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## Interesting Items!

—FROM OUR GREAT—

## Alteration Sale.

Every day more people are finding out how to save money at this great sale. Next week the contractors will commence to tear down, and these lines we are very anxious to clear out if possible this week.

Linoleums.	Towels.
Finest Scotch Linoleum, 2 and 4 yards wide, fine patterns, reg. 65c. at 50c.	2 doz. Turkish Bath Towels, made in fancy stripes, size 18x40, reg. price 15c sale price 10c
<b>Floor Oilcloths.</b> 2 yds. to choose from in light and dark colorings, very choice, reg. price 25c, alteration sale price 22c	6 pieces Glass Towelling in checks, reg. price 7c., alteration sale price 5c 2 dozen heavy Turkish bath towels, fancy stripes, size 24 x 50 inches, reg. price 30c, sale price 20c 8 dozen half bleached Huck Towels, size 22 x 40, extra quality, reg. price 20c, sale price 15c
<b>Japan Mattings.</b> 50 pieces floor Mattings in a choice range of patterns, full yard wide, the most economical floor covering in the land, alteration sale prices— Regular 12c and 15c quality, at 11c " 18c and 20c " 14c " 25c and 30c " 23c " 35c and 40c " 28c " 50c and 60c " 43c	5 dozen Huck Towels, size 18x38, regular price 12c, sale price 10c Milbourn Sanitary Towels, one doz. in a package, reg. price 50c a package, alteration sale price, 35c
<b>Tapestry and Chenille Table Covers.</b> Reg. \$1.75, \$1.88 and \$2 Tapestry and Chenille Table Covers, your choice at \$1.45 Reg. 3, 3.50 and \$3.75 Table Covers at \$2.75 Reg. \$9, \$10 and \$12 Table Covers at \$7.75	<b>Rugs.</b> We call your special attention to our great Rug sale, alteration prices will discount all previous rug selling. Austrian Smyrna Rugs, reversible right in sizes up to 9 x 13, nice colorings and good wearing quality, your choice at half price. Regular 60c rugs at 30c. " \$2 rugs at \$1. " \$2.75 rugs at \$1.35. " \$3.50 rugs at \$1.75. " \$10 rugs at \$5. Tapestry Rugs, size x 66, reg. price \$1 and \$1.40, alteration sale price, 95c X off all Wool and Union Art Square during our great alteration sale.

## THOS. STONE & SON.

SWEEPING SALE.

# 20% Reduction

—ON ALL—

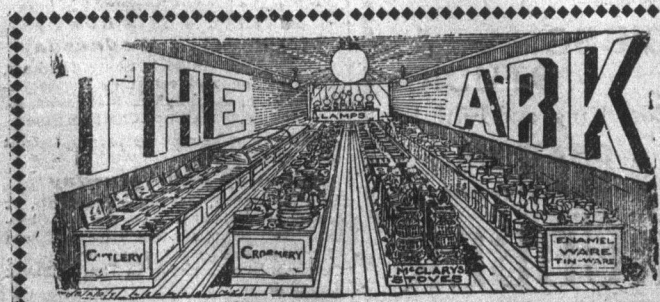
**Refrigerators, Blue Flame Oil Stoves, Ice Cream Freezers, Hammocks, -i- Screen Doors,**

and other lines of summer goods.  
Object is to clean out these lines.

These bargains are at

## WESTMAN BROS.'

Big Hardware and Implement House.



## Saturday's Specials

Three Dozen No. 9 Copper Kettles, Nickel Plated, reg. \$1.25, Saturday \$1.00.  
No. 8 Copper Kettles, Nickel Plated, reg. \$1.00, Saturday 85c.  
Nickel Plated Tea Pots Reduced.  
See samples in **The Ark Window.**  
One-Quarter Off the regular price of **Hammocks** on Saturday.  
We have a few extra good ones to clear out to the wide-awake buyer.

**H. MACAULAY.** SPOT CASH TELEPHONE 159

## RADIAL BILL PASSES SENATE

Electric Road Promoters May Now Proceed to Secure Lines.

Kent County to Have Complete System—Telegram to Mayor McKeough.

This morning his worship Mayor McKeough received the following telegram from the solicitors of the Kent Radial Railroad Company at Ottawa:—  
Ottawa, Ont., July 31. — Railway Bill passed to-day, without amendment, by Senate Railway Committee. DENLON, DUNN & BOULTBEE.  
The promoters of the proposed road having thus secured their charter, will proceed to perfect their plans for building the road. It is expected that they will receive hearty co-operation from the various townships to be benefited.

## CLINICAL WORK

Arrangements Nearly Complete for Next Year's Course—Extra Features are to Be Added

Ann Arbor, Mich., July 24.—The arrangements are pretty well completed for the seventh practitioners' clinical course in the homoeopathic college and hospital. The course will begin Nov. 2 and will be of unusual interest, as extra preparations are being made for it. Many unusual features will be added to the program. The annual convocation of the two fraternities represented in the college, the Alpha Sigma and the Phi Iota Gamma, will be held here at the time the courses will be in progress. These grand chapter meetings will be attended by a large number of delegates from all the colleges and several men of prominence have expressed their intention to be present at the convocations. They will lend great interest, incidentally, to the practitioners' course.

Every year the faculty engages the services of prominent men to assist in the special lecture course and to hold special clinics. This year Dr. Rollin H. Stevens, of Detroit, St. of Mr. N. H. Stevens, of Chatham and Prof. H. V. Halbert, of Chicago will be on the regular program. Dr. Halbert is connected with one of the leading colleges of Chicago as a professor of theory and anatomy. He is on the staff of Cook County hospital, is identified with several other hospitals and institutions of this city, and is regarded as a clinical instructor and lecturer of unusual ability. His specialty is internal medicine. Dr. Halbert will hold a general medical clinic and give two lectures. Dr. Stevens is a graduate of the university and is generally known to the profession of Michigan. An unusually well qualified specialist. He has had a wide experience as a physician and surgeon, both in private practice and in Grace hospital of Detroit. He has spent the greater part of the past year in the hospitals of Europe, studying diseases of the skin.

A considerable part of this time he was in the Medical Institute of Finsen at Copenhagen, where such remarkable results have been accomplished with this section of the country is better prepared to give the very latest tests and demonstrate the most up to date methods in dermatology than Dr. Stevens. He has been appointed lecturer on dermatology in the department by the Regents.

He will hold a dermatological clinic and lecture in the special course. His lectures will be illustrated by rare and costly apparatus which has been imported from Europe. The surgical part of the course will probably be the most all done by the surgical staff of the college. Dr. Dean St. will have completed his half year's work in the hospitals of Europe. Kingdon, who was deprived of his illness, will have fully recovered and refreshed, and the eye and ear clinic, which is always overflowing, will be conducted by Dr. R. S. Cope. The program contemplates giving a large number of some evening to the visiting friends of the department. The extended program of all the lectures, clinics, demonstrations, etc., is in preparation. The appointments in the home department were made by the board of regents, but not yet announced. Dr. Gustave Wilson, M. D., and Dr. Reynolds, M. D., were appointed lecturers at the home department. Dr. R. H. Stevens, M. D., Detroit, is a lecturer on dermatology. Dr. R. Long, M. D., Iowa, mental diseases. Dr. W. A. Polglase, M. D., La. nervous diseases.

best, which is not always the best priced, is the cheapest.

## BOERS AGAINST BOERS.

THAT IS THE DIFFICULTY IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Mr. Chamberlain Said That If Pacification Was Hindered the Government Would Deport Irreconcilables.

London, July 31.—In the House of Commons yesterday during the discussion of the Colonial Office vote, replying to a bitter attack on the Government's policy and Lord Milner's administration of South Africa by Mr. Markham, Liberal, in the course of which he charged that affairs were growing worse, Colonial Secretary Chamberlain lengthily defended the administration of South Africa. He said the greatest difficulty was not the reconciliation of the Boers and Britons, but the reconciliation of the Boers with the Boers. The Secretary then called attention to the fact that the Boers were making every effort to develop the country, and were forming local agricultural associations, of which the Chairmen in many cases were former leaders of the Boer forces. Mr. Chamberlain admitted that much remained to be done, and said that if it was found that the work of pacification was prevented by irreconcilables the Government would not hesitate to use its strong power to deport the mischiefmakers.

## SHOT BY A BOY THIEF.

Tragic Death of a Policeman in Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 31.—Patrolman Michael Dowd was shot and fatally wounded by a 16-year-old boy yesterday. One bullet entered the patrolman's breast just above the heart. The second bullet penetrated the abdomen, and entered the cavity of the stomach. Dowd discovered the boy attempting to remove some potted plants from in front of a house. He made a rush toward the boy in an effort to capture him. The boy eluded his grasp and ran. Dowd chased him through backyards and was almost upon the young thief when the boy turned and fired two shots. Dowd fell, fatally wounded. Sergt. Vogt had joined in the chase and was not far behind Dowd when he fell. The boy fired a shot at him, but it went wide. Vogt ran to assist Dowd and the boy escaped.

## THROUGH DARDANELLES.

Russia Makes Application to Turkey for Passage of Warships.

Vienna, July 31.—A despatch from Constantinople says that Russia has asked permission of the Sultan to allow several Russian warships to pass through the Dardanelles for the far east.

## THE ROYAL TOUR.

Through the Most Picturesque Parts of Ireland.

Galway, Ireland, July 31.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra continued by motor to-day their inspection of some of the wildest and most picturesque regions of Ireland. The start was made at 9 a.m., from the little town of Leenane, on the shore of Killary Bay, where they were presented with an address. The King said he had already inspected some of the cottage industries, and that he was pleased with the spirit of industrial activity and the warm hearty welcome of the people, which he and the Queen both would long remember.

The motor journey ended at Recces, where the party had luncheon. Their Majesties then took a train for Galway and arrived here late in the afternoon. They met with an enthusiastic reception.

The King was presented with addresses by the district council and other bodies, to which he replied briefly. Their Majesties then boarded the royal yacht, which was lying in Galway Bay. To-morrow they will take a train for Kenmare, near which place they will be the guests of Lord Lansdowne at his country seat, "Derreen," county of Kerry. At Recces, where their Majesties stopped for luncheon, an extraordinary incident occurred. A poor old woman approached the Queen with a petition for the remission of the remainder of a sentence of six months passed upon her husband. Inquiries proved that the man's character justified clemency, and the Queen, with the King's permission, remitted the sentence on the spot. The surrounding crowd, learning what had occurred, cheered wildly.

## Sir Thomas Lipton Invited.

Toronto, July 31.—As soon as it was known that Sir Thomas Lipton was to be at the Queen's Royal Niagara, Mr. Amelius Irving, Commodore of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, telegraphed asking Sir Thomas if he would meet the members of the club who are to be at Niagara on Saturday. A reply was received, stating that Sir Thomas would be delighted to meet the Royal Canadians, and it is understood they will try to bring back the owner of the Erin with them and show him the beauties of Toronto.

## CITY AND RAILROAD HOLD FRIENDLY CONFERENCE

All Differences to be Amicably Arranged—Head Street to be Repaired—Mr. Woollett to Submit Proposition.

"After all, the railroad officials have shown a fair, honest and gentlemanly spirit. They are sincere in their anxiety to deal fairly with the city, and I have no doubt now that all differences can and will be most amicably arranged."

When this statement is credited to Ald. G. G. Martin, the warlike and vigorous civic representative who for the past few weeks has led divers attacks upon the railroad and patrolled its premises with the proverbial chip on his shoulder, it can be readily seen that yesterday's meeting of the railroad officials and the civic representatives was fortunately in the nature of a peace conference—and that the citizens are likely to escape the odium of a bitter strife and the expensive luxury of a fat bill of law costs.

The credit for the happy settlement now in contemplation belongs to all parties. The representatives of the railroad took up all the matters submitted in a free and fair manner and were evidently anxious to do all possible to aid the city; the aldermen were equally prepared to avoid law costs and annoyances by securing an amicable arrangement.

The Lake Erie railroad was represented by General Manager W. W. Woollett, Chief Engineer Owen McKay, Roadmaster Harry Morris and City Representative L. E. Tillson. The city representatives were Chairman Ald. E. A. Mounter, of the Board of Works, Ald. W. T. Piggott and Ald. G. G. Martin.

The representatives went over all the lines on foot, discussing every point. Commencing at the Kent Mills they proceeded up Kent St., where Ald. Mounter asked Mr. Woollett to consider the matter of a sidewalk. The general manager pointed out that an excellent cinder walk was being laid and smilingly drew the attention of the Chairman of the Board of Works to the fact that the city had altogether neglected the walk on Kent street above the Canada Flour Mills offices.

At the intersection of Barthe St., where the track is so much lower than the sidewalk and roadbed, Mr. Woollett recommended the city to scrape and lower the street and fill in the ravine above, which left the street in a lake of muddy water. He intimated that the railroad would be willing to assist, and the aldermen promised to look into the matter. All the way up Head St. the representatives followed the track, inspecting the roadbed. At the corporation limits Mr. Woollett turned to Ald. Mounter and, shaking his head, commented, "Well, all I can say is that the residents of this street and the people that use it, are justified in making the most vigorous protests. It is really a disgrace. Action should be prompt. What is to be done about it?"

The railroad representatives pointed out that the railroad had promised to give the city 50 cars of gravel for this street. Of these, the roadmaster said, there were only five or ten left to deliver. They felt that the city had been delinquent and the responsibility must not rest entirely on the railroad. The aldermen confessed to these facts, but Ald. Mounter urged that the railroad should make larger concessions in dealing with the street. Proceedings to Colborne St. an inspection of the disputed spur followed. Mr. Tillson explained the orders which governed it preventing cars standing upon it at any time. This rule, investigation showed, had not been violated in months.

The aldermen expressed themselves as satisfied with the inspection. There was apparently no grounds for contention upon this matter.

"It is Head St. I am anxious about," Mr. Woollett said. Ald. Martin, "That street literally spells death to the driver even in daylight. I do not know that it is altogether the fault of the railroad, but something should be done at once."

"You are quite right, Mr. Martin," replied Mr. Woollett. "But," he added, smiling, "I quite agree with you when you say the railroad isn't altogether to blame."

Ald. Mounter expressed his satisfaction and pleasure that the railroad representatives had met them in such a fair and liberal manner. He trusted differences would disappear, and all be able to work together for mutual benefit.

Mr. Woollett reciprocated. The railroad was interested in the city's progress and success, and would do all in its power to develop the same. He pointed out that the Lake Erie always extended special market rates to Chatham. These were largely availed of and he felt assured the merchants and the city reaped the benefit. It would be a source of great satisfaction if the two corporations could mutually assist one another.

These friendly sentiments were mutually interchanged ere the representatives parted. Mr. Woollett assured Ald. Mounter that he would submit the railroad's proposition in writing at once.

## SATURDAY PLANET

To-morrow is the day for the Big Saturday Planet and, in accordance with its custom this great home journal will add to its regular issue the handsomely illustrated magazine and editorial supplement, containing a series of fascinating special features. In addition, The Planet gives all the news, hot from its happening, in a readable and up-to-date manner. Don't miss your Saturday Planet!

## SCOTCH PICNIC

At a meeting in Mr. Hoggart's office on Tuesday evening, with T. C. Ford, president, in the chair, it was decided to hold the annual Scotch picnic at Erieau on Aug. 27. After a long discussion it was finally resolved to hold the picnic in accordance with the railway offer of twenty per cent. of the fares, the financial arrangements to be in the hands of a committee who will volunteer to guarantee the expenses, together with the officers of the Scotch picnic committee. All the proceeds above expenses will be given to the Public Library. Mr. A. Samson did not agree with this motion and tendered his resignation, which has not yet been accepted.—Hennrich News.

Clyde Bowen was gathered in by the police and Mr. Wigle, who has the contract for laying the gas mains in the city for the Gas Company, in whose employ Bowen is, paid his fine this morning.

## 20 Per Cent. DISCOUNT

If you contemplate travelling and need a good serviceable trunk. Take advantage of our 20 per cent. discount sale.

All trunks now in stock are offered at a big cut price to clear them out as we do not intend to handle any more after those we have are sold.

## PEACE & GO.

## SANITATIS !

Ever hear of it before?  
If you are a sufferer from headache or neuralgia it will pay you to investigate Sanitatis. It affords instant relief in every case and unlike most headache remedies has no depressing influence on the heart, bad after effects. Put up in boxes of twelve powders each. The best 25c worth we know of.

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**Crystal Pharmacy,**  
ED. T. JONES, Prop.

"If our name is on the package it's alright."