## **NEW HOTEL TO** BE READY FOR FAIR VISITORS

Holders of Second Mortgage **Bonds Banquet At** Hunt Club.

GREAT YEAR FOR CITY

Large Number of Tourists Will Be Attracted-Mayor Little Eulogized.

London's new hotel will be ready for visitors to the 1921 Western Fair, was the confident prediction made by President George M. Reid to holders of second mortgage bonds in the project, during a luncheon at the London Hunt and Country Club last right. Plans were thoroughly explained, and a campaign for the disposal of first mortgage bonds was outlined.
W. S. Sample, Canadian representative of the George A. Fuller Company,

direction of Mr. Reid, for the past two years had been one of the city's greatest institutions. The need of a new hotel was too apparent to need any testimony from him. He believed it was a greater nevessity than factories. He predicted that present hotels would not be injured, but that they would be expanding, because tourists would be attracted here in large numbers when they knew there was adequate accommodation.

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W. S. Sample gave a clear outline of the building situation. He said that the Fuller Company had carefully examined the proposition here, and from their experience with their own hotels in the United States things were apparently favorable.

He was confident that the \$1,000,000 being raised would be ample to give the city what it was looking for in the way of an hotel. He advised thorough consideration of the plans, and urged that his company be given the opportunity of preparing detailed estimates, no matter how great the desire in hasten the erection of the building might be. Laying one stone upon another is the easiest part of the work, he stated. The real work was preparing the plans and procuring the right materials at the right time.

The Schedule.

When construction is started a time schedule will be prepared. Herizontal lines will indicate the various trades, and vertical lines the dates on which and vertical lines the dates on which

C. Brent, representing Brent, Noxon & Co., who have undertaken the disposal of the first mortgage bonds, dealt with the financial situation.

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| President, Miss Helen Hardy; third vice-president, H. Reavely; fifth vice-president, Mrs. Elvin Hunt: recording president, Mrs. Elvin Hunt: recording secretary. Miss M. Tanton: district seems that the properties of the citizens. He urged holders of second mortgage bonds to give the project their strongest support.

Good Augury.

Fifteen canvassers associated with
Mr. Brent in Victory Loan campaigns
were most enthusiastic when asked to
take up the sale of these bonds, and
he regarded it as a good augury to find such a willing spirit in this direction.

Ald. Bridge said that he had ha Ald. Bridge said that he had had some doubts regarding the hotel at first, but was now convinced that it was a tremendously good investment. He was daily coming across instances commercial travelers transacting heir business here in the shortest possible time to avoid an overnight stay, and this with other indications had convinced him that the hotal was a vital necessity for the city.

### Official Market Reports Show How Barefaced Was Attempted Sugar Hold Up

Friends of Profiteers At Ottawa Had No Regard For the People and Would Have Maintained Absolutely Unjustified Prices But For Storm of Protest Which Swept the Whole Dominion.

Just how barefaced and deliberate was the attempt of certain parties at Ottawa to force the Canadian public to pay prefiteering prices for sugar in the face of a declining market is shown in the following official reports regarding the market situation published by Canadian Grocer. That the storm of protest from all parts of the country was amply justified, and that the Meighen Government has cause to hide its head in shame for allowing such a proposition to even be considered is apparent.

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tables with the autumn season are dearer, and some are off the market, being now out of season. Oranges are firmer in price, but the supply of very low. Apples are in very good sup-

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practically unchanged. Reductions have been manifest on one brand of peanut butter, chocolate confections, cotton twine and one brand of maple syrup.

schedule will be prepared. Horizontal lines will indicate the various trades, and vertical lines the dates or which they will commence and finish their parts of the contract. Detailed working estimates will be given every two weeks, together with cost estimates, to that bondholders will not have to wait until the completion of the task to know whether it has varied from the estimates.

B. G. Hines said that the need for a new hotel was so apparent, the city was so good, and everything was so lavorable, that details were hardly necessary. The operation of hotels is now on a strictly business basis, he esserted.

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"It was one of the last to really get down to an efficiency basis, but it is sthere now," he said. "Cost production has been a feature of many manufacturing businesses for years, and hotels, particularly since the elimination of the bars, have found it necessary to systematize. The interior checking of a hotel today is as good as in most businesses. Of course, the big element is the origial cost, and it largely will determine the dividends."

Tourist Come.

Mr. Hines, too, was of the opinion that existing hotels would not be injured. He could not recall one instance in which one of the Benson-Hines hotels had done so. It had been found that the supply created the demand to a large extent, because tourists came where they knew there were first-class hotels.

W. C. Brent, representing Brent,

The newly-elected officers for the

THE TRAIL FOR LOWER PRICES.

The Firm Announces a 20 Per Cent Reduction On Their New Fall and Winter Stock of Men's Clothing.

Whether prices on men's clothing are Mr. Ford, who recently came here from Ottawa, said that that city had faced much the same problem before the Chateau Laurier was built. Its erection had meant a new era for the spring will bring forth in the way of city, and while existing hotels were reduced prices, but one fact is eviiffected for a short time, the increased dent Mr. I. Dowler of the R. H. & J.

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Columbus, O., Oct. 15.—The Ohio fair or not, we will have maintained our price comwission will cease to exist after November 1, Attorney-General Palmer leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the reputation as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our price of the reputation as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our price of the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we helded the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we held the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we held the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers, and in so doing we held the remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers are remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers are remaintained our position as Western Ontario's leading clothiers are remaintained our position as well as the remaintained ou

former social and prison secretary for the Salvation Army in Ontario, and well known in London, died in Cali-fornia on Sunday, according to word just received by local officials. SECRETARY COMING—H. Ballantyne, one of the National Y. M. C. A. secretaries of Ontario, will speak to the board of directors of the local "Y," at their regular meeting next Tuesday evening: on the progress of the Y. M. C. A.'s in Ontario.

tario, will speak at a public meeting on October 26.

COMMITTEES CHOSEN .- A meeting for the purpose of electing the officers for the Yorkshire, Lancashire, Leicestershire night in the "Y" on October 30 was held last evening at the "Y," and George Yull was elected chairman. Other members of the committee are: G. Say, A. V. Fogan, A. E. Wood, A. H. Hull, F. J. Chappell, W. J. Bugler, C. D. Bramall, W. Ball, ex-Ald, Sam Manness, Frank, Newton, and Clair Payis. ness, Frank Newton and Clair Pavis. MORE TEST WELLS .- The search more test wells.—The search for more well water is once more under way. A drill is in operation on a site near Front street and has penetrated to a depth of about ten feet. At the Ontario Hospital the work of installing a pump in a deep well which already exists there has been started. It is likely that pumping will commence Saturday, and that a thorough test of the capa-city of the wells can be made within a

ELECTED OFFICERS .- The C. B. C. Club of St. Matthew's Anglican Church held a very successful business meeting on Thursday, when the fol-lowing officers were elected: Honorary president, Mrs. Cooke; president, Annie

# COWAN'S

## "The Store With a Stock"

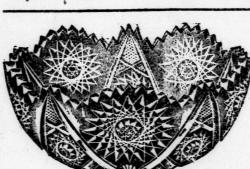
We try to live up to that name by carrying a large stock of highest quality hardware necessities available. Our stock is most complete in all hardware lines.

**BRASS GOODS** 

Tobacco Jars, each ......\$3.50 Toddy Kettles, each.....\$6.00 Cuspidors, each ........\$2.75 to \$12.00 | in all the new and popular designs.

We have just received a fine large

**Gundy - Clapperton** Cut Glass



### TRAYS

A few Glass Inlaid Trays left. It will pay you to see them. These are selling at, each.....\$2.50

### **Electric Toasters**

Fresh toast made right at the table as you want it. High Drop-Side Toasters, each......\$9.00 

### **PERCOLATORS**

An Electric Percolator makes your coffee while you are eating. Saves carrying to and from the kitchen. Prices, each ......\$16.00 to \$25.00

### **Electric Reading Lamps**

In antique finish, for den or living-room, each. .....\$18.00 to \$25.00



# Cowan Hardware, Limited

# HIGHER PRICES ARE

CONFERRING DEGREES.—About 30 members of St. George's Royal Arch Chapter of Masons left on the C. P. R. today for Toronto to visit the mother as numerous this week. The main lodge, the Royal Arch Chapter of St. feature among the advances is the new the Hydro Shop. E. V. Buchanan, the

try netting, solders, some ingot metals, and on lead, wool and turpentine. Portland cement appears to have a lower tendency and also cotton waste. Some scrap metals have declined in

A little improvement is noted in some lines that have been scarce for some time, but there is fill a pronounced shortage of smaller sizes in pipe and in lighter gauges of sheets.

Business continues fair, but a tendency to buy in smaller quantities is

Collections are good.

### October Engagements

Young Folks Take Notice. Statistics go to show that October s the most successful month to become

especially Perfect Diamonds purchased from John A. Nash, My Jeweler. His store is 206 Dundas street, "where you will eventually buy."

### DEATHS AND FUNERALS

FUNERAL OF MRS. MASON. The funeral of Mrs. Jane Mason, who died Friday, October 8, was held on Monday afterneon at 2:30 o'clock on Monday afterneon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of her son-in-law, from the annual reunion contributed weeks old. She was one of the oldest residents of the city, having lived on Sydenham street more than 50 years. Deceased had a host of friends. Of a family cf ten children, one son and five daughter survive. They are: Mrs. F. E. Gaze, Mrs. Alex Fitzsim-son the son the son the son the son that the son the son the son that the son the Sydenham street more than 50 years. Deceased had a host of friends.

Of a family of ten children, one son and five daughters survive. They are: Mrs. F. E. Gaze, Mrs. Alex Fitzsimmons, both of this city; Mrs. James Davidson and Mrs. Charles Sprake of Detroit; Mrs. Austin H. Irwin of Regina, Sask., and Charles Mason of this city. Seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

Rev. Mr. Lowe of St. Luke's Church

ESSEX. Oct. 15.—The death occurred in Windsor at Hotel Dieu on Tuesday night of Mrs. Mary Panghurn of Essex. She resided here for several years and was a life-long member of the Presbyterian Church as well as a regular attendant of the Salvation Army. Mrs. Panghurn was in her 60th year, and leaves one son in Detroit. The funeral was held to North Ridge Cemetery.

Arch' degree will be conferred and a varied progrem will be put on by the visiting lodge.

list on wire gauge "extras," with higher general manager, said today. In addition to these about 200 have been sold wetal.

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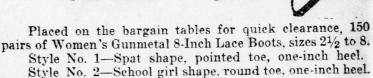
Washing Machines, Wringers and Lamp Chimneys
Also Advance.

Changes in hardware prices are not as numerous this week. The main feature among the advances is the new list on wire gauge "extras," with higher prices on all wires, says Hardware and Metal.

Higher prices are in effect on washing machines and wringers, barred chumes and step ladders, barred chumes and step ladders and ste

# Women's Gunmetai Boots, \$4.98

Two Shapes -One Price



50 Pairs Small \$3.98 Sizes On Sale

All brown, all-black and two-tone styles, sizes 2, 2½ and 3; Louis heels, military heels, kid and calf uppers; values up to



Girls' Box Grain Lace Boots, same style; sizes 8 to 101/2... .....\$1.98

Little Gents' Box Grain Lace Boots, with hooks like daddy's, all solid; sizes 8 to 101/2..\$1.98 Kiddies' Brown Lace and Button-Ups; sizes 4 to 71/2...



SAYS SYMPATHY IS

done everything possible to discourage Windows and the subject of Windows Wind the sale of heating appliances. The pre- an interesting address delivered last vious winter when restrictions were not night before the Aberdeen Mothers' Club so stringent more than 1,900 heaters by Rev. A. C. Bingham. He pointed out

MOST IMPORTANT than rescuing them after they have fallen.

Mrs. A. Rumball presided at the meet-



THE UNIVERSAL

Flower Shop

# An Array of Bargains

That Will Attract Every Lady Shopper in London

### SWEATER COATS.

20 dozen Ladies' All-Wool Sweater Coats, all Ballantyne make, in all colors and sizes. Worth from \$12.00 to \$15.00 each, all to be sold at one price, your choice ......\$5.95 Ladies' All-Wool Pullover Sweaters, in all colors and sizes. Worth from \$5.00 to \$8.50 each, on sale.....\$3.50 35 dozen Children's All-Wool Pullover Sweaters, with large sailor collar, in all colors. Regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 value, on sale ......\$2.98 25 dozen Boys' All-Wool Pullovers, fine weave, all sizes and colors. On

### sale ..... \$1.98

COLORED YARN. New shipment of Colored Yarn-Monarch Floss-in all colors. On sale ...... 35c ball Monarch Down, in all colors, in 2-oz. Best Quality 4-Ply Scotch Finger-

### Black and Khaki, on sale, \$2.50 lb. GIRLS' COATS.

ing Yarn, in light and dark grey. On

sale .....\$2.25 lb.

25 Children's All-Wool Winter Weight Coats, in plain colors and plaids, with large collar and belt, well lined; fitting children from 6 to 14 years. Regular \$22.00 value, on sale ..... \$15.00

CHILDREN'S COATS.

10 dozen Children Red Curlcloth

Coats well lined, fitting children from

### 2 to 6 years. Regular \$5.00 value, on sale ..... \$3.98

SILK SKIRTS. 100 Ladies' Silk Poplin Skirts, in black and navy, in all sizes. Regular \$7.50 and \$8.50 value, on sale...\$4.98

### FALL HATS.

22 dozen New Fall Hat Shapes, in silk velvets, hatters' plush, velours, duvetyne and combinations, in both small and large shapes. All specially priced at ......\$3.50 to \$7.00

### CHILDREN'S HATS

10 dozen Children's Plush Hats, in black and brown, nicely trimmed, for boys and girls. Regular \$3.00 value, on sale .....\$1.98

### BATH ROBES.

25 Ladies' Heavy Weight Bath Robes, in all colors. Regular \$15.00 value, on sale ......\$9.95 KIMONOS

belt; all sizes. Regular \$3.00 value, on sale ...... \$1.19 Three dozen Heavy Weight Eiderdown Kimonos, in straight style, with long sleeves, large collar, pockets and

Three dozen Ladies' Crepe Kimonos,

made of old rose cotton crepe, elastic

girdle; in all colors. Regular \$9.00 value, on sale ......\$6.50 Two dozen Children's Heavy Weight Eiderdown Kimonos, in all colors, fitting children from 6 to 14 years. Regular \$8.00 value, on sale

### SILK HOSE.

50 dozen Art Silk Hose, in black, white and colors; sizes 81/2 to 10; first quality. Regular \$1.25 value, on sale

...... 85c pair 50 dozen Pure Thread Silk Hose, with mercerized ribbed tops, high spliced heels and double soles, in black white and all colors; sizes 8½ to 10.

### Regular \$2.50 value, on sale, \$1.75 pair GLOVES.

20 dozen Silk Gloves (Queen Quality), with double tips and two domes, in all colors and sizes. Regular \$1.50 value, on sale .....\$1.00 pair 15 dozen' Ladies' Chamoisette Gloves, in plain white, white with black back, chamois and grey; all sizes. Regular \$1.00 value, on sale, 69c 5 dozen Children's chamoisette Gloves (Fownes' make), in grey,

### white and fawn; sizes 2 to 6. On UNDERSKIRTS

20 dozen Ladies' Underskirts, made of good quality near-silk, in colors of paddy and rose, copenhagen, navy, purple, brown and black, with wide pleated flounce; in all sizes. Regular \$2.75, on sale ......\$1.98

5 dozen Ladies' Underskirts, made of black heatherbloom, with flowered flounce, elastic band; in all sizes. Regular \$3.75 value, on sale ......\$2.98 10 dozen Ladies' Knitted Underskirts, with scalloped bottom; in all sizes. Regular \$1.50 value, on sale

### ...... \$1.19 LADIES' COATS.

50 Sample Winter Weight Coats. made of all-wool materials, with large convertible collar and wide belt; in all colors and sizes. Regular \$25.00 to \$4.95 \$30.00 value, on sale ..... \$15.00.

OPPOSITE MARKET LANE MARA'S

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