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Tuesday Bargains!

A tempting array of good things, elegant and seasonable goods, placed on sale at greatly reduced prices for Tuesday shoppers. Every item a money saver.

\$5.00 and \$5.75 Ladies' Dress Skirts at \$3.50.

25 Ladies' Dress Skirts, some of the season's very best styles in black, navy and Oxford, in all sizes, the best skirt bargain we have offered, reg. price \$5.00 and \$5.75, on sale Tuesday at \$3.50.

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Men's Fancy Colored Cotton Sox.

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Boys' Cotton Hose.

5 doz. boys and girls' cotton hose, in all sizes, with natural wool feet, reg. price 35c and 40c, on sale your choice at 24c.

Verandah Cushions.

Size 18x18, covered with art satens, on sale at 23c.

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Your choice of any hat or bonnet in the store, trimmed or untrimmed at ½ price.

Regular 50c. Japanese Wash Silks at 26c.

Japanese Wash Silks in pretty colorings, strips of pink, blue, green, fawn, grey and white, dainty, washable and just what you want for a summer waist or dress, reg. price 50c, on sale to-day and Tuesday at 26c.

Men's Working Shirts.

Reg. price 50c, on sale to-day and Tuesday at 35c. Men's working shirts, in stripes and checks, blue and white and black and white, all sizes, reg. price 50c, on sale to-day and Tuesday at 35c.

Remnants of Dress Goods and Silks.

To-day and Tuesday at ½ price.

Men's Colored Cotton Shirts.

Men's Print and Gingham Shirts, soft and stiff fronts, pretty patterns, blue and pink, reg. price 75c and \$1, on sale to-day and Tuesday at 50c.

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FORGERY, THEFT, PERJURY.

CHARGES AGAINST MANAGER ROWLEY.

Statement Read in Court Alleges the St. Thomas Man's Stealing Amount to \$60,000—Trial Set For July 20.

St. Thomas, July 6.—Geo. Rowley, ex-Manager of the Elgin Loan Co., was brought before his Honor Judge Ermatinger Saturday at 2 p.m. and arraigned on three charges—forgery, theft and perjury.

Crown Attorney Donahue read the detailed list of thefts contained in the charges. The list is a formidable one and included the following:—

1902—Jan. 10, stealing \$2,956, money deposited.

1900—Feb. 21, theft of \$4,900, deposited.

1903—March 14, \$935, deposited.

April 18, \$3,725, deposited.

1902—Dec. 9, \$1,478.14, deposited.

Jan. 14, \$1,073, deposited.

March 4, \$925.

April 4, \$4,450.

May 6, \$1,800.

July 14, \$985.

Aug. 30, \$700.

Sept. 25, \$4,800.

Oct. 4, \$4,373.

Dec. 22, \$1,000.

1901—Jan. 2, \$618.

May 20, \$2,350.

June 17, \$500.

Aug. 22, \$2,440.

Oct. 30, \$2,000.

Dec. 27, \$1,483.

1900—Jan. 3, \$4,400.

Feb. 15, \$500.

March 8, \$2,000.

April 4, \$1,000.

May 1, \$800.

June 27, \$1,750.

1899—Jan. 3, \$218.

March 7, \$400.

1898—Jan. 18, \$1,027.50.

March 2, \$1,000.

March 11, \$470.

1897—July 1, \$7,454.56.

Oct. 10, \$5,354.

1896—Oct. 30, \$2,285.

1900—April 14, \$1,000.

1902—May 6, \$1,000.

Rowley is also charged with having on the 13th day of September, 1902, forged a document in connection with a bank transaction. Also with having forged a savings bank deposit receipt in the name of M. Laidlaw for \$1,500, and using the same for his own purpose.

On the 30th of October, 1896, with having forged a deposit receipt in the name of Agnes E. Laidlaw for \$2,000.51 and with having used for his own purposes the said amount.

The aggregate of the stealings detailed above is about \$60,000.

He is also charged with having on the 15th of February, 1903, sworn falsely to a statement of the company's assets and liabilities to deceive the public.

On being asked to plead, Mr. Wickett, solicitor for Mr. Rowley, entered a plea of "not guilty," and stated that he wished a speedy trial as possible, suggesting two weeks from Monday next. The County Crown Attorney agreed, and Judge Ermatinger therefore named Monday, July 20, at 10 a.m., as the date for the trial.

Mr. Donahue remarked that the list of charges was sufficient grounds for declining to entertain bail.

His Honor said there was no application for bail.

The court then adjourned, and the accused was removed to the county jail.

Mr. Rowley presented a dejected appearance, as may well be expected, but is said to be bearing up well, considering the nature of the offences with which he is charged.

RUSSIA PLUNDERS CHINESE.

Spite of Protest of British and American Financiers.

Shanghai, July 6.—The Bankers' Commission met on Monday to fix the rate of exchange at which the half year's indemnity is payable. The current rate of the tael in exchange was two shillings and four pence. The commission, adopting the Russian proposal, decided by a vote of the majority to claim payment at two shillings and three pence, an arbitrary rate, fixed without consulting the Chinese, who have no means of protesting or of contesting the decision. The difference in the amount involves a total loss to the Chinese Government of £40,000 in the half year's account. Russia alone benefits to the extent of 80,000 taels. In whatever light this is regarded, such method, amounting to an organized attempt at plundering a defenceless debtor, are unworthy of the representatives of a great nation, and afford moral justification to the Chinese in maintaining their refusal to pay gold. The American and British delegates demurred to fixing this rate, the latter, on behalf of the Hong Kong-Shanghai Bank, recording a formal protest.

Pacific Cable Completed.

New York, July 4.—The last connection in the Commercial Pacific Co.'s cable was made at Honolulu to-night at 10.30 (eastern time), and a cablegram was flashed around the world in nine and one-half minutes, from the President, Clarence H. Mackay, to President Roosevelt, both at Oyster Bay.

MUST SPARE THE DEAD.

Law May be Invoked in the Carlyle Revelations.

New York, July 6.—The Sun has the following special from London:—As considerable feeling has already been caused by revelations in connection with Carlyle's life, and as, moreover, those living persons who have been indulging in a dispute over the matter are more or less closely united one to the other by family ties, The Law Times reminds of the people who are raising up incidents of a none too pleasant nature that it is possible they will expose themselves to serious legal consequences, more especially if, in the heat of controversy, some motives not altogether historical should be shown to actuate them.

It is a common misdemeanor to publish defamatory matter about dead persons so as to bring them and their relatives into public contempt.

CONVICTS FIGHT.

Stabbing Affray at Kingston Penitentiary.

Kingston, July 6.—Convicts in the blacksmith shop at the penitentiary had a fight on Friday, and McMurray, from Toronto, was stabbed in the head. Nolan, the Welland Canal dynamiter, is charged with the stabbing. Some of the prisoners resented the favoritism shown to Nolan, a Roman Catholic, hence the bad blood. There was only one guard in the shop when the melee began. The prisoners fought each other viciously until separated by other guards, and taken to their cells. McMurray was sentenced some time ago to ten years for resisting arrest along with two comrades, and attempting to shoot Constable Tidberry.

CANADIAN LAWS EASY.

PERMIT UNITED STATES TOUGH WIDE LIBERTY.

Everything Run Wide Open at Fort Erie—Plenty of Evidence that the Authorities Know All About the Disgraceful Affair.

Fort Erie, July 6.—The celebration of Independence Day in the United States lacked two attractions—open pool-rooms and prize-fights—and patrons of these sports were forced to come to Canada for their amusement. This pretty river village opposite Buffalo supplied a fight which, brought sports from cities a thousand miles off and the district furnished a pool-room where citizens of the United States made wagers on the races at Sheepshead Bay, Detroit and Chicago. Nearly the thousand "sports" showed their appreciation of the freedom extended to them on their national holiday by crossing the river, and in their honor the village was gaily decorated with the flags of their country. The entertainment afforded by the ring and the bookmakers' room was most satisfactory, and the result of the day's celebration will be to vastly increase the good opinion of Canada in the minds of those well-known citizens of the United States who attended. The visitors were compelled to admire the easy and effectual disregard of the law, and the promoters received many congratulations from their guests.

Every constable in Welland County knows of the existence of the pool-room, and when your correspondent asked some of them on Saturday why proceedings were not taken against it he was advised to look "higher up." The constables said that evidence had been secured against the room, but that through some mysterious mischance an information had been laid against the one man about the place who had nothing to do with the business, and that he was tried before a Judge and fined \$50 without his knowledge that the trial was taking place. The pool-room never lost an hour's business as a result of this prosecution. The fact that the pool-room exists through a "pull" is known so well that it is not even discussed. The Attorney-General's department has been appealed to by residents, but there has never been an effective prosecution. The Fort Erie races begin on July 14, and the room will suspend business on that date and during the meeting for the benefit of the bookmakers who will do business at the track. After the race meeting the pool-room will be reopened.

OPEN AIR HORSE SHOW.

Great Gathering to Witness it in Toronto.

Toronto, July 6.—The open-air horse show in Queen's Park on Saturday afternoon was an unqualified success. The best horses and finest turnouts in and around the city were there, and the attendance was phenomenal, from fifteen to twenty thousand people being assembled. The scene in the park suggested a monster picnic. The show opened with a parade of all the exhibitors twice round the entire outer ring of the park, from Bloor to College streets, a course of over a mile, that was lined with spectators throughout. Then each class stopped at its allotted place and the judging was done. The women's horses and the parade and added much to the effect. There were two classes, pony turnouts and a general class. In the former class the red ribbon went to Mrs. J. C. Anderson for a very pretty bay pony, with the cart and harness outlined with daisies. It was a simple but effective decorative design and the effect was charming.

NEW PASTOR HAS CHARGE

Introductory Services of Rev. T. C. Malott at Victoria Avenue Church

Impressive Sermon in the Evening—Asks the Congregation to Aid in Church Upbuilding.

Large congregations greeted Rev. T. C. Malott at both services yesterday, his first day in Victoria avenue Methodist church as successor to Rev. T. T. George, the former highly esteemed pastor.

Rev. T. C. Malott has a good address, an exceedingly distinct and clear voice and a pleasing way.

At the evening service yesterday he introduced himself as the new pastor of the church, he desired to be useful in the hands of God in building up believers in the faith. The hearty co-operation of all connected with the church he felt was heartily assured and asked for the prayers of the congregation for the success of the church work. He asked for large attendances at the week night services. In his opinion, they were more valuable in spiritual development than any other service. He wished to be notified of anyone being ill.

Taking his text from St. Luke 2, 49, "I must be about my Father's business," Rev. Mr. Malott gave a short 20 minute address.

"I must be about my Father's business." These are the first words of Jesus recorded in the Bible. He was at Jerusalem at the great festival at the time of speaking and had remained behind after his parents had returned home. When they returned to look for Him, they found Him with the learned doctors questioning and answering questions, and when asked why he had not returned home he said "wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business." If this was our first thought, as it was Jesus, what a difference it would make. There would be none of those colorless "rapid" lives which we see about us to-day. When Jesus said He must be about his Father's business He did not mean that of His earthly father, carpentering, but the lifting of this world Godward. He has honored us by giving us a share in this great business, and to be a success in it we must make haste.

What would you think of a man who would wait till forty to start to school or wait till old age to learn a trade. There are a great many who never think of entering God's work until they are in old age.

Deliberation is another quality of success. It saves one from rashness, hurry and blunder.

Zeal, too, is necessary to succeed, it is earnestness, fervency of spirit.

Progressiveness is always looked for in a business man. If he is a progressive business man he is always enlarging his business in some way. Our Father's business is the greatest in the world to-day; it is the most progressive, and ought to be.

SHOULD BE STOPPED

The Maple City canoeists are once more complaining of the disgraceful conduct of the young boys who go swimming in the river just when the canoe owners wish to take a trip up the river. It is contrary to the by-law to swim inside the corporation, and the practice should be stopped. No boy should swim in the river unless he is provided with a bathing suit.

Some of the boys also "throw rocks at the canoeists. A constable, however, will be on the scene at the request of the boatmen so that a number of the boys may expect any day to appear in the police court to answer to a charge of violating the by-law.

A REAL WAR TEST.

French Minister of Marine Believes in "Thorough."

New York, July 6.—The Sun has the following special from Paris:—In naval circles comment is aroused by the determination of Camille Pelletan, Minister of Marine, to submit the new and fully up-to-date battleship Suffren to an actual artillery test off Brest. The experiment was at first denounced as sheer madness and wanton extravagance by civilian critics, but the technical naval men now declare that this experiment, as revolutionary as it may seem, is of the highest value, and the decision of the Minister is fully approved. The object of the tests is not to find out whether or not the armored plates of the Suffren's turret can be pierced by the 305 millimetre gun, which is the most powerful arm possessed by the French navy. That experiment has already been made with the Suffren's turret plates in the usual way at L'Orient, but the idea of the Suffren experiment, during which the Massena will actually open fire with her 305 millimetre guns on the Suffren, is to ascertain what effect the 305 millimetre gun will have on the rotary machinery mechanisms of aiming and the general working of the Suffren's turrets when prepared for action. As the shock is the principal element in the test, the Suffren's turret will be covered by supplementary armor as a protection.

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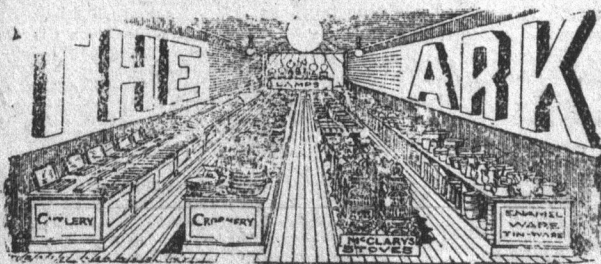
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