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August 8

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**IS O'SULLIVAN A PENMAN?**

The Ex-Senator for New York is Not in Favor of an Alliance Between Britain and America.

**CANADA DEEPENING HER CANALS.**

Putting on Her Armor, He Says "And How Can We Be Indifferent?"—Byran Will Win.

Montreal, Aug. 7.—(Special.)—"We believe that there is a secret alliance between the Government at Washington and Great Britain, and, as the latter is not sincere, we do not want to see our country fooled, you stretch out the hand of friendship, yet at the same time the Dominion is deepening her canals and perfecting the navigation from the ocean to the great lakes. Canada is putting on her armor, and how can we remain indifferent?"

**TORONTO MAN DROWNED.**

John McGregor was a Son of John McGregor, Member of the Traders' Bank.

In a collision on Saturday on Lake Huron the schooner Fontana, laden with iron ore and sailing for Cleveland, was sunk. One of the crew, John McGregor of Pittsburg, was drowned.

**ERNIE ARMSTRONG DROWNED.**

Promising Youth of Listowel Went in Bathing and Took Cramp, It is Supposed.

Listowel, Aug. 7.—Ernie Armstrong, a young lad about 17 years of age, was drowned this morning in Henry Statuta's pond, at the outskirts of the town. He and several other boys were swimming when he went down in about eight feet of water. The pond is fed by springs in the bottom and is places is very cold, and he no doubt was seized with cramps when coming in contact with the cold water. The body was recovered by grading it was the youngest son of Mr. James Armstrong, a highly esteemed merchant and was employed at the Grand Trunk station as a clerk and operator.

**LOCAL TOPICS.**

Try Alvo Brydon's special (Cigarette to tobacco) best made.

Drs. Bryce, Beard, Ostridge and J. Mackenzie of Toronto will probably attend the meeting of Medical Health Officers of Ontario at Kingston on Aug. 14 and 15.

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**WORK GOING ON IN SUBURBS**

Mr. James Piggott of Mount Dennis, an Old York Pioneer, is Now at Death's Door.

**NEW YORKERS AFTER SUBURBAN**

John Moon of Highland Creek Arrested on a Charge of Horse Stealing on Aug. 2.

**CRUGER GRABBED THE TREASURE.**

Officials and Clerks Were Paid in Worthless Treasury Bills—A Great Awakening.

**Boers Fought On, Hoping Britain Would Get Into Trouble in Some Remarkable Way.**

Mr. Douglas Story went from Pretoria to the London Daily Mail the following letter, describing the downfall of the Transvaal Government:

**THE VOLUNTEER FIREMEN.**

Mr. George Tait of Toronto Read a Very Interesting Paper—St. Catharines Next Year.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 7.—The Provincial Volunteer Firemen delegates resumed their labors to-day. Several more delegates arrived last evening, and this morning augmented the number present when the convention met, at 10 o'clock. As soon as the session was opened, President Chapman, Chairman Alexander and the Executive Committee, who had been appointed by their labors. While the sub-committee were striking the standing committee, Mr. George Tait of the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co. of Toronto read an exceedingly interesting copy of an old fire proclamation that was passed by the Council of the city of Edinburgh, Scotland, organizing a fire department in April 1703. These were the first fire regulations ever framed in Great Britain, and the paper proved to be a very interesting document. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Tait, and a motion placed on the minutes of the association.

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30 cases of the Newest Ideas in Ladies' Felt Ready-to-Wear Hats

direct from the best makers of the continent. We make a display of these natty goods to-day and invite those who wish to be first in securing novelties to examine the importations.

**Blouses and Skirts**

No store in town is gaining more rapidly in public favor in supplying all that is new in Waists and Ready-to-Wear Skirts. Just now we are offering special bargains to make room for fall goods now in transit.

Wash Skirts reduced as follows:

- \$1.00 Skirts for 50c.
- \$1.50 Skirts for 75c.
- \$2.00 Skirts for 90c.
- \$3.25 Skirts for \$1.39.
- \$1.00 to \$2.00 Fancy Blouses for 50c.
- \$2.00 to \$3.25 Fancy Blouses for \$1.00.
- \$1.25 White Blouses for 69c.
- \$1.39 and \$1.50 White Blouses for 90c.
- \$1.98 and \$2.50 White Blouses for \$1.39.
- \$4.90 White Blouses for \$2.98.

These prices should make short work of our Skirt and Blouse stock.

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**ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF OFF REGULAR PRICES**

100 pairs Men's Tweed Pants, neat grey and black stripes and check, well cut and strongly made, regular 1.25, sizes 32 x 42 waist, Thursday..... 2.00

100 pairs Men's Fine Scotch Tweed and English Worsted Pants, assorted patterns, medium, light and dark stripes, regular 3.00, 3.50 and 4.00, sizes 32 to 40 waist, special Thursday..... 2.00

**Flannel Coats and Trousers**

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Not Suits, but different styles of Coats and Trousers that will go excellently together—and marked at these small figures they will be a bonanza to many a man for hot days, who might not wish to spend as much as the regular value for the added comfort these will bring.

**Flannel Coats for \$1.50.**  
Worth \$3 and \$3.50.  
65 only Men's Fine English Flannel Coat, unlined, dark green, fawn and light and dark grey stripes and checks, double seams, silk sews, sizes 32 to 42, reg. \$3, and \$3.50, Thursday..... 1.50

**Flannel Trousers for \$1.40.**  
Worth \$2.50.  
65 pair of Men's English Flannel Trousers, cut in the correct style, keepers for belts, light and dark assorted stripes, sizes 32 to 38 waist, regular \$2.50, Thursday..... 1.40

**White Kilt Suits for \$1.00**

For Very Small Boys.

Children's White Drill Kilted Skirt Blouse Suits, sailor collar, with blue border and blue braid trimming, skirt detachable and nicely plaited, sizes 19-23, special..... 1.00

**Charming White Sailor Suits**

Boys' Extra Heavy White Drill Sailor Blouse Suits, full blouse, pants unlined, pale blue sailor collar, with white braid trimming, sizes 21-26, special..... 2.00

**Straw Hats**

Can't stand anything but a Straw Hat these days—here are the coolest, lightest and also the cheapest you could desire—read how we offer them to you on Thursday and make the most of the lowered prices.

Children's Straw Sailor Hats, in plain or fancy mixed straw, neat and becoming shapes, the silk and satin bands, reg. prices 50c, 75c and \$1, special, 35c Thursday for..... 35

Children's Plain White Straw Sailor Hats, in extra neat and close Milan oval, sturdy satin bands and streamers, worth \$1.25, Thursday..... 75

Men's Straw Hats, extra fine quality straw braids, best American manufacture, plain or fancy silk bands, reg. price 1.49, \$2 and \$2.50, Thursday..... 68

Men's Straw Hats, in rustic or plain styles and chip braids, the silk bands, sizes 28 to 36, reg. price \$1.00, Thursday..... 68

**First-Class Summer Underwear**

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This is an out-of-the-ordinary good offer—even for this store, where we are always striving to give you most for least.

20 doz. Men's Summer Underwear, consisting of fancy Mottled Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, sizes 34 to 42; also pink and white stripe and natural shade Mercerized Shirts only, sizes 34 to 40, reg. price 65c and 1.00 per garment, Thursday special, clear each..... 47

**For Swimmers.**  
Men's Two-Piece and Combination Bathing Suits, in plain and fancy stripes, all sizes..... 75

**Best Linen Collars—all kinds.**  
Men's 4-Ply Linen Collars, in all the wanted shapes and widths, extra neat finish, all sizes, special, 25c for..... 25

**A Man's Choice in Boots**

Two styles suggested here to please varying tastes—each of high quality and strict wearing excellence—and each at a lower price than is usual. Come any day for the patent leather ones—but the others will be sold as below on Thursday only.

Men's Handsome Patent Leather Boots, in lace and the new button style, good wear sole, latest shapes, all sizes and widths, equals the 4.00 usual \$5 boots, our price..... 4.00

Men's Choice Box Calf and Vici Boots, in lace and the new button style, medium and bulldog toe shapes, all sizes, 6 to 10, regular \$3 value, Thursday..... 2.45

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