

THE HAMILTON TIMES

FRIDAY, NOV. 8, 1907.

AN ENJOYABLE OPENING.

The Liberal Club rooms were opened for the season last night under most auspicious circumstances. The attendance was large, and the entertainment excellent. Seldom is an audience privileged to listen to such an intellectual treat as the admirable address delivered by Mr. W. H. Wardrope, K. C., and which was very much enjoyed. In matter, language and spirit it was all that could be desired, and its educational effect could not but be great. Mr. Wardrope dealt largely with the historical attitude of the parties, tracing briefly and entertainingly the cleavage, from the period when the people with no small expenditure of effort and blood began to wrest their natural rights from their rulers. Very properly he presented the radical difference in the party ideas as basic, the Tory party being the party of Privileges, and the Liberal party the party of Rights. Where some enjoy privileges, others must be getting less than their rights; and the history of the conflict of parties was largely one for restoration of rights to the people. All adown the years the historian records the long struggle, until thanks to the Reformers' efforts and sacrifices, the people of Canada enjoy to-day such a measure of liberty as few, if any other, countries boast. Through this great work the idea that the people exist to serve their rulers has given way to the truer and more intelligent one, that the rulers have no powers or rights save those given them by the people, and that the object of all government is the welfare of the people.

Mr. Wardrope handled his subject in a spirit of fairness—even generosity—to those who differed from him in party fealty, and his references to present generation and our own country political events and politicians were moderate and free from rancour, but forcible and convincing. It was a speech that appealed to reason and conscience from the record of the facts of experience and the standards of first principles. It was a patriotic speech from a broad, hopeful Canadian, and of that sort Canadians do not hear too much at party gatherings.

STILL MORE DELAY.

Absolutely no new light was shed on the Hydro-Electric power scheme at the conference in Toronto yesterday. The contracts which municipalities entering will have to sign were not ready, and there will be a further delay before the public will know the exact terms. It is to be expected, however, that they will follow the statute, which requires the contracting municipalities to agree to pay the price the Commission pays for current, plus their share of cost of transmission line, management, operation, etc., whatever it may amount to at the end of the year. It has been suggested by the Hydro Commission that the voltage be raised to 120,000 instead of 60,000, to make cost of transmission cheaper; but the company regards it as impracticable. A pressure of \$10,000 vote has, indeed, been used, but 40,000 to 60,000 is a high standard. Mayor Bowley, of Brantford, declined to vote approval of the submission of a by-law, because, he said, the information given was insufficient. He seems to be one of those men, so inconvenient to promoters, who wish to see what is ahead before they plunge a city into a scheme involving great risk and a large liability.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Engineer Barrow still wears his head on his shoulders, and that inquiry committee begins to see that he has no sinecure.

Last night Hon. Geo. E. Foster told Ward 3 Tories that no obstacles should be placed in the way of Asiatics coming to Canada. "No creed nor color should debar anyone from coming in," he averred. That is not what Borden has been saying in British Columbia.

The two local Tory organs should get together. The Herald would run Col. Hendrie against Mr. Zimmerman; the Spec. and Mr. Hendrie say no. The Herald booms Mayor Stewart for a Tory nomination, but the Spectator exhibits no eager enthusiasm to nurse His Worship's boom.

Oh, yes! Hon. Mr. Hendrie may have been very powerful in securing an office for a Spectator employee and a Tory worker. If he had been as powerful in protecting Hamilton's interest against the Government's desire to gratify Toronto in the Normal College matter it would have been more to the taste of Hamilton people.

Harvey Hall, agent for the railway labor organization, says they will ask to have the Lemieux Act amended so that railway men will be exempt from the clause prohibiting strikes during investigations under the act. Is that wise? Ought it to be asked or granted? Is it in the public interest that strikes or lockouts on railways should be when they are not at all necessary?

Alld McLaren wanted to know where the city's share of the transmission line was coming from, and was informed it was included in the \$175,000.

That appeared in the Times' report of Tuesday night's meeting of the Board of Works. The Herald says that "the foolish statement" was never made. The Herald's statement is untrue, and it knows it. The statement was made, and repeated. Now it is said that the maker had not grasped the import of the question which he answered to that effect.

Now for the Greatest Selling Day in November

Early Morning Bargains for Saturday

An exceptional list has been prepared to make Saturday the greatest day in November.

50c and 65c Ladies' Underwear 29c

500 dozen Ladies' Heavy Winter Undervests, not one in the lot would retail for less than 50c and some up to 65c; you have your choice Saturday for 29c

Dress Goods Worth up to \$1.25 for 29c

3,000 yards of Dress Goods, in Tweeds, Plaids, Shepherd's Check, Fancy and Plain Serges, Fancy and Plain Lustres, value regular from 50c to \$1.25; you can have your choice for 29c

10c Towellings for 5c

Check Linen Glass Cloth, pure linen, blue and white and red and white checks, ordinary 10c value, for 5c; only 5 yards to any one customer.

75c Men's Underwear 49c

Men's Heavy Winter Underwear, in Scotch knit, all wool, elastic rib and fleece lined, ordinary value for 75c, Saturday's special price 49c

50c, 75c and \$1 Chiffon Pleating 19c

9 to 18-inch Handsome Chiffon Pleating, edge trimmed with gathered ribbons, makes an excellent trimming for evening dresses, colors black, white and cream, ordinary selling price 50c, 75c and \$1.00, sale price Saturday 19c

59c Peau de Chine Silk 25c

It is not often you can buy a Plain Silk at less than half price. We give you the chance Saturday. 500 yards Peau de Chine, nice bright silk for waists, will not cut, colors navy, cardinal, rose da, yellow, pink and turquoise, ordinary 59c value, Saturday's price 25c

59c Ribbed Worsted Hose 15c

30 dozen in all, size 9½, all wool worsted Stockings, sold usually for 39c, you can have them Saturday morning at 15c, not more than 2 to a customer.

15c Turkish Roller Towelling 10c

300 yards Turkish Roller Towelling, red and white stripes, with red dined centre, good value for 15c, Saturday to clear 10c

10c to 15c Plain Colored Flannelette 5c

200 yards only Remnants of plain Flannelette, blue, pink and yellow, ordinary selling price 10c and 15c, on sale Saturday 5c, only 10 yards to any one customer.

Another Big Offer in Pillow Cotton

Saturday we put on sale 1,500 yards of white Pillow Cotton in plain and circular, at less price than you could buy it at the mill to-day, our reason for this reduction, we have too large a stock.

40 inch Circular Pillow Cotton, 18, 18½ and 22½, for	15c
42 inch Circular Pillow Cotton, 22½ and 25c, for	16½c
44 inch Circular Pillow Cotton, 22½ and 25c, for	16½c
44 inch Circular Pillow Cotton, 18 and 20c, for	14c
46 inch Circular Pillow Cotton, 25c for	18c
40 inch plain Circular Pillow Cotton, 16½ and 18c, for	12½c
42 inch plain Circular Pillow Cotton, 18c, for	12½c
44 inch plain Pillow Cotton, 20c, for	13½c
46 inch plain Pillow Cotton, 20 and 22½c, for	15c

Big Special Sale of \$10 Jackets

Infants' Dept.

Everything for the little one in this stock, and, best of all, at a little better value than you can buy the same goods elsewhere.

\$1.50 Caps \$1.25

Boys' Caps, with earflaps, made of good quality curled bearrate, trimmed with heavy silk cord and brush, all sizes, worth \$1.50, for \$1.25

\$1 Silk Bonnets 50c

Infants' Silk Cashmere and Bearrate Bonnets, nicely embroidered and trimmed with fur or net ruching, worth regular \$1, Saturday's sale price 50c

\$3.25 Bonnets \$2.75

Children's Corded Silk Poke Bonnets, trimmed with velvet ribbon and chiffon, colors red, navy, green, brown and white, worth \$3.25, Saturday \$2.75

75c Dresses 59c

Red and Navy Polka Dot Wrapperette Dresses, made Mother Hubbard style, with full, size 1 to 4 years, worth 75c, Saturday's price 59c

\$3.50 Coats \$2.95

Brown Plush and Red Fur Coats, made with round or square collar and trimmed with silk cord, all well lined, sizes 1 to 3 years, worth \$3.50, Saturday \$2.95

Stationery Dept.

Crape Napkins 5c Dozen

Just 50,000 in all Crape Napkins, very nobby, new styles, for fancy work, special 5c per dozen

Toilet Paper 3 for 10c

1,000 rolls and packets of Toilet Paper, ordinary 7c roll, Saturday's special price 3 for 10c

Boxed Paper and Envelopes 10c

300 boxes, containing 24 Envelopes and 24 sheets of good paper, special price for Saturday 10c box

Special Saturday News From the Big Silk Department of Hamilton

\$1.75 Chiffon Taffeta \$1.50

50 yards only Black Chiffon Taffeta, 40 inches wide, good value for \$1.75, Saturday for quick selling \$1.50

75c Black Peau de Soie 59c

Black Peau de Soie, 36 inches wide, guaranteed not to cut; one piece only, 50 yards, suitable for jackets, Saturday morning's price 59c

Remnants of Silk at About Half the Regular Price

50 lengths of Colored Silks, 5 yards in length, suitable for coat lining or shirt waists, worth \$2.95, Saturday we clear the lot at \$1.70

75c Tartan Silks 59c

Tartan Silks in Louisine, will not cut, regular price 75c, Saturday 59c

Corduroy Velvets

Corduroy Velvets are having a big sale with us just now. We have a big range of patterns at two prices 50 and 59c

Our \$10 Jackets

100 in all this season's nobby Black and Colored Jackets; sold regular for \$13.50, Saturday's special price \$10

Staple Dept.

\$2 Covers 99c

100 in all beautiful Tapestry Covers or Bed Spreads with a neat knotted fringe, and excellent quality, heavy weight, worth \$2.00, Saturday 99c

10c Towelling 6½c

200 yards honeycomb pattern Towelling, with blue border, good value 10c, for 6½c

15c Flannelette 11½c

500 yards pretty Striped Flannelette, both dark and light colors, 36 inches wide, good heavy quality, regular 15c, Saturday 11½c

\$1.75 Honeycomb Spreads \$1.25
100 White Honeycomb Spreads, hemmed ready for use, good heavy quality and excellent value at \$1.75, Saturday's price \$1.25

Great Reduction in Price on Useful Articles in Our Great Basement

Saturday our great basement should witness active selling, as we intend to dispose of many lines at a fraction of their real worth. We require the space now occupied by these goods for other purposes, so we are anxious to dispose of it at once.

GRANITEWARE DEPT.

Milk Pans for 3c each

Several hundred first quality Granite Milk Pans, double enameled and easily worth 10c each, will be placed on sale promptly at 8.30 Saturday morning for only 3c each

20c Wash Basins 7c

10 dozen first grade Granite Wash Basins, extra coated with enamel, in a size that sells regularly at 20c, will be sold on Saturday for only 7c each

Stew Kettles 29c

Several good size Granite Stew Kettles and Sauce Pans, in grey and blue enamel, will be sold on Saturday for only 29c each

Several hundred Pudding Pans, worth 20c for 9c

Milk Skimmers, Side Dishes, Side Vegetable Dishes, each 3c

A quantity of White Milk Pans, value at 15c, for 8c

Double Roast Pans 35c

Sheet Iron Double Roast Pans, good, heavy material, and self basting, very handy utensil, on sale for only 35c

Coal Hods 25c

3 dozen only Galvanized Coal Hods, made extra well in every particular, will be sold Saturday for only 25c ea.

Ash Sifters 12c

6 dozen Ash Sifters, made of No. 1 wood and strong wire sieve, will be sold on Saturday for only, each 12c

Fancy Bamboo Baskets Clearing at Great Reductions Saturday

Japanese bamboo marked Baskets to be cleared much under the regular prices. For instance:

75c Baskets for	50c	65c Basket for	40c
50c Baskets for	35c	30c Baskets for	30c
35c Baskets for	25c	50c Baskets for	35c

Free Demonstration

Of Wagstaffe's Mince Meat, Old English Pudding and Pure Jams, in our great Basement. You are invited.

GROCERY DEPT.

12 lbs. Redpath's best Granulated Sugar 52c, or 7 lbs. for 32c to customers leaving an order for \$1.00 worth of other groceries.

3 lbs. Fancy Biscuits	25c	Fresh Herring, tin	10c
Ceylon Black Tea, worth 40c or 25c	25c	Red Salmon, 15c and	17c
4 lbs. Japan Rice	25c	New Table Figs, lb.	15c
3 lbs. Fresh New Raisins	25c	New Cooking Figs, lb.	7c
Best Cleaned Currants, lb.	10c	6 lb. Surprise Soap	25c
3 lbs. Split Peas	10c	3 cans Peas or	25c
Lemon Peel, 2 lbs. or	25c	Royal Coffee, per lb.	25c
Canned Pineapples, per can	15c	Good Lard, per lb.	15c
Pickles, per bottle	10c	3 pkgs. Ammonia	25c
Good Cheese, per lb.	17c	2 lbs. Laundry Starch	15c
Sweetened Chocolate, cake	5c	7 lbs. Spanish Onions	25c

Another Big Day in Our Cloak Dept.

Thousands of dollars' worth of this season's Cloaks and Skirts will go out for Saturday selling at a big reduction on ordinary prices.

\$5 to \$8 Skirts \$2.98

Ladies' Skirts, in navy and black, also light and dark tweed mixtures, some pleated, others trimmed with straps and buttons, worth from \$5.00 to \$8.00, Saturday \$2.98

\$15 Jackets for \$7.50

Ladies' and Misses' Tweed Jackets, in light and dark tweeds, also plain colors, in black and green, three-quarter and seven-eighth lengths, some plain, double breasted, loose back, velvet collar, others trimmed with straps, all sizes, worth up to \$15.00, Saturday \$7.50

\$15 Jackets \$10

Ladies' Jackets, in black, navy, brown and green, also dark tweeds, loose and semi-fitting, seven-eighth length, neatly trimmed with strapping and braid, all the newest styles, all sizes, worth \$13.50, for \$10.00

Children's U'sters \$3.49

Children's U'sters, in navy and green, plain cloth and tweeds, full back, trimmed with straps and buttons, velvet collar, all sizes, Saturday \$3.49

\$10 Tweed Jackets \$5

Ladies' Dark Brown and Grey Tweed Jackets, three-quarter length, loose and semi-fitting, worth up to \$10.00, Saturday \$5.00

Glove and Hosiery Department

Gloves and Hosiery and Underwear have advanced very much in price, but on account of our contracts, placed some time ago, you can purchase everything in this department as cheaply as five years ago.

\$2 Kid Gloves 98c

Long Grey and White Suede Gloves, 12 button length, sizes 5½ to 6½, regular \$2.00 value, Saturday 98c

Turnbull's Vests 55c

Turnbull's make of Union Vests and Drawers, fancy ribs, extra heavy, special 55c

Black Tights 50c

All sizes in Children's Black Tights, with elastic or saten bands, prices 35 to 50c

Rough Rider Gauntlets \$1.50

Rough Rider Gauntlets, this winter's fad, made of mocha, with cuffs, special value \$1.50

Turnbull's Vests 89c

Turnbull's All Wool Vests and Drawers, in natural color, unshrinkable, special 89c

Cashmere Hose 3 for \$1

Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose, in 2-1 rib, seamless feet, sizes 9, 9½, 10, worth 50c, special Saturday 3 pairs \$1.00

Sharp at 8.30 Saturday Morning

75c and \$1.00

Overalls .. 49c

50 pairs only Men's Sample Overalls, that should sell regular at 75c and \$1.00, Saturday morning price 49c

10c Grey Cotton

Ties .. 5c

Just 300 yards remnants of Grey Cottons, worth regular 7½ and 10c, Saturday morning price 5c

25c Ruffled

Sash Net .. 15c

2,000 yards Ruffled Sash Net, just cleared from a manufacturer, sold at 25c, on sale Saturday morning 15c

Some Good Values in Our Shoe Dept.

\$5 Men's Shoes \$2.98

Men's Heavy Winter Tan Shoes in box calf and velour calf, Blucher, or straight laced, heavy Goodyear welt soles, McPherson's make, value \$5.00, Saturday's sale price \$2.98

\$5 Men's Shoes \$2.98

Men's Patent Leather Shoes in Blucher, with wide or medium toe or straight cut welt, bulldog toe. These are samples and worth \$5.00; sale price Saturday \$2.98

\$3.50 and \$4 Shoes \$2.50

Some samples of McPherson's, Winn's and American manufacturers' Shoes in Women's patent leather, patent kid, patent calf, box calf, and vici kid, value for \$3.00 to \$4.00, to clear \$2.50

Women's Shoes \$1.50

Women's Street Shoes in Dongola kid, Blucher cut, heavy soles, military heels, extra back straps, special sale price \$1.50

1000 pieces of dress goods go on sale Saturday morning. Our ordinary prices are a good deal less than the regular dealer's, but when we give you the special prices we do on Saturday for this season's dress goods then you are foolish to buy elsewhere.

Home Furnishing Dept.

WOOL BLANKETS

20 pairs of White Wool Blankets that have got soiled on our show tables, these are all high class quality, they go on sale Saturday morning at the following reductions:

\$3.30—Heavy Wool Blankets, full double bed size, regular \$4, Saturday \$3.30

\$4.50 Blankets \$3.50

\$3.50—Pure white wool Blankets, fine lofty finish, regular \$4.50, Saturday \$3.50

\$8 Blankets \$4.50

Very special white wool Blankets, regular \$8, Saturday \$4.50

\$5.50 Blankets \$4.95

Very heavy pure wool Blankets, extra size and weight, regular \$5.50, Saturday \$4.95

\$6.50 Blankets \$5.25

Extra heavy Wool Blankets, twill weave, regular \$6.50, Saturday \$5.25

\$7 Blankets \$5.95
Magnificent quality of white Wool Blankets that were sold at \$7, Saturday \$5.95

COMFORTERS

Our Special \$1.50

Heavy Chintz Covered Comforters, size 60 x 72, filled with good batting, special \$1.50

\$2 Comforters \$1.75

Superior quality Comforters, size 66x72, extra strong covering, regular \$2, for \$1.75

\$2.50 Comforters \$2

\$2—Large size Comforters, covered with worthy red chintz, regular \$2.50, Saturday \$2

LINOLEUMS

50c Linoleum 39c

Extra heavy quality Scotch Linoleum, fine assortment of colors in black and floral effects, regular 50c, Saturday 39c

60c Linoleum 45c

Very superior make of heavy cork Linoleum, 4 yards wide, good artistic design, regular value 60c, Saturday 45c

Ready-to-Wear Section

Shirt Waists \$1.25

Cream and Black Lustre Shirt Waists, made of fine quality of lustre, with 3 box pleats down the front, with group of fine tucks on either side, long sleeves, with tucked cuff, in sizes 34 to 40, special value \$1.25

\$4 Silk Waists \$1.49

7 only White China Silk Shirt Waists, samples, sizes 34 to 36, tucked and embroidered, regular \$4 value, for \$1.49

\$1.25 Underskirts 99c

Ladies' Black Satene Underskirts, made of best quality satene, deep flounce, finished with accordion pleating, pleated ruffle and rows of stitching, regular \$1.25, Saturday 99c

Flannelette Night Gowns 50c

Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, made of striped flannelette, Mother Hubbard style, neck and sleeves edged with lace