.3**

Washboards

300 only Solid Back Washboards, strongly made, a very satisfactory style, regular price 20c each, Saturday ..... **.10**

Glassware

400 Glass Tea Sets, in neat pressed pattern, the set consists of a sugar bowl, butter dish, spoon holder and cream jug, good value at 35c per set, our price Saturday ..... **.19**

Chinaware

350 pieces of Chinaware, richly decorated and gold stippled or lined, the collection includes pickle or spoon trays, salad bowls, biscuit jars and semi-porcelain butter dishes, regular prices range from 25c to 50c each, your choice Saturday ..... **.19**

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HOW TO MAKE TORONTO GREAT.

If any city in America ought to have cheap electric lighting it is Buffalo. That city is only 25 miles from the greatest water power in the world. The prevailing rate in Buffalo, however, is $100 per arc lamp a year, or more than 25 per cent. higher than the rate in Toronto, where the lights are produced by steam power. The cause of the excessive rate in Buffalo is not far to seek. While cheap power is available for all other purposes the people are taxed two prices for their light because the city has delegated to a private corporation the distribution of the current thruout its streets. Of what advantage is Niagara Falls to the people of New York State or of the Province of Ontario if the current generated from it becomes the private property of a few favored individuals? The folly of allowing corporations to get possession of public franchises is well instanced in the case of Buffalo. Notwithstanding the fact, however, that Niagara Falls has passed into the possession of a monopolistic corporation, the City of Buffalo need not be entirely at its mercy. The company that charges such extortionate rates for lighting the streets of Buffalo is able to do so only because the city has conferred upon it a right of way thru its streets for the distribution of electric current. Let the city abrogate this franchise or let it take over the distribution into its own hands, and the extortion complained of will disappear. We have not yet shared the experience of Buffalo in the use of Niagara Falls current for lighting our streets, but if things are allowed to take their course, what has taken place in Buffalo will be exactly duplicated in Toronto this year. As long as private corporations are allowed to distribute the current, no matter how cheaply the current may be produced, the price charged consumers will be the highest that the traffic will bear. How can it be otherwise? We would like to ask the members of the Board of Trade, or the members of the City Council, how they intend to give Toronto the advantage of cheap Niagara power as long as private corporations are allowed to take possession of the current at the city limits and to distribute it thru our streets.

In view of what is transpiring this year the question of public ownership could not have been brought forward at a more opportune time than it was recently by Mr. Maclean. Toronto has not so many natural advantages that she can afford to lose that conferred upon her by her proximity to Niagara Falls. Toronto is not contiguous to coal fields like many cities on the other side of the lakes. Toronto is off the main line of traffic as far as Canadian trade is concerned. The city is indeed a splendid residential city, but big cities are the product not so much of fine residential advantages as of natural facilities for the prosecution of industrial enterprises. In order to progress like such cities as Buffalo and Cleveland, Toronto must have some special advantages by which manufacturers will be attracted here. It ought to be possible for us to offer manufacturers as cheap power, heat and light as any other city in the world. Altho a private corporation is in possession of Niagara Falls, the City of Toronto nevertheless controls the distribution of the current within its own limits, and this advantage, if properly used, may go a long way towards compensating us for the sale of our birthright by the Ontario government. The company that lights the streets of Toronto is the company that controls the entire electric business within the city. It fixes the rates and imposes whatever conditions it thinks desirable upon consumers. There is no reason why the corporation of the City of Toronto itself should not be that company. There is no reason why the rates should not be fixed according to the principle of the lowest, instead of the highest, limit, that the traffic will bear.

And what we have said of electric current applies equally to gas. Under public ownership the object in view would be to distribute gas at the lowest possible rate, the same as prevails in our water service. Public ownership of the electric and gas franchises means more for Toronto than a substantial reduction to present consumers. It means that Toronto will be placed on an equality with the big manufacturing cities in the coal areas of the United States. It means not only relief for those already located here, but it will be the means of attracting industries of all kinds and of making Toronto a great and populous city.

But anyone who suggests this thing must be ready to take a swinging blow for his presumption in questioning the divine right of the existing corporations to do the job at their own price.

SOME CHEERING FIGURES.

The system of colonization adopted by the British government has borne abundant fruit in the moral, mental and material condition of the people of the colonies. The introduction and extension of modern civilization and enlightenment has done wonders within the past half century. The benefits to Canada and Australia have been confined to the mere sentiment of being a part of the great British empire and a spirit of rivalry in enterprises. In these banner colonies the natives have had the civilization and characteristics belonging to the Anglo-Saxon race born in them, and by systems of education brought about largely by themselves have kept in the very front for intelligence, even outdoing, as a whole, or on a percentage basis, the people of the mother country. But what has British rule done for India? The introduction into that country of roads, railways, irrigation works, river and harbor improvements, and thru them a development of material prosperity, has done marvelous things. The encouragement given to commerce and the adoption of improved methods of living, the establishment of a secure method of banking and a permanent form of currency, the encouragement of thrift among the people, the establishment of postal and telegraph lines for better facilities of communication between the different communities and with the home country and the civilized world, the impetus to education afforded by the establishment of schools, colleges, newspapers, libraries and churches, and the proper administration of law, all these have contributed to assure public safety and order and comfort, where one hundred years ago there were barbaric and chaotic conditions. When Britain took hold of India there were practically no roads; now there are 150,000 miles, 30,000 miles of which are railroads. There are now in the British colonies over 63,500 miles of railways, against about 33,000 miles in 1885. In India there are now 36,000 miles of irrigation canals and other works, by which 30,000,000 acres of land have been made prooductive. It has cost about 400,000,000 rupees (say $120,000,000) to construct these irrigation works, but the value of a single year's crop in the irrigated district, over the product of a year of drought before the works were built, will more than pay for the whole construction. Thus it is seen what an immense benefit to agriculture and general business these public works have been.

The commerce of the British colonies has grown from something over $300,000,000 in 1850 to $2,400,000,000 in 1900; the colonies imported $1,150,000,000 worth of food, clothing and other comforts in 1899, against $140,000,000 worth in 1850. These figures convey an idea of the expansion of the British dependencies under the wise system of government well administered during the Victorian era. A further evidence of prosperity is shown by the amounts standing to the credit of depositors in the savings banks of the colonies. In 1885 these deposits amounted to $133,000,000, in 1899 to $288,000,000.

Figures are usually dry, but they are none the less important, and those above given will be contemplated with pleasure, as showing the improved materal condition brought about by the wise and efficient colonial policy of the freest and best government under the sun.

PROFITS OF THE STEEL TRUST.

The big United States Steel Trust certainly works out all right for its shareholders. During the first nine months of its existence, the United States Steel Company, which is the official name of the trust, announces that its net earnings were $84,779,298. Out of this it has paid the interest on its bonds for a year, it has paid seven per cent. on its preferred and four per cent. on its common stock and still has a surplus of more than $10,000,000. A peculiar feature of the business of the trust is that it sells steel rails in Europe at much less than consumers in the United States have to pay. It is selling rails at the present time in Great Britain at $22.50 a ton, after paying freight to the extent of $5.11 per ton, so that United States steel rails are really being sold there at $17 per ton net. The United States price is $28 per ton. Mr. Schwab, the president of the trust, defends this anomaly on the ground that the foreign business is necessary in order that the mills may be kept running, so as to give labor constant employment.

In the face of these facts, there is a strong demand for the repeal of the Dingley duty of $7.84 per ton on steel rails. The Dominion Iron Co. at Sydney has just begun to turn out steel rails. It will be interesting to observe how prices in Canada and Europe will be affected by the production of Canadian-made rails. Hitherto the United States has had a virtual monopoly of the Canadian market. Now, however, the steel trust will have to compete with the Dominion Iron Company, and the competition may result in the application of the $17 British rate to Canada also. But if steel rails can be sold profitably at $17 a ton, it seems to us the Canadian company will find no difficulty in disposing of its product in the United States, despite the existing duty of $7.84.

THE PREVENTION OF EXTORTION.

Last year Senator Wagner introduced into the New York legislature a bill to regulate small loans on chattel mortgages. Loan sharks in some cases were found to be collecting usury at the rate of 200 per cent. per annum, and Mr. Wagner wanted to stop this kind of extortion. But the pull of the money brokers was so great that the measure was amended to death. Mr. Wagner comes forward this year again with his bill, which provides for a maximum interest of two per cent. per month, and gives the State Superintendent of Banks power to investigate and stop abuses, even to the extent of having charters revoked. The fight appears to be between chartered loan corporations and individual lenders. Of two evils choose the lesser is a maxim that may be applied here. And here is a chance for debate as to whether an association of capitalists, which may be called a trust, is not to be commended. Grasping money-lenders take advantage of a man when he gets into a tight place and squeeze him to financial ruin, and it seems there is no law to prevent it. To exact interest at the rate of 200 per cent., or even one-eighth of that amount, is robbery, and a corporation which will loan small sums at two per cent. per month is a charitable institution in comparison. Extortion is practised in some measure in all communities, both in the United States and Canada, and a law to prevent it will be a good thing for the unfortunates who are forced to borrow, as well as a practical lesson in equity.

HACKER'S THANKS.

Editor World: Permit me to thank you for the kind references made to me by your very valuable paper in my election for Public School Trustee for Ward No. 3, in the late elections; and also the 1139 voters who rallied to the polls in my behalf. I think the vote polled by myself was a credit to any young man, and should be an encouragement for others to follow. If more young men would come forward and offer their services in a like manner the City Council and the School Board would have better representatives, and the ratepayers' money would be more carefully looked after. As it is the same men are sent back year after year, and they get indifferent as to what they are really elected for, and as a consequence the ratepayers in general are the sufferers. Hoping to see more young men taking hold of this matter, and again thanking you and all those who in any way aided me in my contest.

Albert E. Hacker.

MAKES MORAL COWARDS.

Montreal Gazette: The latest from Manitoba is that in a referendum the machine will be let loose on the question of enforcing the prohibition law. When prohibition is finally knocked out of our politics it will be a good thing. It has made more moral cowards in public life than all the other issues that have been raised during its existence.

Rev. F. C. C. Heathcote, rector of St. Clements' Church, is a brother of Spencer Heathcote, one of the three Mounted Policemen reported drowned in the Stikine River.

WILL HOLD HORSE PARADE.

Humane Society Will Offer Prizes for Best Kept Dray Horses.

The Toronto Humane Society held their regular monthly meeting at their rooms at 108 Bay-street yesterday. Canon J. F. Sweeney presided, and a large number of the active members were present. Mr. George Nichol, secretary of the Hamilton Society, gave a very interesting talk on the work of the society of that city.

Regarding a parade of dray horses, he mentioned the Hamilton parade, which had been very successful last year. The advisability of conducting an annual parade was considered, and the society decided to offer prizes for horses of the common class. They will endeavor to hold this parade in connection with the annual horse show.

Mrs. S. G. Wood, who visited many humane societies in England during the past seven months, spoke on "The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in Great Britain."

On a motion by Mrs. Woods, the day of meeting was changed to the third Thursday of each month.

The Humane officers' report this month shows five convictions, 23 visits to the cattle market, and three horses destroyed.

TROLLEY IN PALESTINE.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 9.—A trolley to displace the patient ass as a means of locomotion in the Orient is the project of Cleveland and Chicago capitalists, incorporated as the Cleveland Construction Company. They have been successful in negotiating with Signor J. F. Spanier of Rome, Italy, for concessions for electric lines from Cairo, Egypt, to Mount Sinai, and thence along the coast of the Red Sea, thru Syria and Arabia to Mecca.

Did He Steal the Robe.

Policeman Wallace (225), while on duty near York and Queen-streets, between 9 and 10 o'clock last night, encountered William Wood, who was attempting to get a purchaser for a buffalo robe. The policeman asked Wood some pointed questions, and then decided to lock him up, pending an investigation of his story, to the effect that he had found the robe. The police have a report from the Toronto Brewing & Malting Co., who say they lost a robe yesterday. The firm will be communicated with this morning. Wood says he lives on Ulster-place.

Pleasant Church Social.

West Queen-street Methodist church was thronged at the social reunion last night. An excellent musical program occupied the greater part of the evening. Rev. C. O. Johnston, pastor, presided. The program was rendered by Miss Bradley, Arthur Blakely, Miss Clara Cronyn, Miss L. Beach Knox, Donald C. McGregor and Prof. J. B. Mackay.

A conversazione and refreshments were served in the church parlors. The arrangements were made by a committee, of which Mrs. F. C. Ward was convener, Mrs. A. Welch treasurer, and Mrs. A. Ogden secretary.

Propose to Raise Prices.

A number of pickle dealers and manufacturers met at the Walker House yesterday to discuss prices and other matters connected with the trade. Among those present were T. A. Lytle, Toronto; Fred H Zupp, Hamilton; G. A. Harris, Brantford, and J Taylor, Owen Sound. Nothing definite was done, according to the statement of a couple of those present at the meeting. Two or three of the gentlemen are going to Newmarket to-day to confer with some pickle manufacturers there before promulgating a scheme for an all-round rise of prices.

IT LAYS A STILLING HAND ON PAIN.—For pains in the joints and limbs and for rheumatic pains, neuralgia and lumbago, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is without a peer. Well rubbed in, the skin absorbs it, and it quickly and permanently relieves the affected part. Its value lies in its magic property of removing pain from the body, and for that good quality it is unequalled.

A Counter Petition.

The St. Clarens-avenue residents who filed a petition for an asphalt pavement from College-street to Bloor-street, are stirred up over the action of another resident, who is now circulating a counter-petition for a brick pavement, instead of the asphalt one previously petitioned for.

CANADIAN LOCOMOTIVES.

S. R. Callaway in Montreal Interviews Leading Railway Men.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—Mr. S. R. Callaway, president of the American Locomotive Construction Co., arrived here to-day with Dr. W. Seward Webb. Mr. Callaway is supposed to be interested in the proposed locomotive works here. During the day he had interviews with Sir William Van Horne, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and Mr. C. M. Hays, and it seems certain that in the near future the enterprise will be under way with a heavy financial backing.

Speaking of the matter a Canadian Pacific official said: "It is next to impossible to get locomotives. We have thirty-five leased engines from the G.T.R. They are of the smaller type, and even when run as 'double-headers,' as we use them, they do not represent the capacity of a modern locomotive. Some one has to build them here. Look at the money we pay in duty on the imported article and then consider the difficulty we have in getting our orders filled across the lines."

LOCAL TOPICS.

The following month.

A delightfully interesting lecture on the Public School children raised $1051.21 for the Sick Children's Hospital last year.

Sydney, N.S., has invited the Canadian Manufacturers to hold their next annual meeting there.

"Voice Habits in Singing" was given by Mr. T. C. Jeffers in Victoria College Chapel last evening. W. J. Gage was chairman.

The annual oration contest of the Union Literary Society of Victoria College will be held to-night.

The McAll Mission met yesterday at the residence of Mrs. Laird, 14 Russell-street. The treasury shows a balance in hand of $155.

Thomas Crawford, M.L.A., will preside at the benefit concert to be given in the West End Y.M.C.A. Hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 14.

City Presbyterian Churches will hold a combined service of prayer for missions this afternoon at 3 o'clock in Chalmers' Church.

Boxing—Prof. Joe Popp, teacher of the manly art; fifteen lessons, ten dollars. Gymnasium, 69 East Adelaide-street. All lessons private. ed

One of the firemen yesterday lost his official button. It is No. 73. The finder is requested to take it to any of the various fire halls, or telephone Main 934.

A small fire occurred last evening in a vacant one-storey frame shed at 33 Sherbourne-street, and occasioned a loss of about $10. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Next Thursday night Mr. Henry Souther of Halifax, Conn., will deliver a lecture on "Power and Its Economical Transmission" in the rotunda of the Board of Trade Building.

Havana filled cigars, my own manufacture, sold at five cents, equal any ten-cent cigars. Buy direct and save middlemen's profit. Union made. Alive Bollard, 199 Yonge-street. ed

The Anglican Woman's Auxiliary met in Grace Church yesterday. The treasurer's report showed the receipts for last month to be $1473, and expenditures $1952. The semi-annual meeting will be held at Aurora on Jan. 16.

The Public Schools' savings bank opens on Monday in Dufferin, Queen Victoria and Elizabeth-street Schools. Over $6000 has been deposited since the first opening of the bank, and $3200 is still on deposit in these schools.

The next regular monthly dinner of the Manufacturers' Association will be held in Hamilton on Jan. 23. The question for discussion will be "Opportunities for Canadian Trade in Australia." The question will be introduced by Hon. Dr. Montague.

The popular illustrated lecture, "In His Steps," based on Charles M. Sheldon's great work of that name, by J. S. Robertson, president of the Canadian Temperance League, will be delivered some four or five times during the present month, and engagements have already been fixed for dates.

The members of Toronto and St. John's Lodges, Independent Order of Good Templars, were entertained by Grand Chief Templar George Spence, at his residence, 84 Huxley-street, last night. About forty officers and members of the order were present. A program of music and speeches was given by the guests.

DR. PITCHER'S GENEROUS GIFT

TO THE PEOPLE OF TORONTO

A Full Regular-Sized 50 Cent Bottle of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets Given Absolutely Free to Every Person Suffering From Backache, Kidney, Bladder or Urinary Troubles

If You Have Never Tested the Merits of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets Before, Apply at the Offices of the Dr. Zina Pitcher Co., 82 Church-street, To-morrow (Jan. 11th), Between the Hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. and Get a Bottle Free.

It will not be Dr. Pitcher's fault if you permit yourself to be burdened by a painful, sore, stiff aching back or allow kidney complaint to keep you in misery and render you an invalid. He has generously, at great expense, placed within your reach, free of any cost to you whatever, an absolute means of cure.

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If any of the above-mentioned troubles are afflicting you and you have never tried Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets before, don't hesitate to call at the offices of the Dr. Zina Pitcher Co., 82 Church St. (just south of Adelaide St.), to-morrow between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m., and get a regular 50 cent bottle free for the asking.

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ADJOURNED TILL MONDAY.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The open session of the Senate to-day was devoted to routine business. After an executive session the Senate at 1.50 adjourned until Monday.

PASSED THE HOUSE.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The Nicaraguan Canal bill was passed by the House by a vote of 308 to 2.

Donations Acknowledged.

The treasurer of the Home for Incurables gratefully acknowledges the following Christmas donations in money: James Edwards, Parkdale, $25; Messrs. William and Ralph McAuley, $5; Staunton, Limited, $5; Canada Printing Ink Company, $5; I.O.F. Printing Company, $5; George Copping, $5; Mrs. Wicken, $4; Walter Howard, $3.40; Lindsay Bicycle Company, $2; Jack Frost, $1. Total $60.40.

A Well Deserved Appointment.

Mr. J. H. Macabe, who has been connected with the Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada, in Hamilton and elsewhere, for almost five years, has just been appointed agent for the City of Toronto of that company. Mr. Macabe has made an excellent record for himself in life insurance, and the promotion which he has now received is well merited; his hosts of friends will be much pleased to learn of it, and of the great scope which the important appointment affords him.

A Pleasant Medicine.—There are some pills which have no other purpose evidently than to beget painful internal disturbances in the patient, adding to his troubles and perplexities rather than diminishing them. One might as well swallow some corrosive material. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills have not this disagreeable and injurious property. They are easy to take, are not unpleasant to the taste, and their action is mild and soothing. A trial of them will prove this. They offer peace to the dyspeptic.

On June 10.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 9.—Richard Stewart has been committed for trial for assaulting Mrs. Zacharia D'Angelo. The case will be tried on June 10.

PERSONALS.

E. M. Wilcox leaves for the West Indies on Jan. 27.

Mr. George H. Shaw, traffic manager of the Canadian Northern Railway at Winnipeg, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. W. J. Mortimer, B.A., left on Wednesday to work in the mission field of Tai Chuan, China.

Senator McMillan of Alexandria is a guest at the Walker, and Senator Casgrain of Ottawa is booked at the Rossin.

Mrs. and Miss Notman of Spadina-avenue, Toronto, have registered as guests of Hotel Lincoln, Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. A. S. Campbell, the large clothing manufacturer of Montreal, was in the city yesterday, visiting his Toronto store at 116 West King-street.

Rev. H. S. Musson, formerly of Toronto, who was recently appointed rector of the Church of the Holy Innocents, Indianapolis, has been made rector of Indianapolis Cathedral, to succeed Rev. Dean Peters.