

## The Toronto World

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## THE FAIR AND BUSINESS.

There has been a considerable improvement in business on every side, and the retail stores say that they have had a better shopping business this month than at previous fairs. People come from all over the country, not only to see the show, but to purchase in Toronto stores, where they always find the widest assortment of the freshest kind of goods, courteous treatment and reasonable prices.

## CROWDED HOTELS.

The meeting of the passenger agents here to-day is one other indication of the growing popularity of Toronto as a convention city. Everyone knows now that Toronto is destined in the very near future to have a population of half a million people, and that its transitory and tourist population will equal or exceed that of any other city on the continent. Our hotels can make no mistake in enlarging, and no one can make a mistake in putting up other big hotel here, since every little while complaints occur about a lack of hotel accommodation. What we regret to see, and what we believe will hurt the convention and tourist reputation of the city, is the putting out of guests who have not completed their visit, in order to accommodate other guests who have arranged earlier in the season for a certain date. This kind of thing is happening in the city to-day, and it makes travelers and tourists dissatisfied. Now is the time to increase our hotel accommodation.

## SEWAGE DISPOSAL.

For the past eight years a British royal commission has been investigating sewage disposal and various cognate matters. During that time four elaborate treatises have been issued dealing with such subjects as the suitability of various kinds of land for sewage treatment, the pollution of tidal waters, trade effluents and the nature of the remedial measures to be adopted. The fifth report published a fortnight ago is of exceptional importance, dealing, as it does, with the relative merits of the different methods available for the purification of the sewage of towns. Previous commissions had reported in favor of land treatment, and that method has hitherto been required from British local authorities. Since their enquiries, however, newer and cheaper schemes have been discovered and the commission now in being devotes the new volume to a comparison between the relative values of the earlier and later methods. In reaching their conclusions the commissioners have availed themselves of the exact bacteriological knowledge of which former commissions had not the advantage and for that purpose held 144 meetings and examined 199 witnesses, besides personally visiting a large number of sewage works and conducting special investigations and experiments.

The general conclusion of the commissioners is that it is practicable to purify the sewage of towns to any degree required either by land treatment or by artificial filters, and that there is no essential difference between the new artificial methods of filtration and the older land treatment. In each case, they maintain, the purification, so far as it is not mechanical, is largely effected by means of micro-organisms. The adoption of one or other of these methods is naturally dependent, in their opinion, on the degree of purification that is required by the circumstances of the community immediately concerned, and of the stream or body of water into which the effluent is to be discharged. It also depends on the further question how, in the particular case, the degree of purification required can be most economically attained. The commissioners add that they know of no case where the admixture of trade refuse with the sewage makes it impracticable to purify the latter either by land treatment or artificial processes, altho in certain extreme cases special preliminary processes may be necessary. They deal at length with the practical working of sedimentation and septic tanks, chemical precipitation with the relative cost of different tank treatments and with percolating filters and contact beds. And it is noteworthy that they report no essential distinction between effluents from land and effluents from artificially constructed filters. The report is timely in view of the position of the question of sewage treatment in our own city and should be carefully considered by the civic authorities.

## BRYAN ON ADVERTISING.

It is the lot of the wise man to be asked fool questions. In fact, the asking is an acknowledgement of the wisdom of the man of whom the enquiry is made. Nobody ever asks a fool question of a fool, for a fool answers a fool according to his folly, and there is no question where the asker so honestly wants a wise answer as a fool question.

This being so, the man who asked William Jennings Bryan whether he

## EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

## Blanket Sale

You'll buy blankets in this sale lower than at any other time of the year, and you'll get the same high grade quality that we carry in stock all the year round—perfectly scoured, clean, pure blankets, free from burrs, grease and oil.

The chief point for your consideration is the "same quality" at big savings. Every blanket guaranteed full weight and full size. Here are Wednesday's attractions:—

**Blankets**—pure white unshrinkable wool, thoroughly scoured, made from nice clean stock, close even nap, pink or blue borders, 64 x 84 inches. Sale price, pair..... 2.88

**Blankets**—fine white unshrinkable wool, made from superior quality of yarns, thoroughly cleaned, napped to perfection, fancy borders, 8 lbs. weight. Size 68 x 88 inches. Sale price, pair.... 3.48

**Flannelette**—Canadian striped, close weave, strong even yarns, pure finish, light or dark striped patterns, fast dyes, 32 inches wide. Yard..... .9

**Tablecloths**—full bleached Irish satin damask, every thread pure flax, large range of very attractive patterns, all the newest designs, bordered all round. Size 2x2½ yards. Each..... 1.43

**Huck Towels**—full bleached linen, plain white or with fancy red borders, very absorbent, fringed or hemmed ends, sizes 18x33 and 18x35. Pair.... .20

MAIN FLOOR—ALBERT ST.

## Wednesday's Prices on Men's Fur-Lined Coats

Sometimes we give reason for buying furs, "ahead of time" so good as to prove an unmistakable opportunity.

Wednesday's is a case in point:

While **HIGHEST-SKILLED WORKMANSHIP** is noticeable throughout every garment—and **LATEST STYLE**—the price is not what you'd expect to pay for such a coat. Shell of English beaver cloth; lining of dark heavily furled muskrat; Canadian offer storm collar; sizes 38 to 42; each 40.00

MAIN FLOOR—QUEEN STREET

## Men's HeavyWoolen Sweaters

Pure wool, deep roll collar, closely ribbed cuffs and skirt; large range of fancy colorings. Each..... 1.00

## Night Robes for Cooler Weather

At prices ranging from 50c to \$5 we show an assortment of night robe styles and materials that will give best selection to every man, whether medium size, or extra stout, or tall and slender—not only different sizes, but different models for different figures; all cut on generous lines; materials are English flannelette, natural wool, fine sateen and white cotton. At our usual low prices.

## Boys' Fall Suits Reduced

Strong domestic tweeds, in dark shades and neat patterns; Norfolk coat and knee pants; sizes 24 to 28, price down to..... 2.48

## 75 Men's Suits; 85 Raincoats Clearing Wednesday at Half Price

Suits are part of quick cash purchase from a big eastern firm. The raincoats of English cravenette price-clipped in two to make a big, busy Wednesday.

## Both Good New Fall Lines:

## Men's Heavy Fall Suits

In three-buttoned single-breasted sack shape, imported English tweeds, in nice grey grounds, with fancy stripes; strong, serviceable and of good appearance, linings are of good Italian cloth, price 4.95

## Raincoats—

Of imported English cravenette, mostly dark colors with fancy striped patterns, full skirt and cut 50 inches long, lined with Italian cloth, sizes 34 to 44. price..... 4.89

MAIN FLOOR—QUEEN STREET

## We Have 675 Pairs of Men's and Women's Boots at a Saving



## A MAN'S BOOT AT \$3.00, AND EXTRA BIG SAVINGS

Fine select glossy dongola kid uppers, solid leather, Good-year welted soles, fixings inside and out of fine grade, and all work expertly done. Blucher tops and newest Fall styles; extra value Wednesday, pair..... 3.00

Those for women offer a choice of a dozen different styles of new Walking Boots, in fine kid and patent leathers, with extension edge, Goodyear welted soles, at very considerable savings; clearing price, per pair..... 2.00

SECOND FLOOR—QUEEN STREET.

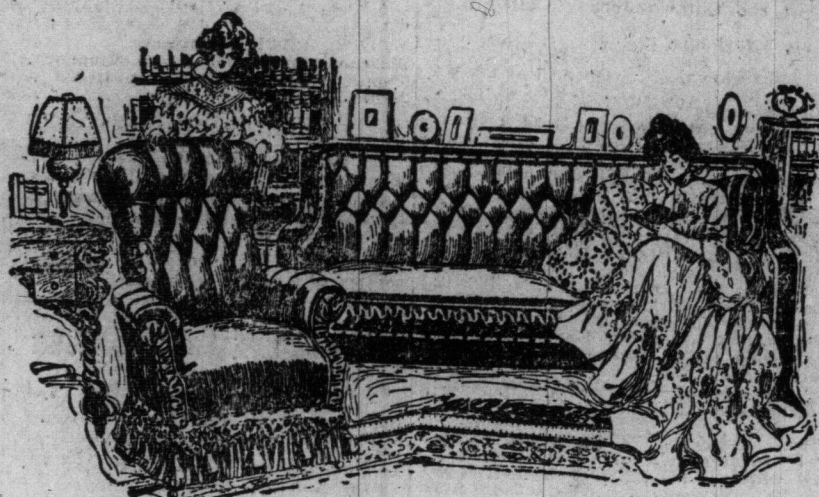
## Big Furniture Reductions

Save dollars and dollars on these two items, and anyone wanting Chairs or Sideboards should be here Wednesday to take part in the savings. Up-to-date new goods.

Dining Room Chairs, quarter sawed polished oak, rich golden colors with seats upholstered in genuine leather in sets of five and one arm chair. Set..... 16.55

Sideboards, selected ash, golden oak finish, heavily carved, swell shaped top and drawer fronts, 46 inches wide, lined cutlery drawer, bevel plate mirror. For..... 13.75

FOURTH FLOOR.



## Big Display of Couches

On the fourth floor, running nearly the whole length of Queen Street Section are rows and rows of couches, including almost every style—some fancy, some plain, upholstered in verona, velour, English tapestry, corduroy, loose cushion missionary, leathers, etc. Prices range from \$6.90 to..... 50.00

All have first-class springs, the better grades have hair stuffings, all upholstered by our own workmen and the majority of the frames are also made in our workrooms.

**BOSTON ARTIFICIAL LEATHER**—Looks like grain leather and some claim it will wear better, good springs, spring edges, hair top, golden oak frame, 75 inches long, 25 inches wide, Spanish and plain effect, price..... 17.50

See our new Wardrobe Couches, prices are \$11.00 to..... 26.00

FOURTH FLOOR

## Young Ladies' Walking Suits

Smartly tailored from black and navy vicuna cloth. Coat semi-fitting, medium length; gored skirt with self folds. All sizes for young ladies from 14 to 18 years. The price is very much in your favor. Each suit.. 8.50

SECOND FLOOR, JAMES STREET.

## Big Ribbon Day Price

Six lots, twenty colors, twenty-two hundred yards of our best quality pure silk and satin ribbons—and prices clipped.

Here are the brief items. Now save!

**Taffeta Silk Ribbons**—5, 6 and 7 inches wide, and about equal quantities in each width, yard..... 19

**Liberty Satin**—Of best quality, in 4, 5 and 6-inch width, with the greater quantity in the five-inch width, yard..... 19

MAIN FLOOR—YONGE STREET

## Clearing Out Children's Fancy Collars

Sailor and circular shapes, of white galatea and navy and royal drill; trimmed with braid and embroidery; separate fronts. Come early—all to go regardless of cost, at, each..... 19

## 600 Work Shirts At 29c Each

Black sateen and black and white drill, well made, with double stitched seams, collar attached, sizes 14½ to 17.

## Men's and Boys' Shield Bows 5c Each

made from short ends of high grade imported silks, light and dark fancy patterns.

## AT OSGOOD HALL

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Before Meredith, C.J., at 11 a.m.:  
Quebec v. Sovereign.  
American Lumber v. Wilson.  
Sumnerfeld v. McKee.  
Re Murphy Lumber Co.  
Re Hill, Doty & Peaslee.  
Re Williams.  
Re Houston.  
Re Canada Newspaper Co.  
Re Palmer Piano Co.  
Bawks v. Letherby.  
Re Lowery estate.  
Keller v. Griffiths.  
Ryan v. Doyle.  
Smith v. London.  
The King v. McWilliams.  
Evans v. Hosinger.  
Watson v. Lewis.  
Wood v. Western.

## Holley v. Grand Trunk.

McPhedran v. Bredin.

Imperial v. Suckling.

Court of Appeal.

Sprague v. Booth.

Mulligan v. Toronto Street Railway.

Re Biye and Howney.

Re Marshall and A.O.U.W.

In petitioning for a winding-up order of the C. H. Hubbard Co. Ltd., Toronto, the petitioners, Pelton & Crane, of Detroit, allege that the proceeds of sale were paid to Dr. Beattie Nesbitt as one of the principal shareholders.

Insolvency is claimed, and the case comes up Sept. 25. The company was incorporated in 1901 with \$50,000 stock capital. Petitioners are creditors to the extent of \$200, but the sheriff has found no assets to realize on.

In divisional court yesterday the appeal of plaintiff was dismissed with costs and the defendant's appeal was allowed with costs in the case of Alexander Dixon v. R. J. Le Roy, Camden

East, over the transfer of a store. The action involved the sale of a business by defendant to plaintiff and the plaintiff held that the liabilities of the firm had increased since the time he made the agreement, but the court held that this increase was represented by the increase in the stock and reversed the decision of the trial judge, who had given a decision for the plaintiff.

Richard Leo McCrae has entered action against Mary Teresa McCrae of she is his trustee for various sums of money deposited in savings banks. Justice Cline granted a judgment by bail yesterday giving Leah Gibbs, six years old, and her father, Julius Gibbs, 38 Agnes street, \$150 and \$100 costs. The defendant was R. Goodman, a hay merchant at 97 Agnes street. Leah had been in his warehouse on July 8. Some bales of hay fell over, striking the child, breaking her leg and so injuring her hip that she will be crippled for life. The plaintiff asked \$3000 damages for injuries to the girl and \$2000 compensation to the father.

When the Trethewey-Toronto Railway case was called, the plaintiff was ready, and the case was struck off the list.

The suit brought by the Union Trust Company against G. W. Fowler, Peter Ryan and W. Irving was transferred to the non-jury court.

The Brown v. C. P. R. case was sent over to the next assize by order of the master-in-chambers.

The next case was that of Barclow v. Crown Art Stained Glass Company. The plaintiff was called three times in and out of court, but as he did not respond the case was dismissed with the costs charged up against him.

The Smith v. Jackson case was struck out by consent.

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