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AFTER THE FACTS

Toronto, April 23.—Hon. W. J. Hanna, Provincial Secretary, when asked yesterday if he had anything to say concerning the rumors of improper conduct on the part of the West Kent License Commissioners, made the following statement: "Certain rumors circulated in Chatham and vicinity, concerning the Commissioners, have come to my attention, and in the interests of the Commissioners themselves and of the Department I think it proper these rumors should be investigated. I expect no one will be more ready to welcome the investigation than the Commissioners themselves. What shape the investigation will take I am not at liberty to say, but it will certainly go far enough to satisfy me whether or not there is anything in the rumors."

EASTER MUSICALS

The pupils of Miss Mabelle Edmondson gave a very pleasing and successful musical at her home on Head St. last evening.

Some of the pupils showed unusual talent; the numbers by Miss Dottie Wilson and Miss Violet Glassford being especially well rendered.

Several excellent and much enjoyed vocal selections were given by Mr. Harry Flowers and little Fay MacDougal, of Wallaceburg.

Big Jewelry Robbery.

Regina, N. W. T., April 23.—A daring robbery occurred here at noon yesterday when burglars entered the jewelry store of M. G. Howes and carried off about three thousand worth of watches and diamonds. Entrance was made by cutting a hole in the front door during the absence of Mr. Howes at dinner.

JUST ONE MOMENT, PLEASE!

IF a man wore clothes only
Occasionally, the comfort,
Style and fit of his suit
Would not so much concern
him.

But, as he wears clothes
About two-thirds of his life,
They become an important
matter.

Hundreds of men, who
Appreciate comfort, and
Having things a little
Better, are wearing clothes
Bought here.

There are some men who
have not tried this store.

MEYNELL,

3 Doors West from Market,
Chatham, King St.

Boy and Horse Drown.

Campbellford, April 23.—A drowning accident occurred here yesterday morning, by which a boy about 11 years of age, son of Moses Peeling, lost his life. In company with a man named Tyler, they were dumping rubbish into the river with a horse and wagon, and getting out too far, the current caught the wagon and swept it with the occupants and horse down the river. Tyler swam ashore, but the boy and horse were carried over the dam and drowned.

Vain Hope.

"Banks, can you remember just how much I owe you?"

"Thirteen dollars and twenty-five cents."

"That's the exact sum, eh? Thank you."

"Well—why did you want to know?"

"I thought, perhaps you'd forgotten it; that's all."

Didn't Dare.

"Mr. Meekton says he never spoke a harsh word to his wife."

"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne, "but I'm not sure whether that is due to kindness or caution."

A SERIOUS ENCOUNTER.

Ottawa Lawyer Near Death's Door
From Blow With a Tumbler.

Ottawa, April 23.—Mr. Rene de Salaberry and Mr. C. B. Major, two well-known lawyers, were having supper in Hull Wednesday evening with a number of others when the former called the latter an offensive name. Mr. Major immediately hurled a glass at the other. The missile struck De Salaberry near the temple, severing the main artery. For some hours Mr. De Salaberry was under the doctor's care and the last rites of the church were administered. Yesterday he was better, but not out of danger.

ALLISTON MAN HURT.

William McMahon Stabbed in An Affray at Lockport, N. Y.

Buffalo, April 23.—William McMahon, who claims that his home is in Alliston, Ont., was stabbed three times during a quarrel with Nick Starr, an Italian, at the Lockport Glass Works Wednesday night. The Canadian was cut in the chest, abdomen and leg, and it is feared his wounds will prove fatal. He is now in the Baker Hospital, Lockport, where the physicians hold out little hope for his recovery. His alleged assailant was captured after a short chase and locked up.

Lord Grey Talks Like Kaiser.

London, April 23.—The Westminster Gazette says: "We hope Earl Grey is not going to take the Kaiser as a model for the speeches which he is called upon to make as Governor-General in Canada, yet we confess to finding his speech in Toronto on Monday distinctly kaiserish. We recognize the difficulties which must attend the composition of these official speeches, but inflation of sentiment ought to be scrupulously avoided."

Accused of Embezzlement.

Trenton, N. J., April 23.—Dr. Wesley R. Wales, president of the First National Bank of Cape May City, was arrested by a United States marshal yesterday and arraigned in the United States court to plead to an indictment charging him with the misappropriation of \$10,000 of the bank's funds. He entered a plea of not guilty.

Bigelow's Indebtedness.

Milwaukee, April 23.—Frank G. Bigelow, the defaulting bank president, has confessed an indebtedness to banks, commercial institutions and estates of which he had charge, which will aggregate between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000.

150 Chinese Burned.

Shanghai, April 23.—The British steamer Yuen-We has been totally destroyed by fire at Tungchow, (20 miles from Peking). It is feared that 150 Chinese lost their lives.

Saturday Sale of Sox

On SATURDAY ONLY we will sell our regular 35c fine Black Cashmere Sox at **25c. per Pair.**

These Sox are extra fine quality of English Cashmere, with double spliced heels and toes, the kind that are now, and will be again Monday, 35c. per Pair.

All sizes, Saturday only, 25c

This is a Saturday Special that is worth taking advantage of, for remember we always do exactly as we say

THORNTON & DOUGLAS

LIMITED

Capt. Milloy Dead.

Toronto, April 23.—By the death of Capt. Milloy yesterday, Niagara-on-the-Lake loses one of its best known and highly respected citizens, after an illness of a few weeks' duration. Born in Toronto in 1852, he was a son of the late Capt. Duncan Milloy. For many years he had charge of the steamer City of Toronto, which plied between Toronto and Niagara. Some few years since he purchased the Oban Hotel at Niagara. He filled the office of Mayor for two terms. Deceased once made a daring trip across Lake Ontario in a small rowboat, being one of the few persons who have accomplished the feat without mishap.

Ready For Immigrants.

Quebec, April 23.—Dr. P. R. Bryce, Dominion medical superintendent, was in the city yesterday arranging for the opening of the immigration hospital for the season. The first passenger steamer is expected in a day or two. She is likely to be the Buenos Ayres.

Any girl who marries to please her folks usually gets the worst of it.

Many things are on record that never come out in a phonograph.

Bolassy Kiralfy Loses Suit.

Toronto, April 23.—The suit of Bolassy Kiralfy against the Industrial Association was dismissed yesterday. He sought to recover \$55,000 damages, claimed to have been sustained by the loss of his costumes in front of the grand stand there years ago. The association insured the goods for \$10,000 while they were under the grand stand, but Justice Street found that when they were removed Mr. Kiralfy assumed all risks.

Prohibit Canadian Fish.

Albany, N. Y., April 23.—An important group of game amendments was added to the statutes yesterday by the signature of Governor Higgins. Among them is the bill of Mr. Knapp, prohibiting transportation companies from bringing into this State any fish caught in that portion of Lake Champlain known as Missisquoi Bay, Province of Quebec, Canada.

The difference between two pretty girls is often a nice distinction.

There is no harm in thinking you are just a little better than the average individual.

PATTERSON'S FIRE SALE

IS STILL GOING ON

\$10,000 Worth of Goods Going at a Price Away Below Cost. Special Prices Arranged on \$200 Worth of Fishing Tackle; \$200 worth of Paint Brushes, Lap Rugs, Dusters, Washing Machines, Clothes Wringers and Grain Tubes.

THE ABOVE GOODS are in good condition, but the price is away below Wholesale in order to clean out the entire stock. We have one Chicago Horse Clipper left for \$5.00; Rubber Spreads, Rubber Goods of Every Description will be sold at a price which cannot help but make you purchase them. PAINTS AS FOLLOWS:—Indian Red, 7c. per lb.; Iron Oxide, good Venetian Red, 3½c. per lb.; Zinc White, 7c. per lb.; Silver White, 3c. per lb.; Yellow Ochre, 3c. per lb.; Chromo Ochre 3c. per lb.; Vermillion, 9c. per lb.; Green, 9c. per lb.; White Lead, 5½c.; Dry White Lead, 6c. per lb.; Dry Red Lead, 6c. per lb.

This is a chance in a life time to purchase all the HARDWARE you need at a price BELOW COST. The goods are in First-Class Condition, and the price will save you 50 per cent. Everything will be sold. Call at

A. H. Patterson's Fire Sale,

Opposite the Market, for Everything you Want.