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THE HAMILTON CONFERENCE.

Stationing Committee Completed Its Work and the Results Are Given.

THE MINISTERIAL CANDIDATES

Were Examined and Passed on for Ordination—Students for College.

Hamilton, May 30.—(Special.)—The Stationing Committee of the Hamilton Methodist Conference completed its labors to-day and its report will probably be dealt with by the conference on Saturday or Monday. The draft is as follows:

Hamilton District.

Centenary Church, Geo F Salton, Ph B, Thomas Stobbs, Toronto; Wesley Church, William F Wilson, Stephen Rappelle, Toronto. First Church, William L Rutledge, BA, Edward Lounsbury, Gore-street, Thos J Atkins, W Gould Brown, MA, superannuated. Zion Tabernacle, T Albert Moore. Simcoe-street, Theo J Parr, MA, Hamilton Leith, superannuated. Hannah-street, Geo Clark, PhD, William Sheridan, superannuated. Emerald-street, J Austin Jackson. Barton-street, Charles L Bowlby. Dundas, James H Hazelwood. Caledonia, Charles Deacon, PhB. Glanford, Harvey M Hall. Ancaster, James H Collins. Millgrove, S Judson Kelly. Binbrook, James H McCartney. Bartonville, Charles R Morrow. Stoney Creek, Henry J Livingstone, James E Dyer, Toronto, superannuated. Tapleytown, Amasa B Miller. Ker, Francis Mathers, BD. York, Samuel A Laidman, Thos B Trimble. Eastwood, Samuel E Couch. Innerkip. Princeton, Joshua R Patterson. Drumbo, Joseph D Richardson, BA. Cathcart, Andrew D Robb, Strathallan, Christopher Cookman. Plattsville, A Walton Tonge. Bright, Hugh S Dougall, BA, BD. Washington, James Ferguson.

Galt District.

Galt, Walter E Prescott, BA, Alex W Crawford, MA, left without a station at his own request. Berlin, J Sprague Williamson, DD. Waterloo, George A Mitchell, BA. Hespeler, J Walker Shilton, BA. Preston, Charles W Cousins. Zion, George W Barker (Preston). Ayr, Alfred E Lavell, BA. Sheffield, Charles A Cavers. Elmira, William C Watson, MA. New Hamburg, Josephus Culp. Linwood, Henry Mousinger.

Simcoe District.

Simcoe, David W Snider. Waterford, Robert Davey. Port Dover, Wray R Smith. Walsh, Charles D Draper. Jarvis, Richard W Scanlan, MA, PhD, and William W Prudham, BA (Cheapside). Hagersville, Robert Walker, Thomas S Howard. Cayuga, Alfred A Bowers, BA. Townsend, William W Sparling and John M Haith (Simcoe). Rockford, G W Down. Port Rowan and St Williams, Ephraim B Stevenson, BA. Lynedoch, John Stewart. Decewsville, William J Ellis (Nelles' Corners). Walsingham Centre, John E S Baillie. New Credit, Edward H Taylor (Hagersville).

Milton District.

Milton, George Richardson. Oakville, David A Muir, BD. Burlington, William C Henderson, DD. Georgetown, John Saunders, MA. Plains and Appleby, Joseph Archer, Freeman. Waterdown, John E Hockey. Palermo, William A Strongman, Ph D, LLD. Trafalgar, Thomas Amy, Omagh, and George W Smitherman (Omagh). Norval, Arthur I Terryberry. Lowville, Jabez Wass. Carlisle, T Webster Kelly, BA. Freelton, Andrew Hamilton, BA, BD.

Welland District.

Welland, John W Cooley. Fonthill, John S Corcoran. Allanburg, J Milton Copeland. Port Robinson, William B Smith. Port Colborne and Humberstone, Alexander J Irwin, BA, BD, (Port Colborne). Dunnville, Charles E Stafford. John V Wilson, Wesley Casson, 49 Kensington-avenue, Toronto, superannuated. Caistorville, Samuel W Falls. Canboro, Adam I Snider. Fenwick, George E Honey, BA, BD. Wellandport, Thomas Grandy. Stromness, Robert H Bell, BA (Forks Road). Ridgeway, Jas H McBain, BA. Stevensville, Richard Railton. Ridgeburg, J Parker Bell. South Cayuga, Charles M Marshall, David H Neely, MD, Charles P Holmes, George F Swinnerton.

Guelph District.

Norfolk-street Church, Francis A Cassidy, M A, William S Griffin, D D, Toronto; Dublin-street, James S Ross, M A, D D; Paisley-street, J Fred Kaye, B A; Ponsonby—Henry J Harnwel. Elora—Thomas W Jackson. Fergus—William H Harvey, B A. Matthew Swann, superannuated. Eramosa—Henry Brand. Aberfoyle—Thomas J Smith. Orton—Samuel Nicholson. Belwood—Edwin A Flagg, B D. Nassagaweya—Edward J Clark. Rockwood—Samuel W Holden. Acton—Joseph M Hagar. Erin—Edward Whitworth, Andrew S Colwell, Belfountain; Robert J McIntyre.

St. Catharines District.

St. Catharines—St. Paul-street, A Leonard Gee, Ph D; Welland-avenue, William Smythe; Niagara-street, Arthur C Edy, B A. Louth and Grantham—J Edgar Russ. St. Catharines. Merriton—Sanford E Marshall, B A, B D. Thorold—Amos E Russ, M A. Niagara Falls South—John C Stevenson. Niagara Falls—Francis E Nugent. Niagara—George Lounds, Samuel Wilson, London; David Auld, superannuated. Stamford and St. David's—Jabez H Dyke, St. David's. Beamsville—Jacob E Howell, M A. Frenerick Haynes, supernumerary. Grimsby—James A MacLochlin. Smithville—Thomas R Fydell. Jordan Station—James Awde, B A. Port Dalhousie—John A Doyle.

Brantford District.

Brantford — Wellington-street, John Pickering. Brant-avenue—George K Adams. Colborne-street — Richard J Treleaven. Richard W Wadsworth, Toronto, left without a station at his own request. Sydenham-street—James M Wright. Oxford-street—Thomas P Perry. Huron-street—H B Christie. Paris—John Wakefield, D D. St. George—Clifford T Bennett, B A. Copetown—Richard B Rowe. Lynden—George H Cornish, LL D. Troy—George Carpenter. Jerseyville—W M Teeple. Burness Bristol, superannuated. Onondaga—Morley C Peart, B A. Cainsville—John T Smith and W D Mason. Peter German (Echo Place). William Cross, superannuated. Mount Pleasant—James G Foote. Mohawk. Grand River—William Walker, Newport.

Woodstock District.

Woodstock—Central Church, Samuel Sellery, M A, B D. William Ames. Dundas-street, Edson E Marshall, B A. David Hunt, Ordway, Col, superannuated, with permission to reside in the United States. College-avenue—William B Caswell, B A. Ingersoll—King-street, John G Scott. Geo Lawrence, superannuated, with permission to reside in the United States. Charles-street, George W Calvert. John T Davis, Orient, S D, superannuated, with permission to reside in the United States. Salford—Albert Kennedy. Sweaborg—Geo W Johnston. Oxford Centre—David H Taylor and Arthur H Crosby, Currie's.

Norwich District.

Norwich—Robert J Elliott, W C Jolley, 73 Czar-street, Toronto. David L Brethour, Ph D. Burford and Fairfield—Henry Caldwell; S T L., Burford; Albert W Stepperson, Burford. Kelvin—Fred W Crowle, B A. Springford—William J Brandon, F Louis Barber. Otterville and Bookton—Thomas R Clarke. Teeterville—John H McArthur, B D. Dereham—George Ferguson, Dereham Centre. Delhi—James Charlton. Courtland—Edward Sheppard. Ezra Adams, superannuated; Alfred T Wilkinson, Ernest W Stapleford, Thomas W Poole.

Palmerston District.

Palmerston—John H Robinson. George Hartley, Kingsville, superannuated. Harriston—Robert Burns, Ph B. Minto—John W Gilpin, Harriston. Drayton—Thomas Boyd. Alma—James Mooney and W H Douglas. Peel—John R Isaac. Glenallan. Moorefield—Henry E Hill. Stirton—James D Kestle. Teviotdale—Walter E Treleaven. William E Stafford, Richard A Facey, Alfred J Johnston.

Mount Forest District.

Mount Forest—William Kettlewell. Arthur—R Walter Wright, B D. Grand Valley—Benjamin L Cohoe. Chas L McIrvine (Monticello). Durham—F W Hollinrake, B A. Clifford—Alfred E Smith, B D. Holstein—Wesley J Magwood. Drew—David Ecker (Mount Forest). Kenilworth—Fred W Thompson, B A (Arthur). Varney—Dixon Sharpe (Durham). Cedarville—George Francis Morris (Conn). (William E Gilroy, B A).

Walkerton District.

Walkerton—John Kaye. Mildmay—Robert Keefer. Hanover—Thomas L Wilkinson. Elmwood—John W Sahder. Chesley—Charles J Dobson, B D. Eden Grove—Robert L Ockley. Paisley—Austin Potter. Port Elgin—Walter S Jamieson. Southampton—Henry A Cook. Saugeen—William B Danard. Chippawa Hill. (John C Pomeroy, B A).

Wiarton District.

Wiarton—Thomas Colling, B A. Tara—Thomas L Kerruish. Arkwright—William H Garnham, B A, B D. William K Allen. Dobbinton—William N Vollick. Allenford—William Ottawell. Hepworth—Judson Truax, one to be sent. Shallow Lake, Oxenden—John W Kitching, B A. Hemble—William H Billiby. Colpoy's Bay—Charles G F Cole. Lion's Head—Robert Carson. Tiper's Bay—Victor J Gilpin, B A. Tobermory—John W Worrall. Cape Croker—Adam Glazier.

Ministerial Work.

This afternoon and evening were given up to ministerial sessions. The afternoon meeting was occupied with the examination of ministerial character. There was no serious charge laid against any of the brethren. Most of the afternoon was taken up with the case of Rev. George F. Swinnerton, from the Welland district. He went to British Columbia nearly two years ago, and afterwards drifted to the United States, without obtaining his credentials from the Hamilton Conference. A variety of motions and amendments were discussed, and it was finally decided to silently drop his name, for irregular withdrawal from the work of the ministry.

Worthy for the Ministry.

This evening the following were declared to be worthy to be ordained as ministers: A W Shepperson, William H Douglas, Hamilton District; Arthur H Crosby, John H Worrall, Guelph District; John M Haith, Simcoe District; Charles L McIrvine, Welland District; Andrew S Colwell, Mount Forest. The request of William E. Gilroy, Mount Forest, to have his ordination deferred for one year to further study divinity was agreed to.

The case of A. T. Wilkinson, Norwich, was laid over till to-morrow morning's session on account of a formality not having been observed.

Continued at College.

The following probationers were continued at college:

Four-year men—R J McIntyre, Guelph District; Walter L Sheridan, Milton District; E W Stapleton, Norwich District; William E Stafford, Palmerston District.

Three-year men—Richard A Facey, A J Johnston, Palmerston District; C P Holmes, Welland District; T W Poole, Norwich District.

One year—A P Misener, Milton District.

At last year's conference it was decided at the ministerial session not to receive any candidate for the ministry, owing to the scarcity of stations. C. Cookman of the Simcoe District presented himself, but the brethren stuck to their resolution. Cookman appealed to the Court of Appeals and the president this evening read the judgment of the court, forwarded by Rev. Dr. Shaw. The court sustained the appeal on the ground that a ministerial session must examine and decide on each case that came before it.

Thornhill.

Reopening services at Zion Church, Dollar, will be held on Sunday next, and Rev. Charles Fish of Toronto will be the preacher on the occasion. To defray the cost of the improvements a garden party will be given on the lawn of the residence of Mr. John Ness on Saturday, June 9. The Thornhill band will be supplemented with vocal talent as a program for the day.

Mr. E. Bauman is engaged with the Berlin band, to accompany the 29th Regiment to the London camp.

One of the finest bank barns to be found in the county is now under erection at Mr. John Morgan's farm, Willowdale.

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AMENDMENTS TO BANK ACT

Were Discussed by the Banking and Commerce Committee at Ottawa Yesterday.

TWO IMPORTANT PROPOSITIONS.

One About Resuming Issue After Suspension, the Other About Powers of a Curator.

Ottawa, May 30.—At the Banking and Commerce Committee this morning Hon. Mr. Fielding presented two amendments to the Bank Act, which he said were of a rather important character. The first had to do with a bank inspection. The bill as it stood contained amendments guarding against a suspended bank issuing notes after suspension. It might be possible that a bank would resume business, issue notes and suspend again. The amendment proposed to add provisions that if a bank resumed without the consent of its curator it shall come to the Treasury Board and get powers before being allowed to resume issue.

The second amendment had to do with the powers of the curator. It proposed to limit his powers to simply supervisory powers, but to give him no initiatory power. It was not intended to make him in any way a manager of the bank.

Ways of Raising Capital.

The consideration of the bill was then entered upon. Mr. Thorpe proposed to amend clause six by adding the words, "The Bank Act as amended." He hoped to secure an amendment to the Bank Act in regard to the ways of raising capital. At present directors could increase the capital to a certain extent without the consent of the shareholders. They could announce an increase of capital, have it subscribed for, and then announce the rate of premium to be paid on the capital. By thus forcing subscriptions for capital before announcing the amount of premium, they were able to force increase of capital and perhaps put the premium at a higher percentage than the subscribers were willing to pay.

The amendment was not adopted. Good progress was made with the bill, several clauses dealing with note issue being reported without amendment and with slight discussion.

The Holding of Property.

On clause 14, affecting the time during which a bank may hold property, Mr. Fielding renewed his explanation given in the House. He proposed to make clear this, that a bank might hold property outside its business for seven years. In order not to force the bank to sell at a loss, or at an inconvenient time, the Treasury Board might extend the term of ownership to 12 years. Then the property must be sold, or the Crown could, on giving six months' notice, proceed to take steps to secure the reversion of the title. The clause carried with a slight verbal addition.

Respecting a Curator.

On clause 24, respecting a curator, Mr. Fielding altered the clause from reading "to take charge of the affairs and management of such bank" to "to supervise the affairs of such bank."

Mr. Fortin opposed the clause; the Bankers' Association was composed of representatives of other banks, any one of whom would be glad to get the opportunity thru the curator of making himself fully informed in the matters of the bank. He thought the clause objectionable.

The clause was reported.

The clauses affecting the duties of a curator were altered so as to preclude any possibility of his transferring with the management.

Bankers' Association Bylaws.

On clause 30, respecting the bylaws of the Canadian Bankers' Association, Mr. Borden moved an additional sub-section, providing that no bylaw shall be fixed as such until it has been submitted to banks which are not members of the Bankers' Association, and such banks shall have an opportunity of being heard before the Treasury Board in relation to such bylaw. This was adopted.

Loans to Business Men.

Before entering on the schedules Mr. Rosamond said some amendment should be included restricting the loaning of money to persons in business by banks. At present money was loaned to people to whom it should not be.

Mr. Watson, representing the woolen manufacturers, said they did not desire to restrict the action of the banks. They sought to secure an amendment by which, when banks loaned money, taking as security goods, etc., they should be bound to give notice to manufacturers, such notice to be similar in effect to the registration of a chattel mortgage.

The system of credit on which business was carried on rendered this necessary.

Wholesale Men's Difficulties.

At present a wholesale man sold goods, and in a few days, often it turned out that these goods, sold on credit, were held by the bank on warehouse receipts. They asked that when the customer applied to the bank for a loan the bank should require him to produce the invoice and should then notify the vendor or manufacturer that the goods are pledged.

Mr. Clarke asked what protection this would be. Mr. Watson replied the very greatest. The losses made by manufacturers and vendors were not made on first transactions, but after two or three years. Such notice would give the vendor or manufacturer information that his goods were being pledged, and he could govern himself accordingly. There was no intention that the notice of the first pledge should in any way affect the transaction, but should simply warn the manufacturer of how the customer is doing business. He read a lengthy amendment in this direction.

No Class Legislation Asked.

Advances were not made to the full value of the goods, so that the manufacturer was protected. No preference or lien was given the manufacturer, as there was no desire to ask class legislation. In all other cases where security was given, such as a chattel mortgage, the transaction was registered, but owing to the numerous natures of the transactions they did not ask the bankers to do so in this case, but simply to send notice to the original vendor in the invoice.

The Manufacturers' Standpoint.

Mr. Britton opposed the proposal and Mr. George Taylor also presented the case from the manufacturers' standpoint. In his line of goods they sold their goods on long credit, and had to buy from the malleable iron maker and lumber merchant, and while waiting to put their goods in the market or to collect, obtained accommodation from the banks. If they gave a warehouse receipt on the goods on hand the lumber merchant and iron maker would be notified and their credit prejudiced.

Mr. Kendry took the view of the manufacturer, who was selling to men who were pledging their goods, and going from bad to worse, until the manufacturers got nothing.

Difficulties Were Great.

Mr. Fielding said the matter had been fully considered before the bill was drafted, but the difficulties were so great it was dropped.

The Deputy Minister of Justice also advised that part of the proposed amendment was ultra vires.

Mr. Kloepfer said the proposed amendment would hurt the manufacturers more than any one else. It would prevent the bankers lending any money on warehouse receipts.

An amendment allowing substitution of goods under warehouse receipts for grain etc., was adopted and the bill reported.

Whitevale.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Olga Hagerman, eldest daughter of Mr. T. Hagerman, Maple Leaf Farm, Whitevale. Miss Hagerman is to be married to Mr. Richard B. Moore of Woodville on Wednesday, June 6.

MUSICAL NOTES.

Lecture by Miss Evelyn Ashton Fletcher of New York.

The recital hall of the Metropolitan School of Music was filled to overflowing on Tuesday evening, when Miss Evelyn Ashton Fletcher of New York gave an illustrated lecture upon her widely and justly celebrated "Fletcher Music Method, Simplex and Kindergarten." We say justly celebrated, because the evidences presented were complete in every respect. They were logical at all points, tangible and convincing, and that the product of Miss Fletcher's genius has won the unqualified endorsement of many of the most eminent musical authorities of Europe and America seems only its due reward. Her lecture succinctly explained the underlying principles of the method which has for its object the imparting to children of musical knowledge by means which, while direct and potent for their purpose, are simultaneously a source of infinite pleasure to the pupils. Among the means referred to are a great variety of pretty games, all touching effectively, but not heavily, upon the work in hand, and the children learn, while feeling that they are at play. But Miss Fletcher's lecture was not merely a theoretical exposition for the benefit of the musically educated. It was, as already intimated, an illustrated lecture, and no doubt this coloring was necessary for those present who could appreciate only a practical demonstration. The exemplification to that end was eminently satisfactory. Some 20 pupils from 6 to 12 years old, and drawn from the "Fletcher" classes at the Metropolitan School of Music, proved in the brightest way possible, by open examination, how surely they were grounded in such primary elements as ear training, technical terms, rhythm, scales, music reading, the pronouncing of composers' names, etc., and several choral numbers were given most charmingly. Final and conclusive evidence was afforded by the piano playing of some members of the class, whose only musical instruction had been by the "Fletcher" method. From first to last Miss Fletcher's demonstration was so complete and so practical that if any of the audience were present in the spirit of criticism or fault-finding they must have been disarmed; at any rate, only warmly appreciative enthusiasm was manifested. The children presented Miss Fletcher with some beautiful flowers. Mr. W. O. Forsyth, director of the Metropolitan School of Music, gave a brief but pertinent address on introducing Miss Fletcher. He commended her method in very high terms, and this, he said, was possible and a pleasure, because he had carefully observed its operation during the four years it had been in use at the Metropolitan, which, by the way, it seems, was the first public institution to adopt the "Fletcher Music method. "But," Mr. Forsyth announced, "upon the principle that deeds speak louder than words, it is hardly necessary to go further than to state that my little daughter has begun the course, and is a member of the class now present."

So far as the public are concerned, it is noteworthy that the Fletcher Music Method, simplex and Kindergarten, is the only system of its kind which has been recognized and adopted by such leading institutions in Canada as the Conservatory, the College, and the Metropolitan School of Music of Toronto, and by the London and Hamilton Conservatories. It is also exclusively employed by a great many leading American schools of music.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS.

The Junction Will Improve the Town's Lighting by the Issue of $21,000 of Debentures.

BRAMPTON DISTRICT IN SESSION

East Toronto Will Be Equipped With Electric Light—News of North Toronto.

Toronto Junction, May 30.—The Fire and Light Committee met last night to again take up the question of improving the town's lighting system, and decided to recommend Council to dispose of the $21,000 debentures which the town issued before the consolidation of the debt but never floated. About $13,000 is required.

Sidney Kidner came up for sentence before Police Magistrate Ellis, and was given ten days in jail for taking $10 from Mr. Holloway, a fellow-employe on the C.P.R.

Rev. A. B. Winchester will lecture in Victoria Presbyterian Church on the subject of missions on Friday evening.

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Martins-in-the-Field gave a graphophone concert last night.

Conductor Davis of the Suburban Electric Railway is off duty to-day. Whilst collecting a fare on an open car late last night, he tripped and was pitched on his head when the car was going at full speed. His head was much cut and his shoulder is injured.

Weston.

Weston, May 30.—The Brampton District meeting of the Methodist Church closed here to-day, when the following appointments were made: Representative on the Stationing Committee, Rev H M Manning, Brampton; Sunday School Committee, Rev W A Rodwell, Brockville, and Mr. Savage, Epworth League Committee, Rev Falls, Weston, and Dr Charlton. The reports from the various churches on the circuit were of an encouraging nature, both in the matter of membership and finances. The missionary gifts also showed increased liberality.

The Family Album, introducing many historical characters, will be given to-morrow evening in the Town Hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church. A short musical program will also be given.

The remains of the late Mrs. Dale were interred at Riverside Cemetery this afternoon, and the remains of the late Mrs. Franks were taken to Maple for interment. Both funerals were largely attended.

East Toronto.

East Toronto, May 30.—The Village Council has at last come to a knowledge of what is required for equipping the village with an adequate electric light plant, and at their next meeting they expect to have matters so far advanced that they will not only be able to ask for tenders for the work, but will have a bylaw prepared for submission to the vote of the people.

North Toronto.

The attention of the Town Clerk has been drawn to the effect the trolley feed wire has on the shade trees on the west side of Yonge-street, and he will place the matter before the meeting of the Works Committee to-night.

Mr. David Duncan of Don was held up by two tramps one night early in the week, but the game did not work. Mr. Duncan's eye bespoke danger, and the two men allowed him to pass without taking further aggressive measures.

Victor Wilson, Clement Denison and Russell Harrison were before Magistrate Ellis last night, and admitted using the town sidewalks for wheeling. The magistrate stated his intention of carrying out the bylaw to the letter, and $4.20 will have to be paid by each of the youths.

The members of the Mount Pleasant Cemetery Trusts Corporation will confer with a committee of the Town Council this afternoon, and consider a proposition for opening a road south thru the cemetery.

Information of trespassing at the Black Creek on Sunday last was laid against George Milligan and William Perry by County Constable Tomlinson last evening. The place of rendezvous is on Mr. William Pears' property, and the persistent bathing there has developed into a great nuisance.

The No. 11 B.B., will play the Willows. Games called for 3.30 o'clock.

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Prints and Satins

400 yards Genuine French Cambrics, assorted patterns, regular 20c, Friday 12½

1000 yards Prints and Percales, including a lot of the yard wide qualities, regular price up to 12½c, Friday 5

500 yards Colored Sateens, odd shades, that sell regularly at 12½c and 15c, Friday 9

300 yards Extra Fine Plain Chambray, in a pretty shade of mauve, regular 15c and 20c, Friday ..... .10

18c Fancy Piques, Friday 10c

We will continue selling these pretty Piques on Friday.

Piques, white grounds, with pale blue, pink, navy blue, black and red, in plain and fancy striped patterns, also navy blue ground, with narrow white stripe, stylish and serviceable goods for ladies' blouses and skirts, children's wear, boys' blouses, etc., splendid qualities, regular 18c, Friday ..... .10

Silk, Cotton and Cashmere Hosiery

61 pairs Ladies' Silk Hose, full fashioned, with white soles, heels and toes, tan shades, sizes 8½ and 9, reg. 75c, Friday, per pair ..... .25

162 pairs Ladies' full-fashioned Black Lisle Drop Stitch Hose, double sole, heel and toe, regular 50c, Friday, per pair ..... .25

360 pairs Misses' Seamless Plain Black Cashmere Hose, fine quality, medium weight, regular 25c, sizes 5 to 8½, Friday, per pair ..... .15

286 pairs Men's Full Fashioned Black Cotton Drop Stitch ½ Hose, Hermsdorf dye, double sole, heel and toe, reg. 25c, Friday per pair ..... .15

Splendid Glove Value

136 Pairs at 19c.

Ladies' Tan, Washable Chamois Gloves, 4 metal buttons, neatly embroidered backs, sizes 6, 6¼ and 6½ only, reg. 35c, Friday, per pair ..... .19

210 Pairs at 39c.

Men's Tan and Red Brown English Cape Gloves, 1 horn button, stitched with red silk, regular 75c, Friday, per pair ..... .39

Some Smallwares

50c Hose Supporters for 25c.

Ladies' Hose Supporters, made of fancy frilled elastic, "Piece Grasp," rubber tipped, colors pink, blue, yellow and cardinal, regular price 50c pair, Friday ..... .25

Belts.

Ladies' Seal Grain Dog Collar Belt, 1¼ inches wide, lined, edge creased, with highly polished metal dee and plate back and front, chain and padlock fastener, colors black, at manufacturer's cost ..... .20

Hair Pins.

Celluloid Hair Pins, good, bright, highly polished, crinkled kind, 3 inches long, regular price 4 for 10c, Friday 4 for 5

See Yonge-street window.

House Dresses for $1.98

24 Ladies' 2-Piece House Dresses, blouse cut on bias, finished with stock collar and soft cuff, skirt full sweep and finished with Spanish flounce, made of Garners percales, in a good assortment of stripes and figures, real value $3.50, Friday, special, each 1.98

Wash Skirts for 59c.

120 Ladies' Linen Colored Wash Skirts, trimmed with 3 rows of applique around bottom, finished with 3-inch hem, cut good sweep, special, each, Friday ..... .59

Jackets for $2.25.

85 Ladies' Tan Covert Cloth Reefer Jackets, finished with 6 pearl buttons in front, self faced, regular value $4.75, Friday, special, each 2.25

Books and Stationery

Cloth Bound Books, cheaper than paper, 1000 of these books, bound in fancy linen cloth, gilt titles, good paper and print, all popular stories, by Corelli, Doyle, Bronte, Carey, Lyall, Dumas, Caine, Clay, etc., published at 25c, Friday 9

(Postage, 4c extra.)

250 only boxes Stationery, 24 sheets paper, 24 envelopes, clear, smooth laid paper, ruled or plain, Friday, half-price, regular 10c, for 5

100 packages Antique Bellum Note Paper, cream wove, regular 25c package, Friday ..... .15

Square Envelopes to match, regular 5c, Friday, 4c package, 3 for ..... .10

Friday's Building Sale Prices in the Men's Store.

When we offer Clothing at small prices like these it means quick selling. Why not share in this splendid opportunity? You'll be thoroughly satisfied with the quality, finish and style of any of these garments. They were excellent value at the regular rates and are beyond all possible expectation at these reduced figures. If any of them happen to chime in with something you need, better come and realize the saving:

Men's Fine All-Wool English and Canadian Tweed Suits, single-breasted styles, brown and dark fawn shades, checks and mixed patterns, lined with heavy Italian cloth, sizes 34-44, regular $6 and $7, sale price, Friday 4.75

Men's Black Paramatta Waterproof Coats, single-breasted style, with detachable cape, plain collar and linings, seams well sewn, sizes 35-44, regular $5 and $6, sale price, Friday 3.50

Men's Odd Bicycle Pants, Canadian tweed, in dark green and bronze mixtures, made with double seat, strap and buckle at the knee and keepers for belt, sizes 29—38, sale price Friday 1.25

Men's Fancy Summer Vests, made in single-breasted style, assorted patterns, in light and dark shades, sizes 34-44, regular $1.35 and $1.50, sale price Friday 1.00

Boys' Suits and Blouses.

82 only Children's Fine Canadian Tweed Three-Piece Brownie Suits, fawn and greenish mixtures, handsome checked pattern made with large sailor collar and trimmed with soutache, braid, sizes 21-26, regular $2.50, sale price Friday 1.75

30 dozen only Children's Fine Print Washing Blouses, stripes, pin-head patterns, also polka dots, medium and dark blue, large sailor collar, sizes 21-26, sale price Friday ..... .25

Pretty 25c Ties for 12½c

Won't you take the chance to renew your stock at this small price?

50 dozen Men's Silk and Satin Neckwear, light and medium shades, well assorted range of patterns and colorings, four-in-hand, puffs and bow shapes, regular price 25c, Friday special, to clear 12½

(See Yonge-street Window.)

25 dozen Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, ribbed cuffs and ankles, extra fine satine facings, pearl buttons, in pearl grey shade, sizes 34 to 44, special, per garment 35

Good Shirts for 19c.

Men's and Boys' Flannelette Top Shirts, collar attached, in pink, grey and blue stripe, sizes 12 to 17, regular 25c and 35c each, Friday, special ..... .19

Half Price for Sweaters.

Men's Plain Rib Sweaters, roll collar, cardinal and navy shades, sizes small, medium and large, regular price 50c, special Friday ..... .25

Art Needlework Items

Five o'Clock Tea Covers, 36 x 36, cream canvas, with floral and scroll designs, ready for working, regular 30c, Friday ..... .18

Linen Fringe, 4 inches deep, all art shades, regular price 10c, Friday 5

White Laundry Bags, duck, with hemstitched tops, 18 x 30, plain or stamped, slightly soiled, regular 50c, Friday ..... .30

Art Wash Silks, on spools, all best shades, our special price 5c each, Friday 3 for ..... .10

Pretty Ribbons

No. 3 Double Satin Ribbons, ½ to ⅝ in. wide, fine French make, good assortment of colors, regular 5c per yard, Friday 2 yards for 5

Double Satin Ribbons, 3¾ inches wide, cream, mauve, coral, navy, light and dark, regular 20c, Friday ..... .10

Gros Grain Pure Silk Ribbons, 3 inches wide, all good dress shades, our regular 20c ribbon, Friday 12½

500 remnants of Ribbons, go on the counter on Friday, every color and quality is represented. Your Choice at Half-Price.

Dress Goods Prices

385 yards English Fancy Dress Goods, mohair raised designs, Bengaline and fancy stripes, good assortment of colorings and mixtures, also All-Wool Cashmere, in fawns and greys, broken lines, 44 inches wide, sold at 40c per yard, Friday ..... .23

6 pieces of All-Wool English Coating Serges, 42 inches wide, pure wool, dust