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## The Great King Hat in Latest Styles, Only

\$1.98

Ladies' All-Wool Sweaters, worth \$1.50, for \$1.10  
Ladies' All-Wool Sweaters, worth 2.25, for 1.75  
Ladies' Shaker Night Gowns, worth \$1.35, for 98c.  
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Ladies' Suits, worth \$40.00, for \$25.00. These Suits are of Velvet and Broadcloth, silk lined and latest styles.  
Ladies' Suits, worth \$16.00, for \$9.98  
Ladies' Cloth Skirts, worth \$1.75, for 1.10

Ladies' Suits, worth \$22.00, for \$15.00. These Suits are Norfolk style and semi-fitting, and all silk lined, and hard to equal for the money.  
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# WILCOX'S, Charlotte St., Cor. Union

## BORDEN'S PROPOSAL IS TO GIVE THREE DREADNOUGHTS

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Borne in mind that we are not undertaking or beginning a system of regular and periodical contributions. I agree with the resolution of this house in 1909 that the payment of such contributions would not be the most satisfactory solution of the question of defence.

Oest \$35,000,000.  
These ships will be to the cost of such a battleship we are informed by the admiralty that it is approximately \$2,350,000 including armament, and the first outfit of ordnance stores and ammunition. The total cost of three such battleships, which, when launched, will be the most powerful in the world would be approximately \$35,000,000 and we ask the people of Canada through their parliament to grant that sum to the king in order to increase the effective naval force of the empire to safeguard our shores and our sea-borne commerce and to make sure the common heritage of all who owe allegiance to the king.

"These ships will be at the disposal of His Majesty the King for the common defence of the empire. They will be maintained and controlled as part of the royal navy and we have the assurance that if at any time in the future it should be the will of the Canadian people to establish a Canadian unit of the British navy these vessels can be recalled by the Canadian government to form part of that navy in which case, of course, they would be maintained by Canada and not by Great Britain.

"In that event there would necessarily be reasonable notice and indeed Canada would not desire or suggest the sudden withdrawal of so powerful a contingent from any important theatre in which the naval forces of the empire might be exposed to severe and sudden attack. In the meantime I am assured that special arrangements will be made to give Canada the opportunity of serving as officers on these ships."

### Against a Canadian Navy.

The creation of a navy, Premier Borden said, took time. "In my humble opinion nothing of an effective character could be built up in this country within a quarter or perhaps half a century. Even then it would be but a poor and weak substitute for that splendid organization which the empire already possesses, and which has been evolved and built up by centuries of the highest endeavor. Is there really any need that we should undertake the hazardous and costly experiment of building up a naval organization especially restricted in terms we can take such part as we desire in naval defence through the existing naval organization of the empire and in that way can fully and effectively avail ourselves of the men and the resources at the command of Canada?"

"Where shall these ships be built. They will be built under admiralty supervision in the United Kingdom for the reason that at present there are no adequate means for constructing them in Canada. The plant required for the construction of a Dreadnought battleship is enormous and it would be impossible at present to maintain shipbuilding in this country on such a scale. In any case only the hull could be built in Canada because the machinery, the armor and the guns would necessarily be constructed or manufactured in the United Kingdom.

"The additional cost of construction in Canada would be about \$12,000,000 for the three, and it would be impossible to estimate the delay.

"No one is more eager than myself for the development of shipbuilding industries in Canada but we cannot upon any business or economic considerations begin with the construction of Dreadnoughts, and especially we could not do so when these ships are urgently required within two or three years at the outside for rendering aid upon which may depend the empire's future existence. According to my conception, the effective development of the shipbuilding industry in Canada must commence with small beginnings and in a business-like way.

"I have discussed this subject with the admiralty and they thoroughly realize that it is a matter to the empire's advantage that all shipbuilding facilities should be concentrated in the United Kingdom.

### May Build Small Craft in Canada.

"I am assured therefore that the admiralty are prepared in the early future to give orders for the construction in Canada of small cruisers, oil tank vessels and auxiliary craft of various kinds. The plant required is relatively small, as compared with that which is necessary for a dreadnought battleship and such an undertaking would have a much more secure and permanent basis from a business standpoint. For the purpose of stimulating so important and necessary an industry we have expressed our willingness to contribute a portion of the increased duty, for a time at least. I see no reason why all vessels required in the future for our government service should not be built in Canada even at some additional cost."

The premier extensively reviewed the defence expenditures of the various countries of the world and stated that in the century Britain had spent not less than \$400,000,000.

On the question of giving overseas dominions a voice in the policy of the empire, he discussed the importance of the committee on defence, and said:

### Would Consult Canada.

"I am assured by his majesty's government that pending a final solution of the question of voice and influence they would welcome the presence in London of a Canadian minister during the whole or portion of each year. Such minister would be regularly summoned to all meetings of the committee on imperial defence and would be regarded as one of its permanent members. No important step in foreign policy would be undertaken without consultation with such a representative of Canada.

"This seems a very marked advance both from our standpoint and from that of the United Kingdom. It would give to us an influence which hitherto we have not possessed. The conclusions and declarations of Great Britain in respect of foreign relations could not fail to be strengthened by the knowledge that such consultation and co-operation with his overseas dominions had become an accomplished fact.

"Canada is sending these ships to range themselves in the battle line of the empire with those of the mother country, of Australia and of New Zealand. They will be the three most powerful battleships in the world and they will bear historic names associated with this country. This every Canadian will realize in seeing or reading of these ships that they are a gift in which he has participated and that by their presence in the battle line of the empire he has freely taken a direct and distinct share in maintaining the empire's safety."

### Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

"I thoroughly appreciate," he said, "as I am sure will other hon. gentlemen, the very temperate manner in which my right hon. friend has presented the measure which has just been laid before the house. We may not concur with him in all things, but that will be the subject of further reference on another occasion. I am glad to tell him that hon. gentlemen on this side of the house, though differing from him on other matters, share his devotion and loyalty to the British empire. (Prolonged applause.)

"An important feature of the speech delivered by my right hon. friend is the memorandum from the British admiralty which has been laid before the house, proceeded the Liberal leader, "and the people of our country will be glad to know that we have not now to deal with any emergency or any immediate danger (cheers) but with that new condition of things which is the result of the British Empire, but all over the world—the tendency for excessive armament which is most prevalent in so many European countries."

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Believing that the interdiction law as it stands on the statute books at the present time is very ineffective and that it should be made automatic in its action, Mr. Scott, we respectfully ask that said law be amended by the insertion of the name of any man who has appeared before him three times in any one year on a charge of drunkenness.

Further, as it has been asserted that interdicts are able to secure supplies of liquor in bottles purchased from retail dealers, therefore, we would ask that the privilege of selling liquor by the bottle be taken away from all such dealers.

Since it is the belief in some quarters that the present interdiction law bears upon the liquor dealer because it places all the onus of identification on him while furnishing him no sure means to that end, and since automatic action of the interdiction law would greatly avail the law we would respectfully ask that provision be made for photographing all interdicts and that copies of the photographs be sent to each of the saloon keepers.

### MOTHER! WATCH THE CHILDREN'S BOWELS

If Cross, Sick, Feversish, Bilious or Tongue is Coated Give Delicious "Syrup of Figs"

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative physic should always be the first treatment given. If your child isn't feeling well; resting nicely; eating regularly and acting naturally, it is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are filled with foul, constipated waste matter and need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or your little one has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full tongue coated, give a teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs and in a few hours all the clogged up waste, undigested food and sour bile will gently move on and out of its little bowels without nausea, gripping or weakness, and you will surely have a well, happy and smiling child again shortly.

With Syrup of Figs you are not druging your children, being composed of a mixture of licorice, figs, senna and aromatic oils, it cannot be harmful, besides they derive from its delicious fig taste.

Mother should always keep Syrup of Figs handy. It is the only Stomach, Liver and bowel cleanser and regulator needed—a little given today will save a sick child tomorrow.

Full directions for children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the package.

Ask your druggist for the full name, "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," prepared by the California Fig Syrup Co. This is the delicious, genuine, reliable. Refuse anything else offered.

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphan Home acknowledges the following donations for the month of November: Harold Maxwell, St. Stephen, two barrels of apples; Marie and Olive Danford, St. Stephen, five pounds of chocolate; R. D. Humphrey, two barrels of potatoes; Garth street church, 'chankling' decorations, one barrel of apples, thirty-four cabbages, one barrel of apples, J. S. Frost, 144 sample cans of Dutch cheese; Mrs. David Pidgeon, ice cream; Mrs. Geo. McLeod, Pecten, one barrel of apples; Mrs. Curdy, Ladies' Home, Broad street, nine pairs of mittens; Mrs. H. H. McLean, several useful articles of clothing.

## INTERDICTS AND THE LAW

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### Had Rheumatism

WAS CONFINED TO HIS BED FOR FOUR MONTHS.

Mr. W. H. Riley, Ruddell, Sask., writes:—"It is with the greatest pleasure that I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to all suffering with rheumatism. I was so bad with this terrible disease, I was unable to get up from my bed for four months, and nothing seemed to relieve me until a friend recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. I had my doubts about them, but was so desperate I would try anything suggested to me. After taking half a box I was able to get up, and after taking two boxes could get around quite well. After taking six boxes I was completely cured, and able to work for the first time in five months, and have not had a touch of rheumatism since. Anyone who saw me then would not know me now, as I am strong and active since taking your valuable medicine."

Rheumatism is caused by the presence in the blood of uric acid, and the kidneys not working properly is the sole cause of this, and unless you remove the acid by flushing the kidneys, there is no possible chance of getting rid of rheumatism.

Doan's Kidney Pills help the kidneys to flush out the acid and poisonous impurities which have collected, and thus clean out the kidneys, and dispel the rheumatism from the system.

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In ordering direct, specify "Doan's."

with the names, periodically.

Mr. Scott observed that while absolute prohibition was generally conceded to be the ideal solution, it was desirable to improve existing laws and make them more effective. He felt that when any man was arrested three times in a year it was time somebody took an interest in him, to prevent him from going lower. In the speaker's opinion, also, the liquor dealer should be protected by having before him the photographs of interdicts.

With regard to the bottle trade it was the common boast of interdicts that they could get liquor purchased for them, and the same was true of boys who were learning to drink. The number of empty bottles to be seen in the Old Buryal grounds and in alley and elsewhere in the morning showed the great extent of this business.

Charles S. Humbert, in seconding the resolutions said that the experience of the members of the club with drinking men for some years compelled them to sympathize with such a movement as this. He gave one striking instance of a man well known to the club who had gone down in two or three years until his comfortable home was entirely broken up.

As to bottle drinking, there was far too much of it in this city. Walker Brindley told of an English city where if a man was arrested three times for drunkenness he was sent to an infirmary's home. Mr. Brindley also referred to an eagerness he had observed there among drinking men to get through with their work a little before 6 o'clock on Saturday night, to get a bottle supply until Monday.

J. W. McCosh supported the resolutions and said he thought they should be submitted to the provincial temperance convention. He not only believed the interdiction law should be made to set automatically, and which relieved the magistrate in the matter, but the liquor dealer was entitled to the protection afforded by photographs of interdicts.

### Inspector's Opinion.

Inspector Jones, who was present, was called upon, and said that he heartily agreed with the suggestion to make the interdiction law automatic. The inspector related some of his own experiences and pointed out that there were cases where those who should have a man put on the list were afraid to do so.

Discussing the enforcement of the law in general, the inspector said that he would welcome the cooperation of active temperance workers, and would be glad to have anyone place in his hands definite information on which he could act. In his sixteen years in office, however, he could recall but one such instance. Mr. Jones did not discuss the other sections of the resolutions.

Mr. Henderson.

George A. Henderson, who was also present and was asked to express his views, agreed heartily with the proposal to make the action of the interdiction law automatic. With regard to the photographs, he thought there might be difficulty about that, but perhaps the interdiction law could be made to set automatically, and which relieved the magistrate in the matter, but the liquor dealer was entitled to the protection afforded by photographs of interdicts.

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There is no occasion to suffer from indigestion or any similar stomach trouble when you can so easily get Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

There is scarcely a well stocked drug or general store in the United States but what carries these tablets part of their staple stock.

Millions are used every year—and when every other man or woman you meet recommends them to you if you will but inquire—why do you continue to suffer from stomach trouble?

The reasons why Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are such a widely used remedy are very easy to understand. These tablets contain almost the same elements as the gastric juices of the stomach. And when your stomach is sick and not working just right, it does not get enough of the natural digestive juices to properly take care of the food you eat. So if you will only give the stomach a little help by taking a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet after meals you will relieve the stomach of its chief duty and allow it the rest it needs to recuperate. One grain of the active principle in a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet digests 3,000 grains of food, whether you place it in a glass jar with cooked food or in your stomach after you have eaten the food.

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