

## Special Razor Sale

A double cut in prices at the Great Dissolution Closing Out Sale of Hardware, Implements, Etc.

To clear out the balance of our large stock of Razors, we offer the following inducements in Razors:—

**There Should be Many Clean Shaven Men After This**

|          |                                |             |             |
|----------|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| 12 dozen | Carbo Magnetic Razors          | .....\$2.00 | .....\$1.50 |
| 1        | special finish Magnetic Razors | .....2.50   | .....2.00   |
| 4 1/2    | Henry Boker Tree Brand Razors  | .....1.50   | .....1.15   |
| 5        | Sterling Razors                | .....1.25   | .....90c    |
| 3        | Bo-Ras Ic Razors               | .....1.75   | .....1.25   |
| 4        | Muller Bros. & Co.             | .....1.25   | .....90c    |
| 4        | Razors, assorted, good makes   | .....1.00   | .....50c    |

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**UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**  
**No Skating**  
**AT RINK**  
**CHATHAM SKATING RINK**

### LOCAL

J. R. Palmer, of Tilbury, was a city visitor yesterday.

J. U. Stokes, of Regina, is in the city calling on friends.

W. A. Johnson, of Tilbury, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

The Baptist Cooking Sale for Saturday is postponed indefinitely.

Miss Harper will sing at Park street Bible Class Sunday afternoon.

J. N. Mowbray, of Thamesville, was in the city on business yesterday.

Miss G. Elmer, of Edmonton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Herman, Adelaide St.

Mrs. Alexander Easton, of Park Ave. East, is slowly improving from her recent illness.

The regular annual meeting of the Elk Club will be held in the club rooms this evening at eight o'clock.

The Planet has just received about 6,000 pounds of the best English Gledger paper. The paper was shipped direct from England.

Every single overcoat in Thornton & Douglas, Limited, shows big reduction, although some are just fresh arrivals from the factory.

Miss Regercraft will address the members of Park St. League at their meeting this evening. Miss Flossie Schwemler will favor with a vocal selection.

A social evening will be held in Victoria Ave. Sunday School rooms to-night, under the auspices of the Epworth League. Mr. Killop will entertain those present to lantern views, and a musical program will be run off.

The butchers in the market stalls are complaining about the delay in installing electric lights in the new building. The lights were to have been installed four weeks ago, but the butchers are still forced to use oil lamps for lighting purposes.

Harry Zimmer, the 13-year-old son of Mrs. Valentine Zimmer, of the third concession, Harwich, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital last night, suffering from an attack of acute appendicitis. He was operated upon immediately, and this morning he was reported to be on the mend.

Vaccination was commenced and successfully performed on a large number of children at the various city schools yesterday afternoon. When the fact was announced to them, a number of the children at the Central school fainted with fright, and one child is said to have fallen in a fit. Sixty pupils were vaccinated at McKenough school.

### THE PREVENTION OF SMALL POX

Is best accomplished by the use of good disinfectants. Here are several we would suggest:—

**Chloride of Lime**

In 1/2 lb. and 1 lb. pkgs.  
5c and 10c.

**Coppersas**

12 pounds for 25c.

We also have on hand a good supply of Carbolic Acid, Formaldehyde, Etc.

**Radley's Drug Store, S. F. PARK & CO.,**  
CITY BLOCK

## LIVELY TIMES AT OTTAWA

Appointment Of Costigan And Gilmour To Senate Assailed

N. B. MEMBERS PROTEST

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—Mr. Gervais (Liberal, Montreal) yesterday introduced in the House a bill to amend the Supreme Court act, simplifying appeals to the Supreme Court of Canada from the Court of Review in the Province of Quebec. Now the amount involved must be 500 pounds, although appeals from the Court of King's Bench, a higher court, are allowed where the amount involved is only \$2,000. This amendment fixes a uniform amount at \$2,000.

The bill to increase the representation of the Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan in the House of Commons has been referred to a select committee consisting of Messrs. Turfitt, McCraney, McIntyre (Strathcona), Lake and McCarthy (Calgary). The House went promptly into committee upon Mr. Fisher's meat and canned goods inspection bill. The members insisted that the statute should be confined to interprovincial and export trade. Each province should look after its own markets.

**The Fisheries Question.**  
Mr. Maclean (Liberal, Nova Scotia) revived at the evening session the lasting and always irritating fisheries question. He urged the revision of the modus vivendi with the United States. He quoted from debates in the United States Senate showing that the fisheries treaty of 1888 had been rejected by the Senate on a party vote. There was no reason why the United States should enjoy, without consideration, the privileges accorded by that treaty as a matter of agreement. Mr. Maclean admitted that the people of Nova Scotia were not in accord upon this general question, but he laid it down as a fair proposition that the Americans should agree to the maximum, "Free fish for free fishing." He eulogized the example set by Newfoundland and urged the Government of Canada to follow her example.

**Attack on Senatorial Appointments.**  
Mr. Crockett (Conservative, New Brunswick) made a terrific attack upon the recent appointments of Costigan and Gilmour as Senators from New Brunswick. Mr. Costigan for years had owned property and voted in the City of Ottawa. Mr. Gilmour for years had lived in Montreal, with an occasional glimpse at his summer cottage in New Brunswick. Was it fair, when the sea-girl provinces were being robbed of representation in the Commons, that they should be deprived of their constitutional equality in the Senate of the Dominion?

We are now, said Mr. Crockett, entitled to ten seats in the Senate, yet on the one day this Government has made two appointments to that body from New Brunswick and assign them to other provinces. They have taken away by these appointments one-fifth of the representation of the Province of New Brunswick in the Senate.

The Premier tried to sidestep the discussion by suggesting that the Senate might expel these peripatetic philosophers.

Mr. Daniels said it would seem almost as if there were no two gentlemen resident in New Brunswick qualified, in the opinion of the right hon. gentleman, to be called to the Senate. But what qualifications do these gentlemen have who have been appointed? They certainly have not the essential qualification, under the B. N. A. Act, of residence.

**Premier Defends.**  
Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the appointment in no wise reflected upon the Government. Nor did it reflect upon the newly appointed Senators. The objection, then, went to the technical qualification as to birth, wealth, etc., as for example, did the Senator live in the province? If he did not, then his seat was vacant. It was claimed that Mr. Costigan had owned property and voted in Ottawa. The Premier desired to say that Mr. Costigan had disposed of all his property in Ottawa. Mr. Gilmour, it is true, owned property in Montreal, but he also owned property in New Brunswick.

Dr. Stockton (Conservative, New Brunswick) said that neither Mr. Costigan nor Mr. Gilmour resided in New Brunswick. It was no defence for Sir Wilfrid Laurier to say that the Senate could expel these two Senators. Mr. Emmerson insisted that Mr. Costigan had property in New Brunswick. He further said that he was certain that Mr. Gilmour owned property in New Brunswick, because Mr. Gilmour told him so.

**British Emigration.**  
London, Jan. 18.—The emigration committee will recommend that the central unemployed body allocate 30,000 for emigration this year, and thinks it advisable for an organizing officer to proceed to Canada immediately to interview the Dominion and Provincial immigration officials as to placing them at work.

**To Central For Nine Months.**  
London, Jan. 18.—Ernest Sylvester was sentenced to nine months in the Central prison on a charge of stealing money from a local furniture company for which he had been collecting accounts, while drunk. He surrendered himself to the Toronto police.

**Sage Succession Dues.**  
Albany, Jan. 18.—State Comptroller Glynn yesterday received \$625,000, the amount due the state on the estate of Russell Sage, under the inheritance tax act. The value of the estate has been placed at \$60,000,000.

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Come early and get your pick.

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### NEW HORROR THREATENED

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President to use and distribute among the sufferers and destitute people of the Island of Jamaica, such provisions, clothing, medicine and other necessary articles belonging to the subsistence and other stores of the naval establishment as may be necessary for the purpose of succoring the people who are in peril and threatened with starvation on the island. In consequence of the recent earthquake and attending conflagrations.

**Relief Ship Leaves To-Day.**  
New York, Jan. 18.—The first cargo of supplies to be sent from here in aid of the stricken people of Jamaica will be shipped to-day on the Hamburg-American steamer Allegheny.

**Death List of 1,000.**  
London, Jan. 18.—According to further despatches received here from Jamaica, dated Thursday, the total list of dead at Kingston is expected to approach 1,000.

Many bodies in a state of decomposition or charred beyond recognition had to be buried.

The American battleships Missouri and Indiana have arrived in the harbor.

Thirty-five out of a total of 55 employees in a tourist bureau were killed.

The Plum Point and Port Royal lighthouses are both at the bottom of the harbor. The navigation channel has been materially changed, and in some places the depth of the harbor has been altered by from 40 to 60 feet.

It is reported that the Hamburg-American steamer Prinz Waldemar, which reached Kingston from New York Jan. 3, is ashore at Plum Point.

**Homeless From Ohio Flood.**  
Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 18.—With the Ohio River in flood in a region of more than 400 miles, thousands of persons are suffering for necessities, and thousands more are homeless. All the indications point to this being the greatest flood since February, 1884. The city authorities yesterday began to care for persons who have been made homeless, or are otherwise suffering.

### THAMESVILLE

Thamesville, Jan. 18.—The Art Culture Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Best to-morrow.

James A. Secord, of Harrow, visited friends in town the first of the week. The annual meeting of the Thamesville Public Library will take place in the Town Hall on Monday evening, Jan. 21st. A full attendance of members is requested.

R. C. Russell, of the re-organized church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, will preach in the Town Hall on Jan. 20th at three p. m.

Mr. John, Goutts was a Chatham visitor to-day.

Miss Elva Fuller, of Arkona, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Irwin.

Mrs. Conklin, of Bay City, is visiting Mrs. Carlyle.

Miss Sarah Ferguson is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Ferguson, of Ridgetown.

The newly elected School Board held their first meeting on Wednesday night. Dr. S. Stewart was appointed chairman and Miss Mildred Albertson secretary-treasurer.

Miss Jennie Laurie, who for the past three weeks has been the guest of friends in Dresden, returned home yesterday.

The sermons to young men are of increasing interest in the Methodist church. Sunday night Mr. Irwin will preach on "A young man's glory."

The choir will furnish appropriate music.

Rev. Hugh Watson, of Watford, has accepted an unanimous call to become pastor of the Baptist church, commencing next Sunday.

The many friends of Miss Ethel Secord will be pleased to learn that she is an honor graduate of the Model school. She has accepted a position in the Portlake school.

Mrs. Wm. Drader and Mrs. Gardiner, of Chatham, are the guests of Mrs. R. N. Fraser.

Master Willie Watts is on the sick list.



### Fun for the Boys

This is the time of the year when the boys and girls enjoy themselves. Provide them

With a Sled

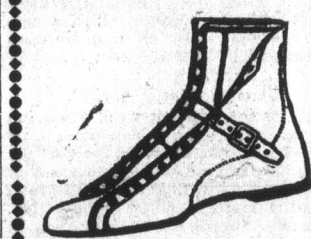
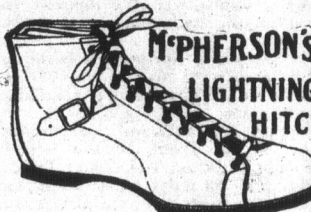
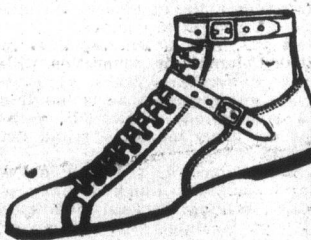
that they may enjoy the snow while it's here. We never had such a display as we are offering this year. Come and see them. Bring the boy with you.

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