Mild Weather Bargains

With the approach of spring we feel the necessity of lightening our stock of fur garments at once. These prices speak of our method. Our reputation as the largest and most exclusive furriers in Canada should convince you of their real value.

6 Persian Lamb Blouses, with mink trimmings, just received from the factory, next season's designs, new fur, will be worth $165 next year, to clear at **$125**

We have left a few plain Persian Lamb Jackets, 34 and 36 inches long, 34, 36 and 38 inches bust, the regular price of which is $100 each, to clear..... **$85**

The W. & D. DINEEN COMPANY, LIMITED,
Cor. Yonge and Temperance Sts.

GRAIN PRICES EASIER

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15c; renovated extras, 18c; do., firsts, 16c to 17c; do., seconds, 14c to 15c; do., thirds, 12c to 13c; western factory, current make, firsts, 15½c; do., seconds, 14½c to 15c; do., thirds, 12½c to 13½c; do., held, 13c to 13½c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 14½c; do., No. 2, 13½c to 14c; do., No. 3, 12½c to 13c; do., held, 13c to 13½c; rolls, fresh, 13c to 15c.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 2068; state, full cream, fall made, small, fancy, 12c; do., choice, 11c to 11½c; do., late made, small, good to prime, 10½c; do., common to fair, 9c to 10c; do., fall made, large, fancy, 12c; do., choice, 11c to 11½c; do., late made, large, good to prime, 10½c; do., common to fair, 9c to 10c; do., light skims, choice, 8c; do., prime, 6½c to 6¾c; do., part skims, prime, 6c to 6¼c; do., good, 5½c to 5¾c; do., common to fair, 3c to 5c; do., full skims, 1½c to 2c.

Eggs—Unsettled; receipts 9065; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 33c; do., average finest, 32c; do., seconds to firsts, 30c to 31c; western and Kentucky firsts, 31c; do., seconds, 30c; southern, 29c to 31c; dirties, 27c to 28c; checks, 24c to 25c.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

Liverpool, Feb. 23.—Wheat—Spot, nominal; futures, unsettled; March, 6s 11d; May, 6s 10½d; July, 6s 10½d.

Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed, new, 4s 3¾d; American mixed, old, firm, 4s 7d; futures, quiet; March, 4s 3¾d; May, 4s 5¾d.

Bacon—Short rib, steady, 38s. Lard—American refined, steady, 38s. Turpentine—Spirits, quiet, 45s 9d. Rosin—Common, steady, 7s 6d.

Receipts of wheat during the past three days, 218,000 centals, including 37,900 centals American. Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 68,000 centals. Weather, dull.

New York Grain and Produce.

New York, Feb. 23.—Flour—Receipts, 24,419 bbls; sales, 370 bbls; flour was quiet, but firmly held; Minnesota patents, $5 to $5.40; winter straights, $4.75 to $5; Minnesota bakers, $4 to $4.35; winter extras, $3.70 to $3.75; winter patents, $5 to $5.25; winter low grades, $3.15 to $3.55. Buckwheat Flour—Dull, $2 to $2.10. Rye Flour—Firm; fair to good, $3.95 to $4.30; choice to fancy, $4.20 to $4.50. Wheat—Receipts, 13,650 bu; sales, 1,250,000 bu; wheat opened firm and higher on strong cables and the war outlook; later, it eased off under heavy foreign selling, milder weather in the southwest and realizing; this decline was later followed by a rally owing to good bull support; May, $1.04¾; to $1.05⅛; July, 99¾ to $1.00⅞; September, 95c to 95⅝c. Rye—Firm; state and Jersey, 65c to 68c. No. 2 western, 72½c f.o.b. afloat. Corn—Receipts, 50,525 bu; sales, 15,000 bu; corn also opened higher on the cables and war news, eased off under liquidation, but later rallied with wheat; May, 61⅜c to 62⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 145,500 bu. Sugar—Firm; fair refining, 3½c to 3 27-32c; centrifugal refined steady; crushed, $5.15; powdered, $4.85; granulated, $4.85. Coffee—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 7¼c. Lead—Firm; $4.50 to $4.60. Wool—Firm; domestic fleece, 28c to 32c. Hops—Firm; state common to choice 1903, 30c to 38c; 1902, 24c to 28c; olds, 10c to 15c; Pacific coast 1903, 27c to 35c; 1902, 21c to 27c; olds, 10c to 15c.

CITY CATTLE MARKET.

Receipts of live stock at the city cattle market, as reported from the books and given by Messrs. Fox & Hay of the C.P.R. and G.T.R., from Friday of last week to 4 p.m. Tuesday, were 58 carloads, consisting of 773 cattle, 1481 hogs, 430 sheep and 43 calves.

All of the above stock was for sale and sold on this market, with the exception of W. H. Dean's, one load of Chicago cattle, and Walter Harland Smith's carload of horses. The first 16 cars mentioned came in over the C.P.R., the balance, 42 cars, by G.T.R.

The following deliveries of live stock came in by C.P.R.: J. Dowd, Chatsworth, 1 car, 21 cattle, 30 hogs; A. Barber, Hillsburg, 1 car, 20 cattle; Potter & Worts, Proton, 1 car mixed stock; George Saarp, Duncalk, 1 car mixed stock; George Kinkade, Cavanville, 1 car mixed stock; W. Parratt, Myrtle, 1 car mixed stock; Gregg & Spears, Claremont, 1 car mixed stock; J. A. White, Claremont, 1 car mixed stock; J. Dyment, Mineral Springs, 1 car cattle; T. Ayres, Shaw, 1 car hogs; J. K. Featherstone, Streetsville, 1 car mixed stock; John Featherston, Milton, 2 cars hogs; John Featherston, Milton, 1 car sheep; John Featherston, Milton, 1 car cattle; R. McLaughlin, Walkers, 1 car hogs.

The following shipments came in by G.T.R.: J. B. Shields, Mount Albert, 1 car cattle and hogs; R. Hayes, Mount Albert, 1 car hogs; J. Wilson, Port Elgin, 1 car cattle; J. Wolfe, Walkerton, 1 car cattle; W. H. Brown, Chesley, 1 car cattle; S. H. Reynolds, Oshawa, 1 car cattle; W. H. Giddy, Port Hope, 1 car cattle; S. Helsey, Creemore, 1 car cattle; R. Curragh, Bright, 1 car cattle; R. Curragh, Woodstock, 1 car cattle; Wilson & Devenny, St. Mary's, 2 cars cattle; W. Nettleton, Strathroy, 1 car cattle; W. D. Vanstone, Pickering, 1 car cattle; J. C. Wetherall, Georgetown, 1 car cattle and hogs; H. Swinton, Caledon East, 1 car cattle; H. Swinton, Caledon East, 1 car hogs; H. G. Clarke, Norval, 1 car cattle and hogs; Beall & Stone, Black Water Junction, 1 car cattle; Beall & Stone, Black Water Junction, 1 car hogs and sheep; M. D. Williams, Bowmanville, 1 car hogs and sheep; M. D. Williams, Brooklin, 1 car cattle, M. D. Williams, Brooklin, 1 car hogs and sheep; J. S. Todd, Goodwood, 1 car hogs and sheep; Truman Holden, Stouffville, 2 cars cattle; T. G. Colwill, Stouffville, 1 car mixed stock; T. McCauley, Markham, 1 car cattle; James Gilmour, Palgrave, 1 car mixed stock; E. T. Strangway, Eccton, 1 car mixed stock; H. W. Fenton, Elmira, 1 car mixed stock; H. Austin, Fenelon Falls, 1 car cattle; W. Weldon, Lorneville Junction, 1 car mixed stock; T. W. Norris, Newmarket, 1 car cattle; J. Woods, Bradford, 1 car mixed stock; J. Woods, Bradford, 1 car hogs; W. H. Dean, 1 car Chicago cattle; W. Harland Smith, 1 car horses from Collingwood; H. Owens, Stayner, 1 car cattle; W. S. Little, Stayner, 1 car mixed stock; D. Pugley, Hawkeston, 1 car cattle; S. R. Beck, Dunnville, 1 car cattle.

The quality of fat cattle was good, many choice lots lots of butchers' and several of exporters being sold.

Trade was brisk, everything being sold in good time.

Prices were firm for the best grades of butchers'. A few choice picked cattle, which were equal in quality to best exporters, sold at $4.40, $4.50 and $4.60 per cwt., the latter price being obtained by the Maybee Wilson Company for three extra choice animals, weighing 1000 lbs. each. Medium to common grades were inclined to be easy at quotations given.

Only a few shipping cattle were offered. One load of light weights were bought by W. B. Levack, at $4.40 per cwt., this being the only straight load offered, the balance being in small lots, the highest quotation for which was $4.50.

Few feeders or stockers are being offered, the demand being greater than the supply. Prices are firm at quotations given.

Among 15 milch cows and springers were offered, the bulk of which were of medium quality. The best cow on the market was sold by the Maybee & Wilson Company at $66. Prices ranged all the way from $25, for inferior, $30 to $35, for common, medium at $40 to $45, good at $50 to $55 and $60 to $65 for extra choice cows.

Deliveries of calves were more liberal than for several weeks past, and, altho prices were still high, there was a little easier feeling.

Deliveries of sheep and lambs were not large, and prices are firm, especially for best grain-fed ewes and wethers, in which class McDonald & Maybee topped the market selling one lot of 45 extra choice lambs at $5.60, which is the highest price quoted this season, and another lot of 64 at $5.75 per cwt. Wesley Dunn quotes $5.25 to $5.65 as an average range for grain-fed lambs, and $4.50 to $5 for barn-yard lambs.

The weather having become milder, the deliveries of hogs were larger, about 1500. The prices quoted in The World on Monday morning are being paid, that is $5 for selects and $4.75 for lights and fats.

Exporters—Best lots of exporters sold at $4.40 to $4.50 per cwt.; medium at about $4.25 to $4.30 per cwt.

Export Bulls—Choice quality bulls are worth $3.75 to $4.00 per cwt.; medium to good bulls sold at $3.25 to $3.50.

Export Cows—Export cows are worth $3.40 to $3.85 per cwt.

Butchers' Cattle—Choice picked lots of butchers', 1000 to 1150 lbs. each, equal in quality to best exporters, are worth $4.40 to $4.60; loads of good sold at $4 to $4.30; fair to good, $3.60 to $3.85; common, $3.25 to $3.50; rough to inferior, $3; canners, $2.50 to $2.75.

Feeders—Steers of good quality, 1050 to 1150 lbs. each, at $3.75 to $4.25 per cwt.

Stockers—One-year to 2-year-old steers, 400 to 700 lbs. each, are worth $3 to $3.50 per cwt.; off-colors and of poor breeding quality of same weights are worth $2.50 to $3 per cwt.

Milch Cows—Milch cows and springers are worth $25 to $60.

Calves—Calves sold at $3 to $12 each, or from $4 to $6.50 per cwt.

Sheep—Prices, $3.75 to $4.25 per cwt. for ewes, and bucks at $3 to $3.50.

Lambs—Prices for grain-fed choice ewes and wethers for export, $5.25 to $5.60; barnyard lambs, at $4.50 to $5.

Hogs—Best select bacon hogs, not less than 160 lbs., nor more than 200 lbs. each, fed and watered, are worth $5 per cwt.; lights and fats at $4.75; sows, $3.25 to $3.50 per cwt., and stags at $2 to $2.50 per cwt.

Wesley Dunn bought 250 lambs at $5.60 per cwt.; 90 sheep at $4; 25 calves at $9 each.

McDonald & Maybee sold 3 exporters, 1280 lbs. each, at $4.50; 19 butchers', 1140 lbs. each, at $4.40; 6 butchers', 960 lbs. each, at $4.40; 9 butchers', 995 lbs. each, at $4, less $2; 16 butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $4.12½; 27 butchers', 1015 lbs. each, at $3.75; 7 butchers' 1030 lbs. each, at $4.30; 4 butchers', 945 lbs. each, at $3.85; 2 bulls, 990 lbs. each, at $3.25; 3 exporters bulls, 2755 lbs. each, at $3.75; 1 milch cow at $50; 1 milch cow at $43; 2 milch cows at $85 for the pair; 3 milch cows at $39 each; 45 choice lambs at $5.90 per cwt.; 64 choice lambs at $5.75 per cwt.; 10 sheep at $4.25 per cwt.; 1 veal calf at $8; 2 veal calves at $6.50 per cwt.

Maybee & Wilson, commission dealers, sold as follows: 3 light common exporters, 1230 lbs. each, at $4.40; 3 light exporters, 1166 lbs. each, at $4.40; 2 choice butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $4.40; 2 extra butchers', 1100 lbs. each at $4.80; 15 mixed butchers', 1025 lbs. each, at $4.25; 2 butchers', 1080 lbs. each, at $4; 11 butchers', steers, 1000 lbs. each, at $3.90; 3 butchers' steers, 1000 lbs. each at $3.65; 3 common butchers', 800 lbs. each, at $3.50; 5 common butchers', 925 lbs. each, at $4.10; 3 common outhers', 1000 lbs. each, at $4.25; 6 stockers, 700 lbs. each, at $4.75; 5 bulls, 1000 lbs. each, at $4.50; 1 bull, 1520 lbs. at $3.75; 1 fresh-calved cow at $60; 1 milch cow at $49; 1 milch cow at $53; 1 milch cow at $25; 2 sheep at $3.50.

W. B. Levack bought one load light exporters at $4.40 per cwt.

George Rountree bought for the Harris Abattoir Company 170 cattle on Monday and Tuesday, as well as 70 on Saturday last; Mr. Rountree paid for best butchers' $4.25 to $4.40; fair to good, $3.85 to $4.15; common to fair, $3.12 to $3.65 per cwt.

W. J. Neely bought 70 cattle at $4 to $4.40 for good loads butchers', medium at $3.75 to $4.10, common to fair at $3.25 to $3.75, rough to common at $3 to $3.25.

H. Hunnisett bought 8 export bulls, 1290 lbs. to 2030 lbs. each, at $3.25 to $3.75 per cwt.

Crawford & Hunnisett sold 1 load choice butchers' heifers, 750 lbs. each, at $4.50; load butchers', 1030 lbs. each, at $4.12½; some butchers' cows, 1100 lbs. each, at $3.12; 2 export bulls, 1700 lbs. each, at $3.50; 1 feeding bull, 1520 lbs., at $3.40 per cwt.

Henry Hunnisett bought 30 butchers' cattle, 950 lbs. each, at $4.25 per cwt.; 5 calves at $6 to $6.50 per cwt.; 1 lot of lambs at $5.50 per cwt.

W. F. Vangstone sold 16 butchers' at $3.80 per cwt. and 8 butchers' at $4.25 per cwt.

Robert Hunter bought 1 springer at $48.

Corbett & Henderson sold 15 butchers' 1060 lbs. each, at $4.15; 5 butchers, 1100 lbs. each, at $4.45; 6 butcher cows, 1100 lbs. each, at $3.25; 1 feeding bull, 1350 lbs., at $3.30.

William McClelland bought 41 cattle, 925 lbs. each, at $3.80 per cwt.

JUNCTION CATTLE MARKET.

The receipts of live stock at the Junction cattle market to-day were 3 carloads, consisting of 65 cattle.

The receipts were not equal to the demand, and were quickly bought up by William Levack.

Mr. Levack bought 1 load exporters, 1300 lbs. each, at $4.70; 1 load butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $4.50; 1 load butchers', 1025 lbs. each, at $4.40 per cwt.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Active and Firmer at Buffalo.

New York, Feb. 23.—Beeves—No receipts and no trading; no exports. Calves—Receipts, 307; steady; veals, $4.50 to $9.25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1389; choice lambs, firm; everything else slow, but steady; sheep, $3.50 to $5; culls, $3; lambs, $6.45 to $6.87½; choice do., $7; culls, $5 to $5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 3047; firm to 10c higher; prime state and Pennsylvania at $5.75 to $6.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, Feb. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 330 head; active and steady; prime steers $5 to $5.25; shipping, $4.50 to $4.85; butchers', $4 to $4.75; heifers, $3.25 to $4.50; cows, $2.75 to $4; bulls, $2.75 to $4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.25 to $4.

Veals—Receipts, 50 head; steady; $6.50 to $8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 3100 head; active; 15c and 25c higher; heavy, $6.05; mixed, $6 to $6.05; yorkers, $5.90 to $6; pigs, $5.75 to $5.80; roughs, $5.20 to $5.35; stags, $3.75 to $4.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7000 head; sheep, active and steady; lambs, slow; 5c lower; lambs, $5 to $6.80; yearlings, $5.50 to $6; wethers, $4.75 to $5; ewes, $4.50 to $4.60; sheep, mixed, $3 to $4.85.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 6000; market steady to 10 cents lower; good to prime steers, $5 to $5.75; poor to medium, $3.50 to $4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $4.20; cows, $1.75 to $4; heifers, $2 to $4.50; canners, $1.75 to $2.50; bulls, $2 to $4; calves, $3.50 to $7.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 44,000; market 10c lower; mixed and butchers, $5.15 to $5.35; good to choice heavy, $5.30 to $5.55; rough heavy, $5.25 to $5.45; light, $4.90 to $5.30; bulk of sales, $5.25 to $5.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 75,000; market steady to 10c lower; lambs, mostly 10c lower; good to choice wethers, $4.15 to $4.50; fair to choice mixed, $3.65 to $4.25; western sheep, $3.20 to $5.25; native lambs, $4 to $5.75; western lambs, $4 to $6.

WILL GO TO THE LEGISLATURE.

Co-Operative Alliance Hope to Have Cancellation Rescinded.

The adjourned meeting of shareholders of the Co-operative Alliance was resumed last night in the offices of Hearn and Slattery, Canada Life Building. There were several other members in attendance.

Mr. Hearn had yesterday consulted with the solicitors of the alliance, who are negotiating with the government in the hope of having the cancellation of the license rescinded.

Manager Glenn was more optimistic. The matter has been brought before members of the legislature in the hope of getting a friendly hearing there for the alliance. Mr. Glenn has an appointment with the premier to-day.

Another meeting will be held next week.

PUNITIVE COLUMNS START.

London, Feb. 23.—A column consisting of 200 of the Buffs, 150 of the 123rd, Bombay Rifles, and two guns, all under Major Ravenhill, left here last Friday, telegraphed our Aden correspondent under date Feb. 8. Another column, composed of 200 of the Hampshires and 150 of the 102nd Bombay Grenadiers, with two guns, all under Major de Winton, left Musemir the following day.

Both are operating against the Subhai tribe in the Aden hinterland, which recently attacked a surveying party.

A wing of the 94th Native Infantry, with six British officers, nine native officers and 340 men, under Major Whittal, has been ordered from India to Aden to support the escort of the boundary commission working in the hinterland.

Culverwell Succeeds.

J. Alexander Culverwell of Peterboro, who has been vigorously pressing the utility of the Trent Valley Canal and the necessity of its completion as a grain transportation route, and as a means for the further developing of the industrial and farming growth of Central Ontario by giving to this long-suffering district better freight facilities, has been notified by the chairman of the royal commission on transportation, John Bertram of Toronto, that the commission had decided to take evidence in regard to the advisability of completing this waterway, and that the commission will be ready to have a sitting at Peterboro in about ten days. At the request of Mr. Culverwell, the different public bodies in the district will record themselves by memorial to the commission pressing for the completion of this work and showing forth its utility.

Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Prize Money.

The Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Association have granted to the Calgary Exhibition $300 in cash towards their prize list for shorthorns; $1200 has already been granted to the Winnipeg Exhibition; $1500 in cash to the Industrial Exhibition, and also the following grants have been made: Brandon, Man., $250; New Westminster, B.C., $100; Victoria, B.C., $100; Sherbrooke, Que., $100; Fredericton, N.B., $100; Halifax, N.S., $100; Charlottetown, P.E.I., $100; London, $250; Ottawa, $100; Amherst, N.S., Winter Fair, $100; Guelph and Ottawa Winter Fairs, $800, and $100 for the live stock car to the Northwest.

West Y.M.C.A. Banquet.

A pleasant evening was spent in the West End Y.M.C.A. last night, the occasion being the annual banquet given by the ladies' auxiliary to the members of the boys' department. Some 250 boys were present. After refreshments, the boys adjourned to the concert hall, where they were joined by their parents and friends. The program consisted of gymnastic work by the Intermediate Leaders' Corps, magic lantern views by Mr. Haynes and selections by the Association Banjo Club. Mr. Stevenson acted as chairman. In the boys' rooms was shown some of the work done during the season.

Milk Chocolate

The manufacture of milk chocolate is made a specialty by The Cowan Company, Limited, who have introduced the very finest grade for eating and drinking. As a confection, it is one of the daintiest, purest and most nutritious. They are now introducing it as a sweet coating for confectioners' use. They make only one grade—the very best—so that Cowan's milk chocolate may be relied on for quality, fine flavor and absolute purity.

Prince Ibrahim Injured.

Cairo, Egypt, Feb. 23.—In an automobile accident on the road to the pyramids, which occurred to-day, Prince Ibrahim, nephew of the Sultan of Turkey, and two women, who were riding with him, were seriously injured. The chauffeur was mortally wounded and an Arab was killed.

Washington, D.C., Excursion.

Tickets only $10 to Washington and return from Suspension Bridge via Lehigh Valley Railroad, Feb. 26. Tickets good ten days, good on "Black Diamond Express." Stop-over allowed at Philadelphia returning. Call at Lehigh Valley office, 33 Yonge-street, Board of Trade Building, for further particulars. ed

5.20 p.m.

New York train leaves daily at above hour via C.P.R. and New York Central, arriving New York 7.50 following morning. Through sleeper to New York. Dining car to Buffalo. ed

Panama Treaty Ratified.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The Panama treaty has been ratified. The vote was 66 to 14.

A Between-Season Opportunity

Our special offer of 1904 Spring Suitings, tailored in newest style, for $22.50 and $25.00, is an offer that means much to the thrifty. Regular prices of these fine English and Scotch Tweeds are $25.00 and $30.00.

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2 Black Broadcloth Three-quarter length Cloaks, lock squirrel linings, French Seal Collar and Lapels, regular 55.00, special..... **37.50**

2 Fawn Tweed Automobile Garments full length, lock squirrel linings, Sable, Fox and Marmot Collars, regular 35.00 and 40.00, reduced to **20.00**

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INVESTIGATION SUSPENDS WITH THOMPSON ON HAND

Expected That Limit Will Be Made Excluding Trivial Matters of Personal Nature.

The civic investigation has been temporarily abandoned, awaiting the decision of Justice Britton on Richard Lane's injunction application. Judge Winchester yesterday declared that he did not feel like continuing the case while the proceedings were pending in a higher court.

Mr. Riddell had Sam Thompson ready to go into the box. He had subpoenaed no other witnesses, showing that he expected Thompson to take up the entire time of the court for the day.

Rumors of other accused officials asking to be accepted as crown witnesses, together with the definite declaration of several implicated persons that they insist on being put in the box to explain their connection with the case, are some of the details that promise developments of interest when the investigation is resumed.

Consensus of opinion among lawyers seems to be that the court will refuse to suppress the investigation, but will outline limits beyond which Mr. Riddell may not go, such as trivial matters not pertaining to election frauds, but merely calculated to cast reflection upon the personal conduct of candidates and their friends in the campaign.

GOES TO ST. THOMAS.

Kingston, Ont., Feb. 23.—George Rowley, ex-manager of the Elgin Loan Co., St. Thomas, and now a convict serving time in the Kingston Penitentiary, left this afternoon in company with J. C. Weir, a night keeper, for St. Thomas, where he gives evidence in the case on trial there.

Other People's Money.

The late William Barrett left an estate of $17,062, including real estate on Broadview-avenue worth $11,000.

Miss Emily Jane Thompson, who died April 15, 1899, left an estate of $8830, including $5500 in stocks and $2800 in real estate. The Unitarian Church is given $500.

Cockshutt President.

Brantford, Feb. 23.—At the annual meeting of the Brantford Board of Trade to-night, W. F. Cockshutt was elected president, John Muir vice-president, and George Hately, secretary, for the year 1904.

Baltimore Banks Resume Business.

Baltimore, Feb. 23.—The banks in this city resumed business to-day in all their branches for the first time since the fire. Part of the militia guard was removed from the fire district to-day, where 400 men only remain on duty.

Joseph to Do It.

Ottawa, Feb. 23.—Joseph Haycock has been appointed supervising officer in connection with the claims for bounties on binder twine manufactured in Canada.

Wanted More Money and Quit.

Ottawa, Feb. 23.—A. G. Doughty, Dominion architect, wanted $2500 instead of $1900, and has resigned.

The case of William Blackley of Toronto, in the Montreal court, was yesterday adjourned till Friday.

Jerry Dugan, a section hand at Terre Haute, cut the throats of a widow and her two small children and surrendered to the police.

Chief Leaman of the Glace Bay, N. S., fire department, was badly injured by a falling wall in a fire that did $8000 damage to Thompson & Co.'s warehouse.

LAND SURVEYORS WENT WITH TYRELL TO YUKON

Ontario Association's First Day Concluded With Interesting Lecture From Well-Known Explorer.

The Ontario Land Surveyors assembled yesterday in the catacombs of the parliament buildings. In these unaccustomed vaulted regions is situated the repository, and here the association transacted its business. The morning session was occupied with routine, President W. R. Aylsworth of Belleville in the chair. In the afternoon the president's address was a reminiscent review of the association since his connection with it. The report of the secretary-treasurer, Capt. Killaly Gamble, showed a balance to credit of $1804.

A paper by Joz. Cozens on "The Amateur Assistant on Survey Parties," recommended surveyors to send such volunteers to the Waldorf-Astoria and to pay their expenses, as the cheapest and most satisfactory way of disposing of them. Other speakers were able to speak more kindly of the amateurs from their experience.

Assemble Autobiographers.

The report of the committee on repository and biography recommended the assembling in accessible form of autobiographies, especially of the older members, of the surveyors, the records to be strictly confined to professional service. It was desired to obtain information about Jeremiah McCarthy and Angus Macdonald, the first surveyors of the eastern townships, and also of Surveyor-General Wyatt and of John Collins. The report of the committee on publication followed, and Charles Unwin read a paper on "The Board of Examiners." This was full of historical detail of interest to the surveyors present. The paper on the "Surveys of Mining Claims," by E. C. Steele, dealt with the duty of making a faithful map of the claims as staked out by explorers. An additional paper on "Water Power Surveys and Reports" by Mr. McLean was read, the program as arranged having been exhausted at 4 o'clock.

Besides those mentioned there were present: G. B. Kirkpatrick, H. D. Q. Sewell, H. L. Esten, W. A. Browne, Toronto; A. Niven, Haliburton; A. S. Code, Alvinston; E. T. Wilkie, Carleton Place; C. A. Jones, London; W. M. Manigault, Strathroy; L. V. Rorke, Sudbury; G. L. Brown, Morrisburg; James Robertson, Glencoe; J. W. Fitzgerald, Peterboro; J. H. Shaw, North Bay; G. A. McCubbin, St. Thomas; Thomas Fawcett, Niagara Falls; P. S. Gibson, Willowdale, and J. W. Tyrell, Hamilton.

Tyrrell Tells of His Trip.

The evening session was held in the Engineers' Clubroom, West King-street, where J. W. Tyrrell entertained the association with a hundred views selected from photographs taken on his several surveying journeys. Starting at the Soo and crossing the prairie by way of Battleford, by Fort Macleod and Lillooet, the Pacific coast, the Skagway and the White Pass, were illustrated. Mr. Tyrrell's comments were of great interest. He related the result of his personal investigations of the totem poles of the Hiata Indians. They do not represent deities as is generally supposed, but a belief in a form of evolution. Four creatures, a whale, a bear, a frog and an eagle, are the emblems on each totem of the forms of life from which the Indians believe themselves to have descended. They combine in themselves in some way the life of these four elements, but Mr. Tyrrell was unable to ascertain anything more definite. The totem poles are regarded as sacred.

Dawson a Legal Gold Mine.

Views in the Klondike and Dawson City followed. It was stated that the amount of money involved in lawsuits in the Dawson City courthouse was equal to half those of Ontario. At Artillery Lake eighteen salmon trout were shown, caught in 15 minutes, some weighing 25 lbs. each. Some herds of the barren land caribou, or reindeer, covering many acres, were shown. Crossing to Hudson Bay, Mr. Tyrrell's station at Ashe Inlet, where he spent ten months in 1885; and Fort Prince of Wales, dismantled after La Perouse's visit in 1760, when the Hudson Bay Company's agent gave up possession as a convenient means of getting rid of a white elephant, attracted much attention.

Mr. Tyrrell concluded his adventures with an account of a 75-mile trip in one day, 35 miles of which he ran himself, and the whole of which was run by his Esquimaux companion, a half-breed, who would not be out-paced by a rival party. Mr. Tyrrell wished him to take a rest on the dog-sled, but he refused, saying he wanted "to show them sons of (something) how to travel."

Some interesting papers are underlined for to-day, and the annual dinner will be held at McConkey's at 8.

YES, FROM THE BARD.

Editor World: Is the following quotation from Shakespeare, and, if so, where is it to be found?

And make us lose the good we oft might win, . . .
By fearing to attempt."

Enquirer.

(Measure For Measure—Act I, Scene V, line 77.—Ed.)

Has a New Cancer Cure.

New York, Feb. 23.—Dr. Doyen read a paper yesterday before the Paris Academy of Medicine on a new method of treating cancer by injecting serum prepared from the micrococcocus neoformane microbe, peculiar to cancerous tumors. His treatment is not applicable when cancerous growths have attacked the ganglions or viscera.

Lake Michigan's Hurt Located.

London, Feb. 23.—The damaged portions of the British steamer Lake Michigan, which collided with the British bark Matterhorn on Friday last and was beached near Dungeness, have been located, and some of the holds are now dry.

Smoke Spoiled the Tea.

In thawing out frozen water pipes at Lumsden & Co.'s, 9 East Front-street, a small fire resulted. Owing to the smoke that accompanied it, it is feared considerable damage was done to the cased tea.

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Raincoats Underselling To-Morrow.

Looks like rain to-day, may freeze up by to-morrow. But it'll look like rain again next week, like as not. So now is none too soon to get a raincoat. Better get it to-morrow because we're clearing the last of our raincoats now on hand in anticipation of the new stock coming in. Forty-eight of them reduced to $7.95—and two or three $14 ones are the rewards for the first comers.

48 Men's Fine Covert Cloth Raincoats, consisting of fawn, dark grey and olive shades, made up in the long loose Raglanette style with vertical pockets and cuffs on sleeves, finished either with or without lining, well tailored, splendid fitting, sizes 34-44, regular $10.00, $10.50, $12 and $14, on sale Thursday.. **7.95**

48 Youths' and Boys' Dark Grey All-wool Cheviot Winter Overcoats, a rich soft cloth, made up in the popular long loose Raglanette style with vertical pockets and cuffs set on sleeves, good Italian cloth linings and haircloth sleeve linings, sizes 30-35, reg. $6.50, $7 and $8, Thursday... **3.98**

Frame Your Little Pictures

The prettiest of small mouldings can be had very cheap in the Picture Department these days. We're selling off an under-priced carload. Here are two lots for to-morrow:

900 feet of 1-inch Polished Oak Picture and Sign Frame Moulding, regular price 6c, on sale Thursday, per foot. .... **.3**

800 feet of 3-inch Picture Frame Moulding, in artistic design and fine finish, dark green, black and brown, regular 12c, on sale Thursday, per foot.... ..... **.5**

$2.25 Wiltons and Axminsters, $1.50

Last of last season's pile goods of the better grades. Clearing them now at the popular price of $1.50. New goods are coming.

760 yards Best Quality English Wilton and Extra Heavy English Axminsters, in crimson, green, rose, blue and oriental colors, beautiful patterns for drawing room, dining room or library, a grand quality to wear, a carpet to last for years and years, handsome 5-8 borders to match, regular $2.25, special **1.50**

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Fine English Brussels Carpets, in a very large range of designs, in light, medium or the darker shades, all the most popular colorings, for parlor, sitting room, dining room, hall, stairs, bedroom, etc., 5-8 borders to match, price, per yard .... **.75**

$6.00 Trunks, $3.95

24 only High Square Model Tourists' Trunks, canvas covered, corners protected with brass plated bumpers, clamps at the end of each slat, heavy lock, two grain leather straps, 32 in. long, three hinges, sheet iron bottom, hardwood slats, worth $6.00, on sale Thursday **3.95**

Wall Paper Special

1050 rolls Gilt and Glimmer Wall Paper, in a very choice selection of colors, new and up-to-date designs, suitable for any room or hall, regular price 7c, 10c and 12 1-2c per single roll, special, Thursday ..... **.4**

Furniture Chances Fleeting

We're grouping the broken assortments accumulated in the furniture stock during the last week in the list below for Thursday. Quantities in most cases are small. Come in the morning and take advantage of the saving at a time when you're most sure of securing it. Just a few more days left in the February Furniture Sale now.

36 Parlor Rocking Chairs, in solid quarter-cut oak and mahogany veneer polished finish, shaped wood seats, with arms, plain, neat designs, regular price $4.50, on sale Thursday **2.87**

38 Brass and Iron Bedsteads, in white enamel finish, 1 1-16-inch post pillars, with extended bow foot ends, with top brass rods, fancy brass escutcheon ring and scroll ornaments, sizes 3 ft. 6 in., 4 ft., and 4 ft. 6 in. wide, regular price $10.50, on sale Thursday **7.15**

9 only Bedroom Suites, in solid oak, golden polish finish, dresser, with 3 large drawers, 20x24-inch bevel plate mirror, combination washstand, bedstead full double width, regular price $21.50, on sale Thursday **14.75**

8 only Bedroom Suites, in solid oak and birch mahogany finish, three different patterns, large size dressers, some fitted with British bevel plate mirror, combination washstand, bedsteads 4 ft. 2 in. wide, reg. price up to $30, on sale Thursday **21.65**

16 Dressers and Washstands, in solid quarter-cut oak, golden polish finish and rich mahogany finish, swell shaped drawer fronts, with British bevel plate shaped mirrors, regular price $20.50, on sale Thursday .....