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SOME Exceptional Bargains For FRIDAY.

Our staple department comes forward with some extra special offerings for Friday. If you will read over the items you will find them brim full of economy, and remember that you always find quality, quantity and price just as advertised at this store.

Bleached Sheetings.

Best 9-4 heavy Twilled Bleached Sheet, regular price 28c, on sale Friday at 20c.

Extra heavy 10-4 plain bleached sheet, nothing better in Ontario at the reg. price 35c, Friday bargain sale price 25c.

Pillow Cottons.

One pr 40 inch Circular Pillow Cotton, reg. price 16c, on Friday special at 12½c.

One pr 40 inch plain pillow cotton, extra value at 15c, our Friday bargain sale price 12½c.

2 pcs. 36 inch bleached cotton, even thread linen finish, reg. price 7c, on Friday 5½c per yd, or 19 yds. for \$1.00.

40 inch wide extra fine Victoria Lawn, very fine finish, extra value at 15c, Friday bargain sale price 12½c.

Men's Working Shirts.

8 doz. Men's Working Shirts, in blue and white and black and white stripes, also blue polka dot pattern and plain black sateen, reg. price 75c, on sale Friday at 50c.

10 doz. Men's Cotton Sox, in tans, fancy stripes and brown, reg. price 25c, on sale Friday at 15c pair.

2 pcs. Colored Table Linen, in red and white and red and green patterns, reg. price 50c, on Friday bargain sale price 40c.

3 pcs. fine English Oxford Shirting, in very neat patterns, regular price 10c, on sale Friday at 8c.

5 pcs. 36 inch wide fine American Percales, good fast colors, in stripes suitable for shirts, shirtwaists or dresses, regular price 15c, on sale Friday at 10c.

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Have the best value in Chatham.

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(Blended Winter and Spring Wheat.)

It is absolutely uniform and reliable and is a triumph in up-to-date milling. It is a trade getter and a trade holder. Its high and uniform quality speaks for itself, and every order sold means another to follow. Chop stuffs, Mill Feeds, Cereals, etc., all at reasonably low price. Highest prices paid for wool, wheat, etc.

The T. H. TAYLOR CO., Limited

MONTREY STRANDED.

C.P.R. STEAMER ASHORE ON MIQUELON ISLAND.

May Become a Total Wreck—No Lives Lost—A Valuable Cargo, Including Over 1,000 Cattle.

Miquelon, St. Pierre-Miquelon, July 16.—The British steamer Monterey (Captain Williams), which sailed from Montreal July 10 for Bristol is ashore west of Point Plate. She will probably become a wreck. Speedy assistance may save a portion of the cargo.

The cargo consisted of cattle. The passengers were put ashore this morning in a dense fog. Wrecking steamers are being sent from St. John's in the hope of unloading the ship and saving the cargo.

Montreal, July 16.—So far, the C. P. R. has received but meagre information regarding the stranding of the steamer Monterey. It appears, however, that she went ashore on Tuesday night, not far from the lighthouse at Point Plate. The last message said that hold No. 1 had eight feet of water, and that most of the tanks were leaking. There was no water in the other holds. The position was reported to be exposed and very dangerous, especially in the event of rough weather. The telegrams asked for immediate assistance. The lack of further particulars is supposed to be due to the isolated situation of the vessel.

Among the Toronto men on board are two sons of D. A. Atkinson, 279 College street, James and Norman, who were going over with an uncle, D. H. Atkinson, of 123 Tyndall avenue.

Wm. Leveck has 64 cattle, John Elliott 108 cattle, F. Hunslett 100 cattle, and several other Toronto exporters have cattle on board the Monterey. There are also some Toronto men on board.

Among the consignments were Geo. Matthews & Co., Toronto, 104 boxes bacon; Wm. Davies Co., Toronto, 42 boxes bacon; Fowler, Canadian Co., Toronto, 25 cases ham; G. R. Brill, Guelph, 315 boxes butter.

Most of the through cargo was for points from the United States. The cargo was very valuable, the cattle alone being valued at \$97,240.

PAST THE CRISIS.

But the Pope Lacks the Physical Energy for Recovery.

Rome, July 16.—Dr. Mazzoni, in reply to the question "Can the Pope recover?" gave the Associated Press correspondent the following statement: "At the present moment the disease of his Holiness has lost the character of absolute gravity which it had at its acute period. It might be considered to have entered the period of possible recovery. This might occur in a man of strong fibre and young, but it is impossible to entertain such a hope in a man in his 94th year, when the physical energy absolutely indispensable for recovery is lacking."

Pope Leo's organism is perfect, and as such maintains itself after 93 years of never-interrupted work, but his motor force is no longer sufficient for the complex functions essential to life. In other words, the 93 years of Pope Leo XIII. bring him into that category of extraordinary longevity when life is destined to flicker out independent of the action of any pathological complication. The only service that science and affection can render is that of struggling to have this precious existence preserved to us as long as possible.

During the day the Pope took a slight amount of nourishment. Throughout the morning he was quite restless, shifting uneasily on his bed, and complaining of being unable to secure an easy position. Later he became drowsy, and during the afternoon had some sleep. The assembling of the doctors at half-past five, two hours before the usual time, was not due to any alarming turn in the Pope's condition, but through the wish to thoroughly go over every detail of the situation. The moderate tone of the bulletin which followed the visit gave an assurance that the patient's condition was practically unchanged. This evening his Holiness complained of a slight uneasiness at the chest, but that he has not yet given up hope was indicated by his remark that he expected the oppression to pass off in a few days.

During the day the Pope drank a few drops of the healing waters from the Shrine of Lourdes, several bottles of which were sent to the Vatican. A local paper bravely announced that from the moment Pope Leo swallowed the water an improvement in his condition became apparent. The doctors are well-nigh exhausted from their unceasing cares. Dr. Laponi, in particular, spends his entire nights as well days in the sick room. The total number of despatches inquiring about the Pope's health received at the Vatican to-day reached 26,000.

The death of the late Senator Dickey makes the forty-eighth vacancy in the Senate since the accession of the Laurier Government in 1896.

Russian authorities sanctioned the export of wheat from Neuchwang, notwithstanding China's general prohibition of the export of Chinese grain.

A deputation from the medical faculties of the University of Toronto and Trinity College has asked the Ontario Government to endow the chair in the proposed medical faculty of the Provincial University, as part of the federation scheme.

MASONRY IS GROWING.

Ontario Grand Lodge in 48th Communication.

Toronto, July 16.—Over 800 representatives of Free Masonry throughout Ontario assembled in Massey Hall yesterday morning at the 48th annual meeting of the Grand Lodge. Interest in the business of the day centred about the proposed creation of three new districts, rendered necessary by the growth of the order, and final action was deferred till today. Reports showed the order to be in a satisfactory state. Judge Harding of Lindsay, who, as Grand Master, presided, proposed, as a means of celebrating the bi-centenary of the organization of the Grand Lodge two years



B. T. MALONE, K.C., Candidate for the Grand Treasurership.

hence, that in the meantime a fund of \$100,000 be raised, the proceeds of which would be used for the relief of distressed Masons.

Among the grand officers present were:—Grand Senior Warden, Samuel Buchanan, G.S.W.; Grand Junior Warden, Dr. A. F. Webster, Toronto; Grand Master, Dr. O. Ellwood; Grand Chaplain, Rev. W. L. Armitage, Peterboro'; Grand Treasurer, Hon. Wm. Gibson, Beamsville; Grand Registrar, E. C. Davies, Toronto; Grand Secretary, Hugh Murray, Hamilton. The appointed officers were:—E. W. Harding, St. Mary's, Grand Senior Deacon; J. W. Watson, Minden, Grand Junior Deacon; John B. Hay, Toronto, Grand Chaplain; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Peterboro', Grand Treasurer; Hon. Wm. Gibson, Beamsville, Grand Registrar; E. C. Davies, Toronto; Grand Secretary, Hugh Murray, Hamilton. The appointed officers were:—E. W. Harding, St. Mary's, Grand Senior Deacon; J. W. Watson, Minden, Grand Junior Deacon; John B. Hay, Toronto, Grand Chaplain; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Peterboro', Grand Treasurer; Hon. Wm. Gibson, Beamsville, Grand Registrar; E. C. Davies, Toronto; Grand Secretary, Hugh Murray, Hamilton.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

The Grand Lodge Elects its Officers.

Toronto, July 16.—The Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, concluded their business yesterday in the morning, when the lodge met the Committee on State of the Order gave their report. It was recommended that a Grand Lecturer be appointed; also that the present system of appointing Deputy Grand Chancellors, by the recommendation of the Past Chancellors, be followed in future as in the past.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand Chancellor E. A. Horton, No. 12, St. Thomas; Grand Vice-Chancellor, Dr. E. F. Bowie, No. 20, Toronto; Grand Prelate, G. A. Burdick, No. 10, London; Grand Keeper of Records and Seals, A. Coulter, No. 30, Toronto; Grand Master of Exchequer, J. Burns, No. 3, Hamilton; Grand Master-at-Arms, C. V. Campbell, No. 11, Sault Ste. Marie; Grand Inner Guard, M. Linn, No. 16, Windsor; Grand Outer Guard, A. Ramsperger, No. 31, Hamilton; Supreme Representative, four years, D. J. Pearce, Hamilton.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Fire did \$15,000 damage at the Wallaceburg glass factory.

An Atlanta Judge orders policemen to gag profane prisoners.

Russian officials scoff at the idea of backing out of Manchuria.

The Car has abolished some of the harshest forms of barbaric punishments.

Michael Carroll was drowned at Dundas. While crossing on the dam he slipped and fell.

Four wealthy Chinese capitalists have been kidnapped in Canton, and are held for \$20,000 ransom.

Wm. Wilson, a C. P. R. yardman at Toronto Junction, was run over by an engine, and died of the injuries.

The Turkish troops cruelly treated killed 24 persons while trying to extort money in the village of Yenidze.

She laughs best who laughs least.

CANADIANS AT BISLEY.

THE GREAT RECORD OF A TORONTO MAN.

Col. Sherwood Saving His Men For the McKinnon Match—Canadians Will Hold a Reception.

(Toronto News Cable.)

Bisley Camp, July 16.—The weather was sunny, with a very stiff gale blowing, which will prevent large scoring. No important matches are carded. In the Steward Challenge Cup match Staff-Sergt. Bayles of the Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, scored nineteen bulls, which is nearly a record. Wallingford, the champion shot of the army, scored fourteen bulls. Mr. J. H. Steward, optician to the National Rifle Association and donor of the cup, personally complimented Bayles.

Colonel Sherwood is saving for tomorrow his men entered in the McKinnon match, which is slated for Thursday. It is open to teams of twelve from the volunteers of England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Canada, Australia or of any other colony and India. The prize is a challenge cup donated by the late Colonel McKinnon. Colonel Sherwood expects a fight to a finish in this match.

The Canadian team have issued five hundred invitations for a reception on the 22nd inst. Princess Louise and Lord and Lady Aberdeen have promised to attend.

The American team occupy tents to the front of the Canadian bungalow, and are entertaining lavishly. One of the officers said to-day that they expected to defeat all comers at the Palma Trophy match at the St. Louis Exhibition next year.

Bisley Camp, 6 p.m.—The shooting is very poor on account of the weather conditions. Lady Aberdeen lunches with the Canadian team to-day.

Epworth Leaguers at Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., July 16.—The three sections of the special train carrying the Canadian delegates and their friends to the international Convention of the Epworth League arrived in this city over the Canadian Pacific Railway shortly before 7 o'clock last night. A Reception and Banquet Committee from Detroit met the train at the station, and by the time Detroit was reached every body had been assigned to comfortable quarters in various parts of the city. Rev. A. C. Grew, Rev. A. C. Gorman, D.D., of Toronto, Mr. N. W. Rowell, K.C., of Toronto, Rev. Wm. Sparling, B.A., B.D., of Toronto, Rev. J. G. Bishop of London were assigned to the Cadillac Hotel and the Russell House.

At 10 o'clock last evening a special train, having on board the eastern Canadian delegates, arrived over the Grand Trunk, making the total arrivals for the day some six hundred and twenty-five.

Mrs. J. G. Blaine Dead.

Augusta, Me., July 15.—Mrs. James G. Blaine died at the Blaine homestead here to-day, aged 76, of general debility. Mrs. Blaine was a native of Augusta, her maiden name being Harriet Stanwood. She leaves one son, James G. Blaine, two daughters, Mrs. Harriet Beale and Mrs. Walter Damrosch of New York, who were at her bedside during her last sickness.

ELECTRIC CAR HELD UP.

Forty Passengers Robbed by Seven Highwaymen—One Person Shot.

(Associated Press Despatch.) Portland, Ore., July 16.—An electric car was held up by seven highwaymen who shot one man, and robbed forty passengers of their valuables. Immediately on boarding the car the robbers shot and dangerously wounded Frederick Day, a passenger, after he had complied with their demand of "hands up," and then rifled his pockets. They secured about \$300 and some jewellery.

CANADA SOUTHERN LEASE.

Renewed to Michigan Central For Long Term.

Detroit, Mich., July 16.—The action of the Michigan Central directors in renewing the lease of the Canada Southern for a period of 999 years and the proposition to refund \$3,000,000 of bonds of the Lake Erie & Detroit River Railroad, controlled by the Pere Marquette, thus securing a low rate of interest, were ratified at a formal stockholders' meeting here.

A POLICEMAN'S MISTAKE.

Arrests a Sick Man as a Drunk—Death in the Cells.

Cornwall, July 16.—Donald Peter McIntosh, a well-known and respectable farmer from the vicinity of St. Andrew's, north of here, came to town Thursday afternoon, and while making some purchases at Mr. Brown's drug store fell off a chair and became unconscious. Mr. Brown, thinking the man was under the influence of liquor, called a policeman and Mr. McIntosh was removed to the police station and locked up. About 2 o'clock yesterday morning Chief Smith, who was on duty, heard a groan in his cell and upon investigation found McIntosh was dead. It appears he had been subject to weak spells and that this was the trouble instead of liquor, and an inquest is being held by Coroner Hamilton.

EIGHT WERE KILLED.

By an English Train Jumping the Track.

(Associated Press Despatch.) Liverpool, July 16.—The Southport express train, crowded with passengers, jumped the track at Waterloo, five miles from Liverpool. Eight persons were killed and 15 injured, according to late reports.

HERMAN WATERMAN'S DEATH.

Former Resident of London Drops Dead at Buffalo.

(Associated Press Despatch.) Buffalo, N. Y., July 16.—Herman Waterman, a well-known resident of this city, dropped dead yesterday in the Lehigh Valley Railroad station, to which place he had gone to take a train to visit a sick brother in London, Ont. Mr. Waterman was 69 years old. Medical Examiner Danzey investigated and reported that death was due to apoplexy.

Treaty With Persia.

London, July 16.—The treaty between Great Britain and Persia, which was hinted at by the Marquis of Lansdowne in his speech in the House of Lords on May 7, when he proclaimed the "British Monroe doctrine" in the Persian Gulf, is made the subject of a blue book just issued. The treaty was concluded at Teheran on February 9, and was ratified May 27. It grants reciprocally the most favored nation treatment to each country, abolishes the Persian 5 per cent. export duty upon all except a few articles, and abolishes the system of farming out the customs duty, replacing this system by Government customs offices and warehouses. It undertakes to allow British merchandise any reduction conceded to merchandise imported from Russia.

New General Manager.

Detroit, Mich., July 15.—A promotion of importance to trunk line railroad was the advancement yesterday of General Superintendent Richard H. L'Hommedieu of the Michigan Central Railroad to be General Manager of the road, assuming the secondary title of President Henry B. Ledyard. Mr. L'Hommedieu will be succeeded in the position of General Superintendent by F. B. Hutchinson, now Assistant General Superintendent. Mr. Hutchinson came to the Michigan Central less than a year ago from the Baltimore & Ohio.

There is about 25 lbs. of baboon meat at the police station, for which the authorities are looking for an owner.

20 Per Cent. DISCOUNT

If you contemplate travelling and need a good serviceable trunk. Take advantage of our 20 per cent. discount sale.

All trunks now in stock are offered at a big cut price to clear them out as we do not intend to handle any more after those we have are sold.

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SOMETHING NEW IN ADVERTISING

We have now on hand a lot of men's white canvas slippers at \$1.75, which we are bound to sell regardless of price.

We offer them now at \$1.50 and we will reduce the price of them each day until all have been disposed of.

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