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**On Sale Saturday Night, 7 O'clock Until Closing**  
Every item speaks for itself, a saving for you is in every one. You will find them interesting.

## Ribbons

8 pieces fancy silk neck ribbons, 4 in. to 5 in. wide, pretty designs in shades of sky, pink, rose, helio and yellow, regular price 75c a yard, on sale Saturday night for 36c.

Plain ground silk neck ribbons with self color polka dots in shades of sky, helio, rose and black, regular price 20c a yard, Saturday night for 14c.

## Cushion Tops

Printed Satin and Cretonette Tops for cottage or verandah cushions, regular price 20c each, Saturday night 15c.

Floral design cretonette tops, back and front complete, regular 25c set, on Saturday night for 16c.

## Ladies' Vests

Ladies' cream silk, ribbed under-vests, excellent imported qualities, on Saturday night at these prices:

Reg. \$1 and \$1.25 quality for 50c.

Reg. \$2.50 quality for \$1.00.

Fine bleached flannel vests for Misses of about 12 to 14 years, regular price 75c, Saturday night for 25c.

Ladies' open Balbriggan drawers, length, regular 60c pair, for 25c.

## Purses

Black leather, pocket purses, with good strong metal clasp, on sale very special Saturday night at 3c each or 2 for 5c.

## Curtains and Curtain Muslins

Dainty white swiss muslin with neat colored stripes, in sky and yellow, frilled and trimmed on both edges, with lace 5 1-2 inches wide, regular price 35c and 40c a yard, Saturday for 25c.

3 1-2 yards long by 52 inches wide fine net lace curtains, in floral and fish net effects, regular \$1.00 a pair, Saturday for 78c.

## White Wear

Slightly soiled but perfect ladies' night gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed, regular \$1.35, Saturday night for 85c.

Regular \$3.25, Saturday night for \$1.75c.

A few odd corset covers and drawers, slightly soiled, for Half Price.

## Children's Head Wear

Muslin hats and bonnets for children, York Note brand, daintiest creations imaginable, on sale Saturday, regular price \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$2.65, at Half Price.

## Carpets

Ends of Brussels, Tapestry and Wool carpets, up to 5 yards long, on sale at Half Price.

Sample yard ends of wool and union carpets on sale at each 21c.

## Millinery

Special values in trimmed hats just out of our work room for summer wear, at \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.

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## CAPE SATISFIED

Cape Town, June 5.—Reports which have been received here from all quarters indicate the greatest relief and satisfaction at the conclusion of peace.

The Boer delegates are in the field to try and bring in the various commandos, and most of the latter have been ordered to converge on the railway lines and surrender to the British officers.

Commandant Fouché, whose intentions were doubtful, has already come in. Preparations have been made to resume the night train service to all points.

## BALLOT MARK VERY STRANGE

**Evidence of Liberal Crookedness in Napanee Division—Lennox Recount.**

**A Palpable Attempt to Spoil a Carcass Ballot After it Had Been Counted.**

Napanee, Ont., June 5.—The recount of votes cast in the recent election of a member of the Ontario Legislature in Lennox county (in which Madole, Lib., is credited with a majority of 2) opened here this morning before the county judge and behind closed doors.

At 6 o'clock the recount was adjourned until to-morrow morning. All counted ballots were gone over except two polling divisions in Richmond township. After they are finished to-morrow the 32 rejected ballots will be taken up and disposed of. The recount is not likely to be finished before noon to-morrow.

A special from Napanee says:—So many ballots were laid aside that it is impossible to say how the candidates now stand.

A sensation was created in the examination of the ballots of Centre Ward, No. 2, Napanee, when it was found among the ballots which had been counted for Carscallen one which bore a cross opposite Carscallen's name and also a cross and a wavy line in Madole's compartment. Two very significant circumstances in connection with this ballot are, that in the first place the cross opposite Madole's name is made with a much darker colored pencil, and is of altogether different shape to that opposite Carscallen's name, and in the second place no mention is made in the poll book of any objection to this as a spoiled ballot. Another ballot in this division was spoiled and was entered in the poll book and sealed up in the proper package for spoiled ballots. It appears evident from the examination of the envelope of the package from which the questionable ballot with the other good ballots counted for both candidates was taken, that the envelope had been sealed and one of the Conservative scrutineers had endorsed his name across its flap and the envelope appeared to be intact. The only deduction, therefore, which can be drawn in connection with this ballot is that when it was counted for Carscallen, it was properly marked and used were no other marks on it in Madole's compartment, and therefore that some person, after it was counted and before the ballots were placed in the packages and sealed up, must have willfully spoiled it clandestinely by putting a cross on it opposite Madole's name. It was examined with a powerful microscope and there could be no doubt that each of the crosses had been written by a different hand and a different pencil. The ballot was laid aside.

**MORE RECOUNTS DEMANDED.**

Since June 5.—An order has been obtained for a recount of the votes cast in the election in South Norfolk, for which constituency Mr. Charlton, Lib., was elected by 76 majority. The recount will be held on Saturday, June 7th.

Belleville, Ont., June 5.—Application for a recount in East Hastings, where Russell, Lib., has a small majority, has been made and granted. It will take place on Monday next before Judge Lazier. This will undoubtedly, leading Conservatives say, be followed by a protest.

## BURGLARS BACK

J. H. Bogart, the Queen street grocer, whose store was burglarized a short time ago, desires to thank the burglars for bringing back the drawer containing his insurance papers, notes, etc. "My baker, Mr. Moore, found it at the rear end of the yard near the barn," said Mr. Bogart this morning, "and the bringing back of these papers makes me believe that the persons are local ones and not outsiders. No clue whatever have been found yet."

**KRUGER IS SICK.**  
Brussels, June 4.—A despatch received here from Utrecht says that Mr. Kruger is seriously indisposed, and confined to his bed.

Fred. Barrett, catcher for the Gray's baseball team, received a fracture on his arm while practicing last evening. He will be off duty for a few days.

## GRANT TO VISCOUNT KITCHENER CARRIED IN BRITISH COMMONS

**Heartily Supported by Both Party Leaders and Bitterly Opposed by Irish Nationalists—Redmond Creates Another Scene.**

King Edward's message to the House of Commons yesterday, the government leader, A. J. Balfour, in the House, to-day asked for a vote of £30,000 (\$250,000) to Lord Kitchener. As a remarkable coincidence, Parliament, June 5, three years ago, voted its thanks and £30,000 (\$150,000) to the same general for his services in Egypt.

Mr. Balfour, in supporting the motion, referred to Lord Kitchener's rapid promotion. He said it had been compassed so much work for their country in so short a time. Lord Kitchener, who, besides being commander-in-chief in South Africa, was commander-in-chief designate of India. He found the army in South Africa in a state of disorganization and dislocation, consequent upon the ill-success which attended the British arms at the early stage of the campaign, and he executed his duty with admirable energy and skill. But it was not till Lord Roberts left that the claims of Lord Kitchener to the gratitude of his countrymen reached their present magnitude.

Lord Kitchener had to meet with unique difficulties. He had created no fewer than 4,000 miles of block houses, and in the conduct of the campaign had shown the fertile range of his resources, boundless courage, energy and resolution, and to these qualities Great Britain owed the termination of the war. Few English generals had contended with greater difficulties, and few had emerged from them in a more triumphant and brilliant way. Mr. Balfour concluded with formally moving the vote of £30,000.

**THE LIBERAL LEADER'S TRIBUTE.**  
The Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, who seconded the motion, paid a warm tribute to Lord Kitchener as a soldier and statesman.

**"AGAIN THE GOVERNMENT."**  
John Dillon, Irish Nationalist, led the opposition in behalf of the Nationalists. Mr. Dillon said that he and his friends absolutely objected to the vote, because they were opposed to the policy of the war in South Africa, and the conduct of the campaign, which involved wholesale devastation of the country, the burning of farms and sacrifice of life.

Henry Labouchere, advanced Liberal, also opposed the vote.

**REDMOND'S HARANGUE.**

During the course of the debate, William Redmond, Irish Nationalist, caused a scene of great disorder by remarking that Lord Kitchener would go down to history as a general who had "made war on women and children."

This remark called forth loud cries

of "Withdraw" and appeals to the chairman to call Mr. Redmond to order.

The chairman said the expression used was not disorderly, but a majority of the House refused to listen any further to Mr. Redmond, and interrupted him with all kinds of shouts.

Mr. Redmond said he desired to repeat that Lord Kitchener was responsible for the death of 15,000 children and that he had warred on women and children. That was his absolute conviction, and he refused to withdraw the words. The country was living in an atmosphere of hypocrisy. When a man spoke the truth he was gagged.

Mr. Redmond's remarks were almost inaudible owing to the uproar caused by the cheers of the Irish Nationalists and the protests of the members of other parties.

During the course of his speech Mr. Redmond indulged in considerable violence of language, and had to be rebuffed by a drink brought in by a friend. He said that as an additional reason why he objected to the vote was because Lord Kitchener violated the tomb of the Mahdi at Khartoum. He asserted that Lord Kitchener and Lord Roberts, during the South African war had been guilty of more disgraceful conduct than any of the other generals turning to the ministerial benches. Mr. Redmond shouted: "You allow the women and children of soldiers to starve in order to honor the favorites of your corrupt society."

His statement was greeted with shouts of "sit down," "name him" and "divide" while the Irish members jeeringly advised the ministerialists to call in the police. Amid the din Mr. Redmond was heard to say that the House was disgracing itself in compensating the commander of the British forces in South Africa while allowing the appeal for the ministerial benches. Mr. Redmond shouted: "You allow the women and children of soldiers to starve in order to honor the favorites of your corrupt society."

After a quarter of an hour spent by Mr. Redmond in fruitless endeavor to obtain a hearing, the closure was moved and adopted by 273 to 138 votes, and the grant to Lord Kitchener was carried by 380 to 44 votes. The majority consisted of Irish Nationalists and two or three Radicals.

## THE CONTINGENT

**The Coronation Force Will Sail on the Parisian To-Morrow Evening.**

Quebec, June 5.—The coronation contingent which will go on board the Allan R. M. S. Parisian on this side of the river at six o'clock on Saturday evening will consist of 24 commissioned officers, 2 warrant officers, 628 non-commissioned officers and men. The commissioned officers and warrant officers will occupy saloon accommodation, while 300 of the non-commissioned officers and men will be berthed in much the same manner as were the troops which have sailed from Canada for South Africa, only if anything they will be given better quarters. A portion of the men will sleep in hammocks, and the remainder in permanent bunks. The mess tables for the men will be arranged upon the same plan as upon troop ships, the hammocks being taken down and stored during the day. The men will have the run of all decks except that occupied by the saloon passengers, so there will be no lack of space for exercise.

Among the other passengers sailing from here on the Parisian are Lord Minto and daughter, Premier Murray, of Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Murray, Premier Tweedie, of New Brunswick, and Mrs. Tweedie, Premier Peters, of Prince Edward Island, and Mrs. Peters and Sir Robert Bond, Premier of Newfoundland.

## BUSY BAND

Bandmaster Harry C. Philp is a happy man these days. "The band has all it can do," said the leader of Chatham's noted military musical organization, "and after next week we will be able to accept no engagements except on Sunday and Saturday. The Port Lambton excursions start on Monday, June 10, the Essex excursions start on Tuesday, June 17. Then there is the regular march-out Thursday evening and the band in the park Wednesday evening, so that the band is engaged for every evening during the week except Saturday and Sunday nights."

Don't fail to go to Marine City on the St. Joseph's parish excursion via steamer City of Chatham, June 10, 6dlw.

## PRAISED THEM

**Lord Salisbury's Eloquent Tribute to the Colonial Troops.**

London, June 5.—The Prince of Wales and many peeresses were present in the House of Lords, when Lord Salisbury moved a vote of thanks to the officers and men of the Imperial forces in South Africa. The motion specially mentioned the colonial pioneers and paid a tribute to the splendid qualities of the colonial troops, who, he said, contended, under no ordinary difficulties, against an enemy which had accumulated vast stores of munitions of war, and had the advantage of fighting in a peculiar country, with which they were thoroughly familiar. The Premier also said he thought the House had never before thanked, nor had such good cause to thank, the colonial troops for their assistance. Not long ago, many people in Europe thought that the time of the downfall of the British Empire had arrived. But the colonial troops came brilliantly to Great Britain's assistance.

ance, and the more Great Britain's difficulties increased, the more colonial loyalty had manifested itself in aiding the Empire to defy the hostility and bitterness of all its opponents. Great Britain had the assistance of a force which a few years ago was not dreamed of, and that was the subject of exultation in England. It was shown that when the country was denuded of troops, her naval supremacy was sufficient to protect her, and Great Britain was never any safer than during that period of the war.

Earl Spencer, the Liberal leader in the House of Lords, added his tribute to the British forces in South Africa, and Lord Salisbury's motion for a vote of thanks to the officers and men of the Imperial forces in South Africa was carried unanimously.

## BRITISH FORCES

London, June 5.—An official statement issued by the War Office this evening shows that the total reduction of the British forces in South Africa, up to May 30 of the present year, was 97,477. This includes killed, wounded, prisoners, deaths from disease and men invalided home.

Of these, many have recovered and rejoined their regiments, leaving 28,431 dead or permanently incapacitated.

The total number of troops killed in action or who died of wounds is 7,792, while the total number of deaths from disease is 13,230.

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