H. H. FUDGER,

Secretary.

J. WOOD,

# ZIONISTS DECLINE OFFER

Great Britain is Thanked for Interest Displayed - Socialist Members Favored the Proposal.

Basle, Switzerland, July 30 .- By an overwhelming majority, the Zionist congress this afternoon decided not to accept the offer of Great Britain of a

accept the offer of Great Britain of a tract of land in East Africa for the formation of a Zionist colony.

A special sitting of the congress was called for 9 o'clock last evening for the discussion of this subject, four orators supporting and four opposing Great Britain's proposition. The debate lasted for over six hours, and President Nordau eventually suspended the sitting at dawn, owing to the tumultucus scenes. The sitting was resumed at noon to-day, when the committee having the matter in hand presented the following resolution:

That the Zionist congress firmly main tains the principle for the founda-

maintains the principle for the founda-tion of the colony in the Jewish father-land, Palestine, or in that vicinity. The corgress thanks Great Britain for her off r of African territory, the consider-ation of which, however, is terminated, an I hopes that Great Britain will con-tinue to aid in the solution of the Jewish question."

The resolution was adopted by a large majority, amid loud protests from the Socialist section, the members of which left the building. The meeting was concluded with enthusiastic cheering.

# WON'T ENTERTAIN DEMANDS BASED ON PROBABILITIES

London, July 31.-The Daily Telegraph's correspondent on board the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, on which M. Witte, the Russian peace plenipotentiary is a passenger, sends an interview which he has had with M. Witte in which the latter said that if Russia and Japan had agreed upon a common basis before appointing peace plenipotentiaries it would have been much better.

As it was, M. Witte said, he regarded himself rather as an imperial sent to ascertain the terms of Japan He was prepared to make peace, never-theless, he added, as his powers were very complete, and he would discuss the demands based on Japan's actual military and naval successes, in a businesslike spirit of give and take. "But I can't and will not," continued

M. Witte, "entertain demands based on expected military successes in the tu-I am conversant with the hu mane intentions of my imperial master, and I will do anything compatible with Russia's honor and dignity to establish that work of which I have been an unswerving advocate. "My first task, however, in the new world will be to search for a basis for fruitful discussion."

TENNESSEE IMPOSES QUARANTINE

Will Have No Communication Now With Yellow Fever Points.

Memphis, Tenn., July 29.-Following the quarantines established by Memphis and Chattanooga, the entire State of Tennessee to-day closed its doors against New Orleans and other points where yellow fever is prevalent. This action was taken at a joint meeting here of the state, city and county boards

Scare at New York. New York, July 30.—Health Officer Doty visited the quarantine islands in the lower bay this morning. Three passengers of the steamer Seguranca were released and also the two members of the crew of the steamer Eldorado, which arrived yesterday from New Orleans and who were the steamer than the steamer t leans, and who were held for observaamination would not be con

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No matter where you're going, some new clothes you'll surely need -perhaps only a pair of Trousers.

The words were hardly out of his needed it, and extended every hospitality possible. The Carpet Co. picnic committee gave \$10 to the crew of the boat struck. I will never forget the dull, scraping, rending sound, that ended with a jolt and sound, that ended with a jolt and sound, that ended with a jolt and sance.

In the afternoon the picnickers forget their trouble and enjoyed some of the races, while the members of the committee were trying to make arrangements to get them home.

Would Not Postpone Picnic.

Talking of these arrangements last night, Mr. Matheson said: "You know, it was prefty nasty weather Saturday morning, and I for one thought the picnic should be postponed. I went down to the Arryle and told the structure of the hoat struck. I will be out of his store were hardly out of his struck. I will be out of his struck. I will be out of his struck. I will be out of his struck and was pounce and upon a group of men were stiting to their was rapidly rising. The fremen at the stokeholes fed the fireplaces, even in water. When the water reached the fireboxes it put out the fires and those noble fellows, who bravely stuck to their posts in the face of, death by devening order to their waists in water. When the water reached the fireboxes it put out the fires and those noble fellows, who bravely stuck to their posts in the face of, death by devening order to their waists in water. When the water reached the fireboxes it put out the fires and those noble fellows, who bravely stuck to their waists in water. When the water reached the fireboxes it put out the fires and those noble fellows, who bravely stuck to their waists in water. When the water seahed the fireboxes it put out the fires and those noble fellows, who bravely stuck to their waists in water. When the agridly rising. The firemen at the stokeholes fed the fireplaces, even the stokeholes fed the fireplaces, even the stokeholes fed the fireplaces, even the stokeholes fed the fireplaces.

It is a post for the Atlantic House and the struck. At the vo Better take advantage of the opportunity our Stocktaking Sale is giving you. All fancy worsted and serge materials that were priced from \$25.00 up we are making to your measure in Two-piece Outing Suits at \$20.00.

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have a different programme for our readers every day. Each announcement of this sale will thus be fraught with fresh interest for our readers. Each day's economies are for that day only—unless quantities are large enough to survive the day's demand—which will not likely be the case very frequently. We therefore advise our customers to act promptly when they see what they want advertised.

We might add that the quality of the furniture offered this August will be of higher grade than ever before. We are convinced that in these prosperous times Canadians desire better and handsomer household appointments than in the past, and we have worked to bring economy and good taste upon the closest and most familiar terms possible. Here is a broad generalization of the host of opportunities we extend to you, beginning Tuesday morning:

### Bedroom Suites, 3 Pieces

Bedroom Suite, solid oak, golden finish, top irawer oval shape front, British bevel plate mirror, 22-in. by 28 in., large combination washstand, full size bed, regular price \$25.00, August Sale Price ...... 22.75

Bedroom Suite, solid oak, golden finish, similar to the one above, except mirror a little smaller, regular price \$23.50, August Sale Price. . 21.25 Bedroom Suite, birch, mahogany finish or cak surfaced finish, polished tops, fitted with 22

in. x 28 in. British bevel plate mirror, large wash stand to match, full size bed, regular price \$22.25 August Sale Price ...... 19.90 Bedroom Suite, hardwood, finished in golden oak or mahogany finish, bevelled mirror and go stand, regular price \$14.50, August Sale Price 13.35

Bedroom Suite, hardwood, golden finish, bevel

mirror, large washstand, regular price \$14.10 August Sale Price ..... 12.90 Bedroom Suite (3 pieces), solid oak, golden finish, shaped tops, straight front, large bevelled plate mirror, combination washstand, regular price

#### Dressers and Stands Dresser and Stand, selected hardwood, finished in

colden finish, 16x20 bevelled plate mirror, wash stand to match, regular price \$9.65, August Sale

Dresser and Stand, hardwood, mahogany finish only, good bevel plate mirror, regular price \$10.75, August Sale Price ...... 9.75 Dresser and Stand, hardwood, golden or ma-hogany finish, British bevel plate mirror, regular

price \$14.75, August Sale Price..... Dresser and Stand, birch, mahogany finish, or surfaced oak finish, 22x28, British bevel plate mirror, polished tops, large stand, regular price \$18.25, August Sale Price ..... 15.50

ers' Gas Co., who had gone to Oshawa by rail for their picnic, and had warm tea and food ready for the people who

"His answer cam or five minutes."

"The words were

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it was pretty nasty weather Saturday morning, and I for one thought the picnic should be postponed. I went down to the Argyle and told the pursor we had better postpone the trip.

Dresser and Stand, birch, manogany finish, hand polished, fitted with 24x30-inch British bevel plate mirror, shaped front on top drawer, regular price \$21.50, August Sale Price...... 19.90

Dresser and Stand, made in selected ash golden finish, polished, fitted with British bevel plate mirror, 26x38 inches, regular price \$2250. August Sale Price..... 21.25

Dresser and Stand, made in selected ash, golden finish, 2 small and 1 large drawer in dresser, top 19x45, fitted with British bevel plate mirror 24x40, regular price \$22.50, large bination washstand, August Sale Price.... 19.85

Dresser and Stand, birch, mahogany finish. polished, top drawer serpentine front, fitted with 24x30-inch shaped British bevel plate mirror, regular price \$31.25, August Sale Price. 28.75 Dressers and Stands, solid oak, top drawers oval front, golden finish, 22x28 British bevel plate

mirror, regular price \$23.75, August Sale Price ..... Dresser and Stand, solid oak, golden finish, cast brass trimmings, heavy plate mirror, good

#### August Sale Price ..... Specials in Iron Beds

combination washstand, regular price \$22.25,

All Iron Bedsteads, finished in white enamel, 1 1-16-inch post pillars, heavy fillings, height of head end of bed 57 inches, all sizes, regular price \$2.95, August Sale Price ..... 2.49

Brass and Iron Bedsteads, heavy post pillars, curtain foot end, brass knobs and caps, strong and ornamental, height of head end 57 inches, regular price \$3.50, August Sale Price 2.98 Brass and Iron Bedstead, finished in white

enamel, 1 1-16-inch, continuous post pillars, 1-2-inch fillings, 2 brass spindles and brass caps, height of beds 4 ft. 9 in., regular price \$6.50 August Sale Price .....

Brass and Iron Bedsteads, heavy post pillars, extended ends, strongly made, with heavy angle irons on head and foot, fancy design, nicely orna-

Brass and Iron Bedsteads, continuous, 1 1-2inch post pillars, 3-inch top vases and top mounts, 4 1-2-inch husks on pillars, height of bed 5 ft. 7 inches, regular price \$19.50, August Sale price ..... 17.40

Brass and Iron Bedsteads, 1 1-2-inch continuous post pillars, brass fillings, all 3-4 and 5-8-inch, 4 1-2-inch husks on pillars, 2 1-2-inch husks on inside fillings, regular price \$24.50, August Sale

# Dining Room Specials

Sideboards, selected hardwood, shaped top, and serpentine top drawers, 1 large linen drawer, 14x24-inch bevelled mirror, fancy carved top, 2 side and 1 top shelf, regular price \$13.25, August Sale Price ..... 11.65

Sideboards, selected oak, golden finish, 3 top drawers, 1 large linen drawers, heavy bevel plate mirror, heavy carving, cast brass trimmings, regular price \$17.00 August Sale Price ...... 14.35 lar price \$17.00, August Sale Price ...... Sideboard, solid cak, polish finish, 84 inches

high, top 54x24-inches, 18x36-inch British bevel plate mirror, centre drawer swell, and velvet lined, regular price \$32.00, August Sale Price 26.00 Sideboard, solid oak, polish finish, heavy hand carvings on base and top, 87 inches high,

18x36 British bevel plate mirror, one drawer lined, regular price \$33.50, August Sale Price 29.25 Sideboard, solid oak, golden oak finish, panelled ends, turned standards for back supports, heavy carvings, cast brass trimmings, 18x36-

inch British bevel plate mirror, regular price \$24.00, August Sale Price .....

Mr. Sutherland's pocketbook contained the sum of \$12, a fact that was prob

### **Extension Tables**

Extension Table, surface oak finish,42x42-inch top, 4 1-2-inch leg, nicely turned and fluted, regular price \$10.35, August Sale Price ...... 8.90 Extension Table, made in selected ash, golden

finish, massive fluted legs, regular price \$7.50, August Sale Price ..... Extension Table, quartered oak top, polish finish, heavy turned legs, size of top 44x44-inch, regular price \$12.90, August Sale Price.. 11.25

Extension Table, selected quartered oak, polish finish, 42x42-inch top, heavy turned and fluted legs, 8 feet, regular price \$17.00, August 14.50

Sale Price ..... 14.50 Same table as above, extending only 6 ft, August Sale Price ...... 13.00

Extension Table, round, made in selected quartered oak, polish, 48-inch top, 5 very heavy turned and fluted legs, regular price \$23.00, August Sale Price ...... 21.75

### Dining Room Chairs Dining-room Chairs, solid oak, fancy spindle

back, 1-4-cut oak top rail, uphoistered in solid leather seat, in sets 5 small and 1 arm, regular price \$13.90, August Sale Price ...... 12.10 Dining-room Chair, solid oak, polished, ban-

nister back, top rail nicely carved, solid leather seat, 5 small and 1 arm chair, regular price \$20.00. August Sale Price .....

Dining-room Chairs, solid quarter-cut oak,bannister back, uphoistered, solid leather seat, sold in sets of 5 small and 1 arm chair, regular price \$22.50, August Sale Price ..... Dining-room Chairs, solid quarter-cut oak, ban-

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Parlor Suites, birch, mahogany finished frames, upholstered in fancy figured velour coverings, five pieces, sofa, arm chair, rocker and 2 

Parlor Suite, 3 pieces, birch, mahogany finished frames, polish finish, sofa, arm chair and reception chair, upholstered in silk tapestry covering, assorted patterns, August Sale Price 22.90 Parlor Suites, 5 pieces, birch, mahogany finished frames, silk tapestry coverings, spring edges, buttoned borders and backs, August Sale

Parlor Suite, 3 pieces, birch, mahogany fin ished frames, hand carved and polished, silk tap-estry covering, spring seats and spring edge, but-toned backs and borders, assorted patterns, August Sale Price .....

hogany, hand carved and polished, good tapestry coverings, spring seats and edges, assorted cov erings, August Sale Price .....

# Couches

Couch, velour covering, assorted patterns, spring seat, August Sale Price ...... 5.75 Couch, velour covering, assorted patterns, spring seat, head and edge, August Sale Price 7.00 Couch, velour covering, assorted patterns. spring seat, head and edge, August Sale Price 7.75 

Couch, velour covering, spring seat, August Couch, Verona Covering, silk plush handed, gust Sale Price 12.00 August Sale Price .....

By Weaving Pretty Story of Furnishing Country Home, He Gets Family Furniture-Then Disappears.

Day after day for the last couple of months, Mrs. William Howe of 25 Saun-

ders-avenue has watched her household furniture steadily growing less and has pictured the pretty little farm house which it was going to furnish. Two weeks ago she woke up to the lact that her husband had disappeared, leaving no word. A further investigation showed that instead of being shipped to the little country home the function.

Howe was a conductor on the street railway until last Christmas. He had been drinking heavily, it is said, and Ingersoil, July 29.—Daring highwaymen held up Robert Sutherland, father
and go in for farming.

Presently he appropriate that he had

turned to the officer standing on the bridge and shouted:

"How are we getting along, sir"
"His answer came back: Within four or five minutes."

"The words were hardly out of his mouth before the boat struck. I will never forget the dull, scraping, rending exactly why, but believe that it was a struct of the first the assalants were either desperate characters, or believed that it would be a comparatively easy task to gone and Mrs. Howe was in readiness to go to the much-dreamed-of country in the foreign and in the bursting of reservoirs following the both of which left large bruised spots.

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The detective department have been looking for him without success, and altho there are some who say that the carried a mile below. The Lesco family were all rescued after a perillous journey. A house occupied by M.chael Moran was hurled against the Berksi ire bridge and wrecked and it is expected.

HUSBAND'S NOVEL SCHEME

to the little country home the furniture had been sold. Now she is staying with her mother at Atherton. The police are looking for William Howe.

be much danger in running over the first mishap.

Capt. Donnelly refused to tow the date and the was then that we saw the mars and the was then that we saw the mars and the saw then that time until we neared the lace where she struck.

Mr. Marseon looked after the people where where they were received on board, and set they were received on board, and step were made as comfortable as possible till the boat got to Gahawa.

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Welcomed by Gas Co. Employes.

When the belated party arrived at Prospect Park they were heartily welcomed by the employes of the Consum comed by the employer of the consum comed that the engines were slackened and we ran on slow time. I was standing on the upper deck a few were over them I could quite plain we were over that the receiving a vicious kick on the wrist was the fighton or lighthouse and tho when we were over them I could quite plain we were over them I could quite plain we were over than a country to form the top of the were over them I could quite plain we were over than a country to form the top of the consum construction. The that the engines were in no way designated by Sutherland to wish the top of the were over them I could quite plain we were over than a country to form the provide that the engines were in no way designated by standard. The rocks are in no way designated by assailants to flig

warrant for non-support was sworn out. For a few days she stayed with the family, who had moved into her house, then, giving up hope, she and the baby went to her mother's home at Atherton.

Howe's whereabouts are a mystery, The detective department have here small water course. The banks of what is usually a The detective department have here small water course. The house of the people who lived the banks of what is usually a small water course. The house of the people who lived the banks of what is usually a small water course. The house of the people who lived the people who lived the banks of what is usually a small water course. The house of long the people who lived the people who lived

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bridge and wrecked, and it is expected that Moran was drowned.

Inside of an hour the great body of water reached North Bridgeport and did much damage to ships moored in the harbor.

The overflow of Pembroke Lake, in North Bridgeport, wrecked the Barney-avenue bridge when a wagon was crossing it. In the wagon were William Kowzeski and John Starkin. The wogan and horse were swept away and Kowzeski was drowned.

Ingersoll, July 29.—George Spragge, a prominent Salvation Army worker, and who was well known to the people of the town and country as a dealer in scrap metal, died very suddenly at his home, Oxford-avenue, this morning.

The interview was of a cordial nature, STOESSEL IS RELIEVED.

St. Petersburg, July 31.—Gen. Stoessel has been relieved of his command of the Third Siberian Army Corps.

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With His Sons, is on Way to Hund

in Labrador. Montreal, July 30.—(Special.)—Elind Root, secretary of state for the United States, accompanied by his two sons and W. Cary Sanger, ex-assistant secretary of war, arrived here to-day and will leave to-morrow for Sydney by the Maritime, Express.

Maritime Express, They will sail from St. John's for Labrador on Aug. 10 on a hunting expedition and expect to be absent a month, RECEIVED BY THE POPE.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable) London, July 30.—The Pope on Saturday received in audience the Right Rever Paul Larocque, Bishop of Sherbrooks. The interview was of a cordial nature.

"After the boat hit the bottom was possibly the most nerve-wracking experience of all, tho most of those aboard took little notice of it. It was the monotonous waiting for help. The minutes seemed like hours and it certainly a heartfelt cheer that greeted the went down to the Argyle and told the purser we had better postpone the trip. He wouldn't have it that way. Our agreement called for 'weather permitting,' and he said the weather did rermit. I said I didn't intend to go, but some other members of the committee thought otherwise, and they went. There would have been 600 people If it had been a fine day. We saw the boat depart, and I went down by train to Oshawa to make arrangements for our party on their arrival. ably known to his assailants. BURIED UNDER ENGINE. and nations have for over fifty was a heartfelt cheer that greeted the Donnelly when her dark form made her appearance from the curtain of years kept their Livers right Cleveland, Ohio, July 30.—Fireman Charles Heichmer of Cleveland was instantly killed, and Engineer A. Wightand Digestion good by using nist.
"In the work of rescue one boat from Beecham's "In the work of rescue one boat from the wrecker and two from the Argyle were used. Right here I might state that I think that there should be a !aw to compel passenger boat crews to be instructed in the use of the lifeboats and their workings. Had it been that we were forced to abandon the man severely hurt to-day by the wreck "When they did get there they were pretty tired of sailing, and I hunted up the steamboat company's repre-Sold Everywhere. In boxes 25 cents.

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