

JOHN CATTO & SON

Store Closes Daily at 5:30 p.m.
Saturday (during August), 1 p.m.

CLEARING MUSLIN WASH DRESSES

We are clearing the balance of our stock of Fine White Muslin Wash Dresses at \$4.50 and \$7.50, these prices being from 20 to 33 1-3 per cent. below regular.

CLEARING FANCY TWEED AND PLAIN CLOTH SUITS

We are also clearing the balance of this season's Ladies' New York Cloth and Tweed Suits at \$10 to \$25, were \$15 to \$45.

CLEARING CLOTHING AND TWEED COATS

The balance of Misses' and Ladies' Coats, including cloths, covers, tweeds, etc., etc. Formerly as high as \$50, now selling at HALF PRICE.

LINENS

Pure Linen Damask Tablecloths, 2 x 2 yards, 2 x 2 1-2 yards, 2 x 3 yards, up to 2 1-2 x 6 yards, slightly imperfect, some only counter-soiled. Clearing at two-thirds regular prices.

Napkins, tea and dinner sizes, broken lines from our regular stock, which were bought at the old price—All substantially reduced.

FANCY LINENS

Hemstitched Tray Cloths, Doilies, Table Covers, Teacloth Centres and Carvers, all fine Japanese and Russian handwork, to be cleared—Lot at \$1. lot at \$2.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Hemstitched and Tinted Irish Linen Handkerchiefs (unlaundered). Special, \$1.25 dozen.

BOATING SHAWLS

All styles, most reasonably marked.

WHITE SHIRT WAISTS

Splendid values in all grades, with special at 95c and \$1.50 each.

FOULARD SILKS

Balance of stock at 42c per yard.

JOHN CATTO & SON

King-street—Opposite Postoffice, TORONTO.

LEAGUE WILL SPREAD

Meeting Will Be Held in Brantford to Form Branch.

The executive of the British Welcome League last night decided to send a deputation to Brantford to address a public meeting to be called shortly for the organization of a branch.

Ald. Andrews visited The World office and said he considered that the World never started a more useful institution, and he was glad to see that from such small beginnings an organization had sprung up that reflected the greatest credit upon all associated with its management.

He had thought the government should take up the work and endeavor to distribute labor all over the province where it was most needed, but now he was convinced that the Welcome League, if it had branches established throughout the province, could and would do the work far more efficiently than any government bureau.

The present system of dealing with new arrivals was an injustice to every one.

Great efforts were made in the old country to induce people to come to Canada; promises were made that work would be provided for all yet when the immigrants arrived here, unless he was prepared to accept farm work, utterly regardless of his fitness for it, he was left to his own resources, with the result that Toronto and other large centres were congested with unemployed and discontented men.

NORTH TORONTO.

Efforts of Finance Committee to Cut Estimates Failed.

NORTH TORONTO, Aug. 6.—The finance committee of the town council took up the estimates at a night's meeting. It was found that the committee had pretty well kept the expenses down to actual necessities. The total amount was \$1,413,219, and the amount to be levied \$27,780, which will make a rate of 19.2 mills, the same as last year.

But for extraordinary expenditures of \$4000 on schools, a reduced rate would have been possible. The committee decided to allow Assessor Whaley \$25 for expenses, in addition to his salary.

Sydney, the young son of J. J. Gartshore, who broke his left arm this afternoon by falling from a fire arm tree. Dr. Bond reduced the fracture.

STEELE'S CORNERS.

City Man Injured Thru Runaway Accident on Yonge Street.

STEELE'S CORNERS, Aug. 6.—While a southbound car on the Metropolitan Railway was nearing the crossing yesterday, a short distance north of Steele's Hotel, the rapidly moving car frightened a horse belonging to T. Jerome, 114 St. David-street, causing it to run away, upsetting the rig, throwing Mr. Jerome on the side of the road. Mr. Jerome, in an unconscious condition, was brought to the surgery of Dr. Jeffs, and later to his own home, where Dr. Coatsworth attended him, and reports that while Mr. Jerome received a terrible shaking up his injuries are not serious.

SIR HUGH ALLAN IN WEST.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 6.—Sir H. Montague Allan of the Allan Steamship Co., and president of the Merchants' Bank, arrived in this city this morning from the west. It is his first trip thru in 21 years. He deployed the appearance in the wheat fields of wild mustard.

Sir Montague left for the east this morning. He is accompanied by Lady Allan and Miss Strathly of Montreal.

WINDSOR SALT—because

it's pure, fine, clean, dry; piquant—used by most people all the time

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Aug. 6.—(5 p.m.)—With the exception of a few light scattered showers, chiefly confined to Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, the weather has been fair to-day in all portions of the Dominion.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-58; Vancouver, 54-57; Edmonton, 42-57; Prince Albert, 53-65; Calgary, 54-62; Winnipeg, 52-70; Pelly Sound, 64-76; Toronto, 60-80; Ottawa, 56-70; Montreal, 58-65; Quebec, 55-70; St. John, 52-64; Halifax, 52-73.

Probabilities. Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh southerly to westerly winds, mostly fair and decidedly warm; local thunderstorms.

Saskatchewan and Alberta—A few scattered showers, but for the most part fair; stationary or a little higher temperature.

THE BAROMETER.

Time.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.
8 a.m.	65	29.61	S. S. W.
Noon	80	29.63	14 S.
2 p.m.	81	29.63	14 S.
4 p.m.	77	29.63	14 S.
6 p.m.	69	29.62	6 N.
10 p.m.	61	29.62	6 N.

Mean daily, 70; difference from average, 2 above, highest, 81; lowest, 50.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Aug. 6	At	From
K. P. Wilhelm	New York	Bremen
Caronia	Quebec	New York
K. W. der Grosse	Cherbourg	New York
Koenigstein	Algeria	New York
Slavonia	Naples	New York
Liguria	Genoa	New York

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TODAY IN TORONTO.

Duss and His Band at Hanlan's. This afternoon at 3.—

1. Overture—"Zanetta".....Auber
2. "The Swan".....Liszt
3. "March—Jordan's Ripples".....Duss
4. "For your good old River Jordan immortalized in song and verse, flowed placidly along its course; the great amount of so-called ragtime music during the last few years, however, finally ruffled its surface, hence we have 'Jordan's Ripples.'"

5. "Rhapsodie Hongroise II.".....Liszt
6. "Duo for Cornet and Euphonium—'Home to Our Mountains' from 'Trovatore'.....Verdi
(Messrs. McCann and Funaro.)

7. "Rhapsodie Hongroise II.".....Liszt
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WATSON'S SCOTCH



AGE AND QUALITY GUARANTEED

McGAW & RUSSELL

Agents TORONTO

TENDERS FOR LIGHTING OPENED AT HAMILTON

Building Trades Council Want Investigation Into an Alleged Case of "Graft."

HAMILTON, Aug. 6.—(Special.)—The board of works this evening opened tenders for the new street lighting contract to start July 1, 1909. There were but two tenders for electric and two for gas lamps. The figure quoted by the Cataract Company was \$65 a lamp for a five-year contract, and \$80 for a ten-year contract. Chisholm & Logie put in a tender at \$60 a lamp for a five-year contract and \$75 a lamp for a ten-year contract. The hydro-electric power commission estimates that it would cost the city about \$41 a year per lamp, with a capital expenditure of about \$12,000. The American Street Lighting Company quoted a rate of \$41 and \$30 a lamp for a five and ten-year contract, respectively, and the Hamilton Gas Light Company, \$31.50 and \$23.50. The Building Trades Council asked for an investigation into the charges made against a contractor or city foreman named Henry, that he opened up pay envelopes of his men, who were on the city pay rolls at 37 cents an hour, and deducted from 5 to 7 cents an hour, putting the balance in his pocket. The investigation was turned over to the fire committee, for whom Mr. Henry did the work. In his defence it is claimed that he was not a foreman, but was a contractor, and had the right to pay his men the rate of wages he saw fit. The names of the men having been placed on the city payrolls by mistake. The street railway, which ignores the orders of the board of works, and widened the devil-strip on Herkimer-street, will be required to restore the tracks to their former position unless it contributes to the cost of paving the street. The Radial's application for a freight by private right to run a freight car south of Cannon-street, from Birch-avenue to near the corner of Wilkes-street and Sanford-avenue, will be opposed.

A Pertinent Query. The delegates to the convention of firemen engineers were entertained this evening at a concert in the Savoy Theatre. Mayor Stewart gave an address of welcome, and the other speakers were: Adam Stucholme, M.L.A.; John J. Hannahan, grand master; Chas. A. Wilson, vice-grand master, and Mrs. Sergeant.

The grand master said he did not see why the Canadian railways could not pay their employees as much as the United States railways, in view of the fact that they charged greater rates. A musical program was also given. Eugene V. Ball, Brantford, third vice-grand master, presided.

VESTRY MEETING AT ST. AIDAN'S

Appointment of Officers for the Balmby Beach Church.

St. Aidan's Anglican congregation of Balmby Beach met last evening to organize its first regular vestry. The meeting was presided over by the Rev. W. L. Baynes-Reed, rector of Norway, of whose parish St. Aidan's is as yet a part. There were present as well as Rev. E. A. McIntyre, the present incumbent, and Rev. Canon Welch, the rural dean of Toronto. After about 45 had signed the vestry roll the following officers were appointed: Rector, W. L. Baynes-Reed; people's warden, H. H. Hardy; E. R. Case, J. E. Hannah, H. L. Willmot; finance committee, C. B. Wats, G. M. Ritchie, E. R. Case, W. C. Cole, E. R. Babbington, W. Collins and C. D. Wreyford.

J. A. Klein, assistant business manager of the New York Press, is in the city.

Cheap Form of Insurance.

You are insured against corns and bunions by the purchase of a single 25c bottle of Putnam's Corn Extractor; it cures painlessly in 24 hours; try it.

BREAK THRU POLICE LINE TO RESCUE WATCHMAN

Heroic Action of Three Men Saves Another From Deck of Burning Shamrock.

Breaking thru the police lines and taking their lives in their hands, three young men at yesterday morning's fire at the ferry wharf saved a man from death, by rescuing him from the burning of the Shamrock. The rescuers were: Robert Johnson, Dave Barry and Leodore Cohen. The man rescued was the watchman on the Shamrock, William Duff, Jr. The young men were standing at the corner of York and King, when their attention was attracted by the reflection in the sky. They ran to the waterfront, and, boarding the ferry John Argyle Wharf, which in the morning the Shamrock, took down a lifeboat and rowed to the burning boat.

The lifeboat was drawn up alongside the Shamrock and the watchman jumped to safety. In doing so, however, he almost upset the boat, and in the excitement the party had some difficulty in saving themselves.

For the remainder of the season the Bay-street Wharf will be deserted, except for the workmen who will be employed in the tearing down and rebuilding of the sheds.

Boats for the island now leave the Argyle Wharf, which in the course of a day or two will be fixed up so as to give good accommodation to the public. Fifty men were on the boat yesterday on it.

The toll caused by the fire will be about \$25,000, distributed as follows: Shamrock, with fittings, wiring, etc., \$20,000; waiting-rooms and wharf, \$4000. The insurance was: Shamrock, \$10,000; waiting-rooms, wharf, etc., \$12,000.

The Shamrock was one of the oldest ships of the fleet, being about twenty-five years in service. She was built by John Clendenning at his boat building establishment, which was then situated at the foot of York-street. She has been rebuilt twice and refitted several times.

The burning of the Shamrock will necessitate the building of another boat to take her place.

Two new ferries will be placed on the harbor next season. They will be of the Bluebell type.

The safe in the Perry Company's office was pulled out after the fire and there were thousands of papers found intact.

Fir's Great Headway. How the fire spread so rapidly was a puzzle to the officers of the department. Deputy Chief Noble was driving down Dundas-street, returning from the fire at Hanks' Planning Mill, on Lansdowne-avenue, when he saw the glare in the sky. He had passed Bathurst-street on Queen before an alarm began to ring. Bay-street firemen were on their way in response to a still alarm, and Lombard-street sections had also started on an alarm from the man on the floor watch, who saw the reflection, before the going began to ring.

PIMPLES

"I used all kinds of blood remedies which failed to do me any good but I have found the right thing. My face was full of pimples and black heads. After taking Cascarets they all left. I am confident the use of them and recommending them to my friends, I feel free when I rise in the morning to have a chance to recommend Cascarets."

Fred C. Wilson, 70 Elm St., Newark, N. J.

Best For The Bowels
Cascarets
CANDY CATHARTIC
THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

What has become of the maid you thought "Wick a price?"
"O! I had to let her go," replied the second fashionable woman. "After her operation for appendicitis she thought she was one of us."—Philadelphia Ledger.

ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

W. A. Murray & Co. Limited

During July and August Store Closes at 5 p.m.
Saturday at 1 p.m.

Dainty Lingerie Dresses

To Clear at \$10.50.

On looking through our stock of Summer Lingerie Dresses, we find that we have too many at \$15, \$16.50 and \$20, so we have picked out quite a number of dresses from all these lots, and have put them in one big collection to clear at a bargain price. They are all brand-new models, made of sheer fine white muslin and fine lawns, embroidery trimmed, lace trimmed and embroidered effects. Really this is one of the best offerings we have had in these summer dresses, but we have a large stock which must be reduced.

Be sure and see this line. On sale Thursday morning, for 10.50

LEATHER HAND BAG

\$11.50
How would a nice hand bag do to replace your Suit Case for a change? We might suggest one of our special ones, which we have in a nice large size, made of the best quality solid leather with two handles and brass locks and catches, chocolate, tan or brown color. Very special 11.50

WOMEN'S PURSES

\$3.00 UP
All the latest designs in Women's Purses and Shopping Bags are now on view in our bag section, made in all the newest skins and lined in silk and leather in numerous colors and fitted with mirror, card case, coin purse, powder puff, 18.50

W. A. Murray & Co. Limited

100 Queen St. W., Toronto.

The Health of the Nation Will Be Improved by the Use of

COWAN'S

Perfection

(MAPLE LEAF LABEL)

Pure, nutritious and easily digested.

THE COWAN CO., Ltd. TORONTO

IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

G.T.P. and C.N.R. Discuss Plans for Winnipeg Terminal.

An important railway conference is being held in the city to determine the final arrangements for the union terminal station at Winnipeg of the Grand Trunk Pacific and Canadian Northern.

The G.T.P. is represented by General Manager Hays, Vice-President and General Manager P. W. Morse, and the solicitor of the G.T.P., Percy Tate. The Canadian Northern is represented by Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann, and Z. K. Laish, K.C. The conference is also attended by the West-Inglish, Church, Kerr & Co. of New York, engineers, and Warren & Wetmore, architects, of New York.

The proceedings are being conducted in strict privacy. It is understood an agreement was reached on several important matters yesterday. The deliberation of the outstanding points will be resumed to-day, and a satisfactory solution of the difficult problem is expected to be made.

STABBED DOZEN TIMES.

OTTAWA, Aug. 6.—(Special.)—Arthur Charbonneau early this morning was stabbed over a dozen times.

An altercation arose in an Italian saloon on Rochester-street and was followed by a fight.

One blow struck his neck and only a tough collar saved his life.

BEATEN AND ARRESTED

Wife Puts Husband in Hospital and Would Put Him in Jail.

William Cathcart, 650 West Queen-street, waged battle with his wife July 25. William went to the General Hospital with a broken pate. His good lady having smitten him with a stick, Mrs. Cathcart went to the police court clerk and secured a warrant for his arrest for assault.

Sergeant, he was sufficiently recovered to be removed from the hospital.

\$1.50 WHEAT.

SASKATOON, Sask., Aug. 6.—General Manager O'Grady of the Northern Bank said to-day that his advice to farmers is to hold wheat. The price will surely go above the dollar mark, and possibly to \$1.50.

THIS LOOKS GOOD.

BRANDON, Man., Aug. 6.—Samples of wheat were brought into the city to-day from the farm of J. C. Miller, north of Brandon. The wheat measured 57 inches, and was a splendid sample. There are thousands of acres of such wheat north of Brandon.

Hardy's Bad Fall. Hardy, the high wire artist, who is performing this week at Scarborough Beach, is suffering somewhat from the effects of a fall from the Wonderland Park