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Montreal, June 30.—(Special).—Premier Parent, in the opinion of many of his nearest friends, has sat in the legislature for the last time. It is well understood among his intimates that he is tired of politics, and especially of leading the administration, and that he is anxious to withdraw. He will not again meet the House if the present understanding for utilizing his services in the interest of the country at large is carried out. His friends are anxious that he should accept a seat upon the new railway commission to be appointed by the federal government. He is being pressed to accept the appointment, which it is believed has already been offered him.

It is altogether likely that the chairmanship of the commission will be taken on by Mr. Blair, Minister of Railways, at a salary of \$25,000 or thereabouts, and that the salary of the other commissioner will be \$8000 or perhaps \$10,000 each. The commission will be appointed for a term of eight years. If Mr. Parent accepts his position he will naturally cease the opportunity of getting out of politics, and will refuse to accept re-nomination to the majority of Quebec. His worship will doubtless, however, continue his connection with his law office, and may also continue to act as president of the Quebec Bridge Company.

There is already much speculation as to Mr. Parent's successor in the Premiership. Both Mr. Tupper and Mr. Gouin have their following. It is generally supposed that the retiring Premier will recommend the name of one of the senior members of the Cabinet, and in that case Mr. Tupper will probably be Mr. Parent's choice.

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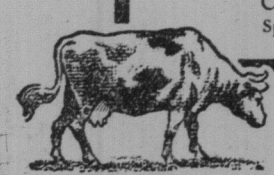
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YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

Deputy Fire Chief Playter Suddenly Resigns and George Mason Will Succeed Him.

BIG INCREASE IN CUSTOMS RECEIPTS

Vital Statistics for June Show Decrease—News of East Toronto.

Toronto Junction, June 30.—H. M. Playter, deputy chief of the fire brigade, severed his connection with the brigade and landed in his resignation to the Council at 6 o'clock today. The communication was dealt with at the regular meeting of the Fire and Light Committee tonight, and was accepted. Mr. Playter has been connected with the Toronto Junction Fire Brigade for twelve years, and his heavy resignation came as a surprise. The best of feeling has not existed among members of the brigade for some little time, and today there was an explosion, which was witnessed by the Town Clerk. The committee recommended that George Mason be appointed deputy chief, and that John Figgitt take charge of the team at No. 1 Fire Hall. Charles Viggo will be offered the vacancy caused by the resignation.

The customs receipts at the Toronto Junction port of entry for June were three times as large as the receipts in the corresponding month of last year. They amounted to \$11,478.43, compared with \$3,827.74 for the same month of 1902. For the year ending today the receipts have been \$96,745.58, an increase of \$24,008.28 over the year previous.

Duchess of York Lodge True Blue Lodge No. 28 held its ice-cream social tonight in Thompson Hall. W. J. Wadsworth occupied the chair, and with him on the platform were George Vign, D.D.G.M., East York; Geo. Watson, P.D.D.G.M.; J. B. Figgitt, W.M.; S. Scott, L.O.L.; A. 204; Wm. Johnston, P.D.M.; L.O.L.; A. T. Macdonald, P.D.D.G.M.

The Senior Shamrocks will spend the holiday at Bradford, where they play a C.L.A. intermediate match with the local increase team. The Intermediate Shamrocks play an exhibition match at Woodbridge.

For the half year just ended there has been a considerable decrease in the births, deaths and marriages recorded. In 1902 there were 108 births, 50 deaths and 28 marriages, compared with 50 births, 65 deaths and 22 marriages this year. The vital statistics for the month are: Births, 5; deaths, 7; marriages, 10.

William Darling, Con. B., Etobicoke, near Leamington Mills, would like to know who broke 35 windows in a vacant house near to his own. He picked up the ends of about 40 iron bolts, which had evidently been shot by a catapult.

At Annetts-street Methodist Church this afternoon Miss Gertrude Deans, eldest daughter of Mrs. Deans, 20 Pacific-avenue, was married to George Morto Bowles, Rev. T. E. Shore performed the ceremony. Miss Blanch Deans was bridesmaid, and Misses Venn and Ella Burnett of Markham flower girls. George Isaac was best man. They will spend their honeymoon in New York.

East Toronto.
Past Toronto, June 30.—A special meeting of the Council of the city of Toronto, held at 8 o'clock tonight, presided over by Mayor (Dr.) Walters. There were also present Councillors Oakley, McMillan, Kerr, Richardson and Abbott. The Treasurer's statement for the half year ending today was presented and adopted. It showed an expenditure of \$23,575.38, and included all expended on capital account. The receipts were the same, counting an overdraft nearly equal to the sum expended on capital account. The statement was satisfactory in every way. The monthly accounts, including pay sheet, amounting to \$474.32, were passed. W. H. Grant, Town Solicitor, was appointed Town Clerk during the absence of W. H. Clay in Europe, that is until the end of August next.

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While Fred Lyon was out on the lake rowing about a quarter of a mile from the beach, both of his arms broke off short, leaving him at the mercy of the waves. However, he managed to hold his boat with his hands until he got out of one of the neighbouring houses, and with it paddled safely to shore.

Last night Harry Morgan saw a big black dog, about the size of a Mastiff, in his room after his rooming house. He gave chase, but fell over a stump and broke his arm. Dr. Walters reduced the fracture, and the dog was taken away.

A Best man with a rather bad accident while assisting to remove a soda water cylinder from a wagon into Ross' drug store. His right forefinger was crushed and split open.

Toronto.
A number of dogs have been poisoned in this neighbourhood, including those belonging to Messrs. Humphries and Elliott, and two dogs of the latter are a scent of the trail of the apothecary alleged to be responsible for the atrocities.

North Toronto.
The annual picnic of the World Missionary congregation will be held on the church grounds on Saturday afternoon next.

Mrs. B. S. McMillan, wife of Rev. A. J. McMillan, who is in the hospital, is reported to be recovering.

Considerable water has been received from the town wells discarded about two years ago, and there is some hope of getting the pumpings from them. This proposition will be opposed by many of the residents, however. The present supply is giving forth, abundance of water, without the slightest prospect of diminution, and to start up the old works would be unnecessary and expensive.

Mr. John Hales is building a tasty cottage of American design on Merion-street. Mr. Hales has recently returned from the States, and speaks rather disparagingly of the outlook for business in America.

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Died on His Birthday.
There passed away yesterday, on the 22nd anniversary of his birth, Rev. D. M. McIntosh, a well-known Presbyterian minister at the home of John Patterson, one of his former pupils.

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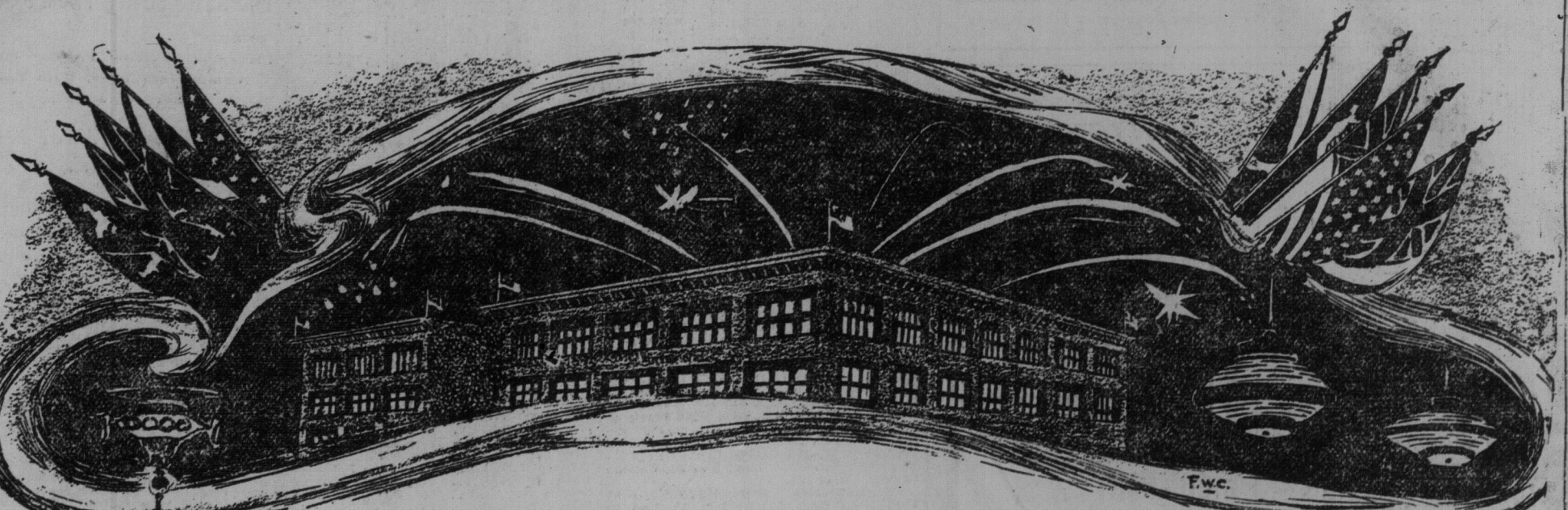
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Everything Advertised in this List Will be on Sale Thursday Morning at Half Price and Less.

THIS is to be the biggest week Toronto has known in a long, long while—thousands of old Canadians here for the Festival—other thousands of tourists coming for a good time. Everybody glad to see them. The enthusiasm begins with to-day's holiday and gives life a fresh charm. Strangers will be interested in the fact that we are enlarging, moving, changing things all around so as to show stocks to better advantage and give more room. That spells "progress" and tells better than anything else how we are growing. We shall add to the attractions of Festival Week and incidentally help along our own plans by making the biggest bargains of the year in order to sell quickly. An entire floor devoted to reserve stocks must be cleared promptly and the goods are being distributed to the tune of such sensational values as given below:

45c and 50c French Flannels, 22 1-2c.

You never heard of such a thing outside Toronto. French Flannel is the popular staple material for blouses. The material which last season proved popular enough to test the supremacy of silk. Half-price Thursday nevertheless.

200 yards Best Quality French Printed Flannels, 8 inches wide, assorted in a choice range of patterns, including nearly every color, fancy stripes, ailey and other designs, all fast colors; also 31-inch woven plaid flannel, all pure wool goods, our regular 45c and 50c per yard, on sale Thursday to clear **22 1-2c.**

Damask Cloths and Fancy Linen

Half price? 5c cloths for 1.98. Two-fifths price more like. Then 45c tea cloths and such things in linen for 19c.

About 160 Double Satin Damask pure, all linen, full bleached table cloths, perfect goods, sizes 22 1-2, 23, 2 1-2x2 1-4, and 2 1-2x3, sold in the regular way at \$4, \$4.25, \$4.50 and \$5, all one price Thursday. **1.98**

Thursday morning we put on sale a line of fancy linens, consisting of 5 o'clocks, with colored borders some with fringe all round, tray cloths, 18x27, in all white and fancy colored borders, sideboard covers, 16x26 and 16x34, fringed all round, assorted in blue and red stripes; also plain white bureau covers, in fancy stripes, 22x42, suitable for bureau or stand covers, regular selling values 35c, 40c and 45c each, Thursday, all one price. **19**

8c Wall Paper, 4c.

1274 rolls Heavy Glimmer and Gilt Wall Papers, with complete combination, in a large selection of good colors and designs, suitable for any room or hall, regular price 8c and 10c per single roll, Thursday **4**

9 inch borders to match, per yard **13**

In the Art Gallery.

Any picture in the room half-price. Framed and unframed, from 25c to \$50—every one half-price—signed paintings and all.

Half-priced Dress Fabrics

No store in Toronto has such an enviable reputation as regards dress fabrics—silk, wool and cotton as this store. "Simpson's Dress Goods" is a phrase which infers a great deal more than it says. These half-price offers for Thursday should meet with the widest and enthusiastic response.

35c FRENCH DRESS GOODS FOR 18c.
2000 yards French Dress Goods, 38 to 46 inches wide, guaranteed absolutely all pure wool, best French dye and finish; this excellent collection consists of French Llama chevrons, French herringbone chevrons, vigoreux suitings, coutings, serges, etc., colors are black, navy, light navy, brown, mode, fawn, castor, green, reseda, cardinal, etc., thoroughly reliable goods, specially adapted for suits, dresses, children's wear, etc., regular selling price 35c and 45c, Thursday **18**

15c FRENCH SUITINGS FOR 9c.
2000 yards French Shower Proof Suits, German cloth, French velvet, absolutely all pure-wool in rich shades of blue grey, fawn, Oxford grey, tan, myrtle, old rose, slate, bisque, cardinal, cadet, pearl, etc., in the Scotch suitings we have also black, navy and Oxford grey, specially adapted for suits, separate skirts, rain or dust coats, etc., 46 to 56 inches wide, reg. selling price \$1.00 and \$1.25, Thursday **9c**

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DOLLAR SILKS FOR 37c.
Colored French Peau de Soie and Merveilleux colored French taffetas, and satins, colored French broches and fancy stripes, black and white checks and black broches. The above collection of silks are in broken assortments and extra shades from our best selling lines, and range in prices from 75c to \$1.00 per yard, on sale Thursday **37**

WHITE MUSLIN THURSDAY.
At 15c—White Mercerized and Embroidered French Organdies, real embroidered spot, Swiss muslin for daily summer gowns; also nainsook and lawn flouncings, in several styles of fancy tuckings, some with embroidery insertion, suitable for the underwear, aprons and misses' dresses; these fabrics sold at 25c to 40c, Thursday's room making price, per yard **15**

1000 yards Black Dress Muslin, permanent fast black, handsome insertion lace effects and ribbon stripes; this is a late shipment of these reliable black French muslin bought to sell at 35c and 50c, room making price Thursday **20**

French Mercerized Pongees, a new fabric this season, has the appearance of silk, in a complete range of new exclusive patterns and fast washing colors, elegant material for fine gowns and blouse wear, Thursday room making price **18**

Half-Priced Furniture.

The list will delight you, except that it is so short. But we've cleared so many of our oddments now that the stock is well nigh straightened out.

10 only Parlor Tables, quarter-cut oak and mahogany, regular price \$8.00 to \$10.00, on sale Thursday **4.00**

12 only Old Parlor Chairs, upholstered seats, regular price \$8.50 to \$10.00, on sale Thursday **4.25**

2 only Ladies' Dressing Tables, golden birch, regular price \$18.50, on sale Thursday **9.25**

2 only Gentleman's Rattan Arm Chairs, regular price \$15.50, on sale Thursday **7.75**

1 only Gentleman's Den Arm Chair, Indian design, regular price \$22.50, on sale Thursday **11.25**

1 only Library Table, colonial mahogany, regular price \$25.00, on sale Thursday **12.50**

1 only Library Table, 5 drawers, mahogany, regular price \$35.50, on sale Thursday **19.25**

1 only Davenport Sofa, mahogany finish, regular price \$27.50, on sale Thursday **18.75**

1 only Old Parlor Sofa, upholstered in silk, regular price \$30.00, on sale Thursday **15.00**

1 3-piece Parlor Suite, mahogany finished, frames silk upholstered, regular price \$35.50, on sale Thursday **19.75**

1 3-piece Parlor Suite, mahogany finished, frames silk upholstered, regular price \$50.00, on sale Thursday **25.00**

2 only 3-piece Parlor Suites, mahogany finished, frames silk upholstered, regular price \$55.00, on sale Thursday **27.50**

1 only 3-piece Parlor Suite, mahogany finished, frames silk upholstered, regular price 65.00, on sale Thursday **32.50**

1 only 5-piece Parlor Suite, mahogany finished, frames silk upholstered, regular price \$75.00, on sale Thursday **37.50**

Half-Priced China.

\$35 Dinner Sets for \$17.50.
Do you need, will you need, or could you use a beautiful Limoges-French dinner set? At half-price—the opportunity is yours if you can take advantage of it. See the list from the China department.

Not an article in the lot but what will give added grace and beauty to the dining room table or drawing room mantle, every piece a real artistic gem:

2 Dinner Sets, rich enamels, 114 pieces, regular price \$35.00, sale price **17.50**

2 Dinner Sets, Limoges China, 100 pieces, regular price \$30.00, sale price **15.00**

21 Artistic Vases, regular \$3.00 to \$15.00, sale price \$1.50 to \$7.50 **7.50**

22 Glass Berry Sets, regular \$1.00 and \$2.00, sale price 50c and **1.00**

8 Tea Pot, Sugar and Cream Sets, regular \$1.50, sale price **.75**

10 Large Plaster Busts, regular \$2.00 to \$4.00, sale price \$1.00 to **2.00**

4 Doulton and Minton China Tea Sets, 40 pieces, very handsome decorations, regular \$25.00 to \$38.00, sale price \$12.50 to **19.00**

15 Fine China Berry or Salad Sets, 13 pieces, reg. \$5.50, \$5.25, \$7.25, sale price \$1.75, \$2.63, **3.63**

China Cups and Saucers, regular 50c, sale price **.25**

Half-Price in the Carpet Room.

Every householder in the city or within reach of the city on Thursday ought to come up to the Carpet and Curtain floor. Half-prices here mean a very great consideration in the furnishing of a new house or one room even.

50c TAPESTRY CARPET FOR 30c.
1200 yards Good Quality English Tapestry, 27 inches wide, a large assortment of patterns and colorings, suitable for any room or hall, regular value 60c per yard, on sale Thursday, per yard **30**

25c JAPAN AND CHINA MATTING FOR 12 1-2c.
1000 yards Fine Quality China and Japan Matting, 36 inches wide, a good reversible pattern, good range of colorings to choose from, in greens, reds, blues and browns, just the thing for bedrooms and summer houses, regular 25c per yard, on sale Thursday morning, per yard **12 1-2**

210 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, 50 to 60 inches wide, 3 1-2 yards long, perfectly woven of hard spun Egyptian cotton, splendid patterns, regular price \$1.25, Thursday, per pair **.60**

42 pairs of Tapestry Curtains, extra heavy quality, reversible, handsomely fringed, mercerized, colors Nile, myrtle, blue, rose, brown and crimson, regular price \$5.00, Thursday, per pair **3.00**

360 yards of Madras Muslin, in self and bright harmonious contrasting colorings, regular value 65c and 75c, Thursday, per yard **.29**

1060 yards of English Cretone, 36 inches wide, in full range of new colorings, regular price 20c, Thursday, per