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Children's White Pique Coats

Children's White Pique Coats, with yoke and skirt box pleated front and back, large sailor collar, trimmed with frill of embroidery and embroidery insertion in collar. Special Thursday price \$1.50

Also another style box reefer sailor collar, trimmed with white insertion, sizes 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, special Thursday \$1.25

Misses' Cloth Skirts, \$1.98

Misses' Light Gray Cloth Skirts, with invisible check, over-stitched and bound seams, stitched bands, and skirt trimmed with buttons, sizes 24 to 36. Special Thursday price \$1.98

Boys' Bow Ties, 10c each or 3 for 25c

Boys' and Men's Bow Ties, made of fine silk, covered shields, pleated knot, medium light and dark shades. Your choice at 10c each or 3 for 25c

J. M. THOMSON

HAS NO FEARS OF INVESTIGATION

Hon. Mr. Brodeur Repels the Insinuations of the Opposition Leader.

Ottawa, April 28.—In the House of Commons today a discussion arose in regard to the investigation into the marine department, which commences this week. Mr. Borden inquired when Justice Cassels would begin his labors and the minister replied "on Friday."

Mr. Bergeron wanted to know who had suggested the appointment of counsel. Hon. Mr. Brodeur said that Judge Cassels had expressed the view that he should be given legal assistance.

Hon. Geo. E. Foster asked on what grounds the lawyers chosen had been named.

"Because they are men of repute; there is no other reason," replied the minister.

Mr. Borden after declaring that under the order-in-council the inquiry must of necessity be restricted in its character, said the royal civil service commission had left the inquiry in respect to the marine department in an unfinished state. The Government, not having seen fit to send the report back to the commissioners to be completed, might have seen that the commissioners had a legal representative present at the forthcoming inquiry. Now two Liberal lawyers had been named to assist Mr. Cassels. This, he said, was in strange contrast to the policy pursued by the Conservatives at the departmental investigation of 1891, when B. B. Osler and Mr. Geoffroy, who were associated with the Liberal party, were named. Mr. Borden went on to say that the present minister had on more than one occasion shown a disposition to shield himself behind his immediate predecessors.

Hon. Mr. Brodeur repelled the insinuations of the Opposition, and

went on to say that he was anxious to have the inquiry as wide as possible. He had told Judge Cassels that it was his desire that officials of the department who have been derelict in their duty should not be spared and that those who are under any false suspicion should be cleared. "I am thoroughly in earnest in this matter," he said, "and want to see such investigation as will satisfy people of Canada." Mr. Brodeur said the mode of inquiry had been left in the hands of the judge. He denied that he had ever tried to shield himself behind his predecessor in office. "I have not done so, and will not go behind a corpse or a coffin to escape responsibility," he said. "I want the truth, the whole truth, and perhaps we will find truths which will surprise somebody," was his closing remark.

The debate was continued by Messrs. Bergeron, Fleiding, Foster, Lennox, Bristol and others.

THE ESCAPE OF MOIR

Government Should Offer Reward for Capture, Says Major Beattie.

Ottawa, April 28.—The escape of Private Moir, the slayer of Sergeant Lloyd, at Wolseley Barracks, London, was brought to the attention of the House today by Major Beattie, who said:

"The police of London have done their best to discover and apprehend the man, but he has got away into the country and county constables are somewhat indifferent about attempting to arrest a man who is heavily armed in the manner in which this man is, and I do not think that they have given the matter the attention that they should have. I think that if some moderate reward were offered for the capture of this man he would very likely be obtained."

"It is a very serious case and I think that something should be done by the Government in the way of offering a moderate reward for his capture."

The Premier intimated that the Government was aware of the case.

SUING OVER NOTE

Ottawa, April 28.—The Bank of Ottawa is suing W. R. Stewart, Fraser MacDonald, and Walter Sadler for \$1,575, as the amount said to be due on a promissory note.

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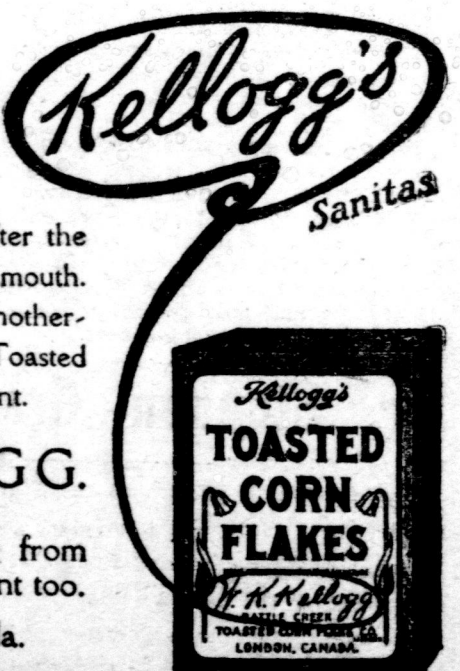
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TOASTED CORN FLAKES



THE PROTECTION OF PULPWOOD

Government Likely To Appoint a Commission Regarding the Subject.

Ottawa, April 28.—It is expected that a motion will shortly be made in the House to the effect that it is the intention of the Government to appoint a royal parliamentary commission to deal with the pulpwood question.

The commission will, it is said, consist of two Liberal members, one from Quebec and one from Ontario, and one Conservative. The Liberal members of the commission will probably be Dr. Beland, of Beauce, and A. H. Clarke, of Essex, while the Conservative member may be E. N. Lewis, of West Huron, or William Jackson, of Elgin.

As members of parliament cannot accept the emoluments from the country other than sessional indemnity, the members of the commission will receive their expenses only.

The order to have the commission continue its inquiry during parliamentary recess and make its report to parliament next session.

The commission will in the course of its inquiry visit a great many points in Canada and the United States, including Washington, where the pulpwood question will be thoroughly discussed with the American authorities.

GAMEY AT CHATHAM

Speaks in Interest of Conservative Candidate for West Kent.

Chatham, April 28.—R. R. Gamey was the visiting speaker at the meeting held here tonight in the Opera House in the interest of George W. Sulman, the Conservative candidate for the Legislature in West Kent.

J. M. Pike, K. C., president of the West Kent Conservative Association, presided.

Mr. Sulman was the first speaker, and he made an earnest appeal for support.

P. H. Bowyer, M. P. of East Kent followed, dealing with the record of the Government and his own conduct in the House. He attacked Leader MacKay on the question of railway taxation, and charged Mr. MacKay and local politicians with misrepresenting facts in reference to grants to agriculture.

Mr. Gamey dealt chiefly with the work of the Government in New Ontario, endeavoring to show that advantageous changes had been made by the present administration in dealing with the people's resources in the north country. He praised Hon. F. C. Cochrane's management, and sought to justify the acts of the Government in guaranteeing the bonds of the Canadian Northern Railway and the Larose transaction. He also claimed for the Government an absolutely clear record. This brought down the house.

C. P. R. AND MACHINISTS

Official to Act With Men's Representative From Winnipeg.

Montreal, April 28.—Canadian Pacific Railway authorities here have decided not to appoint anyone here to act on committee to inquire into difficulties existing between the company and its western employees. The appointment will be made in Winnipeg, official selected, together with James Somerville, representative of the men, to agree upon a third to act with them in inquiring into existing disagreement, and to report to the Government.

FOUND FATHER HANGING

Villagers of St. Jacobs Shocked by Prosperous Farmer's Suicide.

St. Jacobs, Ont., April 29.—The villagers of St. Jacobs were shocked yesterday noon by the report that Wendel S. Bowman, a well-to-do, young, and prosperous farmer, living two miles north of the village, having committed suicide by hanging. He went to the barn, as usual, in the morning to perform his duties, and not returning in due time, a search was made by his son, aged 15, who was shocked to find his father suspended by a rope from an overhead support. Life was already extinct. Mr. Bowman was 42 years of age, and leaves a widow and two sons. He was well-to-do, and it's a mystery as to what made him do the rash act. Coroner Schultz, of Elmira, was called, and he deemed an inquest unnecessary.

A MYSTERIOUS DEATH

Young Englishman Found Dead in Front of the Mercer Reformatory.

Toronto, April 28.—The body of a man thought by the police to be E. C. George, an Englishman, about 35 years of age, was found lying on the curb in front of the Mercer Reformatory at 2:45 this morning. The head was resting on the curb and the clothing was slightly deranged. The police were notified and a patrol wagon was sent to the scene from No. 6 police station. The body was taken to the residence of Dr. Harris, Elm Grove avenue and King streets. The doctor could find no traces of violence and beyond a little earth in his hair, probably there as a result of falling, found nothing suspicious or out of the way. Cause of death not known.

V. M. Roberts, Goderich, has been appointed chief engineer of the West Lake Shore Electric Railroad between Goderich and Kincardine, and will commence survey work immediately.



This woman was ill, blue, and discouraged. Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. R. Gentleman, 1098 St. James Street, Montreal, Quebec, writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"I suffered from a severe female weakness, and extreme nervousness, and was blue and utterly discouraged. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended, and after taking several bottles, I am not only cured, but am an entirely different woman, and on the whole a healthier woman than before taking your valuable medicine."

"Every woman who suffers from any form of female ill should not fail to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

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For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness or nervous prostration. We don't want to try it?

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

LANDSLIDE DEAD LAID TO REST

The Burial of the Victims a Pathetic and Impressive Spectacle.

Ottawa, April 28.—A never-to-be-forgotten sight was the funeral this morning of the fifteen victims of the Notre Dame de la Salette landslide, whose bodies were recovered. Since the tragedy the bodies lay side by side in the little school-house where relatives and friends constantly called to view the bodies as they lay side by side, surrounded by candles. It was a sight to move any one to tears, little children showing every evidence of health and attractiveness and mothers with babes clasped in their arms, as they were after the solemn service all vended their way to the graveyard, where the remains were laid to rest in one large grave. No new bodies have been recovered.

TRIES TO SUICIDE

Despondent Teamster Makes Doubtful Barreled Attempt, But Fails.

Toronto, April 28.—Another of the tragedies of the unemployed was disclosed this morning at 65 Teraulay street, when William Mathers, an unemployed teamster, attempted to commit suicide. For some time Mathers has been out of work and last night overcome with despondency, he determined to put an end to it all.

Carefully blocking up all the cracks and openings around his door and windows he turned the gas on, first drinking a small bottle of laudanum. To get at the gas Mathers had to unscrew the iron plug from the end of the pipe, as there was no regular jet in the room.

Mrs. Fred Owen, his landlady, suspected that something was wrong and the door was forced in. Mathers was found lying on his bed totally unconscious.

A letter addressed to a sister, Mrs. MacFarlane, 815 King street east, was found in his room. "Try to forgive me, and may God forgive me, too," says the pathetic little note. At St. Michael's Hospital it is said Mathers will live.

A WINDINGUP ORDER.

Toronto, April 28.—An order for the windingup of the Cornwall Paper Company, of Cornwall, was issued this morning by Mr. Justice Teetzel, on the application of the Stirling Bank, who claim to be creditors to the extent of \$110,000. It was alleged that the concern was indebted otherwise to the extent of \$26,000. The assets consist of the plant, valued at about \$100,000, and stock in trade at \$40,000. The Trusts and Guarantee Company, of Toronto, were appointed liquidators.

Miss Mae Cockburn, who was injured in the Essex dynamite explosion gave her evidence yesterday in Windermere. She is suffering from neurasthenia, and her complete recovery is improbable. Miss Cockburn is suing the M. C. R. for heavy damages.

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Wednesday,
April 29

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The great assortment includes Swiss, Tambour, Applique, Irish Hand-Embroidered Linen, and Japanese Hand-Drawn Linen Shams, with Scarfs to match. We are making special mention here of Swiss makes, of which we have special display in west window. See them.

The following numbers are sold in sets, consisting of one pair 32x32 Shams, one 18x54 and one 18x36 Scarf, to match:

- No. 23685—Scalloped edge, daisy design, very little open-work, on muslin, set . . . \$1.50
- No. 23597—Scalloped edge, daisy design and open-work scroll, on muslin, set . . . \$1.70
- No. 23582—Hemstitched edge, poppy and bow-knot design, on muslin, set . . . \$1.90
- No. 41918—Scalloped edge, maple leaf, open-work, on muslin, set . . . \$1.90
- No. 23587—Scalloped edge, ornamental open-work design, on cambric, set . . . \$2.25
- No. 23687—Scalloped edge, daisy design, with open-work bow-knot, on muslin, set . . . \$2.45
- No. 23682—Hemstitched edge, open-work floral design, on muslin, set . . . \$2.45
- No. 23593—Hemstitched edge, open-work scroll border, with eyelet wreath center, on cambric, set . . . \$2.45
- No. 23669—Scalloped edge, open-work basket design, on muslin, set . . . \$2.85
- No. 23640—Hemstitched edge, very open scroll design, on cambric, set . . . \$3.20
- No. 23665—Scalloped edge, very dainty scroll and floral combinations, on muslin, per set . . . \$3.20
- No. 23654—Scalloped edge, applique shadow effect, on muslin, set . . . \$3.30

Stock numbers are given with above descriptions, and prices, for convenience of out-of-town customers ordering by mail. Keep this list. Mail orders promptly attended to.

ODD SHAMS—We have a number of odd pairs of Shams, without scarf to match, at special prices, 59c up.

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- Florida Water, Bradley's . . . 50c
- Lavender Water, Crown . . . 25c and 35c
- Crown Eau-de-Cologne . . . 25c and 35c
- Bradley's Violet Sea Salt . . . 25c and 50c
- Bradley's Violet Talcum . . . 25c
- Bradley's Nita Rose Talcum . . . 25c
- Bradley's Almond Meal . . . 25c
- Colgate's Violet Talcum . . . 25c
- Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Talcum . . . 25c
- Colgate's Dental Cream . . . 25c
- Colgate's Dental Powder . . . 25c
- Crown Cherry Tooth Paste . . . 12 1/2c
- Crown Lavender Smelling Salts, . . . 35c and 60c
- Crown Floral Sachets . . . 15c
- Bradley's Floral Sachets . . . 15c
- Tooth Brushes, each . . . 5c to 35c
- Dressing Combs, each . . . 6c to 60c
- Hair Brushes, each . . . 19c to \$2.25
- Nail Brushes, each . . . 3c to \$1.00
- Soap Boxes 35c, Tooth Brush Cases 65c.

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CANADIAN

George Hepburn was sentenced at Kingston to six months for bigamy.

Sir Frederick Bridge, the eminent English organist, has arrived in Ottawa.

The new civil service bill will be based on the British system, it is said.

Alexander Godin, a Montreal boy, ate herbs he found along the railway and died.

Fred Laforest, of Edmundston, N.B., a barrister and active in provincial politics, is dead.

The Ottawa improvement commission has discharged all its workmen as its appropriation is exhausted.

John Southwood, a fireman in the Cuckshutt Works, Brantford, was severely scalded yesterday by a boiler explosion.

Employees of the city engineer of Brantford are alleged to be insubordinate and their conduct will be investigated.

Martin Price, alias Harry Miller, was yesterday sentenced to 15 years in Kingston penitentiary for burglary in Guelph.

Francis Sella, an Italian laborer, of Toronto, was buried in a sewer cave yesterday afternoon, and smothered to death.

There is a storm of criticism from the anti-Ritualistic party of the Anglican Church against the new book of Common Prayer.

Two conferences have taken place between the C. P. R. and the striking machinists at Winnipeg, but with little or no result.

Hon. Geo. W. Ross addressed the Hamilton Canadian Club on "The National Significance of the Battle of the Plains of Abraham."

Dr. Preston, M. P., has again been nominated by the Conservatives of Lanark as their candidate for the coming provincial elections.

Lord Milner, formerly governor of the Transvaal, will visit Canada this summer, and deliver a course of lectures on preferential trade.

Although Port Arthur will adopt eastern time in May the hotels will not, and the bars may stay open till what will then be 12 o'clock instead of 11 o'clock now.

W. W. Nelles, a farmer living near Lucknow, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself. Despondency

over ill-health and the death of his wife was the cause.

The body of Robert Johnston, a farm laborer living near Watford, was found on the G. T. R. tracks about a mile west of Watford. There were no marks on the body, so it is evident the man was not struck by a train.

Thomas Lawson's Yukon mining scheme will probably be brought to the attention of the Government this week, as Mr. Claude Macdonnell, of Toronto, has placed several questions on the order paper to be answered.

William Hanlon was brought back from Kingston Penitentiary yesterday to Guelph to stand trial on six charges of forgery. He pretended that he was a rich farmer of Wellington County, and victimized all the banks in Guelph on the order paper to be answered.

7. Demara, of Stoney Point, was held up in his room by two robbers, and forced to give up his money. This is the second time this has happened of late. There is no clue, as Demara cannot describe the men very accurately.

Albert Bechtel, an employee of the Preston Car Works, came into contact with a live wire yesterday, and received 500 volts of electricity. While his injuries may not prove fatal, it is thought that Bechtel will lose his eyesight.

The celebrated Foulds will case in Winnipeg was ended yesterday, by the presiding judge declaring that the will produced by William Foulds purporting to be the last will of George Foulds was a slovenly forgery. The money, therefore, goes to George Foulds' mistress, and her illegitimate children. The estate is valued at about a million dollars.

MISTOOK LIGHTS.

Port Dalhousie, Ont., April 28.—The steamer City of New York, which was on the beach close to Wilson, N. Y., piers, succeeded in working herself out before the canal tug City reached her. She mistook the lights at Wilson for Port Dalhousie. She is not damaged, and worked up the lake with her own steam. The tug Golden City accompanied her here, arriving at noon today.

WOULD DEPORT BELGIANS.

Toronto, April 28.—Mayor Oliver today wrote to Hon. Frank Oliver, minister of the Interior, asking him to deport 150 Belgians who are destitute in Toronto. These men this morning applied to the house of industry for a meal, but were refused as the city had ordered the outdoor relief department closed.

None Left Over

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JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

Cook's Church Anniversary.

An old-time subscriber, writing from Mount Brydges, asks The Advertiser to contradict certain statements that appeared in the 2 p. m. edition of April 21, under the heading "Caradoc Center," and referring to Cook's Church anniversary, which is to be celebrated on Sunday and Monday, May 3 and 4.

The statements complained of are that (at the time) the choir had engaged Mr. Greenlaw to assist them on Sunday, and that the choir were then practicing three nights in the week. The subscriber flatly denies both these statements and claims that they were intended as "a slur on the present organist and her choir, who took the places of those who previously conducted the musical services in Cook's Church."

Consul General John P. Bray of Melbourne, reports that 12,091 tons of tin, valued at over \$7,300,000, was produced in Australia during 1906.