

WOODS' FAIR

Special Sale of Pictures

Wednesday and Balance of Week

We have just completed a deal with a prominent bank in Toronto to take off their hands a large quantity of Framed Pictures, that they were obliged to take as security on money advanced the manufacturers.

You may be sure we got them at a big sacrifice, or we would not have taken them.

There are over five hundred in the lot, and the subjects were all selected by us.

The size of picture, including frame is 22 inches by 26, with a deep four-inch gilt frame, with picture mounted on cardboard, under French glass.

In the regular way these would be worth from \$1.25 to \$1.50 each.

Our price, to clear them quickly this week, will be

69c Each

SEE THEM IN OUR WEST WINDOW.

Also one hundred beautiful Framed Landscapes, belonging to Bell-Smith, the famous Canadian artist, and taken from three of his celebrated paintings. Size, 9½ by 11½ inches, with half-inch frames, mounted under glass, and got up by Mr. Bell-Smith to sell for \$1.00 each. Our price this week to sell out quickly will be

35c Each

WOODS' FAIR J. M. THOMSON

Mr. D. C. Ross' Majority Is 109

Mr. John D. McPhee, returning officer of North Middlesex, made up his returns at the town hall, Parkhill, on Monday, June 15.

The returns give Duncan C. Ross a majority of 109. The following is the detailed statement of the polls:

Adelaide.		West Williams.	
Division 1	68	Division 1	76
Division 2	51	Division 2	71
Division 3	91	Division 3	61
Division 4	118	Totals	208
Totals	328	Ailsa Craig.	
Biddulph.		Division 1	83
Division 1	33	Division 2	55
Division 2	30	Division 3	67
Division 3	20	Totals	205
Division 4	71	Lucan.	
Division 5	43	Division 1	9
Totals	197	Division 2	24
Metcalfe.		Division 3	67
Division 1	42	Totals	96
Division 2	17	Strathroy.	
Division 3	28	Division 1	68
Division 4	24	Division 2	59
Division 5	51	Division 3	74
Totals	182	Division 4	85
McGillivray.		Division 5	63
Division 1	35	Division 6	69
Division 2	52	Totals	418
Division 3	44	Total vote polled—	2,175
Division 4	61	For Ross	1,175
Division 5	61	For Hodgins	2,063
Division 6	44	Unpolled vote on voters' list—	1,027
Division 7	56	Rejected ballots	19
Totals	341	Canceled or spoiled ballots	9
East Williams.		Majories.	
Division 1	80	Ross, Hodgins	109
Division 2	84	Adelaide	158
Division 3	82	Biddulph	158
Totals	246	Metcalfe	158
		McGillivray	158
		East Williams	158
		Lucan	113
		Parkhill	49
		Strathroy	153
		Totals	464
		Majority for Ross, 109.	

STEPPED OUT OF PULPIT

Rev. G. A. Sellar, a Chatham Pastor, Creates Sensation.

Chatham, June 15.—A bombshell was thrown into the Methodist congregation here last evening when Rev. G. A. Sellar, pastor of St. Luke's Church, announced at sermon time that as his opposition to the liquor traffic and liquor men did not meet with the approval of part of the congregation he would cease to be their pastor and would resign forthwith. He then left the pulpit and walked out of the church. Part of the choir and congregation followed him. Mr. Sellar's action was wholly unexpected.

SMUGGLERS SCARED

Ten Chatham Ladies Decide to Settle With Customs Officers.

Chatham, June 15.—Ten more notices were sent out today by the local customs officers to Chatham women who have been smuggling goods from Detroit, making a total of thirty notices issued. The women notified are all settling their cases by paying the duty on the goods smuggled. Already fifteen of them have paid up in amounts ranging from 50 cents to \$8. Several women who did not receive notices, but who were guilty of smuggling, have been so frightened that they have gone to the customs office and paid the duty on the stuff

they purchased over the border. The present campaign has made smuggling very unpopular. The present offenders are being allowed off by paying the duty only, whereas they are legally liable to pay also the price of the goods and a fine of not less than \$50 and not more than \$500. The collector of customs, D. R. Farquharson, announces that the next lot of people caught smuggling will have to suffer the full penalty of the law, as he intends to make police court cases out of every future offense.

FOR FALSE IMPRISONMENT

Windsor May Have a Couple of Suits To Defend.

Windsor, June 15.—Suit may be started against the city, demanding damages for alleged false imprisonment by James H. Cooper, a Detroit lawyer, who was arrested May 30, on a charge of robbery and incarcerated until Monday morning, when the charge was dismissed. Complaint was made by William Kline, another Detroit lawyer, who was fishing with Cooper in Sandwich, that Cooper had taken a wallet containing \$28 from his pocket. Cooper protested his innocence, but declares he was locked up for 44 hours without a hearing, and that he has legal advice to go ahead with the suit.

A woman attempted the life of the Kaiser, at Vienna with a bomb, it is reported.

TRAINING BEGUN AT GODERICH CAMP

Everything Is in Good Shape—Three Thousand Men Are Under Canvas.

Goderich, June 15.—Everything was laid out in good form on the camp ground here by the Wolseley Barracks men, members of the Royal Canadian Regiment at London who formed the advance guard. There are about 3,000 men under canvas here, and in the morning the regular camp drill will begin.

The lines are laid out after the same manner as they have been for many years on Carling's Heights. The canteens of each regiment have been placed near the officers' quarters so that all possible supervision may be exercised over them.

The men and officers of the infantry are pleased to have the artillery with them again. Last year the artillery camped at Petawawa.

MAN SEIZED WITH CRAMPS

Young Englishman Drowned Near Harrietsville Saturday Night

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Dorchester, June 15.—While swimming in Whittaker Lake, near Harrietsville, on Saturday evening, Harry Lupton, a young Englishman aged 28, was seized with cramps and drowned before he could be rescued. He has no relatives in this country so far as could be learned, but is thought to have a brother in the Northwest.

Lupton was employed by a farmer named Craig, of Crampton, and left shortly after 8 o'clock for the lake to have a swim. After swimming for some time, the others went out and commenced to dress. Lupton continued to swim for some time, and suddenly he was missed. He could be seen nowhere, and the others began to dive for him. Their efforts were unsuccessful and in the gathering darkness the search had to be given up.

On Sunday morning, another party went out and succeeded in finding the body about 11 o'clock Sunday morning in fifteen feet of water.

Dr. Doan was summoned and after inquiring into the circumstances decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

Lupton was formerly employed by Dr. Doan who speaks in the highest terms of the unfortunate young man.

The funeral took place today at Dorchester Cemetery and was largely attended.

"INVERERIE" IS THE NAME

Directors Select This Word From Hundreds of Replies.

In answer to the prize offer made by the London and Port Stanley Amusement Company for a name for the new amusement park and hotel about to be opened by them at Port Stanley, hundreds of replies were received. From these the directors of the amusement company finally selected as the one most suitable for their purpose, "Invererie," which was submitted by a lady prominent in St. Thomas society, who, upon being informed of the decision, insisted on the condition that her name be kept secret by the management.

The name seems most appropriate for a resort of the modern character that this company is building at the Port, and from the opinions expressed by those of a curious nature who have watched the progress of the construction work to date, the resort bids fair to be one of the most attractive and best conducted in Canada.

The management, on being questioned as to the outlook for business, expressed themselves as well satisfied with the prospects for the season. Numerous reservations for rooms coming from all over the State and different cities in Canada have already been received, and excursions are being booked rapidly, so it may safely be expected that the crowds at Port Stanley during the season of 1908 will break all records previously established.

CRUSHED TO DEATH

Terrible Fate of Employee in an Owen Sound Mill.

Owen Sound, June 15.—Crushed between two rollers in the sawmill of the Carney Lumber Company was the terrible death which yesterday came to Joseph Bellicotti, a Pole. The man was one of a gang brought down from the company's timber limits near Massey, Ont., to work in the mills. One of his companions was working at what is called a slasher, a machine which cleans up slabs before they are sent to the lathe mill. An obstruction formed under the conveyor which carries the slabs, Bellicotti, who was engaged at other work, voluntarily went to the man's assistance. It was while at this work that his foot caught in a conveyor chain and the man was picked up and thrown on two rollers known as the hurly-ups and carried between them to his chest, where he became wedged and the machines stopped. The victim lived until he reached the hospital. His brother Philip witnessed the accident.

NIAGARA POWER FOR INGERSOLL.

Ingersoll, June 15.—At a special meeting of the town council tonight the mayor and clerk were instructed to sign the hydro-electric power commission's contract for 500-horsepower. This decision was reached after a brief discussion, the members of the council finally concluding to unanimously in line with the scheme.

THE FINEST CROP THAT HE HAS SEEN

C. P. R. Land Commissioner Returns From a Long Trip.

Winnipeg, June 15.—After a two-weeks' trip of general inspection throughout the Calgary, Lethbridge and Macleod districts in southern Alberta, J. L. Doupe, assistant land commissioner of the C. P. R., has returned to the city. To a reporter who interviewed him Mr. Doupe unhesitatingly made the statement that never before in his western experience has he seen the wheat and other grains so far advanced as they are this season, nor giving such promise for an immense yield at the coming harvest.

While the heavy rains in the district visited did some slight and temporary damage to the railway tracks, they also put the country in splendid condition from an agricultural standpoint, and not only has the winter wheat attained a height of from 24 to 30 inches, but the heads are forming in many fields. The spring wheat is from 12 to 15 inches high, and in all three of the wheat crops the crop is from three to five weeks ahead of last year.

Mr. Doupe states that while work on the new line from Lethbridge to Macleod was delayed somewhat by the recent rains, the contractors, Messrs. Jansen & McDonald, have now a force of sub-contractors with large gangs of men distributed over practically the entire route, and the construction work is being pushed to completion.

While in the west the assistant commissioner completed arrangements for the survey of a new townsite on section 7, township 10, range 13, W. 4, along the above line of railway, and about midway between its terminal point.

The new town has been named Monarch, and is superbly situated about one-half mile from the bank of the Old Man River, in the center of a rich agricultural district.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has recently sold wild land in the neighborhood as high as \$25 per acre, although the site for the new town is at present some fifteen miles from a railway.

At Monarch the C. P. R. will make a departure from the usual stereotyped method of laying out a new community, and instructions have been issued that the plans include a large park to be situated in the heart of the town site.

With regard to general conditions throughout the northwest, Mr. Doupe states that collections are being well taken over the whole country, and that while the westerners are cautious about buying, all liabilities were met promptly.

With the assurance of an extensive crop, Mr. Doupe predicts an unprecedented revival of business in all lines during the next few months.

MAJOR HODGINS' CHARGES

The Investigation Resumed After Long Adjournment.

Ottawa, June 15.—The investigation into the charges made by Major Hodgins against the transcontinental Railway commissioners of over-classification of rock-cutting was resumed today. Mr. Chas. Murphy, K. C., said that James Connors, M. P., objected to the production of the telegram which he sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the time Major Hodgins was dismissed, and in which he urged that Major Hodgins be allowed to continue the investigation, which he had commenced in district F.

Frank Hodgins, K. C., counsel for Major Hodgins, said that he would insist on its production. B. was called to testify to the effect of the cutting on the Quebec section, to which Major Hodgins was taken to instruct him in the "Quebec classification." Major Hodgins was asked to point out the spot on the profile where loose earth was being classified as \$6 per cent solid rock, but he said he could not do this unless he was on the ground. His idea of the "Quebec classification" was based on the day spent on the Quebec division and on subsequent conversation with Engineer Armstrong, of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Engineer Armstrong was again called to identify a number of photographs of the cutting which Major Hodgins visited, but later declined to give the committee a classification based on photographs.

WINDSOR ACADEMY ROBBED

Graduates Lose Rings, Bracelets and Other Jewelry.

Windsor, June 15.—It is reported that valuable rings, bracelets and other jewelry to be worn by the graduates of St. Mary's Academy later in the month, were robbed to the academy the latter part of the past week. The total loss is said to amount to several hundred dollars.

Every effort has been made to keep the matter from becoming public. The sisters of the academy will not discuss the robbery, and the local police profess to know nothing about it. The daughters of many wealthy people, both in Canada and the United States, attend the school, and the preparations for the coming graduation exercises are said to have been on an elaborate scale. Innumerable presents having been sent to the girls who have completed their courses, and are about to leave the institution.

CALLED AWAY

Death of a Strathroy Pioneer—Demise of D. D. Hay, Stratford.

Strathroy, June 15.—One of Strathroy's old pioneers, William Washington Hull, died at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, aged 71 years. Deceased was a native of Lambeth, and came to Strathroy when a young man, where he carried on a successful business, and was highly respected. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. F. P. Lawson, with whom he made his home since the death of his wife. One sister and one brother also survive.

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CREAM EMBROIDERED FLANNELS—For children's or infants' wear.

Cream Flannel, with silk embroidered scalloped edge, at 85¢ a yard.

Cream Flannel, hemstitched, and silk embroidered, at 75¢, 85¢, 95¢ and \$1.00 a yard.

MAIN FLOOR—WEST AISLE.

New Arrivals Black Dress Goods

Priestley's Black Voile, plain, \$1.00 quality.

Priestley's Black Resilda, plain and stripe, \$1.25.

Priestley's Plain Mohair, at 75¢, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

MAIN FLOOR—REAR MAIN AISLE.

Fancy Trimmings Reduced in Price

Beautiful trimmings, with the prices cut almost in half. We are doing this to clear them out—you reap the benefit if you buy. Persian Bands, embroidered on silk, in very pretty floral designs, etc., is admirably suited for trimming hats, dresses, suits; also makes dainty beltings; widths from one-quarter to two and a half inches. Here are a few of the prices picked at random. 2½-inch band, former price \$2.00, now only \$1.25; 1½-inch band, former price 50¢, now 35¢; 1¼-inch band, recent value 35¢, now 17½¢. If desiring first choice, come early.

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French Taffeta, for same purposes; washable; drapes beautifully; all clean colors, in combination of blue and white, yellow, green and white, pink, green and white. At 40¢ a yard.

DRAPERY DEPT.—2ND FLOOR

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WILLIAM HOWARD APPOINTED CHIEF

Of the Peterboro Fire Department—is a Former Londoner.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Peterboro, June 16.—At a regular meeting of the Peterboro City Council last night Mr. W. A. Howard, of Owen Sound, Ont., was appointed chief of the Peterboro Fire Department. His duties to commence on June 20.

HARRY AND EVELYN

The Thaws Reconciled and Will Not Be Separated.

New York, June 15.—Evelyn Thaw and her husband have become reconciled, and will not be separated, according to a statement made by Daniel O'Reilly, Evelyn Thaw's counsel. Mr. O'Reilly added that, "despite the attitude of Mrs. William Thaw and other members of the Thaw family who have

been opposed to Mrs. Evelyn Thaw, she will retain her position as the wife of Harry Thaw."

Mr. O'Reilly and Evelyn Thaw will remain in New York, so as to be in communication with her husband.

BANK WINDS UP. London, June 15.—At a special meeting here today of the shareholders of the London, Paris and American Bank, Limited, which has a capital of \$5,000,000, it was decided to voluntarily liquidate the concern. The assets will be sold to a new bank, to be called the London and Paris National Bank of San Francisco, which is to be incorporated under the laws of the United States, with a capital of \$2,500,000.

Nearly 90 per cent of the capital of the bank now being wound up is held in California, and the desirability of reconstructing the company under American laws has been urged by the larger shareholders.

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