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This June Sale of Linens commences **THURSDAY, JUNE THE EIGHTH**, and lasts until the end of the month, provided the lines offered hold out till then. We have planned to make this the greatest Mid-Summer Linen Sale we have ever held, and would suggest that you visit this Linen Store often during this month. Read this add over carefully, for there are many lines undepicted that you may need to complete your linen closet for the summer months. Then, again, there are many handsome lines included in this list which are particularly suitable for presentation, and if you would delight "the June Bride" present her with a piece of Linen from the Foreman Store.

Tablings, Cloths, Napkins, Slightly Imperfect, At 20 to 30 Per Cent. Off.

TABLINGS
72 in. Bleached Double Damask Tablings, warranted all pure linen, portraying pia dots with a Grecian border, extra good value at per yard \$1.00, on sale per yard **75c**
72 in. Bleached Double Damask Tablings, warranted all pure linen, portraying fleur-de-lis center and floral border, exceptional value at per yard \$1.15, June Linen Sale **85c**
72 in. Bleached Double Damask Tablings, all linen, portraying a rich floral border, with perfectly plain center. The market considered extra good value at per yard \$1.00, on sale per yard **75c**
72 in. Bleached Tablings, every thread pure linen, portraying a rich floral border, with a snowdrop center, good value at per yard \$1.15, June Linen Sale price, per yard **85c**
84 in. Bleached Tablings, all pure linen, pattern finest, portraying Tulips and Forget-me-nots, \$1.25 for **\$1.00**

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4 Napkins, all pure linen, satin finish, portraying fleur-de-lis, etc., regularly sold at per doz. \$3.25, on sale, per doz. **\$2.25**
4 Napkins, warranted all pure linen, satin finish, Primroses, Snowdrops, Pansies, Shamrocks, etc., quantity very limited, regular at per doz. \$3.75, on sale per doz. **\$2.75**
8-10 Cloths, all pure linen, portraying Shamrock centers, with Grecian border, regular at each \$4.00, on sale each **\$2.90**
8-10 Cloths, all pure linen, portraying Pansy border, with daisy center, regular at each \$2.50, on sale at each **\$1.90**
8-10 Cloths, all pure linen, portraying Tulips, Stars, Snowdrops, regular at each \$3.00, June Sale price **\$2.25**
8-10 Double Satin Damask Cloths, portraying Roses, Crowns, with crest centers, beautiful cloths, regular \$3.00, on sale at each **\$2.50**

Sets of Cloths and Napkins to Match, Perfect Linens, 20 to 25 Per Cent. Below Values
A recent Special Purchase of High Grade Linens in new patterns that did not see the light of day in Chatham until they reached this store, would be enough to make this Linen Store an interesting spot for those who admire fine Linens, but it ought to be of double interest when these Linens may be bought for from 20 to 25 per cent. less than usual value.

These are particularly suitable for presentation.
10-12 Cloths with 26-26 Napkins to match, double Satin Damask, warranted all pure linen, portraying Poppies, sold regularly at per set \$15.00, on sale per set **\$12.25**
10-12 Cloths with 26-26 Napkins to match, portraying Roses and Scrolls, regularly sold at per set \$15.00, on sale per set **\$12.25**
10-4 Cloths with 26-26 Napkins to match, portraying Peacocks in the border, with peacock feathers strewn here and there in the center, decidedly new, regular at per set \$14.25, on sale per set **\$11.75**
8-12 Cloths with 26-26 Napkins to match, portraying Lilies and Roses, regular at per set \$13.50, on sale per set **\$11.00**

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KING OSCAR DETHRONED

Norway Dissolves By Resolution Union With Sweden.

Storthing Empowers State Council to Act As a Government, and to Exercise Power Heretofore Appertaining to Sovereign—No Ill-Feeling Towards King, Who Is Asked For a Prince of His House As King.

Christiania, Norway, June 8.—King Oscar's refusal to sanction the bill passed by the Storthing, providing for a separate consular service for Norway, culminated yesterday in the passage of a resolution by the Storthing, declaring the dissolution of the union of Sweden and Norway, and that the King had ceased to act as King of Norway.

It is not anticipated that King Oscar will continue to act as Prince of the house of Bernadotte accepting the Norwegian crown. Should the King refuse, there is a possibility that the throne may be offered to Prince Christian of Denmark. The people of Denmark largely sympathize with the Norwegian demands. The eldest son of the Swedish Crown Prince, Prince Adolphus (born in 1882), is the nephew to the eldest daughter of the Duke of Connaught, Princess Margaret Victoria (born in 1882). They are to be married in England, June 17.

King Oscar sent a telegram to Premier Michelsen, as follows: "Have received the communication of the council of state, and record the most decided protest against the method and action of the Government."

The Cause of It All.

Although the action was anticipated, it caused considerable excitement in this city on account of the anxiety as to what action the King would take. The crisis became acute May 26, when his Majesty, after three months' rest, during which the regency was confined to Crown Prince Gustavus, resumed the reins of office. The council of state immediately submitted to him the consular bill, which he, on May 26, refused to sanction, arguing that any action must receive the sanction of the mixed council. The Norwegian council of state thereupon resigned, and the King refused to accept their resignations, in view of the state of public opinion it was impossible to form a new Government. Demonstrations were held throughout the country, endorsing the action of the council of state.

The consular bill, while apparently of little importance, was designed to open the whole question of foreign affairs to the Norwegian Legislative Assembly that it relinquished office, and a resolution was at once passed, five Socialist members alone dissenting, authorizing the council of state to exercise "the power appertaining to the King in accordance with Norway's constitution and existing laws, with those changes which are necessitated by the fact that the union with Sweden, under one and the same crown, has become a source of serious difficulty, and also because of Norway's more extensive sea trade, and other divergencies of commercial interests."

The Change Effectuated.

At the opening of the session yesterday the Government informed the Storthing (the Norwegian Legislative Assembly) that it relinquished office, and a resolution was at once passed, five Socialist members alone dissenting, authorizing the council of state to exercise "the power appertaining to the King in accordance with Norway's constitution and existing laws, with those changes which are necessitated by the fact that the union with Sweden, under one and the same crown, has become a source of serious difficulty, and also because of Norway's more extensive sea trade, and other divergencies of commercial interests."

Justified Just So Long.

"The difference in principle in the interpretation of the character of the union has provoked much misunderstanding between the two peoples, and has caused much friction in the negotiations, which during recent negotiations, has been laid down by Sweden as against Norway. The Norwegian people were bound to perceive the lack of their constitutional rights, their independence and their national honor. The union was justified so long as it could contribute to the welfare and happiness of both peoples, while maintaining their independence as sovereign states."

"Out above the union then, stands for us Norwegians our Norwegian fatherland and for the Swedes their Swedish fatherland. The union has become a danger to this feeling of solidarity of the Norwegian and Swedish peoples, which should secure the happiness of both nations and constitute their strength abroad. If the union is now severed, the Norwegian people have no loftier wish than to live in good harmony with all, and not least with the people of Sweden, while maintaining their independence as sovereign states."

No Ill-Will.

"As evidence of the fact that the work and struggle of the Norwegian people for the full independence of the fatherland has not been founded on any ill-feeling towards the royal house or the Swedish people, and has led left behind any bitterness to either of these, the Storthing respectfully solicits your Majesty's co-operation to the end that a Prince of your Majesty's house may be permitted, while relinquishing his right of succession to the throne of Sweden, to accept election as King of Norway. The day on which the Norwegian people elect their own King to succeed the ancient throne of Norway will open up an era of more tranquil conditions in Norway, of good and cordial relations with the Swedish people and of peace, concord and loyal co-operation in the north for the pro-

tection of the culture of the people and their freedom and independence."

No Disorder.

The utmost order prevailed throughout the day. Crowds assembled all day in front of the Storthing buildings and vociferously cheered the members of the Government as they left. When M. Berner appeared a military band struck up the national anthem, and the people uncovered formed in a double row and saluted him respectfully as he passed down Jehanne street.

The newspapers of Stockholm, commenting on the action of the Storthing, declare that a revolution has been accomplished, but that the union is not dissolved, as Sweden's sanction is necessary in order to complete the disruption.

Demonstrate Loyal to King Oscar. Stockholm, June 8.—The Norwegian coup d'état was answered here last night by a great patriotic demonstration of loyalty and sympathy with King Oscar. A great procession accompanied by bands, went to Rosenbad Castle where the hands played the national anthem. In a few minutes the King and other members of the royal family appeared on a balcony of the Castle and were enthusiastically cheered by the demonstrators, while a number of ladies advanced from the crowd and presented the King with a bouquet.

THE FRENCH SITUATION.

Great Britain and Russia Will Suffer From Cabinet Changes.

Paris, June 8.—Premier Rouvier, as Minister of Foreign Affairs, took up the active direction of the Foreign Office yesterday, conferring with the chiefs of departments upon various pending foreign questions.

Either former Minister of Public Instruction, Poincaré, or former Minister of Public Works Baudin will probably succeed M. Rouvier as Minister of Finance.

JEERED AND WERE SHOT.

Deputy Sheriff Kills and Maims Strike Interferers.

Saginaw, Mich., June 8.—The first bloodshed in connection with the Saginaw Valley strike began in the Saginaw Valley Sunday morning occurred here yesterday afternoon.

Deputy Sheriff Fred Harris shot and maimed two men, Frank J. Perre and Marquette machinist, and wounded Terence Kelly and Wallace A. Douglas. Both of the latter were shot through the left leg, and their injuries are of a serious nature.

The three men shot were, it is said, members of a group of men who were jeering at the non-union crew of a car on which Deputy Harris was riding as guard.

Rev. Dr. Armstrong Is Moderator.

Kinston, June 8.—The thirty-first general assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada met last night in Grant Hall with 1,500 present. The moderator, Rev. Dr. Milligan, presided, and delivered the annual sermon. The name of Dr. Falconer was not proposed and the chief office went to Rev. William Armstrong, D.D., of St. Paul's Church, Ottawa, by acclamation.

Drowned in a Drain.

Essex, June 8.—William Noble, the 15-year-old son of David Noble of Essex, was drowned Tuesday. With several boys, he went into the Orton drain for a bath. Owing to the heavy rain, the drain had an overflow of water in it, and was seven feet deep. This has been a favorite resort for the young boys to go in bathing, and the water was usually not deep enough to be dangerous.

Plunges to His Death.

Winnipeg, June 8.—Walter Phillips, a well-dressed young Englishman, who arrived here May 23, undressed on the banks of the Assiniboine, in Fort Rouge, last evening, plunged into the river, and has not been seen since. Phillips was staying at Robin House and has been acting strangely.

Lake Schooner Sinks.

Michigan City, Ind., June 8.—The three-masted schooner Bertha Barnes, laden with 142 cords of pulpwood, sank here yesterday by crashing into the dock. The crew was saved. She arrived from St. Joseph's Island, Canada, displaying signals of distress.

Killed Far From Home.

Medicine Hat, N. W. T., June 8.—Norman Drake, brakeman, fell from a flat car at Seward and received injuries from which he died yesterday. His parents reside at Cainsville, near Brantford.

Celebration Is Off.

Regina, June 8.—In view of the unsettled condition of the autonomy bills legislation, the inaugural celebration planned for July 1 has been indefinitely postponed.

BUSY SESSION OF COUNTY COUNCIL

Much Business Transacted at the Meeting of Kent's Parliament

Many Matters of Public Interest Dealt With—Commissioners All Present

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Council resumed at 2 p. m. All the members were in their places. A number of accounts were brought up and referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Ross moved, seconded by Mr. Wilson, the first reading of a by-law to ratify the agreement with the Township of Tilbury East re the Jeannette's Creek bridge on the Tecumseh road.

Arthur Stewart, chairman of the Harrison Hall committee, reported as follows:—

1. A gas metre has been placed in Harrison Hall to register the amount of gas used by the janitor for fuel. We recommend the metre be purchased.

2. The matter of installing sanitary arrangements in the basement of Harrison Hall has been left in abeyance. The city and county cannot agree as to the amount to be paid by the county. The Board of Works of the City Council think the county should pay three-quarters of the cost of the work and the county wish to pay only two-thirds of the cost.

3. The walls in the basement have been repaired and some new work put in over the boiler, at a cost of \$12. This work was left in the hands of the chairman.

4. The coal for the year has been purchased from A. R. Crow and from Stacey & Montgomery, at a cost of \$132.82 and \$63.15 respectively.

Arthur Stewart, Chairman.

The report was adopted. The Council then adjourned for half an hour to allow the committee on petitions and legislation to meet.

Arthur Stewart asked that a delegation from the township of Chatham be heard. The delegation consisted of Reeve Hugh Cummings and Councillors Wm. George and Wm. Abraham.

Mr. Cummings addressed the Council in reference to the new bridge over the Sydenham river at Tupperville. Three years ago the County Council offered to pay half of the cost of building the bridge providing the total cost was not more than \$16,000. The Council had done their best to build the bridge for that amount of money, but found it impossible, and let the contract for \$17,074, which was the lowest amount they could get. The work has been done by the Hamilton Bridge Works, and it is one of the best bridges in the county. He asked the Council to help the township to pay the extra amount over the estimate of \$16,000.

Mr. George said that many difficulties had been met with, but the Council had done the best they could and had accepted the lowest tender.

For 27 years the Council had helped to support a ferry across the river at this point. He also urged the Council to assist in paying the expenses of the lowest tender. The total cost of the bridge completed, grading and everything, was \$18,279, but the delegation asked the Council to help bear the expenditure of \$17,074, the actual cost of building the bridge alone. The bridge is an excellent one and is built as well as any bridge could be built.

Mr. Abraham also addressed the Council along similar lines.

Mr. Somers favored the delegation and if the County Council acts as honestly and fairly towards the township of Chatham as the Township Council they will assume half the cost of that bridge. He was sure the County Council have always intended to pay for half the expense of building the bridge and he was sure the Township Council had put up the bridge for the smallest amount of money that they could possibly do it for.

Mr. Stewart also spoke along these lines and the matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Sturgis moved, seconded by Mr. Haggart, that the delegation from the West Kent Agricultural Society be heard.

The delegation consisted of President A. J. Dolan, John Houston, F. Sutor, W. W. Everett, Geo. McGarrin, Jos. M. Smith, W. McEachin, A. E. Field and Seely Henry Robinson.

President Dolan spoke first and asked the Council to increase their grant to the Agricultural Society. Last year the grant was \$50, and this year they thought the grant should be made \$500. The city has been very liberal and he thought the county should do their share towards helping the big county fair.

W. Everett also addressed the Council along these lines.

Mr. Ross—What do you propose to do with the money?

Mr. Everett—Increase the prizes and provide more attractions. Mr. Sturgis—That is the trouble. There are too many attractions at our fairs and we should know what will be done with the money.

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The delegation was assured that their case would be thoroughly considered by the Council.

Ex-Varden Wm. Hickey, of Merlin, who was in the audience, was invited to take a seat of honor on the platform.

Some of the Councillors gave notice of grants and the Warden warned them that they might not have the money to pay all the grants.

Moved by Messrs. Ross and French that the auditors' report be adopted but no action be taken on the recommendations until specially authorized by by-law or resolution of this Council.

On motion, Mr. Grant and Mr. Somers, Reeve Corey Purser, of Dover, was heard within the bar. He asked for \$200 to help in building a swing bridge in Dover. The bridge will cost about \$800.

Moved by Messrs. White and Hornbl, that a grant of \$100 be made to assist in building a road in Zone township leading to Bothwell.—Referred to Finance.

Moved by Messrs. Wilson and Ross, that a grant of \$100 be made towards providing a ferry service at Jeannette's Creek during the time the bridge is being built.—Referred to Finance.

Moved by Messrs. Somers and Stewart, that a grant of \$200 be made towards defraying the expenses of the Wallaceburg bridges.—Referred to Finance.

Moved by Messrs. Stewart and Somers, that the Council pay half the cost of constructing the Tupperville bridge upon the receipt of a certificate from the Reeve of the extra cost of the work.—Referred to Finance.

Wm. Hickey, of Merlin, gave a verbal report to the Council of the success he met with in appearing before the Dominion Government in Ottawa, in reference to providing relief from river floods. His trip had been quite successful.

Mr. Sturgis—In 1904 we sent a petition to the Government along this same line and why was not the county consulted before this delegation was sent, so that we could have had the opportunity of at least extending our assistance.

Mr. Hickey knew nothing of how the meeting was called or who was invited to attend to appoint the delegation.

Mr. Sturgis—We are interested in the matter and I am sure we will do all we can at any time to assist this scheme.

The Council adjourned to meet on Thursday morning at ten o'clock.

LAKE ERIE TRAGEDY.

Government Cruiser Vigilant Sinks U. S. Tug Grace M. by Accident—Two Fishermen Drowned.

Port Stanley, June 8.—Yesterday morning about 9:15 the Government cruiser Vigilant, Capt. Dunn, sighted a fishing tug about six miles east of Middle Island, Lake Erie, and about five miles north of the boundary line. The captain changed his course and made towards the tug which proved to be the Grace M. of Lorain, Ohio, Capt. William Galbraith.

The tug executed several dodging movements, notwithstanding the fact that Capt. Dunn had fired across her bows several times.

The tug again attempted to cross the Vigilant's bow. Capt. Dunn, seeing there was likely to be a collision, stopped and backed full steam, and had his boat well stopped when they came together, but the momentum of the Vigilant was sufficient to roll the Grace M. over and she sank. Capt. Dunn rescued Capt. Galbraith, Engineer Wm. Rulleston, and D. Poppelwell, a fisherman.

Two fishermen were drowned, named Martin Aleson of Cleveland, and Wm. Anderson of Lorain.

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