

## NEW TOWN IN WILDERNESS.

Lord Northcliffe's Paper Enterprise in Newfoundland.

Spent Six Million Dollars in Pulpwood Industry.

Built Town With Churches, Schools, Hotels, Etc.

Grand Falls, Nfld., Oct. 8.—An event, which, in the opinion of the residents of Newfoundland, means much for the commercial and industrial development of the colony was celebrated here today in the first of two days' festivities in connection with the formal opening of the Northcliffe Paper and Pulp Wood Manufacturing industries here. Although a corporation known as the Anglo-Newfoundland developing company is in charge of the enterprise the leading spirit is Lord Northcliffe, the proprietor of the London Daily Mail and numerous other daily, weekly and monthly publications.

In the development of the pulpwood and paper enterprise here Lord Northcliffe's company has spent more than six million dollars, and has established a plant that is excelled in size only by the paper mills at Millinocket, Maine. The new town of Grand Falls has sprung up in a wilderness in the centre of Newfoundland. It is situated on the Exploits River, a stream which has its source in a chain of lakes in the southwestern corner of the colony and flows in a northeasterly direction, emptying into Notre Dame Bay, on the northeast coast.

Work was then begun on the erection of a series of mill buildings. These are now completed and are equipped with the most modern machinery. Hundreds of men will be employed in the mills here, while thousands of lumber men will find work in the timber tracts in the vicinity of Milltown, owned by Lord Northcliffe and his associates.

To house these men and their families, comfortable and attractive dwellings have been built, churches, schools and a library are under construction, a hotel has been erected and a municipal water and sewerage system is being installed.

Lord and Lady Northcliffe and a party of distinguished English and Newfoundland persons came here to attend the formal opening of the town.

## DUFFIELD.

Annual Meeting of the Mission—Appeal to Public.

The annual meeting of the Duffield Flower Mission was held at the home of the president, Mrs. D. B. Pratt. The attendance was fairly good. The same ladies kindly consented to act again as officers. The reports were very satisfactory and showed the society to be in a good financial condition.

Hon. President, Mrs. Reynolds; President, Mrs. D. B. Pratt; Vice-President, Mrs. Lemon; Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Cotton, 66 Herkimer street.

## AN APPEAL.

The president and members of the Duffield Flower Mission come once before the citizens of Hamilton and vicinity to ask for gifts of fruit, preserved, canned or in its natural state, for the use of the patients at the City Hospital. This year, when the fruit has been even more than usually abundant, they hope for a generous supply, for it is greatly appreciated. The fruit and jam may be sent to the City Hospital, or to a room lent for the purpose in the City Hall, on to any of the various Sunday schools in the city, on Wednesday and Thursday Oct. 13th and 14th, when ladies will be at the City Hall from 9 a. m. Persons desiring their bottles can have them by going to the City Hospital on Tuesday afternoons, from 3 to 5.

## BOND OF UNION.

Want A. F. of L. to Affiliate With World's Federation of Labor.

Toronto, Oct. 8.—The importance and necessity of promoting a stronger bond of union between organized labor in Europe and the North American continent was discussed at some length at yesterday's session of the Amalgamated Association of Electric and Street Railway Men of America. The convention strongly endorsed the suggestions in this respect offered by President Gompers on his recent visit to Europe.

As all the committees are still working upon reports, the elections of officers has been deferred till tomorrow. It is expected that the committees will conclude their deliberations this morning. Twenty-eight resolutions have already been laid before the convention, the bulk of which suggest numerous changes in the constitution of the organization.

The cities of St. Joseph, Missouri and Detroit are putting up a stiff fight for the next convention in 1911. "We are from Missouri, and you got to show us why Detroit should be selected for the next convention," is the plea set up by the delegates and their supporters from the Missouri city, while those from Detroit claim "Life is worth living in Detroit."

Last evening the delegates were banqueted. Mr. W. W. Mahon, the International President, presided, and the usual toasts were honored, the speakers being Controller Hocken, Ald. Graham, Ald. Maguire, Messrs. Magnus, Sinclair, C. O. Pratt, J. Keegan and William Gilling, President of the Dominion Trades Congress.

## A CLEAN SWEEP.

To-night and Saturday will see a clean sweep of all remaining lines of fall hats left over from Treble's recent great sale in English and Canadian makes.

In preparing for an event of such magnitude as this sale just closed, there must inevitably be a few lines here and there overstocked.

The odd hats left from this huge purchase are marked at exactly half price, and will put dollars into the pockets of those who participate in this event.

It follows that as this sale was the broadest and most far-reaching in Treble's store's history, and they are giving the men of Hamilton the benefit of remaining hats at half price. So you can buy \$2.50 latest style hats for \$1.25 to-night and Saturday.

See their ad. on back page of this issue.

## EMERALD MEN.

Y. M. U. Reorganized and Makes Good Start.

Emerald Street Methodist Church Young Men's Union met last evening in the school-room to reorganize for the fall and winter term. There was an encouraging attendance at the meeting, when about 25 men turned out to elect the officers for the coming term and talk over plans for the good of the union. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Hon. President, Rev. J. S. Williams, D. D.  
President, E. W. Kay, B. A. Sc.  
First Vice-President, W. O. Bristol.  
Second Vice-President, P. Catepole.  
Third Vice-President, F. McComb.  
Secretary, S. Buscomb.  
Treasurer, W. McComb.  
Corresponding Secretary, H. Lymbour.

Pianist, A. Partridge.  
Auditing Committee, T. Jones, A. Trimble, E. P. Luna.

## Amusements

"A Knight for a Day," the merry musical comedy that was seen here last season, returns to the Grand to-night for three performances. The piece is much the same as last season, though there are several changes in the cast, which are possibly for the better. Hilda Thomas, who will be seen as Tilly Day, the servant lady, is a clever comedienne, while Geo. Orvie, who plays the part of Jonathan Joy, the waiter, is also good. "A Knight for a Day" has proved itself a musical comedy of extraordinary merit. The opening scene of the play is laid in Evanston, Ill., and shows the campus of the Northwestern University in the foreground, while in the distance can be seen the college buildings. The second act takes place in the Island of Corsica. There is a good, intelligible plot running throughout the play, interspersed with good, wholesome comedy.

The production, including the famous American beauty chorus, and also the Kute Kittens, who are a lot of little dancers in the play.

"THE WITCHING HOUR."

During the long run of Augustus Thomas' great telephonic play, "The Witching Hour," in New York a number of authorities maintained that one of the principal scenes of the drama is purely theatrical. The scene referred to shows Jack Brockfield, the gambler stopping Frank Hardmuth, the assistant district attorney, from shooting him, through the simple process of having made up his mind to the fact that the other man will not be able to pull the trigger. Mr. Thomas asserts that it is based on a real incident which happened in Kentucky about twenty years ago. "The Witching Hour" comes to the Grand next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and should be greeted with large audiences. The sale of seats opens to-morrow morning.

## DESIGNED GIANT CAKE.

People who are interested in the giant wedding cake used at a big society function here some months ago, and which was the talk of the town as a result of the story sent out from Chicago, which described it as the biggest cake ever made for an occasion of this kind, will be interested in the appearance here next week of Luigi Marini. He is the man who made the cake. The cake, it will be recalled, stood about five feet high, and weighed about five hundred pounds. It was a pleasant surprise planned by a Chicago friend of the groom, Marini, at that time was a chef in one of the big hotels there. It was under his supervision that the famous cake was decorated. Marini attracted so much prominence by his artistic work in this line that he was induced to go on the vaudeville stage and try his hand chiselling figures out of solid blocks of ice. The act made an immediate hit because it was a genuine novelty and a pretty one. Marini works with great rapidity, and has an attractive polar setting with his offering. With the English Mermaids, who will be seen in their spectacular swimming exhibition, next week's bill will certainly not lack novelty.

There has been a brisk advance sale for both performances to-morrow. The show this week promises to break all records this season for business.

Y. M. C. A. STAR COURSE.

The Y. M. C. A. star course still hangs in the balance for want of subscribers to tickets, but friends are telephoning their orders every day, and it is hoped that others will do so at once. All who are interested in providing a high moral grade of entertainment for Hamilton citizens should subscribe. The Ladies' Orchestra, De Kovan Male Quartette and Sandall, Pitt Parker, crayon wizard, the Hinchaw Grand Opera Company, Durno, white house of magic, Ernest Thompson Seton.

Tickets may be ordered or information obtained by telephoning Nordheimer's music store or the Y. M. C. A. office.

## PIGOTT CASE.

Plaintiff's Side About In—Two Weeks For Defence.

The suit of M. A. Pigott against the Guelph & Goderich Railway is still dragging its weary way before Mr. Justice Britton, at the Toronto, non-jury assizes. This is the third week that it has been running and Mr. Pigott's side of the case is now about all in. The case took on an added interest yesterday morning, when an unusual exhibit was brought into court. It consisted of two plaster of paris moulds in the shape of semi circles, each about six feet long and resting on a wooden platform.

The moulds represent Attila bank, a bank about 125 feet high, which had to be levelled. Pigott, the contractor, maintains that he should be paid 80 cents a cubic foot for the excavation, while the railroad contends it should all be done at the contract price, 24 cents a foot.

Two blue lines run criss-cross along the moulds, one of them indicating where the steam shovel worked. The other suggesting the depth the contractor should have gone to complete the cut in two lifts.

Altogether there is \$523,000 at stake and the legal battle is apt to continue for a couple of weeks more at least, as it will take that time to put in the defence.

## MUM'S WORD.

Barrie's Friends Appeal to Newspapers to Keep Quiet.

Was the Novelist Too Thrifty to Suit His Actress Wife?

New York, Oct. 8.—A London despatch to the American about the divorce suit brought by James Mathew Barrie, the novelist and playwright, against Mrs. Barrie, says that the following circular has been sent to the London newspapers by those of Mr. Barrie's friends whose names are appended.

"The divorce suit of Barrie versus Barrie and Cannon is down for hearing at the Mischmas term. The plaintiff in the suit was in early life a distinguished journalist. More recently his work in fiction and the drama has given pleasure of a high order to hundreds of thousands of readers and spectators wherever the English language is spoken. He is a man for whom the inevitable pain of those proceedings would be greatly increased by publicity.

"Therefore it is hoped that the press, as a mark of respect and gratitude to a writer of genius will unite in abstaining from any mention of the case beyond the briefest report of the hearing. The suit is undeniably, and apart from the eminence of the plaintiff, rises no question of the slightest public interest."

"Lord Esper, George Alexander, William Archer, Edmund Gosse, Maurice Hewlett, Henry James, A. E. Mason, Arthur Pinero, Beerbohm Tree, H. G. Wells."

The American's correspondent goes on to say that although many of the plaintiff's friends of Mr. Barrie are doing their utmost to bring about a reconciliation between him and his wife, they have found the couple both eager to be separated by divorce.

Gilbert Cannon, the man named by Mr. Barrie in his suit, according to report, was the suitor for the hand of Mary Ansell before she became Mrs. Barrie. He is a novelist, playwright and dramatic critic.

Mr. Barrie's friends, however, declare she is not the only one at fault, if either is at fault. They say Mr. Barrie's Scotch thrift caused the first rift in the love. Mrs. Barrie had more liberal ideas of entertaining and spending money than her husband.

## CONVENTION AT OAKVILLE.

W. C. T. U. of Two Counties Holds Two-Day Session.

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the counties of Wentworth and Halton opened in the Temperance Hall at Oakville yesterday. An unusually large number attended, and were cheered for their work by the splendid weather.

Mrs. Byron Smith, the County President, presided at the meetings. In the morning the Executive met at 10.30, and the minutes of the year, which told of a very successful work, the appointing of committees, the plan for the year's work, and the question of finance were taken up. At 12 o'clock Mrs. Clunas, evangelist superintendent, gave the noonday prayer.

At 2 o'clock the first public meeting was held, and the roll call showed the following officers present: Mrs. Byron Smith; Mrs. Whalley, Dundas; Mrs. Merriam, Oakville; Mrs. Wickett; Mrs. Nichols; Mrs. E. Turnbull; Mrs. Boyle; Mrs. Thurston, Burlington; Mrs. Carson, Oakville; Mrs. Dent, Milton; Mrs. Evans, and Miss Marjorie Davis.

Mrs. Turnbull gave the report of the year's correspondence, and showed how much interest is taken in the work by outside unions. The report of the "Y" Secretary was very bright, showing what a great work the younger members are doing.

The department reports were read by the County Superintendents, and lively discussions followed. Eleven reports were given, the following comprising the bulk of the union work: Evangelistic, Mrs. Clunas; Sabbath Observance, Mrs. Boyle; Legislation and Petition, Mrs. McLaren; Press, Mrs. Whalley; Scientific Temperance, Mrs. Turnbull; Flower Mission, Mrs. Elliott; Parlor Meetings, Mrs. Thurston; Franchise, Mrs. Nichols; Anti-Narcotic, Mrs. Montgomery; President's Address, Mrs. Byron Smith.

Mrs. Ashbury delighted the audience with a musical solo.

At 6.30 the Oakville ladies gave a "white ribbon tea," which was heartily enjoyed, they proving themselves ideal hostesses. Mrs. Carrique and Mrs. Marcup gave addresses of welcome from the W. C. T. U. members and Woman's Missionary Society respectively, and Mrs. Moore, of Burlington, gave a most interesting, thanking them for their hospitality.

The evening meeting was principally devoted to an address by Mr. B. H. Spence, of Toronto. His talk was helpful and instructive. His subject was local option, and much good is expected to result, in the campaign which will soon be in full swing.

Miss Snyder gave an instrumental solo and Mrs. Featherstone, Miss Robinson, and Messrs. Tuck and Jarvis a delightful quartette.

The evening session closed with the National Anthem, and the benediction, to be adjourned until this morning.

## W. T. PIPES DEAD.

Attorney-General of Nova Scotia Dies Suddenly in Massachusetts.

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 7.—Hon. W. T. Pipes, Attorney-General of Nova Scotia, died suddenly while visiting friends here to-day.

The late Mr. Pipes was born in 1850 and was educated at Amherst and Acadia Colleges.

## BRITANNIA'S NORTH POLE.

All those interested in the controversy of the North Pole should visit the Britannia Kink this evening—a side-splitting affair—and a barrel of fun in store. One way to see the now famous Pole, the ice bears. They will all be there, but beware of those Polar bears. They are very treacherous. During the evening they will show out some of the words Cook and Peary have said, for they have been handed in chunks—so cold up there, you know—that words do freeze as they are spoken. Ladies admitted free.

The average servant girl is out for the dust until she starts to clean a room.

## GAS TRUST.

Company Trying to Buy Out Distributing Stations.

Chatham, Ont., Oct. 7.—Arrangements are under way for the formation of a gigantic natural gas trust, to control the supply of natural gas in the western peninsula. The Volcanic Oil & Gas Company, said to be backed up by Standard Oil capital, has now got its main aim but completed to Windsor, Sarnia, Blenheim and scores of intermediate places, as well as Chatham and Wallaceburg, and it is said it contemplates purchasing all the distributing stations at these places.

In Chatham, the Chatham Gas Co. has received a bid of \$1.10 a share for their gas and electric light plant. The company has refused the offer, and are holding out for \$1.16. This is significant in view of the fact that Chatham gas stock sold a few years ago at 48 cents.

If the Volcanic Company could succeed in buying up the distributing stations, they would control the supply right up to the homes and factories of the consumers.

## THEFT CHARGE.

Toronto Conductor Taken Off One of The Cars.

Company Suspects Men of Manipulating the Fare Box.

Toronto, Oct. 8.—With the arrest of Conductor Herbert Hood at noon yesterday on a charge of stealing money from a fare box, the Toronto Railway Company inaugurated a campaign against alleged dishonest practices amongst a few of their employees upon the cars. The railway officials would not say whether any more arrests would be made, but it is understood that several men suspected of manipulating the company's boxes will be quietly discharged within a few days.

Conductor Hood was taken from a Dundas car at the corner of Victoria and Richmond streets on a warrant by Detective Guthrie, and when searched at Court street police station it is alleged that a marked coin put in his fare box by a "spotter" was found upon him. He is 23 years of age, is married and lives at 36 Columbus street. He was taken with the company for four years.

"I continually lose a great deal of money by this fare-box manipulation," said an official yesterday, in talking of the arrest. "And when the loss assumes serious proportions we put on the brakes, that is all. We are hoping that this arrest will serve as a good example to other men. I cannot say that there will be any more arrests," he said, "but there are several other men suspected, and we will likely find means of letting them out quietly."

"We have several men travelling upon the cars all the time, whose duty it is to see that the company receives all the money that goes into the boxes. There are many ways of telling when a man becomes dishonest. A run should return to us an average number of fares, but many times there are some startling discrepancies along this line. That is when a man is watched. Some of these men, as I understand it," he continued, "have become quite expert in getting the money out of the boxes. But I cannot say just how it is done."

## FLAG INCIDENTS.

Irish Police Did Not Insult U. S. Flag—Harbin Trouble Settled.

London, Oct. 7.—In the House to-day Redmond Barry, the Solicitor-General for Ireland, replying to the protests of Irish members against the arrest at Clonmel of a saloon-keeper named McGrath, because he hung out an American flag and refused to remove it during the visit to that place of Captain Edward O'Meara, reiterated the statement of Prime Minister Asquith in a similar case at Castlebar. Mr. Barry said it was a breach of the Irish Licensing Act and the prosecution of McGrath was pending. The Solicitor-General said there was no desire whatever to insult the American flag.

John David Rees, Liberal member for the Montgomery district, asked if the American Embassy had made any representations on the matter to the Government.

"None whatever," replied the Solicitor-General.

## CONSUL REMOVED AT HARBIN.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 7.—The Foreign Office issued a statement to-day that the trouble at Harbin between Baummüller, the German Consul there, and the Russian authorities had been settled. The Foreign Office says the company had no claim on German protection and the Consul had expected the German flag hauled down from the brewery building, where it had been raised by order of Baummüller.

During the trouble over this affair it was alleged that the German Consul had thrashed a Russian official. Another Consul is to take charge of the Harbin office and proceedings have been begun against Germans who insulted the Russian officials.

## GUARD MISSING TOO.

Three Prisoners Escape From the Mounted Police.

Edmonton, Alta., Oct. 7.—Between 5 and 6 o'clock last night three prisoners escaped from the R. N. W. M. P. barracks at Fort Saskatchewan. The guard in charge also disappeared, and he is a recruit the theory is that he deserted with the men.

This belief has not been substantiated, however, and there is a possibility that he may have met with foul play from the men he had in charge. They were working in a field near the buildings, and their disappearance was not noticed for some time.

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## Saturday—Last Day of MANAGERS' SALE

To-morrow will see the close of this wonderful series of sales that have electrified the people of Hamilton and surrounding country. Seldom has enthusiasm risen to such an extent as it has in this Managers' Sale. For the past ten days the store has been filled to overflowing with busy buyers. To-morrow spells big bargains of all descriptions—so come early if you would take advantage of them.

## Underwear and Whitewear

Our display is unrivalled in these two departments.

WOMEN'S VESTS, extra heavy winter weight, long sleeves, shaped waist, unshrinkable quality; drawers ankle length to match, for Managers' Sale, per garment 25c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR, the balance of manufacturers' seconds; some spring needle; long and short sleeves, others white and natural wool, long and short sleeves; some drawers ankle and knee length, regularly 75c; for Managers' Sale ... 39c

BLACK CASHMERE STOCKINGS, fashioned throughout, double heels and toes, special for Managers' Sale 35c, 3 for \$1.00

GIRLS' AND BOYS' SAXONY WOOL HOSE, two and one ribbed, double heels and toes, elastic and perfect fitting, all sizes, on sale, per pair ... 35c

WOMEN'S GOWNS, plain colors of pink or white flannellette, square yoke of two rows of embroidery insertion and small tucks, finished with self trim and silk stitching, for ... 75c

FLANNELLETTE GOWNS, in blue and white and pink and white stripe, square yoke, finished with braid and self trim ... \$1.00

WOMEN'S GOWNS, in plain pink or white flannellette, made with yoke tucks and finished with embroidery on sleeves, neck and front of gown; on sale ... \$1.25

## Newest Toilet Goods

A department decidedly up-to-date. TOILET POWDER BOXES, regularly 15c, on sale Saturday ... 10c

RUBBER SPONGES, perfectly sanitary, regularly 25c, for Saturday ... 10c

TOILET PUMICE STONE, in cake form, regularly 10c, for 7c

FINE TOILET SOAPS, including Mother's Favorite, Valley Violet, Heliotrope, Oatmeal, and Vinolia, regularly 25c, for Saturday ... 23c

Free demonstration of a delightful perfume, Colgate's La France Rose.

## The Grocery Dept.

One of the most progressive parts of this busy store.

Tea, finely flavored black Ceylon Tea, regular 35c value, per lb. ... 27c  
White Beans, 5 lbs. ... 25c  
Golden Net Salmon, 2 cans ... 25c  
10 lbs. Granulated Sugar ... 50c  
Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 7 lbs. ... 25c  
Gold Medal Flour, 25 lbs. ... 75c

## Meat Section

Ingersoll Bacon, sliced, per lb ... 22c  
Peanut Butter, lb. ... 20c  
Jelly Wafers, regular 15c, for ... 10c  
3-lb. box of Fresh Crisp Soda Biscuits, regular 30c value, on Saturday per box ... 25c

## Offers in Women's Suits

Here is something to talk and interest yourself about.

25 ONLY WOMEN'S NEW FALL SUITS, in all the wanted shades of navy, black, taupe, London smoke, wistaria and Burgundy, made in a strictly tailor-made style. Coat is fully 42 inches long, single breasted, mannish collar, new sleeve and lined with taffeta silk; skirt in the latest pleated effect; a very stylish garment, marked for last day of Managers' Sale ... \$17.75

NO TWO GARMENTS are alike in our high-priced Suits, thus giving to wear something distinctive. It is impossible to describe each style, but they come 42 to 46-inch Coats. New half-fitting back, lapel collar, plain tailored sleeves, silk or satin lined trimmings of jet buttons. The latest ideas in pleated skirts, made in all the new shades and the materials are broadcloths, worsteds and ottoman cords; our special prices were \$34 to \$37.50, for Saturday, the last day of the Managers' Sale ... \$29.50

## "Empress" Shoes

This particular line of Women's Shoes carries with it the stamp of distinctive individuality. The "Empress" Shoe has always held a high place in the esteem of women who have regard for comfort and convenience in walking. And then there is that elegance of appearance which has always distinguished the "Empress" from other Shoes.

For Saturday we have 500 pairs of Empress sample Shoes in the newest Fall styles, in patent calf and velour calf and vici kid. The regular prices run from \$3.50 to \$4.00, but for Saturday we have decided to make a clearing of these samples at ... \$2.65

## A Music Special

Beginning to-morrow morning, bright and early a sale of Music will commence and it ought to be short and sweet. The music is the "Monster Imperial," which is admittedly the largest folio of its kind ever published.

It contains all the latest hits in music during the past season and is indeed a valuable piece of work to have in one's musical library.

The regular price of the folio is 60c, but for purposes of clearing we have arranged for a special price on Saturday of ... 49c

There are not many of these books, so come early.

## Complete Display of Hair Goods

At the Notion Department you will find these offerings.

WAVY SWITCHES, 18 inches long, extra fine quality hair in three strands for puffs or braided, regular \$1.50, for ... \$1.19

NEW HAIR PADS, for hair parted in the centre, large at front and tapering at back, all shades each ... 25c and 35c

HAIR PADS, extra large size and very light, in all shades, 18 and 24 inches, on sale Saturday, special ... 25c and 35c

HAIR PADS, medium sizes and covered with net, 18 and 24 inches, on Saturday ... 15c and 25c

## Kitchen Necessities

No need to say anything about the merits of this department; it speaks for itself.

## At 8.30—Special

200 ONLY STRANSKY BLUE AND WHITE LIPPED SAUCE PANS, 1-quart size, extra fine quality of granite, regular price is 40c; for Saturday, it is ... 15c

WATER PAILS, blue and white, one seam and extra deep; 8-quart size, strong handle, regularly 50c; on sale ... 39c

SELF BASTERS, large size, covered with neat lid, extra deep, regularly \$1.00, for ... 79c

WOODEN COAT HANGERS, with wire hook, regularly 5c each, on sale, 7 for ... 25c

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