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THOMAS STONE & SON

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It's always safe to give Handkerchiefs at Christmas—and if you buy from our stock you are going to select from the finest collection within your reach. It is not boasting on our part to say that our present stock is the best and largest we ever had—and represents a far better variety and far better goods than ever before. You'll make a mistake if you don't see what we have.

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Fifteen Dollar New Method Suits . . .

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SLATER SLIPPERS \$2.50

SLATER SHOES \$3.50 and \$5.00

Christmas Shopping

Is Now in Full Blast At "The Ark"

Every attention given to holiday shoppers. Comfort and ease now, before the great rush next week.

We ask our city friends to do their selecting as soon as possible.

Our Lamps and Dinner Sets are on second floor, and comprise the finest stock in Western Ontario.

Our Stoves and Ranges are in room at rear of store. Ask to see them, and get the holiday reductions.

Fancy Goods, Chinaware, Dolls, Toys, Games, Books, Purses, etc., are now exposed to the view of the public. We have three silent Salesmen—the 50, 10c and 25c Counters. You can buy a lot for a little money.

"THE ARK"

....Open Evenings....

89 King Street, Chatham,

PRINCE EDWARD.

The Provincial Government Carries It Again.

Liberals Have a Sweeping Majority—Only Nine Conservatives Left.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Dec. 13.—The Provincial elections yesterday resulted in favor of the Liberals. Prince county returned a solid phalanx of Liberals. In the first district Rogers and Gallant defeated Birch and Buche by large majorities. In the second district McWilliams and Richards beat Barclay and McDonald. In the third district McNutt and Arsenault defeated McDonald and Arsenault. At Summerside R. C. McLeod leads McNeil, Conservative, and Godkin, Liberal, defeated Desroches, Conservative. In the fourth district Capt. Joseph Read and S. E. Reid are elected over Anderson and McQuarries by substantial majorities. Simpson and Smith in the first district of Queen's, defeated McLeod and Wm. Campbell. In the second district Premier Farquharson and his colleagues, Dr. Douglas, defeat McNeill and Gallant. Hughes and Wheat, both new men, are elected—the former by 147 majority and the latter by 482—in Charlottetown. Belfast and Murray Harbor districts and Georgetown and Souris districts all return two Conservative each. In Fort Augustus Cumiskey and H. J. Palmer, both Liberals, are undoubtedly elected over McCourt and McLean. Charlottetown district has not been heard from, but the probability is that one on each side will be returned, making 21 Liberals and 9 Conservatives. A large vote was polled in every district, and great energy displayed, making returns of result. The Conservatives retained a few of the strongest men, among whom is their leader.

TERMS FOR THE BOERS

Can Get Them if They Surrender the British Government Says.

London, Dec. 13.—Considerable irritation was aroused during yesterday's debate in the House of Commons, on supply. Sir Robert T. Reid, Q. C., Liberal, member for Dumfriesshire, painted a gloomy picture of the conditions in South Africa. He said that after fourteen months of war costing £2,000,000 per month, anarchy was prevalent and famine threatened, and this may be followed by a native rising. An attempt to place the colonies under military rule, he said, would imperil the very existence of the empire. He thought the time had arrived for offering the Boers terms not inconsistent with British dominion. All ideas of unconditional surrender should be discarded.

James Bryce, Liberal, followed on similar lines. He suggested granting general amnesty to the Boers now in arms as legitimate combatants. The negotiations, Mr. Bryce also said, should not be entrusted to Sir Alfred Milner, who was the object of almost universal distrust, including at least half the Queen's subject in South Africa.

Mr. Broderick, the secretary of war, hotly challenged Mr. Bryce's statements regarding Sir Alfred Milner.

Sir Albert Reid's speech, Mr. Broderick

asserted, was impracticable, unwise and mischievous. The government was perfectly willing to offer terms for surrender, so long as it could not be interpreted as proof of weakness and thereby cause a prolongation of the guerrilla warfare.

Any further recriminations the report of supplies was agreed to.

During subsequent discussion in committee of ways and means, the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, promised that a considerable proportion of the cost of the war should be obtained from the Transvaal. He added that a treasury committee was about to proceed to the Transvaal to ascertain its assets and their taxable capacity. Sir David Barbour, continued the chancellor of the exchequer, had been selected for this task.

The resolution was then agreed to and the house adjourned.

Sir David Miller Barbour, K. C. M. G., who has been named as a treasury commissioner to proceed to the Transvaal to ascertain the taxable value of property there, was a member of the council of the governor-general of India, 1887-1893; was royal commissioner to inquire into the conditions and prospects of sugar-growing colonies, 1896, and latterly, commissioner to inquire into the finances of Jamaica.

NO LANDLORDISM.

Irish Nationalists Want to See the End of it.

Tim Healy is not Worried Over His Exclusion From the Party.

Dublin, Dec. 3.—The Nationalist convention resumed its sessions yesterday, John Redmond presiding. After resolutions had been adopted amending the constitution of the United Irish League, and making the Nationalist convention an annual fixture, William O'Brien made himself more popular with the delegates by moving a strongly-worded resolution in favor of the abolition of landlordism in Ireland and the transfer of the soil to the occupying proprietors. Ireland's struggle, he declared, should continue unceasing until the landlords were forced to abandon their present intolerable system of dual control. One branch of the Irish League, continued Mr. O'Brien, will devote its time to bringing to the doors of landlords, land-grabbers and their castle allies the inconvenience of landlordism.

The resolution was adopted amid the utmost enthusiasm.

Resolutions appealing for funds from America and elsewhere to be used against juriespeaking and for the propagation of the Irish language were adopted.

The convention adopted resolutions favoring the abolition of landlordism, and inviting Thomas Sexton and

Michael Davitt to return to parliament.

TIM HEALY'S POSITION.

London, Dec. 13.—Timothy Healy says he is not a whit disturbed by his exclusion from the Irish party. He has neither the intention of resigning nor of forming an opposition section. He is a devotedly hostile to John Dillon, and still more so towards Sir P. O'Connor, who, Mr. Healy says, is behind the whole movement, and he is sincerely hopeless of the cause of Ireland. During the course of a lengthy interview, Mr. Healy said to a press representative: "I care nothing for the action taken. My constituents passed a vote of confidence in me last Friday. I shall acknowledge it and continue to do the best I can to help Ireland out of the lines I have traced for the last twenty years. Yes, I shall look upon Mr. Redmond as my leader, and follow his wishes. But the O'Brien crowd is not likely to let Mr. Redmond continue long in the leadership."

NOW AT SANDWICH

Mgr. Falcon's Reception There a Great One.

The Church Would not Field all the People—Also Visiting Windsor.

Windsor, Dec. 13.—Yesterday was a red letter day in the history of Assumption church, Sandwich. The occasion was the visit of Archbishop Falconio, papal delegate to Canada.

Mgr. Falconio arrived at the C. P. R. depot at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and was met by hundreds of people from Windsor, Sandwich, Walkerville and other parts of the county, including Senator Casgrain, W. J. McKee, M. L. A., Gaspard Pascaud, Francis Cleary, Dr. H. R. Casgrain and Mayor Girardot of Sandwich. He was accompanied from Chatham by Bishop McEvoy, of London; Bishop Foley, of Detroit, and several priests who attended the dedication of a convent chapel at Chatham on Tuesday.

The party took carriages and were driven to Assumption church, Sandwich, where the archbishop was received in canonical form. The church was crowded to the doors, and a large number remained outside who could not obtain admittance. The church was profusely decorated with palms and the papal colors—white and yellow.

After donning his vestments, Mgr. Falconio entered the church at the main entrance and passed up the aisle between two rows of surprised college students and priests. He pronounced the pope's benediction to the people, and afterwards, Mayor Girardot read to him an address of welcome from the members of the congregation. In his reply, his grace explained the position he holds, and told his hearers he was pleased to find them so obedient to the mandates of their priest and church. He gave a short history of the work of the Roman Catholic church in Canada, and said that everywhere he found that it was increasing in membership and power.

The address and reply were both in the French language, as the congregation is made up almost entirely of French-Canadians.

A short service was then held, and the archbishop passed out of the edifice through the centre aisle. As he passed along, the people on their knees, received the silent benediction of the prelate.

The archbishop is the guest of the faculty of Assumption College, and he went to that institution after leaving the church. Here a private reception was given him in the evening by the students, professors and visiting priests. The college rooms were handsomely decorated for the occasion by the students.

To-day the archbishop will visit St. Mary's Academy, Windsor, where he will hold a reception in St. Alphonsus' church, where he will be presented with an address of welcome and will hold the same service as at Sandwich. Friday morning he will meet the pupils of St. Alphonsus and St. Francis public schools and afterwards will visit the separate school at Walkerville. He leaves for the east Friday afternoon.

Archbishop Diomedé de Falconio was born in Italy in 1842. He came to America as a teacher, and spent some years near Buffalo, N. Y., where he was ordained to the priesthood, and afterwards went to Newfoundland for a time. Then he was recalled to Italy, from which time his advancement has been rapid. It was but a short while until he was made archbishop of Larissa, Italy. Here his zeal for the church gained for him the favorable notice of his holiness the pope, and in 1899 he was chosen apostolic delegate to Canada. He is the first person to be permanently appointed to the position and has his headquarters in Ottawa.

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Boys' Reefers, odd sizes in frieze, boucle and beaver cloth, black and navy, velvet collar, high storm collar, double breasted, clearing at \$1.50, \$2 and.....\$2.50

Boys' Reefers, best grade curl cloth and nap beaver, black, navy and gray, double breasted, velvet collar, strong tweed linings, size 29 in. to 28 in., extra values at \$4.50 and \$4.00

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Men's B.K. Beaver O'coats, fine, heavy quality, velvet collar, Italian or tweed lining, fly front, really good value at \$8, our special price.....\$6.50



Men's Fine Kersey O'coats, superior imported, all-wool quality, extra fine Italian linings, rich irrevocable lining, fly front, French facings, velvet collar, medium and long lengths, all sizes, in navy and black, the best coat made at.....\$10.00

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