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BA'S WHEAT CROP.

With the Manager of a Milling Company.

Manitoba and Territories

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Crop Was Over-Estimated.

Oct. 24.—(Special)—The Pres-

ident of the Woods Milling

Company, in reference to

the Manitoba crop, has

stated that the estimate

of 31,000,000 bushels was

based on the average of

the last three years, and

that the actual crop will

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Deer Shooting

will commence a week from to-day. Supplies should be ordered during the next three days. Many parties have already attended to this.

For years we have made a specialty of this business. We know practically all there is to know about it—and our knowledge means economy and satisfaction for you.

Our price list will help you in making up an order.

Michie & Co.,
GROCERS, ETC.,
7 King Street West.

MONTREAL NOTES.

Young Girl Jumps to Death From Third Store Window—Political Notes—Aberdeen Banquet.

Montreal, Oct. 24.—(Special).—Eudoxie Gosselin, a young girl, an inmate of the Maternity Hospital of the Sisters of Mercy, 8 St. Hubert-street, took her own life last night by jumping from the third storey of the building to the pavement in the court. She came to the hospital on Sept. 19, and she then said she had come from Les Cedres, Quebec, and had no money, and begged to be admitted to the hospital. Mr. Oscar Beauchamp, formerly president of the Club Letteleur, and who was defeated by the anti-Tarte members of the club, has been made assistant warden of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary.

Mr. Ernest Pacaud of Le Soleil persists in running for Levis against the machine candidate.

It has been decided to tender a farewell banquet at the Windsor Hotel on Nov. 20 to Lord and Lady Aberdeen. There will be seats for 200 ladies and gentlemen.

HUMAN SOCIETY'S WORK.

Toronto Lady Speaks to a Large Audience at Bowmanville.

Bowmanville, Ont., Oct. 24.—In Trinity Church Mrs. S. O. Wood of Toronto, who has been a packed house here to-night on the work of the Human Society, endeavored to give a large audience of about 200 people a most interesting and instructive lecture on the work of the Human Society, and the work of the Human Society, and the work of the Human Society.

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ABOUT THE WAR CLOUD.

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being arrived at, and they believe that, provided Major Marchand is recalled, the dispute is susceptible to an arrangement by which France will receive some satisfaction in the Bah-el-Ghazal district.

The Sicile's Head Is Level.
Paris, Oct. 24.—The Sicile, after urging peace, remarks: "France would hardly come off better in a war with England than did Spain in the war with the United States." France would be better employed in developing her colonies than in thwarting England.

The Autorte declares that France ought never to have gone to Fashoda, adding: "It was a stupid mistake, and now England calls on us to get out. Well, it is no use talking, we shall have to get out, otherwise there will be war, which would be madness."

Activity at Halifax.

Halifax, N.S., Oct. 24.—Admiral Fisher, commander of the British squadron stationed in the North Atlantic, has received from London a significant order to collect his vessels, which are now scattered. The Pallas and the Indefatigable, which arrived at Montreal some days ago from Halifax, have been ordered to return here as soon as possible. Similar orders have been forwarded to the commanders of the cruisers are due any time.

A correspondent called at the Admiralty House this morning and was told that after the ships arrive the fleet will be kept together to await orders.

Activity is displayed in the navy yards and arsenals. Contracts have been let for extra large quantities of coal.

Repairs are being made to the battleship Renown. The torpedo boats and destroyers are being overhauled. This is unusual so late in the season. Heretofore in the fall these kind of craft have been dismantled for the winter.

OFFICERS ORDERED HOME.

Major Graham of Great Britain's Service Says He Expects War.
Chicago, Oct. 24.—"All officers of the English army and navy on absent leave in this country have been ordered in readiness to return home. There will be no delay in this statement was made yesterday in this city by Major James B. Graham of Her Majesty's Tenth regiment, one of the oldest military organizations in England.

Major Graham also served for many years in the regular service, and did duty in the Zulu campaign. The order, which he had just received, he said, could have but one significance. It meant that England did not intend to allow any nation to anticipate it in preparation for war, England, he said, was ready to put 672,000 fighting men in the field, and to have 1,000,000 more in the reserve. Britain was the country in such perfect readiness for war. Major Graham thinks war with France is almost certain.

France Will Get Out.
London, Oct. 25.—The Paris correspondent of The Daily Chronicle called to have the opinion of a French Foreign Minister, who has been taken by the French Government to evacuate Fashoda, and that M. Delcasse, the French Foreign Minister, will do his utmost to facilitate a pacific solution.

ANARCHISTS ARE AFTER HIM
And Extraordinary Precautions Are Being Taken to Ensure the Safety of the German Emperor.

Haifa, Palestine, Oct. 24.—The police made an attempt to arrest a well-known anarchist here yesterday. Extraordinary precautions are being taken to insure the safety of Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria. During the time that they are here, women will not be allowed in the streets, as the police fear that anarchists might assume this disguise.

Italian "Red" Arrested.

Alexandria, Oct. 24.—An Italian anarchist was arrested here today. He was a passenger on a steamer bound for Palestine.

A COMPROMISE PROPOSAL.

The American Reply Is to a Certain Degree of This Nature.

Paris, Oct. 24.—The American Peace Commissioners were in session today from 10 a.m. to almost 2 p.m., when they repaired to the joint session. They took with them a number of proposals of English origin, and the consideration of the Cuban question, and the consideration of the Cuban question, and the consideration of the Cuban question.

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On Sale Wednesday:

There are lots good things that come into the store and are out again so quick that some people never see them—they're on review for a day and are gone. This will be the case with most of the things mentioned for Wednesday's selling. Hardly any of these goods will see the daylight in this store for more than 24 hours. On sale Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock:—

Men's White No lot of odds
Shirts, 25c. ends, but a purchase of 74½ dozen Men's White Unlaundered Shirts, new from the factory, 4-ply bosoms, reinforced fronts, double stitched, sizes 12 to 17 1/2 —
These shirts would be good value at 60c. You can see them in Young street window. Whilst we have a big lot the value is sufficiently extraordinary to suggest getting here early.
Wednesday's price will be..... **25**

Men's Suits, With values
\$10 kind for \$6. like this do you wonder at the volume of business being done in the Clothing Section? Wednesday will further help the store's growing popularity for the good kind of clothing and the unrivalled prices placed on our clothing:—
100 Men's Suits, pure all wool Scotch tweeds, new goods, in the latest autumn colorings, brown and grey mixtures, with broken plaid pattern, lined with fine farmers' satin, well trimmed and elegantly tailored in every particular, all sizes, 80 to 44, these suits were made to sell at \$10, special Wednesday..... **6.00**

Men's and the Hat Sec-
Boys' Hats. tion wants to be counted in when completing equipment for man or boy. All the stylish and up-to-date hats are here, and you pay a lower price than is the rule other places:—
Men's Fine Fur Felt Stiff or Soft Hats, large, medium and small shapes, newest fall styles, in colors brown, black or fawn, sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2, regular price \$2 and \$2.50, special Wednesday..... **1.00**
Boys' or Men's Felt and Winter Caps, with slip band or without, in fine quality navy blue serge, nicely lined with satin, sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2, regular price \$1 and \$1.50, special Wednesday..... **.25**
Boys' Imitation Grey or Black Persian Lamb Caps, in Persian Lamb shape, with medium large curls, and well covered, good linings, special Wednesday..... **.25**

Carpets and Oilcloths.
Tapestries, best 10-wide Balmoral, in new designs and colorings, 10 border to match, regular 85c per yard, special Wednesday..... **.75**
All-wool Reversible Carpets, 86 inches wide, a splendid range to select from, regular 75c per yard, special Wednesday..... **.65**
English Oilcloths, in 2 yards wide only, a large assortment of floral and block designs, Wednesday..... **.35**

Gloves and Hosiery Extras Wednesday.
On Wednesday morning we will put on sale an extraordinary purchase of Kid Gloves and Cashmere Hosiery at prices that'll make the sale one of remarkable record. Over 1,200 pairs of real French Kid Gloves, made by Messrs. Perin Freres & Co. of Grenoble, France, and 3,600 pairs of fine All-wool Cashmere Hosiery, made by Messrs. J. & R. Morley of Nottingham, England. The Gloves will be sent postpaid to any address, and gives an opportunity to buy gloves at a price that seldom—if ever—offers itself. The sizes are well assorted, but as the demand will be very large we would suggest that out-of-town shoppers write at once. Please make a second choice of color in case the first shade selected is out. These goods will go on sale Wednesday morning and remain until sold:—
Lot 1— 720 Pairs Ladies' Real Kid Gloves, 2-dome fasteners, silk embroidered backs, welts to match embroidery, gauntlet fingers, colors tan, mode, light and dark brown, gloves regularly sold for \$1.25, every pair warranted to fit and wear, sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2. Sale price..... **69c**
Lot 2— 600 Pairs Ladies' Real Kid Gloves, 3-dome fasteners, combination embroidery, contrast welts, colors modes, light and dark tans and browns, this is a regular \$1.35 glove, every pair warranted to fit and wear. Sale price..... **79c**
Lot 1— 2,200 Pairs Ladies' Fine All-wool Black Cashmere Hosiery, full fashioned leg, spliced ankle and seamless feet, goods made to sell at 35c a pair, sizes 9 and 9 1/2. Sale price..... **25c**
Lot 2— 1,400 Pairs Ladies' All-wool Cashmere Hosiery, full fashioned throughout, spliced ankle, double soles, heels and toes, goods made to sell at 35c, sizes 8 1/2, 9 and 10. Sale price..... **23c**

Sample Sale
Bibles, Hymn Books, Prayer Books—984 volumes.
These Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymn Books are from the celebrated Oxford University Press—the world's great publishers of Bibles. The representative of this famous publishing house brings to Canada every year samples of the entire range of Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymn Books bearing their imprint. We bought these samples this year at a big reduction and will turn them over to shoppers at prices less than they would be sold at to the largest wholesale buyers. As there are actually no two volumes alike we cannot quote prices, but the line ranges from 10c to \$10.

The SIMPSON Co. Limited

Toronto, Tuesday, October 25, 1898.

Table Linens. We're going to sell them at about one-half what you'd usually pay for them. The lot—and there's a large choice—include the finest damasks manufactured in Ireland by the best makers of pure linens, and ranging in lengths from two to five yards. The following list will give you an idea of the way we will sell these Linens. They go on sale at these prices Wednesday morning:

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