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THE ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY, LIMITED

Store Closes Daily at 5.30 P. M.

PROBABILITIES. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay - Northerly winds; fair and colder.

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SATURDAY, FEB. 27, 1909.

The Millinery Season Opens on Monday, March 1st

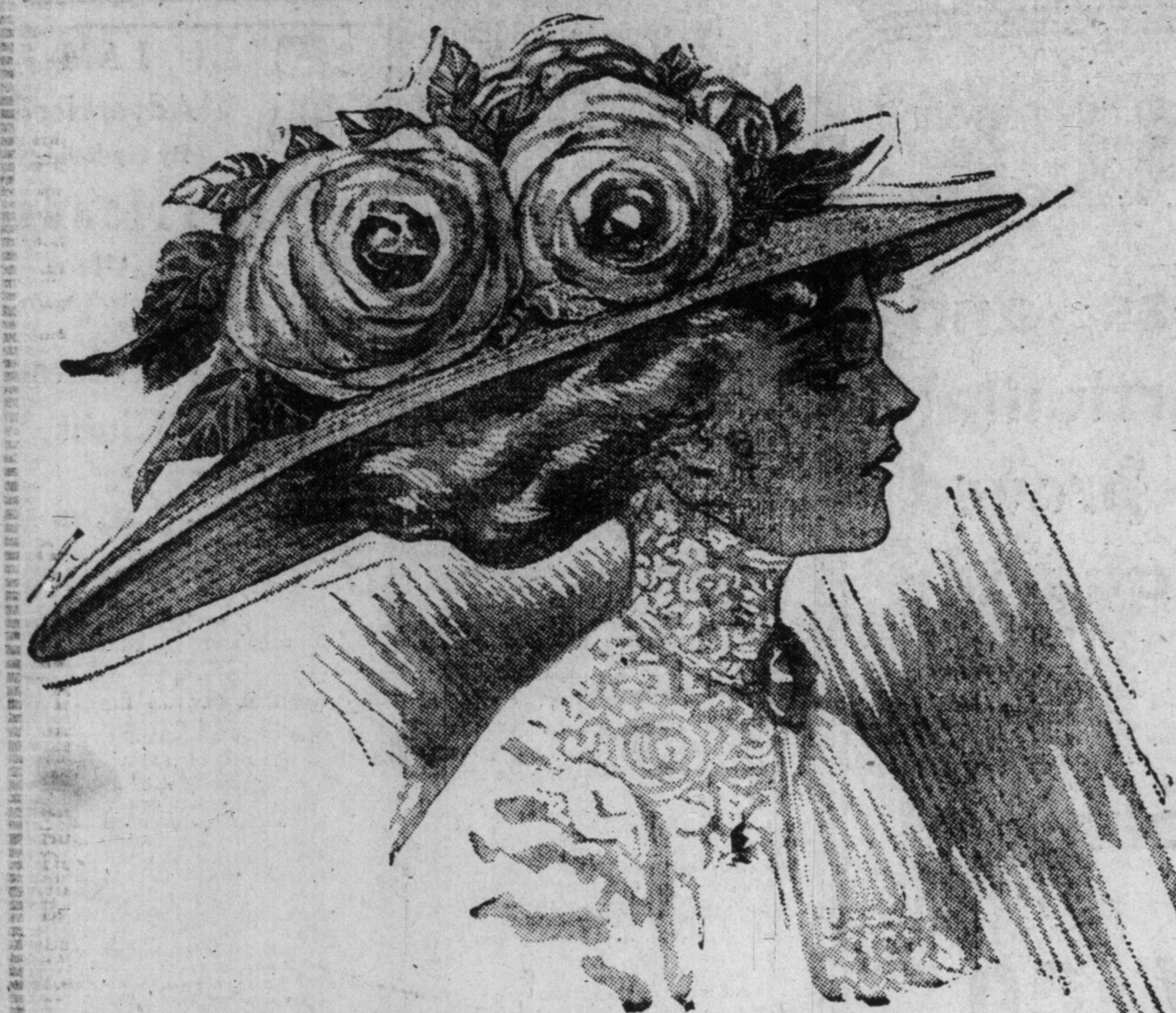
The ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY, LIMITED, beg to announce the arrival of the PARIS HATS for the spring of 1909 and to extend an invitation to their first public exhibition on MONDAY, MARCH 1st.

MARCH the First ushers in the new Millinery this year, the era of the brimless crown and the pre-Victorian Bonnet.

'And yet it cannot be said that 1830 has been definitely settled upon as the foundation for the new styles. There are alternatives. The Directorate and the Empire still continue, and many hats have great wide "picture" brims...

to idealize those to which nature, perhaps, has shown indifference. Hats for the present will be small, but it is predicted a tendency towards larger hats will develop later in the season. The colors will show many new and subtle shades—Bois Joli, Marjolaine, Mogul Browns, Gravier, Bosphor, etc.

soms. Ribbons are broad with full bows, and in some cases with long streamers to tie under the chin or drape the shoulder. Two things we insist upon for Simpson hats—refinement and a high standard of taste. You will see all the true types of the Parisian...



Day's Doings in West Toronto & North Toronto East Toronto YORK COUNTY

private residences are being erected, and the sound of the saw and hammer is heard on every hand. Hamblin-avenue, which is less than two years ago, was a common, is practically built up solidly from Queen-street to Williamson-avenue. This avenue is, thanks to the foresight of the original owners, 66 ft. in width with a gravel...

SAMPLE PIPES TO CLEAR

We snapped up a big lot of travellers' sample Briar-root Pipes at a price that didn't pay for the making. Turn 'em over to you same way. They're in 'ndent cases and every pipe is different. All shown in east window, with prices plainly marked. Don't miss this chance.

DURHAM OLD BOYS Pleasant Time Spent at the Annual Reunion

It was a happy company of Durham County old boys who gathered for the annual reunion of the Durham County Old Boys Association, held at the home of Mr. McConkey's and presided over by the president, James L. Hughes. A social hour was spent in the reception parlors. After the reading of the past year's letters of greeting were read from old boys of distant cities, who could not be present...

WOODBRIDGE

A meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. (Rev.) J. W. Short, on Tuesday, March 2, at 8 o'clock. The subject for the evening is "The Salvation Army."

NORWAY

Ratepayers Meet. But Everything Passes Off Smoothly. NORWAY, Feb. 26.—(Special.)—The meeting called under the auspices of the Norway Ratepayers' Association for the discussion of general district matters in the school room to-night, was characterized by the greatest harmony and an utter lack of old-time spirited discussion.

NORTH TORONTO

Town's Water Shows No Sign of Improvement. NORTH TORONTO, Feb. 26.—The report of Dr. Amyot, provincial bacteriologist, on a sample of water supplied him for analysis by Dr. Jeffs, was not a sample of the town's water, but from a well on lot 12, plan 284, Jarvis-street. The town's water has been analyzed only recently, and has been found absolutely pure.

NATIONAL THEATRE FOR SPAIN

MADRID, Feb. 26.—The chamber of deputies today passed a bill for the creation of a national theatre. Judgment was delivered by Justice Teezee last night about 11 o'clock in the morning of William Armstrong v. Donald Crawford, dismissing the action with costs.

STUDENTS' MOVEMENT FOR MISSION WORK

Three-Day Conference is Opened—Leaders Also Address Gathering at Convocation Hall. Herbert L. Troyer of McMaster University, speaking on the "Toronto Student Volunteer Union," yesterday afternoon at the opening conference in Convocation Hall of the Toronto Student Missionary Society. The conference, which opened at 7 o'clock, was held in Convocation Hall. The programme for the three days was as follows: (1) The help of each other; (2) the bringing of students to think of Christian work; (3) to supply preachers on missionary subjects in city churches; (4) the publication of literature; and (5) dissemination of the missionary work.

OBITUARY

The death occurred yesterday at 123 Carlisle-avenue of Charles Johnston, a well-known printer. Deceased was 27 years of age and had been ill for some time. He was a member of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, and was a member of the Knights of St. John. He was born in Ontario on August 1, 1881. He was educated at St. Catharines, Ontario, and had spent some time in England.

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PRIVATE DISEASES

Impotency, Sterility, Nervous Debility, etc. (the result of folly or excess). Gleet and Stricture treated by Galvanism (the only sure cure, and no bad after-effects). SKIN DISEASES—Scabies, Eczema, Psoriasis, etc. (the only sure cure, and no bad after-effects). DISEASES OF WOMEN—Painful Menstruation and all displacements of the Uterus. The above are the Specialties of the DR. W. H. GRAHAM.

EXTENSIVE CREDIT SALE

The property of the late James Chester, lot 23, concession D, Township of Scarborough, will be offered for sale on Thursday, March 4, 1909, at 1 o'clock sharp, consisting of some first-class horses (heavy draught), some fresh calved cows, cows newly-calved and fat cattle and young cattle—these are fine dairy cows also some good store pigs. The above have to be sold to wind up the estate. Gentlemen do not miss this sale. D. Beldam, auctioneer.

TRANSIT LINES MERGE

Joint Headquarters for Buffalo—Of Interest to Lake Shippers. OGDENSBURG, N.Y., Feb. 26.—At a conference of representatives of the Western Transit Line, the Rutland Transit Line, and the Rutland Railroad held here to-day, it was decided to merge the two transit lines, and transfer the joint headquarters to Buffalo. The new arrangement eliminates Cleveland as a stopping point, and office there will be closed.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES

Mrs. Elsie Farnon, whose motion to annul her marriage to Robert Farnon was refused by Justice Teetzel, will appeal to the divisional court. George E. F. Stewart claims unstated damages against Benjamin Cody for injury sustained while in the latter's employ. Stewart holds Cody responsible for the defective condition of the scaffold ways and plant used by the defendant at 99 Mutual-street.

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DR. SOPER DR. WHITE

In diseases of Skin, Blood and Nerves, and Specialties of men only. One visit to office advisable, but if impossible, send history and two-cent stamp for free reply. Hours—10 to 1 and 5 to 6. Sundays, 10 to 1. DR. SOPER and WHITE, 25 Toronto Street, Toronto, Ontario.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

Take notice that an application will be made by the Corporation of the Township of York to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session for special legislation in respect of the following matter: 1. To have it declared that the Municipal Council shall be authorized and empowered to appropriate or otherwise acquire from the Toronto and North York Improvement and Trustees sufficient lands for the purpose of opening up a highway from north to south in the Township of York, such highway being required for the purpose of connecting streets running north and south through the Township of North York and the portion of the Township of York lying north and south of the said Municipality with streets running in the same direction through the portion of the Township lying south of the Municipality.

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PROBATION

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