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Dinner Sets, Tea Sets and Lamps on Second Flat.

The store will be illuminated with the New Block Lights on Saturday evening

Bargain Store **H. Macaulay,** 89 KING ST

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Gowns.....50c. to \$3.00.
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Drawers.....25c. to \$1.00.
Hosiery.....10c. to \$1.00.

WELDON'S

Next Door to Macdonald's

TO CANADA'S CENTENARIAN

Unveiling of a Portrait of
Senator Wark in the
Senate Chamber.

Senators and Commons Gather to
Honor the Patriarch of the
Upper House.

Ottawa, April 28.—There was an historic scene in the Senate Chamber this afternoon when a portrait of Senator Wark was unveiled and the patriarch of the Upper House was presented with an address. It does not come to every country to have in the active ranks of its statesmen a man over 100 years old. The floor of the red chamber was crowded with commoners and visitors, including many ladies. The mace was not on the table, so visitors could go where they liked. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Borden, the Opposition leader, occupied seats to the right of Speaker Power.

Senator Wark entered the chamber escorted by Senator Scott and Sir MacKenzie Bowell, and as he walked to the chair in front of the throne, everybody arose and applauded the New Brunswick veteran.

Speaker Power read addresses which eulogized Mr. Wark's services to his country and expressed the hope that the Almighty might prolong for years a life which throughout had been lived with continual consciousness of His Divine oversight.

Senator Wark, on rising to speak, was loudly cheered. He said: I thank you for this very flattering address. I never expected anything of the kind, nor do I think I deserve it, but at the same time I feel deeply grateful to you and to those whom you represent for such an expression of kindness and friendship. There is no part of it with which I agree so heartily as the last sentence. I join with you most cordially in the belief that God exercises a wise providence over the affairs of this world, and especially over the affairs of this Empire, that He intends to make it a powerful, populous, and prosperous Empire, united under our gracious sovereign in a policy of peace, and that it will be greatly blessed under His guidance in bringing about the happy time when the earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the Lord as the waters cover the sea. I thank you again for your kindness and for the kindness of the whole House.—Applause.

The portrait of the venerable Senator, which was painted by J. Colin Forbes, R. C. A. of Montreal, and is a speaking likeness, was then exposed.

Congratulatory addresses were delivered by Sir W. Laurier, Messrs. Borden and Scott and Sir M. Bowell, after which nearly all present shook hands with the venerable senator.

It was decided to record the proceedings on the journals of the Senate.

NASTY ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell returned yesterday from an extended visit to their son, Dr. C. A. Snell, at Essex.

When boarding the C. P. R. train at Tilbury yesterday, Mrs. Snell met with a very painful accident, which will lay her up for some weeks. The unfortunate lady was entering the car, when she tripped and fell forward. The fragments of her knee were injured. Mrs. Snell is under the care of the local C. P. R. surgeon, Dr. J. P. Rutherford.

SAD DEATH

The funeral of the late Mrs. David Lee, whose sad death occurred in St. Joseph's Hospital, took place this afternoon at two o'clock from the B. M. E. church to the Maple Leaf cemetery. The death of Mrs. Lee is a very sad one, being cut off in the prime of her life. She is mourned by a very large circle of friends, who always held her in the highest esteem. She leaves a husband, who is one of Chatham's popular drymen, and a family of small children to mourn her loss.

JUDGE DOWLIN

Judge J. L. Dowlin, the new junior judge for Kent County, has arrived in the city from Ottawa. He visited Harrison Hall this morning and was introduced to his quarters and the other legal officials at the County Buildings by his honor Judge Bell.

Mr. Dowlin is a six-footer of fairly solid build. He has a fine face of the true Irish type. He is rather reserved and the caution he displays in conversation suggests a Scotch ancestry. He is a man of marked intelligence and his fellow officials are very much pleased with his appearance. Judge Dowlin is a bachelor and very unobtrusive. The Law Society had intended to give him a reception, but he arrived unheralded and came alone to the County Buildings and quietly introduced himself.

TREASURE HID IN OXFORD COUNTY

Michigan Man With a "Dip
Needle" After \$15,000
Was Planted by his
Father

The Latter was Forced to Leave it
Behind When Pursued by the
Americans in 1812

Woodstock, Ont., April 27.—Equipped with a Spanish "dip-needle," an instrument to determine the location of minerals, James Ostrander, of Big Rapids, Mich., arrived in Woodstock yesterday, and took the Port Dover train for the south at 11 o'clock, on a unique mission. He is proceeding to Charlotteville, a village on the southern border of Oxford county, where he hopes to discover the location of the sum of \$15,000 in gold and silver coins, representing money buried by his father at the time of the American invasion of Western Ontario in the war of 1812. From his father he learned the approximate location of the buried treasure, and with the use of the modern dip-needle, recently received from Spain, he is confident of finding the money. Mr. Ostrander made an effort to find the treasure several years ago, but failed.

Two heavy brass cannon were also buried near the coins. These were the equipment of a regiment of British soldiers, which retreated after the defeat of the Canadian forces near Moraviantown. Mr. Ostrander's father was a member of one of the British regiments sent to Canada at the time of the war in 1812. He was unfortunate enough to be among those pursued after the defeat of the Canadians in the west, and with the others resolved to bury his money possessions rather than run the risk of having them fall into the hands of the Americans. At the close of the campaign he was forced to return with the regiment to England, and no opportunity was afforded of regaining the lost treasure.

CHOSE DEATH TO SURRENDER

Preferred to Go Down with
Vessel Rather than Capitu-
late with Russians.

Two Hundred Japanese Go Down with
Transport Sunk by Russian
Torpedoes.

St. Petersburg, April 28.—Russian torpedo boats belonging to the Vladivostok squadron sank a Japanese military transport, the Kinshu-Maru, of 4,000 tons, during the night of April 26, with all on board, with the exception of 17 officers, 20 soldiers, 65 of the crew and 85 coolie carriers. The others, who refused to surrender, were sent to the bottom with the ship.

The official report of Rear-Admiral Yezzen to the emperor is as follows: "During the night of April 26 two Russian torpedo boats met at sea the Japanese military transport Kinshu-Maru, of 4,000 tons, laden with rice and other military stores and about 2,500 tons of coal. The transport was armed with four Hotchkiss guns of 47 millimetres. The Russians captured on board 17 officers, 20 soldiers, 85 military carriers, or coolies, and 65 of the crew, who surrendered. The remainder of the men, who were to form a landing party and who were left without officers, obstinately refused to surrender or go on board a Russian cruiser. Furthermore, they offered armed resistance to the Russians. In the end they were sent to the bottom with the transport." The number of men drowned is not given.

Admiral Yezzen also reports that besides the sinking of the Japanese steamer Goyo-Maru at Won-San (Gensan), April 25, the Russians sank at sea the same evening the Japanese steamer Nakamura-Maru, of 220 tons, whose crew were saved.

The satisfaction of the people of St. Petersburg at the exploits of the Vladivostok squadron is tempered with admiration for the bravery of the Japanese soldiers who were on board the sunken transport Kinshu-Maru and who preferred to drown rather than surrender.

Rear-Admiral Yezzen's report says that 200 men went down with the ship.

The admiralty admits that the men acted heroically, but holds that Admiral Yezzen had no other alternative than to sink the transport, since he could not spare a prize crew or hamper his swift squadron with a slower steamer. It is pointed out that the officers on board the Kinshu-Maru appreciated the situation by accepting imprisonment rather than death.

In the case of the smaller Japanese transport, sunk by the torpedo boats

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OLD BOYS ARE ALL COMING

Every Mail Brings Scores
of Acceptances and Good
Wishes from Them.

Secretaries Expect List to Run Over
3,000—What the Old Boys
Say.

"The names of old boys are coming in well," said J. W. Aitken, assistant secretary of the Old Boys' Re-union, this morning. "And we have still got accommodation for a good many more," continued he. "We have now got about seventeen or eighteen hundred names of old boys with their addresses, and are busy sending circulars to them."

Mr. Blatchford, who was assistant secretary of the Hamilton Old Boys' Re-union, was in the city yesterday visiting his friend, E. B. Arthur.

While here he had a long talk with Mr. Aitken and gave him some very valuable information on how the Hamilton old boys were handled last year. Mr. Merton, the Hamilton secretary, will be here shortly and will inform Mr. Aitken as to the detail workings of the Hamilton carnival.

In Hamilton the secretary had 4,000 addresses to send circulars to, and from present appearances the Chatham management will have about 3,000 addresses of old boys, so this is very encouraging. It is important that they get the names and addresses as soon as possible and it is requested that those who do send in names do not forget the old girls.

Several more letters have been received from old boys who have heard of the re-union. One was received from Frank Henry, of Detroit, to-day.

Mr. Henry said: "I received your very enthusiastic and interesting invitation, and if 'Bill Bailey' can dispose of his fine tooth comb to advantage he will be with you. Wishing the old town every success in the enterprise," etc.

Wm. Douglas, of Toronto, writes that he will be here and will bring a contingent from Toronto with him.

J. E. McMullen, editor of the Lovilia Tribune, of Lovilia, Iowa, says he is not the oldest, but he is coming.

H. F. H. Eberts, Vice-President of the Cotton Oil Co., of Little Rock, Arkansas, is another of the many well-wishers.

PAYS PENALTY

The Alfred Murderer Hanged at
L'Original—Culprit Dies
Penitent.

L'Original, Ont., April 28.—Clement Goyette was hanged at 7.58 a. m.

Goyette took supper at six p. m., and was visited by his brother and brother-in-law until a late hour. He prayed and read a while, went to bed at 10 p. m., and slept brokenly until four a. m. After bidding good-bys to the officials and guards, and expressing thanks for kindnesses, he partook of a glass of milk. Mass was held in the jail from six a. m. until five minutes to eight, when the sheriff, jailer and executioner entered the doomed man's cell. After reading the death warrant, Radcliffe placed the strap around Goyette's arms. The sad procession then moved from the place of confinement, headed by the sheriff, Goyette closely following, accompanied by Father Edward, of the Capucian Order, intoning prayers. The prisoner, who is said to have been duly penitent for his crime, and who seemed to feel it a relief to get out of mental torture, ascended the stairs to the scaffold and took his position under the rope. Radcliffe then positioned his legs, drew the black cap down over his face, put the noose around his neck, and at a given signal while the priest engaged in prayer, the drop fell at 8 a. m. sharp. Goyette, after the drop, died not moving a muscle. His neck was broken. The pulse stopped beating within 12 1-2 minutes. After being allowed to hang 25 minutes the body was cut down and an inquest held by the coroner, after which the body was interred.

CAUGHT IN ST. THOMAS

Chief Holmes received word last night from the chief of police at St. Thomas that the sneak thief who stole a gold watch from the residence of F. H. Briscoe while soliciting alms had been arrested in that city. The watch was found on the man and was recognized by the initials on it. The fellow gave his name as Chas. King.

When in this city he represented himself as deaf and dumb. The Chief at St. Thomas said that when he first came, he had pretended to be deaf and dumb but since his arrest he was talking alright. P. C. Tom Groves left at noon to-day to bring the fellow here for trial.

Do not think too much, if at all, of to-morrow.

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