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As a Clothing store we stand alone. We do the Clothing business thoroughly. We do it well and to the satisfaction of all who come our way. That fact touches every side of this Clothing business and leaves us with nothing undone or missing. We are ready now to swing into our Fall and Winter trade. Ready as never before. Ready with a completeness that discounts anything you have previously seen. Wherever possible we have made improvements in the matter of stocks, assortments, qualities, styles and values. That refers to Clothing, Furnishings and Headwear of every description for man, boy or child. This season we are showing more goods and better goods than ever before. We have used our past experience to good advantage. Our displays best give evidence of that fact. That's why we want you to see what we have accomplished for you. For that purpose we have set Thursday aside as a special Clothing Day, when visitors are invited to carefully inspect our Clothing stocks without any thought of buying. Everything will be arranged for easy seeing. Attentive helpers will cheerfully render any assistance in that respect or show any goods that you may want to see. Come, be free to ask questions, or have the goods shown to you. The more you do the better we shall be pleased.

Shopping Hints From Our Basement

The following paragraphs of store news gathered in our Basement are sure to be welcomed by scores of readers who peruse this page to-day. The respective items make their own appeal. The goods and prices are exactly as we say. If you are not interested yourself take the paper home and let the other members of the family read these items:

GLASS GOBLETS—50 dozen Flint Glass Goblets, 7, 9 and 11 ounce sizes, plain, extra quality, regularly sold at $2.00 a dozen, on sale Thursday, each at ..... .10

WATER POTS—72 only Japanned Water Pots, green, gold striped, 6 quart size, Guise roses, our regular price 25c, on sale now ..... .15

TINWARE—300 pieces Tinware, consisting of Cake Tins, Flour Sifters, Daisy Kettles, Covered Pails, Covered Sauce Pans, Roast Pans, Patty Pans, Flaring Pails, Dish Pans and Dust Pans; a large portion of this lot is hand made; sold regularly at from 8c to 12c each, Thursday your choice for 7

36 ONLY HARNESS SOAP—J. H. Farr's Soft Oil Soap and Frank Miller's Black Harness Soap, regularly sold at 10c and 20c each, to clear Thursday 5

IRON TOYS—See our assortment of Iron Toys. The finest we have ever shown at the price. Trains with engine and three cars, street cars with horses, farm wagons, hook and ladder, cab, horse and jockey; any one of these for ..... .25

BABY CARRIAGES—One of our neatest styles, upholstered with silk plush, bed cushion, fitted with patent foot brake and rubber tires, extra good value at 10.00

FERN POTS—An assortment of Fern Pots, ten styles to choose from, majolica, imitation bisque and semi-china, decorated, our special price ..... .15

A Snap in Children's School Stockings

Mothers can safely buy of these Stockings, for they will give school children excellent wear and service. But that is not all. On Thursday buyers get more than double the usual value; in fact, they can have three pairs for the price of one pair. How little, at that rate, it will take to provide for all the children, girls as well as boys!

Misses' and Boys' 1-1 and 2-1 Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, extra fine quality, in a suitable weight for fall wear, made of pure wool yarn and finished with a seamless and double heel and toe, also double sole and ankle, sizes 6½ to 8½, regular price 35c to 45c a pair. Thursday to sell at ..... .15

Then from our regular, everyday values these three lines are worthy examples of the reasonable prices we ask:

Boys' 2-1 Ribbed Heavy Weight Black Cashmere Hose, made with a six-fold knee, double sole, heel, toe and ankle, seamless foot, this is a reliable stocking and a good wearer. Special ..... .25

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Misses' and Boys' Irish Knit Ribbed Wool Hose, made from the finest selected pure yarns, seamless foot, this stocking we guarantee for wear and comfort, all sizes. At 35c a pair, or 3 pair for 1.00

About Our Carpet and Curtain Sale

During this Special Sale of Curtains and Carpets we are making prices that mean a saving of at least one-fourth what is usually asked for equal qualities. The goods are brand new and reliable, coming to us direct from manufacturers who cleared surplus stocks to us at a handsome saving. As we bought so we sell, and you reap the benefit of values like these:

Curtains and Draperies.

800 pairs White or Ivory Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3¼ to 60 inches wide, 3½ yards long, overlocked corded edges, heavy and fine worked patterns on extra quality net, special sale price, per pair 1.00

98 pairs Heavy Tapestry Curtains, 50 inches wide, 3 yards long, reversible designs, deep knotted fringe top and bottom, in a variety of new fall colors, special sale price, per pair 4.00

363 yards English and American Tapestry, 50 inches wide, in fancy stripes and floral designs, useful for curtains, drapes, cosy corners or upholstering purposes, special sale price, per yard ..... .50

785 yards English and American Cretonne, 31 to 34 inches wide, soft, bright finish, in a large range of new fall patterns and colorings, special sale price, per yard ..... .10

590 Opaque Window Shades, 38x70 inches long, in two shades of cream, two shades of green and drab, mounted on Hartshorn spring rollers, complete with brackets and pull, special sale price, each ..... .35

New Carpets.

1200 yards of New Best Quality English Velvet Carpets, with 5-8 borders and 3-4 stairs, in shades of terra cotta, fawn, green, blue, crimson and wood colors, patterns suitable for any style of room or hall, special sale price, per yard 1.00

New English Balmoral Carpets, in a full range of the latest fall patterns and colors, with 5-8 borders and 3-4 stairs to match, special sale price, per yard ..... .80

750 yards All-Wool Carpets, 36 inches wide, good reversible patterns and all new colors, some of these are left over from last spring, our regular price per yard, 75c, special sale price, Thursday ..... .55

Added to these is a new shipment of the best Inlaid Linoleums, which we have marked at $1.10 a square yard. The width is two yards, and the patterns come in new floral, tile and parquet floor effects. This of itself ought to bring a mint of trade to our Carpet Section.

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PROTECTION THE LEADING PLANK.

Amid the warfare of personalities that is raging in this election, we must not lose sight of the real issue. The issue is not one of men, but of principles. The great majority of the people are indifferent to the personnel of the present or any other Government. What they want is the carrying out of the policy that is best adapted to the material and moral advancement of the country. We are glad to notice that Sir Charles Tupper is appealing to the country on a clear-cut, definite policy. There is no mistaking the terms of that policy, nor are there any misgivings as to his intentions to carry it out if he be given the opportunity. The most important feature of the Conservative party's platform is undoubtedly the protection plank. Sir Charles Tupper comes out squarely and unequivocally in favor of the policy that was first adopted by Canada in 1879, and that has been in force ever since, altho in a modified form during the past four years. We will allow Sir Charles to enunciate the protection plank of the party's platform in his own unambiguous language. He said in his address at Montreal on Monday night:

Our policy—you have a right to know it—is the policy that we in 1879 placed on the statute books of Canada—(applause)—a policy declaring that we were determined to give fitting protection to every Canadian industry and to Canadian labor, a policy that has made Canada what it is to-day. We stand by it now in all its integrity, as we stood by it then. We consider it the bounden duty of men charged with the administration of public affairs in Canada to look solely and simply at that which will make our country great and prosperous, and to steadily carry it out in such a way that it will achieve for the country similar great results to those achieved in the past.

Mr. Hugh John Macdonald was equally unambiguous in his deliverance as to the Conservative party's attitude on protection. This is Hugh John's definition of the plank:

The Conservative policy does not change. What they fought for in 1878—the National Policy—they are fighting for to-day. They believed in protecting the workingman and a fair wage for a fair day's work. Electors could judge of the future conduct of the Conservatives by the past. If the Conservatives were returned to power everyone would know exactly what they would do.

Hon. Mr. Foster enunciates the plank as follows:

The Conservatives have one tune—adequate protection to Canadian industry and labor in 1900, as in 1878, '82, '86, '90, '96. They made adjustments to meet the circumstances of the country, but the principle was always the same.

There is no uncertainty in these utterances as to the Conservative party's attitude on protection. A Conservative regime will mean the adoption of the principle of protection wherever it is likely to benefit Canadian manufacturers and Canadian workingmen. The Conservative party has no apology to make for its adherence to and belief in protection. They don't propose to apply the principle on the sneak, but will do it openly and above board, knowing, as they do, that it means more for Canada than any other plank in their own or the other party's platform. Much as protection has done for this country, there is still great scope for its extension. The United States is sending goods into this country at the rate of ONE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS worth per annum. The Conservative party propose to erect the tariff fence high enough to keep out a big proportion of the manufactured articles represented by that enormous sum. The Conservative party propose that a large part of these articles shall be made in Canada, by Canadian, and not by Yankee, workingmen.

Let us see, now, where the Liberal party stands on this question. A difficulty that confronts us at the outset in locating the party's attitude on protection is their ambiguous, sneaking, dishonest utterances on the question. When cornered they are ashamed to say they are protectionists, and yet they have retained the protective tariff of their predecessors. Sir Charles Tupper pointed out the true inwardness of the Liberal party's attitude on protection by showing that the members of the Government had gone behind the backs of the electors to the manufacturing industries, and promised them protection, while openly they told the people that they were going to give the country free trade, as they had it in England. This explanation tallies perfectly with the dishonest course the Liberal Government has pursued all thru its regime. It has been trying to serve two masters, the manufacturers and the free traders. Under the circumstances, it is impossible for the Government to appear otherwise than as tricksters and opportunists. In its leading editorial, The Globe yesterday referred to "the unfortunate results" of the 18 years of protection under Conservative rule. And yet, as Hon. Mr. Foster pointed out in his Montreal speech, the difference between the present tariff and that of the late Government is only 14-100ths of 1 per cent. If we treat the iron bounties offered by the present Government as the equivalent of a protective tariff, the tariff wall of to-day is just as high as it was under the late Conservative Government. If the workingmen of Canada are in favor of protection, we ask them to study the utterances of the two parties during the campaign, and note the honest, fearless enunciation of the principle by the one and the dishonest and sneaking references to it by the other. The Conservative party is protectionist for all there is in it. The Liberal party has gone its limit in protection. Its tendency will be towards repressing rather than enlarging the principle.

After protection, the next most important plank of the Conservative platform is that of mutual preferential trade, the consideration of which we reserve for a future article.

RED TICKETS IN MIDDAY.

If the Toronto Railway Company studied its own interests it would make its red tickets (eight for 25 cents) good during lunch hour, or from noon to 1.30 p.m. There is an immense movement of people from the office and workshop to the home and vice versa during this period of the day. Thousands use the wheel, thousands go home on foot, and there are thousands who do not go home at all, taking their midday repast from their own lunch box or from one of the scores of down-town restaurants. A three-cent car fare would induce thousands who now stay down-town to go home for dinner, while many of those who are accustomed to walk would take the cars in preference. We do not suggest that the Railway Company should adopt the three-cent tickets from philanthropic motives, but because we know the change would benefit the company not less than the public. We would like to see a conference between the representatives of the city and the president of the Railway Company on this matter. If an experiment were made, we feel certain both parties would be satisfied with the results. We would suggest, therefore, that the red tickets be valid for an hour and a half in the middle of the day, during a certain specified time, say one week. If the experiment does not work satisfactorily it can then be dropped. Surely some member of the Council has sufficient influence with the company to have the experiment tried for a week to see what there is in it.

BUBONIC PLAGUE AT FRISCO.

Dr. Fagen of British Columbia Says the Americans Suppressed the Facts.

Ottawa, Sept. 11.—The Department of Agriculture has to-day received a communication from the High Commissioner's office, covering a report made to the British consul in San Francisco, dated July 20 last, by Dr. Fagen, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health of British Columbia. Dr. Fagen had been sent down by the local Government because of the rumor of the outbreak of bubonic plague there. He reported that newspapers, business men and even doctors endeavored to suppress the fact that cases had really appeared in the Chinese quarter of that city; that the measures taken by the health authorities there to at once suppress the disease were so drastic as to arouse the antagonism of these men by conflicting with business prospects, and that the authorities, therefore, relaxed their efforts. Dr. Fagen stated that if no epidemic broke out among the Chinese it would be a miracle. He tells of the case of an autopsy on a dead Chinaman, which clearly showed the existence of the plague, but the local doctor refused to issue a certificate of death from such cause. From this report it is evident that more information is necessary than is supplied by press despatches.

AMALGAMATION OF CLASSES.

Public School Board Discuss it Again and Will Allow Principals to Classify Pupils.

A special meeting of the Public School Board was held last night to discuss the following notice of motion Trustee Hales made at the last meeting: "That principals be allowed to classify pupils in the public classes, the same as if no amalgamation of the 5th book classes had taken place."

In the absence of Trustee Hales, Trustee Baird made the motion, which provoked a discussion which lasted nearly two hours. Only a half a dozen or so trustees participated in the talk, and their speeches were noticeable principally for their length, to pacify some of the members, the mover of the resolution agreed that the following clause be added to the original motion: "That no subjects be taught other than those prescribed by the Education Department."

It is hard to see the object of this last clause, as there are no subjects taught in the Public schools that are not prescribed by the Education Department. However, the resolution as amended was carried, the following being the division:

Yeas—Trustees Baird, Hodgson, Lee, Clark, Davis, Chisholm, Ogden, Brown, Lever, Locke, Godfrey—11.

Nays—Trustees Keller, Douglas, Spence, Buck—4.

AS GOVERNOR OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Chester B. Jordan of Lancaster Chosen by the Republicans.

Concord, N.H., Sept. 11.—Chester B. Jordan of Lancaster was nominated for Governor by the Republican State Convention here to-day. The following candidates were nominated by acclamation as Presidential electors: William J. Hoyt, Manchester; Hon. Seth M. Richards, Newport; Hon. Joseph O. Hobbs, Northampton; Hon. William H. Mitchell, Littleton.

Astronomical Society.

By the courtesy of the pastor and Board of Managers, the Toronto Astronomical Society held an open air meeting on the beautiful lawn of the Parkdale Presbyterian Church, Dunn-avenue. The attendance of members and visitors was very large, and deep interest was manifested in the celestial objects shown. These included the moon, the planets Jupiter and Saturn, and some of the more prominent double stars. The meeting was a great success, partly by reason of the large number of telescopes on the ground, the instruments having been supplied by the Rev. Robert Atkinson, Dr. A. D. Watson and Messrs. Andrew Elvins, A. F. Miller, J. E. Maybee and Z. M. Collins. This was the sixth open air meeting arranged this summer for practical out-door observational work.

Caledonian Society.

Secretary Campbell of the Caledonian Society reported last night that there is a surplus from the annual games held at Niagara Falls of $74.80. The Hallowe'en dinner will again be held at the Walker House on Oct. 30. Details of price and program were left to a committee. A letter was read from Dr. Hamilton advocating that steps be taken to build a monument to the poet McLaughlin at Oranpville, but no action was taken. The annual concert will be held in Massey Hall on Jan. 25.

Neuralgia

is Rheumatism of the face. Uric Acid left in the blood by disordered kidneys lodges along the nerve which branches from the eye over the forehead, and across the cheek to the side of the nose. The cause is the same as in all Rheumatism— disordered Kidneys. The cure is likewise the same—

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POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE.

Those who are in a position to know intimate that the Liberal campaign funds are rolling in lively. This roll is further suggestive of the whoop and the "whoop her up."

A political prophet differs from an ordinary politician in that he does not know either, but lets others know that he does not know.

Hon. D. C. Fraser, M.P. for Guysboro, will loom up before the good folk of Aberfoyle to-night, and tell the electors of Puslinch how to vote. He has been lassooed by Hugh Guthrie, Liberal candidate for North Waterloo, and The Guelph Mercury in introducing him to the public thus lushes over him: "Mr. Fraser is one of the tallest and biggest men in the House. He can speak Gaelic, and has won a great name for himself as an orator. He is a general favorite in the Liberal ranks, and is in great demand. He is one of the brainy men from down by the sea, and his address will be well worth hearing."

When the Hon. Gaelic Fraser makes his touching, tender appeals to the farmers of Puslinch he is in his element. In his own inimitable vernacular, "The general crop vote knocks the mere straw vote all hollow."

A gentleman interested in voters' lists yesterday remarked to The World: "The Liberals are playing a deep game with the lists. Alex. Smith has sent out a booklet to the faithful, in which it is pointed out that appeals against the lists prepared by the clerk are to be entered within 30 days after the posting up of the lists by the clerk. To work the game, the clerk times his posting of the lists so that the clear 30 days will expire on a Sunday. This would make the following Monday the final day for entering appeals. For obvious reasons the entry of appeals is held off till the last possible day, the nominated Monday. But then the clerk refuses to accept the appeal on the ground that Saturday was the last day for entering appeals. This dodge has already been tried, tho unsuccessfully, in the Township of Eramosa, Wellington County."

H. A. Powell, M.P., whom Commodore McGillicuddy delights to bullyrag, has been nominated to stand in the Conservative interest for his old riding, Westmoreland, and The St. John Sun speaking of him says:

Mr. Powell has accepted the nomination of his party in Westmoreland. He has had a fair share of honor paid him during his parliamentary career, and now enjoys a tribute from his opponents. It is supposed that Mr Blair, who does not approve of Mr. Powell, induced the Premier of New Brunswick to resign office and try to defeat him. If Mr. Emmerson ventures into this struggle he will have the patronage of two governments on his side. He will also be provided with a copious fund. And yet it is quite likely that the place on the bench will be kept vacant for Mr. Emmerson until after the election. That would be another tribute to Mr. Powell's strength and a concession to Mr. Emmerson's prudence.

George E. Casey, M.P., is not altogether sure of getting the convention in West Elgin on Sept. 18. Several Liberal workers are trying to shelve him, but it is said that Mr. Casey wants a big flesh-pot from Egypt, and is unwilling to accept what the Government has already offered. It is conceded by the Liberals that with the veteran Casey in the field it will be difficult to hold the seat. There is a strong probability of an independent candidate being brought out, while the large temperance, Patron and Socialistic vote contemplates unearthing a standard-bearer.

The Globe is making a soft spot for Hon. C. Sifton to fall on. It now confesses that Brandon is a Conservative constituency and that Hugh John's facing Sifton is "not so very bold" after all. The inference is that the audacity is all on the side of Sifton.

The Liberals of Lincoln will hold a convention to nominate a candidate on Sept 29.

Oh, the elections are on all right! The Liberal compaign in Quebec will be opened by Sir Wilfrid in Montreal on the 20th inst.

"Bob" McLean, the genial West Huron cattle-buyer, was in the city yesterday and expressed himself as hopeful for the success of his contest with "Bob" Holmes, M.P. Men who know West Huron declare that Bob, the cattle-buyer, will easily defeat Bob, the editor. Then surely will it be proved that the stock is mightier than the pen.

A gentleman called at The World from North Simcoe yesterday and offered to bet that Leighton McCarthy would not again represent the riding. He posed in 1898 as an independent and gave promise of a meritorious career. But since reaching Ottawa he has lost his independent ideas and become a willing supporter of the Government. This will turn the Conservatives who voted for him in 1898 against him. Besides, Charles Cameron, the Conservative candidate, is popular and a great campaigner. There is no truth in the rumor that Leighton McCarthy would refuse to run as a straight Liberal. The present Administration is satisfied with his course.

East Lambton Liberals held a convention at Watford yesterday and unanimously decided on Mr. John Fraser, the present member, as their candidate for the coming contest.

An event in the political history of the County of Peel is the big Conservative demonstration which will take place at Brampton next Monday evening. Hon. Hugh John Macdonald, Premier of Manitoba, and son of the old chieftain, the late Sir John A. Macdonald, will be the principal speaker, and he will be followed by Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, Richard Blain and others. All arrangements are nearing completion by the Peel Liberal-Conservative Association, and it is expected that thousands of people will be glad to be present.

A meeting will be held at the Albany Club to-night to complete arrangements for the mass meeting to be held in Massey Music Hall on Wednesday evening, 19th inst., when Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. Geo. E. Foster, Hon. Hugh John Macdonald and J. P. Whitney, Q.C., will speak. All the members of the Executive Committee of the Conservative Association, as well as members of Parliament and of the Legislature for the City of Toronto and County of York, are expected to be present.

Addison—Scoley.

Not a flaw occurred to mar the nuptials of Miss Lizzie Scoley and Rev. A. P. Addison, B.A., of Collingwood, yesterday at the residence of the bride's father, E. K. Scoley, 35 Wilton-crescent. Everything went merry as a wedding bell, and it is safe to say that Mr. and Mrs Addison were the happiest couple in Toronto yesterday. Their friends, too, who gathered to the goodly number to celebrate the event, were radiant with the reflected joy of bride and groom.

The ceremony took place at 5.30 p.m. Mr. Addison being supported by his brother, Dr. W. L. Addison of Byng Inlet, while Miss Bella Christo of Flesherton gracefully performed a similar duty for the bride. Rev. Peter Addison, father of the groom, officiated, assisted by Rev. James Allen of Sherbourne-street Methodist Church.

The bride was attired in a very handsome gown of white silk and organdie, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Christo also wore white organdie, and carried pink roses. After a short honeymoon in Eastern Ontario Mr. and Mrs. Addison will take up their residence in Collingwood.

THE DAY AT THE CITY HALL

Ratepayers Will Have to Raise the Sum of $74,918 for Dundas-Street Bridges.

RETAILERS ASK A BONUS OF $500

To Recoup Expenses in Connection With the Departmental Stores Appeal.

At the sitting of the Court of Revision yesterday morning there was a large representation of the ratepayers who are assessed for the Dundas-street bridges. Their objection to meet the liabilities calculated by the city is an old matter, and in order that their exact position towards the city should be understood the Legal Department made out the following statement of the cost of the bridges, including superstructure, approaches, etc.:

Expenditure: Superstructure, $54,061.98; approaches, $16,758.71; land damages, etc., $68,652.06; total, $140,072.75.

Receipts: Debenture issue, $30,000; railways' proportion, $20,000; R. H. Hill, $154.65; taxation, $15,000; total, $65,154.65.

Balance $74,918.10.

This balance is the sum for which property-owners are assessed. They want to disclaim liability for more than $25,000, which was the sum estimated by the Engineer in the first recommendation that passed Council, in April, 1889.

The Court of Revision got the data down yesterday, and adjourned without accomplishing more.

Want $500 Bonus.

The Retail Merchants' Association are after a bonus from the city to recoup the expenses undergone in pushing the appeal against the assessment of departmental stores.

W. R. Cavell, who appeared for the Retail Merchants' Association before the Court of Revision, and presented their appeals against the T. Eaton and Robert Simpson companies' assessments, has written to the Board of Control, asking a special appropriation to cover the law costs which the association will incur, viz., $300—$200 before the Court of Revision and $300 which they expect to incur before the County Judge. Mr. Cavell makes the following indictment of the Assessment Department: "The evidence and investigation made by the court made it apparent that the Assessment Department did very little if anything to arrive at the value of the stock carried by these stores, but simply took the statement issued by the respective companies."

Protest Against Penalties.

The Hamilton Bridge Company, contractors for the iron work on the Don bridges over Queen-street and Eastern-avenue, as well as the Humber bridge, protest against the city extracting the penalties for non-completion of the work within the contract time. The following letter has been received by the City Engineer: "First, as regards Queen-street bridge, we understand that you take the following position, that we should have finished the Queen-street bridge on Dec. 17, 1899, and this was not done. You have deducted as penalty for non-completion of the work $50 per day from that date, notwithstanding the fact that the masonry abutments that the bridge was to rest on were not finished until after Jan. 9, 1900. In the meantime we have driven piles for the falseworks. At that time this company considered the season so far advanced, and, knowing that freshets were to have been expected in February or March, and considering the interests of all parties, we did not think we were justified in risking the erection of so important and valuable a bridge in January, February and March, and actual events show that if we attempted to do so we would have lost the bridge. As it was it was only the piles that we put in for falseworks that saved your road bridge from destruction. As soon as the water subsided in the Don work was proceeded with until the bridge was completed. Under these circumstances we are advised that you are not entitled to collect any penalty. Eastern-avenue and Humber bridges completion was also delayed beyond stipulated time for reasons well known to yourself and not in any way under our control. The city of Toronto has three of the finest municipal bridges on the continent and has in no way suffered actual damage thru any act of ours, and we think there should be no further delay in paying us for our work."

Another Pavement Inquiry.

The law firm of Bull & Kyles have written to the Mayor: "We have been instructed by a number of property-owners on William-street to bring under your notice the fact that the contract for laying the pavement on that street is not being carried out according to the specifications nor to the satisfaction of the property-owners who will be taxed to pay for the pavement. Among the objections to the pavement which were stated to us were the following: That sand is not being used to pack the curbing, tho the specifications, our clients state, called for sand packing. The concrete that is being used is of an inferior quality, and is not of the class called for by the specifications. Our clients ask that you will have your Engineer make a thoro investigation as to the subject matter of these complaints."

Miller, Ferguson & Hughes wish the Mayor to appoint a small committee to settle a dispute over a piece of land in Rosedale instead of going on with litigation already begun.

Controllers Sheppard and Spence have made satisfactory arrangements to accommodate Judge McDougall in his court in the new building. The pressing needs of the judge will be met at once.

Liverpool Cotton Market Feverish.

Liverpool, Sept. 11.—The cotton market was feverish to-day, and prices much irregular, but they soon strengthened under the influence of the advance in prices in New York and unfavorable American crop reports. The spinners and manufacturers have been buoyed with hopes that a good crop would insure prosperous business in 1901, but the diminished crops prospects and the delay in exportations from Galveston have aroused grave anxiety, and are likely to lead to serious financial difficulties among the trade.

THE ARNOLD CHEMICAL CO.

THE VICTORS.

The Gold Medal for Fastest Time in the Automobile Race Carried Off by the Famous English Pill Company.

Nearly everybody is familiar with the name of the Arnold Chemical Company of London, England, with branch offices in this city. Dr. Arnold is the founder of the English Toxin Pills that bear his name and have made such a record of cures in Canada during the past few years. The manager of the Canadian branch utilizes an automobile in the pursuit of the firm's business, and entered it in the automobile races at the Exhibition here last week, with the result that he succeeded in carrying off the gold medal against all competitors. The time made was the fastest on record; the first day it made the round trip of 6 miles in 17¼ minutes, the second day was done in even better time, namely, 15 minutes. "Whinton," or the Germ Killer, is the name of the carriage, and it was handled by H. E. McCollum, one of the most expert drivers in Canada. In conversation with Mr. S. Bassett, the business manager of the Arnold Chemical Company, states that he is deluged with letters from all parts of the country, asking that the Dr. Arnold Company's carriage visit the different towns. Mr. Bassett says it would be impossible to comply with all the requests, but confidently expects to respond to a great many. The "Whinton" is a decidedly handsome carriage, and has cost a lot of money. The manager uses it exclusively for advertising purposes, and it has proved a drawing card in the towns and cities of Canada. The victory gained on Friday is significant, inasmuch as it is typical of the continued victories over disease being won by Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills.

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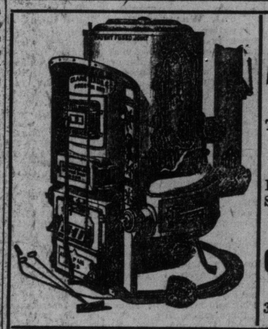

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THIS IS A COOL PROPOSAL.

French Government Asked to Resign Because it Has Fulfilled its Mission.

Paris, Sept. 11.—The Journal des Debats, on the authority of one who recently discussed the situation with several Cabinet Ministers, says that a portion of the Cabinet is in favor of the Government resigning in a body before the reassembling of Parliament, on the ground that the Government has accomplished the task for which it was constituted; that the Dreyfus affair is ended; that the defence of the republic has been placed on a firm basis; that the Exposition is about to be closed, and that it would be best to resign in order to clear the political situation. The Cabinet's resignation, it is further asserted, will do away with numerous interpellations on strikes, accidents at the Exposition, and other incidents, which threaten to cause stormy debates in the Chamber, and President Loubet would form a Cabinet of Republican concentration, not including any of the present ministers. A decision is believed, will probably be taken at an early meeting of the Cabinet.

THE CARD CHAIN BARRED.

U. S. Attorney-General Decides it Comes Under Lottery Law.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The Attorney-General, in an opinion to the Postmaster-General, holds that all of the so-called "card chain" schemes that recently have been operated thru the mails are violations of the lottery law. Postmasters will be called on to notify all promoters of such schemes of the above ruling, and if they persist in conducting them the department will be notified of the fact with a view to further action.

Y. W. C. Guild Notes.

The monthly board meeting was held yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Elias Rogers, president, presiding.

On the first of October a School of Domestic Science will be opened at the Guild, McGill-street, under the able management of Mrs. McBeth. Lectures will be given by an excellent staff, including the following: Irving Cameron, M.A., F.R.C.S.; A. McPhedran, M.D., and Dr. Harley Smith. Prof. McKenzie of Toronto University will give a course of lectures on Bacteriology. Mr. Elliott, B.A., of Toronto Normal School, a course on Psychology, and Miss Middleton and others on Nursing. For further particulars apply at the Guild office. An open social evening will be held next Monday, and an educational rally the following week.

GOOD MORNING!! Is your watch reliable? If not, let me put it in order for you. We'll both be profited by the transaction. Ammon Davis, watch specialist, 176 Queen St. East.

A Vacancy at McMaster.

The Senate of McMaster University will meet Friday next to fill the vacancy on the teaching staff created by the resignation of Prof. Willmott, who has become the geologist of the Algoma Central Railway Company.

The Demon Dyspepsia—In olden times it was a popular belief that demons moved invisibly through the ambient air seeking to enter into men and trouble them. At the present day the demon, dyspepsia, is at large in the same way, seeking habitation in those who by careless or unwise living invite him. And once he enters a man it is difficult to dislodge him. He that finds himself so disposed should know that a valiant friend to do battle for him with the unseen foe is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are ever ready for the trial. ed

The Grand Hotel and Baths, Magnetic Caledonia Springs, continue open to Sept. 17—Canada's ideal resort.

FAREWELL TO SAM JONES.

Eulogistic Remarks From Many of His Friends at a Happy Gathering Last Night.

Perhaps the sentiment of his many friends in this city, who view with sincere regret the departure of Sam M. Jones for Philadelphia to-morrow, cannot be set forth better than in the following lines by his friend, Bernard McEvoy:

Good-bye, thou Prince of Punsters! Here's to thee!
And in the land of Freedom, make thou free!
Disciple thou of Shakespeare, Morris, Hood,
Set forth their teachings as disciples should.
Success attend thy tongue, thy brush, thy pen,
And all they plans to help they fellow-men.

It was with the most cordial feelings of this kind that a few score of his most intimate friends assembled at the residence of Miss Mackenzie, 15 Montague-place, to give Mr. Jones a send-off by way of supplement to that of last Thursday evening.

Among those present were: William Douglas, Allan Thompson, Dr. Hargreave, Bernard McEvoy, Dr. Brodie, Phillips Thompson, D. S. McCorquodale, Sam Wood, J. W. Bengough, John A. Ewan, Owen Staples, William Cutts, Fred Bury, Dr. Lelia Davis, Rev. S. S. Craig, Miss Hancock, R. Y. Ellis, Julius Sale, A. S. Smythe, Dr. Young, James Bain, Dr. King, Dr. Norman Allen, Crown Attorney Curry, Rev. Charles Eaton, Edwin Smiley, A. Elvins and J. Rutherford.

Mr. Jones' contributions to the best thought of the community, sociologically, metaphysically and artistically, are too well known to call for any comment. He has accepted a first-class offer from an English firm of designers in Philadelphia, who were anxious to secure his services after seeing specimens of his work.

CANCER OF THE BREAST

Is the Malady From Which the Dowager Empress Frederick is Suffering.

Berlin, Sept. 11.—From a reliable source it is ascertained that the Dowager Empress Frederick has been suffering for a year with cancer of the breast. The disease is already far advanced, and she is a very sick woman. The forthcoming visit of Queen Victoria is understood to be connected with her daughter's malady.

If attacked with cholera or summer complaint of any kind send at once for a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, and use it according to directions. It acts with wonderful rapidity in subduing that dreadful disease that weakens the strongest man and that destroys the young and delicate. Those who have used this cholera medicine say it acts promptly, and never fails to effect a thorough cure.