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TORONTO STRIKERS' APPEAL

Minister of Justice Presented With
 Their Formal Application.

Want An Officer Appointed to Enforce
 the Alien Labor Law in Toronto—Pub-
 lic Accounts Committee Holds An Inves-
 tigation—Major Wedderburn Makes An
 Explanation—Military Contingent Given
 A Send-Off—Ottawa City News.

Ottawa, May 6.—(Special).—Mr. Clarke,
 M.P., today handed to the Minister of Jus-
 tice a formal application from Mr. Du Ver-
 net, barister, of Toronto, acting on behalf
 of the striking boot-makers and upholster-
 ers, for the appointment of an officer to
 enforce the alien labor law in Toronto.
 The application was accompanied by af-
 davits stating that what are believed to
 be gross violations of the law are taking
 place in the Queen City. Mr. Clarke, be-
 fore seeing the Minister, asked the Premier
 in the House if an officer had been ap-
 pointed, and was informed that the Gov-
 ernment did not consider an agent neces-
 sary, as they understood the alien work-
 men had been sent out of the country.
 Mr. Clarke promptly told Sir Wilfrid he
 was misinformed, as he had evidence in
 his possession, referring to affidavits Mr.
 Du Vermet had sent him, that these aliens
 were still in Toronto.

Col. Donville's Serenade.
 The action of Col. Donville, M.P., in
 holding on to the rent of the 8th Hussar
 army at Hampton was again investi-
 gated by the Public Accounts Committee.
 Two New Brunswick soldiers, Major Wedderburn
 and Milton Barnes, were called to day to
 testify in the case of the payment of \$300
 last June to Col. Donville, for Milton
 Barnes, as five years' rent to the army
 for the 8th Regiment. Barnes testified
 that he got his rent from Major Wedderburn
 and had received no money from Col.
 Donville. The money was not due him at
 the time.

Major Wedderburn testified that he paid
 \$300 a year rent, but always considered he
 had a claim to Col. Donville from the Gov-
 ernment. This claim had, however, not
 been accepted, he acknowledged.
 Col. Donville made a statement under-
 taken to try and get it for him. Major
 Wedderburn himself made out Barnes' ac-
 count, and Col. Donville made it do so by
 Col. Donville. He and the Colonel had been
 talking over ways and means whereby the
 latter could get the money, but he was told
 Col. Donville that he would lend him
 the money if Mr. Donville could get it.
 He did not know until the following win-
 ter that Col. Donville got the money, and
 Major Wedderburn had not got it back yet.

Yukon Contingent Leaves.
 To the music of the Guards' band the
 Yukon military contingent marched proudly

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 Saturday, 7th May, 1898.

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through the streets to the station to take
 the train to the Pacific coast. A large
 crowd had assembled in Carter-square to
 witness the departure. The Governor,
 General, Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia,
 General Gascoigne, Col. Arlmer and others
 were there. His Excellency made an ad-
 dress to the men. At the railway station
 another large crowd had gathered, includ-
 ing the notabilities named. Hearty cheers
 were given for the Klondikers as the train
 pulled out of the station.

Bits in the Senate.

In the Senate this afternoon the bills
 respecting the Great Northwest Central
 Railway Company, respecting the Vancoo-
 ver, Victoria & Eastern Railway & Navi-
 gation Company, respecting the Canada
 Atlantic Railway Company and to incor-
 porate the Windsor & Detroit River Bridge
 Company, were reported from committee.
 The bills respecting the Ottawa & New
 York Railway Company and to incorporate
 the London & Lake Huron Railway Com-
 pany were read a third time. The bills
 to incorporate the British-American Light
 & Power Company, to incorporate the
 Canadian Mining Institute and to furth-
 amend the act respecting the department
 of the Geological Survey were read a sec-
 ond time.

The amendments made by the Commons
 to the bill to further provide for the
 safety of certain fishermen were concurred
 in. Senator Power remarked that the Sen-
 ators had often been charged with hyper-
 criticism in dealing with Commons bills,
 but that the trivial nature of the amend-
 ments made to this bill showed that the
 hypercriticism did not rest with the Sen-
 ators. The Senate then adjourned.

GRATIFYING TESTIMONIAL.

How His Friends Delighted to Honor Mr.
 R. C. Davidson of the Dadds' Medi-
 cine Company, Limited.

Mr. R. C. Davidson, late of the Land
 Security Co., Ltd., and now of the Dadds' Medi-
 cine Co., Limited, received on Thursday
 evening a most emphatic and gratifying
 proof of the high esteem in which he is
 held by the business men of this city. The
 said proof was in the form of a banquet
 at the Rodeau. Mr. Davidson leaves, with
 his family, next week, for Australia, there
 to establish a branch of the Dadds' Medi-
 cine Co., Limited, and a few of his friends
 decided to seize the opportunity to show
 their appreciation of him.

"Mine Host" Williams had exerted his
 best efforts in preparing for the event, and
 when the company, numbering about forty
 persons, sat down to the banquet table, the
 presence of a very effective spectacle, the
 decorations plain but well selected and ar-
 tistically grouped. The entertainers received
 due attention, after which those present
 under the chairmanship of Dr. Harrington,
 who was assisted by Mr. E. Henderson,
 passed an enjoyable evening in speech and
 song.

The first toast, "The Queen," could not
 be more enthusiastically received than it
 was when proposed by the vice-chairman, Mr.
 J. Mattinson, manager of the London Dry
 Goods Co., Ltd., and Mr. D. M. Waters,
 Belleville, Vice-President of the Dadds' Medi-
 cine Co., in fitting terms conveyed to
 Mr. Davidson expressions of the high esti-
 mation in which the latter is held by his
 friends. He expressed sorrow at the de-
 parture of one so highly and so justly es-
 teemed, but remarked that he was the very
 best man the Dadds' Medicine Co.
 could have secured to carry out the mission
 with which he is entrusted.

Mr. D. M. Waters, Belleville, remarked
 that he had heard, thousands of times the
 commendation that "Dadds' Kidney Pills"
 are the best kidney pills in the world. He
 quite agreed with this, and he was
 gratified that the company had secured
 the services of the best man for this par-
 ticular work. The very best pills and the
 very best man made a combination that
 would be difficult to beat. Mr. Waters
 concluded by expressing his very high re-
 spect for Mr. Davidson, and cordially wel-
 coming him to the Dadds' Medicine Co.
 which he had been said by those who
 preceded him.

Mr. J. A. McKee, President of the Dadds'
 Medicine Co., and Mr. W. Edmondson of
 the firm of Edmondson & Bates, both ex-
 pressed their appreciation of Mr. Davidson,
 his sterling character, and they both ex-
 pressed the conviction that he would make
 a brilliant success of the important mis-
 sion he had undertaken.

Mr. Davidson replied in a brief but very
 expressive address, thanking his friends for
 the indications of good will towards him.
 He could not, he said, find words in which
 to clothe his feelings. But his hearers
 were aware of how he felt. The remem-
 brance of this evening will ever remain a
 bright spot in his memory.

The Ladies' came in for warm adula-
 tion from Messrs. J. A. Devaney and Mr.
 Bates, who responded to the toast ably and
 wittily.

The remainder of the evening was spent
 in song-singing, speech-making, etc., Mr.
 W. E. Dunn's piano selections "bringing
 down the house."

Among those present were: Messrs. J.
 Mattinson, London; D. M. Waters, Belleville;
 D. B. Birrell, York Mills; J. R. G. G.
 W. E. Edmondson; R. J. McKee, manager
 Dadds' Medicine Co., Buffalo, N.Y.; J. A.
 McKee, President Dadds' Medicine Co.,
 Limited, Toronto; J. M. Lester, C. C. Mor-
 ris, J. E. Jones, J. R. Bates, Charles
 Smith, Alex. Willis, Dr. Harrington, E.
 Henderson, John Davidson, A. S. Martin and
 others.

COUNTRY AND SUBURBAN

Toronto Junction, May 6.—(Special).—
 Burglars effected an entrance into the
 store of Mr. Rowntree, Davenport road,
 last night and abstracted \$27 in stamps
 and cash from the postoffice till. They
 first tried the front door by boring a hole
 near where they could turn the key. This
 they gave up and endeavored to pry open
 the top window, but it was fastened. At
 this stage Mrs. Rowntree heard them, but
 thinking the noise might be the awning
 she gave no alarm. Ten minutes later they
 were in through the cellar, and Mrs. Rowntree
 again heard them in the store. Mr.
 Rowntree at once got up and went into the
 store, but concluded it was a false alarm.
 This morning, however, he found the cash
 and stamps gone and a tool with double
 leverage which the burglars in their hurry
 had left behind. The tool was the regular
 one used by professional burglars.

The Fire, Light and Property Wards
 and Waterworks Committees met to-night
 and accepted tenders as follows: Brooks
 & Co., cylinder oil, 40c; L. D. Baranum,
 boiler compound, 40c; Irwin, Wood, Bro-
 col oil and waste at 17c and 8c respec-
 tively; McCall Bros., dynamo oil, 70c;
 James Geig, sewer pipe; Concor Coal Co.,
 coal at \$2.25 and \$2.25; C. W. Batt, lum-
 ber, \$13 per M.

The Management Committee of the Pub-
 lic School Board met to-night and heard
 both sides of the dispute between Mrs.
 Andrews and Miss Smith, teacher in the
 Carlton school. On the one hand it would
 appear that the children are ordered to
 receive corporal punishment for minor
 forms of unruliness, such as tramping too
 hard whilst marching; and on the other
 hand the teachers find it very difficult to
 maintain proper order unless all attempts
 to disturb the classes are not at once sup-

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To-Day the People To-Morrow the Preacher

If you intend to listen to him without
 distraction ought you not to-day attend to a
 few things of special worldly interest? For
 example, to-morrow when you've assumed a
 devout attitude and accidentally open your
 eyes, had they not better rest upon neat,
 shapely footwear—or the new shining brand
 in your upturned hat? Will not the set of
 your collar or the creases in your clothing
 disturb you unless you allow us to provide
 against the wrinkles and wrynesses in which
 your enemy lurks? If you got nothing but
 the comfort for the prices we name below,
 you would be compensated, but you get the
 outfit as well.

Men's Furnishings.

Men's Extra Fine Two-Strip Brown Bal-
 brigan Shirts and Drawers, extra fine
 satin facing, ribbed cuff, and
 ankles, special each.....50c

Men's Fine White Undershirted Shirts,
 full size good quality, reinforced
 fronts, made with 4-ly front and band,
 reg. 40c, special each.....25c

Men's Bicycle Hose, in all-wool fancy
 mixtures, with fancy roll top, with or
 without feet, special, reg. 35c.....35c

Men's Fine Two-Strip Thread Brown Bal-
 brigan Shirts and Drawers, in all sizes,
 finished with ribbed cuff and ankles,
 extra special, reg. 40c per gar-
 ment, for.....25c

Men's Shops.

Men's Genuine Lace Boots, extension
 sole, coin toes, new goods, reg. \$2,
 special.....\$1.75

Men's American Saddle Calf Lace Boots,
 good year well, London toe, reg. \$3,
 special.....\$2.50

Men's Tan Box Calf Lace Boots, good
 year well sewn, New York toe, reg.
 \$4, special.....\$3.50

Men's Patent Leather Elastic-side Boots,
 cloth tops, hand turned soles, dim-
 toes, reg. \$4, special.....\$3.50

Extra Special in Men's Shirts

25 doz. Men's Fine Fancy Cambric Shirts,
 some with two collars and one pair of cuffs,
 in fancy green and heliotrope shades, others
 open front with one pair of cuffs to match,
 in fancy stripes, goods sold regularly at
 75c and \$1, special.....49c

Men's Hats.

Men's Extra Fine Quality English Fur
 Hats, in all colors, and styles, plain or
 fancy bands, large, medium or small
 brims, in slate, cash, brown, hazel,
 heaver, pearl or black, best bindings
 and smooth, sizes 7 1/4 to 8 1/4,
 special.....\$2.00

Men's English Fur Felt Hats, very
 fine quality, newest brown and fawn
 shades, also brown and black, in half
 square or round crowns, round or
 open brims, very latest and correct
 spring shapes, reg. \$3, special.....\$2.00

Men's Latest London Style Silk Hats,
 pure silk covered bodies, lined with
 fine white silk-very dress fitting hats,
 reg. \$5, special.....\$3.00

Men's Soft Hats, large, full shape, fine
 English fur felt, pure silk bindings,
 in slate, cash, brown, hazel,
 dark colored leather sweatbands, in
 half and round crowns, sizes 7 1/4 to 8 1/4,
 special.....\$1.50

Men's or Youth's Caps, in assorted colors,
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35 only Men's Suits, in all-wool Scotch
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 ored and finished; these suits were made
 to sell at \$8, and they are well worth
 it, special Saturday.....\$5.00

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 fawn color, French facings, perfect cut,
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Boys' Jersey Suits in blue, black and
 brown, made with sailor collar trimmed
 with colored braid and bound with silk
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The Dominion Bank.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend
 of five per cent. on the capital stock of
 this institution has been declared for
 the current quarter, and that the same
 will be payable at the Banking House in
 this city, on and after
 MONDAY, THE 22ND DAY OF MAY NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from
 the 20th to the 30th of April next, both
 days inclusive.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
 of the Shareholders for the election of
 Directors for the ensuing year will be held
 at the Banking House, in this city, on
 Wednesday, the 25th day of May next, at
 11 o'clock of the forenoon.

By order of the Board,
 K. E. GAMBLE,
 General Manager.

Toronto, 28th March, 1898.

FREELAND LOAN & SAVINGS CO.

DIVIDEND NO. 77.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend
 of five per cent. on the capital stock of
 this institution has been declared for
 the current half year, payable
 on and after the first day of May next,
 at the office of the company, corner of Vic-
 toria and Richmond streets, in this city.

The Transfer Books will be closed from
 the 15th to the 31st of May, both days in-
 clusive