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TWO HUNDRED JACKETS TO CHOOSE FROM



AT \$5.00—Handsome Jacket of Black Cloth, lined through, lapels faced with fine silk, 26 inches long, semi-fitting back, velvet collar. You cannot find any better elsewhere for \$5.00.

AT \$8.50—26 inch Jacket made of Oxford Golf Cloth, perfectly tailored, patch pockets with button and button hole on pocket flap. You will agree with us that this is the most stylish coat that you have seen.

AT \$10.00—Handsome Black Coat of Kersey and Frieze, 28, 32 and 36 inches long, made of extra fine cloths and linings by the best men tailors.

And so we could go on telling you of them, but we will not say any more this time, only to invite you to come and see the garments for yourself. It will be time well spent.

Regular \$1.50 Frieze Dress Goods For \$1.00 a Yard

Not often you get a chance like this of buying Frieze Dress Goods, the most fashionable material in the market, made of pure wool, 60 in. wide, at one third less than regular price. The supply is limited; better get your share while it's going.

Underwear

We feel like boasting about our Underwear, it is so superior to what is being generally sold, and the reason for it is simply this, that we went direct to the mills for it and bought in such large quantities that we are enabled to sell at about a less than you usually pay.

AT 50c—Men's pure wool Underwear, fine and soft, trimmings of shirts and drawers extra good, in fact the garments are equal to what you formerly paid 75c for.

AT 50c—Fleece Lined Underwear, extra heavy and soft fleece, superior finish; just like your 75c shirt of last year.

And all the other qualities up to \$5 a suit.

Aue Saxony Blankets

Perhaps you have heard of this celebrated line of blankets, nothing equal to them in Canada, high, lofty finish, fancy blue or pink borders and the prices are only

\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00

Furs

If there is one thing more than another in which quality figures prominently it is furs. You must have quality in order to have a garment that will give satisfaction. Our fur experience and connection with the fur trade extending over half a century, enables us to place before you garments of the very best quality at the lowest possible prices—we guarantee every fur we sell.

Thomas Stone & Son

New Fall Furnishings For Gentlemen

It is fall in our Furnishing Department no matter what the weather is outside. Everything in it is suggestive of cold weather. Our large and pleasing varieties will particularly interest men who wish an extensive assortment for their choosing. Take our glove stock as an example—it's the most complete in town, the best English, French and American makers are represented; a big variety of gloves for walking, driving and dress. Fownes, Dents, Per makes.

Kid \$1, 1.50, 2, 2.25 and \$2.50
Cape \$1, 1.50, 2, 2.25 and \$3
Suede \$1 and 1.50

UNDERWEAR

Don't believe we ever met a season in better shape than this—lines are brimful of variety and value, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$20, \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40, \$45, \$50, \$55, \$60, \$65, \$70, \$75, \$80, \$85, \$90, \$95, \$100, \$110, \$120, \$130, \$140, \$150, \$160, \$170, \$180, \$190, \$200, \$210, \$220, \$230, \$240, \$250, \$260, \$270, \$280, \$290, \$300, \$310, \$320, \$330, \$340, \$350, \$360, \$370, \$380, \$390, \$400, \$410, \$420, \$430, \$440, \$450, \$460, \$470, \$480, \$490, \$500, \$510, \$520, \$530, \$540, \$550, \$560, \$570, \$580, \$590, \$600, \$610, \$620, \$630, \$640, \$650, \$660, \$670, \$680, \$690, \$700, \$710, \$720, \$730, \$740, \$750, \$760, \$770, \$780, \$790, \$800, \$810, \$820, \$830, \$840, \$850, \$860, \$870, \$880, \$890, \$900, \$910, \$920, \$930, \$940, \$950, \$960, \$970, \$980, \$990, \$1000.

The 2 T's

Sole Agents for New Clothing and Suits

Your Money Will Walk

Away from you this winter if your children are not properly shod. Nothing cuts such a hole in the pocket book as poor school shoes.



School Shoes

Turrill's 93 KING ST.

Local Agent for Empress Shoe

ST. THOMAS BUSINESS COLLEGE

re-opened Tuesday, Sept. 3rd, with the largest number of students in attendance in the history of the college, at a September opening. This is further evidence that the public appreciate

"THOROUGH INSTRUCTION." Our High Standing at last year's examinations of the Business Educators' Association of Canada has become generally known, and a very large increase in our attendance is the result. Come to St. Thomas if you want the best training.

H. T. GOUGH, Principal, St. Thomas, Ont.

E. Putnam Market House only kills young heifers and guarantees tender meat. All meats hung one week before being offered for sale. Phone 264

REAL REIGN OF TERROR

No'orious Whitecaps Have The Villagers at Their Wits' End.

Family Victims of Dastard Outrages—Orchard Fruit Covered with Paris Green.

East Liverpool, O., Oct. 16.—To say that the exploits of whitecaps have caused a reign of terror in Highlandtown, a little village about six miles southwest of here, is putting it mildly. All that section of the country is so excited by the latest developments that little else is thought of or talked about.

Summer McPherson, the young man who was poisoned by an apple into which the whitecaps had put paris green, has gone through a terrible siege of sickness, but is now out of danger. The whole family is in such mortal terror lest there should be poison in the food they eat or the water they drink that they live in constant mental torture.

Since the McPherson poisoning episode more anonymous letters, threatening arson, murder and torture, have come to light. John Stroudoff and John C. Clager, neighbors of the McPhersons, have found such letters on their premises. The whitecap notices are sometimes dropped in the roads or in the fields, and sometimes tucked to outbuildings and fences. They are written in a disguised hand, but evidently by a person of good education.

It now transpires that every apple that could be reached on certain trees in McPherson's orchard had been treated or sprinkled with paris green, and the trees on which the miscreants had put in their work were those containing choice eating apples. McPherson derived a good income from his orchard, but now he dures not eat apples from it, and he would not think of selling them. He also fears that his cows may be poisoned and the milk rendered deadly.

Not a vegetable or any food product is now used in the family until it is subjected to the closest scrutiny.

Two theories are current. One is that insane persons are responsible for the mischief and the murderous plot. The other is that persons who want to get McPherson's farm cheap are persecuting him systematically, and occasionally annoying other neighbors to divert attention.

R. Smith, the seed man, is shipping a car of timothy seed to the eastern market to-day.

300 BURGHERS GATHERED IN

Kitchener's Report of the Killed Wounded and Captured for Past Week.

Death Sentence on Two Cape Rebels Commuted to Life Imprisonment—Other War News.

London, Oct. 16.—Lord Kitchener, in his weekly report to the War Office yesterday, says that since the last statement 26 Boers have been killed, 8 wounded, 194 prisoners have been taken, there have been 42 surrenders, and 102 rifles and 2,300 horses have been captured.

ORANGE RIVER COLONY

Bloemfontein, Oct. 16.—A commission has been appointed to enquire into the working of the laws of the Orange Free State in reference to the lease of Government farms in the Orange River Colony, upon conditions of personal occupation by burghers who are not land-owners, and also into prospecting, developing and working the precious metals and minerals on Government lands, and also to enquire into the laws and conditions under which farms are held by the whites and natives in the Morija (Morija, Basutoland) district.

LEGISLATOR MADE PRISONER

Cape Town, Oct. 16.—J. Botha, a member of the Legislative Assembly, has arrived here from Altona North. He and his brother were made prisoners on J. Botha's farm at Klipfontein by Fouches's commando, on June 20. They were both maltreated, and Mr. Botha's brother was stabbed, after being compelled to walk a long distance. They were court-martialed at Marais's farm, at Boesjeslaagte, on the charge of high treason, and were found guilty. J. Botha was fined £150 and his brother George was fined £50. They were liberated upon security for payment of the fines being given by Marais. Commandant Fouches promised to return and collect the fines. He revisited Klipfontein on October 5, and sent armed men to Mr. Marais to demand £200. The latter failed to pay, and he was taken before Commandant Fouches, who gave him five hours to settle the amount, failing which he would be shot. Marais obtained the money from a neighboring farmer, and received a receipt for it, signed, "Fouches, Commandant of the Rouxville Commando."

FIERCE FIGHT FOR FOOD

Serious Famine Riots Reported in Russia—Many Killed.

Troops Were Ordered to Fire on the Rioters—Disturbances in Various Towns.

Vienna, Oct. 16.—The Neues Abend Blatt reports that there has been rioting in Kichenoff, Bessarabia, where one thousand students attacked and wrecked the house of the governor, the headquarters of the police and the office of the official Gazette. Many encounters took place between the students and the police and eleven persons were killed and 36 injured.

MANY PEASANTS KILLED

London, October 17.—"The Lemberg papers report bread riots at Taras-kova, Eastern Russia," says the Vienna correspondent of the Daily Mail. "In Samara the starving peasants stormed the municipal buildings and the residences of wealthy persons, setting some on fire. Troops were summoned, and 14 peasants were killed."

"Similar riots in which several persons were killed, occurred at Anderweka, where two land owners had been murdered, and also at Pesetwakra elsewhere in the same district."

BULGARIA BLAMED

London, Oct. 16.—The belief is growing here, says a despatch to the Standard from Constantinople, that the Bulgarian, and not the Turkish government, is responsible for the capture and retention of Miss Stone, whose capture was commuted with the complicity of Macedonian agitators, if not that of the higher authorities. The attitude of the latter toward brigands is most suspicious, and very different from what it was during the time of Stambouloff.

PENAL SERVITUDE FOR LIFE

Capt. Town, Oct. 15.—The sentence of death passed upon two rebels belonging to the late Commandant Lotter's commando has been commuted to penal servitude for life by Gen. Kitchener.

"We were very much pleased with the design you sent. It was beautiful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Telephone No. 181.

NEW RECTOR FOR CHATHAM

Arrival of Rev. T. Beverly Smith, Who Assumes the Pastorate of Holy Trinity Church.

A Strong Personality and Striking Physique—Well Pleased With Maple City and Its People.

A young man of tall, somewhat spare and athletic stature, clean shaven and rather striking face, high forehead and earnest, energetic eyes—a decidedly prepossessing personality.

Such is Rev. T. Beverly Smith, the new rector of Holy Trinity Church, who arrived in the Maple City from Toronto last evening to assume his pastoral duties here.

The work of the young clergyman has been characterized with exceptional success in the Queen City, his earnest enthusiasm winning for him a devoted following among the young.

Until settled in the rectory, Rev. Mr. Smith will be the guest of William Ball, Victoria avenue. Next Sunday he will preach his introductory services at Holy Trinity church.

In a brief interview with The Planet this morning the new rector expressed his satisfaction with the people of Chatham, and the hope that his pastorate here might prove mutually helpful.

"You have a fine little city," he said, with enthusiasm, "and your people are certainly of the best. I feel confident that Chatham will make an ideal home."

HIS PEN VERSUS HIS SWORD

Jobanaygeon India, the talented, Capt. E. W. B. Morris, the talented, editor of the Ottawa Citizen, is again being congratulated by the press conference on his receiving a Companionship of the Distinguished Service Order. It is always a pleasure to join in congratulating a worthy as the captain's conduct was in Africa, this great journalist's opinion that it is not compensation for the good work done by the captain as a newspaper man. Here's a bumper to the captain.

Meals, well cooked and well served, only twenty-five cents, at the Grand Central Hotel.

What's Wanted In The Shoe Line

Let us get next that pocket book of yours on your next shoe purchase. We'll promise you we'll go very easy on your money and you will be a longer time buying your next lot. Our shoes don't wear forever, but they're the longest wearing goods you ever bought. You'll see if you try us once. Don't forget those longwearing school shoes of ours.

Peace's Cash Shoe Store

1st Shoe Store from Market

THE TECUMSEH MONUMENT

Citizens are Enthusiastically Endorsing the Splendid Project.

Ex-Ald. Stone and N. H. Stevens Make Some Valuable Suggestions Concerning the Matter.

Great interest is being taken by different citizens in the erection of a monument to the memory of the great Indian chief, Tecumseh, as proposed by the Macaulay Club.

The Macaulay Club are to be commended upon the excellence of their scheme and it is to be hoped that they will push the matter to a successful issue.

Ex-Ald. Fred. Stone, a member of the Macaulay Club, and prominent citizen, says, concerning the scheme—

"I am glad indeed to hear this matter spoken of, and I think that it is no more than right that it should be done. Years ago the city of Brantford undertook a similar work, and erected a fine monument in memory of Chief Brant, the cost of which, I believe, was in the neighborhood of \$20,000. I understand that in order to carry it through grants were received from the Legislature, Parliament, and the city of Brantford. I see no possible reason why we in Chatham cannot also receive these grants and erect as fine a monument for Tecumseh as the one commemorated to Chief Brant."

"Chatham will surely give as much as Brantford did, and I feel sure that the governments will also do their share towards providing the means of forwarding this commendable project."

It is a matter which will require a great deal of work in order to erect a suitable monument, and those who take the matter in hand, will have to use great perseverance and yet I think that with systematic effort it can be accomplished without difficulty—in fact I feel sure that the monument will be erected.

"Tecumseh Park is a peculiarly appropriate location for the erecting of the monument both from its historical associations and from its natural position."

"The Macaulay club will be entitled to a great deal of credit indeed, if they initiate the movement. It should be the object of those in charge of

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