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A shoe to fit should touch every part of the foot without cramping. There should neither be tightness nor looseness at any point. How often someone will wrongly say "I'm going to buy a loose, easy fitting shoe."



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After making the fullest comparisons, I am satisfied that my values are the best in Canada.
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If you use our Corn Laid. Not more than two applications are required to give relief to the worst corn you have and in three or four days it will completely disappear. No danger or inconvenience in using it. Simply paint it on after bathing the foot in hot water. 15 cents the bottle.
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to know what ails your watch or how to get a piece of **JEWELRY MENDEED** bring it to us. We know what is needed and do repair work at reasonable rates. When finished, jewelry repaired here looks as good as new.
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For sale at all good grocers.

**Daily Hints
For the Cook**

PRUNE WHIP
Soak 1-2 pound prunes over night; in the morning stew until tender, rub through a sieve, add 1-2 cup sugar, beat whites of 4 eggs, until stiff, add sifted prunes, beat well together, put in a pudding dish and bake 20 minutes. Serve with whipped cream.

BLANC MANGE
One quart of milk, 4 tablespoons of cornstarch dissolved in a little of the milk, 1-2 cup of sugar, pinch of salt. Flavor when cool with vanilla. For chocolate add some cocoa to the dry cornstarch before dissolving with the milk. Serve with cream and sugar.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*

OBITUARY

Robert Sproul
The death of Robert Sproul, brother of ex-Ald. Sproul, occurred in Everett, Mass., on Thursday. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Annie London, of this city, and five children; three brothers and three sisters. The brothers are James H. of this city, Frank of Lakewood, and Wm. F. of Winnipeg. The sisters are Mrs. Isaac Dobbin of Rousesburg, Mrs. Edward Arthur of Silver Falls, and Mrs. Wm. Evans of Balls Lake.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

To Rt. Rev. Monsignor Daly, V.G., of Halifax, who yesterday celebrated the golden jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood, was presented a purse of \$600 by the citizens of Halifax. Governor MacGregor made the presentation.
Repeal has been refused in the case of John Tebo, under sentence to be hanged in Digby, and the law will take its course on July 24.
Newcastle, July 6.—Newcastle's population is now 2,845. In 1901 it was 2,507, and has thus increased one-sixth.
George Anderson and Roy Oakes were yesterday sentenced by Police Magistrate Malby to five years in the penitentiary for robbing Buckley's store at Rogersville.

THE COMMONS MADE A GREAT SLEEPING ROOM

More Than 2,000 Bostonians Seek
Repose In Open
Air

YOUNGSTERS ENJOY IT
Think It Fun and Play Havo
With Slumbers of The Grown-
Ups—Houses, Bridges and
Ferryboats Crowded

(Boston Globe)

As nearly as could be estimated without a careful compilation of the reports, more than 200 kids and kiddlets ranging from 4 to 14 years of age were missing from their homes last night, and the police of the town stations were pestered to death by anxious mothers and fathers and older sisters and brothers of the wandering youngsters, asking them to find and restore the wanderers to their homes.

At daybreak, this morning, the mystery was solved for the parents. There had not been a raid by a band of kidnappers. The kids were sleeping in the best of health and had sought a cool place to slumber during the night. The police stations where many of the missing kids were all the time, and so they told the parents, but the continued silence of the youngsters and the anxious hearts grow fonder and more anxious.

Sergeant Laffey of the La Grange street station this morning rounded-up the missing kids like so many roving short horns upon the prairie and then he sent them scampering to their homes and worried parents.

They had "bunked out" upon the Commons, in the great city bedchamber with the grown-ups. Boys will be boys, and boy-like they seek adventure. What the warm, muggy weather did not do for the grown-up slumbers the kids did, to the highest degree. They disturbed the slumbers of the men who reposed upon the grass mats which nature and the city forester have spread upon the Commons.

Fully 5,000 Slept in Open Air

When the great breakfast bell was rung at 5 this morning there were nearly 2,000 men, women and children of all ages, races, creeds, sizes, sorts and conditions in life sleeping upon the Commons. It was estimated that fully 5,000 men camped on the Commons last night, and probably they slept more comfortably than they could have hoped for in the congested tenement districts.

The official opening of the great municipal lodging house in the commons, which was the first time they were awakened to the opportunity for such a large sleeping place, was a great success. The kids, too, took advantage of it in large numbers.

Early in the evening anxious parents began reporting their missing tots and young lads at the station houses as strayed or stolen. The police were busy, and the youngsters were probably in the bunch of 200 lads and lassies who were "bunking out" on the Commons. Like the little sheep, they were told. "They will come home."

Boy-like, the youngsters played all manner of pranks all through the night. They tickled the sleeping men with awnings and laughed and giggled when the men were asleep. They tried to get into the sleeves of coats which the sleepers had taken off, and spread upon the ground.

Between 3 and 4 this morning the kids started a scrub game of football, and shouted and yelled and laughed until Sergeant Laffey came along and told them that if they had had enough sleep they must get out and go home, and permit the other tired ones to get in their beds on the greenward.

He told them they could not play the noisy game of football, because the people living along Beacon street wanted to sleep. Some of the lads and lassies went to their homes, but others went back to sleep on the greenward.

The Anxious Parents
At 6, when all hands were awakened and went to the Frog pond to bathe and to prepare for breakfast there was another scene of interest to all, and which furnished great amusement for the men who had been annoyed all through the night by the noisy kids. Anxious parents and fathers of the youngsters began to appear on the scene, and they made things lively for the restless kids.

Here and there a "bunker" was discovered and ridden out of the bunch, life a yelling in a bunch of the restless kids was a scene which was interesting. The pursued kid in every instance screamed from fright and then ran as fast as his little legs would carry him. The worried parent would angrily give chase to his fleeing offspring, whose screams of terror at the wagging whiplash stick in the parent's hand were amusing to those who were not being pursued.

No sooner did one fleeing child and pursuing parent disappear from the scene than another parent enacted a like scene. These chases occurred sometimes simultaneously or in rapid succession for an hour early this morning, and were as funny as a first-class moving picture show.

The awakening of the "bunkers" of itself was a scene not soon to be forgotten. Among them were a man and wife, devoted to a year-old child which has suffered from the heat. The parents slept in relays of two hours each throughout the night, while the waking one rocked the baby in the carriage. When papa was sleeping loving mother was rocking the baby, and vice versa through the night. There were a great many women and young girls and even babies among the "bunkers."

Blue jackets and marines were out in force, and a picture of devotion to duty was presented by two blue jackets from the U. S. S. Virginia. They sat through the night wide-awake while a pretty young girl, a sister of one of the sailor boys, sat between them and slumbered peacefully and secure, with her head resting upon the brother's shoulder.

Every Seat Occupied

Every seat along the malls was occupied by sleepers. Three or four men sat up and slept on some, and in other instances men stretched out and occupied a full seat in their slumbers.

Most of the men were glad, however, to sleep on the grass, with newspapers for their pillows and their covering. The women in all instances clung to the seats nearest the Commons, where policemen most often passed. It was in general an orderly thing of decent people.

Just before daylight many of the slumbers seemed to shiver a little, for it was comparatively cool, but as soon as the sun came up the temperature climbed to muggy heights.

Along the city bridges and wharves the scenes were similar. Men, women and children slept on the edges of the bridges and wharves and enjoyed the fresh breeze and enjoyed the breezes as long as they liked. The boats were thronged all the night.

At midnight, however, when the mercury fell a step or two, most of the throng went to their homes, to finish out the night. Some remained during the morning hours and a few stragglers were aboard the boats at 5 o'clock, greedily gasping for every freshephy which blew back and forth across the harbor and enjoyed the breezes as long as they liked. The boats were thronged all the night.

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A Great Summer Sale Of Lace Curtains to Commence Monday Morning

**Manufacturers' Samples Of Scotch Lace,
Irish Point, Batenburg, Cluny Marie
Antoinette and Novelty Curtains at Much
Below Regular Prices**

This collection comprises several hundred pairs ranging from two to six pairs of a pattern, there are also a few patterns of only one pair. We emphasize the fact that this opportunity is exceptional and even if you do not require curtains until the Fall, you will effect extraordinary savings if you purchase now.

The curtains are all in perfect and spotless condition but they must be moved, and the following low sale prices will surely do it speedily.

Nottingham Curtains, Sale prices upward from 25 cts. pair
Scotch Lace Curtains, Sale prices upward from \$2.10 pair
Irish Point Lace Curtains, Sale prices upward from 2.50 pair
Novelty Curtains, Sale prices upward from 3.00 pair
Cluny Lace Curtains, Sale prices upward from 3.00 pair
Marie Antoinette Curtains, Sale prices upward from 3.00 pair
Batenburg Lace Curtains, Sale prices upward from 5.00 pair

The sale will start promptly at 8 o'clock in the Curtain Department.

Still Further Reductions in The Men's And Boys' Summer Garments Remaining at The Closing of This Great Clothing Sale

Men's Suits and Raincoats, Boys' Two and Three-
Piece Suits and Boys Russian Suits

See Extra Ad. Today On Page 8

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.

AS TO ANNEXATION

(Victoria Colonist.)

It appears that a few people in the United States who are silly enough to think that the people of Canada desire to see the Dominion annexed to their country. Time was when this notion was pretty generally entertained south of the Forty-ninth parallel and a good many well-informed persons really believed that we were chafing more or less under British rule and longing for the time to come when we could unite our fortunes with them. This was the not unnatural consequence of the teachings of the public schools, which represented that only in the United States were people free and self-governing. It was also not unnatural that the inhabitants of a rich and progressive country should believe that the United States were a land of opportunity and that the people of the United States were a people of the future.

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RECIPROCITY WOULD INCREASE OUR BUSINESS WITH WEST INDIES

(Toronto Globe.)

A lengthy report was submitted yesterday afternoon by E. S. Kirkpatrick at a meeting of West Indies' exporters of the board of trade. Mr. Kirkpatrick said that a direct service between St. John and the West Indies, the formation of a Canadian West Indies Company and the establishment of well equipped cold storage and warehouses about the islands would greatly help to increase the trade.

Reciprocity would be an important feature in opening up the market to Porto Rico. The exports to that place now were figured at half a million, but under reciprocity they would multiply many fold.

He referred to the excellent market open to local exporters through Cuban ports. Cuba was a very rich country, and in the last few years one hundred million of foreign capital had been profitably invested there. Canadians were not taking advantage of their opportunities. Butter, cheese, codfish, canned goods of all kinds were shipped to the West Indies from England, Denmark, Norway and other countries, and there was no reason why Canada should not get her share. Cuba was a natural market for Canada's products, and there was a constant demand for Canadian vegetables, oats, hay, butter and other articles.

He urged the shippers to establish their own warehouses and use proper transportation facilities. He described the necessity of a good steamship service, and made suggestions as to possible routes. St. John, he said, was a national port, and should prosper more than at present.

T. H. Estabrooks, who presided, assured Dr. Kirkpatrick that the board of trade would endeavor to everything possible to help the project along. Among those present were: Hon. J. K. Fleming, F. P. Clevis, G. S. Mayes, C. H. Peters, and H. B. Schofield.

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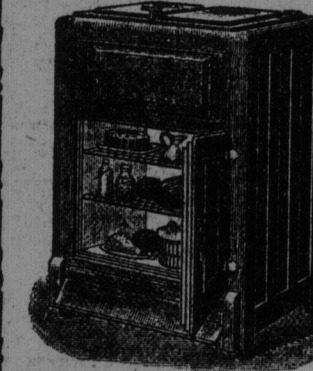
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LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS FOR AUGUST ARE READY.

HON. FRANK OLIVER'S CAMPAIGN

(Toronto Globe.)

The minister of the interior knows the west as no other man knows it. He went to Edmonton to live when the capital of Alberta was little more than a Indian Bay Company post, and it has been his home ever since, except for his sojourns in Ottawa. He has been a journalist ever since he began publishing The Bulletin soon after he went west.

His parliamentary career has extended continuously from 1883, when he became a member of the Northwest Council, almost a generation ago. Since 1898 he has been a member of the Dominion House of Commons, and since 1905 he has been minister of the interior. All his public life Mr. Oliver has been unwaveringly and intelligently active. He has developed not merely with the west, but in close touch with the country in all its material and sociological interests. He has found or made opportunities innumerable for studying it at close range in all its stages and aspects.

When Mr. Oliver predicts that the Laurier government, of which he is a member, will not merely carry the west, but increase its majority there, it may be taken for granted that his forecast is well founded. It is not in his nature to deceive himself in such a matter, and he has no motive for deceiving other people, especially his own party associates. He has been for some time holding public meetings in the more important centres of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta for the purpose of discussing the reciprocity agreement, and he will continue the work until the resumption of the parliamentary session makes it necessary that he should return to Ottawa.

His tour differs from that of Mr. Borden in two important respects: He knows the country and the people as the opposition leader does not and cannot know them, and he is not rushed from place to place in a "whirlwind" campaign. He takes time to meet the people who are his fellow-citizens; he understands their point of view, which is also his own; he knows how their life work is affected by tariffs and transportation, for he has gone through all their experience with them; and he understands, as Mr. Borden cannot do, just how in minute detail the industrial development of the west would be promoted indefinitely by putting the agreement into operation. Time will soon show which suits best the free life and broad outlook of the west; the restrictive policy of the leader of the opposition, or the breezy and invincible optimism of the minister of the interior.

FALLS INTO STEAMER'S HOLD

Thomas Evans, a longshoreman, working on the Furness liner Shenandoah, was probably fatally injured while at work on the steamer last night. He fell down the hold, a distance of about twenty-five feet, breaking his back. He was taken to the hospital, but he is not expected to live. He is thirty-two years of age and has wife and young baby depending on him for support.

CURES AT STE. ANNE

Most of those who attended the pilgrimage to Ste. Anne de Beaupre returned home yesterday afternoon. They report that there were several cures effected at her everlastingly, a little boy who was forced to walk on crutches to the shrine was completely cured and left his crutches there, and one old lady from St. John was greatly benefited by the pilgrimage.