

York County and Suburbs

NORTH TORONTO TOWN COUNCIL MEET

Hydro-Electric Engineer Pays Official Visit—Funeral of Late James Patterson.

NORTH TORONTO, May 4.—(Special.)—To-night's meeting of the town council with Mayor Brown presiding, and Councillors Murphy, Grice, Irwin, Burnaby, Howe and Parke in attendance, was marked by a lot of good hard conscientious work.

In the transaction of business and general conduct of public affairs, North Toronto town council can give pointers to many other municipalities.

Chairman Parke of the finance committee, presented a petition for a four-foot cement sidewalk on Glencairn-avenue, Chairman Howe, on behalf of the Dovercourt Land Company, for a five-foot sidewalk on Yonge-street, and Chairman Irwin, fire and light, for a gravel and tar sidewalk on Kensington-avenue. All were adopted.

Chairman Murphy presented the board of works report; Irwin, fire and light, and Parke, finance and assessment, all of which were also adopted.

Wants the New Cars.
Councillor Parke was insistent re the new cars now overdue on the Metropolitan, and Solicitor Gibson stated that the company had promised them by May 24.

"It's contempt of court," said Councillor Parke.
"It certainly is a breach of faith," said the solicitor.

Matter will come before the railway board.

In answer to Councillor Parke, Chairman Howe stated that the parallel roads were progressing all right.

Commissioner Walmesley was granted an increase of salary from \$600 to \$800. Mayor Brown and Councillors Murphy and Grice rising.

Councillor Irwin stated that the assistant engineer representing the hydro-electric commission, had made a personal tour of the town to-day.

Councillor Parke made a strong plea for quarters for Misses Anna Light Home, but council in lieu voted \$25.

The petition for building restrictions on Glenwood-avenue, was referred back. A number of other matters were dealt with.

In the Orange Hall to-night, North View Lodge, L.O.O.F., No. 403, was successfully launched with a membership of forty.

The North Toronto Hockey Club, who during the season won senior and intermediate honors, together with 14 medals will shortly hold a concert in the town hall.

It is understood that the Union Trust Company will at once open up the Skinner and Chapman properties on the west side of Yonge-street north of the old belt line railway, cutting them up into building lots.

Property Changes Hands.
The placing of this valuable property on the market, will undoubtedly give a great impetus to Davisville, and open up a delightful residential section.

The rumor is current and apparently well founded, that the old belt line railway will be reopened within the next two months. Already real estate transfers have been made on this assumption.

A Simpson has disposed of a house and lot on Balliol-street for \$1350. Mr. C. Fletcher has sold his property on Algoma-crescent for \$2050. In both cases the deals were put thru by A. C. Jennings, the well known real estate man.

Lena, the little daughter of Selby Longstreet, who was caught by the fender of a Metropolitan car a day or two ago and injured, is rapidly improving.

EAST TORONTO.

Great Throng Afted Funeral of the Late James Patterson.

EAST TORONTO, May 4.—A striking evidence of the love and esteem in which the late James J. Patterson was held was furnished to-day in the throng which attended the last sad rites. The funeral cortege was one of the largest seen in East Toronto in years.

At the family residence the funeral exercises were in charge of Rev. Mr. Rogers, assisted by Rev. Mr. McArthur of Knox Church, Agincourt. Other clergymen present were Rev. W. L. Baynes-Reed, St. John's Anglican Church, Norway; Rev. J. D. F. Fitzpatrick, Wesley Methodist Church; Rev. Mr. Locke and Rev. E. H. Middleton, and Rev. Mr. Strachan.

Among many friends of the family, prominent in county and city, present were: Ald. McMillan, J. N. Phelan, Alex. McCowan, M.L.A., Excavator Dr. Walters, Dr. Britton, Dr. Sisley, Dr. Demary, Simpson Reimle, Wallace W. Thompson, George Empson, and Andrew Grant, W. Scott, George Fitzpatrick, Andrew Heron, R. Thompson, Thos. Grey, J. Swan, A. Patterson, J. L. Patterson, Jos. Armstrong, John C. Hunter, Leslie Armstrong, Wm. Goodenham, Thos. Brownlee, W. Lathan, Jonathan Ashbridge, Ex-Mayor John Richardson, Grant Noble, Arthur Johnston, D. Lloyd, Frank Abbott, T. Crowe, Levi Annis, R. Kerr and many others.

Following the devotional exercises at the home the remains were taken in charge by the brethren of Acadia Lodge, A. F. & A. M., No. 429, G.R.C., Worshipful Master George Allan. The members of York Lodge, L.O.O.F., were also present in a body.

The pall-bearers were Thos. Brownlee, Stewart Toms, Fred Murch, John Brandon, Frank Britton and R. Davies.

The chief mourners were the widow, brothers and sister of deceased. The floral offerings were especially beautiful.

PROTESTS ARE DROPPED.

MONTREAL, May 4.—(Special.)—It is understood that after a good deal of negotiation between the two parties, all of the contestations in the Province of Quebec have been dropped.

New German Loans.

BERLIN, May 4.—Applications for the two new German loans, respectively \$30,000,000 and \$20,000,000, by the Imperial and Prussian Governments, amount to about \$375,000,000. The loans are being handled by a syndicate of banks headed by the Reichsbank.

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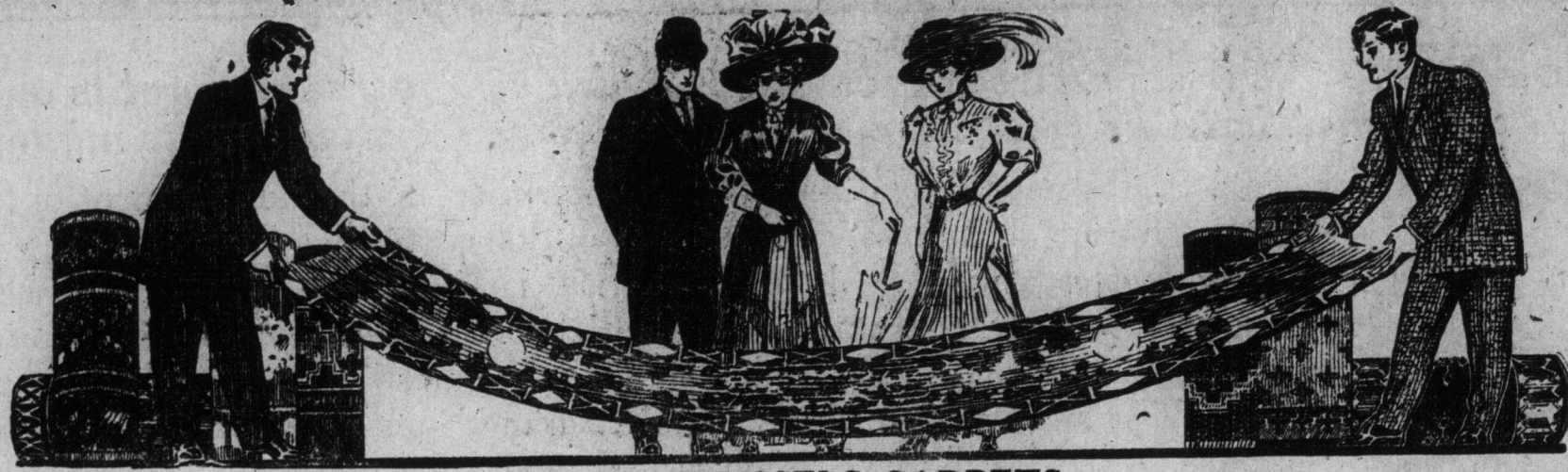
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Wednesday,
May 5.

14 Housefurnishing Departments in One



NO. 10—BRUSSELS CARPETS

A WHOLE Yonge street section as wide as our Rea store is devoted to BRUSSELS. Good old Brussels! It has never been superseded since first it was introduced. The advantages of Brussels are an old familiar story, but as true to-day as ever. Every housekeeper realizes it afresh every Sweeping Day.

ITS HARD, CLEAN, EASILY SWEEPED SURFACE

Its neat, clear definition of pattern—a perfection of effect attained by no other Carpet. A greater cushion of wool between the warp than any other Carpet—more wool, more wear. It is a moderate priced Carpet, and preferred to more expensive Carpets by many people for its own merits.

This stock of Brussels of ours holds a great place in our Carpet store calculations. We go to great pains to choose the select designs. Generally we have them woven to order. The Simpson standard for Brussels runs from 90c up. Nothing lower. But we have the heaviest Brussels at the prices to be had in the country.

90c and \$1.00—Bedroom Brussels, with narrow chintz borders. \$1.10 and \$1.15—Turkish reproductions, in Brussels and two-toned designs, for dining-rooms. \$1.40—Persian effects, in Brussels, for halls, libraries, etc. Small patterns.

NOTE—We recommend any of these Carpets for rugs where special sizes are required, particularly the smaller patterns.

\$1.25 MOHAIR MATS, 67c. This week we are offering 500 Mats for doorways; silky, soft mohair, in one-tone browns, greens, blues and reds. Regular price \$1.25. This week only 67c. (Not more than three to a single customer.)

Some New Coats and Dresses Have Arrived

Cloak Department Overflowing With Interest These May Days

DURING the past week we have been receiving thousands of new garments to take the place of those which the unprecedented demand has carried away. Chief among the new arrivals must be set a remarkable collection of real lace coats. They were purchased from the skilled makers of such things in France and Belgium. For race week wear they could not be better.

Another shipment consists of elaborate cream serge coats from New York. From Gotham also comes a delightful collection of silk coats, picked up under very fortunate circumstances, they being the models of a big American house who copied them for next fall. So there will be much fresh interest here to-morrow, and you'll surely enjoy your visit. Let us now describe these new things at a little greater detail.

First the Lace Coats.
There are 300 of them altogether—hand-made braided lace, Bruges Point lace, Point de Flandres, and imitation of fine Irish Crochet laces—short, medium and extra long lengths—long-waisted Princess and Empire styles. Specially marked \$12.50 to \$200.00.

Next the Silk Coats.
They are all silk, in natural and colored pongees, tussore, rajahs, Otoman and other new season's silks. They are beautifully trimmed with either black velvets, silks, satins or jet. Others with beautiful silk and Oriental trimmings. They are marked at \$25.00, \$27.50, \$35.00 and \$37.50, but the regular values of these are very much more. They include some beautiful tight and semi-fitting models, new long-waisted effects, long racing coats, motor coats, touring coats. To-morrow, Thursday, we offer these for sale.

The New Princess Dresses.
Preparations have been going on during the last few months. Some of



them will be on sale to-morrow. Here are two:—

One a very fine silk mull, white with solid square of different colors and elaborately trimmed with lace.

Another a \$25.00 New York model, which we have copied, for \$12.50. Another of finest mull, a real Princess dress, in white, sky and pink, daintily trimmed with finest of Val. laces on both waist and skirt, and impossible to get when the weather gets warm. This for \$4.95.

Excellent Collection of New White Waists at \$1.95.

All-over embroidered fronts, eyelet, shadow and scroll designs, with beading on shoulders and armholes. Fine cross-bar muslins, dainty embroidered fronts, pretty rose effects embroidered on fronts. Made of fine Persian lawns, beautifully finished and perfectly cut, with long directoire sleeves and high collars, finished with frills of lace. \$1.95.

New Dressing Sacques

WE HAVE just received a special lot of Dressing Sacques from New York. They represent the very latest ideas. They go on sale Thursday at special prices. Call and see them.

Sacque, lawn, striped, in pink, sky or black; collar finished with border or fancy printed lawn, waist belt. Sizes 34 to 42 bust measure. Thursday special 75c.

Sacques, fine dotted Swiss muslin, with pink, brown, black or blue stripe, collar and cuffs of fine embroidery, high neck, satin ribbon bow, gathered at waist. Sizes 34 to 42 bust. Thursday special \$1.50.

Sacques, fine soft batiste, with large and small polka dots, in sky; black or navy, small pocket gathered at waist, finished with fancy braid, and satin bow, wide tucks front, back and sleeves. Sizes 34 to 42 bust. Thursday special \$1.50.



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Welcome Notice for Race Week Preparations

A Special Display of New and Very Exclusive Gown Lengths in the Dress Goods Department.

A large assortment, over 200 lengths, each one exclusive to this store, 7 1/2 to 8 yard lengths, prices ranging from \$16.00 to \$25.00.

Colors—Pale blue, cream, pink, helio, old rose, maize, ashes of roses, apricot, gold, cinnamon, pearl, fawn, taupe, reseda, brown and navy.

Materials—Fancy ottoman cord, stripe directoire satin, silk stripe Irish poplin, silk stripe and check voiles, fancy stripe flannel, silk stripe crepe de chine, silk and wool melrose, silk and wool coutil, satin stripe marquisette, silk meteor cloth.

Some Fashionable Silks

Fancy Silks, in stripes and checks, in all the various sizes, widths and designs; also self-colored dots in the latest shades, 27 inches wide. Checks and stripes come in full color assortment, 20 and 23 inches wide. Launderers' quality, makes very stylish dresses, waists, etc., suitable for street or evening wear. Thursday, 39c yard.

500 yards, one yard wide, Habutal Silk, bright, lustrous weave, firm, heavy quality, will launder and wear well, full 36 inches wide. Thursday, 89c yard.

75 Pieces Natural Shantung Silk, bright, lustrous, knobby weave, now so fashionable for dresses, coats, etc., good width. Thursday, 39c yard.

Long Kid Gloves for 75c a Pair

EVERY inch costs money, and you may have 16-button lengths at this price—75c a pair!

Women's 12 and 16-button Suede Finish Kid Gloves, open at wrist, neat self-stitching, black and white, 5 1/2 to 7, assorted sizes. \$1.50 value. Thursday, 75c.

The New Lorraine Corset Cover

The "Lorraine" Corset Cover, made of fine Swiss, beautifully embroidered in a floral design across the back and front, top of corset cover has small scalloped buttonhole edge with one row of embroidery beading, also straps to match for shoulders, so easily made. Regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 each. Thursday each \$1.10.

For sale in our Embroidery Department.

Groceries for Thursday

2,000 lbs. Fresh Dairy Butter, per lb. 24c.

Finest Sugar Cured Ham, half or whole, per lb. 18c.

Fresh Flaked Wheat, per stone, 50c.

One car Fancy Nuts, Oranges, large size. Regular 60c, per dozen 45c.

Canned Apples, gallon a tin 22c.

Table Syrup, Edwardsburg or Beehive Brand, 5-lb. pail 25c.

Table Salt, in 5-lb. bag, 3 bags 14c.

Canned Chicken Soup, Lawlor Brand, per tin 10c.

Choice White Beans, 7 lbs. 25c.

Imported Wall Papers Reduced

1,000 rolls Imported Parlor Papers, in greens, fawns, greys, silk and two-tone flat effects. Regular to 65c. Thursday, 31c.

1,000 rolls Dining-Room and Hall Papers, tapestry, scenic and conventional designs, in browns, greens, reds, etc. Regular to 25c. Thursday, 19c.

3,000 feet Room Moulding, Regular 2 1/2c. Thursday, 1 1/2c.

1,500 feet Plate Rail, Regular 10c. Thursday, 7 1/2c.

How We Look After the Men!

Our New Footwear Department Gives Them Plenty of Choice Now

NEARLY every man who comes to our new Footwear Department is surprised.

"Biggest and finest shoe store I ever saw," is the common expression.

So it is—one of the very finest on the continent and we have made our provision for men.

First our Victor boots. They won a national reputation at three-fifty. Increased cost of first-class leather forced us to raise the figure to four dollars. We have lately put in some of the very newest lasts and have introduced two more grades into the Victor series. The price list now runs—\$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00. We find that the \$5.00 Victor threatens to be the most popular of the lot.

We have a very large selection of makes and prices besides the Victor, however. You may have any boot you want here, no matter what the style or purpose. We have business men's boots and shanty men's boots—boots for all men at prices that will save unnecessary expense.

Men's Patent Colt Blucher Boots and Oxfords, with dull calf top, Goodyear welted, \$2.49, \$2.95, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00.

Men's Patent Colt Lace Boots and Oxfords at \$4.00 and \$5.00.

Men's Boots and Oxfords, with Dongola kid, also box calf leathers, Blucher and lace styles, Goodyear welted, at \$2.49, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00.

Men's Boots and Oxfords, tan Russia calf leather, Blucher and lace, Goodyear welted, at \$2.49, \$3.50 and \$5.00.

Men's Boots, for workmen, mouliders, farmers, mechanics and lumbermen, heavy soles pegged, McKay sewn, box calf, box kip and Dongola leathers, \$1.99, \$1.69, \$2.49, \$1.29 and \$1.49.