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Special January Sale of Wool Suitings, Coatings and Dress Fabrics

We show an unrivalled display of the above fabrics in fine variety of staple weaves, which include all-wool velours, broadcloths, gabardines, chifon and lining serges, chevots, tweed mixtures and shepherd checks. Shown in assorted weights and in great variety of prices. The color range includes all the seasonable shades as well as blacks.

Special Prices on Ladies' Tailoring
By taking advantage of our reduced prices on made-to-order suits, coats and skirts, you can save considerably on any of the above garments. Notwithstanding the reductions offered, the styles and workmanship will be in no way impaired, as we guarantee that all our work will be of the highest standard. At this offer will soon close, we advise making your appointments at once.

Great Clearance Sale of Ready-to-Wear Garments
Very special prices are now offered on all ready-to-wear suits, coats, skirts and dresses, in order to reduce this stock prior to stock-taking. Substantial reductions offered on every garment.

Vivella Flannels
Grand display of this unshrinkable flannel in immense variety of plain and fancy designs. Vivella flannels are superior for all kinds of ladies' and gents' day and night wear. Samples sent on request.

Letter Orders Promptly Filled.

JOHN CATTO & SON TORONTO

EXPOSE PROMISED OF JUVENILE COURT

Commissioner and Chief Probation Officer Have
Falling Out.

PUBLIC BADLY USED
Women and Children Kept
Hanging Around
All Day.

An exposure of the methods used in the juvenile court is promised by J. J. Graham, chief probation officer of the court, whose resignation has been asked for by Judge Boyd of the juvenile court.

It is understood that Mr. Graham will later formulate his charges which he outlined to the press yesterday when asked for a statement relative to the severance of his connection with the court. Mr. Graham has not put in his resignation as he was requested to do by Judge Boyd, and his dismission must, under the act constituting the court, receive the ratification of the attorney-general. This up to the present has not been given. Disaffection with the head of the juvenile court and the manner in which he rules his department was expressed by Mr. Graham yesterday in his room at the West End Y.M.C.A. last night. "The judge is a mighty hard man to deal with," he said. "He could not lay any charge against me and could not find any fault all these years. My heart is in my work. I have been diligent, but I have never received any appreciation from him, and I always did from every person I had to do with before him."

Mr. Graham stated that he was not intimately associated with the activities of the court room itself, and while he refused to make any complaints as to the manner in which justice was administered therein, hinted that he had one or two things in mind which he would expose at the investigation. Referring to conditions on the outside, he said that complaints were numerous from women who, often with small children in their arms, were forced to remain for hours in the ante-room, waiting for the case to which they were summoned, to be called. Witness, he declared, would remain from 3.30 in the morning until 12.30 at noon in the cold room.

Too Much Law.
Referring to the altercation on New Year's Eve, which resulted in the appeal for the resignation of Mr. Graham by Commissioner Boyd, the former stated that the commissioner had made the statement that the neglected children department of which Mr. Graham is at present head, should have a man of legal knowledge in charge. Mr. Graham replied that he had stated that the general public was of the opinion that there was too much law in operation there already. The juvenile court, he declared, should not be legalized. The influence of gentle persuasion should be brought to bear upon the misguided youth rather than the blighting forces of the law.

The following is a copy of the letter calling for Mr. Graham's resignation:
City Hall, Toronto, Jan. 5, 1919.
Mr. J. J. Graham,
West End Y. M. C. A., City.
Dear Sir:
I have given the best thought I can to the unfortunate situation created in the court by your statements made before the whole staff on New Year's Eve, where we were all assembled for consultation and to exchange greetings before departing for the year.
Having made the deliberate accusation which was entirely without foundation that I had long been seeking an opportunity to discharge you, and then violently dared me before the whole staff to follow this course, I realize that it is my duty to resign. For useful co-operation between us in the work, and it is because of this and of the whole situation that I feel compelled now with grave regret to ask your resignation.
Now I add the request that if you do not intend to resign, you notify me at once and remain away from the court until the matter is finally disposed of.

Your truly,
(Signed) E. W. Boyd,
Judge Juvenile Court.
The chief probation officer was a member of the city council, representing the Ward Six as an alderman for six years. He was with the Children and Aid Society before the entered the court when it was established by

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Jan. 9.—(8 p.m.)—The disturbance which was moving across northern Ontario last night is now centred over the Maritime Provinces, and a change to colder weather has occurred in Ontario and Quebec. It has continued mild over the greater part of the western provinces. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Toronto, 33-44; Kingston, 30-39; Ottawa, 30-40; Montreal, 30-40; Winnipeg, 16-44; Prince Albert, 16-44; Moose Jaw, 16-40; Medicine Hat, 31-45; Regina, 19 below-16 above; Fort Arthur, 19 below-4 above; Parry Sound, 8 below-12 above; Sault Ste. Marie, 10 below-20 above; Quebec, 12-30; St. John, 23-30; Halifax, 32-42; Saskatoon, 14-39; London, 14-27.

Probabilities.
Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Easterly winds; fair and cold at first, then moderating again; light local snow at night.
Lower St. Lawrence—Northwest and west winds; fair and decidedly cold.
Gulf and North Shore—Strong north and northwest winds; local snow, but mostly fair and much colder.
Atlantic—Strong winds or gales from west and northwest; clearing and colder.

THE BAROMETER.

Time.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.
8 a.m.	37	29.14	13 S.W.
10 a.m.	36	29.15	13 S.W.
2 p.m.	35	29.15	13 S.W.
4 p.m.	34	29.15	13 S.W.
8 p.m.	33	29.15	14 N.W.
Mean of day.	16		
5 below; highest, 23; lowest, 3; snow, 0.5.			

STREET CAR DELAYS

Thursday, Jan. 9, 1919.
King cars, both ways, delayed 7 minutes at 8.30 a.m. at G.T.R. crossing, by trains.
Bloor and Sherbourne—Strong northbound cars delayed 7 minutes at 2.15 p.m. at Bloor and St. George, by auto truck on track.
Bloor cars, eastbound, delayed 48 minutes at 5.43 p.m. at Bloor and Lansdowne, by fire.

RATES FOR NOTICES

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, each word	1.00
Additional words, each	.10
Lodge Notices to be included in Funeral Announcements	.50
In Memoriam Notices	.50
Lines, additional	.50
For each additional 4 lines or fraction of 4 lines	.50
Cards of Thanks (Bereavements)	1.00

DEATHS.

APPLETON—At his home, 385 Dundas Street East, Thursday, January 9, Leonard Appleton, husband of Mary Elizabeth Madigan. Notice of funeral later.
BURK—At Bowmanville, on Wednesday, Jan. 8th, Mrs. Susan Burk, widow of the late Harvey W. Burk, ex-M.P. for West Durham, and mother-in-law of General Sir Sam Hughes, aged 82 years. Funeral on Friday, the 10th inst., at Bowmanville.
CAVEN—On Thursday, January 9th, 1919, at the family residence, 122 Dunvegan road, Toronto, William Terence Caven, only son of Dr. W. F. and Mrs. Caven. Funeral from above address Saturday, the 11th, at 2.30 p.m.
GEDDES—At her mother's residence, 194 Beatrice Street, on January 9th inst., Jane Geddes, aged 80 years. Funeral private.

the late Rev. J. E. Starr, eight years ago. Mr. Graham was formerly connected with the insurance business, and he indicated that he would return to that line of work. When asked last night whether he had anything further to say he replied in the negative.

Commissioner is Mum.
"I have nothing whatever to say on any phase of the matter," declared Commissioner Boyd yesterday when approached by a reporter for The World, with regard to the alleged differences between himself and J. J. Graham, chief probation officer of the juvenile court.

"If Mr. Graham takes his complaints to the board of control as he threatens to do, will you appear to refute any charges which he may make?" the commissioner was asked. "Please do not ask me any questions as I will not answer them," Mr. Boyd said as he closed the interview.

MISS VERA BARSTOW
CHARMS AUDIENCE

Vera Barstow, the young American violinist, whose coming had been looked forward to by the Women's Musical Club with a good deal of pleasurable anticipation, played at the open meeting of the club yesterday afternoon in the Masonic Temple, when every expectation was more than realized.
Owing to a motor accident to Mrs. Doris Denison Chapman, who was to have accompanied Miss Barstow, some little delay was experienced in opening the program. Fortunately the management were able to obtain the services of Luigi von Kunits to fill the vacancy. The program opened with the Wieniawski Concerto in D minor, all parts being played with unusual skill for so young an artist, the Romance being given poetic expression and the Finale a spirited interpretation.
In the next group, "Fairy Sallies," by Cecil Burchell received dainty handling, as did also the "Ghost Dance" by the same composer. The Nocturne in E-flat, Chopin-Wieniawski, was given with a good deal of sympathy. In the third group, which embraced "Chanson Hindu," Rimsky-Korsakoff; "Kontomusical," Schubert-Auer, and "Scherzo Tarskale," by Wieniawski, the player showed the versatility of which she is capable. Miss Barstow is a refined player, whose work is done with an ease that would reflect credit on a player of veteran standing.
Miss Vera Barstow had come direct from the trenches of France, where she has been entertaining the soldiers. The plucky little artist says she would not have missed her experience overseas, its remembrances outweighing all inconveniences.

Toronto Fights Application of Express Companies

The Express Companies have applied to the Dominion Railway Commission to decrease the area in which they are now required to deliver and collect express packages in Toronto.

Toronto, in fighting this application, demands that all its citizens be given equal treatment. This means that the citizens demand that the Express Companies be ordered to deliver and collect express packages within the entire municipal limits.

The Dominion Railway Commission will sit in Toronto on January 13th to hear both sides.

Citizens fight for their rights. The Earlscourt, North Toronto, Danforth, Little York and Beach districts have either no delivery or are taxed an extra 15c or higher per package. Give the outlying districts a chance to grow. Organization meetings will be held as follows:
EAST TORONTO—Kimberly Avenue School, Jan. 10, 8 p.m.
NORTH TORONTO—Town Hall, Jan. 11, 8 p.m.

Interested citizens are invited. Come and bring express receipts and details of grievances.

Citizens' Express and Freight Campaign Committee

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

EARLSCOURT SEEK AUTHORITY OF "RED" PAMPHLETS

"Who are the men and women and where are they living in the Earls court district who distribute the four page Bolshevik pamphlet?" is now being asked throughout this patriotic district of Toronto. It is known that copies are being carried around and also secreted in some of the homes, and the campaign has again been revived that a clique of foreigners living in this district are endeavoring to scatter the seeds of anarchy around whenever they get the opportunity. People do not realize the danger to themselves of having these pamphlets in their possession. A leading citizen said to The World: "Can't the investigation department of our Toronto police cause a house to house search for the banned pamphlet, and thus find out who are the guilty parties and have them arrested?"

The spathy of the police is unfavorably commented on and instant measures are advocated by every loyal citizen in this northwest section.

SERIOUS RECURRENCE OF FLU.

Spanish "Flu" has again made its appearance in the Earls court district, and a large number of cases are reported. Many of them very serious. Deaths are occurring frequently, and burials at Prospect cemetery are on the increase. Not only young people are attacked, but little children have not escaped the disease. Doctors report that the older patients recover more rapidly than those between the ages of 20 and 30.
An Earls court resident, Mrs. G. A. Phillips of 18 Peterboro avenue, is enjoying a rest at her home after three years' confinement. Her son, Pte. Harry Drayton, in the troop train accident and was slightly wounded in the foot. He says that of the 15 cars in the train were ditched, one of them turning completely turtle, the three remaining on the track were wrecked and in vision car. Phillips was in the battles of the Somme and Cambrai.

RIVERDALE

Rhodes Avenue Presbyterian Church was filled to capacity when the Sunday school entertainment was held under the supervision of S. J. Manchester, superintendent, and teaching staff.
The program, consisting of songs, recitations, choruses and drama was entirely by the children. Rev. Z. A. Berlis, pastor, in a brief speech, congratulated the children. Book prizes were presented to each pupil.
Considerable sickness is prevalent in the Riverdale district at the present time. The complaint seems to be a mild form of the recent Spanish influenza, according to A. J. Smith, Wroxeter avenue, who has been confined to his home since Christmas.

A well attended meeting of North Riverdale Camp, No. 219, Woodmen of the World, was held last evening in Hayter's Hall, Danforth avenue, when the officers for the ensuing year were installed by Sergeant McQuarrie, assisted by W. J. Plowman.
The following were the officials: Bert Smith, council orator; E. Coombs, adviser; lieutenant; A. J. Smith, banker; F. Fisher, clerk; S. Pindarson, escort; S. Rogers, watchman; Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Buchanan, managers; Roy Tanner, past council commander.
An entertainment was given and was appointed to outline a program of events for the year.

A joint meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Women's Missionary Society connected with Rhodes Avenue Presbyterian Church was held at the manse, 113 Hiawatha road, Mrs. John Adams, president of the Ladies' aid, and Mrs. Crone, president of the Women's Missionary Society, presided. The meeting was the first of the year and routine business was transacted. Mrs. Brenton gave an interesting reading.

FIRE BRIGADE REFUSE TO LEAVE CITY LIMITS

"We are not going outside the city to any future outbreaks of fire in the Township of York," said Fire Chief Wm. Smith in an interview with The World last night. "We have been continually bothered with calls, and especially at night from outside municipalities, and we have no right, and are not justified in going outside the city boundaries. Personally, I feel sorry for the poor people whose little homes are burning, but our first duty is to the citizens who are left unprotected while our fire equipment is away at a distant fire," said the chief. "The township authorities have depended upon the city's fire-fighting apparatus in the past to come to their rescue in cases of fire, but have never paid anything towards the wear and tear of equipment, men's time and the consequent expense attached to these long trips out into the municipality."
"We do not want to be unreasonable, and where the fire occurs close to the city boundaries we will, as before, render any assistance in our power," the chief concluded.

A meeting of the Ward 7 Ratepayers' Association will be held tomorrow evening in the Public Library, Annisette street, at 8 o'clock. Suggestions for civic improvements for 1919 will be considered. D'Arcy Hinds, president, will occupy the chair.

TODMORDEN OVERHEATED STOVE BURNS HOUSE DOWN

Shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday evening an outbreak of fire occurred at the residence of J. Baven, 42 Torrens avenue, Todmorden. A two story frame dwelling with the second story 4700 sq. ft. of ground. The loss is estimated at \$1800 to the building and \$250 to the contents. The adjoining residence owned and occupied by Fred Reed, 40 Torrens avenue, was damaged to the extent of \$250.
The reels from Bolton avenue were on a scene shortly after the outbreak, but owing to the lack of water in the vicinity the fire made great headway. A bucket brigade was formed by the residents and water was carried from the nearby wagon.
The firemen rendered considerable assistance, and with their efforts the adjoining property was saved. During the fire the ladder connected with the equipment was broken. Owing to the distance from the street to the burning house it was found impossible to use the hose. By insurance, the houses are covered over and there were no people in the Baven's residence.

WEST TORONTO ST. JULIAN THEATRE BLAZES.

Fire, caused by a defective furnace, broke out in the St. Julian Theatre on Bloor street, near Lansdowne avenue yesterday afternoon about 5.30. The blaze quickly spread to a billiard room which is situated in the basement of the building and gained a hold upon the main floor. Before the firemen could arrive, fortunately the afternoon performance was over and there were no people in the hall.
Damage was done to the entire building amounting to about \$500, and to the contents, \$1200. The property is owned by Mrs. James Bagge, member of a well-known family in the District of Downsview, died on Sunday last of Spanish influenza. Other residents who were seized with the complaint are recovering.

DOWNSVIEW DANFORTH

The builders of the eastern section of the city were the guests of the East End Brokers' Association at a banquet and dance in Playter's Hall, Danforth avenue, last night. Over 100 ladies and gentlemen sat down to an excellent repast, rendered by Geo. Lucas and Dawks. W. A. Summerville, president of the association, occupied the chair. Dancing and euchre was also indulged in, and a most enjoyable time was spent.

The object of the gathering was to promote pleasant business situations during the new year. It is expected that building in the eastern section will be very brisk during the coming summer.
Rev. R. J. D. Simpson, pastor Danforth Methodist Church, is at present in Chistwood, will extend a call to Rev. Mr. H. M. S. "VINDICTIVE"

H. M. S. "VINDICTIVE" CAPTAIN ALFRED CARPENTER, V.C., R.N. "THE ZEEBRUGGE AFFAIR"

In an illustrated lecture under the auspices of the Navy League of Canada.
Wednesday Night, Jan. 15, Massey Hall
Also COUNCILLOR PETER WRIGHT
Chairman of the Seamen's and Firemen's Union of Great Britain.
They Are Two of the Empire's Foremost Seamen.
They Represent the Two Great Services.
All Seats Reserved. Admission 50 and 25 cents to defray expenses.
Seats on sale Saturday morning 9 o'clock.

Amusements.

ALL THIS WEEK
THE BEST FIRST AT
Regent
Continuous Noon
Till 11 p.m.
MRS. CHARLES CHAPLIN
in "BORROWED CLOTHES"

STRAND TO DAY
CHARLIE CHAPLIN
IN
"A DOG'S LIFE"
AND EMMY WEHLEN IN
"HIS BONDED WIFE"

MADISON BLOOR AT BATHURST
Clara Kimball Young
IN "THE SAVAGE WOMAN"

THISTLETOWN.
A course of advanced agriculture commenced at Thistletown on Monday last for one month under the supervision of J. Steakley, B.S.A., and Mr. Neph. Among the students are the sons of the Rev. Mr. Simpson, who is expected to return on Saturday next.

**STREET RAILWAY MEN
THREATEN TO STRIKE**
Windsor, Jan. 9.—Unless officials of the street railway company accede to the demands of their employees to dismiss Superintendent F. E. Hayes and reinstate a discharged motorman, the system will be tied up at 11.30 a.m. Friday. The men at a meeting today decided to hand their ultimatum to the company this evening, giving it until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to decide. The men term Hayes "a trouble maker, who was brought from Detroit to use a big club on the union," speakers at today's meeting declared. In June of last year an incident similar to the firing of Renaud resulted in a strike, which ended in the company reinstating a conductor, a returned soldier, who the men alleged, was "pulled off" a car by the superintendent.

CALL TO BRANTFORD.
Brantford, Jan. 9.—The congregation of Calvary Baptist Church, it is understood, will extend a call to Rev. Mr. H. M. S. "VINDICTIVE"

PRINCESS -- This Week
THE MAT. SAT. Last times to see this great play
BETTER 'OLE With the original cast
NEXT WEEK SEATS NOW
BOOTH TARKINGTON'S ORIGINAL CAST AND PRODUCTION
PENROD

HIPPODROME
ALL WEEK
The Great William Fox Special
"THE PRUSSIAN CUR"
With an All-Star Cast
Evelyn May & Co.; Moore & White; Burns & Wilson; McIntyre's Sensational Sharpshooters; Alice's Novelty Gymnastics; Clifford & Walker; Pathe News and Comedy.

SHEA'S WEEK
TRIXIE FRIGANZA
THE GREAT LESTER
"MIDNIGHT ROLLICERS"
Erwin-CONNELLY-Jane Whitfield & Ireland; Millard & Maclean; Carson Sisters; Lamy's Maestros; Official War Review.

GAYETY
TWICE TO DAY
STONE & PILLARD
IN THE
New SOCIAL MAIDS

STAR MAT DAILY
BURLESQUE
Follies of Pleasure
With Clyde J. Bates and May Mills.
NEXT WEEK—BEAUTY REVUE.

Passenger Traffic.
WE BUY AND SELL
AMERICAN CURRENCY
(at a premium)
Also Travelers' Cheques, Drafts and Money Orders.
A. F. WEBSTER & SON
58 Yonge Street.

Statue of a French Poilu
Replaces Wilhelm at Metz
Metz, Jan. 8.—The statue of former Emperor Wilhelm of Germany here has been replaced with one of a French poilu.
The statue stood in the middle of the Esplanade, a broad thoroughfare running from