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## Reduction Sale!

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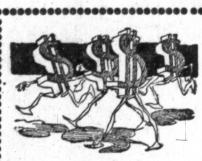
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### LIBERAL SEATS ARE IN DANGER

McKay's Maj. in North Grey Reduced to 4 and Recount Only Half Finished.

Russell's Majority in East Hastings Also Pulled Down--Lennox Appeal on Saturday.

Owen Sound, Ont., June 10-The reount for North Grey, before Judge Morrison was adjourned at 6 p. m., to be resumed at 8 p. m. to-morrow, Mc-Kay's, Liberal, majority was reduced from 9 to 4. About one-half- of the poll is yet to be gone over. The re-

EAST HASTINGS.

Belleville, Ont., June 10. - At the close of to-day's session of the East Hastings recount, Mr. Richardson, the Conservative candidate, had gained six votes-ballots which had been disputed, and which the judge allowed. Mr. Russell, Liberal, gained two of the same kind, leaving Russell's majority thus far 49.

THE LENNOX APPEAL. Toronto, June 10-The Lennox re count appeal will come before Mr. Justice MacLennan as Osgoode Hall on Saturday. Both sides appeal against the judge's rulings at Napagainst the judge's rulings at Nap-anee. For the Conservatives, Mr. W. D. McPherson appeals in the case of seven specific ballots, and for the Liberals ,Mr. Geo. H. Watson, K. C., apagainst the result of the recount gen-

One ballot has a line across through the cross which is marked for Carscal len's compartment. It was not counted for either. Another had a circle in Madole's compartment. It was allowed him. There are two other ballots one with a cross for Carscallen and something like an "M" to the left of Madole's name. It was disallowed, as a mark of identification. The other also had a cross for Carscallen and one through Madole's name and a short wavy line in Madole's compartment. It was also disallowed. Another has the initials M. C. in Ma-

NO RECOUNT IN SOUTH PERTH. Stratford, June 10 .- The Conservaives have withdrawn their applicaion to Judge Barron for a recount South Perth. The application was made on Saturday, but as the advisability of such a proceeding was evieen called off. A protest

TUDHOPE'S MAJORITY, 447 Orillia Ont., June 10 .- The official eclaration for East Simcoe was made here to-day, declaring J. B. Tudhope, Liberal, elected by 447 majority. MISCAMPBELL'S MAJORITY 169

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., June 10 -The official returns of Sault Ste Marie are-Miscampbell, Con., to al. 1,359; Smith, Lib., total, 1,160. fajority for Miscampbell, 169. official returns as yet from Algoma,

#### LEAVING LONDON

Mr. J. M. McWhinney, (formerly of his city) secretary-treasurer of the Synct of Huron, has tendered his reson, and will shortly remove to Toronto, where he has secured the very responsible position of assistant manager of the Union Trust Company. This step on the part of Mr. McWhinney will be regretted by his friends in London-and they are many-for during his twelve years' residence here he has become exceedingly popular. Mr. McWhinney succeeded Mr. E. Baynes Reed on the latter's removal to Brit-ish Columbia, and he has filled the position with the greatest of satisfaction to the Synod. He has also been busar of Huron College for nine or

The resignation will be placed before the Synod at its annual meeting next week, and Mr. McWhinney will ask to be relieved at as early a date as The Union Trust Company of which Hon. George E. Foster is general manager, is one of the largest oncerns of its kind in Toronto, and his selection for the assistant man-agership speaks well for the ability

of Mr. McWhiney.
Since his removal to London from Chatham, Mr. McWhinney has taken an interest in several branches of sport, and particularly in curling. He one of the most prominent members of the Forest City Club, and for two years has occupied the position of president.—London Free Press.

It has been learned in Chatham tha Mr. McWhinney assumes his new duties on July 1. His success will be a source of satisfaction to his many Maple City friends, with whom he is de-

servedly popular,
Mr. McWhinney is well qualified for his new post in one of the strongest financial institutions in Toronto. Matthew Wilson, K. C., of this city, a prominent member of the Board of Directors, and it was largely through his influence that the

#### SIGNS OF PEACE

nt of the Times at Bloemfontein roceeding satisfactorily.

One of the first signs of the era peace is the removal of the barbed For Voting Against the Ross wire fences between the blockhouse which is going on everywhere. These rolls of wire will doubtless be given at a valuation to the Boers to creplace their fences.

The correspondent hopes the block-houses, especially the stone ones, will not be destroyed, as they are quite a feature of the landscape, like the great towers of Scotland and Martello towers on the south coast of England and are historical monuments worth

#### WOMAN'S SHOT

Aged Colored Pensioner in Ser ious Condition--Woman Locked up.

Detroit, June 11 .- "If dat ole man keeps on foolin' me I'll send his soul to h-- befoh 10 o'clock to-night," is said to have declared Martha Scott yesterday morning. She showed later on that she was in earnest., Frederick Dennis, an aged pensioner, also known as Henry Harrison, lies at Harper hospital in a precarious condition, with a 32-calibre bullet lodged omewhere in his abdomen. Both are

The quarrels of this oddly mated pair have been the talk of the neighborhood about their home at 62 1-2 Livingstone avenue, yet an absurd attogether: Harrison is a widower of 58, with several married daughters, while Martha is 49 and has a grown

They live in the east half of a rickty frame structure, the other apartents being occupied by the family of Henry Johnson. The latter said he heard the sound of fighting early in the evening and that while at supper he was startled by a pistol shot. Hastening out the front door he saw old Dennis at the gate with his hand

ressed against his side. That woman has shot me," gasped the old man, "run and get a doctor," He failed to find a physician and when e returned Dennis was sitting on the steps of a neighboring house. A little ater an ambulance arrived and he was emoved to the hospital.

WOMAN WAS CAPTURED. Martha had skipped Gliewitzer and Graus, on Brady street, between Beaubien and Antoine. was headed for the home of her son. Edward Scott. She was taken to the Fremont station, and a little later o police headquarters.

"I did it." she declared, "and I don't deny it. He threatened me and struck me in the face." She had apparently been drinking. The weapon, a fine up-to-date dou ole-action gun, was found on the floor of her home. The woman said she had owned it so long, she couldn't remember where she got it. It contained two empty shells, but on eof which

ad been freshly discharged. Mafilda Lightfoot, a daughter of Dennis, living at 95 Illinois street, street, stated that last Sunday when her father was visiting at her home, Martha had besieged the place with a revolver, daring the old man to come out, and threatening to blow his

brains out. The woman is locked up at police headquarters and at present the tent to kill,

WILL BE DROPPED.

London, June 10 .- In the House of Commons yesterday Geo. Wyndham, Chief Secretary for Ireland, expressed he opinion that it would be inadvisable to proceed to the second reading of the Irish Land Bill unless there was a good prospect of getting it passed in the course of the present ession of the House. This expres ion from Mr. Wyndham is indicative of the intention of the Government to drop the Irish Land Bill altogether, especially as an inspired state-ment to the effect that the Government is endeavoring to dispense with the autumn session of Parliament has been issued. John Redmond, the leadthe Irish party in the House has called a meeting of his party for to-day to discuss Mr. Wyndham's statement

THE COAL STRIKE.

New York, June 10.-This afternoon Commissioner of Labor Wright Reading Railway; President Oliphant, of the Delaware & Hudson Co., and President Truesdale, of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western. Mr. Wright said that the books had been opened ures, and now had sufficient informa tion of both sides, which would probably not necessitate his going to the coal fields. He declared the investigation as practically over. He said he expected to spend the evening with friends, and would hold no confer-

### HON. S. H. BLAKE **GIVES REASONS**

Government and Supporting Mr. Foy.

ost Confidence in Ross & Co. Owing to way They Dealt With University Question.

Toronto, June 10 .- The statement of Mr. J. P. Whitney in an interview published a week ago, that Hon. S. H. Blake and other prominent Liberals had voted for Conservative candidates in the recent general elections, has caused much comment throughout Ontario, where for many years the name of Blake has been synonymous with that of Liberalism No doubt has been east on the as sertion, as it was known that Mr. Whitney would not have had made the statement without the best of

It will interest many to know, how ever, what Mr. Blake's reasons were for supporting Mr. J. J. Foy, K. C., M. P. P., in his own particular riding of South Toronto.

To your correspondent to-day Mr Blake gave the following statement which is at once terse and convinc-ing, as his utterances always are:-"The reason that I voted for Mr. Foy and against the Government was because of the manner in which the Government dealt with the university question and because one of the principal departments was so conducted/ as to destroy confidence in a Gov-ernment responsible for its adminis-

#### WERE MASSACRED

London, June 11.-The Vienna cor respondent of the Daily Express says in a despatch that a report has reached there from Constantinople to the effect that Arab tribesmen have mas-sacred a caravan of wealthy merchants in the desect at a point 100 miles from Koweit, in Asiatic Turkey According to the Constantinople re-port, only twenty persons of the 500 who composed the caravan escaped.

#### CELEBRATION

of the County of Kent, at Nazery Hall, on Tuesday evening, it was decided to appoint a committee to ing of a celebration in this city on 1st, and the following were appointed to complete the necessary arrangements,-David Lee, Geo. Smith, W. F. Williams, Jas. Jackson, J. B. Johnston, Hy. Lawrence, W. Branton, Jas. Brown, Robt, Dolman and John Cephas. C. M. Cooper was appointed chairman and John A. Bell secretary.

#### HAVE SURRENDERED.

Colon, June 10.-The Colombian Minister of War has sent a circular to the Departmental Governors of the country, in which he says that after the recent Government victories over the Liberal forces more than 200 of-ficers of the Liberal army, ranking from general down to sub-lieutenant, and more than 2,000 Liberal soldiers, have accepted the conditions imposed by the Government and surrendered. The names of all these Liberals have been published.

IN THE FRENCH CHAMBER.

Paris, June 10 .- In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, after a speech by the President, M. Bourgeois, on assuming the presidency, the Premier, M. Combes, made the ministerial declaration. It was on the lines of the synopsis cabled June 7, and was re-ceived in silence by the Moderates and Right, while by the Radicals and Radical Socialists it was warmly applauded. The Chamber decided to diseuss the interpellations on the Gov-ernment supplementary Thursday, and adjourned.

#### COLLISION AT CURVE

Macon, Ga., June 10 .- A southbound passenger train on the Southern Rail-way, proceeding out of Juliet, 23 miles north of Macon, and under full head-way, was struck by a freight train on a sharp curve at 2,10 o'clock this afternoon. Aboard were many dentists coming to attend the state con-vention, and a number of other well known men. The curve was so sharp that the passengers saw the approaching freight, and a panic developed instantly. The shock of the collision was so great that seats were smashed into splinters and glass into frag-ments. The engines and tenders were piled on each other. Engineer Pitt-man, and Fireman Ed. West, of the passenger train, were pinned in their cab and killed, Engineer Gailey, of the freight, escaped death by jumping, but he was seriously injured, Gailey says his watch was wrong, and he thought he had time to reach the Juliet siding. The dead:—Jas. T. Pitt-man, of Atlanta, engineer of passen-ger train; Ed. West, negro, of Atlanta, fireman, The injured number

REACHED CAPE TOWN.

Ottawa, June 10 .- A cable was reday announcing the arrival at Cape Town of the Winnifridean with the second detachment of the third C. M. R. Twenty-seven horses

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