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A CHANCE

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KID GLOVES

111 Pairs Kid Gloves in Lacing, Button and Clasp, in Suede and Dressed Kid, some Elbow lengths—Colors White, Black and Tans. Some are slightly spotted and damaged, most of them perfect. We do not offer them as new kid gloves, but for a cheap knock-about glove, they will just fill the bill.

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Colored Suede, 5½, 6, 6½, 7, 7½
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The regular price of these gloves was \$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair, Saturday Morning the entire 111 pair go on sale at a pair

36c.

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Boys' extra heavy pure Wool Ribbed Hose, warranted fast black, fine bright finish, good value at 35c. a pair, all sizes from 6½ to 10 in., go on sale Saturday Morning at a pair,

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Carpets and Wall Papers



January Sale of Men's and Women's Fine Shoes...

Our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale of Fine Shoes is now on. Note the prices.

6 Pairs of Men's Velour Calf, Blucher, regular \$4.50 sale... **\$3.50**

17 Pairs of Just Wright, Patent Colt Boots, reg. \$5.00, Sale... **\$4.00**

19 Pairs Men's Box Calf Lace Boots, Bal. or Blucher styles, regular \$3.50 for **\$3.00**

17 Pairs Men's Patent Colt Blucher Shoes, regular \$4.00 for... **\$3.50**

SEE WINDOW THIS WEEK.

ALL REGULAR SHOES SOLD AT 10 PER CENT. OFF

TURRILL

THE SHOE MAN

MUSIC SPECIALTY

Miss Malady Demonstrates in 'the Police Court Her Ability to Play a Mouth Organ

In the matter of tunes, Judge Houston is an expert, and whenever he makes one the Police Court there is always a prisoner in the box who is forced to dance to the music. The judge, however, had a rival yesterday in the person of Miss Malady, who charged Mrs. Turner, a colored lady, with stealing a number of articles from her.

Among the varied list of articles exhibited in the court, which Miss Malady claimed were hers, was found a mouth organ.

"How do you know that instrument is yours?" asked Mr. Lewis, who was defending the case for Mrs. Turner. "I know it by the initials on it and its general appearance," was the response.

"Is there anything peculiar about the tune it plays?" continued Mr. Lewis.

Miss Malady then undertook to demonstrate that there was something distinctly peculiar about the tune. Picking up the instrument she ran over a few cadences and variations, and ended up with a grand finale which made Cousa's band and their imitation of a thunder storm look like a Jew's harp.

"I played this organ sixteen years ago," she remarked, with becoming modesty, as she carefully laid the instrument on the judge's desk and stiffly acknowledged the applause from the audience in the court.

"The judge," remarked Mr. Lewis, as his face assumed the expression which betrayed the impression that her first appearance surely must have been her last.

The evidence in the case was concluded yesterday afternoon and it is now adjourned until Monday.

Miss Malady, who came from home for sometimes three months at a time, claims that Mrs. Turner entered her house and stole various articles, including pieces of old cloth, ribbons, old skirts, laces, a hairbrush, mouth organ, and a number of other things. The articles were found in Mrs. Turner's house last November and the case has been hanging fire ever since. The whole collection was exhibited in the Police Court, and Miss Malady claimed to be able to identify every rag. She even brought several pieces of cloth from her own house to show that they matched.

The outcome of the case is being looked forward to with interest. Crown Attorney H. D. Smith put up a strong case and O. L. Lewis made defence.

NO MERCY FOR REVOLUTIONISTS.

Being Shot Down Without Hesitation if They Bear Arms.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 25.—A lively storm of protest is flowing in against the summary execution of revolutionists, even if caught with arms in their hands, such executions being declared contrary to all forms of Russian law.

A despatch just received reports the execution of forty-five revolutionists in one village in Livonia Sunday last, under what the despatch calls the convenient fiction that they were shot while trying to escape.

An important conference of the revolutionary organizations was concluded Wednesday in Finland after several sessions lasting for two days. The conference decided to postpone all further revolutionary operations until March, when it was hoped by the delegates that the agrarian troubles would recommence.

Suicide Follows Shock.

Port Arthur, Jan. 25.—A double tragedy casts a gloom over the household of Thomas Arthur. Wednesday the dead body of his daughter, Mrs. Cameron, was found in a room at the King Edward Hotel. Her death came as a shock to her brother, Andrew, who, rendered temporary insane by grief, took a dose of poison and went to the room of his brother yesterday morning, where he dropped dead.

Alas, how great the number of people who have existed without having lived.

PAID THE LAST HONORS

Funeral of Hon. Mr. Prefontaine an Imposing Spectacle.

Montreal Streets Along Which the Cortege Proceeded Were Black With People—All Traffic Was Stopped—Governor-General and Other Notables Who Were Present—A Salute of 17 Guns.

Montreal, Jan. 25.—Probably the most imposing state funeral ever witnessed in Montreal, was accorded the remains of Hon. Raymond Prefontaine here yesterday morning. The heads of the state and the church, the representatives of many foreign countries, the Ottawa and Provincial Governments, Parliament, and in short, every branch of public life in the Dominion and provincial fields, were thoroughly represented.

Despite the cold wave, that rendered great coats necessary, the procession was a very imposing one, while the requiem mass sung by Mr. Bruchesi was a gorgeous ceremony, the church being fairly ablaze with military uniforms, robed officials of state and the superb vestments of the clergy.

A guard of 1,000 infantry and 50 cavalry accompanied the procession, which was headed by the band of the 68th Regiment playing funeral marches.

Notables Who Were Present.

The Governor-General was represented by Col. Hanbury Williams and Capt. Newton. A. D. C. The Marine Department was officially represented by Lieut.-Col. Gourdeau and many employees of the department. The Montreal Harbor Commissioners, shipping federation and pilots' corporation were present. All the members of the Dominion Cabinet were present except Hon. W. B. Fielding and Hon. Frank Oliver.

They marched in a body, headed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Hon. R. W. Scott, about 30 Senators and over 50 members of Parliament attended. The Quebec Cabinet, headed by Premier Gouin, and nearly all the members of both the Legislative Assembly and Legislative Council, the mayors and aldermen of Montreal and Ottawa, Mayor Coatsworth and Controller Ward of Toronto, Consul-General Nossé of Japan, Major Edwards, U. S. Consul, and Mr. Kleckowski, French Consul-General, were there.

Capt. Knowles and a detachment from the cruiser Canada marched alongside the coffin.

Salute of 17 Guns.

The cortege left the City Hall about 8.30 and a salute of 17 guns was fired by a detachment of the Montreal Field Battery. The 68th Regiment provided the military guard of honor. The streets along which the cortege proceeded were black with people. Long before the procession arrived every point of vantage was seized and occupied. All traffic was stopped. It was as if the whole city joined in a spontaneous tribute of sympathy and sorrow.

The service in St. James' lasted until 11 o'clock and at noon the last chapter was enacted on the snow-covered hillside in Cote des Neiges.

Service in London.

London, Jan. 25.—A requiem mass was celebrated in the Westminster Roman Catholic Cathedral yesterday in memory of Raymond Prefontaine, the late Canadian Minister of Marine and Fisheries. The Admiralty, War Office and Colonial Office were all represented at the service. Lord Tweedmouth, First Lord of the Admiralty, personally representing the navy. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the Canadian High Commissioner, and many other Canadians were present.

SUCCESSFUL SOCIAL

The Willing Workers of Holy Trinity Church held a most successful social in the Sunday School last night. A short musical program was much enjoyed by the large audience. A drawing contest between some gentlemen seated considerable amusement, the prize for which—a bouquet of paper flowers—was carried off by Mr. Harry Horstead.

A free will offering had been asked from the congregation, which was generously responded to by nearly fifty dollars.

WILLING WORKERS

A Very Pleasant Social Evening Was Held in the Sunday School Room of the Church—Good Program

Last evening the Willing Workers of Holy Trinity church held a very successful tea in the Sunday School Hall.

The Rev. Mr. Hodgins acted as chairman and presided over a large and varied program, which included vocal items by the popular Hallman quartette, solos by Harry Flowers, and Scotch ballads rendered in a splendid manner by Miss Lucy McKellar. Much amusement was caused by a novel drawing competition, in which some half dozen members took part. A large sheet of paper was spread on a blackboard and the contestants endeavored to draw on this a certain animal, which was named by the chairman.

After an amusing half hour Mr. H. Horstead was awarded the palm for his version of a pig and was presented with a large and picturesque bouquet of artificial flowers. The collection taken up exceeded all expectations, amounting to a little over \$37 and serves to indicate the manner in which the noble and indefatigable efforts of this society are being appreciated in the city.

Mr. Lane gave an interesting and amusing reading, which was hugely enjoyed. At the end of the program a stranger was announced to sing and Mr. Will Rutley, disguised as an old negro slave, sang "Poor Black Joe" in a touching and pathetic manner. A tea was served at the end of the program and finished a very pleasant event.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Woman's Auxiliary Missionary Association of Christ Church held their annual meeting in the Sunday School Hall. Reports were read and officers elected.

Great sympathy was expressed that sorrow kept the pastor and Mrs. McCosh, who have been so faithful during their ministry of fourteen years, from being present.

The Treasurer's report showed that in addition to the three bales sent during the year—in June to Rev. Mr. Weaver, in September the bale of Quilts, etc., to the Chinese Leper Mission in Northern China, and the Christmas bale to Rev. Mr. Collinson-Bulls Horn Camp, Macleod, Alberta—nearly \$100 in cash had passed through the Treasurer's hand, beginning the year 1905 with \$3.25, beginning 1906 with \$8.25. Blessed is he who rows beside many waters. Help has been scattered with this money to South America, India, China, Africa and our own Northwest, not very much to be sure for each place, but the united mites from all the branches support indy workers in all these places.

The old officers were all re-elected except Miss Maudsley, Corresponding Secretary, who has moved to another field of usefulness as Deaconess in Prince Edward County. Mrs. Miller, whose life has been such an example of patient cheerful work, was called to her reward at midsummer. "She hath done what she could." Two new members joined.

The society will meet for work as usual every Monday afternoon and will be pleased to see all the old workers and many new ones in the coming year.

WARNING

Notice is hereby given that my cheque for \$100.00, dated 1st February, 1906, in favor of Thomas McCollum was obtained by fraud and misrepresentation, and I forbid negotiation of same and will not be responsible for payment of same.

Dated at Chatham this 23rd day of January, 1906.

W. STEDMAN.

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