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Committee at the City Hall Com menced an Inquiry Yesterday Afternoon.

CHARGES AGAINST THE BRIGADE

Mayor Shaw Tells What He Saw at the Bay-street Fire-Inefficiency Alleged.

The principal business at the City Hall yesterday was a discussion that lasted two hours and a half on the organization or Ladies' Tan Cotton
Hose, three pairs for

Ladies' Tan Cotton
Brigade. The topic arose out of the Toronto Fire on Bay-street, at which, owing to the absence of a 65-foot ladder, a woman had to jump from a third storey window and sustained serious injuries.

There were present: Ald. Frankland, chairman; the Mayor, Ald. Hubbard, Sheppard, Dunn, Lynd, Davies. Spectators were Assessment Commissioner Fieming, Architect Lennox, Ald. Spence, Chief Graham and a number of interested citizens.

To Keep Up Its Prestige. It was first agred that the Fire Brigade shall, as in former years, take part in the Labor Day parade. The necessary expenditure for decoration and music will be provided. Due provision will also be made for the Provincial Volunteer Firemen's Association, which meets in this city Aug. 30 and 31.

Complaints of Inefficiency. Bay-street fire.
Ald. Lynd: Is this the first time you have Aid. Lynd: is this the first time you have heard complaints on this line?
The Chairman: I have heard many complaints. Now is the time for the committee to deal with the matter.

His Worship's Statement.

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The Mayor then, in almost judicial tones, told what he saw of the Bay-street fire. Instead of system and order, there was confusion; it was more like a retreating army than an attacking force. There was delay in getting to work; hose wagons drove over filled hose. There was no ladder of sufficient length to reach the woman who was in danger of being burned to death. The officials had not control of the men. The latter were badly handled and the whole affair not well handled.

Another Eye Witness.

W. Wedd of the Canadian Loan Agency wrote that two essential points had been neglected by the brigade: There were no ladders longer than 20 feet, and no nets for saving life. This seemed outrageous for a supposedly well-equipped brigade. But for a borrowed mattress, the young woman, cut off by the flames, would have lost her life. Another Eye Witness.

Something Radically Wrong. Something Radically Wrong.

Ald. Lynd, who read the above etter, commended His Worship for bringing the matter before the committee. "Apart from what has appeared in all the papers," said the alderman, "I have myself repeatedly heard complaints of the same nature." This is unfortunate alike for the brigade and the citizens. There must be something radically wrong with the management. If it is the fault of the chief, he should send in his resignation." s resignation."
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Ald. Sheppard said that when he was chairman of the brigade he advocated the purchase of 65-foot ladders; but the Board of Control in its economy struck out the item. The whole principle of the brigade is wrong, and the force should be reorganized. The brigade should be governed by a fire marshal, who should be thoroughly independent. The chairman is subject to the same influences as every elected official. Still he would prefer the chairman to have full power, for the com mittee was subject to outside induences.
There have been cases where men have been retained in the brigade whose services would have been dispensed with but for this outside pressure.

Injurious Factions.

WHO CAN BLAME HIM?

Constable Flynn Was Attacked by Rufflans and a Hulldog and

Used His Revolver.

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—Constable Flynn of the Ottawa police force shot Joseph Lough at the corner of Murray and Friel-streets late last night.

A gang of men was at the corner, and Flynn ordered the men to move on. One of them refused and attacked the constable. Flynn used his club and was attacked from behind.

Then Lough set a fierce bulldog at the

Injurious Factions.

There are, continued the alderman, factions in the fire brigade which militate which militate deagnins it is efficiency. The only cure is to have an independent head, and this should be done at once if its efficiency is to be secured. The spirit of faction should be suppressed.

Ald. Dunn concurred. He told of the lack of system and discipline. There certainly was dereliction of duty in not have a tainly was dereliction of duty in not have a tainly was dereliction of duty in not have more planations satisfied the judges of the Supreme Court."

M. Bertullus admitted he left the office with the late Lieut.-Col. Henry and Capt. Junck, and accompanied them to the end of the gallery adjoining the office, because retire from his position.

The Foreman's Statement.

Mr. Sweetman of the Bay-street section,

The Foreman's Statement.

Then Lough set a fierce bulled at the policeman, and as the dog jumped for the policeman's throat Flynn shot it dead. Lough then made for the officer, and the gang backed him up. The policeman put three bullets into Lough, and the gang scattered.

The wounded man was taken to the training and afterwards sent to the processing the foremen's sopportunities and appliances were concerned.

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Esterhazy the Sole Traitor.

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The magistrate greatly desired to know what special papers they were hunting for, but did not succeed in learning, in spite of all his efforts to extract the information.

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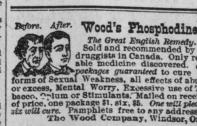
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A Busy Week.

This is to be a busy week. Work on the new addition is being rushed night and day, so as to be ready for business before September. Changes and improvements in the store are being rushed, and within a very few days we expect to have things vastly different to what they are now. If any summer goods are straggling along, rush prices have been put on them, and altogether this week and next will be a test of the organization we have here. Watch the store and watch the papers.

New Fall Dress Goods.

Buying now is a matter of economy not to be underestimated. Besides you have the advantage of choosing from exclusive novelties that cannot be duplicated later on. This hint

New Venetian Finished Broadcloths, 54 inches wide: a suiting

44-inch New Wool and Camel's Hair Effects, in stripes,

Prints, Muslins, and Linings.

Values like the following are all in favour of the buyer these days. Do not miss the Wash Goods Sections when in the store. Everything is marked at clearing-out prices, which in many instances represent one-half cost. For Wednesday we ask special attention to these:-

100 pieces Fine Quality Black Linenette, 36 inches wide,

Notion Department.

The Fin de Siecle Comb—the popular comb for dressing the hair-no pins or strings required; its use fully demonstrated by a New

York expert. 150 pairs Ladies' and Children's Hose Supporters, in white only, double strap, extra good quality elastic, regular 10c, 12c, and 15c pair, Wednesday, per pair

600 Palm Leaf Fans, oval shape, large size, regular 3 for 5c, Wednesday, 6 for.....

150 Single Feather Fans, in all colours, Wednes-

Hosiery, 2 Pairs for 25c.

A few price hints as an illustration of what we're doing in this section. The more you know of such values as these the more you'll appreciate the usefulness of this store:

85 dozen Children's 2-1 Ribb Black Cotton Hose, suitable for boys' or girls' wear, double knee, heel, and toe, seame less foot, warranted fast colour, made of extra fine 24 thread maco yarn, special at, size 6, 6½, 12½c; 7, 7½c, 15c; 8 to 10-inch, 3 pair for

Ladies' Plain Black Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf dye, double sole, heel, and toe, special, 2 for.... Children's 1/4 Black Cashmere Socks, deep ribb top, double heel and toe, made of fine imported yarn, size 4 to 6-inch, regular 20c, special at, 2 for.

day Blouses at 50c.

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Furniture, Carpets, Curtains, and Wall Papers.

One of the advantages of these modern days is the vast range of home comforts reasonably priced. Things considered very necessary now were simply luxuries not so very long ago, and people are becoming more and more particular what they buy. We have done more than any other store towards reducing the cost of things for the home and stimulating the demand for better qualities. Visit our second and third floors, where

you'll find our remarks practically demonstrated.

Furniture. No. 6-Bedroom Suite, solid oak, neatly hand-carved and polished; bedstead, 6 feet 4 inches high, 4 feet 4 inches wide; bureau, 44 inches wide, fitted with 26 x 32-inch wide; bureau, 44 inches wide, fitted with 26 x 32-inch
British bevel-plate shaped mirror, shaped top and
drawer fronts; large combination washstand;
regular price \$30.00, furniture sale price... 24.95

Bedroom Suites, ash, antique finish, neatly carved and well
finished; 3-drawer bureau, with shaped top fitted with
20 x 24-inch bevel-plate mirror; bedstead, 4 feet 2
wide; large combination washstand; regular price \$15.50 set, furniture sale price... 13.75

Folding Bed Lounges, solid oak frame, hand carved and
nicely finished (opens up for use as double bed),
upholstered in heavy satin-faced tapestry coverings, special at, each

\$1 Brussels Carpet at 75c. 479 yards English Brussels, in new and very stylish designs

623 yards Tapestry, in a special heavy cloth, all good de-Curtains and Window Shades.

60 pairs Chenille and Tapestry Curtains, 48 inches wide and 3½ yards long, with figured allover and dado patterns top and bottom, with heavy fringe, on sale 3.50 Wednesday.... Wednesday

1,000 yards Drapery Muslin, in colours of gold, cream, pink, suitable for bedroom curtains and light draperies, 36 inches wide, regular price is 10c per yard, on sale Wednesday

200 Window Shades, 37 x 70 inches, mounted on Hartshorn spring rollers, trimmed with 6-inch lace, complete with tassel, special Wednesday

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7c Wall Paper for 3c. 8 pairs of Extra Quality Swiss Curtains, 50 inches wide and 3½ yards long; these goods were bought by our buyers while in Switzerland; there are only one pair of some patterns and more of others; they are worth from

1,000 rolls Grounded Glimmer Wall Paper, with match ceilings, floral designs, dark colours, for hedrooms, kitchens, and sitting-rooms, regular price 7c, on sale Wednesday, single roll...... 1,000 rolls of Gilt Wall paper, with match combinations of wall, border, and ceilings, light floral and set figures, for halls, dining-rooms and parlours, with 18 and 9-inch borders to match, regular price 8c and 10c, on sale Wednesday, single roll.

Profitable Purchasing Possibilities in

Summer Clothing, Furnishings and Hats. No matter what their former price these must go now, while there is summer enough left to make it worth your while to buy them. You have already learned that whatever we advertise is always just as we represent it. Our own confidence in our assertions is best shown by the fact that we

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Men's Fine White Duck Pants, keepers for belt, side

Boys' Three Garment Suits, pure wool Canadian tweed, dark brown broken check, double-breasted sacque style, lined with good Italian cloth and well finished, sizes 28-33. Special, Wednesday 3.25 Boys' Two-piece Linen Crash Suits, double-breasted

65c to \$1 Cambric Shirts for 35c. 50 doz. Men's Cambric Shirts, in neat blue and pink, also black and white stripe, open back and front, cuffs and collars detached. These goods have been selling at 65c, 75c and 1.00 each. Wednesday, to clear

Men's and Boys' Silk Striped Top Shirts, light ground with neat blue, pink and gold stripe, with or without collars, perfect fitting shirts. On sale Wednesday

Men's Summer Underwear, fine quality, made with pearl buttons, sateen finished, French neck, size 34 to 42, regular price 50c. Wednesday,

Straw Boater Hats at 25c.

Men's or Boys' Straw Boater Hats, in plain canton or fancy braids, plain and fancy silk bands, curling or straight brims, worth up to 1.00.

Boys' or Men's 6-4 Crown Caps, in fine quality

Men's Stiff or Soft Hats, latest and most popular shapes, in black, fawn, seal brown or tabac colors, bands and bindings pure silk, Russian calf leather sweats, light in weight and unlined, regular price 2.00. Special for 1.50