

---and the Worst Is Yet to Come

MUSIC and
DRAMA

Coming Attractions at Grand.

Today, Matinee and Night — "The Dream Maiden."
Thursday, Friday and Saturday Night — "Land of Golden Dreams."
Wednesday, Dec. 3 — "The Rosary."
Friday and Saturday, Dec. 5 and 6 — Sheehan English Opera Company, in "Salome."
Monday, Dec. 8 — Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw.
The Delightful Operetta, "The Dream Maiden."
"The Dream Maiden" will make her

expectation of the management, as the reports from all quarters have been unanimous in the indorsement of the production. London has a special interest in the performances on account of the author being an old resident of Canada, but even with that element eliminated, the standard merit of the libretto, lyrics, music and general production has insured a most enjoyable performance.

"Land of Golden Dreams." will be seen at the Grand next Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Saturday matinee, Nov. 27, 28, and 29. Miss D. Hope Leonard dramatized the story, and



MISS D. HOPE LEONARD, who will produce her successful play, "The Land of Golden Dreams," with local talent, on Nov. 27, 28 and 29.

final Canadian bow this afternoon and evening at the Grand. This sterling and unanimously indorsed big musical attraction is to go direct to New York after the evening performance. The sale of seats has been fully up to the

having been urgently solicited by Londoners, has consented to give the operetta on the above-mentioned dates. It will be the hit of the season, and the most beautiful combinations of effects, marches and songs, dance spe-

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cialties, etc. Bright boys and girls have been selected to portray the different characters, and rehearsals are given daily. The music will be in competent hands, and Miss Leonard will personally direct the performance. "The Land of Golden Dreams" will be presented under the auspices of No. 16 Company of Canadian Army Service Corps. Seat sale opens Tuesday at 9 a.m.

Good Shows Coming.

Among the many attractions booked for the Grand within the next few weeks are the following: "The Rosary," Dec. 3; the Sheehan English Opera Company, in "Salome," Dec. 5 and 6; Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw, Dec. 8, and the famous dancer, Pavlova.



AUDREY MAPLE, with "The Dream Maiden," at the Grand, twice today.

ENGLAND POSSESSES
DREADNOUGHT FLEET

Eight Monster Battleships Cost
Nation Something Over
\$70,000,000.

[Canadian Press.] London, Nov. 22.—England now possesses a full squadron of eight battleships of the super-Dreadnought type, the most compact and powerful fighting force in the world.

These ships, which mount in the aggregate eighty 13.5-inch guns and one hundred and twenty-eight 4-inch guns, cost the British nation something over \$70,000,000, but after all they form only a part of the British fleet. The Ajax, the commissioning of which completed the surrender, was the 18th battleship of the Dreadnought era to take her place in the fleet that guards these coasts, and it is less than eight years since the first first Dreadnought was laid down. England has therefore spent in battleships and battle-cruisers along in these eight years upward of \$100,000,000, and each year her ships, each being an improvement over the last, are costing her more.

SUES FOR INSURANCE

Windsor Woman's Husband Has Been Absent for Seven Years.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Windsor, Nov. 21.—An action by Mrs. Alzona Wright, of Windsor, against the Ancient Order of United Workmen to collect a policy held by her husband, Judson Wright, is being heard before Justice Meredith in the assize court, Sandwich.

Mrs. Wright contends she is entitled to proceeds of the policy, on the ground that her husband has not been heard of in seven years. He left home at that time, and has since been given up as dead. He was last heard from in Chicago.

FIRE AT DETROIT

Loss to Manufacturers in Power Building Will Total \$150,000.

[Canadian Press.] Detroit, Nov. 22.—Fire, which destroyed a three-story brick power building at 274-290 Wight street last night, caused a loss of \$150,000 to the five manufacturing firms which occupied the structure. The losers are: Yeoman-Diver Company, the Couplant Saw Company, Casey Manufacturing Company, Detroit-Jack on Cushion Spring Company, and the Climax Sanitary Company.

FAT STOCK SHOW, UNION STOCK YARDS, TORONTO.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Fat Stock Show, Union Stock Yards, Toronto, entries for which close on Nov. 25 next. The judging will take place on Saturday, Dec. 6, and an auction sale will be held Monday, Dec. 8. Buyers will be present from all parts of the Dominion. Entries are coming in very rapidly. Those desirous of obtaining entry blanks or other information should address Mr. C. E. Topping, Secretary, Union Stock Yards, Toronto.

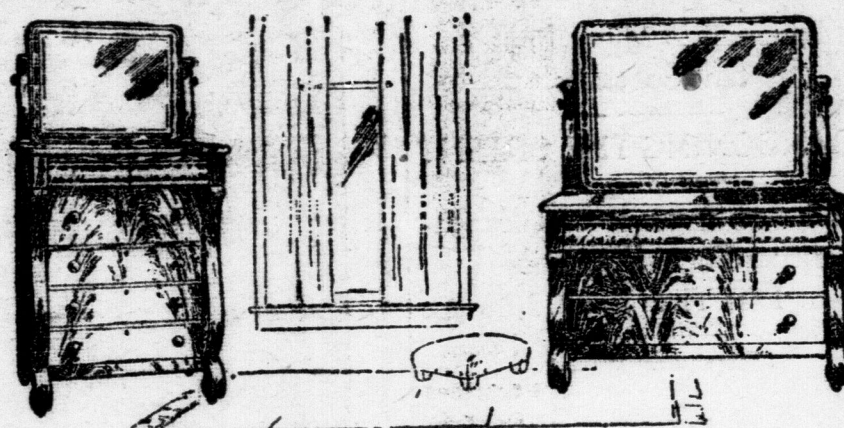


GERTRUDE GUGLER, contralto, of "The Dream Maiden," at the Grand, twice today.

Store Opens 8:30 a.m. | Smallman & Ingram, Limited | Store Closes at 6 p.m.

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In Furniture Section

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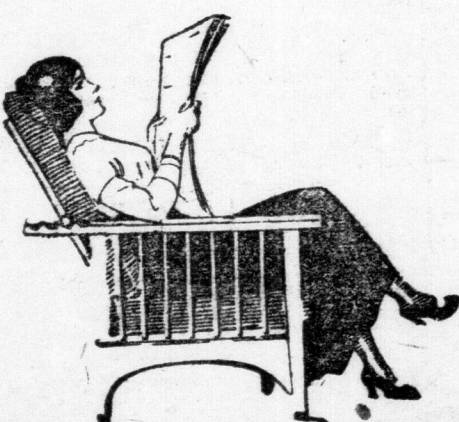
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GOLD FOR CANADA.

[Canadian Press.] New York, Nov. 21.—There has been withdrawn from the sub-treasury today an additional \$2,000,000 gold coin for shipment to Canada.

FUND IS NEARING \$70,000.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Nov. 21.—Tomorrow should see the \$70,000 mark in the great lakes disaster fund. Today the fund is \$69,500.

The largest amount given in was

from Hiram Walker & Son, Limited, Walkerville, \$500. Nine days are left for further contributions.

BELMONT.

Belmont, Nov. 22.—Mrs. A. W. Vennings, Mrs. John Dawg and Mrs. H. J. Barons, of Belmont, are attending the convention of Women's Institutes of Ontario, which is being held in Toronto this week.

The repairs and alterations which have been under way on St. George's

Church for some time, have been completed, and the church will be reopened on Sunday, when Rev. Dr. Walter, principal of Huron College, London, will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Internally and externally the building is very much improved and beautified. Local chicken coops are being depleted in an alarming manner, and the inmates are being shipped to Toronto daily by some of the local merchants in large quantities.

Mr. W. Fitzpatrick, who has been

in the Northwest for a couple of months, has returned.

A headless whale, stranded on the Berwickshire coast, cost nearly \$100 to bury.

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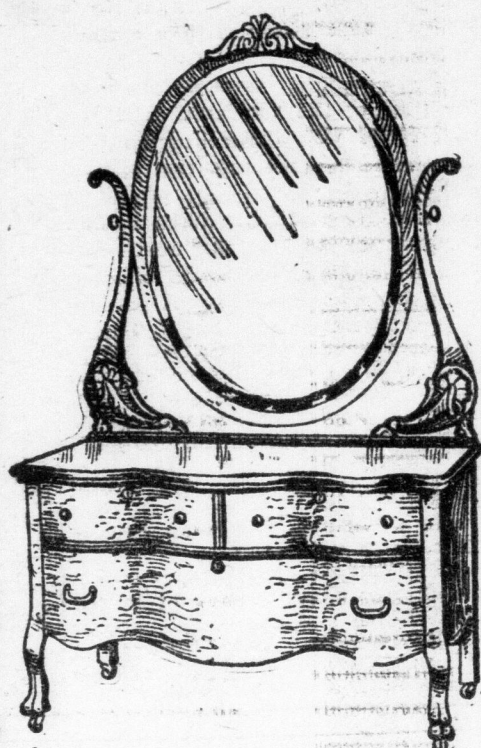
Our present showing of Bedroom Furniture is the finest we have ever shown, particularly in the more popular or medium-priced goods.

Mahogany
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Veneered fronts and top, full swell front with one long and two small drawers, top 42x20 inch, with British bevel plate mirror, 38x22 inch. Price, special.....\$23.00

Also solid quarter-cut oak, full serpentine front, top 46x24, with British bevel plate mirror 40x24-inch (as pictured). Special at.....\$25.00

See our Child's Safety Sliding Side Cribs, from.....\$5.00 to \$12.00
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Solid Quarter-Cut Oak. Price \$25.

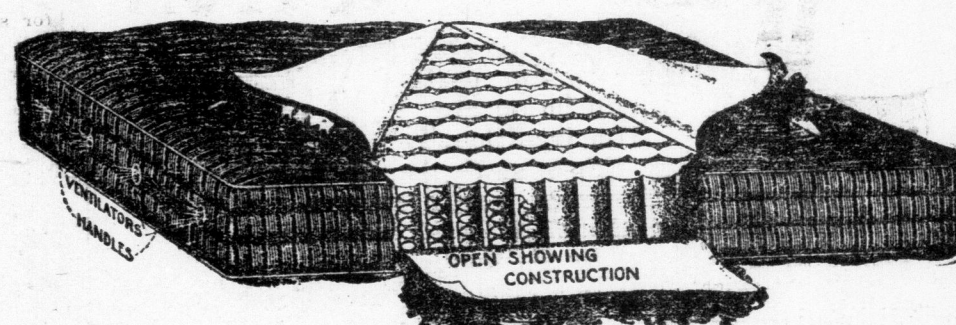
Brass Beds

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