

SAYS REMEDY IS MORAL SUASION

Detroit Rector Is Against Total Prohibition

DETROIT, Feb. 9.—(Special to The Free Press.)—"Self-control and not prohibition is what we need in the United States," declared Rev. B. W. Pullinger, rector of Grace Episcopal Church and former Canadian army chaplain, in an address before the Detroit Women's Citizens' League here to-day.

"You cannot legislate self-control," he said. "The man who has self-control is stronger than he who has to be put behind prison doors to be protected. Prohibition is making us a nation of weak lungs and law-breakers. Drunkenness is the sin of the individual, not the sin of the drink. The

remedy is education and moral suasion. Christ rebuked the sin of drunkenness, but did not preach abstinence.

"There is not a shred of evidence to prove that the wine used at the holy supper was the juice of fresh-pressed grapes, as has been alleged. It was impossible to procure fresh grapes in April, the time of the passover. God never made anything evil. Your duty and mine is to teach men and women to control themselves.

"I wouldn't see the saloon come again



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COUNCILOR FRASER RESIGNS AT BRUSSELS

BRUSSELS, Feb. 9.—Malcolm Fraser, has tendered his resignation as a member of the Council, owing to a disagreement on several matters with the other members. On its acceptance by the Council, a new nomination will be necessary to fill the vacancy.

The annual business meeting of Mel-

ville Church congregation was held on Tuesday evening, presided over by the pastor, Rev. J. P. McLeod. The reports of the various organizations showed the following receipts: General fund, \$2,670; building fund, \$502; Forward Movement, \$430.16; missionary giving, \$1,117.35; willing workers, \$756.71; Sabbath school, \$279.50; Y.P.S.C.E., \$283.63; mission band, \$221.10. Total for all purposes \$7,846.43. New members-elect to the managing board were M. McVettie, James Nichol, George Turnbull, John Robb and John Crenn.

Arthur McGuire has been appointed assessor for 1922 at a salary of \$85.

CLEARING SATURDAY COATS, SUITS, DRESSES

The following lines are being cleared at prices irrespective of cost in order to make room for the new lines just being finished in our factory.

All these garments bear our label, which is a guarantee of satisfaction and pledge that each is made by us.

FUR-TRIMMED SUITS

Suits trimmed with squirrel, opossum, beaverine and genuine Scotch mole. Regular \$65.00 to \$85.00, clearing at \$37.50, \$35.00, \$29.75

COATS

7 only Coats, in burgundy, navy and gray. Regular \$25.00, for \$7.98
3 only Fur-trimmed Coats. Regular \$35.00, for \$10.00
8 Velour and Bolivia Coats, in navy, brown and green. Regular \$35.00, for \$10.00
11 Coats, in broadcloth, bolivia and velour, in black, navy, sorrento blue and sand. Regular \$45.00, for \$19.85
7 Coats, in broadcloth and bolivia, in black, navy and brown; embroidered and button trimmed. Regular \$50.00, for \$25.00
Genuine English All-wool Winter Coats in plain tailored lines, in colors oxford gray, green, brown, taupe, tan and heather mixtures. Regular \$35.00 and \$37.00, clearing at \$22.50
Velour Coats, in plain tailored styles, in black, navy and brown. Regular \$28.50, for \$18.50

DRESSES

2 only Coat Style Dresses, in combinations of satin and serge, embroidered and beaded. Regular \$45.00, reduced to \$29.50
6 only Coat Style Dresses, in serge, tricotine; embroidered and beaded effects. Prices ranging from \$38.00 to \$45.00, reduced to \$29.50
20 Dresses for misses, in serge and jersey, in colors copen, taupe, navy, brown and black; embroidered, beaded and trimmed with military braid; sizes 34 to 42. All going at one price \$15.00

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Spring Clothespins, dozen .10c
Clotheslines (rope), 20c to 60c
Clotheslines (galvanized wire), 80c to \$1.50
Washtubs (galvanized), each \$1.10 to \$2.50
Wash Boilers (tin, with copper bottom), each \$1.25
Clothes Hampers, \$2.75 to \$3.75
Ironing Boards (plain), each \$1.25
Ironing Boards (with stands), each \$4.00

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7 only 1-Quart Pudding Pans, each \$1.49
3 only 5-Quart Covered Saucepans, each \$1.99
6 only 10-Quart Kettles, with covers, each \$2.19
4 only 6-Quart Preserving Kettles, each \$1.25
2 only 8-Quart Preserving Kettles, each \$1.59

A Smashing Sale of ALUMINUM PIE PLATES

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A limited quantity at this bargain price. We expect to sell these fast.

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A SALE OF ALUMINUM TEAPOTS

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12 only, regular \$3.00, for \$1.95
4 only, regular \$3.50, for \$2.19
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Thermos Bottles

25 only, 1-pint, at \$1.49

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DE VALERA HITS AT LLOYD GEORGE

Accuses Premier of Following Policy of Partition

STATEMENT TO PEOPLE

Republican Demonstration Is Called for Sunday

DUBLIN, Feb. 9.—(Associated Press Cable)—Eamonn De Valera to-night issued a long statement with reference to the republican demonstration which has been called for next Sunday. As the newspapers are not warning the people of their danger, says Mr. De Valera, no way is left but to address them by word of mouth.

The statement recalls the history of Premier Lloyd George's dealings with Ireland and accuses him of following a policy of partitioning Ireland into two antagonistic and mutually destructive states. Mr. Lloyd George maneuvered Michael Collins and his colleagues into being the executive he required and the next step was to provide this provisional Government with a Parliament.

HIS VIEW

Mr. De Valera says Mr. Lloyd George had fooled many of the Irish in 1917 by the Pankett convention, the members of which he himself hand-picked. Now he has confined the scope of the Irish Assembly's deliberations within the limits of the signed articles of agreement and crippled it from making any proposal that is likely to run counter to British interests. He also had provided for the veto of Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, and carefully provided for final revision of the treaty by the British Commons.

Finally, Mr. De Valera recalls the conditions which Arthur Griffith, in 1917, when invited to enter the Pankett convention, said were essential, namely, that the personnel of the Parliament should be regularly elected by the people and there should be no limit to the scope of the majority should be final. All three of these conditions, Mr. De Valera says, are still necessary and the present proposal for the assembly fulfills neither of the last two.

With reference to the statement issued on Wednesday evening calling for Sunday's demonstration, especially that portion saying that Premier Lloyd George "would trick the Irish again," and deal with Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins as he formerly dealt with John Redmond and John Dillon, Mr. Collins said to-night:

"It is one thing how Mr. Lloyd George might wish to deal with us, but it is quite another matter how we might deal with him. Our position is not that of Redmond and Dillon. We make our own decisions, and it is we who decide how we are to deal with Mr. Lloyd George."

OPPOSED TO CHANGE IN THE ASSESSMENT ACT

BRANFORD, Feb. 9.—The Board of Education this evening passed a resolution of protest against any changes in the Assessment Act which would benefit the Roman Catholic separate schools at the expense of the public schools.

Slashing Prices for the Week-End

8 Stirring Bargains For Saturday

COST FORGOTTEN! PROFITS IGNORED ON THESE SPECIALS.

300 PAIRS PANTS, up to \$4.50, for \$2.98

100 DOZ. OVERALLS, \$2.50 value for \$1.95

5 DOZ. SWEATER COATS AND PULLOVERS, value to \$5.00, for \$2.95

10 DOZ. FINE SHIRTS, all sizes 14 to 16 1/2. Values up to \$2.00 for 95c

65 DOZ. SOCKS, 65c value, 3 pairs for \$1.00

15 DOZ. ALL-FLANNEL COAT SHIRTS, gray, with reversible collar; sizes 14 to 16 1/2. Regular \$5.00 value for \$2.25

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SCOTCH AND FRENCH GINGHAMS, block check and plaids; colors guaranteed, in blues, greens, lavender, reds, pinks and navy; width 38 inches (two lengths make a dress). Special price, a yard 60c

DRESS GINGHAMS, 32 inches wide; colors in pinks, blues, lavender and black. Sale price, a yard 39c

DRESS GINGHAMS AND CHAMBRAYS; the new block check; in pinks, blues, greens, red, yellow, lavender and black; 27-inch width. Price, a yard 25c

DRESS GINGHAMS AND PLAIN CHAMBRAYS, sale price, a yard 20c

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TARANTULLES (near silk nainsook) a soft, sheer, fine-woven material, ideal for dainty undergarments, children's dresses etc.; 40 inches wide. Exceptional value at, a yard 75c and 85c

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WABASSO COTTONS, the wanted weave, representing the highest type of perfection and most reliable cotton cloths manufactured; nainsooks, madapolams, long cloths, embroidery cambric; 36-inch. Price a yard 35c, 45c, 50c

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NEW WHITE ORGANDIES, fine, sheer quality; 45 inches wide. Price, a yard 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25

WHITE INDIA LINEN LAWN, spring stock; just to hand; fine quality. Extra value, price, a yard 30c, 40c, 50c

Cotton Department—Main Floor.

Corset Specials

D. & A. CORSETS, of pink coutil, low bust, elastic top, lightly boned; sizes 19 to 26. Special at, a pair \$1.00

BRASSIERES, of pink wash satin and brocade repp, bandeau style, closing in the back. Sale price, each 69c

Corset Department—Main Floor.

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Millinery Department—Fourth Floor.

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WAISTS of heavy black messaline silk, convertible collar, long sleeves with turn-back cuffs; sizes 36 to 42. Regular \$7.50, on Saturday, sale price \$5.50

CREPE DE CHINE OVERBLOUSES, odd sizes. Saturday's price, to clear, at \$2.95

Third Floor.

Sateen Underskirts

Black and rose. Saturday to clear at \$1.00

Third Floor.

POLLY PRIM APRONS, of striped print; nine dozen on sale Saturday at, each 55c, or two for \$1.00

WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE GOWNS (small make), high neck, long sleeves. Special price \$1.39

WOMEN'S O. S. FLANNELETTE GOWNS, high or V-neck. Prices \$2.25 and \$2.50

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In black and white only; a neat and good wearing fabric for skirts or children's dresses; 36-inch width. Special at, a yard 39c

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Wash Goods Department—Second Floor.

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WILL NOT HEED N. Y. OBJECTIONS

Prediction of C. of C. Head on Lakes-Sea Cut

WINDSOR, Feb. 9.—(Special to The Free Press.)—Canalization of St. Lawrence River will not only be a great international asset commercially, but will also promote already friendly relations between United States and Canada, declared John A. Russell, president of Detroit Board of Commerce, speaking this afternoon to the Chamber of Commerce here.

"The propaganda stage of the fight for the great project, Mr. Russell asserted, is past, and diplomatic period of the negotiations has been reached. Predicting that objections from New York and other Atlantic cities opposing plan to deepen the St. Lawrence will not

be given much consideration by the two governments, Mr. Russell pointed out that New York will have available 1,300,000 horsepower of electrical energy from power development work to be undertaken along the St. Lawrence. "We trade in goods, not dollars," he asserted, "and what greater asset could we have than that of our merchant ships returning from abroad laden with goods and sailing into our inland ports."

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RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION IN THE SCHOOLS URGED

National Assembly of Church of England Adopts Report of Committee.

LONDON, Feb. 8.—The National Assembly of the Church of England to-day adopted a report of the education committee, laying down general principles for more supervision of religious education in public schools. The Archbishop of Canterbury said that, although the question had been in the front rank of a controversy for 40 years, no better atmosphere existed with a realization that no education was complete without the elements of Christian faith as an integral part, and upon these grounds he thought the arrangement could be made.