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CLEARING MUSLIN WASH DRESSES We are clearing the balance of our stock of Fine White Muslin Wash Dresses, etc., at \$4, \$5 and \$7.50, these prices being from 20 to 33 1/3 per cent. below regular.

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LINENS Pure Linen Damask Tablecloths, 2 x 2 yards, 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 yards, 2 1/2 x 3 yards, up to 2 1/2 x 6 yards, slightly imperforate, only counter-sold. Clearing at two-thirds regular prices.

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WHITE SHIRT WAISTS Splendid values in all grades, with specials 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 carried a more noble, 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 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 they were prepared to accept farm work, utterly regardless of its 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 to-night's meeting. An effort was made to reduce the estimates by \$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 was killed by a horse on the G.T.R. stand between these change boxes tracked south of west.

STEELE'S CORNERS. City Man Injured Through 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 car, throwing Mr. Jerome on the side of the road.

WINDSOR SALT—because it's pure, fine, clean, dry; piquant—is 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, 52-65; Calgary, 34-52; Winnipeg, 52-70; Pelly Sound, 64-75; Toronto, 60-80; Ottawa, 66-79; Montreal, 58-69; Quebec, 62-79; St. John, 52-62; 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 BAROMETRICAL. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 65 29.61 S.S.W. Noon 71 29.63 14 S. 2 p.m. 77 29.63 14 S. 4 p.m. 77 29.62 6 N. 10 p.m. 69 29.62 6 N. Mean 71.5; range, 10; difference from average, 2 above, highest, 8; lowest, 6.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Aug. 6 At From K. P. Wilhelm, New York Bremen Caronia, Queenstown New York K. W. de Grosse, Cherbourg New York Koenigstein, Gibraltar New York Slavonia, Naples New York Liguria, Genoa New York

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TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Duss and His Band at Hanlan's. This Afternoon at 3.—Part I. 1. Overture—"Zanetta" Auber 2. "Twilight in the Mountains" Ellenberg 3. March—"Jordan's Ripples" Duss (For years the 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.") 4. Duo for Cornet and Euphonium—"Home to Our Mountains" Verdi ("Trovatore" (Messrs. McCann and Finlay).)

5. Rhapsodie Hongroise II. Liszt—Part II. 6. Excerpts from "Lucrezia Borgia" Donizetti 7. Grand National Ballet Suite, Sullivan "Victoria and Merrie England" (a) Andante—Introduction, Berceuse and Druid's March. (b) Allegro—Mistake Dance. (c) Allegro Con Spirito—Allegro Maestoso—May Day. 8. "Moonlight in the Forest" La Thiere 9. Valse—"Sobre las Olas" Rosas

At Scarborough Beach. The following program will be rendered by Raven and his concert band in the resorting band and evening: Weber Overture to "Der Freischutz" Weber Waltz—"Waltz and Tango" Mantie March Popularity Colman

Band in Clarence Square. The Queen's Own Band, under the direction of Bandmaster G. F. Timpon, will render the following program in Clarence-square, this evening: 1. March—"Amistad" J. T. Hall 2. Grand Concert Waltz—"The Wedding" J. A. Miller 3. Grand Selection—"Robert Bruce" J. A. Miller 4. Grand Selection—"Faddy Whack" J. A. Miller 5. Serenade—"Mourning" G. A. Miller 6. Voyage in a Troopship—"G. A. Miller" 8. Broadway Hits (popular) F. A. Miller

DEATHS. LAWRENCE—At 20 Helena-avenue, Wyckwood Park, on Tuesday, Aug. 6th, 1907, Robert Leslie, beloved child of Robert and Nellie Lawrence, aged 3 years 8 months.

Funeral on Wednesday, at 3 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

NAUFFTS—On Aug. 5, 1907, William H. Nauffts, aged 65 years, died at his late residence, 117 Dundas-street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Funeral on Wednesday, at 3 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Customs traffic are complicated. Friction wastes energy. Bring your entries to us. Ordinary entries 50c. Maurice G. Thompson, Customs Broker, 60 Yonge-street.

A Summer Paradise. Many hundreds of enthusiastic lovers of Muskoka reach their favorite haunt by way of Muskoka Wharf. This will remain the principal gateway to the lakes. The Grand Trunk Muskoka Express leaves Toronto at 11:20 a.m. This train is acknowledged by travelers to be the finest on this route. The Night Express leaves at 2:40 a.m. (sleeper open at 10:00 p.m.) arrives Muskoka Wharf 6:25, connecting with stage to Raghib Sagamog, or points on Muskoka Lakes.

Automobiles for hire—experienced drivers. Phone Main 3658. Motor Cycle Company, 181 King West.

Cruelty to Horses. MONTREAL, Aug. 6.—The officers of the Association for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals made a round-up of the Chamby Canal tow-path horses and found that nine of them were unfit to work. Seven of the owners were fined.

WATSON'S SCOTCH WHISKY. AGE AND QUALITY GUARANTEED. McGAW & RUSSELL Agents TORONTO. Includes image of a whisky bottle and a hand holding a glass.

TENDERS FOR LIGHTING OPENED AT HAMILTON

Building Trades Council Want Investigation Into 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, 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 a tender at \$60 a lamp for a five-year contract and \$65 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 \$12,000. The American Street Lighting Company quoted a rate of \$31 and \$30 a lamp for five and ten-year contracts, 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 the envelopes of his men, who were on the civic 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 had 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 civic 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 switch running by the fire station south of Cannon-street, from Birch-avenue to near the corner of Wilton-street and Sanford-avenue, will be opposed.

A Pertinent Query. The delegates to the convention of firemen and 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 Stadhilme, 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 employes as much as the United States, 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 Balmly Beach Church.

St. Aidan's Anglican congregation of Balmly 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, the Grand and Rev. Canon Welch, the rural dean of Toronto. After about 45 had signed the vestry roll the following officers were appointed: Rector, W. H. Hannahan; grand master, Fred Essex, Chas. W. M. Campbell, W. C. Cole, H. L. Willmot; finance committee, C. B. Wats, G. M. Richter, E. R. Case, W. C. Cole, E. R. Babington, 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 Extract; it cures painless 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 Isadore Cohen. The man rescued was the watchman on the Shamrock. The young men were standing at the corner of York and King, when their attention was attracted by the refection in the sky. They ran to the waterfront, and boarding the ferry John Hanlan, cut her from her moorings. They saw a man on the stern of 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 building the sheds.

Boats for the island now leave the foot of York-street. She has been rebuilt twice and refitted several times. Fifty men were at work 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 beating establishment, which was 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 valuable papers were found intact.

Fir's Great Headway. How fast the fire spread is puzzling 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 in Bay-street. The fire was in the foot of York-street and Lombard-street sections had also started on an alarm from the man on the floor watch, who saw the refection, before the gong began to ring.

PIMPLES

I used all kinds of blood remedies which failed to do me any good but I have found the right one. My face was all pimples and my skin was all raw. After taking Cascarets they all left. I am continuing the use of them and recommending them to my friends. I feel like when I rise in the morning I have a chance to recommend Cascarets. Fred C. Wilson, 75 Elm St., Newark, N. J.



Best For The DOWELS. THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP. ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES.

VOLUNTEER FIREMEN

A. J. Fisher Elected President—Thorold Next Year.

WALLACEBURG, Aug. 6.—(Special)—The Volunteer Firemen's Association to-day elected the following officers: President, A. J. Fisher, Thorold; 1st vice-president, Robert Logan, Wallaceburg (re-elected); 2nd vice-president, Charles Allen, Brampton; secretary, G. A. Thomas, Niagara Falls; treasurer, William Miller, Smith's Falls.

Executive committee—S. A. Moffat, Merriton, chairman; W. Birrell, Hamilton; W. J. Armstrong, Toronto; J. A. Robertson, Brampton.

Committee on games—H. Webber, Niagara Falls; A. Martin, Thorold; A. Bradley, Riddell; R. A. Merriton, J. A. Waidie, Milton; C. Brennan, Merriton.

Printing committee—Geo. A. Thomas, Niagara Falls; W. J. Armstrong, Toronto; J. A. Robertson, Brampton.

Committee on laws and legislation—R. Clark, Merriton; J. A. Waidie, Niagara Falls; Geo. A. Thomas, Niagara Falls; W. Shriver, Thorold; E. F. Earl, Milton.

Membership committee—Robt. LeGrand, Wallaceburg; H. Doddimus, Niagara Falls; E. F. Earl, Milton; J. W. Johnson, Riddell; R. A. Merriton; C. Allen, Brampton; John Kelly, Oshawa; William Duff, Jr., Trenton; D. Warner, Dresden; T. Gamble, Acton.

Special committee to divide the province into districts—W. Birrell, Hamilton; W. J. Armstrong, Toronto; J. A. Robertson, Brampton; R. Clark, Merriton; E. F. Earl, Milton; W. Shriver, Thorold; F. O. Reilly, Niagara Falls.

Thorold was chosen as the next place of meeting and the date Aug. 4, 1908.

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.

Least night fair at Wonderland Park. There are thousands of acres of such wheat north of Brandon.

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 at Wonderland Park. A few weeks ago, in attempting to ride an ordinary street bicycle across the wire the rear wheel missed the platform, breaking two of his ribs and causing other injuries which the doctors said might prevent him going on with his stunt this week, but under the greatest difficulties.

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

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LEATHER HAND BAG \$11.50. WOMEN'S PURSES \$3.00 UP. All the latest designs in Women's Purse 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, etc. \$3.00 to \$18.50 special.

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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., Darcy Tate. The Canadian Northern is represented by Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann, and Z. K. Lash, K.C. There are also present members of 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 Chabonneau early this morning was stabbed over a dozen times. An altercation arose in an Italian saloon on Rochester-street and blows followed words. One blow struck his neck and only a tough collar saved his life.

HOW YOU CAN BE STRONG AT ANY AGE.

There's no rational excuse for a man who is not yet sixty years old grunting and complaining about pains in his back, stiffness in his shoulders and legs, that "tired feeling," weak back, nervousness, indigestion, constipation and failure of vitality. It should not be. Nature started you with a constitution that ought to have held you good until you are eighty, and you ought to feel like a boy now. But you have overdone some things and wasted your vitality. You still have the constitution, but the force, that electricity you know that electricity will restore it. It is curing men of all sorts of nervous troubles, stomach troubles and many special ailments, who had wasted their earnings by reason of drugs without getting benefit. It cures them while they sleep by restoring vigorous strength to every ailing part of the body.

My Electric Belt is easily, comfortably worn next to the body during the night, and gives out a continuous stream of that strengthening, nerve-feeding force which is the basis of all health.

Stronger in Every Way. Dear Sir,—I have been wearing your belt for just six weeks now, and it is wonderful the good it has done me. I feel stronger in every way and need not take one drop of medicine.—R. A. McGRATH, South River, Ont.

Dear Sir,—Having passed the critical time in which I expected to have the rheumatism return on me, have had a year ago since I was had, I thought I would let you

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