

SUNDAY MORNING

BIG BOOM LAUNCHED FOR POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS

Officers See in Scheme Direct Remedy for Hoarding of Currency.

When the United States National Board of Trade met in Washington in a few weeks, the Trades League will launch a campaign for the establishment of postal savings banks in all the large cities of the country.

Officers of the league see in the scheme a direct remedy for the hoarding of currency that has always been a practice among foreigners who usually distrust banking institutions, and which has been growing largely among the working classes since the recent exposure of Wall-street's financial manipulations.

"As a general rule," said N. B. Kelly, secretary of the Trades League, yesterday, "you will find that foreigners have a dread of banks because they have a fear of the loss of their money in secret places in their homes, and thus prevent it getting into circulation."

"It has been the same way with a large number of working men and families of average means since the recent financial upheaval. This hoarding is undoubtedly hurting business generally, and if there is some way in which it could be stopped the step should be taken immediately.

According to Secretary Kelly, the postal banks would solve the problem he pointed to, the fact that persons who fear the stability of banks generally could easily be induced to deposit with the national government on the strength of its great credit.

The plan is to have the banks located in the postoffices of the large cities and in sections where there are large numbers of artisans and laborers at work, so as to encourage thrift. A resolution to this effect will be introduced at the national board meeting by the league, and the representatives of trade bodies in all sections of the country have announced their intention of supporting the scheme.

BAD HOSE FIRE MENACE.

Underwriters Find Nearly Half of It Burst in Less Than a Year.

New York Tribune: As a result of careful investigation extending over a long period, undertaken at the instance of the New York Board of Fire Underwriters, the attention of Commissioner Lammie of the fire department has been called to the dangerous condition of most of the hose of the department. The facts presented to the commissioner by the board show that an astounding amount of hose has burst, and that in the event of a great fire, such as those that devastated San Francisco and Baltimore, the safety of the city would be seriously menaced.

The work of the investigation was carried on by the engineers of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, which made a report to the committee on fire prevention of that body. This report was transmitted to Commissioner Lammie by Henry V. East, chairman of the committee on water supply and fire department of the New York board.

The information received by the board has been carefully prepared in tabular form, and all sorts of details as to the quantity, quality, brand and age of the bursting hose are included in these tables. Cases of weakening with specific engine companies are cited in some instances, and it is shown in the report that in some cases between 35 and 49 per cent. of the hose of certain companies has burst at fires in a period of less than a year. It is also developed that hose has burst in many cases at a pressure considerably less than that which it is warranted to stand under the specifications.

Numerous specific recommendations as to the method of placing the hose supply of the department on a safe basis are made to the local committee by the national board as a result of the investigation, and the local board is expected to make recommendations at an early date. They include the adoption of new specifications, the immediate purchase of a considerable quantity of new hose and the most careful testing of hose bought. Provision is also made for an extension of the period covered by manufacturers' guarantees.

Cuban Electoral Law. The electoral law for Cuba has been finished by the advisory commission and Senator Juan Gualberto Gomez officially delivered it to Gov. Magoun on a special delivery to the ministry.

The general belief is that the municipal and provincial elections are near, but no date is mentioned. It is likely that they will be held after the sugar crop season is over.

Political activity continues among the Cubans. Gen. Mario Menocal has been accepted as a candidate for the presidency, the not belonging to any of the organized parties, probably will be backed up by the association called Veterans, which was so much talked of during the revolution in August, 1906.

G.T.P. Shops at Winnipeg. WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—(Special).—Work was started on the new shops at the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, which will be established at Springfield, and tenders will be called for once. The buildings will be the round-house, engine-house, machine and repair-shops, etc.

Monday's Prices Will Carry the Interest in the Great \$300,000.00 Cash Clear-up Sale to a High Pitch of Excitement and a Full Brass Band Giving An All-Day Concert Will Add Zest to the Event For You.

BROWNS OF COURSE THERE'S HURRAH BROWNS

But It's Backed Up By the Lowest Prices Ever Printed For Like Goods and a Good Lot of Generous Good Nature Mixed In With It.

17 FACTORIES THAT NEEDED THE MONEY

And there's the reason in a nutshell for you being able to buy the goods you can for the little cash that you can. You know values—you know that you never had a chance at such things as these before—you know that if the sale wasn't just as we say it is, you would be quick to "twig it," but it's all we promised it to be—a sale for

Cash and Cash Only, With Snap, Ginger, Enthusiasm, Earnestness, Honesty, and Genuineness Enough About it to Make the Store "Fast Friends" of the Pernickety Buyer Who'll Favor Himself, Herself, or Us With a Visit.

Be As Canny As You Like, Dollars Will Do Double Duty in Furniture, Stoves, Carpets, and Clothing For Men, Women, and Children

SACRIFICE PRICES IN FINE FURS

The Chance of a Lifetime

- Fur Ties, trimmed with six tails, sale price... 69
Fur Caps, reduced to... 98
Mink Marmot, lock squirrel and muskrat... 2.95
Mink Marmot Collars, best quality... 4.95
American Sable Ties, with six tails, all fur... 1.95
White Lamb Caps, for children... 1.69
Persian Paw Tufts, large empire shape... 5.50
Persian Paw Ties, Regular... 5.50
American Opossum Stole, large size... 6.95
Muffs to match... 3.95
Mink Marmot Stole, extra large... 13.95
Muff to match, head and two tails... 4.95
Best Canadian Mink Throw Tie... 13.95
Best Canadian Mink Throw, 6 tails, broadcled lining... 16.50
Coat of best quality black Astrachan... 19.50
Coat of best quality Belgian mink... 29.00
Near Seal Jackets, mink trimmed... 37.50
Women's Coats, best cloth shell... 18.50

Come Monday for Couches

- Couches, upholstered in velours, fringed all around, open construction... 3.95
Couches, heavy showwood frames, open construction, spring edge... 7.95
Somersaultic Davenport
Somersaultic Davenport, solid quarter-cut, upholstered in silk damask... 45.00
Parlor Suites, five pieces, birch mahogany finished frames... 19.50

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Come Monday for Sideboards

- Sideboard, in golden quartered oak finish, highly polished... 11.95
Sideboard, in quartered oak finish, highly polished... 14.05
Sideboard, in solid oak, highly polished... 19.95
Sideboard, in quartered oak finish, highly polished... 22.95
Sideboard, in quarter-cut oak... 27.68
Sideboard, in quarter-cut oak, highly polished... 54.72
Buffet, in quarter-cut oak, very handsome design... 83.95

Come Monday for Chair Chances

- 400 to be sold on Monday in fine, highly polished, finish... 30
Diners, high-backed, golden leaved... 62
Nurse Rocker, in golden finish... 70
Arm Rocker, golden finish... 70
Regular... 1.38

45c Ingrain Carpets, 24c

- Popular colors in two and three shades of self tones, best wearing quality ever sold for so low a price... 24
Olecloth... 13
Linooleum... 20
Pretty patterns, many lengths, to fit large rooms... 13
Olecloth, regular 35c to 50c... 13
Linooleum, regular 50c and 75c... 20

Come Monday for Tapestry Rugs

- Fine wearing English made Rugs, in select combination coloring, with grounds in tan, red, and green... 5.75
Regular \$10.50, size 3x3 yards... 7.50
Regular \$12.75, size 3x1-2 yards... 7.50
Regular \$14.50, size 3x4 yards... 8.75

Wilton Carpets

- Heavy quality Worsted Wiltons, imported in rich shades of rose, red, green, and tan, scroll and Oriental designs... 1.19
CARPETS SEWED, FREE LAID, AND LINED

Come Monday for Lace Curtains

- Lace Curtains, heavy scroll pattern, several lines to choose from... 50
Swiss Net Lace Curtains, 38 inches wide, heavy scroll borders... 10.00

Come Monday for Toilet Sets

- Toilet Set, 10 pieces, pretty floral patterns, in colors peacock, pink, green, or dark blue, large rolled-edge basin, best quality enamel... 1.59
Toilet Sets, 10 pieces, tinted in colors pale blue, pink, or green, gold lined and traced... 2.49
Toilet Sets, 12 pieces, including sloop jar, tinted and floral designs, gold lined and traced... 5.90

Come Monday for Washing Machines and Wringers

- Special Wringer, guaranteed rubber rolls... 2.90
Premier Wringer, hardwood frame, premier white rubber rolls... 3.45
Easy Washer, will clean without tearing the clothes, the only washer that will wash small articles alone... 6.90
Combination Folding Tub or Wringer Stand, can be used for clothes, or as a wash tub... 1.08

Blankets - a Clear Out Lot

- Wool Blankets, size 60 x 80, weight 6 lbs., pink striped border, heavy bound edge... 2.99
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Come Monday for Men's and Boys' Clothing

- 17.50 Men's Suits for 10.50
12.00 Youths' Suits for 8.50
15.00 Scotch Tweed Suits, 7.50
16.00 Men's Overcoats, 9.50
18.00 Ulsters, 9.50
Men's Heavy Double-breasted Tweed Top Coats, Prussian collars... 9.50

Come Monday for Dressers and Stands

- At \$11.95, our special Dresser and Stand, in Empire oak or mahogany finish, large Dresser, nicely carved frame, fitted with British bevel mirrors, and washstand to match... 11.95
At \$17.75, Dresser and Stand, Empire mahogany, or quarter-cut oak finish, swell front case, with washstand to match... 15.98
88 Dresser and Stand... 24.45
80 Dresser and Stand... 33.98
87 Dresser and Stand... 38.00

STORE OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS THE J. F. BROWN COMPANY, LIMITED, 193-195-197 YONGE ST.

ROYAL JEWELS PAWNED.

Sultan of Morocco Raises Big Sums In Paris. PARIS, Jan. 11.—It was announced that a loan of 500,000 had been granted by the Mont-de-piete (the government pawnshop) to Abdul Aziz, Sultan of Morocco, on the security of his majesty's jewels.

The Bible in the Catholic Church.

The presence of the Bible in the Catholic Church is a subject which has been discussed in the city of Toronto in the churches get so much of the Bible (which we all, Catholics and Protestants alike, regard as the Word of God) as they are entitled to, as they ought to have, as is good for their spiritual natures.

THE CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST'S GOD.

Editor Sunday World: Sir,—From C. R. Munro's reply in last Sunday's World to my enquiries under this heading, I understand that it is the object of Christian Science to try to convince a person that he is under a delusion when he believes in the reality of evil or sickness; and that, actually, he is endowed with a spiritual nature which makes him in the image of God and equal (albeit perhaps unconsciously) with God, yet this delusion cannot be overcome until man's knowledge of God and himself has become so perfected that he is in reality incapable of doing evil or becoming sick.

Bargains in Piano Players.

A number of slightly used combination piano players in beautiful mahogany cases and fine toned are offered by Heintzman & Co. Ltd., 115-117 West King-street, Toronto, at prices much below those of the manufacturer.

AMUSING BUT USEFUL.

An amusing motor car breakdown competition was held at Clithero, France, recently. The motors were manipulated beforehand, so as to cause breakdowns. Then the motorists started engines and on the breakdown occurring, were given twenty-five minutes to discover the cause.

EVIE'S PROMISE.

By Venita Selbert. Forth from our Paradise we have been driven, With stern and flaming sword before the gates. Implacable the awful Angel waits. Those might walls cannot be scaled. Those no river. And unto us 'twill nevermore be given To dream thru lilled hours without a care. With bitter sorrow we must now be shivered.

ADMITTED MADE PED

Races De-low Track Program

Jan. 11.—(Special).—and the weather races started this morning in the grounds. In the finished in front, bumping. The feature of the \$400, 2-year-olds, 3, 2 to 4 to 5 and A. Flynn, 12 to 1, (H. Alex), 8 to 1, Armstrong, Roseberg, Mary, Patriot, Brougam, Lady, ran. Marsie Abe was disqualified. \$500, 4-year-olds, 3, 2 to 4 to 5 and A. Flynn, 12 to 1, (H. Alex), 8 to 1, Armstrong, Roseberg, Mary, Patriot, Brougam, Lady, ran. Marsie Abe was disqualified.

Park Results.

Jan. 11.—The races at the Saturday featured a mile, purse \$400, for 4- and 3 to 5, and 3 to 1, and Salt, Toss, Lit-avant, Stony Lee also.

CROSSINGS.

Will Make Specific to Commission. tion that the Grand ed to bear the ex- the deral system es at the dangerous and John-streets, blishing of a freight front-street," will be Union Railway Com- per Mountain, as a tion on Friday.

Hotel Reopened.

my Citadel on Broad- re-opened, Saturday 11, 3 and 7 p.m. Brig- of the Salvation College, Sherburne- y, Adl. White, who a building of the eta- go, will conduct spe-

Part in Week.

Jan. 11.—Norfolk & passenger train. No. for Crockett's Station light train which was main line. None were the passengers were clerks and a negro ed.

pneumatic Washer

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