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The Newest Fall Silks

Our Silk Department is replete with every known and fashionable weave and style, and we call particular attention to the complete color line in every assortment.

NEW SHADES—SCARCE TINTS

Paillettes

Soft, finished paillette, an easily draped dress silk with a bright lustrous finish. In the newest of shades, such as olive, electric, helio, pink, sky, rose, vieux rose, lilac, champagne, wisteria, etc.

40 inch \$1.60 a yard

Tartan Silks

Tartan surahs or chiffon taffetas in all the leading plaids, amongst which we mention the Stewart, Mackenzie, Macdonald, Sinclair, McDuff, Black Watch, McKay, etc.

Chiffon Taffeta, 20 inch, 85c yard
Surah, 21 inch, \$1.25 yard

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A fine, soft, sheer, lustrous finished silk, most popular at the present time for evening wear. The colors which are most in demand are pink, sky, pearl, bronze, wisteria, Copenhagen, etc.

40 inch \$1.10 a yard

Diagonal

One of fashion's most favored silks for winter gowns is the heavy diagonal, which is shown in the new rich dark tones, such as catwaba, London smoke, wisteria, navy, brown, bronze, ashes of roses, etc.

22 inch \$1.50 a yard

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Alaska Seal Jackets

For a dressy garment in fur nothing compares with seal, and with care no other fur keeps its appearance as well, as it always has a good rich look.

For season 1909-1910 these beautiful garments will be even more popular than ever, being worn in very attractive styles, 24 to 40 inches long, with semi or snug-fitting back, with or without collars and reverses, though the style selected rests with a customer.

Now is the time to order garments made up, as we have an excellent lot of finest quality skins and can make garments up in a short time, using fine quality plain or fancy satin lining and general finishing. Fit and satisfaction guaranteed.

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DEATHS IN WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, N. B., Nov. 13.—Mrs. Woodstock, 68, died at 10 o'clock on Friday afternoon at her residence. She was eighty-eight years of age on March 25 last. She was a sufferer for seven years with heart trouble, but her health had been in a precarious condition for but six weeks. She is survived by her husband and two brothers, Gabriel, of Calgary, and Richard, of Upper Woodstock. Deceased was Miss Isabelle Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brewer.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon, interment in the Upper Woodstock cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Glidden died at the residence of her son, W. F. Glidden, last night of paralysis, aged eighty-six years. Service will be held at the home tomorrow at 10 o'clock and interment in the Houlton cemetery in the afternoon.

Meetings will be held under the auspices of the Carleton County Agricultural Society, No. 41, addressed by the following speakers: Andrew Elliot, of Galt (Ont.), will speak on Beef Production, or Clover Growing and Rotation of Crops; O. W. Wetmore, of Clifton (N. B.), president of the N. B. Farmers' & Dairywomen's Association, on Profitable Use of Commercial Fertilizer, as follows: At 1 p.m., Monday, Nov. 15; Jacksonville, Tuesday, Nov. 16; Pembroke, Wednesday, Nov. 17.

POOR MAN.

Hizon—I hear you've had an addition to the family.
Hizon—Yes, a boy.
Hizon—Is it the first addition?
Hizon—No, third, and I hope it will be last addition.

A Friend of the Policeman

Continually on their feet, the "bushies" are invariably troubled with corns and bunions—but not for long, because they know of a quick cure, Putnam's Corn Extract; it cures painlessly in 24 hours; try "Putnam's."

COLORADO HAS FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAUS

There are Three of Them in the State and the State Maintains Them—They are of Great Benefit

L. A. Tanguay, of Pueblo, Colo., one of the delegates to the American Federation of Labor in Toronto, is an ex-senator of the State of Colorado. After leaving the senate he was appointed Deputy Labor Commissioner of Colorado, and when, four years ago a state free employment bureau was established in Pueblo—a city of 60,000—he was chosen as superintendent.

"No one who values his political life could think of proposing that this should close," said Mr. Tanguay in conversation with The Toronto News. "It is doing a great work for the unemployed. There are three in the state, at the capital, Denver; at Pueblo, and at Colorado Springs. At the first about 1,200 are given employment each month, and at each of the others 600, making 25,000 or 30,000 a year."

"The bureaus have proved very successful and deal with both skilled and unskilled labor. There is no charge made by the state for securing a position for anyone, and there is the additional advantage to the employer that we have no interest in placing the first man who offers for the sake of the fee, as private bureaus have, and our best to send him only those whom we know are well fitted. These three bureaus are maintained at the expense of the state."

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YORK LOAN ARREARS FROM THE DIVIDENDS

Liquidator's Statement—Efforts to Avoid Costs

Toronto, Nov. 14.—The National Trust Company as liquidator of the York County Loan and Savings Company has issued the following statement:

As a number of enquiries have been made by shareholders direct to the liquidator and through the newspapers as to the basis upon which the dividend of 25 per cent. was computed, it is advisable that a public statement should be made.

At the date of its failure the York County Loan and Savings Company had issued shares to some 114,000 persons, there being ten different classes of shareholders. Each class had a separate form of stock certificate and was subject to special by-laws providing for the method of payment by the shareholder and as to repayment by the company either on a withdrawal or upon the stock being fully paid.

The rights of shareholders of the different classes all differed from one another and before any distribution could be made of the estate it was necessary that these rights should be passed upon and defined by the court.

Under the procedure provided by the Winding-Up Act at the date of this liquidation it would have been necessary to have personally served a very large number of the shareholders, each one of whom might have appeared by his own solicitor. The costs and expenses of such a course of proceeding would, however, have been ruinous. The liquidator, therefore, applied to the Minister of Justice at Ottawa and secured an amendment to the Winding-Up Act dispensing with the necessity of individual shareholders being represented by a counsel appointed by the referee. This explanation is necessary in order that shareholders may understand why they were not notified from time to time as to the progress of the litigation. Any course other than that followed by the liquidator would have ended in the greater part of the money realized upon the assets being expended in litigation to determine the rights of the parties. The disbursements which would have been incurred in merely serving the various shareholders would have amounted to nearly a quarter of a million dollars; and many years delay would have ensued before a dividend could have been paid.

The issues were tried by the official referee, each class of shareholder being represented by its counsel and one counsel acting for the general body of shareholders and finally judgments were given upon which the dividend has been computed and paid. These judgments granted by the official referee after very careful consideration and consequently confirmed by the court, are of a high character and are practically a confirmation of a compromise agreed to by counsel for the various classes and the judgments are final and binding. The result was to eliminate listing the claims of certain shareholders (amounting in value to \$4,000,000) to priority in payment to all other shareholders.

Classifications of Claim

The judgments apply to the various classes as follows:

Classes A, B, C and D.

A shareholder in any of these classes goes on the schedule for the face amount of his claim less 20 per cent. This deduction of 20 per cent. is the exact amount provided for as an Expense Fund on these classes of shares by the by-laws of the company.

Class B2.

This class, under the by-law, is similarly subject to a deduction of 20 per cent. in respect of the Expense Fund and to 10 per cent. under the government by-law.

Class D and Juvenile.

These classes, under the by-law, are similarly subject to a deduction of 5 per cent. in respect of the Expense Fund.

Classes C and C2.

These classes, under the by-laws, are similarly subject to a deduction of 10 per cent. in respect of the Expense Fund.

Class Permanent Stock (fully paid)

This class was not, under the by-laws of the company, subject to any Expense Fund, but the question was raised as to whether or not payment to permanent shareholders should not be deferred until after payment of the instalment shareholders in which event the permanent shareholders would get nothing, and as a compromise in this claim, these shares were made subject to 10 per cent. reduction.

Class Permanent Stock (partly paid)

On this stock not only was the same argument used as with reference to the fully paid permanent stock, but the claim was also made that these shareholders were liable for payment of the unpaid amount of their shares. These objections were taken into consideration in fixing the deduction of 25 per cent.

All shareholders, except the fully paid permanent stock, are subject to some deduction. The aggregate amount therefore of shareholders' claims is less than it would have otherwise been and consequently the amount of cash received by each shareholder in respect of his dividend is greater.

Must Make Good Arrears

Under the judgments all shareholders of instalment stock must make good their arrears to Nov. 27th, 1905, and therefore, these arrears, where they were less than the amount coming to the shareholder under the 25 per cent. dividend, have been deducted and a cheque for the balance sent to them. In some cases, however, the arrears amounted to more than the dividend of 25 per cent., and, therefore, shareholders were not entitled to any payment on this dividend, although they may be on the next. A similar count has been followed in adjusting the amounts borrowed by shareholders from the company on "share loans."

Arrears and share loans are not set off against the amount due the shareholders and dividends paid upon the balance, but dividends are computed upon the amount to the credit of the shareholder and are applied first upon the arrears and share loans and the balance if any paid to the shareholder.

The liquidator is ready to answer any reasonable enquiries, but the expense of dealing with the large correspondence is so heavy that not letters will be answered which are covered by this explanation. Since the payment of the dividend on the 1st of the month the liquidator has received some 6,000 letters and about 3,000 shareholders have called at the office of the company. Shareholders should realize that the method of distribution has been finally settled by the court and that,

All Physicians

Must prescribe some of the ingredients that are contained in Hood's Sarsaparilla—in all troubles of the blood, stomach, kidneys and liver.

They include: Sarsaparilla, chills, yellow dock, gentian, wild cherry bark, mandrake, dandelion, juniper berries, pipissewa, etc.

The combination and proportions are our own formula and give power to cure beyond the reach of any other prescription or substituting. That is why it is wise to get Hood's and only Hood's.

therefore, remarks or enquiries on this subject only add to the difficulty and expense of the liquidation with a consequent lessening of the dividend.

A SPECIAL DAY IN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES

Presbyterian churches throughout the maritime provinces made special efforts yesterday to reduce the debt in the foreign mission department. In every church in the provinces a special collection was taken for this object. This collection was ordered by the Maritime Presbyterian Synod at its last session and the amounts realized will be transmitted to the treasurer, Rev. Dr. McCurdy, of Halifax. The debt at present is about \$12,000, but as the result of yesterday's collections it is expected to be materially reduced. The returns from the collections will not be known for some days.

FREDERICTON NEWS

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 14.—George A. Beatty, a well known citizen, who has carried on a meat and provision business here for twenty years, died this afternoon after an illness of only two days, from heart trouble. He was widely known in this city, having business relations with a large number of people, and news of his death was received with much regret. For years he had been prominently identified with the Orange order. He was forty-six years of age, and a bachelor. His mother, two brothers and three sisters survive.

The latest rumour in military circles is that "H" company of the Royal Canadian Regiment will be transferred from this city to Halifax early next month. No orders for the transfer have yet been received at the barracks, but the members of the corps are satisfied the change is to be made soon.

The young son of Roland Wilson fell while playing yesterday and fractured his arm.

I. O. G. T. ELECTION

The St. John District Lodge, I. O. G. T., met in Temperance hall, Fairville, on Saturday night, and elected the following officers:

District chief templar, E. N. Stockford. District vice templar, J. W. Stephens. District councillor, D. C. Fisher. District B. J. templar, Mrs. M. A. Thorne.

District electoral superintendent, W. E. Myer. District secretary, M. A. Thorne. District treasurer, H. Robinson. District marshal, M. Burgess. District deputy marshal, Miss Lillian Saunders. District assistant secretary, Miss Ida White.

District messenger, Miss Coral McFawn. District guard, D. A. Ramsay. District sentinel, John Magee. District chaplain, Rev. W. B. Robinson. District past chief templar, Allan Harrison.

Reports from lodges in the district showed a substantial gain in membership, and a successful year is looked forward to. From the reports of the delegates it was shown that the prohibition sentiment is steadily growing.

FIRE IN STELLARTON

Stellarton, N. S., Nov. 14.—(Special)—About 2 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the Douglas Inglis block on Main street. The building was badly gutted. It was occupied on the lower floor by McIntosh & Sutherland, dry goods merchants, and the post office. The second floor was occupied by Dr. Douglas, dentist, and the third floor as a public hall. McIntosh & Sutherland stock was greatly damaged by fire and water. There is no insurance on the post office fittings and supplies.

SOMETHING TO NIBBLE

(Boston Herald)

The girl who is spoiling her appetite as well as her complexion by eating too many sweets, had better supplement her will power with a few things other than sweets that she can nibble when nibbling she must. I think one of the chief reasons why she has such a craving for that she is hungry for sweet stuff, but that she must nibble and chew to work off her superfluous nervous energy.

Now that many a number of other foods that will serve her purpose equally well. Celery is excellent. It is neat to handle and does not interfere with the additional merit of not being so "filling" as to preclude its indulgence during the whole afternoon. Apples, pears, and, in fact, any sort of fruit, as well as olives and cheese, are better for one than this continual eating of candy.

Pretzels and wafers may not appeal to one particularly, but their saltiness allays that abnormal craving for sweets, if it does not make them rather objectionable for the time.

COUGHING BURST

Says Danger Avoided and Cures Cough in 5 Hours

A writer for the Medical Press states that coughing is a personal danger for the bursting of blood vessels quite frequently. A cough or cold means inflammation (fever) and congestion, and these conditions indicate that the body is full of poisons and waste matter. Simple relief, as found in patent cough medicine and wheezing, often results in pneumonia, and, worse, as they cause more congestion. A tonic-laxative cough syrup will work marvels and here follows a prescription which is becoming famous for its prompt relief and thorough cure. It rides the system of the cause, excepts the congestion, and begins this treatment which cures some in five hours. Mix in a bottle one-half ounce fluid wild cherry bark, one ounce compound essence cardiol and three ounces syrup white pine compound. Take twenty drops every half hour for five hours. Then one half to one teaspoonful three or four times a day. Give children less according to age.

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The Drug Store, 100 King Street

CHAS. R. WASSON

MERGER OF THE BIG SYDNEY COMPANIES

Montreal, Nov. 14.—James Ross, president of the Dominion Coal Company, and owner of 50,000 out of the 150,000 shares of its common stock, has conditionally sold his entire holdings to E. R. Wood, representing the purchasing syndicate, at \$86 a share. This gives control of the coal company to the parties who desire to merge the interests of the coal with the Dominion Iron & Steel Company.

This syndicate, composed of Sir Henry M. Pellatt and E. R. Wood, Toronto, and J. C. McCuaig, Montreal, have been for some time actively buying steel common, and they are understood to now control 45,000 shares.

The deal with Mr. Ross will be closed tomorrow. It is stated that holders of 45,000 additional shares of coal have agreed to support the new syndicate's merger policy, while 25,000 additional shares were financed on Saturday in Montreal and Toronto. Particulars have been sent to the holders of the remaining 30,000 shares and if they refuse to support the new policy they will be bought out at the same price as Mr. Ross. The latter will receive a first payment of \$1,250,000 cash and the balance in instalments.

ALEX COMPTON OF P. E. I. IS DROWNED

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 13.—A drowning accident occurred off Ponds Point, between Point Prim and Flat River, last night, the victim being Alexander Compton, contractor and builder, of Belle River.

Compton, in company with John Finlay MacDonald and Charles McEachern, was sailing from Vernon River bridge, where he had completed the wharf this season, to Flat River. They were in a gasoline launch which was towing a scow.

While walking along the deck, Mr. Compton stumbled and fell overboard. The night was dark and no trace of him could be seen afterwards, although McDonald and McEachern searched for some time. He was about seventy years of age and had constructed a number of public works in Queens county.

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For the healthy man.

Grape-Nuts

Is full of health and vigor. "THERE'S A REASON"