IN OUR GREAT **CLOSING-OUT SALE**

We are offering a large number of special lines at closing-out prices. It will pay you to come.

Handkerchief

Department Sale. Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs, narrow hemstitch. Sale price only, each......76

Ladies' very fine Linen, narrow hemstitch, regular 25c. Sale price, each...... 19c Ladies' Fine Embroidered

Handkerchiefs, worth 20c and 25c, for 15c or 2 for 25c One line of Ladies' Fine Hemstitched Mourning Handkerchiefs, worth 121/2c, for each.....

One line of Gents' Pure Silk Handkerchiefs, in white, narrowand wide hemstitched, they are large size, see them, regular 50c. Sale price, each...... 39c

Millinery Department.

Special lines of Ladies' Readyto-wear Straw Hats, new styles, selling at cut prices. Big lot of Fine Large Ospreys. regular 75c. Closing this lot out at each 35c It's going to be a big Osprey and Flower season; now is your time to buy.

Lot of plain and fancy Straw Braids, all colors, selling at less than cost, some as low as, yard.....

Big lot of Quills, in white, black, tawn and gray. Quills are going to be used very much this spring. Half price here.

Silk Illusion, double fold, all colors, worth 20c. Clearing the lot at, yard......8c

Staple Department.

One lot of medium-sized white Quilts. Not many of them. Regular 90c. Sale price,

We have a splendid Factory Cotton we are selling for 7c yard, you could not buy it wholesale for the price. One line of Fine 10c White

Cotton, we are selling for, yard.....**8c** To clear one line of large size Camelshair Tams, regular 50c. Clearing price, each

......25c Two pieces of 40c Silk Velvet in black only. To clear One piece of gray Nuns Veiling, slightly soiled. To go

Underwear Department.

Children's Pure Wool Undervests, open front, regular 25c and 35c. To clear at, One lot Ladies' light weight

Undervests, open front, regular 20c. To clear at, One lot of Ladies' Undervests, open front, trimmed brown sateen front and braid,

regular 35c. Sale price,

Don't overlook this Sale. Bargains are going here, all through the store. We must clear it out, it's only a question of time.

Dr. Wood's



Norway Pine Syrup

Oures Coughs, Colds, Brenchitts, Meerseness, Creup, Asthma, Pain or Tightness in the Chest, Eto.

It stops that tickling in the throat, to pleasant to take and soothing and healing to the lungs. Mr. E. Bishop Brand, the well-known Galt gardener, writes: I had a very severe attack of sore throat and tightness in the chest. Some times when I wanted to cough and could not I would almost choke to death. My wife got me a bottle of DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP, and to my surprise I found speedy relief. I would not be without it if it cost \$1.00 a bottle, and I can recommend it to everyone bothered with a cough or cold Price 25 Cents

THE LAKE MICHIGAN SAFE. London, March 28. - The steamer Michigan, before reported in collision. has been taken to Liverpool, and was safely berthed today.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS. St. Petersburg, March 29.-Two se-

vere earthquake shocks were felt this afternoon at Temir Khan Shura, capital of the Province of Daghestan, Caucasus. No details have been received.

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured, 60c a boy as get your money back if not cured. 60c a box, an all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto,

MULCTED \$75,000. New York, N. Y., March 29 -

sheriff's jury took testimony yesterday

to attend a family gathering on the occasion of King Christian's birthday.

MARQUIS ITO ADVISES KOREA

as to Mikado's Unselfish Intentions.

his suite, with the exception of Gen- failures and thousands of experiments. itary attache here, left for Tokio yesterday after a farewell audience with Few agents powerful enough to be efrepresentatives. Marquis Ito dined It dissolves has resulted in fully reassuring the disease Koreans, allaying all doubts as to the careful deliberation on the part of the tism suggested and the acceptance of Japanese advice is now beyond question. From a social standpoint the mission of Marquis Ito has lessened the po-Koreans will send a return mission sire that Yi Chi Ying Ep, minister of cure foreign affairs, should go to Japan as Korea's representative. The hesitancy of this minister in accepting the appointment is not due to his identiin Korea. According to a dispatch from the Seoul correspondent of the London the Seoul correspondent of the London Daily Chronicle, March 14. General Ijichi visited the Korean war office and intimated that he had been appointed its adviser, but the author-Dr. Chase's Ointment ities declined to recognize him as

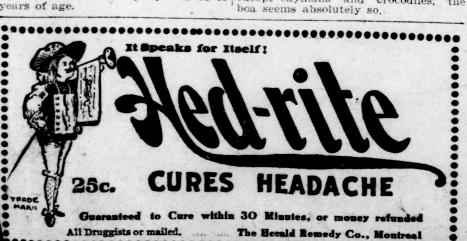
A Serenely Happy Man.

Is Mr. Thomas McGlashan, of North to determine how much of \$75,000 de Pelham, who was cured of muscular manded by Eleanor L. Anderson, Jas.

Abel can afford to and ought to pay her for engaging to marry her under the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Miss for years," he writes. "and Nerviline the order of pain to Anderson such him for \$75,000 for was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing that the name of U. Ogden Goelet. Was the only thing the order of Anderson sued him for \$75,000 for breach of promise. The jury assessed the defendant for the full amount claimed.

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IT WANTED MORE THAN IT GOT

The Government Declined to Grant All the Amendments Asked for by G. T. P.

Ottawa, March 28.—The correspondence between the Government and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, which was laid before the house this afternoon, will show that the promoters of that enterprise sought a good deal more in the way of amendments to last year's contract prise sought a good deal more in the way of amendments to last year's contract than they were to obtain. Each proposition was met by a counter-proposition and the proposition. tion was met by a counter-proposition, and the negotiations were spread over weeks. This too, the papers prove, that the old country men interested in the venture have not more than half realized. the opportunity that is presented to them in this bargain. The cabinet met the company in a spirit of fairness, and did not attempt to ignore the depressed conditions. dition of the money market. But the Ottawa authorities would not, in the public interest, consent to recast the whole arrangement, and all along the company had the fact before it that if the Government could not get the terms it wanted from a private corporation, it would carry the undertaking through it-self upon the credit of the Dominion. Dr. Sprowle asked that the correspondence be printed forthwith. He thought it desirable that the old bill should be

He made a motion to this effect, which was carried.

Mr. Donnelly, the new Conservative garding the irregularity of the mail ser-vice to Walkerton, in his constituency, He is a clear, logical speaker, and was loudly applauded as he sat down. loudly applauded as he sat dow The house adjourned at 9 a.m.

printed along with the new bill, and cir-culated before the Easter adjournment.

WHAT TEA DOES TO RHEUMATICS.

When you next take tea, think of this. Tea contains 175 grains of Uric Acid in every pound.

Meat contains only five to seven grains. Rheumatism is Uric Acid in the blood. Uric Acid accumulates from food when the digestive apparatus cannot create neutralize it.

This Acid collects urea, or worn-out waste matter, from the system. line action has not previously dissolved it. the purposes of secular education. By and by the waste matter reaches the joints and muscles, through circulation of the blood. There it gradually deposits in solid particles, like granulated sugar. These solid particles grind between the This grinding causes irritation and.

These in turn may develop inflamma tien and swelling. That inflammation be-stirs Nature to help herseli. She proceeds to coat the hard Uric par-

That is Rheumatism at its worst. It is what I studied a lifetime to ac-Seoul, March 28. - Marquis Ito and complish, and achieved only after many

the Emperor. The departure of the Japanese dignitaries was attended by all the principal officials of the Government and by the foreign diplomatic

intentions of the Japanese Govern- ity, and it can't undo in a week the damment and paving the way for the ex-tension of Lapanese influence in V. age caused by years of rheumatic con-dition. tension of Japanese influence in Korea.

The marquis has continually advised

dition.

But it will benefit every case, and it will entirely cure most cases of Rheuma-Koreans. He has advised against any So sure am I of this, that I will supply increase in the army, and the grad-ual adoption of the reform measures one who writes me for it, on a month's

trial, at my risk If it succeeds, the cost to him is only a Scotchman. Both comedians are stopped it fails, I bear the whole cost myself.

And he alone shall be the judge—shall litical friction, and has made easier the task of those who ultimately may

The task of those who ultimately may

The same thus get well, at my risk. advise the Korean Government. The when you can thus get well, at my risk. Koreans will send a return mission I have written an important Treatise. to the Mikado, but the ministers de- on Rheumatism, telling of its relief and It is free to Rheumatic people.

Write me a postcard for it today.
Address Dr. Shoop, Box 41, Racine.

St. Thomas Refuses Grant of \$15,000 light, which set off the handsome cos- 12 per cent of people over 60. to Alma College.

St. Thomas, Ont., March 29. - The sent the gallery wild. goes to the very core of the pain and equivalent amount being raised by return date in London. KING SAILS FOR DENMARK.

London, March 29. — King Edward and Queen Alexandra left London last evening on their way to Copenhagen, to attend a family gathering on the of Alma College, who still hope the in-Most reptiles are notoriously deaf. The \$50,000 expected by the above stitution may be retained in this city. April 8, when his majesty will be 86 except caymans and crocodiles, the means would have wiped out the debt and left about \$3,000 for new equip-

A LONDON CASE.

Toronto, March 29. - Judge Britton yesterday gave judgment for plaintiff in the action of Gilmore vs. Luckhurst, recently tried at London. was an action for recovery of land twenty inches in width on the south side of Bridges street, in the Township of London. Five dollars' dameges are also claimed.

A MAJOR UNSEATED. Windsor, March 29. - Judge Horn gave his decision in the quo warranto case brought by Ex-Ald. Craig, o erstburg, against Mayor Breault and the town council. By the decision of the judge, Mayor Breault and Councilor Barran are unseated, and a new election will have to be held.



Sunlight Soap brightens and cleanses everything it washes. Quite as good for cleaning household utensils as washing clothes. 12B

STATE SCHOOLS

Combes' Bill to Sweep Away All Teaching by Religious Orders Passes the Deputies.

Paris, March 28. - By the decisive majority of 316 to 269, the Chamber of Deputies tonight passed the Government bill for the suppression of all forms of teaching by the religious orders.

This completes the work begun by the former premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, in 1901. The first law suppressed the unauthorized teaching orders member for East Bruce, made his maiden speech in moving for correspondence retheir vocation despite the lack of legal sanction. The new law does not make any distinction between authorized and unauthorized congregations, but sweeps away the whole fabric of teaching by religious orders, thus substituting the system of state schools for those heretofore conducted by the orders.

Besides affecting the educational system, the passage of the bill is the achievement of the principal work undertaken by Premier Combes, and i is believed that the Premier will now voluntarily retire.

The parliamentary battle over the bill was one of the severest which the Chamber of deputies has seen in recent years. The closing vote was in the nature of the personal triumph for Premier Combes.

The property of the authorized congregations is to remain untouched until the closing of their last school. enough Alkaline elements (like soda) to when a liquidator is to be appointed to wind up their affairs, pensioning the survivors and returning to the owners and heirs the donations and bequests which have been conditional-That Urea enters the blood when Alka- ly made, and applying any surplus to



ticles over with cushions of pulpy muc-ous, like the first healing strata of an first-class comedy, and any amount of This pulpy covering grows to the bones, catchy, tuneful music, is "The Isle of as well as to the particles deposited. There it hardens like plaster or sealing wax. Then we have "bony joints," almost infexible, and usually fixed in a bended position, from the pain and inflammation. (attent), tuneful music, is "The Isle of Spice," the latest extravaganza which is being presented by Mr. B. C. Whitney, and which was seen at the Grand last night. "The Isle of Spice" opens last night. "The Isle of Spice" opens rather slow, but as the production ad-Latter is Now Fully Reassured

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as to Mikado's Unselfich

The deposits that grind between the joints. Then get the digestive apparatus seen in London this season. The plot the hard deposits that grind between the joints. Then get the digestive apparatus into such healthy condition that it will, unaided, produce less Uric Acid, and more Alkalines.

This is what Doctors generally have failed to do.

The plot of "The Isle of Spice" is decidedly flimsy, but as nobody expects the plot of an extravaganza to be anything else, there is no room for criticism on this failed to do. score. It is laid in the-Island of Nicobar, which, according to a voluntary piece of information on the off-side of eral Ijicihi, the former Japanese military attache here left for Tekie von

At last I found, in Germany, a solvent which was not only effective, but absolitary attache here left for Tekie von

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At last I found, in Germany, a solvent which was not only effective, but absolikely deem it worth while to worry. Suffice to say that the scenery which musical comedy or extravaganza. with the Emperor and the Crown deposits, producing an immediate Alka-Prince, and was shown the most distinguished consideration during his izing the Acid in it which would have of Nicobar, is, however, a funmaker stay here. The visit of the Marquis fed the Rheumatism and extended the of Nicobar, is, however, a funmaker

The company are nearly all westerndisease
It won't restore bony joints to flexibillike a twin brother of Frank Lalor, of "Show Girl" fame. True, he is not a vocalist of more than passing ability, but he knows what to do to make the audience laugh, and laugh they did at him from the beginning to the end. Kelly is ably assisted by Denman Malay and Toby Lyons, who appear as deserters from a United States war-ship—one an Irishman and the other Goo-Goo Man," sung by Lyons and the chorus, made a tremendous hit, and was encored so often the comedian ran out of material, aed after several local

hits had to call it off. Miss Fay Cameron, as Theresa, the king's ward, took her part very nicely, possessing an admirable voice and a pleasing stage presence. One of her bes numbers was a duet with Mr. Wm. M. Armstrong, "You and I," though the 'Maid of Nicobar" was also excellent. nine encores, and each time the chorus

tumes to the best possible advantage, The choruses were not very strong, in your child.

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LACE VOILE-Just in, one of the season's latest fabrics and most beautiful. Self colors of reseda, biscuit, brown and navy. Per yard only KNITTED VOILE-Heavy Knitted Voile, something entirely new, in shades of navy, cream, reseda, and DOT VOILE—A beautiful line of Pin Dot Voile, soft and clinging goods, in brown, navy, gray, black and biscuit, white thread forming a pin dot, Very dainty goods. Per yard only TWO-TONED VOILE—Six colorings of seasonable shades to select from. Special value and very service-

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......\$10 75 Beautiful Dress Skirt, in black silk eoline, panel front, yoke effect of fine tucks, fancy trimmings of clustered tucks in crescent curves, French guipure lace medallions and insertion, box-pleat habit back Ladies' Black Silk Crepe de Chine, yoke of taffeta folds and new silk insertion, bottom finished with folds and lace, habit back, perfect figure cut; taffeta silk drop skirt, finished with narrow frills.

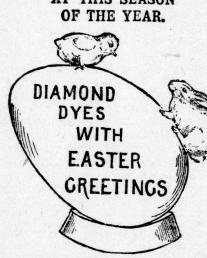
SMALLMAN & INGRAM 149, 151 AND 153 DUNDAS STREET.

STEAMERS ARRIVED. March 28.-At New York-La Gascogne,

from Havre; Columbia, from Glasgow. ercises his functions, and in the case At St. John—Lake Champlain, from of a reprieve he is given \$25, provided At Bremen-Bremen, from New York. from New York. At Antwerp-Pretoria, from New York; ticle to Kroonland, from New York. At Piraeus (Greece)-Grosser Kuifurst, from New York.

At Fort de France-Princess Victoria Luise, from New York.
At Halifax—Dominion, from Liverpool. THOUSANDS OF CANADIAN

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RAILWAY CALENDAR FOR

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